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Walled Lake's Steve Rundell didn't even take time to get off his bike as he rode directly into Walled Lake to avoid the heat last week

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TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

Transit officials back down on Dial-A-Ride stop threat

Backing down on a threat to discontinue Lakes Area Special Dial-A-Ride service as of July 21 — a deadline that was later extended to July 28 — Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority (SEMTA) officials said yesterday that the van will continue to operate for the "foreseeable future."

"Our main objective now is to work out some solution to continue the service," said Dan Morrill, SEMTA assistant general manager, after a meeting Monday afternoon attended by Oakland County Commissioners Dennis Murphy and Wallace Gabler, Oakland's three delegates to the regional transportation authority's board and SEMTA General Manager Larry Salci.

"We're going to contact and communicate with all the actors involved in getting this problem solved," he added, "and keeping away from the confrontations of the last few weeks."

Morrill and Salci said they would try to arrange a meeting, possibly next week, with local officials to continue negotiations on the Lakes Area Special.

If there appears to be absolutely no hope of resolving the issues, Morrill said, SEMTA will give local leaders seven days' notice of cancellation of the service, but he emphasized: "There are no deadlines or cutoffs."

Murphy said county officials will continue to negotiate with SEMTA for a contract to provide for the start of the Oakland County Advanced Reservation Transit (OCART) system, a county-wide Dial-A-Ride program that will absorb existing programs, hopefully by October 1.

Following Monday's meeting, Murphy said it was his understanding that there would be no push for local funding of the Lakes Area Special.

The threat to discontinue the service

was made by SEMTA officials two weeks ago, after the Wolverine Lake Village Council rejected a contract that called for payment of about \$130 a month as its share of the one-third net operating expenses until OCART begins on December 31.

SEMTA officials originally said the van service would be stopped July 21, but could be reinstated, if the other units of government — Commerce, Walled Lake, Wixom and Novi — agreed to cover the village's share of the cost.

Walled Lake and Novi officials did not take action on the added cost, while the issue was expected to be brought before the Wixom City Council last night (after our press time).

However, Salci said he made an "administrative decision" to extend the July 21 deadline by a week when he learned that Commerce Supervisor Robert Long would be on vacation. Salci said

he wanted to give Long a chance to return and possibly work out the funding problem before the service was discontinued.

Murphy and Commissioner Robert McConnell had indicated that they would seek a court restraining order to block discontinuation of the service, if SEMTA had carried out the threat.

The possibility of a lawsuit was dropped after Monday's meeting with the SEMTA officials, Murphy said.

The main issue at stake in the negotiations between the county and SEMTA goes beyond the Lakes Area Special, Salci said, and centers on Murphy's and McConnell's claim that the Dial-A-Ride programs, including OCART, should be funded 100 percent by the regional authority since county taxpayers have contributed some \$10-million to state transportation coffers in the form of higher license plate and title transfer fees.

However, the SEMTA board has a policy that Dial-A-Ride programs must be funded on a two-thirds, one-third split between the regional authority and local units of government.

McConnell has said that he and Murphy hope to have that policy changed.

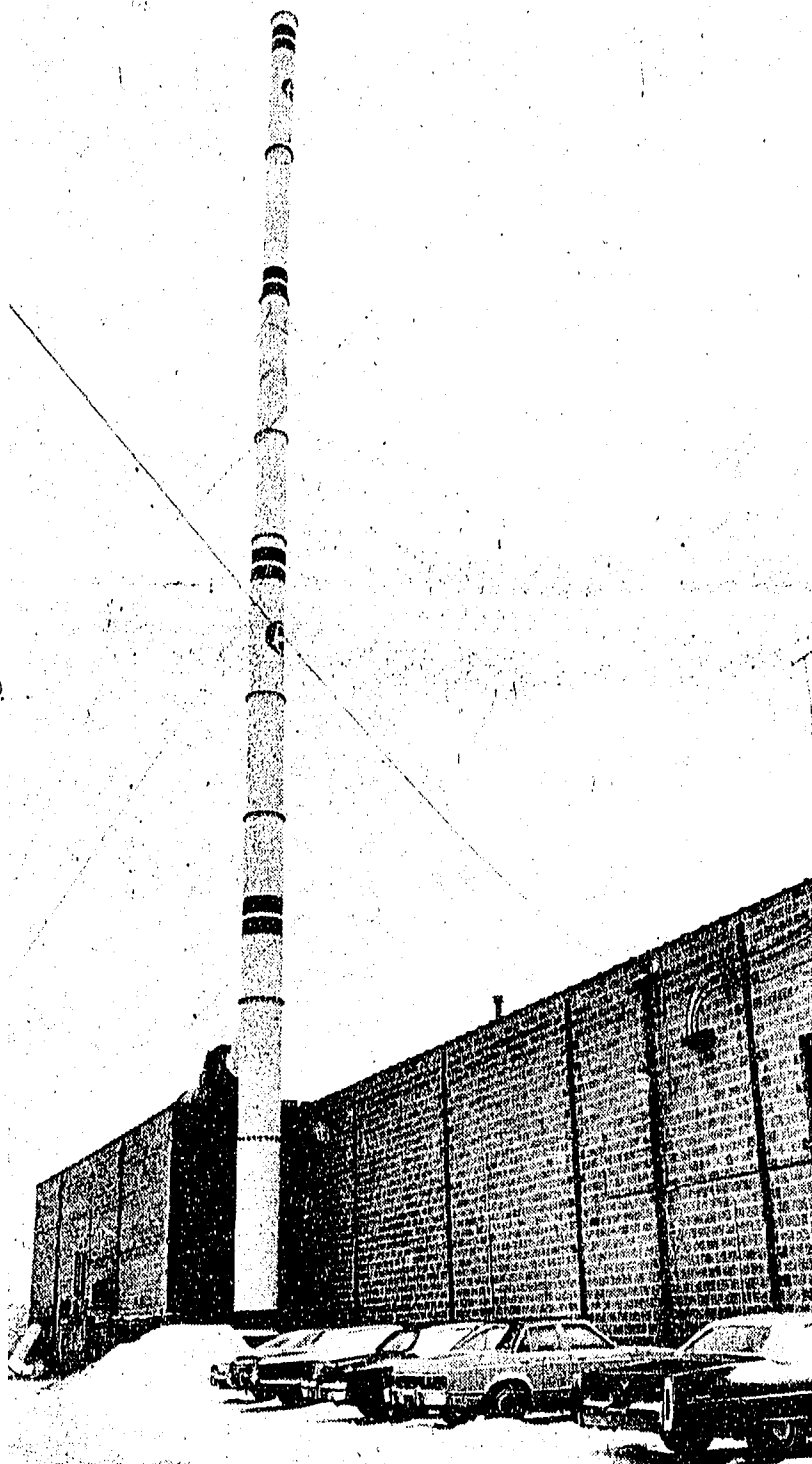
A proposal to backdate the contract for OCART to July 1 and add the Lakes Area Special as the first vehicle in the system cannot legally be done, Salci said, because SEMTA is reimbursed by the state for its programs.

"We could never backdate a contract for state reimbursement," he added.

Further, federal funds are not available for the Lakes Area Special, Salci said, because west Oakland County is outside of the urbanized Detroit area as defined by federal regulations.

Reflecting on the problems that have occurred regarding the Lakes Area

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Precision Coating smokestack in picture taken during the winter

Residents claim pollution

By DAVID RAY

Precision Coatings, Incorporated, has applied to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for a permit to install a new coating machine and thermal after burner.

However, some 100 residents of nearby subdivisions have petitioned the DNR or written letters to the state agency in opposition to the permit approval until the company "guarantees clean air" by eliminating allegedly noxious odors emanating from the plant, located at 8120 Goldie Street in Commerce Township.

According to Tom Maki, an engineer with the DNR's air quality control division, the odor problem in the area has improved somewhat since Precision Coatings installed a 150-foot smokestack earlier this year.

Although residents have reported the problem to the DNR on several occasions, Maki said another engineer, Jack Larsen, was able to detect only a slight odor on several visits to the Haggerty-Richardson area.

There were some problems apparently resulting from leaks in the plant's duct work, he said, but those were corrected with caulking.

Maki added that Larsen felt subsequent reports of odors emanating from the plant probably were a result of "ground level sources, such as open doors (at Precision Coatings)."

Alford Gore, a resident of West Bloomfield's Crystal Echo Beach Subdivision, said that DNR investigators "don't smell anything" when they visit the area because the "wind changes or something."

Many times, the odor problem is most noticeable at night, Gore said, when the DNR and other regulatory agencies are closed.

"The law says the air is supposed to be the same now as it was in 1970," Gore said, referring to the federal clean air act, "but they went in in 1975 or '76 and the air hasn't been the same since."

Residents of the area have complained that they are suffering from headaches, sore throats and other ailments allegedly due to emissions of ethanol (also known as ethyl alcohol, a solvent used in industry) from the plant.

Gore said he went to the plant recently and found several containers of "deadly poison and eye irritants."

He noted that residents' objections to the plant increased this spring when they discovered that Precision Coatings had applied for the permit for a third coating machine. The permit request was filed with the DNR in May.

"We don't want to shut them down," the resident said. "All we want is clean air."

Maki said he isn't sure of the status of the company's permit application, but

added that the matter probably will be heard by the Michigan Air Pollution Control Commission in August or September.

"We won't issue the permit until we've been assured that the present odor situation is corrected," he said. "We've also asked the company to demonstrate a new odor reduction to make sure there's no nuisance."

Alfred W. Rich, president of Precision Coatings, said yesterday that the company plans to make some sort of presentation to the commission "on what we plan to do. We want to make the commission aware of what we are proposing through discussion and the presentation of data."

He added that company officials have not received any complaints from area residents in recent months concerning the alleged odor problem.

In October, 1976, Commerce Township officials first received complaints about the company's operation, and Building Inspector Bill Mitchell wrote to Rich about the problem.

The company's president responded that Precision Coatings officials "do not believe that our operations result in any noxious or odorous matters being emitted beyond our lot line, but we recognize that the possibility exists that a combination of unlikely circumstances could occur from time to

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City holds Ex-Cell-O bid

A request from the Ex-Cell-O Corporation for designation of its property in Walled Lake as an industrial development district in order to obtain a 50-percent reduction in property taxes on a proposed \$3-million administration building has been tabled by the City Council for further study.

Council members asked City Attorney Paul Bibeau to come up with a list of pros and cons on the proposal before the August 1 meeting at which a decision may be made on granting the industrial development district designation.

According to Thomas J. Stuart, assistant corporate controller of the Troy-based firm, the 60,000-square-foot corporate administration building will provide several benefits to the city, including some \$16,800 a year in additional taxes, more business for local merchants, industrial growth, and enhancement of Walled Lake's image as a progressive community.

The Walled Lake Schools and Oakland County also will receive half of the official tax rate.

There would be no costs to the city, he said, since the company's facilities are self-sufficient.

In addition, Stuart said that, since the new facility would be an administrative complex, there would be no pollution from manufacturing facilities, and designation of the firm's entire 44-acre site at West Maple and Ladd roads would have no effect on the \$50,000 a year Ex-Cell-O already pays in property taxes on its five existing structures.

"There would be no increase in taxes to other taxpayers," he said, "although this would provide additional taxes to the city without a demand for services."

The tax break would be in effect for 12 years, he said, but would end in the 13th year. At that time, the company's taxes to the city, schools and county on the new structure would be 100-percent of the tax rate.

If the council votes to create the industrial district, Ex-Cell-O then would apply to the City, State Tax Commission and Michigan Department of Commerce for an industrial facilities exemption certificate in order to obtain

the tax reduction. If Ex-Cell-O's entire 44-acre site is designated as an industrial district, the company would have to file separate applications for each tax reduction certificate for new facilities.

The application must include a description of the building, proposed uses, a construction time schedule and estimated cost, Stuart said.

Some 75 employees would be hired to work in the administration offices, he said, bringing the company's total staff

in Walled Lake to 485. Many of the employees would be transferred to the new complex from existing Ex-Cell-O and McCord Corporation offices, Stuart added, although "some support jobs (such as secretaries and file clerks) would be hired right away."

Stuart said the state law that established the industrial development district procedures was adopted in order to improve the business climate

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Wolverine eyes change of refuse contractor

For the third time in 13 months, the Wolverine Lake Village Council this week is expected to hire a new garbage contractor.

Watkins Disposal recently resigned as the contractor, effective August 1, citing problems in fulfilling the agreement, according to Village President John McLellan.

As of Monday, McLellan was attempting to schedule a special council meeting at which he is expected to recommend the hiring of B & J Removal of Northville through the end of this year.

The Northville firm will provide the same collection services, McLellan said, although the cost of the contract will be \$2.25 per unit a month, 25 cents more than the agreement with Watkins. However, the village president said that \$3,000 withheld from Watkins in lieu of a bond would be used to offset the higher price charged by B & J. Watkins has been informed that the village will keep the \$3,000 for its failure to perform under the agreement, McLellan said.

The proposed contractor has been in business for eight years, McLellan said, and has its own garage and three mechanics to keep its 11 trucks in service.

B & J serves the Northville Schools and several subdivisions in Novi, and

has provided emergency service to the cities of Northville and South Lyon, he added.

Watkins Disposal was hired as the village contractor in January, although the firm had served on an interim basis in December after Wolverine Lake officials fired Frenchy's Disposal due to poor service.



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Schmid, Hoyer dissent

Novi okays open space

On a 5-2 vote, the Novi City Council July 24 gave its approval to the open-space concept in subdivisions.

The open-space option allows developers to have lot sizes if the reduced space is used to create a park in the center of the subdivision.

Under the set of guidelines, the option may not be utilized in either the smallest (R-4) or largest (R-1) residential zoning districts. The option may be used in the R-2 and R-3 single family residential districts.

Voting for the open-space option were Mayor Romaine Rothel, Jim Shaw, Ron Watson, Pat Karevich and Guy Smith. Opposed were Bob Schmid and Martha Hoyer.

Schmid has unsuccessfully campaigned for the abolition of the open-space option for the last several months, charging that homeowners do not want to reduce the size of their lots in exchange for a park.

Schmid summarized his problems with the open-space option at the July 24 meeting.

The cost of maintaining the park is levied on the homeowners for a lifetime, Schmid said. He also commented that developers make more money off open-space subdivisions than regular subdivisions.

Also singled out by Schmid were problems that residents would have with

keeping youngsters from using the park area for wild parties and the difficulty in getting police supervision.

Councilmember Martha Hoyer said she disagreed with Schmid that the homeowners were being unfairly charged for the park.

"They know what they're getting," Mrs. Hoyer stated. "They know if there is an open space, they will enter into an association and pay fees."

She said her problem with the proposed revision is that it would allow the R-3 zoning district to be reduced from 90 feet to 60 feet widths. She said that amounted to creating two R-4 districts.

In response to Mrs. Hoyer, Councilmember Ron Watson said the new ordinance would not create two R-4 districts, since one would utilize the open-space option.

School Board member Bob Schram addressed the council on the open-space question, saying he came from Farmington, where open space was used regularly in the construction of subdivisions.

In his subdivision, Schram said, the open space was a virtual "ghetto without buildings." No one used it and no one took care of it, he said.

Former Mayor Bob Daley commented developers often choose the worst section of the development for the

open space and, as a result, it is rarely used.

Councilmember Pat Karevich said she thought the open-space option just allows people another choice of a place to live.

Besides eliminating R-1 and R-4 from being able to utilize the open-space option, other changes included:

— a subdivision using open space shall be laid out in such a manner that a majority of the lots shall border on the open space. The clause was included to remedy complaints from some councilmen that relatively few lot owners benefit from the open space option.

— the open space may be located at the edges of subdivisions only when it can be linked to like open space recreation areas in other subdivisions. The open space may also be located within the 150 perimeter of the property so as to preserve natural amenities, such as a large stand of trees.

— the open space shall not include bodies of water unsuitable for recreation purposes. Bodies of water may be included, however, when maintained as an integral part of a larger common area within the development.

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Preliminary site plan approval for construction of a building in the Novex One Industrial Park was granted by the Novi Planning Board on a narrow 4-3 vote last week.

The Novex One Industrial Park is located on the north side of Nine Mile between Novi and Meadowbrook Roads.

Specifically, the planning board voted 4-3 to grant preliminary site plan approval for the Bar-Van Tool Company which plans to construct a building on a lot of approximately one-acre.

According to Bar-Van Tool Company representatives, the building will be divided into three with two portions of

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Lioness donation

Handicapped visitors to the Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi will find it a whole lot easier to get around the regional shopping center as a result of a donation by the Novi Lioness Club. The local organization has donated a wheelchair to Twelve Oaks which will be available to handicapped individuals in the administrative offices of the mall. Involved in

presentation ceremonies (above) are Lieutenant Roy Morris of twelve Oaks Security, Assistant Manager Trudi Malhotra, Joanne Bailey, and Genny McSweeney. Mrs. Bailey is vice-president of the Novi Lioness Club, while Mrs. McSweeney is past president of the organization.

Site plan wins approval

Preliminary site plan approval for an addition to the Michigan Trenching Service facility on Seeley Road has been granted by the Novi Planning Board.

Michigan Trenching Service is located on a two-acre parcel on the east side of Seeley Road.

That preliminary site plan approval is contingent, however, upon the approval of variances from Novi's Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA). Specifically, the ZBA must grant a variance on side yard setback requirements and waive a paving requirement before final site plan approval will be granted.

Robert Lyons of Michigan Trenching Service appeared before the planning board last week with plans to construct a two-story building that would be used for maintenance and repair of equipment.

City Planning Consultant Charles Cairns of Villan-Leman noted in his review of the site plan that the existing building had been approved in November of 1974 under the provisions of the former zoning ordinance which contained no side yard setback requirements.

The property is now subject to the provisions of the 1-2 (general industrial) district, stated the planning consultant.

Under the regulations of the 1-2 district, the building constitutes a non-conforming structure since it does not meet the 50-foot side yard setback requirements of the district, said Cairns.

The proposed addition to the existing building will intensify the non-

conforming structure and is, therefore, in violation of the zoning ordinance, he continued. Cairns also noted, however, that it would be impossible for the owner to meet the 50-foot side yard setback requirement as the entire width of the lot is only 100 feet.

Lyons told the planning board that the property to the north of his parcel is vacant, while the property to the south of his parcel contains another trenching service operation.

"My neighbor to the south has a building that is within four feet of my property line," he stated. "I want to put up a building to service my equipment that would be within three feet of the property line."

Planner Peter Romanow subsequently entered the motion to grant preliminary site plan approval contingent upon a variance of side yard setback requirements from the ZBA. Romanow also suggested that a requirement to pave the parking lot be waived after Lyons said that heavy earth moving equipment would tear up any paving that would be done.

In submitting the motion, Romanow noted that Lyons' proposed building would be no closer to his neighbor's property line than his neighbor's building is to Lyons' property line.

The planning board subsequently voted unanimously (7-0) to grant the motion. Planners Roger Everett and James McLennan were not present at last week's meeting.

Each project calls for pavement resurfacing, which will help head off potholes next winter and reduce chances of spring break-up, said John R. Gnaul, chairman of the board of Oakland County Road Commissioners.

The three Commerce Township projects include:

— one mile of Wixom Road from Gleggery to Charns Road at a cost of \$27,000;

— 1.5 miles of Willow Road from west of Loehaven to near North Shore Street at a cost of \$22,000; and

— 1.5 miles of Hagerty Road from 14 Mile to Maple Roads and short sections between 12 and 14 Mile Roads at a cost of \$45,000.

Gnaul said the projects had been tentatively slated for the 1979 construction program, but have been moved up because funds budgeted for the widening of Orchard Lake road won't be needed until 1979. He

Charges contract violation

Walled Lake teacher takes grievance to board

Charges that the Walled Lake School District has violated its contract with the Walled Lake Education Association (WLEA) by not appointing a local teacher to an administrative position were aired at a special grievance hearing Monday.

Among the charges made by WLEA representatives were that the district has consistently failed to promote teachers from within the district and has consistently failed to promote women to administrative positions.

Approximately 40 individuals, most of them teachers, attended the hearing as WLEA and administrative representatives presented their positions to the school board.

The hearing before the school board represents the fourth step in the grievance procedure as outlined in the WLEA's master contract. In the event that the board denies the grievance, the fifth step involves arbitration.

No decision on the grievance was rendered by the board at Monday's hearing.

At issue is the question of whether or not the district has violated the master contract with the WLEA by not appointing Dr. Norene Daly, a reading teacher at Walled Lake Western, to one of two elementary school principal positions which were filled earlier this year.

The appointment of Robert Voss and Carl Stephens to fill those positions was announced by Superintendent Dr. Don Sheldon at the June board meeting.

There were approximately 130 applicants for the two positions. Dr. Daly was one of five finalists considered for the appointments.

Specifically, the WLEA is claiming that the district has violated the section of the contract which states that "...vacancies shall be filled on the basis of experience, competency, qualifications, and other relevant factors. All other qualifications being equal, service in Walled Lake shall be the determining factor."

In presenting the case to the board, WLEA Grievance Committee Chairperson Evelyn Brown maintained that Dr. Daly's experience was adequate in terms of the successful candidates and to the job description for elementary principals; that recommendations as to her competency were "without blemish;" and that her qualifications in terms of academic preparation, elementary school teaching experience, and demonstrated leadership skills were more than equal to those of the successful candidates.

Mrs. Brown went on to state that Dr. Daly's qualifications had placed her among the five finalists for the fourth qualification (service in the district) should have been invoked and should have determined the selection.

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Fine maintained that the selection process is by its very nature a competitive process in which the various qualifications of the candidates are weighed against each other.

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Fine argued that the comparison factor is included within the contract. "This is not to say that Dr. Daly was not considered highly by the committee," he said. "The committee found that she had much to offer, but they also found that the other candidates had superior ability and capability for these positions."

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Mrs. Brown went on to state that Dr. Daly's qualifications had placed her among the five finalists for the fourth qualification (service in the district) should have been invoked and should have determined the selection.

"It was not. It did not. In its absence the contract was abridged and Dr. Daly's contractual right was denied," maintained Mrs. Brown.

"There was no need to determine who (the selection) committee was most impressed with, nor whom they felt to be superior; nor to conjecture who might turn out to be the best principal if selected," she continued. "It was only necessary to determine that Dr. Daly's professional background, classroom teaching experience, and demonstrated leadership skills were sufficient to invoke the application of service in the district."

In presenting the administration's position to the board, Attorney Charles Fine maintained that the WLEA was attempting to "warp" the language of the master contract.

"The contract states that vacancies shall be filled on the basis of experience, competency, qualifications, and other relevant factors," stated Fine. "Only if all the other factors are equal should experience in Walled Lake become the decisive criterion."

Fine maintained that the selection process is by its very nature a competitive process in which the various qualifications of the candidates are weighed against each other.

"Of the five finalists for the two vacancies, there were at least two, if not four, who were judged by the committee to have qualifications greater than those of Dr. Daly."

The outcome of the grievance would appear to hinge on the board's decision as to whether the contract permits candidates to be ranked on a competitive basis.

WLEA Unemployment Director Bill Parker told the board that it is not necessary for her (Dr. Daly) to prove that she is more experienced than the other candidates nor that she is more competent than the other candidates.

"The contract doesn't say anything about competition," stated Parker. "It says only that she must be qualified — not more qualified — and that she must be competent — not more competent."

Fine argued that the comparison factor is included within the contract. "This is not to say that Dr. Daly was not considered highly by the committee," he said. "The committee found that she had much to offer, but they also found that the other candidates had superior ability and capability for these positions."

In this day of the ERA (Equal Rights Amendment) we have not even held our ground," she said.

"I am concerned — the Association is concerned — that these figures seem to represent discrimination in hiring practices in relation to the district's teachers and in relation to the district's women."

Dr. Sheldon did not respond to the charges set forth by Mrs. Brown at Monday's meeting. Contacted for comment Tuesday, Dr. Sheldon stated that a committee process has been used to fill administrative positions from the time he has been in the school district.

"Our only concern has been — and will continue to be — the hiring of the best individual for the district without regard to sex, place of residence or place of employment. I think we've done a darn good job," he said.

Mrs. Brown also maintained that the number of women in administrative positions in the Walled Lake District has dropped from four to three (from 11 percent to below seven percent) since Dr. Sheldon became superintendent.

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Mid-rise developer to reconsider proposal

Unhappy with last-minute changes in the office-commercial zoning district, the developers of a proposed high-rise complex at the southeast corner of Novi have temporarily delayed their request for rezoning of the property.

In a surprise statement at the July 24 Novi City Council meeting, Joe Gerak, a representative of Orchard Hill Place Associates, said he would return August 14 to inform the council whether his company would proceed with plans for the proposed \$40 million complex, or whether new plans for the site, at Eight Mile and Haggerty Roads, would be drafted.

Gerak had originally sought to change 45 acres of land presently zoned B-2 (community business district) and 45 acres of land zoned RM-1 (multiple residential) to OSC (office-service-commercial), but after the council made some changes in the OSC district, the developer said he had second thoughts and would like to defer action on the rezoning request.

Members of the council had voted on a new set of regulations for the OSC district shortly before the scheduled rezoning request.

Specifically, the council voted to increase the setback requirements from

abutting residential districts from three feet per linear foot of building to four feet per linear foot.

So, for example, if a building were 65 feet high, a setback of 260 feet would be required between the building and adjacent residential property.

Gerak said the change would increase from nine acres to 12 acres the amount of land in the development that would have to be used as a vacant green belt.

Gerak was also unhappy the council had refused his request to change the allowable height uses in OSC from three-to-five stories to one-to-five

stories. Gerak said a more pleasing development could be constructed with varied building size.

Councilmember Bob Schmid noted the OSC district set a three-to-five story limit so as to restrict the type of businesses that might enter the district. Schmid noted most fast-food stores would be one-story and could conceivably enter the development should one-story buildings be allowed.

