

Fire Destroys Novi Auto Parts

Police Seek Cause Of \$200,000 Fire



PRE-DAWN FLAMES VISIBLE FROM NORTHVILLE BOIL SKYWARD, DESTROYING ONE OF NOVI'S OLDEST BUSINESSES

Raging flames destroyed one of Novi's oldest businesses, Novi Auto Parts, 43131 Grand River, in the pre-dawn hours Tuesday morning as firemen from four departments battled to keep the blaze from spreading to adjacent buildings.

The Walter Tuck family had been doing business in the building since it was built in 1925. Located opposite the Novi branch of the National Bank of Detroit, the building was still burning at 7 a.m.

Causes of the blaze was unknown Wednesday. Firemen encountered a water shortage in battling the holocaust that destroyed the entire store area on the east side of the building and did upwards of \$200,000 damage, but they were able to keep it contained thus saving neighboring buildings.

The garage portion of the building remains standing but damaged. Contents of the building were destroyed or damaged.

Because of the lack of water mains in the area the 50-man, 11-unit task force had to draw water in tankers from Novi Road at Nine Mile, and Grand River at Seeley Road.

Police blocked off Grand River to traffic.

"It was the worst fire we've had in Novi in two years," said Novi Fire Lieutenant Marvin Tobel, "but we could have saved that building if we hadn't run out of water."

The first alarm was turned in at 4:33 a.m. by an employee of Herb Service station, Grand River at Novi Road. He had been alerted by a passing motorist, according to reports.

Novi, Northville Farmington and Walled Lake departments all responded to the blaze that could be seen from Northville as it ripped through the roof sending huge balls of flames skyward.

The blaze appeared to have started in the front section of the building, eating its way to the rear. Firemen fighting flames from the east side and from the roof of the garage managed temporarily to keep the fire from the rear roof. But the intense heat finally broke through the roof and that section went, too.

Only the building's scoured framework and piles of rubble were left.

Watching the fire consume the business that he launched nearly a half-century ago, the Novi Garage was the retired Walter Tuck. His sons raced to remove some of the supplies stored in the garage portion of the building.

Helene McAskin will serve a one-year-term, Betsy Alcala two years, Arvie Athas three years, Philip Cozadd four years and Rose Howard five years.

A four-man electrical board was set up to review applications of those seeking electrical licenses from the city. As a board, the group will not conduct electrical inspections according to councilmen but will act as an appeals board in matters where electrical deficiencies are involved.

Herbert Fischer of 11 Mile Road, will serve as electrical inspector on the board, J. C. Currell of Farmington, as the representative of Detroit Edison, Robert Howey of Orchard Hills as journeyman and Elton Heathcock as electrical contractor.

In further business Monday night the council denied a request from Leon Zolkover of Kaufman and BBoard Developers to grant building permits prior to plat approval.

Zolkover wanted permits granted on building sites in Heatherwood and Heatherlea subdivisions, currently frozen by the city pending answer on sewage problems.

Councilmen complained about drainage problems already existing in the company's Ten Mile development - Village Oaks.

Denis Berry led the attack on Zolkover saying that he had been in a

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Robert Case May Quit Post

Assistant to the Mayor Robert Case has submitted a letter of resignation to the mayor and council. The News learned this yesterday.

However, neither the mayor nor the council discussed the matter Tuesday night, and Case declined comment pending a discussion with councilmen.

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Wixom Police Chief Post Eyed

Council Seeks Appointive Role

Wixom councilmen, by unanimous vote Tuesday night, resolved to take up at their next meeting the question of whether or not they could appoint a police chief.

Councilman Gene Schmelz delivered an attorney Tuesday in which he concluded that Mayor Gilbert Willis had exercised his appointive power, within the 30 day limit, when he named sergeant Larry Beamish acting

police chief May 12, - 22 days after the resignation of Police Chief Thomas McGuire on April 20.

Schmelz said in his opinion that action had also passed on for discussion March 9 a proposal which would raise Beamish's salary from a sergeant's (\$10,000) to that of a chief.

The jump would be \$1,500. The discussion was placed on the next agenda with Councilwoman Mary Parvu providing the sole objection.

"Why wait?" she asked. "Why not do it now. It should have been done long ago."

In other business Tuesday night, councilmen asked for a report from Schmelz concerning the legitimacy of a special meeting held May 8, 1968, in which a debt for \$10,000 was allegedly incurred for street repairs.

Schmelz was asked to include in his opinion comments on the legality of proceedings which took place that night, and any recourse the city might have in court against them.

According to Councilwoman Mary Parvu, who served on the council at that time, the street repair issue came up in a special meeting called during a budget discussion.

Meanwhile, no records of work done, or contracts signed can be found by city officials - none that is except the bill from Holloway Construction Company.

According to mayor's assistant Robert Case, a \$10,000 credit is due the city from the Oakland County DPW. The money will come from interest income on sewer bond payments, Case said.

In still other business Tuesday, councilmen adopted the Fidelity Bank of Michigan, Wixom Branch, as the official city depository along with the Novi branch of the National Bank of

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AAUW PLAY PREVIEW - Covering before the Wicked Witch of the West (Mrs. W. A. Arnold) are the Tin Man (Mrs. John Anderson), Scare Crow (Mrs. Juergen Badendieck) and Cowardly Lion (Mrs. Dave VanHine) who presented previews of the Plymouth AAUW play, "Wizard of Oz," this week in Northville schools. Two performances will be given Saturday, March 6, at Northville High School. Mrs. VanHine, AAUW president and Northville resident, points out tickets now are on sale and that a sell-out is expected.

AAUW Expects Sell-out

Children's Play Set

For the 11th consecutive year, the amateur thespians of the Plymouth branch of the American Association of University Women will bring live theatre to Northville area youngsters through their annual children's play. This year's production will be the childhood classic, "The Wizard of Oz," and will be presented Saturday, March 6, in the Northville High School auditorium at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Tickets for the three-act play, aimed at a four to ten-year-old audience, will be available through the Northville public and parochial school systems today and Friday and at Del's Shoe Store, 153 E. Main, after February 24. Tickets are 50 cents each. Area residents may contact Northville ticket chairman, Mrs. Douglas Smith at 349-4687, for further information.

