SPEAKING for the Record

By BILL SLIGER

About 150 Novi township residents sat in a very warm Community building last Thursday evening and listened to an authority on incorporation talk about his specialty.

The meeting was called after a committee of five men, appointed by the Board of Commerce, studied the plan of incorporation and unanimously suggested it for Novi.

These men — Walter Tuck, Dirk Groenenberg, Keith Metcalf, Russell Button and Dicron Tafralian — obviously spent many hours of research and study before presenting their recommendation. Their work cannot possibly bear them any reward except from the satisfaction that is gained from serving the community.

We suspect there will be some opposition to incorporation and to motives behind it. Opposition is fine. Incorporation is a big step for Novi and should be studied carefully. But we believe that the pros and cons of incorporation should be kept on a constructive level and that politics and personalities should be set aside.

While the vast majority of the citizens attending the meeting voted in favor of proceeding with incorporation steps, it was obvious from their questions that they want to know all the answers before the matter comes up for a vote. This questioning should be continued, and the final answer must come from what the voter believes is best for his community.

Even the authority, Dr. Freidland of Wayne State university, would not promise that incorporation as a village would be a "cure all" for Novi's ills. It will protect boundaries from further annexations, but it will not provide additional services unless the people are willing to pay for them, he pointed out.

Perhaps even more significant was Dr. Freidland's words for the farmers who fear that higher taxes and demand for their land might put them out of business. "There is no protection against this," he said. "People — not township, village or city status of government — bring about this condition. And there is no way to stop people from moving to Novi."

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We're looking forward to a big day at Briggs stadium this Thursday afternoon. It will be the first game we've seen this year and because we're attending with youngsters from recreation program and junior police we know it will be a rowsing one. And we expect to pick up plenty of material for next week's column.

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The Wednesday evening band concerts that many families have been enjoying brought this suggestion from C. B. Turnbull: why not take up a collection to provide a bandstand for Northville's high school players? A shell and a handstand could even be portable and stored in the winter months, he adds.

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We'll pass along these two facts which tie in nicely with our present circulation contest:

1. Surveys by press associations and economists show that in communities where everybody takes the local newspaper business conditions are much better than in communities principally served by dailies coming in from larger towns;

2. And from Roger Babson comes the observation that your hometown newspaper is the biggest value that you can buy.

Keeping these thoughts in mind, we hope you'll encourage the contestants who are working to obtain more readers of The Record and Novi News.

Personally, we're deeply appreciative of their efforts. Some have entered into the contest with as much a desire to gain wider circulation of our two papers as to win a prize. That attitude might be difficult for some people to understand. We only know that it's the kind of thing that makes the job of putting out a newspaper worthwhile.

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Williams in Command

DEMOCRATS ARE now embarked on their first complete operation of state government for the first time in two generations. Gov. Williams voiced a warning:

"We are on the spot to produce. We welcome that."

To the top six administrative offices won in 1956, the Democrats added the department of public instruction and the state highway department last spring.

The party celebrated by staging the first spring inauguration ceremonies in Michigan history.

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Taking office were Dr. Lynn M. Bartlett, new superintendent of public instruction, Highway Commissioner John C. Mackie, and Chris Magnusson, new member of the state board of education.

Williams spoke of a "mandate of the people," said the victories at the polls meant that the public wanted Democrats to build their highways and administer the education of their children.

It was made plain that major policies and decisions would be made in a position not too far away from the office Democrats have held for almost nine years — that of Williams.

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The Democratic take-over in Michigan was a step-by-step process.

Williams shocked Republicans in 1948 when he handily defeated former Gov. Kim Sigler, bringing in with him his own lieutenant governor John Connolly and Atty. Gen. Steven J. Roth.

Roth and Connolly fell by the wayside two years later, but Williams remained — alone but in a commanding position as chief executive.

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Came 1954 and Williams won again with his full fall slate, leaving only the department of public instruction and the highway department still in the hands of Republicans.

Last sering, the full sweep was completed.

"Now we've got no one to fight with, except the legislature (still Republican controlled)," said one Democratic chieftain.

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LADIES NOW CAN BE appointed as officers in the Michigan National Guard.

Major Gen. George C. Moran, the state's adjutant-general, asked Atty. Gen. Thomas M. Kavanagh for the legal ruling which resulted in the decision.

Kavanagh went back into the law books and discovered that only "able bodied males" were considered officer materials in the National Guard.

This, he ruled, did not take into account the need for nurses. So, he informed Moran he was perfectly proper in appointing women as officers, so long as they were designated as nurses.

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ARMY WORMS INVADED central Michigan this year in the worst assault on crops in the past 10 years.

Strangely, they are not under a state control program, thou thousands of dollars have been spent to eliminate the gypsy moth, and other insects that threaten to denude farms of crops and foliage.

The experts said the army worms invade in cycles, every three to five years, starting in July, multiplying by millions and attacking grain fields until early in August.

The 1957 invasion was on a line between Muskegon and Bay City, affecting large segments of the Saginaw Valley.

The worst concentration was in the Mt. Pleasant area where communities were asked to get together to finance an aerial spray program proven effective in other parts of the country.

One state official said the invasions normally follow mild winters after which the foliage stemmed crops — what, oats and barley — develop and mature early.

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MICHIGAN'S CAMPAIGN against trespassing on state-owned submerged lands in the Great Lakes has taken another turn.

Months ago, the state started legal action against owners of the S. S. Western States, a former lakes passenger ship now tied up at Tawas City and described by its owners as a "hotel."

The boat is used as a hotel, meals are served and other facilities provided.

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But because it rests on the bottom of Lake Huron, the state has ruled it is trespassing on land reserved for hunting and fishing by an 1888 state law which never has been repealed.

The case against the boat is still pending.

Now comes another boat, this one is a scow in Lake St. Clair which is towed out into the lake by a power boat and used as a floating fishing dock.

The state ruled that because it floats and does not touch bottom, it is legally a boat and therefore does not trespass on state-owned property.

"That's the only difference," said one state legal expert.

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You will have no unknown competitors in The Record and News $2,500 contest. The names of all contestants will appear in the paper.

Roger Babson

Part Time Retirement

Babson Park. The present system of retiring faithful and efficient workers is probably good for the junior employees. It gives them a better chance for promotion. But the younger ones must indirectly contribute to the support of those being retired through paying one half of their Social Security and other benefits. Some one must pay the bills.

EVERY CASE DIFFERENT

In many cases compulsory retirement is a blessing to all concerned. Many workers are physically unable to continue at their usual manual labor or even at office work. This, however, does not justify children putting such parents into nursing homes. This procedure is becoming too common. There is money in nursing homes for the operators; but they are sad places to visit. When I see children ruthlessly put a parent into a nursing home, it makes me feel very sad.

It seems as if some semi-retirement, or half-time plan could often be used instead of full retirement. When I discuss this with employers they state that such an arrangement would upset their "streamlined" production system and their efficient office systems. This may be true in a few cases; but if this half-time arrangement were applied to all committees, no one concerned would be handicapped.

LONGER VACATIONS

Another suggestion is that retirement systems be based upon longer vacations, in both summer and winter. Instead of a worker going on half-time by working half a day every day, he could work all day when going to the plant or office but take two months off in summer and two months or more off in winter.

With some businesses this would be a less disruptive method of adjustment; but with other industries it would be more of a handicap. Therefore, why not amend the retirement regulations to give corporations their choice? Undoubtedly, labor unions would want to be a party to such decisions; but that, too, could be worked out.

AN IMPORTANT WARNING

The most valuable advice which I can give to readers who are approaching retirement is to avoid the temptation of going into business for themselves. If you want to take a salaried job with some other concern this is OK, provided it is not a company competing with the one from which you are retiring. Certainly it is bad ethics to retire from one company on a pension and then work for a competitor or start in business yourself as a competitor. In my opinion, this comes close to plain dishonesty.

I issue a special warning against starting or putting any money into a new business of any kind. I have seen thousands of cases where able retired persons have lost, after retirement, the money which they had earned and saved before retirement. This applies equally as well to successful businessmen as to employees. They have thought that because they made a success of one business, they could make a success of some other business. This has often proved a costly mistake.

LUCK VS. ABILITY

Although these men had business ability when operating the business from which they had retired, their success was not due entirely to business skill. Other factors contributed to that success. A man may have entered his former business when the industry was young. The times, political atmosphere, or tax system, may now be very different. They may have operated at a different period in the business cycle, but styles and demand for the product may now have completely changed. The person himself may be less vigorous or progressive due to advanced age; while competition is now such that more vigor and capital are needed.

I especially warn retired persons not to go to California or Florida or to some other booming state unless they can count on a check of at least $200, besides Social Security benefits, coming from home each month as a pension or as interest or dividends. Also, before you take any job anywhere after retirement, ascertain how it will affect your Social Security and other benefits. In most cases, if you earn more than $1,200 per year you will lose your Social Security.

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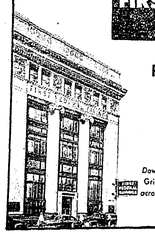

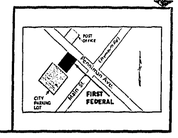

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Frank Clark: A Quarter Century of Helping Novi

He Read of Novi's Growth and Was Happy

A flag flew at half-mast in Novi last week.

It flew over the Novi township hall, heart of the government into which Frank D. Clark, at 79, had poured his energies for more than a quarter of a century.

It flew at a time when Novi was at last beginning to realize the future that Frank Clark had envisioned ever since he came to Novi from the wheat fields of the west.

This week, as the first shock of Frank Clark's passing ebbed somewhat, five of his closest friends and associates looked into the past and commented on the qualities which, in their minds and the minds of many, made him one of the most eminent and respected political figures of his time.

"You could disagree with his philosophy," said Judge Clark J. Adams of the Oakland county circuit court, "but you could never quarrel with his sincerity of purpose. He was the finest type of public servant."

"When Frank Clark died," said Novi supervisor Frazer Staman, "Novi lost not only a friend but a remarkable leader. If anyone was, Frank was the brains of the township government."

"He was a grand man," said Mrs. James Lapham, 24350 Haggerty, a close friend for many years. "They don't come any better, and seldom as good."

"Everything he did was for the good of Novi," said Mrs. R. H. Johnson, 316 South Wing, a long-time friend and travelling companion with him and his wife.

"He was a foster father to me," said Carl J. Watts of Plymouth. "And there were many other people he helped when they hardly knew which way to turn."

Throughout their recollections, certain words and phrases occurred over and over again: "kindly", "a true gentleman", "he had his own convictions, but was broad-minded", "upright", "sincere", "the type of man you love."

And above all, one thought was expressed each time: Frank Clark had only one interest as far as Novi was concerned — to make it as fine a place to live as possible.

"He was a strong leader, but not a demagogue," said Staman. "He was in government for more than 25 years, and thoroughly knew the problems facing Novi and the solutions that would work out the best."

Staman also gives Frank Clark credit for introducing him to the inreads of Oakland county politics and government after turning the supervisor's gavel over to him at the end of his term 18 years in that office.

"It is no easy job to learn the ins and outs of township and county government," he said. "Without Frank's help, it would have been like entering a lion cage. But everyone in Pontiac was Frank's friend, and Novi is all the better for it."

Staman noted that Frank Clark remained keen of mind until the end.

"His last letter was written to friends in Pontiac," said Staman. "He said: 'I'll soon be back in my old haunts at the county building, and when I am, I'll drop in to see you.'"

"And at board meetings," he added, "he could always be counted on as a voice of experience . . . a person who could rely on years of dealing with governmental problems and who could warn against pitfalls that might lie beneath the surface."

Judge Adams noted that Frank Clark was "the type of man a person could not help admiring and loving."

"He was an able administrator," he said, "but more than that, he was delighted to Novi. And in all of his dealings, whether he agreed with you or not, he was a gentleman."

Judge Adams, who knew him for many years both as a friend and as a legal associate, pointed to Frank Clark's unsung advice and assistance — particularly to needy young people — as an indication of his personality.

"He was kindly and honest and worked for the good of all," he said. "Like many others, I thought a great deal of Frank."

Mrs. Johnson, a distant relative but a closer friend, praised him for his devotion to Novi.

"I don't live in Novi, and I didn't always agree with him on politics," she said, "but I know whatever he did, it was always for the benefit of Novi."

Mrs. Johnson recalled that he liked to take trips with his wife, herself, and her husband.

"He was a good family man too," she said. "He didn't have any children, but he treated his wife — and his 'foster' children — as good as any man ever did."

Mrs. Lapham recalled many evenings when she and her husband played cards with the Clarks.

"He was always a story-teller," she said. "He would tell about his days on a wheat ranch out west, and about traveling down the old plank road to Detroit to carry his produce to market. He liked sports, but a farmer didn't have much time to himself in those days."

Watts, who lived with the Clarks for four years after his own parents died, looked on Frank Clark as a father.

"He helped me whenever I needed it — which was often," he said. "And his advice was always good. I don't know what would have happened without him."

"And I wasn't alone," he said. "He helped out many other young people. Maybe it was because he didn't have any children of his own. But in any case, he was a better father than many real fathers are."

Frank Clark's five friends had much more to say about him. But essentially, it came down to one fact: whether a foster father, a farmer, a governmental leader, or a pinochle friend, Frank Clark was admired by those who knew him.

Shortly before he died, he wrote:

"A young man lives on his dreams; an old man lives on his memories."

If those memories were as vivid as those of his friends, Frank Clark must have died contented.

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Competition Close In Battle for Votes

The vote battle is on! Today's standings show the overall leaders and the district leaders for more than $3,500 in prizes and commissions offered in The Northville Record and The Novi News contest.

