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2nd bond try to seek same \$61.5 million

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By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

Northville Public School District officials are a little closer to deciding when they will seek voter approval for a second bond. issue.

The Northville Board of Education metwith members of the citizens bond committee and members of Continuing Excellence for Northville Children on Monday to hash out a plan of action for bringing a \$61.5 million bond issue before district

voters

The bonds would be used to construct a new high school, convert the current highschool into a middle school, provide existing building renovations and repairs and fund new technology

The board quickly tossed aside plans for an April election. School Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski said that an April election would pose too many problems. and wouldn't provide sufficient time to garner community support

"A vote in April would literally be a sprint for us," he said. "The timeline for relatively narrow margin as a possible target. The latest the district would want to go is September, according getting all the necessary paperwork into the state and treasury departments would be tight.

"We also believe that the election would be to close to the city's road millage election that is scheduled for March." he added "And finally we don't feel we would have enough time to get information to the public

The district lost a bond and enhance-

Cilizen bond committee members unanimously reconfirmed their original recommendation to the board to seek voter approval for a \$61.5 million bond. The committee met several times in December-Other bond related issues for board consideration are

 The board will be deciding in the next. few weeks, whether to schedule an election in early summer - June was named

to Rezmierski.

 Whether to keep all of the issues in one single question, or allow voters to pick and choose what portions they will approve. "Unbundling" the issues was recommended by the citizens technology committee at a recent committee meeting. but according to technology member Mark Vernatchia, the committee doesn't have a

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FIFTY CENTS



Here goes nothin'

High School. During this particular run, the pair only got back in the saddle ready for another try.

Physity JOHN HEIDER

Karen Dye and her daughter Tara, 5, take advantage of the about halfway down the hill before toppling over. Forturecent snowfall to get in some sledding near Northville nately, no harm was done and the daring duo were right

HOW THE SCHOOLS STACK UP

Here's a breakdown of 1996 MEAP scores by school. The scores represent the percentage of students who scored in the satisfactory category on the test

FOURTH GRADE	Math		READ	ING
	%	Rank	%	Rank
Amerman	913	3	767	3
Moraine	96.4	1	81.8	2
Silver Springs	78 8	5	519	5
Thornton Creek	96 0	2	85 3	1
Winchester	892	4	735	4
SEVENTH GRADE	Матн		READ	ING
	%	Rank	%	Rank
Cooke	85 2	2	729	1
Meads Mill	87 5	1	62 9	2

Test results prompt real estate inquiries

By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

When the Northville Public Schools fourth and seventh grade Michigan Educational Assessment Program test results appeared in the newspaper last week, the dis-alet's phone later begin to light up

We always get calls when the results come out," said Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. 'The local real estate agents get a hold of them and that's when we begin to get phone calls from people interested in our schools."

The curtous parties are usually homebayers who are interested in the type of education provided by local schools. Fortunately for Northville, the yearly MEAP results, continue to show steady improvement by the local schools, and

Districts seek change in test date

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL & ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writers

Northville and Novi School officials, along with other districts around the state, are being asked to consider moving all state standardized testing to a two week period in February.

According to Rita Traynor, assistant superintendent for Novi Schools, that may not be a bad idea.

i innik people 'Hey, that's great.' But that's just my observation," she said.

PAUL FOLINO • 1929-1997

By ROBERT JACKSON

small city a quaint, inviting place

to live while at the same time striv-

ing to promote the growth of busi-

ness and commerce in the down.

He always fought the good fight.

said friend and current council-

man Chuck Reys, "there was never

a moment that Paul wasn't light

Catt Winter

entire life

town area.

Community mourns loss of a favorite son Ex-councilman remembered as scrappy, big-hearted



Paul Folino in a 1981 photo.

ing for the good of this communi-

Paul Folmo was a fighter his Folino's fight ended early Saturday morning, when he died in his-The former Northville city counsleep at Angela Hospice in Livonia. cilman spent the better part of after a six month bout with cancerthree decades lighting to keep this. He was 67

Funeral services for the lifetime Northville resident were held Wednesday at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church, where Folmo was a parishioner. He was buried at Rural Hill Cemetery Arrangements were made by Casterline Funeral Home in Northville

Surviving are his wife Mamie.

daughters Teres) and Paula Folino Downey - son in law Gary Downey, brother Steve, and sister Jennie Watson

Folmo had been in and out of hospitals since undergoing surgery to remove a cancerous tumor fromhis stomach in October Family members and close friends prepared for the worse at the beginning of December when the popular Northville native slipped in and out of a coma.

"Everyone was thinking he wouldn't make it to Christmas, but

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that could transfate to higher home sales

For Rezmierski and school officials however the emphasis isn't on attracting homebuyers. Educators in Northville are interested in one thing - improving educational quality in schools.

So Rezimerski views this year's first crop of MEAP results as a positive step towards quality improvement Last week the school district released the results. from MEAP tests taken by fourth and seventh grade students. The results show that fourth graders. improved in mith and reading and seventh graders improved in reading The district's overall ratings place it among the top three school districts in southeast Michigan

The tests were taken Oct. 1-11 1996

Northville schools rated much higher than average on both fourth and seventh grade scores. District tourth graders scored 26 points

'It's seems to me to be more logical. That way you're only concentrating for two weeks, not the fall and the spring at the (various) grade levels," she explained.

Traynor said she and the principals of the schools, along with some other staff, will talk about the issue and submit a letter of recommendation to the state by Jan. 27.

That sounds like a good idea to me," added Ann Newton, Novi School Board trustee. "Anything they can do to consolidate and speed along the process and get the tests graded and returned in a Continued on 6

higher than the statewide average in reading and 30 points higher in math

At the seventh grade level dis-

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Candlelight procession pays tribute to slain leader

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

"I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character."

Martin Luther King Jr. spoke those words in the shadow of the Lincoln Memorial in August 1963. The man is dead but his dream lives on.

For many in America, Monday was just another day. For a few. including some in Northville, Jan. 20 was a day to remember.

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Beanie bunch

No, it wasn't an invasion of the Beanie Babies, though the cuddly little creatures did appear to be taking over. Last week, Richard Tabor's fourth grade class at Amerman Elementary School pooled all their Beanie Babies after a student discovered that class members owned 300 of them in their personal collections. Showing off the furry piles are classmates (from left) Sarah Manley, Heather Zinser and Nicholas Mizera.

Photo by SUE SPILLANE

Community Calendar

Got an event you want people to know about? We'll be glad to include it in the Community Calendar. Submit items to the newspaper office, 104 W. Main. Northville 48167. by mail or in person: or fax announcements to 349-1050. The deadline is 4 p.m. Monday for that Thursday's calendar.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

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

GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION GROUP: The group meets from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, east of Farmington. Tonight's discussion is on The Federalist. For more information or for a reading list call Zo Chisnell at 349-3121.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

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

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

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. The gathering is open to single adults, regardless of church affiliation, for fellowship and learning. For more information call 349-0911.

SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH: Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing Restaurant, 18900 Northville Rd. 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, JANUARY 27

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

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

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

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN: The Northville Business and Professional Women meet at 6 p.m. at the Holiday Inn, Laurel Park. Livonia, for networking, dinner and a short business meeting.

BOARD OF EDUCATION: The Northville Public School Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. at Old Village School, 405 W. Main St.

NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION: The Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, Main near Center Street.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28

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. for more information call the center at 349.0203 or Karl Peters at 349-4140.

NORTHVILLE ROTARY: The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon in the Boll Fellowship Hall at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

F.E.M.A.L.E.: The Novi Chapter of Formerly Employed Mothers at the Leading Edge meets at 7 p.m. at the Providence Mission Health Center. 39500 W. Ten Mile Rd. For more information, please contact Marie at 486-1498.

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

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

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

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ATHLETIC BOOSTERS: The Northville High School Athletic Boosters meet at 7 p.m. in the Forum at the high school.

MOTOR CITY SPEAK EASY TOASTMASTERS CLUB: The Motor City # Speak Easy Toastmasters Club of Northville meets from 7 to 9 p.m. ato the First United Methodist Church. 777 W. Eight Mile. For more information call Tom Lahiff at 348-6019 (evenings). Visitors are welcome. з'n

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

NORTHVILLE CITY COUNCIL: The Northville City Council meets at', 7:30 p.m. at City Hall, 215 W. Main.

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MIDWEST RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY: The Midwest Radio Control Society meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Community Center, 303 W. Main. brunch at Northville Crossing Restaurant. 18900 Northville Rd. The A youth program is also available. For information stop by a meeting.

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Visioning session focuses on plans for future of twp.

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

What kind of a community do we want Northville Township to become? How do we take our town there?

Those were the fundamental questions township decision-makers considered during a special joint meeting last week. Members of the community's various boards, commissions and committees came together on Jan. 16 at the invitation of the new board of inustees.

Elected in November, members of the board called the meeting to discuss a vision for the future and set a tone for their four-year term. Attending were members of the township's planning commission, zoning board of appeals, parks and recreation commission, beautification commission, economic development corporation and insurance committee.

Topping the list of issues for everyone: development.

Dealing with the development of the multitude of vacant land here is unquestionably going to be one of the biggest issues facing Northville Township for decades to come. The question decision-makers tackle everyday is what kind of a community do we want to be?

The answer in the township's case, includes these highlights:

• A largely residential community with a "semi-rural" character, maintained with efforts to save tees and natural open space area. • Only enough shopping centers to satisfy the needs of township residents. Try to keep out things that draw crowds from outside of the community, developments like malls or sports stadiums.

• Since businesses pay a lot more property taxes than homes do, having them in town means lower taxes for residents. Keep non-residential areas to a minimum and keep them on the borders of the township where possible.

Transferring those goals from the pages of the township's master plan for land use and zoning ordinances is the tough part.

Our system of law places a lot of stock in the rights of a property owner, and a community has only a limited ability to regulate how an owner gets to develop his or her land.

Striking the balance between the rights of a landowner and a community can be tough. One goal of the meeting was to help outline the parameters within which township decision-makers can work when it comes to development plans.

Another was to set a tone a professionalism early in the new board's tenure.

For example, copies of the township's policies on ethics and sexual harassment were distributed.

Also high on the board's list is improving communications with township residents in general through such devices as Supervisor Karen Woodside's roundtable meeting on Saturday morning with leaders of civic groups and homeowners organizations.

Booming business A pair of enterprising 13 year olds, Tom Keller (left Dan Meyers, work in the bitter cold clearing off so

A pair of enterprising 13 year olds, Tom Keller (left) and Township recently. The pair have an established business Dan Meyers, work in the bitter cold clearing off some of the recent snowfall along Springfield Drive in Northville recent warming trend couldn't have helped the cause.

King also said volunteers are

needed to help on fund-raising

and public relations projects for

Those interested in finding out

NYA is a joint services, and is

funded by both Northville Town-

more about Northville Youth Assis-

tance can call King at 344-1618.

ship and the Guy of Northville.

NYA.

Youth Assistance program seeks volunteers for new course

By LEE SNIDER

All that Northville Youth Assistance volunteers need is a caring attitude, and NYA is putting out the call for just those types.

NYA matches community youths with adult mentors who provide fliendship and support. The agency is getting ready to start another mentor training course next month, and is urging community righbers to come forward and joint user tanks.

"Only about four people have

signed up so far, but we need substantially more than that to hold the training session." NYA Director Mary Ellen King said. "Almost 100 kids were referred to us last year. The need is increasing."

Most, but not all, of NYA's youths are products of single-parent homes. They get referred to NYA through the police, the courts, the schools and other institutions that think the young f people could benefit from adult tole model companions 1700 1110

Wednesday, Feb. 26, and runs for five consecutive Wednesdays. The sessions will be taught by counselor Virginia Kennedy at Northville High School, and will take place from 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Upon completion of the course. NYA volunteers are assigned their own youthful companions, and are asked to spend a few hours a week with them.

institutions that think the young 1 Mentors and their youths often people could benefit from adult do simple activities together, like tole model companyons? 1781113 reading, hiking or going bowling The next training session begins The quality time fills a vold in the

youths' lives, and gives the young people a sense of bring appreciated by an adult outside of the family. "Her volunteer comes into the house and offers support and encouragement, teaches her patience."

Commitments run for at least one year.

According to King. NYA has instituted a new program whereby volunteers are sometimes assigned to the parents of NYA children. "We've got this one single parent

who works full-time and attends school - she's overwhelmed by all the responsibilities." King claimed.

Clarification

An article in the Jan. 16 Northville Record stated. "The (Michigan) Department of Management and Budget handles state land sales and it did not respond to requests for information from The Northville Record." The phrase "before presstime" should have been added to that sentence.

A spokesperson for the Department of Management and Budget did respond to The Record but not in time for her information to be included in the article ::



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Police News

Alleged employee-thief faces court date

A Meijer employee's extracurricular activities got her into hot water with police recently.

The woman, 26, allegedly admitted to systematically bilking the store for more than \$3,000 in cash over the last few months. Store detectives say they caught the woman stealing \$85 in cash on Sunday, Jan. 12.

According to township police the woman, 26 years old and a Detroit resident, admitted to filing credit card refund requests from customers as cash refunds and then pocketing the money. She's been doing it two to three days a week since November, investigators say. She'll face a court hearing on

fraud charges soon.

FRAUD II: Another Detroit woman was arrested for fraud of a different type at Home Depot last week.

Store employees said the woman, 47. wrote a bad check for an \$89 kitchen cabinet. The cashier allegedly recognized the woman from previous attempts to use bad checks.

When questioned the woman showed fake identification, police said, but eventually admitted to using checks for other people's

closed accounts. The woman. police added, claimed to not know how she got them.

She faces a court hearing on Feb. 5 and was released on bond after being booked. Livonia police are investigating the woman for allegedly passing bad checks at the Target store too.

SENIOR THIEF: A Plymouth man allegedly used his wife's purse to steal \$38 worth of goods from Meijer on Jan. 13.

The man. 67, put a variety of items inside the purse, which his wife wore at her back, store detectives said.

Taken were items like tobacco. film and vitamins. The man was booked and released at the scene and faces a court hearing soon.

BATTERIES NOT INCLUDED: Employees at The Home Depot saw a man run out of the store carrying a cordless drill and saw on the afternoon of Jan. 15.

The man ran to an older model Ford F-150 pickup, which had two other men inside, and then the vehicle sped away, store employees said. One of them claimed to recognize the man from past returns to the store.

GENERATOR SWIPED: Some-

one stole a portable generator out of a construction trailer on the under-development property near Six Mile and Haggerty during the night of Jan. 14-15.

The generator is valued at \$1,200 and it has been listed as stolen in the law enforcement computer network.

DRUNK DRIVER: A Birmingham man was arrested for operating a vehicle while under the influence in the early hours of Sunday morning.

A police officer said he saw the man's 1995 BMW make a left turn from Haggerty onto Six Mile at about 3 a.m.

The BMW was not in the turn lane, the officer said, and swerved as it drove towards the I-275 onramp in Livonia.

When stopped the man. 33. allegedly admitted to drinking at a bar in Birmingham that night. Testing later at police headquarters showed his blood alcohol level to allegedly be .21 percent, more than twice the legal limit of .10 percent.

The man was held until he sobered up, then was released on bail and faces a court hearing

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Burglary suspect could do hard time

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Northville Township police say a the plastic window of the door to a Southfield man led them on a high-speed chase last week after 1996 Jeep Wrangler belonging to a he was caught red-handed bur-Victor Drive man during the glarizing a home in Blue Heron Pointe. The Jeep was parked in the

Investigators say Johnathon Patrick Rose is a professional criminal who's responsible for a string of burglaries all over this area in recent months, including half a dozen in Northville Township. If that's true his career could be sidetracked for several years.

Rose, 27, stands accused of six felony counts of burglary and is also charged with being a habitual criminal, also a felony offense. If convicted he could receive a sentence of life imprisonment.

Three felony convictions already appear on Rose's record, a fact that led to the habitual offender charge, according to township Detective Fred Yankee. Investigators say he's made a habit of breaking into homes in the township since August.

He usually steals jewelry and lit-tle or nothing else from the homes he hits, according to police, and the last one that was his target was a condo in the Blue Heron Pointe complex on Beck Road on the afternoon of Jan. 13.

A Livonia police surveillance team tracking Rose allegedly saw him break into a home there, then come out several minutes later and get into a red Dodge Neon. The car, according to township officers, proceeded southbound on Beck Road and accelerated to speeds of 100 miles an hour as Rose tried to elude police.

He was arrested soon afterwards by Livonia police and was arraigned in 35th District Court on Jan. 16 before Judge Ron Lowé. Lowe entered a not guilty plea on Rose's behalf and bond has been set at \$500,000 cash.

Rose remains behind bars awaiting trial.

fall Road man's mailbox was hit by a vehicle of some kind during the morning of Jan. 17, causing it and the post it was sitting on to be demolished. The man, 62, said the incident

evening of Jan. 16.

estimated at \$250.

must have taken place between 10-11 a.m. that morning. Damaged is estimated at \$100.

If you have any information about these or any other illegal incidents you can call Northville city police at 349-1234 or Northuille Township police at 349 9400.

JEEP DAMAGED: Someone tore

man's driveway at the time of the

incident. Damage to the vehicle is

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Rocky's heats up chili fest, takes home 1st-place honors

Northville eatery sweeps annual competition

By JAN JEFFRES Staff Writer

19 If you want to stir up a batch of great chili, you've got to roast the red peppers first.

That's the advice from Rocky's of Northville. The eatery holds the distinction of walking away with (all three awards - Judges' Choice, Peoples' Choice and Best-dressed Booth - in Novi's annual Chilly Willy Festival Chili Cook-off last weekend.

of "It takes roasting to bring out the mild flavor of the peppers. It mellows out the peppers," explained John Campbell, general Ananager of Rocky's.

in A creation of Chef Charles "Rocky" Rachwitz, the "mildly hot" concoction featured beef, papayas (and cantaloupe, served up in a bowl made of bread.

n Decorating the booth were a stuffed coyote bagged by Rachwitz in the Yukon, a taxidermy-treated durkey, a Western saddle with silver and assorted cowboy-type accouterments.

"I cannot remember when the same restaurant took all three top awards. Usually the Judges' Choice and Peoples' Choice are different." according to Novi Parks and Recreation Supervisor Marilyn Troshak.

Coming in second with the

Judges was Mr. B's, followed by Guernsey's in third place.

Rachwitz spent the entire day prior to the Jan. 18 festival whipping up the delectable six-gallon batch.

Rocky is a very talented chef. Because of his experience, his expertise in the area, he was able to pull off something different," Campbell explained.

"I think it was something that pleased the mainstream."

Campbell was complimentary about all the chili served up by the competing restaurants, but his palate was particularly impressed by the offering of the Doubletree Hotel's Oak Grill.

While he didn't win any awards. Chef Eric Pietila spent two days cooking up 12 gallons of chili featuring meat from game animals such as those found in the Southwest: wild boar, venison, buffalo. wild duck and rattlesnake. Other ingredients included Junipersmoked bacon, chocolate, Habernaro peppers. Jack Daniels, heaps of fresh herbs, 12 different types of peppers, four types of tomatoes, his own fresh venison consomme and some achiote seed paste.

Pletila said the only meat readily identifiable, by sight at least, was the whiter-colored servings of rattlesnake. I just wanted to make some-

thing truly different, typifying the flavor of the west. I try to get the public experiencing wild game." he aid.

While Pietila agreed with Campbell that his chili might have been too exotic for the average American, the adults - and kids - lapped up eight gallons of the stuff, enjoying what the chef called "a slow. subtle burn.'

Of course, there's more to the Chilly Willy Festival than eating, at least for some people.

Finger-nipping cold made few interested in the Sno-ball Softball Fournament, which ended up getting canceled.

However, with all that good packing snow, the sculpture contest went on.

The Fraser family took first place, followed by the Rhea family. In the Super Score O. Greg Burkhardt won a family four-pack to a Detroit Vipers game.

First place in the Euchre Tournament went to Tom and John Crutchfield, while second place honors went to Ryan and Scott Pheisfer.

Each team took home a fourperson pass to Waterford Oaks Park's mega-snow slide. The Fridge



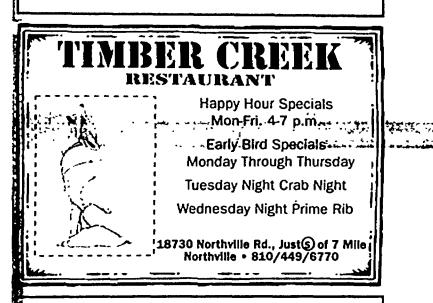
Ladies leaping

the air along with other Early Dance Class

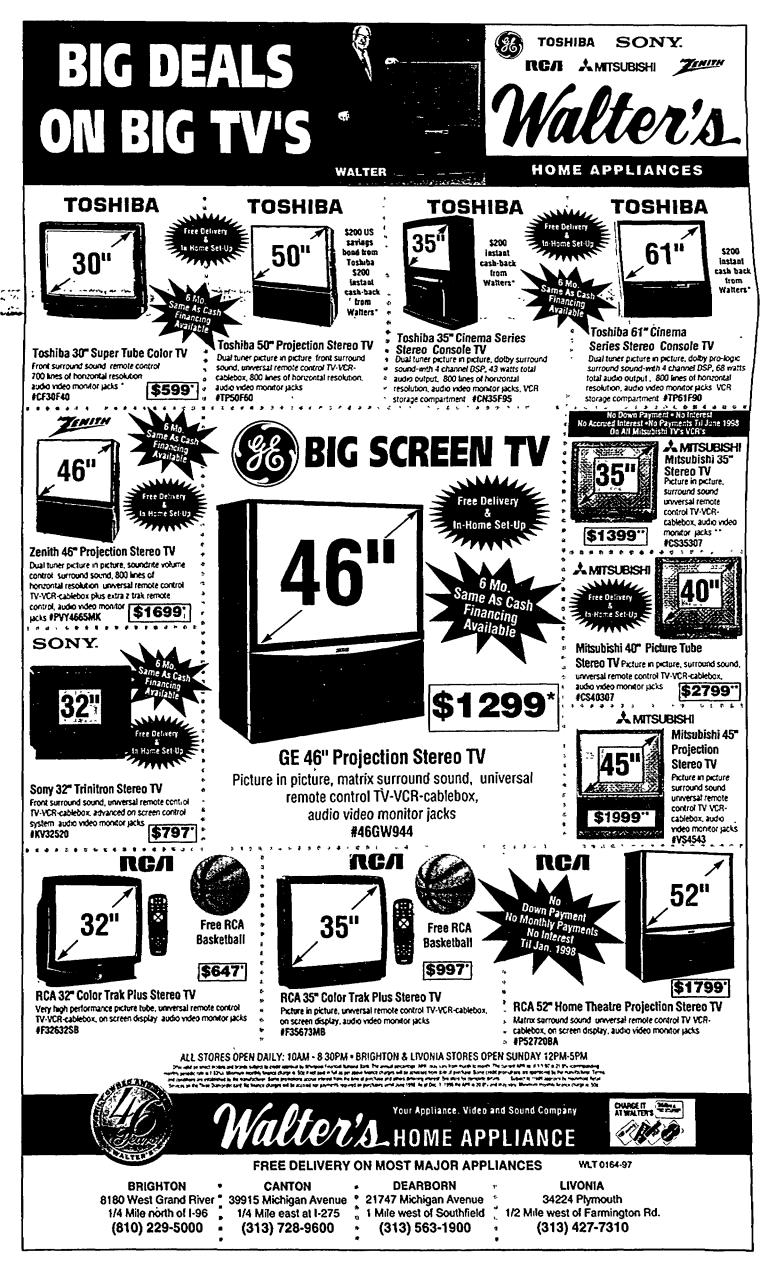
Instructor Kelly Borcherts (left) leaps into Center on Monday. Borcherts and her class of 3- to 5-year-olds learn how to attendees at the Northville Community coordinate beginning dance movements.

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NOTICE OF ADOPTION



ORDINANCE NO. 18.563 AMENDMENT TO ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NOVI

THE CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS:

PART I That Ordinance No. 64-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City Novi, is hereby amended by the amending of the Zoning Map as indicated on XNNG MAP NO 561, attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance. PART II, CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any Ordinance or parts of

Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby

PART III, WHEN EFFECTIVE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby lociared to be necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety nd is hereby ordered to take effect lifteen (15) days after final enactment. It shall be sublished within fifteen (15) days of adoption. The effective date of this Ordinance is uary 28, 1997.

MADE AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Nov. Michigan this 13th lay of January, 1997. Copies of the Ordinance Amendment may be purchased or ispected at the office of the City Clerk, Novi, Michigan, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., local time.

KATHLEEN MCLALLEN, MAYOR TONNI BARTHOLOMEW, CLERK

To rezone a part of the NW 1/4 of Section 23, T.1N., R 8E, City of Novi, Oakd County, Michigan, being parcels 22-23-151-012, -017 and -022 more particular-described as follows:

PARCEL 22-23-151-012

Beginning at a point distant South 1137.46 feet along the west line of Section 23 (nominal C/L of Novi Road) and S70*45'00"E 681.47 feet from the NW corner of Section 23; thence S70*45'00"E 415 24 feet; thence S53*39'00"W 381.18 feet; thence N36*19'00"W 312.40 feet, thence S53*34'00"W 224.82 feet; thence N87'58'32'W 48.24 leet, thence N53"34'00'E 409 04 leet to the point of beginning ntaining 2 24 acres. PARCEL 22-23-151-017

Beginning at a point distant South 1137.46 leet along the west line of Sector 3 (nominal C/L of Novi Road) and S70*45'00"E 1096 71 leet from the NW corner of ection 23; thence S70*45'00"E 242 38 feet, thence S53*39'00"W 396 82 feet; ence N36*20'30'W 200 00 leet; thence N53*39'30'E 259 83 leet to the point of ginning. Containing 1.40 acres. PARCEL 22-23-151-022

Beginning at a point on the easterly right-of-way line of Novi Road, said point eing South, 1137.46 feet along the west line of Section 23 (nominal CAL of Novi load) and \$70°45'00'E 63.55 feet from the NW corner of Section 23; thence South 37.67 feet along said easterly right-of-way line; thence \$87°58'32['E 254 34 feet; rence N\$3°34'00'E 409 04 feet; thence N70°45'00'W 617.92 feet to the point of contraction 2.6° actions. ginning. Containing 3.67 acres., FROM: 1-1 LIGHT INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT

- 1-2 GENERAL INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT TO
 - TC-1 TOWN CENTER-ONE DISTRICT ORDINANCE NO. 18-563

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION I. Tonni Bartholomew, Clerk of the City of Novi, do hereby certify that the above ginance was approved and adopted by the Council of the City of Novi, at a Reguar Meeting thereof, duty called and adopted by the Council of the City of Novi, at a Regu-ar Meeting thereof, duty called and held on the 13th day of January, 1997, and was indered to be given publication in the manner prescribed by law. 1-23-97 NR, NN)



Test scores spur housing inquiries

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trict students scored 27 points higher than the statewide reading average and 35 points higher in math.

The scores are based on the percentage of students who scored in the "proficient" category on the tests.

Those comparisons, however, aren't what school officials are interested in. According to Rezmierski the focus should be on the progress of Northville students.

He said that the true reflection of students' improvement in learning the necessary skills comes with tracking the students' progress over several years.

When we look at the MEAP results we, as educators, need to be saying to ourselves. What did we do with those kids that tested three years ago?" he added.

District seventh graders who took the MEAP test as fourth

graders showed improvement in math and reading. When those students took the test three years ago they scored 78.1 percent in math and 64.1 percent in reading. As seventh graders this year the students improved their math scores by almost 8.5 percentage points to 86.5.

In reading the seventh grade students improved by just under 3 percentage points to 67.

"I am happy with how the district performed," he said. "Our leachers, parents, and students did a tremendous job and the results are a reflection of that."

By school, district scores were well above the statewide averages. In the elementary schools Amerman scored 91.3 percent in math and 76.7 percent in reading: Moraine scored 96.4 in math and 81.8 in reading; Silver Springs scored 78.8 in math and 51.9 in reading: Thornton Creek scored 96 percent in math and 85.3 percent

MARKED IMPROVEMENT

Here's how Northville fourth and seventh grade students have scored on MEAP tests over the last five years. The scores reflect the percentage of students who scored in the satisfactory category on the test:

Fourth Grade	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992
Math	90.8	88.6	79.8	78.1	66.5
Reading	75.0	68.9	61.6	64.1	60.9
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Seventh GRADE	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992
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in reading; and Winchester scored 89.2 percent in math and 73.5

percent in reading. At the middle school level Cooke and Meads Mill scored high in both categories.

Cooke seventh graders scored 85.2 percent in math and 72.9 percent in reading, and Meads Mill seventh graders scored 87.5 percent in math and 62.9 percent in reading.

Rezmierski said that school officials are continuing to analyze all of the test data and will present the findings as well as any strategies at the Feb. 10 school board meeting. "What we will be doing now is to look critically at what specific areas we weren't successful in and why. I am confident that our staff. with the help of parents, will focus on areas that need to be addressed, and help our students continue to be successful."

District 11th graders will be tested next, as the High School Proficiency Tests are scheduled for Feb. 3-7.

MEAP science, writing and social studies tests will be administered to fifth and eighth graders March 10-21.

Consultant cautious about money request

Uniform test date sought by district officials

By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

Despite concerns over rising construction costs the Northville Board of Education will not ask for more than \$61.5 million when the district seeks voter approval in the next bond election.

Although a date for the election has not been set, board members determined it would be difficult to garner community support if they increased the amount of the bond issue.

That decision came despite some bad news from the district's construction consultant James Cole, of A.J. Etkin Construction Co.,

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more timely manner is good."

clency testing is a great idea.

"As it stands now, we're report-

ing three separate test results at

three different times of the year,

and I think that can be confusing."

Rezmierski explained. For parents

it's difficult to keep track of

whether we're reporting fourth and seventh grade test scores, fifth and

eighth grade results, or high

school proficiency test scores.

There's too much there for the

public to wade through."

who recently informed school officials that construction of a new high school could increase about 6 percent - from \$15 to \$17 per square foot.

In a letter to Assistant Superintendent Dave Bolitho, Cole said that information gathered from Engineering News Record indicates a price index increase of 8.5 percent between 1995 and 1996 occurred in the Detroit area.

"In addition, we have reviewed several high school projects completed or recently bid in this area," Cole wrote. *Building costs excluding contingency, loose equipment, technology, site acquisition, archi-

tectural fees and bond costs, is \$112 per square foot and a site cost of \$16.45 per square foot."

Cole recommended that the district carry a contingency of about 5.5 to 6 percent on its bond application.

"This recommendation is based on unknowns with regard to the project site and the construction boom in this area," he said. "With the amount of work being planned in the City of Detroit and school building programs in southeast Michigan, we feel that more than the normal 5 percent contingency should be carried on the bond application.

Board members stressed the necessity of keeping the entire bond issue at \$61.5 million dollars.

"I think it's important that we don't increase that amount." board member Bob McMahon said. "When we asked the public (in the recent survey) whether they would support a \$61.5 million bond, 42 percent said yes.

"If we wanted to increase the amount we should have told that to the public."

Last September's vote for \$61.5 million in construction and technology costs was defeated at the polls

New bond proposal to have old price tag

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problem with keeping the election a single issue.

The committee's recommendation after the last meeting was that we should unbundle the issues. but we also said we weren't going to be upset if the board decided to keep this a single issue vote." Vernacchia said.

Rezmierski explained that district survey consultant Kathy Feaster recommended keeping the election as one single issue.

She said that it was her experience that unbundling would sacrifice one or more of the issues, and I believe that we would not be wise to split those issues on the ballot." he said.

CENC chairman Jerry Rupley

has changed from the last election We still need a new high school we need building renovations and we need the new technology.

with a single question.

agreed that the district should

keep the election a single ballot

'I'm extremely comfortable that

this is the right approach to bring

before voters," he said. "Nothing

"I am confident that we will be able to educate the public that this is the right approach for our schools.

School officials said that the board will set the date for the elec tion and decide on the split issue option at its Feb. 10 board meet ing.

Board members will discuss those options at a study session scheduled for Feb. 3.

Parks and rec discussion on subcommittee's agenda

Does Northville need more land owned acreage on Seven Mile, the for parks, ball diamonds and soccer fields?

If so, how do we go about paying for them?

Those are the questions members of the Northville Parks and **Recreation Committee will tackle** tonight, Jan. 23.

A special subcommittee of the commission will meet at 7 p.m. at Northville City Hill.