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News from the Castle ACROSS FROM "THE PALACE" THAT IS Are you "turned-on" by this dreary, damp, cold, cold beautiful weather? Really great stuff for those who like to ride the slopes. Well, we prefer boats, sunshine, flowers and 80 degree temps. We enjoy those who have been able to take the break to warmer climes. We get our shot on the houseboat up and down Florida the month of April. Don't call us - we'll call you. Til then, we will project some show and tell items on a few of our friends (I think!). Mrs. Reef and "Sammy" are redoing the library on 8 Mile Road for some coming in the month of March (oh boy!) That "Sammy" makes more sense than some of our customers, as of late. With this gorgeous weather he will answer Mrs. Reef with "I wanna stay home" on being approached with an outdoor trip! Sammy - by the way is a talking bird. Now I know you'll say we're nuts! What a guy! Weddings are getting the word on are something else! The John Conn's from Plymouth gave us a deadline of May! Of course, they can't catch us in Florida. For them - we'll make it - if we have to come back - ever heard of a flying boat? (We try just a little bit harder!) Then there is Liz and Richard with the end of March date. Also That has to be one of the nicest things that could happen to two nice people. (I don't know about the Rose Garden though.) The John Banks (formerly on Thompson) later of Plymouth has purchased a Henry Ford restored Greek Revival farm in Macon (Mich.). The Banks (along with our help) will finish it - Ah Me! Bev and I went looking for the Revival (on a Sunday yet) two different times. Had we been running the Channel or crossing Charlotte Bay I think our luck could have been better on the last try! Pat Sullivan came aboard again today (tanned from Puerto Rico) for another fabric selection. We have trying to finish up her "Castic" - three times and out they say. We could go on and on with our people we are working with now but this should hold you for awhile. More later! This should keep you chuckling till Spring. We are busy, busy, busy and come April - if everybody pays - we'll be long gone... Sir Robert Bruce and Lady Beverly (Bruce and Bev that is) Husband Warning: "Orin - Jamie was in today." P.S. Dawn and Diann will be on deck while Ma and Pa play. The Earl of Tudor will be absent though - with his two boys and us fishing and floating. He loves boats and sun.

At Northville School Board Class Size Grievance Aired

Northville school board trustees voted 5-0 to deny a grievance brought by the Northville Education Association (NEA) which charged the district violated the contract in the area of teaching loads. Trustees Glenn Deibert and Richard Martin were absent from Monday night's meeting. The NEA had requested a closed hearing on the grievance contending it "involved personalities." The request was denied by trustees following a 20 minute session behind closed doors where reasons why the hearing should be closed were reportedly discussed. The area of the contract covering class size states "...every effort will be made to keep class sizes at an acceptable number as indicated by the financial condition of the district, the building facilities available and the best interests of the district as deemed administratively feasible."

Community Calendar

- TODAY, FEBRUARY 25 Film Festival, 8 p.m., Northville Presbyterian Church. Northville Historical Society, 8 p.m., Scout-Recreation. Plymouth AAUW, 8 p.m., Junior High West. Christian Women, Sweetheart Dinner, 7 p.m., Mayflower Meeting House. Novi Chamber of Commerce B of D, 8 p.m., Rosewood. Novi Rotary, noon, Quality House. Northville Commandary, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple. Weight-Watchers, 7:30 p.m., Presbyterian Church. FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26 Farmington Musical Benefit, 12:30 p.m., North Congregational Church. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27 Northville community School Tour, 9 a.m., board of education offices. Northville Lodge No. 186, F & AM, colonial portrayal, 7:30 p.m. Pancake-Sausage Supper, 4:30-7:30 p.m., St. Paul's Lutheran Church. MONDAY, MARCH 1 Northville City Council, 8 p.m., Council Chambers. Novi City Council, 8 p.m., Council Chambers. Novi Athletic Boosters, 8 p.m., Novi High. T O P S , 7 : 3 0 p . m . Scout-Recreation. Northville Lodge No. 186, F & AM, 7:30 p.m. Roamin' Riders, 7:30 p.m., Detroit Federal Savings. TUESDAY, MARCH 2 Combined Northville PTA's, 8 p.m., Amerman. Northville Town Hall Board, 10 a.m., 18297 Edenderry. Presbyterian Potluck Lenten Dinner, 6:30 p.m., at church. Northville City Planning Commission, 8 p.m., Council Chambers. Salem Township Board, 8 p.m., Town Hall. City of Novi Appeals Board, 8 p.m., Council Chambers. Novi Jaycees, 8 p.m., Novi Community Building. Northville Rotary, noon, Presbyterian Church. VFW Post 4012, 8 p.m., Northville Explorer Scouts, 7 p.m., American Legion. Weight-Watchers, 10 a.m., 500 S. Harvey, Plymouth. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3 Northville City Appeals Board, 8 p.m., Council Chambers. Northville Optimists, 6:30 p.m., Thunderbird. VFW Auxiliary Post 4012, 8 p.m., VFW Hall. Union Chapter, RAM, 7:30 p.m. We-Way-Co, 8 p.m., Plymouth Central High. THURSDAY, MARCH 4 Northville China Painters, 10 a.m., Plymouth Credit Union. Northville Cooperative Nursery, 8 p.m., Scout-Recreation.

Enlarged Board Assists Cavern

An enlarged, new 10-member adult corporate board for Northville's Cavern Teen Club held its first meeting last Sunday. Comprising the board are Martin Rinehart, Donald Williams, E. O. Weber, Halton Axtell, Blake Coxe, Mrs. James Tellam, Mrs. George Weiss, Mrs. William White, Mrs. Robert Crane and Mrs. Robert Reegenhardt. The new adult board will work with the club's teen corporate board responsible for maintaining and running the club. The group is in immediate need of an adult volunteer advisor. Any interested adult is asked to contact a teen or adult board member.

for teaching. It is impossible for one person to help each student. Projects and papers become out of the question because of the lack of time."