Mayor Romaine Roethel commented the changes in the OSC district were prompted by concern over what controls the city would have over the proposed development. She noted the

previous OSC district had no height limitation.

The vote to approve the changes in the zoning regulations passed on a 6-1 vote, with councilmember Guy Smith dissenting. Smith said he needed more information on what effect the project would have on the city.

Despite the fact that the developer temporarily withdrew his request for rezoning, the public hearing was held on the rezoning request, should it ever be resubmitted.

Councilmember Guy Smith started out the discussion, saying he would need to know what effect such a "radical" change would have on the community.

Smith said he would like to know the

construction installation costs, the water lines needed and the effect on city departments.

"I'd also like to see what effect this will have on adjacent homeowners," Smith added.

Smith also questioned Gerak as to when he would actually construct the buildings proposed.

Councilmember Martha Hoyer commented Smith's questions were not in order, since the council was supposed to make rezoning decisions based on land use, rather than what specifically the developer says he will construct.

Mrs. Hoyer noted the developer could say he will build one thing, and then sell

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Complex may cut taxes, study says

The proposed mid-rise complex at Eight Mile and Haggerty Roads has "the most beneficial ratio of tax dollars to governmental service costs of any zoning classification," a report by Novi Assistant City Manager Alex Allie reveals.

The complex would be constructed in the OSC (office-service-commercial) zoning district.

Allie notes the development has an anticipated value of \$40 million, which would bring in an additional \$143,000 in tax revenues to the city.

The development would bring in an additional \$810,000 to the Novi School District. An increase of \$600,000 would be realized in operating funds as well as a \$150,000 increase in money available for debt retirement.

Considered in Allie's report was how much of the additional \$143,000 would be used up for service considerations.

"The police department would probably be the department to experience

the greatest impact from the development," Allie stated. "It is difficult to project what their increased manpower needs might be, however, prorating the additional SEV will increase the departmental budget by approximately \$50,000 with a potential of drawing an even greater share if the demand necessitates it. It is safe to assume the operation of the area will include a full time security program."

In a letter to city officials, Novi Police Chief Lee BeGole expressed his preference for the office-commercial type of development proposed.

"...please no multiples, 24-hour stores, or any type of use tending to generate the typical calls that tie our cars up at night," BeGole wrote. "I would favor schools, office buildings, and other such uses which do not in themselves generate a multitude of typical night time police calls."

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Summer school coordinator Peter Karr helps Laurie Bolling with an arts and crafts activity

Summer school is fun nowadays

Remember those days back in elementary school when a fate worse than death would be to be placed in summer school?

Those days are no more. Just ask any youngster attending the summer school program at the Novi Woods Elementary School. Field trips, swimming, developing photos and a chance to make a sculpture are just some of the activities open to children attending the school.

"I'll bet you I wouldn't have come if I had to do math," says Billy Weinroch, 11, of his school in summer.

"It's fantastic," adds his friend, Tim Mahan, 10.

Of course, the bigger people at the school tend to disagree with Billy about the no-math idea. It may not seem like there is any math to Billy because the math books are all nicely hidden away, but there is math all the same.

"A lot of the activities planned use math and reading in an indirect way," says Pete Karr, a school psychologist heading up the summer school program.

As an example, Karr recounts a time when the kids helped construct cages for some quail who had been hatched at the school. The children used math principles to measure the sides of the cages, but none of the teachers helping with the project brought that point out.

Such activities, Karr says, help

children think more positively about education.

"The basic purpose of the program is to help improve the kids' self image as well as improving their attitude toward school," Karr says.

The 114 kids attending the school all come from the Novi Woods Elementary School because the funding comes from the federal Title I program and Novi Woods is the only one of the three city elementary schools to qualify for assistance under that program. The children range in age from five to ten years old.

Karr says when a parent calls at the beginning of the session and says his child wants to quit the school, he will ask that the child attend for a few days and then make another decision. Most of the children decide to stay, Karr says.

And it's not hard to see why. The children are given at least one field trip a week and only have to attend school from 9 a.m. to noon each day.

A couple weeks ago, the children traveled to Lansing to see the Impression 5 Museum, a sort of science museum for children. Last week, the kids went to Belle Isle, and when the temperatures rose, a few hours at the local pool.

As a culminating activity for the summer program, an overnight campout has been planned on July 27 for the kids.



Denise Karakashian shows students how to sculpt soap

Speculators seek oil in Novi hills

"Black gold" may be lying beneath the rolling hills of the northeast section of Novi.

But two men who are seeking permission to drill an exploratory well may have to take their battle to the Oakland County Circuit Court before they are able to find out for sure whether oil fields do, in fact, exist beneath their property.

Francis Sehn and Horace Holmes have filed an application with the Novi Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) for a variance that would permit them to sink an exploratory well on their 72-

acre parcel on the southeast corner of 14 Mile and Haggerty Roads.

According to Sehn and Holmes, geologists have determined that there is oil on the property. How much oil and of what quality cannot be determined until an exploratory well has been drilled, however.

But the chances that the variance will be granted appear decidedly slim. And, in the event that the request for a variance is turned down, the two men would have to take their case to the circuit court.

Sehn lives in Bloomfield Hills, while

Holmes is a Farmington resident. They acquired the 72-acre parcel on the northeast corner of 14 Mile and Haggerty in 1966 and discovered the possibility of the existence of oil in 1971.

The current hearings before the ZBA represent the third attempt of the owners of the property to secure a variance that would permit them to sink an exploratory well on the parcel.

The initial request for a variance was submitted by the Sullivan Oil Company on behalf of the owners in the fall of 1972. The hearings dragged on for several months before the members of

the ZBA finally denied the request for a variance. The Sullivan Oil Company subsequently appealed the decision to the circuit court where their request for a variance was again turned down.

"Voluminous amounts of 'evidence' was produced during that original set of hearings before the ZBA with attorneys for the Sullivan Oil Company maintaining that oil wells could be drilled and operated with little or no deleterious effect on adjacent property uses."

To support their argument they pro-

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State Tax Commission eyes request for probe

Despite an investigation by Commerce Township Assessor Wynn Berry which apparently cleared the Novi assessing department of any wrongdoing or incompetence, state and county officials are still pondering a request by Meadowbrook Lake resident Garry Kidd for another tax probe.

Michigan Tax Commission official Ed Kane reported to The News July 21 that he had received a letter from Kidd making several charges against the Novi assessing department and that the letter had been referred to Oakland County Equalization Director Herman Stephens and state tax official John Markewicz to "determine if they are of any substance."

Bob Vandemark, Chairman of the

State Tax Commission, stated he had received word of Kidd's letter and also of Berry's investigation and a preliminary investigation would be conducted.

"It will be mainly to verify whether the report (by Berry) was accurate," Vandemark stated.

If there is sufficient evidence to suggest improprieties exist in the Novi assessing department, then the state would conduct its own investigation.

Kidd sent the letter to the commission because he said he was not satisfied with the Novi City Council's choice of Berry to head the investigation of charges which Kidd had leveled against

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City tax investigation runs up \$1,000 tab

The cost to taxpayers in Novi to find out whether taxes were levied fairly in the city is \$1,000.

Commerce Township Assessor Wynn Berry has given the City of Novi his bill for investigating the assessing department these past few weeks. City officials report Berry put in "more than 40 hours" investigating the department.

Berry found no major problems with the assessing department, beyond saying it needed a land use map — and more employees. Berry found groundless, however, questions raised by Meadowbrook Lake resident Garry Kidd about inequitable assessing procedures.

The investigation was prompted — but not accepted — by Kidd. Kidd sent a letter to the Michigan Tax Commission asking for another investigation. Commission officials are making a preliminary investigation to determine whether a full-scale investigation would be worthwhile.

If Berry indeed worked a straight 40 hours, city taxpayers were charged \$25 an hour for the report. Berry is paid \$15 an hour to serve as a part-time assessor

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M-275 alternatives to be reviewed at meetings

Alternatives to the cancelled M-275 freeway will be discussed at two public meetings today (Wednesday).

The Michigan State Highway Commission, at its regular monthly meeting this morning in Lansing, will receive analysis of the two alternatives from the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation's M-275 study team, according to Mike Flajole, study team coordinator.

And tonight, at 7:30 in Clifford Smart Junior High School, six Chambers of Commerce will hold a public forum on

the plans in an effort to inform voters in eight west Oakland County communities that will be asked to ballot on an advisory question at the August 8 primary election.

Flajole said the study team report would provide the commission with input gathered to date, and added that the alternative proposed by the Citizens in Opposition to M-275 has been revised on design drawings to connect the scenic drive with the Northwestern Highway via a four-lane divided, limited access boulevard along 14 Mile Road.

The proposed scenic drive also has been put back on the Haggerty Road alignment as much as possible, Flajole added, although there are "some spots where it moves off Union Lake Road and near M-59 for the intersection."

Highway Commission Chairperson Peter Fletcher has said that the department has been instructed to study north-south trunkline facilities, not east-west routes such as the 14 Mile connector.

Flajole said, however, that the revisions proposed by the citizens' group have been incorporated in the design drawings and will be studied by the team "unless we get other direction from the commission."

The study team coordinator said that putting the scenic drive on the Haggerty corridor has resulted in "land locking and some other impacts," and added that the other alternative, authored by Oakland County Commissioner Robert McConnell, will remain the same as the design drawings presented to local officials in May.

McConnell's alternative calls for construction of a four-lane, divided, limited access boulevard along Haggerty, from I-96 in Novi to about Pontiac Trail where it would veer north.

He reaffirmed, however, the commission's opinion that the department should confine its study to a north-south trunkline of the east-west connector to Northwestern.

Meanwhile, Flajole and McConnell are two of the main speakers scheduled to appear at tonight's public forum on the alternatives. The other main speakers include John Grubba, managing director of the Oakland County Road Commission, and Stephen Rosman, chairperson of the Citizens in Opposition group and a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state representative in the 24th District in the August primary.

The purpose of tonight's meeting, according to Fred Seeley, chairperson of the North Oakland Chamber of Commerce's legislative committee, is to "provide up-to-date information relative to the options available for development of a traffic artery through the western portion of Oakland County."

Voters in Commerce including Wolverine Lake Village, Novi, Walled Lake, Milford, Springfield, White Lake, Highland and Orchard Lake will be asked at the primary whether they favor the construction of a north-south state trunkline road approximately along the

Local officials offer ballot clarification

In an effort to clarify the meaning of an advisory question on the M-275 alternatives that will appear on the August 8 primary ballot, local officials this week issued a statement on their interpretation of the ballot wording.

Voters in seven communities — Commerce (including Wolverine Lake Village), Novi, Walled Lake, Highland, Orchard Lake, Springfield and White Lake — will be asked:

"Do you favor the construction of a north-south state trunkline road approximately along the originally proposed M-275 route, and to be constructed with state and federal funds?"

Yes or No.

Millard voters will be asked whether they favor the original M-275 freeway instead of the two alternatives that have been proposed.

Since the trunkline, if it is approved, would pass through Novi, Commerce, White Lake and Springfield, officials from those communities issued the clarifying statement which reads, in part:

"The construction of a north-south state trunkline road through west Oakland County (would) be built as close as possible to the original M-275 route. Minimal route changes would be made to preserve and protect environmentally sensitive areas, public recreation areas and the lakes of west Oakland County. The construction would be paid for with state and federal funds."

"We believe this proposal offers the options necessary to provide an environmentally sound and cost effective route and the flexibility to include the concerns for people and the required federal safety standards. Utilizing as much of the original M-275 route as possible also reduces lengthy time delays and large additional planning, design and study costs which would be required for any other trunkline location. This means we can have the use of the long-delayed trunkline much more quickly and at much less cost."

"If the voters of west Oakland County favor this proposal, it is the intention of these units of government to work for Michigan State Highway Commission approval for the route and, if necessary, could return to the voters

this fall at the November general election for an advisory question on the M-275 alternatives for the construction of the road."

The two alternatives under study by the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation, one plan, authored by Oakland County Commissioner Robert McConnell, calls for the construction of a four-lane, divided, limited access, landscaped boulevard along Haggerty Road from I-96 in Novi to about Pontiac Trail where it would veer north.

The other alternative, proposed by the Citizens in Opposition to M-275, calls for a four-lane scenic drive along Haggerty, from 12 Mile Road to approximately Richardson, where it would connect to Union Lake Road. Union Lake and Williams Lake roads would be connected by a new roadway north of Cooley Lake Road.

The Haggerty and Williams Lake segments would be divided roadways, while the Union Lake Road section would not be divided.

The citizens' group's alternative also calls for limited access to the scenic drive.

Stephen Rosman, chairperson of the Citizens in Opposition and a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state representative in the 24th District in the August ballot, also has revised the plan to connect the scenic drive to Northwestern Highway via a four-lane boulevard along 14 Mile Road.

However, Highway Commission Chairperson Peter Fletcher has said the department has been directed to study a north-south trunkline, not an east-west route.

Two years ago, Commerce voters rejected by a margin of 57-43 percent, an advisory question on whether the M-275 freeway should have been built through the township.

None of the other communities have held advisory elections on the freeway or any of the alternatives that have been proposed.

Highway commission members cited the Commerce vote as one of many factors when the freeway plans were cancelled in January, 1977.

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Cleaning up Korex site

The Korex building, located in downtown Wixom, will soon be no more than a bad memory as the dilapidated structure is currently being demolished. Monarch Wrecking Company of Detroit was awarded the job of destroying the eyesore, and according to Monarch president Vic Copacelli, the building and its debris should be completely gone by mid-October. Wixom ci-

ty officials plan to make the area a grassy park temporarily, and then possibly utilize the property for the rerouting of the Pontiac Trail and North Wixom Road intersection. The building had been standing vacant for over a year.

WLEA grievance at arbitration

The Walled Lake Education Association (WLEA) has taken its grievance to force the school district to reinstate secondary department heads to arbitration.

Representatives of both the Walled Lake School District and the WLEA filed briefs with the American Arbitration Association last week. A decision on whether or not the district will be required to reinstate the secondary department head positions is expected in approximately 30 days.

At issue is the question of whether or not the school district is required to provide department heads in its four secondary schools. In essence, a department head is in charge of curriculum for a specific subject area, i.e. English, mathematics, foreign languages, etc.

The WLEA filed for arbitration on the matter after the school board voted 4-0 to deny a grievance over department

heads at its January 16 meeting.

The dispute over secondary department heads goes back several years. In fact, the debate was previously carried as far as the arbitration level approximately one year ago.

The Master Contract between the WLEA and the Walled Lake Board of Education provides for the "appointment and compensation of secondary department heads."

The positions were eliminated, however, during 1976 when the district was beset with financial woes while attempting to obtain voter approval for an increase in operating millage.

Specifically, the department head positions on the secondary level were eliminated after voters rejected an initial request for an increase in the millage rate.

The voters subsequently approved a second attempt to increase the millage,

but the school board did not reinstate the positions and the WLEA filed a grievance which charged the board with violating the Master Contract.

The teachers' union took the matter to arbitration after the school board denied the grievance and the mediator ruled that the board had the prerogative not to restore the positions.

The WLEA renewed its request to have the positions reinstated at the start of the 1977-78 school year.

Mrs. Evelyn Brown, a teacher at Twin Beach Elementary School and a WLEA spokesperson, told The News earlier this year that the arbitrator's decision was based on the financial situation in the 1976-77 school year.

She said the school board voted to deny the request for an increase in the millage rate.

"When the 1977-78 school year got under way and the positions were still not reinstated, we decided to grieve it again," she told The News after the school board voted to deny the grievance last January.

"The Master Contract still calls for the positions of department heads on the secondary level and they still haven't been reinstated," she stated at that time.

The key to the district's position in the dispute relates to its current financial condition.

The positions were eliminated when the district was facing tight financial constraints brought about by the initial defeat of the 1976 millage request.

Even though the voters subsequently approved the request for additional millage, the district continued to maintain that funding was not adequate to

permit the positions to be restored.

However, the official audit of the school district for the 1976-77 school year revealed that the fund equity had grown more than the amount anticipated in the budget.

Mrs. Brown has previously suggested that the growth of fund equity was caused to believe that the testimony of Superintendent Dr. Don Sheldon before the mediator had been in error.

Dr. Sheldon has defended the validity of his testimony before the mediator. He told The News in January that it's impossible to determine the amount of fund equity with any great degree of accuracy and said that his testimony had been as accurate as possible at that time.

Should the mediator again take the district's financial position into consideration, the chances that the secondary department head positions will be reinstated appear dim.

Although the district had a fund equity of approximately \$1.1 million at the end of the 1976-77 fiscal year, it has been declining ever since.

Deputy Superintendent of Business Harry Carlson has reported that the district will realize a spending deficit of approximately \$220,000 during the 1977-78 school year. Further, Carlson has projected that spending will exceed revenues by approximately \$440,000 during the 1978-79 school year.

If Carlson's projections are realized, the amount of fund equity will have decreased from \$1.1 million to approximately \$500,000 at the end of the 1978-79 school year.

Residents file petitions

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time that might cause a problem to exist."

Rich said at the time that the company would conduct tests of the alleged problem, which resulted in the finding that ethanol was being emitted.

Township Environmentalist Dan Shapiro also tested air quality in the area 27 times between December 9, 1976 and January 14 of the following year.

Shapiro concluded that an odor was detected on 21 inspections, but added that his observations "do not define the odors as being either noxious or not noxious."

Company officials later installed thermal after burners on two coatings machines which apparently did not solve the problem.

The smokestack was erected earlier this year as part of an abatement program approved by the DNR.

Donnelly wins planning post

James Donnelly has been appointed to the Walled Lake Plan Commission by the City Council to replace Lanny Gaylon, who resigned from the panel last month.

A four-year resident of the city, the new commissioner is employed by the Bertl Company of Detroit. He has been employed in the construction business for 11 years.

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Hearing slated Monday

By DAVID RAY

The administrative appeal hearing on the Michigan Department of Public Health's (MDPH) disapproval of a certificate of need for the proposed Huron Valley Hospital in Commerce Township will continue Monday (July 23), according to Assistant Attorney General Frank Pipp.

David Kaser, an assistant attorney general assigned to the MDPH, finished the state's case July 14 before hearing officer Donald LeDuc, an administrative law professor, Pipp said.

When the hearing resumes next week, Huron Valley's attorneys will present their case to LeDuc, Pipp said, adding that the procedure may take another week or two to complete.

The hearing officer then will have 60 days in which to write an opinion, although the final ruling rests with Dr. Maurice Reizen, director of the department.

Huron Valley officials have said there is a "serious maldistribution of hospital

beds in eastern Oakland County and none in western Oakland."

They are appealing an MDPH decision in July, 1977, to disapprove the certificate of need for the 153-bed facility that has been proposed for construction on a 31-acre site on Sleeth Road in Commerce.

State health officials have said they denied Huron Valley's request because there is an over-abundance of hospital beds in the county, and added that the hospital group's financing plans for the \$14.8-million facility were unsound.

Huron Valley officials also have said that the state agency appears to favor plans by existing hospitals, especially Pontiac General Hospital (PGH), to build ambulatory care centers in western Oakland.

Jay Eldridge, a consultant to the group, has said there is a "great need for a hospital, one that will provide an acute care facility and draw physicians to the area to establish family practices."

The Huron Valley group has obtained

an injunction against the MDPH, blocking approval of certificates of need for other health care facilities in west Oakland pending the outcome of the administrative appeal and a lawsuit filed against the state agency in Oakland County Circuit Court.

Pontiac General's attorneys were unsuccessful in a bid to have the injunction quashed by the State Court of Appeals. A deputy clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court said yesterday morning that PGH's motion for leave to appear was denied Monday by the justices.

Meanwhile, a hearing on Huron Valley's lawsuit against the MDPH, which was scheduled for last Wednesday before Oakland Circuit Judge Francis X. O'Brien, was adjourned until August 7.

Despite the MDPH's disapproval of Huron Valley's request for a certificate of need and the administrative appeal process, the hospital group in May filed an application for a 150-bed addition to the facility for a total cost of some \$33-million.

The state has taken the position that the second request can't be acted upon until the first application is resolved, Pipp said.

The attorney general's office was prepared last week to ask the Circuit Court to "have Huron Valley hold off on the second request until the first application is decided," he added.

The Comprehensive Health Planning Council of Southeastern Michigan (CHPC-SEM), which also reviews requests for certificates, has returned the application for the addition to Huron Valley officials for further information and also to await a decision on the appeal.

Huron Valley sources have said that the request for the addition was made in order to "tie up" the quota of hospital beds for the county in the hopes that PGH, which has asked for certificates for a new main hospital in Pontiac and an ambulatory care center in Waterford, may negotiate away some of its proposed beds to the Huron Valley group in exchange for dismissal of the

injunction.

PGH officials have said that the delays are driving the estimated costs of the facilities higher and may result in a situation where the city-owned hospital will have to close.

Meanwhile, Huron Valley's attorney, T. John Lesinski, a former Michigan lieutenant governor and former chief judge of the State Court of Appeals, said yesterday that no decision has been made on a possible federal anti-trust lawsuit against PGH, CHPC-SEM, the MDPH, the North Oakland County Planning Steering Committee and several officers and employees of those agencies.

A Pontiac-based daily newspaper reported two weeks ago that the Huron Valley group had prepared — but has not filed — a lawsuit that alleges that the possible defendants illegally conspired to keep them from building the Commerce facility.

The newspaper said the 25-page complaint charges that those named were

involved in an illegal conspiracy to restrain trade by setting patient fee schedules at artificially high, non-competitive levels.

The complaint reportedly charges that the North Oakland Steering Planning Committee was established to "mask" the alleged conspiracy and to divide the hospital market between the four hospitals — PGH, Pontiac Osteopathic, St. Joseph Mercy and Crittenton — in the Pontiac area to keep Huron Valley from building, the newspaper said.

Lesinski said Huron Valley officials "really haven't explored" (the proposed lawsuit) in some time. We've been involved in litigation before the Supreme Court and in the administrative appeal hearing."

With the Supreme Court's decision not to hear an appeal of PGH's motion, Lesinski said, "the pressure to do anything has eased on the federal side."

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As We See It

Ex-Cell-O request would benefit city

The Ex-Cell-O Corporation has asked the Walled Lake City Council to designate its 44-acre site in the city as an industrial development district so the company may apply for an industrial facilities exemption certification for a proposed \$3-million corporate administration building.

If the industrial development district is approved, Ex-Cell-O officials apparently will apply for the certificate which would entitle the firm to a 50 percent reduction in its property taxes for 12 years. After that period, the full value of the building will be added to the city, county and school district tax rolls.

Company officials have estimated that, even with the tax break, the city will receive some \$16,800 a year in property taxes during the 12-year period. School and county taxes also would be reduced for 12 years.

Designation of an industrial development district is permitted under a state law that is designed to improve the state's business climate; increase capital expenditures and employment opportunities, both in the construction industry and for the new facilities; and increase tax collections resulting from the higher economic activity.

Thomas J. Stuart, Ex-Cell-O's assistant corporate controller, said that, while many of the employees who will be assigned to the new building will be transferred from the firm's other offices, some support positions, such as secretaries and file clerks, will be hired immediately.

Company officials have noted that the 60,000-square-foot administration building will provide several benefits for Walled Lake, including more business for local merchants, industrial growth of the city and enhancement of the city as a progressive community, while there would be no costs to Walled Lake in terms of demands for municipal services, except for sewer and water capacity.

The new facility would not pose pollution problems since it is an administrative building. Stuart also said that the company has staggered its quitting times to ease traffic congestion; the new facility would not change the character of the community; and approval of the development district and certificate would not affect taxes on some Ex-Cell-O facilities in the city which amount to some \$50,000 a year for Walled Lake.

The bottom line, he said, is that Walled Lake will receive additional taxes — approximately \$16,800 a year for the city alone — without demands for municipal services.

Several city officials have raised questions concerning the company's request and have suggested that Ex-Cell-O might consider financing the new building under the city's economic

development corporation (EDC) instead of seeking the industrial development district designation.

Councilman Tom Brookover, a prime mover behind adoption of the EDC ordinance, said that utilization of the income tax exempt revenue financing through the EDC would not cost the city anything, while Ex-Cell-O's proposal would cost the city, county and schools half of the property taxes generated by the new structure.

He also has noted that, if Ex-Cell-O's entire 44-acre site is designated as an industrial development district, company officials may come back to the city in several years to request a tax break for renovation of two buildings that were constructed in 1957.

Once the company's entire site is designated as an industrial development district, Brookover said, it is possible that, even if the city opposes the issuance of additional certificates, those requests could be approved by state tax and commerce officials.

The councilman also has noted that Ex-Cell-O may decide to build the new facility, even if the city doesn't go along with the request for the tax break.

While we share Brookover's concern that approval of the entire site as an industrial development district may give Ex-Cell-O a "foot in the door" on subsequent requests, we feel that the council should attempt to reach a compromise with the company, which now has five buildings and 410 employees at its Walled Lake complex.

One solution may be to nail company officials down on an exact site for the new building and designating only that property as the industrial development district. If that is done, company officials would have to seek industrial district designation for any additional projects.

While it is possible that Ex-Cell-O will build the new facility, even if it does not receive the development district approval, we would like to note that Walled Lake commons, developers of the proposed Kmart shopping center that is seeking EDC bonds, also has been rather vague as to whether they would build in Walled Lake without the income tax exempt financing. If that issue did not matter to city officials relative to Walled Lake Commons' request, it should not be an issue for Ex-Cell-O.

The Ex-Cell-O Corporation has made a commitment to Walled Lake by building five company facilities in the city over a 21-year period. They also have stated that Walled Lake is their first choice for the administration building.

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Photographic Sketches . . .