Subcommittee members will discuss issues pertaining to undeveloped land in Northville and how that land may be obtained to expand public recreation services and facilities.

Parcels of land under the microscope include: some townshipclosed Phoenix state prison property near Five Mile and Beck, the Wayne County land, school district property and land belonging to Consumers Power Co.

Under consideration for their current and future program needs will be these organized rec activities: baseball, soccer, basketball, swimming and roller blading/hockey.

Funding options to be discussed during the meeting include possibilities such as a millage or bond issue, fund-raising or obtaining state and federal grants.

Northville City Hall is located at the corner of Main and Wing streets.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF AMENDMENTS TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE NOVI BUILDING AUTHORITY

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Monday, January 13, 1997, the City Council of the City of Novi, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, did pursuant to Act 31, Public Acts of Michigan, 1948 (First Extra Session), as amended, adopted the Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation of the Novi Building Authority, as here-inatter set forth. Said Amendments will be filed with the County of Oakland Clerk

Inclust set IDUL Sati Amendments will be field with the County of Oaldand Clerk and the Michigan Secretary of State, as required by said Act. SAID ACT GRANTS THE RIGHT TO OUESTION THE VALIDITY OF SUCH AMENDMENTS IN A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION WITHIN SIXTY (60) DAYS AFTER THE LAST ABOVE FILING TO BE ACCOMPLISHED AFTER SIGH THE SICH AMENDMENTS CHAILS OF COMPLISHED AFTER CH TIME SUCH AMENDMENTS SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY PRESUMED TO BE VALID.

VALID. Further information including the time of the above filings may be obtained from the office of the City Clerk of the City of Nov, County of Oakland, State of Michigan AMENDMENTS TO

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE NOVI BUILDING AUTHORITY

These Amendments to Articles of Incorporation of the Novi Building Authority (the "Authority") are adopted, signed and acknowledged by the City of Novi, County of Oakland, State of Michigan (the "Incorporating Unit"), for the purpose of amending its Articles of Incorporation originally adopted on March 6, 1995, which formed a nonprofit municipal building authority under the provisions of Act 31, Public Acts of Michigan, 1948 (First Extra Session), as amended (the "Act"), Article III, Section 4 of Article IV and Article X of the Articles of Incorporation are amended to read as fol-

ARTICLE III

This Authority is incorporated for the purpose of acquing, furnishing, equip-ping, owning, improving, enlarging, operating and maintaining a building or buildings, automobile parting lots or structures, recreational facilities and the necessary site or sites therefor, logether with appurtenant properties and facilities necessary or conve-

Rezmierski also explained that having one single reporting date Northville Superintendent would benefit high school students Leonard Rezmierski also believes a who might not have scored well on any of the portions of the test. single reporting period for all profi-

As it stands now. 11th grade students take the test in February but don't receive the results of the test until the beginning of the next school year." he said. "If a student didn't score well in any portion of the test that student won't know it

pare for a retest."

proficient in reading, writing, sci-

NOTICE **CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT**

for six months." Then they have little time to pre-

High school students need to be

ence, and math to get diploma

endorsements for those discifourth grade math and 80.1 perplines, according to Rezmierski. Another benefit, along with bet-

ter district coordination, is the ability for the fourth and seventh grade students who take the MEAP writing and math exams in the fail, to get in some extra learning before taking the tests. Traynor said. - ---

That could contribute to even higher scores on the tests. This year students reached 88.5 percent satisfactory scores on the selections.

Seventh graders scored 77.8 percent satisfactory on the math and 59.3 on the reading tests. Math concepts tested in the MEAP, exams, include fractions.

cent on the fourth grade reading.

logical reasoning, conceptualization and estimation. Reading passages focus on fic-

tional stories and informational

measurements, statistics and probability, problem solving and

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Monogram Homes, Inc. is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a temporary construction office trailer on Lot 8, Broadmoor Park Subdivision, located on the south side of Ten Mile Road, east of Beck Road, beginning January 1997. A Temporary Use Permit may be grant ed for a period of not longer than six months. A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located

within 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use permit

This request will be considered at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 29, 1997 at the Novi Cvic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be directed to the City of Novi Building Official and must be received prior to January

(1-23-97 NR, NN)

CITY OF NORTHVILLE PUBLIC HEARING 1997 WAYNE COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT **BLOCK GRANT FUNDS**

Notice is hereby given that the Northville City Council will hold a public hearing on Monday, February 3, 1997 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 215 W. Main Street to hear public testimony on the proposed uses of 1997 Community Development Block Grant Funds made available to the City from Wayne County. Proposed uses include the following projects: \$72,000 00 — Municipal Building Renovation 8,000.00 — Administration Total \$80,000 00

(1-23-97 NR)

TRACI SINCOCK, DIRECTOR NORTHVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION



Board, and Senior Citizen Housing Building Authority. Applications are available in the office of the City Clerk by calling 347-0456. Council will be interviewing applicants Monday evening, February 3rd; please submit your application by January 27th to allow time for scheduling appointments. (1-9/16/23-97 NR, NN)

CITY OF NOVI

NOTICE

of Review, Beautification Committee, Cable Access Committee, Computer Advisory Committee, Economic Development Corporation, Election Commission, Housing &

Community Development Advisory Committee, Historical Commission, Library

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there are upcoming vacancies on the Board

TONNI BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NOVI ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS INTERIOR RENOVATION TO **NOVI FIRE STATION NO. 1** 42975 GRAND RIVER AVENUE, **NOVI, MICHIGAN**

Sealed Lump Sum, General Contract Bids for the Work will be received by The City of Novi, at 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48375 until 3:00 p.m., East-ern Standard Time, Wednesday, February 19, 1997, at which time and place all bids will be opened publicly and read aloud.

The Work comprises the remodeling of approximately 3,600 of interior spaces and incidental work as described further in the construction documents, at the exist-ing Fire Station No. 1, Novi, Michigan. Contract Documents have been prepared by Architect, Redstone Tiseo Architects, 29201 Telegraph Road, Suite 400, Southfield, Michigan 48034-7647.

Bidding Documents may be secured by prospective Bidders on or after 10:00 a.m. Thursday, January 23, 1997 at the Office of the Purchasing Director.

Each prospective Bidder will receive an issue of one (1) complete Set of the Bidding Documents and proposed Contract Documents, including the Construction Drawings, and extra Bid Forms. Each such bidder becomes a Bidder of record thereby, and will be directly notified of Addenda as they are issued.

In addition, prospective Bidder, Sub-Bidders and suppliers may purchase prints of the construction drawings for an appropriate non-refundable printing charge at Engineering Reproduction, Inc., First Center Office Plaza, 26913 Northwestern, Suite 585, Southfield, MI 48034, (810) 355-0230. Sepias or other reproducibles will not be allowed. All entities are responsible for complying with the requirements of the complete documents, regardless of the extent of printing ordered.

Documents will also be available for inspection at the Construction Association

Documents will also be available for inspection at the Construction Association of Michigan, 500 Stephenson Highway, Suite 400, Troy, Michigan 48083, (810) 585-1000, and at the McGraw-Hill Information Systems Company, F. W. Dodge Division, 100 Oak Hollow, Suite 330, Southfield, Michigan 48034, (810) 799-3300. Bidders are required to attend a <u>Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference</u>, with a site visit following the conference, at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, January 30, 1997 at The City of Novi Administrative Offices. Sub-bidders, potential suppliers, and other interested content attend. An attendance those with the circulated Bittlers must Mathine. persons may attend. An attendance sheet will be circulated. Bidders must identify themselves as such on the attendance sheet. Sub-bidders and others are requested to indicate their trade or specially. Minutes of the Pre-Bid Conference will be issued by Addendum. Identified Bidders will be notified whenever an Addendum has been issued

Bids shall be submitted per the Instructions to Bidders included in the Bidding Documents.

Successful Bidder shall furnish a performance bond in an amount equal to 100% of the contract

Each sealed bid shall be accompanied by a property completed A1A Document A305, Contractor's Qualification Statement. Bids will not be accepted after the time designated for the opening of the bids

The Bidder shall assume full responsibility for delivery of his Bid before the Bid due date and time and shall assume the risk of late delivery or non-delivery regardless of the means used to deliver the Bid.

Bids may be withdrawn anytime up to the Bid due date and time, but shall not be withdrawn and shall remain firm during the period within sorty (60) days after the opening of Bids.

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

CAROL J. KALINOVIK DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING (810) 347-0446

nient for the effective use thereof, for use for any legitimate public purpose of the City of Novi.

ARTICLE IV

Section 4. For the purpose of defraying all or part of the cost of acquinng, improving, and enlarging any building or buildings, automobile parking lots or struc-tures, or recreational facilities and the necessary site or sites therefor, together with appurtenant properbes and facilities necessary or convenient for the effective use and derivery of a full fath and credit general obligation contract of lease, as provided in Act 31 of the Public Acts of Michigan (Extra Session) 1948 as amended, may by ordinance or resolution duly adopted by a majority vote of the elected members of the Commission of the Authority issue its negotiable bonds in anticipation of the con-tract obligations of the incorporating unit to make cash rental payments to the Authority and may pledge the receipts from such payments for payment of said bonds and the interest thereon, (b) after execution of a contract of lease which is not boxes and the interest unrest (u) after execution of a contract of lease which is not a full faith and credit general obligation of the incorporating unit as provided in Act 31 of the Public Acts of Michigan (Extra Session) 1948, as amended, may by ordinance or resolution duly adopted by a majority vote of the elected members of the Commis-sion of the Authority issue its negotable bonds in anticipation of the contract obligations of the incorporating unit to make cash rental payments to the Authority and may pledge the receipts from such payments for payment of said bonds and the interest thereon; in both cases as provided by and subject to and in accordance with Act 31 of the Public Acts of Michigan (Extra Session) 1948, as amended Bonds shall not be issued unless the property has been leased by the Authority to the incorporating unit for a penod extending beyond the last maturity of the bonds and no maturity shall in any event be more than forty (40) years from the date of the bonds. In addition, the Authority shall have the power to issue such other bonds as it may be authorized to issue under the one-rail laws of the State of Michigan said tions of the incorporating unit to make cash rental payments to the Authority and may be authorized to issue under the general laws of the State of Michigan said bonds to be issued in accordance with and subject to the provisions of such other laws. No bonds of the Authority shall be delivered to the purchasers thereof in any event until such time as all rights of referendum with respect to said bonds or any contract between the Authority and the incorporating unit shall have expired without a referendum petition being field or, if a referendum petition is filed with respect thereto, until after an election approving said contract or the issuance of the bonds as may be required by law shall have been held and the same approved by a majorty vote of the electors of the incorporating unit voting thereon. ARTICLE IX

Section 1. The Articles of Incorporation shall become effective and be in full force and effect ten (10) days after their adoption, as provided in Section 6 of the aloresaid Act 31.

These Amendments to Articles of Incorporation shall become effective and be in full force and effect upon publication as provided in Article IX hereol,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Incorporating Unit has adopted and authorized to be executed these Amendments to Articles of Incorporation by the Mayor and the City Clerk of the City of Novi, County of Oakland, State of Michigan.

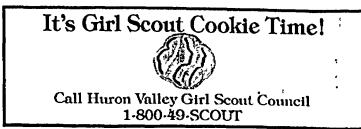
CITY OF NOVI BY KATHLEEN MCLALLEN MAYOR

BY TONNI BARTHOLOMEW,

CITY CLERK The foregoing Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation were adopted and authorized to be executed on behalf of the City of Novi, a municipal corporation of the State of Michigan, by the Mayor and City Clerk of the City of Novi, at a meeting duly held on the 13th day of January, 1997. Dated: January 13, 1997

(1-23-97 NR, NN)

TONNI BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK



(1-23-97 NR, NN)

PAUL FOLINO • 1929-1997

Plain speaker inspired interest in local government

Current leaders tell of influence on their lives

By ROBERT JACKSON Staff Writer

Chuck Keys had nothing to do one Monday night several years ago.

His wife Mary was preparing to go out for the evening and Chuck was complaining about being bored.

Mary had a solution. "She told me that I should just go to the city council meeting and visit my friend Paul (Folino)." Chuck said.

Keys had met Folino weeks earlier when Chuck and Mary attended a few council meetings to complain about a problem with the local electric company.

"We had been to a few city council meetings to complain about a hole the electric company left when they were digging up cables, and then we returned to complain about the damage to our sod." Mary recalled. "At that meeting Paul told us that he would make a motion to give us what we wanted if we promised to attend more city council meetings.

ings. "He said that being a councilmember was as lonely as being the Maytag repairman," she added. "Looking back on it, that was Paul's way of getting us involved with our community."

Keys ended up taking Mary's advice, and he attended that council meeting instead of sitting in front of the television. The rest, as they say. Is history. Chuck and Paul struck up a strong friendship and Folino kept trying to convince Keys to run for a spot on the city council. Before he knew it, Keys found himself campaigning for office. He was elected as a city councilman in

1993. "I learned a lot from Paul. He seemed to know everything and everybody. That's the way he was." Keys said. "He really cared about this city and the people who live here."

Parks and Recreation Director Traci Sincock has a similar story to tell. "Paul has always been recreation's biggest supporter and fan," she said. "He was totally committed to kids and recreation in this community."

Sincock said that she wouldn't be a member of the local Rotary Club were it not for Folino.

"He was always inviting me to come to the meetings and join Rotary." she said. "He always told me that there was a place for me in the Rotary Club. and finally I agreed to join."

Sincock will serve as the organization's president next year and she said she plans to dedicate her tenure to Folino's memory. "He brought me into Rotary and that has always been special to me," she said. "What he has done for me and the community means a lot."



Hundreds of mourners attended funeral services for the late councilman on Wednesday.

Ex-councilman described as fighter right to the end

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Paul kept on fighting." Keys said. "That's what he's been all of his life - a fighter. He was that way until the very end."

Born in Northville on Feb. 8, 1929, Folino never strayed from the community he loved. He graduated from Northville High School in 1947 and starred on the football team.

"Ills favorite high school story" was how he played in the inaugural football game under the lights at Ford Field." said Parks and Recreation Director Traci Sincock. "He was always telling that story. He was proud of the fact that he was one of the first to play at that field."

He started working at Northville Downs when he was 16-years-old, and his first job at the track was as a gate guard. Within a couple years he was an but he was the president of the Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Parks and Recreation Commission, and a member of the Northville Historical Commission and the city Beautification Commission.

He was also a longtime member of the Northyille Botary Club. the 35th District Court Advisory board, and acted as cluwroundi liaison to the Library and Senior Citizens Housing Commissions.

As a Housing Commission member he was instrumental in creating the proposal that lead to the development of the senior citizens complex now known as Allen Terrace.

"Paul was deeply committed to this community. He always knew what was going on because he was actively involved." Keys said Saturday. "That is his legacy. He served Northville because he cared about what happened here."



Councilman Paul Folino (standing, second from left) outlasted most of his cohorts in terms of service on the city's elective body. Here Folino is seen with his colleagues on the council in a 1982 photograph.

usher and finally a box seat seller, according to Margaret Zayti. Downs executive manager.

"He was with us for 50 years, and there were very few days that he ever missed working," she said.

He and Mamie ran a successful downtown candy store in the late 1950s, and by the late 1960s Folino was operating a successful insurance business in Northville. In 1973 he decided to seek elected office, running for and winning a spot on the city council.

For the next 23 years he not only served on the city council His many years of service and his contributions to the community earned him Citizen of the Year honors in 1993 from the Northville Chamber of Com-

merce. "Paul was president and on the chamber board for many years. He made me feel so at home when I first came aboard as the chamber executive director, and he was always a strong and loyal member." said Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Laurie Marrs."

He spent more than 20 years

as a city councilman, and according to City Manager Gary Word, Folino embodied the character of Northville and always fought for what he believed was best for the community.

"His heart was always with the community, and regardless of whether you agreed with his point of view or not, you always knew that all he wanted was the best for (Northville)." Word remarked.

Former City Manager Steve Walters, now the city manager of

Plymouth, arrived in Northville at el the same time Folino was first ar elected to the council in 1973. fo

"I was hired in as city manager in October and the city held its elections in November." Walters remembered. "The thing I recall about Paul is that he always loved Northville and whatever he did on council was for the betterment of the city and its residents."

Walters added that one of Folino's greatest contributions to Northville came after he lost his

election bid for mayor in 1977. and was off the city council for four years.

"At that time he became heavily involved in the chamber of commerce and became the chamber president." Walters said. "That's when he began pushing for the repaying and beautification of Main Street.

"He was very active in the bond campaign and he was always proud of that because he took it as a personal project to better the city."

Folino was reelected to city council in 1981 and served until he was defeated in his second bid for mayor in 1995.

"He approached things from the perspective of having lived in Northville all of his life, and that's a lot different from the loyalty that comes when someone moves into a community and lives there for awhile." Walters added.

"With Paul, there was never any question about it. Northville always came first."



Folino was given a plaque for his many years of service after stepping down from the Northville City Council in December 1995.



Marching in the annual Victorian Festival parade.



A high school graduation picture from 1947.

WHAT THOSE WHO KNEW HIM SAY ABOUT PAUL FOLINO

Paul Folino touched many lives in Northville through his long and active involvement in local affairs. Here's what some community members had to say about the lifelong resident and former councilman:

*Paul will be missed. He was one of those people that embodied the character of Northville. His heart was always with the community, and regardless of whether you agreed with his point of view or not, you always knew that he wanted the best for this community. I always respected him for that." – Gary Word, Northville city manager

"Paul was deeply committed to this community. He always knew what was going on because he was actively involved. That is his legacy. He served Northville because he cared about what happened here."

Chuck Keys,

Northville City Council member

"He was a very dedicated person. He always worked hard for the interest of the track, and for the community. He was very proud of the fact that he was a Northville councilman. He loved this community and that showed in everything he did." - Margaret Zayti, Northville Downs executive manager

"He made me feel so at home when I first came aboard as the chamber executive director, and he has been a strong and loyal member. I will remember his great sense of humor that was always evident in everything he did. He he will be greatly missed by everyone." – Laurie Marrs, chamber of commerce executive director

"We'll miss him. Paul was on the Parks and Recreation Commission for many years, and he was committed to kids and recreation in Northville. He was our biggest supporter and fan, and he dedicated a lot of his time and energy to the recreation effort for our communities." Traci Sincock, director of Parks and Recreation

"He was a constant, upbeat supporter of what was best for his community. He took great interest in people and you could always depend on him to support a good cause." State Sen. Robert Geake

Donation made in honor of local recipient

By LEE SNIDER Editor

Before selling their Main Street home last summer. longtime Northville residents Joe and Mary Keese held a going away sale.

"First, we gave the neighbors what they wanted, then we sold the rest," Joe said. "We sold some of our home furnishings, and moved to Ann Arbor in July.

The sale proved both profitable and worthwhile, as the Keeses later donated \$1,000 of the money they made to the Transplantation Society of Michigan.

Joe said the donation was prompted by his acquaintance with Dr. John Romanik, the former Maybury Sanatorium pediatrician who received a transplanted heart in 1995.

"Our experience with John and Carol (his wife) was wonderful." Joe added. "They're really fine people.

Romanik, who treated TB children at Maybury until the facility closed in 1969, received his new heart in October 1995. Prior to the operation, he was hooked up to a device that provided a continual infusion of intravenous medica-

Brave or crazy, man sleeps outdoors

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

My, but it's good to know that in this age of creature comforts here and there stands a man who laughs in the face of luxury and takes delight in overcoming adversity.

Chuck Totten's one of them. On Saturday night, while most of us huddled indoors and under the covers to escape the cold, he was braving below-zero temperatures in a tent in the backyard of his mother's house on Horton Street in Northville.

Why?

To see if his new sleeping bag, the one he's going to take with him while winter camping, was up to Add stars snuff.

"I figured I should try if out here instead of in the woods," Totten, who now lives in Royal Oak. explained.

The evening of Jan. 18-19 sure provided an acid test. Counting the wind chill, the thermometer hit as low as 30 degrees below zero that night.

"My wife thought I was nuts." Totten said. "I just hoped the neighbors didn't think I was crazy.

Chuck's wife, Nancy, declined to ke part in the bag trial, which

He was on and off the transplant list for several years before the call came in that a donor heart was available for him. The organ had belonged to a young physician who lived near Grand Rapids and who died unexpectedly of an aneurysm.

Last year, the Romaniks arranged to meet the family of the donor, traveling to west Michigan to have dinner with them. Romanik said the experience was a highly emotional one.

"It's enough to make a big man cry." he remarked. "I met my donor's wife and three kids. Then

we took a trip out to Arizona to met his two brothers. I walked up to them ... I couldn't call them anything but 'brother."

The names of donors are kept confidential, but the Transplantation Society will act as a contact point between the two parties if the families of both donor and recipient agree to meet. Romanik said he intends to remain in touch with the donor's wife and children. Since his operation, Dr. Romanik, who is now retired, has been a vocal supporter of the transplantation program. He said there is a crying need for people to

become donors.

1996 was a dryer year (for donations) nationwide," he said. You'd think that, with all the publicity surrounding Mickey Mantle and Larry Hagman, donations would have been up. But the need is greater than ever.

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"Our experience with John and Carol (his wife) was wonderful. They're really fine people."

-Joe Keese former Northville resident

fying a next-of-kin of your intention to donate in the event of untimely death.

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turned out to be a success.

"I was pretty warm." Totten, who hit the rack that night wearing a lot of warm clothing, said.

"It was just the back of my neck that got a little cold.

"I was trying to remember all of the information I've seen about frostbite. I thought we might need it." Chuck's mother. Carolyn. Joked.

Let the detractors have their fun. Chuck, who has an avowed dislike of newfangled conveniences like microwave ovens, said he enjoyed getting back to nature for a night - well, sort of.

*Camping is peaceful. You really get to feel the outdoors." Totten explained.

"I heard the police going up and down Eight Mile Road all night long. though he added.



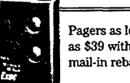
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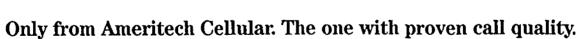
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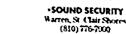
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McCotter not happy over committee assignments

The chairman of the Wayne County Commission has appointed 4 commissioners to various standing and special committees for the 1997-98 legislative term.

And at least two commissioners both from western Wayne County - aren't happy with Chairman Ricardo Solomon's decision in not returning them to committees.

Thaddeus McCotter. R-Livonia. and Bruce Patterson, R-Canton. criticized Solomon and accused him of playing partisan politics.

"He couldn't stand our anti-tax position and the fact that we're both Republicans," said McCotter, who represents Wayne County Northville and Northville Township.

But Solomon denied he played partisan politics with the positions, claiming that he appointed people based on their interests, dividing the committee positions between the suburban and Detroit representatives.

Solomon had to decide who would serve on eight standing committees out of 15 commissioners. "Inevitably, some people will be disappointed," Solomon said.

These appointments were not done on a partisan basis. I looked for committees that people were interested in and tried to give representation to all the areas of the county.

"I thought I did a very good job dividing up the appointments between Detroit, downriver and the western suburbs."

McCotter had learned on Jan. 8 that he will not chair the Committee on Economic Development anymore. Instead he will serve as vice chair of that group. Robert Blackwell, D-Detroit, will chair the committee.

McCotter was the only commissioner chairing a standing committee during the last session who was not reappointed as a chairman.

That committee oversees the county-owned property near Five Mile and Sheldon Road in Northville Township that is expected to be developed as a Planned Unit Development. He also was not reappointed to the Committee on Roads, Airports and Public Services.

McCotter believes his position in supporting the Canton Downtown Development in December resulted in his loss of those committee positions.

"I'm convinced that this was the bill due' for the DDA. I loslethon. chairmanship, but I would do it', again."

Solomon said he chose to use McCotter to chair a special Legal Affairs committee, a position Solomon said has plenty of responsibility.

He is an attorney and he will provide an oversight of legal contracts. It is a major responsibility and I hope he will treat it as such. It is an appropriate appointment for him."

Two other Wayne county commissioners - both Democrats - son said.

"I thought I had a pretty good relationship with the chairman. judging from the comments he has made at many open and closed meetings.

"It appears to be a partisan power play, and it will affect the residents of western Wayne Coun-

Out of 15 commissioners, Solomon had to outline 50 appointees to serve on eight standing committees: five seven-member committees and three five-member groups. Except for the chair and

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make these appointments," Patter- the vice chair, commissioners were appointed to three, four or five committees.

> Solomon pointed out that McCotter is on Legislative Research, vice chair of Economic Development, and is on the Committee on Environment, Drains and Sewers.

> Patterson sits on Roads, Airports and Public Services: Ways and Means, and is vice chair of Public Safety and Judiciary.

Solomon called McCotter's comment about Solomon possibly running for county executive "out of place.

"My job is to be the chairman and to do the best job I can," Solomon said.

"If you do a comparison of last year and this year, many of the commissioners are on different committees.

If you look at a committee that has a Detroit chair, there is a suburban vice chair. If you look at a committee that has a suburban chair, there is a Detroit vice chair."

Patterson had hoped for a reappointment to the Committee on Environment, Drains and Sewers, since he has more landfills in his district than other commissioners.

harder," Patterson said. Committee members have an

advantage in getting more detailed information and reports on a timely basis than the commission members who are not committee members, Patterson said.

Plawecki was pleased she retained her chairmanship, but was disappointed because she was removed from Economic Development, and that McCotter was removed from the airport committee and lost his chairmanship of Economic Development.

Plawecki said she would attend

"But that's all right. I'll just work committee meetings, if necessary, for crucial issues. Committee appointments are important for commissioners, Plawecki said.

"it helps you see things before it goes to the committee-of-thewhole. You find out more about it, and you can change your vote at a full board."

In addition to serving as vice chair of Economic Development and as a member of the Environment, Drains and Sewers, and Legislative Research committees. McCotter was also chosen to head up a special committee on legal affairs.

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received key positions on standing committees.

Michelle Plawecki, D-Dearborn Heights, will continue as the chair of the Committee on Roads, Airports and Public Services. Kay Beard, D-Westland, was reappointed as vice chair of Ways and Means

McCotter believes that Solomon wants to run for county executive and is looking for ways to drum up Democrat support by trying to minimize the Republican influence on the commission and on the committees.

"But that won't work." McCotter said. "If anything, it is a testament to Bruce and I of the work we do for western Wayne County.

Patterson was selected to three committees, down from four during his previous term.

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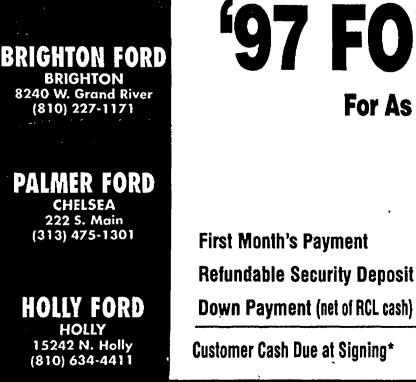
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Thursday, January 23, 1997-THE NORTHVILLE RECORD-11A Minimum wage law back before Lansing lawmakers

By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

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before the Michigan Legislature. despite the time lawmakers spent debating them in 1995-96.

First, minimum wage. The ly by the National Federation of House passed an election season hike in the minimum wage, but it went to its first hearing before the died in the Senate Labor Commit- Senate Labor Committee last tee, chaired by Mike Rogers, R- week. Brighton.

cent of the base minimum, or Owens, NFIB state director. How- tee. 82.52. Business argued that ever, small businesses currently servers, with tips, were making far exempted under federal law should more than the minimum, and that have the flexibility to determine no hike for servers was necessary.

This year, Sen. Loren Bennett,

mirror the federal minimum wage and prices of business and com-change enacted by Congress last merce." overturn two court decisions, compensation costs, rewrite workers comp eligibility. She cited seve Two major labor issues are back year. His bill reportedly didn't touch the server's \$2.52 mini-

SB 1 was denounced immediate-Independent Business when it

wage levels that the current Michi-

WORKERS' COMP Second issue is workers' com-

state commerce.

pensation reform. Last May Rogers got his SB 895. "Most businesses in the state aimed at cutting fraud in workers' Reason: House Bill 4180 hiked already pay above the minimum compensation, through the Senate the restaurant server's minimum wage in order to attract and retain on a 21-16 party-line vote, but it wage, which is pegged at 75 per- quality workers," said Charles died in the House Labor Commit-

gross receipts that aren't in inter-

Rogers said his bill would halt fraud and "wouldn't cost injured workers a penny."

"If that's all it did," replied Democrat Ken DeBeaussaert of

rewrite workers comp eligibility Federal law doesn't apply to firms with less than \$500,000 in old standard - and generally was rammed through by the GOP majority without giving Democrats time to study the measure.

And so workers' comp is back as an issue. The Small Business Association of Michigan is making its reform a

1997 legislative priority. "Recent court rulings are threatening to drive costs even higher and drive away employers," said SBAM's Ann Parker, director of government affairs.

SBAM is calling on the Legislature to "end abuses and close numbers are available yet on work-

She cited several Court of Appeals and Supreme Court rulings that have approved claims for

workers who · Are able to return to work but who refused to do so because they chose to live in other states. • Who developed mental prob-

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also said benefit should be calculated on a regular work week, not on overtime or bonuses. Got an opinion? Write to your state senator, State Capitol, Lans-

ing 48909. If writing about the minimum wage, refer to SB 1. No bill

Gov. John Engler last month signed an executive order abolishing the four-member Michigan lovment Security Commission and transferring policy power to agency director F. Robert Edwards. Engler acted after the state Supreme Court refused, 4-3, to hear a challenge of his reorganization of MESC. Member Paul Policicchio, a Democrat from Novi representing labor, was lead appellant

in the case. MESC was created by law in 1936 to administer unemployment benefits and to provide employ ment counseling. Engler's order transferred the agency from the old Labor Department to the new

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VALENTINE TEA PARTY FOR KIDS: Join us for the second annual Northville District Library "Tea Party." Enjoy stories, games, crafts, and sweet treats. Designed for children in kindergarten-second grade.

The program will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 5, from 4-5:15 p.m. Registration begins Friday, Jan. 24. Enrollment is limited.

VALENTINE STAMPING PROGRAM: Come to the Northville District Library on Tuesday, Feb. 4, from 3-5 p.m. for a fun free pro-gram. We'll provide over 50 Valentine's stamps, ink, markers and a limited supply of paper products. Feel free to bring additional stationary from home. All ages are welcome to attend this free pro-

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION PROGRAM: Come to the Northville District Library and attend a free program sponsored by the American Heart Association. Registered dietitians will present and discuss everyday usage of the guidelines of the American Heart Association program.

This informative program will be given twice on Thursday, Feb. 6, from 3-4 p.m. and 7-8 p.m. The program is free and all are welcome to attend.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP: Join us at the Northville District Library every second Monday for a book discussion group. Our next program will be on Monday. Feb. 10. beginning at 7 p.m. The featured book is Praying for Sheetrock by Melissa Faye Green. The program is free and all are welcome to attend.

FAMILY COMMUNICATION PROGRAM: The Northville District Library sponsors a program offered by Hegira, a mental health organization. on Tuesday. Feb. 11. at 7 p.m. The program is 'Parenting the Middle School Child." The program is free and all are welcome to attend.

FRIENDS OF THE NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY: Area residents will have an opportunity to donate books and videos on Saturday, Jan. 25, for the Friends' upcoming used book sale. Friends will be at the library's loading dock from 10 a.m. to noon to accept contributions (receipts will be available). The dock is accessed through the police department's parking lot off Wing Street. The sale is planned for Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 8 and 9. in

the library's meeting room. The Friends do not accept textbooks, encyclopedias or magazines.

Bette Cahill, chair of the Friends' gift book program, recently reported to the group's board of directors that \$1,925 was donated a in 1996 to honor and memorialize friends and relatives through the purchase of new books. Since the inception of the program in 1987. \$8.150.43 has been contributed.

The library is seeking volunteers to help shelve and process books on weekdays.

If you can help out sometime between 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., tell Julie Herrin, interim director (810) 349-3026. You don't have to be a Friend with a capital "F" to be a library volunteer.

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· Waterloo Recreation Area. Chelsea - Seven miles of easy trails travel through wooded landscapes. Trails are located near the Gerald E. Eddy Geology Center. For more information, call (313) 475-8307 or (313) 475-3170.

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Among the live e year term on the RESA board is Northville Township resident James Petrie, a RESA trustee.

Each year, RESA board members contribute many hours in education-related meetings, setting priorities for budgets and speaking out for the interests of school children.