Mrs. Cheryl Hayes, a typing teacher with 38 and 35 students in two of her classes, said "with 40 typewriters, I wanted a maximum of 35 students since five typewriters are always broken. It's hard to help the individual student with so many in a class."

She pointed out that a repairman comes "every Tuesday to fix the machines, but there are some days when students do not have a machine to work on or must use a broken machine." Ralph Redmond, speed reading teacher with 22 students in two of his classes, explained "The facilities are not. Students are not achieving what they could if we had additional machines. We have a problem in the classroom."

Miss Kathy Miller, home economics teacher with 30 girls in one class, noted "With 12 sewing machines and two that do not work, we have three girls to a machine. Individual attention is impossible and you can't get projects done. In the foods lab we have five and six girls to a kitchen. I can't keep them busy."

Board members asked the seven teachers to present what they recommended in view of the tight budget situation and cutbacks which were responsible for extra teachers not being hired at mid-year.

Mrs. Mary Bray, a German teacher, said "Students who have six hours of class in a six hour day should be removed from an English class if they are taking two English classes or should be limited to taking four or five hours of class a day."

"Do you feel this is in the prime interest of the student? Is this good education?" Trustee Andrew Orphan questioned.

"It's better than letting class size climb," Mrs. Bray said. "Rather than have six mediocre classes, let the students take five good classes."

Trustee Eugene Cook said the district "has maintained the best class size we possibly could. As far as the grievance is concerned, we have heard this out. Our largest class size is lower than some districts in the area and our average class size is lower than that in some districts. The contract does not say the teachers' recommendations on class size must be accepted but only that they may so therefore the grievance is not in order."

The motion, made by Orphan and supported by Cook, to deny the grievance won unanimous support of the board members present.

In other board action Monday night, trustees - approved a resolution calling for enactment of House Bill 4194, which would maintain the grandfather clause in the state aid act and remove the ceiling placed on per pupil expenditures; and - approved hiring the firm of Plante & Moran, certified public accountants, as the district's auditors for the 1970-71 school year.



THE WINNER - Under the dragon's head and body are Wixom Councilman and Mrs. Robert Dingeldey, Councilman and Mrs. Val Vangiesen, and Fred Morehead, winners of first prize for costume at Saturday's ball in Wixom. Mrs. Morehead played the dragon lady and led the papier-mache dragon around the dance floor.

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SECOND FRONT PAGE around Northville



THESE TWO Child Development Center dormitories, northernmost buildings facing Sheldon road, are being sought by Michigan State Police for area post headquarters and a crime laboratory. Five such buildings are currently vacant

Needs County OK

State Police Seek Post in Northville

The possible location of a state police post and crime laboratory in Northville township just west of the hands of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners. Two vacant dormitory buildings on the Sheldon road Child Development Center (Training School) property have been termed ideal sites by State Police officials. But whether the request to lease the buildings from the county will gain approval remains questionable. State police are seeking new quarters for both the Detroit post in Redford and the crime laboratory now located in Plymouth. Facilities are especially crowded at the Seven Mile and Grand River post where both officers assigned to patrol of the Northville-Plymouth area and the intelligence unit are headquartered. Transfer of the patrol contingent to a new Northville post would relieve the Detroit post. At the same time the rapidly expanding crime lab would gain both needed space and the security and convenience of being located next to a post headquarters if the county facilities could be leased. The local site and buildings were recently inspected by Michigan State Police Commander Colonel John R. Platts and his deputy, Lt. Col. Melvin G. Kaufman. They indicated extensive reconditioning of the buildings would be required, but approved the site and space facilities. If the county would agree to reasonable lease conditions, state police officials believe that funds would be available for renovation. Last week Township Supervisor

See Budget OK For Recreation

Although no formal action was taken and even though a number of questions went unanswered Thursday, city and township officials are expected to approve the proposed 1971-72 recreation budget totaling \$41,992.15. The budget was reviewed Thursday at a joint meeting of the township board and city council, with a point-by-point explanation by Recreation Director Robert Prom. The proposal exceeds expected 1970-71 expenditures by \$3,810.55 and the 1970-71 proposal by \$2,136.15. City Manager Frank Ollendorff asked for but received no consensus of the budget as presented. Nevertheless, he voiced optimism later that the budget will be approved - probably by the city on March 2 and by the township on March 9. The recreation department is jointly financed by the city and township at a rate based on the number of participants from each municipality. Thus, the city's share of the proposed budget would be \$18,997.36 and the township's, \$14,054.79. The remainder would come from fees, sponsorships, rents, registration, etc. By having the proposed budget reviewed jointly by the two municipalities, Prom hopes to avoid the past practice of having to "jump back and forth" between the two governing bodies as they discuss, alter and approve all or parts of the budget. A change by one, under this practice, necessitates later concurrence by the other thus delaying final approval. Several officials present for Thursday's meeting (Mayor A. M. Allen and Charles Lapham were absent) voiced favorable comments. A number, however, questioned some budget matters that could conceivably delay action. For example, Trustee Bernard Baldwin voiced concern over the fact that some 50-percent of the budget is slated for wages and salaries. This percentage, he said, appeared to be "very high," and he asked for a breakdown showing a comparison of wages spent for each recreational activity. "Our job," he told Prom, "is to get the best program we can with the money we expend."