The first count of votes polled by contestants was made after last week's reports. This count includes all votes credited for $30 clubs of subscriptions and the 500 free vote coupons. The published vote is not all the votes issued to contestants, but it shows their ACTUAL POSITIONS for the Novi Ford, the other prizes and the district prizes. This brings contestants up to date on what position they held in the contest. Future standings will show who is making the best Wednesday and Saturday vote reports and changes in positions.

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NOVI AREA CONTESTANTS — DISTRICT TWO

These contestants are eligible to win the Ford, the $500 cash, one of the $500 bonds, the $169.95 TV or share in the $750 in commissions.

Name and Address	Votes
Mrs. Russell Button, 44109 Grand River	647,000
Mrs. Kenneth Cook, 44239 12 Mile, Walled Lake	619,000
Mrs. Louis Chismark, 23980 E. LeBost	609,000
Mrs. Wallace Doan, 44480 Grand River	592,000
Mrs. John Chambers, 49085 Pontiac Tr., Wixom	492,000
Mrs. Robert Hanson, 26965 Taft Rd.	123,500
Leo Harrawood, 43382 Grand River	123,500
Mrs. Ruth Coon, 40362 11 Mile Rd.	70,000
Mrs. Earl J. Brady, 40960 Holly Dale	65,500
Julius Walt, Jr., 48197 West Rd., Wixom	50,000
Mrs. Joseph Gardella, 46235 11 Mile Rd.	42,500
Mrs. Shirley Bernard, 23906 E. LeBost	40,000
John H. Sorby, 2206 Novi Rd., Walled Lake	40,000
Mrs. I. Domenski, 1320 E. Lake Dr., Walled Lake	new entry
Mrs. Mary M. Wallace, 46103 Grand River	new entry
Wesley McAtee, 3023 W. Maple, Wixom	new entry

NORTHVILLE AREA CONTESTANTS — DISTRICT ONE

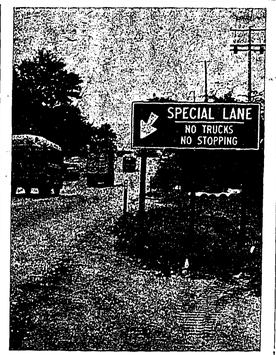
These contestants are eligible to win the Ford, the $500 cash, one of the $500 bonds, the $169.95 TV or share in the $750 in commissions.

Name and Address	Votes
Mrs. Paul Folino, 350 E. Cady St.	644,000
Joe Kritch, 370 Rayson Ave.	638,000
Mrs. Lois McAllister, 15674 Lakeside Dr.	636,000
Miss Dolores Toskin, 215 W. Main St.	628,000
Mrs. Richard Kay, 629 W. Main St.	621,000
Mrs. E. A. Krampmann, 47100 Stratford Ct.	620,000
Jerry E. Horne, 16781 Negannee Rd.	611,000
Mrs. Glen E. Deibert, 9825 Napier Rd.	610,000
Mrs. Ray McKnight, 302 Yerkes	609,500
Mrs. Pat McGuire, 240 Orchard St.	608,000
Mrs. Mary Ware, 229 Hutton St.	179,500
Mrs. Ruby Koester, 42780 8 Mile Rd.	162,000
Mrs. Wm. D. Lemon, 9760 W. 7 Mile	160,000
Miss Cynthia Mellen, 205 E. Baseline Rd.	70,000
Mrs. Mildred Lyke, 9809 6 Mile Rd., Salem	60,000
Sidney Junod, 145 Walnut St.	45,000
Mrs. Dale Richmond, 423 Beal Ave.	40,000

Race Just Starting for Real Campaigners

The race is just starting for the contestants who have confidence in their own ability and the courage and determination to try to win. It's already finished for those who knew that they couldn't win when they entered. It's also finished for those who are easily discouraged, and for those who offer reasons for their failure to make progress.

Wishing won't win, but campaigning will. Your friends can't help you unless you ask them. Contestants who pick others whom they think have some advantage over them can't hope to win. The leaders of today may be trailing when the final votes are counted. The only difference between new entrants and contestants with the highest votes in just a matter of starting a real campaign to win.



EMPTY FOURTH LANE — This scene is typical of Grand River nowadays. State officials are finding that the new fourth lane (foreground) is offering its share of problems, and are now studying ways of informing drivers of the correct way to use it. When the new Farmington-Brighton expressway is opened, the fourth lane will be abandoned.

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State Is Keeping Wary Eye On New US-16 Fourth Lane

State and local police are beginning to wonder whether the new fourth lane on Grand River is a boon or a bust.

Though officials were reluctant to make hard-and-fast statements this week, they admitted that the new lane has turned up a number of problems.

They also hinted it may have figured in a few accidents since it was opened two weeks ago.

A spokesman for the state highway department said officials are constantly studying current traffic conditions and comparing them with pre-fourth lane conditions.

He said the study indicates so far that traffic is flowing more smoothly and week end congestion has been reduced — the two goals which the new lane was designed to reach.

A representative of the Redford state police post noted that motorists still are not used to the additional lane — a fact obvious to anyone driving along Grand River.

The lane looks more like the road shoulder than a right-of-way, especially to an unfamiliar driver, he said. In addition, signs reading "special lane" tend to discourage use of the lane, rather than encourage it.

Motorists are also confuled, he said, by lane stripes. Both white and yellow stripes have remained unchanged, and drivers are uncertain as to which lanes to use.

Some drivers, he said, seem fearful of using the new outside lane to pass trucks on the right. Others, however, have no qualms about driving along what is now the third lane and running into oncoming traffic.

Novi police could not definitely attribute any accidents to the new fourth lane. But they are logging all mishaps which could be even remotely connected with it. All such reports are being compiled by the Redford state police post.

State highway officials are studying new ways of phrasing directions so that motorists may understand them immediately and clearly. There is a possibility that overhead signs may be installed.

"In the meantime," said one, "we're keeping our fingers crossed until the new expressway is opened this fall."

Landowners to Meet

The newly-formed "Novi township Farmers and Landowners Association" will meet tonight (Thursday) to discuss the effects of the proposed incorporation of Novi as a village.

Officers will be elected at the meeting.

The group will meet at the Novi community building at 8 p.m.

The association has been organized by a group of Novi landowners under Herbert Koester.

Five Are Injured In Novi Accidents Sunday Afternoon

Two serious accidents snarled traffic in Novi Sunday and sent five persons to the hospital with a variety of injuries.

Injured Sunday were

—Mrs. Ora Barlow, 49, of Detroit, internal injuries.

—Charles Barlow, 52, of Detroit, fractured skull.

—Mrs. Isabel Barlow, 35, of Detroit, fractured leg.

—Mrs. Annie Fernandez, 33, of Romulus, fractured leg.

—Mrs. Anna Palmer, 65, of Detroit, lacerations of the arm.

All but Mrs. Palmer were injured in a four-car accident Sunday afternoon at Novi road and the new expressway viaduct.

According to Novi police chief Lee BeGole, a car driven by Burnett Barlow, 35, of Detroit, smashed into a line of stopped cars, resulting in a four-car pileup. Three of the injured were riding with him.

The other three cars were driven by: Mrs. Joanne Ambrozewicz, 35, Detroit; Bennie Smith, 35, Detroit, and Raymond Fernandez, 31, of Romulus.

BeGole said Barlow had been drinking.

In a second accident Sunday, a car driven by Albert Gillison of St. Johns struck a second car at Grand River and Wixom roads, causing a major traffic jam for half an hour.

Mrs. Palmer was a passenger in his car and was sent to Ford hospital, at her request, for treatment.

The driver of the second car, Mrs. Patricia Cluckey, 2287 Wixom road, had stopped to make a left turn when Gilliison's car struck hers in the rear, BeGole said. Neither she nor her passenger, Miss Joanne Fitzpatrick, of Brighton, was injured

New Doctor, Dentist Begin Novi Practice

A new doctor and dentist will set up shop in Novi this week.

Dr. Lyle L. Fettig, D.O. and Dr. Richard M. Henderson, D.D.S., will open their clinic at 43230 Grand River, former home of Charles Trickey, Sr.

Dr. Fettig is a native of Detroit and received a bachelor of science degree from Wayne State university. His D.O. degree was awarded by the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

He interned at Detroit Osteopathic hospital and practiced in Howell for a year before coming to Novi.

Dr. Henderson is also a native of Detroit. After flying combat missions over Europe in World War II, he entered and graduated from University of Detroit school of dentistry.

He practiced in Detroit for six years.

WIXOM FACES COURT TEST

MAKING IT OFFICIAL — Wixom's newly appointed treasurer, clerk and attorney were sworn in Monday evening by Joseph Stadnik, village president, making the council's first three appointments official. Stadnik (second from left) reads the oath of office to Everett Pearsall, treasurer, while Mrs. Jesse Byrd, clerk, and David E. Utley, attorney, look on.

The village of Wixom, barely one month old, found itself involved in a legal suit this week.

The suit, brought by James P. and Mildred R. Walden and Dick B. Roach, Inc., was filed in the circuit court of Oakland county. It brought vehement reaction from Joseph Stadnik, village president.

In essence it will test the legality of the village charter adopted by the voters on July 15.

David E. Utley, village attorney, told council members he had been served with the suit officially last Friday. He explained that the plaintiffs are questioning the authority of Wixom to subject land to zoning regulations which existed under township rule until the village prepares its own zoning rules.

Specifically, the plaintiffs propose to build a gasoline station on a Wixom road site across from the Lincoln plant formerly designated M-1 (light industry) under Novi township zoning. Section 7.1 of chapter 7 of the village charter states that all ordinances and regulations of the townships will continue in force until new regulations are enacted by the village. This section has been challenged as invalid by the plaintiffs.

Word that actual construction of footings for the station had begun brought strong action from Stadnik. With council approval he ordered Utley to serve an injunction on the builders to stop construction until the suit can be settled.

In their suit the plaintiffs charged that they would suffer financial loss and a "desirable lease with a major oil company" if immediate steps were not taken.

Counsel for the plaintiffs had urged council members last week to zone the area commercial to allow construction of the station. He emphasized the need for prompt action and warned that a suit might result. Stadnik had requested that the matter be discussed with Utley before any decision was made. Utley told the council that he was informed of the intention to bring suit on the day following the council meeting.

Stadnik pointed out that the construction had begun without a building permit. "They're telling us our laws are no good," he charged. "This is a very crucial time in the village of Wixom, we should decide now whether we're wide open or not."

In other business the council took prompt action as a result of the suit by passing an emergency building code. Utley advised the council to give immediate attention to building and zoning matters.

The council also hurried the appointment of a building inspector by choosing two applicants on a temporary basis. They are Ed Wendt and Fred Thayer.

By a vote of three to two the council adopted a resolution to bring the 8-mill limitation amendment to

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Patrolman's Suspension To Come before Board

The Novi township board will take up several items of unfinished business Monday night that should make for an interesting — to say the least — meeting.

The same matters led to several aroused discussions at the last meeting, as charges and counter-charges were hurled back and forth among board members.

Foremost topic is expected to be the proposed 30-day suspension of patrolman Vernon Loeffler for allegedly engaging in political activities while on duty.

The suspension will take effect Monday unless Loeffler convinces three board members of his innocence. Loeffler said Tuesday that he had not yet been informed of the charges and therefore could not say what form his appeal will take.

In other business, the board is expected to take the often-discussed question of whether Novi justices of the peace should pay for services provided by the township.

A third topic may well be a proposed reduction in the police budget, although supervisor Frazer Staman and attorney Anthony Renne agreed at the last meeting that such action would likely be illegal.

Wixom Picks News As Official Paper

The Novi News became the official newspaper of the village of Wixom Monday evening.

By a unanimous vote of the council The News, published by the Northville Record, Inc., was named as the publication to carry all legal notices of the village.

Since incorporation proceedings and the village election, The News has provided intense coverage of Wixom activities. In keeping with this policy The News will continue to report the happenings of the area and keep pace with its growth.

Marked readership gains have been made through the efforts of an area circulation contest, which is scheduled to continue until September 21. The News also presents for the first time this week a column of Wixom activities by its correspondent, Mrs. Charles Ware, on page seven.

about WOMEN

Repeat Vows in Bride's Home

Members of the family attended the July 27 ceremony uniting Donna Lee Whittington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ebbie O. Whittington of Stratford Court and Donald John Old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Old of Detroit.

The double ring rites were performed in the bride's home, Rev. Henry J. Walch of the First Presbyterian church, Plymouth, officiating.

For her wedding, Donna Lee chose a waltz length gown of white tulle and lace fashioned with a scoop neckline and tiny cap sleeves. Her veil of illusion was held in place by a small cap trimmed with seed pearls.

She carried a bouquet of white roses centered with a white orchid.

Maid of honor Patricia McCrendie of Livonia wore a waltz length lime green taffeta gown. She carried a colonial bouquet of yellow roses.

Best man for Mr. Old was Herbert Craig of Detroit.

Mrs. Whittington, mother of the bride, chose a chiffon gown in tones of toast and beige. Her flowers were yellow roses.

Mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Old, wore a gown of champagne colored brocade, set off by a single orange orchid corsage.

Twenty-one guests were served punch and cake at the house, followed by a dinner at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth. Attending from Asheville, North Carolina were grandmother of the bride, Mrs. O.L. Arnold, and her aunt, Mrs. Marie Arnold.

Following their wedding trip to northern Michigan the couple is residing at 21455 Averill, Farmington.

Both young people are 1957 graduates of Michigan State university.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald John Old

Robert Dixon Is Engaged To Janet Ralston

Janet Lynn Ralston

Dr. and Mrs. John D. Ralston of Indianapolis, Indiana announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Lynn to Robert E. Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Dixon of North Rogers street.

