

# THE NOVI NEWS

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FIRST WINNER in Novi! William Pietron, 23751 West LeBois, is shown receiving a Motorola transistor radio from C. B. Turnbull, owner of Northville Electric Shop. William earned the radio for selling 10 new subscriptions to The Novi News. Now he's going to try to sell 15 more and earn an Evans bicycle for his sister.

## Win 7 Bikes, 4 Radios In Novi News Campaign

The efforts of 93 salesmen in The Record-Nowi News campaign for new subscriptions are beginning to show results.

Last Saturday the first two prizes were awarded. This week nine more have been earned.

John Canterbury of Northville was the first to earn an Evans bicycle. And he's well on his way to earning a Motorola transistor radio, too. He's sold 22 new subscriptions — 15 to earn the bicycle — and now he needs only three more to earn a radio.

William Pietron of Willowbrook Village in Novi selected a radio for his first 10 new subscriptions. He's sold 11 altogether and will try to earn a bicycle for his sister.

Nine others reported sufficient sales last Saturday to earn prizes. Their "new subscribers" have been checked to see if they comply with the rules of the contest (see page 10) and this Saturday they will pick up their prizes. The salesmen and their prizes are:

Curtis Hahn, 420 Griswold, a bicycle; Terry Krug, 46300 West 11 Mile, a radio; Mrs. Mary Donovan, 341 South Rogers, a radio; Rodney Dahlager, 839 Grace, a radio; Darlene Moss, 170 New Court, Walled Lake, a bicycle; Harry Rowley, 1251 West Lane drive, Walled Lake, a bicycle; Larry Smeeder, 9166 Nanter, a bicycle; Bill Silger, Jr., 237 South Wenz, a bicycle; and Michael Utley, 46094 Sunset, a bicycle.

Darlene Moss ordered a boy's bicycle and will give it to her brother for his birthday. Michael Utley already has a bicycle and decided to order a girl's model for his sister. He'll try for a radio for himself now.

Many others are well on their way towards earning a prize as the campaign hits the half-way mark. To date a total of 285 new subscriptions to The Record and News have been sold in the Northville-Nowi-Wixom area. Some salesmen are neglecting to

report their new subscriptions each week. It is important that all sales are reported each Saturday at one of the offices in Northville, Novi or Wixom so that the newspaper may be mailed promptly to the new subscribers.

With two full weeks remaining there's still plenty of time to start now and earn a prize. Anyone is eligible. Read the rules on page 10 and come in Saturday and sign up.

## New Councilmen Quit NCIA Posts

Resignations of all three of the new council members have been accepted by the Novi Civic Improvement association from the board of directors.

John Begle, president of the improvement group which originally came into being as a protest to the industrial zoning of the Heslip Nine Mile road property, said last week that the trio resigned to avoid any conflict of interests.

Although they have resigned from the board, he said, they will retain their membership in the association. "They are expected to be active on various committees — but in no policy making capacities."

## Walled Lake Man Hurt in Car Crash

A Walled Lake man suffered minor injuries Tuesday when a car in which he was riding skidded off icy Novi road and crashed into a utility pole south of the C&O railroad crossing.

Rex Coleman was treated for a head cut by Dr. Lyle Fetting of Novi. The driver of the car, Charles Branch, told police he lost control of the car when it skidded on the snow-covered road.

## Township Grows by 38 Acres

Two strikes, none out, one run in and the township is leading the village in a peculiar, involuntary contest for possession of Novi property.

The township scored its first "run" last week when Circuit Court Judge William Beer granted Mrs. Nellie Welfare disconnection of her 38-acre farm at the northeast corner of Beck road and Fontlac trail from the village.

Mrs. Welfare's property is now part of the township — which ironically faces possible loss of 120 acres to the city of Northville (see story elsewhere on this page.) Similar court action by Mrs. Welfare to disconnect an adjacent piece of property from the city of Wixom has not yet been settled. With the addition of Mrs. Welfare's property, the township has sole jurisdiction over three relatively small parcels of Novi property: 120-acre Northville Estates, Brookland Farms subdivision 1, and now the Welfare farm.

The village, which also stands to lose 135 acres of property in the Northville annexation movement, is bracing itself for a court battle to retain three other parcels of property. They are: Bert Welfare property, 97 acres on 14 Mile road near Meadowbrook; Margaret Yerkes property, 36.7 acres on Eight Mile road near Novi road; and John T. Meier property, 106 acres on Haggerty near 13 Mile road.

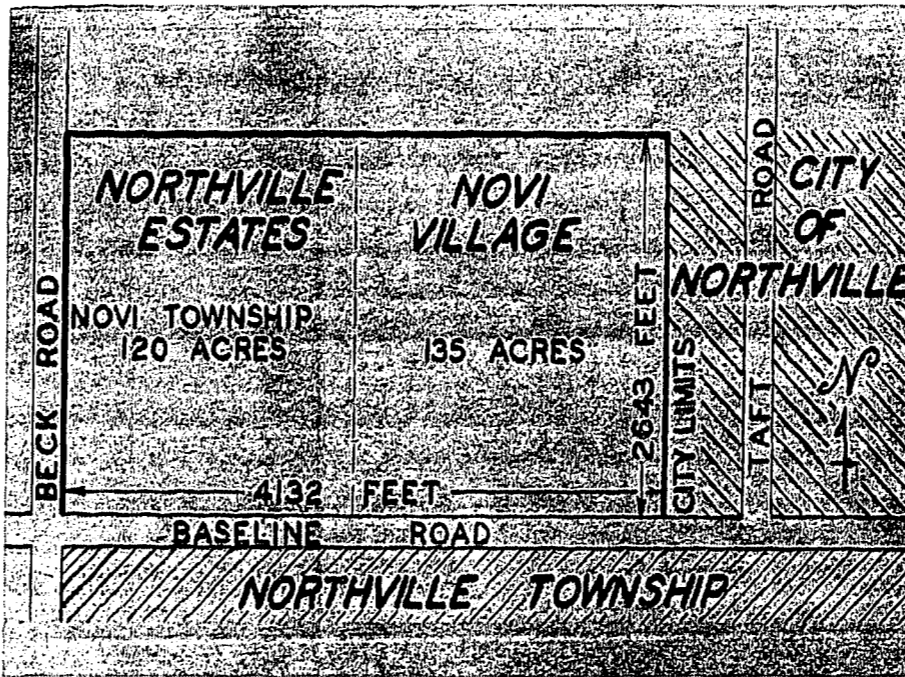
As in Mrs. Welfare's case, each of these three property owners, are attempting to win detachment from the village under a special "agricultural statute."

Under this statute, a property owner may withdraw from the village if the land is used for farming purposes only; if the land covers 10 acres or more; if it is located on the village border so as not to isolate another section of the village; and if it has not been subdivided or platted.

Village Attorney Howard Bond, who acknowledges that Mrs. Welfare's property fell within statute stipulations, has stated that the other three pieces of property do not meet the statute requirements. Bond is no stranger to this state statute. Last year he represented George Spencer in his attempt to withdraw 94 acres of property on Pontiac trail from the city of Wixom. At the request of Bond, however, Judge Beer dismissed the case "without prejudice."

## Calendar

Monday, March 28  
Joint meeting of council and planning board, 8 p.m., council chambers.  
Citizens committee general meeting, 8 p.m., community bldg.  
Tuesday, March 29  
Board of review, 8 to 12 noon and 1 to 5 p.m., council chambers.



Voters of the city of Northville along with those residing in the heavy bordered section of Novi shown above will go to the polls Monday to decide if the Novi area should be annexed to the city. Annexation requires a majority vote in both the city and the Novi area to be annexed. Legal action is certain to follow if the annexation is approved.

## Crupi Appointed Village President

Newly elected Councilman Joseph Crupi was appointed president of the village Monday night shortly after he and two other councilmen were sworn into office before a huge audience.

Crupi replaces Walter Tuck who had held the presidency since village incorporation two years ago.