College to Request One Mill Increase

A ballot question to increase construction-operational millage in the Schoolcraft Community College District was expected to get the endorsement of the college board of trustees last night (Wednesday). Both of Northville's representatives on the board, R. Robert Geake and B. William Secord, favored the one-mill hike going into yesterday's meeting. If it is approved as proposed, college district voters would decide a two-part proposition on Monday, September 13 - one asking for a half-mill increase for construction of additional facilities and the other asking for a half-mill increase for operation. Two weeks ago at an executive session, a poll of board members indicated that all trustees favored asking voters to increase the district's millage from 1.77 to 2.77 mills, although Geake opposed placing the question before voters in a special election. Stanley Johnston, member of the recreation committee and himself a

Bids Tabled, Negotiations Underway

Detroit Fans Hope For State Park

City of Northville may have lost the battle but won the war over the controversial disposition of the Maybury Sanatorium property. At least that's how City Manager Frank Ollendorff views it in the wake of Detroit's decision to purchase the property in hopes of negotiating a sale to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for a state park. Michigan legislators to allocate funds for urbanized Wayne County. However, it has been learned that at least one Upper Peninsula representative looks favorably on the state purchase of the Maybury site. The fact that Northville's three state legislators are leaders at Lansing is seen as a bonus in local efforts to preserve Maybury for state recreation. Representative Marvin Stempien, majority leader of the House of Representatives and member of the appropriation committee, and Senator Carl Pursell, who sits on the Senate appropriation committee, have been keys in boosting the state park proposal. Northville's other legislator,

State Aid Cut Costs \$39,000

Superintendent Raymond Spear said this week the new legislation aimed at balancing the state's budget would trim the local school budget by \$39,000. The figures are based on the legislative formula which cuts state aid by three-fourths of one per cent of the total school district operating budget and one-fifth of the grandfather clause which guarantees that no district will receive less state aid per pupil than it did the previous year. The formula was OK'd last week. In Northville, the cuts amount to \$39,000 in state aid - \$22,000 from three-fourths of one per cent of the total budget and \$17,000 from the grandfather clause. In January, Spear had placed freezes and cuts totaling \$70,000 on the budget. "Ideally, we should be able to reinstate \$30,000 from the categories we froze. The areas that were cut will not be reinstated this year," Spear said. "But," he noted, "we will probably be able to reinstate only \$15,000 because expenditures in some categories are way over budget due to the unusually harsh winter. The decision will be made March 8 on what will be put back into the budget." On that date the monthly budget report will be issued showing how all categories stand. Spear said he is "concerned with expenses incurred in the areas of teacher absenteeism which is much higher this year than usual, ice and snow removal and heating costs." Among the areas he said would be put back into the budget first are field trips, classified personnel (custodial, clerical, etc.) where most urgently needed and "reasonable" conference attendance for staff members.

NEWS BRIEFS

THANKS TO a few "patriotic" pranksters, American flags flown at Northville Township Hall don't have a chance to get worn out. Another flag, the third in the past few months, was reported stolen from the flag pole last week. COMMUNITY TOUR of new facilities recently completed at Northville's six schools will be held Saturday. The open house will begin with coffee at 9 a.m. at the school board offices and the buildings will be open until noon. Tours through the new facilities, constructed during the district's 1970 building program, will be conducted by school board members and administrators. MORE MILLAGE, over and above the 17 mills up for renewal in Northville schools' March 6 election, may be put to the voters in the June election, Superintendent Raymond Spear announced this week. A proposal to put a 2.5 mill hike on the March ballot was voted down earlier this month by school board members. Spear said the preliminary budget for 1971-72 shows a \$200,000 deficit. "Whether we go for extra millage and if so how much, will be decided later," he said. BOARD OF REVIEW hearings are scheduled in March for city and township property owners wishing to object to their property assessments. Township dates are March 2, 3, 8 and 9 with hours from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. on the 2nd and 8th and 4 p.m. until 10 p.m. on the 3rd and 9th at the township hall. In the city hearings will be held from 1 until 5 p.m. and 7 until 9 p.m. on March 9 and from 9 a.m. until noon and 1-4 p.m. on March 23 at the city hall. (See Speaking for The Record - Page 10-A). DEADLINE for payment of school and county taxes by Northville township residents is Monday, March 1. After that day, Treasurer Joseph Straub notes that payment must be made directly to the county and that a four per cent penalty plus one-half of one per cent per month is added. Through Tuesday Treasurer Straub reported that \$1,600,000 of a total levy of \$1,803,000 had been collected from Township taxpayers. That's 90 per cent. The city of Northville treasurer said there were no figures available on collections. February 16 was the deadline for residents of the city, so the four per cent penalty now applies. Ollendorff may be reluctance of rural

from the Pastor's Study

Equal Time For God

Pastor Geo. Tietel Jr. Immanuel Ev. Luth. Church



A news broadcast informed us last week that someone has introduced an interesting new bill into the legislature...

Nobody has ever even come close to reasonably proving that we all exist because of some great cosmic accident...

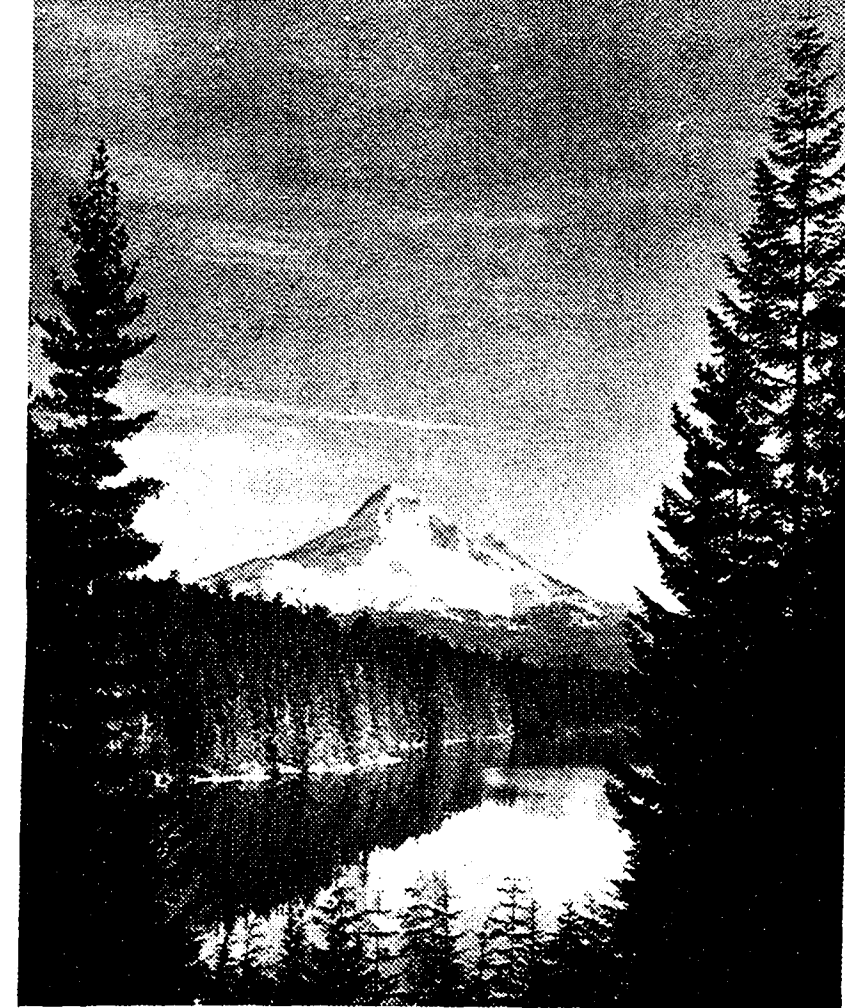
present, in a fair and objective manner, that not everyone "swallows" the theory of evolution as a satisfactory worldview...