The couple will be married on September 21 at the Almini Memorial chapel at Michigan State university, East Lansing.

New York Guests Honored at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brandon of Long Island, New York were guests of honor Friday evening at a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McAllister, 15674 Lakeside, Plymouth.

The Brandons are former residents of Plymouth and returned for one week on business. Mr. Brandon is associated with the New York office of the Daisy Manufacturing company.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shafer and Mr. and Mrs. William Sliger of Northville; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beyer and Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Fitch of Plymouth; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hoffman of Livonia and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cobb of Wayne.

Alayne Austin To Be Married To Bruce Carney

Alayne Austin

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Austin of Beal avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Alayne, to Bruce L. Carney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Carney of Yale, Michigan

Miss Austin is employed at the Manufacturers National Bank. Mr. Carney operates a dry cleaning establishment in Yale.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Fitzpatrick of Fairbrook avenue announce the birth of a son, Gary Norman, on August 8 at Mt. Carmel hospital in Detroit. Mrs. Fitzpatrick is the former Janice Bondy.

Former Northville Art Teacher Free Lance Artist in California

Residents who attended school in Northville about 45 years ago — and took an art class or two — will probably remember Mrs. Frances Joslin as their teacher.

Now living in Atascadero, California, Mrs. Joslin was the subject of a recent feature article in the Atascadero News, sent to Northville by Charles Freydl, Jr., who has been visiting relatives in California while on a three week vacation.

Mrs. Joslin is a sister-in-law to his grandmother Mrs. Nellie Freydl. She taught school here for three years after graduating from Ypsilanti State Normal college.

In the past eight years, the article states, Mrs. Joslin has returned to her early love of painting, and has put her artistic hand to Christmas cards, calendar scenes, and illustrated notepaper. She also does some china painting, and the article states, "the walls of her home are lined with her paintings — outdoor scenes, flower groupings and portraiture."

Mrs. Joslin also taught art classes in Atascadero for five years and writes a weekly feature, "Art Gleanings" for the Atascadero News

Susan Tobin To Marry In October

Susan Adelle Tobin

Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Tobin of 12 Mile road, Novi, announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Adelle, to Student James Hutchins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart P. Hutchins of Rochester.

An October 5 wedding is planned.

NEWS AROUND NORTHVILLE

Sixteen relatives and friends of Miss Lena Parsons, who was married to Donald Stevens on August 3, gathered at the Nine Mile road home of Mrs. Roger McClain several weeks ago to fete her with bridal gifts.

A1C William L. Russell, who has been home on 30-day leave visiting his parents, the Ed Russells, and grandparents, the Neal Clarks, left Monday of last week for his air base in Minnesota. He has been stationed in Japan for the last 18 months.

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Mr. and Mrs. William McGee of Carpenter street entertained at a family picnic last week in honor of their nephew, William a Russell. Guests included his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Russell and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Clark.

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Mrs. Florence Russell and her mother, Mrs. Nick Clark, are now making plans for a trip to New Mexico and other states of the southwest. They will leave September 3 and expect to be gone three weeks.

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Miss Geneviev Daly, former Northville music and grade school teacher, has sent word to Northville that her mother passed away August 3. Miss Daley's address is 7716 32nd Avenue, NE, Seattle, Washington.

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Miss Florence Keith and Miss Ruth M. Knapp will attend the Stratford Shakespearean Festival at Stratford, Ontario this week. They will see "Twelfth Night" and "Hamlet".

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Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Campbell of Horton street and their children, Janice and Don, have been visiting this week at the summer home of Dr. Campbell's parents at the Lake Erie Country Club in Ontario, Canada.

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Mrs. William McGee of Carpenter street and daughters, Faye and Margaret, will travel to Pickford, Michigan this week where they will attend Mrs. McGee's brother's wedding. Other members of the family attending will be from Milford and Dearborn.

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Mrs. William Cansfield of West Dunlap street left Saturday for St. Joseph's Island, Ontario, Canada where she will remain at her cottage until after Labor Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Price of North Center street attended a family picnic Sunday at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Parmenter of Ridge road in Plymouth. In all, 37 persons enjoyed the afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman F. Denne of Grace street, left today, Thursday, for northern Michigan where they will vacation for several months before moving to Florida where they are building a home.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Straus of Beck road attended their square dance club dinner party at the home of the C. Richardsons in Detroit last Saturday night.

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Rev. and Mrs. John O. Taxis and family returned last week from Ocean City, New Jersey where they spent the month of July vacationing.

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Mrs. Mary Alexander of Linden street will leave Saturday for a two weeks vacation in Boyne City with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray.

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House guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Wilsher of South Rogers street this week is their niece, Mrs. Richard Bashaw of Detroit.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sober attended the wedding last week of their niece, Miss Jane Burr, to Richard Massey at Manchester, Connecticut.

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Miss Sylvia Hollis spent a few days last week with Mrs. Margaret Hollis of Beal avenue, Northville. Sylvia is now assistant head nurse in pediatrics at New Grace hospital in Detroit.

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Mrs. John Shy and children, Betsy and Timmy, will be returning to their home in Jericho Center, Vermont next week after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Massilink of West Seven Mile road, for a month. Mrs. Shy will soon be moving to Princeton, New Jersey to join her husband at the university.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Biery of West Dunlap street flew to Terre Haute, Indiana and Chicago on business on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

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Last Monday evening the J. E. Strauses of Beck road entertained their square dance club at dinner.

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With four active children and a new baby, Mrs. Paul M. Cargo of West Dunlap street likes dishes that are quickly and easily prepared — especially when guests are expected.

Such a recipe is this one for "Cucumber Salad", submitted by Mrs. Cargo, the mother of Sarah, 3; Elizabeth Lou, 5; Cynthia, 8; William, 10, and Paul, Jr., two months old.

CUCUMBER SALAD

Combine one package of lime-flavored gelatin with one cup hot water. Let stand until mixture starts to jell. Then add:

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1 cucumber, grated
2 teaspoons grated onion
1 box cottage cheese

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NEWS AROUND NORTHVILLE

Mrs. Sarah Lewis and Miss Leona Parmalee of Sunset avenue attended the wedding of Mrs. Lewis' niece in Columbus, Ohio last Saturday.

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Lt. and Mrs. Richard K. Somers of Sherman, Texas are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Somers of Northville and Mrs. Victoria White of Walled Lake for the month of August.

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Roy Stone of East Seven Mile road and his four sons, LeRoy, Martin, Kenneth and Jerry, returned last Saturday from a two week trip. They visited the capitols of 12 states: Wisconsin, South Dakota, Wyoming, Montana, Colorado, Nebraska, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, North Dakota, Kansas and Minnesota. Other highlights of their trip were the Wisconsin Dells, the Bad Lands, Yellowstone Park, Devil's Tower, the Black Hills, the passion play and rodeo at Deadwood, and the sighting of four buffaloes, an antelope and 45 bears.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Eastland, Susan and Mike, of Fairbrook avenue, returned home last week end from their vacation. They spent most of their time at Sioux Look Out in Ontario fishing.

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Susan Eastland left last Saturday for Camp Waterville near South Haven for two weeks.

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Mike Eastland will be leaving Saturday with the Explorers troop on a canoe trip. They will pick up their boats and food at Ely, Minnesota and will be gone about ten days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hollis of Randolph street spent the week end visiting relatives and friends in Owosso. They also attended a family reunion in Bentley Park.

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Mrs. Walter Wagner of South Rogers street is having a Winona club meeting tomorrow (Friday).

Receives Degree From Texas College

Mrs. Richard Somers

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Recently graduated from Austin college in Sherman, Texas, was Mrs. Richard Somers, the former Eva White of Northville.

Mrs. Somers majored in English. Her name was on the dean's list all four years. She was a member of the 1953 graduating class of Northville high school.

The Northville Review club will meet Thursday, August 22 at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Johnson. Mrs. C. M. Goodrich will review "A Letter from Peking" by Pearl S. Buck.

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Pam Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kay of West Main street, recently returned from spending a week's vacation with Dr. and Mrs. H. Handorf and family at Glen lake.

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Mrs. Vance Masters and Mrs. Beth Lapham spent a few days last week visiting in Princeton, New Jersey. They were the guests of Miss Elizabeth Thomas, and also visited with Mrs. F. A. Northrop and Mr. and Mrs. Starr Northrop. Mrs Masters sailed for Norway Wednesday and Mrs. Lapham has returned to Northville.

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Tom Campbell of Wing street and Warren Feole of Six Mile road returned to their homes last Sunday after spending a week touring northern Michigan.

Gloria Antilla, Robert Erwin Plan Winter Wedding

Gloria Marie Antilla

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Antilla of Republic, Michigan announce the engagement of their daughter, Gloria Marie, to Robert K. Erwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. James N. Erwin of South Lyon.

A December wedding is planned.

Entertaining at a picnic last night were the Eldon Bieroys of West Dunlap. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lou Newman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bruien and family, both of Detroit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Luchtman and daughters, Diane and Gail of Orchard drive, just returned from a week's vacation at Manitoulin Islands on Georgian Bay.

Newcomer's Corner

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

IN THEIR NEW HOME since March have been Mr. and Mrs. George Bernard and daughter, Janet. The Bernards have two other daughters, both married. One lives with her family in nearby Novi and the other in the Bernard's former home town, Ferndale.

After living in the same place for 18 years, the George Bernards decided it was time for a new home and they picked Northville as the spot to build.

They have lived at 47115 Grassmere road, Northville Estates subdivision, since March, when they moved from Ferndale.

The Bernards have three daughters, one of whom graduated from high school in Ferndale last June. Janet, 17, will attend beauty school in the fall.

The others are Mrs. Dennis Burrows of Novi and Mrs. John Groat of Ferndale. The Burrows' are the parents of a boy and girl, and Mr. and Mrs. Groat have two sons.

The grandchildren, Mrs. Bernard admits, are now her main hobby. While in Ferndale, though, she led girl scout troops for 12 years.

Mr. Bernard, employed at Ford Motor company, likes to indulge in fishing and pheasant hunting in his spare time.

Mr. Bernard has been with the Ford Motor company since 1920. In his present position, he serves as assistant to the director of assembly operations on the manufacturing staff.

Couple Married By Justice Bogart

Claire Norma Rix of Livonia and Hugo Joseph Blanke of Detroit were united in marriage last Saturday by Justice E. M. Bogart.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Fletcher of Washington, Michigan were the attending witnesses. Mrs. Fletcher is a sister of the bridegroom.

Mr. Blanke is the hallmaster of the Detroit House of Correction.

Phone local news items — parties, dinners, trips — or just a friendly get-together with the neighbors — to the society editor, Northville 200.

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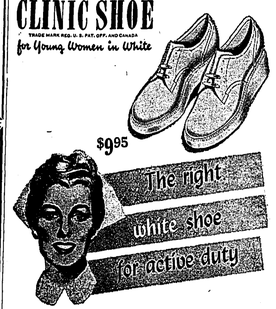

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Motorcycles to Compete At Downs on Labor Day

Motorcycle racing — one of the most dare-devilish sports ever devised — will come to Northville on Labor Day.

A three-star championship race will be run at Northville Downs as part of the September 2 national holiday, with at least 30 top riders expected to take part.

The race is being staged by promoter Mel Larson, of Plymouth, who brought auto-racing back to the Downs on July 4 with the first running of the Northville '100'.

The motorcycle competition will be sanctioned by the American Motorcycle Association, Larson said, and will follow the standard pattern of time trials, six 10-lap heat races, and two 10-lap feature events.

Time trials will begin at 12:30 p.m. and the first event will get underway promptly at 2:30 p.m.

Larson has cleared the race through the Northville city council and officials of Northville Downs and the Northville Driving club.

He said Betty Wilkon, chosen queen of the Northville '100' and "Miss Novi AMVET", may be on hand to present prize money to the winning riders.

Larson, who will not compete as he did in the '100', said the Northville race will be the first motorcycle competition on a half-mile track in the Detroit area in many years.

He called the clay surface of the Downs oval "ideal" for motorcycle competition.

Larson added that, although motorcycle racing ranks with hobsledding as one of the world's most spectacular sports, it will be completely safe for spectators. The track's retaining walls will be reinforced and other precautions will be taken to insure the safety of all fans.

Dan Van Vleek, Michigan referee for the AMA, said entry blanks are now in the mail and at least 30 riders should be on hand for the Labor Day classic.

Larson also announced that negotiations are underway for two special auto events to follow the motorcycle competition that day.

In the event of rain, the race will be held the following Saturday, September 7.

Tickets will go on sale at the Downs at 11:30 a.m. on the day of the race.

A special admission plan will be offered for reserved and box seats. For reservations or further information, call Plymouth 1092-W2 or Northville 1140.

County Prepares to Fight Outbreak of 'Asiatic Flu'

Plans are being developed to combat a possible outbreak of "Asiatic flu" in Wayne county — including the Northville area.

The Wayne county health department, the Wayne county medical society, and private physicians are now working to protect county citizens against the disease which is threatening to spread across the country this fall.

The announcement came this week from Dr. Edwin Marcus, communicable disease control director for the county health department.

"Asiatic flu is not very serious for any one individual," said Dr. Marcus, "since it is no different from the other kinds of 'flu' or 'grippe' with which we are familiar".

Dr. Marcus said many drug companies have been licensed to provide a vaccine to protect individuals against the disease.

Northville Council Proceedings

A regular meeting of the Northville City Council was held at the City Hall Monday eve., Aug. 5 at 8:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Ely, Councilmen Allen, Reed and Welch.

Absent: Councilman Canterbury.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

Bills amounting to $58,279.56 from the General Fund and $1,791.29 from the Water Fund were presented, and it was moved by Reed, supported by Allen, that same be paid.