By JIM GALBRAITH

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I've been disconnected so many times by the state attorney general's office, for example, that the last time I made a call and got the "I'll transfer you" response I said, "Don't bother... just tell him the White House tried to reach him" and hung up.

I glowed all day, imagining the reaction on the other end.

Another frequent disconnection culprit is the University of Michigan where you can be switched from the men's swimming pool to the museum before reaching the head honcho in the Chinese language department.

But now comes word of what must be a classic case of "who's on first."

Northville City Attorney Philip Ogilvie, who is out beating the bushes in his quest of a judgeship, tried helping a Northville resident who wanted to know if he was eligible for food stamps.

Using the trusty 1978-79 telephone directory, he called 721-1460 only to have a recorded voice say that the number he had reached was changed. The "new number," he was told, was 721-1631. "Please make a note of it."

Properly noted, Ogilvie called 721-1631 and got another recorded message, this one saying that 721-1631 had been changed to 534-3130. Again he was requested to make note of it.

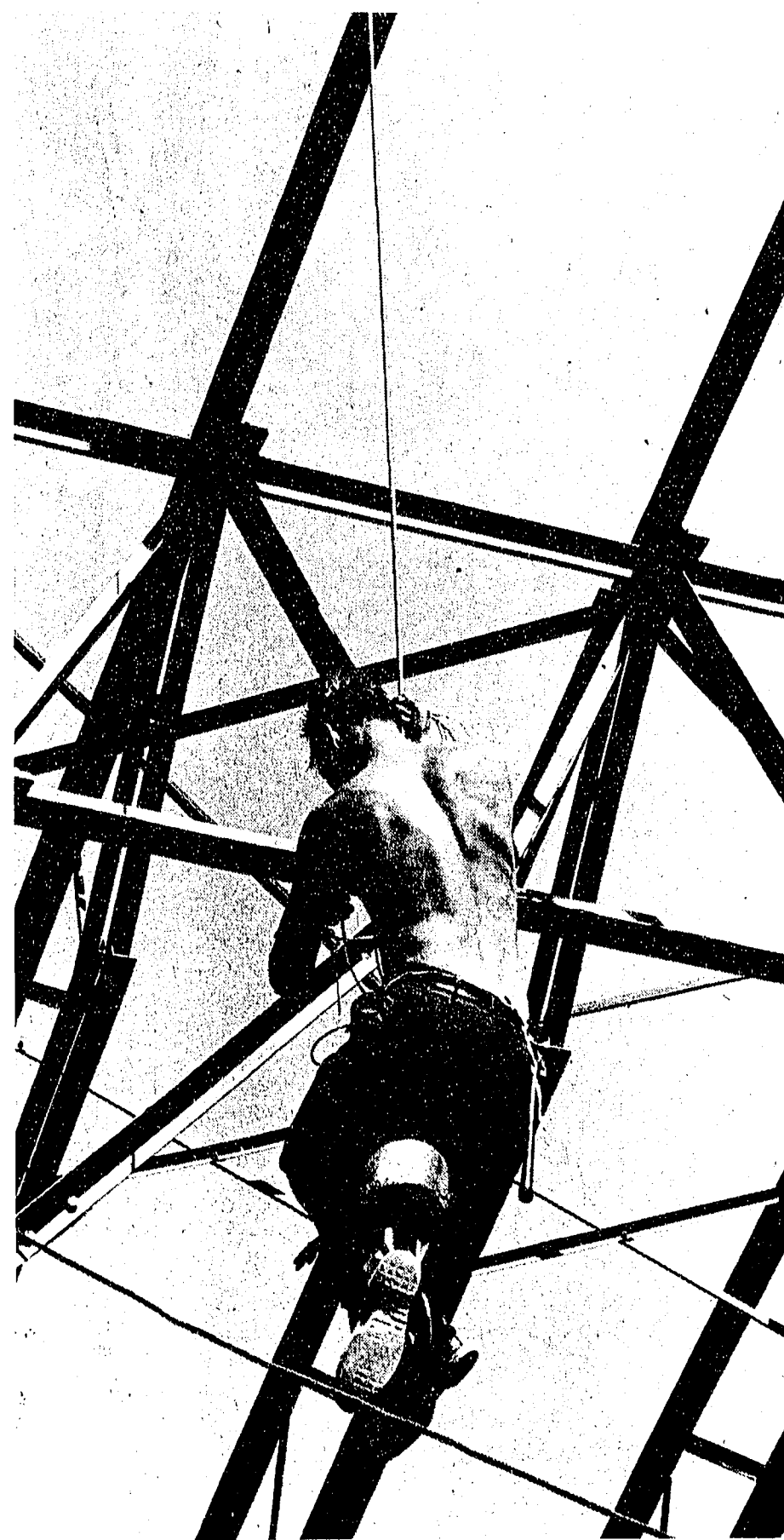
Ogilvie dialed 534-3130 and this time was told, by recording again, that the number had been changed to 592-4200. Again, "Please make a note of it."

The attorney dialed 592-4200 and "this time I got my first live person but was informed that my question should be asked of another person at 592-4311."

At 592-4311, he was told he should call 592-4226.

But upon dialing 592-4226 he was informed the person to whom he should speak was on vacation. Persisting, he was referred then to 592-4270 where, finally, after three recordings and four "live ones" he got his answer. "No," his client wasn't eligible.

Easy rider?



15th District State Senate

Incumbent Cooper wages battle with bureaucracy

By DAVID RAY



DANIEL COOPER

One of the most hotly contested primary battles in southwestern Oakland County is in the 15th State Senate District, where incumbent Democrat Daniel S. Cooper is being challenged by Doug Ross, former co-director of the Michigan Citizens' Lobby and former director of Michigan Common Cause.

The winner of the August 8 Democratic primary will advance to the November 7 general election against Republican Markus S. Simon, a Southfield attorney, who is unopposed in the primary.

Cooper, the Senate majority floor leader, said a major thrust of his campaign has been that old or traditional solutions to problems have become counterproductive, resulting in costly agencies and a bureaucratic establishment that has generated a new set of problems.

The growth of state governmental

bureaucracy, according to Cooper, has resulted from a "basic feeling on the part of some legislators that the best way to solve a problem is to create an agency or a new bureaucracy, staffed by well-meaning people, who monitor or regulate a program to theoretically solve the abuses, and they see the people as beneficiaries (of the new agency)."

However, the senator said, the bureaucracy has become "very counterproductive" by taking on an anti-civil libertarian attitude that doesn't follow traditional safeguards and becomes overburdened with a "super abundance of rules and regulations."

"As a result," Cooper added, "we've lost an important feature of a free society. In the past, there was a code of conduct that set certain punishment."

"Now, with the creation and multiplication of bureaucracy, the procedure has become encumbered with a priori pre-requisites."

Rules and regulations and permit requirements have almost taken on the force of law, he said. Aside from the "frightening" power of the agencies, Cooper said the amount of money allocated to the bureaucracies also has become an issue.

"People are sick and tired of government," the senator said, "and I think that is evident in the tax (limitation) proposals."

Cooper last year sponsored a bill that "turned around" the procedure for approval of administrative rules. Under the old procedure, a majority vote in both chambers of the legislature was needed to overturn administrative rules drafted by an agency.

The new law gives the legislature's administrative rules committee the power to return the rules to the agency for revision and requires legislative approval of the rules instead of veto power, Cooper said.

Governor Milliken vetoed the measure, which was overridden by the

lawmakers, marking the first time in 26 years that a gubernatorial veto has been reversed.

Cooper also successfully sponsored a resolution that established a moratorium on the creation of new commissions. Although the lawmakers approved Cooper's resolution, he said they have since violated the intent of the measure.

As an example, the senator noted that a Toxic Substance Commission has been created by the legislature as a reaction to the PBB scandal, although three existing state agencies — the Department of Public Health, Agriculture Department and Department of Natural Resources — "all could have dealt with the problem and could hire experts (to study PBB) with their almost unlimited resources."

"Why create another commission?" Cooper asked. "How is it going to stop PBB and the damage that has been done?"

Approval of the commission, he said,

was an example of the "legislature trying to be all things to all people."

"One of the themes of my campaign has been that I'd rather be responsible than popular," Cooper said. "All politicians say (what I've said) about bureaucracy and big government, but I've actually done it and I took my lumps for it."

Other issues Cooper discussed in a recent interview with this newspaper included crime and services to senior citizens.

The senator said he has sponsored legislation to appropriate funds for lighting and more police officers in high crime areas.

The incumbent senator, a Birmingham attorney who lives in Oak Park, served in the state House of Representatives from 1965 to 1971, when he moved to the Senate.

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Investigation sought

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the department. Specifically, Kidd has charged that homes in the Meadowbrook Lake subdivision are assessed at a higher rate than are homes in the Village Oaks subdivision. Kidd made his charges shortly after the assessments were announced this year.

In response to the charges, a response was first drafted by Novi Assessor John Merrifield, followed by a response by City Manager Ed Kriewall. Neither report satisfied Kidd, however, and the Novi City Council hired Berry to conduct a professional study of the assessing department.

Kidd stated he would not accept Berry as an investigator, since Berry was hand-picked by Kriewall.

In his report, delivered to the Novi Council July 17, Berry reported there were no major mistakes committed by the assessors this year, although there was need for a land use map to be drafted.

In addition, Berry stated the department was badly understaffed and the

city should give some consideration to increasing its manpower.

Berry stated he found "invalid" the charges that the two subdivisions areas known as Meadowbrook Lake and Village Oaks Subdivision are inequitably assessed in relation to the percent of value assessed in one as compared to the other.

Using 1978 sales data, Berry found that Meadowbrook Lake was assessed at 36.25 percent of sales value and Village Oaks at 36.12 percent of sales value.

Another point addressed by Berry was whether the assessments between commercial, industrial and residential classes of real property had any basis to be termed invalid. He found the sales to assessment ratios between those classes to be in a reasonable range and dismissed the charge.

Also examined by Berry was the charge that the methodology of assessment procedures in Novi were not in compliance with Michigan statutes and court decisions. Berry stated, as far as he could determine, no major infractions of the rules had taken place.

Speculators seek oil

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duced pictures of oil and gas wells operating in the midst of commercial and residential developments in California.

The Sullivan attorneys also maintained that the state has sufficient safeguards to regulate the use of oil wells to make the danger of any sort of an accident or explosion virtually nonexistent.

After losing their appeal to the circuit court, the Sullivan Oil Company decided not to pursue the matter any further. But Sohn and Holmes came back to the ZBA in 1975 to renew their request for a variance that would permit them to drill the well.

However, state law prohibits the ZBA

from re-hearing a case in which a decision has previously been rendered.

Sohn and Holmes must receive a variance from the ZBA before they can drill an exploratory well because gas and oil drilling operations are not permitted on the property under its current R1-F (small farms single family residential) zoning designation.

The two men have most recently appeared before the ZBA in May to renew their request for a variance.

Holmes told the members of the ZBA at that time that their geologist believes there is definitely oil on their property.

Sohn added that the proposed site is in a ravine so that a well would be obscured from view when the drilling rig is removed.

Giese has credentials

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Headline Amendment would do "what the people want to do" because it is tied with the consumer price index on the federal level.

On the issue of land use planning, Giese says she endorses the current land use proposals and favors the categorizing of natural resources. This would facilitate planning and planning is an essential element, she says.

She also favors the Anderson Wetlands proposal.

As far as growth limitation proposals are concerned, Giese says she is unwilling to accept the assumption that local units of government haven't been doing anything. Growth limitation ordinances are something which should be studied, she maintains.

Giese also favors strong ethics

legislation and would endorse lobbyist and disclosure reforms.

On other issues, Giese made the following comments:

SUPER SEWER — "It must be provided in Novi. There are so many alternatives. I would evaluate them in terms of expense and environmental impact and choose the alternative which best serves that criteria."

M-275 — "My first impulse was that the freeway would hurt the environment. When I started to examine the options it is clear that there are no easy solutions. It's clear that we need a north-south route for transportation movement. I need to study the routes more than I have before I could take a position. If you reject the M-275, you're rejecting all the 15 years of plant and local input of money. Jumping in and grabbing a solution is not the way I go."

On other issues, McCoy made the following comments:

SUPER SEWER — "No way. The concept suffers from a problem in that the input doesn't reflect what actually exists. There would be negative environmental problems. I would oppose Super Sewer in the Lakes Area, although I would give a conditional approval for Super Sewer in Novi if a limit were placed on population growth."

M-275 — "There's no doubt that a north-south road is needed, but the choices narrow down to worse and worse. I oppose the freeway concept without a doubt, but a third alternative is needed. I prefer the limited access highway concept, but regardless of what you do, you're going to have to give up something."

McCoy to be advocate

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The third priority cited by the Walled Lake resident concerns jobs and economic development. He says that Michigan must examine the phenomenon of loss of business and loss of jobs closely.

"The state must be more aggressive in its efforts to recruit business," he states. "We have to keep the jobs in Michigan which are already here and we have to find more business to provide jobs. The state must create a climate which is conducive to business expansion."

McCoy also believes that jobs must be generated by the private sector. "The federal and state governments cannot perpetuate the economy by creating artificial jobs," he says.

Rosman led road fight

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"Novi has a right to place business where it wants, but there should be input from surrounding communities so that plans for such things as roads can be incorporated," he says.

Effective land use planning, according to Rosman, would provide communities with an inventory as to which areas are best for which uses. "It's wrong to build houses on fertile farm land and it's wrong to plan recreation areas on land that's good for industrial or commercial development," he maintains. "The state needs a sensible approach to the use of the land."

Rosman also advocates "ethics" legislation, including tough financial source disclosure at every level from the federal to the local. "Legislators need to clean up their acts," he says. "It's a shame when you learn more about legislators from police blotters than the legislative record."

In the fiscal area, Rosman says the Lansing bureaucracy must learn to work within the framework of its income, cutting out bloat and waste. He would support "zero base budgeting" in which every state agency would have to

substantiate every dollar. He also favors "sunset laws" that would require every agency to face a comprehensive review at set intervals or face elimination.

Adoption of "zero base budgeting" and "sunset laws" would permit the "deadwood" to be dropped from the backs of the state's taxpayers," he says.

On other issues, Rosman made the following comments:

SUPER SEWER — "I oppose Super Sewer. It would be an environmental disaster from here to Lake Erie. It would pollute ground waters, cut down on the flow of the rivers, and cost anywhere from \$7,000 to \$12,000 per house for tap-in fees. I favor a decentralized system that would be developed to meet the character of each community and would be more cost effective."

M-275 — "Obviously I favor the alternative proposed by the Citizens in Opposition to the M-275 group which has been working aggressively to solve the traffic congestion problem. Our alternative would use the existing road pattern and have little or no damage on the environment."

Random Sample

By Steve Bell

First off, I want all readers of this column to keep this information to themselves. If this news should get out, there may be a crime wave in Novi and I certainly do not want to be responsible for that. I am about to give out one of the secrets used by the commercial kings at the Twelve Oaks Palace to catch shoplifters.

They watch you while you get dressed. And undressed.

So if you should forget to take off a couple of pairs of pants and try walking out of a store with four pairs of pants on, they will have seen you putting them all on and will throw you in jail for a few days.

That, anyway, is the rationale behind this apparently acceptable form of peeping-tomism (peeperism, peeping tomismness?). So one should not be angry at the idea of Big Brother looking over your shoulder and back and other more private sections in the name of justice.

There I go again, showing the chauvinist in me. I mean, I don't even know if it is Big Brother or not. It could be Big Sister, you know, who watches me while I try on that pair of Johnny Miller slacks.

Now, don't get me wrong. I don't really mind being watched while I get dressed. My mother used to do it all the time when I was a youngster and, though I wasn't even aware of the Constitution at

that point in my life, even if I had been, I wouldn't have raised any strong objections. No, what I object to is the formality and secrecy of the whole setup. I mean, how many people even realize there is someone up there watching. And if they do realize that, they still have no idea who that person is.

Perhaps a better way to go about it would be to introduce the man or woman employed as a peeper to the person getting dressed before he or she enters the dressing room.

"Hello," the voice could boom out from the ceiling. "I'm Harold Binglebaum and I will be watching you as you try on that pair of striped pants. I must say, however, that you would be much better off matching checks with that shirt. And I might add that if you lost a couple pounds you could probably fit into a 32. Again, good wishes."

I wouldn't mind that so much, I wouldn't think. At least then I would know that Harold Binglebaum knows how to match clothes and cares about my diet. But as it is, I don't know a thing about who is watching me. I don't know if it is even a man or a woman. Or whether I even merit watching. If it is a fellow in charge of watching both the female and male dressing rooms, why, I might not even get so much as a one-over glance.

For example, I was in one of the stores last week

buying clothes and when I entered the dressing rooms, some little high-pitched buzzer began bleeping. "He looks like he could be one of those darn shoplifters," it seemed to say. Now I don't know whether that bleeping was some sort of sign I was being watched or not, but I gave a dirty look up at a hole in the ceiling and the dang thing started bleeping even more.

I suppose I should take some of the blame. Some people naturally look like professors, others like movie stars, others like quarterbacks. I happen to look like the sort of guy who might get a kick out of walking out of a store with \$300 worth of clothes without first stopping at the checkout counter. So naturally they give me a bleeping good look.

I don't know what can be done about this situation and I must state that not all of the stores use this Big Brother surveillance. I called up the head of surveillance of the mall to find out which stores used it, but a public relations type returned my call to tell me the surveillance head couldn't talk to me. And she said she didn't know the answer to my question. The old "you can't get there from here" play.

So all I can say is keep this in mind the next time you're shopping at the mall — and wear clean underwear.



Sports ... in The News

Guardian Angels finish second in Novi women's softball tourney

Walled Lake's Guardian Angels did everything but win their second straight Novi women's softball tournament last weekend.

They pitched well, they fielded well,

they hit well and they came from behind twice for victories, but in the end a last-inning collapse cost them a shot at the championship.

Playing their fifth game of the day

under hot and muggy skies at Saturday's one-day, six-team double elimination tournament, the Angels lost a tough 12-15 decision to Lipon's Sports of Brighton in the finals and placed runner-up.

The Angels, currently tied for second place in the Walled Lake women's league division they compete in, carried a 12-10 lead into the last inning of the title game but Lipon's, which had beaten the local 10-20-14 in a third-round contest, erupted for six straight hits to open the top of the seventh and eventually scored eight times to put it away.

At one point earlier in the game the Angels had led by as much as 9-4. Annie Sacco's three-run homer in the first inning kept the score at 3-3.

After scoring once more in the second to go ahead 4-3, the Walled Lake club broke loose for five runs in the third on singles by Barb Carl, Robin Morbitzer and Lori Tucker plus a walk and two errors.

Lipon's fought back to tie the things up in the top of the fourth, though, and from there on it was a see-saw battle.

Bev Taernau went 3-for-5 to pace the Angels' hitting attack while Jo Duryea, Carl and Morbitzer added two apiece and Lynn Proimos contributed a two-run, fourth-inning homer.

Earlier in the day the Angels had

beaten Garden City's Delta Darlings, 13-12, and Dearborn Heights' Town Grill, 4-2, to qualify for the winners' bracket finals against Lipon's. After losing 20-14 to Lipon's, the Angels trimmed Town Grill, 8-4, in the losers' bracket finals to qualify for another shot at Lipon's.

In its opener against the Delta Darlings coach Tim Bolinger's team fought back from a 12-7 deficit with six runs in the last three innings. Denise Tairallan knocked in the winning run with a two-out single that scored Elaine Wozniak in the top of the seventh.

The Angels, sparked by Sacco's run-scoring triple, broke loose for three runs in the fifth inning to break a 1-1 tie and edge Town Grill in the second round.

In the third round Mary Anne Bolinger cracked a home run and a triple and Walled Lake drew a total of nine walks, but it wasn't enough to stop Lipon's from taking a 20-14 decision.

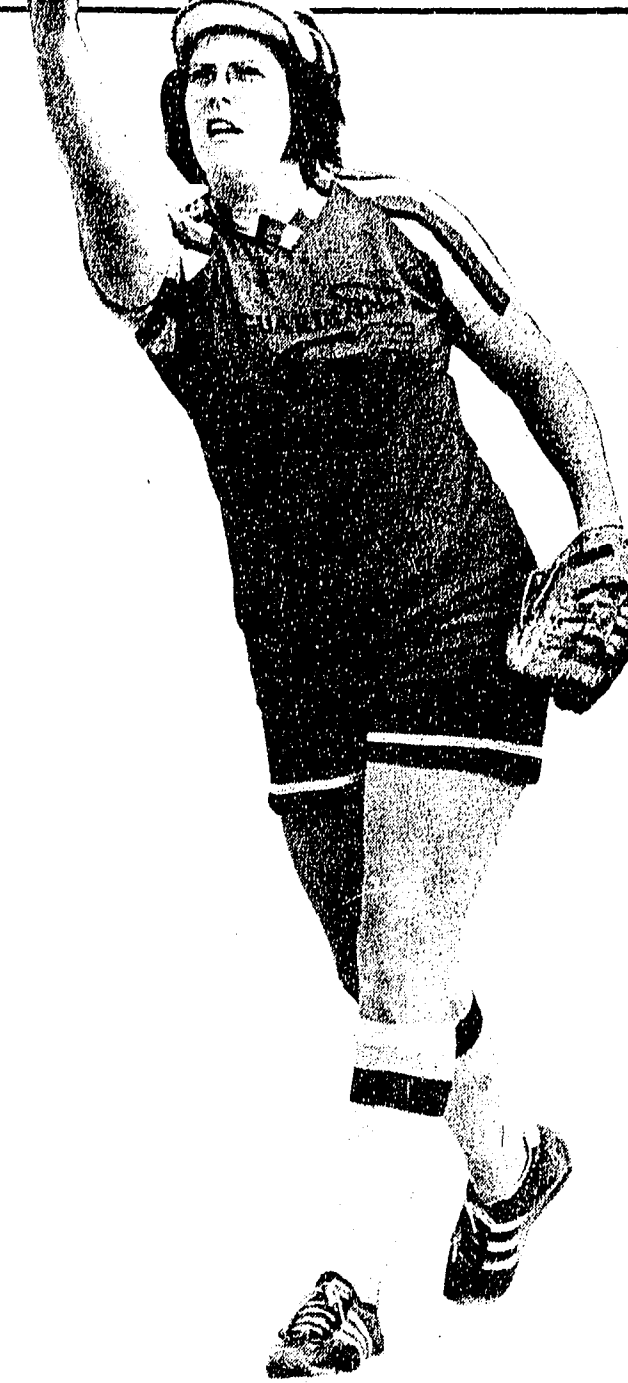
The Angels then earned a berth in the tournament finals with a dramatic come-from-behind 8-4 victory over Town Grill.

Trailing 4-0 in the bottom of the sixth, the local squad erupted for eight runs on eight hits and an error. Bolinger and Wozniak highlighted the rally with run-producing triples while Cathy Wurn added an RBI double.

Cathy Wurn did most of the pitching for Guardian

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Lake pigtailers jinxed B-3
Segnitz hurls Howell tourney B-5
Colonels win Howell Tourney B-6
Youth swimmers are tops B-7



Randy Lewis singled on this swing for Novi



Ann Sacco rounds third on the way to a score

Legionnaires end skid but still suffer losses

Jeff Lavery's pitching arm and a clutch double by Scott Taylor helped Novi's American Legion baseball squad end a long, long drought last weekend.

Despite another weak showing at the plate, the local club eked out a 3-2 victory over Royal Oak in the second game of a doubleheader at home Sunday, ending a 10-game losing streak that spanned almost three weeks.

Novi scored twice in the second inning and added another in the fourth while Royal Oak picked up single tallies in the third and fifth.

Rick Faulkner singled and Lavery walked, then advanced to third and second on a double steal in the second-inning rally. Pat Dewan followed with a sacrifice bunt down the third-base line that sent both runners home when Royal Oak's pitcher overthrew first base.

After the visitors cut the gap to 2-1 in the third, Novi scored what proved to be the winning run on a walk to Lavery and an RBI double by Taylor in the fourth. Royal Oak collected four hits in the fifth inning but managed only one run, and Lavery kept the visitors in check the rest of the way.

Novi's right-handed pitching ace allowed eight hits and one walk in going the distance for his fifth victory against just two defeats this season, but as

usual he had little offensive support. The local club managed only three hits, two by Faulkner and one by Taylor.

Actually that was the team's top offensive output of the week, though. In the opening game of the twin bill they scrounged up just one hit, a sixth-inning single by Taylor, and wasted a strong pitching effort by Steve Weber in a 1-0 defeat.

Weber went all the way and gave up just three hits while striking out five. Two of those hits came in the fourth inning, though, producing Royal Oak's only run of the game.

Novi threatened in the sixth when Taylor led off with a base hit and Randy Lewis followed with a walk, but a successful pick-off throw at second took the steam out of the losers.

Last Wednesday Novi had one of its worst offensive showings of the year in a 2-1 eight-inning loss to Southfield.

The local club failed to get a hit, but sent the game into extra innings on a pair of walks and an infield error in the top of the seventh. Southfield, which scored its first run in the fifth inning, won the affair on a walk and a double in the eighth.

Bill Bishop and Faulkner split the pitching duties for Novi, each going four innings. They only gave up a combined total of three hits.

Novi is now 6-13 on the season.



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Here's the latest on our Caesars

Ron Ford of Novi caught fire at the plate for the Detroit Caesars over the weekend and pumped his batting average up 21 points to .681, tops on the team. His efforts earned him player-of-the-week honors in the American Professional Slo-Pitch League.

The 23-year-old power-hitting outfielder belted 14 hits in 16 at-bats, helping the Caesars to a split of their four-game series with Trenton.

Ford had four home runs and 13 RBI's during that time, hiking his league-leading totals in those departments to 50 and 124.

Rick Trudeau of Walled Lake, meanwhile, pushed his batting average up 14 points with a 9-for-14 performance, including five RBI's. The slick-fielding shortstop is now hitting .514 this season with 26 RBI's.

