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## Size of millage hike cut

By BRUCE J. MARTIN  
 Staff writer

Cancel that 5543 millage hike for the city's general fund. It doesn't look like it will be anything close to that amount.

When city administrators had fixed that figure as the minimum to maintain existing levels of city services, city council members sent them back to the drawing board with orders to return with a list of options.

Monday, council members found an option they liked: a lean 1755 mill increase for 1986-87. For the owner of a home with a constant market value of \$80,000, the increase would cost about \$7.

Of course, a home with a "constant market value" is rare-to-nonexistent — as property values increase, taxes will increase proportionately. But the amount of the millage increase council proposes will be somewhat painless.

The tight budget will not be painless, however, to city departments which for years have complained of being understaffed — particularly police and fire departments. The proposed 1986-87 city general fund budget contains a salary for exactly one more full-time city employee — most likely it will be a clerk in the finance department.

"The most vocal critics of the 'current maintenance' budget — at least in public — came from the Novi Planning Commission, which is expected to receive roughly two-thirds the amount commissioners asked for.

Commissioners argued they need \$300,000-plus for a series of studies and reports they consider critical to reassess the city's six-year-old Master Plan (guide to long-range development) and to settle hot land use issues. Council members countered that the commission should make sacrifices much as other city departments had.

An exception was Council Member Nancy Covert. "I think we can make some cuts from planning, I'm not optimistic about our ability to make cuts where we see a chance," Covert said. "But I think planning is the most critical thing we have in the budget. All the departments rely on planning because it's the city's growth that's affecting all the departments.

"I see other places where we can trim the budget so that we could cut no more than \$18-20,000 from their request. Unfortunately, that does not seem to be the popular approach."

She was right. Council directed the commission to resubmit a budget of roughly \$200,000 for 1986-87, but council members including Mayor Patricia Karevich said they would "commit" themselves to supporting completion of the commission's work plan in the 1987-88 budget.

Since Community Development Director James Wahl stated completion of the work program could take longer than a year ("Maybe 18 months," Wahl said) anyway, a com-

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## Long distance pooch

The Providence/Novi Run on Sunday afternoon drew competitors of all shapes, sizes and ages ... plus one canine competitor. Bones (No. 1090), a two-year-old beagle, races across the finish line in the one-mile fun run with his owner, Don Hadley of Farmington. Bones, who also competed last year, finished the race in 26th place with a time of 9:55.6.

## City sells land in Town Center

On the heels of the Trammell Crow Company's \$1.7 million payment to the Novi school district for the site of now-defunct Old Novi Elementary, Novi City Council last week approved a more modest deal with Trammell Crow for the neighboring Novi Community Building.

The latter transaction will bring in roughly \$63,000 for the city, or \$4.35 for each square foot of the 0.33-acre site (the acreage excludes property which is expected to be absorbed by the widening of Novi Road). Both the community building and Old Novi Elementary are located immediately south of I-96 east of Novi Road.

According to one local Realtor, the sale price is probably lower than the community building's actual open-market value. But city officials are sticking with Trammell Crow as the buyer because the land eventually is expected to become

part of Trammell Crow's proposed 68-acre Town Center project. The overall revenue from Trammell Crow's Town Center is expected to provide a strong influx of long-range tax revenues to the city and school district.

"We calculated it at about the same rate (per square foot) as the school district when it sold its building," said City Manager Edward Krievall.

"Old Novi Elementary was about 11 acres and the community building's about one-third of an acre. When you look at curb cuts and all the factors surrounding the sale, it worked out in the best interests of the city."

Council members are researching permitted uses of the property sale funds.

□ Town Center guidebook details standards for a "downtown Novi."/6A

## Fix-up schedule set for city roads

Novi officials last week approved a spending plan for \$2.8 million in road improvement and maintenance funds to take the city through 1990.

Because the city's most problematic traffic areas (Haggerty Road and I-96 access, for example) call for substantial county, state and federal remedies, the city's road improvement program focuses on smaller-scale improvements, especially on city-maintained roads.

Commuters can look forward to the following city-administered improvements through 1990:

- 1986-87: Beck Road between Eight Mile and Ten Mile will be paved at an estimated cost of \$270,000. From Ten Mile to Eleven Mile, Beck will be resurfaced. Other activity will include:
  - Realignment of the Thirteen Mile/Novi Road intersection, with East Lake Drive being re-routed and South Lake Drive being paved.

□ Resurfacing of Meadowbrook Road from I-96 to Twelve Mile, and resurfacing of roads in the Meadowbrook Manor subdivision.

□ Paving of Charrington Green subdivision (to be reimbursed);

□ Installation of a traffic signal at Nine Mile and Meadowbrook Road.

□ Improvement of the C&O railway crossing at Ten Mile.

□ Installation of a passing lane at the Novi Library.

□ Co-payment for southbound right turn lane and rumble strip at Orchard Hill Place.

1987-88: Activity will include:
 

- Construction of Thirteen Mile from Haggerty Road west to Meadowbrook Road, plus improvements to the Haggerty/Thirteen Mile intersection.

□ Resurfacing of Napier Road.

□ Improvement to the C&O railway crossing at Novi Road.

## Election committee broadens horizons

By BRUCE J. MARTIN  
 Staff writer

Once they get their candidate elected, most campaign committees don't outlast the victory party hangover. That hasn't been the case with Citizens for Covert.

Citizens for Covert did an impressive job of landing political newcomer Nancy Covert a seat on the Novi City Council last November. While the campaign group has kept its ties to Covert — she still is its chairperson, it has expanded since her election into an issue-based coalition under a new name: Neighborhoods For Novi.

"Actually, many of the people in it were once members of People Looking After Novi (PLAN)," says Covert. Prior to her campaign for a council seat, PLAN boosted Covert to local prominence on the issue of architectural conformity in housing.

"As time went on they wanted to branch out," Covert says of her group, which attracts between 15-20 people to its informal monthly meetings. "They've been supportive of me in that they'll provide research I otherwise wouldn't have time to do. They'll provide anything that's helpful to me in doing my job on council."

Neighborhoods For Novi, Covert says, pro-

vides a forum for Novi residents concerned about the city's growth and its resulting impact on their homes and property investments. Since her election to council, Covert has become the city's most insistently conservative voice on growth issues.

"It's not a political action committee," Covert says of the group. "It would be if it had remained Citizens for Covert. But now it's focused more on growth and development."

"Everything is happening so fast and people are wondering, are we getting through? Are we being heard? Is the Master Plan (the city's guide to long-range planning and development) being followed?"

"They're concerned about the overcommercialization of the city. It's basically an avenue for someone to say, 'What's this guy moving in back of me trying to do?'"

Covert says Neighborhoods For Novi consists of people who intend to stay in Novi. "Most of them, once they've lived here, they stay. They may want to move to a bigger or a smaller home in Novi, but they have no desire to move (to another community)."

The group has not outlined specific goals. "We don't speak with one solid voice," Covert says. "It's pretty loose. Our meetings have a loose agenda."

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## ZBA set to rule on hall move

While it may be no more than a formality, plans for the relocation of the old Novi Town Hall will go before the Novi Zoning Board of Appeals next Tuesday for its final "green light."

"We don't expect any problems," said William Gladden, who is helping coordinate the relocation of the building from its site at 25911 Novi Road to a site adjacent to the Novi Library.

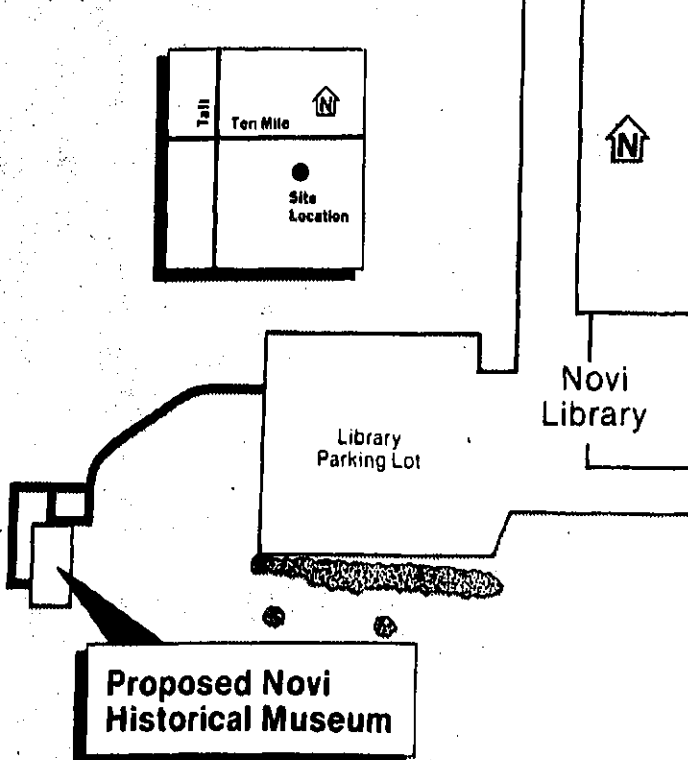
Gladden said the cost of the move will be entirely born by donors to the Novi Historical Society and by federal grants available for historic purposes.

"We believe we're going to proceed this year," said Gladden. When the building is relocated and its utilities hooked up, it will undergo renovation for use as a historical museum.

The board's regular meeting will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 6.

## Preserving Novi History

A proposed historical museum



## Concerts at 12 Oaks

The mall is alive ... with the sound of music.

Beginning Sunday and continuing through May 10, a series of musical events together called "Music — For Mankind's Special Moments" will be sponsored by Farmington Musicale and Twelve Oaks Mall in honor of National Music Week.

The concerts will take place in the mall's central court at 1 and 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, May 5-9; at 1 p.m. Sunday, May 4; and at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday, May 10.

Presenting a wide variety of music and musicians, the concerts will feature vocal groups, a woodwind ensemble, Latvian singers and a barbershop chorus, piano duets and Suzuki violinists.

Here is the schedule of performances:

Sunday, May 5: 1 p.m., The Mercyaire, Farmington Our Lady of

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# 'Section 11' plan comes to council

By BRUCE J. MARTIN  
staff writer

The concerns city officials have with Section 11 — a square-mile area north of Twelve Oaks Mall — are easily understood. All it takes is a walk along Novi Road or Meadowbrook Road north of Twelve Mile and a look at the thick, scenic forests on either side.

Unfortunately for those who like the tie of the land just the way it is, the rustic woods east of Novi Road and west of Meadowbrook are private property. Section 11 is roughly divided in half by R-4 zoning (single-family residential) along Novi Road and R-A zoning (residential-agricultural) along Meadowbrook.

The owners of the land in Section 11 presently have the right to mow down much of the forest to make room for houses at their maximum permitted density: an estimated 400 homes would be permitted in the east "half" of Section 11 and close to 300 homes in the west.

While subdivision plans likely will have to live by a new city ordinance governing woodlands protection — a

hearing on a woodlands protection ordinance is scheduled May 21 — the ordinance will not allow the city to prevent development without compensating the property owners.

On Monday, May 5, the owners intend to submit for council members' review a plan to preserve most of the land in its natural state in return for the city's permission to rezone less environmentally sensitive parts for more dense development: some commercial, some residential, some office.

In presenting their case to city planning officials, developers have stressed their intent to leave undisturbed the cemeteries and historic Tollgate Farm, both located in Section 11. They do, however, propose a "ring road" looping through the section and linking up with a ring road in the square-mile section immediately west.

The Novi Planning Commission has gone on record as supporting the idea in theory. Commissioners advised the developers to outline the specifics of their proposal before bringing it to the city council, and the developers have agreed to do so.

# Traffic fatalities down 22 percent

LANSING — Traffic fatalities have been reduced 21.9 percent during the first quarter of 1986 when compared to the same period in 1985, according to a March fatalities report by the Michigan State Police Traffic Services Division.

The report states that there were 146 fatalities among vehicle occupants with safety belts available in January through March of 1986 — 41 fewer than the 187 deaths recorded during the first three months of 1985.

However, traffic fatalities rose slightly during March 1986 compared to March 1985. There were 36 fatalities among vehicle occupants with belts available in March 1986 as compared to 51 in March 1985.

"We attribute the slight increase to several factors," said Lt. James Downer of the State Police Traffic Services Division.

"The number of miles traveled in the state is directly related to the number of accidents. The likelihood of accidents last month increased with the number of miles traveled. And, with the low price of fuel and improved economy, Michigan experienced a tremendous increase in travel last month."

State police officials caution that the traffic fatality numbers for 1986 are provisional and subject to revision.

"Despite the slight increase in March fatalities, overall fatalities for the first quarter of the year are down from last year," noted Thomas Reel, executive secretary of the Michigan Coalition for Safety Belt Use. "The safety belt use law is continuing to save lives among our state's motorists."

The Michigan Coalition for Safety Belt Use is an alliance of health and medical associations, safety and insurance groups, law enforcement organizations, state agencies and private organizations dedicated to promoting the use of safety belts as a means of saving lives on Michigan highways.

In addition to Michigan, 22 states and the District of Columbia have passed safety belt use laws. The states are California, Connecticut, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas and Utah.



Novi News/PHILIP JEROME

# Preschool 'round-up' dates set

Novi Community Schools has announced the tentative schedules of this year's "Kindergarten Round-Up" for children who will be heading to the public school classroom for the first time next fall.

The purpose of the program is to introduce parents of pre-kindergarten students to the school building, as well as teachers. An overview of the coming year's activities also will be discussed.

Parents of pre-kindergarten children are encouraged to attend the informational session at their school. They will have the opportunity to register their children at the round-up, if they have not already done so.

Tentative dates for this year's "Kindergarten Round-Up" are as follows:

- Novi Woods — May 12, 7 p.m. parents only.
- Orchard Hills — May 12, 7 p.m. parents and pre-kindergartners.
- Village Oaks — May 8, 9-10 a.m. parents and pre-kindergartners with last names beginning with A-Q only; May 8, 1:45-2:45 p.m. parents and pre-kindergartners with last names beginning with R-Z only; May 8, 7:30 p.m. parents only.

# Church plans film series

A series of films entitled "Turn Your Heart Toward Home" will be presented at the Oakland Baptist Church of Novi beginning Sunday, May 4, and continuing for six consecutive weeks.

Oakland Baptist Church is located on Beck Road, just south of Ten Mile. All of the programs will begin at 6:30 p.m. For more information call 348-2748 or 669-4720.

"Turn Your Heart Toward Home" is a six-part film series produced by Dr. James Dobson, a well-known author and family speaker. Over 50 million parents have been inspired by the film series in which Dobson and his wife Shirley speak forcefully to the issues of protecting and strengthening family relationships.

"The purpose of this powerful new film series," said Dobson, "is to challenge individuals to return to the traditional values upon which families are best created and nurtured."

Pastor Mike Boys and the Oakland Baptist congregation invite the public to attend. The series is offered free of charge.

# Wehrner von Baetens

Kirk Baetens, a fourth grader in Pauline Alex's class at Orchard Hills Elementary School, puts the finishing touches on one of the rockets that he and other students are building. The rocket-

building project marks the culmination of the students' study of the solar system. The rockets will be launched later this spring.



Novi News/PHILIP JEROME

# Up, up and away

In case you were wondering about the source of the balloons which floated over Novi last Thursday, there's no need to call the UFO Information Network. The balloons were released by Orchard Hills fourth graders in conjunction with science/geography studies.

Each balloon carried a postcard which asked the finder to report where they found it and mail it back to the school. In addition to studying the effects of wind currents, students will chart on a map the locations from which the cards were returned.

# Planners expect better parade

If everything goes according to plan, Novi's Memorial Day parade May 26 should be the best ever by a long shot.

"We really want to pick up the parade this year," said Pam Superlisky, who is helping coordinate the event. "It's not going to be the normal Novi Memorial Day parade. It'll be much better than usual."

This year's parade and subsequent ceremonial theme will be "They Died So That We May Live Free."

through the floats and in the activities." Superlisky added. So far, commitments ranging from "firm" to "possible" have been received from the Novi Middle School band, Novi concert band, Plymouth Pipe and Drum Corps, Michigan Scots pipes and drums, a precision drill horse team from Haverrill Farms, floats sponsored by scout troops, hospitals, businesses, churches and other groups, armed forces recruiting stations, the Novi Special race car, an assortment of antique cars, a disabled veterans marching unit and float, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, State Representative

Willis Bullard and State Senator Jack Faxon, and more.

Donations toward the parade are being welcomed by its sponsor, Novi Parks and Recreation Department. For information on how you can donate or participate, contact the department at 349-1976.

The parade will begin at Mohawk Drive near the Novi Road/1-96 interchange and proceed down Novi Road to Ten Mile, then head west to Novi City Hall. The parade will start at 10 a.m. and run, with ceremonies at city hall, until about 11:30 a.m.

# Officials skeptical on 'Super Sewer'

By KEVIN A. WILSON  
staff writer

Super Sewer lives! Sort of... a little... maybe. While the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR) attempts to gather consensus among communities that could be served by what is formally known as the North Haron Valley/Rouge Valley Wastewater Treatment plant, local officials are skeptical.

Having twice neared approval of a massive sewer project only to have it collapse at the last minute, officials from Novi and Northville are not getting excited about a revived effort to put together a program for possible partial federal funding this year.

In fact, Novi is proceeding on the assumption that it will have to handle sewage treatment on its own, city manager Edward Kriewall said last week.

"Our engineers are less than one month away from finalizing a proposal to construct our own wastewater treatment plant," Kriewall said. "The sewer interceptor would be nice, and if it happens we'll join in, but we have to be realistic."

Both Kriewall and Northville Township supervisor Susan Heintz were skeptical in reviewing a late March DNR outline of a plan to obtain 55 percent federal funding for a massive sewer improvement project between here and Detroit's wastewater treatment plant.

The City of Northville was not originally projected to be part of the program. When later discussion suggested it might be added, Northville city manager Steven Walters and engineer Jack McNeely worked up a program to repair the aging local system sufficiently that no added capacity, and no participation in super sewer, would be needed.

Projections of the cost to be borne by local governments have increased in the past few years to the point that both Heintz and Kriewall said they think it unlikely that all the communities participating in the huge project would agree to pay — unless.

"Unless the state can come through with some money," said Heintz.

"Unless the state can put up some financing," said Kriewall. Legislation to do just that may be in the works, but even with a state share (presumably enough to offset the 20 percent of the cost lost when the most recent application was rejected by the federal EPA), there would remain political obstacles.

"Getting all those communities to agree to something once was hard

Kriewall: 'The sewer interceptor would be nice, and if it happens we'll join in, but we have to be realistic.'

enough," said Kriewall. "I don't know that you could get them to do it again."

"Everybody's still blaming someone else (for the previous failures)," said Heintz. "We've got to know if this thing is going to be approved before we get involved — if Detroit is just going to come through again and reject it because it would allow suburban growth, we'd just be wasting our time. We need a sewer."

Examining a funding and planning schedule prepared by the DNR, heavily reliant upon assumptions that Congress will act favorably on the Clean Water Act this summer and then appropriate sewer construction funds this autumn, Heintz said the practicality of the program remains in question.

"Even if you assume everything on this paper goes properly — see, all this stuff looks real logical, but it still gets down to politics," Heintz said.

Meanwhile, DNR and Wayne County Public Works officials are working steadily to meet a set of deadlines leading up to early December — when everything must be in place if federal funds are to be obtained for the project. Without federal support, nearly everyone agrees, the regional project would probably collapse entirely and local governments would be left to pursue their own solutions.

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# Local jogger runs into thieves

An early-morning jogger and a girl out walking the family dog came face-to-face with a man stealing a radio from an automobile parked in the drive of a residence on Hampton Hill in the Meadowbrook Glen subdivision. The incident occurred Saturday, April 19, at approximately 8:50 a.m.

## Area Blotters

The jogger told police he was running through the subdivision when he observed a black male sitting in a 1986 Pontiac 6000 STE owned by a neighbor. The jogger said he saw the man get out of the car with the radio in his hand and get into a black Ford Escort, suspected by another black male suspect.

The two suspects then exited the subdivision on Ten Mile. The jogger summoned police who subsequently discovered that a nine-year-old girl out walking the family dog also had encountered the suspect. The girl told police she was walking up the driveway when she saw the suspect stand up from a car behind the car. When the man started to walk toward her, she picked up the dog and ran to a neighbor's house, according to reports.

Police issued a BOLO (be-on-the-lookout) bulletin for the black Ford Escort and learned that security personnel at Twelve Oaks Mall had escorted a car answering the descrip-

tion and containing two black males off the property approximately 30 minutes prior to the Meadowbrook Glen incident.

The suspect's vehicle had been reported stolen by the Detroit Police Department earlier the same morning. Stolen from the automobile at the residence on Hampton Hill was an AM-FM stereo cassette radio with 5-band equalizer valued at \$1,100. Damage to the vehicle was estimated at an additional \$600.

The jogger described the suspect removing the radio from the car as being 5'7" to 5'10" tall and weighing approximately 140 pounds. The suspect also was described as being 16-21 years old.

Police think the Meadowbrook Glen suspects may also have been responsible for the theft of an identical radio from another Pontiac 6000 STE parked behind the Holly Hills Professional Village the same morning.

The complainant told police the responsible parties broke out the

driver's side window and ripped the radio from the dashboard. The radio was valued at \$1,100 and damage to the vehicle was pegged at an additional \$600.

Thieves broke into nine vehicles parked behind the Uniflow Corp. on Heyn Drive during the April 22-23 night shift and stole an estimated \$2,600 worth of personal property.

In addition, the nine vehicles sustained damage estimated at \$1,000. In all cases, entry to the vehicles was gained by breaking out the driver's side window.

Stolen property included several tool boxes, two radar detectors, power boosters and 140 stereo cassette tapes.

Five residents of the Waterview Farms Apartments were victimized by thieves in another series of "larceny from auto" incidents which occurred during the night of April 19-20. All the incidents occurred between 3 p.m. on April 19 and noon on April 20.

## Area Briefs

**POLICE MEMORIAL DAY** will be held at Novi Police Headquarters on Saturday, May 10, beginning at 10 a.m. Police Chief Lee Begole said the annual event will be held on Saturday this year because of requests from officers that their children be participating in this year's Police Memorial Day service and activities.

A memorial service to honor police officers who have given their lives in the line of duty will be held at 10 a.m. The police station will remain open until 3 p.m. to give residents a chance to tour the facilities and observe various crime prevention displays.

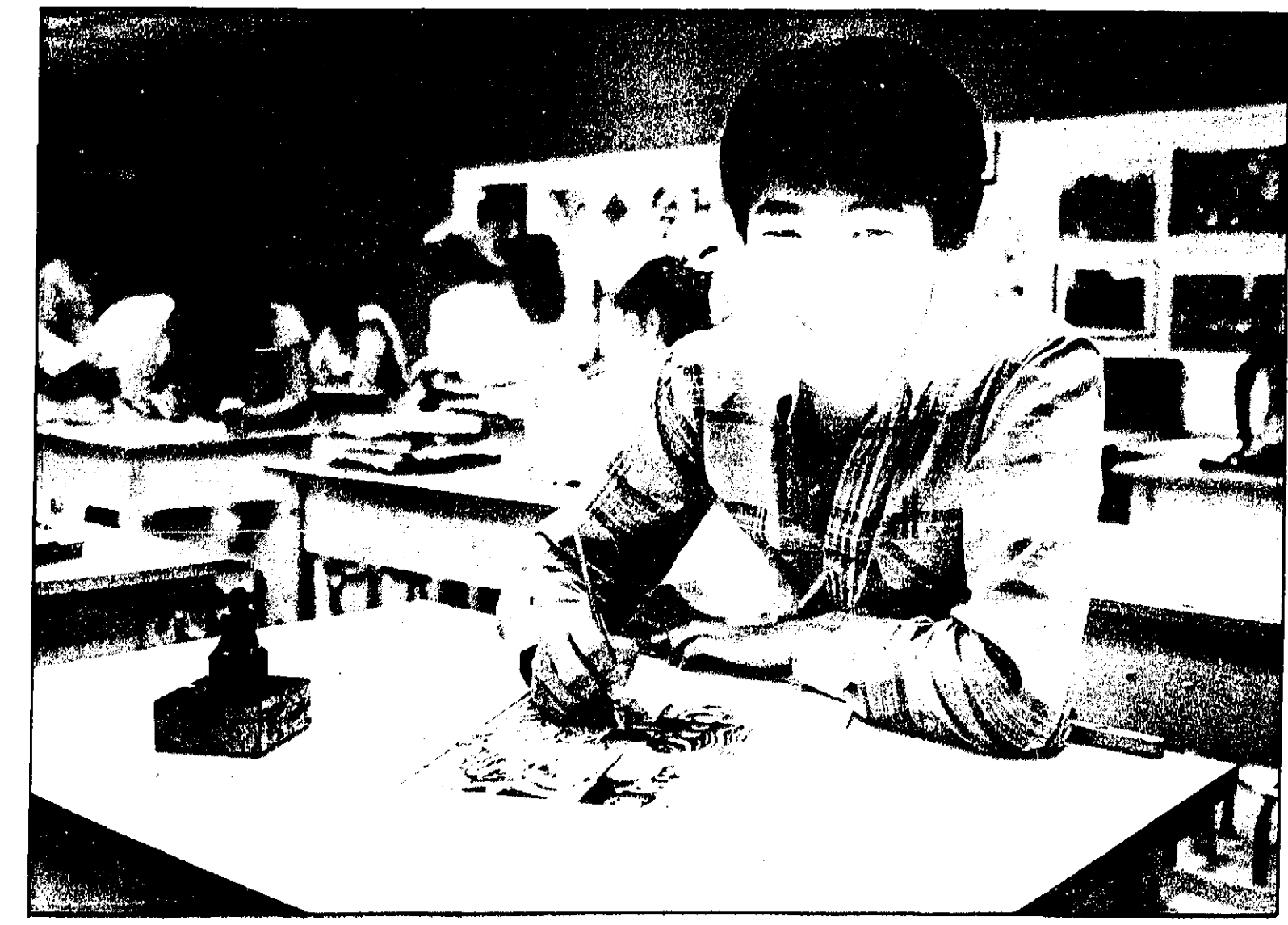
Participating in this year's event will be the Detroit Police Department's Mounted Patrol and the Windsor Police Department's Pipe Band. Also participating will be a SWAT Team from the Livonia Police Department and the Oakland County Sheriff Department's Marine Patrol and K-9 Corps.

**SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET WORKSHOPS:** With budget time fast approaching in Novi, those interested in attending any of the sessions may want to get their calendars out. The Novi Board of Education will address the district's 1986-87 budget in four sessions.

The preliminary budget is expected to be discussed at the board's regular meeting May 15. A special board meeting for budget discussion is scheduled May 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the Administrative Services Building. A budget hearing will be held at the regular board meeting June 5. Final budget adoption is scheduled at the board's regular meeting June 19.

**NOVI'S MEMORIAL DAY PARADE** has been set for 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Monday, May 20. The proposed route will start at Mohawk Drive near Novi Road and 136 and continue south to Ten Mile, then west to Novi City Hall. Planners of the parade this year are anticipating greater participation than in previous years.

**ROUGE CLEANUP DAY** is tentatively set for June 7. The day-long volunteer project will be followed by a celebration party this year.



Novi News/PHILIP JEROME

## Talented student

He's only a Novi High School freshman, but Seung-Won Hwang has already started winning awards for his artistic abilities. Hwang earned

honorable mention recognition in the 1986 National Scholastic Art Competition for his pen-and-ink architectural detail drawing.

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**CITY OF NOVI NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, May 7, 1986 at 7:30 P.M. EDT in the Novi Public Library, 45245 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI regarding Proposed Map Amendments No. 18, 425 initiated by Joseph F. Kosik, Jr., who proposes to rezone property located at 8 Mile & One Family Residential District.

**ZONING MAP AMENDMENT No. 425 Ordinance No. 18, 425**

To rezone a part of the W 1/2 of Section 35, T.1N., R.8E., City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the south line of Section 35 (nominal centerline of Eight Mile Road) said point being S88°26'29" W 826.74' feet along said south line from the S 1/4 corner of Section 35; thence continuing S86°56'29" W 188.76' feet along said south line; thence N02°50'34" W 91.04' feet; thence along the arc of a curve to the right 553.02 feet said curve having a radius of 1082.92 feet, central angle of 29°42'23" and a chord bearing and distance of N64°17'52" W 556.73' feet; thence N49°20'41" W 256.69' feet; thence along the arc of a curve to the left 387.09 feet said curve having a radius of 1225.92 feet, central angle of 18°23'29" and a chord bearing and distance of N58°38'28" W 585.43' feet; thence N30°51'00" W 141.38' feet; thence N78°29'36" W 557.62' feet; thence N02°48'41" W 831.81' feet to the southeasterly R. O. W. Line of the C & O Railroad; thence along the arc to the right 457.70 feet said curve having a radius 2814.93 feet, central angle of 10°04'14" and a chord bearing and distance of N42°30'36" E 184.13' feet; thence N28°32'33" E 214.81' feet; thence S02°49'59" W 1312.87' feet along the N-S 1/2 line of Section 35; thence S02°49'59" W 830.46' feet; thence S02°49'59" W 1307.46' feet to the point of beginning. Containing 143.4 acres more or less.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM: Any parts of the above described land taken, deeded or used as a street, road or highway.

FROM: R-4 RESIDENTIAL AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT TO: R-4 ONE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT

All interested persons are invited to attend. Comments concerning the request will be heard at the public hearing or written comments will be received in the Dept. of Community Development, 45225 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI 48050 until 5:00 P.M., Wednesday, May 7, 1986.

(4-30-86 NR/NN) City of Novi Planning Commission  
Judith Johnson, Secretary  
Karen Tindale, Planning Clerk

**FANNON**

**Brian W. Fannon would appreciate your vote for the Novi School Board on June, 9, 1986.**

Paid for by Committee to elect Brian W. Fannon

**CITY OF NOVI - NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, May 7, 1986 at 8:00 EDT or as soon thereafter as the same may be reached, in the Novi Public Library, 45245 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI regarding American Self Storage, Haggerty Rd., N. of Grand River, a use permitted in an L-1 Light Industrial District under special conditions.