A motion was made by Reed, supported by Welch, that the resolution presented by George Clark, of the Clark Insurance Agency, requesting that the City of Northville furnish fire protection to the territory embraced within the Township of Northville be adopted. (This resolution was passed at the request of the Michigan Inspection Bureau, so that fire insurance rates could be reduced on certain properties under city hydrant protection outside the corporate limits.) Motion was carried.

It was moved that engineering bills amounting to $8,600.38 from Atwell-Hicks, Inc., Ann Arbor, Michigan, be allowed and paid. Carried.

The following agreement with Mr. Harold W. Penn, the new engineer hired by the City of Northville, was presented by Mgr. Robertson: "I, Harold W. Penn, a partner in the engineering firm of LaPorte & Penn, do hereby agree to supply engineering services to the City of Northville under the nominal retainer of $230.00 per year, beginning July 1st, 1957. Reference is made to my letter of September 28, 1956, in which is outlined the charges which will be made for engineering services and field work.

This agreement can be terminated at any time in the future by either of the parties hereto.

The retainer fee as above mentioned shall be billed to the City of Northville quarterly."

It was moved by Ely, supported by Reed, that this agreement be entered into with Mr. Penn. Carried

Motion was made by Welch, supported by Allen, that Mr. Raymond Wilson be hired to make appraisal of the following properties: Parcels 9 through 15 of Green Valley Acres, Northville Township; Lots 4 and 5 of Assessor's Northville Plat No. 1. (This is to be done in preparation for condemnation proceedings to be started in case this property cannot be acquired by purchase at a reasonable figure.) The Chase and Manning & Locklin properties involved in the development of a new well for the City of Northville is also to be included in this appraisal. Motion was carried.

Mgr. Robertson presented a resolution for adoption for the City Council favoring the proposed relocation of the Eight-Mile cut-off on the present site of Carlyle St. and offering its cooperation and assistance to both the Wayne and Oakland County Road Commissions in order to expedite the construction of the relocated Eight-Mile Road along the proposed Carlyle St. route. It was moved by Reed, supported by Welch, that this resolution be adopted. Carried.

Councilman Reed presented a resolution that the dedications of property in Fairbrook Court for highway and public utilities easement, the first of which was dated Sept. 30th, 1953, and the second dated Oct. 22nd, 1956, be declared null and void and that the acceptance of these dedications be revoked and declared vacated, because of an error in property description. Moved by Reed, supported by Ely, that this resolution be adopted.

A new resolution was then presented correcting the errors contained in the previous dedications, and it was moved by Reed, supported by Welch, that same be adopted. Carried.

No further business appearing, meeting was adjourned at 10:45 p.m.

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Downs Studies Improvements at Track

Dogs on Loose Face Cooked Goose

Northville and Northville township are planning "catch-up" for its "hot dogs".

That was township dog warden Roy Utley's way of saying this week that dogs running at large will be picked up.

Utley said local residents have complained of dogs running loose "and barking in their nightly travels."

Apprehended dogs will be held for 36 hours, Utley said, and owners must pay a fine and board bill. If unclaimed in 36 hours, they will be destroyed.

If the current drive fails to correct the situation, he added, more drastic measures will be used.

Crash Victims "Making Progress" At U-M Hospital

Three Northville men who were injured in an automobile accident August 5 are all said to be "progressing well" at University of Michigan hospital in Ann Arbor.

Glen Howarth, who was in a coma following the crash, is now fully conscious although still suffering a concussion.

X-rays have shown that Richard Alkire suffers a crushed vertebra, a cracked collar bone and a torn ligament and muscle in his left knee. He will be in a cast for six weeks.

Bruce Rose, driver of the car, has been walking and is reported improving. He suffered minor bone breaks and multiple lacerations of the hands and scalp.

The crash occurred when Rose' car crashed into a tree when he was driving south on Northville road Monday evening.

Howarth, a senior at Alma college, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Howarth of Seven Mile road. Rose, a junior at the same school, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rose of Meadowbrook road. Alkire, discharged from the armed services in May, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Alkire of Fry road.

Merchants Sponsor Shop At Home Ads

Twenty-six local merchants began a 13-week series of full-page advertisements this week to promote shopping in Northville.

The campaign will feature two local stores each week and relate the variety of merchandise available to shoppers in Northville. It will emphasize the convenience of shopping locally as well as the reliability of home-town merchants.

Stone's Gamble store and Northville Drug company are the first two stores featured in this week's page. Other sponsors of the campaign are: Brader's, D. & C Stores, E.M.B. Market, Famous Stores, Freydl Cleaners, Freydl's Women's Wear, G. E. Miller Sales & Service, Gunsell Drugs, Glenn Long Plumbing & Heating, Johnson's Gift Shop, Lawrence Mayer Florist, Lila's Flowers & Gifts, Marr Taylor Ford Sales, Northville Electric, Northville Hardware, Northville Men's Shop, Northville Refrigeration, Nowels Lumber & Coal, Rathburn Chevrolet Sales, Ritchie Bros. Laundromat, Schrader's Home Furnishings, Sibley's, Tewksbury Jewelers and Villa Dress Shoppe.

City Taxes Nearly One-Half Collected

With two weeks remaining before a four per cent penalty is imposed Northville city taxpayers have paid $44,190 of the $95,000 collectable on real estate and personal property, August 31 is the last day that city taxes may be paid without the penalty, John Robertson reminded taxpayers this week. The city manager stated that individual collections had been normal and that many of the larger accounts still unpaid would bring the total up considerably.

Taxes may be paid to the clerk in the city hall from 8:30 to 5:00 daily, and Saturday mornings.

FIRE'S AFTERMATH — The Northville division of Allied Products Corporation—the city's second largest industry until a week ago — was in almost total ruin this week. While wrecking crews dismantled the remains, company officials discussed the plant's future. See other pictures on page 8.

Fate of Allied Plant in Doubt

The fate of the razed Northville division of Allied Products Corporation and of its 65 employees remained in doubt this week.

The Allied Products board of directors was to meet in Detroit yesterday to discuss rebuilding the plant, destroyed last week in a spectacular $1,000,000 fire.

It was the second largest industrial firm in the city, ranking only behind the Northville Ford valve plant.

Meanwhile, wreckers and a handful of employees this week began the immense task of tearing down the plant and attempting to salvage undamaged or repairable equipment.

John J. Roberts, manager of the Northville powdered metal parts division, said the building appears to be a total loss and will almost certainly have to be leveled.

"If the board of directors decides to rebuild," he said, "it will have to be a completely new plant from the ground up."

Roberts estimated that at best it would take seven months to a year to build a new plant.

Though no official damage figure has yet been determined, Roberts said the original $1,000,000 estimate should not be far off.

Company officials were heartened with the news that four mammoth furnaces, each costing $100,000, now appear to be salvagable. Originally, they were written off as damaged beyond repair.

"But except for the furnaces," said Roberts, "we don't expect to salvage much. We may be able to repair a few pieces of small equipment used in our secondary operations, but that's about all."

The Alfred A. Smith company of Ferndale began wrecking operations last week but were held up until insurance investigators could complete their survey of the damage.

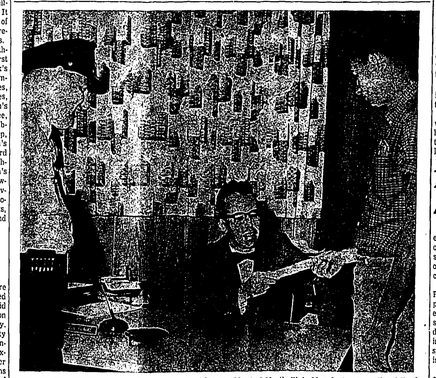
Only some 10 of the Northville firm's 65 employees are engaged in the wrecking and salvage operations. But Roberts said that others will be put to work on stock-taking, labling and inventory work when it is started.

City officials have expressed keen interest in the plant's fate. In addition to employing some 30-35 Northville workers, it contributed a healthy share of the city's tax revenue.

Jobs Offered To Allied Wives

A Detroit employment firm has offered wives of idled Allied Products workers "first call" on temporary office jobs.

The Russell Kelly Office Service said it will attempt to find jobs for women if they can identify themselves as wives of Allied workers and if they have some basic ability in work connected with a business office.



DELIVERY SERVICE — A. Russell Clarke, vice president of Northville's Manufacturers National Bank office, didn't have to leave his desk to purchase tickets to the "Summer Festival". The event is being sponsored by members of the local Modified Auto club and will be held this Saturday evening in the parking area next to the First Presbyterian church. Dancing, music and refreshments will be provided and adults as well as youngsters are invited to join in the fun. Above Officer Eugene King, club director, looks on as Victor Miller sells Clarke his tickets.

Eye Larger Grandstand, Wider Track, Tote Board

Major improvements at Northville Downs are now being considered by officials of the Downs and the Northville Driving club.

Though negotiations are still far from complete, Downs general manager John Carlo said this week that three undertakings are being studied:

— enlarging and remodeling the grandstand

— widening the track itself

— and installing a new tote board.

In addition, Carlo announced that two new permanent barns are near completion at the winter barn complex on the St. Lawrence property.

Downs and Driving club officials met Tuesday night to discuss the improvements, but Carlo said no definite decisions were reached. Further discussions will be held at future meetings of the two groups.

"We're still weighing the question of finances against the time element," Carlo said. "And, of course, there are many other factors to consider before we definitely know what our plans will be."

One other key to the improvements is the proposed sale of River street property to the track.

The Downs wants the property — now owned by Wayne county — for use as an entrance and exit, but until recently the sale has been blocked by the Northville city council on grounds that it would be detrimental to nearby property.

An agreement between the city and track authorities on use of the land appears near, however.

Carlo did not say how much the grandstand would be enlarged, nor did he indicate what remodeling steps are under consideration.

The track itself would presumably be widened enough to allow eight horses to race abreast, instead of six abreast and two trailing as has been necessary until now.

The tote board would be the type which flashes the total amounts wagered on each horse as betting proceeds. At present, only the odds are flashed.

But Carlo pointed out that the Downs is not yet required to have that type of board.

"It's required after a track has had an average daily handle of over $250,000 for three out of five years," he said. "We passed that mark in 1955 and 1956, but fell short of it by just a few dollars this year."

"So we could go at least another year without putting it in," he said.

Carlo also noted that a new tote board cannot be installed until the grandstand is remodeled, so as to provide a new tote room for the board's bulky tabulating equipment.

The two new barns on the St. Lawrence property bring that barn area's capacity to 300 horses, as required by state racing commissioner James H. Inglis in 1955.

Construction began early this summer. The barns are completed except for a small amount of finish work and cleaning up. All are winter barns constructed of masonry.

The area includes a laundry, shoeing facilities, toilets and a small track kitchen.

Presumably most of the present wooden barns in the track area will be torn down eventually. And if the track is widened, they will definitely be removed, it was said.

Hearing Set On Fall Dates

A court hearing on the request for additional racing dates at Northville Downs this fall has been adjourned.

The Wayne county circuit court hearing was originally scheduled for last Monday but was adjourned until September 16 at the request of attorneys for the Michigan Horsemen's Racing Association.

The association has requested racing dates at the Downs from October 7 to November 2. When state racing commissioner James H. Inglis turned down the bid earlier this year, the association appealed to circuit court.

William DeYoung, attorney for Inglis, said he is doubtful that circuit court will grant the dates. If so, there would not be time for an appeal to the state supreme court, he added.

Northville 'E' Team Wins in Tourney; Midgets Eliminated

One Northville team got past its first challenge and a second squad was eliminated in Michigan Recreation Tournament play this week.

The Northville Class E team squeezed past Dearborn township, 3-2, in an extra-inning thriller, but the midget Northville Braves tumbled, 7-6, to Wallaceville and were ousted from further competition.

The Class E squad pushed across its winning run when Bill Juday rifled a bases-loaded single with two out in the eighth. Earlier in the inning, an attempted steal and an attempted squeeze play went amiss.

Northville had knotted the score at 2-2 in the sixth when Joe Krisch walked, Bob Starnes doubled, and Randy Egloff singled.

"You should have seen Starnes fly home," said coach Xen Conley.

Egloff, on the mound for Northville, allowed only five well-spaced hits. Both runs against him were unearned.

The Class E team was to play again Wednesday night. If the squad gets through the district elimination, it will go on for a crack at the state MRA title.

Current games are played at Levagood field in West Dearborn.

The midget Braves pounded out 10 hits — including doubles by Mike Zayti and Jim Juday — but a last-inning mixup allowed Wallaceville to push across the winning marker. The Braves were champs of the Livonia midget league.

Northville Winning Battle Against Dutch Elm Disease

Northville's battle to preserve its elm trees gave definite indications of success following a recent inspection of city trees by members of the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

According to John Miller of Green Ridge Nursery, Northville's control program has stamped out Dutch elm disease within the control area surrounding the city. "While the disease has definitely taken over in areas where spraying and inspection is not practiced, Northville is relatively free of the infection."

Miller, whose firm handles the control program for Northville, hastened to point out, however, that it is a continuing process and that treatment cannot end in the foreseable future.

Samples from several suspect trees in the area were tagged by the state officials during their inspection here. Miller said the results from the tests will be sent to city and it is possible that some trees may have to be removed.

The city control program covers all property, private and public, within the city and the surrounding area. Miller noted that more than 100 trees have been removed in the new high school vicinity during the past year because of Dutch elm infection.

Miller emphasized that the Dutch elm disease control program is considered imperative to saving the specie of trees. "In many non-control areas the state has given up the fight," he said. Miller's firm was recently awarded a contract to handle the control program for 14 state parks in southeastern Michigan.