Blood drive coming to church

First Presbyterian Church of Northville will conduct a blood drive on Saturday, Feb. 1, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

The community needs your help. The Southeastern Michigan Red Cross Blood Services must supply 1,000 pints of blood each day to hospital patients in our five-county area. As of Jan. 10, the lack of available blood has forced some hospitals to cancel surgeries in an

effort to stretch existing supplies.

The main purpose of this blood drive is to replenish the depleted blood supply. Most blood collected by the American Red Cross is processed into several components, so your donation will help three or four patients.

Join the Northville Girl Scouts for this important event. To schedule your appointment, call Julie Johnson at 349-6206.

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By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Should you have the right to now if a convicted sex offender is living in your town, on your street, or maybe next door to your house? Public opinion polls show that nost but not all people say yes. Wherever you come down on this one, the bottom line is that very soon you'll have that right, courtesy of the state of Michigan.

Gov. John Engler is expected to sign legislation passed by the state Legislature last month that will make police lists of convicted sex offenders available to the public. That includes people convicted of everything from child molestation to rape.

The new bill is an amendment to a law passed in 1994 requiring persons convicted of certain felony sex crimes to register their new addresses with the Michigan State Police whenever they move. Both the law and the amendment are modeled after "Megan's Law."

Seven-year-old Megan Kanka was, raped and murdered several years ago by a man living next door to her New Jersey home. The offender was a convicted sex offender.

After her death Megan's parents led the fight to get the law which bears her name passed. They say that police and the public should know when sex offenders, many of whom repeat their crimes, move into town.

Gerry Law agrees. Law, R-Plymouth. Is the state representative from Michigan's 20th District, which includes Northville Town-ship and the Wayne County section of Northville. He voted for the law in 1994 and the amendment in December.

Also voting in favor of the new bill was Rep. Nancy Cassis, R-Novi, who represents the Oakland County area of Northville.

"leople want to know if these people are living next door to them or on their streets or in their neighborhoods where their kids play." Law said. "The statistics are clear that these are not usually isolated incidents. The vast majority of the people who commit these type of crimes do it repeatedly."

That's true, but requiring sex offenders to register isn't the right solution to the problem, says the American Civil Liberties Union. 1 once they get out of prison. That The organization's Michigan reduces the chances that they'll branch opposed the law and the try to "go straight" and makes it

Genetic material also to be kept on file victed of serious felony sex , was part of a five-law anti-crime commit such offenses.

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Besides their names and addresses, police will soon keep genetic samples of convicted sex

offenders on file as well. Deoxyribonucleic acid, more commonly known as DNA; is the 1.24.2 basic building block of life. DNA strands carry all of a person's genetic information and they're just like fingerprints: everyone's DNA is different.

Michigan has had laws on the books; about DNA rights since 1990. They require anyone con-

amendment. Nationally, the ACLU is waging legal battles in several state and federal courts to have such laws overturned.

The group offers several arguments against forced registration, including:

Such laws are unconstitutional. The Fifth Amendment says that no one can be punished twice for the same offense. Mandatory registration of someone who's done the time for his crime amounts to "double jeopardy." John Roberts, executive director

of the ACLU's Massachusetts branch, put it this way in a written statement: "Once you do your time your punishment should be over, and this really continues to punish people."

Another opponent of sex offender registration is Melvin L. Watt, a Congressional Democrat from North Carolina who opposed a federal version of Megan's Law in March.

"Its underlying assumption is that once you have committed one crime of this kind, you are presumed guilty for the rest of your life," Watt said.

That, my friends, is contrary, whether we like it or not, to the constitutional mandates that govern our nation.

Second, while they sound good the only real effect a law like this will have is to drive those convicted of sex crimes "underground"

Applications taken for 1997 Art Market

Plans are under way for the 1997 Art Market sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission and held in conjunction with the Northville Victorian Festival

The 11th annual Art Market will be held Saturday, Sept. 13, from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 14, from 11 a m. 6 p m. Seventy-

This juried, outdoor, art fair attracts artists from the entire Midwest area.

Cash prizes of \$500 (first place) and \$250 (second place) will be awarded and some artists will be selected to demonstrate for the public.

Artists interested in obtaining

provide DAA samples with soon ping and morger. grow, Gov. John Engler is expect-ed this week to sign a bill written a close consultations with police. by Rep. Gerry Law, R-Phymouth, The idea is to give the law, that includes those convicted of enforcement community a better. kkinapping and murder. That bill chance of catching those who

crimes to give a DNA sample to

All samples stay on file perma-

nently with the Michigan State

Police crime lab in Lansing.

Local, county and state police

can use the samples to hunt for

The list of those who have to provide DNA samples will soon

law enforcement officials.

suspects in criminal cases

harder for police to catch them when they don't. Michigan state Rep. David Gubow partially agrees. A Demo-crat from Huntington Woods. Gubow supported the 1994 registry law but opposed making the list public.

package passed last month by

requirement also extends to juve-

niles convicted of serious sexual

offenses, in addition to kidnap-

ping and murder.

"The idea of registration is a good one. Law enforcement can watch them. But this bill raises the question of whether they

Many of these people do not get rehabilitated but they do get out of prison. If they commit have a better, shot at find by many of these people up not the Michigan Legislature, action of the package was the new law making police lists of convicted sex offenders public: The new DNA sample ing the evidence they need to prove it. We've never had that missing link before," Law said.

The American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) opposed Law's bill. Creating a national DNA law

enforcement databank is an idea now, under consideration, Law said, to help track offenders who commit crimes in different states.

would register or not. It will have a chilling effect." Gubow said. "These people have done their time. They've won the right to go back to society."

• Other ACLU objections include

the possible danger of vigilantism and the fact that even many supporters of the law say it will do little to stop sexual crimes.

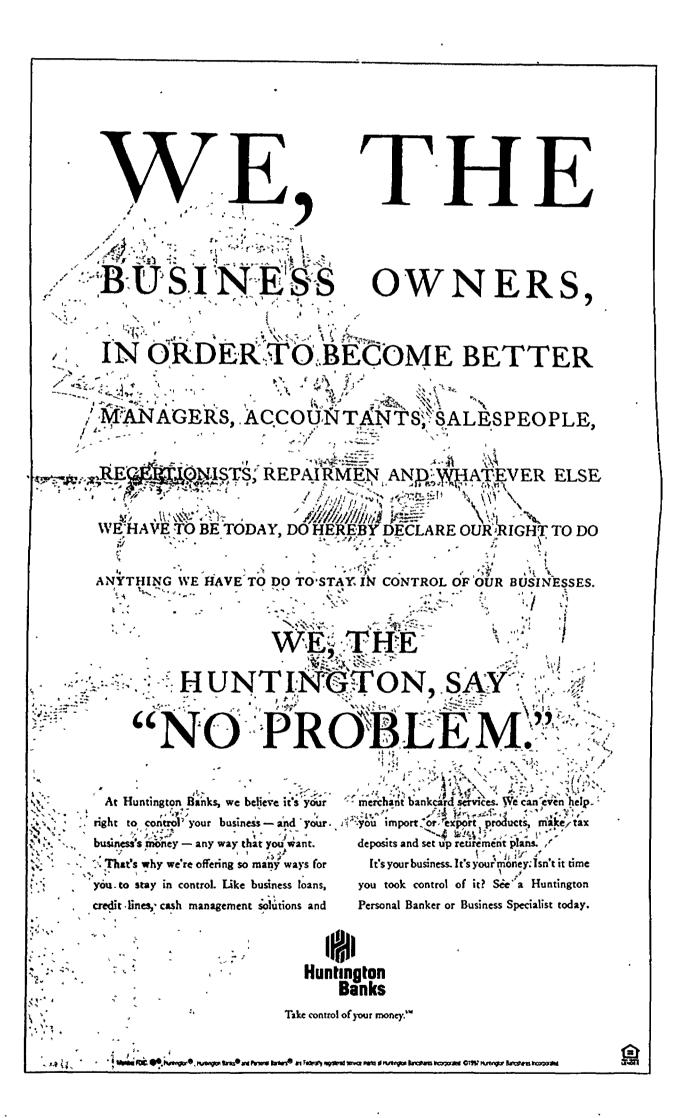
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Law says that may be true but adds that it isn't the point of the statute.

We're taking about only those people who've been convicted of serious felony offenses, sexual crimes involving children or force. My argument is that once you're convicted of these horrendous crimes we have to keep track of you," Law said.

If, and when, Engler signs the new bill you can contact the Michigan State Police to review the list of offenders, including their names, addresses and places of residence.

A related legal question is also brewing. So far six states (Michi-gan is not one of them) have passed "indefinite detention" laws. Those laws not only allow but require law enforcement officials to keep sex offenders who are still considered dangerous behind bars even if they've served their full prison sentences.



five to 100 artists, including creators of fine art and folk art, will be displaying their work.

an application for submitting their work for the juried process may call (810) 349-6104.

Plans for All-Nighter already under way

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Northville High school was among the first schools to organize a senior All Night Party, giving seniors a safe alternative for celebrating graduation night.

This year, senior parents are preparing for the party by scheduling committee meetings and starting to plan the decorations. The theme is a secret and will be revealed to the seniors at the graduation breakfast.

Volunteers are still needed along

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with donations of materials or money.

Please call Patty Zielinski at 347-4616 or Mary McBride at 348-7104.

Senior parents are urged to send a \$30 payment for a ticket of a night of fun and excitement for their senior child to: Pam Wampler, 44961 Steeple Path. Nov1, MI 48375, (810) 344-8847. The price of the ticket goes up to

\$35 after March 1.



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The annual daddy/daughter dance gives everyone the chance to role play.

Dads and daughters invited to dance night away in town

Annual rec event set for Feb. 14

By RANDY COBLE Staff Writer

Dads, you can probably count on getting at least one dance with your daughter on her wedding day. No guarantees until then, unless you attend next month's

daddy/daughter dance, that is. Yes, it's that 'time again. Northville's 14th annual daddy/daughter dance will be held Valentine's Day weekend at the Community Center on Main Street. courtesy of the friendly folks at the Parks and Rec department.

The dance is open to fathers and their daughters ages 5-12. The cost is \$15 per couple, \$4 for each additional daughter. You can register for the dance by mail using the form found in the Rec Department's winter catalog. In-person registration can be done at the Rec offices in the Community Center, located next door to city hall.

There will actually be two separate dances: the first on Friday. Feb. 14, from 7-9 p.m. and the second from 3-5 p.m. on Saturday. Feb. 15. The deadline for registering for either dance is Feb. 7. Call 349-0203 for more information.

Two sets of daddies and daughters will win dinner out, courtesy of Rocky's of Northville on Seven Mile. The names of Friday night's winners will be drawn at random a day or two beforehand so that they can go to dinner before the dance. Saturday's winners will be selected during the event itself so they can head to Rocky's afterwards.

A disc jockey will be on hand to spin the platters at the dance and a professional photographer will be present as well offering a special deal. Daddies and daughters can have their pictures taken together

and get one five-by-seven copy and four wallet size prints for just \$10. Cookies and punch will be

served and Toots the Clown will make the dance too. offering all kinds of entertainment. including face painting.

Hey, wait a minute: what about moms and sons who want to shake a leg?

Don't worry, the Rec department's got you covered with a spring fling hoedown in April.

Open to mothers and sons, ages prices and registration methods for the hoedown are the same as for the daddy/daughter dance. You must register by April 11 and the dance will be held on Friday, April 18.

Those attending are asked to come dressed in cowboy and cowgirl duds. Toots, the DJ and the photographer, will be at the hocdown. One couple will win dinner for two courtesy of Genitti's, while another couple will win the same courtesy of the Sundowner.



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1997 WINTER BROCHURE

The Northville Parks and Recreation winter brochure was mailed to all Northville city and township residents in December. If you did not receive your brochure, please stop by our office at 303 W. Main St.

1997 WINTER REGISTRATION

Northville Parks and Recreation winter registration for classes is under way from 7 a.m..7 p.m. Please note this new time for registration.

The department has a new computer system to improve service to our residents. The new system will process your activity registrations in a similar method to our old one, but instead of filling out a registration card for each activity and participant we will enter the information directly into the computer for you. One receipt with all your registration information will then be generated for you to sign.

We hope you will be patient with our new process. Our registra-tion process may take slightly longer than it has recently. We do anticipate that as everyone, including our staff, gets used to the new procedures you will find them much easier than our old procedure. We are looking forward to serving you better.

SOCCER SKILLS FOR WOMEN

Future Sports will be offering an over 30 women's Train and Play program. This six-week course will consist of 20 minutes of skill work and 40 minutes of instructional play.

Train and Play is geared to the novice adult who would like to learn the basics of soccer. It can be used as a great workout. Taken at your own pace, you can choose to participate at low- or highimpact.

The instructor is Kevin Tuite of the Player Development Northville Soccer Association. He is a varsity coach at Central High School.

Activity No. 3040.402 - March 18-May 6 (six weeks), from 7-8 p.m.. Community Center Cym. A fee of \$60 for residents; add \$3school district. S7 outside school district.

The deadline for registration is March 13 at 4 p.m.

Register by the deadline at the office or mail to: Northville Parks and Recreation, 303 W. Main St., Northville, MI 48167. Make checks payable to Northville Recreation.

YOUTH SPORTS

Grade School Basketball

Thursday, Feb. 6-March 6 (no class Feb. 20).

This is a co-ed program that meets after school for basketball instruction and skills practice. Participants will learn passing, dribbling and shooting skills. The class will also introduce rules and team strategies. A T-shirt is included. The third grade class will concentrate on preparing participants for league play.

Activity No. 2150.401 - 2nd Grade. Thursday, 4-4:45 p m.

Activity No. 2150.402 - 3rd Grade Friday, 4:45-5:30 p.m. Four-week session, meets at Northville Community Center. Fee.

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TRAVEL VOLLEYBALL

This is an all new Travel Girl's Volleyball League for six-eight graders. It runs April 25-May 16.

Each team will have a set practice time during the week in the evening. Matches will be played against other teams of different cities in the area on Friday nights and Saturdays between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. There will be some away matches in which teams will travel to other cities (Brighton, Howell, Walled Lake, South Lyon) to play matches. Transportation will not be provided.

Volunteer coaches are needed. If you would like to be a coach, call Lori at the Recreation Department at 349-0203.

Activity No. 1040.101 - Practices begin the week of April. The fee is \$45. Please indicate T-shirt size on your registration form.

SPRING BREAK BASEBALL-SOFTBALL CLINIC Feb. 16-21

Baseball and softball athletes, here's another chance to develop your skills. Become a better player by learning and practicing the fundamental skills of throwing, fielding, hitting, bunting, pitching, catching, baserunning and game strategies.

The instructors will be adults who have extensive baseball-softball knowledge and a great deal of experience working with youths. Participants: Wear gym shoes and bring a glove and bat. Enroliment is limited by space.

Activity No. 1020.401 - For 8- to 16-year-olds, meets from 7-9 p.m. at Northville Community Center. Fee: \$35.

Business leaders downplay college diplomas

By TIM RICHARD Staff Writer

Quit being snobbish about the university degree.

Stop thinking so much in terms of two-year and four-year degrees, and think more of "education on demand."

Thirty Oakland County business leaders gave parents and commu-nity college leaders advice about how to prepare young people, and middle-aged employees, for high-paying jobs of the future.

There's pressure on kids to go to college - a stereotype," Greg Sander, vice president of Ring Screw Works, said at a business forum held by Oakland Community College trustees.

There are lots of jobs where a 19-year-old can make \$30,000 a. year and by the age of 30 make \$60,000 to \$70,000 a year." said Sander, urging attention to "the basic hands-on guy who generates the product that generates the revenue

Al Pope, Chrysler's government training resource executive, said business thinking is opposed by a tiny group in Oakland County.

They're very vocal. They go to all the hearings. Their criticism is that you (business owners) use kids and throw 'em away. They say. 'Our kids are not business robots." said Pope.

With OCC Chancellor Richard Thompson chairing, the business leaders urged colleges to pay attention to such needs as multiple-skilled health care providers and retail managers who sell goods and services to 4.4 million people in the metropolitan area.

Firefighters' work is changing, sald Richard Marinucci, chief of the Farmington Hills department. Now, 65 to 70 percent of the activity is EMS (emergency medical service) because we're seeing a decline in fires." But the "humungous" new houses in northern and western suburbs resent a special challenge to firefighters requiring training, he said.

Michael Slubowski, chief executive officer of Providence Hospital, said basic literacy is a stumbling block to developing staffs that can handle groups of jobs in the business office and patient care.

We want an environment with active learners," said Kmart training manager Paul Petruyika. "We focus on management's interpersonal skills." Many at the table nodded when Petruylka said people lose their ability to communicate as they acquire more skills.

Sander of Ring Screw said American workers need to "operate in a

cross-functional team. The American population is individually centered on achievement. The Japanese reward teamwork. We are trying to break down the meme-me attitude. Sometimes we have to drag individuals along

kicking and screaming." Sam Yono, owner of the International Hotel and Convention Center and a former OCC trustee, said the metro area "is a melting pot" of

ethnic groups. "But there is a lack Chaldean Council. He said many of knowledge of other ethnicities. It would be very helpful if OCC would take the lead in multi-cultural training.

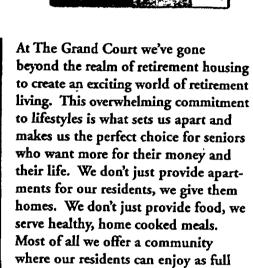
"People are coming here from around the world," agreed Pat Lamberti, president and CEO of Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital, calling for diversity training.

Also agreeing was Radwan Khoury of the Arab-American with degrees from foreign universities face problems finding work here.

OCC Trustee Anne Scott, who operates a personnel business. touched a nerve when she observed "there's no one from construction or skilled trades here, or electricians. We're going to have to put on programs for skilled trades. or we're not going to have houses."



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Downtown shuffle to be subject of CBA meeting at Genitti's

run on business closings in downtown Northville?

The Northville Central Business Association hopes to provide some answers at its next meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 29.

Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall restaurant, 108 E. Main Street.

Genitti's co-owner Toni Genitti says her organization hopes to bring a city representative to the

Wonder why there seems to be a meeting who can help explain what's happening in the city's business district.

Longtime businesses Williamsburg Inspirations and Victoria's Place are in the process of closing. while several other establishments The meeting will take place at are moving to different downtown addresses.

A general meeting will follow the presentation.

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Obituaries

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LEONARD F. FRITZ

Leonard F. Fritz died Jan. 16. 1997, at his residence in Northville. He was born March 27. 1922, in Northville to Ambrose and Lillian (Lang) Fritz and was 74 when he died.

Mr. Fritz was a lifelong member of the Northville community. He retired from Northville Post Office in 1982, and was a member of Northville's V.F.W. Post 4012.

He is survived by his daughters, Carol Rowland of Kalamazoo and Jean Fritz of Indiana; son, Leonard of Royal Oak; sisters, Josephine Childers of Wixom and Mrs. Mickey Honsinger of Central Lake: brother, Linwood of Florida; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen, in August 1989.

Services were held on Jan. 20 at Casterline Funeral Home with Dr. Douglas W. Vernon, First United Methodist Church of Northville. officiating. Interment was in Glen Eden Memorial Park, Livonia.

RICHARD A. BUCKLEY

Richard A. Buckley of Brighton. formerly of Northville, died Dec. 23, 1996, at Sun City West. Ariz. He was 56. Mr. Buckley was born

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May 14, 1940, in Northville to the late Allen and Laura (Trufant) Buckley.

Mr. Buckley had been employed at Ford Motor Co. as a manager. In October 1996, he moved from Brighton to Arizona.

He is survived by his wife, Julie (Roberts): daughter, Kimberly Greer of Grand Rapids; sons, Timothy A. Buckley of Brighton. Richard A. Buckley Jr. of Howell. John M. Taylor of Hartland, and Robert Taylor of Brighton; and two grandchildren.

Visitation will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 23, at Casterline Funeral Home in Northville.

A memorial service will follow at 8 p.m. with Rev. Lloyd Brasure of Northville officiating. Memorials to the National Kidney Foundation or the American Diabetes Association would be appreciated.

ROBERT W. CARR

Robert W. Carr of Novi died Jan. 16, 1997, at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He was 69. Mr. Carr was born July 17. 1927. in Pinckney, Mich., to Roger and Edith (Smith) Carr.

Mr. Carr moved to the community from Ohio in 1962. He maintained several positions at The **Detroit News before retirement:** copy editor, entertainment and column writer. His memberships included The Newspaper Guild and St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Northville.

He is survived by his wife, Joyce (Ortendahl): sons. Thomas of Mesick, Daniel and Steven of Ypsilanti: daughter, Cynthia Ward of Ypsilanti; and five grandchildren. Services were held on Monday.

Jan. 20, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church with Pastor Lawrence Kinne officiating. Interment was in Pinckney Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Casterline Funeral Home in Northville.

Memorial contributions to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 201 Elm St., Northville, MI 48167 would be appreciated by the family.

ROBERT L. JAMESON

Robert L. Jameson of Northville died Jan. 9. 1997. in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, Mich. He was 74. Mr. Jameson was born June 20, 1922, in Woodward, Okla., to Frank and Opal (Sivers) Jameson. Mr. Jameson was a retired sales

representative. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville and Northville's Masonic Lodge No. 186. 347

His survivors are his sons. Jamie of Beverly Hills. John of Northville, and Richard of East Lansing: brother. John of Kansas: six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Frances, in December 1984. Services were held on Monday. Jan. 13, at Casterline Funeral

Home with Rev. Kent Clise and Rev. James Russell, First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment was in Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville. Memorials to the Michigan

MARY P. SULLIVAN

Wildlife Foundation would be

appreciated.

Mary P. Sullivan died Jan. 19. 1997, in Sarasota, Fla. Miss Sullivan was 92. She was born March 15, 1904, in Sydney Mines, Canada, to John and Sarah (MacNeal) Sullivan.

Miss Sullivan was a resident of the area until 1981, when she moved to Sarasota. Fla. She retired in 1977 as the office manager with G.A. Brown & Associates. which was a manufacturer's representative for the J.P. Stevens Co. She worked for 24 years before her retirement. She was a member of the Women's City Club in Sarasota, Fla., and the Pi Omicron National Sorority.

Surviving Miss Sullivan are her brother, Patrick E. of Hobe Sound. Fla.: sisters, Cecilia Staffan of Livonia and Veronica Rose of Northville: and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two sisters. Patricia Gugel and Hildegard Forsythe; and by five brothers. Augustus. William. Thomas. Frederick and Richard.

A 10:30 a.m. mass will be held Thursday. Jan. 23, in Holy Family Catholic Church in Novi. Father John Budde will officiate. Interment will take place in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.

Memorial contributions to a charity of choice in memory of Miss Sullivan would be appreciated.

EDNA L. DOWNER

Edna L. Downer formerly of Northville, died Friday, Jan. 17, in Charlotte, Mich. She was 85. Mrs. Downer was born Aug. 12, 1911, in Ovid, Mich., to Anthony S. and

Lucy (Morse) Jorae. Ovid High School in 1927, and completed County Normal School in Ypsilanti. She taught school in Chelsea, Manchester, and Wayne County rural schools. Mrs. Downer was a member of Northville United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her daughters Jean Knauff of Charlotte and Ann Muir of Kingston, Ontario, Ganada; her sister-in-law. Mildred Jorae of Ovid: her five grandchildren and one great grandchild? She was preceded in death by

her husband. Gael L., in 1988.

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ACORD

King's beliefs evoked at event

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'A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity (ACORD) held its fourth annual Martin Luther King Jr. walk this week on the day set aside each year to observe the birthday of the slain civil rights leader. It was a gesture to recall and reflect.

Despite a plunging thermometer, more than 300 people took part in the walk, which began at Northville City Hall and ended at the First Presbyterian Church. The walk stight and condicit

The walk, silent and candielit. was symbolic. Black and white. young and old, strode down Main Street, their only sounds the crunching of snow and ice underfoot. One couple could be seen pulling their small children, bundled up against the cold, along on the walk in a little red wagon.

Passersby on foot and in cars coming upon the scene would pause a moment, taking in the long line of quiet marchers, before going on their way. Inside the church. marchers gathered in a circle, the light from candles and flashlights playing on ceiling as songs like "God Bless America" and "We Shall Overcome" were sung.

Special guests at this year's walk were members of the musical group The Volces of Corrections, a choir composed of employees of the Michigan Department of Corrections. Some members of the group work at the Scott Correctional Facility on Five Mile in Northville Township.

As always, members of Northville High School's choir, led by Mary Kay Pryce, lent their voices to the walk, and sang verses of some songs in Swahili and Zulu.

The evening ended with Northville Mayor Chris Johnson reading words spoken by King shortly before he was killed in 1968. Don't mention my awards. King said.

"That's not important," he continued. "I'd like for somebody to say that Martin Luther King Jr. tried to love somebody. I want you to be able to say that I did try to feed the hungry.

"I want you to be able to say that I did try in my life to clothe the naked.

"I want you to say on that day that I did try in my life to visit those who were in prison and I want you to say that I tried to love and serve humanity.



Community members and students walked from Northville City Hall to the First Presbyterian Church Monday to participate in Martin Luther King Jr. activities.

Holiday designation for civil rights leader dates back to 1983

By RANDY COBLE Stall Writer

The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was born on Jan. 15, 1929, in Atlanta, Ga., the son of a preacher. He skipped the ninth and 12th grades and enrolled in Atlanta's Moorehouse College at the age of

King decided to become a minister and was ordained just before he graduated in 1948. The preacher became a Ph.D. in 1955, picking up a doctorate in theology from Boston University. It was there American citizens," he said. "We

that King met music student Coretta Scott, whom he married in 1953 and with whom he would have four children.

King became pastor of a Montgomery, Ala., church in 1954, the year before Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat on a city bus to a white man. The young minister led a 12-month boycott of Montgomery's bus system to protest its segregation policy, calling for non-

violent civil disobedience. "First and foremost we are are not here advocating violence. The only weapon that we have is the weapon of protest. The great glory of American democracy is the right to protest for right."

King became one of the leaders of the movement fighting segregation in public schools, transportation and facilities like restaurants and motels.

In 1957, he helped found the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, an organization that played a key role in the battle.

Beginning in 1966, he began to "poor people's campaign" that

On April 4, 1968, while in Memphis. Tenn., to support striking black garbagemen. King was shot dead outside his motel room. Riots erupted in more than 100 cities that spring and summer.

James Earl Ray. an escaped convict, was convicted of the murder but many still believe he did not act alone.

In 1980. King's Atlanta home. church and gravesite were designated as national historical sites. in 1983 Congress passed a law making his birthday a holiday.

agenda promotes diversity A Community Organization Rec-

ognizing Diversity (ACORD) is composed of Northville residents who are concerned with fostering harmony and understanding diversity.

Here's a quote from its mission statement: 'We believe in actively promoting equality for all people regardless of race. creed. color. religion, gender, disability, socioeconomic situation or national ori-

gin. "We have come together to appreciate our similarities and differences: develop educational programs to increase awareness; and act as a resource for the community and schools."

ACORD meets at Northville High School in Room 130 on the second Tuesday of every month. The meetings begin at 7 p.m. The high school is off Center Street near Eight Mile Road.

Here's a rundown of the topics that are planned for future meetings:

• Feb. 11: Dr. Steven Anderson presents a talk on parental involvement and its affect on student achievement.

• March 11: Women's history month, which will include a new discussion of last year's dialogue on racism.

· April 8: ACORD's annual meeting and election of officers.

• May 13: International/multicultural festival for children and their parents (location to be announced).

• June: Board meeting only.

• July: Fourth of July parade (with ACORD float and T-shirts). • Aug. 12: Planning meeting.

For more information call ACORD chairperson Al Gualman at 349-1343.

FARRELL SERIES

Arts Commission lecture to focus on American Impressionist Whistler

The second in a series of three Michael Farrell art lectures hosted by the Northville Arts Commission, originally scheduled for Feb. 11. has been canceled and will be rescheduled for presentation on March 18

The lecture features James Abbott McNeil Whistler.

Born in New England, Whistler failed to graduate from West Point and moved to Paris where he exhibited at the Salon des Refuses with Manet, who had a profound

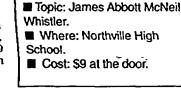
influence on him.

The third lecture, originally scheduled for March 18, which features Mary Cassatt, will be presented on April 8. Born in Philadelphia, she attended the Pennsylvania Academy of Art and

continued her studies in Paris. She remained in France for the rest of her life. She had a profound influence on the acceptance of Impressionism in America and was a longtime friend of Degas.

Tickets are \$9 each at the door.

Special student prices are also available. The lectures will be held in the Forum at Northville High School, 775 N. Center St., Northville and will begin at 7:30 p.m. For further information please call (810) 349-6104.



Date: March 18.



He survived the bombing of his governmental action.

1964. focus on poverty, calling it a cause of racism, and set his sights on a

aimed at diminishing or eliminating poverty through societal and

home, a time in fail and attacks from counter-demonstrators and law enforcement officials. The protests brought about major revisions and expansions of civil rights laws in the 1960s. King himself received the Nobel Peace Prize in



RECORD ()PINION

Robert

Jackson



Smooth start bodes well for new township board

If the signs we're seeing now hold any portent for the future, people in Northville Township are on the road to seeing a smooth, well-run local government thanks to their new board of trustees.

They've been in office about two months and so far the seven members of the board have shown a commitment to setting the right tone from the get-go. They seem determined to end the fragmentation seen in the township in past years, to restore the township's oft-damaged reputation for professionalism and to craft a vision of what they want to do during their four years in office.

That's exactly what's needed, for several reasons.

In the first place, for a board to function its members must be able to trust each other. That's different from unity. Unity on every issue is not realistic or even desirable. Trust is about playing like a team that has honesty and respect despite individual differences.

Second, if trust is necessary for a good board, then a good board is necessary for good government.

A good board selects good administrators to oversee the dad-to-day services that the township provides its residents. like police patrols and garbage pickup. It presents a strong. professional, unified front to developers and other units of government that come to town wanting things from us.

It also makes a real effort to get ordinary citizens involved in the decisions ciaries.

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that are going to affect their lives. A good board that does that inspires trust. That trust is needed to get the millages passed that pay for the things which affect our quality of life. everything from fire trucks to new soccer fields.

Mixed in there somewhere in a good board is solid planning for the future. The township is not static. New businesses and new people are moving in all the time.

Managing that growth is not just a task for today but for next year and the next decade as well.

How many police officers are we going to need five years from now? Where can we build the parks for the kids of people who move in here 10 years down the road? These are just some of the questions about the future that face our local elected officials, all while they're juggling the ones that come up today.

So far the new board has made strides in all of these areas. If the trustees maintain it citizens of Northville Township will be the benefi-

Folino always put Northville first

For Paul Folino there was only Northville. It was a little over a year ago when I sat in Paul and

Mamie Folino's living room. Paul had just lost his bid for mayor in the November election and he had invited me over for

one of Mamie's famous pasta dinners and conversation.

So there I was, sitting comfortably in an easy chair listen-ing to Paul talk about Northville's past like it had just happened yesterday. I waited awhile and then I posed a question I had been wanting to ask him for several weeks. "Paul, you have spent the

better part of three decades involving yourself with everything that has gone on in this city. Now that you're no longer on the council, what are you going to do with yourself?"

He paused for a second then smiled. "Bob," he said. "I think I'm just going to relax."

Without missing a beat Mamie let out a laugh from the kitchen. "Paul, you've never' relaxed one day in your life.

I turned back to Paul, waiting for his reply. My gaze was met by that big broad smile, and a mischlevous gleam in his eye. "She's right you know," he said with a chuckle.

Sure enough, four months later Paul was named to a committee charged with studying the city's solid waste program.

The changes weren't totally embraced by the community at first, and I recall a special city council meeting where citizens packed the council meeting room to express concerns about the new program.

During a particularly heated debate. Paul stood up

and launched into one of his fabled stories. About three minutes into the tale an older gentleman sitting next to me impatiently muttered something about the story not having anything to do with the issue at hand.

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"Hang on," I told the man. "Paul is just using the story to make a point. Don't worry, he'll get around to

Minutes later Paul finished up the story and the man sitting next to me caught the connection.

"I don't believe it," he said aloud. "He just made the , most important point of this whole damn meeting."

After the meeting I noticed the man walking up to Paul. He shook Paul's hand and began asking question after question. The two of them ended up walking out of city hall laughing. Paul had, once again, converted another skeptic.