All interested persons are invited to attend. Comments concerning the request will be heard at the public hearing or written comments may be received in the Planning Dept., 45225 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI 48050 until 5:00 P.M., Wednesday, May 7, 1986.

**CITY OF NOVI PLANNING COMMISSION**  
JUDITH JOHNSON SECRETARY  
KAREN TINDALE PLANNING CLERK

(4-30-86 NR, NN)

**LOCATION MAP**

**CITY OF NOVI - NOTICE REQUEST FOR BIDS - SALE OF USED VEHICLES**

The City of Novi will sell four (4) automobiles by sealed bid. Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M., prevailing eastern time, Wednesday, May 14, 1986 at the Office of the City Clerk, 45225 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan 48050.

- 1 - 1979 Green Volvo, VIN no. HL4CAF152532
- 1 - 1978 Red Volvo, VIN no. HL4CAF152533
- 1 - 1978 Blue Aspen, VIN no. N141GB152742
- 1 - 1978 Green Aspen, VIN no. N141GB152595

These vehicles are being sold as is. Vehicles may be inspected at the City of Novi DPW Facility, 26300 Delwall, Novi, Michigan 48050.

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# Town Center

## A New Manual Sets Out The Details

By BRUCE J. MARTIN  
staff writer

It's not likely to storm the bestseller lists, but the Guidebook for the Town Center should be ready for publication this week. Only one question remains: Will the guidebook be filed under fiction or non-fiction?

The answer may not be available for a few years.

The Guidebook for the Town Center uses 62 pages of text and sketches to describe how the city wants the Town Center to look and behave. All new businesses in the Town Center District centering at Novi Road and Grand River will have to live by the guidelines contained in the document, and officials

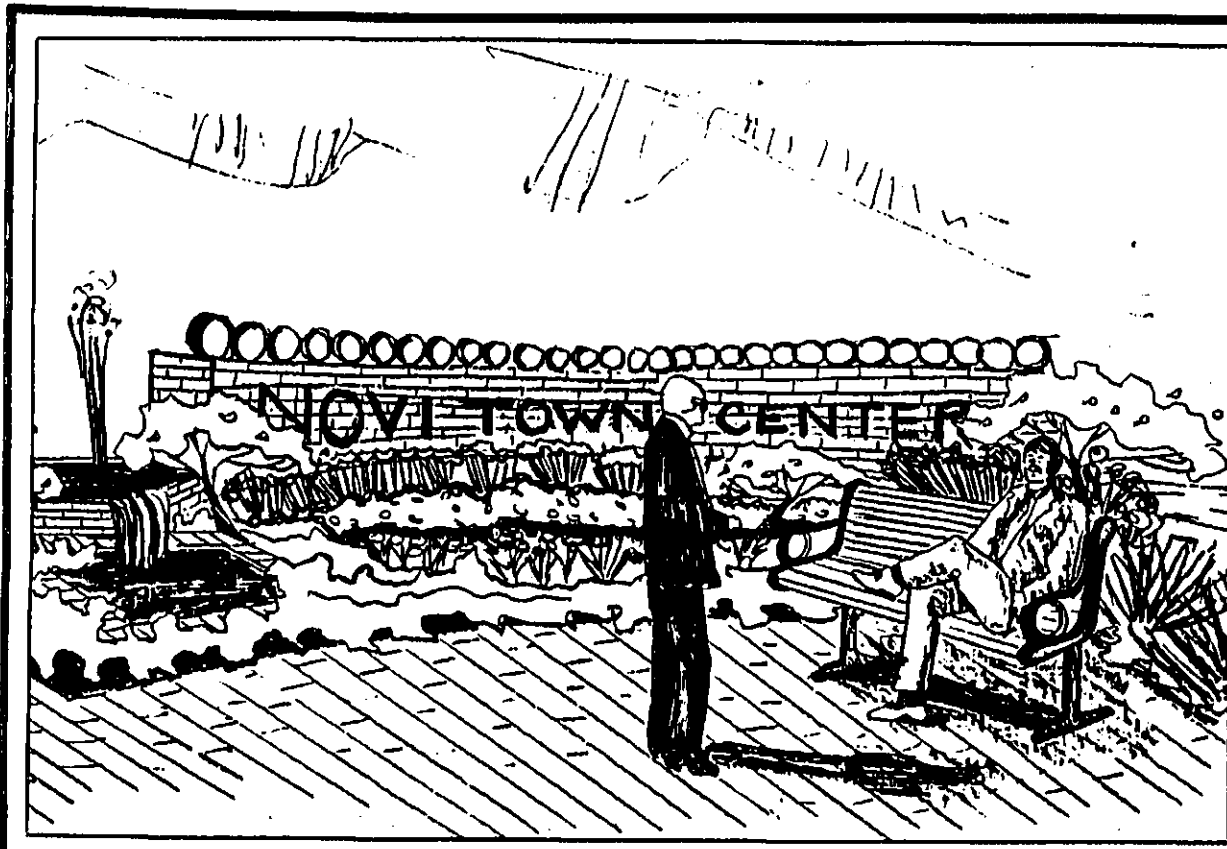
plan to encourage existing businesses to adapt to it as well. For some businesses, adapting will mean moving out. Preliminary sketches show a community park where Leo Harrwood's Amoco gas station now stands, and an "information center" on the present site of Bates Hamburgers.

The overriding concern is to create a "downtown effect," described in the guidebook as connoting "hustle and bustle, a variety of activities, intimate, small or close spatial experiences, a wealth of details and a unique treatment of the physical elements that make up the area."

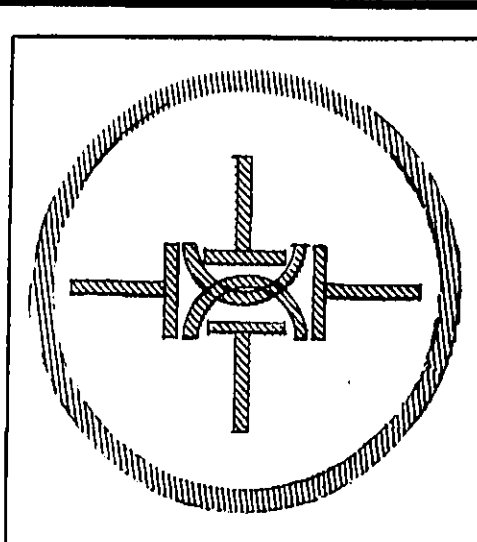
Council members and planning commissioners received the guide enthusiastically at a special presentation meeting last week.



**A La Node**  
"Activity nodes" along sidewalks are intended to encourage pedestrian traffic and to provide areas for informal congregating. The drinking fountain and mahogany-and-cast-iron bench illustrated here are proposed for a "traditional" theme in the Town Center's southwest quadrant.

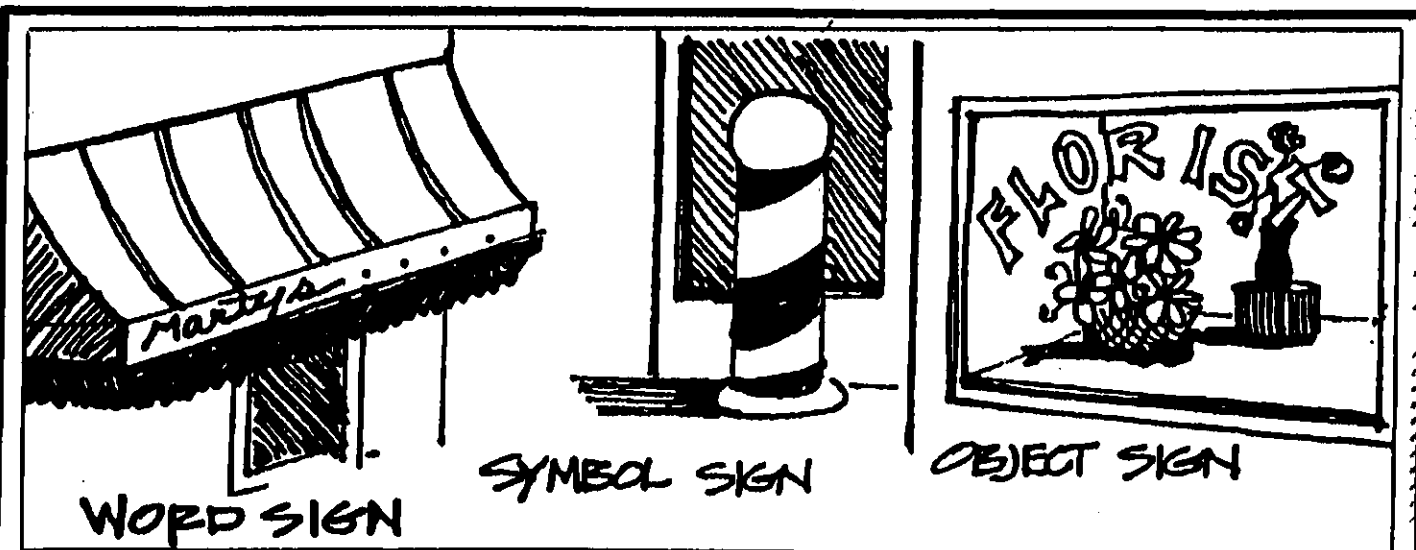
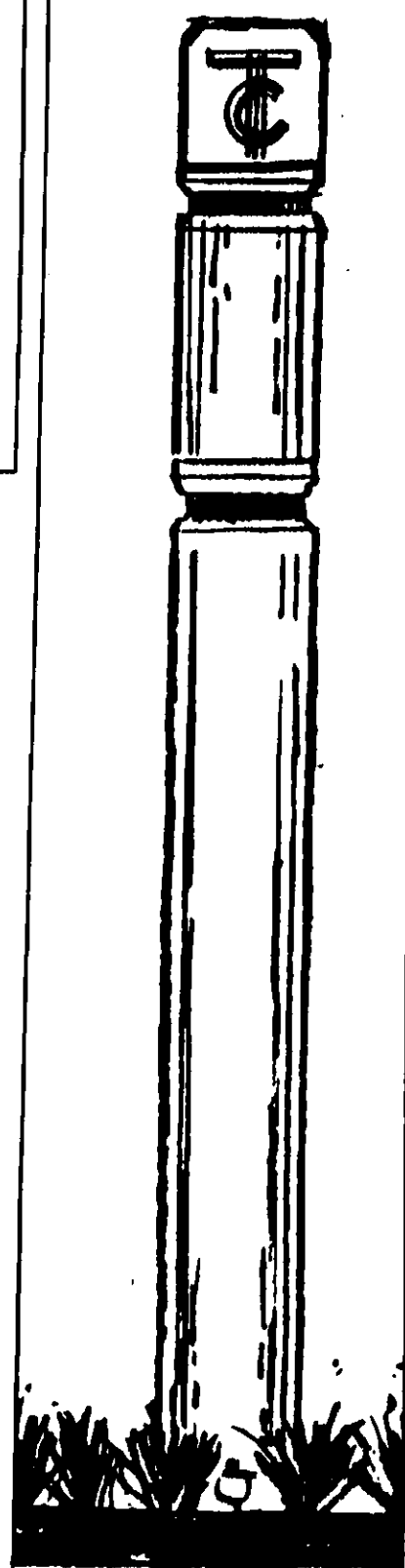


**Entry**  
Entries to the Trammell Crow development in the northeast quadrant will be marked by the low, wide brick marker at left and at the entrance to the planned community park on the northeast corner of Novi Road and Grand River, by the iron archway illustrated at right.

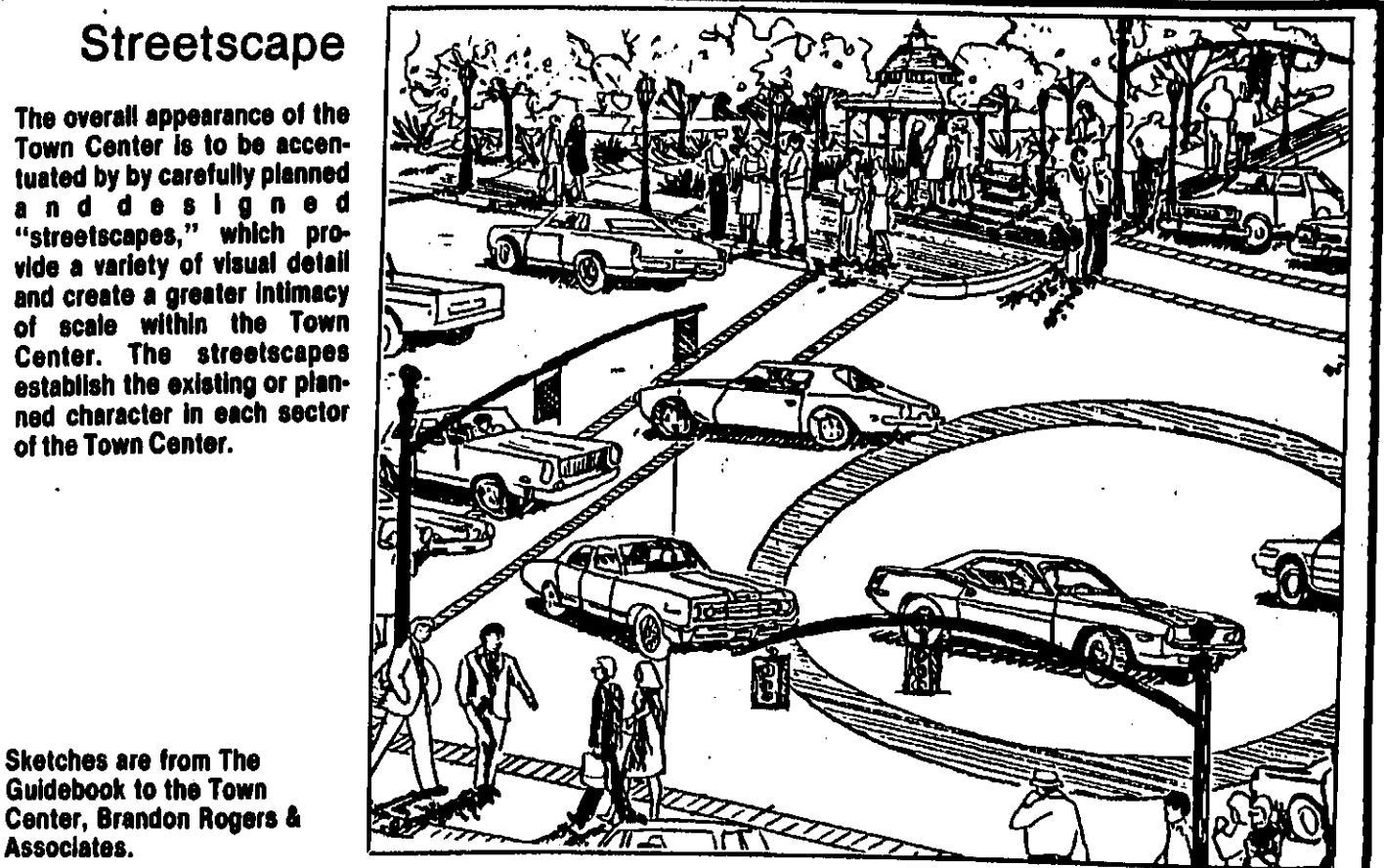


### No Secret Identity

The Town Center logo (above) will be a repeated visual theme in various places throughout the four corners, with circular motifs spinning off the main logo. Brick paving accents in the streets of the Town Center area will repeat this theme, and the logo itself will be inlaid in brick at the intersection of Novi Road and Grand River. The Town Center's identity will be further established by a tower-obelisk-carillon (right) unique to the center itself. A backlit Town Center logo will appear at the top.



**Signing Up**  
Three types of signs Town Center guidelines will promote are distinctively lettered signs directly on the building facade or canopy; symbol signs in which no words at all are used to express the content of the business; and object signs, which designate the type of product sold and may be used in conjunction with word signs.



Sketches are from The Guidebook to the Town Center, Brandon Rogers & Associates.

## Cable Listings

The Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission has announced next week's programming schedule on Channel 12, the community access branch of the MetroVision System serving Novi, Farmington and Farmington Hills.

**MONDAY, MAY 5**  
Noon - Lifestyle  
12:30 p.m. - Festival of Community Bands (Novi)  
1 p.m. - Serendipity  
1:45 p.m. - Jazzin' Around  
2 p.m. - Musical Madness: "4 and More"  
6 p.m. - Lifestyle  
6:30 p.m. - Festival of Community Bands (Novi)  
7 p.m. - Serendipity  
7:45 p.m. - Jazzin' Around  
8 p.m. - Musical Madness: "4 and More"

**TUESDAY, MAY 6**  
Noon - Edgar Cayce's Remedies and Cures  
1 p.m. - Novi Middle School South: Book review  
1:30 p.m. - Artist in Residence  
2:10 p.m. - Insight  
2:40 p.m. - Community Upbeat  
3:10 p.m. - Community Upbeat  
3:40 p.m. - Founders Festival 1985  
6 p.m. - Edgar Cayce's Remedies and Cures  
7 p.m. - Novi Middle School South: Book review  
7:30 p.m. - Artist in Residence  
8:10 p.m. - Insight  
8:40 p.m. - Community Upbeat  
9:10 p.m. - Duel of Knowledge  
9:40 p.m. - Founders Festival 1985

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 7**  
Noon - Serendipity  
12:30 p.m. - Emergency Community Workshop  
1:10 p.m. - Local Youth Fitness  
1:30 p.m. - 1986 State of the Cities Address: Governor Blanchard  
3 p.m. - Underground Railroad  
6 p.m. - Serendipity  
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**THURSDAY, MAY 8**  
Noon - Perceptions  
12:30 p.m. - Madonna Magazine  
1 p.m. - Walk Michigan: Governor Blanchard  
1:30 p.m. - Viewpoint  
2 p.m. - Insight  
2:30 p.m. - Community Upbeat  
3 p.m. - AIM: Agtlog  
3:30 p.m. - Art in Review  
4 p.m. - Oakland County Connection  
6 p.m. - Perceptions  
6:30 p.m. - Madonna Magazine  
7 p.m. - Walk Michigan: Governor Blanchard

## Walled Lake mayor dies at 69

WALLED LAKE — Gaspare La Marca, the longest-serving mayor in the history of the City of Walled Lake, died Saturday, April 26, at Huron Valley Hospital in Commerce Township.

Mr. La Marca's unexpected death brings to an end a career of public service that began when he was appointed to the Walled Lake Plan Commission in 1973.

He was first elected to the city council in 1973, where he served until he ran successfully for the office of mayor in 1977. Mr. La Marca was re-elected to a second four-year term as mayor in 1981 and had won a third consecutive four-year term in the 1985 election.

The son of Antonio and Nina (Vivinetto) La Marca, he was born February 12, 1917, in Brooklyn, New York, and was 69 at the time of his death.

A funeral service will be held today (Wednesday, April 30) at 11 a.m. at Lynch and Sons Funeral Home (Richardson-Bird Chapel) in Walled Lake. Officiating will be Pastor Wendell Baglow of the First Baptist Church of Walled Lake.

Mr. La Marca is survived by his wife, Jean (Thomas), and four children: Anthony of East Detroit, Janine Mathis of Rochester Hills, Irene Ferguson of Clawson and Nina La Marca of Walled Lake. Also surviving are a sister, Kathleen Lollo; and three brothers, Charles, Frank and Giuseppe, all of Brooklyn, New York. Seven grandchildren also survive.

The family asks that memorials be sent in lieu of flowers to the Gaspare La Marca Memorial Fire Hall Fund or Walled Lake REACT.

Cause of death was a massive coronary attack.

According to Walled Lake City Manager Michael Dornan, La Marca had just finished mowing his lawn Saturday and was putting the mower away when he keeled over from the heart attack. He had no prior history of heart trouble and was believed to be in good physical condition.

"We had been working hard on city matters over the past two months," reported Dornan. "We had made trips to Lansing and Washington, D.C. to meet with state and federal officials on plans to extend Maple

Road."

Dornan called La Marca one of "the most sincere public officials I ever had the opportunity to work with."

"His integrity was impeccable," he added. "He was a builder and a producer."

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**CITY OF NOVI NOTICE OF ENACTMENT**  
**ORDINANCE 86-124**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council has adopted Ordinance 86-124, An Ordinance to provide minimum standards for the design and construction of water main systems, storm sewer systems, storm water holding facilities, grading and surface drainage, sanitary sewer systems, streets or roadways, parking lots and driveway pavements, driveways, pedestrian/bicycle pathways and sidewalks on lands located within the City of Novi; to provide minimum standards for environmental protection; to provide for inspection to ensure satisfactory compliance with the standards established in this ordinance, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

The provisions of this ordinance become effective fifteen (15) days after adoption. The Ordinance was adopted on April 21, 1986, and the effective date is May 6, 1986. A complete copy of the Ordinance and those technical specifications referenced within the Ordinance are available for public use an inspection at the office of the City Clerk.

GERALDINE STIPP  
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## Program aids stranded drivers

DETROIT — Tow trucks will come to the aid of motorists whose cars or trucks break down or run out of gas on the John Lodge Freeway (US-10) this summer.

The free service will be provided by the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) and the contractor during construction work on the freeway.

The service is designed to keep traffic moving as smoothly as possible while the outside lanes are closed for widening the shoulders and construction of safety walls on the outside edge of the shoulders.

During the 1986 construction season, all three lanes of the southbound freeway will be open during the morning rush hours (6-9 a.m.) and all three lanes of the northbound freeway will be open during the evening rush hour (4-7 p.m.).

The freeway also will be fully open for special events such as the Grand Prix auto race in downtown Detroit.

The freeway will be fully closed — one direction at a time — from spring to fall 1987 for replacement of the pavement.

A tow truck owned by B&T Tow Service will patrol the northbound freeway 24 hours a day, seven days a week, during construction on the northbound stretch of the freeway running from I-75 north to Wyoming Avenue. Another truck will patrol the southbound freeway when work

starts on that side of the freeway May 19.

The state's contract with Midwest Bridge Co. of Williamston also requires the company to have additional trucks on stand-by at all times in addition to having a heavy-duty wrecker available in case of truck breakdowns.

"The tow trucks will be on constant patrol so motorists are urged to stay in their cars if they have a breakdown or run out of gas," said Paul J. Garceau, construction engineer for MDOT's Metro District. Unoccupied vehicles will not have the customary 48 hours before they are towed away. Such vehicles will be towed immediately because of

## Novi Chamber

**GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATES:** All five Republican candidates for governor will participate in a debate sponsored by the Novi Business PAC at the Novi Hilton on Monday, May 12, at 8 a.m.

The debate will feature Dick Chrysler, Bill Lucas, Dan Murphy, John Laue and Colleen Engler.

There is limited seating for the debate/breakfast so make reservations early. Breakfast will be served at 8 a.m. and the debate will begin at 9 a.m. The cost is \$20 per person; checks may be made payable to the Novi Business PAC. (Corporate checks will not be accepted). For reservations call Chamber offices at 349-3743.

**BUSINESS DIRECTORY:** The Novi Chamber of Commerce will publish a newly-designed Business Directory highlighting Chamber members in mid-1986. Instead of an alphabetical listing, the directory will be categorized by type of business.

Advertising space is available to all interested businesses. A 10 percent discount will be offered to advertisers for early-paid reservation of their space by May 1. Anyone with questions about the 1986 Novi Chamber Business Directory may call the Chamber office at 349-3743.

## Inn proposed in downtown Northville

NORTHVILLE — Construction of a 32-room bed-and-breakfast hotel at the southwest corner of Main and Griswold streets in Northville has been proposed by Gregory H. Presley and John A. Schuman, owners of the Oldenburgh Building on North Center in downtown Northville.

The facility would be constructed on land purchased from the city for \$120,000, according to a proposal to be reviewed by city council May 5.

The partners' bid was the only one received for the property by last Thursday's deadline, city manager Steven Walters told council Monday night. The property had been advertised for several weeks.

City conditions for the sale required a private sale and review of potential tax base expansion.

Council members were given a 20-page proposal Monday night for review prior to next week's meeting. It includes terms of sale that call for EDC financing, final site approval, a 10-year tax abatement, and a 50-space parking requirement variance.

The proposal also calls for a \$12,000 deposit to be forfeited if the sale is not closed within 120 days of signing the agreement.

Construction costs are projected at \$1.25 million to \$1.45 million (including land) with completion

**BEAUTIFICATION AWARDS:** The Novi Chamber is now accepting nominations for its annual Beautification Awards. Chairperson of the Awards Committee is Rose Crain.

Nominations for the awards should be mailed to Novi Chamber of Commerce Awards, Post Office Box 187, Novi, Michigan 48060.

**WHAT IS THE ICDC?** The ICDC (Industrial/Commercial Development Committee) is a committee formed by the Novi Chamber to act as liaison between the business community and city government, exploring available options, addressing individual problems and obtaining relevant information for individual needs.

The ICDC is chaired by J.W. Irwin, assisted by Lisa Foote and Rose Crain. They contribute their experience to help local business persons resolve their problems with city government. For more information contact any committee member.

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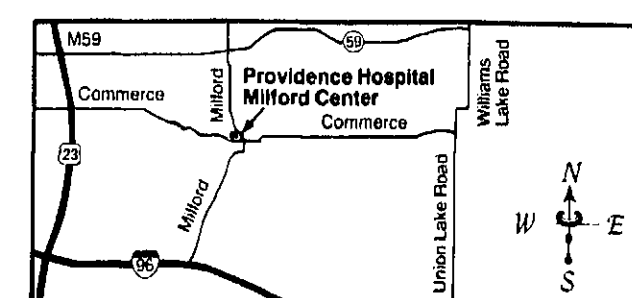
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Trip-winner Lisa Ford (center) with chauffeur Fred Timmons and Susan Watson of Flowers by Jackson

## New Hudson woman wins Secretaries Week contest

Lisa Ford, a secretary at Diversitec in New Hudson, won the grand prize of a round-trip ticket to any destination served by Piedmont Airlines in a special Secretaries Week promotion.

The promotion was co-sponsored by Flowers by Jackson, the Novi Hilton and Piedmont Airlines.

Ford, who resides with her husband in Wyandotte, also will receive limousine service to and from Detroit Metro Airport via Rodeo Limousine Service of Farmington Hills as well as a monthly bouquet of flowers from Flowers by Jackson.

In addition to the grand prize winner, there were two daily winners in the Secretaries Day promotion. Daily winners received either an arrangement of flowers or a Piedmont Airlines flight bag.

Monday's winners were Beverly Abbot, secretary to E. Smith of Durr Industries in Plymouth, and Patty Kennedy, secretary to Ed Townsend of N.I. Industries of Northville.

Tuesday's winners were Sheila Ramano, secretary to T. Thebert of First Investors Corporation in Southfield, and Lynn Sunstrom, secretary to Gary Barger of Burroughs Corp. in Detroit.

Wednesday's winners were Lois Kent, secretary to Susan Donaldson of Metro Landscapes, Inc. of Union Lake, and Gail Bennett, secretary to Bob Hitchens of Signetics Corp. in Farmington Hills.

The winners on Thursday were Peggy Paechella, secretary to Tim Chinn of Jervis B. Webb Co. of Farmington Hills, and Pat Moore, secretary to Dr. Mark Bowers of Bowers Chiropractic Center in Milford.

## Youth guidance films set

"Preparing for Adolescence," a film series produced by noted Christian psychologist Dr. James Dobson, will be presented at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Novi.

The entire community is invited to view the films which will be shown at the church on the corner of Nine Mile

and Meadowbrook Road. For more information call 349-0565.

The first part of the series will be held tonight (Wednesday, April 30) at 7 p.m. The presentation will deal with the origins of self-doubt.

The series will conclude next Wednesday (May 7) at 7 p.m. with a film on peer pressure and sexuality.

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# Campaign group expands

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While giving a vote to city residents, the group also strengthens Covert's clout in arguing her points of view on political issues. She explains, "It gives me a chance to say, this is what the residents are telling me."

"I'm going out there asking them, 'What do you like?' 'What could be improved?' If I didn't have this opportunity to interact with the people, I probably would not vote the way I do on some issues."

She cites feedback from citizens as a reason she changed her support for office zoning (according to the Master Plan) of property east of Orchard Ridge subdivision — although she ended up on the losing end of a recent 5-2 vote to rezon.

"My initial view was that office would provide a good transitional zone there," she explains. "I could see why planners at one time designated that land for offices. But after hearing the residents' concerns, I checked and found out that two or three years ago, council did not rezon parts of the corridor north of Ten Mile for offices as in the Master Plan. And I thought about these homeowners along Novi Road saying 'Don't isolate us.'"

"The bottom line is that the homeowners did their homework and I could listen and represent their view. I slept well that night."

Covert says she would like to step

### Covert: (Neighborhoods For Novi) is not a political action committee. It would be if it had remained Citizens for Covert. But now it's focused more on growth and development.

down as the group's chairperson and fully expects to do so in the next few months. She expects to remain its chief contact on the council and to remain the group's active support for her political stances and candidacy in future elections. But she does not rule out the group's willingness to work for other officials on occasion.

"They have more confidence in me than the other council members," she says. "I don't think they sense the interest in their concerns from the other officials."

"They're not there to be a clearinghouse for information, but I'm sure they'd be very honored to do

some work even if it doesn't come from me."

A side-effect of Neighborhoods For Novi may be some new faces on various city commissions, committees and boards — and subsequently, more conservative representation on those governmental bodies.

"I'm hoping many of the members will step forward and volunteer for committees and boards, and start attending meetings to get their information instead of hearing about things from me or someone else, or the newspaper," says Covert. "When you're there at the meeting you get a very different sense of what's actually happening."



Novi News/JERRY ZOLYNKY

# Whitehall asks help

Whitehall Convalescent Home on Ten Mile is seeking individuals who wish to serve as volunteers.

Activity Director Sue Hoetger noted that the role of the nursing home has changed dramatically in the past few years. "As a result of both study and practical experience, we have found that a continuous exchange between health care facilities and the community is very important to the total health and well-being of nursing home residents," she said. "Only through volunteers can we offer a true home situation."