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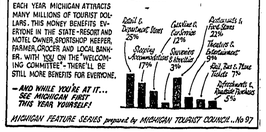

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In Wixom Village:

Tool and Die Plant to Open

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Mr. Lutz of Farmington has purchased the AMVET hall in Wixom (formerly the community hall). He is now moving in the machinery and will operate a tool and die factory.

Mrs. Howard Coe of North Wixom road was hostess at a linen shower honoring Beth Woodworth of Pontiac trail on Thursday, August 8. There were 40 guests present. Decorations were a wagon shedded with an umbrella which held the gifts. Games were played and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Pearl Murphy of Howell was hostess at a miscellaneous shower honoring Beth Woodworth on Friday evening, August 9. There were 16 guests present.

Nancy Cobb, who will be a September bride, has been honored with three showers. One was at Walled Lake, given by her school chums, one in Detroit, and one on West road in Wixom.

Mrs. Jessie Birchard of Flamingo has been confined to her home with a virus infection.

Axel Davidson, better known as Davy to his friends in Wixom, has been confined to Oakland county convalescent home in Pontiac for over a year. Davy is able to sit up and walk around for a little while each day, and would like to hear from and see old friends.

Margaret Marshall has returned home from St. Joseph's hospital in Pontiac where she underwent an operation. Margaret was stricken with paralytic polio in June, 1948 when she was four years old. Margaret can now walk and bicycle. She began school and is now in the eighth grade.

Tom Harris of Pontiac trail has returned home from Wayne county hospital where he was confined following a car accident August 3. He was a passenger in the car.

Mrs. Henry Madigan of Pontiac trail has left for Boston to visit relatives and meet her son, Henry, and daughter, Jane, who have been visiting with their grandmother in Prince Edward Island, Canada.

Sunday guests of George Spencer were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maurer of Parma and daughter, Penny. They spent the day at Kensington park.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers visited Axel Davidson (Davy) at Oakland county convalescent home Tuesday, August 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Decker are spending a week at Big Crooked lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Abrams spent the week end at Tyle lake.

Mr. Lambert of Charms road has returned from a very successful fishing trip in Canada.

The Irondale class of the Wixom Baptist church held their monthly picnic at the home of Richard Heliker on 14 Mile road Sunday, August 11. There were 35 people present.

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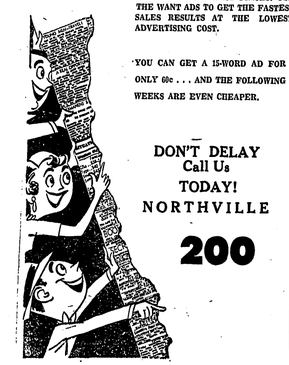

Contest Club Votes Drop in Value End of Week

At the end of this week, the greatest club vote offer of The Northville Record and The Novi News' $3,500 Subscription Contest will end.

Votes issued for each $30 worth of new and renewal subscriptions will start dropping in value and will continue to drop 25,000 each week for the next three weeks. Contestants have until 9 o'clock Saturday night to take advantage of this club vote offer.

Everywhere contestants should be working fast — gathering subscriptions and promises of subscriptions in a supreme effort to poll as many votes as possible while they yield the most credit. This is the greatest voting opportunity of the entire contest. All contestants who have hopes of being numbered among the prize winners will make the most of it.

Contestants who realize that the time to get the winning votes is NOW will make it a point to get as many $30 clubs of subscriptions as possible to get the high club vote credit.

Help Favorites

Subscribers and readers of The Northville Record and The Novi News can help their favorite contestants reach their goals and give the most vote credit on their subscription payments now. Those who wait until next week to give subscriptions will give their favorites fewer votes.

Among the men and women who are striving to win the new Ford, the $500 cash or one of the other prizes, the contest of opinion is that getting all the votes possible under the present offer is the main stepping stone to final success.

Each Subscription Counts

The thousands of additional votes to be gained on subscriptions secured NOW may make victory possible for the hardest campaigner in the contest. One extra $30 club turned in now could mean the difference between winning or losing the grand prize.

All contestants who have it within them to make an effort to win will get as many $30 clubs of subscriptions as possible to get the high club vote credit.

Readers of this newspaper can help contestants complete $30 clubs by giving subscriptions now instead of later on during the contest. Each club is worth 25,000 more votes than it will be worth next week.

Best Time For Work

Contestants who put forth their best efforts during the remaining days of the first vote period will find it an excellent time to get subscriptions.

People who have favorites in the race will want to give subscriptions when they yield the most credit. Contestants who realize this will not lag along. They will get busy now and become real contenders for the biggest prizes.

Any contestant who has been accepting promises of subscriptions who will "go after" all promises will find the next few days real productive in the matter of votes.

Just Getting Started

The contest is just getting a good start. People are watching the race shape up and are speculating on which of the contestants have it within them to battle the hardest for the winning votes.

The majority of entrants in one of these contests can find some reason for being unable to accomplish anything. But the real reason is that they do not make an earnest effort. Some people can accomplish more in hours than others can accomplish in days. It all depends on the individual. No matter how busy you are, you may accomplish enough to win by trying. You have all to gain, nothing to lose.

Live-Wires Invited

The preliminaries of the contest are over. But there is still plenty of room for real, live-wire contestants. No one has a vote lead that could not be overcome in a short time by a hard-hitting campaigner. If you are not easily discouraged and have the will to make an effort, you can ENTER NOW and soon overcome other entrants. The only difference between the ones now entered and a new entrant is just a matter of seeing your friends and acquaintances and getting them to give you their subscriptions. Nearly everybody is still a prospect for subscriptions. If anyone has given a subscription for one or two years, he can extend his time and proper credit will be given.

Some contestants may start with a few subscriptions from their friends and then fail to keep on hammering toward the goal. Others may see a few people and then say that there are not any more prospects for subscriptions. A few contestants have talked to a few people who subscribed and got the idea that "everybody has been seen". There are more than 6,000 prospective new and renewal subscriptions available in this area. The contest offers an unlimited opportunity for the man or woman who can realize that only a small number of these will be asked to subscribe during the contest.

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In Willowbrook:

Dancing Classes Planned

By Mrs. John Parent — GReenleaf 4-2060

Some of the girls in Willowbrook are hoping to start an interpretive dancing class for children. They have an excellent teacher, Nancy Sparrow of Detroit, lined up if they can create enough interest for a class. The lessons would be a dollar a child and would probably be held in the community hall. Galah Fried of Holly Dale would appreciate anyone interested calling her at GR-4-8934. Any child over three is eligible. If the project works out, they would like to start an adult class to keep the mothers in shape while they are waiting for the young ones. If you are interested please call Mrs. Fried right away.

Congratulations go to the John Browers of East LeBost who had a seven pound, seven ounce boy named John. The baby was born August 6 in Mt. Carmel hospital.

A lovely baby shower was given for Mary Zavicar by Mary Chiemark last Thursday. A green and yellow color scheme was carried out in the decorations. The table centerpiece was a green rosette with tiny baby shoes hanging from it. The guests played games and prizes were given for the winners. The guest list included Mrs. Gordon Preuss, Mrs. Vince Atkins, Mrs. Robert McKeon, Mrs. Robert Flattery, Mrs. James McCormick, Mrs. R. Richards, Mrs. Bernard Weisberger, Mrs. Robert Nelson, Mrs. J. Brower, Mrs. Jack Tom, Mrs. William Dean, Mrs. William Gallagher, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. J. Zavicar, Sr., Mrs. George Barker, Mrs. Charles McCloskey, Mrs. Frank Cecchetti, Mrs. Roy Divetta, Mrs. Gilbert Alter, Mrs. Colin Kennedy, Mrs. Clifton Pate, Mrs. Charles Faybik, Mrs. Alan Faybik, Mrs. Dick Isaac, Mrs. Bernard Roy, Mrs. Carl Zavicar and Mrs. W. Kalicki.

Mickey Green of Meadowbrook was five years old August 7. He had a lawn party to celebrate the event. The dog show in Northville fell on his birthday and he entered his dalmatian, "Troxy". His best present was when his dog won first prize. The guests at his birthday party were Karen McMahon, Cathy Kalmar, Babbie Love, Bobbie Zielasko, Cindy and Heather Campbell and Billy Greene.

Tom and Fay Dukes of Malott entertained former Willowbrook residents, Don and Billy Golbey, of Pittsburg recently.

Michael Gerald Loub was christened on Sunday at Our Lady of Sorrows church in Farmington. His sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Brennan of Detroit. His parents, the Gerald Laubs of McMahon had a party afterwards for 25 of the family.

The Tom Needhams of McMahon had as their house guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Harry Needham and Sharon Miller of Escanaba and Paul Miller of Pittsburg. The guests kept busy shopping and sight-seeing.

Ethel Stover of Glen Ridge gave a baby shower Wednesday night for her sister-in-law, Janet Fowler.

The cub scouts of Den One were entertained recently by Mr. and Mrs. Jansen and their son, Billy, of Grand River. The boys enjoyed all the hamburgs, pop and ice cream and candy they could eat. The scouts were Jim and Don Needham, Dick Bentley, Jimmy Barnes, Gary Moborak and Charles Van Avery. Mrs. Thomas Needham and her girls, Melinda and Harriet, were invited as guests.

The Ralph Morse family of Moorlingside have returned from a ten day vacation at their cottage on Lake George. Their youngest daughter, Suzie, caught a ten inch bass.

The Michael Brondstetters of LeBost are home again after spending two weeks at a cottage near Reed City.

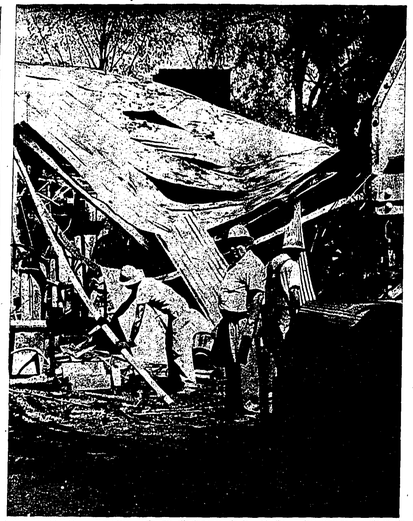
The Clifford Brodersons of Meadowbrook spent Sunday boating at Silver Lake with Bud and Betty Smith of Redford.

Thursday night, the Bill Crowells of Meadowbrook attended the graduation party of North Carey of Pontiac from G.M. Tech. Friday night they went to the house-warming of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Leach of Detroit.

Dottie Flattery of LeBost was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday night. The winners were Marty Ames and Agnes Driscoll. Zan Brondsteiter won the consolation prize. Fay Dukes was a guest for the evening.

We are glad to hear Mrs. William Gallagher of Ten Mile is home from the hospital.

The first blood transfusion, according to record, was given to Pope Innocent VIII in 1492.



DOWN IT COMES — Wreckers begin demolishing what is left of the Allied Products division in Northville. Shown here is one of the most severely damaged areas, where the fire was so intense that the quonset shell buckled and collapsed like a deflated balloon. Operations were halted this week while insurance investigators completed their survey.

Obituary

JOSEPH LaPLENTA

Mr. LaPlenta, who lived at 121 Alfred, Detroit, died August 9. He was born August 12, 1894 in Pantenan, Italy, to Nicka and Marie LaPlenta. He was a member of St. Patrick's Cathedral church in Detroit. Surviving are two brothers, Rev. Francis LaPlenta and George, both of Italy. Prayers were said Sunday at the Casterline Funeral Home. Funeral services were Monday from Our Lady of Victory church, Father John Wittstock officiating.

ALEXANDER MODOS, SR.

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Mr. Modos, who passed away August 10 at his home, 23000 Garfield, Northville. He was born March 21, 1880 in Budapest, Hungary to Alexander and Mary Modos. He had lived in Northville since 1920, and was a retired employee of the Ford Motor company. His wife, Julia, preceded him in death. Surviving are sons, Alexander, Jr. and Joseph; and daughters, Mrs. Mary Rhodes of Japan, Mrs. Julia Hinman of Mt. Clemens and Mrs. Irene Loughman. Also surviving are four grandchildren. Rosary was said at Casterline Funeral Home. Services were held from Our Lady of Victory church, Father John Wittstock officiating. Burial was in Rural Hill cemetery.

GEORGE S. HARTMAN

A former resident of Eight Mile road in Salem, Mr. Hartman died August 12 at 10465 Reese road, Clarkston, where he had been living with his daughter. Mr. Hartman was born in Bowling Green, Ohio on October 2, 1884 to David and Ellen Hartman. He moved to Salem in 1912 and farmed until 1926 when he moved into the town. His wife, Elizabeth, preceded him in death in 1944. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ellen O'Neil of Clarkston with whom he had lived for the past eight years, and a son, Sherman K. Hartman of Stockbridge, Michigan. Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Margaret McClung of Sapulpa, Oklahoma; a brother, David Hartman of Clackmus, Oregon; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Mr. Hartman was a past member of the Salem Federated church. Funeral services were held yesterday (Wednesday) from the Casterline Funeral Home, Rev. Richard Burgess of the Salem Federated church officiating. Entombment will be in Rural Hill Mausoleum.

Hubbard Assistant Involved in Accident

On Monday, a car driven by John Toth, of Dearborn, swerved into a car waiting at the General Filter driveway. Driving the second car was Robert Gregory, also of Dearborn.

Toth, administrative assistant to Mayor Hubbard, told police he had swerved to avoid a car which suddenly stopped for a turn in front of him.

Rotary Picnic

Northville Rotary club members and their families held their annual picnic at the "Willows" Tuesday evening.