The new president was appointed by fellow councilmen after Tuck and Dean Lenheiser, newly elected to the council, declined to accept nominations for the post. Miss Eugenie Choquet, the third new council member, nominated Tuck, while Tuck nominated Lenheiser.

The appointment and the subsequent regular council business probably was of secondary importance to the citizens who strained to hear the reactions of the council to Miss Choquet's move to oust Village Manager Fred Olson.

Miss Choquet motioned that Olson be asked to resign after her motion to have a special audit of village books died without a second. She prefaced her motion with these remarks:

"There is no doubt that the village manager has become a controversial figure and the object of a great deal of criticism. Whether or not Mr. Olson deserves the criticism directed toward him is beside the point. Because it remains a fact that in the eyes of the people he has become the focal point of bitter-

ness that has existed in the village." This motion, too, died without support, prompting Miss Choquet to quip, "I'm sure the people will remember this."

Lenheiser's comment on the motion, which drew a warm applause from the audience, was typical of the council reaction:

"I'm well aware of plenty of rumors about the manager. . . I've never yet fired a person because of a rumor and I never shall."

He explained that since Olson had not worked for him before, he (Lenheiser) personally would have to learn for himself whether or not the manager was fit for the job.

Two other explosive subjects discussed at the initial meeting of the new council concerned Police Chief Lee BeGole and the village's financial condition.

The former was brought to the council's attention by Miss Choquet, who said she had talked with BeGole Sunday and that he had requested a meeting with the council. BeGole would like to learn from the council whether or not his complaints can be settled so that he can return to Novi, she said.

The council decided to meet with him on Sunday, April 3 at 1 p.m. Former Councilman Russell Button, who spoke several times from the floor as a citizen "not running for office" or "afraid of being fired" cautioned the council to weigh all the facts before asking BeGole to return.

He said BeGole had resigned because of "pressures" from the council and the manager to straighten out his department. He cited two examples of negligence and misconduct in the department, which he said BeGole was asked to clean up.

Miss Choquet then declared that Button should have brought out his charges earlier when BeGole was "here to defend himself" and when his resignation was being considered by the "old" council.

Concerning the matter of finances, Crupi said that he had briefly reviewed the budget and "that while at the moment it appears we're in the hole, I think we will end up in the black."

He said the village currently has an accumulated debt of about \$15,000. But he said these expenditures appeared accountable in the budget. It's a matter of just not having enough cash on hand to pay the bills, he added.

"It might be wise to borrow on a temporary basis" to pay off these bills, he suggested. "Bills are accumulating daily and monies are not coming in."

"I'm confident," he added, "from what I've seen so far that we are in very good standing. But we are going to have to accumulate some cash so we won't lose face with our creditors."

The council also —  
— Authorized purchase of one-dozen weight limitation signs for village roads at a cost of approximately \$10 per sign.

— Decided to meet with the planning board Monday to discuss the proposed plat ordinance and public hearing procedures.

— Tabled a report on the experimental rubbish pickup program for future consideration.

— Authorized purchase of a new typewriter for \$200.

## Citizens To Meet Monday

A package of vital planning information will be unwrapped Monday at the third general (monthly) meeting of the Citizens Development committee.

All Novi citizens interested in their community have been urged to attend by acting chairman C.A. Smith. "Everyone should attend," Smith said, "and not just those people who attended the initial meeting three months ago."

The meeting will be held in the community building beginning at 8 p.m.

Topics up for discussion Monday include: Industrial and commercial development, chaired by George Merwin; Parks and Recreational Development, Roy Crites; and ways and means, Emery Jacques.

Merwin's discussion will include proposed plans for a 92,000-square-foot shopping center at the northeast corner of Novi and 10 Mile roads.

The plans were submitted to the planning board recently by the property owner, Virgil Cornwell. Cornwell told the board that a supermarket chain would like to purchase his property and erect the shopping center.

The plans call for a supermarket at the corner with the stores stretching either north along Novi road or east along 10 Mile road approximately 800 feet. Frontage along the other road would be about 600 feet. Parking would be provided for more than 1,000 cars.

Persons attending the meeting are urged to join in the discussion with questions and recommendations. Also, any person desiring to work on any or a specific subcommittee is asked to call Smith at FI-9-0830.

The Echo Valley Civic association will provide refreshments. Act. association president Donald Pegg will report on his group's activities.

## Village Prepares For Court Battle

Voters in Northville and a 255-acre section of Novi will decide Monday whether or not the area should be annexed to the city of Northville.

The section proposed for annexation is located on Baseline at the northeast corner of Beck road (see map).

If voters approve the annexation, a court fight is certain to follow. Novi village councilmen decided this two weeks ago. Village Attorney Howard Bond sought last week to have the state supreme court cancel the election. And while it appears that his "petition of prohibition" was too late for high court action, it is likely that the village will be granted the right to protest the proceedings leading up to the election and the election itself.

Attorney Bond stated that the city of Northville and the secretary of state (under whose department the election was called by the director of elections) will be named in the proposed suit.

Monday's election was called as a result of petitions filed with the secretary of state's office by Northville Estates Civic association members.

The 120-acre subdivision is composed of some 36 homes in the \$25,000 to \$50,000 class. Because residents of the subdivision refused to sign Novi village incorporation petitions, Northville Estates is in the township, but not the village of Novi.

To gain "connection" to Northville city limits the subdivision had to include a 135-acre parcel of the village which divides Northville Estates from the city. Northville's city limits extend along the northern side of Baseline to a point 1000 feet west of Taft road.

While there are three separately-owned parcels of land in the village area, only one of the owners, Mrs. C. A. Randall of 46370 Eight Mile road resides there. She will be the lone village voter. Northville Estates residents will be the other Novi voters. According to Northville Estates Civic association president William Slattery, about 90 percent of the subdivision residents signed the petitions for annexation. Mrs. Randall also was a signer.

In announcing its move to gain admittance to Northville the civic association stated that its residents "feel closely related to the civic, religious, educational and business affairs of the city." The area is in the Northville school district.

While the Novi council has taken the position that it must oppose the annexation because the people of Novi had voted for incorporation believing that it offered protection against annexation, the Northville city council is vigorously supporting the election (see page nine).

Village Attorney Bond has indicated that the village will fight the election on these points:

— that the petitions did not contain the proper number of village signatures;

## Deadline Saturday

Township Clerk Hadley Bachert reminded annexation voters this week that the deadline for making applications for absentee ballots is Saturday at 2 p.m.

— that the notice of election should have been made by both the township and village (the secretary of state directed the township clerk to conduct the election for both the village and township areas);

— that the entire population of the village should be permitted to vote in the election.

Because the village is naming the secretary of state in its suit the case would go immediately to the supreme court for trial.

While there has been no litigation between Northville and the village of Novi concerning annexations, two previous annexations from the township in the past three years were won by the city. The supreme court ruled that a city can annex township property under the procedure being followed in Monday's election.

These two annexations involved 88 acres where Amerman elementary school is located and 250 acres including Warren Products, Yerkes Estates and property along Taft road which abuts the area now seeking annexation to the city.

Polls for Monday's election open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. Northville voters of precincts one and two vote at the community building, while residents of precinct three vote at the Amerman school. Novi voters cast their ballots at the Novi township hall.

## New Officers For Blood Bank

Novi's enviable Blood Bank program, which has drawn numerous praises from the Oakland County Red Cross chapter, has two new directors.

Mrs. Arlene Howey, 41911 Tamara (FI-9-2363), has been appointed coordinator, and Mrs. Marian Closs, 23655 East LeBois (GR-4-7331), appointed chairman.

The two new officers, both of whom are registered nurses, replace Mrs. Richard Noble and Mrs. David Fried.

Persons wishing to know more about the Blood Bank, either for securing blood or for volunteering help, are asked to call the new officers.

## County to Rebuild Novi Rd. this Spring

Although the Oakland county road commission doesn't advise area motorists to hold their breath, he assured them this week that the long-awaited reconstruction of Novi road will begin in the next two or three months.