Hoetger noted that many nursing home residents have outlived their families and friends, or, are separated from families and friends by hundreds, sometimes thousands, of miles.

Anyone who has a few hours each day, week or month and is interested in people is eligible to be a volunteer. "Most residents enjoy visitors who like to chat, play a friendly game of cards or watch television," said Hoetger. "Volunteers with special hobbies or skills in gardening, crafts, woodworking music or sewing can share their experiences and talents with nursing home residents."

Anyone interested in more information about volunteer work at the Whitehall Convalescent Home on Ten Mile is asked to call Hoetger at 340-2200 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

# Stylish event

Novi's Betty Forth models separates from Dancer's Fashions during the annual spring fashion show and tea sponsored by the Novi Senior Citizens Fitness Club. The event also featured demonstrations on cosmetics and use of accessories as well as door prizes donated by Novi merchants.

# Nearby

### "MARY, MARY."

 Jean Kerr's romantic comedy will open Novi's Stage One Production's new theater location, Novi Middle School North. Directed by Chuck Gale, the cast of the three-act will include Novi's John Hall. The show opens Friday, May 9 and continues on Saturday, May 10, and May 15-17. All shows begin at 8 p.m. Tickets are available at the door for \$4 apiece.

### "MUSIC — FOR MANKIND'S IMPORTANT MOMENTS"

 is the theme of the 63rd annual observance of National Music Week. Novi's Twelve Oaks Mall will join with the Farmington Musicals in presenting a series of concerts in the mall's central court at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, May 5-9; at 1 p.m. Sunday, May 4, and at 2 and 7 p.m. Saturday, May 10. The Musicals, celebrating its 20th Anniversary, has assembled musical performers from a woodwind quintet to elementary school choirs. A complete schedule is listed in this week's issue of The Novi News.

### CHARLES IVES'

 rarely-performed Symphony No. 2 will be performed by the Scandinavian Symphony Orchestra conducted by Michigan Lyric Opera Musical Director Douglas Morrison at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 3, in the Southfield High School auditorium at Ten Mile and Lanier Road. Also on the program are Wagner's "Entry of the Guests" from "Tannhauser," Handel's Concerto Grosso Opus 6, No. 1 and Sibelius' "Finlandia." A short flag ceremony after the conference is planned. Tickets are \$5 and available at the door. For more information, phone 555-1330.

### THE 3RD ANNUAL MAY DAY ANTIQUES FESTIVAL

 will be sponsored by the Chesaning Boulevard Association this Saturday and Sunday, May 3-4, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. both days. The festival will be held on the lawns of the Olde Home Shoppes on Boulevard and Market Street Square. Featured will be quality antique dealers, old-time entertainment and a wide variety of foods. For more information call 517-845-1396.

### THE AMERICAN ARTISTS SERIES

 Chamber Players will present music for flute, piano and strings at the Cranbrook-Kingswood Auditorium this Sunday, May 4, at 7 p.m. The auditorium is located on the Cranbrook campus at 500 Lone Pine Road in Bloomfield Hills. Performing artists will include pianist Joann Freeman and, from the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, Ronald Fischer, violin; Hart Hollman, viola; Ervin Monroe, flute; Linda Snedden Smith, violin; and John Thurman, cello. Tickets priced at \$9.50 for adults and \$4.75 for students will be available at the door.

### ACTORS ALLIANCE THEATRE COMPANY

 in Southfield is presenting "End of the World" on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through May 25. The Arthur Kopit comedy delves into a strange and sometimes very real world where "war gamers" probe plots of strategy and a playwright turned detective searches for answers and only gets lost in the madcap process. Performances are slated Fridays at 8:30 p.m. (\$9 admission), Saturdays at 5:30 (\$8) and 9 p.m. (\$10), and Sundays at 6:30 p.m. (\$8). For more information or ticket reservations call 642-1236.

### THE GREAT CHILI COOK-OFF

 and Hot Air Balloon Festival will be held at the Saine Farm Country Grounds this Saturday and Sunday, May 3-4. The grounds are located south of Ann Arbor. Take I-94 to Exit 175 and follow the signs.

In addition to 120 chili chefs competing for prizes, the event will include hot air balloon races, entertainment, games, horse shows and supervisory wrestling. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for children under 12.

### SHEEP-SHEARING AND SPINNING DEMONSTRATIONS

 will be offered at the "living farm" in Maybury State Park in Northville on the second two weekends in May. The demonstrations are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, May 10-11 and May 17-18. The events will run all four days from 1:30 p.m., according to Park Manager Gary Fisher.

Maybury State Park is located on Eight Mile between Beck and Napier roads in Northville. The demonstrations are free, but Motor Vehicle Entry Permits are required for all vehicles to be admitted to the park.



Novi News/PHILIP JEROME

# Bend and stretch

When the assortment of runners gathered for the Providence/Novi Run last Sunday began their warm-up yoga exercises, they were joined by three-year-old Danielle Charbonneau of Plymouth. Danielle got into the swing of things, bending and stretching with the best of

them. Alas, although both her parents ran in the 5k and 10k events, Danielle was relegated to the sidelines... still a bit young to try the long-distance events.

# Northville student numbers up

By MICHELE M. FECHT staff writer

NORTHVILLE — For the first time in more than a decade, the Northville Public Schools system is experiencing an enrollment increase in its K-12 program.

Since September 27 (4th Friday), some 88 additional students have enrolled in the district, according to assistant superintendent Burton Knighton.

"We have seen growth in the last two years, but not anything like this," Knighton noted.

The assistant superintendent told the board of education at its meeting Monday that the enrollment increase is primarily a result of new home construction in the district.

Enrollment has jumped from 3,228 students on September 27 to its current

3,316. The administration is predicting that next September's enrollment will be approximately 3,368 students. Knighton noted the enrollment projection is based on new housing developments in the district, building principals' projections for their individual schools and the Stanford projections from Michigan State University.

Knighton noted that, while it is difficult to estimate how many new homes will be completed by September and through the 1986-87 school year, the administration is projecting the district will see its first enrollment growth since the district's peak years more than a decade ago.

As a result of the enrollment projections for the next school year, the administration requested Monday that the board approve a recommen-

dation to lay-off only first-year teachers. Noting that secondary students currently are preparing to make their course selections for September, Knighton said the administration does not have all the data necessary to provide tentative teaching schedules and staff assignments for 1986-87.

The assistant superintendent said the recommended layoffs should provide places for teachers returning from leave as well as enable the district to initiate staffing shifts within and between buildings that may be necessary due to enrollment distribution. He said shifting classes may be necessary at the elementary level due to anticipated growth at Amerman and Winchester.

Knighton told the board that once secondary class selections are made

and enrollment projections are made, the administration anticipates it will be able to recall most — if not all — of the 10 teachers recommended for layoff. Knighton said those teachers receiving pink slips will know by mid-June whether they will be recalled for the new school year.

"This is an action we never enjoy proposing to you," School Superintendent George Bell said of the recommended layoffs. "However, the odds are very high that all these people will be called back. It is our intent to advise them of their status as soon as possible."

The administration further noted that not only are chances good that all teachers facing layoff will be recalled, but also reported there is a possibility additional teachers may be needed next year to accommodate the enrollment growth.

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Sealed bids will be received by the City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan at the Office of the City Clerk, 45225 W. Ten Mile Road until 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, May 19, 1986, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read. Specifications, proposals forms, and plans are available at the Office of the City Clerk.

Proposals must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the City. Each proposal shall be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bid Bond by a recognized surety company equal to five percent (5%) of the total price of the bid, payable to the City of Novi as surety for acceptance of the contract.

All proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and clearly marked, "TRAFFIC SIGNAL BID," and must bear the name of the bidder.

The work consists of furnishing and installing a traffic signal and all specified appurtenances.

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of the same, to waive any irregularities, and to make the award in a manner that is in the best interest of the City of Novi.

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**Life Cycles**

The Life Cycles program for May will be Monday, May 5, 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the Walled Lake address. Diane M. O'Connor, M.A., will be discussing "Finding a Purpose: Helping Myself by Helping Others." There is no charge and all are welcome.

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**CITY OF NOVI — NOTICE CORRECTED NOTICE OF ENACTMENT ORDINANCE 86-23.08**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council has adopted Ordinance 86-23.08, an Ordinance to Add Section 4.02 to Ordinance No. 78-23.02, as amended, the City of Novi Offenses Ordinance, to Prohibit the use or possession of Marijuana within the City of Novi.

The provisions of this Ordinance become effective fifteen (15) days after adoption. The Ordinance was adopted on April 21, 1986, and the effective date is May 6, 1986.

A copy of the Ordinance is available for public use and inspection at the office of the City Clerk. GERALD DINE STIPP CITY CLERK

(4-30-86 NR, NN)

**CITY OF NOVI NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, May 21, 1986 at 7:30 P.M. EDT in the Novi Public Library, 45245 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI regarding a rezoning request initiated by William Lee Walker, Jr. for property located North of Grand River, East of Taft, abutting C & O Railroad, S. of 198 (22-15-328-007, 008) 18.761 acres from I-1 Light Industrial to I-2 General Industrial District.

**Ordinance No. 18.426 ZONING MAP AMENDMENT No. 426**

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## As We See It

### Candidates should address the issues

Few would argue that Novi's most recent school board races can best be described as subdued. The absence of challengers and controversial issues has given voters little reason to turn out at the polls. Voter indifference was most apparent last year when unopposed incumbents Sharon Peichat and Joan Daley were re-elected to four-year seats by fewer than one percent of Novi's registered voters.

We will be surprised if this year's election does not generate more voter interest than previous years'. The slate of eight candidates vying for three seats makes it one of the most contested school board races in the past decade. We suspect the large field of candidates has more to do with the variance of the three open posts than with dissatisfaction in the current board. The post currently held by Robert Schram is the only full four-year term open on the board. The remaining two seats are for one-year and two-year terms — decidedly more appealing to residents who cannot make the long-term commitment but are looking to serve their community.

The list of candidates in this year's race is impressive. In addition to the three incumbents, the five first-time candidates have considerable experience in school and civic endeavors. If credentials were the only criteria, one would be hard-pressed to select the best three contenders. With this being the case, what is likely to decide this election is issues.

If the past 12 months are any indication, Novi Community Schools will face considerable challenges in the years ahead. As we see it, there are several issues which candidates for the school board will need to address before voters go to the polls June 9.

Without a doubt the biggest issue currently facing the district is enrollment growth. It's been more than a year since the board convened a citizens' committee to study Novi's enrollment potential and the ability to house the district's growing student population. Since the formation of that committee, the board has redrawn the district's boundaries to accommodate its swelling elementary enrollment in the Novi Woods area and is giving serious consideration to the district's increasing need for a new elementary school within the next few years.

Should enrollment continue to climb at its present pace, (about 100 new students per year), the district likely will be faced with financing the building of a new school. Those elected to the board in June not only will be deciding how that building will be financed but what type of facility will be needed to meet the educational needs of students in the next century.

Changing curriculum and how to meet the programming challenges ahead will move to the forefront of the priority list as the district edges toward the 21st century. As incredible as it may seem, Novi High School's Class of 2000 will be attending kindergarten in 1987. Programming concerns likely to face the board within the coming years run the gamut from all-day kindergarten and public preschool to computer literacy and combined high school/college credit for secondary students.

Last but not least on our agenda of issues to be addressed in this election is the district's goals and objectives. While the school board sets goals for the superintendent, the closed evaluation process of the district's top official keeps such information out of the public domain. Therefore, we hope to hear from all candidates — including incumbents — about what direction the district should be moving in to maintain the educational quality which has become a hallmark of Novi Community Schools.

## Letters welcome

The Novi News welcomes Letters to the Editor. We ask, however, that they be issue oriented, confined to 500 words and that they contain the signature, address and telephone number of the writer. Names will be withheld on request, but a brief explanation of why the request is being made should accompany the letter. Deadline for submission is 3:30 Monday p.m.. We reserve the right to edit letters for brevity, clarity and libel.

### Shameful abuse of funds



Michele M. Fecht

The next time you want to shake your fist at the local school board for spending your hard-earned tax dollars on new school buses, teacher salary increases or transportation to Stratford for the Shakespeare class, consider the recent action of the Detroit Board of Education.

Last week the Detroit school board posted a job notice for a chauffeur at a salary of more than \$20,000. The posting caused quite a stir — and considerable publicity — because the salary for the chauffeur job is approximately \$1,500 more than the starting salary for a teacher with a bachelor's degree.

While there is just cause to raise eyebrows over the salary discrepancy between chauffeurs and teachers, there is much more to this issue than numbers on a paycheck. The chauffeur the district intends to hire would make the seventh driver for the 11-member board. The six chauffeurs currently employed by the school district drive the elected officials and school administrators around the city in leased 1986 Oldsmobile Ninety-Eights which cost local taxpayers more than \$300 a month. These high-priced drivers also serve as gophers for Detroit school officials too busy to run their own errands.

Is this lunacy or what? The Detroit school system currently is facing a \$4-\$5 million deficit in this year's budget. In an attempt to alleviate some of system's budget woes, the officials tooling around their city in plush Oldsmobiles are considering freezing hiring and promotions, curtailing spending for books and instructional supplies and — get this one — halting staff travel.

At a time when weapons have replaced toebags, teaching methods have become stymied by insufficient instructional materials and violence in the classroom has made victims of teachers and students alike, the Detroit school board wants to hire another chauffeur for a luxury car that will shelter its members from the elements of a system they were elected to improve.

Officials have argued that these chauffeur-driven vehicles are necessary for conducting business throughout the district. Nothing has been said about the fact that Detroit has three times the number of chauffeurs for its school officials than other major cities such as Boston, Los Angeles and New York.

An education writer for nearly six years, it's inappreciable to me that such a flagrant abuse of taxpayer dollars can continue to exist without causing even a ripple among constituents. When I read last week of the board's plans to hire another chauffeur, I was reminded of a similar incident several years ago when a number of outgoing Detroit school board members attended a junket in a warm, tropic climate. The fact that they were concluding their terms seemed irrelevant to those flying off for fun in the sun. The fact that it cost taxpayers thousands of dollars also made little difference.

In Northville and Novi, two school systems which continue to rank among the best in the state, there are no plush cars, chauffeurs or tropical getaways for the seven citizens who choose to serve on the local school boards. In Novi, members are paid a mere \$10 per meeting. Northville is one of the few districts in Wayne County (and likely in the state) where its seven members receive no remuneration for serving their community.

It appears the Detroit school board would do well to emulate its suburban neighbors. By abandoning its fancy trappings, the school board may likely find little need to continue whittling away at programming to balance a deficit budget, requesting additional millage from taxpayers who can't afford it and cheating city school children out of the education they deserve.

### Images

By Jerry Zolynsky

Communication between the school board and its constituents is an issue brought up by several candidates in this election. While the flap over the district's letter to the community (opposing TIFA) warrants some discussion, we are curious to know what has brought about this concern. The board has conducted a minimum of four public hearings within the last two months alone regarding both redistricting (three hearings) and the disposition of monies from the sale of Old Novi Elementary. (Last week's hearing was attended by only one resident.) The formation of various citizens' committees also seems to indicate the board is looking for community input.



Phil Jerome

So where does the board fall short in its communication with the district? It appears to us that one of the areas where communication could be improved is between school and city officials. The ongoing TIFA battle appears to have created a schism between the school board and city council with both parties slinging mud on occasion. We hope candidates will address the issue and suggest possible solutions for mending the rift. Council members should also note that communication needs improving on both ends.

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### Bird seed works fine

She caught me peeking through the curtains at her neighbor's house again and demanded to know what I was doing.

"It's that rotten Andy," I replied. "He's out mowing his front lawn."

"What's wrong with that?" she asked.

"He's mowing it with a hand mower," I shot back, my voice filled with indignation. "That's what wrong with that."

"There's nothing wrong with his tractor. He just wants his front lawn to look really good, so he's using the hand mower instead of the tractor."

"Do you know what he told me two weeks ago? He called me over while he was working on his front yard and told me with a big grin on his face that this was the year he was going to put my lawn to shame. That he was really going to embarrass me this year."

"He even told me his father was a sod farmer. And that his dad was going to help him with the lawn."

"Talk is cheap. He told me the same thing last year, but frankly he was not a competitor. Even the neighbors remarked that his lawn was nothing compared to mine."

"But this year looks different. He's been working on his lawn every day this week, and now he has that darn hand mower out there. Looks like he could be trouble."

I glanced out the window again in time to see Andy finish mowing his lawn east and west, and start mowing it again — north and south.

"Oh, no, a crosshatch pattern," I groaned. "Like the groundskeepers at Tiger Stadium."

"So what are you going to do about it?" she asked, her voice filled with the very strong suggestion that I should start working on my lawn instead of watching Andy work on his.

"I do have a plan," I admitted. "I'm going to get some dandelion seed from the place we buy birdfeed and make a daring midnight sowing spree over that crosshatch pattern. Do you know any place that sells crabgrass seed?"

### 'Private funds for private uses' Letters

To the Editor:  
It is too bad that Mr. Abel is frustrated over the loss of the convention center, but I personally don't feel too bad about it.

Obviously, the Dallas outfit wanted a \$4 million handout for the job, but I'm sure someone deep in the heart of Texas there must be a bank willing to give them a hand.

Mr. Abel now wants "to stand back and see what the city and state can do" to rescue his project.

If he's so confident in the future of the area, why not put up his eight-story expansion right now? Granted, it would be his own money, but it seems like a novel idea.

Tim Kepler

### Slap inaccurate

To the Editor:  
The April 9 issue of your paper states in a remark about Southfield that there is "a decline in the quality of schools."

I would like to ask what your evidence is for this assertion? For if your reporter, Mr. Martin, had taken the time to investigate, he would have found the opposite to be true. He would have discovered that Southfield is still one of the premier school systems in Michigan no matter what standard you choose to judge it by.

For instance, Southfield is still exceptional in money expended per pupil. It still ranks high at all levels on the MEAP tests. It still sends 75 percent of its pupils on to higher education. Since 1982, Southfield-Lathrup High School, Southfield High School and Levy Middle School have all been selected as Michigan Exemplary Schools under the National Secondary School Recognition Program. Moreover, Southfield students continue to excel in local, state, national and international competitions.

For example, Southfield students are still being awarded their diplomas in the International Baccalaureate Program which Southfield pioneered in Michigan. In 1985, 36 institutions from Harvard to Michigan State awarded scholarships to Southfield students for their

academic achievements. Southfield, too, is still exceptional in the range of courses and services it offers. It is also recognized nationally as a leader in many areas. Its preschool and professional development programs are only two examples of model projects.

Finally, if Mr. Martin's statement about "decline" is true, then how does he explain the fact that last year was a banner one for business investment and construction in the city of Southfield? As we all know, corporations do not put money into communities with inferior educational systems. Just using this criteria alone, one would have to give high marks to Southfield Schools since Southfield City is one of the prime investment areas in the whole State of Michigan.

To conclude, then, I would like to state I consider it a privilege to teach in the Southfield Public Schools. I have been doing it for 25 years and I can honestly say I have never been prouder of my students and colleagues for the fine work they do.

Like any institution we have some imperfections. Fortunately, however, we have a community and school board that spares no effort in eradicating them and is committed to the goal of providing the best education possible for its children. No, Mr. Martin, Southfield Schools are not declining. In fact, if you just check, you will find them alive and vibrant.

Walter Sobczak

### Late information

To the Editor:  
The Novi Board of Education sold Old Novi Elementary School for \$1.7 million, and is wondering what to do with the money.

Isn't it a shame they didn't mention this to the voters prior to the recent millage election?

Beverly Chiasson

EDITOR'S NOTE: The school board has taken the position that funds from the sale of Old Novi Elementary School will be used to construct another elementary school since the time the building was put up for sale more than five years ago. The tentative sale of the building has been reported numerous times in The Novi News during that period.

### 'What a treat'

To the Editor:  
What a treat. The Novi Food Exposition was a complete success.

The participating restaurants offered plenty of good food which, I tried hard to sample all, but it was virtually impossible to accomplish such a feat. I never realized we had such superb chefs here in Novi.

Congratulations are in order to the Special Events Committee of the Novi Chamber of Commerce. Can't wait till the next one.

Paul E. Bauman

### Helping hands

To the Editor:  
I want to let you know personally about the caliber of people who work at Novi Fire Station No. Three on Nine Mile in Novi.

I am a recent widow who was coming home on Nine Mile by Novi Road on Tuesday, April 22. For the first time in my life I had a flat tire about two blocks from the fire station. By driving very slowly along the unit street, I was able to make the parking lot of Station No. Three with the intention of being able to make a call for help to a gas station.

Since I always pump my own gas, I wasn't sure where that would be — I do have towing on my car but the problem was finding a gas station open at a late hour with a tow truck willing to take a credit card charge two days before pay day.

When I went into the station and asked if I could call and who they would recommend with my one quarter in change, they responded by actually changing my tire in 20 degree weather and using one of their own car's headlights for a light source.

This was complicated because I have wire wheel covers and apparently they are locked. One of the men had to look for the instrument that unlocks the covers. (The dealer where I bought the car never explained any of this to me — the instrument was in my glove compartment.)

The men — Tod Henry and Dean Kallinovic, who actually did the work, and Brad Wolf and Jeff Roberts — are to be commended for their courtesy, helpfulness and going way beyond the call of duty. I can never thank them enough for their help at a most trying time for myself.

I think you should be aware of the caliber of men who are representing the city. They deserve applause and commendation and public praise.

Sandra Crison

### Thanks for help

To the Editor:  
On behalf of the clients and members of the Civic Concern Committee, I would like to gain express our sincere appreciation for the continued support of the citizens of our community. Without your year-round contributions, we would not be able to continue our emergency food and financial assistance to those among us who have need.

We would like to especially thank you for your overwhelming generosity during the past holidays.

The people at Northville City Hall deserve our special mention for their courteous hospitality in allowing us to use a meeting room for periodic food distribution since last fall.

We are looking forward to a new food distribution location. As soon as arrangements can be finalized, we will let you know.

Again, thank you for your most essential support.

Civic Concern Committee  
Patrick A. Kennedy, chairman

### MLCC to vote on Elizabeth issue

By KEVIN A. WILSON  
staff writer

NORTHVILLE — A vote of the Michigan Liquor Control Commission today may decide whether Elizabeth's Restaurant in Northville thrives or dies, but it will probably be another month before the definitive word is delivered.

Northville City Council voted Monday to approve transfer of a Class C resort liquor license from the Ten Grand Club to Elizabeth's, Inc., despite the restaurant's failure to meet the minimum requirement of 100 seats.

Co-owner Douglas Campbell told council the license transfer application asks the LCC to waive the 100 seat limit so the license may be used temporarily at the restaurant's Hut-ton Street location until new quarters are built as part of a larger development at Main and Center streets.

Campbell said he intends to hand-deliver a copy of council's approval to the LCC when it meets today in Lansing. If the LCC refuses to consider the matter today, a vote on the transfer would be delayed to late May.

"It's worth a shot," Campbell said Monday night, asking for a copy of council's resolution approving the transfer. "If they don't do anything, what have I lost besides a couple of hours?"

Campbell has said on several occasions that liquor control laws that prohibit serving wine at Elizabeth's could result in the demise of the highly rated restaurant.

Campbell has described the availability of the resort liquor license, formerly used by the Northville Lanes bowling alley, as "salvation" for his operation.

Equity Advance of Birmingham, purchasers of the bowling alley and adjacent properties from the Ten Grand Club (a group of local investors who purchased the land in the late 1970s), agreed to having the license transferred to Elizabeth's at its present location temporarily on condition that the established restaurant relocate into the planned multi-use residential/retail/office structure.

### Mall musicale slated

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Mercy High School.  
Monday, May 5: 1 p.m., Our Lady of Refuge Elementary School Choir, West Bloomfield; 7 p.m., Opus V Woodwind Quintet.

Tuesday, May 6: 1 p.m., Maxine Zeitz and Alki Zachary, piano duo; 7 p.m., Phyllis and Marianne Leitch, piano and clarinet duo.

Wednesday, May 7: 1 p.m., Stages Program, Abbott Middle School, West Bloomfield.

Thursday, May 8: 1 p.m., Combined choirs, North Farmington High School; 7 p.m., Latvian folk singing and dance ensemble "Dziesmas".

Friday, May 9: 1 p.m., Green Elementary School choir, West Bloomfield; 7 p.m., Suzuki Violin Ensemble.

Saturday, May 10: 2 p.m., Wolverine Chorus of the Oakland County Chapter of the Society to Preserve and Encourage Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America; 7 p.m., pianist Ann Tueros.

### Council trims proposed millage hike

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promise is expected to be worked out by the end of the week.

City administrators pared a request for two pump trucks from the budget as well, noting however, that taxpayers will have to pick up the tab for new machinery sometime in the next two years.

Council Member Arlen Schroeder suggested items he considered "frills" — or at least low-priority budget items — be trimmed in order to keep the millage rate exactly the same as last year. Among the items he listed are the city's promotional expenditures, travel and conference expenses, and the city's annual calendar.

According to city Finance Director Les Gibson, Novi this year experienced an eight percent increase in total tax revenue base (state equalized

valuation of property within the city) over last year. But \$200,000 of the increased revenue will be needed to offset the city's skyrocketing insurance rates — a problem throughout the State of Michigan and elsewhere recently.

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# the NOVI NEWS Sports

## Ladycats fare well in relays

Chris Ceresa, coach of the Novi girls' track team, and Dorothy from the "Wizard of Oz" have something in common. They both truly believe there's no place like home.

For Ceresa's squad, going home to host the four-team Novi Relays was just the cure for the blues following a loss.

Now, coming off a fine performance, Ceresa believes the Ladycats can gather some momentum for a tough stretch ahead, which includes five straight dual meets with KVC opponents.

Following an expected 88-39 trouncing at the hands of league-favorite Brighton on April 22, Novi pulled together for its best outing of the season at Friday's Novi Relays, grabbing second place, just three points behind the winner Milan. But more importantly, the Ladycats showed marked improvements in a wide variety of events — something Ceresa loves to see.

"We did really well and stayed right up there with Milan the whole way," he said. "This was by far our best performance as a team this year."

Perhaps the most impressive aspect, from Novi's view, was first place finishes in four of the eight relay events during the day. Relays are often the cornerstone of a track team, the area a coach can build the rest of his team on. If the Ladycats can continue to be as successful in the relays as they were on Friday, the sky is the limit.

"Our handoffs are quicker and the kids are really working well together as a unit in the relays," Ceresa pointed out. "We are becoming



Novi's Karl Gunderson stretches to smack a forehand return. Novi News/JERRY ZOLYNSKY

**DOUBLE TROUBLE:**  
Ladycat nine drops twinbill to Brighton/15A

**STRONG ARMED:**  
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## Wildcat netters rebound, trip Redford Union

A bitterly disappointing loss to Lakeland on April 24 could have sent the reeling Wildcat tennis squad into a prolonged losing streak.

But luckily, Novi appears to have more character than that — to the relief of coach Jim Newbold.

After being bombed 6-1 by Howell on April 22 and losing a heart-breaking 4-3 decision to the Eagles, Newbold's netters rebounded nicely last Friday to administer a little bit of heartbreak on Redford Union, 6-1.

"Everybody was really down after the Lakeland match because they played their hearts out," Newbold said. "But they came back the next day and won. These guys can do it; they just have to pull together."

Although it appears the Ladycats were blown out of the water against Howell, it was really much closer. Three of the matches went to three sets and there was also a few tie-breakers thrown in — not something you normally see in a blow-out. Plus the fact that starting singles player Chris Cottam missed the match due to a back injury, certainly didn't help.

"It wasn't a very good showing as far as wins but it could have been much closer if we had our regular line-up," Newbold said.

The only Novi win was at third doubles where Ben Krpichak and Eric Cupp outlasted their Howell counterparts 1-6, 6-2, 7-6. Mark Boksha (second singles) and Karl Gunderson (third singles) both came out on the short ends of three-set marathon matches.

With Cottam still on the mend, the Ladycats went all out versus the Eagles on Thursday, but came away one set too short. The first singles clash between Mark Boksha and Craig Clark decided the tie game because each team had won three matches apiece. Boksha ended up losing the match 6-3, 3-6, 4-6, but three-set matches were very popular on this day.

Ernie Polinsky grabbed his first win of the season with a 6-2, 3-6, 7-5 win over Chris Dobson at second singles, but Dave Cho felt 7-6, 3-6, 5-7 in a draining contest at first singles. Gunderson bounced back to take another hard-fought win at fourth singles, but two of the three doubles squads lost to give Lakeland the win.

Youngsters Tom Wigley and Rob from behind to put away Ed Williams 6-4, 6-4 at fourth singles to complete the sweep.

The Wigley-Dodds and Krpichak-Cupp teams won three-set matches at second and third doubles respectively, but the Derrick Beyea-Bill Benton experiment failed to click at first singles, suffering a 6-1, 6-0 defeat.

## Rec Briefs

**OUTDOOR VOLLEYBALL:** Efforts are underway to establish an outdoor volleyball league in Novi. If there's sufficient interest, the league will be established at the Goat Farm Tavern on Novi Road.

The league is open to men and women. Some experience in volleyball play is requested. For more information call Gary Kelber at 349-1700.

**FITNESS IS AGELESS:** Schoolcraft College will host its 14th annual conference on physical activity for older adults tomorrow (Thursday) from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. This year's theme, Fitness Is Ageless, is designed for workers in community recreation, senior citizen programs, nutrition programs and nursing home programs.

Keynote speaker Dr. Susan Darling of Sinai Hospital will talk on "Wellness Lifestyle Concepts — Living More Fully." Topics to be covered include nutrition concerns for seniors, the therapeutic art of touch and competitive team sports. A video, "Drugs and the Older Individual," also will be presented.

Cost is \$20 per person, including lunch, bring gym clothes and soiled-soled shoes. For more information call 591-6400, extension 409.

**SUMMER TENNIS:** Schoolcraft College's summer tennis program begins Monday, May 19. Program membership includes summer-long court reservation privileges.

The college offers many tennis activities throughout the summer. The membership fee schedules are \$49 for families, \$30 for adults, \$20 for juniors (18 and under) and \$25 for Schoolcraft College students.