The hoax that has been inflicted upon us is as follows: The fantastic theory that everything in the universe and in human history can be explained by "evolution" is being presented as assured truth and well-founded fact.

Now, in spite of our American separation of church and state, this "evolutionary religion" has acquired free rein to be taught and campaigned for in our tax-supported schools...

Exodus 31:17: "...in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, and on the seventh day he rested, and was refreshed."

THE SHINING GOAL



It's a long hike! Traveling to your goal can take a lifetime, but it's worth it. Every morning we start on another stage of the journey, and it's up to us how much we accomplish before nightfall.

What is the goal? What is our highest peak of spiritual development? What are the rewards? All the things we long for — peace of mind... perfect freedom... contentment... happiness.

Many are still struggling through the forests of unbelief and despair. Some are lost and confused in the mists of doubt. Others are already climbing the foothills of hope.

The Christian scriptures are your infallible guidebook, and the Christian Church offers you a picture of spiritual refreshment along life's road. Attend church this Sunday, and continue your journey with a brighter light... and a lighter heart.

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Farmington: FARMINGTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Salem: SALEM BIBLE CHURCH
Novi: TRI-COUNTY BAPTIST
South Lyon: SOUTH LYON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pinckney: PINCKNEY CONGREGATIONAL
Livonia: LIVING LORD
Green Oak: GREEN OAK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
New Hudson: NEW HUDSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Hamburg: HAMBURG BAPTIST CHURCH
Northville: NORTHVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Walled Lake: WALLED LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Whitmore Lake: WHITMORE LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Plymouth: PLYMOUTH SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
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Babson Report

Signs Point to National Housing Boom in 70's

WELLESLEY HILLS, Mass. — Based on expected net household formations, replacement of dilapidated units, the need for new vacancies, and demand for second homes, total requirements for housing — new or rehabilitated — has been estimated at 26 million units during this decade.

changes in the industry. Since the 1950s, building restrictions and rigid labor shortages have made money families hard to overcome. Traditionally, residential construction has been a \$25-billion-a-year business...

However, a number of proposals are under consideration to improve the flow of mortgage funds, and there are hopeful signs that this decade will see a better flow of credit and an alleviation of the impact of monetary policy on housing.

As originally conceived by Housing and Urban Development Secretary George Romney, Operation Breakthrough was to pay twenty-two companies to design and build innovative housing projects. However, budget cuts and opposition to the plan in several of the cities chosen have made for extremely slow progress.

is generating considerable enthusiasm. More than 400 companies — ranging from a small, purely modular firm such as Sterling Homex to such giant diversified concerns as General Electric and U.S. Steel — are attempting to carve out a future for themselves in the field of factory-made homes. Obviously, not all 400 will be successful.

factory-manufactured housing is an exciting idea that has the potential for spectacular growth in the 1970's. Despite the intriguing potential and the big names involved, however, it must be recognized that at the present time factory-built housing (with the exception of mobile homes) is still in the experimental stage, and very few companies are making any profit from it.

Michigan Mirror

Color Our State in Red Ink!

LANSING — Half a billion dollars further into debt during the past year! That's the combined deficits of Michigan's major local governments.

Natural Resources paid \$63,000 in bounties on bobcat cubs with money taken from the bobting and fishing license fund "thru" says.

SALEM BIBLE CHURCH (948) W. Six Mile, Salem, Mich. 48064. Sunday School, 10 a.m. & 7 p.m.

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Loose Leaf

Wife Pinch Hits Hope

My most severe critic, no one withstanding, is my wife. Give her a column you think is good and she's never at a loss to mention how it might be better.

Post-transfusion hepatitis has always been a major problem in medicine because, until now, there has been no way to screen blood donors who were carriers of the disease.

THE NEW BLOOD TEST makes use of a substance found only in the blood of hemophilic persons whose blood possesses either little or no clotting ability.

No letters please, pro or con, or she might blossom into a full-time columnist. One in a family is more than enough.

But Hope's poor taste was most evident and most offensive on Sunday, when he virtually ignored the man of the hour, Arnold Palmer.

Yet the tournament host failed to join with the gallery in applauding him, choosing instead to monopolize the cameras with some testy but tasteless humor and lengthy droning about the contest's benefit.

Smart Explains 'No' Time Vote

State Representative Clifford Smart voted "no" on a legislative proposal to adopt daylight savings time in Michigan, he explained this week, because a majority of citizens previously by ballot had indicated they disfavored DST.

Officially say the new test is effective only part of the time but that it should reduce the cases of hepatitis by at least 25 per cent. The substance used in the test is being offered free of charge to all Michigan blood banks until it becomes available commercially.

DIET CONSCIOUS consumers have been given a word of caution from a Michigan State University food marketing agent.