Robert O. Felt, chairman of the Oakland county road commission, told The News Friday that work would definitely start this spring on three miles of roadway from Eight Mile road north to the US-16 expressway.

The commissioner, who said he couldn't predict the "kick off" day, indicated that the project "will be completed sometime late this fall." Earlier, he had predicted it would be completed sometime this summer.

## First Papers Arrived by Stage

(Note: This concludes the series of articles compiled by News Editor Jack Hoffman dealing with the early history of the area.)

"Paper's coming," the youngsters shouted as the stage coach bumped over the dirt road into Northville.

The grimy driver had barely pulled his snorting team to a halt when Mrs. "Sam" Little bounded out of the house, and, holding her wool skirt, flew down the street to meet her young husband.

Such was the scene repeated in Northville twice each month when Samuel Little, editor and first publisher of the "Wayne County Record," later called The Northville Record, arrived in town aboard the stage with several hundred copies of his precious "country newspaper."

Sometime late in 1869, Little decided that his small but rapidly growing town should have its own paper. "Residing in that pleasant town, he had no means of knowing or conjecturing the possible receipts or expenditures of such an undertaking, but it was of faith, he believed, and it was done."

The young married man climbed aboard a stage coach and rode to Lansing, where for six months he learned to set type and make up a newspaper. It was while training in the Lan-

sing office that Little "struck off" the first number of the Record.

Upon completion of his training, Little returned to Northville and with a cash capital of \$30, he launched the newspaper by investing his money in a second-hand chase composing stone and an array of type.

The tools of his trade were moved to the basement of his home. Then for almost six months Little wheeled the heavy type forms from his home to the stage office up town.

## Off to Press

He rode on the stage with the forms to Wayne, where they were reloaded onto a train. From Wayne they were taken by rail to Detroit where they were fed into a press. He then would return to Northville via the same route, with his fresh, crisp newspapers and inky forms.

The first Record, dated July 15, 1869, (a copy of which is framed and exhibited at the Record office today) contained only four pages — two pieces of newsprint. Page one carried a Wayne County Record flag, masthead, short local business reminders, want ads, outstate news stories and a few local times.

The inside two pages (boiler plate) contained a general summary of national news, "foreign gossip," and numerous miscellaneous items — never local. The back page contained the pub-

lisher's editorial, sometimes one or two guest editorials, and a number of local display advertisements, including always an ad from the Northville Union School.

"A Death-bed Promise" was the first serial to be carried in The Record. The popularity of these fictitious serialized stories proved so great that they were continued until sometime after the turn of the Century.

Some of the earliest advertisers included: H. W. Holcomb & Co., H. M. Perrins Dry Goods Store, Scott & Jacksons Groceries, F. R. Beal Hardware Co., Randolph's Novelty Store, Corliffe & Riddle stage line and Bassett & Orr caskets and coffins.

Little's struggles for survival are apparent by the numerous pleas he made in the Record pages for delinquent subscribers and advertisers to "pay promptly." On September 25, 1869, he wrote:

"We are under obligation to Byron Poole, the gentlemanly proprietor of the Argo Mills for the present of a sack of his own manufacture."

"Occasionally, we come across a person who is really aware that an enterpriser of this sort, in order to flourish, needs attention that can be shown, and particularly have what is in arrears for advertisements and subscriptions."

The Record owner was paid for

his services with a bushel of "shiny apples," a barrel of kindling or a cake. And he received them all with sincere words of thanks.

## First Press

On January 22, 1870 (Vol. 1, No. 14) this notice appeared in the Record: "A number of gentlemen, citizens of this place, with a view of furthering the interests of the village, through the support of its local paper, have taken in hand to buy a press for this office." A total of \$145 was pledged (with promises of more to come).

Then on February 19, 1870, Little wrote: "We are happy to state, that, through the kind assistance of this place, we shall undoubtedly be able to secure our 'press' before the next issue of our paper."

"It is our purpose, also, to vacate our present office room for a more central location, and a more convenient apartment on Main street."

With the arrival of the press, the Record was enlarged with the addition of two columns per page. The format of the paper also was changed with the local items and general home news carried on the inside pages.

The next "big change" was announced on December 10, 1870: "At the urgent request of many of our subscribers we are about to make a slight

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OATH OF OFFICE — Village Clerk Mary Wallace (left) administered the oath of office to the three newly elected councilmen Monday night. The new members are (l-r): Miss Eugenie Choquet, Dean Lenheiser and Joseph Crupi.

# about WOMEN

## NEWS AROUND NORHVILLE

Four new members were voted into the Northville Branch, Women's National Farm and Garden association last week: Mrs. Howard Fuller, Mrs. Dempsey B. Ebert, Mrs. L. M. Snow, Jr. and Mrs. E. Fruechey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wright of Fairbrook avenue had the guest program at last week's meeting of the Milford Library club in Milford Episcopal church. The Wrights showed colored slides of their recent trip to Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wright of Fairbrook avenue attended a birthday party Sunday for their grandsons, David Harvie, of Birmingham, Robert, the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Harvie, was 17.

Howard Whipple of West Seven Mile road is home after an eight week stay in St. Joseph Mercy hospital, Ann Arbor.

Mary Kangas of Detroit and Helen

### Women Head Cancer Drive

The appointment of Mrs. L. M. Eaton as chairman for the April Educational Crusade of the Michigan Cancer Foundation in Northville was announced today by Mott Health, the western Wayne county unit crusade chairman.

Mrs. Eaton will direct the Northville activities of the crusade which are aimed at calling the attention of everyone to the danger signs of cancer and urging them to have periodic cancer checkups by their personal physicians.

Assisting her will be Mrs. Wilbur Johnston, who is educational secretary for the Northville area. According to Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Johnston, the local drive will center around an effort "to fight ignorance about cancer" and to prove that "cancer can be cured if detected in time."

The funds will be solicited during the crusade since the Michigan Cancer Foundation is a United Fund agency and is supported by funds raised in the Torch Drive held every fall.

General chairman of the crusade is Dr. D. Mills, who also is general manager of Ford Motor company's Lincoln-Mercury division.

The next meeting of the group, chaired by William Stein, will be held Monday, April 4, at 8 p.m. at the scout hall. Meetings will be held every other Monday, same time and place.

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Mrs. John Wesley Clarke

### Newcomers Club Activities Grow

Two Newcomer club activities got off to a good start last week. Two more are expected to begin by April.

A brisk crowd turned out for the club's card group meeting Monday at the scout hall.

Beginning bridge, social bridge and pinocle sections were formed. Others played games of their choice.

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## Community Hospital Auxiliary Names Committee Chairmen

Committee chairman appointments were announced at the fourth meeting of the newly-organized Community Hospital auxiliary Monday evening in Northville.

Some 50 area women attended the session at Our Lady of Victory auditorium.

Committee chairmen are: Mrs. Dempsey B. Ebert, membership; Mrs. Lorne Dyer, ways and means; Mrs. Harold Price, publicity; and Mrs. Charles Freydl, Jr., admittance desk project.

The admittance desk project will be the first service undertaking by the group.

Two orientation and training sessions for volunteers are scheduled for the first week in April, Chairman Mrs. Freydl announced.

Auxiliary President Mrs. William Milne pointed out that women are also needed for other committees. These will get underway as membership expands and committee members are signed up. General information on membership and activity in the auxiliary, Mrs. Milne said, can be obtained by calling FI-9-1010.

Membership is open to and presently includes women from areas served by the hospital: Northville, Plymouth, South Lyon, Livonia, Novi and Farmington.

Active, sustaining and life memberships are offered.

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## Newcomer's Corner

"I look upon every day to be lost, in which I do not make a new acquaintance." —Samuel Johnson



FROM HIGHLAND PARK — The P. J. Thompsons of Northville Heights started out the new year by moving to Northville. They're pictured here with son Mark.