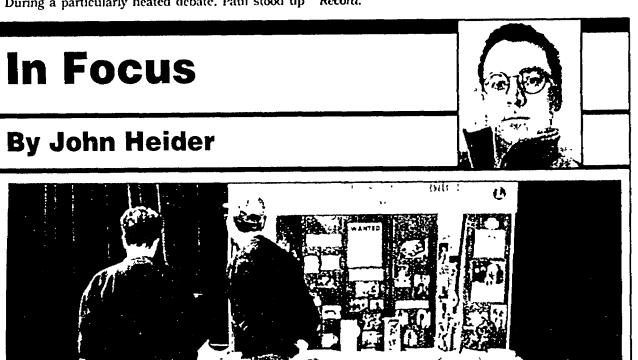
There's not enough column space for me to paint a truly accurate picture of this man who had a lifetime love affair with this community, and I consider it unfortunate that I haven't had the pleasure of knowing Paul as much as many of you - I'm sort of the Johnny-come-lately in that department.

For the time I've known him I can only say this about Paul Folino. He was the type of man you always wanted on your side, the guy you could count on when the stakes were high to get the job done, and the man who would forever go out of his way to help his community.

City Manager Gary Word said it best when he told me that whether you agreed with his point of view or not. Paul Folino always wanted the best for Northville.

This community was truly lucky to have Paul Folino for a lifetime. Men of his stock don't appear often, and are never truly appreciated until after they are gone.

Robert Jackson is a staff writer for The Northville Record.



The toughest volunteer position in a community

It might sound trite, if not hypocritical. for a newspaper that often criticizes public education to put in a plug for School Board Recognition Month, celebrated during January across the country.

But, as fond as we are of playing Monday morning quarterback with their deci-



sions, we really do appreciate the dedication and difficulty involved in serving as a board of education trustee.

The position's especially tough in a district like Northville, where the very success of the education program seems to put parents in a mood to demand even more from everyone involved in the process

There must be a lot of emotional and intellectual satisfaction in serving on a board of education, because there sure are a lot of hassles to compensate for. Board members put in countless hours keeping up with the issues and with the evolving ideas in education, in addition to attending meetings of committees, subcommittees, and full boards.

Education

There are intransigent union negotiators, difficult teachers, know-it-all administrators, and undisciplined students to contend with. Not to mention a sometimes hostile press.

But the greatest challenge must be the parents themselves. many of whom simply refuse to believe that any fault might lie with their own child-rearing methods or with their model-behavior kids.

One can only imagine the bursts of emotion board members must be forced to listen to.

It's a tough job, but somebody's got to do it. Thankfully, somebody does.

Thompson's zealousness wasted public resources

Words like "mean spirited" and "vindictive" are used a lot in politics. They were used especially often to describe Richard Thompson, who was Oakland County Prosecutor from 1988-96.

Those words were precisely defined in the last two weeks.

 David Gorcyca, the new prosecutor. announced he would dismiss all proceedings against Dr. Jack Kevorkian. the retired West Bloomfield pathologist who has assisted in 40 or so suicides.

Thompson had tried Kevorkian sevral times, but no jury had been willing to convict him. That should have sent Thompson a message, but it didn't. Thompson continued to beat his head – and the public check book against a brick wall.

Gorcyca reviewed charges in 10 cases pending against Kevorkian and decided Jan. 11 they had been "written in haste" and "without full investiga-∮tion."

Gorcyca's telling point was that there was a "low probability of conviction." Essentially, he decided it was unwise to continue hounding Kevorkian, as Thompson had done, regardless of

one's moral beliefs about suicide. Meanwhile, the U.S. Supreme Court is taking up the issue of physician assisted suicide.

 The Michigan Supreme Court slapped down Thompson in an appeal of a bad Southfield police arrest.

"A hunch is not sufficient to give rise to reasonable suspicion," Justice Charles Levin wrote.

 Thompson lost an appeal in his case against Teressa Nix, whom he wanted to charge with murder.

Justice Michael Cavanagh found Thompson attempting "revisionist history of the principles underlying the double jeopardy clause ..." against Nix. Some would argue Thompson was just "tough." Some would even call him

conservative."

It is neither tough nor conservative to hound defendants with repeated charges, disregard the Bill of Rights, throw fiscal caution to the wind, and refuse to take "no" for an answer from the courts. It is mean-spirited.

It appears the new prosecutor, Dave Gorcyca, knows the difference. We urge him to remember it.



Labs rule

JoAnne and Dale McDonald of Flint take a look at the Leader Dogs for the Blind exhibit at this past weekend's Dog Show at the Novi Expo Center. With the couple are two labrador puppies.

King event caught spirit of leader

gonna wax philosophic this week.

In case you missed it Monday was Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Here in Northville we honored it for the fourth year in a row with a silent walk downtown.

I've been to all four King walks and each year I find myself thinking about his place as an American patriot.

Why do I use that word? Because King continued a fight that's been going on since the Pilgrims set sail: the struggle for liberty.

Most of the people who've ever lived haven't had rights. In their worlds the biggest and the strongest made all the rules. Over the centuries, though, a few folks began to stand up and say, "Hey, bubba, that's not the way things should be."

The idea is that there's something better than the survival of the fittest. You have the right to certain things just because you are. not because of who or what you are.

Government, as Thomas Jefferson pointed out in the Declaration of Independence, only exists to secure those rights. Right after that he added that "whenever

Batten down the hatches, troops: I do believe I'm any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the right of the people to alter or to abolish

> Martin Luther King Jr. was one of many who tried to alter a government, and to some extent a society, that wasn't securing their rights as human beings and as Americans. He didn't call for the system's downfall. Instead he demanded that it live up to its fundamental promise.

> That promise, in the words of Jefferson, is to give everyone a fair shot at life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Check out what King said in his "I have a dream" speech about his hope for the future:

> This will be the day when all of God's children will be able to sing with new meaning 'My country 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing. Land where my fathers died, land of the Pilgrim's pride, from every mountainside, let freedom ring."

> I think Martin Luther King Jr. was about making it the best. I don't know what's written on his tombstone but maybe it's something like what Harry Truman hoped for.

> Somebody once asked Truman what he wanted written on his tombstone. He said he'd like the inscription he saw on an old cowboy's grave in Arizona: He done his damnedest.

> Randy Coble is a staff writer for The Northville Record.



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Letters

Editorial on OLV was 'offensive

Your recent article regarding two utstanding code violations at Our ady of Victory Church and an ccompanying editorial confirm at minimum, a lack of understandng'and at worst, a disregard for a barish that has demonstrated its commitment to this community for 5 vears.

The editorial headline that OLV ceds to demonstrate "reliability" s offensive. In the 15 years that I have been a member of OLV, 1 now of approximately \$3 million that has been spent in capital funds alone to improve and maintain our facilities.

The 300 plus students attending OLV reduces the cost to the Northville School District by at least \$1.5 million each year from what the district would otherwise need if those students attended the public schools.

City officials recognized that one of the two items that you are so concerned with has been temporarily corrected. That leaves one item outstanding.

Your paper does a disservice to a parish and the community to exaggerate the importance of one item and then use it to question whether OLV can be considered reliable.

The suggestion that the cost of one item (light shields in a parking lot) might indicate that OLV cannot or does not have the ability to complete its commitments is as ludicrous as anything I have ever read in your paper.

If you don't understand, reread the first paragraph for evidence. You should be embarrassed by the minimal thought and consideration you gave to your comments.

For you to question the abilities, commitment or reliability of our parish to Northville or its neighbors is extraordinarily unfair and undeserving.

John O'Reilly

Reasons for delay are sound

To the Editor:

The article *OLV told to correct violations in vicinity of church building" in the Jan. 9 Northville Record raised a question as to whether the OLV parish is properly carrying out its responsibilities to the community.

Although there were several clear statements in the article suggesting that on most counts OLV has been quite responsible in addressing its issues of non conformance with city ordinance, the underlying tone of the mayor's statement and the article seemed to imply doubt as to whether the church is properly addressing all of its responsibilities.

This was my observation from your article, but could your gentle readers stop for a moment to consider this question of responsibility in a slightly different light?

OLY on the whole ano ur Its individual parishioners, has demonstrated an unwavering commitment to the spirit of people helping one another, and in taking responsibility for the welfare of the community. Real people within the immediate and surrounding communities have been helped in real ways by food and clothing drives. provisions of shelter, provisions of warm and understanding emotional support, and many many other ways. And yes, if you are well informed on OLV's actions over the past year you know that the church has been very responsible in addressing its ordinance non conformance obligations as well.

drainage issue, the church has implemented a completely successful temporary fix, and is developing plans for a permanent fix. Also, there has been some delay with the final resolution on the parking space issue. Why?

There is a very sound reason why there has been some delay in OLV's implementation of a permanent drainage fix. First, the temporary drainage fix works very well. Second, the church is striving to manage its financial resources wisely.

The church, and its parish-ioners, want to help the community by expanding the number of classrooms - and the number of students that may attend OLV. The sensible way to address the permanent drainage fix is as part of the school addition project. This is sensible.

A sound plan has been offered for Improvements to OLV's parking facilities. It's a good plan. The time has come to ask some others. aside from OLV, why the plan hasn't been approved. The parking non conformance issue cannot be resolved until the city takes affirmative action to approve OLV's plan.

Over the past year, articles in The Record have clearly focused on a questioning of OLV's actions. and made suggestions of lack of needed actions. But is this negativism toward OLV truly warrantcd?

"Are they responsible," we ask? Some of OLV's acts of responsibility are mentioned earlier. But, it is also important for us

all to acknowledge that at a time when the local public schools are stressed on space and on finances, OLV has acted again with a plan that will be helpful to the current public school difficulties, another example of responsible action with true benefits to our community.

When realized, the expansion of the OLV school will provide another quality education option for the families of Northville.

Now in this we have a tremendous example of commitment to community, a true showing of taking responsibility for the well being of individuals and the community.

Remember, this is not a millage increase issue, this is school improvement/expansion funded privately by the good people of OLV.

Of course, we must not lose track of the reason for delays in the church's school project, and in turn the delay in the permanent fix on the drainage issue. I think it's fair to say that a lack of resounding support from OLV's neighbors has had something to do with the delays.

I think it is also fair to say that city officials have not exactly tried to "lend a supporting hand" in helping OLV open its doors to more school students. Enough owners have very important individual rights and needs that need to be part of the communities' plan.

I haven't "walked in the shoes" of the church's neighbors and thus do not fully understand the rationale for their actions. All I ask is that everyone involved in this process think very carefully about how best to balance their own needs with our shared community needs.

Can OLY do a better job of being a responsible part of the community? Perhaps, this is not a question I can answer.

Can the neighboring property owners be more responsible?

Can the city officials be more responsible?

Again, these are not questions for me to answer.

But I do have an opinion? Yes. My opinion is that we all need to try harder to understand the issues that are being faced and how to best serve individuals and our shared community needs.

Let's all get together here and make some peace. Let's all work together with a positive plan that addresses our needs as a community.

Let's all proudly step forward and say that we do care, and we do want to go forward in a way that best meets the shared needs that we all have in the community that we all share.

Brian Gasiorowski

Church is in compliance

To the Editor:

I read your editorial dated Jan. 9. entitled "Corrections needed before church shows reliability." In your editorial you state: "One month. That's how long the Northville City Council is giving Our Lady of Victory Church to begin taking steps towards correcting two ordinance violations that city officials wanted addressed more than eight months ago.

Furthermore, you also quoted Mr. Johnson, our Mayor, as saying: "At this point in time it would be appropriate for the (city's) prosecutor to strongly take some action if olv doesn't move on these issues in a reasonable mount of time.

The two ordinance violations you are referring to are the light shields on the parking light pole located next to the neighbor's house on the east side of the parking lot and to the drainage issue.

In relation to the light shield, I must inform you that the city council, along with the mayor and consequently you and your publication have been misinformed.

The light shield, No. CA-11. made to order, Shield Accessory Kit Design 20 Concurse III. was installed by McSweeney Electric Inc. on June 26, 1996, at a cost to OLV of \$258.94.

adjoining property. These steps appear appropriate and are satisfactory to the city as temporary measures to control and avoid storm water run-off to adjoining properties. Please keep the city informed of your progress with respect to design and planning of an alternate storm water drain system. We are interested in reviewing any design plans as they are available."

In regard to a permanent solution to the water run-off, I would like to inform you that on Nov. 1. 1996, Ron Cieslak of the architectural firm of Merritt, McCallum & Cieslak met with the city to outline our plan before a formal submittal. Our goal was to submit these plans by Nov. 14, 1996, for presentation on Dec. 4, 1996, or submit the same plans on Nov. 25. 1996, for presentation on Dec. 17, 1996.

On Dec. 4, 1996, in the process of requesting a variance for our future parking lot. these plans were pulled for yet another revised plan presentation.

I mention these dates to inform you that since my arrival in 1993. my record has been one of promptness and concern.

Your implication that Our Lady of Victory was remiss in the past does not diminish my credibility since the problem was brought to my attention by the city. If the current 8-inch drainage pipe was installed in our parking lot, it was done with the approval of the city. The new drainage will be installed according to the specifications of the City of Northville. This is our Intention.

I mention these dates to refute your statement, "We believe the residents bring up a good point. and before OLV's expansion plans see the light of day, the church should come up with concrete proposals to correct current deficiencies, then carry through with those plans."

Sir, since the city asked me, as the pastor of Our Lady of Victory. to correct these items I have taken my task seriously. I resent the tone of your editorial. For your further information. I am determined to abide by the direction of the City of Northville.

feel we have been unfairly treated by your paper.

I do hope if you print this reply. ou do so faithfully since this same article will be reprinted ver-batim in the Victorian, our church bulletin. Rev. Ernest Porcari, Pastor

Tragedy didn't have to happen

To the Editor:

Yes, it finally and so very tragically happened - a death at the site of the abandoned buildings near Sheldon and Five Mile roads. No surprise, many of us warned the safety and health hazards



Winter Clothing from Helly Hansen High Rise LEWIS CREEK DALE OF NORWAY

As described in The Record's article, most of the non conformances have been fully resolved. Regarding the important property

Has OLV acted responsibility? The answer is yes, emphatically. Another question worth asking, in the same breath, is whether the people of the Orchard Heights neighborhood have taken a similar level of responsibility in working cooperatively with the church, and in meeting the best interests of the

community. As the church has worked tirelessly and diligently to meet its immediate neighbors needs and the broad needs of our community, can the Orchard Heights neighbors say that they have acted responsibly toward our community⁄

I don't know for sure, but it doesn't seem to me that the answer is yes. Please don't read animosity into these words, it is not intended. Neighboring property

In relation to the alleged second violation, namely, storm water drainage, I would like to quote the letter dated June 6, 1996, written by Mr. Connors, attorney for the City of Northville. to Andrew Spilkin of Bodman, Longley & Dahling, the legal firm represent-Ing Our Lady of Victory. "Placement of an 8 inch asphalt curb along a majority of the east parking lot boundary and placement of an earthen berm in the planting areas has significantly increased the parking lot's ability to control and retain a significant storm water volume without causing run-off to adjoining property.

The placement of additional berming near the dumpster appears to provide even more of a factor of safety from run-off to

there, hoping that long ago state. county and township bureaucrats. along with local businesses, would have improved the situation either with development or, if they can't make that fly, have the county and state raze the buildings and restore the landscape at their expense.

As township Supervisor Karen Woodside said, they (county and state) have been very poor stewards of their properties. And, it's costing us dearly as a tax and resources drain on our community, and a blight on our landscape. affecting our image and home values adversely. And yet more dearly, it has cost a life.

How many more lives will it take before something positive is done with these properties?

Greg Arceri

Adopt tough curriculum for schools

There was a fair amount of hand-wringing last week when the results of 1996's Michigan



tests were released showing a slight decline from previous Math and reading

tests were given last fall to fourth and sevgraders enth statewide. The Michigan Department of Education released the scores, which were printed in detail for your school dis-

trict in last week's edition of this newspaper. Some findings and comments:

· Statewide math results were down a bit more than reading. Maybe the fact that the test was given on Sept. 30, two weeks earlier than the mid-October date in previous years, meant that students, returning from a summer of fun and forgetting, lost two useful weeks for review.

• Around 1,500 students from 33 charter schools took the MEAP tests for the first time. Overall, the results for charter schools were worse than for public schools, with more charter school students earning low marks than satisfactory.

Introducing competition into our K-12 school system may be a good idea, as charter advocates claim, but pretty soon charter schools are Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) going to have to put up or shut up. If charter test results continue poorly, it might be a good idea to slow down the rush to charter all those schools now in the pipeline.

Interestingly enough. Just a few days after the MEAP test results were released. Education Week, a respected trade newspaper, issued a report on the nation's schools which concluded that overall they were "riddled with excellence but rife with mediocrity."

Staff spent a year assessing state school systems on 75 indicators such as academic standards, school climate, support for teachers and funding.

Michigan's report card was mixed.

We received a "D" for school climate, which includes things such as class size, studentteacher ratio and teacher views about violence in schools.

Quality of teaching, measured by the percentage of teachers who hold degrees in the subjects they teach and the number of newly graduated teachers from accredited colleges. drew a "C."

Michigan rated a "B-plus" for adequacy of funding. (Michigan spends \$5.779 per student. less than the nation-leading New Jersey at \$8.118 but more than doormat Utah with \$3.537.1

When it came to standards and assessments. however. Michigan rated an "A-minus." based mainly on the fact that we measure pupil performance in math. English and science and hold districts accountable for the results.

Wading through all this data is an excellent cure for Insomnia. But the main points remain very clear:

First, the best way to improve our public schools is to improve them, not destroy them as some pro-charter ideologues would have us do.

Second, the best way to improve school performance is to set out clearly what we expect kids to learn and then assess what in fact they do learn. Publish the results, district by district and building by building. And then hold everybody - school boards, superintendents, principals, teachers, parents and kids - responsible for making improvements.

Third: the best thing for Gov. John Engler, the Michigan Legislature and the State Board of Education to do right now is adopt a tough. thorough, realistic, mandatory statewide curriculum for all schools. Caving in to the knownothings and the local control freaks is no way to help our kids learn to compete in a tough world.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953;2047 ext. 1880.





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Mill Race Matters

Winter has surrounded the community and Mill Race Village along with it. Although public activities have diminished during the cold of winter, the village continues to be active.

The office manager staffs the Historical Society office each weekday from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. assisting in the scheduling of events for the entire year. Diann also maintains a busy schedule herself assisting callers and drop in visitors while trying to complete her own list of job assignments.

Each Tuesday morning members of the Stone Gang meet to continue maintenance and preservation of the village buildings. Recently, the men have been working on the redecoration of kitchen and bathroom facilities in the New School Church.

The Archives Committee continues to meet each Wednesday from 9 until 11 a.m. They work weekly, adding to the growing Community Archives and developing a system for access and control of the expanding collection.

Regular cleaning and maintenance are also done on village buildings used during the cold of winter for club meetings and other activities. A number of organizations, in addition to the Northville Historical Society, continue monthly meetings using the village facilities.

Village buildings will reopen for public viewing on the Sunday after Memorial Day. The grounds are open, however, year-round from sun up to sun down. Plaques placed on the exterior of each building make learning about their history possible without actually entering the structures.

Historical Society members met on Thursday, Jan. 16. for their annual meeting. At that meeting, the membership present agreed to a change in the bylaw definition of the constitution of a quorum for the purpose of board votes.

Members were introduced to new board members Juliette Stockhausen and Bob Russell. A third nominee, Frank Cunningham, was unable to attend the meeting. Outgoing board members Betty Omar, Sonia Swigart, Jo Ann Harris, and Art Rockall were recognized and thanked for past service.

In addition to discussing the organization's activities during 1996, members also heard a brief presentation on the Northville Community Archives, an ongoing project of the Northville Historical Society.

Key people volunteer recognition keys for 1996 were awarded to Jan Juhasz, Judy Kohl and Arthur (Rocky) Rockall. All devoted numerous hours over the years to the continuance of the operation of Mill Race Village and the Northville Historical Society.

Now a segment from the community's past:

During the latter part of the 19th century, younger residents enjoyed a variety of outdoor winter activities. One of these winter sports was sledding. A favorite sledding location was Buchner Hill, the hill leading down from today's high school into town.

Prior to the advent of automobiles and even in their early years. traffic was not a problem, especially on so steep a terrain which was snow covered

On Feb. 26, 1910. The Northville Record printed an article about this very subject. It read, in part, "Not many villages in Michigan can boast of a half-mile steep coasting hill within its limits. Northville has it, however, and has it plenty.

Buchner's hill, as it is called, came into fame about 25 years ago when John Buchner, a citizen of the town, conceived an idea that the big hill, then covered in shrubbery and trees which he owned. would be a great place for people seeking sightly homes or fresh air elevations ..

"Buchner's dream never came true, and the home was finally disposed at a forced sale ...

From the Buchner house the view for miles and miles is magnificent. Detroit can easily be seen on the east, and but for the woods Ann Arbor would be an easy view on the west. The base line of the state runs over the hills, but here is the only place in Michigan where it cannot be traveled by road in a direct line from Lake St. Clair on the east to Lake Michigan on the west ...

The steep roads leading from the hill down through the village furnish a means of great sport for the boys and girls of the village and older ones as well, for coasting in winter. A full half-mile ride can be had in just 20 seconds, although the lighter loads usually consume 10 seconds more in the downward trip. Often as many as a hundred youngsters will be in the game at one time.

"Recently a damper was put on the sport for a few days and one road was closed up, because of accidents resulting in the breaking of legs ...

More community history next week.

-Diane Rockall

Tuesday, Jan. 21	
Stone Gang	Village, 9 a.mnoon
Wednesday, Jan. 22	0
Archives	Cady. 9-11 a.m.

Michigan poet performs at inaugural

He may not have gotten prime billing, but future free of fear. local poet Rishikavi Raghudas still made it to President Clinton's inaugural.

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Patrons at Michigan's gala Inaugural Ball Monday night at the Smithsonian's American History Museum received a special gift as they left - poetry by Raghudas written especially for the occasion.

Debbie Dingell, chair of the Michigan Ball Committee, said she was pleased to have Raghudas represent Michigan.

'I'm trying to feature as many Michigan people as possible," she said. She felt that Raghudas's poetry spoke to the importance of the occasion.

Patrons received a ribboned scroll containing three poems: The Magnificence of Michigan, The Document of Destiny: The American Constitution, and his inaugural anthem for President Clinton entitled, The Bridge.

Raghudas was a 1972 graduate of Northville High School, where he was known as Robbie Clarke. He later devoted himself to Eastern mysticism and had his name legally changed.

Now living in Livonia. Raghudas has been called Michigan's "unofficial poet laureate" and has read before dignitaries on many official programs. Former Gov. James Blanchard was a fan and Gov. John Engler has requested permission to quote from Raghudas's work.

Although disappointed that he wasn't chosen to deliver the televised inaugural poem, Raghudas considers the fact that poets are being recognized at all a sign of redemption for his chosen profession.

"Poets are more valuable than generally believed," he says. "We can stir the heart and inspire great deeds through the instrumentality of the word.

Here is the poem Raghudas wrote for the inaugural.

William Jefferson Clinton)

I spy within the rising Light a vision. flaming clear:

Pointing to the farther shore, where Freedom

truly eleams. A MAN OF HOPE articulates the structure of

our dreams. THE POWER OF THE POSSIBLE lives within his word:.

For ideals have a winged power lofty as a bird

And thus toward that Unity, a nation now is spurred.

This VISION-BRIDGE is but the path to

greatness long-foreseen: All nations have their obstacles and sins they

must redeem.

But a BRIDGE TOWARD THE FUTURE must have spans that long endure – And welcome all the citizenry ... the workers:

the rich: the poor.

A Bridge that's meant for many, and yet saved for but a few.

Will find a danger of disaster even while the span is new ...

There will come a sad accounting - for an anger left to stew.

We have struggled toward this Bridge like a

people half-possessed: Propelled by forces from within - yet fearful

of the Quest:

And as we now prepare to leave our century behind.

We must build this noble Bridge with the contents of our minds.

The COMMON GOOD'S the common goal for which we all must strive:

Yet, to appreciate our Unity, diversity must

thrive ... And yet be kept from separateness by a HEART that stays alive.

We have had enough of treachery, of para-

noiac dark: We must NEVER give our nationhood to such a vision stark!

And yet we cannot merely gaze with longing

through the mist -The MILLENNIUM is upon us ... and our

Hearts must not resist.



Rishikavi Raghudas composed a poem for Clinton's second inauguration.

We cannot know the climate, or what scenes we shall be shown:

We can only strengthen girders, and prepare for the unknown; It may be that we REJOICE as we see how

much we've grown!

So let us heed the Vision-Keeper, A MAN OF HOPE who sees:

TOGETHER let us walk the Bridge, and test the blessed breeze;

The spans will be most sturdy if we UNIFY our core -

Let us now walk together towards a most majestic shore.

May this nation now be consecrated ... lifted up in face ...

May we not neglect our vows, so we cherish each embrace;

And may this BRIDGE TOWARD THE

FUTURE - carry us to grace.



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A BRIDGE that spans humanity - a blessed

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Income tax forms available for seniors

Congresswoman Lynn Rivers, D-Ann Arbor, is making federal income tax forms available to constituents again this tax season.

District residents can have most tax forms mailed to them simply by calling Rivers' district offices in Ann Arbor (313) 741-4210 or Wayne (313) 722-1411. The 1040 forms are available on a walk-in basis at several local post offices and libraries.

Due to the rules of the U.S. House of Representatives and Congressional courtesy, this service is

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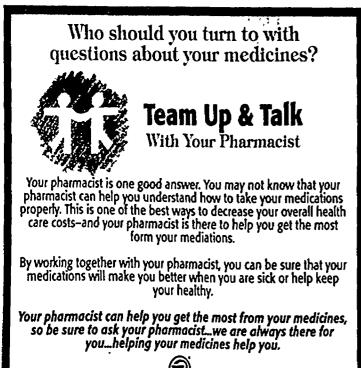
available only to residents of the 13th Congressional District.

The district includes Northville Township and the Wayne County portion of the City of Northville.

Tax assistance questions should be directed to the IRS toll-free hotline (1-800-829-1040).

The best time to call is between 3-4 p.m.

Walk-in service is available at the IRS office in Detroit, located in the McNamara Federal Building. The address is 477 Michigan Ave., Detroit, MI.







RECORD **OUR TOWN**



What's In a name?

From founding fathers to property lines, here's how some area street names came to be

Once you're familiar enough with a city or a route to and from work, you hang a left on this street and a right on that without

giving ١t much thought. It's almost as if the car were on automatic pilot and there's no need to read the street signs.

But have you ever thought about how the street names came to be?

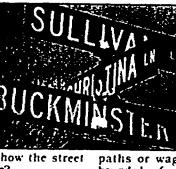
In Northville, many streets are named after founders, former city council members and mayors.

Dunlap. Hutton. Cady. Johnson and Gardner streets were all named in honor ــاهـ founders. according to

Northville Fire Chief Allen. Jim Allen Drive, Reed, Welch, Canterbury, Langfield and Ely were all council members or mayors of

Northville. When the family has been in the area a

long time it becomes harder to determine



In Novi. street names usually came about because of location. The streets. which were once horse trails, cow

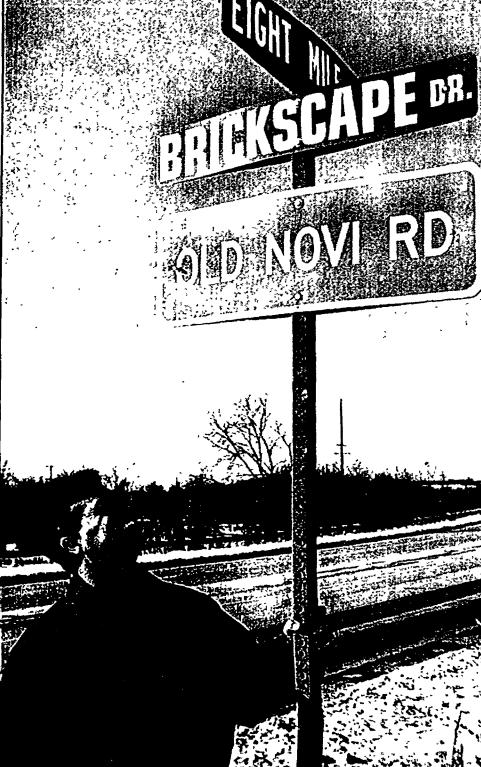
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City Council member and president of the Novi Historical Soci-

Novi Road in this century was

known as Novi Road from Grand River south and as Walled north oſ Grand River." said Mutch. •That Is very common small in lowns, Mutch said.



After completion of the renaming process, which lasted several months, Joe DiRado officially installs the new sign to Brickscape Drive, formerly known as Old Novi Road.

Good-bye Old Novi Road, Hello Brickscape Drive

The street is still there, of course, but it has

The renaming process, which began nine or 10 months ago, came to completion in mid-

then needed to get the approval of Oakland County. Before the county would give their approval, they had to verify with both the cities of Novi and Northville that the street name did not conflict with any existing street names.

Local street names and their history: Novi:

Country Lane Drive - Located in Oak Ridge Place, the name was the result of a brainstorming session by everyone who worked on the development with Amar Chawney, architect, builder and developer. Kartar Drive - Located in Village Wood

Place, this street was named in memory of the father of the developer. Amar Chawney. Kartar is another name for "the Lord." Roethel Drive - Mayor Romaine Roethel,

the first woman mayor. Her husband was the chairman of the planning commission. Karevich Drive - Former mayor.

Griswold - Myra Griswold owned the property which formed the boundary of the street that bears the name.

Dinser Drive - The old Wixom Road was renamed for the Dinser family from Ten Mile Road north to Delmont, which is the new name for the east-west segment of old Wixom Road.

Austin Drive - Cornelius Austin was a veteran of the War of 1812 and one of the first settlers in the lakes area. Austin owned property on both sides of Novi Road at Thirteen Mile Road.

Welfare Street - Property owner George Welfare.

Bashian - The Bashian family owned the orchard that ran south of Grand River into Ten Mile Road.

Brett - Joe Brett was a former planning

commission member. Ron Heslop Drive - Named for the last two years by the Hesiop family after their successful bids at chamber of commerce auctions. The right to name the street, which is the entrance to the Novi Civic Center off Ten Mile Road by the police station, goes to the highest bidder once a year. Wildcat Drive - The name for the entrance on the west side of the Civic Center after the high school's mascot.

Simmons Drive - The Simmons family owned the apple orchard on the property.

Grand River - Originally named because it began in Detroit and ran all the way to the Grand River in Grand Rapids, at times paralleling the Grand River itself. Garfield Road - T. A. Garfield.

In Northville and Northville Township:

Allen - Former Mayor A. Malcolm Allen.

Reed - E. Roscoe Reed, a former clerk and editor and publisher of The Northville Record.

Welch - Jackson Welch.

Langfield - Conrad Langfield, active in city government, whose father established the Northville Laboratories.

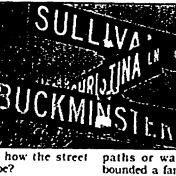
Ely - C. Ely, last village president and first mayor of Northville.

Horton - Edward S. Horton, installed as the Northville postmaster in 1899.

Fry Road - William Eves Fry.

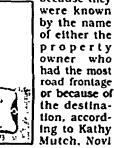
Dubuar Charles L. Dubuar was the village president in 1893, the school board president from 1909 until 1918 and a factory owner. James A. Dubuar was the village president in 1908.

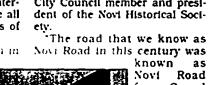
Pennell – Ebenezer Pennell was the owner and manager of Pennell and Shaw, a mill where wool was processed. Yerkes - Robert Yerkes, the owner of Globe Furniture. Thayer - Hirman B. Thayer was a former township supervisor and also the superintendent of the U.S. Fish Hatchery. Beal - F. R. Beal.



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family members a street was named after. Northville

Historical Society mem-Dlane ber

Rockall, who is currently researching street names, sometimes uses the era of the development of part of the city as a clue to narrowing down which family



They were known by the destination, where they led to.

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December, when Joe Dikado, the co-owner of Brickscape Home & Garden Showplace officially installed the new sign on the post at Eight Mile Road in Northville. The Old Novi Road sign will remain on the post for about six months.

"It has always been hard to know how to get down here," said DiRado who opened Brickscape exactly 10 years ago on Jan. 1. We knew that was the only way to do it."

To rename the road, DiRado had to get either the permission of the other landowners on the street or acquire all the property. He chose the latter.

Since Old Novi Road is a county road, DiRado

Next, Dikado submitted and received approval for his request from both cities.