Maryann Melburn says some brands of so-called diet bread are simply regular bread cut into thinner slices.

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Walled Lake

ST. WILLIAMS CATHOLIC CHURCH Walled Lake, Michigan. Pastor: Raymond Jones. Assistant Fr. James Wayworth. Sunday Masses: 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY 12500 W. 10 Mile Rd., Walled Lake, Mich. Pastor: Dan Aker. Sunday School, 10 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Wed.-Youth group meeting, 7:30 p.m.

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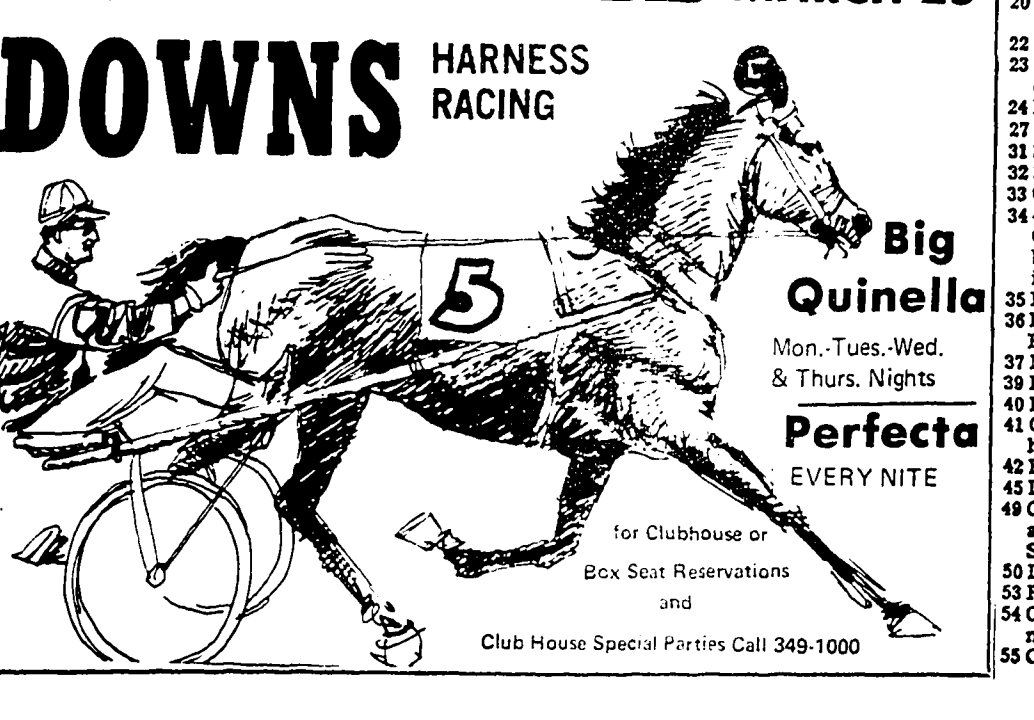
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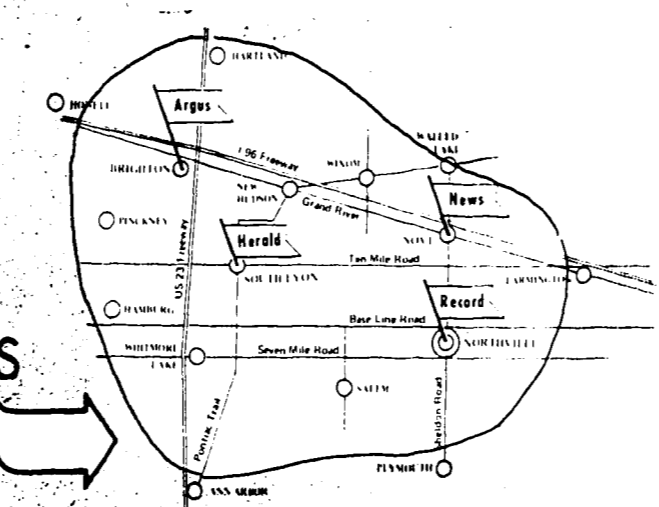
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3-Real Estate listings: 893 W. Ann Arbor Trail Plymouth, 453-1020, Multi-List Service. COBB-HOMES advertisement.

Cozy Lodge In-The-Woods advertisement with photo of a lodge. THE SPORTSMAN advertisement for outdoor gear.

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CARL JOHNSON REAL ESTATE advertisement with contact information.

J. L. HUDSON REAL ESTATE advertisement with logo and contact information.

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COMMERCIAL - HOWELL listing: 100 foot frontage on Grand River (BL-198) across from Shopping center...

J. R. Hayner Insurance & Real Estate advertisement with contact information.

HASENAU BUILDERS advertisement for custom built homes.

COBB HOMES advertisement for Northville Township property.

FRONTIER REALTY advertisement for Northville Township property.

NORTHVILLE REALTY advertisement with contact information.

QUALITY HOMES, INC. Real Estate Division advertisement with Carrigan logo.

QUALITY HOMES, INC. Real Estate Division advertisement with Carrigan logo and contact information.

HARTFORD REALTY INC. advertisement for Northville Township property.

RALPH L. BANFIELD REAL ESTATE advertisement for near I-96 and US 23 property.

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3-Real Estate listings: NEAR I-96 & US 23 Immediate Occupancy - 3 B.R. Carpeted L.R. - 1 car garage...

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Kon Sultz Agency Real Estate & Insurance advertisement with contact information.

3 BDR. NEARLY NEW, LOCATED ON 3 ACRES, 2 CAR GARAGE, 1 1/2 BATHS, oil heat, a good buy. (26-14) advertisement.

5-Farm Production listings: FRESH EGGS from Hollow Oak Farms, Baled HAY, will deliver...

6-Household listings: ELECTROLUX 181845 3-bdr. A-1 condition with cleaning tools and paper...

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WALLPAPER - New Strips patterns, Martin's Hardware, South Lyon, 437-2600.