Both natives of Highland Park, the Thompsons say they were attracted by Northville's scenic locale. With their six-year-old son, Mark, a first grader at Amerman school,

they moved into their Northville Heights home the first of the year. Two other grown children, Jim and Diana, live in Highland Park.

Despite his brief residence, Mark impressed his school cronies enough to get elected student council representative from his class.

Thompson is employed by Chrysler corporation in Detroit. His interests include boy scouting (he was a scoutmaster in Highland Park) and following civic issues.

Dorothy, who made decorative wall plaques for pin money before moving, may go back into business again.

Information about the fellowships can be obtained from Plymouth Branch Fellowships chairman, Mrs. Walter Nichols of Plymouth.

Priscilla Blackburn, daughter of the John Blackburns of Orchard drive, was graduated from Michigan State university. Attending the winter commencement exercises were Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn, Mrs. Charles Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. William Young and Mrs. Claude Ely.

Children's books, book sets, encyclopedias, adult fiction, non-fiction and biographies are most welcome, the co-chairmen said. Also acceptable are books and magazines on special interests or hobbies such as gardening, photography, mechanics and cooking.

Pocket books have also proved popular with buyers in the past, they noted.

For book pick-up call Miss Field or Mrs. Worth at GL-3-1830 or GL-4-1206. Books may also be left in Miss Field's garage at 908 North Harvey, corner of Farmer, in Plymouth, at any time.

In Northville, Mrs. B. W. Seccord, FI-9-0822, and Mrs. T. N. Cummins, FI-9-1255 will collect books at their homes, 4625 West Seven Mile, and 252 Wing court, or pick up books at donor's homes.

Proceeds are used to promote higher standards in education and to aid graduate study opportunities for women.

In the coming year, the AAUW is expected to award \$108,000 in national fellowships or some 40 fellowships to United States women who have or are working for their Ph.D. degree and to women who have achieved professional recognition.

The fellowships are not limited to age or field of study and may be used for research or study either in the United States or abroad.

## KITCHEN DIARY Springtime Means Outdoor Cooking

With the first signs of spring come thoughts of camping, picnics and backyard barbecue parties.

For the open-air cook, Mrs. Philip Nauman offers two tasty recipes which combined, make a complete outdoor meal — Hobo Stew and Baked Apples.

Their best feature is versatility, she says.

Both can be prepared in advance of an outing, are easy to pack, eliminate the need for dishes, and lend themselves to wide variations.

What's more, they can be prepared in the oven, on a barbeque, or right in a campfire.

Any vegetable may be used or added to the stew recipe, she pointed out. Green pepper, turnips or celery are ideal.

Raisins may also be sprinkled over the apples.

Both recipes are camp-tested favorites of scouts, the scout leader noted.

Her third recipe for Date Bread shares the simplicity of the other two.

It can't fail, says Mrs. Nauman, who likes to surprise her friends with gift loaves during the holidays.

And it's just as delicious as more complicated date bread recipes.

HOBO STEW Mrs. Philip Nauman 1 1/2 lbs. hamburger 8 medium potatoes 5 carrots 2 medium onions 1 lb. 5/8 can whole tomatoes, drained salt pepper

Peel potatoes and carrots. Slice all vegetables (except tomatoes) into thin pieces.

On individual squares of heavy aluminum foil or double thickness light foil, shape hamburger half-sandwich thick, mix onion patties (to hold vegetables).

Cover each patty with layers of sliced vegetables; first potato, next carrots; then onion. Top with tomato pieces. Ketchup may be substituted for tomato if desired.

Season to taste. Wrap each patty with foil, making sure edges are sealed tightly to prevent seepage.

To bake in oven, place foil-wrapped patties on coalsheet.

BAKED APPLES apples cinnamon brown sugar butter Peel and core apples. Fill centers with brown sugar and cinnamon (to taste). Top with flakes of butter. Raisins may be added if desired.

Place each apple on square of heavy aluminum foil or double thickness light foil. Bring edges of foil together at top. Twist top securely, making sure there are no openings (to prevent seepage).

For oven, place foil-wrapped apples on coalsheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

For barbeque, place on grill. Cook for 30 minutes.

Turn out crumbly and sweet. Eat right from foil holder.

## Symphony a Local First

Ludwig van Beethoven's monumental Symphony No. 9 in D Minor, in which the composer enlists the collaboration of a choral group and soloists for the finale, will be featured by the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra on Sunday, April 3, at 4 p.m. at Plymouth high school.

Conductor Wayne Dunlap has arranged for the assistance of prominent choral groups and soloists to join the symphony for this last and most outstanding program of the 1959-60 season.

The choruses are the Westminster Presbyterian church choir of Detroit, director, George Thomas; the Singway Choral Society, Robert Klepinger, director; and the Plymouth Civic Chorus, Fred Nelson, director.

Soloists will be Soprano Deanne Taylor and Mezzo Soprano Rosamary March of Detroit, Tenor Richard Miller, faculty member University of Michigan, and Bass Nat Sibbold of Plymouth. One hundred and fifty vocalists and 100 musicians will total their talents in this endeavor.

Beethoven (1770-1827) had for 25 years nursed the ambition of setting to music Schiller's "Ode to Joy" in which the composer's own ideal of "brotherhood of mankind" was reflected.

In no other symphony of his had he taken so long to create, nor had he dedicated such effort or creative energy.

During the Lenten season this particular symphony is most appropriately selected because of its all-encompassing feeling of humanity, spirituality and exaltation.

To a crowded Vienna Concert audience in May of 1824 this symphony (acclaimed by many to be the highest development of symphonic work) was first presented. The music made a profound impression. There were five successive blasts of applause — three was the rule for the Imperial family.

Performance will be free of charge and there will be baby-sitting facilities by girls scouts, under adult supervision, for a nominal fee.

This will be the first performance of this symphony in the area as well as one of the most important undertakings by the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra.

Other program selections include the Emperor Waltz by Strauss, and Aina Copeland's "Billy the Kid" and "A Quiet City".

Concerts are free and a coffee hour will follow the performance.

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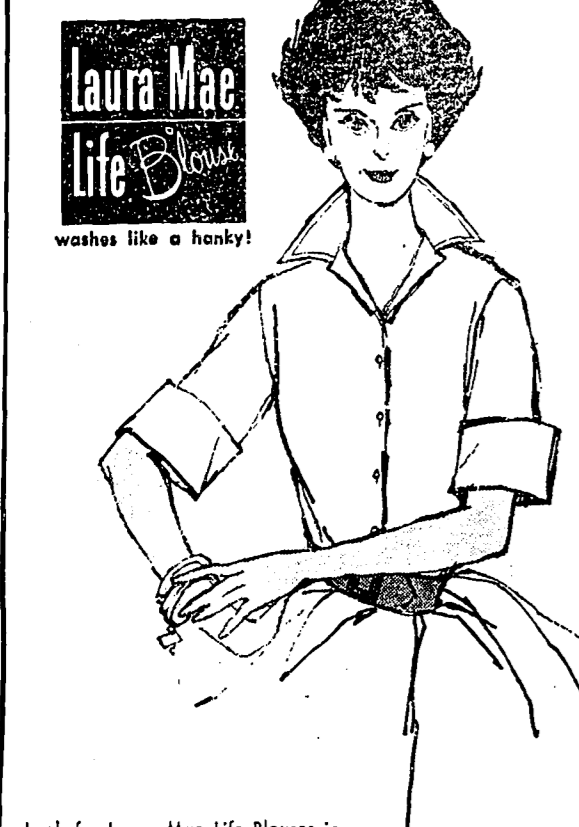
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### John Clarke, Phyllis Warnick Married in East

Phyllis Lynn Warnick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Warnick, Jr., of Livonia Park, New Jersey, was married March 11 to John Wesley Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Russell Clarke of Fairbrook avenue.

The Rev. Kenneth L. Whitney officiated in the ceremony at Holy Trinity church.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

Laurel Sagner Warnick was maid of honor for her sister. Ruth Ann Clarke, sister of the groom, and Fay Elizabeth Niles were bridesmaids.