Norm Cash of Commerce Township played in the finale of Detroit's tripleheader Sunday and pitched a three-hitter through the first six innings of a 10-5 loss. Cash went 1-for-2 himself at the plate, lifting his batting average to .255.

The Caesars won Friday's series opener 20-9 but when the nightcap of a scheduled doubleheader and Saturday's doubleheader were rained out,

they were forced to play three games Sunday. They split the first two, losing 20-9 and winning 20-7, before losing 10-5 in the finale.

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Badminton anyone?

While most of our sports section coverage goes to local softball teams, every now and then a new sport comes along, begging for coverage. Staff photographer Dave Turnley was out patrolling Walled Lake last week when

he spotted pretty Sandy White engaging in a game of water badminton. Although water badminton isn't as popular as swimming or water skiing, we definitely feel it is a sport worth looking into.



Margaret Grubb rips one for Walled Lake

Jinx hits Walled Lake

The "South Farmington jinx" continued to haunt Walled Lake's Traveling League Pigtailers last week, but coach Jack Grubb's girls are still in the running for a title.

South Farmington, which leads the league with a 9-2 record this season, beat Walled Lake for the third time this season last Tuesday. Interestingly enough, those are the only three defeats pinned on the local girls in 11 games this season.

Last Tuesday South Farmington did it the hard way, coming back from a 1-0 deficit for a 2-1 victory in nine innings.

Tracy Grubb, who led her team's hitting attack with a 3-for-4 effort, singled and came home on a double by Lisa Sahajdak in the fourth to get Walled Lake off on the right foot.

Marilyn Goyette came home with the tying run in the sixth, though, after leading off with a single for South Farmington. Goyette then won the game for the league leaders with a one-out RBI single in the ninth.

"We did everything but outscore them," coach Jack Grubb said of the game, noting that his team out-hit South Farmington 10-8 and looked strong defensively.

Last Monday (July 17) Walled Lake picked up its seventh and eighth victories of the season with a doubleheader sweep over last-place Redford.

Led by Janet Wilson, who went 3-for-3 at the plate and had three RBI's, and

Kathy Fuson, who pitched a two-hitter, the local girls swept to a 15-0 victory in the opener. They scored 14 of those runs with seven-run outbursts in the fourth and fifth innings.

Beth Muesel and Bobbi Brower added three RBI's apiece for the winners, while Tracy Grubb and Marshann Hensley both went 2-for-2.

Margaret Grubb came back in the nightcap to pitch a five-hitter and went 3-for-3 at the plate while Marie Abbonizio went 2-for-2 to lead Walled Lake to an 8-1 triumph. Hensley and Shari Tester each kicked in two RBI's as the winners scored all eight runs in the third, fourth, fifth and sixth innings.

Abbonizio and Hensley were outstanding defensively as well. Abbonizio made several exceptional catches in leftfield while Hensley threw two runners out at home and another out at first base from her left centerfield position.

Novi, meanwhile, saw its record dip to 4-6 last Wednesday in a 7-0 loss to South Lyon. The local club picked up only three hits in the contest while South Lyon, now 7-3 this season, scored three runs in each of the second and third innings and added another in the sixth.

Walled Lake and Novi will clash in a doubleheader at Walled Lake's Reiley Field this Friday. The games are scheduled to get under way at 6:00 and 7:30 p.m.



Chris Mellema puts the tag on an enemy runner

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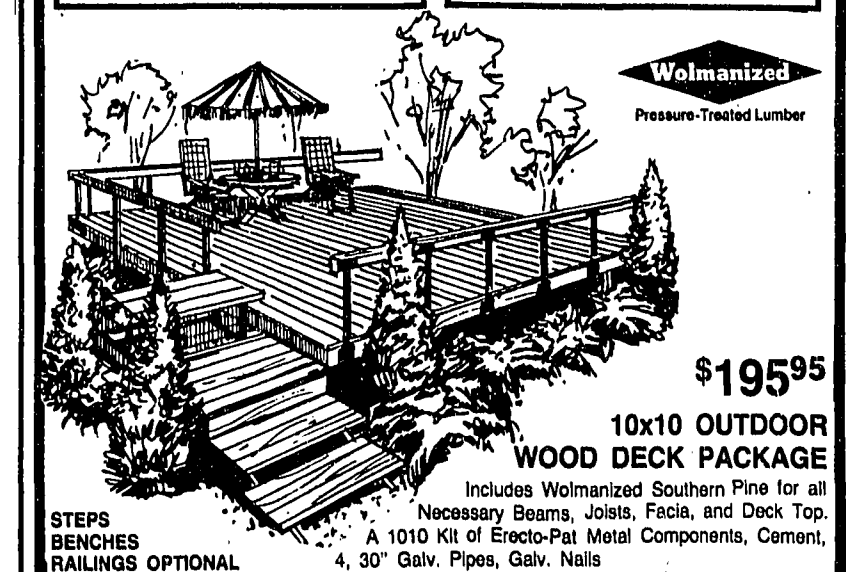
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Upsets highlight Novi men's softball action

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Novi Police officers Association ended Cardona's hopes for a perfect season with a 7-6 victory.

The win snapped a 13-game winning streak for Cardona's and lifted NPOA above .500 for the season. Combined with a 12-5 victory over Novi Firemen later in the week, the Police are now 9-7 and in third place behind Cardona's and the Jaycees.

Portec Industries, meanwhile, came up with perhaps the biggest upset of the season in a 22-13 rout of Michigan Tractor in an inter-divisional contest.

Tractor entered the game with a 14-3 record and a first-place standing in the National Division. Portec, on the other hand, was just 2-13 and buried in last place in the American Division.

In other games involving top clubs the Jaycees suffered a 14-10 setback at the hands of Goat Farm early in the week but came back with a 10-3 win over NPOA. That hiked the Jaycees' record to 11-5 this season and kept them in second place in the American circuit.

Little Valley, meanwhile, maintained its second-place grip in the National Division with a 19-10 triumph over Novi American.

Colonels grasp trophy from Howell tourney

The Union Lake Colonels emerged as the only undefeated team in the five-game Round Robin Class A Invitational Tournament at Howell's new Softball Country Park last weekend.

In the fifth and final game, the Colonels played one of their strongest games of the year as they trounced Romeo Big Boy 30-1. The Colonels collected 36 hits, including 10 home runs over the 300-foot fence, and played errorless defensive ball behind the five-hit pitching of Rod Lyons. Lyons finished the tournament with all five Colonels wins.

In the opening round game, the Colonels defeated the host team, Softball Country of Howell, 13-7. Sam Antonazzo, Ray Koenig, Matt Partridge, and Paul Deimling all had three hits with Partridge, Koenig, Antonazzo and Mike Turk belting home runs.

The Ann Arbor Travellers were the Colonels' second victim, as Mike Turk drove in seven Colonels runs for an 18-9 win. Turk smacked a pair of home runs,

while Dave Burt and Rod Lyons collected four hits apiece.

The third round victory was the easiest of the tournament for the Colonels as a Garden City club failed to show, resulting in a 7-0 local win.

Fishers of Novi ran into the Union Lake bunch in round four, and suffered a 16-11 loss. Sam Antonazzo belted a three-run homer for the Colonels and Doug Gaines drove in four runs with a pair of fence-clearing blows. Mike Turk, Marv Gross, and Cecil Gross also homered for Max Turk's crew.

In the championship game against Romeo, every Colonel player contributed two or more hits in the 30-1 shellacking. Dave Burt smacked five hits; Mike Turk had three home runs; and Marv Gross went a perfect six-for-six.

Mike Turk was selected as the tournament's Most Valuable Player and also won the loop's Home Run Trophy. As a team, the Colonels batted .583 in the five-game tournament.

Colonels widen their lead in Inde-Water open league

The Union Lake Colonels continued to make a shambles of the Inde-Water Open League this past week with a pair of victories over Schram's Auto Parts.

The dual wins lift the Colonels record to 31-2 in the circuit, and opens up a whopping ten game lead in the loss column over their closest contenders.

"We're really starting to put it together now," said Colonel Manager Max Burt. "We got off to a slow start, hit a short slump, but now we're really playing ball."

The Colonels exploded for 12 runs in the opening inning of the first game en route to a 17-4 win over Schram's. Leadoff hitter John Varvari went four-for-four in the opener while Matt Partridge and Sam Antonazzo each collected three hits.

In the nightcap, Mike Turk led the batting brigade with a pair of homers inside a four-for-four game. The Colonels collected 15 hits in the 11-5 win, while winning pitcher Rod Lyons held Schram's to only nine.

Fifth Rainbow Tournament is slated for mid-August

The Union Lake Colonels are now taking entrants to their fifth annual Rainbow Slowpitch softball tournament to be held August 11-13 at Clintonwood Park in Clarkston.

The tournament is open to any Class C or B residential league team that has not won a tournament in 1978. The fee will be \$80 for the double elimination tournament with sponsor trophies awarded to the top six finishers.

All games will be played on three fields in Clintonwood Park, two of

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The only changes from ASA rules will be a third strike foulout, and a three ball walk. There will be a ten run mercy rule after five innings.

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Doug Gaines forces an enemy runner at second

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Flying Dolphins sport best youth swimmers

Members of the Walled Lake Flying Dolphins swim club are making big splashes in Northwest Parks and Recreation pools this summer, according to swim team coach Del Covington.

"We've got a good group of swimmers," said Covington. "Most of them are back from previous years and therefore swim with a lot of enthusiasm."

Currently the Walled Lake Flying Dolphins have outswum both Clawson and Southfield in dual meets this summer, while dropping a dual meet to Huntington Woods. The local club also placed second in the eight-team Clawson Relays.

The Flying Dolphins is an AAU sanctioned swim club for youths aged seven to 17, and it's reportedly one of the best in Oakland County. The Dolphins, who practice daily at the Walled Lake Western pool, draw swimmers from Walled Lake, Union Lake, Wixom, Milford and West Bloomfield. The group currently has about 45 members.

"We've got a lot of depth," says Covington, "and that's going to help us at the league championship meet next month."

Walled Lake hosts the Northwest Parks and Recreation championship meet at the Western Pool on August 2nd and 3rd, and Covington is looking for top performances from many of his swimmers.

"We've got a bunch of swimmers who could go unbeaten this year," said Covington, "but it's up to them. A few of them are very talented."

Among Covington's top swimmers is 14 year old Mark Hughes. Hughes has been unbeaten so far this season, and according to his coach, "could win any event I put him into."

Mark's 10 year old sister, Marla, is another undefeated swimmer for the Dolphins. She's repeatedly captured the breaststroke, butterfly, and freestyle races.

Twelve year old Karen Hogue is one of the league's top backstrokers, and doubles as a member of the Dolphins' freestyle and medley relay teams.

Eleven year old Kiri Beland and ten year old Margaret LeFave are a couple other swimmers who have been doing well, according to Covington. Beland is a breaststroke and freestyler, while LeFave concentrates on the backstroke and butterfly.

Most of Covington's swimmers are in the program year-round, but a couple of his young tankers haven't been active since last summer. Michelle McNutt and Tami Patterson, both twelve year olds, have done surprisingly well in competition this summer. In fact, McNutt often swims out of her age bracket and competes with the 15-17 year olds.

Walled Lake will host the Inter-Division meet tomorrow (Thursday) at 3:15 p.m. at the Western High pool.



Nov's Lynn Wohlfeil does the breaststroke

Novi swimmers shine in their first season

Novi swim club coaches Lori Bederka and Kathy Krupic were supposed to give their work out for them in taking the reins of Novi's first-year swim team, but things have gone a little better than expected.

Going into Monday's dual meet with Royal Oak, the young Wildcats were tied for first place in their division. Although they dropped the meet, the first-year team picked up quite a bit of praise from opposing coaches.

"The Royal Oak coaches and the coaches at the Clawson Relays last week told me that we had one of the best first-year teams they had ever seen," reported Bederka.

Indeed, Novi probably would've beaten Royal Oak if the Wildcats could've produced some older swimmers. For the second time in dual meet competition, the Wildcats have lost solely because of forfeiting the upper age bracket swimming races.

"We've picked up a couple of older swimmers," said Bederka, "but we still need more in order to compete on the same level as the other teams."

Bederka's Wildcats are especially looking for 15-17 year old swimmers, but could also use a few additional 13-14 year olds as well.

That's not the story in the younger age brackets, however, as the Wildcats bumped off Oak Park last week 107-105.

"We had 35 best lifetime times in that meet," said Bederka, "and it was a pretty good win for us. The kids really enjoyed it."

Among Novi's top swimmers against Oak Park was eight year old Greg Huotari. He has been virtually unbeatable in the freestyle and backstroke this season.

"He's even been beating the 10 year olds," said the coach. Bederka also noted that 11 year old Greg Haskell has been coming along well, especially in the backstroke.

There was more good news in the Clawson relays last Friday. Although Novi finished sixth out of the eight clubs competing (four were members of the first division), the local team came home with eight ribbons in the 10 events they entered. One of the boys' backstroke teams even captured a first place.

"We're really doing a lot better than everyone expected us to do in our first year," said the coach.

Novi will compete in the Northwest Parks and Recreation league championships August 2 and 3 at Walled Lake.



Marla (top) and Mark Hughes (bottom) are among the best swimmers for the Flying Dolphins



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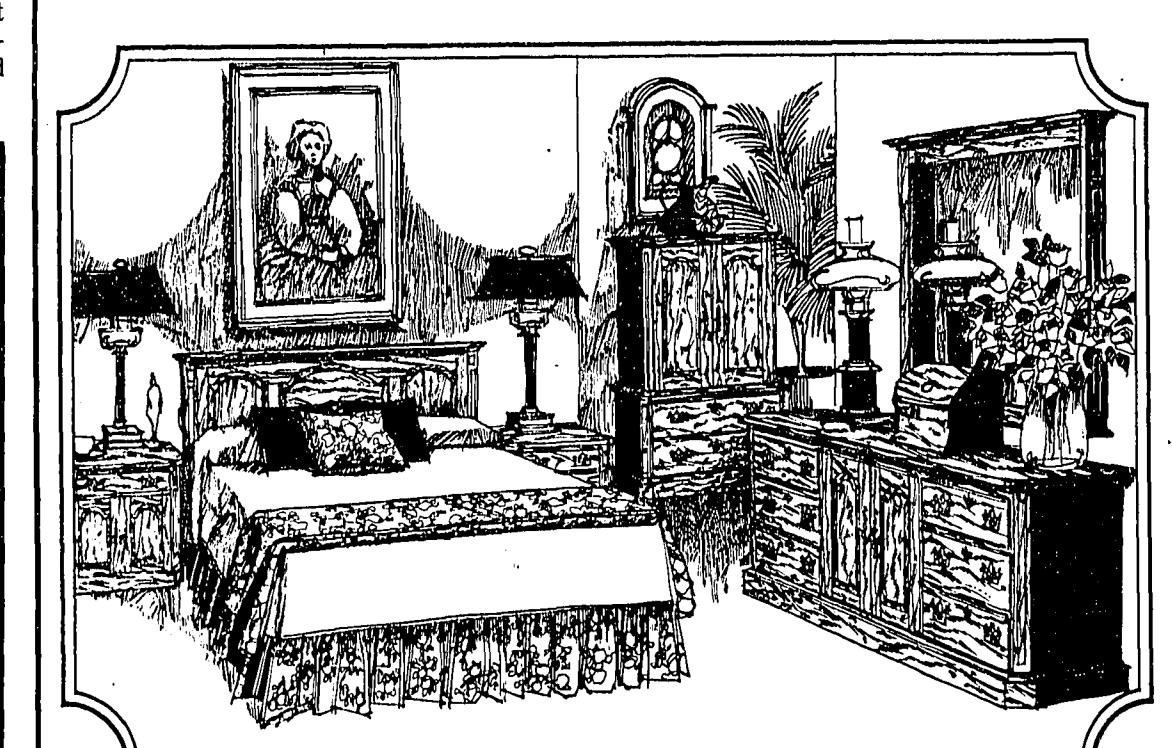
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Grand Parade on Saturday

Paul Bunyan Days underway

Paul Bunyan Days, the annual fundraising festival sponsored by the Union Lake Jaycees, will kick off its four-day run tomorrow with a bicycle and pet parade along Oakley Park Road, from Martin to Haggerty.

Assembly for the parade will begin at 10:30 a.m. at Oakley Park and Martin roads with the march slated for 11:45 a.m. Children may ride decorated bikes or escort pets along the parade route.

The festival will officially open at noon. Other first-day activities include a Mr. Paul Bunyan Look-Alike Contest at 7 p.m., followed by a Miss Paul Bunyan Pageant at 7:30 p.m.

Friday's events, which begin at noon, include a new games program from 1-2:30 p.m. and a freckle contest at 4 p.m.

On Saturday, the festival begins at 10 a.m., although the big event of the day, the Grand Parade, is slated for 2 p.m. Marchers are to assemble at the Highland Lakes campus of Oakland Community College, beginning at 12:30 p.m., for the parade which will make its way from the campus to Morey's Golf Course on Union Lake and Wise roads.

A pie-eating contest at 5 p.m. rounds out the scheduled activities, although the festival site will be open until midnight.

Following Sunday's opening at noon, Paul Bunyan events include a baby contest at 1 p.m. for infants up to 18 months of age; a horseshoe pitch at 1:30 p.m.; Special Olympics games for handicapped children at 3:30 p.m.; and a water fight between the Commerce, West

Bloomfield, Waterford and White Lake fire departments at 4 p.m.

The Special Olympics are a new feature of this year's festival.

Amusement rides, games, food and beer also will be available at the festival site each day.

Proceeds from the annual event are returned to the community in the form of many enrichment programs, according to Patrick Dohany, a Jaycee member and Commerce Township treasurer.

The Jaycees netted some \$10,000 last year, Dohany said, although that figure has run as high as \$12,000 in some years.

More than 70-percent of the profits are spent to help residents of the Union Lake area, he said, while the remainder

of the monies go toward operation of the Jaycees' Paul Bunyan Center at 900 Round Lake Road.

The organization makes financial contributions to the West Oakland YMCA and also donates funds to a fire assistance program to help fire victims; provide Thanksgiving baskets for children and senior citizens; and as contributions to the Heart, Child's and Muscular Dystrophy funds.

The YMCA, Walled Lake Schools and Oakland-Livingston Human Services Agency (OLHSA) use the Paul Bunyan center on a daily basis, Dohany added.

Dollar discounts coupons for amusement rides are available from participating merchants. The coupon and \$5 buys a \$6 ride ticket.

Commerce officials eye rubbish removal plan

Commerce Township officials are looking to Ventura County, California, for a possible solution to its rubbish removal problem.

Planning Commissioner Ed Oldenkamp, who recently returned from a vacation in the Golden State, told his colleagues last week that Ventura utilizes a dumpster facility with a ramp so that residents can bring rubbish to a central location for disposal.

"I think we should give the people a convenience," Oldenkamp said. "Then, maybe they wouldn't throw their rubbish on the roads."

He suggested that the commission should write to Ventura officials for more information on its program and try to find a suitable central location in Commerce where a dumpster could be placed.

Commission Secretary Don Donigan volunteered to write the California county for more information.

Commerce used to have a contract with a Rose Township company that permitted township residents to dump refuse in that landfill, but the service was discontinued in 1976 because of budget problems.

A dumpster also was placed at Township Hall several years ago for residents' convenience, but the facility was filled to an over-flow capacity on several occasions before it was removed.

Oldenkamp said the ramp facility used in California apparently solved the over-flow problem.

Clerk Robert McGee, who also serves on the commission, noted that state law designates the county as the planning agency for rubbish disposal, and suggested that Oldenkamp should express his concerns to U.S. Soil Conservation Service officials at the commission's work session July 31.

Here's schedule of events

THURSDAY, JULY 27
10:30 a.m. — Bicycle and pet parade assembly begins at Oakley Park and Martin roads.
11:45 a.m. — Bicycle and pet parade proceeds to Oakley Park and Haggerty festival site.
12 Noon — Festival opens.
7 p.m. — Mr. Paul Bunyan Look-Alike Contest.
7:30 p.m. — Miss Paul Bunyan Pageant.
11 p.m. — Festival closes.

FRIDAY, JULY 28
12 Noon — Festival opens.
1-2:30 p.m. — New games program.
4 p.m. — Freckle Contest.
11 p.m. — Festival closes.

SATURDAY, JULY 29
10 a.m. — Festival opens.
12:30 p.m. — Assembly for Grand Parade at Highland Lakes campus of Oakland Community College on Cooley Lake Road.
2 p.m. — Grand Parade begins at Highland Lakes campus and proceeds to Morey's Golf Course at Union Lake and Wise roads.
5 p.m. — Pie-Eating Contest.
Midnight — Festival closes.

SUNDAY, JULY 30
12 Noon — Festival opens.
1 p.m. — Baby Contest for children up to 18 months old.
1:30 p.m. — Horseshoe Pitch.
3:30 p.m. — Special Olympics for handicapped children.
4 p.m. — Water Fight featuring Commerce, West Bloomfield, White Lake and Waterford fire departments.
11 p.m. — Festival closes.

*All events at festival site, Oakley Park and Haggerty roads, unless otherwise noted.

Obituary

GEORGE VOWLES

Funeral services for George H. Vowles, Sr., were held at the Richardson-Bird and Lynch Funeral Home, Walled Lake. Pastor Jon Rule officiated at the Saturday services.

Mr. Vowles, a retired Ford Motor Company employee, was a resident of Redford Township for 28 years. Born June 10, 1904, in Providence, Rhode Island, to George William and Alice (Worthington) Vowles, he died July 19 in Redford Community Hospital. He was 74.

He is survived by his wife, Florence (Lindgren) and 12 children including Donald of Walled Lake; Kenneth of Union Lake; Mrs. Fred (Virginia) Watkins of Walled Lake; Muriel of Walled Lake; Mrs. Gerald (Linda) Race of Novi; George, Jr. of Providence, Rhode Island; Mrs. William (Evelyn) Chapman of Tucson, Arizona; Mrs. David (Esther) Brown of Ypsilanti; Mrs. Harry (Marilyn) Speck of Auburn Heights; Robert of Southfield; James and William, both of Baltimore, Maryland.

He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Muriel Watkins of Ypsilanti, 22 grandchildren, and one great grandchild.

Interment was in Oakland Hills Cemetery, Novi.

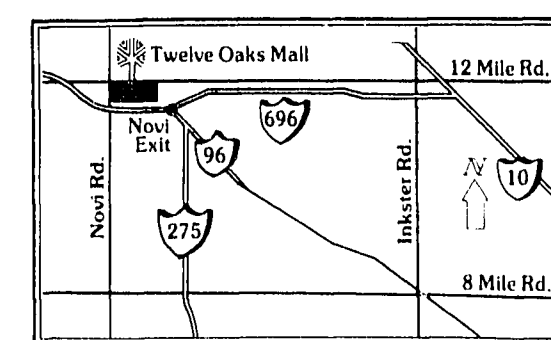
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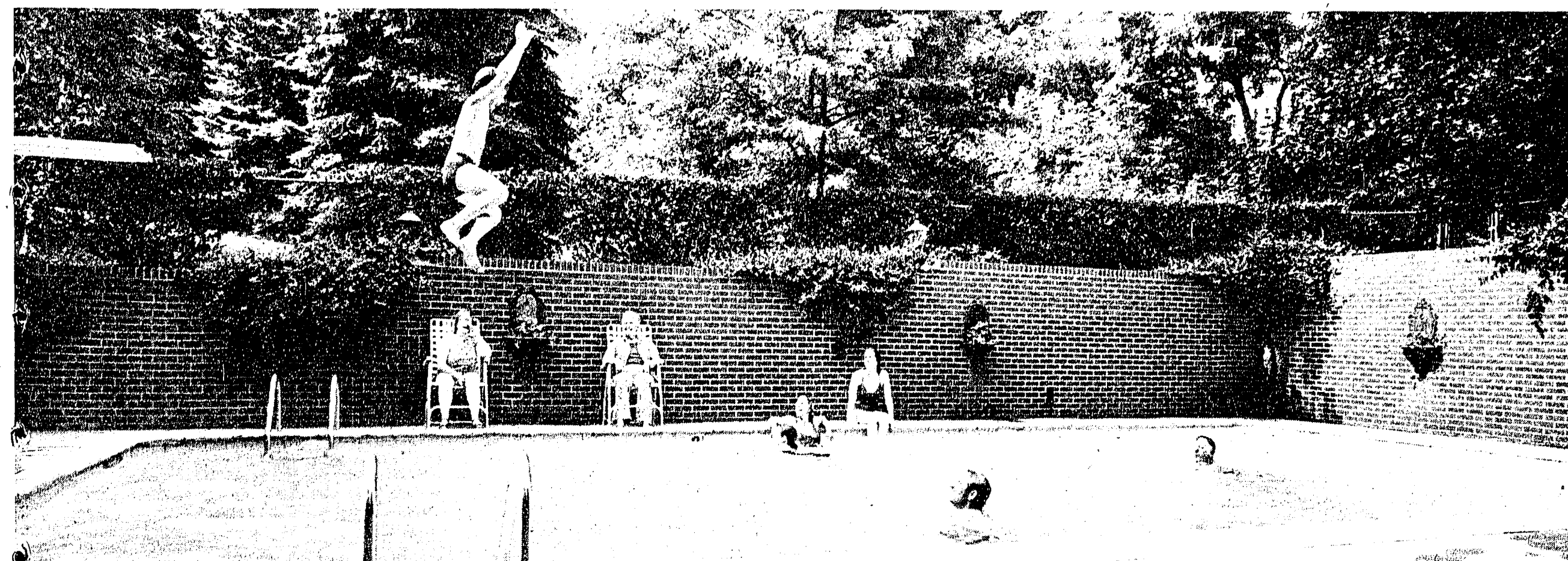
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Want ads/Features



Both the William Miron and Robert Nortons have pools in Northville but gather here at the Miron pool to share the fun—that's John Norton, 11, jumping



FUN POOL—Some may not consider a plastic pool a backyard pool. But it serves the purpose of most pools — cool fun. Here, Ronnie Luttman, six, dumps water over his four-year-old brother, Steve.