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Out of the Horse's Mouth



Send your questions, comments and horse show news to "Horse's Mouth," care of South Lyon Herald, South Lyon, Mi 48178. This column is open to news of all breeds of horses and ponies.

Showing in Halter - Part 2
 6. Unless the judge requests otherwise, when called upon the horse should first be shown at the walk and then at the trot. To move the horse, proceed as follows:

a. Either (1) reduce the length of the lead strap or rope by a series of coils, held in the right hand or (2) hold the upper part of the lead strap or rope in the right hand and the lower end (or coil) in the left hand, and lead to the left side of the horse. If the horse is well-mannered, give him two to three feet of lead so that he can keep his head, neck and body in a straight line as he moves forward. Do not look back.

b. Smartly and briskly move the horse forward in a straight line for 50 to 100 feet (as directed), with the head up.
 c. Turn to the right; that is, turn the horse away from the exhibitor and walk around the horse (if the horse is turned to the left, he is more apt to step on the exhibitor).
 Make the turn in as small a space as practical, and as effortlessly as possible. When showing at the trot, bring the horse to a walk and ease slightly to the left before turning.

d. Show some knee action (by the exhibitor) when exhibiting the horse, without overdoing the matter.

e. Trail with a whip if permitted and/or desired. If it is done, the "trailer" should follow at a proper distance, keep the animal moving in a straight line, avoid getting between the judge and the horse, and always cross over in front of the horse when entering the barn. Most light horses are given early schooling by trailing with the whip, but maybe shown in the ring without this aid.

7. After (a) walking down (about 50 feet) and walking back and (b) trotting down and trotting back, set the horse up with reasonable promptness in front of the judge. Then, after the judge has given a quick inspection, walk to the location in the line indicated by the ringmaster.

8. Keep the horse posed at all times; keep one eye on the judge and the other on the horse.

9. When the judge signals the exhibitor to change positions, back the horse, or if there is room, turn him to the rear of the line, and approach the new position from behind.

10. Avoid letting the horse kick when in close quarters to other horses.

11. Keep calm, confident, and collected. Remember that the nervous showman creates an unfavorable impression.

12. Work in close partnership with the animal.

13. Be courteous and respect the rights of other exhibitors.

14. Do not stand between the judge and your horse.

15. Be a good sport; win without bragging and lose without squalling. Sally Saddle



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Wow! Novi Dumps South Lyon 61-46

Police Seek Aid In Search For Kathy Radtke See Page I-B

Should Schools Have Open Lunches? See Page 10-A

THE NOVI NEWS SERVING THE CITY OF NOVI AND THE CITY OF WIXOM



MOUTHFUL - Greg Thompson, of 40990 West 10 Mile, joined with fellow scouts Thursday and enjoyed the meal served at Novi Pack No. 54's annual Blue and Gold Banquet.

Novi Police Raids Net \$5,000 in Drugs

Six men ranging in age from 19 to 24 were arrested Monday by Novi police on charges of possessing narcotics. Seized at the same time was "a large quantity of narcotics and dangerous drugs" worth, according to police estimates, upwards of \$5,000 in street sales. The six were released Tuesday afternoon pending prosecutors' consultation. Police said Tuesday afternoon that charges would be decided upon and an arraignment held before Friday. They said the six would not stay in the area as flight would confirm their guilt in the eyes of the court. The arrests came in two separate actions, the first resulting from a tip called to the Novi station early Monday afternoon, and the second as a result of evidence gained in that arrest, combined with the results of two weeks of intensive surveillance of a 12 Mile address carried out by Novi narcotics officers. Arrested Monday afternoon were Richard Stanley Wlodkewski, 24, Stanley Joseph Sopka, 23, both of Romeo, and Ronald Arthur Rafferty, 19 of Allen Park. Police made their move as a result to a tip given them over the phone, indicating a substantial buy of narcotics would be made Monday afternoon at 40101 12 Mile. The house had been under surveillance since February 15 when a routine property investigation revealed a breaking and entry at that address. In the process of investigating the crime, according to reports, police observed "narcotic paraphernalia" scattered about the home. When Wlodkewski, Sopka and Rafferty were stopped on the road after leaving the house, Sopka, the driver of their car, was found to be in possession of a quantity of hashish, a narcotic, according to police. The three were transported, along with their car, to the Novi station where the vehicle was searched. A large amount of narcotic and dangerous drugs were found in a potato chip bag under the front seat and officers were led to believe that a similar quantity existed at the residence on 12 Mile. Police went back to the house at 9:30 Monday evening and found another quantity of "narcotics and dangerous drugs" inside. Arrested for possession at that time were residents Kenneth Allen Moose, 20, Michael Kenneth Goulet, 23, and Larry Steven Meholic, 22. Seized in the car and at the house were quantities of hashish and Tetra Hydro Cannabinol (THC), classified as a dangerous drug by police. The house had been rented in December, police report, by an unmarried couple, Ken Gross and Linda Nathaniel, who lived in it until they left for Florida on vacation February 12. At various times there were as many as six people living in the house, police said. When Gross and Miss Nathaniel left, they also requested police to check on the house to insure against burglary. It was in accordance with this request that police were checking the house when they discovered the break-in. The house and nearby garage were searched by Novi narcotics officers and quantities of narcotics and paraphernalia found on the premises at that time. Planners are set to consider a revision to the Walled Lake area master plan April 5 concerning land use and zoning regulations. A request from Victor Almas to rezone property on Haggerty Road, south of 10 Mile, from single family residential to multiple housing, with a strip of professional office along the 360 feet fronting Haggerty Road, will be considered on March 31. Planners were uncertain as to what zoning district the proposed facility would fall under. Additional reports were requested from planning consultants Vilcan-Leman and Associates as to procedures to be followed in rezoning the remainder of agricultural property located within the city. Last year, she noted, the Novi Auxiliary obtained more than 43,000 coupons. Spells 'Phlegm' To Win JH Bee Kim Brines, eighth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alwood Brines of 23890 Meadowbrook, Novi, won her second title in the annually sponsored Detroit News Spelling Bee held Thursday at Novi Junior High School. With the victory, earned by spelling the word "phlegm," Kim entitled herself to a slot in the district competition. Runner-up was Vicky Kuick of 41881 Quince. Seventh grade winner was Carol Rosey of 23005 Enishore.