John chose James Morris Rambeau for his best man. Uskers were Henry Clay Warnick IV, brother of the bride, and Christopher Slocum Jenkinson. William Craig Warnick, another brother of the bride, was a junior usher.

The bride was graduated from Douglass and is employed by Bancroft Enterprises in New York City.

The groom, a graduate of Rutgers university, is in the news staff of radio station WJMR, Morristown.

They will reside in Orange, New Jersey.

Mrs. Smith, also club president, added that members wishing to pay dues may mail checks to Mrs. Gene Cushing.

Brownie Troop 209, accompanied by Leaders Mrs. Glen Deibert, Mrs. Fred Sterner and Mrs. William Yrdenburg, had a good time singing on the American school hill this week.

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### Mothers' Club To Meet Monday

American school teachers will host the next meeting of the Northville Mothers' Club Monday night at Amerman school.

The mothers and teachers will discuss the club's present resource center project and make reference picture-catalogues for use in the center.

Members are reminded to bring materials for the catalogues.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the faculty lounge which the club recently decorated and furnished.

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### Woman's Club Lunch Friday

The Woman's club year customarily ends on an upbeat with the annual spring luncheon and slide show.

Tomorrow marks the close of the club's 1959-60 season.

As in the past the meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church fellowship hall.

Luncheon will be served at 11:30 p.m. A short business meeting will precede the skit.

Friday's entertainment promises to leave the ladies smiling.

The skit, which was performed and written by club members, will cash in on the political shenanigans of a national campaign year.

Directed by Mrs. John Beagle, it is chiefly composed of new members.

Authors of the skit are Mrs. Beagle, Mrs. William Wiley and Mrs. William Silger.

Club President Mrs. Charles Yahn, Jr. will preside over the meeting.

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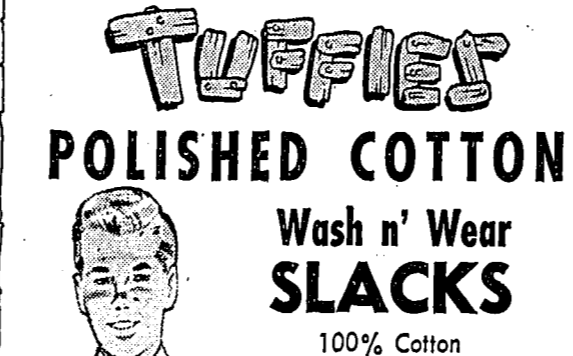
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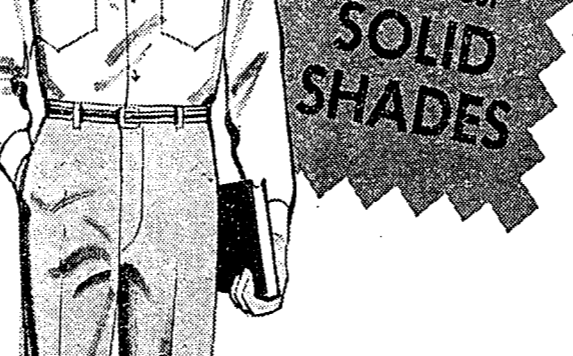
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Dead Committee Bills

WORKINGS OF THE Legislature seem strange to the casual visitor, but there is really much more organization than appears superficially.

For example, on March 9, a deadline when all bills introduced had to be acted upon by the appropriate committee or be automatically dropped from consideration, some 450 bills out of the 777 introduced died.

Most controversial of the bills not reported was the Civil Rights legislation. This died in the House State Affairs Committee.

Why are bills left in committee? Several reasons. One is lack of time. If a committee has a large number to consider, it is just impossible to consider them all.

A second reason might be called political expediency. When a legislator is pressed to introduce a bill by a constituent, it is easier to agree than to refuse.

A lesser understood situation is demonstrated this year in conservation matters. There was a bill to amend the law which would have amended it to allow a group or person to acquire land.

At least one other bill which concerned harvesting of wild life was purposely held in committee because of a legislative rule which prohibits amendments to a bill as long as it concerns the same general subject.

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CONCLUSION OF AREA HISTORY

(Continued) change in the name of our paper, substituting Northville in place of Wayne County, leaving it simply, The Northville Record. We believe ourselves that a paper, and particularly one devoted to local interests should, properly, be named after the village.

Birth of Railroad Concurrent with the birth and early growth of the Northville Record was the conception of a north-south railroad passing through Northville, Novi and Wixom.

In the spring of 1885, an "enabling act" for the Holly, Wayne and Monroe Railroad Line was passed by the Legislature. The company was organized the following autumn.

However, numerous problems plagued the infant company during its formative years and it was not until early in 1890 that the line through Northville seemed assured.

"Our town," Little wrote in November 1870, "has the credit of bearing a heavy (if not the heaviest) burden during these years of varied experience." Among the Northville who fought, and struggled for the railroad, were: Dr. J. M. Smith, J. S. Lapham, J. J. Thompson, F. E. Beal, and Wayne, with stops at Waterford and Plymouth, on its historic journey.

At the time of the company's intention to lay from Wayne to Northville as rapidly as possible, the last and put the rails in running order, and put on at least a daily train each way. This ought to be completed and ready to run in May, but Bennett must hurry up the line.

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We Need Both City Hall And Community Center

The Commission in resolving every one's ideas and wishes. Eventually sketches and plans were suggested (not final). These sketches were publicly displayed with requests for comments.

So, finally, a Community building replaced some residential structures which had been converted to school use. The village proposed the site. Properly designated officials administered the spending of the Community Building Fund for a Community building.

Bickering arose from the first regarding who was to pay and how much. Was the City to pay \$100,000 annually for upkeep or was the School Board to pay? Of course the taxpayer thought the debate was without point because he knew that he had the operating costs to pay, no matter from which pocket he removed the money.

When the time comes, and the present City Hall Committee comes up with their ideas let's buy one, if most of the taxpayers want it. Let's keep our Community building, if Northville continues to grow, and it will, we'll need both.

If the school system wishes to buy the structure, let's remember that there are certain inherent obligations due the community, should we ever follow the construction of the Community building.

The fund was earmarked for a Community building, a facility which a community can dream about, but can seldom hope to acquire.

Many oldsters have forgotten, and the newcomers have not heard about, the source of the fund which constructed the Community building.

How was the building planned? It was planned on the basis of conduct, attitude and efficiency. They are recommended for the advancement by their senior cadet officers, subject to approval of the school commandant and the president.

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ORDINANCE NO. 36-A. Amendment to Ordinance No. 26, City of Wixom entitled "Passing School Bus Ordinance" and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

CITY OF WIXOM. TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WIXOM, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN THE CITY OF WIXOM, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, MICHIGAN, ON MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1960.

FROM 7:00 O'CLOCK A.M. UNTIL 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M. IN THE CITY HALL FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING: ONE (1) MAYOR, THREE (3) COUNCILMEN to four (4) year terms, ONE (1) COUNCILMAN to two (2) year term, and ONE (1) JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

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City Councilmen Urge 'Yes' Vote Monday

(Note—Members of the Northville city council adopted a resolution recently supporting the annexation of Northville Estates to the city. Here they submit their reasons.)

I favor the annexation of the Northville Estates area to the City of Northville as part of the orderly development of the city. We should be looking ahead for the orderly planning of the community of Northville, and determining what is best for Northville and the surrounding community for the future.

Expanded growth of the metropolitan area will undoubtedly reach the Northville community in the next few years. By annexing this property, the city can control the development and insure a balanced tax base.

I cannot see any increased expenses to the City of Northville for personnel because of this area becoming a part of the city. There will be some expenses to the city but the taxes paid by the area will more than offset the expenses at this time.