Prior to the change, DiRado said his mail was often delayed because the sender did not include the word "Old" in the address.

DiRado will consult with a landscape architect to begin improvements in the landscaping. particularly to the road.

We're confident that we can make it look like a park atmosphere," he said. "A parks and rec atmosphere ties in with the business."

Rainbow Recreation, which sells swing sets. will remain at its site on the new Brickscape Drive, a location it has had for two years.

It's 'A Fact

Johnson - Former Mayor Dr. Richard M. Johnson.

Hutton - Lewis W. Hutton came to Northville in 1854 and was the proprietor of Hutton & Bedford, a carriage shop.

Stories by Carol Workens • Photos by John Heider

Volunteer



Daphne Richardson helps Northville's traveling seniors.

Richardson's smile welcomes travelers

By CAROL WORKENS Staff Writer

If you've ever taken a trip offered by the Northville Senior Center chances are you've met Daphne Richardson.

Born in London, England. Richardson began volunteering with the Northville Senior Center two years ago, just six months after retiring. 'I decided I wasn't going to be

one of these women who lived with my husband 24 hours a day." Richard said. "He does his thing and I do my thing. We get together for a date once a week.

As the group leader on trips. Richardson greets people as they get on the bus and makes everyone feel welcome.

*I usually try to make everybody feel they're part of the group. rather than just one person on the bus," she said. "Everybody kind of enjoys it as a group rather than as a single person because there are single persons that go."

Richardson said that she "got to know how to handle all kinds of people" while she worked in a hotel

in St. Croix in the Virgin Islands for two years.

As a group leader she'll count heads and sees to it that no one gets lost.

"I make sure that everybody who gets off the bus gets on the bus." she said.

Richardson also helps Karl Peters, director of the senior center, with anything else that needs to be done.

She is very willing to lift a hand when it's time to send out meeting notices and the monthly newsletter. If Peters needs help with the shopping for the center, Richardson is there. When it's time for flu shots, you can bet she will be one of the volunteers on hand. From helping in the office to potluck luncheons, whenever she receives a call from Peters, she's more than happy to oblige.

Whenever they need me I go," she said. "It's marvelous, because you get to meet the most wonderful people."

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There were 571 Novi homeowners receiving permits in 1996 for alterations. The estimated value of the renovations came to \$3,564,578.

HOME IMPROVEMENT



In Our Town **Perfume topic of meeting**

The sweet fragrance of herbs and flowers will be in the air at the next



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Main Street in Northville.

"The Art of Fragrance: From the Garden ... to Elizabeth Arden" is the subject of Sandina Polgar at the meeting, which is open to guests.

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Polgar has been employed with Sanofi Beaute for the past nine years as a promotional representative for the Oscar de la Renta fragrance line. She is also a past president of the Grosse lle Herb



Sandina Polgar

Society and has combined her love of herbs and flowers with the commercial presentation of fine fragrances

Polgar will be sharing her knowledge of herbs, flowers and fine fragrances with the Woman's Club. Polgar was named Mrs. Michigan International in 1994 and is the

mother of three children. The chairperson of the day is Maureen D'Avanzo.

Reunion planned

for former residents

For quarter of a century former Northville residents have been getting together in Florida to reminisce and renew old friendships.

This year, the 26th annual Northville reunion will be held on Friday, Feb. 21, at the Holiday Inn in Sebring. Fla. Friends and neighbors are invited to join former residents beginning at 11 a.m. for a social hour before lunch.

For reservations write or call Tom Stalker at 3009 Samara Drive, Tampa, FL, 33618 or (813) 932-5258.

To make a room reservation call 1-800-654-7235 by Feb. 1 for a special room rate.

If you have information for the In Our Town column, call Carol Workens at 349-1700.

Church to host musician

Ovid Young, one of the busiest and most versatile musicians before the concert public today. will be making a special appearance at Detroit First Church of the Nazarene on Sunday, Feb. 2.

The free concert will begin at 6 p.m. at the Detroit First Church on Haggerty Road north of Eight Mile. Because of Ovid Young's popularity, concert-goers are advised to arrive at least 10-15 minutes early to get a good seat. Child care will be available.

A planist, organist, composer and conductor, Young has performed in virtually every sizable city in the U.S. as well as in England, Germany, Austria, France. Switzerland, the Czech Republic. Japan, South Korea, Russia, Canada, Denmark and in the Caribbean.

His nearly 7.000 concert appearances over the past three decades have placed him before hundreds of thousands of musical lovers. Millions more witnessed Ovid Young on the television throughout America, Australia, the United Kingdom, France, Germany, the Netherlands and the former Soviet Union.

Young last appeared at Detroit First Church with renown pianist Steven Nielson in a presentation of "Keyboards and Carols" for the Christmas season. Since 1971. Young has toured as one-half of the celebrated plano team of Nielson and Young. That plano duo of a quarter century has made nearly 3.500 appearances in major concert halls, on university campuses, in churches, and in other venues as diverse as television

studios and ocean-going cruise ships. As an organist, Ovid Young has played many of the largest and most interesting organs in

Europe, most recently in a con-

cert tour of Switzerland and Ger-

many. Young's orchestra appearances, in addition to ten years as musical director of a Chicago area symphony, include the English Chamber Orchestra, the Seoul Philharmonic, the English Symphony, the Bohuslav Symphony, Florida Philharmonic and the symphonies of Pittsburgh, Denver, Phoenix and Nashville.

A full-time music faculty member for ten years at Olivet Nazarene University in Kankakee. III., he presently is a member of the Richardson. Texas. Church of the Nazarene.

While living in Dallas with wife Laura, near sons Kirk and Erik, Young maintains a <u>commuting</u> relationship with ONU as an adjunct lecturer in music. His published works may be found in the catalogs of several American publishers.

Streets get named after founders

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"There aren't too many named in memory of someone." Mutch added. Most are property boundary lines or property access trails. but a continuation of a common or historical name for those roads."

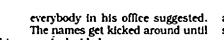
Today, street names in Novi usually come about through development, according to Khanh Pham, a clerk with the City of Novi.

"Sometimes developers will come in and research the history around their development and will use names that have some historical significance," Mutch said.

Themes such as presidents. environmental names. Irish and Italian cities and counties are often used. There are also formulas developers use such as making two lists of names and blending a word from one list with a word from the other to arrive at street names

In the Echo Valley subdivision. the blended word formula was used to create names like Parkforest and Woodham, according to Mutch.

The street names chosen by Amar Chawney, architect, builder and developer of several streets in Noyi, originated from ideas that



one is decided upon. The street name in a commercial development Chawney plans to begin later this year south of Ten Mile Road on the west side of Novi Road will be Ralph Rapson Court after Chawney's former professor and dean of the School of Architecture at the University of Minnesota, who is now retired.

"He is a world-famous architect," said Chawney.

The developers submit a list of names for their subdivision to Pham. If the street is a county road. Pham gets approval from either Oakland or Wayne counties before Novi will consider the name. If the request is for a street in the city, the city handles it directly.

Pham meets with building, fire, and police dispatch department representatives in Novi when there are enough requests. Usually the group meets once every month or

"It is a very simple procedure," Pham said. "The only time the request is denied is if it conflicts with an existing name or would pose a safety risk.

New street names cannot be identical to an existing name or sound phonetically similar so as to

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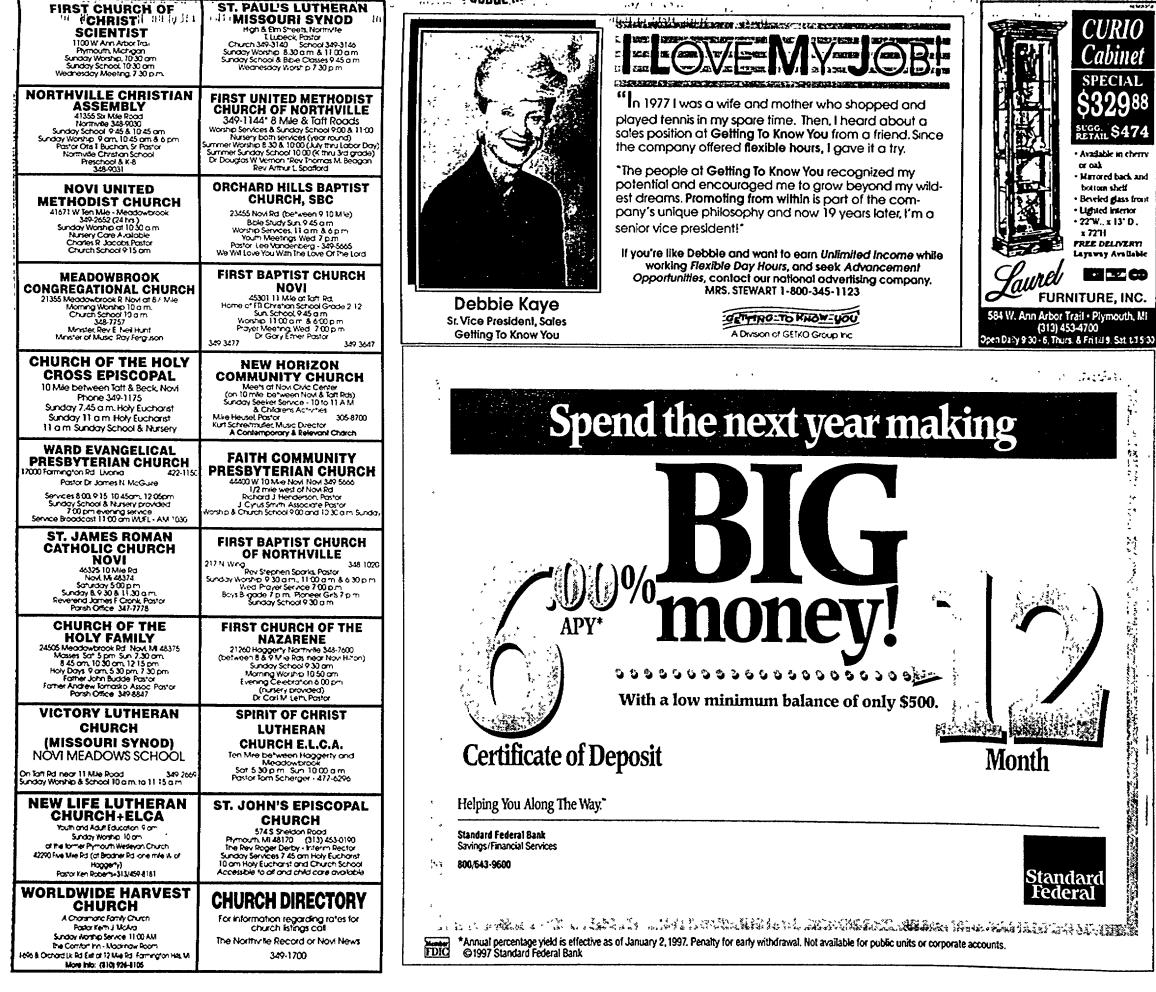
The main thing we are trying to avoid is them sounding too similar and cause confusion," Pham said.]

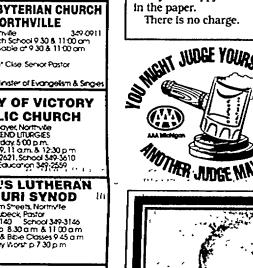
Between the second and third party you don't have the time to clarify that (the spelling)." Pham said.

Although the name for the east entrance to the Novi Civic Center could change every year because the honor of naming that street is up for auction, there is no confusion for emergency personnel because the Civic Center has a Ten Mile Road address and the high school has a Taft address.

And if the street signs don't all look consistent in Northville, it's because the developer or individual residents have chosen to purchase their own custom street name signs, which is allowed. according to Northville Director of Public Works Jim Gallogly. There is a form and an agreement that must be signed by the party requesting the fancy sign.

The residents or developer pay for the custom sign and if it gets hit by a motorist, they must buy another sign themselves or the city will replace it with a standard street sign.







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Buying or Selling A Car?

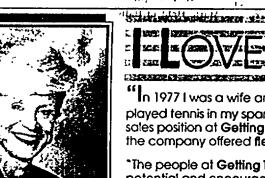
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Have you recently become engaged? Newly betrothed? Or are you proud new parents? Are you celebrating a big anniversan?

Send the information and picture if you have one to The Northville Record/Novi News. 104 W. Main Street, Northville, MI 48167, or stop by the office and pick up a birth, engagement or wedding announcement form and we'll see to it that your happy news appears





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Seniors don't worry about missing the bus

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Richardson, who lives with her husband, Bill, In Farmington Hills, usually goes on the trips the seniors take in their own bus. The trips are sporadic but usually take place once a month.

January through May are the busiest months. Activities slow down at the end of May until October.

Trips include the Detroit Institute of Arts, the Detroit Symphony at Orchestra Hall. Cedar Point, Frankenmuth and Birch Run.

"I gain much more than I give," Richardson said.

"If somebody wants to meet people it is a great way to meet people." she said/ "I've met so many wonderful people.*

Turnouts for the trips vary. Sometimes trips go over big, sometimes they don't and it's hard to predict which will be sell outs.

"It keeps these people out and alert and active," she said.

The senior center is temporarily working out of the Northville Recreation Center while their facility is being renovated.

For more information about volunteer possibilities, call Karl Peters at 349-4140.

Church Notes

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH. 201 Elm Street behind Shopping Center Market, presents a Bible study session with Connie Davis, president of Lutherans for Life of Michigan, on Sunday, Jan. 26, from 10 until 10:45 a.m. in the school's gym. Teens and adults from the community are welcome to attend.

For more information, call the church at 349-3140.

Send church information to The Northville Record and The Novi News. 104 W. Main St., Northville, MI 48167.

Singles

SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people, meets at First Presbyterian Church of Northville Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for a Sunday morning gathering, followed by a worship service at 11 a m. and brunch at Northville Crossing at 12:30 p.m. The topic is "Prayer."

On Wednesday, Jan. 22, at 7:30 p m., the evening's topic will be "Creating Yourself with speaker Joan Feldman. Also on Wednesday, a coun-try line dance class will be taught by Linda Laney. Sports events for the month include bowling and volleyball on Jan. 31.

Bowling is at Novi Bowl, 21700 Novi Road. The cost is \$6 plus shoes. Volleybail is held at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main Street. The cost is \$4.

A country couples, flow dance-mixers dance class led by Jeff Groff began on Jan. 16 and runs for six weeks through February 20 at 7:30 p.m. The cost is \$24 in advance and \$28 at the door. It is recommended that you bring a partner.

Social activities include an Italian night at Roman's Forum on Jan. 24 at 7:30 p.m. followed by whirlyball at Scoop & Shoot at 9.45 p.m. The cost is \$16 and reservations are required.

For more information about any of the Single Place programs or to register. call 349 0911.

FARMINGTON SINGLE PROFESSIONALS is a non-profit group for singles ages 25-40 who share common interests and want to form new friendships. Membership is not limited to the Farmington area. The group participates in over 350 activities per year.

A casual Super Bowl Party is planned on Sunday, Jan. 26, at Drakeshire Lanes located on Grand River east of Drake Road in Farmington beginning at 5:30 p.m. The event is free if you bring a dish to pass No munchles.

Every Monday night the group meets at the Maples of Novi on Fourteen ratile Road for eachre-pinochie and dinner at 6 30 p m. The cost is \$7 for For details on upcoming activities and information about Farmington

Single Professionals call the FSP hot line at (810) 851-9909.

Send Singles information to The Northville Record and The Novi News. 104 W. Main St., Northualle, MI 48167.

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Births



Kellan Flayer

Sally and Edward Flayer of Northville announce the birth of their fourth child, Kellan James, on Aug. 9, 1996. He was born at the University of Michigan Women's Hospital in Ann Arbor. and weighed 9 pounds, 10 ounces. Awaiting him at home were Bethany, 8, Brendan, 6, and Con-

nor, 3. His grandparents are Edward and Betty Flayer of Flat Rock and the late Thomas and Joan Johnson, who were also from Northville. Kellan's middle name, James. comes from his great grandfather. James Johnson.



Andy and Heidi Sells of Northville announce the birth of their daughter, Hunter McCormack. on Nov. 11, 1996, at William Beaumont Hospital She weighted 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

Grandparents are Dan and Cheri James Sells of Roanoke, Va., Mrs. J. Brooks of Salem. Va., and Mr. and Mrs. B.N. Trombley of Charlotte Harbor, Fla.

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1 years **Restaurant Poll**

Which restaurants in the Northville/Novi area are the most popular? Help find out by filling out this ballot.

- The Rules: Only restaurants in Northville and Novi are eligible to be mentioned on your ballot. Each ballot must include your name, address and telephone number. Ballots without this information will not be included in
- accepted. Photocopied ballots will not be counted. This restriction is designed to help avoid ballot-box stuffing. (Home Town employees and their families

Restaurants found to be distributing ballots will be

When all the ballots are in, we will compile the results and publish them in the Feb. 20 issues of The Northville Record and The Novi News. The results of the Best Chel and Best Waitperson categories will be

entry forms will also be published in subsequent issues.

One ballot will be selected at random and the winner will receive dinner for two at his or her favorite Northville or Novi restaurant.

The Categories:

Best Overall Restaurant Best Inexpensive Restaurant -----

Best Breakfast Restaurant

On Campus

Northville resident JEANNIE HOOT was recently inducted into Madonna University's Kappa lota chapter of the Sigma Theta Tau. an International Nursing Honor Society. Hoot is a senior at Madonna.

JEFFREY R. HARP recently graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He received his master's degree in business administration with a Sells of St. Louis, Mo., Barb Kirk-wood of Chesterfield, Mo., and Barry and Marie Hold of Ballwin, Berdinbit and information main general motors' Truck and Bus Mo. Her great grandparents are He is employed at General Motors' Truck and Bus Her is employed at General Motors' Truck and Bus Division in Janesville, Wis., and will transfer in Febru-

ary to General Motors Technical Center in Warren. Harp is a 1991 graduate of Michigan State Universi-

ty and a 1986 graduate of Northville High School.

JULIE ZWIESLER, a senior, was named to the Dean's List at Hope College for the first semester of the 1996-97 school year. To be named to the Dean's List, a student must earn a minimum 3.5 grade point average.

Zwiesler is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Zwiesler of Northville.

- JASON W. WENZEL: a freshman at Albion College. carned a perfect 4.0 grade point average for the fall semester, advancing his overall grade point average to 3.894.

Wenzel, an economic management/pre-law major. is the son of William and Nancy Wenzel of Novi. Wenzel is a 1995 graduate of Northville High School.



the results. the results. Only ballots clipped from the newspaper will be are not eligible for the free dinner.) disqualified. Mail the completed entry form by Jan. 31 to: Northville Record/Novi News restaurant poll, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167 If you prefer, restaurant poll entry forms may be dropped off at the newspaper office.

published on Feb. 27. In case you misplace this edition of the newspaper,



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Engagements

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David Hall/Michelle Buie

Mr. and Mrs. James Buie of Westland announce the engagement of their daughter. Michelle Suzette, to David Graham Hall, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hall of Northville.

The bride-elect graduated from Wayne Memorial High School and will receive her associate degree in nursing from Schoolcraft College in April.

The bridegroom-elect graduated from Northville High School in 1986, and received his building construction and management degree from Michigan State University in 1990.

David currently runs his own construction and remodeling company, David Hall Construction.

A May 10 wedding is being planned.

CITY OF NOVI NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there are upcoming vacancies on the Board of Review, Beautification Committee, Cable Access Committee, Computer Advisory Committee, Economic Development Corporation, Election Commission, Housing 8 Community Development Advisory Commutee, Historical Commission, Hodsing & Community Development Advisory Commutee, Historical Commission, Library Board, and Senior Catzen Housing Building Authonty Applications are available in the office of the City Clerk by calling 347-0456. Council will be interviewing appli-cants Monday evening, February 3rd, please submit your application by January 27th to allow time for scheduling appointments. (1-9/16/23-97 NR, NN) TONNI BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK

CITY OF NOVI NOTICE OF ADOPTION **ORDINANCE NO. 97-110.04**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council has adopted Ordinance 97-110-047 an Ordinance Sections 17,17 and 17,18 of the Novi Code of Ordinances, to after the number of members of the City of Novi Historical Continue

The provisions of the ordinance shall become effective fifteen (15) days after adoption. The Ordinance was adopted by the City Council on Monday, January 13, 1997 and the effective date is January 28, 1997. A complete copy of the Ordinance is available for public use and inspection at the office of the City Clerk during the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. prevaling eastern time. (1-23-97 NR, NN) TONNI BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

Date: January 28, 1997 Time: 7:00 p.m.



Michael Hale/Shannon Spence

Northville announce the engagement of their daughter. Shannon Sue, to Michael William Hale, the

Mike and Pam Spence of son of Robert and Mary Hale of Stuart, Fla. An April 26 wedding is being planned.

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Maria MacInnis/Martin Pierce

Mr. and Mrs. John MacInnis of Life in Southfield in the benefits Northville announce the engagement of their daughter. Maria, to Martin Pierce, the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Pierce of Los Alamos. N.M.

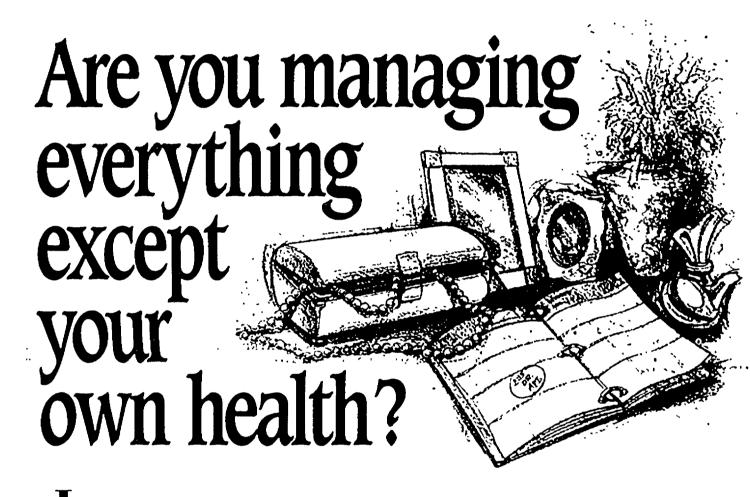
The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Northville High School and received her degree in marketing from Michigan State University in

Maria is a consultant with Met-

program division.

The bridegroom-elect graduated in 1990 from Los Alamos High School and received his degree in mechanical engineering from Michigan State University in 1995. He is a design engineer for Jacobsen Corp. in Racine, Wis. A May 1997 wedding is planned

at Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville.



If you're like most women, you're so busy taking care of your family - your children.

41600 Wes The Planning Corr a Public Hearing for Tu ship Crvic Center, 416 Zoning Ordinance Am Plan Review, Article 2 Amendments, and Co public hearing and ei regarding the propose mission, 41600 West S posed changes are an	bwnship Crvic Center I Sx Mile Road Imission of the Charter Township of Northville has scheduled esday, January 28, 1997 at 7:00 p m. at the Northville Town- 00 West Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan, on proposed endments. The proposed changes apply to Article 20, Site 1, Zoning Board of Appeals, Article 23, Zoning Ordinance ndominium Regulations. The public is invited to attend this topress their comments and questions. Written comments d changes will be received by the Township Planning Com- ix Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167. The text for the pro- railable for review in the Planning Department between the 4 00 p m Monday through Fiday RICHARD ALLEN, VICE CHAIR PLANNING COMMISSION
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RECORD DIVERSIONS



Patrons have a few interesting roles in talk show

By CAROL WORKENS Staff Writer

If you are blase about watching a television talk show you might want to consider becoming an audience member for Sophia, Let's Talk ... at Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall, located at 108 E. Main Street in downtown Northville.

Performances take place almost every Friday and Saturday night through March 18.

This season's selection has GAL T.V. contracting Sonny Bonahue to be their new talk show host. Problems arise because Sonny didn't read the fine print in the contract. his manager neglected to tell him that GAL T.V. was an all-woman production and the talk show is about to go on the air just minutes after Bonahue arrives at the studio.

Customers not selected to be interviewed by the talk show host Sophia in this interactive comedy. will still share in the laughter as the show brings new meaning to the words "talk show."

Before the show, customers are welcomed like family to a bailquet by co owner John Genitti who will either put them at ease or on the spot, before they enjoy the tradi-



David McKnight (right) plays the role of Sophia in Genitti's new show 'Sophia, Let's Talk.'

tional seven-course dinner that has become the restaurant's trademark. Toni Genitti, John's better half and co-owner, will ensure that the dinner is piping hot and homemade.

After dinner, customers are escorted into the theater for more of the action

David McKnight plays the roll of Sonny/Sophia Bonahue. Duncan Williams portrays Lenny.

Bonahue's manager. The two actors who have been cast in the role of Yolanda are Laura Genitti and Dawn Marie Turner.

The role of Claire, the director of Sophia. Let's Talk has also been double cast. Rebecca Simkins and Jacquie Rundell will share the role. The role of the crazy audience member is played by Ann Broth-

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The play is written by Michael McCafferty, Tom Delisle and the cast. Besides their roles in the show. McKnight and Laura Genitti are also the directors. The music is by Simkins and the cast.

To ask about Genitti's two-forone Winter Warm Up Special, on Jan. 24. or to make reservations for one of the other performances call (810) 349-0522.

In town

Submit items for the entertain ment listings to The Northville Record/Novi News, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167, or fax to 349 1050

AUDITIONS

THE BOYS NEXT DOOR: An open call audition will be held on Jan 27 and 30 at 7 p.m. at Trinity House Theatre, located at 38840 West Six Mile Road on the northwest corner of Six Mile and I-275.

The Boys Next Door is written by Tom Griffin and directed by Trudy Mason. Filled with humor and compassion, the play focuses on the lives of four mentally handicapped men and their social worker. Jack

classes on Jan. 30 with quick low-Grand River west of Haggerty Road fat recipes with Weight Watcher's in Novi. consultant Ruth Johnson. John-724-1300. son will cook flavor-filled recipes low in fat and big on flavor on Jan. -30 at 6 30 p m. autoichin Claim. our, located in the Novi Agen Cenmances of the classic Snow White ter. No preregistration is required. and the Seven Dwarfs will take February classes include author place Saturdays and Sundays through Jan. 26. All shows start at and television personality Jacquelyn Bowman Cutright cooking for 2:30 p m. the 90s on Feb. 11, Chef Larry Janes with homemade meatloaves at 135 E. Main Street in Northville. with winter veggies on Feb. 18. and Dolly Matoian with Armenian traditional Middle-Eastern flavors MUSIC

on Feb. 25 The series of 13 classes is \$35 or \$3 per class per person.

For details, call (810) 380-8600.

VIC'S WORLD CLASS MAR-

TUSCAN CAFE: Tuscan Cafe presents a variety of entertainment For ticket information, call (313)

nightly except Sundays. Weekday performances are from 8:30-10.p m Friday and Saturday performances are from 9 p.m. to 1 p.m.

Tuscan Cafe is located at 150 Center Street in Northville.

For more information, call 305-8629

BRADY'S FOOD & SPIRITS: Live entertainment is offered from 7:30 to 11 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday and Saturday.

Brady's Food & Spirits is located at 38123 West Ten Mile Road in the Holiday Inn, Farmington Hills.



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Performance dates are Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 4 p.m. April 11 through May 4.

For details, call (313) 464 6302.

TWELVE DANCING PRINCESS-ES: Auditions for The Novi Theatres' Children's Annex production of Twelve Dancing Princesses will be held on Feb. 4 or 6 at 4 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center Stage, 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi

The production, which is directed by Linda Wickert, is a musical for 21 males and 22 females ages 10 to 13.

Audition procedure is a cold reading (script cuttings provided) and a musical number (be prepared to sing Twinkle, Twinkle, Lattle Star acappella}.

After casting, the actor's fee is \$125 per production. Rehearsals will be every Tuesday and Thursday from 4 until 6 p.m. with some occasional Saturday afternoons.

Performance dates will be May 16. 17 and 18.

For details, call (810) 347-0400.

THE SECRET GARDEN: Plymouth Theatre Guild will hold auditions for males ages 9 to 65 and females ages 10 to 65 on Sunday, Jan. 26, at 4 p.m. and on Monday, Jan. 27, at 7:30 p.m. at Mt. Hope Congregational Church. 30330 Schoolcraft Road in Livonia. The Secret Garden is the final show of their Golden Anniversary Season. Performance dates are April 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, 27 and May 2 and 3.

Those auditioning should bring sheet music and be prepared to sing 16 bars. An accompanist will arts council. 347-0400. be provided.

SPECIAL EVENTS

COOKING CLASSES: Kitchen Timbers, the home of Bananas Glamour begins a series of cooking

KET: An Australian Winemaker's Dinner will be held on Friday, Jan. 24. in Vic's Cafe from 6 until 8 p m. The special guest will be Mike Farmilo, winemaker at Seaview Winery in Australia

The evening will include food. wine, live entertainment from 8 p.m. until 1 a.m. and a special scotch and cigar room which opens at 8 30 p m. Tickets are \$60 per person

Following the dinner in Vic's Alcove there will be an Australian Wine Tasting session from 7:30 pm until midnight. Included is a champagne reception from 7:30 until 8.30 p.m., food and wine stations from 8:30 until 10:30 p.m. and wine poured through midnight. The cost is \$25 per person for those not attending the dinner.

Vic's World Class Market is located at 42875 Grand River in Novi.

For details, call (810) 305-7333.

NEW ORCHESTRA: The first meeting of the Novi Orchestra will take place on Saturday, Jan. 25. from 10 a.m. until noon in the Novi Civic Center at 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi.

The Novi Arts Council invites all interested musicians and patrons to attend the meeting.

For more information, call the Novi Parks and Recreation Department at (810) 347-0400.

PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE:

The public is invited to attend the Performer's Showcase performances held prior to select city council meetings in the Novi Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. On occasion. performances may be taped by Time Warner and cablecast to residents.

Musicians, actors, poets, dancers, etc., are invited to submit application forms and audition tapes, if available, to the Novi Arts Council. For details, contact the

THEATER

TIMBERS SEAFOOD GRILLE:

Comedy Club, is located at 40380

Wednesdays, all acoustic music. string instruments, horns and some jazz on Thursday through Saturday evenings.

Upcoming performances include Judy Piazza on Jan. 23; Bill Boley on Jan 24; Nutshell on Jan. 25: and Kim French on Jan. 31.

The Raven is located at 145 N. Center Street in downtown Northville. For ticket information or reservations, call 349-9420.

GENITTI'S HOLE-IN-THE-WALL: Performances of Genitti's new show, Sophia. Let's Talk. continues through March 18 on Friday and Saturday evenings.

Audience members become the guests of talk show host "Sophia Bonahue" in this interactive come-

dy. The complete seven-course dinner and theater is \$39.95. On Jan. 24, it's two for the price of one.

Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall is located at 108 E. Main Street in Northville.

For more information or to make reservation, call (810) 349-0522.

MR. B's FARM: Tim Flaharty hosts a Blues Jam every Tuesday from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Mr. B's Farm is located at Novi Road north of Ten Mile. For details, call 349-7038.

OXFORD INN: Upcoming performances feature Jocelyn B and the Detroit Street Players on Jan. 24 and 25.

Oxford Inn is located at 43317 Grand River in Novi. For details, call (810) 305-5856.

COUNTRY EPICURE RESTAU-RANT: Freshly redecorated in bright, happy colors, the restaurant offers two non-smoking dining smoking rooms and a dining/lounge area.

Country Epicure Restaurant is located at 42050 Grand River in

Novi. For details, call (810) 349-7770.

LIBRARY SPORTS PUB AND **GRILL:** The Library Sports Pub and Grill is located at 42100 Grand River Avenue in Novi.

For more information, call 349-9110.

For details, call (810) 478-7780.

TOO CHEZ: Too Chez. located across from Twelve Oaks Mall in Nova, offers live jazz entertainment from 6-10 p.m. Mondays and 7-11 p m. Fridays.

NEARBY

BOTSFORD INN: Parlour Theatre Production presents Driving Miss Daisy on Saturday, Feb. 15. at 8 p.m. and Sunday. Feb. 16, at 3 p.m. at the Botsford Inn located at Grand River and Eight Mile Road. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for seniors and students. Dinner and Sunday brunch are available.

For more information, call (810) 449-6540.

OAKLAND COMMUNITY COL-**LEGE:** Award-winning planists Scott Holden and Hsiao-Lan Chen will perform on Friday, Jan. 24, at 8 p.m. at Oakland Community College's Smith Theatre on the Orchard Ridge Campus, located at 27055 Orchard Lake Road just south of I-696 in Farmington Hills.