Charcoal may help

A lawn sporting today's dandy cultivars is worthy of full protection. Chemicals, weed killers in particular, can cause a lot of trouble if inadvertently spilled or overused.

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Mysterious glamor

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thville beauty. The new hybrid garden lilies have taken a place in many area gardens, large and small, not only for their beauty but because of their ease of culture.

At Kensington

2,000 youngsters vie in Fitness Meet finals

More than 2,000 boys and girls are expected to compete in the finals of the Detroit Metropolitan Youth Fitness Meet at Kensington Metropark east of Brighton tomorrow (Thursday, July 27).

The program is to begin at 9:30 a.m. Youngsters aged 10 through 15 will represent 55 communities, including four districts from Detroit, in the finals. Boys and girls will participate in the 50-yard, 80-yard and 75-yard dashes; as well as in the softball throw, standing broad jump, running broad jump, running hop, step and jump; shuttle relay; and chinning exercises.

A total of 144 trophies will be presented to boys and girls who place first, second and third in the events, with trophies provided by the Youth Fitness Committee. All participants will receive emblems and refreshments courtesy of McDonald Systems, Inc.

Tomorrow's Fitness Meet highlights a host of activities scheduled to take place at Kensington Metropark during the next week. Other programs scheduled for the park during the next few days include:

—“Summer Wildflowers,” to be presented at the Kensington Nature Center at 9 a.m. Sunday, July 30. Park Naturalist Dave Molan will present a close look at various wildflowers and will discuss island usage and identification techniques during this two-hour program.

—“Fossil Hunt,” scheduled for youngsters from nine to 11 years old at 9 a.m. Tuesday, August 1. During this 2½-hour program, participants will learn what fossils are, where they came from and how to find them. Youngsters, who will be permitted to keep the fossils they find, are advised to wear sturdy shoes and to bring their own collecting bags.

—An “Evening Nature Cruise” aboard the Island Queen excursion boat at 8 p.m. Tuesday, August 1. Naturalist Dave Molan will be on board to talk about the area's human history and wildlife. There is a \$1 charge for this one-hour cruise.

—“Fossils-Life through the Ages” will be presented for young people from 12 to 14 at 9 a.m. Wednesday, August 2. Participants will have a chance to learn about the fascinating world of fossils from Naturalist Bob Hotelling. Youngsters again are advised to wear sturdy shoes and to bring collecting bags for the three-hour program.

—“Insect Orchestra” will feature the sounds of night insects at 8 p.m. Thursday, August 3. The program will concentrate on identifying night insects by their calls or appearance. Participants should bring flashlights and insect repellent.

Except where otherwise noted, all programs are free of charge. However, motor vehicle permits (priced at \$5 for regular annual permits, \$1 for senior citizen annuals and \$1 for daily permits) are required for entry to the park. Advance registration is required for all programs. More information may be obtained by phoning 665-1561.

Plant doctor

Plant is sunburned

By ROBERTA LAWRENCE
Extension Horticultural Agent

Question: I moved a number of my houseplants onto my balcony for the summer. Most are doing well, but my Chinese Evergreen turned pale yellow, almost bleached looking in spots. What could have caused this to happen so suddenly?

Answer: It sounds like your Chinese

Evergreen had the same reaction to some of our warm sunny days as you might have had. It got sunburned! House plants placed out of doors in the garden or in a well-drained container. Water as often as necessary to keep the soil around the cuttings moist. Potted cuttings can be covered with plastic. Just below a node — where a leaf joins the stem. Remove the leaves from the lower half of the cutting, and pinch off any flowers or flower buds.

Your Chinese Evergreen will recover. Move it to a more protected location, and as new growth develops, the sunburned foliage.

Good bet for shrubs

A never ending supply of flowering shrubs for your landscape is as close as your favorite lilac. Take cuttings now for propagation.

Bobbi Lawrence, Washtenaw County Horticultural Agent, advises taking six-to-eight inch cuttings in June from the new growth of French Lilac, forsythia, weigela and pyracantha. Make each cut just below a node — where a leaf joins the stem. Remove the leaves from the lower half of the cutting, and pinch off any flowers or flower buds.

No enclosures rootings, dip the cut end of the stem in a rooting hormone.

Every cutting you take will not form roots, so it's a good idea to take more cuttings than you think you need.

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The plants should be ready for transplanting to their final growing sites after four to six weeks.

FFBEAT Michigan

Sky-High Dining or a meal at an airport terminal can make waiting a restaurant an adventure. Revolving eatery atop tall buildings in Detroit, Dearborn and Southfield give diners a well-rounded look at Big City life. Other high-rise restaurants at Traverse City and Port Huron overlook the state's busy waterways. Drive to airport terminals and watch planes landing and taking off, in some cases, looking almost to the restaurant door.

1 Muskegon — Press Box Too, Muskegon County Airport (616-798-3116) **2** Traverse City — Top of the Park, Park Place Motor Inn (616-946-5410) **3** Grand Rapids — Fred Harvey's Golden Eagle Room, Kent County International Airport (616-949-6654); Final, Union Bank Building (616-451-0508); The Penhouse, Pontiac Hotel (616-459-7201) **4** Sturgis — The Prop-Stop, Kirsch Municipal Airport (616-651-2966) **5** Coldwater — Coldwater Airport Inn, Branch County Memorial Airport (517-278-2065) **6** Battle Creek — Kitty Hawk Restaurant, Kellogg Regional Airport (616-963-9845) **7** Lansing — Prophet Foods, Capital City Airport (517-321-4826) **8** Flint — The Sky Room, Tri-City Airport (517-695-5391) **9** Ann Arbor — Sandalwood Restaurant and Lounge, Ann Arbor Inn (313-749-9513) **10** Pontiac — The Voyager, Oakland Pontiac Airport (313-666-3780) **11** Southfield — Coach and Four, Stouffer's Northland Inn (313-569-4700); The Ronde-View, Holiday Inn of Southfield (313-553-7700) **12** Dearborn — The Rotunda, Hyatt Regency Hotel (313-525-1234) **13** Detroit — Top of the Pantry, Pontchartrain Hotel (313-965-0200); The Summit, Detroit Plaza Hotel, Renaissance Center (313-568-8600); Sonny's Weather Station, Detroit City Airport (313-521-6900) **14** Romulus — Inkeeper Restaurant, Host International Airport (313-941-3046), and Michigan Host Coffee House, South Terminal (313-941-4646), both at Detroit Metropolitan Airport **15** Port Huron — Fogcutter, People's Bank Building (810-987-3300), and Golden Eagle Restaurant, St. Clair County International Airport (313-364-7373) **16** Marquette — Crow's Nest Restaurant, The Old Marquette Inn (906-228-7793)

SAFETY TIP:
Use directional signals when changing lanes on freeways or other multi-lane roadways. It lets other drivers know your intentions and will help prevent accidents.

With moose, fudge and monarchs, Michigan islands lure vacationers

Stalking moose, eating fudge in a fort or strolling a town once ruled by a king are among the varied attractions luring visitors to Michigan islands, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

Michigan has hundreds of islands, and Auto Club selected several to show the variety offered. While some are remote, others are ideal for vacationers and a few cater only to daytime visitors looking for a place to swim, fish, picnic or sunbathe.

Most remote and largest of these islands is Lake Superior's Isle Royale. The 42-mile-long wilderness island is accessible by boat or seaplane from Houghton or Copper Harbor. It features moose and two rarely seen wolf packs. The island is famous for backpacking but offers food and lodging at Rock Harbor on the island's eastern end.

Wilderness fishing, hunting and camping are found on Sugar and Neebiss islands in the St. Marys River, both reachable by ferry from Sault Ste. Marie. Cottages and resort accommodations are available.

The wild, rugged nature of those islands contrasts with Middle Ground Island at Bay City, Ojibway Island at Saginaw and Belle Isle at Detroit, which all offer recreation, picnicking and water sports and are accessible by car.

Middle Ground and Ojibway islands are in the Saginaw River. Bay City's Bigelow Park in on Middle Ground Island at the 23rd Street bridge. It contains an operating sawmill and a pleasant residential area. A marina offers food and entertainment. Saginaw's 49-acre Ojibway Island, reached by the Court Street bridge, contains a popular city recreation park.

Sulphur Island, three miles east of Alpena in Lake Huron, is another day-use island near one of northern Michigan's largest cities. It is a scenic and rustic picnic spot and offers swimming and fishing. The island, reached only by boat, is without modern conveniences.

Detroit's 1,000-acre Belle Isle has a children's zoo, beaches for swimming and sunbathing, Dossier's Great Lakes Museum, a conservatory and an aquarium. It has deer, bird paths, stables, tennis courts and a band shell where free summer concerts are held. It is a productive fishing spot and rental canoes are available.

Another large island just above Detroit is the St. Clair Flats at the head of Lake St. Clair. Hargens Island is reached by a short and scenic ferry ride from the city. Points of interest are Sans Souci, the island's only town; the historic Old Club; the Idle Hour

Hotel, and the Four Winds restaurant. Fishing along the island's cuts and channels is rated very good.

Among the state's vacation islands are Mackinac, Bois Blanc, Beaver, Drummond and North and South Manitou, plus the 35 islands in the Les Cheneaux chain.

Beaver Island, 55 square miles of wilderness in northern Lake Michigan, is reached by plane or ferry from Charlevoix. A Mormon colony was established there in 1847 by James Jesse Strang, who proclaimed himself king. Hardwood and pine forests are broken by deserted farms, and sandy beaches rim the island's edge. Visitors can find accommodations and shops in the town of St. James.

The eastern Upper Peninsula's Les Cheneaux Islands are off M-134, near Cedarville and Hessel. This chain stretches into Lake Huron as far as the eye can see. There are no ferries, but 10 percent of the islands are connected to the mainland by bridge. Summer cottages and cabins are available.

At the Upper Peninsula's eastern tip, a short ferry ride takes travelers and their cars from Detour to Drummond Island. There's a crumbling old British fort there, as well as cottages, cabins, motels, restaurants, a golf course and camping.

Mackinac Island is a place of contrasts — old and new, lavish and simple, hills and plains. The island is reached by ferry from Mackinac City or St. Ignace. Automobiles are banned, and travel is on foot, by bicycle or horse drawn vehicle. The island offers fine old hotels and shops that sell everything from fudge and souvenirs to clothing and jewelry. Historic sites include Old Ft. Mackinac and the original Astor Fur Trading Post.

Bois Blanc Island is within sight of Mackinac Island and a six-mile ferry ride into Lake Huron from Chequamegon. The 14-by-seven-mile island offers lodging with food, and boat, car and bicycle rentals at the 1874 Vintage Pines, the island's only hostelry. Miles of trails and shoreline make Bois Blanc ideal for hiking and backpacking.

Lake Michigan's North and South Manitou islands are accessible by ferry from Leland. Among North Manitou's attractions are deer and wild turkeys. Trails radiate from the island. The restored Coast Guard station, offering a central lodge with a dining room. Cottages are available. Most of South Manitou Island is owned by the National Park Service and operates as part of the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore. Camping is permitted there.

Water gardens

Lend Mother Nature a hand

Sometimes Mother Nature comes with plenty of rain for Michigan gardens. More often than not, the gardener has to lend a hand.

Michigan State University horticulturists suggest that gardens need about an inch of water per week. If rain doesn't provide it, it's time to irrigate.

One thorough soaking is better than several light waterings, the experts advise. Shallow watering encourages plants to form shallow root systems. And shallow-rooted plants are less able to withstand periods of hot, dry weather.

The ultimate in efficient watering systems for gardens and fruit trees is trickle irrigation. Plastic pipes carry water to the garden, where perforated hoses or tiny plastic tubes distribute it to plants. Very little water is lost to evaporation with a trickle irrigation system. The water is concentrated in the root zones of crops, so most of it goes to desirable plants rather than weeds.

If you don't want to go to the trouble and expense of installing a trickle irrigation system, you can improvise a simple watering system from lawn soaker hoses. Lay the hose alongside the row upside-down, so that the holes through which the water flows are next to the soil. Then turn the water on low and let it soak into the soil.

Both of these types of watering systems conserve water. They also keep the paths between the rows dry, so it's easier to work in the garden. They keep plant foliage dry, too, which is a big factor in reducing many foliage diseases.

And they give minimum encouragement to weeds.

An overhead sprinkler is probably the least efficient way to water the garden, the MSU specialists say. A great deal of water is lost to evaporation. And much of what soaks into the soil is not where crops can use it. Sprinkling wets down plant foliage, also, which may contribute to establishing and spreading plant diseases.

Mulching is a water-saving technique that home gardeners can use to discourage weeds and conserve soil moisture. Much keeps water from evaporating from the soil, and it cuts

weeds off from the light they need to grow.

A number of inexpensive materials can be used for mulch. Four inches of dry grass clippings (make sure they are free of lawn herbicides), five inches of straw, two inches of sawdust or crushed corn cobs, a sheet of black plastic or a layer of newspapers two or three sheets thick will do very nicely. Except for the plastic, all of these can be tilled into the soil at the end of the growing season.

Another way to get maximum benefit from a minimum of water is to sink a bottomless tin can, empty plastic

jug or piece of clay tile into the ground next to each plant or hill. The can, jug or tiled channels water directly to plant roots.

If you have to carry water to your garden — or if some other pressing need for conservation exists — consider watering first those plants that are least able to tolerate drought, the MSU horticulturists advise.

All crops need plenty of moisture when the seeds are germinating. Shallow-rooted crops like squash, cucumbers, melons and pumpkins usually need more frequent watering than other crops.

Helpful hints for drying flowers



DRYING FLOWERS—The two best agents for drying flowers are silica gel and sand of the sort sold for sandboxes. Well dried flowers will last one or two years if carefully handled to avoid shattering. Arrangements, such as those at the left, should be displayed in a dry room, out of direct sunlight or high humidity.

Michigan Mirror

Consumer bill overshadowed in last-minute rush

By WARREN M. HOYT

During the whirlwind wrap-up session of the legislature prior to the summer recess, much important legislation was overshadowed by the concentrated

work on the 1978-79 fiscal year budget. One such item of consumer interest is the House of Representative's last day approval of product liability legislation which includes two bills establishing guidelines on legal actions regarding

product liability insurance. One measure (HB 5689) provides evidence that a particular product presumably met safety standards will be admissible in a court case. Also, in a case involving a product's safety, a person could get an award, even if the person was partially at fault in an accident because of negligence.

In such circumstances, however, any award will be reduced by the degree of negligence involved.

Cases involving injury or death must be brought within three years after the accident. The three-year statute of limitation is also stipulated for basic product liability cases.

Under the bills, if a product is used more than 10 years it would no longer be presumed safe. A person then would have to prove that a specific defect on the product was responsible for any injury or death.

Plants cleanse the air by photosynthesis: a process by which carbon dioxide is removed from the air and oxygen returned to it. For every ton of wood, trees release a ton of oxygen and consume one and a half tons of carbon dioxide. An apple tree produces enough oxygen to supply four people for one year.

In the past few years, gardeners and home owners in many drought-stricken areas have learned a new term, "grey water," in their efforts to conserve and extend water supplies.

Grey water, or waste water from laundry and bath tubs, has been used increasingly to help shrubs, outdoor flowers and vegetable gardens through periods of dry weather and water-use restrictions.

The conservation idea is sound, but there are precautions, according to information gathered by The Fertilizer Institute. First check to see if

there are local laws or restrictions governing such waste water use. Avoid excessive or continuous use of water containing full-strength detergents or soaps. Although biodegradable, these products contain sodium which may harm plants if applied continuously.

A return to more normal moisture conditions will leach moderate sodium accumulations through the soil. It is best to dilute soapy water with rinse water before pouring.

When water supply is again adequate, addition of acidifying material, such as aluminum sulfate, or fertilizers containing special nutrients for chlorotic plants will return the green color.

Some other do's and don'ts for using "grey water":

• Plants still need nutrients during dry periods. An adequately fertilized plant is more healthy, has a more extensive root system, withstands insect and disease attack better, and uses water more efficiently than one suffering a lack of nutrients. Avoid over-fertilization, however, because excessive growth results in greater water need, and can weaken plants during drought stress.

• Apply cool grey water, not hot. Hot water can damage stems and surface roots of plants.

• Apply water to soil around plants, not on the plants. Apply to feeder root area, away from the trunk or stem.

• Avoid use of greasy kitchen sink waste water. The grease can clog

The only large cities represented in the program are Detroit and Grand Rapids. Helmbrecht said the authority has contacted banks in Flint, Lansing, Saginaw and other large cities and hoped they would get involved as the program got underway to make the program available statewide.

Persons participating in the program could get loans with as little as one percent interest if their gross income is less than \$7,999. Interest rates increase gradually as income rises above that. The largest interest charged is 9 percent to persons whose income are between \$17,000 and \$17,830.

To qualify, a person must own the home and be a reasonable credit risk. The home must be either older than 20 years or damaged through a natural disaster. Loans can also be made to meet health or safety hazards or to make energy conservation improvements.

Dozens of plays like those above, ranging from hilarious comedies and musicals to soul-wrenching drama, will be applauded by Michiganders from now through Labor Day weekend at 20 summer theaters scattered across Lower Michigan.

For a summer evening of merriment, music or paths performed by some of the state's best volunteer, student or professional players, patrons will pay \$1 to \$7.95. Student and senior citizen discounts are offered at many theaters.

While most are local, non-profit groups, five theaters are profit-making operations. Three companies list special children's programs, and most will take telephone reservations.

Just as interesting as the plays offered are the theaters themselves. They range from simple university courtyards and outdoor pavilions to century-old opera houses and bams as well as dazzling computerized architectural showplaces.

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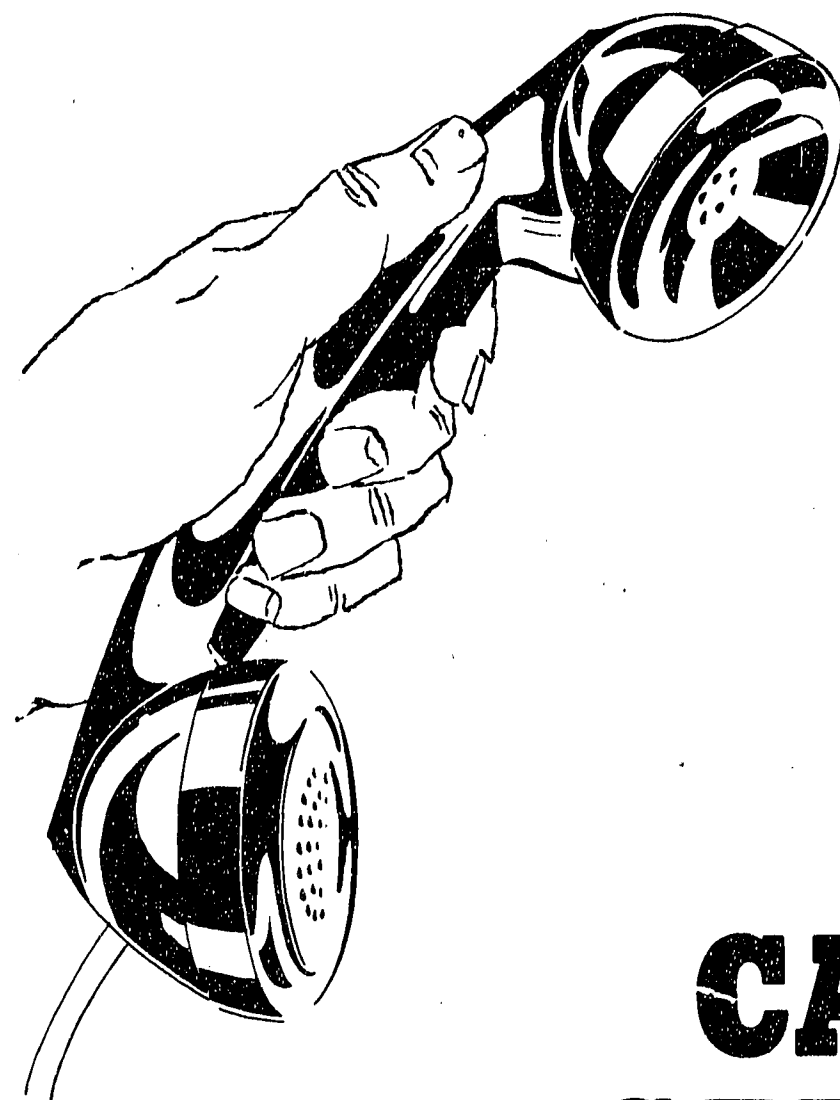
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New hospital device measures breathing

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Now, the pulmonary function laboratory at the Harper Hospital Division of Harper-Grace Hospitals is one of only a few hospitals in Michigan with new exercise testing equipment that will help the physician evaluate and treat patients with respiratory disorders and rehabilitate them while

in the hospital and after they have gone home.

With the new equipment respiratory therapists can help determine what exercise levels the patient can tolerate well and let them know just how far they can push themselves when exercising. Rehabilitating these patients can help improve their breathing during exercise so that eventually they may tolerate more activity than they could before.

The therapist sets reasonable goals for them to reach, encouraging them to be as active as possible when they leave the hospital. Before many patients with severe breathing disorders just waited around to deteriorate to a point where

they had to go back to the hospital — always hoping the next breath would be easier.

Karen Shaffran, director of pulmonary function and respiratory therapy at the hospital, explained that our lungs perform several vital functions. They help us eliminate some metabolic wastes, control our body temperatures and provide the main medium for what is called gas exchange.

Ms. Shaffran stated that when air is inhaled blood carrying oxygen to the tissues and carbon dioxide to be eliminated by the lungs is pumped by the heart. Tests are performed to show any obstruction or restriction within the

lungs. The ability of the lungs to place oxygen into the blood and remove carbon dioxide is carefully measured.

The new pulmonary rehabilitation laboratory at Harper uses four pieces of equipment all at the same time. A regular electrocardiogram (ECG) measures the patient's heart rhythm. An ear-oximeter is attached by electrodes to a helmet with two ear flaps that are designed to measure the reduction in the amount of oxygen carried in the patient's arterial blood in the ear lobe. An electronic readout, like a digital clock indicates a number that tells the therapist what reduction of the carrying capacity of oxygen has occurred.

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exhales. This is called gas exchange and the total volume of gas can be measured every minute during the test.

A dead space ratio is also measured which reports on the amount of lung tissue not actively being used during this breathing process. The concentration of carbon dioxide in the patient's exhaled air is compared with the concentration of oxygen which is inhaled.

Ms. Shaffran noted that some patients, following surgery find breathing painful so they take short quick breaths. Since shallow breathing promotes the accumulation of lung secretions, the patients' breathing capacity must be increased to a proper level of functioning.

She stated that while the patients are being tested under stress on the treadmill, a physician is always available. Patients who are in the hospital and have breathing problems are exercised every day in the pulmonary rehabilitation lab. Their progress is measured as they walk on the treadmill at a very slow speed on a flat surface to a somewhat faster speed on a slight grade — all accomplished by adjusting the treadmill.

After a patient has been stressed then a rehabilitation program is set up. When the patient leaves the hospital, he is asked to return at least twice a week for more rehabilitation and evaluation of his progress so the therapists can

determine if he is doing the exercises and keeping his oxygen at safe levels. As the patient progresses, the speed of the treadmill and the incline of the platform are also adjusted slightly each time to increase their capacity.

Soon the patient is able to get over their fear of exerting themselves as the progression of their pulmonary status slowly improves. The pulmonary patients are encouraged to do some exercise at home on a stairway or walking around a grocery store, but at their own individual speed. When they feel that they are getting out of breath they know it is time to stop and rest.

Before pulmonary rehabilitation was instituted, many patients went home with oxygen and positive pressure breathing equipment and stayed in one room, afraid that they would die if they moved around too much. Ms. Shaffran reported, "We encourage them to do what exercises they can in order to use the muscles around their lungs that they have not been using for some time."

The pulmonary rehabilitation laboratory opened in June and is already testing several patients a day. Testing procedures are performed by skilled respiratory therapists under supervision of pulmonary physicians. Evaluation and rehabilitation of patients is done by physician referrals every weekday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Hot tub in the summertime

The butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker whose name is slapping have endeared them to generations of school children are gaining a broader constituency.

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Evolution from the popular home spa and therapeutic whirlpool bath, "hot tubs" were developed a few years ago in California and now, according to the National Swimming Pool Institute, are gaining in popularity all across the country.

The tubs are something like open barrels, generally constructed of redwood, but also available in oak or aspen. They range in diameter from four to ten feet and may be installed indoors or outdoors.

In most models, water is pumped in through jets and continuously recircled. Water temperatures can be varied to suit the tastes of the tubbers.

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Pursell blasts Soviet trials

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"There are no tanks rolling across borders in this instance, but the Russian government is nevertheless engaged in naked aggression against the human mind," Pursell charged.

In a statement for the Congressional Record, the 2nd District Congressman said, "As an American, I am disturbed by the Soviet's violations of their international commitments, especially the human rights pledges of the 1975 Helsinki accords. As a person, I am appalled that human beings are being tried and imprisoned for speaking their minds on basic human rights."

"The Russian leaders have demonstrated that their word is highly suspect. If they can disregard so lightly the Helsinki agreement, how can we trust anything they pledge in the S.A.L.T. talks?"

"Trials like this are just as devastating to the spirit of freedom as the weapons of war are to the physical security of world society," Pursell added.