For more information call 591-6400, extension 409.

**NOVI'S YOUTH BASEBALL LEAGUE** still has a few vacancies for the 1986 season. The league offers play for eight to 16 year olds in four different age divisions. Players must be eight years old by August 1, 1986, to be eligible for this season.

Registration fees are \$35 for 8-9 year olds, \$40 for 10-13 year olds and \$45 for 14-16 year olds. Families with three or more eligible youngsters pay a maximum rate of \$95.

For more information about the Novi Youth Baseball League's summer program is available from Player Agent Jean Flores at 348-7797.

## Ladycat nine suffers setbacks

The difference between the first and second games of the April 25 doubleheader with Brighton was like night and day for the Novi softball squad.

It's hard to imagine how two teams can play each other twice in one day and have two completely different types of contests. The Ladycats were never really in the opener, falling 7-0 on a no-hit gem by Bulldog pitcher Jan Tharp, but came back to fight throughout a marathon 13-inning classic before bowing 3-2.

"We just put it all together in the second game and it turned out to be a great game," Coach Jim Tinsley said. "It was about as exciting a softball game as I've seen in eight years."

Unfortunately for Novi, one game was a nightmare. The only question was if Tharp would ever give up a hit and the slumbering Wildcat bats soon answered the question. For the game, Novi never once threatened to score and only had two baserunners in all seven innings.

Kris Winkler scored four times in the first, added three more in the third and it turned out to be more than enough as numerous Wildcat miscues aided the Bulldog cause.

"I don't know what the story was but we had seven errors in the first three innings," Tinsley said. "Nobody could seem to catch the ball or throw it to the right base."

But in game two, the Ladycats pulled together and played the best game of the season, despite the loss.

"They really came back and played well in the second game and I was real pleased to see it," Tinsley admitted.

Jill Sobkow pitched scoreless ball for the first five innings against the powerful Brighton bats but her teammates failed to score anything either until the sixth. Sophomore Lisa McCarthy made it to first on a bunt and an error, advanced to second on a sacrifice by Sandy Maloney, moved to third on a passed ball and scored on a sacrifice bunt by Laurie Maloney to make it 1-0. Brighton tied it up in the bottom of the inning on just one hit and a Novi error.

Kris Winkler continued her power hitting in the seventh with a lead-off

## KVC alert

### Novi runners coming on strong

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN  
staff writer

Bob Smith, coach of the Novi track team, has a warning for the rest of the Kensington Valley Conference.

Smith isn't threatening or taunting anyone. He just wants everyone to know that Novi is moving up and ready to give anybody in the league a battle.

"We're closing the gap on Brighton, Milford, Lakeland and South Lyon," he warned. "Especially South Lyon — I'm going on record."

By Smith's account, it was a very productive week for the Ladycats as they split a pair of dual meets and hosted their own relay tournament. KVC-power Brighton proved to be too much on April 22, beating the Ladycats 96-41. But the gutsy Novi team bounced back nicely two days later to crush Clarencville 110-18.

"Brighton is pretty tough," Smith admitted. "They beat us pretty good, but it didn't surprise me very much — they are so solid. I thought we did a nice job because we were in every race, and they had to go out and earn everything they got."

Another talent of the future, freshman Bret Van Dyke, finished right behind Cowden in the two mile (10:46.4) and Marcus wrapped it up with a second in the 100-meters (11.0).

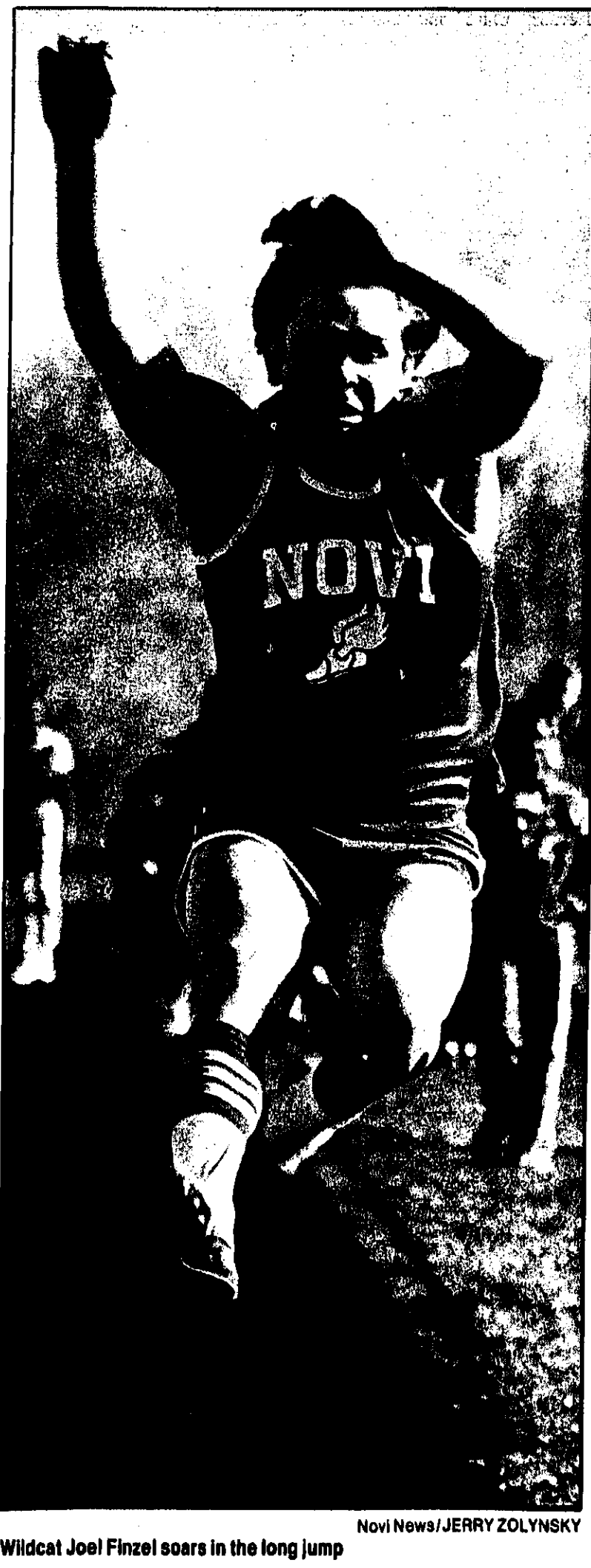
Novi dominated Clarencville in every aspect, winning all but two events on April 24. Starb topped his best-ever discus effort by a full 13 feet (126'3"), but ironically it was only good for second place. The only other Clarencville win came in the mile race as Smith withdrew his regular team and inserted several inexperienced runners.

Smith was very pleased with a win responded with wins. The team of Geoff LaFontaine, Bill Letteman, Jeff Ress and Scott Holoback won the 800-meter relay and Fitzpatrick joined LaFontaine, Letteman and Holoback for a first in the 400-meter event.

"We knew going in that we would win so I only used each boy once in the track events," Smith said. "What really impressed me was that we had a job to do, we went in and did it, but we showed respect for the other team."

At the four-team Novi Relays on Friday, Farmington Harrison pulled away from a tight contest in the last few events to win the team championship. Milan finished second with

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Wildcat Joel Finzel soars in the long jump. Novi News/JERRY ZOLYNSKY

## Booters register third win

In the first three weeks of the '86 season, the Novi soccer team has won its first game of the week only to lose the second on Thursday.

It's a pattern that has coach Nick Valentini concerned — but that in itself shows how far the program has come.

In the two prior seasons, there weren't any wins in the beginning of any week to set a pattern. This season, the Ladycats aren't worried about when the wins will come — they just go out, play hard and let the wins come naturally.

"We're not beating teams that always beat us in the past," said Valentini. "We are confident now, and the girls feel they have a chance to win every time we play."

After six games, Novi has gone out and won half its games including a win and a loss last week. The Ladycats slipped by Garden City 2-1 on April 22 and fell to a tough Edsel Ford squad 5-1 on April 24.

"If the kids don't believe in themselves, there is only so much you can do," Valentini explained. "But I think this year they do believe, and that's half the battle."

The Garden City match-up was very balanced throughout, but a pair of goals by a tremendously productive sophomore — Nicole Parmley — won it for Novi. That, and some tough, hard-nosed defense.

The one and only Garden City goal came just four minutes into the contest, but Parmley tied it up with 28 minutes left in the half on an unassisted score and then scored the winning goal about 20 minutes later.

"We pretty much played even in the second half, but we kept the pressure on our opponent," said Valentini. "We were a good defensive struggle by both teams."

But on Thursday, the Ladycats had trouble controlling the ball, especially in their own end as Edsel Ford took advantage of it with five goals in the first half against Novi goaltender Margaret Marini.

"We knew they were tough and they handled us pretty easily," Valentini said. "They put a lot of pressure on us and took control very early on."

With just two minutes left in the game, Parmley made the shut out a breakthrough to avoid the shut out — one of the few chances the offense generated all day.

"We thought we could wear them down," Valentini said. "We had a substitute some fresh people in there and we couldn't get going," Valentini said.

## Ladycats run well

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ing a cohesive unit and that makes all the difference in the world."

Novi's 4x100, 200, 400 and sprint relay teams all garnered wins — and the same names kept popping up on the lists of runners in those events. Names like Denal D'Ambrosio, Sheila Clark, Patti Lenaghan and Kristy Yodovics to name a few. In the winning 4x100 it was Lenaghan, Yodovics, Clark and D'Ambrosio. In the 4x200, it was Lenaghan, Jennifer Bonkowski, D'Ambrosio and Becky Prost. In the 4x400, it was Clark, Yodovics, Prost and Tammy Onofrey. And in the sprint relay, it was D'Ambrosio, Clark, Yodovics and Onofrey.

Even the struggling two-mile relay team of Wendy McBride, Andrea Dicola, Leslie Helling and Prost ran competitively for the first time in the season, according to Ceresa. The team only placed third, but sliced 21 seconds off its previous best time this year.

Individually, personal best marks weren't uncommon either. Kelli O'Neill threw the shot put a foot further than ever before (32'4"), a mark good enough to set a new school record. In the discus, Bonkowski reached 78', over 15 feet further than her previous best, and she's only been involved with the discus for a few short weeks.

Onofrey continues to excel in any event she is entered. Friday, she sailed 410' in the high jump, her personal best by over two inches and the farthest jump of the day by anybody.

The fine outing at the relays was important because the Ladycats took it on the chin versus Brighton.

"We expected it to happen because Brighton is very strong and has been the league champs for the past four years," Ceresa explained. "We didn't perform bad at all — 39 points is the most we've scored against them in a long time."

Novi recorded three wins in the 16 events. They were O'Neill's 30'3" in the shot put, and wins in the 400-meter and mile relays. The 400 team included Lenaghan, Yodovics, Clark and Onofrey (54.1) while Prost, Clark, Bonkowski and Yodovics teamed up for the win in the mile relay.

## Tanderys hurls Novi past Bulldogs

It was a typical week of baseball for the Novi Ladycats.

In the first game of a scheduled doubleheader with Chelsea on April 22, the Novi hitters seemed to relax for the first six innings of the game only to bear down in the last inning with a big deficit facing them, something the team has done several times already this season.

And then in the Kensington Valley Conference opener at Brighton on April 25, a variety of errors, balks and other problems ruined an otherwise good pitching performance by Ray Samolin in the first game as the Ladycats fell 6-1. But Jeff Tanderys showed why he is the league's top pitcher in the nightcap, spearheading a 5-2 win.

The opener resembled a season-opener loss to Ann Arbor Huron in which Samolin pitched well, but suffered the loss anyway. The nightcap was just another typical brilliant performance by Tanderys on the mound.

In the 7-4 loss to Chelsea, the Ladycats fell behind early as starting pitcher Brent Daniels walked the lead-off batter and gave up a two-run homer moments later. Daniels settled down and blanketed Chelsea on just one hit for the next four innings, but in the Novi offense wasn't doing any better.

"We didn't hit the ball very well,"

ed of a possible win due to outside forces.

Samolin was cruising along in the second inning of the first game at Brighton when the Bulldog Coach Mark Carnow called for a balk everytime he pitched.

"Ray asked the umpire if he was balking and the ump said he was close," Frantz reported. "On the next pitch, he called Ray for a balk and that completely unraveled him."

Samolin, worrying about balking more than about getting the ball over the plate, proceeded to walk the next two, and then was tagged for a three-run hit. In all, Brighton scored four times in the inning.

Novi scored a token run in the fourth on two walks and an RBI hit by Bobbish, but only managed five hits in the game, all in the first four innings. Samolin settled down and gave up just one hit and one run until he was relieved in the sixth by Greg Giorgio, who surrendered the final Bulldog run.

It may only be in the first third of the season, but pulling out the second game against Brighton was a big one, and Frantz knew it.

"It was a very, very big win," he admitted. "It was an absolute necessity that we got the split. Even though it was at their field, we can't afford to get swept."

"Tanderys was very effective, going all the way for his fourth win against no losses, but Frantz felt it wasn't one of his best outings."

"Jeff batted them the whole time, but I don't think he pitched as well as he usually does," he said. "But even on an off-day, Tanderys is outstanding."

Lead-off singles in the first and third innings by Bobbish and Giorgio sneak two runs in, but that was the extent of the Bulldog attack. Tanderys fanned 14 batters, including seven of the final 10 batters, and gave up just five hits.

But this time, the Ladycats were warmed up. Two runs in the first on singles by Paul Sprantits, Giorgio and Bill Yankowski gave Novi a 2-1 lead, but it was a key pinch-hit single by Bobbish in the sixth that broke the tie and turned out to be the game-winner.

Bobbish is hitting the ball phenomenally," Frantz said. "As our designated hitter and pinch hitter, he leads the team in hitting (above .600) and RBIs."

In the last inning, the Ladycats added two more insurance runs on hits by Giorgio, Steve Shankei and a double by Yankowski. For the game, Giorgio, Yankowski, Chris Henderson and Gary Piotrovicz all had two base hits each.

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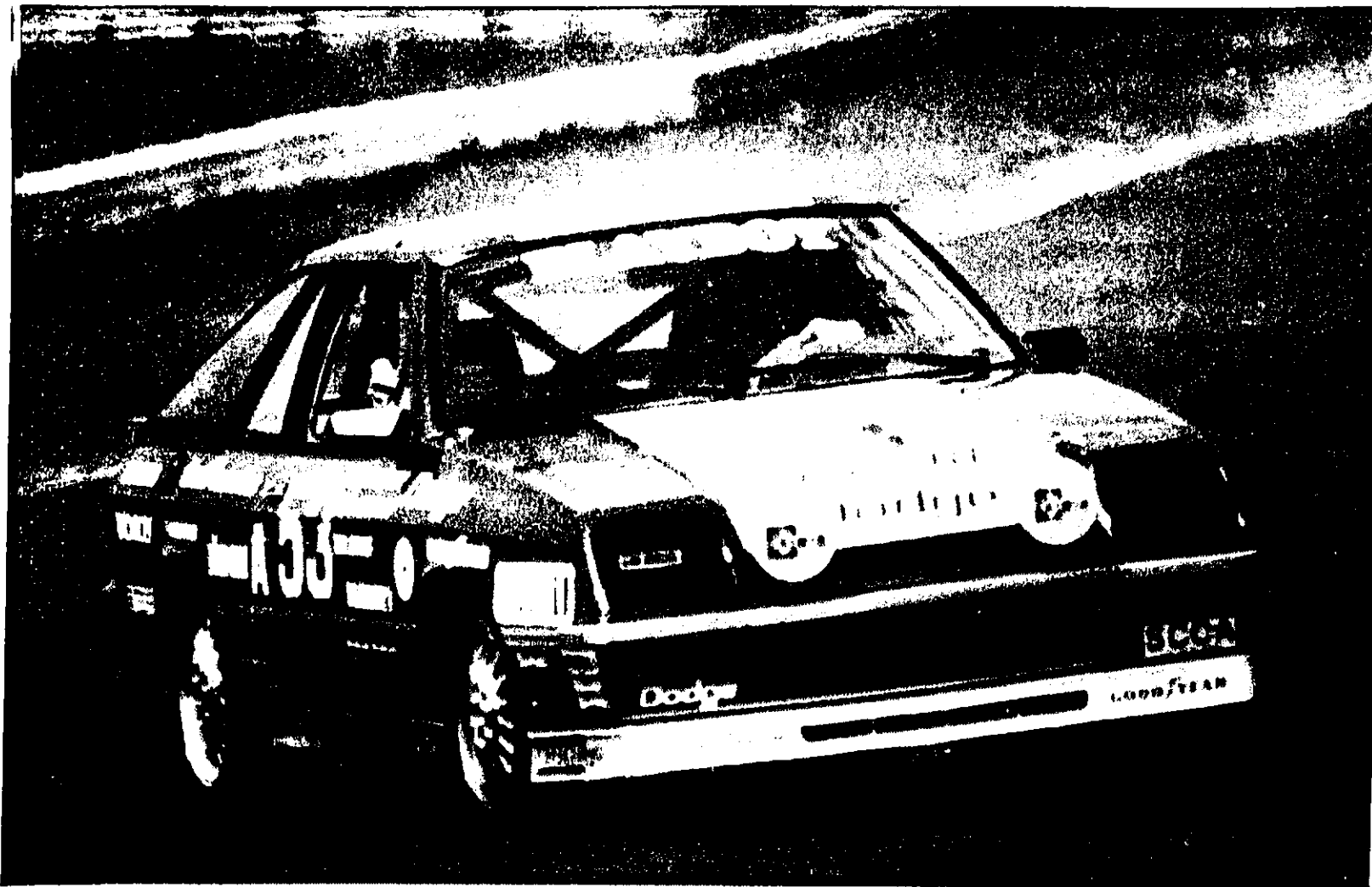
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Novi racer Tim Evans placed second-in-class during six-hour California endurance race

## Evans scores in California race

By KEVIN A. WILSON  
staff writer

In a demonstration of why they call it "endurance" racing, Novi's Tim Evans drove a Dodge Shelby Turbo Charger to a second-in-class finish Saturday at Sears Point, California.

The six-hour event was the first of six races in the Escort U.S. Endurance Championship run by the Sports Car Club of America (SCCA) under "Showroom Stock" rules, which allow only minimal alterations to the production line vehicles.

Evans is contracted to drive one of the two Chrysler-backed team cars throughout the series this year, making it one of the most active in recent years for the Brookland Farms resident.

He and co-driver Garth Ullom battled an electrical problem that required the team to change the car's battery five times during the course of the race.

"The team got pretty fast — 30 seconds to change a battery," Evans

said Monday, noting that the event began at 4:15 p.m. and involved night-time racing for about half the duration.

"Once it got dark and we started using the lights, it got so that you'd run out of battery before you ran out of gas — the drill was to drive until the headlights got so dim you couldn't see anymore and then take it into the pits," Evans said.

He said the charging system failure might be traceable to an engine change the team performed in the short time period between Saturday morning's qualifying runs and the afternoon race.

"They changed the engine in one hour, 35 minutes," he said. "It ran fine, but it wouldn't charge the battery."

Attempting to get longer running times, the team lifted the batteries from the trucks that hauled the cars to the track, but even those were discharged fully in little time, he said.

Evans and Ullom were not alone in suffering mechanical ailments,

however. The race-winning Mitsubishi Starion, Evans said, was able to use only fourth gear and was losing power when the race ended.

"We were closing on them," Evans said, "but ran out of time. The official results show us one lap down — we had just caught up and were working the same lap when the checkered fell."

The other Shelby Charger was third-in-class, having suffered throughout from a down-on-power engine change and being involved in a collision early in the race.

The Chargers run in Class A, second-fastest of the three classes that race simultaneously on the track. The faster GT class Corvettes and the like occupied the first 14 positions at race-end, with the Mitsubishi 15th and the Evans/Ullom Charger 16th overall.

The next event for Evans is a four-hour endurance race at Portland, Ore. May 10. In addition to the six Escort Endurance races this season, Evans is also slated to drive a Pontiac Firebird with Tom and Doug

Goat at a 24-hour showroom stock endurance race at Watkins Glen, N.Y. June 14-15. The event is one of 10 in the Firestone Firehawk professional showroom stock series, which is similar to the Escort Endurance championship but sanctioned by the International Motor Sport Association (IMSA) under slightly different rules.

The Goats won the series opening six-hour race at Sebring, Fla., March 21 in the Bill Bayley-owned Firebird. Evans and fellow Chrysler driver Jack Broomall were in the victory hunt at that event until a turbocharger explosion one-half hour from its conclusion put an end to their shakedown run.

Evans has been the chase-car driver at the Detroit Grand Prix since its inception, and expects to perform that role again this June. There is also a possibility he will be entered in the SCCA Trans Am race customarily run on the Detroit streets on the Saturday of the Grand Prix weekend.

## Wildcats of the Week



DENAL D'AMBROSIO

NICOLE PARMLEY

Denal D'Ambrosio is a quiet leader and athlete. During the swimming season, she advanced to the state regional diving championships relatively unnoticed last fall.

Now she is one of the mainstays on Chris Ceresa's girl's track squad, and again, unless you take a closer look, you might not realize all the things she does for the team.

But we won't let her fine performance at the Novi Relays on April 25 just fade away. That's why she has been named a "Wildcat of the Week."

D'Ambrosio had an extremely productive outing, helping Novi score points in four separate events and place second in the four-team competition. She was a member of the winning 4x200 relay team, a member of the 4x100 medley relay team, and a second place finisher as an individual in the long jump, clearing a personal best height of 14'10".

Soccer Coach Nick Valenti has been patiently waiting for some quality youngsters to make their way through the little league system onto his Novi team. He had to wait a few years but it looks like Valenti's first big star has already arrived — sophomore Nicole Parmley.

Parmley has shown in the team's first six games that she has a knack for putting the ball in the net. In action last week, Parmley scored all three of the Wildcat's goals in a win over Garden City and a loss to Edsel Ford. That's plenty good enough to warrant "Wildcat of the Week" honors.

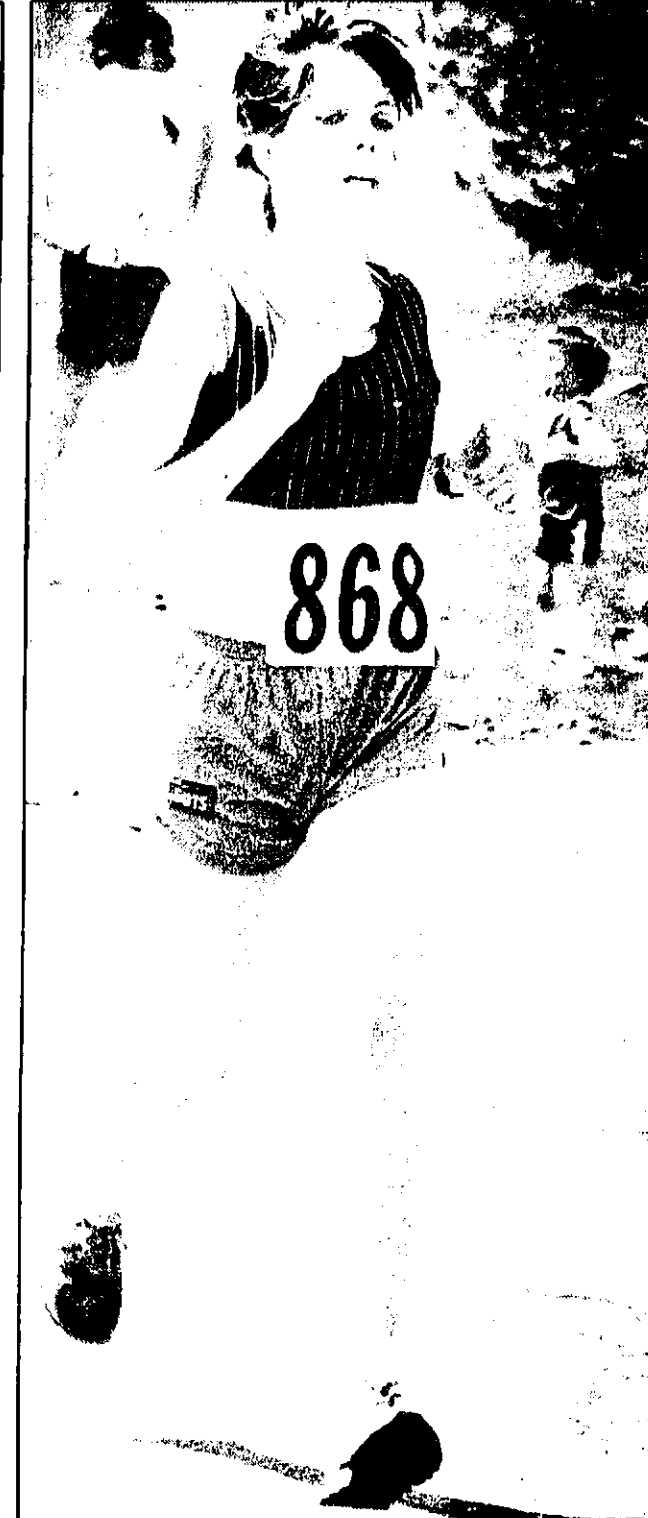
Her two goals against Garden City and another versus Ford give Parmley six goals on the season and three additional assists.

"Nicole has all the tools to be a good soccer player," Valenti said. "She is quick, smart, fast and has a good kick. Lately she has been our catalyst and she is just a sophomore."

## Trackin' the 'Cats

**VARSITY BASEBALL (5-4):** At Oak Park, 4 p.m. Wednesday. At Milford (DH), 4 p.m. Friday. LAKELAND, 4 p.m. Monday.  
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# Off — and running



Photos By Rick Smith

A sunny Sunday and sixth annual Providence Hospital-Novi Run drew 237 participants for a trio of running events. The field quickly spread out after a mile or so but it was close quarters at the start of the race (top). Five-year-old Jason Rafeld, of Novi, has the look of a serious competitor as he conquers the streets in the Mile Fun Run (above). Lisa Higgins, a Redford Township resident and a member of the Novi trackers, was the women's overall winner in the 10K race (above middle) and the men's winner was Hartley Vezina of Roseville (above right). The 5K women's winner, Jackie Schomer of Westland, takes a drink of water after finishing her race (near right) while Frank Karvoia (left) of Novi and Bob Ramseyer of Livonia battle each other for the lead and bragging rights in a personal competition (far right). Complete race results will appear next week.

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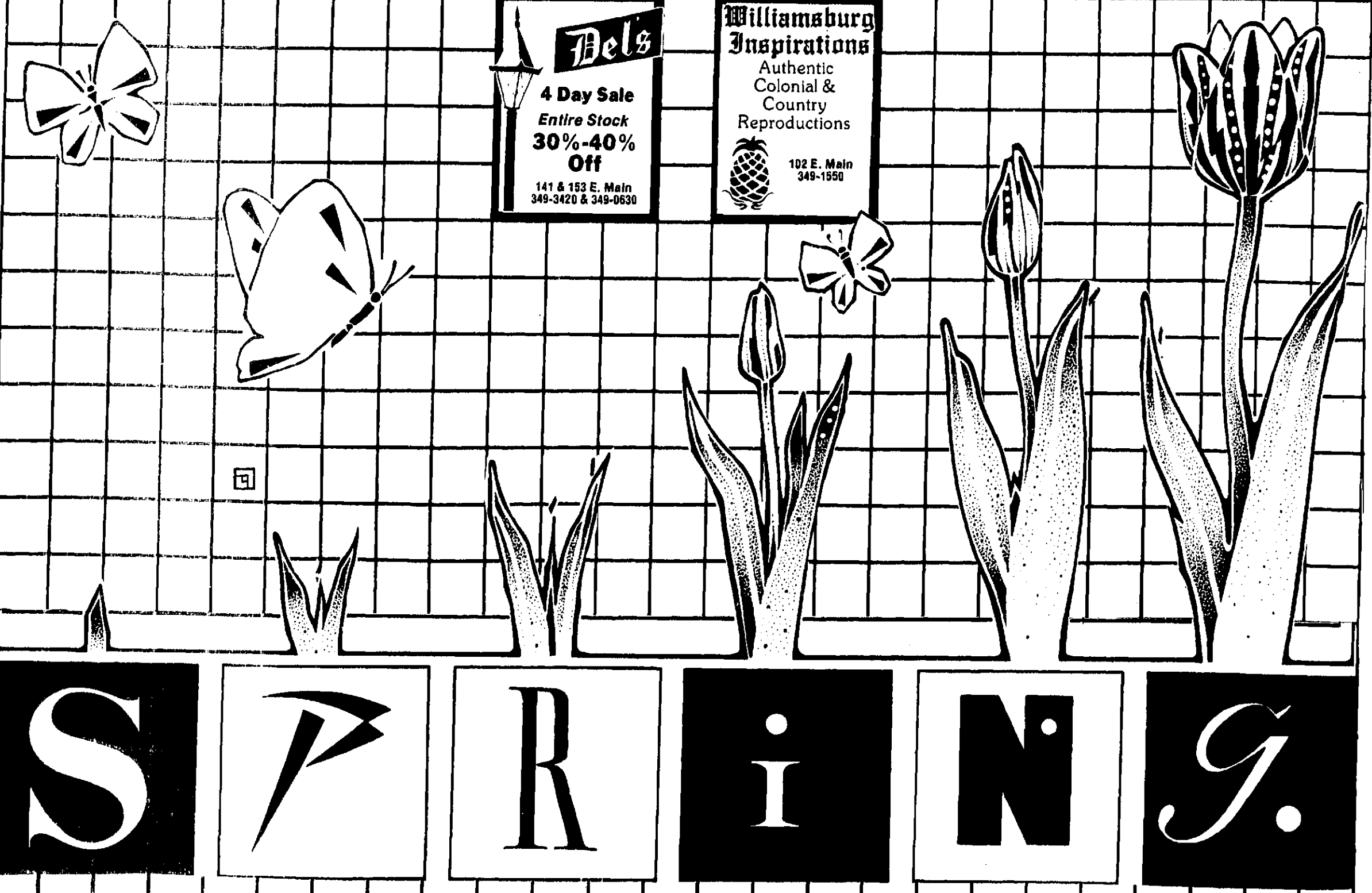
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Section **B**

# GREEN SHEET

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Want Ads  
INSIDE

Wednesday, April 30, 1986

## Existing home sales break former records

With a near 40 percent jump from a year ago, March sales of 1,988 existing homes and 91 condominiums set a new monthly record for members of the Metro M.L.S. "Our previous high came in May of 1978 when sales totaled 1,951 units," said Joanne R. Bryngelson, president of the multiple listing service. "We think March set the pace for achievement of a new annual record if interest rates remain down and we have sufficient inventory." Bryngelson said a 14 percent rise in average prices for detached homes in the past year to the \$71,000 level has not deterred serious buyers. "Average prices for detached homes eased off a bit from the \$71,761 recorded in February and still remain well below the \$83,200 reported nationwide for January," she said. "The strength of the current market also is bringing more newer homes on the market as owners move up the housing ladder, so today's buyers still represent excellent values."