\$5,000 HAUL - Hashish (three packages in the center) and THC (bags of white powder) would have brought upwards to \$5,000 on the street, according to police estimates. The "narcotics and dangerous drugs" were seized Monday by Novi Police in two separate but related arrests. The money in the background, more than \$1,000, was found on one of the six persons arrested.

Council Holds Firm On Minimum Lot Size

Novi councilmen decided Monday night to stick with ordinance regulations that specify 60 feet as the minimum width lot on which a building may be constructed. The move was a consensus taken in answer to a request from local land owners Michael Fedak and Seymour Eichenhorn to build on 20 and 40-foot lots they own in the vicinity of Walled Lake. The two told councilmen Monday night that the land had been platted in 1927 and that they had owned it for three years. They noted city ordinances as saying "lawful use of buildings or land at the date of this ordinance (those specifying 60 feet) may be continued." The land had been platted in the '20's, and because the area was serviced by streets maintained by the city, "the land use must be lawful." Mayor Joseph Crupi was adamant. "I don't want to see a 40-foot subdivision in this area," he said. In an informal opinion councilman Edwin Pressnell, Denis Berry, Raymond Evans and Louis Campbell agreed with him. In other business Monday night councilmen listened to, and carried on a lengthy discussion concerning pavement of roads in Novi. Council has been plagued in recent weeks by complaints of heavy construction trucks using Meadowbrook and Nine Mile roads in the area of Meadowbrook Lakes and Village Oaks. Reports that the heavy, double-bottom trucks have been tearing up the roads have resulted in "no truck" and "no thru truck" signs being posted by police along Nine Mile and along Meadowbrook. Ron Birou, former president of the Meadowbrook Lakes Homeowners Association, was on hand Monday night and complained that he had observed two of the trucks crossing the dangerously undercut bridge along Nine Mile near Meadowbrook Lake. The subject of paving Meadowbrook Road came up but it was pointed out that the city could not initiate such a project. Councilmen suggested that interested citizen groups obtain petitions from city hall and circulate them along the citizenry. Councilman Raymond Evans pointed out that by decision of the former council, there was a priority list set up for the paving of roads and that Taft road, between 10 and 11 Mile, was at the head of it. Meadowbrook, Evans said, was second on that list. In still other business Monday, councilmen: - Listened to questions concerning a sewer retention tank to be built as part of the current Oakland County sewer expansion project in the area of Meadowbrook and Nine Mile roads. Earlier discussion revealed that plans were being considered for a liftless tank. Mayor Crupi said communication from the county indicated that the tank would not be used until the sewer program reached its full capacity and that when it was used it would be covered, using monies that are currently available. - Authorized City Manager Dallas Zonkers to spend \$820 in the purchase of a steam culvert cleaner. The city, according to Zonkers, will receive \$100 in discounts for part rental fees that count toward the purchase price. - Designated Manufacturers Bank as a second depository of the City of Novi. Original depository is the National Bank of Detroit. Manufacturers has two offices in the area - Northville and Farmington. - Authorized Zonkers to determine the cost figure for engineering drawings concerning a water line proposed through Novi into the City of Wixom.

Novi Auto Parts Back in Business

Novi Auto Parts, destroyed last week in a pre-dawn blaze that drew fire departments from four surrounding communities, re-opened today in a new location with new and salvaged stock. The new building is located at 43450 Grand River at the corner of Novi Road. Donald Tuck, one-third owner with his father Walter and brother Harold, said Saturday that "the community has been wonderful in terms of offers to help. Anything that we need...we've been flooded with offers." Servicing the entire area, as far away as Brighton, Commerce, Farmington and Plymouth, with auto parts and engine rebuilding facilities, the firm's former location was wiped out early last week in what former termed "one of the worst fires we've ever had in Novi." The flames took a toll estimated by Tuck at \$250,000 in office equipment, inventory and damage done to the building. "We're going to rebuild on that site," said Tuck. "We'll be in a new building hopefully before winter." It was a grueling week as Tuck, his father and his brother worked to salvage several custom made boring and grinding machines as well as some 10 to 25-percent of the firm's original stock from the ruins of the fire.



NEW QUARTERS - The Tucks (from left), son Harold, father Walter, and son Donald were prepared to reopen their 50-year old business today in temporary quarters near the corner of Novi and Grand River. Friends and neighbors worked through the weekend and most of last week to get this building ready following last week's fire that destroyed Novi Auto Parts' former location.

Master Plan Set for Hearing

Novi planners set two public hearings and asked for two opinions at their regular business meeting last week Wednesday. Planners are set to consider a revision to the Walled Lake area master plan April 5 concerning land use and zoning regulations. A request from Victor Almas to rezone property on Haggerty Road, south of 10 Mile, from single family residential to multiple housing, with a strip of professional office along the 360 feet fronting Haggerty Road, will be considered on March 31. Planners were uncertain as to what zoning district the proposed facility would fall under. Additional reports were requested from planning consultants Vilcan-Leman and Associates as to procedures to be followed in rezoning the remainder of agricultural property located within the city.

Coupon Drive Planned By Jaycee Auxiliary

March will be "Betty Crocker Coupon Month" in Novi schools, according to the Novi Jaycee Auxiliary. The auxiliary will leave canisters in all elementary school classrooms and encourage children to clip the coupons and deposit them during the school day. The coupons are redeemable for cash to buy artificial kidney machines by General Mills, say co-chairmen Mrs. James Cheroff and Mrs. Dick Jensen. "It takes 60,000 coupons for one machine and to date the Michigan Jaycees have been responsible for buying 14 machines," Mrs. Cheroff said. The drive will continue until April 5 with similar canisters located in local grocery and drug stores "so that residents can deposit their coupons as well," said Mrs. Cheroff.

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