In declaring his "vigorous" support for a congressional resolution urging humanitarian treatment for soviet dissidents, Pursell called for a continued strong U.S. stand on human rights around the world.

"The fate of Anatoly Scharansky, Alexander Ginzburg, Yuri Orlov, Viktoras Petkus and others is a vivid reminder of the pitifully narrow scope of human freedom in much of our world."

Pursell said the S.A.L.T. talks should proceed, but recommended that the U.S. take a very tough negotiating position.

Milliken names campaign heads

Norm Jamieson and Nancy Haviland have been named Livingston County co-chairpersons for Governor William Milliken's re-election campaign, the governor announced recently.

"I am very pleased they have agreed to direct the re-election effort on my behalf in Livingston County," Milliken said in making the announcement. "I know they will do an outstanding job in leading and coordinating the campaign and I am gratified to have their assistance."

Jamieson is currently the vice-chairman of the Sixth Congressional District Republican Committee and a past chairman of the Livingston County Republican Party. In 1974 he served as Governor Milliken's campaign chairman for Livingston County.

"Governor Milliken always has had broad-based support among Michigan voters and it is apparent that the support remains this year," Jamieson said in accepting the assignment.

"I am confident that with the support we see forming for the governor, he will be re-elected on the basis of his outstanding record of accomplishment," Haviland stated.

Haviland was elected the Register of Deeds for Livingston County in 1976 and previously served for six years as treasurer of Brighton Township.

As heads of the Milliken effort in Livingston County, Haviland and Jamieson will work closely with Dennis O. Cawthorne, state chairman of Milliken volunteers.

Giese wants rational tax cut

Elizabeth H. Giese, candidate for State Representative in the 24th District said today she favors a combination property tax reform and tax limitation proposal that would adequately finance education while controlling growth in the share of personal income paid out in taxes.

"Neither the Tish nor the Headlee proposals meet these criteria," she said. "I urge the legislature to give taxpayers an alternative that rationally addresses the problems of school finance and property tax reform."

"Such an alternative will be presented to the legislature this fall and must be dealt with quickly to be placed on the November ballot. Legislators have not addressed problems of school finance and growth in government, and if they continue to do nothing people will vote for one or all of the present proposals, none of which effectively addresses the problems."

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'Active' session cited by Geake

State Senator Bob Geake rates the Legislature's 1978 Regular Session, thus far, as productive but with much left to be done.

Speaking at a dinner dance sponsored by the Redford Republicans Club, the Northville Republican said, "This past legislative session was an active one during which a number of significant laws were passed."

Commenting on the approval of a balanced state budget for the upcoming fiscal year which begins October 1, 1978, Senator Geake said the budget will enable state government to continue providing essential state services, while fulfilling a promise to the people to control state expenditures.

"I am pleased that the total budget approved for next year comes very close to the amount Governor Milliken recommended, and I expect few changes," Senator Geake noted.

Senator Geake candidate for re-election in the 14th District, reported to the audience that final legislative approval was also won on proposals which will permanently ban double-bottom tanker trucks in the Detroit Metropolitan Area, and statewide within three years.

"Although I recognize the need for this legislation, I am concerned about the impact it will have upon Michigan citizens," he stressed. "I fear it will limit the amount of gasoline available, cause the cost of gasoline to increase, and diminish tourism."

In addition to this legislative action, Senator Geake stated that a proposed constitutional amendment which would allow judges, at their discretion, to deny bail for violent and habitual criminals was approved by a two-thirds majority of both houses of the Legislature and will appear on the ballot in November.

"I support this amendment because I believe the voters should have an opportunity to decide whether bail should be restricted," Senator Geake explained. "The amendment is flexible enough so as not to infringe on personal rights, but strong enough to prohibit violent and habitual criminals from further menacing our law-abiding citizens."

The amendment is aimed at preventing violent criminals from being able to commit yet another crime while they are out on bail on a separate charge.

Senator Geake reiterated that he believes Michigan lawmakers made progress in several important areas of concern, but said there are many issues which need to be addressed when the Legislature reconvenes this fall.

"The fall session is going to be a very important one," Senator Geake predicted. "The Legislature will be looking needed revisions of the no-fault insurance law and will be studying methods to provide property tax relief for all Michigan citizens."

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Fun' raiser is GOP twist

The Michigan Republican Party today announced a rather unusual event. Instead of putting on the standard fund-raiser, with speakers, party officials, and various dignitaries, the Republicans are planning a fun event — a fun-raiser.

The Mayflower Meeting House, at the corner of Main Street and Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth, has been selected to host a dinner-theatre party. The August 2nd Headlee proposal, strongly supported by one of my opponents in the primary, provides for a limit on taxes related to personal income, but it is tied

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'Repression' hit by Broomfield

Congressman William S. Broomfield (R-19th District) called the Soviet trials of dissidents, Anatoly Scharansky, Viktoras Petkus, and Aleksandr Ginzburg, "another chapter in the continuing story of Russian repression."

Serving as the minority floor manager, Broomfield helped guide a resolution condemning the Soviet trials to a 380 to 10 vote victory in the House of Representatives. This resolution had been passed earlier by the Senate.

"When the international agreement which resulted from the Helsinki Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe was completed in 1975, it raised humanitarian hopes among many captive people throughout the world."

"Progress in the areas of free movement of people, ideas, and information — and thus human rights — has received serious setbacks."

"These kinds of Soviet activities, as exemplified by the Scharansky trial, are indicative of the Russian policy of outrageous and humiliating harassment of people who wish to guarantee the dignity and rights of individuals," Broomfield said in his speech supporting the resolution.

"I do not make sense to pour tax dollars into a mass transportation program when the roads in Livingston County and many other areas of the state are in extremely poor condition," Dillingham said.

He advocated stronger state encouragement of car pools, express lanes for bus lines and increased funding for the improvement of local road and better maintenance of the existing highway system.

He opposes an increase in the gas tax and license plate fees for a mass transportation program which, he maintains, would only benefit the Detroit area at the expense of the rest of Michigan residents.

The Fowlerville native also maintained that a crisis is upon Michigan because of what he termed a declining

business climate.

"If the State legislature continues to drastically increase the cost of doing business in Michigan," he said, "we, as the tax paying public, are going to find ourselves in a tuxrpt situation."

Over the past few years, he noted, many Michigan businesses have moved from the state or refused to expand their operations in Michigan. This exodus, Dillingham continued, will have a long-range impact on the Michigan economy.

"When a company pulls out of the state or refuses to expand, unemployment results, causing increased welfare, crime and loss in tax revenues," Dillingham said.

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Power supports full employment

Philip Power, candidate for the Democratic nomination to the United States Senate, is supporting the Humphrey-Hawkins Bill calling for full employment.

"Congress must move quickly to make this important concept law," said Power, owner of a suburban chain of newspapers. "People who want to work must have a chance to do so. It is vital that the federal government take

strong steps to return this country to full employment.

Power contended that the federal government is worsening Michigan's jobs problem. "Too many of our tax dollars are sent to Washington and then used to create jobs in California, Texas and elsewhere. We've got to stop the drain of federal tax dollars — job-creating tax dollars — from Michigan."

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MCDONALD'S OF WALLED LAKE has reported that Lucille Andrews of Union Lake has won a family reunion for two in McDonald's "Salute to the Families of America" contest.

Her name was drawn at the McDonald's Restaurant on Maple Road in Walled Lake during ceremonies on "McDonald's Family Day" on July 16. She receives two free plane tickets for friends or relatives to visit her in Union Lake for a family reunion.

In addition to the reunion prize, Lucille Andrews receives a special membership in the American Family Society, a not-for-profit organization which promotes the value of the American Family.

The festivities marked the end of the nation-wide "salute" which included 28 national prizes of reunions for 10 friends or relatives and local prizes at each participating McDonald's of a reunion for two, reunion parties, and family dinners. Travel arrangements will be handled by United Airlines.

Participating in the drawing were Walled Lake Mayor Gaspare LaMarca, McDonald's Hostess Linda Park, and McDonald's First Assistant Thomas Stock.

MAGEE-MAGEE, DESIGNERS AND BUILDERS, have settled into their new office at 309 East Grand River, Brighton. Phil and Gary Magee of Magee-Magee refurbished the 1880 home into an office building which they now share with Kelly Services and Marlin Wilson, C.P.A.

Magee-Magee formerly had offices on Fieldcrest in Green Oak Township. The firm has built custom homes and has done remodeling work in the area for about seven years.

Phil Magee is also a broker for Village Realty. The Magee-Magee office number is 227-5340.

SUNDAE INN NOVI has added special homemade submarine sandwiches to its regular fare of frozen custard ice cream and frozen yogurt. Sundae Inn Novi is located in the Novi-10 shopping center at the corner of Ten Mile and Meadowbrook Roads.

Gloria Kelly, owner-manager of the store, said that the subs are made of the highest quality meats and cheeses and "lots of them."

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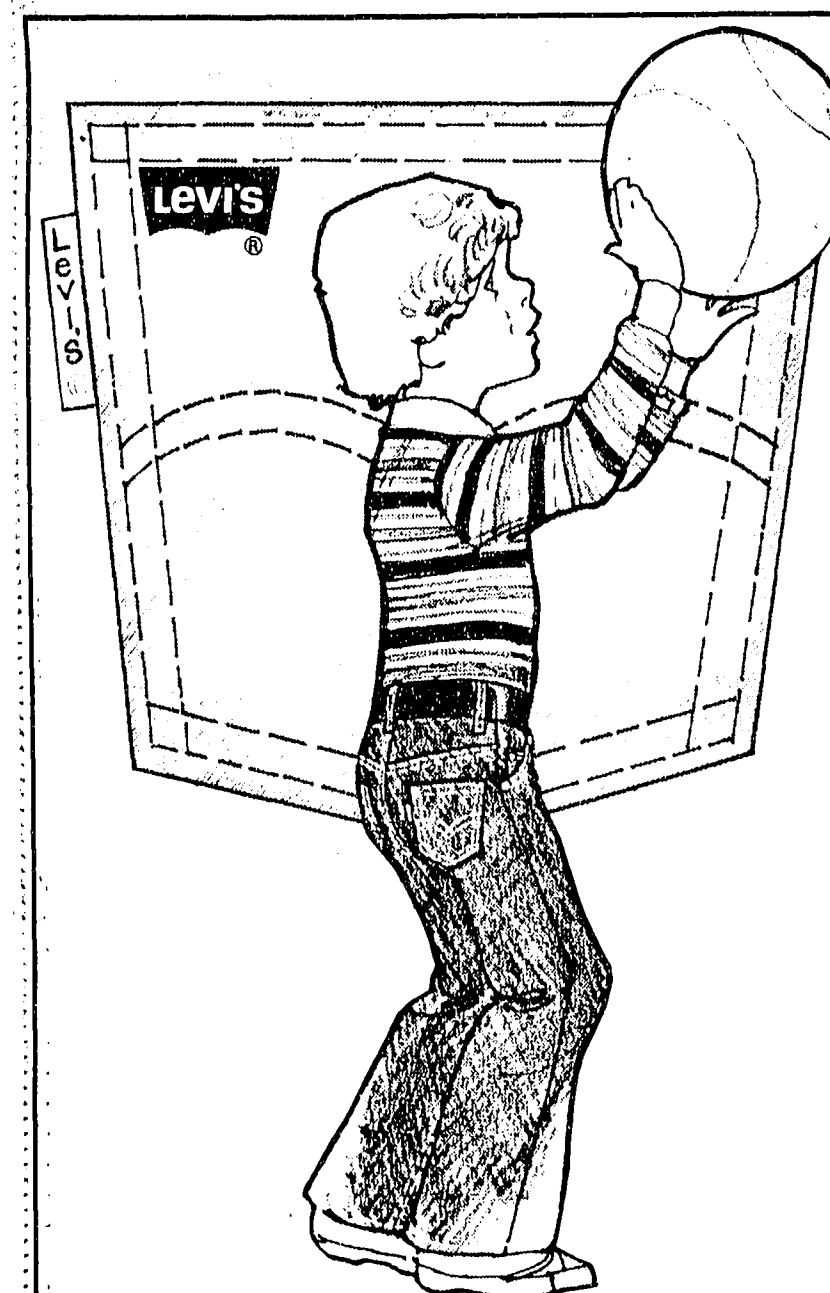
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MRS. GARY F. CUMPATA

JoEllen Frere weds with double ring rites

JoEllen Frere and Gary Cumpata exchanged wedding vows June 24 in traditional double ring ceremonies in Flushing, Michigan.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Frere of LeBost Street in Novi, she approached the altar of St. Robert's Catholic Church on the arm of her father.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cumpata of Flushing.

The bride wore a white knit gown featuring a lace bodice extending into cap sleeves. The same lace trimmed the hemline of the long dress and shoulder-length chiffon veil. She carried a bouquet of white lilies, stephanotis blossoms and ivy.

Diana Frere, sister of the bride from East Lansing, attended as maid of honor. She, with bridesmaids, Mrs. Anne Spurling of Keego Harbor and Mrs. Betsy Hendricks of Lansing, were identically gowned in teal blue knit.

They carried bouquets of Rubrum lilies and babies' breath. Sarah Cumpata of Illinois joined the entourage as flower girl.

Brother of the groom, Greg Cumpata of Ann Arbor, acted as best man with Nick Valenti, Tom McNinch, Mark Frere, Scott Frere, and Rod Cumpata attending as ushers.

After an evening buffet reception for 300 guests in St. George's Parish Hall in Flint, the couple left for a honeymoon holiday in the Hawaiian Islands.

The new Mrs. Cumpata is a speech pathologist at the Center for Autism of the Genesee Intermediate School District. She received her bachelor's and master's degrees from Michigan State University.

The groom attended Michigan Technological University and Michigan State University. He is presently employed by the Prudential Insurance Company in Lansing. The couple will make their home in East Lansing.

Couple celebrates golden wedding anniversary

Scotch bagpipers played at a special Mass of Thanksgiving for Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. MacInnis as they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday.

The mass was said at St. Ives Church in Southfield where the MacInnis' have been members for over 13 years. The Southfield couple was married July 17, 1928 in St. Leo's Church, Detroit.

He is the retired president of Detroit Concrete Products Company and MacInnis Brothers Paving of Novi. The business is still run by his family. A former director of the Michigan Asphalt Paving Association, he has been active in the construction business since coming to Detroit.

Born in Antigonish, Nova Scotia, and attending St. Francis Xavier University there, he moved to Detroit in 1923. Mr. MacInnis served on the University Board of Directors for five years.

Mrs. MacInnis, the former Clare

Kestling, was born in Port-Au-Prince, Newfoundland. She attended Mt. St. Bernard College in Antigonish and came to Detroit in 1922. She worked as a secretary for the Timken-Detroit Axle Company for six years.

The highlight of the celebration was the first reunion of the entire MacInnis progeny including Mrs. John (Pat) Lee of Dearborn Heights; Mrs. Tom (Sally) Bryant of Farmington Hills; James of New Hudson; Mrs. Leo (Camille) Marion of Dallas, Texas; Dan, Jr. of Dallas; John of Northville; and Bill of Novi. There are 14 grandchildren with another due in July.

of Columbus Hall in Livonia. Mr. MacInnis and his brother Charles were members of the charter class of the council which celebrated its golden anniversary in June. A past Grand Knight, Mr. MacInnis had a March, 1956 class of Monaghan members named in his honor.



MR. AND MRS. DANIEL MAC INNIS

Self-determination key in medical decisions

Doctor hero worship, a love affair with machines and "bumper sticker philosophy" have made Americans forget they know as much as physicians do about moral issues in medicine.

"Moral issues surrounding such decisions as whether to refuse or receive treatment are not the exclusive property of medical professionals," says Michigan State University philosophy professor Martin Benjamin.

Dr. Benjamin, an ethics specialist, told participants at MSU's annual College Week that Americans have actually surrendered some of their self-determination rights by not thinking through such oversimplified slogans as "Right to Die," "Death with Dignity" and "best health care for everybody."

"Father Knows Best" is the common attitude toward doctors, added East Lansing surgeon Dan English. "Only 10 to 20 percent of people seeking a doctor really need one," he told the College Week group.

"Self-determination is becoming increasingly important in an age where miracle diets, machines and techniques have put medicine on a fine line between prolonging living and a more

frightening area of prolonging dying," Dr. Benjamin said.

He explained that some medical decisions actually involve only a patient's religious and personal values. "Whether a cancer patient wants treatment that will give him a longer, but more painful life or a shorter pain-free life depends on his own goals."

He said emotional association of "right to die" and similar phrases with mercy killing keeps some people from understanding the nature of the Medical Treatment Decision Act now in the Michigan Legislature.

The proposed bill, similar to others currently under debate in 32 states, would provide that all competent adults have the right to accept or reject medical treatment and appoint an agent to act for them in case they become incapable of decision making.

"Provisions of the bill are based on the right of privacy and merely extend the rights people already have in common law," Dr. Benjamin explained.

He pointed out that "living wills" have legal standing only in California and that hospital "no code" policies (no emergency treatment for the dying) are not based on patients' wishes.

Both Dr. Benjamin and Dr. English said that without standard guides it was difficult for a doctor to know a patient's values today because mobility, specialization and decline of the extended family make personal contacts too rare.

"Fewer than 25 percent of Americans have a family doctor they know well," Dr. English said. The surgeon added that Americans also don't take advantage of all the health information publicly available, seek out doctors then passively do everything they say.

"Our culture is so technology-oriented that both patients and doctors depend on lab slips and X-ray reports to get a sense of sureness—even though the error rate in good laboratories can run up to 10 percent on even the simplest tests."

Dr. English added that the American value system denies death, aging and infirmity and glorifies the romantic.

Kidney transplants and dialysis are more dramatic than the simpler bearing preventive medicine procedures that could have prevented some kidney problems," he illustrated.

"Compared to glamorous specialists, our society looks at public health people as intellectual weaklings," Dr. English said. "Doctors want to be loved. Often when they take the position 'Leave the Dying to Us' they're just doing what the public expects."

By the Way

With Nancy Dingeldey

The area is fast becoming a hub of international visitors. Some of those visitors are planned for, while others, just passing through, find a welcome awaiting them in scattered homes.

At any rate, their visits lend a bit of excitement and a change of pace to the summer months.

Take Joan Daley, Carol Smith, Carol Bauer, Julie Gahman, and Cindy Hoops, for example.

The Novi ladies and their families have opened their homes on two different occasions to touring musical groups. They helped house a Danish choral group, more recently, several young members of the Hague Youth Symphony. More than likely they will host musicians from a West German orchestra due here in August.

Most are members of the Novi Foundation for the Performing Arts, and as such, are called, sometimes at the last minute, asking if there is a spare bed available for a young musician.

"It's a fun thing to do," claimed Mrs. Hoops. "A lot of the arrangements are last minute and a micro-wave oven is a lifesaver," she laughed.

The guests, appearing in concerts throughout the Detroit-Metro area, are usually taken on sightseeing trips during their stay by the host families. They are provided with meals and transported from concert to concert by their hosts.

"It really isn't all that involved although it does take a little time," Mrs. Hoops pointed out. "If you get really into it, it would be possible to have ongoing summer guests."

Problems do arise occasionally as evidenced when the Hague Youth Symphony Orchestra was visiting the area. Arriving over the Fourth of July, all their instruments were lost at the airport.

Not only the instruments, but the music stands as well, were lost.

"We managed to procure 65 music stands from Grinnell's, loaned to

the kids for the entire two-week period," Cindy said. "But their poor conductor was about going out of his mind. He wanted us to call in the F.B.I. to find the truck," she laughed.

The missing instruments were finally located and the group continued its tour.

Such anxious moments don't always occur and sometimes the distance traveled to get the kids to their concerts seems a bit far, Cindy pointed out. "But, when you hear the kids play or sing, whether it be on a beach, in a church or a gym, it's really worthwhile."

A regular entourage of visitors from Ireland is making its way to the Charles Ware home in Wixom. The first group arrived in June, a niece is a current houseguest, and, on her departure, more will be arriving.

Sister Rosario (Rose) Ware, the principal of a boarding school in Tipperary, has been with the Wares for a month. Claiming the area is very similar to Ireland, she and the Wares have journeyed to the tip of Michigan—Copper Harbor.

"It was lovely, lovely, lovely, and not one drop of rain in the whole while," said Johanna Ware, herself endowed with a super Irish brogue.

"Sister loved the north country—but then who wouldn't?" she commented.

Our discussion led to the ongoing war in Ireland. The often controversial commentary received in the United States leaves most of us bewildered.

Johanna, of course is well versed.

Her first suggestion to understanding is to read Leon Uris' "Trinity." "You know, he's neither Catholic nor Protestant—just a good Jewish boy who put much time, energy, and research into the book. He understands the situation as it really is," she says.



Fun at the library

All eyes are on Wixom resident Carole Hill who led off a series of four special programs Friday for elementary aged children at the Wixom Public Library. Held in conjunction with the summer reading program conducted by the library, Mrs. Hill led the children in an enthusiastic sing-along session with accompaniment supplied on her ukelele. The children later dipped into art supplies as they were directed through drawing to music from "outer space." A puppet show, movies and special concluding party are planned for the children to stimulate their interest in reading.

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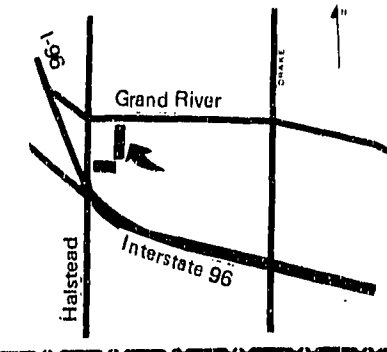
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St. Williams schedules church fair on Saturday

Arts, crafts, and hobbies will be highlighted at St. Williams' Church fair this Saturday, July 29, from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. The day-long event will be held in Zepf Hall adjacent to the Walled Lake Church.

In addition to the handmade articles, perfect for holiday gift giving, there will be games, the moon walk, a bake sale, and food items for all to enjoy. The fair is a part of St. Williams' continuing golden anniversary celebration.

Disco Fever

Disco lights and the live disco sound will reign supreme at Walled Lake Western High School cafeteria on Friday, August 4. Beginning at 8 p.m. and running until 12:30, the Grand Illusion will provide the music for a Disco Fever Dance.

"Walk the Dog," "Cincinnati Twist," "Drool Flynn," and hundreds of other disco steps will surely be danced as the couples take to the floor in an amateur dance contest during the evening sponsored by the Walled Lake Community Education Department.

St. Patrick's Fair

The annual fair of St. Patrick's Parish in Union Lake will be held this Saturday and Sunday, July 29 and 30. Festivities are planned on the grounds surrounding the church at Union Lake and Hutchins Road.

The fair will begin following a 10 a.m. historical chapel site dedication and film premiere luncheon. Activities including game booths, food and other fun will kick off the two-day event. The evening will be highlighted by a chicken barbecue, disco dance and millonaires party.

The barbecue will be served from 6:30 to 8 p.m. and includes corn on the cob, salad, rolls and beverage. Cost is \$3.95 for adults and \$2.75 for children.

More of the same is on tap for Sunday with these festivities beginning at the conclusion of noon Mass. Sauerkraut, sausage, and hotdogs as well as games will be available for fair-goers.

Novi Teen Center

Novi Teen Center Director Juanita Hakala announced the center, located at Old Novi Elementary School, will be closed Tuesday (Wednesday) with participants taking a field trip to the Oakland County Wave Pool.

Activities at the center on Thursday, July 27, include open gym from 6-10 p.m. A film, "The Angel and Big Joe," will be shown beginning at 7:30 p.m. It is also a "bring your own records" night at the center followed with refreshments.

Special activities at the center on Monday, July 31, include tie-dyeing lessons at 1 p.m.

A pre-trip meeting for those planning on the Tube Trip down the Huron River will be held at the center on Tuesday,

August 1, at 7 p.m. Discussion will be centered on the trip using inner tubes, and the overnight stay at the Poole Youth Hostel on the banks of the river near Kensington Park.

Time permitting, the first part of the film, "Brian's Song," will be shown. There will also be weightlifting and wrestling.

High School Reunions

Summer is a time of class reunions with two area high school graduating classes planning such events. The Walled Lake High School Class of 1963 will hold a ten-year reunion at Romas of Bloomfield on August 12 at 8 p.m. An open bar, dinner and entertainment are included in the ticket price of \$30 a couple or \$16 a person.

Additional information and reservations may be made through Sharon Campbell Newman at 363-3552; Margi Zuckett at 624-5451; or Jill Garner Kopec at 517-393-7772.

Civil Air Patrol

Novi was the scene of a Civil Air Patrol (CAP) model rocketry competition recently when cadets from the Farmington Squadron tested their homemade missiles.

The rockets reached varying heights of 235 to 756 feet. The teenagers capped the intra-squad competition with a final launch of a "live payload" — two crickets christened George and Ringo.

Lakes Athletic Meeting

The annual general membership meeting of the Lakes Athletic Association will be held Monday, July 31. The meeting will be held in the Walled Lake Western High School cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.

Included in the meeting agenda is the election of officers. Further information on the meeting and the Lakes Athletic Association is available by calling Don Norris, president, at 363-4219.

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Public's wife purchases a new washing machine which begins to leak on the day of installation. The store that sold her the machine sends out a repairman to replace the defective part. The new valve is free, but labor comes to \$9.50.

Public's daughter also puts some summer clothes into layaway at a local department store, but then decides to cancel the order. Much to her surprise, her initial deposit is not refundable.

Of course, Public believes that somewhere amid his misfortune he has been victimized by consumer ripoff. But what does he do about it?

Do what is natural and complain, says the Michigan Consumers Council, but make sure you bark at the right people.

"Consumers may feel helpless when faced with a product which won't work or a service which wasn't delivered," said Linda Joy, executive director of the Michigan Consumers Council. "Often times they don't realize they have influence in the market place or, more importantly, know how to use it."