March statistics from the service, which is a sister organization to the Western Wayne Oakland County Board of Realtors, showed new listings of 3,642 detached houses. This was down from 3,718 a year ago, but up from 2,568 in February. Condominium listings of 161 also were down from 196 a year ago and up from 138 in February. "It appears that we are continuing to be one of the hottest housing markets in the nation," Bryngelson said. "The excellent sales in March moved us some 25 percent above totals at this time in 1985. Although, highest sales are continuing in such popular markets as Farmington Hills, Livonia, Westland and Southfield, we are seeing greatly improved sales in all areas."

"We were particularly pleased to see the high number of new listings added by our service in March. But, with the sales ratio heading heading toward the 90 percent level, buyers will still have to move fast when they find something they like."

She noted that conventional mortgages were used for 71 percent of March sales with the percentage rising as prices increased. The 14.7 percent using FHA/VA financing, the 5.7 percent involving assumed mortgages and 4.9 with land contracts were primarily for homes at the lower end of the pricing scale.

## Employers should expect higher unemployment tax

Despite a decrease in Michigan's unemployment levels, employers throughout the state can expect to pay higher unemployment taxes in 1987, according to John Galles, executive director of the Small Business Administration of Michigan. Amendments to the state's unemployment act approved by the Michigan legislature in 1982 raise the maximum weekly benefit level at \$197 through 1986. Unless action is taken prior to that time, the maximum benefit level will increase by at least 30 percent when the freeze is lifted. In order to assure that future increases in unemployment insurance taxes are kept to a minimum and are equitable for all employers in the state, it is necessary to develop a strategy to address this issue as soon as possible, said Galles. The state's top priority, according to Galles, should be to build a reserve to prevent future borrowing of interest-bearing loans from the federal government. From 1983 to mid-1985, Michigan employers were subjected to a penalty tax which was used to pay back the interest-bearing portion of federal loans that the state had been forced to borrow after its own reserves had been depleted by record unemployment levels. Now that Michigan has repaid the interest-bearing portion of its federal debt, Galles said the state should work to establish its own reserve as a precaution against future economic downturns that create high unemployment levels.



Beverly Mohr has found success in the clothing business

## Clothing store keeps on growing

By ANDREA DAVIES

With gross sales of \$920,000 at her clothing stores in Milford and Brighton last year, Beverly Rae Mohr raised her salary from \$100 to \$200 a week. "I always seem to be growing at such a rate that there's no money to take out," said Mohr, who owns Beverly Rae's. That Kid and That Man stores in both communities. "It all goes into the business."

Her women's, children's and men's clothing are priced in the moderate to high range. The clothes are traditional, which she said are appropriate year after year, and classic, which are similar to traditional clothes. "But we try to do it with flair."

Before she entered the retail business, Mohr worked in accounting at Burrroughs Corp. while raising four

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— Beverly Rae Mohr

children. After 24 years of accounting, she quit her job for something more challenging and accepted a position as manager of a Navrot Pendleton Shop. After 2 1/2 years, she and her husband opened a Pendleton shop in Powerville. While previously living in South Redford, the Mohrs had spent recreational time in Livingston County and liked it so much they bought 11 acres of land in Powerville and built their new home there.

To open Beverly's Casuals, she obtained a line of credit for \$40,000, which meant she could draw on the money when she needed it. After less than a year, with gross sales of \$22,000, she relocated the store to Hartland. The line of higher-priced women's clothing had not sold well enough because of the time—1979, the beginning of a recession. She said another reason is that Powerville does not have enough people in general and

enough people who make clothes their priority. She expanded the Hartland store to include men's clothing. During the next years she learned two mists in the retail business—stocking the right merchandise and putting on sales. Mohr also learned how to make projected goals, which is necessary to predict how much inventory is needed, and to look at the total picture, she said. Reading financial statements was another new responsibility for her. She also learned how to do promotion and advertising, and about personnel, "not to mention cleaning," she said. Another thing she learned was from her mistake of buying too much merchandise. With her store bulging

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The family of Mrs. Helen L. Lewis wishes to thank everyone for the prayers, contributions and the kindness shown to the loss of my dear mother, Mrs. Helen L. Lewis, on April 27, 1986. She was a devoted wife, mother, and friend. Her passing was a great loss to our family and the community. Her funeral services will be held on Friday, May 2, 1986, at 10:00 a.m. at the St. Ann's Catholic Church, 1000 E. Main Street, Brighton, Michigan. Burial will be in the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Brighton, Michigan. The family will receive friends at the home of Mrs. Helen L. Lewis, 1000 E. Main Street, Brighton, Michigan, on Friday, May 2, 1986, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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# Village Oaks hosts annual 'spring fling' Friday

By JEANNE CLARKE  
Special Writer

VOICE, the parent-teacher organization at Village Oaks Elementary School, will hold its annual spring fling this Friday, May 3, beginning at 5:30 p.m. and running to 9 p.m.

"Theme of this year's spring fling is 'The Wizard of Oz,'" Chairman Anita Yost said. Games will begin at 6 p.m. Features include a haunted house, bake shop and a raffle with special entertainment by the Novi High School Jazz Band.

VOICE sponsored an open house last week for parents of children who are being transferred to Village Oaks from Novi Woods as a result of redistricting. Some 300 people attended and had an opportunity to meet teachers and VOICE President John Streith in addition to touring the school facilities.

**NOVI JAYCEES:** The Novi Jaycees will sponsor a "Meet the Candidates" night for the eighth school board candidates at the Country Epicure restaurant on Tuesday, May 6, at 8 p.m. The public is invited to attend. The Jaycees are planning to deliver carnations on Mothers Day to all ladies in local nursing homes. The Jaycees also are planning to attend the State Jaycee Convention in Muskegon.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL NORTH:** The Novi Middle School North PTO will host a "get acquainted" night for parents of fourth graders on May 14. The parents of incoming students will have an opportunity to meet the PTO officers — Jill Streith, president; Linda Foreback, vice president; Mary Ann White, secretary; and Marcia Tolb, treasurer. The PTO recently sponsored an appearance by Paonessa, well-known expert in child development and sex education. The next PTO meeting will be held May 20. The agenda includes election of officers for next year.

**OLHSA CENTER:** Senior citizens at

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The OLHSA Center has completed a moving sale in preparation for the move from the Novi Community Building to the Faith Community United Presbyterian Church on Ten Mile. The community building is slated for demolition in conjunction with Town Center development plans.

The center will be closed for moving this Friday (May 2) and will reopen with full activities on Monday, May 5. New hours beginning Monday will be 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday. For more details about the move call 349-5700.

The Seniors Exercise group under the direction of Peggy Wikman also will have new hours as a result of the move, meeting Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 a.m. and Tuesday and Thursday at 9:30 a.m. The center will continue to offer such regularly scheduled activities as bingo games, blood pressure screenings, oil painting classes, etc. Janet McAlpine will continue as center manager with Helen Fust as community resource worker and Eleanor Maitche as senior aide.

The final official event in the center will be a "Thanks for the Memories" party this Friday with a potluck dinner at 5:30 p.m. and a performance by the Skits-o-frantic Players at 7 p.m.

**PARKS & REC:** Lakeshore Park will open on a limited basis tomorrow (Thursday). The picnic areas, picnic shelter, playgrounds, multi-purpose fields and newly-renovated basketball court and tennis facilities will be open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The park, including the swimming area and pedal boat rentals, will open for summer officially on May 24, the Memorial Day weekend.

Park entry permits are required for entering the park. Residents can

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pick up free permits at Novi Parks and Recreation offices during regular hours. Non-residents must pay a fee of \$2 per car per day. Groups of 50 or more wishing to reserve the picnic shelter may do so by calling Parks and Rec at 349-1976. The shelter has 24 tables and will accommodate 240 people. Groups can reserve either half or all of the shelter.

Brochures explaining summer programs will be mailed to residents the second week in May. The brochures contain information on how residents can obtain discount tickets to Bobo Island, Cedar Point, the Detroit Zoo and other tourist attractions.

Deadline for boys and girls to register for summer softball leagues is May 2. Golf lessons for youths at least 10 years of age will be offered at Bobo-Link golf course beginning June 17. The Memorial Day Parade will be held May 26, beginning at 10 a.m. in the Mohawk Liquor parking lot off Novi Road. Residents may purchase or enter a float in the parade should call Parks and Recreation Director Tom O'Branovic at 349-1976.

**SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:** Kathy Crawford, special activities director for Novi Parks and Recreation, is looking for individuals who would like to help establish a "Flower Fund Committee."

Volunteers are needed to contact local businesses for donations and to help plant the flowers around Novi. Crawford is planning to purchase a large quantity of wild flowers for planting at strategic locations. Anyone who would like to help should call her at 349-1976.

An ice cream social for senior citizens will be held at Faith Community Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, May 20, from 1-3 p.m. The cost is \$1 per person. The ice cream

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will be provided by Guernsey Farm Dairy. A special luncheon honoring "Older Americans" will be held at the Novi High School Commons on Friday, May 23, at 12:30 p.m. The cost is \$1.50 per person and the menu will include choice of baked chicken or fish. There will also be door prizes. Call 349-1976 to make reservations.

Seniors may sign up for a field trip to the Detroit Institute of Arts on May 8. The works of 100 masters will be on display as the Institute celebrates its centennial. The fee of \$12 includes transportation, admission and a luncheon.

**PERSONALS:** Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tillman celebrated their second wedding anniversary at the Novi Hilton recently. Steve won the weekend at the Hilton in the Novi Youth Assistance bowl game. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin F'Geppert hosted a family birthday party for their daughter, Sue Ann F'Geppert. Guests included Noel Gregory with her sons, Kyle and Jeremy. Millie McHale and her daughter-in-law, Kathy McHale, celebrated April birthdays at the McHale home last week. Guests included Tim and Teresa Griffith and their son, Adam. Byron Schimp, longtime manager of the National Bank of Detroit office in Novi, was honored by friends and fellow Rotarians at a dinner at the Red Timbers. Schimp will be working in NBD's trust department in Plymouth.

Bill and Paula (Burton) Las announce the birth of a daughter, Tracey Leigh, was born April 19 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia, weighing seven pounds, 11 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joel Las of Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Al Burton of Novi. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Marie Willis of Frankmunth and Mr. and Mrs. Justin Burton, former Novi residents now living in Florida.

**PIN POINTERS:** Dora Faysal won the mystery game. High bowlers were Barb Walling (214), Rosemary Banish (209 and 186 in 567 series), Jan Sheehan (203), Natalie Green

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who would like to participate. Call Linda Burton at 349-7125 for details. Brownie Troop 558 under the direction of Linda Burton and Gayle Edwards has been preparing for the Spring Pow Wow by learning knot-tying, first aid and how to make dunk bags and sit-upons.

**FAITH PRESCHOOL:** The Faith Community Presbyterian Church still has a few vacancies for four year olds in its preschool program for next year. Four-year-olds meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday, while three-year-olds meet Tuesdays and Thursdays. Class size is limited to 12 students.

Sue Todd is teacher of the preschool, assisted by Lisa Willard. Preschool officers are Kathy Langham, president; Chris Halliday, vice president; registrar, Wendy Harfoot, secretary; and Carol Eilring, treasurer. A kindergarten readiness program will be held at the church tomorrow (Thursday). Call Sarah Eheart at 349-6596 for details. And, on Friday, May 9, there will be a pre-camp overnight campout at the Faith Community Presbyterian Church for girls who have not been on an overnight campout before.

Brownie Troop 3842 under the direction of Patty Kearney has visited the Amtrak Station and Museum of Natural History in Ann Arbor. The troop is planning to attend the Spring Pow Wow, making Mothers Day gifts and planning a trip to the Guernsey Dairy. Mothers assisting with the troop include Kathy Langham and Marcia Mardneck.

Junior Troop 1851 has been working on dollhouses which will be displayed at the Orchard Hills school art show on June 5 at 7 p.m. The art show is open to all Novi Girl Scouts.

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**Novi Highlights is written by Jeanne Clarke. Clubs and organizations can have announcements published by calling her at 624-0173.**

# Meadowbrook Christian minister likes people

This is the second in a series of articles which takes a look at individuals who guide the religious life of the city — the ministers of Novi.

By SHARON ROSE  
Special Writer

Austin Denney's conversation is peppered with stories and anecdotes of people and places he's known over the years — like the teenager from Texas who belonged to his Christian church, but later entered a Catholic seminary, or the lady from St. Clair Shores who drives all the way across town to attend his services in Novi, or Elmo, the west Texan rancher, who thought his baby calf was absolutely the most beautiful sight in the world.

"You have to love people to be a minister," Denney said. He decided to pursue a career in the Christian Church after attending a Texas young people's Christian conference as a college freshman 30 years ago. "It was a little bit of heaven here on earth," he sighed. Denney's decision was an echo in time. He continued a family tradition by following in the ministerial footsteps of both his grandfather and an uncle. Today he is pastor of Disciples of Christ Meadowbrook Christian Church.

He returned to Texas Christian University (TCU), changed his major from pre-law to History and Sociology and made plans to attend TCU's Brite Divinity School after obtaining his Bachelor's degree in 1961. His specialty at Brite was Christian education.

"My mother, God bless her, always wanted me to be a teacher," he explained. The next 25 years included assignments at Christian churches in Hot Springs, Fort Smith and Little Rock, Arkansas, and Longview, Dallas and Waco, Texas, before Denney moved his family north to take a position at the Livonia Christian Church. He shared facilities with other Livonia churches until several years ago when his congregation decided it was time to build a home of their own. They purchased the red brick house and surrounding three acres on Meadowbrook near Eight Mile in 1981 and dedicated their church in September 1982.

Denney proudly calls it, "A compact church. It's small, but we use every inch of space well. And it's a relief to have a place to hang my hat." The building is wood-paneled and carpeted in warm tones, has two large meeting/worship rooms connected by a wide hallway at the front and what can best be described as a multi-purpose room at the rear. Denney's office is located here. He's a big man, tall and broad-



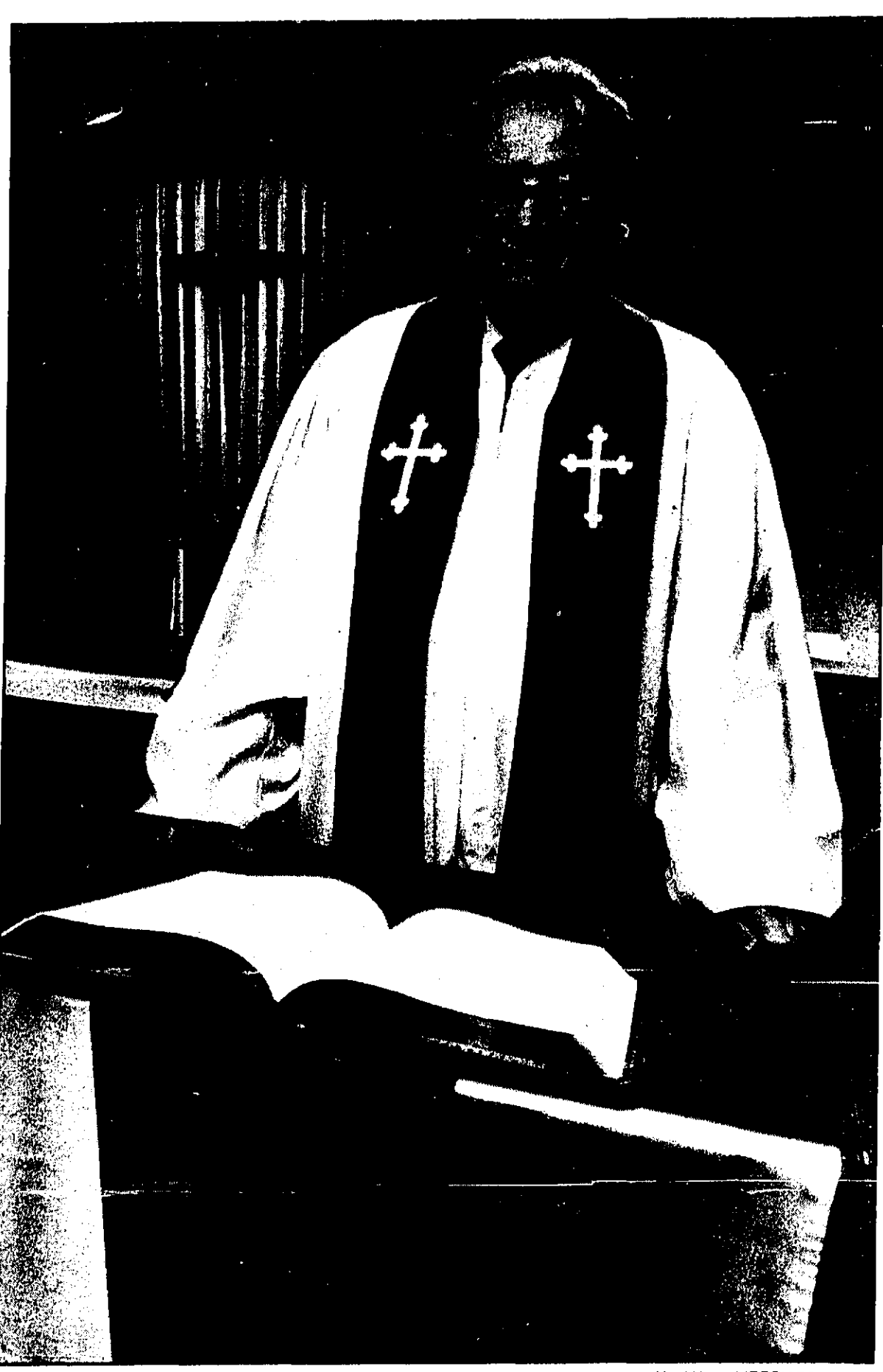
**Denney: 'You have to love people to be a minister. You have to like working with them, helping them.'**

The transplanted Texan appears to have adjusted to stress and life in Michigan very well. There's only a hint of hometown Houston in his speech, and he and his family wife Nancy, married daughter Barbara, 22, who lives in Walled Lake, and sons Austin, Jr., 20, and James, 15 — spend much of their spare time exploring the Great Lakes area via campgrounds.

"We've nearly completed a shoreline circumnavigation of Lake Huron," he said. "We usually use our tent trailer. I like to get out in the woods and pitch a tent, but a few years ago Nancy said she'd kind of like to quit sleeping on the ground. With those new recreational vehicles you can 'camp' with a TV doing it that way."

Outside his church window a bright cardinal landed on a snow-covered branch of pine tree on his lawn and caught his eye. One of Denney's special interests is conservation and environmental issues. "That tree is 50 feet tall," he said proudly.

Mostly though, Denney likes people. He likes to talk to them, and listen to them and learn about them. It was Denney who helped Novi police communicate with the elderly, injured recluse who had secluded himself in a home without heat. "He'd always taken care of himself before, but he was hurt, you see, and someone sold him a lot of green wood this year, so he couldn't heat his place like he usually does," he paused thoughtfully. "Now that's sad. Why would anyone do that to an old man?" Denney gained the man's confidence and helped make arrangements for him to move to a safer place. "You have to love people to be a minister," Denney said. "You have to like working with them, helping them. And you have to be interested in what they're interested in — whether it's cows or oil wells or cars. People... they're the grist of life."



Austin Denney presides over the Meadowbrook Christian congregation. Novi News/JERRY ZOLYNSKY

## Novi Christian tells contest winners

Three students from Novi Christian School have been named local winners in the 17th annual America & Me essay contest sponsored by the Farm Bureau Insurance Group. Nicole Wetherington, Anne Marron and Shelley Wandell finished first, second and third respectively. All three received award certificates, and Nicole Wetherington, as the school's first place winner, will have her name engraved on a plaque for permanent display in the school.

level competition from which the top 10 essays in Michigan will be selected. The top 10 statewide winners will receive plaques and U.S. savings bonds ranging in value from \$200 to \$1,000.

Started in 1968 and open to all Michigan eighth grade students, the contest encourages Michigan youngsters to explore their roles in America's future. As sponsor of the contest, Farm Bureau Insurance Group has earned 11 national awards from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge.

## Church Women host special service

May Fellowship Day, an ecumenical worship sponsored annually by Church Women United on the first Friday in May, will be held this Friday (May 2) at 10 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

A fellowship mixer is planned at 11 a.m. to help women from the different churches become better acquainted. A potluck salad luncheon is to follow. Participants are asked to bring a salad to pass and their table service.

Church Women United has a 45-year history of addressing the causes of social injustice in striving to accomplish its goal of empowerment for women, human rights and creating peace with justice. As a national movement, it is the catalyst that brings together Protestant, Roman Catholic and Orthodox women into one Christian community of prayer, advocacy and service. Church Women United operates in 52 state units, including Washington, D.C., and Puerto Rico, and in 1,900 local units across the country.

All women from the three participating communities of Northville, Novi and South Lyon are invited to attend.

The 1986 service is entitled, "Let Us Speak and Pray Together, Sisters." It reveals the pain suffered by the indigenous Hawaiian people whose land, gods, culture, spirituality, language and dignity were desecrated by early Christians, program planners explain. Through this

service, they challenge Christian sisters to join in the struggle for justice and human rights — ecumenical, political and spiritual. May Fellowship Day first was observed by the National Council of Federated Church Women as a dedication day in May, 1933. It took its present name in 1945 and became the third ecumenical celebration to be sponsored annually by Church Women United. Other events are World Community Day, the first Friday in November, and World Day of Prayer, the first Friday in March.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

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

<b>NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> 5782 Grand River, New Hudson 10 Mile west of Millard Road Worship Services Sunday 11 a.m. Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m. Thursday Bible Study 7 p.m. For additional information: 349-1724	<b>CHRISTIAN FAMILY CHURCH</b> Mill Race Historical Village on Griswold near Main, Northville Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m. Come to the Lord Pastor Leo Beauchamp, 349-2265
<b>OPEN DOOR CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> 145 N. Center, Northville 349-2101 "We Invite You To Come And Fellowship With Us" Mark Freer, Pastor Services: Thurs. 7 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m.	<b>GRACE CHAPEL</b> William College 12 Mile & Drake Roads Farmington Hills, 474-0151 8:30 a.m. Sunday School (all ages) 8:45 a.m. Sunday Service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday service Douglas L. Klein, Pastor Evangelical Presbyterian Church
<b>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b> 200 E. Main St., Northville 349-6811 Worship Services 10:30 a.m. Church School/Grades 1-8 9:30 a.m. Child Care/Preschool/Grades 9-12 D. Lawrence Chamberlain, Pastor Dr. Nile Harper, Associate Pastor	<b>FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b> 2120 Haggerty Rd., 349-7600 (1/25 & 8 Mile) Sunday School 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Bible Study Wed. 7 p.m. Dr. Richard Parrott, Pastor
<b>SPIRIT OF CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH OF NOVI</b> Ten Mile between Meadowbrook & Haggerty Worship, 10:30 a.m. Sunday Ch. Sch. 11:30 Coffee & Fellowship, 11:00 a.m. Church Office - 477-6298 Pastor Thomas A. Scherger - 478-9265	<b>WALLED LAKE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 308 Market St., 624-2483 Wendell L. Baglow, Pastor Wed. 7:30 BYF, Sr. High thru Adult Sunday, 9:45 Study, 11:00 a.m. Worship Nursery Available At Services
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<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> 8 Mile & Tall Roads Rev. Eric Hammar, Minister Jane Berquist, D.R.E. Worship Services 9:30, 11 a.m. Church School, Nursery thru Adult 9:30 a.m. Nursery thru 3rd Grade 11 a.m. 349-5865	<b>CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE</b> (Assemblies of God) 4125 Six Mile Rd., Northville Rev. Larry Fritch - 349-9030 Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Sun. Worship, 11 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Wed. "Body Life" Presch., 7:30 p.m. Christian Comm. Serv. & K-8
<b>ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH</b> 430 E. Nicolet Walled Lake 6988 Phone: 824-2817 Church Service, 10:30 a.m. Church School, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Leslie Harding	<b>MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH</b> 2125 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi At Broquet Rd. (8 1/2 Mile) Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m. Church School, 9:30 a.m. 349-7757 Interim Minister, Rev. Robyn Edwards
<b>NOVI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> 4167 W. Ten Mile-Meadowbrook 349-2822 (24 hrs.) Sunday Worship at 10:30 a.m. Church School 9:30 a.m. Nursery Care Available Charles R. Jacobs, Kearney Kirkby, Pastors	<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, NOVI</b> 4231 N. Tall Road Home of Novi Christian School (K-12) Sun. School, 9:45 a.m. Worship, 11:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 p.m. Rev. Richard Burges, Pastor 349-3477 Ivan E. Spaight, Asst. 349-3847
<b>ORCHARD HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 23455 Novi Rd. (between 9-10 Mile) Bible Study For All Ages 9:45 a.m. Worship Services at 11 a.m. & 8 p.m. Wed., Mid-Week Prayer Serv., 7 p.m. 349-5865	<b>FAITH COMMUNITY UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b> 4400 W. 10 Mile, Novi 10 Mile west of Novi Rd. Worship & Church School, 9:30-11 a.m. & 11 a.m. P.O. Box 1 249-5666 Richard J. Henderson, Pastor
<b>CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL</b> 10 Mile between Tall & Beck, Novi Phone 349-1175 Services: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Worship & School The Rev. Leslie F. Harding	<b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE</b> 217 N. Wing Dr. James H. Luffter, Pastor Sunday Worship, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Sunday School, 9:30-10:30 Prayer Service Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
<b>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 9 Mile & Meadowbrook Wisconsin Ev. Lutheran Synod Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Class 11:15 Gene E. Jahnke, Pastor - 349-0665	<b>FIRST SHEPHERD CHURCH OF WIXOM &amp; WIXOM CHRISTIAN SCHOOL (K-8)</b> Wixom & W. Maple Rds. Family Bible School, 9:45 a.m. Family Worship, 10:45 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Family Night Program (Wed.), 7:00 p.m. Robert V. Warren, Pastor 624-3822 (Living & Pro-Traffic) 624-5434

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# Novi cites top MEAP students

The Novi Community School District honored fourth and seventh graders who attained 100 percent of the objectives on the Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) at a special convocation in Fluors Auditorium last month.

Special speaker at the honors convocation was State Senator Jack Spoko (D-Farmington Hills) who spoke on the importance of positive attitudes and self-motivation toward academics.

The MEAP is the test used by the Michigan Department of Education to determine competency levels at the fourth, seventh and tenth grade levels. Students are tested in both mathematics and reading.

Fifty-six percent of Novi's fourth graders received certificates for achieving 100 percent of the MEAP objectives in math, reading or both.

Fifty-two percent of Novi's seventh graders received certificates for achieving 100 percent of the MEAP objectives in math, reading or both math and reading.

Here are the names of the fourth and seventh graders who were received certificates.

**NOVI WOODS**

Twenty Novi Woods fourth graders achieved 100 percent of the objectives on both the math and reading portions of the MEAP. They were Brian Bayer, Jared Beekman, Manesha Date, Michelle DeWitt, Jennifer Douglas, Michelle Hahn, Beth Ann Harding, Jeffrey Jarvis, Sandra Kessler, Danielle Kuenzer, Tanya Marchak, Allison Neuser, Jeffrey Pahl, Susan Park, John Polichio, Allison Quinn, Erika Strausberg, A.J. Tyll, Theresa White and Merv Yano.

Sixteen students achieved 100 per-

cent of the math objectives. They were Bryan Boschna, Dirk Boyce, Jill Crawford, Sherry Kemp, Brad Mohr, Matthew Mutch, Steven Page, Jactyn Perrea, Jason Polisoano, Marianne Richard, C.J. Shebels, Andrew Sill, Angela Slezak, Michelle Walter, Marianne Willet and David Zyczynski.

Sixteen students achieved 100 percent of the reading objectives. They were Rebecca Butcher, Anthony Dobson, Angela Eheart, Julie Fahrner, Derek Gavigan, Sarah Kemp, Jason McLeier, Sean Messer, Shannon O'Neill, Gregory Smith, Amy Tadaewski, Jeffrey Van Nortwick, Stephanie Watson, Amy West, Amy Williams and Jennifer Wroe.

**ORCHARD HILLS**

Seven Orchard Hills students achieved 100 percent of the objectives in math, reading or both.

Fifty-two percent of Novi's seventh graders received certificates for achieving 100 percent of the MEAP objectives in math, reading or both math and reading.

Here are the names of the fourth and seventh graders who were received certificates.

**VILLAGE OAKS**

Twenty-two Village Oaks students

achieved 100 percent of the objectives on both the math and reading tests. They were Aaron Aitchison, Amada Coe, Shannon Dotti, Angela Donovan, Kerry Ellis, Jason Fischer, Byron Groom, Yeh Won Hwang, Stephen Kelly, Nathaniel Kusman, Erica Lee, Amada Lehman, Caroline Magcalas, Laurie Martin, Katie Morgan, Angela Bombardieri, Jimmy Rowlands, Kevin Serra, John Street, Amy Sumerton, Ryan Trondie and Jennifer Visos.