Arrangements for the picnic were made by Charles Carrington, Cy Frid and Ed Devine. About 75 people attended and enjoyed hot dogs and corn on the cob.

Gone Fishing

Vacations will close down Northville's drivers' license application next week. Police Chief Joseph Denton is not expected back until the end of next week and Mrs. Mary Alexander will leave for a Boyne City vacation this week end.

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Novi Highlights:

Mothers Plan Daisy Day

By Mrs. Luther Rix — Phone Northville 2741

The Novi chapter 47, Blue Star Mothers, has been very busy lately. They served a picnic lunch at Island lake last Tuesday to 44 veterans from Ann Arbor hospital, including guards and nurses. On Sunday, August 11 nine of the Mothers attended church at the Wixom Baptist church. On Monday evening the regular monthly meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Walden on 12 Mile road. Plans were made for Daisy Day September 7 in Novi. The Experience Social will be held at the home of Mrs. A. McCallum on 11 Mile road September 7. Bazaar and dinner October 11. The September meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clare Lockwood September 9.

Mrs. Dorothy Byrd of 12 Mile road was called to North Carolina by the death of her mother this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Penner and children of Adrian visited the former's aunt, Mrs. Ethel Smith Monday afternoon.

Miss Genevieve Durfee of Pontiac spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Robert Hunt.

The Salow family reunion was held at the Glenn Salow, Sr. home on Taft road last Sunday. There were 66 present including people from Ohio and Wisconsin. They all enjoyed the pot-luck dinner, games and entertainment.

The Mandilk twins, Donald and Donna celebrated their 18th birthdays Monday, August 12 at a teenage party. The party was held at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mandilk on West road.

Mark Bartholomew, grandson of the Mandilks, celebrated his third birthday on Monday also.

Ralph Walden is a patient at Veterans' hospital in Ann Arbor for treatments, and a possible major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuck entertained recently. Mr. and Mrs. Noel Reed and family from Farmington, also Brien Yeatman and Malcolm Walden of Slough Buckinghamshire, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tuck, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tuck and Patti, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gaul and family of Farmington spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuck at their lake cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnston of Union Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Anderson of Monmouth, Illinois and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Remein and children of Farmington had a picnic Saturday evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Raekow, who have been living in Farmington for the past few months, are now back in the apartment at their son and daughter-in-law's home on Fonda street.

Mrs. Helen Hollaman returned last week from a five weeks vacation with her son, Ed Spisak, at Long Beach, Long Island, New York state.

Louis Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Larson, of Lansing, is spending this week with his grandmother, Mrs. Helen Hallaman.

Mary Scheinmann, who underwent an appendectomy at New Grace hospital, is expected home the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Blakeslee and son, Rickie, of Lansing were the guests of the latter's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Button, at a corn roast supper last Thursday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Burgess of Salem were the Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Cook. Rev. Burgess is pastor of the Salem Federated church.

Mrs. Clyde Johnston is on the sick list.

Mrs. Jack Anglin of East Grand River had the misfortune to fall from a ladder last week and break her arm and fracture a vertabrae She is now at Pontiac Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Howard Greer is entertaining this week, her sister, Mrs. Johne Bogner and her daughter, Grace, from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibbons are vacationing for a couple of weeks in Canada and northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis King and son, Delmar, are spending their vacation camping out on the Au Sable river.

Mrs. Marie LaFond has just recently returned from two weeks vacation in Windsor, Canada. While there, she attended her brother-in-law's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond LaFond and family are at Alanson in northern Michigan for two weeks of vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bassett are visiting relatives at Duluth, Minnesota.

Wixom

(Continued)

to vote. The amendment has been requested prior to the charter election by the Wixom Civic Association. It was opposed by Councilmen Jesse Birchard and Walter Tuck on the grounds that sufficient information was not available to the council concerning the budget and assessed valuation of the village. Other council members argued that the amendment was a mandate of the people and that the resolution would allow the voters to decide whether or not they favored the limitation.

The council also voted to rent the Abrams' home at 131 Wixom road for a village hall. Actual occupancy will probably be delayed by repairs until September.

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With all the attention focused on readers of The Record and Novi News by our $3,500 circulation contest, we took pencil, paper and camera this week to find out who reads a weekly newspaper and why!

We learned that the average subscriber reads his weekly paper much more thoroughly than the daily paper. Basically, the community newspaper reader wants to know what's going on in his town of residence. One subscriber went so far as to say that it was the "duty" of every resident to read the community paper. "They should know what's going on and what decisions have been made by their elected governing bodies," the reader exclaimed.

To a great extent, men, women and children look for different things in their community paper. Social news and advertisements find women as their most avid readers. Men look to the area developments, read the ads and check the sports and editorial page.

The school pages, sports and pictures hold interest for teen readers.

But even among these divisions there are some exceptions. Retail merchants like to see what other merchants are advertising. "Locals" are read by both men and women who are interested in what the Joneses are doing.

Many readers have boys and girls in the service and find the hometown paper is an excellent means of keeping them in touch.

All parents are intently interested in the activities of their children. They follow the "little leagues", scouts and recreation programs through the pages of the newspaper.

Beyond this the community newspaper serves as a source of information for officials of the area. Northville, Novi and Wixom leaders compare notes and learn by the experience of their neighbors. Public relations officials in area industries keep informed of community happenings.

As one reader put it, "the hometown paper is the best, and only, source of communication between all residents of a common area." It takes over where its "big city brother" leaves off — right at the local level.

PART OF THEIR LIFE — Robert Shafer has to keep up with many developments in his two roles as a member of the Northville board of education and as the Northville township zoning board chairman. While he scans the news columns, Mrs. Shafer goes through the ads and plans her budget.

OVERSEAS READER — When Mr. and Mrs. C. Noble Dahlager, 539 Grace, read The Record, they know their son, Stanley, is keeping up with events in his home town, too. Due to return from Korea soon, Stan has received The Record throughout his tour of duty.

GET-TOGETHER AT LINCOLN— James L. Craw (left), industrial relations manager for Lincoln, goes over a file of clippings from The Novi News with public relations staffer William Geary. Lincoln officials are aware that their firm plays a huge part in the area's life, and depend on the paper to keep informed of what is happening around nearby communities.

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READING THE RECORD has been a habit for Charles Shipley, 677 West Dunlap, for nearly 41 years — ever since he came to Northville as a young man. The ever-changing scene in Northville still fascinates him.

DOUBLE-DUTY — In Wixom, Bill Abrams finds that The Novi News serves him well whether he is acting as a real estate dealer or a village councilman. Above, he discusses the sale of a house with Mr. and Mrs. George Goslin, using the News as an indication of real estate activity. At other times, he reads The News' accounts of how Novi and Northville face governmental problems which will soon face him as a councilman.

SPORTS SCORES — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Calligiuri, of Willowbrook Village, have two Little Leaguers — Ralph and Randy — to follow and they find reports of each game in The Record-News. Sports activities — whether athletics at Northville high school or the summer recreation program which serves both communities — involve almost every family in the area.

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES in Northville and Novi are reviewed by Bruce McAllister, who will soon supplement his "Decorator" store in Novi with a furniture-refinishing workshop in Northville. By using The Record and News, Northville and Novi businessmen not only get their advertising messages to thousands of readers, but pick up new ideas for improving their own businesses.

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PRETTIEST FLOAT — Prudence and Meredith Hartt had no trouble winning a first prize at the Northville recreation department's pet and doll show last week. Their float — "Cinderella's Ride to the Ball" won first place as the "prettiest float". For complete list of winners, see next page.

Girl's Death Prompts Polio Warning

The tragic death of a 17-year-old girl after a two-day onset of polio last week should draw attention to the urgent need for innoculation with the Salk vaccine, Detroit health commissioner Dr. Joseph G. Molner said last week.

The young woman had not been vaccinated. Had she received her Salk shots it is possible she would now be living and this needless tragedy averted, he said.

On Thursday she had complained of a headache and pains in her shoulder and back. Saturday the disease had completed its toll.

There is no need at this height of the polio season for anyone not receiving the Salk vaccine, Dr. Molner said. Stepped-up production of the serum is now coming in from drug companies, and commercial supplies are available to physicians through the druggists of the metropolitan area.

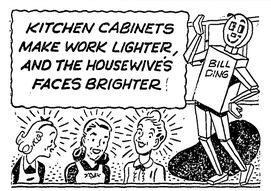
There are currently 70,000 doses on hand for general use and some of this may spoil because of lack of demand and public apathy. Some druggists are already refusing further orders from the laboratories.

Plentiful supply of the vaccine time enables those over 14 years of age to avail themselves of the shots. The Salk vaccine distributed by the State Health Department is limited to children ranging from one to 14 years of age.

Polio spreads its ravages among adults as well as children, he said, and the index of such cases has been gradually increasing during recent years.

Men in Uniform

Specialist third class Robert Gregory, stationed in Neckar, Germany, just recently transferred. He is with the 20th Transportation Batalion. Bob has been in the army for two years. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gregory of South Rogers street, he is a 1954 graduate of Northville high school.



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SMALLEST DOG — Bob Earehart's chihuahua "Tiny" took top honors as the smallest dog, but Donna McNeleee's "Dinky" wasn't far behind.

Northville Teacher At MSU Workshop

Mrs. Marjorie Becker, 47040 Timberlane, Northville, is participating in a workshop in creative experiences for teachers at Michigan State university.

Mrs. Becker is resource authority for the last half of the three-week session which ends August 23.

Mrs. Becker teaches in Livonia.

Workshop participants engage in creative activities in the fields of art, music and the language arts, and apply their experiences to the problems of early elementary education.

Curriculum, reading and number readiness, characteristics of the young child and general teaching methods are some of the topics considered by the workshop.

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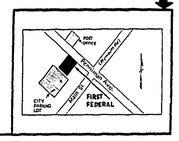

Water Carnival Ends Program

Scores of Northville and Novi boys and girls will dive for watermelons, chase balloons and swim against the clock tomorrow afternoon in the annual Northville recreation department water carnival.

The carnival is the last event in the jam-packed summer recreation program.

It will last most of the day, and will feature events for boys and girls from seven years on up.

Buses will leave the Northville Community building at 9:15 a.m. and will return about 4 p.m. The carnival itself will be held at Whitmore lake's Groome's beach — scene of daily swimming trips sponsored by the recreation department this summer.

Recreation director Stan Johnston has announced the following schedule of events:

Canoe Races (teams of two):
—Boys: 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17 and over.
—Girls: 12-13, 14-15, 16 and over.
Canoe Boxing (teams of two):
—Boys: 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17 and over.
—Girls: 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17 and over.
Swimming Races:
—Boys and girls: 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17 and over.
Balloon Chase (with pennies in balloons):
—for younger boys and girls
Wading Races:
—Boys and girls 7-8, or those who do not swim.
Relays:
—for younger boys and girls.
Diving for Greased Watermelons:
—Boys and girls: 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17 and over.

With the end of the water carnival, Johnston and his staff will close up shop for another summer. All other activities — including the day camp — ended this week.

At its peak this summer, the recreation program drew more than 800 children.

The program was the most extensive ever held in Northville. Its special events — Detroit Tiger ball game, trips to the Detroit Zoo, pet and doll show, turtle race — were well attended, and its baseball program was the most successful ever.

OFF TO THE BALL GAME — Northville youngsters make a dash for the buses that took them to the Detroit-Cleveland ball game last week. Unfortunately, their favorites were on the short end of a 3-1 score. The trip was sponsored by the Northville recreation department. Ten fathers went along as supervisors. (See "Speaking for the Record", page 16.)

Little League Title to Paragon

The Paragon Steelers have clinched the first championship of the Novi Little League.

The Steelers turned back a last-ditch bid by the Fiberglas Sluggers Monday night, winning the title with two games remaining in the regular season.

Meanwhile, league officials announced tentative plans for a Little League "World Series" — a round of playoff games scheduled for next week.

Paragon scotched Fiberglas' last hopes Monday night when the Steelers downed the Sluggers, 13-9. With Jim Mazel hurling a four-hitter, the Steelers collected 10 hits and wrapped up the game with an eight-run rally in the fourth.

Fiberglas had jumped ahead with seven runs in the second, but couldn't hold on to the lead. Fiberglas' Ron Bearden had the longest hit of the game and perhaps of the season — booming a bases-empty home run that soared far out into the outfield.

Fiberglas' hopes were dimmed earlier when the Sluggers lost to the up-and-coming Young Door Tigers, 12-6. Dennis Marshall took the victory, allowing only four hits and striking out 12.

Young Door won again Friday, downing National Bank...9-4. The Tigers banged out 12 hits while registering their fourth win in their last six starts. It was National Bank's 11th straight loss.

The standings:

Paragon	12	4
Fiberglas	10	7
Young Door	6	10
National Bank	4	11

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Sports

THE NOVI NEWS—Thursday, August 15, 1957—11

Champion Northville 9's Enter Recreation Tourneys

The state-wide Michigan Recreation Association baseball tournament got underway Monday with two of Northville's four teams carrying the colors of their league.

Both the midget Northville Braves and the Class E Northville team were entered in the district elimination tourney at West Dearborn this week. (See front page for results).

But a third team — the Northville Class F squad — was ruled out of the Wyandotte Inter-City tournament on a draw of straws.

Northville Braves

The midget Braves completed an outstanding season last week by taking two shut-out victories for a 14-1 record. They thereby gained the championship of the Livonia recreation midget league, composed of 16 midget teams in two divisions.

Coach Ken Conley's National League team tied for the league lead by dropping Wilcox, 4-0, and won the title by defeating Livonia Center — champs of the American League — in a 6-0 contest.

Against Wilcox, Danny Brown — who had lossed two no-hitters — allowed only one hit in the crucial game. His mates punched out seven safeties and gave him a 2-0 first inning lead.