Holden was born in Michigan and Chen was born in Taipei, Taiwan. Selections included will be Chopin, Schumann, Rachmaninov and Barber.

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Woody Allen charts new territory with 'Everyone Says I Love You'

Woody Allen's latest film, "Everyone Says I Love You," is a celebration of an eccentric and very extended family living on New York's upper east side, exploring a broad spectrum of romantic entanglements as they fall in and out of love.

Alan Alda, Drew Barrymore, Lucas Haas, Goldie Hawn, Gaby Hoffman, Natasha Lyonne, Edward Norton, Natalie Portman. Julia Roberts, Tim Roth, David Ogden Stiers and Woody Allen star In "Everyone Says I Love You." which marks the first time Allen has written and directed a musical

This film is experimental for me live never tried anything like this musical before. explains Woody Allen "The truth is I don't even think of it as a musical but as a comedy where the characters sing and dance. I always wanted to do a film where people sang not as slick singers but as an extension of their acting at the moment."

Music has always played an important part in Woody's movies," observes Alan Alda, "When you think of the Gershwin that was played during the opening montage in Manhattan' and how powerful it was, you were already transported into another world before anybody said a line of dialogue '

Allen's first three films had traditional background scores, two composed by Marvin Hamlisch. before the director decided to use music from his second record collection. Eventually, Allen evolved a confident cinematic style in which he would use existing music. On "Everyone Says I Love You," Allen's 26th film the director worked with Dick Hyman, who orchestrated the music

In casting this film. Allen was not looking for trained singers and dancers "In' fact, when I cast this picture I never told people that they d have to sing or dance, or even asked them if they could," the director says.

"I was only interested in if they could act their role well, as far as dancing and vocals 1 just wanted honest and simple emotion. Often the most interesting renditions of songs are done by people who don't really have particularly good voices but are good actors, full of feeling and a certain kind of charisma or emotion. That was

re important to me Of the large ensemble cast of that are fun and larger than life. "Everyone Says I Love You," only



Drew Barrymore and Edward Norton star in Woody Allen's musical, "Everyone Says I Love You."

any significant experience in musical comedy. For the most part, virtually all of the actors involved in this project had no idea that Allen was casting them in a musical

"About a month after 1 got the part 1 got a call from Dick Hyman telling me that he was going to send me some sheet music." recalls Edward Norton. "I asked him if my character in the film was a singer, and he told me that we were doing a musical That was the first I knew about it."

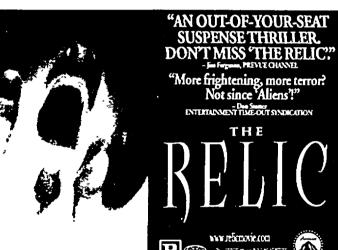
The songs used in "Everyone Says I Love You" were chosen specifically because they either advance the plot or they express emotions that characters involved are feeling. So much of the music used in this film has to do with conditions of the human heart.

The people in this film are singing the emotion of the story at the time," explains Woody Allen "I tried to always keep the story moving

"This is a broad film almost like nartoon. These are characters

in style to "Bullets Over Broadway" and "Purple Rose of Cairo," two of his previous films that told stories set against a tapestry of largerthan-life, often cartoon-like, characters

With this film, I was trying to make an amusing entertaining confection." concludes Allen. "I always wanted to do a film that took place in my three favorite cities - New York. Paris and Venice. And most important of all, I always wanted to play a scene with a mustache. What more can I say about this movie?"



Simplicity of 'Smoke' lingers with reviewer

SMOKE BY DENISE FOX PRATT MILFORD

"Smoke" is the name of a movie I had scribbled on a "must see" list from some magazine article a while ago, and finally rented to watch and find out why it was on that list.

This is a Good Samaritan story, the story of two men living in modern New York City, Paul Benjamen (William Hurt) and Auggie Wren (Harvey Keitel), whose lives become briefly intertwined with other Good Samaritans.

Each is presented with an opportunity to help someone out — Paul to help out Rashid (Harold Perrineau, Jr.), a young man who saved Paul's life, and Auggie to help out his old girlfriend. Ruby (Stockard Channing) with a daughter she claims has a "50 percent chance of being Auggle's.

Forrest Whitaker plays Cyrus Cole, who by his kindness to Rashid wins the opportunity to right an old wrong.

No one has a major obligation to the person each assists. It just seems to be something each does, the way life is. That may seem a bit corny in today's

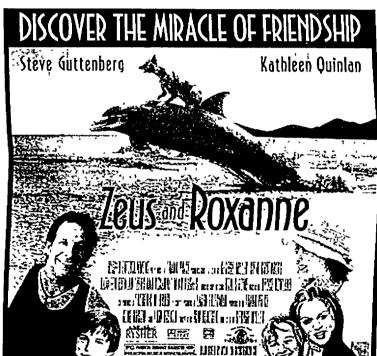


world, but the performances are low key with no preachy editorials included in the script.

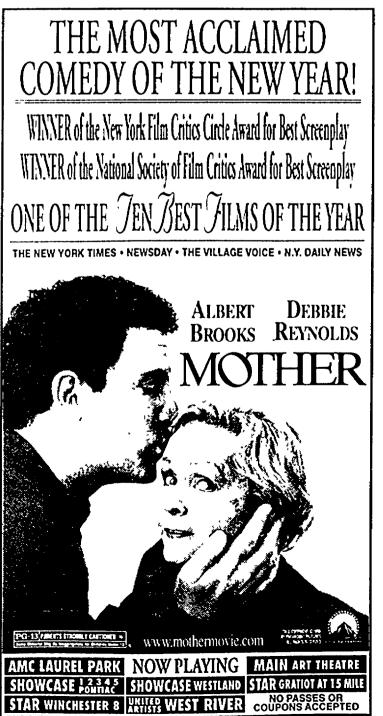
William Hurt plays Paul with an unassuming, almost vulnerable presence. Harvey Keitel plays Auggie with a hint of "slime balliness" tempered by an affable and ordinary character.

The strength of the movie is in its simplicity. Paul and Auggie are men who are not driven by the whirlwind of modern city life. Each is a working man and a thinking man.

And like the Good Samaritan. the effect on them for the doing of the deeds is subtle, almost unnoticeable. like the smoke from a fine cigar - weighty, but quickly diffused into the air and almost forgotten.



Allen is inclined to compare Goldie Hawn and Alan Alda had - "Everyone Says I Love You" more



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Gymnasts win Hartland Invitational easy

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Infittitional vie unit, serve in has certain skills that While each symmetrie event has certain skills that While each symmetrie in order to achieve a high mark scores are ulimathet subjective And like it or not teams do get reputations for there strengths and verknesses with those judges So it often pays to make a good first impression – like the Vustangs did Sturday. Winn said her team s performance showed that car

lier wins over Canton and Salem were no fluke. "It shows the scores we received were realistic and not over influent" she added. The coach also called the meet a "good underator" m terms of where Yourkuid?-Avoi stands in its confer-ence Hartland is consudered to be the combined team sstongest challenger for the tule. Winn said it will be hard for the Eagles to close that four point goo her team. "Bit I think everyone will improve." she comment ed.

ed. In this terms that mapped and the set of the best horth ulle/Aosi showed where its one of the best teams in the state by taking at least four places in each event Saturdar. Node Pelletier finished second overall on the vault, She finished with an average of R85. States Williamson was fourth at 45 Marv Essay fight at 84 and Erica Winn seventh at 8.35 Points were awarded for the top eight finishes in each event. The combined squad just about swept through the uneven bars. ed

even bars. Essary won with a 91 Winn was second at 903 d Missy MacRae took fourth at 8.9 Jenni Rohlfs ur

and Williamson each scored 87 to take fifth and sixth, respectively and Danean Pazdan was eighth at 86

66 On the balance beam. MacRae was the champion with a 9.3 performance. Easars took second at 9 15 Wan fourth at 8.7 and Williamson seventh at 8.4 In the floor exercise MacRae was first at 9.4 Easars second at 9.3 and Williamson fourth hat 9.2 Peliciter took eighth place in Division 11 with an 865 and Winn was eighth in Division 11 with an 86 having wan all three dual meets and the Harthand Invitation al.

About the season's only negative note thus far is

Robilis has leg problems and Essars s ankles are tender. Several other gennasts are nursing nagging

Robus has an intergrammasts are many finders. With almost all of her grunnasts qualifying for the state regional. Barb Num said she'll be able to rest most of her injured performers over the next fea works

unfortunately injuries are a part of symmastics "We ve got a lot of kids with aches and pains " Winn

dd. MUSTANGS 142.15 SALEM 124.25 The combined team faced Salem at Northville High

The constraints are a solution at Northville High on Jan, 14 and wone casils Rohifs was first in the valuing competition with am 895 and Winn was second at 69 Williamson scored an 86 and Essaiv an 85 to round out the team score of n the uneven bars. Essaiv led a sweep for Northville/Nori by scoring 915 Warkae was second at 91 and Rohifs hithed 18 75 Warkae was second at 68 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae was second at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae was second at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae was second at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae was second at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae was second at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae was second at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae word at 85 and Winn was hithed at 875 Warkae word the first 1000 words was been by Warkae word for first at 92. Williamson Warkae word for first at 92. Williamson Wird for second at 91 and Wirn with the d at 905

MUSTANGS ON TV The con-based team will fea ured this Sa urday on channel 4 s "fiore Cource". The show also at 11:30 a.m. and can also be seen on Sundays at noom.

Grapplers second at Brighton tourney

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Ed Ior

After a slow start it appears the Mustang wrestling team is improv

Northville High finished second in the Brighlon team tournament. The Mustangs posted a 3 2 record on the day which brought them to within a victory of 500 for the sea

"We deserved to place second " said assistant coach Bob Townsend "We were definitely the cond best team there He added that it was a solid

second best team there " Ite added that it was a solid effort "As a team we wrestled well all day " Townsend commented We re progressing nicely" Brighton won the towns allow Ferton and Ann Aftor Huron allow Ferton and Ann Aftor Huron allow innigs of second on the breakers We had it total winn and Pen-ton only had 36 "Townsend said Northvile opened the day by los ing to the Tigers though 36 30 Mustang winners in the match were Nek Sritaman (119 pounds). Dan Scapatice (135) Jason Kera nen (140) Jason Brodie (145) Kyan McCateken (160) and Brian Grider (171) "We were ugset after that loss " Town After States as the Mustange

Townsend said Ann Arbor Pioneer paid the price for that anger as the Mustangs won their second round match 53

12 Keranen (140) and Mike Livanos

Hawks edge

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By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Ed tor

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Huron. Ashby (103) Staples (130) Kera ren (140) and Bowersox (heavy weight) won by forfiet Torrence (112) won by plu while Stiraman (119) Scappaulec (133) and Grider (189) took decisions Northville faced Brighton in the Inal match of the day and feil 45 28

28 The match was highlighted by the performance of Grider at 171 pounds He pinned his man in just nine seconds one second off the school record held by Townsend and Brandon Mardostan

and Brandon Mardoslan "He was our wrestler of the week" Townsend said "He comes up with a lot of big wins for us" Other Northville winners were Torrence (112) Sriraman (119)

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Northville falls to Canton in four games

By SCOTT DANKEL

It s one thing when a team isn't up to the challenge of its rival.

of its rival. Its quite another when officials aren t up to the task of doing their jobs properly. Strong words but perhaps appropriate in the case of Northike Highs v volicyball match with Canton Jan 15 Phaying at home the Mustangs fell in four games to Canton According to ceach Laura Murray heavever the match was ruined for both squads ha poor officient

the match was ruined for both squads his poor ollicity ing "The officials had a complete lack of knowledge of the sport's he said "They didnt know the game it was an injustice to the players" Missed calls continuous delays and arguments with players and coaches kept the four game match long for more than two hours said "I was an unfor "match loss to a team that's bealable for Northville." The coache said Cantons was a small team that focused mainly on defense and solid seering With bot the hits me Mustangs likely would ve beat the Chiefs.

Chiefs The absence of setter Danielle Jaskot may explain why Northville didn i thi better. She missed the match with a badly sprained flager subjected in a match with Walled Lake Central a few days earlier With Jaskot out, Murray was forced to change her lineup She ran a two-setter offense with Kelly Golee sub-encoments and the point of Jaskot a sub-encoment.

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with a 15 11 victors or Lame four Five scrung errors and nine hitting errors were the story of a une three Yorthville made pusts as many mistakes in both categories in game four Despite the loss strong performances were turned in by several Mustungs Anando DeKoker had live kills and six digs while Golee had 15 assists Tara Driscoll placed good defense and totaled 14 digs. Metaj contributed to 13 kills and seven assists

CENTRAL def. Nerthville Walled Lake Central Visited Aorthvalle on Jan 13 and took an easy three game victory Injuries killed the Vustarga. Jacker was hurt in game two trying to block a Jacker was hurt in the same two trying to block a top hitter twisted an ankle in game one and couldn't return

return Murray said the injuries were unfortunate A healthy squad might have been able to surprise Cen

hearing squar magni nave been able to surprise Cen They are still a ranked team " she said "But by re definitely a different team than last year They year the definitely a different team than last year. Walled Lake won the first was games 15 5 then closed the match with a 15-11 victory in game three. The injuries took the wind out of her teams sails Murray said "It made a big difference" she added "It made a big difference "she added "It mede and her team must improve defensively to beat teams like Central and Canton "We re a good offensive team " Murray commented "but not good defensive team " Murray commented



rthville's Rick Torn

Kelly Bingley sets for a free throw in Friday's game.

streak will affect them in either the Churchill or Novi games "We've been staying positive" he added "But this is a big week for us emotionally"

Northville will then host Novi Sat urday at 7 pm Turner doesn t believe his teams recent losing

The officials had a complete lack of knowledge of the sport They didn t know the game. It was an injustice to

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MUSTANGS OF THE WEEK

BRIAN GRIDER - Wrestling

A junior co-captain, Grider had an outstanding week for the Mustangs. At the Brighton team invitational he went 5-0. Grider also took a key victoryin Northville's win over Livonia Churchill. For the season, Grider has a 16-2 record.

MISSY MACRAE - Gymnastics

The freshman had an outstanding day at the Hartland Invitational Saturday. On the balance beam, MacRae was the champion with a 9.3 performance. In the floor exercise, MacRae was first at 9.4.

MUSTANG ROUNDUP

BASKETBALL

Friday - Northville @ Livonia Churchill (7:30 p.m) Saturday - Novi @ Northville (7 p.m.) Tuesday - North Farmington @ Northville (7 p.m.)

WRESTLING TODAY - Northville @ Harrison (6:30 p m.)

VOLLEYBALL Monday - Northville @ Livonia Churchill (7 p.m.) Wednesday - Walled Lake Western @ Northville (7 p.m.)

SWIMMING Tuesday - Northville & Livonia Franklin (7 p.m.)

GYMNASTICS Monday - Northville & John Glenn (7 p.m.)

Tankers suffer first loss 113-73 to N.F.

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Ed for

If the Mustang swim team had been a ship the past few weeks it would ve been a destroyer.

Northville demolished three opponents and boasted a perfect record going into Thursday's meet at North Farmington But the Raiders turned that destroyer into a tug boat as they won the meet 113.73

"They're just a stronger team than we are this year," coach Mark Heiden admitted They were deep er than us throughout the meet-

As talented as North Farmington 15, the coach doesn't believe Salem can be beaten in the WLAA.

"I don't think they'll challenge Salem." Heiden said "They're not deep enough to challenge Salem."

North Farmington took com mand of Thursday's meet by win ning three of the first four events. Northville placed second in the 200 yard medley relay. The team of Craig Steving, Matt Schlanser, Chris Anderson and Steve Wiecksel posted a time of 1 51.47

Evan Whitbeck won the 200vard freestyle in 1 50 46 and brother David was fifth in 2 10 76 In the 200-yard IM, Scott Whitbeck was second in 2 22 62 and Dan Milnes was fifth in 2 25 66

A time of 21 21 was good enough for second place in the 50 yard - Helden said

freestyle. Anderson was third in 24.81 and Wiecksel was fifth in 25 28

In diving, Anderson finished first with 283.15 points and Dan Basse was fourth at 131.15. Chris Bond was third in the 100-yard butterfly in 1 04 36 and Craig Boyk was fifth with a time of 1:18 86

In the 500-yard freestyle, Scott Whitbeck was second (5:33.9) and David Whitbeck was third (5.42.5) Wiecksel, Anderson, Milnes and Evan Whitbeck won the 200-yard freestyle relay (1:39-74).

Sleving finished first in the 100yard backstroke with a time of 57 54 and Adam Melvin was fifth in 1.11.78. Evan Whitbeck was first in the 100 yard breaststroke in 1.05 02. Schlanser was fourth in 1:14.05 and Brett Johnson was fifth in 1:16.73.

North Farmington won the 400yard freestyle relay to close the meet. Northville was second with the team of Milnes. Bond, Sieving and Evan Whitbeck (3:46-39)

Times for the Mustangs were a bit slower than in the past few meets

Heiden said it wasn't because of the training his team had been doing before the meet. But the fact that it was finals week at the school may have been a factor.

SCOREBOARD

WRESTLING 103 POUNDS Jig (Novi)	Wade Dana (Fowlerville) 8-7 Scott Lambert (Brighton) 7-7 Keith Wood (Brighton) 3-3 135 POUNDS	Hicks (Fowlerville)
Bordenkircher (Brighton) 15-8	Steckroth (Hartland)	Rochowiak (Pinckney) 26-1
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119 POUNDS	145 POUNDS	Arnold (Howell)
Williams (Fowlerville) 21-0	Watanabe (Novi)	Plecha (Novi)
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	Becker (Non) 24-1	Nelson (Fowlerville) 9-9



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Grapplers remain perfect in WLAA

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Saran (125), McCracken (160) and Giles (189).

NORTHVILLE 36 CHURCHILL 27

The Mustangs kept their perfect conference mark alive by edging Livonia Thursday.

Now 2-0 in the WLAA and the Western Division, Townsend said his team is a big threat.

We have a good chance of winning the division." he said. Northville built a 27-0 lead and

then hung on.

Ashby took a 7-2 victory at 103 pounds. Torrence and Sriraman then won by forfeit at 112 and 119.

At 125 pounds, Saran beat Dave Donnelly 6-1. Staples won by forfeit at 130 pounds and Scappaticci decisioned Mike Carter 2-0 at 135

pounds.

A decision by McCracken [160 pounds) and a Grider pin clinched the victory.

Livonia made it close by sweep ing the final four matches

They have strong upper weights," said Townsend JUNIOR VARSITY

Several JV Mustangs did well at the Garden City novice tournament Saturday.

Broken into ninth and tenth grade divisions, the Mustangs had several placers.

Matt Tarrow was fifth at 103 pounds in the sophomore division. Kevin Arbuckle won the 112 pound sophomore division, Tom Stimmel was sixth at 112 in the freshman division. Reggie Torrence was fourth at the 125 pound freshman division and Doug Smith was sixth at 130 pounds.

Cagers fall to Hawks

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defensive styles.

The Mustangs used a zone to keep Harrison on the outside. Turner said his team was able to rebound and cut guard penetration better playing the zone.

"I thought the adjustments we made were good," he added. "It's the best game we've played in three or four weeks. I was proud of the effort."

Offensively, the Mustangs were more patient.

"We're a team that shoots threes and drives," said Turner.

Four three-pointers helped Northville to a 27-23 halftime lead. Kelly Bingley nailed a triple at

the end of the second quarter to expand Northville's lead. Dave Terakedis, Luis Guajardo and Phil Kozdron each scored eight points in the half.

Harrison used its size advantage to wear Northville down in the second half.

Justin Snow, Brian Lewis and Matt Derocher took turns scoring inside. The trio accounted for more than half of Farmington Hills' points.

"I thought their inside strength hurt us," said Turner.

Guajardo led Northville with 15 points. Terakedis added 13 and Kozdron had 11. Kevin Bambanek led Harrison with 12.







common problem GEI RI

Gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD) is an extremely common problem. The occurrence of GERD is similar in both men and women. Forty-five percent of adult Americans report intermittent symptoms related to GERD and 10 percent have symptoms on a daily basis. Eighty percent of pregnant women report symptoms due to GERD.

The typical patient with GERD complains of heartburn (an upward moving burning pain behind the breastbone) after eating, when bending over, when lying down, or upon awakening at night.

GERD is not a life-threatening disease and has no connection with heart problems. However. the symptoms of GERD can be a great mimic. GERD symptoms can be confused with ulcer pain. heart problems, gall bladder prob-lems and asthma. It is thought that GERD is responsible for at least 50 percent of non-cardiac chest pain and 80 percent of chronic hoarseness, chronic cough and non-allergic asthma. GERD can also cause vocal cord polyps and dental erosions.

GERD is a chronic disease. It is caused by acidic stomach secretions entering the esophagus and overwhelming its defense mechanisms. This usually takes place over a long period of time.

The esophagus is connected to the stomach by a muscle called the lower esophageal sphincter, which forms a "gateway" into the stomach. When this muscle is weak or relaxes at inappropriate times, acidic stomach contents can reflux" into the esophagus and cause pain.

The presence of a hiatal hernia is another factor which will contribute to the ease with which stomach contents can go through the lower esophageal sphincter and enter the esophagus. The amount of acid secreted by the stomach is normal in most patients with GERD. Lifestyle modifications are the cornerstone of

effective treatment of all GERD patients. The primary goal of therapy in GERD is to decrease the exposure of the esophagus to acid. Lifestyle changes include:

- Making dietary changes
 Elevating the head of the bed
- Losing excess weight Quitting smoking

Dietary modifications are probably the most important. Adherence to these recommendations can often result in a 10 percent improvement in symptoms.

GERD sufferers should avoid overeating and abstain from eating within several hours of going to bed. Similarly, one should avoid lying down after a meal.

Alcohol, coffee, caffeinated products, choco-late, peppermint and spearmint need to be eliminated from the diet, since all of these will decrease lower esophageal sphincter pressure making it easier for acidic stomach contents to enter the esophagus.

Carbonated beverages should be eliminated since the carbonation itself contributes to stomach distention and burping. The diet should be low in fat since food high in fat will slow the stomach's efficiency at emptying. Smoking should be avoided since it also relaxes the lower esophageal sphincter.

When lifestyle modifications fail to eliminate symptoms, drug therapy can be added. Medications directed at decreasing stomach acid, tightening the lower esophageal sphincter and improving stomach emptying are used in GERD. Most patients with GERD can be successfully managed with lifestyle modifications and drug therapy. Less than 5 percent will require antireflux surgery aimed at tightening the lower esophageal sphincter.

Written by D. Kim Turgeon M.D., who is an internist and gastroenterologist practicing at the U-M Northville Health Center. For questions call (810) 344-1777.

Health Notes

PRIME TIME FOR WOMEN

Prime Time for Women is a day-long event sponsored by Botsford General Hospital on Feb. I. Mini-seminars will be held on a wide range of medical, health and lifestyle topics. Presentations will include preparing easy-to-

make. nutritious meals by chef Larry Janes; distinguishing menopause and perimenopause facts from fiction: learning practical techniques for reducing stress: preventing osteoporosis and heart disease: and even looking as great as you feel through a makeup and fashion demonstration

The cost of the program is \$25 per person. which includes both a continental breakfast and lunch, and will take place at the Zieger Center on the campus of Botsford General Hospital. Registration or additional information can be obtained by calling the Botsford Community Relations/Marketing Department at (810) 442-7986

SIBLING CLASS

Welcoming a new baby into the family can be an adjustment for sisters and brothers. The Marian Women's Center next to St. Mary Hospital will offer a sibling class from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, Feb. 8. in the miracle of life maternity center postpartum lounge on the third floor of the main hospital.

The cost of the class is \$10 per family. Registration is required. For more information, call (313) 655-3314 or toll free at (800) 494-1615.

PROSTATE SCREENING DAY

St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will offer a free prostate screening day from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. March 1, in the St. Mary Hospital pavilion. This free program includes a prostate

plimentary orientation will be held at 11 a.m. on Jan. 21. The evening class begins at 7 p.m. on Jan. 29. The orientation for the evening class begins at 7 p.m. on Jan. 22. The class will meet in the lower level Conference Room E.

No registration is required for the orientation. For more information, call St. Mary Hospital Food and Nutrition Services at (313) 655-2498.

CANCER WELLNESS GROUP

Led by an experienced psychologist, the Cancer Wellness Group meets every Tuesday from -8:30 p.m. in Botsford's 3 West Conference Room. 28050 Grand River Ave. in Farmington Hills.

For more information, call (810) 477-6100.

PROSTATE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Offering knowledgeable speakers each month. the prostate cancer support group provides both encouragement and education about prostate cancer, its treatments and the physical and emotional issues associated with it. It meets the third Monday of each month at-7 p.m. in Botsford's 2 East A Conference Room.

on Grand River in Farmington Hills. Call (810) 477-6100 for additional information.

PAGER RENTALS

Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is offering "baby beeper" rentals to help labor partners stay in touch during those critical last weeks of pregnancy.

Rentals are available through Providence Hospital, 16001 W. Nine Mile in Southfield, and Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River Ave. in Novi.

Pagers can be rented for one or two months

tration.

HEALTH EDUCATION LIBRARY

Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is now making its health education library open to the public.

The library has books, video tapes, computer databases, pamphlets and anatomical models available to the public which can be used to learn about illnesses, medications, parenting skills or other health issues.

The library is located at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River. and is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p m

Call (810) 380-4110 for more information

EATING RIGHT

Providence is offering individual appointments with a registered dictitian to assist in losing weight, lowering blood pressure, lowering cardiovascular risk factors and providing positive dietary changes. After the evaluation, a diet plan is developed.

Day and evening appointments are available. There is a \$40 fee for the initial visit and a fee of \$30 for follow-up sessions, if indicated. A specifically designed weight modification program is also available.

Call (810) 424-3385 for further information.

Huron Valley Hospital, 1601 E. Commerce Road. Commerce is offering several programs. To register or for more information regarding these programs, call toll-free, 1-888-362-2500.

DEPRESSION SEMINAR

Depression is an emotional state that is influnced by many factors. How you think, solve



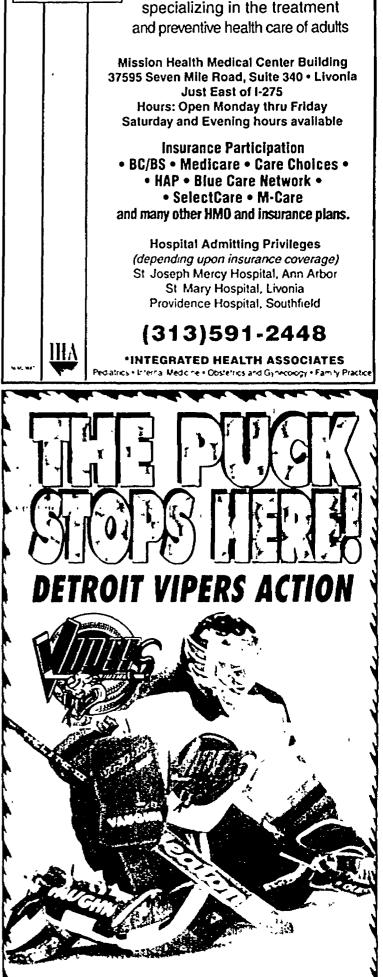
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exam by a physician, blood test to measure the at a time at a cost of \$30 for one month and prostate specific antigen level and educational material.

Advance registration for this important health screening for men is requested by call (313) 655-2922 or call toll free at (800) 494-1650.

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park is offering free blood pressure checks Monday-Friday. 9.11 a m.

Area residents are invited to visit Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River Ave., to obtain the service. Screening will take place in Providence's Emergency Care Center located within the center.

For more information contact (810) 380-4225.

WELL CHILD CLINIC

Oakland County Health Division's Child Health Conferences provide free ongoing well care for children from birth to school entry. Families who do not have an hmo or Medicaid may be eligible. Clinics are held at 14 locations throughout Oakland County.

Services include: heights and weights; headto-toe physical examination; immunizations; vision, hearing and lab testing; growth and developmental screening; and counseling with referrals to physicians and area resources as needed.

An appointment is required. For more information, call: north Oakland, 858-1311 or 858-4001: south Oakland, 424-7066 or 424-7067.

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

St. Mary Hospital will hold a blood pressure and cholesterol screening event on Thursday. Feb. 13, from 5:30 to 8 p.m. in Pavilion Conference Room B. The blood pressure measurement is free while the cholesterol screening is \$15 per person. The cholesterol screening includes measurement of HDL - the good cholesterol.

To make an appointment, call (313) 655-2922 or call toll free at (800) 494-1650.

HEALTHY COOKING

Chef Larry Janes will present a program on healthy cooking Jan. 23 at Botsford Hospital's Health Development Network on 39750 Grand River in Novi.

Call (810) 477-6100 for more information.

WEIGHT MANAGEMENT

St. Mary Hospital's weight management class, LifeSteps, can help you achieve your weight loss goal.

Taught by registered dietitian Linda DeVore, R.D., day and evening classes are available. The day class begins at 11 a.m. on Jan. 28. A com-

\$40 for two. A security deposit is required. Call (810) 424-3332 for further information.

BREAST FEEDING BASICS

This workshop covers the "how to's" of breast feeding - how to start and maintain successful breast feeding - and answers questions and concerns of women who are already breast feeding.

Classes are held at the Health Development Network at Botsford in Novi. For more information and to register, call (810) 477-6100.

CHOLESTEROL AND VISION SCREENINGS

Total cholesterol screening is conducted by the fingerstick method from 1-4 p.m. on the third Monday of each month at the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi. There is a \$5 fee.

For more information, call (810) 477-6100.

MENOPAUSE SUPPORT GROUP

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi offers a free monthly support group for women who have concerns about menopause.

The group meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Providence Park Conference Center, 47601 Grand River Ave., at the corner of Grand River and Beck in Novi.

The purpose of the support group is to provide women with educational information on topics relating to menopause.

For information on Providence's Menopause Support Group, call (810) 424-3014.

BREAST CANCER

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi is hosting a support group for women with breast cancer.

The group meets the second Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. Anyone who has experienced breast disease is welcome to attend. This is an informal discussion for participants to share resources and provide emotional support.

For further information contact Norma at (313) 462-3788 or Cheryl at (810) 363-3866.

DIABETES CARE OUTPATIENT PROGRAM

This is a program for all non-pregnant individuals over 14 with diabetes. The program is designed to help the individual control his or her blood sugar and become active in treating diabetes.

Day and evening classes and/or individual appointments are available in Novi and Southfleld.

Call (810) 424-3903 for information on schedules, fees, insurance coverage and regis-

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problems and what you do can affect how you feel.

Psychologist David Wartel Ph.D. will review cognitive and behavioral explanations for depression and examine methods for changing your thoughts and moods.

To register, call the toll-free number by Feb. 3.

HEART

A free three-part series on "Heart Health" will be given on Mondays during the month of February.

In observance of American Heart Month, a team of health care professionals will discuss heart healthy living. Sessions can be attended individually or as a series.

The sessions will cover cholesterol and blood pressure in relation to heart health, how to select an exercise program to keep you motivated and moving, and low-fat, high-fiber food.

Mondays. Feb. 10 - Know Your Number: Cholesterol and Blood Pressure as Risk Factors: Feb. 17 - Integrating Exercise Into Your Lifestyle; Feb. 24 - Nutrition for a Healthy Heart.

To register for one or all of these sessions, call the above toll-free number.

MASSAGE SEMINAR

A free seminar entitled Treat Yourself to Massage" will be given on the hospital's ground level.

Learn about the art of giving and the benefits of receiving massage.

Certified/Registered Massage Therapist Duane Karr, owner of Ms. Duane Karr and Associates Therapeutic Massage Sports Massage, will teach basic, upper body massage techniques through soft, comfortable clothing.

To register or for information, call the toll-free number by Feb. 7.

GRIEF RECOVERY SERIES

The hospital, in conjunction with Hospice of Southeastern Michigan and Lynch & Sons Funeral home, will offer a free grief recovery series on Wednesdays, from 6:30-8 p.m. beginning Feb. 12.

This program is designed to bring children. ages 5 to 14, and adults together, in separate environments, who have experienced the loss of a loved one. Participants will receive support and encouragement to learn about and express their grief.

Wednesdays, Feb. 12-March 19, from 6:30-8 p.m., at Huron Valley Hospital. There is no charge for this program.

To register, call Hospice of Southeastern Michigan at (810) 443-5893.