Thirteen students achieved 100 percent of the math objectives. They were Lindsay Austin, Mark Byrum, Angela Buckley, Angela Cook, Melissa Degam, Laura Deveraux, Jason Greenlee, Katie Lettie, Cyrus Mistry, Kelly Sumier, Julie Swinehart, Sharon Toth and Ed-na Yang.

Seven students achieved 100 percent of the reading objectives. They were Kristina Forney, Erica Halliday, Nalnan Rose, Gregory Steele, Christopher Urban and Robert Waite.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL SOUTH**

Some 49 Novi Middle School South students achieved 100 percent of the objectives in both math and reading. They were Stephanie Ahrens, Andrew Anderson, David Boner, Julia Burk, Brian Campbell, Chris Carlesso, Mark Chivvin, Kathy Clozza, Kimberly Coenath, Helen Cottam, Drew Covert, Jenny Crawford, Kimberly DeWitt, Mike Krachic, Christie Lorence, Scott Matyniak, Rebecca Miller, Craig Riley, Daniel Rowell, Karen Schanz, Allison Scofield, Theresa Sproull, Carrie Trinka and Jaime Zemke.

Chris Marroni, Rachel Marten, Kevin Mittel, Steve Myers, Ganh Parrett, Melissa Petresch, Christina Piccirilli, Wendy Pierman, Chris Rush, Becky Seiler, Christina Sicks, Joanne Sill, Kelly Sivaraman, Krista Slowinski, Stephanie Tolsdorf, Scot Vermillion, Jason Wladischkin, Jackie Young and Amy Zylbyski.

Twenty-six students achieve 100 percent of the math objectives. They were Jennifer Buck, Heather Campbell, Laura Clark, Amy Duthie, Keeley Harris, David Hui, Ginny Jelress, Jason Johnston, Gina Knight, James Lobeck, Kristy Lockwood, Ami May, Amy McMartin, Danielle Mickelson, Davina Novosejak, Joanna Pascocci, Jennifer Paterni, Holly Peets, Jenny Pierce, Amy Quinn, Jenny Sieradzki, Cherie Stewart, Joey Taylor, Michael Timreck, Ted Wartman and Derry Younman.

Forty-eight students achieved 100 percent of the reading objectives. They were Erika Altmann, Shannon Barnes, Ryan Baumgartel, Elizabeth Blom, Michael Boorsma, Jonathon Borrowman, Nicholas Souza, Dean Bruckman, Michael Carcone, Christina D'Agostino, Stacy Demers, Laurie DiCola, Robert Dix, Lisa Donnelly, Jennifer Engle, Aaron Forney, Robert Filipek, Jennifer Harrison, Deanna Hayden, Kristi Henzl, Rob Herman, Paul Keske, Kris Krueger, Christina LeHale, Jeff Lanzetta, Greg Larson, Eric Lawton, Kelly McCoy, Christina Micale, Marc Moot, Brian Murphy, Nicole Nelson, Kelli Nichols, Heather Parker, Sherry Peyton, Kristen Swalley, Jeff Schram, Renee Forrnwald, Cynthia Greenlee, Renee Gryglewski, Eric Haenke, Matt Hoffman, Tara Humphrey, Sean Johnson, Holly Kendra, Laura Kieban, Nichole Kuenzel, Scott Lofgren, Scott Mackercher, Jenny Marquardt,

# Engagements



JOHN BYRD and MICHELLE WHITTAKER

The engagement of John Anthony Byrd of Wilcox to Michelle Ann Whittaker of Goodrich is announced by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Byrd of Northville.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne T. Whittaker of Goodrich. She is a 1985 graduate of Pontiac Business Institute and currently is employed by Electronic Data Systems.



BOB UNIS/RITA ERICKSON

The engagement of Rita May Erickson of Livonia to Bob C. Unis of Farmington is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Erickson of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Temple Christian High School in Redford. She currently attends Bob Jones University and will graduate in May of this year.

The prospective groom is the son of Bob Unis and Blaine Blake, both of Wilcox. He graduated from Bob Jones University in 1983 and currently is assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church of Farmington.

The couple is planning a June 14 wedding date.

# Tips on the ol' ballpark

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anticipated crowd. As in most cases, the signs don't say so to you right.

Here, for example, is a tip. If you are taking the Jeffries in, a sign will urge you to exit left toward the Lodge. If you do, Tiger Stadium will be immediately to your right. You will get a good look at it because you may be at a near standstill and still on the expressway. If you ignore the sign, stay on the right lane of the Jeffries and take the very next exit (Michigan and Myrtle), you'll have a nearly traffic free approach to the stadium down Michigan. When you get to the ballpark, Detroit's Finest will help you get through the traffic jam.

**Parking**—It is a comment on modern life that the Silverdome, built primarily for a football team in the middle of a field, has been plagued by atrocious parking. And they planned for this.

Along nearby roads, parking lots and along nearby roads, gets in and out with relative ease.

**Hot Dogs**—They cost \$1.50 and are worth every cent. The best dogs are griled at the concession stand. It means standing in line, but they are much better than the steamed variety sold in the stands.

**Concessions**—It is a little known fact that the people who run the concession stands go to graduate school to get a doctorate in slow-mo. It is the most irritating, slow-moing concession line in Detroit, made worse because Tiger management refuses to install closed circuit TV monitors

so you can keep track of the game while you waste two innings getting a beer and a dog.

It's not cheap to eat at the game. Knockwursts, like hot dogs, are \$1.50. Beer is \$1.50 for nine ounces and \$2 for 14 ounces, a puny dish of nachos is \$2.25. It is a highway robbery and yet it is still the best buy in town. After all, you could be spending \$15 on a Madonna ticket.

**Beer**—About the beer. Because bleacher fans get too rowdy and obscene (let's face it, some of them are World Series jerks), Tiger management limits beer sales and sells only a concoction called low-alcohol beer. Rumor has it that the stuff was scientifically sampled and the report said that the horse has diabetes.

Drink it if you must, but don't say we didn't warn you.

**Three reasons not to like Tiger Stadium:**

1. The posts which, if you sit behind them, are part of what is called an obstructed view.
2. Some fans. They've taken their cuteness far beyond common decency. For some reason, not everyone is enamored with the idea of spilling beer from the second deck to the fans below—even if it is only low alcohol suds.
3. Kirk Gibson is out of action for over a month.

**Five reasons why Tiger Stadium is the greatest place to be on a Saturday afternoon:**

1. The uniforms. They are crisp, white and dignified with a capital O in English. The Tigers have, cutlessly refrained from looking like



Fifteen-year-old Tina Limbright of Novi has received a scholarship to further her studies at the prestigious Cecchetti Ballet Conference at Michigan State University this year

# Limbright merits ballet scholarship

Tina Limbright of Novi has been selected to receive a scholarship to attend the 1986 Cecchetti Ballet Conference at Michigan State University.

She was selected for the scholarship from more than 200 students from across the United States who attended the 34th annual Cecchetti Ballet Conference at Michigan State last year.

The daughter of Robert and Carol Limbright of Novi, Tina is 15 years old and attends St. Agatha High School in Redford Township. She is a lifelong Novi resident.

Tina studies dance at Sheryl's School of Dance in Livonia. She and her sister, Gayle, will be among the students from Sheryl's School of Dance who will perform on the Bermuda Star Cruise ship this summer as part of an international cultural exchange.

The Cecchetti Ballet Conference is open to young dancers 12 and older who wish to improve their dance movement and style. Sponsored by the Cecchetti Council of America and MSU's Lifelong Education Programs, the program involves two weeks of intensive dance instruction under such noted instructors as Robert Barnet, artistic director of the Atlanta Ballet.

# Baseball thrives in local area

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"It's a very worthwhile program for kids and the development of skills, both mentally and physically," said Ed Harp, a coach in the Mickey Mantle League. "We started 10 years ago with very little and over a span of time, we've improved—we feel we can hold our own with any other leagues around."

In 1985, Northville was the site of the National Amateur Baseball Federation Junior World Series (ages 16-and-under) and Frellick, the tournament director, said that the event will return to the city in '86 on August 31.

The Northville Mickey Mantle "Blue" team, as the host squad, was allowed to compete in the tournament along with five of the top teams from the area. The team placed fourth with an overall record of 1-2, proving that the baseball played in this area takes a backseat to nobody.

Northville and Novi also supply many fine players to the next step up from the Junior Baseball League. The Northville Collegiate team, coached by Bob Peterson and Fred Schmidt, is an entry in the talented Livonia Collegiate Baseball (formerly Livonia Adray) League for players 20 and under. Teams in the league are comprised of the top college and high school prospects in southeast Michigan and home games are played at Ford Field in Livonia.

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Novi Youth Baseball League isn't as large as its Northville counterpart, but the level of play is very good. In 1985, nearly 350 youth participated in a program that employs top-notch facilities including pitching machines.

The Novi Parks and Recreation also organizes and runs a summer softball program that caters to 650 athletes last year in four separate age divisions. The Tee Ball Division is for 6-7 year olds, while the Youth Division (6-10 year olds), Junior Division (11-13) and Senior Division (14-16) are the others.

"I think all the baseball and softball programs in Novi are good quality programs," said the Parks and Recreation Program Coordinator Dan Davis. "The caliber of play is as good as anywhere as well as the skill and coaching levels."

# LWV announces meeting date

The annual dinner meeting of the West Oakland League of Women Voters (LWV) will be held at the Richardson Community Center in Commerce Township on Friday, May 2, at 6:30 p.m.

Speaker will be Fran Parker, LWV/Michigan legislative chair, who will touch on her experiences dealing with the Michigan legislature on a day-by-day basis.

For information or reservations call 363-5682 or 665-3312.

# Community Notes

**GRAND RIVER** in Farmington Hills. Featured will be a flower arranging demonstration with Nancy Passerfield, first vice president of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan.

For reservations call the Grace Chapel office at 474-0151.

**OCC REGISTRATION:** Regular registration for the 1986 spring semester at Oakland Community College (OCC) will be held according to an alphabetical schedule on Thursday, May 1, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Classes for the spring semester begin Friday, May 2, at 8 a.m.

Applications for the 1986 spring semester currently are being accepted. New students should contact an admissions counselor for a schedule of classes and information on admission procedures. OCC's Orchard Ridge campus in Farmington Hills can be reached by calling 471-7500.

**IMMUNIZATIONS:** The Oakland County Health Division will offer an immunization clinic at the Walled Lake United Methodist Church on Tuesday, May 6, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The church is located at 313 Northport in Walled Lake.

Immunizations will be available for measles, German measles, mumps, poliomyelitis, diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough. A parent or legal guardian must accompany children under 18 years old. They should bring any previous immunization records, including notices sent home from the child's school.

Friends and relatives attended a dinner party hosted by the bride and groom at the ceremony.

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**LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION**

**NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 9, 1986.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OF TOWNSHIP CLERKS IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1986, IS MONDAY, MAY 12, 1986. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK, P.M. ON MONDAY, MAY 12, 1986, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

MICHAEL M. MEYER  
SECRETARY, BOARD OF EDUCATION  
ADDENDUM

Please Take Further Notice that the Regular Biennial Election of Oakland Community College, Michigan, will be held in conjunction with the Annual School Election.

Dated: April 23, 1986  
(4-30 & 5-7-86 NN)

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE MICHIGAN STRATEGIC FUND**

**ISSUANCE OF LIMITED OBLIGATION REVENUE BONDS ON BEHALF OF SECURITY REALCORP, INC.**

The Michigan Strategic Fund (the "MSF") will hold a public hearing at 9:00 a.m. at the MSF's offices located on the third floor of the Law Building, 525 West Ottawa, Lansing, Michigan on the 14th day of May, 1986, on the issuance of bonds by the MSF on behalf of Security Realcorp, Inc., a Michigan corporation (the "Company") to assist the Company in financing the refunding of outstanding tax exempt bonds previously issued in 1980, the proceeds of which were used to finance full service branch banking facilities for the Company located at 15055 Allen Road, Southgate, Michigan; 12620 Fort Street, Southgate, Michigan; 19076 Allen Road, Charter Township of Brownstown, Wayne County, Michigan; 27007 Westfield, Charter Township of Brownstown, Wayne County, Michigan; 28880 Beck Road, Novi, Michigan; 45500 Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan; 7545 Lewis Avenue, Bedford Township, Monroe County, Michigan; and 2100 South Custer, Charter Township of Monroe, Monroe County, Michigan (collectively the "Project").

The Company will own the Project and lease it to wholly owned banking subsidiaries of Security Bancorp, Inc. The bonds are proposed to be issued in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed Four Million Four Hundred thousand Dollars (\$4,400,000). The bonds shall be limited obligations of the MSF, payable only from loan repayments to be made by the Company to the MSF and other collateral obligations of the Company. The bonds will constitute an indebtedness of the MSF, the State of Michigan or the cities of Southgate or Novi, Michigan or the Charter Township of Monroe or the Township of Bedford or the Charter Township of Brownstown in Wayne County, Michigan within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision and will not constitute or give rise to a charge against the general credit of the MSF or the general credit or taxing power of the State of Michigan or the cities of Southgate or Novi or the Charter Township of Bedford or the Township of Bedford or the Charter Township of Brownstown. The MSF has no taxing power. The hearing shall provide the fullest opportunity for expression of opinion, for argument on the merits of documentary evidence pertinent to the nature and location of the Project and the proposed issuance of bonds. Written comments will be accepted by the MSF but must be received on or before the date of the hearing.

Dated: April 21, 1986.

RAY A. PENTILLA, LOAN OFFICER  
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## Baseball with onions

The hot dogs, peanuts, popcorn and beverages at the stadium fill all of the culinary needs for some baseball fans.

But those who really get into the flavor of trips to Tiger Stadium generally include on their agenda a nearby tavern where they meet with friends before the game or gather afterwards to savor a victory.

We've selected a half dozen favorites that meet most needs of the average fan. All but one are within easy walking distance of home plate.

1. **Hoot Robinson's Restaurant and Cocktail Lounge.** Better known as Hoot's, this is a shot-and-beer hangout whose front door looks across Trumbull to the main ticket office of Tiger Stadium.

Many a fan skips the pre-game activities, waiting in Hoot's to finish a burger and a Strohs until just before the first pitch. On warm nights, the sidewalks of Hoot's are filled by people who brought their own beer. Litter is kept to a minimum because of the entrepreneurs who bag empty cans and bottles for their deposit value.

Hoot's is located at 2114 Trumbull. Its phone number is 965-7772.

2. **The Press Box.** Not far from Hoot's is a place that is also popular because of its nearness to the stadium. It's more comfortable for those who like to see sports coats and ties.

Moderately priced meals are available, but the best thing the Press Box has going for it is its address.

The Press Box is located at 1426 Kallie Drive. Its phone number is 961-3150.

3. **Nemo's Bar.** Nemo's has become a Tiger baseball institution—and rightly so. It's everything a baseball bar should be—furnishings are spartan, the beer flows freely and before a game the place is full of wall-to-wall baseball lovers.

Walk into Nemo's and you'll find people three and four deep in the bar and it seems as though everyone has a Tiger ticket. The curving bar also serves a second

side of the building where more sit-down space is available for light meals.

Nemo's, a pop foul away from the stadium, is located at 1384 Michigan. Its phone number is 965-3180.

4. **The Hummer.** Baseball pictures adorn the walls of this bar-restaurant on Bagley south of Michigan on the corner of Trumbull.

Tables in the basement can be shoved together to form a long meeting place for large parties who have just attended a Tiger game. The Hummer had a reputation as being a new hangout for young Tigers. But most of the current pack of Tigers are either homebodies or seek entertainment at other watering holes.

The Hummer is located at 1426 Bagley. Its phone number is 963-0185.

5. **Porter Street Station.** For those parking on the south side of Michigan, Porter Street is a convenient place to finish a trip to Tiger-town.

Look for the box car parked adjacent to the bar for a guidepost. Inside you'll find dancing and a young, hip crowd. It's not a typical baseball bar, but on game nights it is often populated by baseball fans.

Porter Street Station is located at 1400 Porter. Its phone number is 496-1480.

6. **The Lindell Athletic Club.** This is Detroit's quintessential sports bar. Many of those Detroit sports greats whose autographed pictures grace the walls were once regular customers. This is, after all, the site of the Alex Karras-Dick the Bruiser one-fall-only, no-holds-barred wrestling match.

Detroit Lions, when they still played downtown, and Tigers of years past made the Lindell a second home. For many, it's still the sports bar in Detroit. It's a good hike from the stadium, so many park in the adjacent lot for dinner than then drive on to the game.

The Lindell Athletic Club is located at 1310 Cass. Its phone number is 964-1122.



## Bon Homme: Something special

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It's not unusual at finer restaurants to receive a piece of fine chocolate along with the bill at the end of the meal.

Still, when you receive strawberries dipped in chocolate with the bill at the Cafe Bon Homme in Plymouth, it's a particularly pleasant little surprise and fitting finale to a very fine dining experience.

Of course, by the time you've finished your meal it's already abundantly obvious that the little restaurant on Penniman Street is indeed something special.

The person behind the Cafe Bon Homme is Greg Goodman, who at age 31 has already achieved a fine reputation for culinary excellence. He served as a sous chef under Chef Duglass at the Great Dane in Farmington and later served as executive chef at the Clarkston Cafe.

Most recently, Goodman has been affiliated with Tom MacKinnon at the very fine MacKinnon's restaurant in Northville.

Goodman severed his ties with MacKinnon 16 months ago to begin a restaurant of his own, and the Cafe Bon Homme is the result. Taking over what formerly was Emma's, a pleasant little restaurant featuring salads and lighter repasts, Goodman has revised things completely.

"I like to think things are as different as night and day," he says. The restaurant is small and attractive, decorated in tones of rose and grey. Floral paintings in pastel shades on the walls, lovely woven table cloths, beautiful rose-stemmed crystals and a rose tulip in a grey bud vase on the table complete the setting.

Clad in white, tuxedo-style shirts, pink bow ties and grey slacks, the wait staff is both courteous and efficient.

Best of all, however, is the food... delicious and served with the same appreciation for culinary aesthetics exemplified most notably perhaps by Keith Famie at Chez Raphael's in Novi.

Goodman said one of his goals at Cafe Bon Homme is to provide an outstanding dining experience at affordable prices. Although the cost of dinner-for-two with a bottle of wine at Bon Homme runs over \$50, it is considerably less than the \$100 to \$200 bills which accompany the same dinner at other restaurants.

Goodman also is reluctant to categorize his style of cooking. Despite the name of the restaurant, he balks at calling his food "country French," saying instead that the menu is determined by what's fresh and available at reasonable prices.

Additionally, he says he has attempted to provide entrees which are unique in addition to retaining the best of the classics... albeit, classics with a distinctive twist.

An example of the latter is the Provimi Veal avec Homard au Bearnaise (\$13.95) — escallops of provimi veal sauteed, garnished with poached rock lobster, a stalk of asparagus and served with Bearnaise sauce.

Also included among the list of 11 entrees are Poached Norwegian Salmon (\$12.95), Breast of Chicken Bon Homme (\$11.95), Tournedos au Buerre Rouge (\$13.95) and Roast Rack of Lamb Maison (\$18.95).

Dinners are served with French bread, choice of soup or salad and the vegetable du jour. If you opt for a salad instead of a soup, try the house dressing — a lovely, subdued raspberry vinaigrette.



Sous chefs Greg Murphy and Andy Orlando proudly exhibit the appetizers and three entrees from the Cafe Bon Homme in Plymouth.

Of interest is a selection of four "light dinners" on the menu for those with smaller appetites. Ranging in price from \$7.95 to \$8.95, selections include Baked Crab Cassoulet, Chicken and Artichoke Pasta, Saute Lake Perch Menuiere and Petite Steak Bearnaise.

There's an extensive wine list, and, as for desserts, the selections are limited but excellent. A Creme Champenoise at \$3.25 is an outstanding, light finale to any meal. Other dessert selections include a Pate Chocolat au Grand Marnier and a crepe filled with ice cream and topped with strawberries. Also excellent.

With Cafe Bon Homme, Goodman has established himself in the same company as Keith Famie (Chez Raphael), Tom MacKinnon (MacKinnon's) and Chris Angelosante (Appetizer) for providing suburbanites with an opportunity to enjoy an outstanding dining experience.

Cafe Bon Homme, 844 Penniman, Plymouth. Lunches Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 5 p.m. Dinners Monday through Thursday from 5-10 p.m. and Friday and Saturday from 5-11 p.m. MasterCard, Visa and American Express. Liquor license. 453-6260.

## MAY What's Going ON

**THEATRE: "MONDAY AFTER THE MIRACLE,"** The Attic Theatre, Third at W. Grand Blvd., Detroit The Attic Theatre presents William Gibson's "Monday After the Miracle" now through May 18. "Monday After the Miracle" is a sequel to Gibson's celebrated, earlier play, "The Miracle Worker," which dramatized Annie Sullivan's triumph in bringing the deaf and blind child, Helen Keller, out of darkness. Performance times are 8 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays, 5:30 and 9 p.m. Saturdays and 2:30 and 6:30 p.m. Sundays. Purchase tickets by phone with VISA or Mastercard at the Attic Theatre box office, 875-8284, or purchase tickets at any Ticket World outlet. **"JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT,"** Birmingham Theatre, 211 S. Woodward, Birmingham Birmingham Theatre will present its final production of the 1982-86 season, the musical "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" May 9 through June 8. With music and lyrics by Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice, creators of "Jesus Christ, Superstar" and "Evita," it is the musical retelling of the Old Testament story of Joseph and his jealous brothers. For ticket information, call the box office at 644-3533. Tickets also are available at all Ticket World outlets. **"VINEGAR TOM,"** Brecht Company, Residential College Auditorium, 701 E. University, Ann Arbor A harrowing tale of the cunning arts and social oppression takes the stage May 1-3 and 8-10 when the Brecht Company — Ann Arbor's professional theatre dedicated to the works, methods, and influence of Bertolt Brecht — presents "Vinegar Tom" by popular British writer Caryl Churchill. Set in rural 17th century East Anglia, "Vinegar Tom" chronicles the fortunes of several dissimilar women against the disturbing times of the English Civil War. Performances run Thursdays through Saturdays at 8 p.m. with a single matinee at 2 p.m. May 4. Advance tickets may be purchased at the Michigan Theatre box office on Liberty. Prices are \$6 general admission, \$3 students. All tickets are half price for Thursday and Sunday performances. For further information, call 995-0532. **"CHICAGO,"** Power Center, Ann Arbor "Chicago," a flashy, fun-filled musical will be presented by Ann Arbor Civic Theatre May 7-10 at the Power Center. Daily curtain is at 8 p.m. with a 2 p.m. matinee performance May 10. For further ticket information, call 662-7282. **"EVERYBODY LOVES OPAL,"** Plymouth Central Middle School, 650 Church, Plymouth The Plymouth Theatre Guild will present the comedy "Everybody Loves Opal" May 23 and 9-10 at Plymouth Central Middle School. Curtain is at 8 p.m. Tickets, at \$4 for adults and \$3 for students and senior citizens, will be available at the door.

**ART, ANTIQUES, EXHIBITS: 60TH ANNUAL STUDENT EXHIBITION,** Cultural Center campus, 245 E. Kirby, Detroit More than 2,000 art works in a variety of media will be on view in Michigan's oldest and largest student art exhibit and sale when the College of Art and Design/Center for Creative Studies presents its 60th Annual Student Exhibition May 17 through June 8. The three-week exhibit will include original works in advertising design, art direction, ceramics, drawing, fiber design, glass, film, illustration and much more. The Student Exhibition will be open to the public from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursdays through Sundays. **"THE ART OF LIVING: A PRESENTATION OF USABLE ART,"** Ann Arbor Art Association exhibit gallery, 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor "The Art of Living: A Presentation of Usable Art," will be presented May 2-24 at the exhibit gallery of the Ann Arbor Art Association. The exhibition will feature weavings by Urban Jupena, furniture by Jose Riquelme, and dyed fabrics by Heather Fyle of Mytra Fabrics, Inc. The three will combine talents to create a work of art in the form of a living environment. For gallery hours, call 994-8004. **"THE THRIFTY ART: A SOCIAL HISTORY OF QUILTING,"** Detroit Historical Museum, 5401 Woodward Ave., Detroit "The Thrifty Art: A Social History of Quilting" will open at the Detroit Historical Museum May 10. This exhibit will feature quilts from the museum's collection that illustrate the social and historical significance of quilting. The exhibit will be on display through August. The museum also will offer several related activities in conjunction with the exhibition including several films, a workshop, and a Quilt Discovery Day on June 14. For further information on other activities, call 833-1419. The museum is open from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday. **VILLAGE ANTIQUES SHOW,** Education Building, Greenfield Village, Dearborn Dealers from across the country will display a wide variety of high quality antiques May 16-18 in the Education Building. Special admission is \$5. For more information, call the Development office, at 271-1620.

**AND MORE: "CIVIL WAR DAYS,"** Historic Fort Wayne, 6325 W. Jefferson, Detroit Detroit's original Civil War Fort will host hundreds of authentically uniformed troops from midwestern Civil War reenactment regiments at the summer opening of Historic Fort Wayne May 3-4. Colorful units will perform daily military drill, garrison the Fort, demonstrate battle tactics and participate in live musket and cannon firing. Music will be provided by "The Fifth Michigan Regimental Band." Hours for "Civil War Days" will be from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. For more information call 297-9360.

Edward Leininger is a past president of the Novi Jaycees. He currently serves on the Novi City Council. He says he enjoys family-oriented activities during his limited leisure time.



- FAMILY EXCURSIONS** to such places as the Salt Mines in Detroit and Kensington Metropark.
- DINING OUT** Ed enjoys attending a wide variety of restaurants with his wife Mary Jane, including Mama and Pastas and Chi-Chi's.
- SPORTING EVENTS** The Leiningers are big sports fans, attending Detroit Tigers, Lions, Pistons and Red Wings games. They also like watching their children play on Novi High School athletic teams.
- PLAYING CARDS** and socializing with friends. Euchre is a particular favorite.
- PLAYING VOLLEYBALL** with the Novi Jaycee team in the Novi Parks and Recreation Department's Co-Ed League. Last year's squad won the city Class B Co-ed championship.