The residents of the proposed annexed area will be paying about \$100 per home more than they are now paying. I do not feel that this land proposed to be annexed from Novi Village and Township will have any

major effect on the future development of these areas. Mayor A. M. Allen Without reservation, I wholeheartedly recommend a YES vote on the proposed annexation as I believe it is in the best interests of the city as well as advantageous to the territory to be annexed. Briefly the reasons are as follows: (1) Savings in the future this area is certain to be a part of an incorporated area will be paying about \$100 per home more than they are now paying.

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Each week our reporter asks the area residents to voice their opinion in a different question. This week the question is: How do you feel about the election Monday to annex part of Novi including Northville Estates to the city of Northville? Mrs. Leo Goss, 2149 Chagrinwood drive, Northville Estates — "I'm all for it of course. The people in Northville Estates think it is

advantageous to the subdivision and to Northville. No, I don't believe Novi's decision to fight it in court has changed our minds at all. I feel it's definitely progress for Northville. I'm interested both as a merchant and a citizen."

L. E. Kozak, 610 Randolph, Northville — "I think it should be annexed. I don't see any reason it shouldn't be — the people there want it. It will cut down the overall expense of running the town."

William Paquette, 4200 Burns drive, Northville — "I think we should fight it. One of the main reasons we became a village was to protect our boundaries from the subdivision and to Northville. No, I don't believe Novi's decision to fight it in court has changed our minds at all. I feel it's definitely progress for Northville. I'm interested both as a merchant and a citizen."

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Paquette Harry Ramsey, 1251 West Lake drive, Novi — "I think we should protect our boundaries even though it may cost the village \$1500."

Raymond Thomas, 1391 East Lake drive, Novi — "It's like leaving the garage door after the car's gone. We have already let neighboring communities grab off large pieces of Novi. I believe the people in the Walled Lake area are against this annexation even though it is on the opposite end of the village."

Richard J. Justice, 1150 E. Main St., Northville — "I believe, does not want to be so annexed and lose such revenue. Any area annexed will pay its own way on our tax rolls. As a matter of fact it will help cut down the cost of present administration, and we can only annex those areas that wish to be part of our city."

The Council has just passed a special assessment ordinance that will be used to pay for the cost of the annexation. This ordinance will be used to pay for the cost of the annexation. This ordinance will be used to pay for the cost of the annexation.

RE-ELECT Judge Wm. Welke. Justice of the Peace WIXOM, MICHIGAN APRIL 4 (Pd. Pol. Adv.)

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SHALL THAT PORTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NOVI, PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: Territory lying in the South 1/2 of Section 33, Town 1 north, Range 8 east, Novi Township, Oakland County, Michigan; commencing at a point on the south line of said Section 33 distant 97.50 feet west from the southeast corner of said Section 33 for a point of beginning; thence westerly along the south line of Section 33, 412.62 feet, more or less, to the southwest corner of said Section; thence northerly along the west line of said Section 33 261.6 feet, more or less, to a point where the east and west 1/4 line of said Section meets said west line; thence easterly along the east and west 1/4 line of said Section 33, 419.2 feet, more or less, to the northwest corner of the City of Northville; thence easterly along the present boundary of the City of Northville, Michigan, three courses as follows: Southerly parallel to the east line of said Section a distance of 344 feet, more or less, to a point; thence easterly parallel to the south line of said Section 115.50 feet to a point; thence southerly parallel to the east line of said Section 198.00 feet to the point of beginning.

BE ANNEXED TO THE CITY OF NORTHVILLE? Voters of Precincts No. 1 and No. 2 vote at the Northville Community Center, 307 W. Main St. Voters of Precinct No. 3 vote at the Amerman Elementary School on North Center St.

(Signed) Mary Alexander, City Clerk.

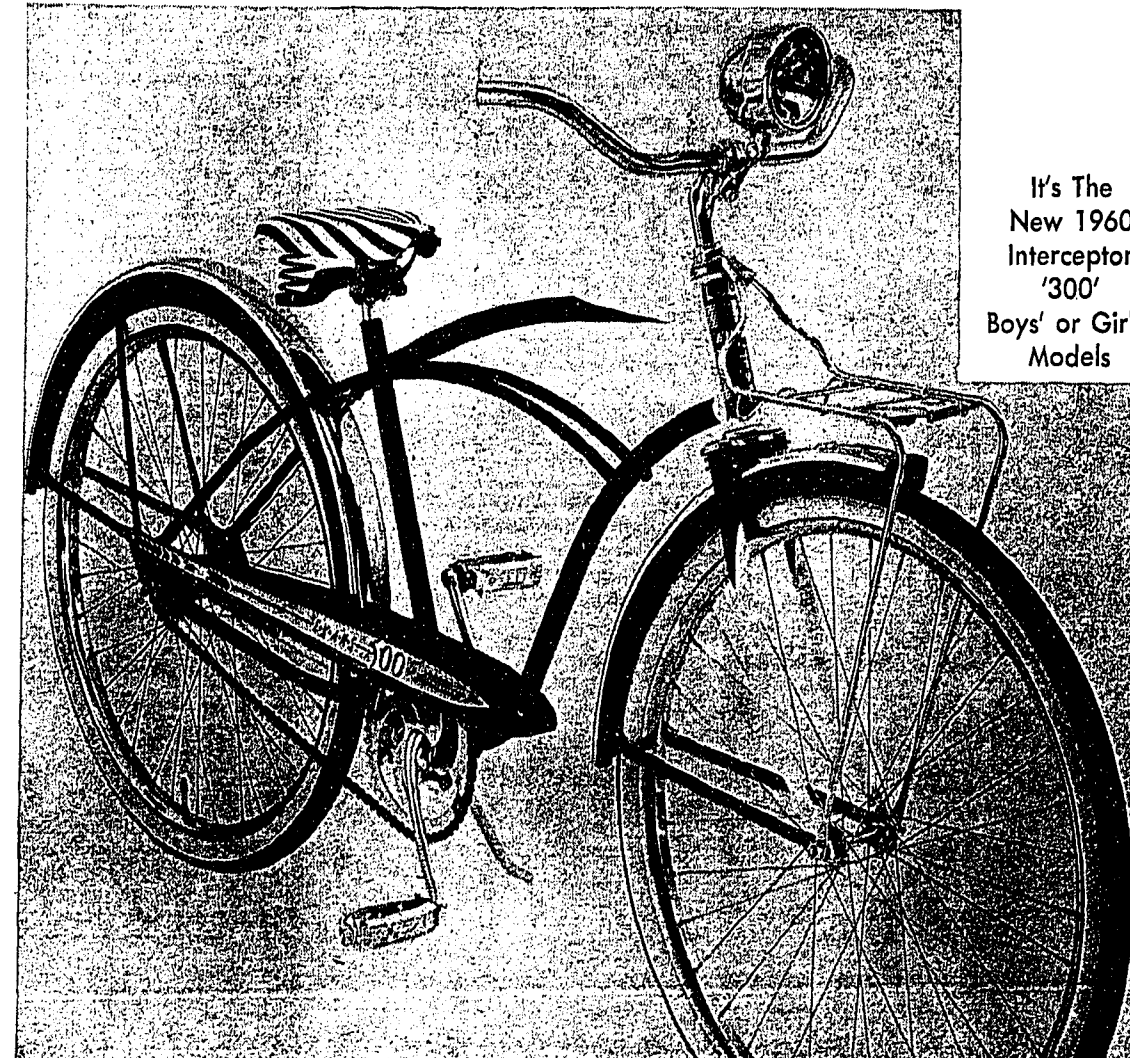
Justice of the Peace WIXOM, MICHIGAN APRIL 4 (Pd. Pol. Adv.)



SPELLING BEE CHAMPS — Champion spellers were crowned last week at the two Novi schools and Our Lady of Victory at Northville. Dawn Swenson, Orchard Hills champ, and Ellen Shunatona, champion from Novi elementary, will compete in the district tournament at Baker school in Milford on April 8. Pictured above are the best spellers from Novi. They are (l-r, standing): Cliff Hawley, Lynn MacDermald, Pamela Cumming, Ellen Shunatona and Jack Crawford; (front row): Rebecca Lyke, Dawn Swenson, Carol Hector and Joanne Froschel. Pictured below from OLV are: Henry George, Paula Miklas, Christine Reiff, LuAnne Godfrey, Mary Ellen Locke and David Johnson; Rev. John Wiltschko, who awarded the students spelling honors; Mary Heslip and Robert Flavin.