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REAL ESTATE Expenses increase when school is over

By James Woodard **Copiey News Service**

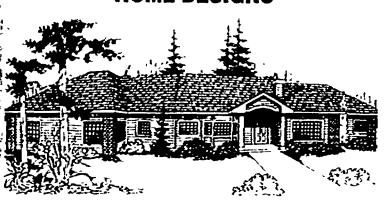
When the kids graduate from high school they fly out of the nest. going to college or working. And that leaves the parents with more free time and less household expenses.

Right? Think again. "The might surprise you to learn off on their own. These facts and that over half (53 percent) of 18- to : 24-year-olds are still living with

their parents. That increases the parent's household expenses by an average of 31 percent and limits their ability to acquire and move into a smaller or retirement home. They also spend 69 percent more on vehicle insurance premiums, and almost three times as much on video rentals as they would if their adult offspring were

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HOME DESIGNS



Vera features a floor plan that assures privacy

By James McAlexander Copiey News Service

A wide lot is required to built the 1.926 square-foot Vera

The configuration of this exciting new floor design has the isolated master suite on the left side of the house and the secondary bedrooms on the right. With the common areas in the middle, privacy is assured not only for the occupants of the master suite, but those in the other bedrooms as well

Tigs argangement will be gape clally beneficial to a family with high-school students needing their own "space," or one with aging parents sharing the home.

Dignified columns frame the recessed entry and compliment the attractive brick and siding exterior of the Vera-Once inside, the commendable use of the available space is evident throughout the entire residence. The expansive master suite includes - among its numerous amenities - a huge walk-in closet, raised television shelf and a private bathroom with

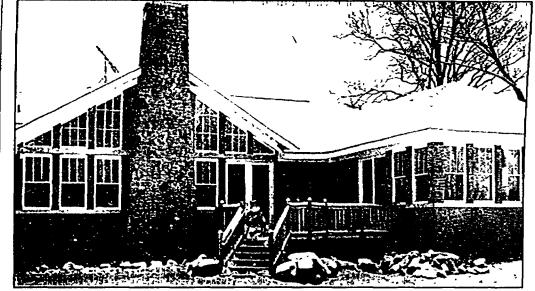
480 square feet of storage capacity. The up-to date kitchen, easy to maneuver around in, features an island cooktop, walk-in pantry, appliance center, built-in desk and a bright breakfast nook. If the weather is agreeable, have your morning coffee on the adjacent covered patio.

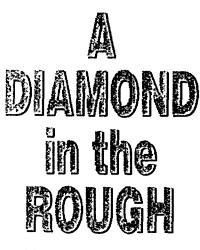
The formal dining room with a beautiful built-in hutch, and the front living room, both have a coffered vault ceiling When entertain-ing your guests in the comfortable living room.; a combination gas/wood fireplace will keep everyone nice and cozy regardless of the conditions outside.

A skylit hallway leads to the secondary bedrooms. They are both good sized and have plenty of windows along with ample closet space. The smaller of the two has a built-in file cabinet, and with the addition of a desk and computer, can easily be converted for use as a home office. Nearby are two spots for linen storage and a full bathroom with twin basins



Jean and Ralph Rieker sit in their almost-complete Garfield Road home in Northville Township. They took ownership of the home 18 years ago, and have poured most of their time and finances into improving it. The fireplace behind them was made from stones taken from the gravel pit located directly behind their home.





It's as if the old red brick house had been waiting for just the right person to come along.

Abandoned for 20 years, it needed to be nursed back to health.

Ralph and Jean Riecker saw the Novi home 18 years ago and knew it had potential.

The house was built in 1917 in what the Rieckers call the "arts and crafts style" common in the 1920s. where the homeowners did a lot of the work themselves.

The original homeowners had seven children. The father, who was a brick layer, brought home reclaimed bricks which his children cleaned one by one. The bricks were then added to the outside, turning the white frame wooden home into its present red brick exterior. They also built the red oak staircase railing. bookcases and the mantel in the living room.

When the Rieckers bought the four bedroom home, all the windows were broken, the plaster walls had to be replaced, and it needed new plumbing, electrical and heating systems.

The basics are here, the house is sound." she said.

The 2.200 square foot addition to the back of the home has oak floors throughout and includes a master bedroom with a walk-in closet and a bathroom with a ceramic floor and two-way fireplace. Also included are a portrait-style Kohler jacuzzi, and a Euro shower with multiple shower heads and water closet.

There is also a first floor laundry. guest bedroom and bathroom, which has Revival-style fixtures.

Because the Rieckers could not find any bricks for the exterior of the addition which blended with the reclaimed brick used some 70 years earlier on the front of the home. nan-made obiong pieces of cement which are hand chiseled to look like limestone were used with randomly placed fieldstone. The floor-to-ceiling fireplace in the

twin basins.

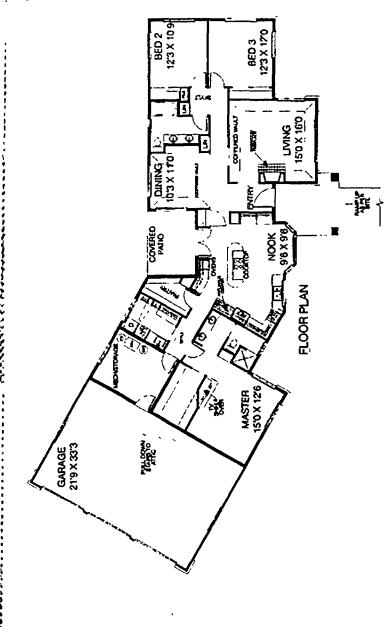
This end of the house also contains a large storage area with access to the three car garage, and a handy utility room with a sink and built-in froning board. Pulldown stairs in the garage take you up to an attic with an additional

For a study plan of the Vera (404 07), send \$10 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River, Howell. MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering) For more information, call (800) 562 1151.

Stones used in the home's addition were manufactured and have true insulation value.

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Story by Carol Workens Photos by John Heider



Save your garden from wiley chipmunks

By C.Z. Guest Copley News Service

GARDENING

G. Chipmunks keep taking small bites out of my tomatoes and other vegetables from my garden. I've tried everything including human hair, soap spray, netting, etc. To no avail.

Last summer I trapped about 40 chipmunks and released them in a wooded preserve about 10 miles from my property. This year, I see more of them and they look just as hungry. Will this ever stop? Do you have a solution?

A. I know this will amaze you, but here goes. You're probably trapping the same chipmunks over and over again! ABC Humane Rescue in Arlington Heights, Ill., suggests taking the trapped chipmunks at least 20 to 40 miles away to a rural area for release. Five or 10 miles is simply not far enough. However, trapping is the best way to go, and I suggest Sherman live traps (the same traps for moles). The traps you need are 3 inches by 3 inches by 10 inches.

Sherman traps are most effective when you position them so that the entrance

looks like a natural cavity for example, poking out of a leaf pile. Chipmunks hunt by smell and, of course, they are very curious. A good bait is a mixture of greasy peanut butter, oatmeal and something fruity. Other delicacies they enjoy include beans, acorns, nuts, peas, raspberries and blackberries.

If your dogs and cats are good hunters, maybe they can control these rascals. My dogs, unfortunately, are no good at this type of hunting because they are large - too large for the tiny spaces chipmunks can fit into.

To successfully fence these devils out, you have to enclose your entire garden with a 6-foot fence made from one-quarter-inch mesh hardware cloth, sunk at least a foot into the soil (so chipmunks can't dig under it) with plastic bird netting across the top from side to side.

Two no-no's: Never use mothballs, mothflakes or any form of this extremely toxic substance in your garden or

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Dogs and cats probably won't

be very effective in the fight against chipmunks.

keeping them out of tomatoes. very effective in the fight against ipmunks. ■ Fencing can keep chipmunks 20267, Tallahassee, FL 32316.

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This Bohemian vase, circa 1892 to 1905, exhibits an Art Nouveau style and is probably worth between \$700 and \$900.

Bohemian vases with Art Nouveau designs

By Anne McCollam **Copley News Service**

Q. The vase in this picture stands 16 inches tall. It is decorated with lavender and white flowers, gold leaves and gold trim. On the bottom are the words "Turn-Teplitz -Bohemia - R ST & K - Made in Austria - Amphora."

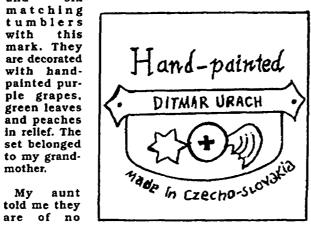
What can you tell me about its origin and value?

A. Reissner and Kessel founded the Amphora Porzellan Fabrik in Turn-Teplitz, Bohemia. Their hand-decorated vases were influenced by Art Nouveau designs.

This mark was used from 1892 to 1905. Your vase would probably be worth about \$700 to \$900.

G. I have an earthenware pitcher and six

matching tumblers with this mark. They are decorated with handpainted purple grapes. green leaves and peaches in relief. The set belonged to my grandmother.



ANTIQUES

value other than sentimental. What is your opinion?

A. Your pitcher with the tumblers definitely has more than sentimental value. This type of ware is gaining in popularity. The set would fetch around \$230 to \$265 in antiques shops.

This mark is listed as a well-recognized mark in "Czechoslovakian Glass & Collectibles" by Dale and Diane Barta and Helen Rose. Objects marked "Made in Czechoslovakia" were made after 1918.

G. I have a Mickey Mouse watch that has been in our family since World War II. It has a running Mick-

Mouse minute hand and still keeps good time. On the front are the words "Made in USA - Ingersoll -Mickey Mouse." How much is

it worth? A. Dedicated Disneyana collectors' eyes light up when they see vintage Mickey Mouse watches. If you have the original box in mint condition, it

Your watch would probably be worth about \$625 to \$725.

Q. I recently purchased a footed porcelain bowl with a scalloped edge. It is decorated with handpainted berries and flowers and gold trim.

Although there is no manufacturer's mark, the antique dealer led me to believe it is an RS Prussia bowl. I would be very interested to know what you think.

A. I think you can't be too careful out there.

There are some RS Prussia pieces that were not marked. To identify an unmarked item as RS Prussia, the mold and decoration must match an RSP marked piece. The body of the china and the quality must be consistent with marked RSP porcelain. As a rule, the mark is a large part of what the buyer is paying for.

To help document the origin, have a trustworthy expert examine your bowl. Mary Frank Gaston's series. "The Collector's Encyclopedias of R. S. Prussia," are good reference books

If it is RSP, it would probably be worth about \$275 to \$350

Q. Recently a friend came across a small round vase that belonged to her grandmother. It is decorated with orange flowers and multicolored geometric designs against a brown background. The vase feels

as though it was shaped on a potter's wheel. "Grety - Gouda - Made in Holland" is marked on the bottom of the vase.

Can you provide any information about my friend's vase?

A. Gouda has been a center for the pottery industry in Holland since the 1600s. They started out making clay pipes. When pipe production went into a slump in the late 1800s. potters developed art pottery lines.

Your friend's vase is circa 1900. It would probably be worth about \$200 to \$250.

BOOK REVIEW

"Antique Trader's Antiques & Col-lectibles 1997 Price Guide." (Antique Trader Books) edited by Kyle Husfloen is indispensable. This new edition has detailed descriptions and upto-date prices. Information on hot new collecting trends, more than 1,500 photos (larger than ever). cross-referencing and a comprehensive index will make your research easy. Anyone interested in buying, selling or just checking out vital statistics of a collectible will find this guide valuable.

Address your questions to Anne McCollam, P.O. Box 490, Notre Dame, IN 46556. For a personal response, include picture(s), a detailed descrip tion, a stamped, self-addressed envelope and \$5 per item (one item at a time).

Minimizing damage from pests to your garden

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anywhere else because they are dangerous to pets. Also, chipmunks and squirrels that are biting tomatoes and other fruits are doing so to quench their thirst. So before you do anything, install a birdbath or other water source. They might just leave your tomatoes and fruits alone.

For more information, contact H.B. Sherman Traps Inc., P.O. Box 20267, Tallahassee, FL. 32316.

A PROBLEM THAT WON'T GO AWAY

Nursery owners from across the country - in particular from the Northeast and upper Midwest - are calling deer their No. 1 pest problem this year. Unfortunately, there does not appear to be any relief in sight.

"Deer damage has been particu-larly severe, this year," says

Michael J. Fargione, president of Wildlife Resource Specialists Inc. "But it is not really any worse this year than others • it's an ongoing problem that seems to get worse every year."

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The reduction in hunting and natural predators. mild winters and the growth of urban areas have contributed to the problem. The nationwide population of white-tailed deer is estimated at 20 million and each of these animals is hungry. As forested areas disappear, deer begin to dine on whatever suits their fancy, including landscape plants, which are their favorite. For control, call your local extension service agent.

ROWDY RACCOONS

CONGRATULATIONS

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An open-door approach should prevail at a wildlife pond. Even if your pond contains no fish, raccoons associate water with feeding the trick. This potion

food before eating.

Raccoons are blessed with humanlike hands, so you can imagine the mischief they can create. To keep these amazing am-mals at bay, here are some deterrents that work for me. Sprinkle baby powder or

cavenne powder around the pool margin (raccoons don't like the feeling on their paws).

Plant prickly bushes or ones that are hard to walk across (juniper, ferns).

A low-voltage electric fence or a large, hungry dog outside at night may keep them away.

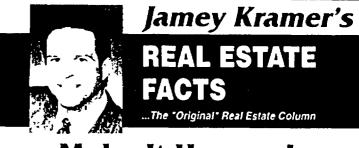
If these tips don't work. try covote urine! What a stench this vile smelling potion makes - a few drops on a scent dart should do

because they like to "rinse" their will definitely send deer and raccoons packing.

Gathered on certified farms this exotic perfume is available in bottles ranging from 8 ounces to 1 gallon. Bobcat and fox urine are also available. They make great gifts for the gardener who has it all. For information, contact J&C Marketing Inc.; P.O. Box 125: Hampden, ME 04444; (800) 218-1719.

C.Z. Guest, author of *5 Seasons of Gardening* (Little, Brown & Co). is an authority on gardens, flowers and plants. Send questions to her c/o Copley News Service, P.O. Box

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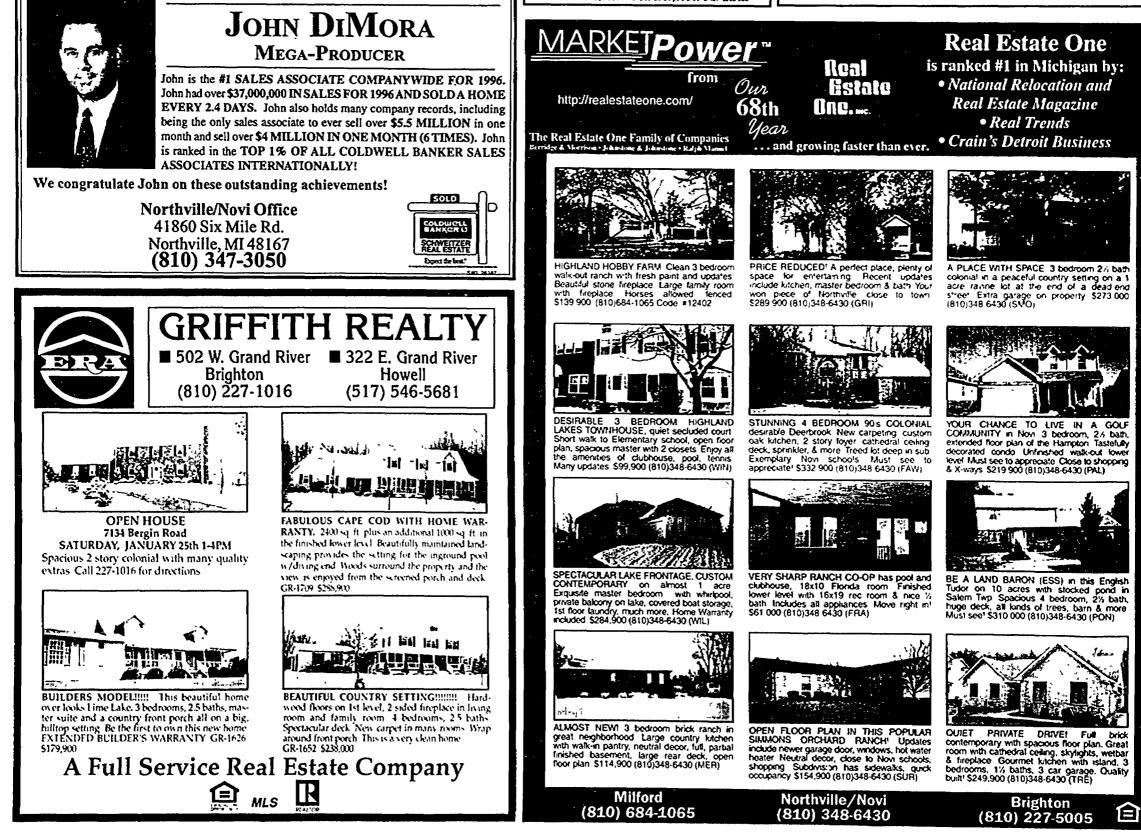
Your agent plays the role of Information resource, and may suggest an appropriate price range which buyers are likely to pay. When suggesting a price range, the agent is speaking from experience.

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More young adults continue to live with parents after graduation CREATIVE LIVING-January 23, 1997-3C

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figures were reported in The Numbers News publication.

Sometimes after a short period at college or marriage, the offspring makes a bee-line for home base - their parent's home, that is. It seems like the most convenient solution to an immediate housing need, and certainly the most cost-effective - for the offspring, that is,

Some of those young adults are using the time while living at their parent's home to save money for college or other plans. But others are just taking the easiest route down the road of life - seemingly the easy way to face today's high housing and hying costs

In the meantime, the parent's plans to sell the old homestead and move into a small, cozy. easy-maintenance home or condo unit must be postponed. And those travel plans must also waft because the continuing high costs of maintaining the large household leaves no money for such pleasurable adventures

Indeed, in some cases those continuing high cost are coupled with reduced family income This makes in necessary to take out an equity loan on their home to make ends meet

This, in turn, makes it more difficult to make the transition to a new retirement home and

new family room is also made of

fieldstone, which was hand

in, the Ricckers combined one of

the four upstairs bedrooms with

the bathroom turning it into a

larger bathroom with an electric

Other work to the home includ-

"It was amizing, we ripped up-

ed redoing the kitchen eight years.

the linoleum and there were oak

floors underneath the kitchen.

floor," Jean said. The original

kitchen had a hand pump for

water for washing dishes, a wood

stove for heating and cooking and

a cistern system both inside and

Ralph numbered and cataloged

all the woodwork that needed to

be relinished in the original por-

tion of the home. He also made

the replacement for the front

screen door because it was not a

standard size and he did not

want the typical pine, but oak

The screens on the front porch-

were replaced with glass and the

porch floor was leveled and

outside the house.

Just a short time after moving

picked from the backyard

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Suma

Novi home gets new lease on life

porch.

lifestyle.

Bottom-line lesson: When the kids become adults, let them know you expect them to fly from the nest under their own wing power, like other self-respecting birdies. They should establish themselves as independent adults, as modest a situation as that may be at the beginning.

If they must live at their parent's home temporarily, charge them a reasonable rent and make arrangements for them to pay their share of household expenses. That's a good lesson in living in the real world.

9. Is the number of people who own their home increasing or decreasing?

A. A record number of American households are now enjoying the benefits of home ownership. Today, more than 64 million households live in a home they own. They have attained the great American dream.

There are several reasons for the increasing number of home owners. One key reason is the current age range of baby boomers. Americans age 35 and older account for 85 percent of all homeowners, and those from age 32 to 50 include millions of those first-time home buyers. according to the research department of the National Association of Realtors.

Also, continuing low mortgage

'It was the home of a raccoon

The Ricckers kept four of the

before we got here." he said of the

original 10 acres which they

bought with the home and did

the landscaping, including creat-

ing a slope to the gravel pit and

planting all the trees. The gravel

pits in the area were dug about

the same time the original owners

Eighteen years is a lot longer

than some might want to spend

on a renovation, but the Ricckers

took their time and proceeded as

finances permitted, subcontract-

ing some of the work out and

doing as much as they could

In the spring, the Rieckers

hope to move to the Florida Keys

where they will begin the renova-

tion process all over again, this

time on a stilt home. They were

married in Key West and spent

the first night of their honeymoon

across the bay from the stilt

"It is like a diamond in the

home they purchased a year ago.

rough," she said of the home

which had no electricity or run-

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ceramic tiles were added.

interest rates is an important factor, encouraging many families to take action now on their ownership hopes and dreams before those rates rise substantially. And the widening range of mort-

gage types, including special lies want to own their own home plans for families in specific situations, makes it easier to qualify for and obtain a mortgage loan in today's market.

One thing is very clear. Fami-

today as much or more than familles in past generations. And they will go to great lengths and make major sacrifices to achieve that goal.

Questions may be used in future columns; personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James M. Woodard, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.



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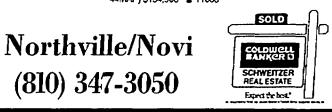
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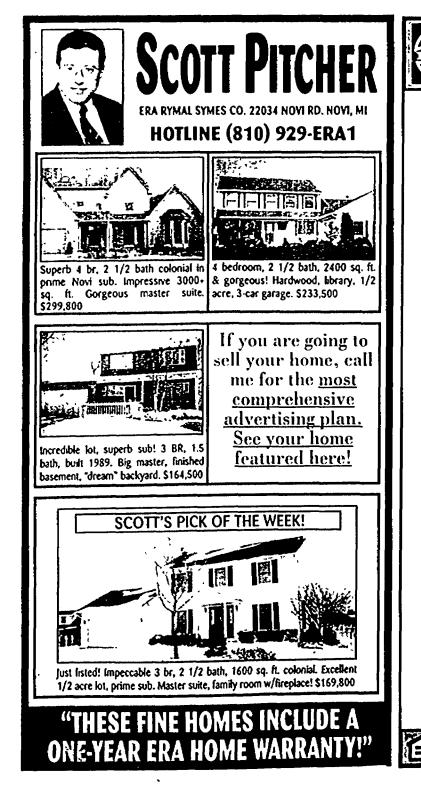
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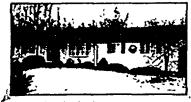
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Training workers in self defense

By ANNETTE JAWORSKI oecial Writer

*Nobody thought about assault. until Dr. Iverson's murder. And nobody talks to their daughters about rape," said Jason Clarke of First Line Defense. For this reason, the senior instructor in rape attack prevention recommends his ser-

First Line Defense specializes in rape attack and prevention through seminars, workshops and in-home instruction. Beginning Feb. 1, he will also be a regular feature at Vital Power Fitness Gym in South Lyon.

You don't expect to get in an accident, but that doesn't stop you from buying auto insurance," says Clarke He reasons that it makes sense to protect your most valuable asset, yourself, by learning methods of self defense

The 1992 graduate of South Lyon High School is back in the area to share his knowledge. His goal is to help women learn self defense techniques with hands on experience. Most importantly, he provides a safe, non-threatening environment to learn and practice his techniques, including choke holds and joint manipulation. He doesn't believe in complicated maneuvers, but practical approaches to real life encounters.

Clarke sees his service as an opportunity for corporations to make an investment in their employees

Corporations need to realize they can only benefit from my service," he said "I would like to provide my service for a corporation with a high percentage of female employees

What's the benefit to the client?

any other skill, it gives a great deal of fulfillment. It can be a great selfesteem booster and motivator. Higher self esteem translates into happier, more productive employees and lower employee turnover. "It also sends a message that the

employer cares about the employees' well-being," he said.

The types of training that Clarke presents gives immediate improvement with practice, which gives the student instant gratification.

One of his concerns is that frequently women feel a false sense of security with gadgets such as mace or weapons. It's another sobering fact that 90 percent of rape victims are familiar with their attacker, which he terms acquaintance rape. Acquaintance rape can be altogether different than date rape, he explains. Clarke identifies eight types of rapist in his program, and how to deal with them.

He believes awareness needs to be incorporated in self-defense training For this reason. Clarke feels his service can be a tremendous benefit to schools, both junior high and high school. He suggests teaching self-defense in addition to sex education at those levels. He was recently a featured speaker at South Lyon Middle School.

In addition to physical maneuvers. Clarke teaches what he calls deception techniques. For example, how to keep a date situation from escalating into danger, or how to talk your way into an opportunity to escape. He talks about practical ways to protect yourself from a stalker

His interest in self defense began when he was 7 years old

"When I was 7. I used to take all Clarke believes it's like learning i my allowance and spend it on



Jason Clarke of First Line Defense discusses a attack prevention with a class from South Lyon Middle School.

learning martial arts," Clarke said. "I wanted to be able to fly through the air and kick five people before 1 touched the ground," he laughs.

He's spent a lifetime learning four different kinds of martial arts. along with hand-to-hand combat techniques while in the military service. He credits his current personal trainer. Don Daly, from Fitness Solutions in Novi for his

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physical conditioning. His qualifications also include

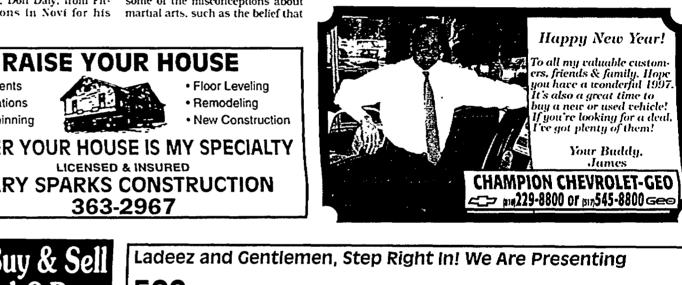
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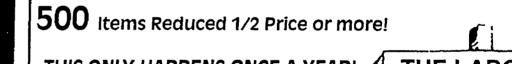
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"The problem is that a lot of people look at martial arts as a hobby and not life insurance." he said. Jason Clarke's services through First Line Defense can be sched-