That is also the message from the North-Oakland Chamber of Commerce and the Livingston County prosecutor's office which handles consumer complaints from residents of their respective counties.

Both of the agencies act as intermediaries between consumer and merchant, helping to resolve disputes before they require further action by the consumer.

The North-Oakland Chamber, which handles approximately 15 written complaints a month, is mostly a referral service or a pathfinder, according to office manager Sharon Myers.

"We usually end up solving the pro-

blem right when people call because they have not contacted the right authority," said Myers. "For example if you have an item you bought and are not satisfied with it and then go right back to the sales clerk she will probably not have the authority to do anything about the problem. You will probably have to go to the store manager or owner to get the satisfaction you desire."

Myers said, although many of the consumer complaints can be solved by pointing the party in the right direction, there are some which the office must act in its expected capacity as mediator and referral service.

If the consumer cannot be helped by phone, the person is asked to send in a written copy of the complaint. In the letter, the complaint is asked to include:

- Clear statement of the problem.
- Description of item if applicable (serial number, color, etc.).
- Date and place of purchase.
- Steps complainant has taken to resolve problem.
- Who sold them the item in question.
- What the complainant desires, as satisfactory adjustment of the problem.
- Complete address plus telephone number for the merchant and complainant.
- Photo copies of receipts, warranties (no originals) should be included.
- Upon receipt of the written complaint, the Oakland Chamber of Commerce will send the merchant a copy of the complainant's letter and ask him to respond in writing in 10 working days.
- If the merchant fails to answer the chamber's query about the problem, two more follow-up letters are sent. Finally, if there is still no response a personal contact is made by a chamber official.
- More than half of the merchants answer on the first written contact, according to Myers. And one-fourth answer the second request. Only a handful must be personally contacted.
- If there is no indication of criminal fraud, the only power leverage the chamber has is to turn the case over to the Oakland County Business Ethics

Board, a division of the chamber of commerce. The board could reprimand the merchant in terms of "peer" pressure, according to project coordinator David Erwin.

"We draw it to the business' attention that the reputation of the business community is at stake," said Erwin. Erwin said a few of the complaints are resolved by conveying some consumer education to people who simply did not read the terms and conditions of contracts, or took the verbal agreement as binding.

"It's more a problem of communication," said Myers. "People just don't understand you have to get everything in writing — it's almost like you have to get a lawyer to buy anything."

The Oakland Chamber of Commerce refrains from offering "advice" since it might get entangled in a lawsuit. The group's only involvement in court proceedings is turning all records of specific complaints over to the court upon subpoena.

If a complaint has legal implications, parties are referred to their personal lawyers. If the person is indigent, he/she is referred to the Oakland County Legal Aid society, which will give free legal advice. Complainants are also referred to the Oakland County Bar Association which gives legal advice for \$15 a half hour.

The Livingston County prosecutor's office handles consumer oriented complaints slightly different than the North Oakland Chamber of Commerce. The prosecutor's office usually only acts as a mediator if it is a local merchant since many of the complaints received are about merchants outside its jurisdiction, the office prefers to refer persons to the specific state agencies to deal with their problem.

A spokesperson for the prosecutor's office said it receives — on the average about four calls a week and many are automotive service complaints and contractual problems with building or home repair.

Only a handful a year are turned into criminal proceedings, according to the spokesperson.

The Oakland County prosecutor's of-

fice also has a consumer complaint bureau, but Erwin said most of the callers are being referred to his office because the county does not have funds to maintain the office.

There are local outlets for consumer complaints, and a state program — which won't set up a lasting toll free hot line to deal with problems of a consumer nature — is awaiting passage in the Senate.

Walled Lake Chamber of Commerce spokesperson Rose Ann Shaw said most people who call her office "just want to get something down on record." She usually refers callers to the North-Oakland Chamber of Commerce for mediation help.

Joy said if the bill to set up the consumer telephone service passes the Senate it will give residents a place to call about all questions of a consumer nature — including tips on what to do before buying a product. The bill (4239) was passed by the Michigan House in April.

A brochure, entitled "How to complain," which is issued by the Michigan Consumers Council also has a few tips for consumers. It says paying a personal visit to a manager or owner is preferable to a telephone call since the latter often leads to the runaround.

The council also suggests that complainants who feel uncomfortable talking to store managers should take a friend along to make them feel more at ease. Bringing a friend along provides a second benefit since it also gives the complainant a witness to the conversation.

The final hint from the council is to write down names of the people who the consumer has talked to and the conversation itself immediately afterwards to ensure accuracy.

The council also has brochures on "How to sue someone in small claims court," "What to do when you can't pay your bills," and the "Consumer Protection Act."

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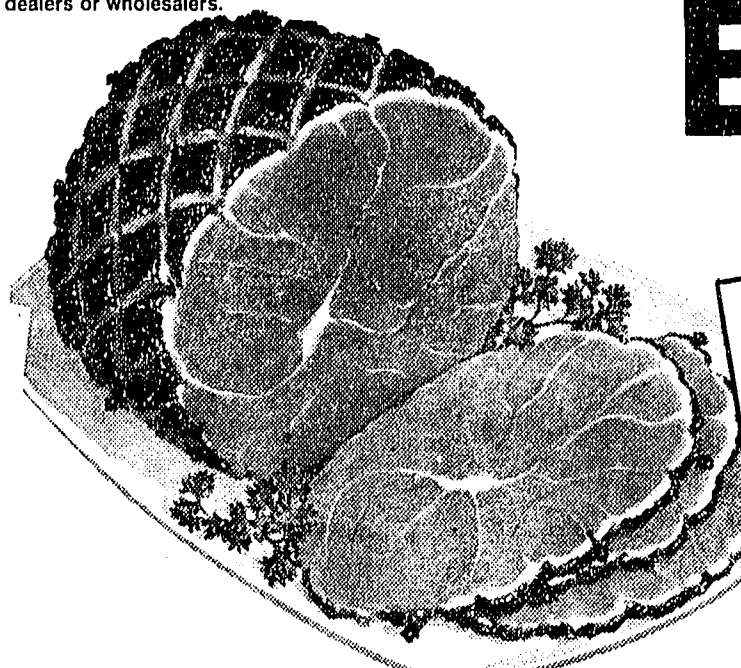
ODDS CHART FOR \$1,000 CASH BINGO
THESE ODDS ARE IN EFFECT AS OF JULY 19, 1978.

NO. OF WINNERS	WINNING AMOUNT	ODDS 1 VISIT	ODDS 13 VISITS	ODDS 25 VISITS	TOTAL
30	\$1,000	533,333	41,025	20,512	\$30,000
250	100	54,000	4,323	2,161	25,000
500	50	32,000	2,561	1,280	25,000
1,000	25	16,000	1,280	640	25,000
2,500	10	6,400	492	246	25,000
4,000	5	4,000	308	154	25,000
100,000 (Instant)	1	160	12	6	100,000
108,280	Winn.	147	11	5	\$250,000

SCHEDULED TO END OCT. 14, 1978
MAY BE REPEATED BY POPULAR DEMAND



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HYGRADE WHOLE BONELESS HAMS

\$1.38 lb.

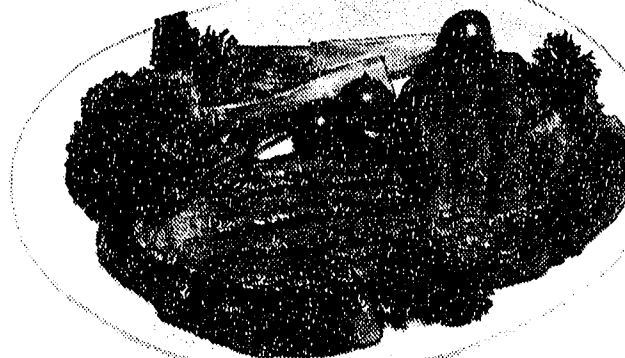
Water Added By Packer

Whole Super-Right Western Grain Fed Beef

BONELESS RIB EYES

\$2.88 lb.

By The Piece



BONELESS RIB EYE STEAKS ... lb. **\$2.98**

A&P Picks The Best Produce

Wickson, Queen Ann, Eldorado, Santa Rose, Laroda or Nubiana

PLUM-A-RAMA

39¢ lb.

Mountain Dew or
PEPSI-COLA
8¢/79
12-oz. Cans

Instant Breakfast Drink
ORANGE TANG
\$1.77
27-oz. Jar

Disinfectant
Lysol Spray ... Can **\$1.89**

Crisco Oil ... 48-oz. Btl. **\$2.09**

Non-Dairy Creamer
BORDEN'S CREAMORA
\$1.39
22-oz. Jar

5¢ Off Label Personal Size
IVORY SOAP
46¢
Bar Pak

Country Farm Pork Shop

Center Cut Rib Pork Chops lb. **\$1.88**

Center Cut Loin Pork Chops lb. **\$1.98**

Pork Back Ribs lb. **\$1.98**

Boneless Pork Cutlets ... lb. **\$2.28**

Fresh, No Backs Attached
FRYER LEGS
88¢ lb.

Ole Carolina
SLICED BACON
98¢
1 Lb. Pkg.

Super-Right Western Grain Fed Beef
BONELESS CHUCK ROAST
\$1.38 lb.

SNOW CRAB CLUSTERS
\$1.98 lb.

Smoked (½- to 1½-lb.)
Ham Shanks ... lb. **78¢**

Eckrich Regular, Beef or Maple
Smok-Y-Links ... 10-oz. Pkg. **\$1.19**

A&P
Canned Hams ... 5-lb. **\$6.98**

New Size, 5-Ct.
Peschke Franks ... 1-lb. Pkg. **\$1.28**

Herrud Bologna, Salami, Old Fashioned or Combination
Family Pak ... 29-oz. Pkg. **\$1.78**

Fresh Rope Style
Roma Polish Sausage **\$1.78** lb.

BOUNTY TOWELS
58¢ Jumbo Roll

All Flavors
FAYGO POP
6¢ 12-oz. Cans

2% MILK
\$1.15 Plastic Gal.

Libby
TOMATO JUICE
48¢ 46-oz. Can

LIBBY KETCHUP
65¢ 32-oz. Btl.

NONFAT DRY MILK
4\$3.99 -lb. Box

Health & Beauty Aids

20¢ Off Label — Shampoo
Ultra Max ... 7-oz. Btl. **79¢**

20¢ Off Label
Aim Toothpaste ... 8.2-oz. Tube **\$1.19**

Signal
A&P Hair Spray ... 13-oz. Can **59¢**

Signal
Mouthwash ... 18-oz. Btl. **99¢**

Cotton Swabs
Q-Tips ... 170-ct. Pkg. **69¢**

Regular \$5.88
BELMONT LAWN CHAIR
\$3.89 Reduced To

Each
ZEST SOAP
4\$1.64 Bar Pak

A&P Picks The Best Dairy Products

A&P
English Muffins ... 11-oz. Pkg. **85¢**

Sealtest Ice Cream
Sundae Cups ... 6-oz. Pkg. **79¢**

Light 'N' Lively Strawberry, Blueberry, Raspberry, or Black Cherry
Yogurt ... 3-oz. Pkg. **\$1.19**

Sealtest French Onion & Cucumber Onion
Chip Dip ... 8-oz. Pkg. **59¢**

A&P Cheese
Monterey Jack ... lb. **\$1.89**

All Flavors
A&P Sherbet ... ½-Gal. Ctn. **99¢**

McDonald
Fruit Drinks ... Plastic Gal. **79¢**

Ann Page
TOMATO SAUCE ... 15-oz. Cans **\$1.39**

Nabisco
DIXIE DRUMSTICKS ... 8-oz. Pkg. **79¢**

10¢ Off Label Detergent
TIDE ... 49-oz. Box **\$1.59**

Libby's, Libby's, Libby's

Chunky
MIXED FRUIT ... 17-oz. Can **49¢**

17-oz. Whole Kernel or 16½-oz. Cream Style Corn 3 Cans **\$1.39**

Libby
Corned Beef ... 12-oz. Can **99¢**

Libby
Vienna Sausage ... 5-oz. Can **36¢**

Libby Unsweetened
Grapefruit Juice ... 32-oz. Btl. **69¢**

Jane Parker
Pecan Twirls ... 3 for **\$1**

Aunt Fanny's
Coconut Twirls ... 3 for **\$1**

Jane Parker Extra Large
White Bread ... 24-oz. Loaves **89¢**

4¢ Off Label, Cleanser
COMET ... 14-oz. Can **30¢**

A&P Picks The Best Frozen Foods

Beef, Turkey or Chicken
Morton's Pot Pies ... 8-oz. Ctns. **4\$1**

Garden Delight
French Fries ... 5-lb. Bag **\$1.09**

A&P
Broccoli Spears ... 10-oz. Pkg. **49¢**

Leaf or Chopped
A&P Spinach ... 10-oz. Pkg. **27¢**

Morton Macaroni & Cheese or Spaghetti & Meat
Casseroles ... 8-oz. Pkg. **31¢**

CLIP AND SAVE WITH A&P BONUS COUPONS

<p>Creamy or Super Chunky SKIPPY PEANUT BUTTER One 25-oz. Jar \$1.56</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>Deodorizing LYSOL CLEANER One 28-oz. Size \$1.34</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>GAINES GRAVY TRAIN One 25-lb. Bag \$5.94</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>White or Assorted Colors CHARMIN BATH TISSUE One 4-Roll Pkg. 96¢</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>White or Assorted Colors PUFFS FACIAL TISSUE One 4-Roll Pkg. \$1.28</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>White or Assorted Colors WHITE CLOUT BATH TISSUE One 4-Roll Pkg. 98¢</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>Dishwasher ALL DETERGENT One 50-oz. Pkg. \$1.57</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>Disposable Diapers PAMPERS TODDLERS One 12-ct. Box \$1.56</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>SAVE 25¢ On The Purchase Of Six Jars Strained Fruits & Vegetables HEINZ BABY FOOD Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>20¢ Off Label ULTRA MAX SHAMPOO One 7-oz. Btl. 79¢</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>20¢ Off Label AIM TOOTH PASTE One 8.2-oz. Tube \$1.19</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>A&P HAIR SPRAY One 13-oz. Btl. 59¢</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>SIGNAL MOUTHWASH One 16-oz. Btl. 99¢</p> <p>With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>	<p>SAVE 50¢ On All Brands, All Mixtures FERTILIZER With This Coupon, Limit One Coupon Per Customer. Valid Thru Sat., July 29, 1978.</p>
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STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

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ORDER FOR HEARING ON PETITION
At a session of said Court held in the Courthouse Tower, in the City of Pontiac, in the County of Oakland, State of Michigan on July 14, 1978.
PRESENT: HON. FRANCIS X. O'BRIEN, Circuit Judge.
The above matter having come before this Court upon the filing of a petition by the City of Novi regarding the laying out, establishing and paving of Nine Mile Road, in and through the City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, as more particularly described in said petition, stating that the private property described therein is necessary for a hearing thereon to determine the date upon which the petitioner may take possession of such private property and the date for the impaneling of a jury to determine the just compensation for the taking of such property, now.

On Motion of LAMPERT, FRIED & LEVITT, P.C., Attorneys.
IT IS ORDERED that the description of the property and names of the parties in interest as set forth in the petition filed in this cause are incorporated by reference as part of this Order and that personal service of both Order and Petition shall be made upon each party in interest in accordance with the provisions of Act 285 of the Public Acts of 1966.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that where personal service cannot be made in accordance with the provisions of Act 285 of the Public Acts of 1966, a copy of the Order including a copy of the description of the property and parties in interest contained in the Petition be published in the Novi News, a newspaper published and circulated in this county, at least once in each week for three successive weeks prior to the date of the hearing as hereinafter set forth.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that on the 20th day of August, A.D. 1978, at 8:30 a.m., there will be a hearing in the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in its Courtroom at Pontiac, before the Honorable Francis X. O'Brien, Circuit Judge, in his Courtroom at Pontiac, Michigan, for the following purposes:

1. To enter defaults on all parties in interest not appearing at said hearing and direct payment to them of the amount of estimated just compensation as set forth in the Declaration of Taking filed in this Court and cause.

2. To fix the date on which the petitioner may enter the property and take physical possession thereof.

3. To enter an order for payment of the estimated just compensation placed on deposit with the treasurer of the County of Oakland.

4. To set a date certain for impaneling of a jury and trial as to the parcel on which compensation is being contested.

Francis X. O'Brien
Circuit Judge

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PETITION AND DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL
NOW COMES LAMPERT, FRIED & LEVITT, P.C., as attorneys for and in behalf of and for purposes, the City of Novi, a city of Michigan, and as amended, and the City of Novi is duly appointed, qualified and acting pursuant to this Honorable Court.

That the City of Novi is duly appointed, qualified and acting pursuant to Act 285 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1966 as amended.

That, under the provisions of the said Act No. 285, Public Acts of 1966, as amended, your petitioner, the City of Novi, is vested with full charge and control of the roads built or maintained by the City of Novi and has the power and authority to acquire lands in the manner provided by law for highway purposes.

That on the 26th day of June, A.D. 1978, a Declaration of Taking was made by the petitioner, City of Novi, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, declaring a certain road improvement to be necessary for the use and benefit of the public, to-wit: the laying out, establishing and constructing of Nine Mile Road in and through the City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, as a highway with necessary drainage and related work, extending from approximately 1/2 mile East of Meadowbrook Road to Meadowbrook Road and declaring that it is necessary to take certain private property therein fully and accurately described as follows:

1. That this petition is made and filed under the provisions of Act 285, Public Acts of 1966, and to acquire the private property and rights therein set forth in detail in the Declaration of Taking attached hereto and made a part hereof. Said Declaration of Taking contains, in addition thereto, the names of the parties having an interest in the property described therein, insofar as petitioner can ascertain, and the amount of just compensation estimated for the taking of said property.

2. That the property in this case involves what is known as an easement, that is, that only a portion of the owners' total property is required and taken for easement purposes.

3. That the public improvement for which easement is being required and taken for these properties is the paving, grading, drainage and slope work of Nine Mile Road from approximately 1/2 mile East of Meadowbrook Road to Meadowbrook Road.

4. That petitioner claims that there will be enhancement in value to the remainder of this parcel by virtue of the paving of Nine Mile Road.

5. That the said easement is for the use and benefit of the use and benefit of the public and the taking of private property described in the Declaration of Taking is necessary for the use and benefit of the public as herein pleaded and stated by your petitioner.

WHEREFORE, YOUR PETITIONER PRAYS THAT THE COURT:

1. Enter an order fixing a day for hearing upon which the Court shall enter the default of all persons interested in the property described who have not appeared and, if the default of all the parties interested in this parcel of land is entered, shall enter judgment and direct payment to such persons of the sum stated in the Declaration of Taking for the taking of said parcel of property in which they are interested.

2. On the day fixed for the hearing, enter an order fixing a definite date upon which the parties interested in the real estate described in this cause shall relinquish physical possession thereof to the petitioner, the City of Novi.

3. If the amount of the estimated just compensation is being contested, set a date certain for the impaneling of a jury of fresh riders for the County of Oakland from the regular panel of petit jurors summoned to serve at that term of Court then in session, as provided in Act 285 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1966, which jury shall be for the purpose of ascertaining and determining the just compensation to be paid for the taking.

4. The petitioner may have any other further relief to which it may be entitled within the objects of the statute in such case made and provided.

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Presenting: BURGER CHEF'S GRAND OPENING IN NOVI

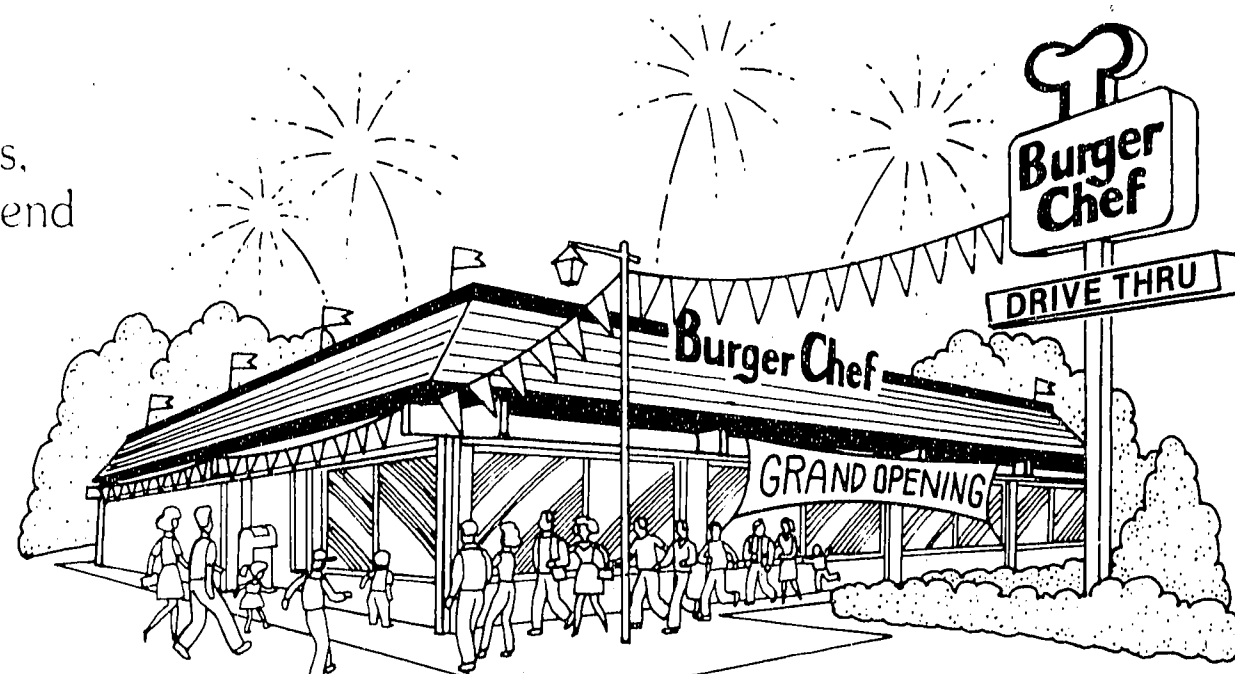
Friday, Saturday, Sunday, July 28, 29, 30
26245 Novi Road Just South of the I-96 Expressway

• **WIN GREAT THINGS TO KEEP.**
Two season tickets to the Detroit Lions, his and her ten-speed bikes

• **WIN GREAT THINGS TO EAT.**
Super Shefs, Funmeals, Mariners, Salads

And bring the coupons below for free extras with your meal.

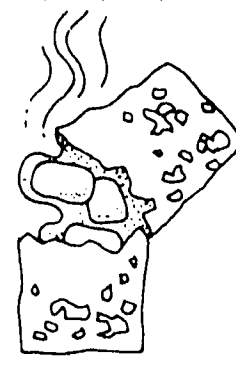
To be eligible for prizes, all you have to do is attend the Grand Opening and fill out an entry blank. No purchase is necessary. All entries must be deposited by close of



business, Sunday, July 30, 1978. Prize drawing will be held Monday, July 31, 1978 at the Novi Burger Chef. Winners do not have to attend the drawing.

FREE
Apple Turnover
with the purchase of a Funmeal

This coupon is good only at the Novi Burger Chef, 26245 Novi Rd., Novi, where prohibited by law. Local and state tax payable by payer. Coupon Redeemable only on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, July 28, 29, 30, 1978



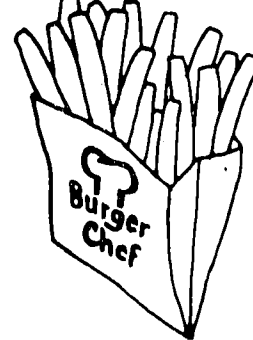
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Salad
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July 24, 1978

Farmington Observer

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Founder's Day Specials

Farmington Store Only-29400 Orchard Lake Rd., Just South Of 13-Mile

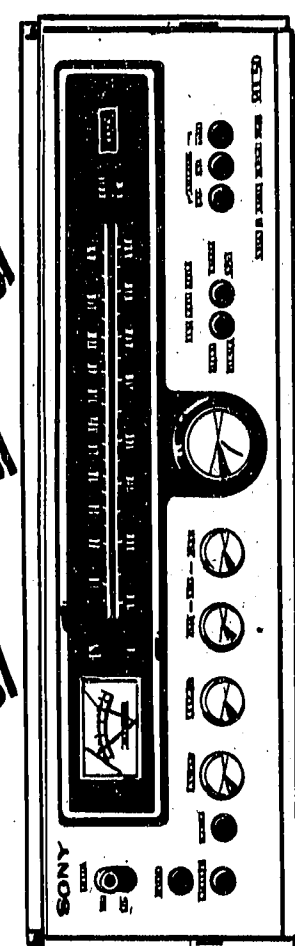
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Sony 18 Watt Receiver

Sony HST-70 AM/FM stereo receiver has switching for 2 sets of speakers, loudness control for rich sound, tuning meter.

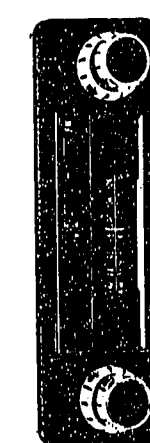
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With purchase of any pair of Hi-Fi speakers in cabinets at our Everyday Low Prices.



In-Dash Car Stereo
Cassette or 8-Track w/AM-FM

Universal models install easily in most U.S. or foreign cars. 8-track shown below. Style may vary.



Your Choice! **59.88**

Check Out This Car Stereo System Special!



System includes: AM/FM/MPX In-Dash Stereo Cassette Pair of wide-range speakers with 100-watt power amplifier, 100-watt speakers and Power Booster to deliver up to 15 watts per channel.