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## Jr. High St. Patrick Fun



EVERYONE HAD FUN, particularly the audience, during the Northville Junior High drama club presentation of a "St. Patrick's Day party" Thursday at the community building. At the upper left, Gail Leatham lies exhausted on the floor after her "Dancing Cat" performance. The gray-headed fellow is Terry LaRue, mayor of Tarrytown. Behind him is Gail Flett, latest scold, and beside him to the right is Holly Hines as Millie Moses. Pictured above (at right) is Joan Brevik who sang "Honeybee". At the left, Jean Downer and Kay Steigerwald dance to "Nola".

NORTHVILLE LODGE NO 186, F. & A. M. REGULAR MEETING Second Monday of each month Leo E. Patterson, W.M. R. F. Coolman, Secretary



### Elect Officers at Annual Meet

Northville Township-Hills property Owners' association officers were elected at the annual meeting at the home of W. W. McKeel Sunday. Elected were: M. S. Pitak, president; Harold Lane, vice president; and Mrs. Daniel R. Brown, secretary-treasurer. Members welcomed new property owners: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Paul DeFolletta, Mr. and Mrs. William Schulz, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marvin and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Marburger.

### Realtors to Meet

Director of the Federal Housing Administration, Dwight K. Hambrsky, will present a program on "Trade-In Financing" to the members of the United Northwestern Realty association - western Wayne County Board of Realtors, next Thursday.

The meeting will be held at Creger's on Grand River at Outer drive at 11:45 a.m.

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## Novi Highlights...

Fathers of the Little Leaguers are urged to attend a general meeting at the community hall next Tuesday evening, March 29 at 8 o'clock. Plans are present if all possible and get an early start in organizing "The Little League".

Mrs. Donald Bingham was honored at a link and blue shower by Mrs. Garland Killen and Mrs. Alvin Killen Friday evening. The shower was held at the Garland Killen home on Durson street with 16 ladies present. Several games were played and lemon cake and coffee served by the hostesses.

Mrs. and Mrs. Orville Donaghe and family of Detroit spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. James Haas and family on West Grand River.

Mrs. Luther Rix attended the wedding reception for her niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Stanton in Websterville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Koster, West Eight Mile road celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Koster. The couple's two children and four grandchildren were on hand for the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. William Paquette celebrated their birthday club Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Paquette. Her guests were Mrs. Harold Clawson are building a new home on Durson street. The Harpsters are the saints (if they do) on the same basis as the goods we buy seems sacrilegious to me. For people to attend a church just supposed to offer, if you not a Christian you will find that attending a church where the Gospel is preached, and people are becoming converted is a three-fold benefit. First, you will hear the Gospel and become acquainted with its terms. Second, through the hearing of the preaching of the Word you will be able to understand it. Third, you will be placing yourself in a position where the Spirit of God speaks to more people than any other place. You can't know the knowledge received you will be receiving something more valuable than all the trinkets you receive by green stamps.

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Team 5 - 64.250 - 282 out of 400  
Scores for ten shots: Bob Spranger, 42; Billy Mair, 46; Bert Bowen, 58; Leck Avelin, 49; Don Thorpe, 66; Orin Stader, 39.

**Novi Boy Scout Troop 54** held their weekly meeting March 25. They played games and completed plans for their campout which will be held at Arrowhead Lodge at Kensington park. The troop is selling the new 30-star flag. The set includes a new flag and a new 30-star flag. The set includes a new flag and a new 30-star flag.

**Novi Girl Scouts** held their bi-monthly meeting last Wednesday at the home of their leader, Mrs. Kriedeman. They talked over plans for winter campout and their trip to New York next summer.

Direct sale of girl scout cookies will be held Saturday, March 30 at the Novi drug store by Girl Scout Troop 149, 602 and 426. This is the opportunity for customers to get their cookies directly instead of ordering and receiving at a later date.

Intermediate Troop 149 met at the home of co-leader Mrs. Ward. The girls received their cookies to deliver. They made arrangements and plans for their overnight camping date at Kensington park.

Intermediate Troop 62 planned a service project of making 5000 aluminum and made final plans for a trip to Sanders March 18. Mrs. MacGillivray and Mrs. MacDermid furnished transportation.

All girl scout adults are invited to hear Miss Olea Schrockly April 1 at 7:30 a.m. at Dowling high school, Royal Oak. Her subject, "How To Have a Good Troop Program".

There will be a day camp party for 1950 and 1950 staffs at Triangle Furniture store, 818 Woodward, Royal Oak April 7, 1 to 4:30 p.m. Showings at 1:30 and 3. Come and go as you please.

The sliding party which was held recently by the seventh grade was a huge success.

The young folks met at the school and then journeyed as a group to the lighted shows of Cass Benton park. Approximately 70 seventh graders and 16 parents attended. Some parents furnished transportation while others acted as chaperones, and one mother remained at the school working all evening in the kitchen preparing refreshments.

March 18 the fifth grade in Novi school sang "happy birthday" to Mrs. Marchetti, school secretary, and Mrs. Bowers, former teacher. Mrs. LaFond received a St. Patrick's Day corsage from the club girls in Den 6 of Park 54.

One reading group in Mrs. LaFond's room is reading about forest rangers and national parks. The class enjoyed seeing slides on several national parks this week.

## Two New Families

Two new families will be moving into homes on Walnut street. Mr. and Mrs. Caruthers have bought the Frank Hille home and Mrs. and Mrs. Templeton are moving into the home vacated by the Hendersons.

The Wixom Cemetery association will meet for election of officers Tuesday Saturday evening, April 2 at the home of Ronald J. Porter.

The Invincible class of the Wixom Baptist church will hold its regular monthly party at the home of Howard and Coe Saturday evening at 7:30. Edd Harris is still confined to his home with a severe case of arthritis.

Nine members of the Crest club met at the home of Mrs. Larry Sawyer. After coffee and dessert members took a merry trip to a Livonia diet store.

Mrs. Harold Ortwin and Mrs. Deborah Geyer were guests of Mrs. Howard Randolph of Grand Lodge at a birthday dinner honoring Del Ortwin who was nine years old and Janet Randolph who celebrated her sixth birthday.

Mrs. Richard Banfield entertained the cancer committee at a dinner honoring former member, Mrs. M. F. Pratt of Pontiac. Guests were Mrs. Frank Pennell, Mrs. Arthur Allen, Mrs. William Baum, Mrs. Bert Parker and Mrs. Ray Koster.

Sunday the Bernard Kites helped their granddaughter, Sandra Sue Shelton, celebrate her tenth birthday at the home of Sandra's parents, the Clarence Sheltons. Joy Polvin was among the guests.

Last week Wesley McKee attended a Rotary dinner at the Cherry Hill Methodist church.

The Jack Karels were honored at a house-warming March 12. They recently moved into a new home in Hickory Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mexico were guests of the Chamber of Commerce at its dinner March 10 in the YWCA hall.

New member, Patricia Merkel, joined the Browline troop Wednesday. The girls are now learning how to knit. Their teachers are Mrs. Stuford, Mrs. DePolonia and Mrs. P. Mrs. Cavallaro provided refreshments.

Mrs. Albert Cavallaro attended the graduation of her niece, Annette Lindsay from Michigan State university college of education, Wednesday.

The St. William's minstrel group is busy rehearsing for its May show. St. William's grade school football team was presented trophies at the March 17 corn beef dinner, honoring the boys for winning the CYO league championship.

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## 12 Wixom Men Seek 6 Posts In Monday Vote

### Mayor Bows Out Without a Fight At Council Meet

Joseph Stadnik, Wixom's first city mayor, bowed out of the council meeting Thursday night and surprised even himself by coming away unscathed.