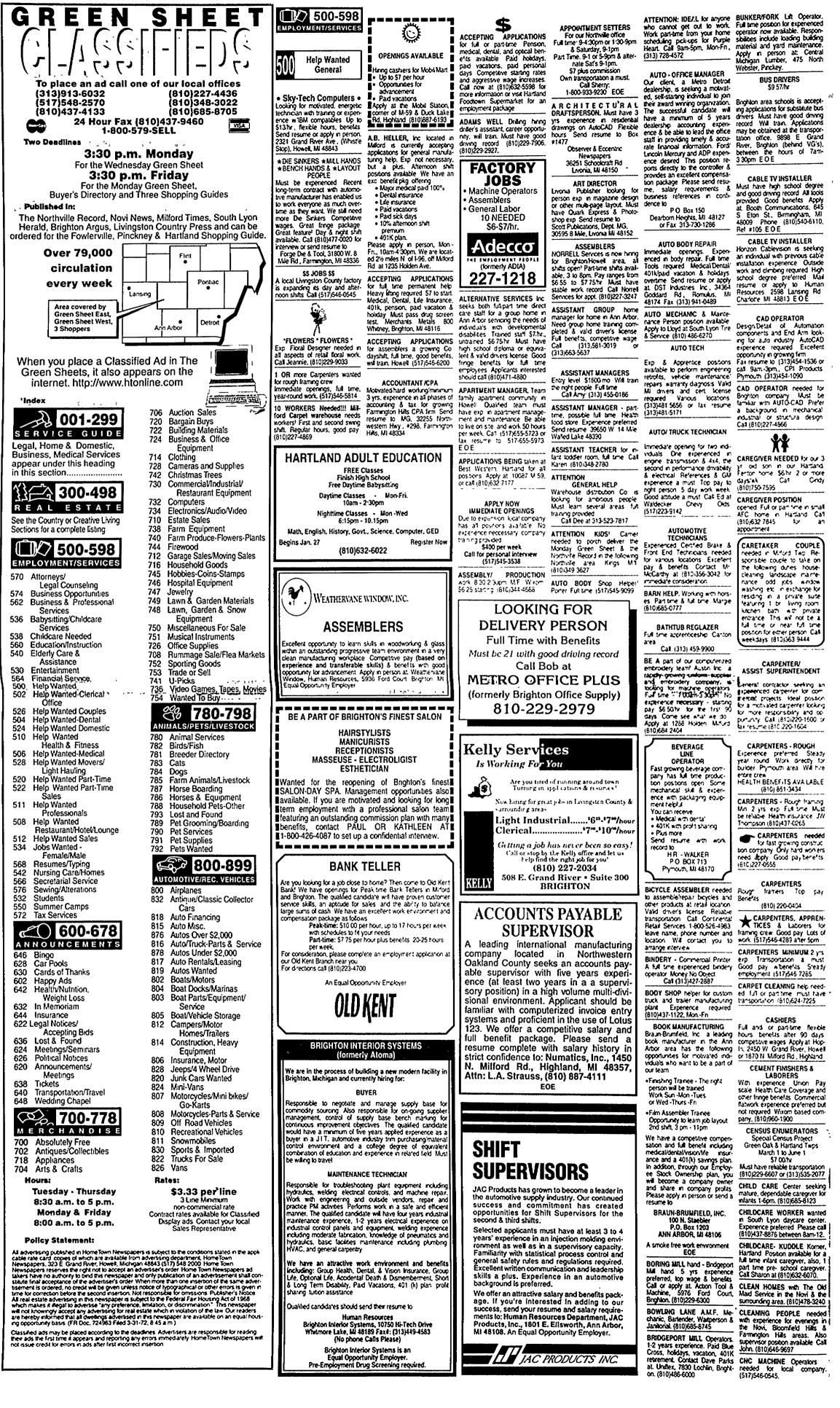
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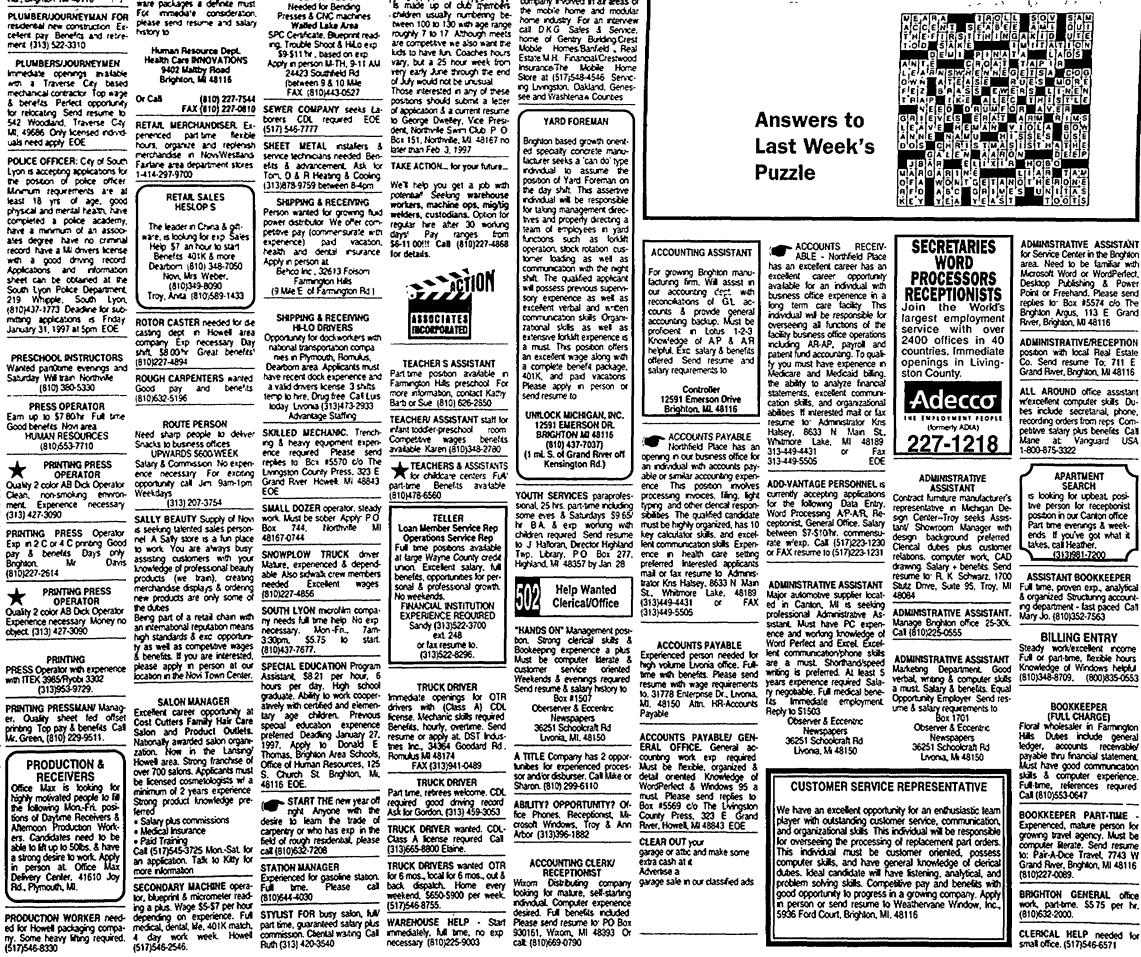
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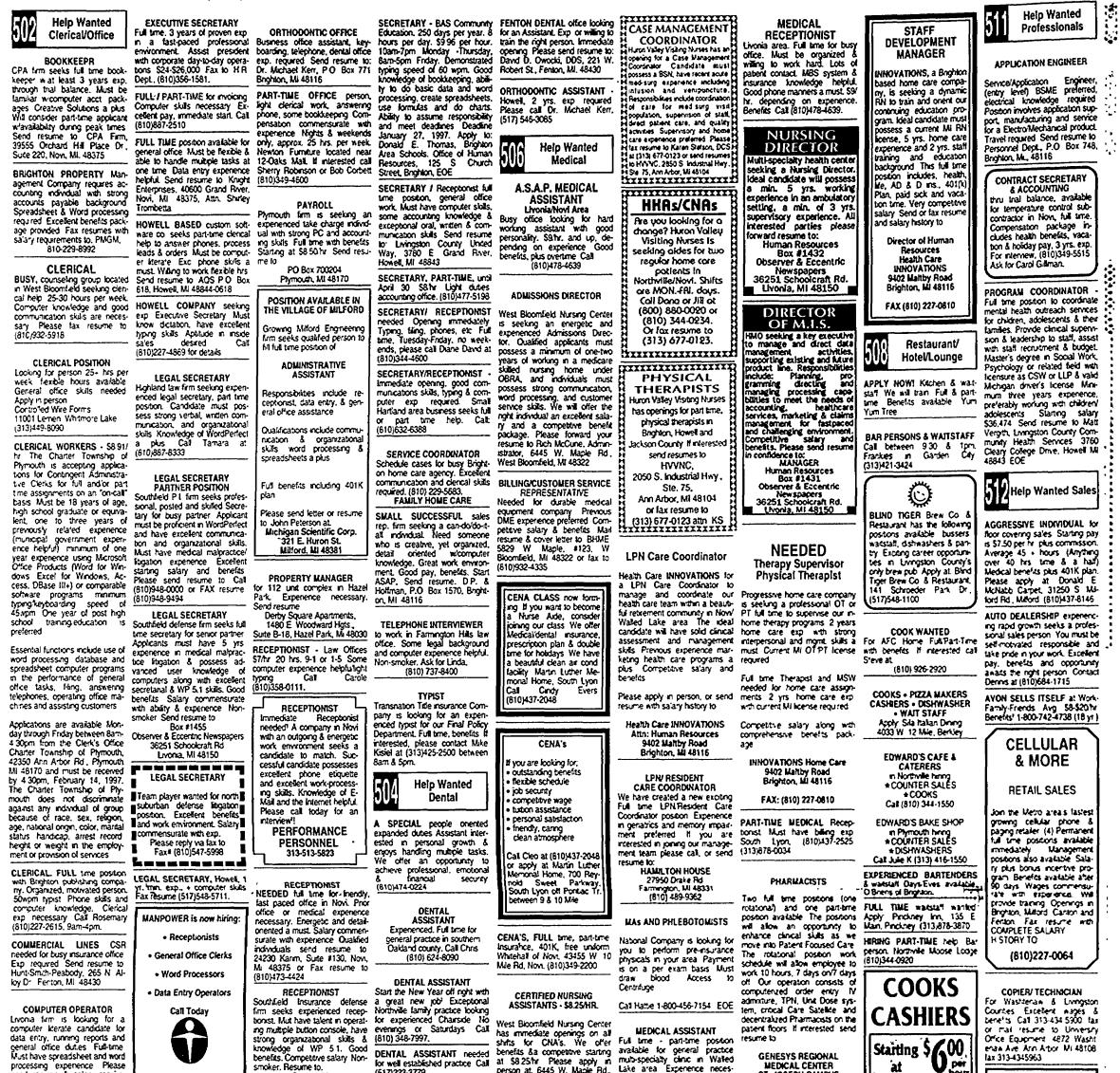
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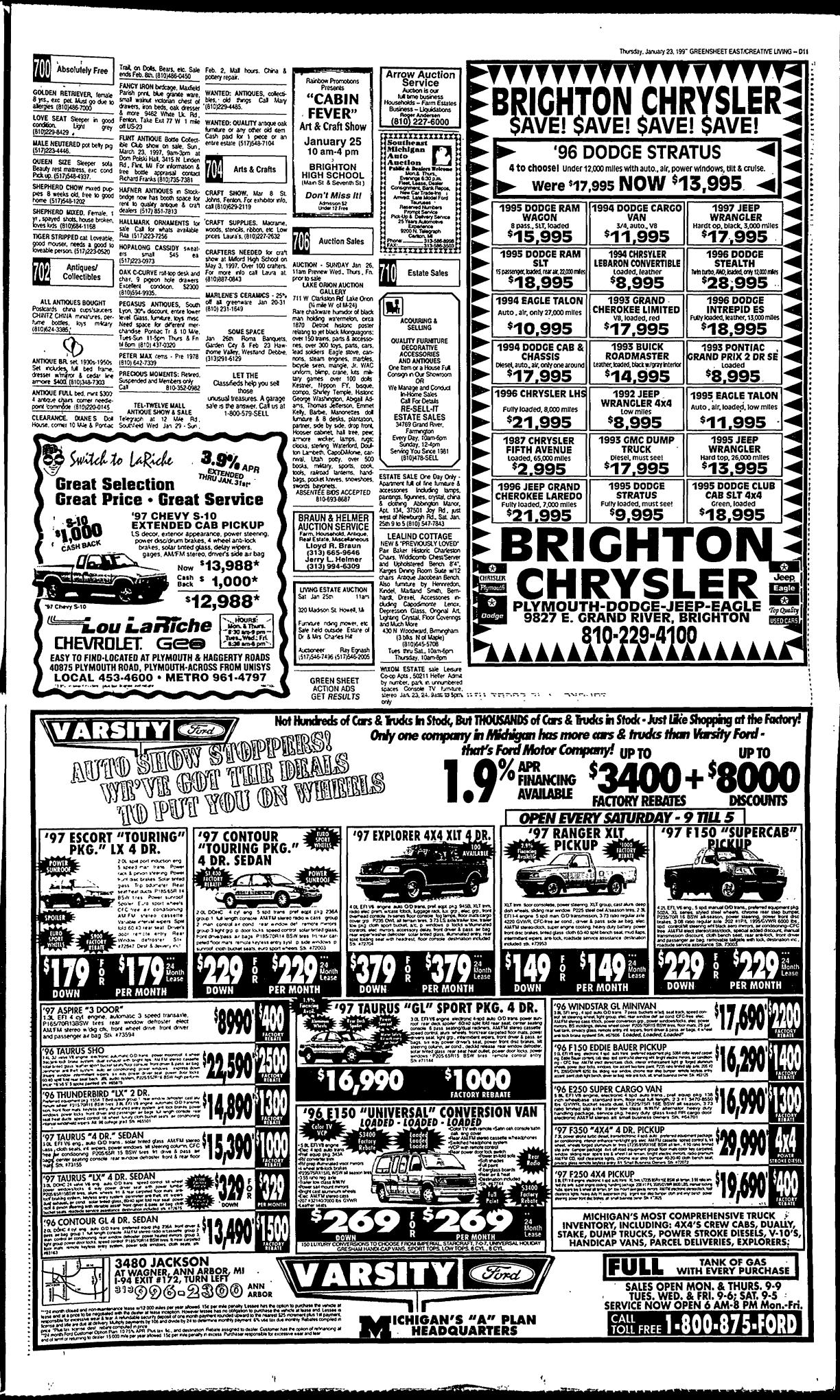
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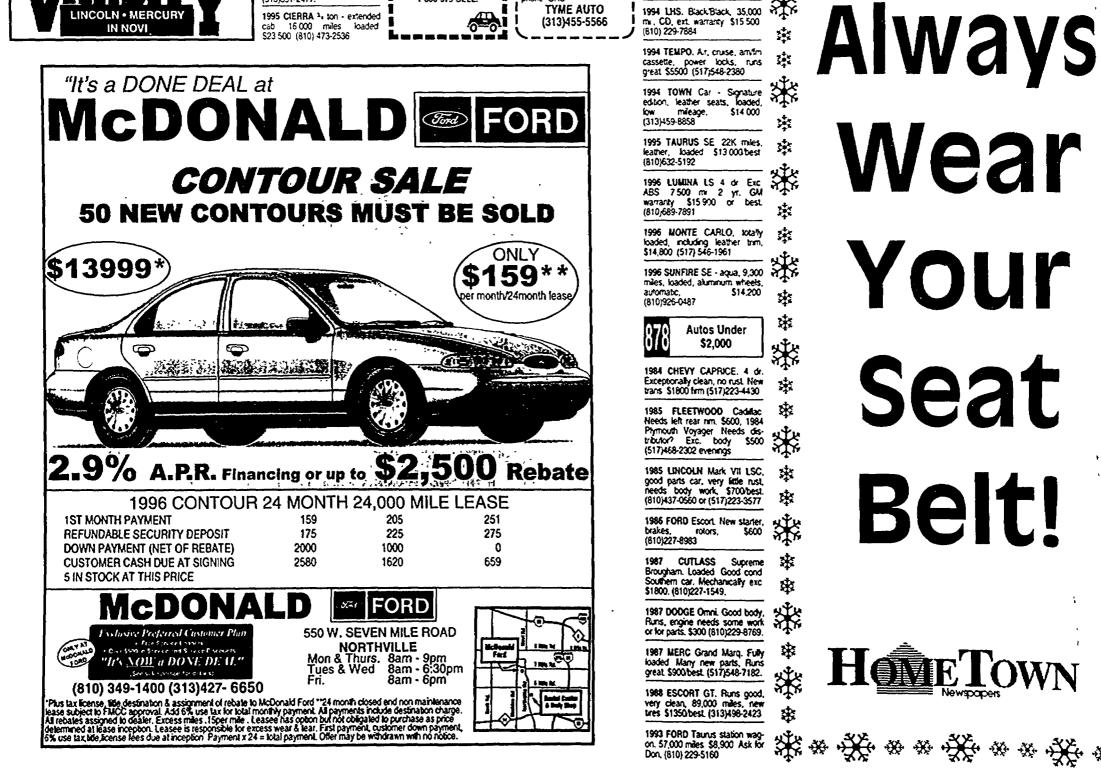


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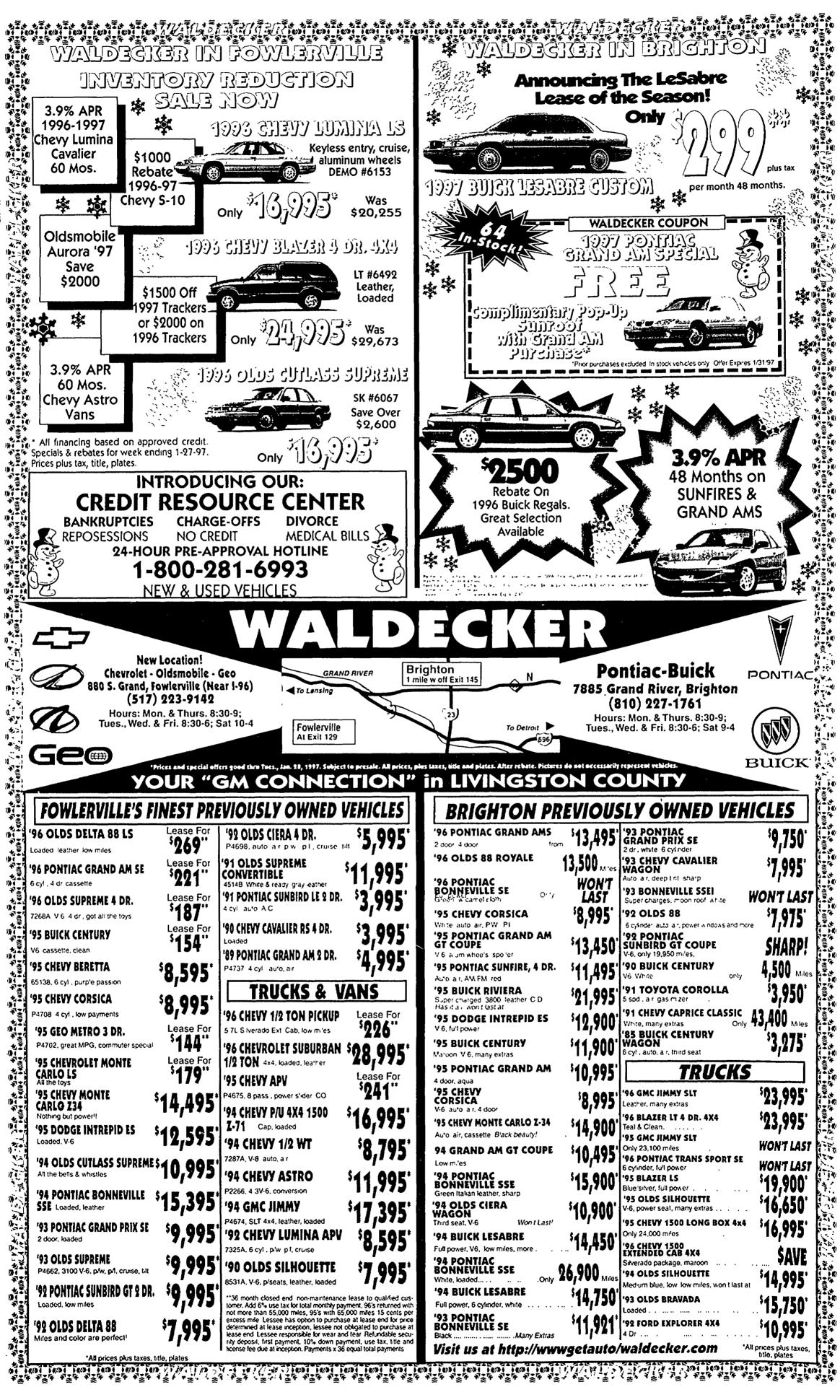
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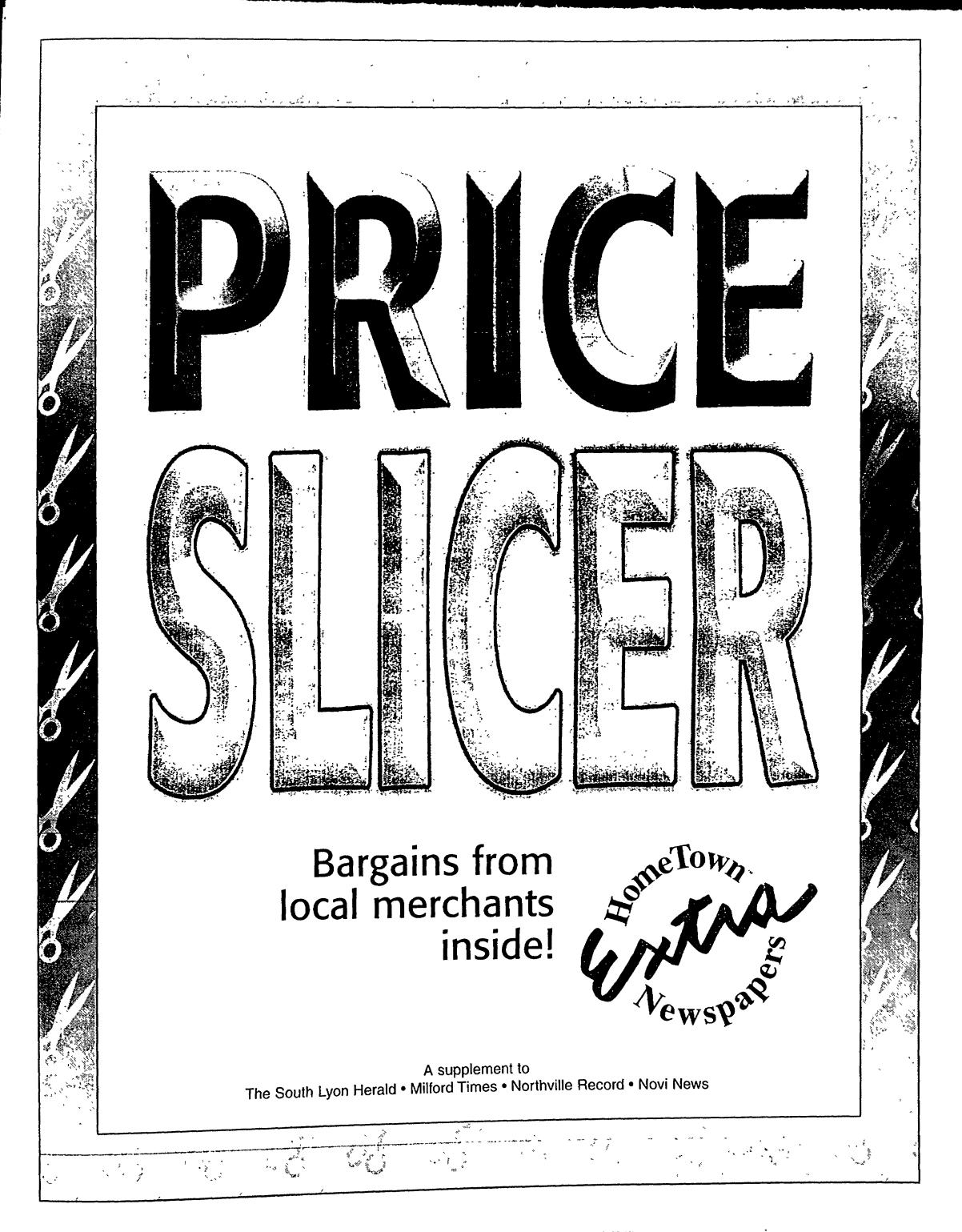


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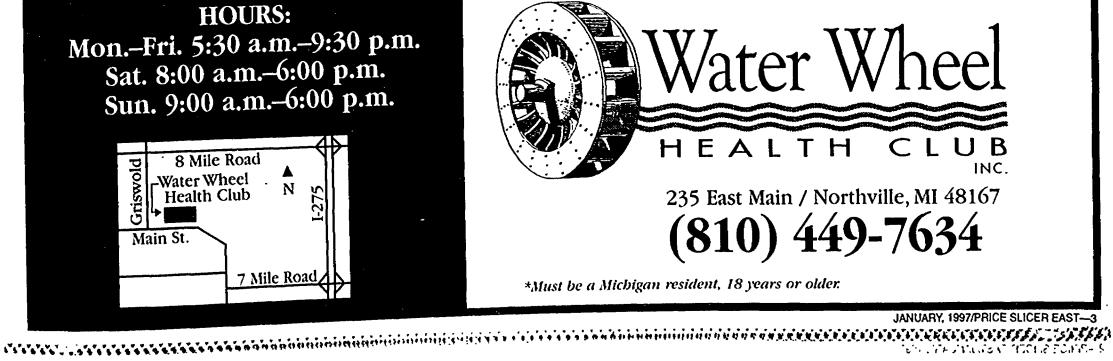
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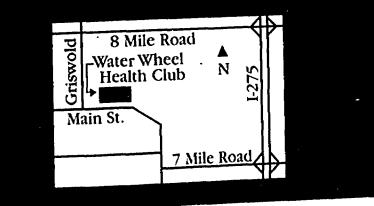
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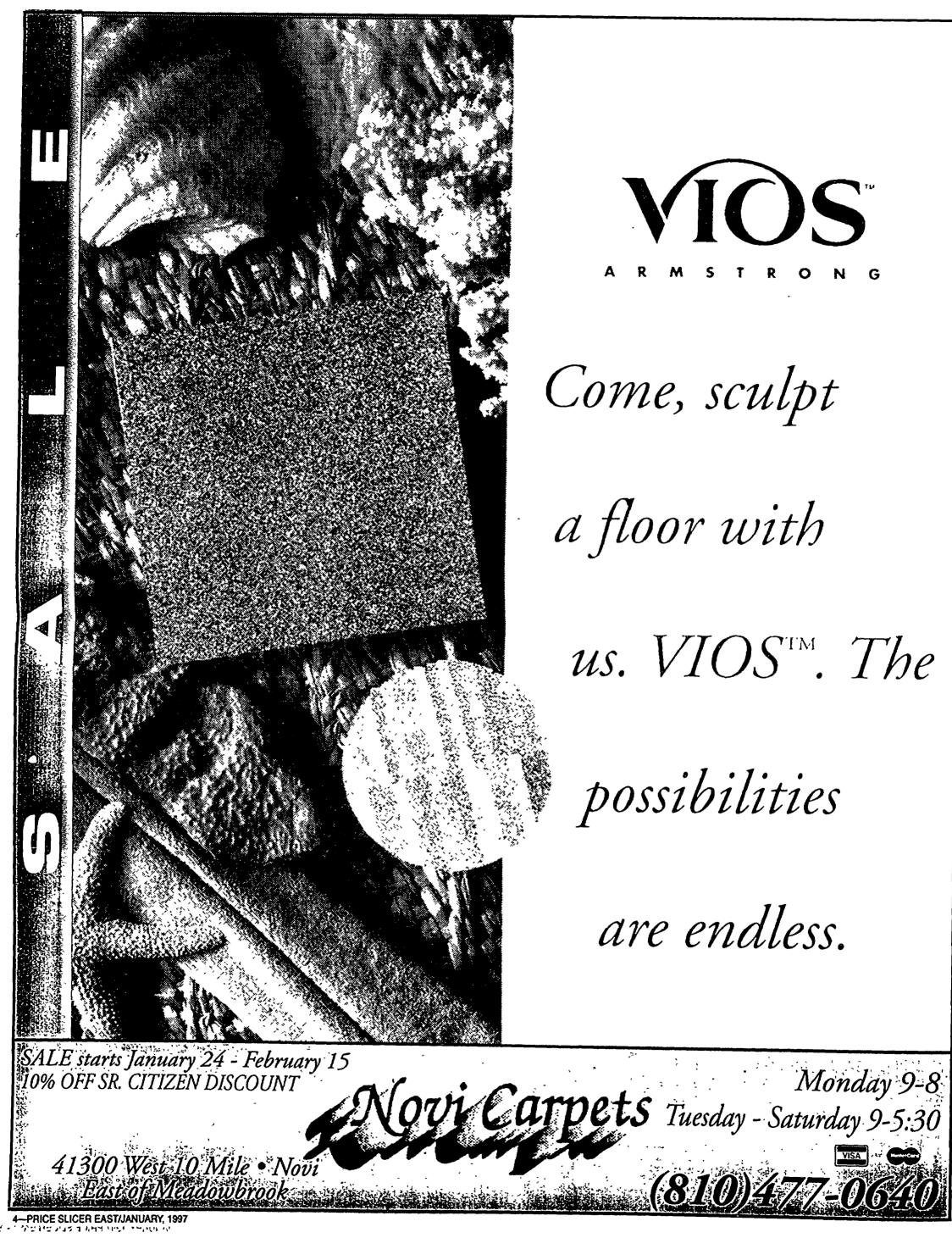
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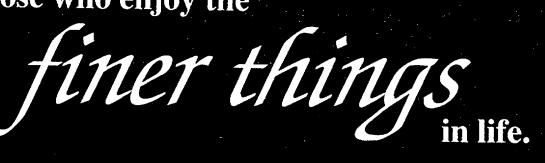
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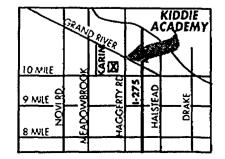


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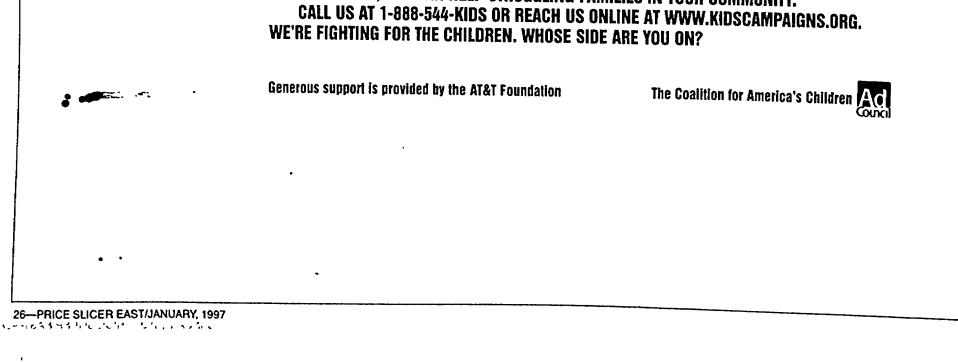


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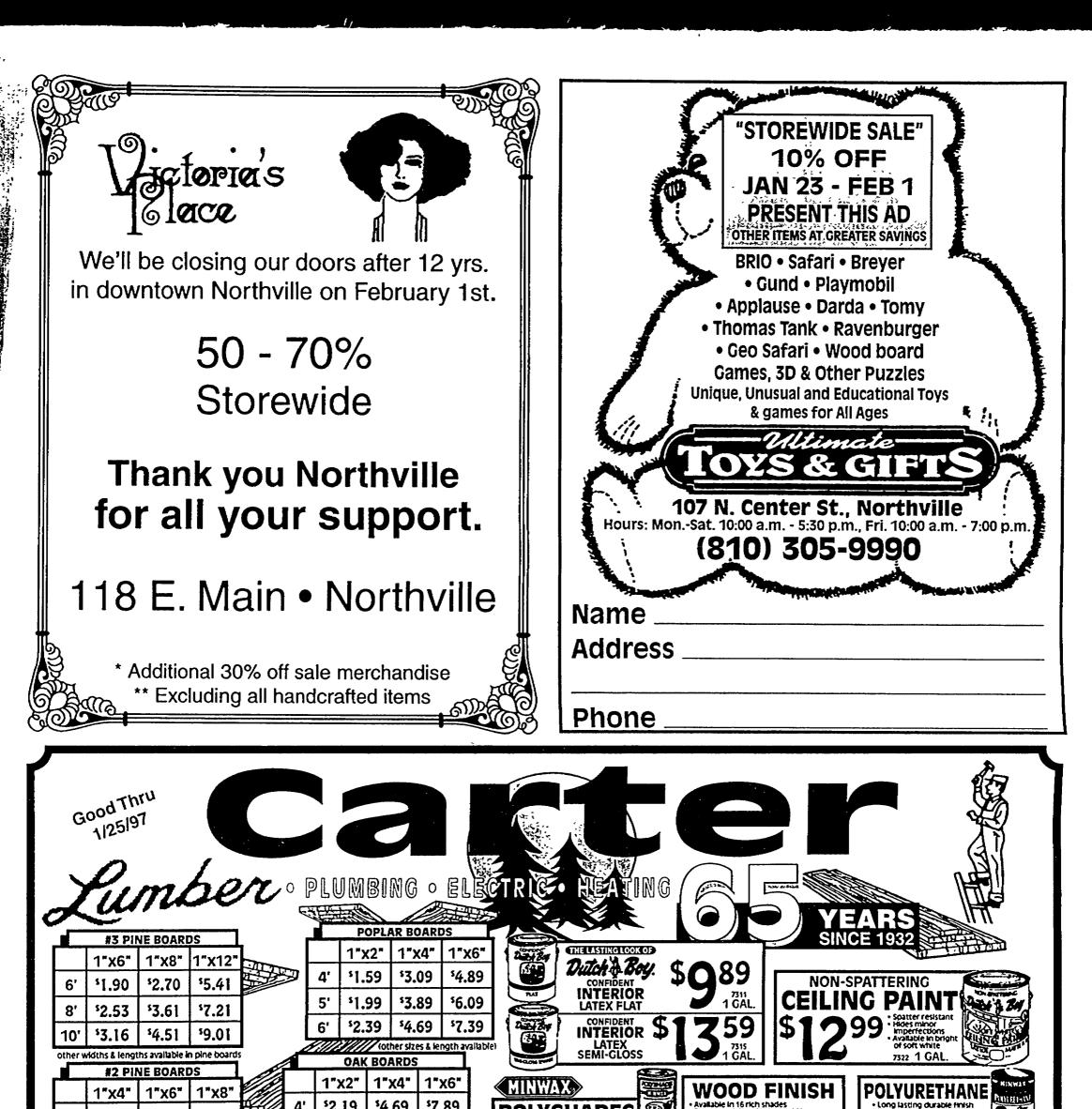
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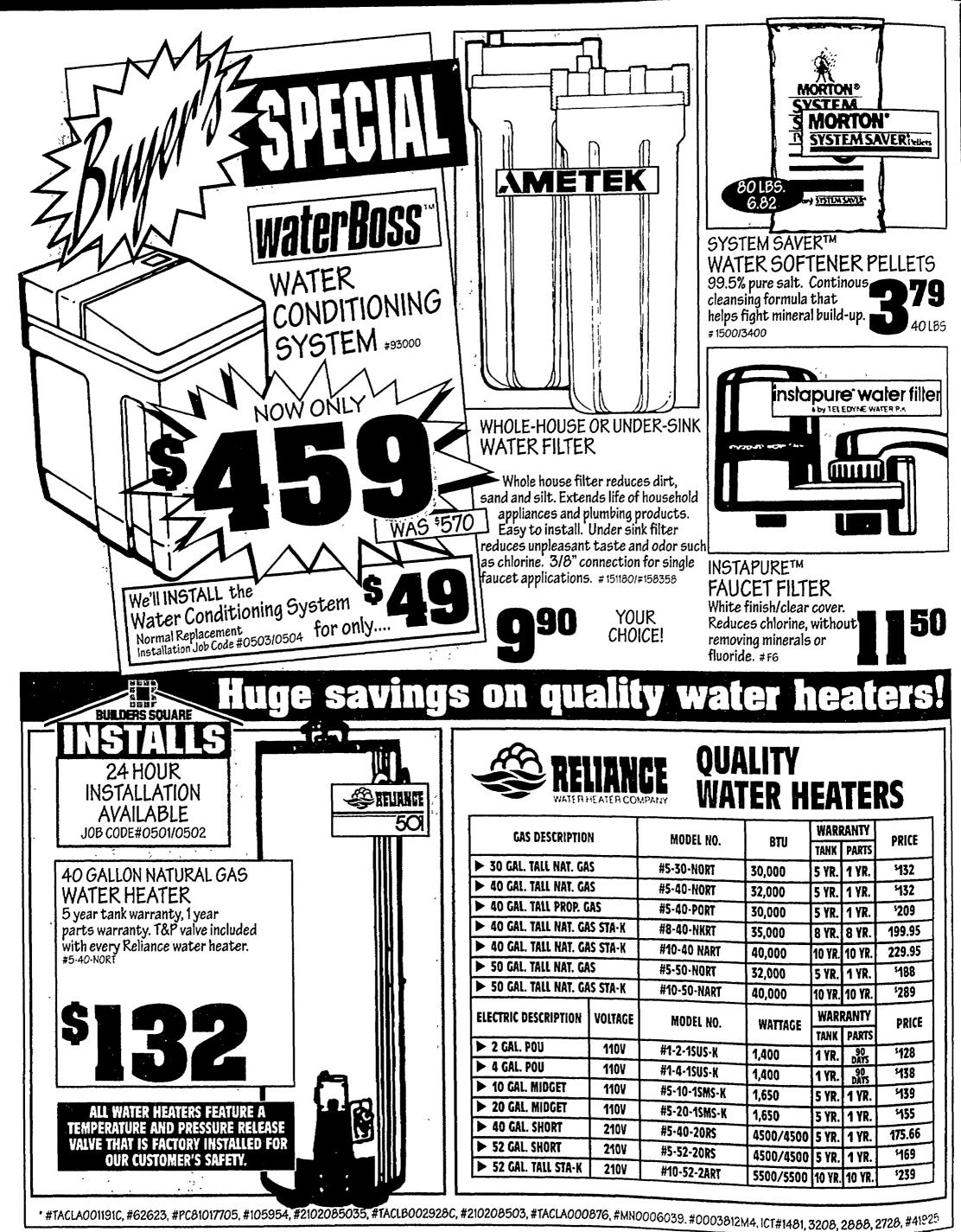


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