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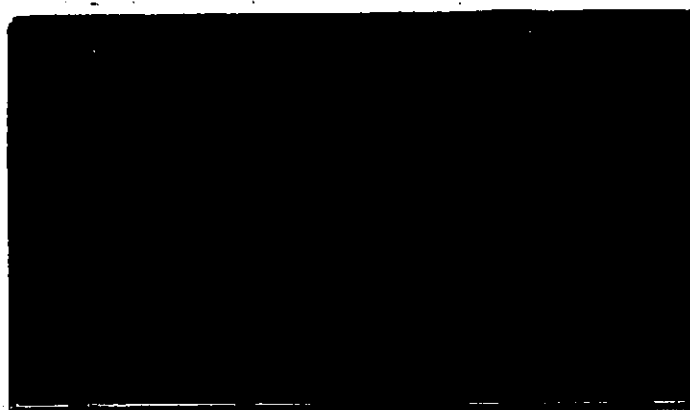
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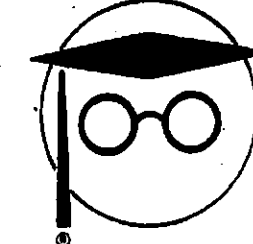
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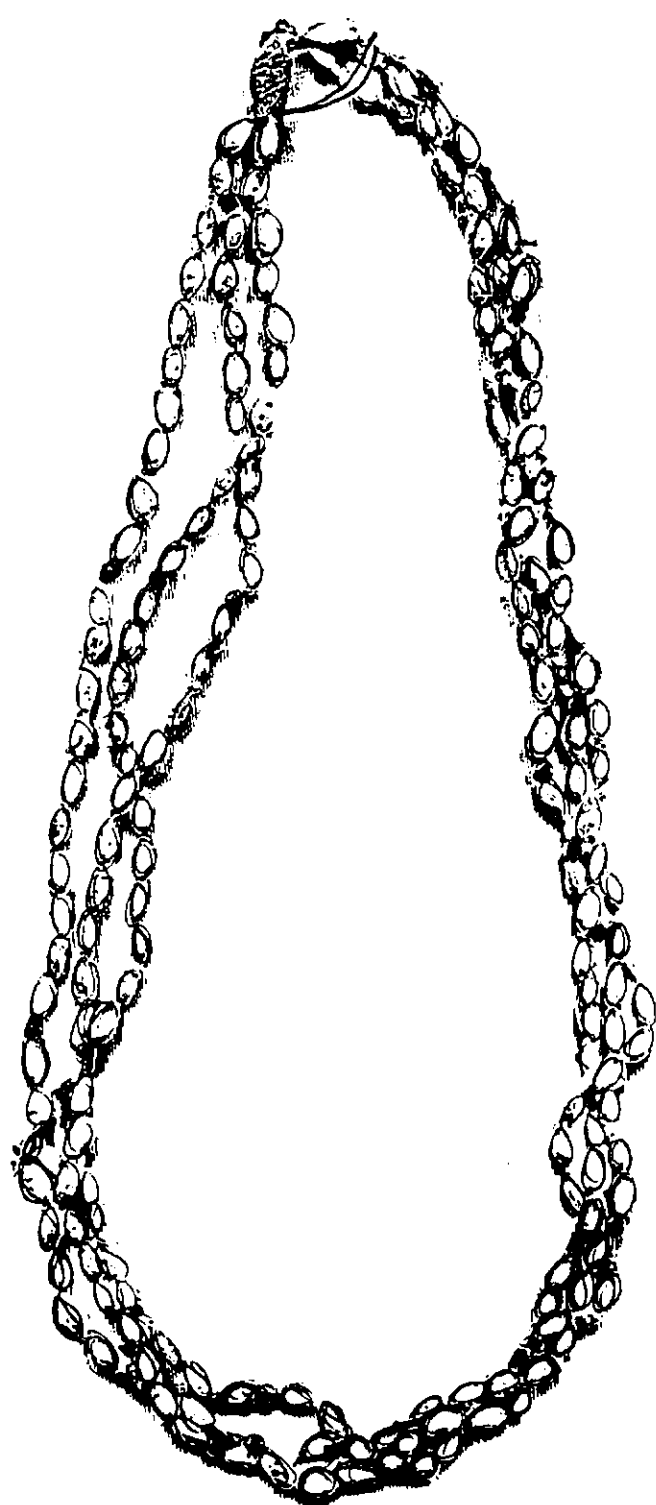
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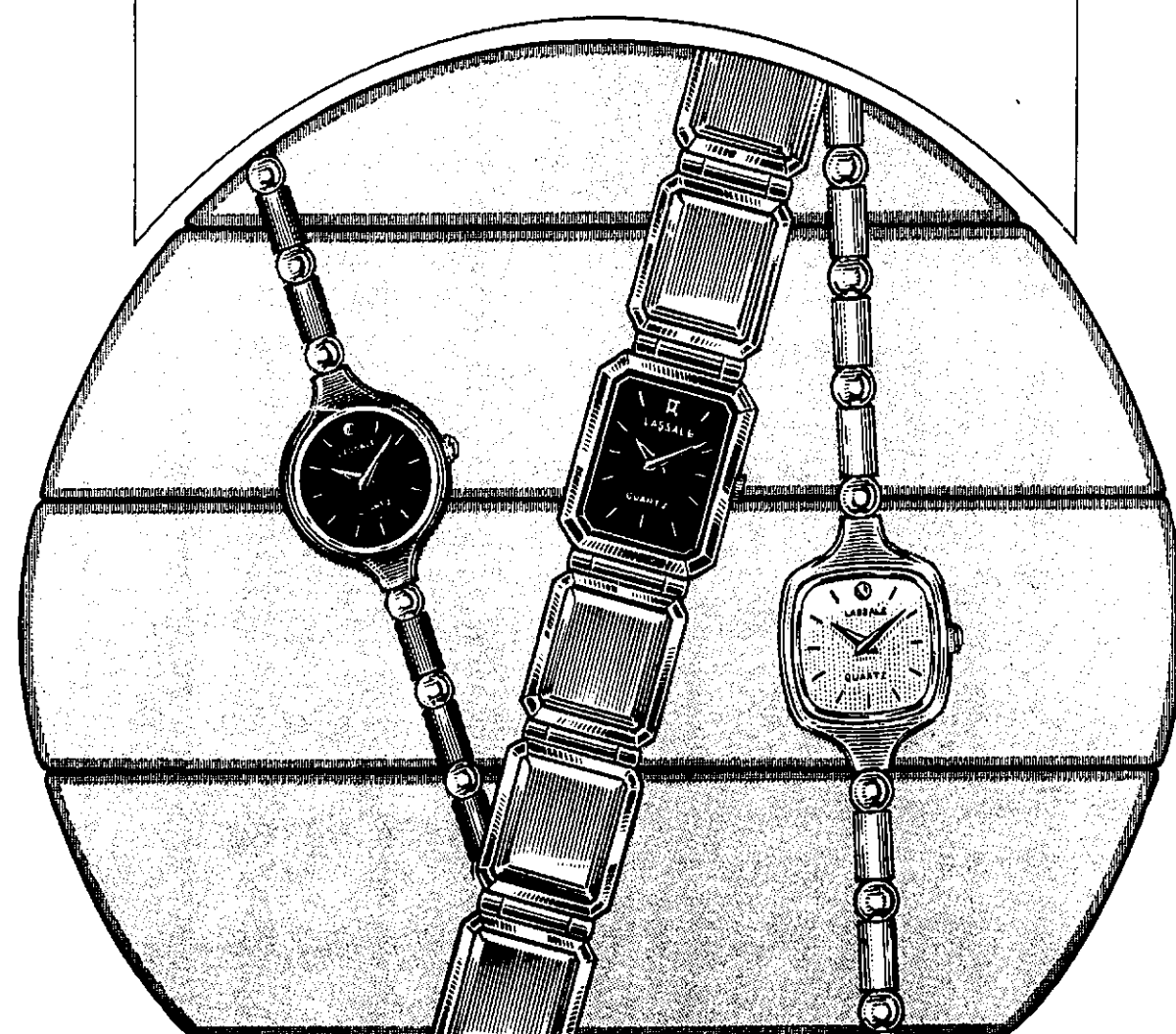
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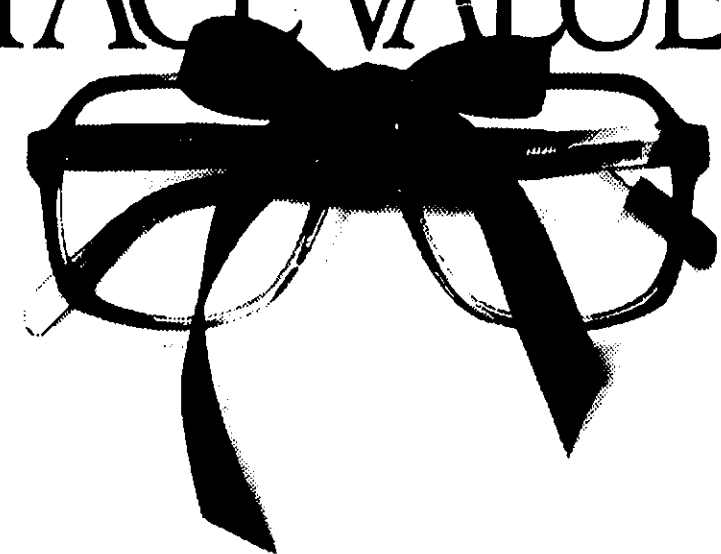
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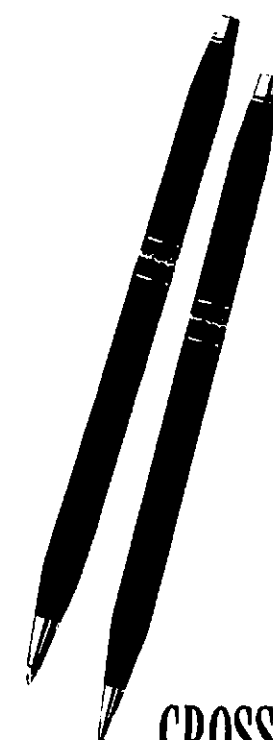
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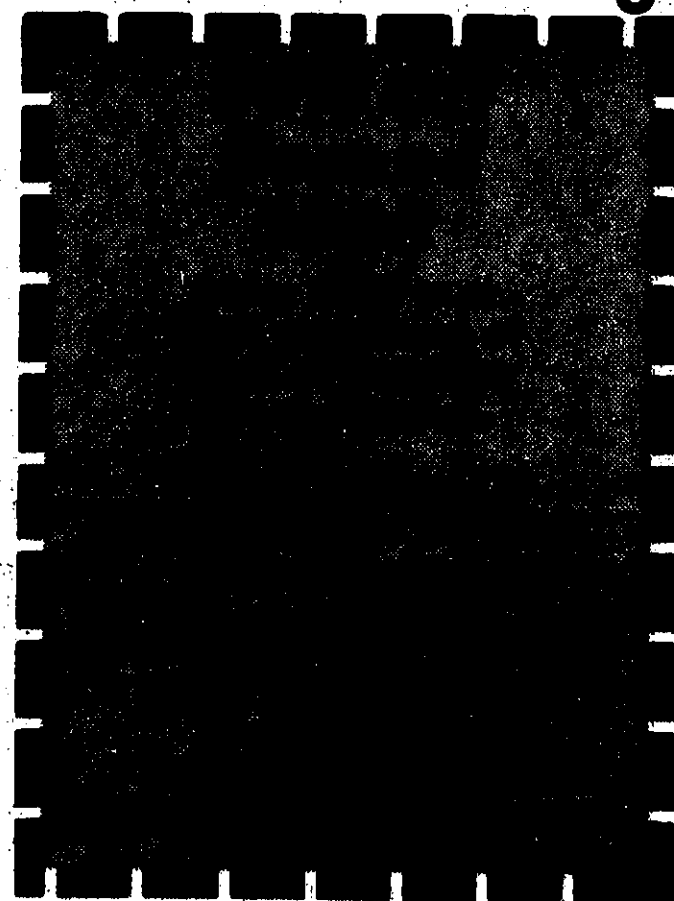
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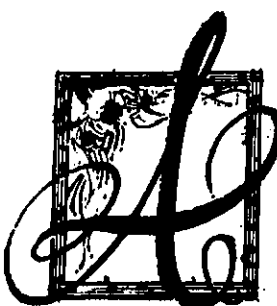
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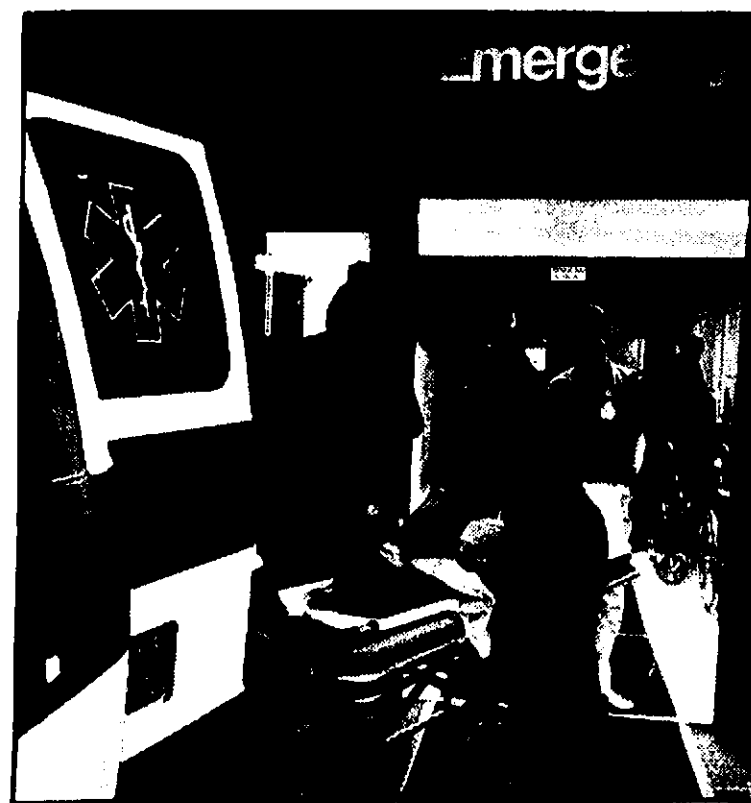


# Huron Valley Hospital:

## A Dream Come True

For more than 25 years, the people of western Oakland County have dreamed of having a community hospital. An up-to-date facility that would provide expert professional care near their homes, giving them a new sense of security. A new center for community activities—a center that would become an integral part of the business, social, and family life of the community.

With the opening of the Huron Valley Hospital, this community's dream has been realized. Huron Valley Hospital is more than a convenient new hospital for expert medical treatment—it is a unique expression of the needs and concerns of the community. Residents played an important role in developing the hospital, making sure its facilities and programs were designed specifically with the families of western Oakland County in mind.

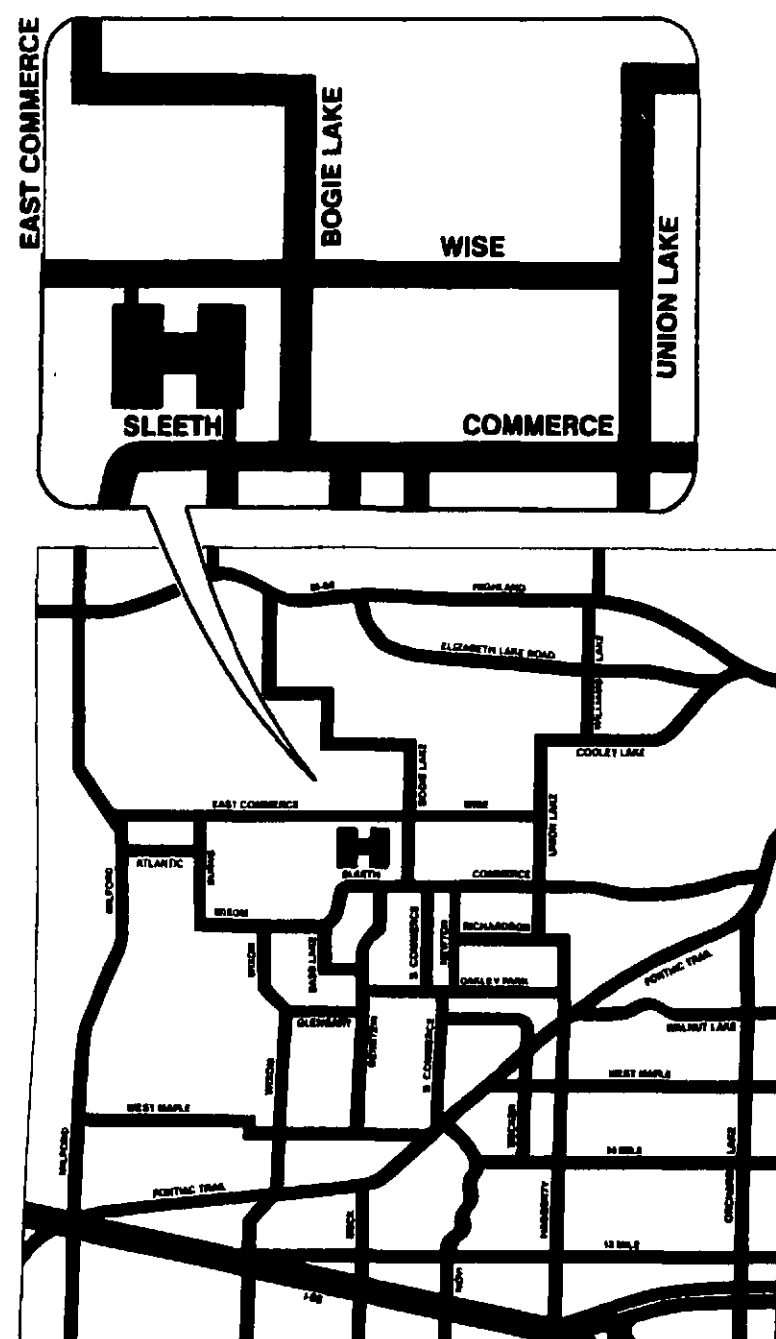


This focus on the community's needs is enhanced by the many area residents who have joined the hospital's staff. These experienced professionals bring a special concern for the neighbors and friends whose health they help protect.

Vision, determination, and endless hard work. That's what it takes to turn a dream into reality. And that's what the people of western Oakland County have given to the creation of Huron Valley Hospital. Huron Valley Hospital: proof that dreams can come true.

## Service Area

Huron Valley Hospital was created to serve the people of western Oakland County. The communities included in the area served by Huron Valley Hospital are shown on the map below.



Commerce Township between East Commerce and Sleeth Roads

Community Information Line: 360-3450

## 24-Hour Emergency Services

When a family member has an accident or becomes seriously ill, immediate medical attention may be required. Huron Valley Hospital's Emergency Room provides 24-hour care for such critical situations.

Emergency Room physicians and registered nurses are trained in emergency medicine, including advanced cardiac life support techniques. The latest equipment is available in special trauma, cardiac, and major treatment rooms, and the Emergency Room's radio communication system keeps the hospital in constant contact with ambulances, air transport services such as The Detroit Medical Center's new helicopter Sky Team (which can land at Huron Valley Hospital's helipad), and medical professionals at the scene of an emergency. When required, specialists from The Detroit Medical Center, which is affiliated with Huron Valley Hospital, may be called to assist with an emergency.

When necessary, Emergency Room patients are transferred to one of the private rooms in Huron Valley Hospital's intensive and coronary care unit. The critical care staff provides expert treatment for situations in which continuous concentrated attention is required. A state-of-the-art computerized monitoring system helps medical professionals provide the best possible care.

To find the Emergency Room, on the west side of the building, follow the signs on the hospital's entrance roads.

From Milford: 5 miles east to E. Commerce Rd. entrance.

From West Bloomfield/Orchard Lake: West on Commerce Rd. to Sleeth Rd. entrance.

From Highland/White Lake/Waterford/Holly: M-59 to Bogie Lake to E. Commerce Rd. entrance.

From S. Lyon/New Hudson: N. Milford Rd. north to E. Commerce Use E. Commerce Rd. entrance.

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Families need help when an accident does happen. Fast, expert help from experienced hospital professionals. And Huron Valley Hospital is ready. For minor or serious emergencies, whenever they occur. The Huron Valley Hospital Emergency Room is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

It's good to know that help is nearby. Huron Valley Hospital.



## Family Centered Care

The staff of Huron Valley Hospital believes that caring for patients means keeping families close. To help patients and their families feel at home, Huron Valley Hospital designed patient rooms to be as comfortable and homelike as possible, with views of trees and countryside from every window and individual telephones and television sets for each patient. Visiting hours are flexible so that working families can visit on their own schedule. And children can come, too!

Meals are more like home than a hospital. Patients choose their food from an award-winning menu that offers 25 appealing, nutritious meals every day, and family members are encouraged to join patients at mealtimes.



## Maternity Care

At Huron Valley Hospital, maternity care involves the whole family, not just the mother. Families, including children, are encouraged to share the birth experience. "Couplet care," which allows the same registered nurse to care for both the new mother and her baby, is a special feature that adds to the warm feelings of new motherhood. The labor, delivery, and recovery areas at Huron Valley Hospital are cheerful and modern. And a warm, sunlit nursery makes a new baby's first days bright and pleasant.



## Pediatric Care

Children are special people, and providing medical care for them involves special considerations. Huron Valley Hospital has several programs designed to help children feel more comfortable about staying in the hospital.

Because familiarity with the hospital and its staff can make hospital stays less frightening, the staff takes children on a special tour of the hospital before their admission. The hospital's flexible visiting policies make sure that children have the reassurance of frequent visits from their families, including other children in the family. In addition, comfortable overnight accommodations are available to allow families to remain nearby during times of special concern.

### Thanks!

Thanks from the Board of Trustees of Huron Valley Hospital to the individuals and companies listed below, who helped introduce the hospital by allowing billboards to be erected on their property. Their cooperation and support has helped bring a valuable new service to the people of western Oakland County.

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And as the kids grow, they'll get to know the Huron Valley Hospital pediatrics staff. Warm and happy professionals working to help both parents and kids.

A special place for families. Huron Valley Hospital.



## General Surgery

A wide variety of surgical procedures can be performed at Huron Valley Hospital. As in other areas of treatment at the hospital, families can rely on the expertise of Huron Valley Hospital's medical staff for the latest information about any procedure that may be recommended. Specialists from The Detroit Medical Center are also available at Huron Valley Hospital for consultation and care if necessary.

Huron Valley Hospital's surgical suite features four operating rooms with state-of-the-art equipment and facilities. Recovery rooms are also provided: they are equipped with a computerized monitoring system that helps the medical staff keep a close, continuous watch on each patient's condition.

For some minor surgical procedures, an overnight stay in the hospital may not be required. Families should check with their doctors to see if the anticipated surgery can be done on an outpatient basis, which allows the patient to recuperate at home. Outpatient surgery is generally less expensive, and recovery times in the familiar, comfortable atmosphere of home are often shorter than at the hospital.



## Cardiology and Pulmonary Services

Huron Valley Hospital's cardiology department is dedicated to the prevention of heart and pulmonary disease, as well as to its detection and treatment. To promote good cardiovascular and pulmonary fitness, the hospital offers a full range of services: exercise tests, EEGs, cholesterol measurements, blood pressure checks, risk-factor analysis, electrodiagnostic testing, non-invasive diagnostic testing, pulmonary function testing, and personalized diet and exercise counseling. In addition, classes and seminars designed to help families understand heart and pulmonary disease—its prevention, its symptoms, and its treatment—are being planned.

For emergency treatment, a special coronary care unit is available. This unit is staffed by critical care specialists with training in advanced cardiac life support. The most up-to-date computerized monitoring equipment is provided.

## Thank You!

The Board of Trustees of Huron Valley Hospital is grateful to everyone who played a part in creating this new community hospital for the people of western Oakland County. Your efforts helped a community turn a dream into a reality.



## Follow-up Care

Huron Valley Hospital provides excellent follow-up care to make sure patients recover from illnesses or accidents as quickly and fully as possible. Physical therapy is an important part of such follow-up care. Huron Valley Hospital's physical therapy department uses the latest equipment to help patients regain as much of their normal flexibility and strength as possible after an injury or illness.

Physical therapy is frequently required when sports-related injuries are involved. Because the staff understands how important a daily exercise routine is to athletes, therapy for sports-related injuries is aimed at getting patients back into their conditioning routines as quickly as possible. Emphasis is also placed on teaching them how to protect themselves from future injuries.



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Everyone feels better when they're close to good health. Huron Valley Hospital.



## Volunteer Programs

More than 200 community members, both men and women, have already joined the Huron Valley Hospital Auxiliary, volunteering their time for tasks ranging from working in the gift shop to helping children feel more comfortable during a hospital stay. These volunteers are an integral part of the hospital. Their services—and their warmth and friendliness—are a valuable addition to the services provided by the medical staff. Everyone—patients, families, and staff members alike—appreciates their work.

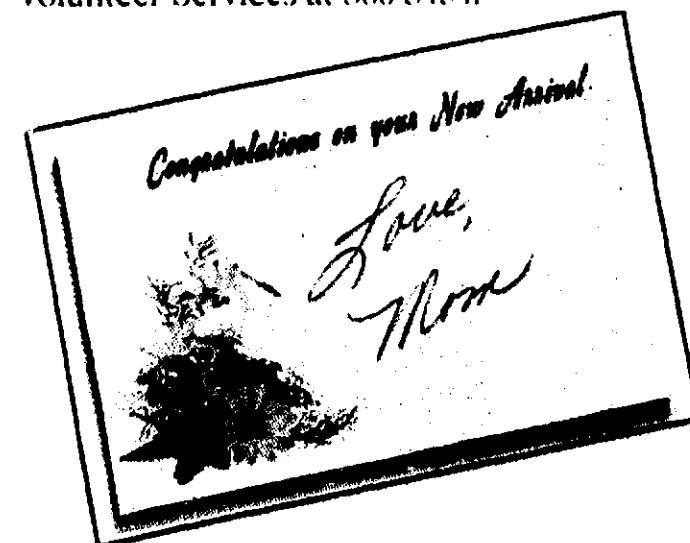
Families who have come to any of Huron Valley Hospital's special community events have seen the Hospital Auxiliary in action. Volunteers help organize the events, greet guests, show people around the hospital, and take care of a myriad of other important tasks. Their efforts help make Huron Valley Hospital a special place—a real community hospital.

To find out more about volunteering at Huron Valley Hospital, call Volunteer Services at 360-3454. The major areas in which volunteers serve include community relations, membership and by-laws, patient-care services, gift shop operation, and general hospital services (not directly related to patient care).



## Volunteers for Special Events

The Board of Trustees of Huron Valley Hospital would like to thank the many people from the community who have volunteered to help with Huron Valley Hospital's numerous special community events. Their help, and the interest of all those who have joined the hospital auxiliary since the opening events, is greatly appreciated. Anyone wishing to volunteer should contact Volunteer Services at 360-3454.



## Community Care

At Huron Valley Hospital, family-centered care is not limited to the families of hospital patients—it extends to the community as a whole. The staff shows its concern for the community by offering a variety of programs designed to promote healthier lifestyles and to make sure families have the information they need to protect their health.

### Programs that are planned include:

Public seminars on topics such as stress management and ways to stop smoking, given by specialists affiliated with Huron Valley Hospital

A special health fair in the spring, including free health tests given at the hospital

Heart-saver CPR classes

Cardiac rehabilitation program

Breathers' Club for patients and families living with respiratory diseases

Home care services, especially for respiratory, pulmonary, and physical therapy patients

A fitness trail on the hospital grounds

Pre-operative care at home when appropriate

A Speakers' Bureau to help coordinate the schedules of health care professionals with those of community groups needing speakers on medical topics

Help for patients and their families in adjusting to illness in the family

Patient education in the prevention, care, and treatment of chronic diseases

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Volunteers help make Huron Valley Hospital a better place. A place where families feel at home and patients rest easier.

Volunteers bring more of our community into the hospital. They deliver flowers, operate the gift shop, help out in offices, and lend a hand wherever help is needed.

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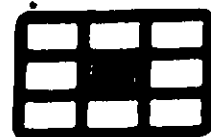


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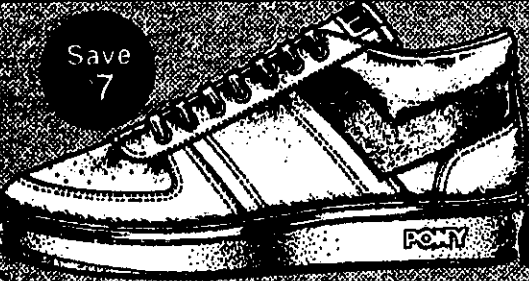


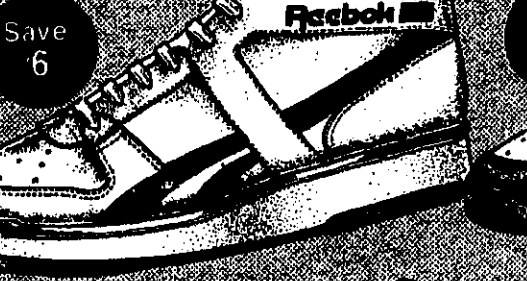

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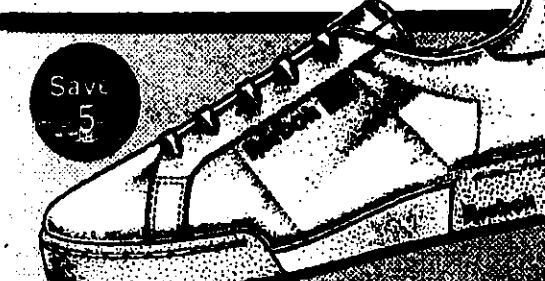







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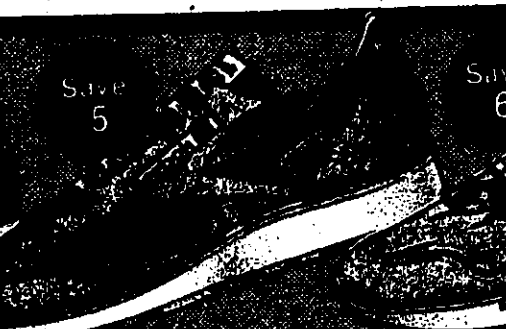




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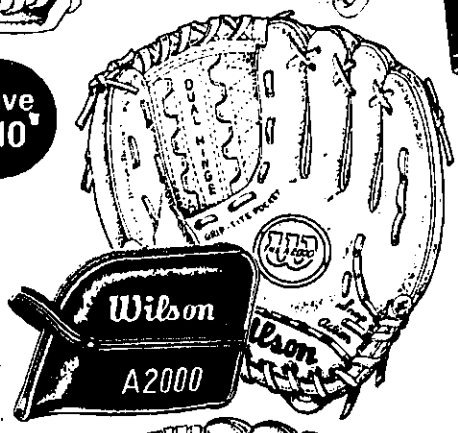
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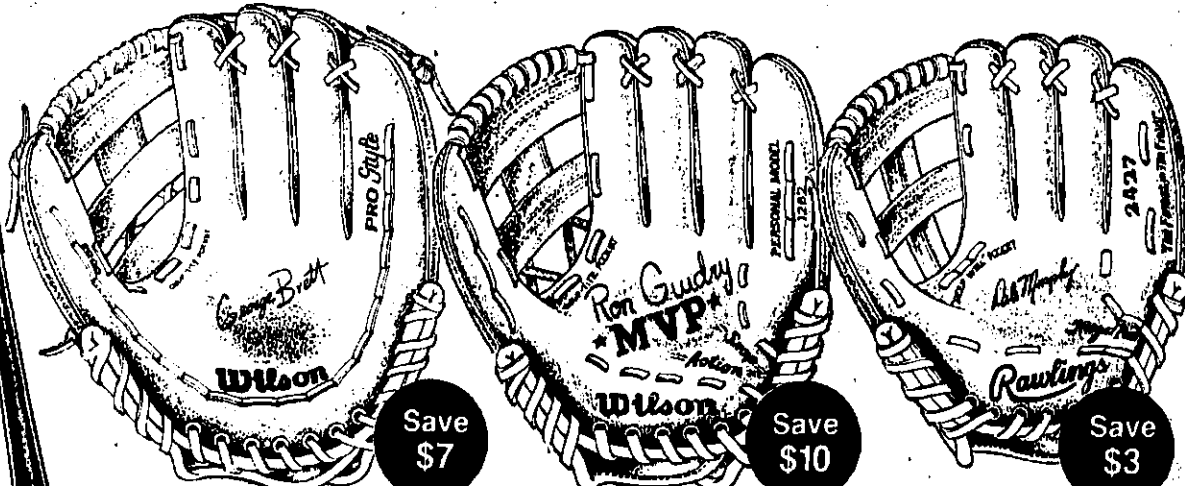
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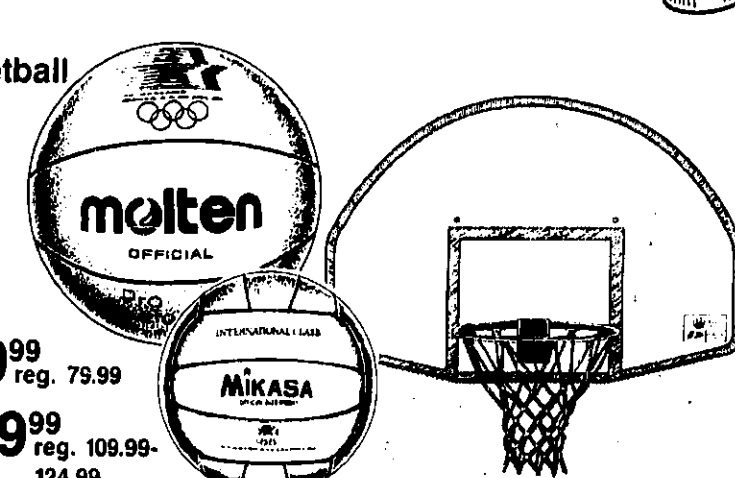
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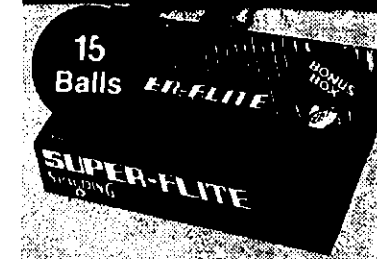
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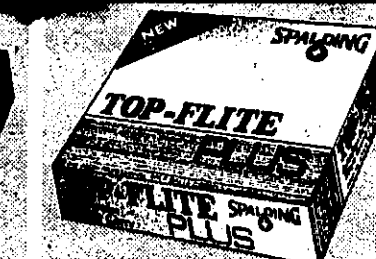
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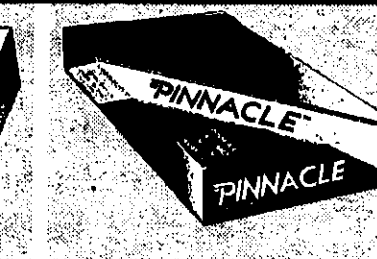
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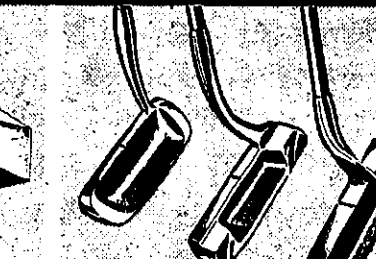
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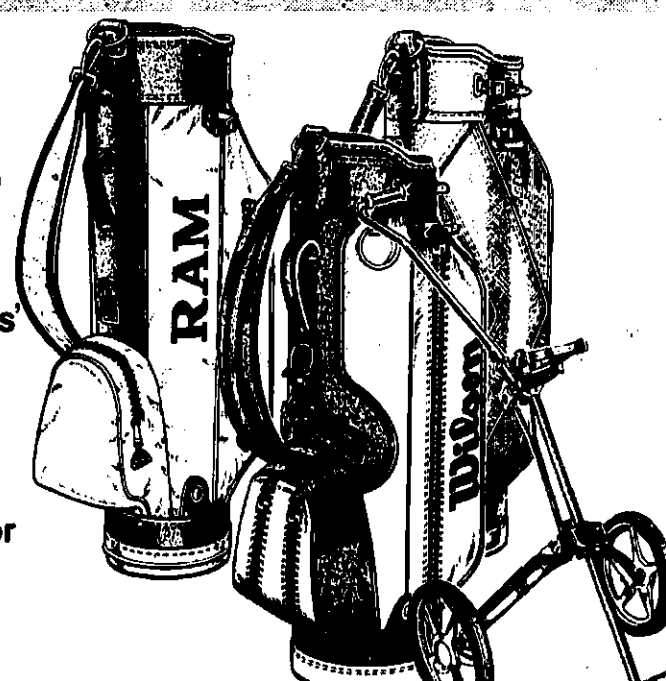
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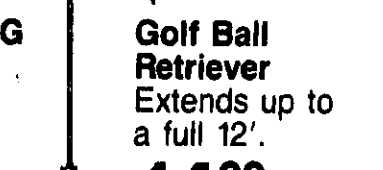