The mayor, who after two years of "ups and downs" with two or three members of the council, will step down Monday with the election of either Stanley Balon or Donald Brooks, candidates for mayor.

Stadnik had predicted a final blow at the council meeting but instead the meeting was quiet with only few relatively unimportant business matters discussed. In fact, Walled Lake Councilman and Oakland County Supervisor Marshall Taylor was on hand to praise Stadnik for his contribution to Wixom. He read a poem by the late Edgar Gees entitled "Compensation" in the mayor's honor.

Council members included: — Receipt of requests from Alban Brinkman, owner of property at 22026 Wixom road, and from Ray Taylor of the Automobile Transport, Inc. 25250 Wixom road, for rezoning of their properties from R-1-R to M-2, manufacturing.

— Recommendation that a committee attend the Novi public hearing tonight at the Novi community building to protest the proposed rezoning of the Novi area to a trailer park classification.

— Presentation of a certificate of service to Police Chief Frank Jackson and Mayor Stadnik from the Walled Lake - Wixom Lions club.

— Appointment of Jesse Byrd as temporary counselor to the city for James Serebo to be unable to be present at an upcoming court trial.

— Receipt of a letter from Roland Langerman, assistant superintendent of the Walled Lake school system, approving the council's recommendation to install a street light and stop and warning signs at the back road - G-2 crossing.

— Council decision to meet with the planning board on April 18 to consider acquisition of Birch Park property.

## Burglars Hit Store 10th Time

Burglars just don't give Al Harnden any rest. For the 10th time in six years they broke into his Grand River store Saturday night.

The last break-in occurred only a month ago.

As in many of the previous break-ins, the burglars entered through the glass front door Saturday.

But they barely had time to escape with a few bottles of wine before the police arrived on the scene. They were called by Lawrence Szyet, who heard the noise

from his home across the street. Harnden has charged that the police failed to attempt pursue the burglars, who, according to Szyet, fled in a 1949 green Plymouth sedan.

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## Annex Vote Passes; Court Action Next



Wixom voters will go to the polls Monday to choose a new mayor, four councilmen and a justice of the peace from a field of 12 candidates.

Officials are confident that a "good percentage" of the 668 registered electors will cast their ballots in the regular election — first since city incorporation two years ago. Close to 100 percent.

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The councilman and the mayor elected Monday will Mrs. C. J. Chambers and Ray Lahti in general city business. Mrs. Chambers and Lahti were among the three candidates who drew the greatest number of votes in the first city election.

In that first city election, the council vote was: Lahti, 314; Birchard, 285; Chambers, 278; Abrams, 276; Metala, 264; Tuck, 262; Robert Wagner, 258; and Beams, 158.

Polvin was the only candidate who was not elected to the council. He was defeated by a vote of 131 to 83.

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The plans call for a supermarket at the northeast corner with the adjoining stores stretching either north along Novi road or east along 10 Mile road. Cornwell has requested that 11 acres of the area be rezoned from C-1 and R-1-R to C-2, general commercial district, to permit establishment of the 92,000-square foot center.

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## Village to Protest Loss to Northville

The 120-acre Northville Estates subdivision and an adjoining 133-acre parcel of the village of Northville were voted into the city of Northville Monday.

Now the state supreme court will decide if the action was legal.

Less than one-fourth of Northville's 1800 registered voters bothered to go to the polls in recording a 289 YES to 144 NO for the annexation.

In Novi residents of the 36 homes in the Northville Estates township area and one registered voter in the village area approved the annexation 53 YES to 9 NO, with one ballot thrown out.

Canvassing of the ballots was scheduled for today. The area then officially becomes a part of Northville — just under the census wire that begins tomorrow.

But if Village Attorney Howard Bond's arguments are upheld by the supreme court, this could be reversed.

Bond has indicated he will file a new petition with the high court next week naming the secretary of state and the city of Northville in the suit.

The secretary of state is being named in the suit because the election was called by that department. Bond said that he would take the case directly to the supreme court, which is permitted by the fact that the validity of a state action is being challenged.

The village attorney will not complete his petition until Monday night when the council — with three of its five members newcomers since the determination to fight the election was made — will presumably give him the green light.

There has been no indication by the council that its attitude has changed. Two weeks before the March 14 council election the old council decided to fight the annexation because "the people of Novi voted for village incorporation but they protected its borders against annexation."

Bond's petition to the supreme court will challenge the election on three points:

— That the petition did not contain the proper number of village electors.

— That the notice of election should have been made by both the township and village (the city of Novi) and that the township clerk to conduct the election for both the village and township areas).

— That the entire population of the village should be permitted to vote in the election.

The real arguments rest in the final point. Bond claims that the annexation laws are in conflict and invalid.

## Citizens See Independent Novi In Proposed Shopping Center

The proposed shopping center at the Novi-10 Mile road intersection may be instrumental in holding Novi together, members of the Novi Citizens' Development committee were told Monday night.

Donald Young, member of the committee and substitute speaker for Committee Director George Merkle, drew this conclusion after analyzing the proposed shopping center plan.

Such a center, he said "will attract new residents of the village and think Novi wises we plan out."

The annual township meeting, which provides for active participation by township residents, will be held Saturday at the community building beginning at 2 p.m.

Although fewer people are expected to attend Saturday's meeting than last year, Citizen Herb Koester has promised some "old fashioned fireworks".

"Self-appointed guardian of the township treasury and auditor," Koester would demand a cut in salary for the supervisor, clerk and treasurer. A similar vote last year was defeated.

The township's 1959-60 budget is slated to be introduced at the meeting.

## Firemen Flew to 1st Blaze in Reo

The Wixom man reportedly saved the life of a child in the fire. The fire was placed — and the fireman who had been notified earlier to "get the engine ready" for the fire. The engine was jerked to a halt in Wixom and the man scrambled out to spray the fire.

The wide grin of the winner soon vanished, however, when water dripped out of the hose. The fireman who had been notified earlier to "get the engine ready" for the fire. The engine was jerked to a halt in Wixom and the man scrambled out to spray the fire.

Today's fire department is a top-ranked outfit. In addition to the 1958 Reo, which still is used occasionally, the department has a 1955 LaFrance capable of pumping 750 gallons per minute, a 1958 1,000-gallon Ford tanker equipped with hoses and ladders and a 1945 Chevrolet which can pump 300 gallons per minute.

## The Annex Vote

IN NORTHVILLE  
Predicted 1 ..... 134 Yes 62 No  
Predicted 2 ..... 41 Yes 58 No  
Predicted 3 ..... 71 Yes 21 No  
Total ..... 289 Yes 144 No

IN NOVI  
53 Yes 9 No

## Clarkson Fights for Novi Park

State Representative S. James Clarkson revealed this week that he has drawn up an amendment to the 1950-61 capital outlay appropriation bill in an attempt to win a park for Novi.

Under the amendment, the \$68,285.55 left in the estate of Mary McGuire Power is directed to be spent for a state park in the village of Novi (see story elsewhere on this page).

The Echo Valley Civic association provided refreshments after the meeting.

The village maintains that the state is morally bound to establish a park in Novi. The state's request made in the will of the late Mrs. Power.

The Southfield Democrat agrees. "The will of Mary McGuire Power stated clearly that the estate of two farms in Novi township (10 Mile near Wixom road) should be used for a public park."

"The park was intended as a memorial to Mrs. Power's son, L. Louis Power, and her daughter, Ella M. Power.

"Although Mrs. Power's intent was to establish a park in the Novi area for the enjoyment of her friends and neighbors, her estate has been sold and the proceeds deposited with the Conservation Department. The Department, however, is not planning to use the proceeds for a park in Novi.

"It is my understanding that consideration is being given to using the money for a state park at East Tawas. Such a move by the Conservation Department would certainly abrogate the will of Mrs. Power who left the money in the first place.

"It is my feeling that this money should be used unless it is used for a park in the Novi area.

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