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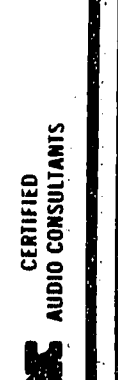
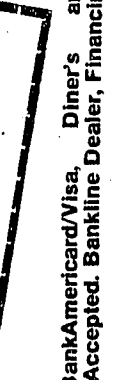
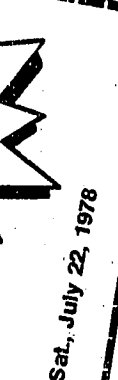
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Local Distance Switch, Rewind, Fast Forward and Play/Pause buttons. Lock-Loop Switch for Base Boost.

169.88

CLIP THIS COUPON

YOUR CHOICE OF ONE



10.00

WITH ANY \$1.00 PURCHASE

*Bean Bag Ashtray

*80 ft. UL Electrical Tape

*Cassette Head Cleaner

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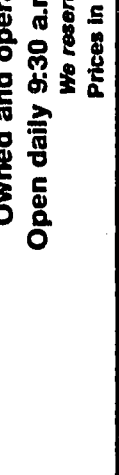
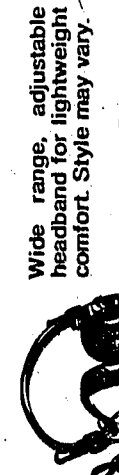
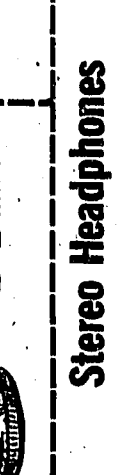
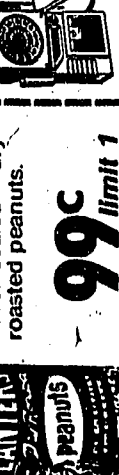
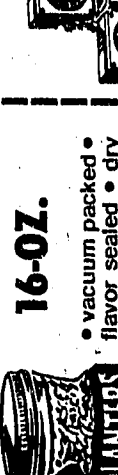
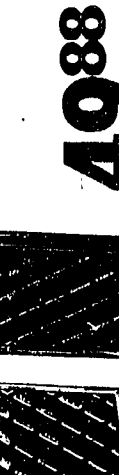
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Beautifully designed to match any decor. Powerful solid state amplifier produces 100 watts of music. Produces auto or manual 8-track program changing. Pair of wide range speakers with beam grilles.



49.88

Planters Peanuts

16-OZ.

*vacuum packed

*flavor sealed in dry

*cracked peanuts.

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10W40 Motor Oil

limit 6 or 14.99 per case

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Cartridges

*bag of 2.50 mi-

*80 ft. UL

*Cassette

*Head Cleaner

*Head Cleaner

10.00

WITH ANY \$1.00 PURCHASE

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We reserve the right to limit quantities

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FOR A WOOD DECK OR ANY OUTDOOR PROJECT—CHECK THESE PRICES!

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2x4	28¢ per lin. ft.
2x6	42¢ per lin. ft.
2x8	56¢ per lin. ft.
4x4	52¢ per lin. ft.
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Wolmanized is wood pressure treated with Wolman preservatives to furnish long lasting protection. This treatment gives a light green color which may be painted, stained or allowed to weather to driftwood grey.

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Relax in your own back yard—have fun and save fuel.

\$38.88

Includes • Lumber • Legs • Fasteners

BRONCO

BRONCO SPLIT RAIL FENCE

\$9.34 per section, 2—RAILS, 1—5'4" POST

Used to decorate around patio to accent shrubbery or flower gardens. Border your property with rustic charm.

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4" x 8" Posts only... \$2.75

Use to screen unsightly areas from your view or to provide a measure of privacy.

BARN KITS INCLUDE:

- Pre-cut & Mitered Trim & Framing
- All Pieces Marked for Easy ID
- Cutting Template for Siding

• 11-11 8" O.C. Hardwood Siding (20 year Guarantee)

• Nails & All Hardware for Doors, etc.

• Floor Kits Available

• 8x8 and 8x12 also available

6' x 8'

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Perfect for landscaping around trees, edging drives and building retaining walls.

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- Fine Jewelry

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Custom Made Jewelry Exquisitely Designed to be Exclusively Yours

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Entire Stock — Slacks — Buy One Pair at Regular Price (\$15 to \$30) Get Second Pair 1/2 Price

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Farmington vs. Farmington Hills Fire Departments

Cable Balloon Contest (Water Fight!)

In the Parking Lot

K-Mart Shopping Center

FRIDAY, JULY 28th

at 7:30 p.m.

PLUS MANY CELEBRITIES & OTHER ADDED ATTRACTIONS

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Visit Us Often!

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2000 AD Youthful sages eye Farmington

ROBBERS WILL GET their just desserts in 2000, Mark Young foresees. "I think that Farmington will be a more conservative and cooperative community in the next 20 years," he said. "I think that Farmington will be a more conservative and cooperative community in the next 20 years," he said. "I think that Farmington will be a more conservative and cooperative community in the next 20 years," he said.

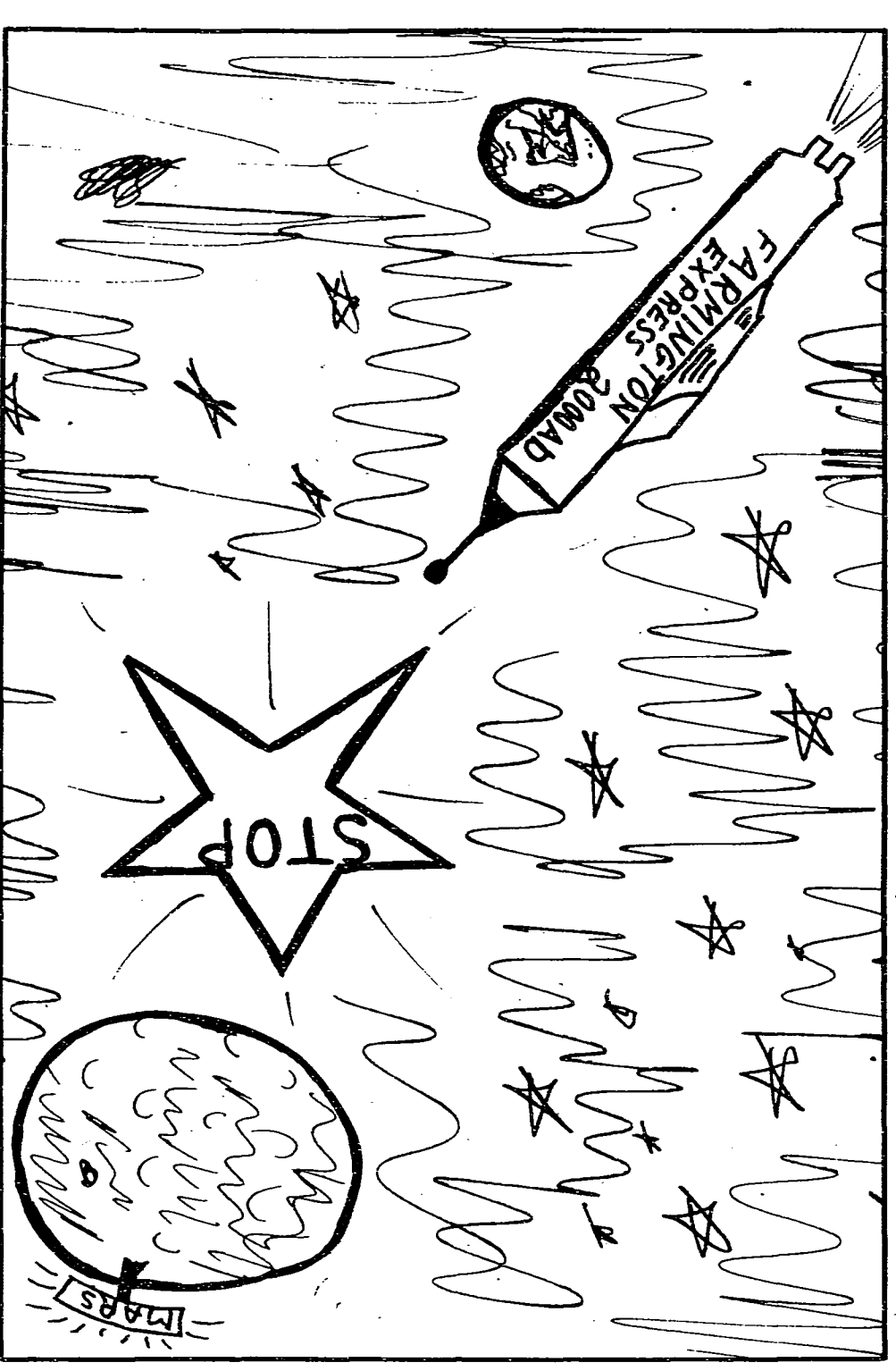
CRIME, pollution and shopping centers are other targets hit by youngsters peering into the cloudy future.

Ecology was a matter of concern for some of the young writers.

"In the year 2000 some people say that the City of Detroit and the City of Farmington will be merged into one city," wrote Sanku Tawyan.

"But that's not what I think. I think that Farmington and Detroit will remain separate cities," wrote Sanku Tawyan.

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—Mark Young
In the year 2000, people will go from Earth to Mars. The traffic lights will be made of stars.

DIFFERENT fashions, best-sellers and even a new kind of elevator will be found by the shopper of the future, she said.

Her sketch of a future shopping center includes five stores, three of which are fast food restaurants.

Three-wheeled cars, two-wheeled cars with three doors, and cars with three doors and a third wheel in the back.

"People will be riding in space-powered subways," he predicted.

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Farmington Founders Festival

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Farmington mother recalls past and looks to the future

By LYNN ORR

On the changes inside ourselves, Farmington is something of a child. We change about as much as we grow. And the changes are not always for the better. But they are always for the future.

AT 10, though, we accepted change. We accepted the fact that the town was growing. We accepted the fact that the town was changing. We accepted the fact that the town was becoming a part of the future.

And the changes are not always for the better. But they are always for the future.

Residents are hopeful

By LYNN ORR

Business in Farmington will change as well, says Herb Shuman, owner of Bel-Crest Studio in the downtown Farmington Center. "The small merchant is being put out of business rapidly," he says. "Taxation and the inability to compete with conglomerates will be the end of it."

Shuman also projects one school district for the entire Farmington area. "Currently a northern portion of Farmington is in the Clark School District, while the rest is in the Farmington School District. I don't see the two districts merging."

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Life is pretty good, at age 11

By LYNN ORR

Farmington in the year 2000? Perhaps recall is one of the ways to forecast. Instead of looking ahead 22 years, let's take a look back 22—to see where we were. That puts me at the age of 10, when I spent most of my time in a treehouse where Drakeville Apartments now grace the land.

Playing in the woods was the daily summer routine for kids in my neighborhood with an occasional foray into town. Sometimes we parked our bikes on the southwestern corner of Grand River and Farmington Road to get an ice cream cone at the drugstore there.

The owner, Eddie Mosher, was the kind of guy who plopped another scoop of vanilla on your cone when you'd licked down to the rim. One day we pedaled into town to discover that the drugstore had folded. So much for nice guys.

Looking back, I guess that's when I discovered that business in Farmington was changing. The building of Bel-Aire, Alta Loma, and Warner Farms subdivisions in the early '50s had a lot to do with that.

THE MID-'50s were a period of transition for the town. The library was located in the Masonic Temple, where Mrs. Droege could find anything to interest a 10-year-old. On rainy Saturdays, the Civic Theater was crammed with all the new ex-Detroit kids in town. I saw "The Swiss Family Robinson" three times, snuggled into a balcony seat.

It was the pre-mail era. For clothes, LAWNS, however, were as common as the grass.

MOM, 1955

Your mom hauled you over to Dancer's Department Store on Grand River where the floorboards creaked and the saleswomen smiled. Next door in Hattori's Hardware, you could smell the seed while your dad looked at the latest tools.

Going into town was an adventure then, particularly when you'd saved enough coins from mowing lawns and weeding to purchase a cherry Coke or chocolate milkshake at Himel's, the local restaurant. When the family-owned dairy turned in the late '60s, the secret of those milkshakes died—at least I've never tasted a duplication.

SON, 1978

By BRAD ORR

When you are 11 years old, things go by pretty fast and before you know it, you are out of school and making plans for the summer. In making those so-called plans, you forget about things because of the excitement of the summer. At any age, the summer is going to be a lot of fun but fifth grade is really the most boring of all your school years and you really look forward to the summer vacation.

Everybody seems to change so much and you get more tense and more angry. At times, your mother might seem to get on your back and treat you like a baby but she is probably just treating you normally but you are usually ready to except (sic) more responsibility and freedom and your mother isn't about ready to do this for you.

And other things happen. At this time in your life more than enough problems go through your head and all kinds of things happen but everything isn't so bad. You learn a lot of new things at school and other stuff happens to make it a pretty good year but then every bad year has its good points, namely its end.

Seriously though, we all have to take curves and sometimes even a strikeout, but like I said, all in all, life is pretty good at the age of 11.

post war baby boom supplied all the childpower necessary in my neighborhood. Children dotted the countryside. Those slicker yellow school buses (Continued on Page 5)

Greetings from the past

This is the way the northeast corner of Farmington and Grand River looked back in 1905. Note that the general store is owned by none other than Fred Warner who served as Michigan's governor at the beginning of the century. (File photo)

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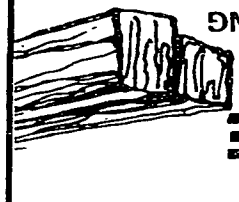
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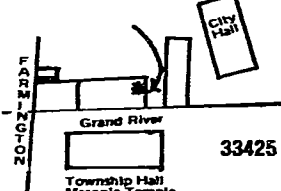
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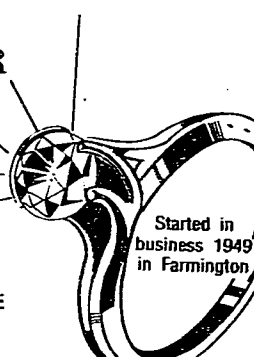


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KEITH ABRAMS

A garbage dump, part of the urban sprawl, or a congested, but basically unchanged town are the projections for Farmington in the year 2000, according to some of its current residents.

As Farmington celebrates its 14th annual Founders Day Festival, residents were asked to ponder the area's future in the 21st century. Most of those quizzed weren't enthusiastic.

"The open fields will all be built in with offices, businesses, and

Keith Abrams, a senior at Harrison High School next fall.

"It will be absorbed by Detroit. You can't have a small town forever."

Harrison senior Karen Pilchak disagrees.

"I don't think downtown will change that much," she says. "It's been here for about 150 years, and the houses are still up." She does agree, regretfully, that the open spaces will disappear, in much the

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Festival queens?



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Currently she's looking forward to touring with the Singing Strings on a Caribbean-bound cruise ship, a tour arranged by her husband who is a salesman for Jack Reed Entertainment Agency.

JANICE SCHRIBER became Janice Schriber Fredericks this spring in a ceremony conducted

She was engaged for about a year before that to James Fredericks, also of Farmington Hills, while she was attending Eastern Michigan University. She was majoring in fashion merchandising and a minor in marketing.

She now is a senior, while her husband continues his studies working toward a mechanical engineering degree at Lawrence Institute of Technology.

The couple live in Canton, from where she travels to her job as department manager for Segals Northland. Her husband works as a control programmer for H.B. Krueger.

HOLLY ANN SCHMIDT declined to ride in this year's Founder's Festival parade because that is the day of her wedding to Larry Lichtman, a young man she has dated since they both attended North Farmington High School.

She is the only one of the Farmington queens who went on to win the Miss Michigan contest, and spent a good deal of her time she said, "doing Miss Michigan things." Her reign, which requires her presence at such things as parades, conventions, and benefits throughout the state, ended June

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Commerce may fire building contractor

By DAVID RAY

The Commerce Township Board may fire the general contractor for the community center construction, if sufficient progress isn't made on the structure by August 15.

At a special meeting Monday night, board members heard a report from Township Environmentalist Dan Shapiro that the contractor, Lakewood Construction Company, owes more than \$10,000 to sub-contractors; failed to pay a utility bill, prompting Consumers Power Company to threaten to discontinue service; failed to meet the contractual deadline for completion of the structure; and failed to contact township officials who sought an explanation on the problems.

A motion to give Lakewood seven days' notice that its contract with the township would be terminated was tabled by the board in order to give Supervisor Robert Long, who returned from vacation Monday, a chance to try to resolve the problems.

Trustee John Jack said it appeared that the contractor has gone out of business and probably doesn't intend to finish the community center, located in the 80-acre Richardson Park at Oakley Park and Newton roads.

However, Long said he hoped to contact Lakewood in an effort to avoid any problems in finding a new contractor since the project is being financed by federal Community Development Act grants. Federal regulations require hiring certain eligible contractors and payment of specified wages, the supervisor added.

Hopefully, Long said, some arrangement can be made with Lakewood so the sub-contractors can finish the work they've started.

According to Shapiro, construction problems at the center first came to the township's attention on July 18 when the Lakewood Building Supply Company notified Commerce officials that the contractor owed the firm some \$1,700. Later that day, Shapiro and Assessor Wynn Berry visited the construction

site and found a sub-contractor performing unauthorized ceiling work.

Straub, Van Dine and Diuman, the township's architects for the project, met with Commerce officials July 18 to discuss the lack of progress on the job and the unauthorized work, and assured the township that it was not responsible for the ceiling, Shapiro said.

On July 19, the township was informed by Consumers Power that utility service to the center would be discontinued because the contractor had failed to pay the bills. Lakewood, under its contract with the township, was responsible for paying utility bills, Shapiro said.

The township also received inquiries

from the International Building Supply Company, Haggerty Lumber and several sub-contractors on why they hadn't been paid for materials or labor, he added.

The architects sent a letter to Lakewood July 18, stating that progress on the center was "very unsatisfactory" and asking the contractor to contact them or the township to resolve the problems. Failure to do so, the architects said, could lead to termination of the contract.

Township officials also have contacted the bond company that insured completion of the project and were told

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EDC reviewing Kmart proposal

The Walled Lake Economic Development Corporation (EDC) board of directors tonight will begin its review of an application from the Walled Lake Commons for approval of income tax exemption financing, through the issuance of revenue bonds, for the construction of the proposed Kmart shopping center at Pontiac Trail and West Maple Road.

The meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. in the City Council chambers.

Walled Lake Commons, developers of the 109,000-square-foot shopping center, has applied for the tax exempt financing, and Stuart Frankel, a partner in the firm, brought the EDC concept to the attention of city officials in May.

Under an outline prepared by Robert Cooper, Frankel's attorney, the corporation's board may adopt a resolution of intent, including a memorandum of agreement, to establish the public purpose for eventual issuance of the bonds. The documents also set a date after which Walled Lake Commons may proceed with construction.

The EDC board also must adopt resolutions requesting the appointment of two additional directors for the specific project and designating the project area, which also recommends the project district area.

Cooper explained the project application procedures to the board July 25 at its first meeting, according to Councilman Tom Brookover, but Frankel did not make a presentation on Walled Lake Commons' application.

The directors last week elected officers, adopted proposed by-laws for the corporation prepared by Cooper, and asked city officials to check on liability insurance coverage for the board.

Named as president and chairperson of the EDC board was Cameron Rose, a Walled Lake businessman, while Arnold Wilcox was selected as vice-president. Other officers are Patricia Hoppe, secretary, and Erskine

Noting Walled Lake's high property tax rates, the developer said the lower interest costs could provide an incentive for businesses to build or expand in the city.

There is no property tax abatement for successful applicants, he said, and no liability to the city or EDC, if a borrower goes out of business.

Frankel has said his firm hopes to begin construction on the project before winter.

Wixom eyes HUD okay

Wixom Assistant to the Mayor Steve Bonczek feels that final HUD approval for the city's fourth year community development block grant is only a matter of time after meeting with HUD representatives last week.

Bonczek met with HUD grant representative Jean Meyers last Thursday to discuss the city's progress in fulfilling HUD's requirements for final \$160,000 block grant approval.

"I presented our comprehensive package and I believe she was very impressed," said Bonczek. "There should be no problem in getting the final approval but I can't say anything official until we hear from HUD."

The Wixom fourth year grant was temporarily approved more than a month ago, but the temporary approval carried with it several requirements the city must enact within sixty days to receive final approval. Among the requirements needing action was 1) pass a fair housing ordinance, 2) reprogram senior housing acquisition funds, 3) begin a housing rehabilitation program, 4) begin park and road improvements, 5) initiate low-cost housing within the city, and 6) adopt a section 3 affirmative action plan for small businesses.

In recent weeks Bonczek has worked



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in hand and proceeded to do just that. The Jaycees reported another successful Paul Bunyan Days Festival with residents flocking to the fairgrounds throughout the four-day event. Pictures of the winners of the annual "most beautiful baby" contest can be found on Page 2-D.

In Commerce Township

Six candidates eye trustee posts

Six candidates are vying for the Republican Party nomination for two trustee posts in Commerce Township's August 6 primary election.

Since there are no Democrats running for trustee — or any other township office, for that matter — the primary winners are just about assured of election in November, unless a successful write-in campaign is waged by someone.

In order for a Democrat to win a spot on the November general election ballot, the candidate would have to receive write-in ballots totalling 15 percent of the number of votes cast for the top Democratic vote-getter for a state, county or local office in the township primary.

As an example, if George Montgomery, who is unopposed for the Democratic nomination for county commissioner, is the Democrat with the most primary votes in Commerce and receives 2,000 ballots, a write-in candidate would need 300 votes to qualify for the November election.

Republican write-in candidates would have to receive more votes than any of the office seekers they oppose who are listed on the ballot in order to win a GOP nomination.

Seeking the GOP nominations for trustee for a two-year term are: Robert D. Ackerson, 45, of 4907 Whitlow, Union Lake, chairperson of the Commerce Township Road Study Committee and office manager of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance office in Detroit, who is making his first bid for public office;

—Paul Collom, 36, of 2140 Sunnyside, Milford, a member of the township Parks and Recreation Committee and a partner in the Tri-All Building Company, who was unsuccessful in a 1974 bid for a Republican trustee nomination;

—Bruce T. Enfield, 50, of 2255 Laura Lane, Walled Lake, chairperson of the township Parks and Recreation Committee and an engineer for the Ford Motor Company;

Marilyn Fracek, 40, of 2255 Darnell, Walled Lake, an unsuccessful Democratic candidate for township treasurer in 1974 and 1976, the only Wolverine Lake Village resident in the race, and office manager of the Forx Corporation in Walled Lake;

—Kenneth K. Hausauer, 52, of 2069 Alsop, Union Lake, an incumbent trustee who won election in 1974 as a Democrat after making an unsuccessful try for a GOP trustee nomination in 1972 and an engineering supervisor at GMC Truck and Coach;

—Jack Tapscott, 52, of 3237 Glen Iris Drive, Milford, a retired Detroit Police detective sergeant who now works for West Bloomfield Township's Building Department and a first-time candidate for public office.

Trustee John Jack, a Democrat, is not seeking a second term on the township board.

Commerce's three full time elected officials — Supervisor Robert Long, Clerk Robert McGee and Treasurer Patrick Doherty, all Republicans — are unopposed in both the primary and general elections.

The only other primary contest in Commerce is for the two-year post of constable where incumbent Reynold Lanni, who won election as a write-in candidate two years ago, is being challenged by Frank J. Dennis for the GOP nod.

In interviews with The News and

position statements submitted to this newspaper, all of the trustee candidates agreed that Commerce should become a charter township in order to protect its boundaries and said they would ask for voter approval of any possible tax increase, although a charter township board may levy up to five mills without an election; felt the township should continue with planning for the sewer system, although local sewers aren't needed at this time; and said that the township master plan and zoning ordinance are sufficient to deal with growth, without adoption of a growth limitation ordinance.

On the issue of alternatives to the cancelled M-275 freeway, five of the candidates — Ackerson, Collom, Enfield, Hausauer and Tapscott — said they support the McConnell proposal that calls for construction of a four-lane, divided, landscaped, limited access boulevard along Haggerty, from I-96 in Novi to about Pontiac Trail, where it would veer northwesterly along the original M-275 alignment to M-59 in White Lake.

Mrs. Fracek said she was not familiar with the alternatives, but conceded that, "as the community grows, we probably will need a north-south (state) trunkline. I'm basically opposed to a freeway, though."

All of the candidates said there is a need for an emergency medical services (EMS) program and agreed that it would be more economically feasible for the township to enter into an agreement with the Fleet Ambulance Service for its proposed advanced life support system at a cost of \$24,000 as opposed to assigning EMS duties to the Fire Department at an estimated expense of some \$250,000.

They added, however, that the township should establish a committee to study creation of an EMS unit in the Fire Department, and said that firemen should be trained, if they wish, for advanced first aid or basic emergency medical technician status.

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Wixom City Councilman Dennis Andrews thinks it would be a nice gesture on the part of Ford Motor Company if that corporation donated \$125,000 to the city to help build a park.

Andrews first approached Ford Public Relations Representative Mark Scott over a month ago with his proposal, but as yet Ford officials have done nothing concerning the requested donation.

"I think we need to improve our relations with Ford," said Andrews, "and this is one way to do it. They've donated money in this fashion to other cities where they operate huge plants, and it shouldn't be any different with us."

Ford officials might not be so quick to donate \$125,000 or any lump sum to the city of Wixom until the two can figure out a settlement in the ongoing tax litigation case. The city of Wixom and Ford Motor Company disagree on the city's assessed value of the Ford plant on Wixom Road. Some estimates for the difference in tax evaluation are given at \$9 million, while other estimates are much higher. Nobody on either side will admit to any definite dollar figure on the difference of the valued property.

Wixom city officials had earlier planned to build a \$170,000 pavilion for the difference in tax evaluation. The city officials stated that if the city could obtain the funds, the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation Funds, in cooperation with the Department of Natural Resources, might come up with a matching figure.

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