In the title-deciding game, pitcher Craig Bell allowed the previously-unbeaten Livonia Center team a skimpy three hits. Jim Juday slammed out three of Northville's six hits, including a booming double.

Class E

Northville put the finishing touches on a perfect 8-0 season last week by dropping Ford Civic, 4-2.

Pitcher Joe Kritch allowed but four hits against Ford, and paced his team at the plate with a two-run double.

Northville collected only one other hit, but was aided by seven walks and three Ford errors.

Class F

Second place Northville was squeezed out of the Inter-City tournament when league officials decided to send Livonia Police instead.

Customarily, the second-place team goes into the tourney. But though Northville was tied with Livonia for second — and was a favorite to take the second spot outright in its final two games — the nod went to Livonia.

Northville officials surmised that the decision was based on the fact that Northville is already represented in post-season play by two teams.

The Class F squad made it 8-2 for the season last week by dumping Clarenceville, 8-1, on "Butch" Willing's seven-hitter. Steve Juday rifled a bases-loaded single in the fourth inning for Northville's big blow.

3 Bowling Leagues To Meet Next Week

Three Northville bowling leagues will hold organizational meetings next week.

The Monday night men's league at Royal Recreation will meet next Monday at 8 p.m. at the bowling alley.

The Tuesday night women's league at Royal Recreation will meet there next Tuesday at 8 p.m.

The Thursday night women's league at Angie's Northville Lanes will meet there next Thursday (August 22) at 7:30 p.m.

All interested bowlers have been invited to attend the business meetings.

No Change Expected In Waterfowl Dates

Northville and Novi hunters can expect no major changes in waterfowl seasons in Michigan this year, if basic federal regulations are the same as in 1956.

The state conservation commission will establish Michigan seasons and bag limits later this month.

In 1956, Michigan hunters had the maximum 70-day waterfowl season—October 1—December 9—and a daily bag limit of four ducks. It is not expected that any major curtailment will be made this year, unless it is found that waterfowl production this year dropped more than 20 percent below last year's level.

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Fleas and Monkeys Steal Pet Show

A batch of fleas and a monkey named "Skippy" gained momentary fame with the younger set here last week.

They were named the "smallest pets" and the "most original pet" in the annual pet and doll show sponsored by the Northville recreation department.

Upwards of 70 boys and girls had all variety of animals and dolls out for the showing, and most of them walked off with prizes. In fact, where there was no category to cover an entry, recreation director Stan Johnston created one on the spot.

Thus it was, for example, that David Cook's "Danny" was named the "homeliest dog" and Bobby Bates' "Bow" had the dubious distinction of being the "meanest dog".

The complete list of winners:

Dogs

Cutest Puppy: (1) Karen Hill, "Muggs"; (2) Frank Konopaski, "Co Co"; (3) Lorelei Muller, "Duke".

Blackest Dog: (1) Mark Lipa, "Jody"; (2) Cindy Smith, "Tough".

Friendliest Dog: (1) Liz Anne Godfrey, "Big Spot"; (2) Patty Hicks, "Duchess"; (3) David Schmidt, "Queenie".

Prettiest Dog: (1) Mickey Green, "Roxie"; (2) Kathy Castle, "Ginger"; (3) Mike Conley, "Champ".

Oldest Dog: (1) John Hinman, "Pat".

Smallest Dog: (1) Bob Earehart, "Tiny"; (2) Donna McNeiece, "Dinky"; (3) Sue O'Leary, "Shawn"; (4) Maureen Darnell, "Penny".

Biggest Dog: (1) David Mulligan, "Gerry"; (2) Butch Pethers "Roxy"

Best Behaved Dog: (1) Larry Schwab, "Peaches"; (2) "Jimmy" Darnell, "Debby"; (3) Eddie Austin, "Tinker Bell"; (4) Muriel LeFevre, "Ribbon".

Smallest Pet: (1) Earl Leavenworth, "Fleas"; (2) Bobby Schiffle, (Tonds), "Tiny and Tim"; (3) Paul Tabor, Goldfish.

Meanest Dog: (1) Bobby Bates, "Bow"; (2) Garry Kohs, "Topper".

Homeliest Dog: (1) David Cook, "Danny"; (2) Danny King, "Peppy"; (3) Carol Leavenworth, "Lady".

Most Original Pet: (1) Dennis Cook, "Skippy", monkey; (2) Kathy McNeiece, "Joey", hamster; (3) Connie Shoner, "Picky Lee", hamster; (4) Elaine Manzel, "Ducks".

Cats

Blackest Cat: (1) Mike Turnbull, "Blacky"; (2) Patty Hicks, "Spooky".

Biggest Cat: (1) Ray Parmenter, "Mousie".

Fluffiest Cat: (1) Susie Cassel, "Daisy"; (2) Vickie Muller, "Fluffy".

Largest Family: (1) Carol Ann Turnbull (3 cats two weeks old).

Prettiest Cat: Tie — Susie Conley, "Mitsy" and Nancy Moody, "Tamey".

Dolls

Oldest Doll: (1) Elaine Manzell, 142 years old; (2) Janet Sackett, 50 years old.

Prettiest Doll: (1) Janet Sackett; (2) Elaine Manzell; (3) Gi Gi Raubor

Smallest Doll: (1) Sandra Wick; Tie — Linda Russle and Roxanne Shoner.

Largest Collection: (1) Linda Russell, 71 dolls; (2) Dianne Crawford, 45 dolls; (3) Elaine Manzell, 44 dolls.

Best Dressed Doll: (1) Patty Raubor; (2) Kathy Fallon; (3) Judy Shoner.

Biggest Doll: (1) Muriel LeFevre; (2) Liz Fallon; (3) Louanne Godfrey.

Prettiest Float: (1) Prudence and Meredith Hartt, "Cinderella's Ride to the Ball"; (2) Sandra Wick, "The Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe".

Most Original Float: (1) Mark and Barbara Elliott, "The World's Most Beautiful Bunny".

Prettiest Bike: (1) Valerie Richmond; (2) Melodie Richmond; (3) Chuckie Konopaski.

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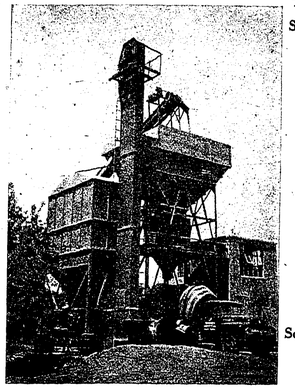

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Wednesday:
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Church Phone Northville 2919
Rev. George T. Nevin
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217 N. Wing
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Peter F. Nieuwkoop, Pastor
Sunday:
10 a.m., Bible school. Classes for all ages.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
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6:30 p.m., Senior Baptist Youth Fellowship, Mrs. Custer, leader. Junior Baptist Youth Fellowship, Mrs. Stiles, leader. Primary Baptist Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p.m., Evening service.
Wednesday:
7:30 p.m., The Hour of Prayer.

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2 p.m., Preaching service.
Monday:
7:45 p.m., Bible teaching.
Thursday:
7:45 p.m., Christian Fellowship Night.
Friday:
7:45 p.m., Prayer and healing service.

SALEM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Henry Tyskerund, Pastor
Sunday:
10:30 a.m., Morning service.
11:45 a.m., Sunday School.
7:45 p.m., Evening service.
Thursday:
7:45, Evening Prayer meeting.

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Sunday School and Bible classes, every Sunday, 11:15 a.m.
Monday:
Church Council, each first Monday, 8 p.m.
Tuesday:
Teachers, each second and fourth Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Junior Walther League, each third Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday:
Lutheran Ladies Auxiliary, each third Thursday, 8 p.m.
Friday:
Senior Walther League, each second Friday, 8 p.m.
Announcements for Holy Communion, the Friday before every Communion service, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH
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10 a.m., Morning Worship.
11 a.m., Sunday School hour.
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Wednesday:
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11:30 a.m., Preaching.
8 p.m., Night service.
Wednesday:
8 p.m., Bible Class.
7:30 p.m., Saints meeting.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE
Corner E. Main and Church Sts.
Rev. John O. Taxis, Pastor
Sunday.
9:30 a.m., Church Worship
10:30 a.m., Church School
Mr. George Spriggs, student assistant, will preach at the church service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NOVI
23961 Novi Road
Phone 992-R11
Rev. Arnold Cook, Pastor
Sunday:
10:30 a.m., Morning Worship.
Junior Church for children ages 4 to 10.
11:30 a.m., Bible school.
7:30 p.m., Song service. Evening worship service.
Wednesday:
7:30, Prayer and Bible study.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
South Lyon, Michigan
Services at Stone School at Napier and Ten Mile Roads.
Sunday, August 18:
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8 p.m., Mid-Week Prayer Service.

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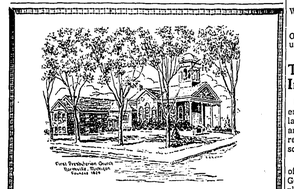

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Main and Church Streets
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Mr. George Spriggs, Student Assistant
— Summer Schedule of Services —
Church Worship — 9:30-10:30
Church School in All Departments — 10:30-11:30
This schedule will be effective through Sunday, September 1

Teachers Engage In Goodwill Work

Helping to entertain handicapped employees of Goodwill Industries last week were Mrs. Martha Egge and Miss Ruth N. Knapp, recently retired teachers of the Northville school system.

They joined 14 other members of the Women's Association of Goodwill Industries to treat 78 employees to a luncheon and birthday party at the main building, Brush and Grand River, last Tuesday.

Under the direction of Mrs. A. Warren Brock, and Miss Amelia Moeller, president, the group gives a similar party and special luncheon each month, including gifts.

Mrs. Egge and Miss Knapp, still busy even though retired, are also active members of the International Institute.

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PASTOR'S STUDY

By The Reverend Paul M. Cargo,
First Methodist Church of Northville

Trees

A tree is a marvelous creation of God. "Only God can make a tree" is a truth we appreciate when we enjoy the maples of southern Michigan or the pines and birches of the north. We cannot think of a beautiful landscape that does not have in it the presence of trees.

How quietly the work was done. No sound attends the birth of a tree. Growth is silent. The new leaf comes forth in spring and only the summer's breeze of autumn's wind brings sound. Quietly the falling leaves trace their slanting course to the ground. How quietly the work is done.

A familiar hymn says, "God works in a mysterious way His wonders to perform." Quietly, without fanfare, God makes a tree—graceful, useful, a part of God's plan for the world.

Three trees once prayed in a forest for the things they wanted to be. One wanted to be a palace; another wanted to sail the seas, and the third asked to be left to grow in the forest and point a finger to God in prayer. It happened that when that when the first tree was cut it became a manger stall to cradle a babe, the fairest of them all. The second tree thirty years later became a small boat on the Sea of Galilee from which the young man preached and taught the people who crowded the shore. The third tree was cut and fashioned into a cross on which the young man was nailed. Yet the cross points the way to God. Our petitions are answered in unforeseen ways, like those of the three trees.

Quietly, God can work in you. Anderson M. Scruggs observes that

Man spends his noisy days in
search of gain.
While trees find God in sunlight,
soil and rain

While it may be said that we need to have gain and to earn our living and even to live in a noisy day, nevertheless there is a ministry of silence, a therapy in inward calm and peace. "In quietness and confidence shall be your strength."

Is anything happening within? Are the rare quiet times a dead vacuum, or do you feel that the quiet work of God is being done within you in ways unforseen. Begin the Lord's Prayer like this: "Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done. . . " in me.

Events of the Past

ONE YEAR AGO...

...The Northville township zoning board held a public hearing on the proposal to allow the establishment of an 80-acre trailer park southeast of Northville.

...Douglas DiPonio of Plymouth, 18 months old, won a ribbon for being one of the youngest riders in the Northville Junior Horse show.

...Novi road claimed the lives of two persons in two separate accidents in one week.

...Mrs. C. Oscar Hammond of Northville was installed as the 17th district president of the American Legion auxiliary.

FIVE YEARS AGO...

...State Attorney General Frank Millard ruled that the village of Northville could legally become a city even though it lies in two counties.

...Ray Hartner of Haggerty road got credit for the season's first hole-in-one at Northville Golf club on Seven Mile road.

...Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCracken of 12 Mile road celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

...Cy Owens Ford team maintained an inside track in the playoffs of the Northville softball league when they eked out a last inning victory over VFW Post 4012 in the second of two scheduled games.

TEN YEARS AGO...

...Depositors State Bank installed a new National Cash Register Proof and Distribution machine.

...Mrs. David Hay, Jr. was elected to the presidency of Lloyd H. Green Unit No. 147 of the American Legion Auxiliary.

...As the Northville Downs entered its third year in Northville, a payroll check showed 213 Northville and vicinity workers. Their daily pay totaled $3,146 or $103,000 for the meet.

...The Northville post office received a letter from Saima Hakopalo from Helsinki, Finland, which was entirely written in Finnish. The letter was addressed simply: Post Office Department, Northville, Michigan. Eleanor Pelto of East Dunlap street translated the letter.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO...

...Mrs. Charles Westphall conducted a meeting at her home on High street to organize a Blue Star Mothers group in this area.

...The 36th annual Northville-Wayne County fair was to open August 19 for five days.

...Edward Angove and David Catton left for army training.

...A band concert marked the close of the summer recreation program.

TWENTY YEARS AGO...

...With the realignment of the Detroit Edison company districts along county lines, E. L. Willis, who for the past 12 years had managed the Northville and Howell offices, was appointed agent for the Livingston district with headquarters at Howell.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO...

...The graduating recital by Guy C. Filkins was given in Hill auditorium in Ann Arbor.