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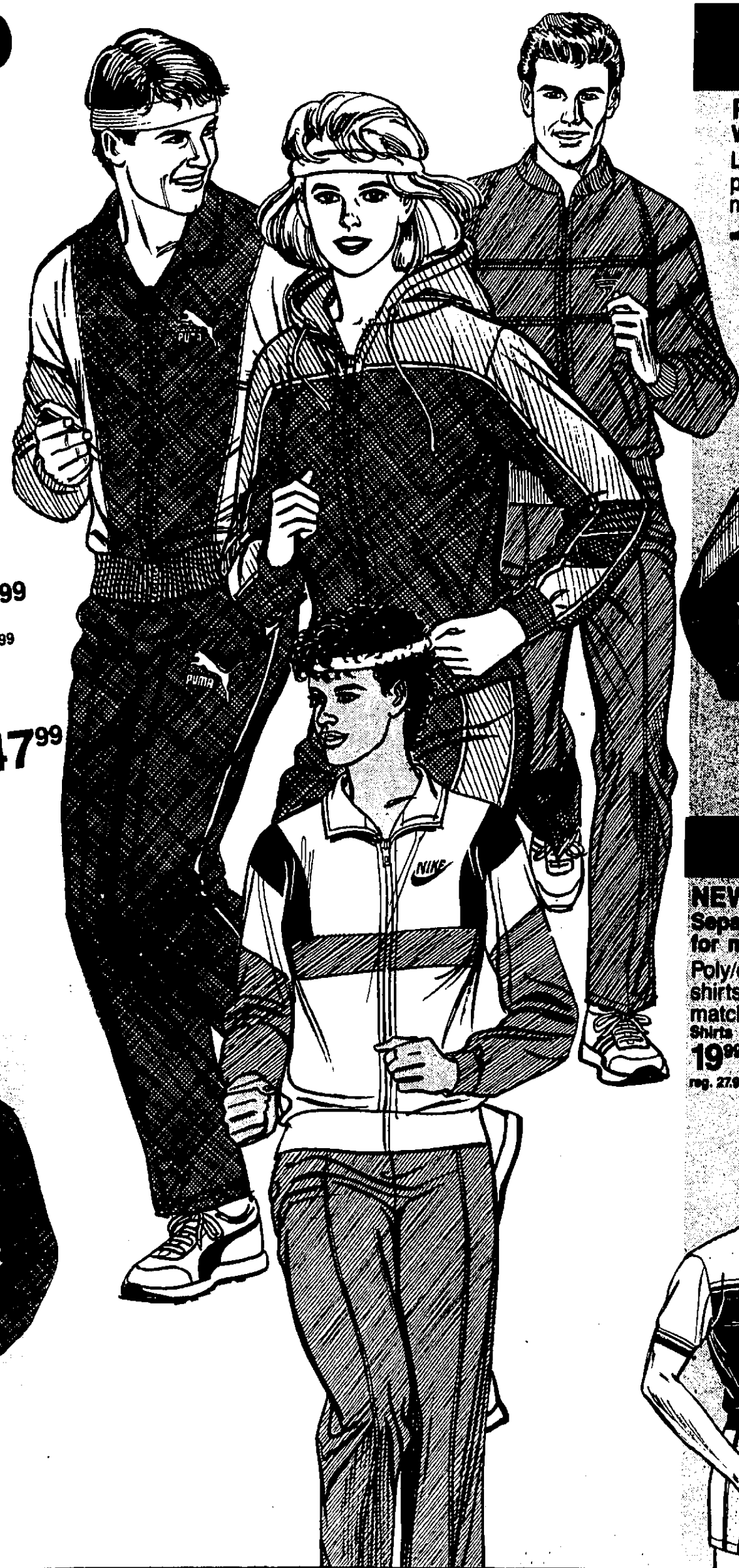
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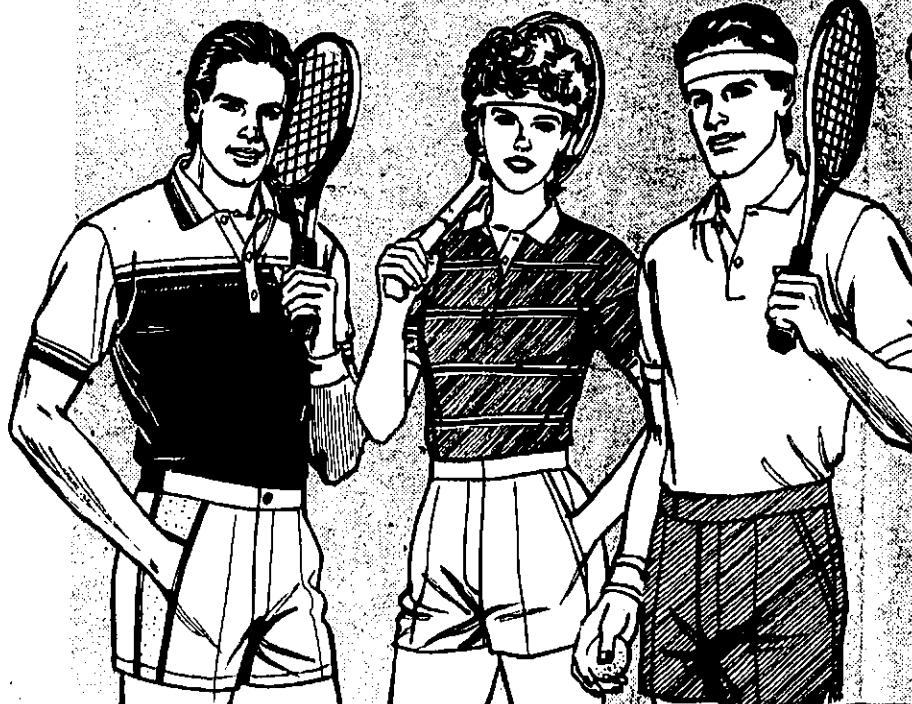
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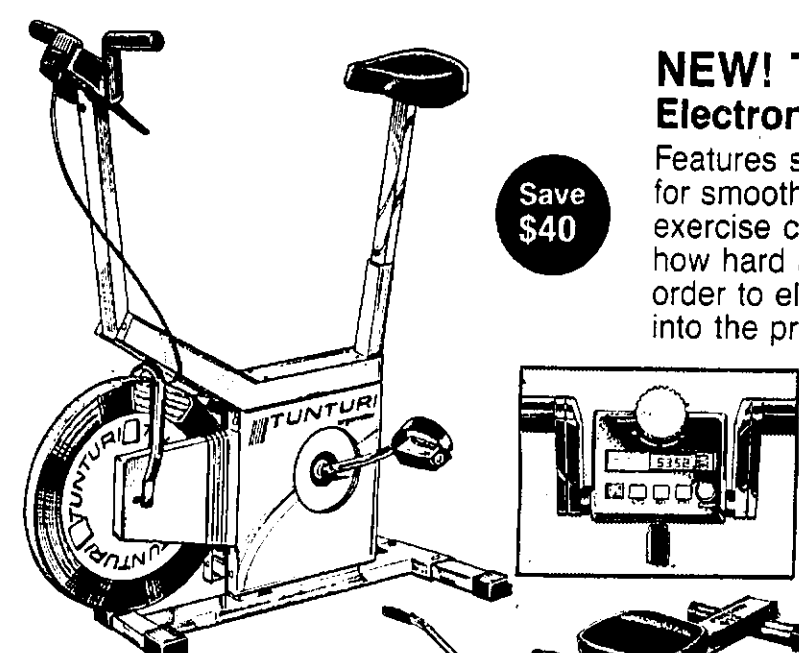
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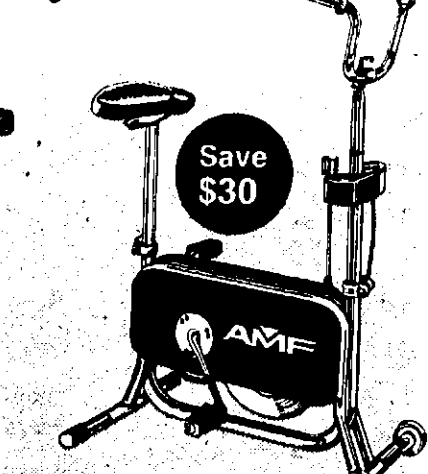
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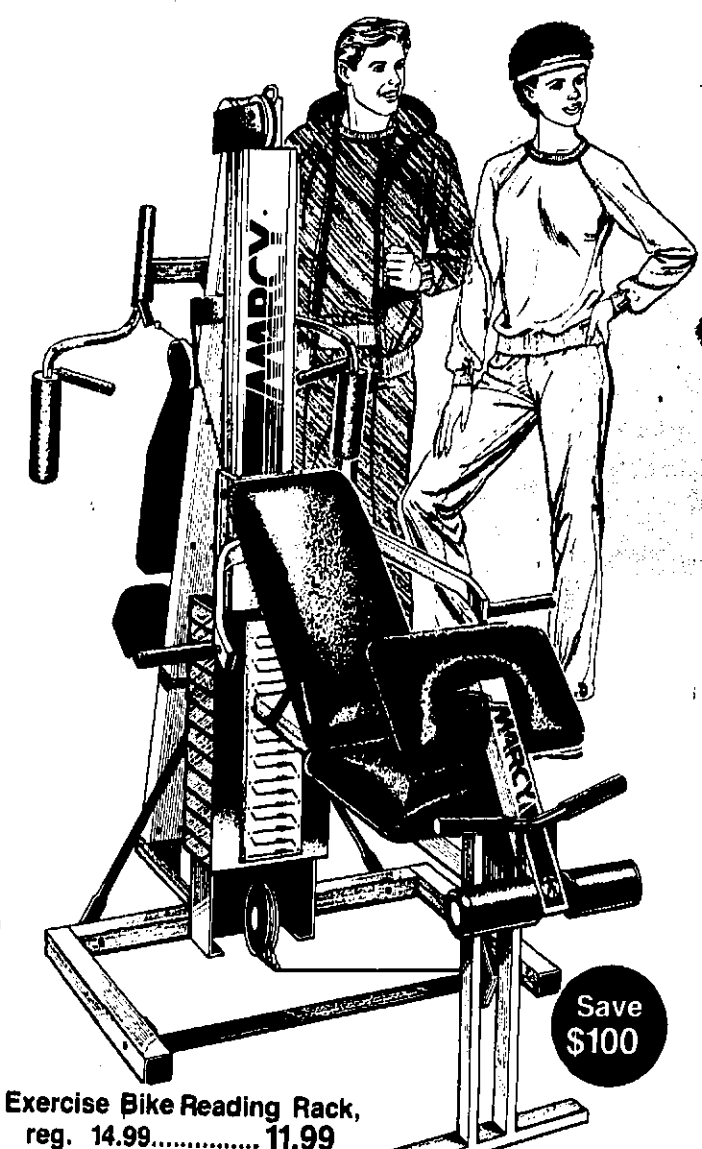
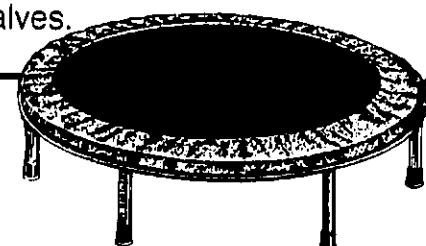
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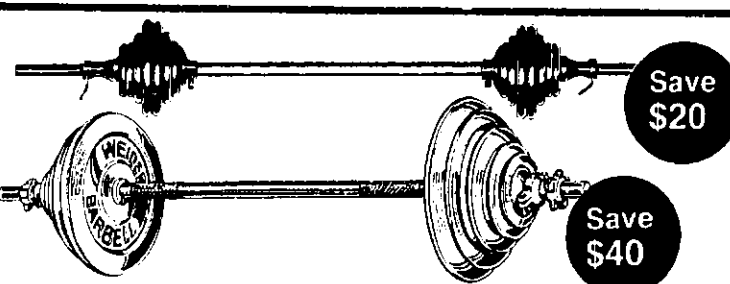
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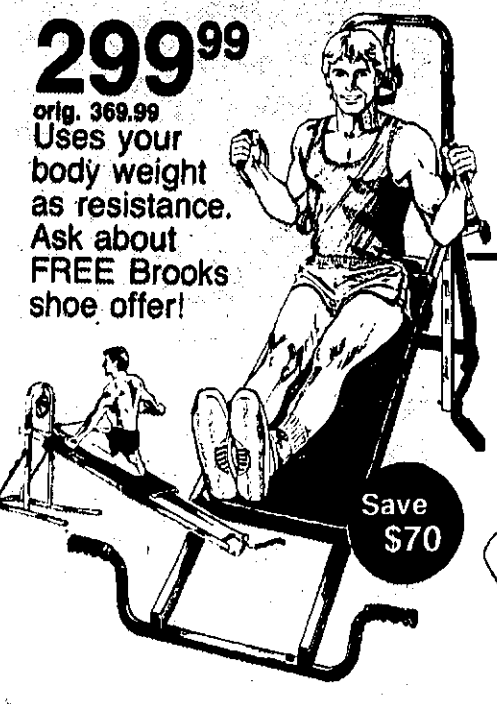
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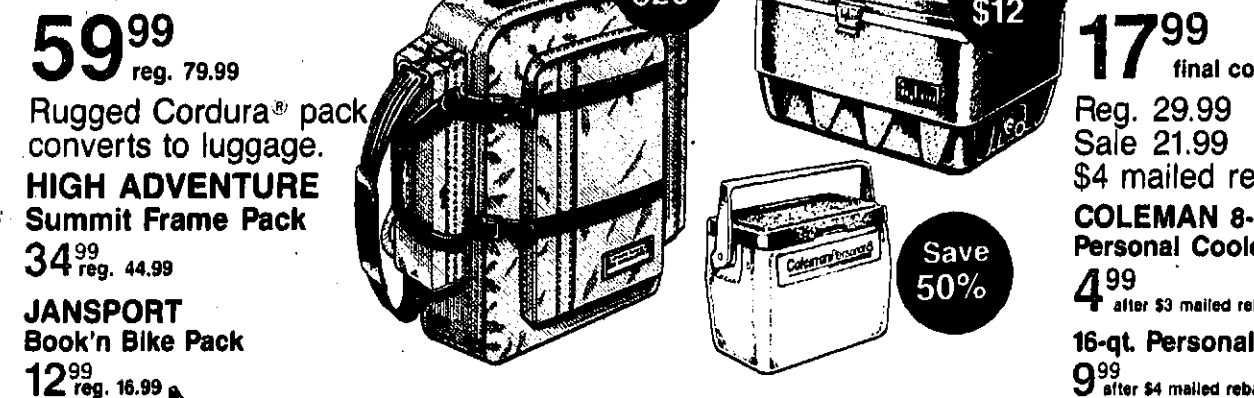
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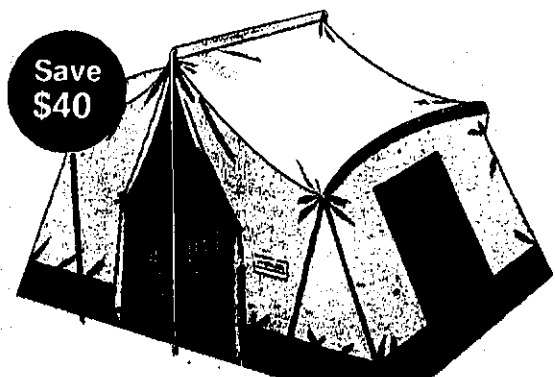
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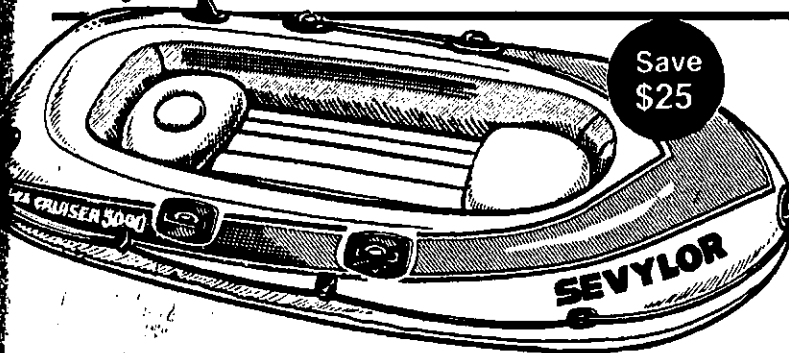
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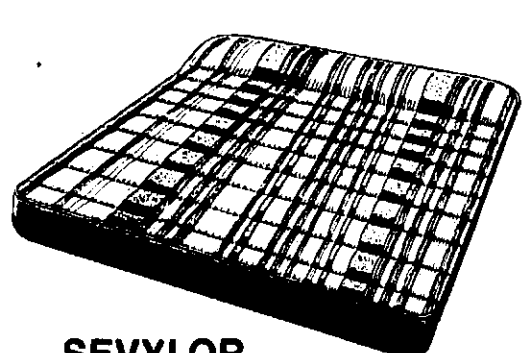
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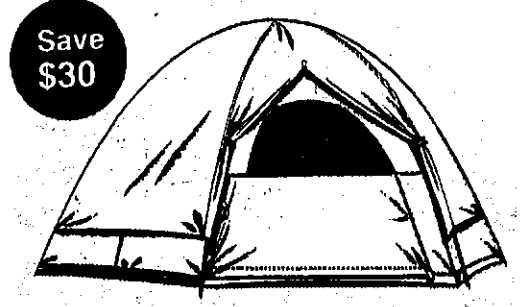
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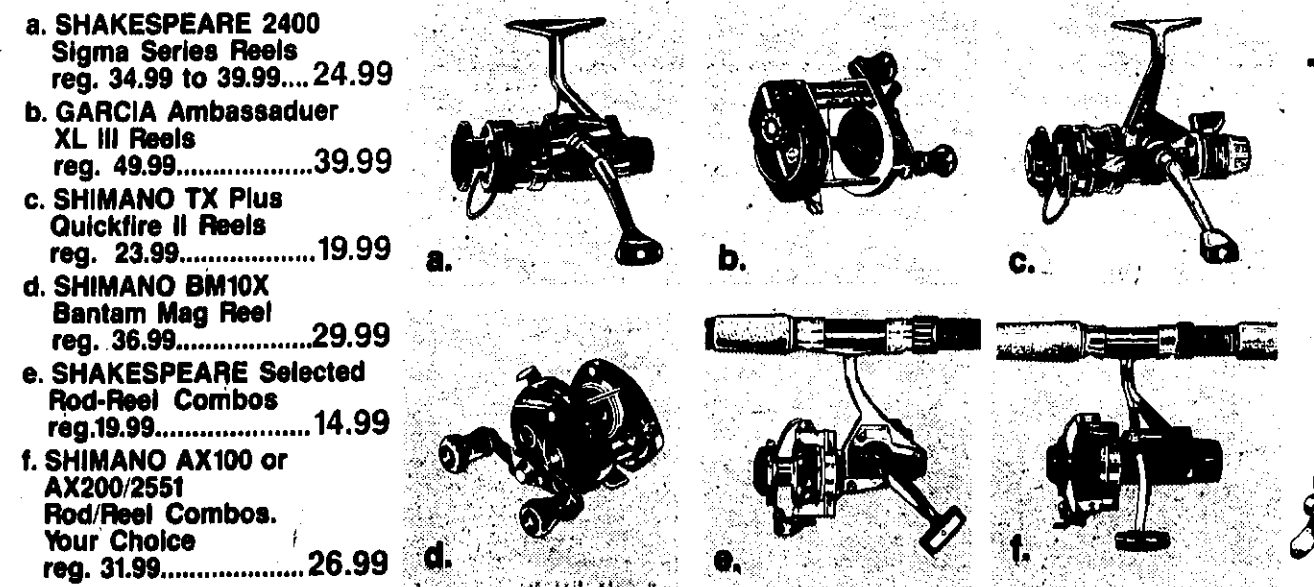


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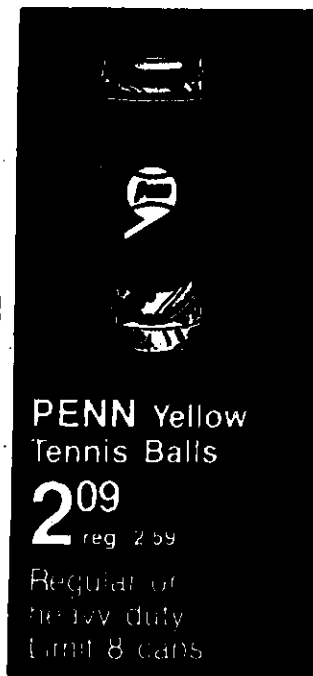
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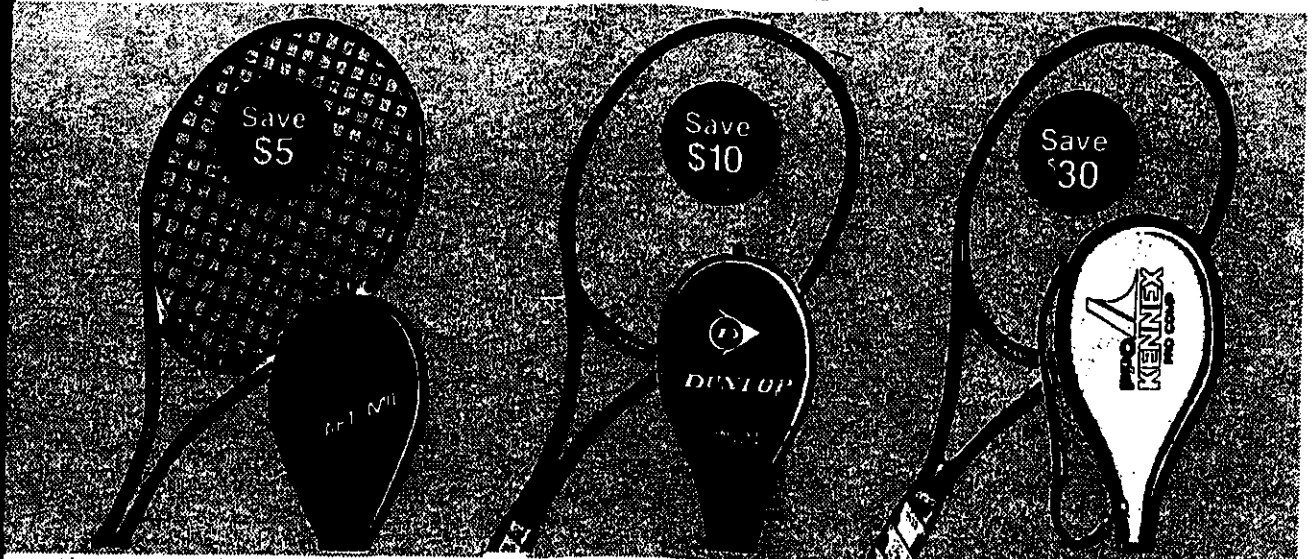
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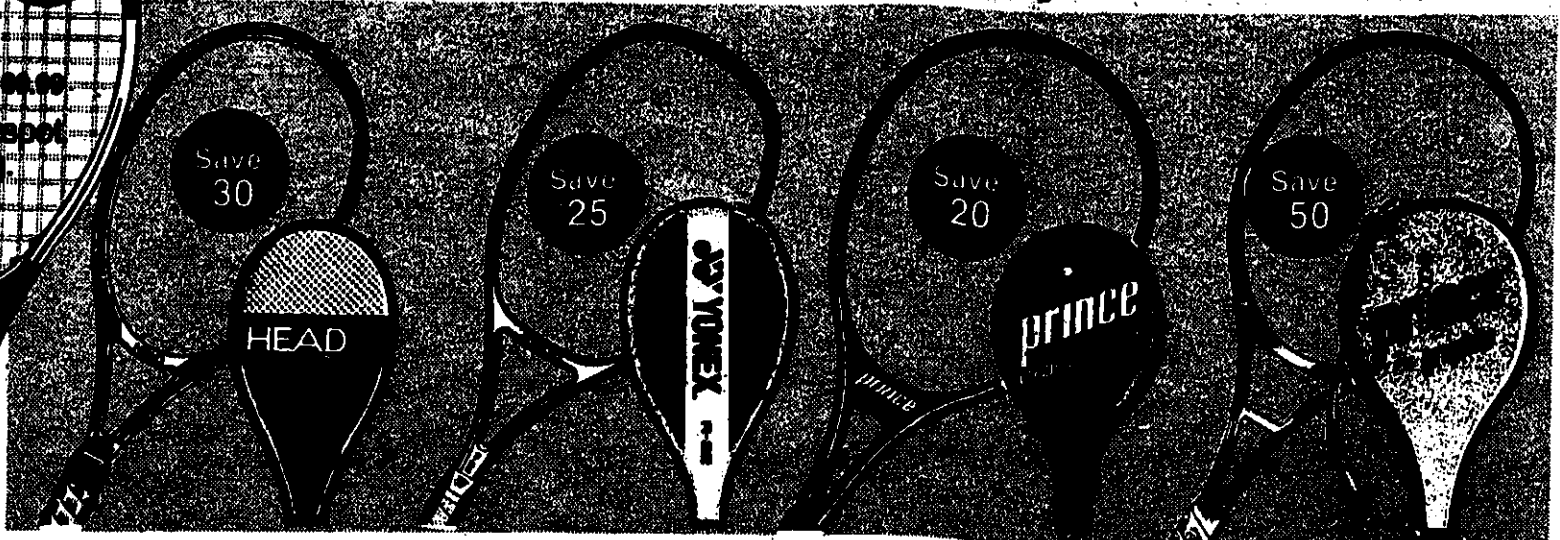
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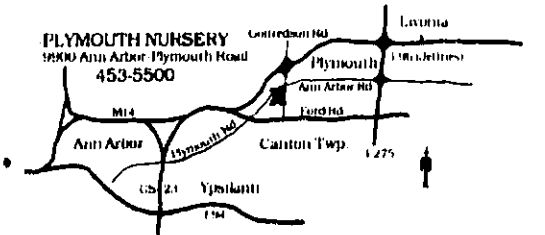
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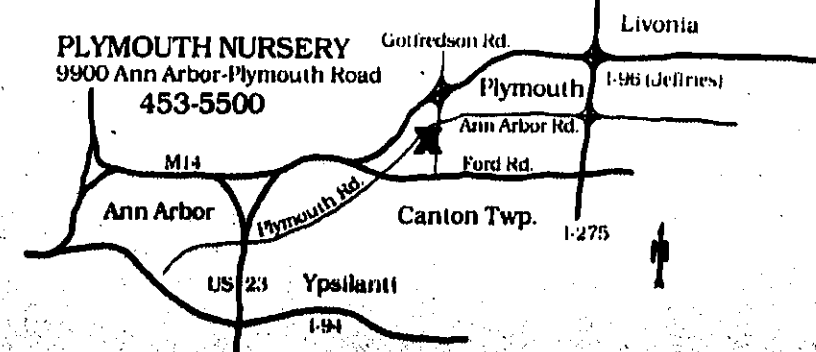
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