...Northville Rotarians and their guests listened to poetry and readings from Oliver Goldsmith of Plymouth and Salem.

...Northville's board of education was one of the 28 municipalities, counties and townships to apply to the state for assistance in obtaining loans that amounted to $27,000 with which to pay teachers when school opened.

...Richard Kerr completed his pre-dental course at Michigan State Normal college in Ypsilanti, and was accepted for further study at Northwestern university at Evanston, Illinois.

FORTY YEARS AGO...

...The officers and managers of the Fair, scheduled for September 25-30 were H. B. Clark, president; Milo Johnson vice president; T. E. Murdock, secretary, and A. C. Balden, treasurer.

...Northville's quota of additional men called because of the many who failed to pass their physical examinations in this district was 12. Of the 414 called from the district, 121 were rejected and 238 accepted, leaving 35 yet to be reported upon.

...Thomas Carrington received notice to report to the officers reserve camp at Fort Sheridan.

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STARTING SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 9 P.M., each $30 worth of new and renewal subscriptions turned in by contestants will earn 25,000 fewer votes each week for the NEXT THREE WEEKS. THIS OPPORTUNITY CLUB COUPON is the same as the FIRST WEEK CASH AND VOTE COUPON, less the extra bonus of $2.00. Each CLUB turned in by Saturday with one of these coupons, gives 100,000 EXTRA VOTES above the regular votes on subscription receipt book. Next week each club will give 75,000 (See Rule No. 4). There has been no change in the vote schedule. There can be no change. This is part of the regular schedule of the contest announcement.

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HOW PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

Under the rules, contestants can win prizes as follows:

The area covered by The Northville Record and The Novi News will be divided into TWO DISTRICTS:

DISTRICT ONE — The Northville Record District — will include Northville and Northville Township or entrants residing North of Five Mile Road and South of Nine Mile Road, East of Haggerty Road and West to Currie Road, inclusive. Entrants from this district will be eligible to win all prizes with the exception of the District Two Prize. After the Ford and $500 cash prizes are awarded, the entrant from this district with the next largest vote total will win the District One Prize — a $500 U.S. Savings Bond.

DISTRICT TWO — The Novi News District — will include Novi Township, all of Wixom or all entrants residing North of Nine Mile Road and South of Fourteen Mile Road, East to Haggerty Road and West to Currie-South Hill Road. After the Ford and $500 cash prizes are awarded, the entrant from this district with the next largest vote total will win the District Two Prize—a $500 U.S. Savings Bond.

The entrants accumulating the largest vote totals regardless of districts will win the new 1957 Ford and $500 cash prizes. The district prizes must be won by entrants residing within the villages, towns, townships or boundaries comprising districts, but no entrant will be eligible to win two prizes. After the two main prizes and the district prizes are awarded, the entrant with the next largest vote total will be awarded the $169.95 Philco portable television regardless of districts.

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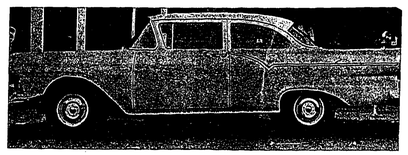

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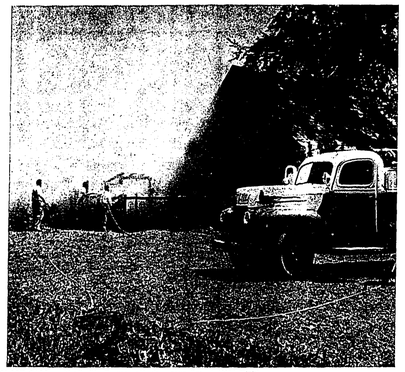

CLOSE CALL — Northville firemen attack a barn fire at 40033 Eight Mile last Thursday. Arriving only minutes after the blaze broke out, firemen confined it to a small attached shed and part of the roof.

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Boy Plays with Matches, Sets Parents' Barn Afire

A family tragedy nearly resulted last Thursday when an eight-year-old Northville boy disregarded his parents' warnings about playing with matches.

As it was, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sterling escaped with only $200-$300 damage to a barn behind their home at 40033 Eight Mile road.

"We are only renting this home," said Mrs. Sterling. "And we just bought an expensive new home the other side of Northville last week. When I saw those flames, I thought it was our future going up in smoke."

Mrs. Sterling said the fire was apparently caused by her young son, Dale, playing with matches near the barn — some 100 feet from the house.

"If he had called out right away, I could have doused it with a garden hose," she said. "But he must have become frightened. It wasn't until our six-year-old daughter, Kay, screamed that the barn was on fire that I knew anything about it."

A prompt phone call brought Northville firemen rushing to the home. Within minutes, the blaze was out. Only a small adjoining shed and part of the barn's roof was damaged.

Mrs. Sterling had words of praise for the Northville fire department.

"I heard the siren wailing as soon as I hung up the phone," she said. "And just a couple of minutes later, they were there and fighting the fire. I don't know what we would have done without them."

The Sterlings moved to Northville from Cincinnati in December. They also have a 16-year-old daughter, Linda.

Plan Polio Survey In Oakland County

A countrywide survey to discover the rehabilitation needs of post-polio patients will be conducted this month by the Oakland County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The local survey is part of a nationwide project by the foundation to compile a roster of polio cases of all ages and degree of disability, regardless of date of onset.

The canvass here is to be completed by September 1.

The roster is to be made in close cooperation with the Oakland county medical society and member physicians, and the Oakland county health department.

Information sought from each patient includes whether he is employed or attends school, if he can climb stairs and dress himself, whether he receives regular treatment and if he uses a respiratory aid.

All persons who have ever had polio — whether disabled or not — have been asked to send their names and addresses directly to the Oakland County Chapter office, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, 75 West Huron Street, Pontiac, Michigan.

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SPEAKING for the Record

By BILL SLIGER

The fact that Detroit lost to the Cleveland Indians 3 to 1 wasn't half as cruel a blow to 100 Northville youngsters in the left field stands last Thursday as another development.

The vendors chose that day to go on strike.

Imagine a ball game without peanuts, popcorn, hot dogs, ice cream or pop! And multiply the disappointment of the Northville lads by contingents from about six or seven other communities.

A hot day, a ball game and thousands of little pockets burning with money and no place to spend it!

Actually, that's all the ingredients you need for a first class riot. But it didn't happen. As a matter of fact, the youngsters displayed wonderful restraint and managed to let off their steam vocally when Reno Bertoia slammed a home run just a few rows below their section.

One youngster, excited by the massiveness of Briggs Stadium and the first hand view of the game, exclaimed "boy, all this and no commercials!"

On the way back some of the disappointment was eased by an order for ice cream bars for everyone, including the fathers, a group just as disappointed by the lack of refreshments as the youngsters.

Ken Conley, assistant to Stan Johnston in the recreation program, directed the two busloads. And others who helped herd the troops from bus to stands and to various other places were Frank Swiss, Bruce Turnbull, Lester Johnston, Otis Tewksbury, Jerry Freydl, Mike Willing, Jim LaRue and Hank Fallon.

After seeing the game, we're more convinced than ever that the Tigers have lost their teeth and claws. They acted like nine men going through the motions of playing baseball. Bertoia missed first base after hitting a double; Kaline made a simple grounder look like a sensational play and then pulled Boone off the bag with his throw; Tuttle dropped a fly ball after having it in his glove. Like most Tiger teams of recent years, they set their sights for the first division, fall short and wait for next year. Meanwhile, the Yankees point for first place and if they come in second the manager is fired.

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Mayor "Pete" Ely is back from his vacation and a fisherman's paradise. Pete said he still-fished daily until dark when he could no longer see the bobber disappear, then hauled in bass with rod and reel.

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Early Campaigners

HOT WEATHER politics in this off-year is creating as much stir this early in the season as the urgent kind of campaigning when an election is a few months away.

Republicans are uncertain what political direction they took with House Speaker George M. Van Peursem.

Legislators thought it would be a good idea to send him on a speaking tour around the state to describe the virtues and accomplishments of the House and Senate.

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The key word is money.

Gov. Williams, contending that people want to pay more for more services and to handle the increased population load of existing services, continues to seek higher budgets.

Republicans, insisting the people want less spending and lower taxes, want to maintain present services, take care of the increased loads and keep the budgets down.

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Van Peursem insisted when he started the tour in mid-July that he wanted only to work with the legislature; that he was not seeking a higher office.

Reports indicate he has been well-received around the state and that Republicans look to him as a candidate for governor in 1958 or 1960.

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He is the second legislator to cast covetous eyes on the governor's chair for his party.

The other, who said "I might be a candidate," is Rep. George Sallade (R-Ann Arbor) who in two two-year terms in the house has made his presence felt as a leader of the "Young Turks", a group of young members who rebel against the majority occasionally.

Van Peursem is a young lawyer who cut his teeth in the legislature as chairman of the house labor committee, which started the campaign against Gov. Williams two years ago.

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From this committee came the charge that Williams' tax proposals were frightening industries out of Michigan.

The campaign was revived last spring and Democrats are quoted by the experts as admitting it has hurt Williams and the Democrats politically.

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He is as liberal as most younger party members require and as conservative as most Republicans demand.

The strategy of timing will decide whether Van Peursem's star rises next year or in 1960 — and the timing is being computed by Williams.

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If Williams runs for another term, Republicans may be dissuaded from running Van Peursem. If Williams goes for the U.S. Senate against Senator Potter, they might urge him to run.

In the background is Lt. Gov. Philip A. Hart, the personable full-time office-holder.

At the Governor's Conference in June, Williams said Hart would "fill in for me" by running for which-ever office Williams does not run for in 1958.

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That leaves Van Peursem with his tour for the legislature, the Republicans only academically concerned about a candidate this early; and Democrats with one, maybe two.

The timing can be as important in politics as in a symphony.

For the first time in years, it may be the last moment before either party knows who will carry its standard in the 1958 — or the 1960— election.

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FARMERS WHOSE CROPS were damaged in the heavy storms during the first two weeks in July are getting relief.

The Farmers Home Administration has asked that 12 counties in central and southeastern Michigan be designated to receive emergency production loans at a low interest rate.

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The loans will be made to individual farmers after they make their application through a county committee to the state office in Lansing.

Stories came in from the affected counties to a state conference of federal, state and local officials, telling of the damage of the storms and heavy rains.

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They told of up to 70 per cent of the bean crop wiped out, 50 per cent of the hay in many counties, oats, barley, corn and hay were all damaged.

Men and Women ★ In Uniform ★

Airman William Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell of Carpenter street, left Monday for Missouri, where he will enter officers' training school.

Russell was home on a 30-day furlough after returning from serving 21 months in Japan. He is the husband of Roberta Russell of Carpenter street and father of Debbie.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell also have a son stationed in Hilo, Hawaii, where he will spend another year.

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John Rackov, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rackov of Fonda street, Novi, recently was promoted to private first class while attending the navigation equipment repair course at the Army's Signal Training Center, Fort Gordon, Georgia.

He entered the army in December 1956 and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colorado.

The 23-year-old soldier attended the University of Michigan.

Roger Babson

Liability Protection

Babson Park, Mass — A friend of mine has a small retail store with two or three clerks. He has worked hard and accumulated a working capital of $15,000. Recently a customer suffered a peculiar accident in the store. A jury awarded the customer $20,000 damages. This not only wiped out the savings of a lifetime, but it put the owner into debt which may result in bankruptcy.

Insurance Agents

We are solicited continually by life insurance agents. And if we have a mortgage on our store, or owe the bank anything, we must show in our statement how much fire insurance we carry. In fact, both life insurance and fire insurance are recognized by every reviner and home owner as "musts". The only question seems to be as to the friend to whom we will give the business and the amount which we carry.

I especially recommend what is known as the "comprehensive" policy! This includes most casualty risks other than life insurance. Unfortunately, less than 10 per cent of the people use these comprehensive policies. My appeal today, therefore, is for every retailer to take out a liability policy and to make it large enough.

Stores Vs. Wives

Not only should retailers take out liability insurance for their stores, but also for their wives and children. A woman neighbor of mine had a hat with a protruding feather which put out the eye of another woman during a crowded retail sale. The jury awarded the woman $25,000 and tried to involve the retailer. In another case, a parent was awarded $10,000 because his boy got hurt by running into a person while sliding down a hill in winter. A milkman who stepped on a broken board collected $5,000. I could give scores of similar illustrations.

The point I especially want to make is that you will probably have to ask for such insurance. Telephone your agent today for prices and a sample policy. Read this policy carefully, especially the fine print. If the price seems too high, ask another agent to submit his price and a sample. Life insurance premiums are very competitive and vary little; fire insurance premiums are fixed by State Commissions at very low rates; but liability rates vary considerably.

Insurance Stocks As Investments

Stocks of life insurance companies are most popular and have had a great rise in price during the past few years. Stocks of most fire insurance companies are selling below their book values. Owing to the tendency of State Commissions to hold down rates (perhaps unfairly sometimes) they are not making the money they should. However, the better market managements and ample reserves and I believe will some day be treated fairly. For this reason I am now buying fire insurance stocks while they are cheap. I have never liked accident insurance stocks.

Juries and Gravity

Probably the most money might be made (or lost) from the stocks of casualty companies. Their gross business will continue to grow. While thus far we have hated to sue our friends and neighbors, it is fast becoming the thing to do! Most lawyers will take such suits on a retainer basis, perhaps for a two-hundred-dollar fee but with the understanding they are to receive 25 percent if they win the case. Juries are becoming constantly more generous in their awards, due to the rise in the cost of living, increased wages, and the depreciation of the dollar.

There is little argument about life insurance awards: a person is either dead or not dead. Damage from fire can also be fairly well ascertained. Moreover, "wonder drugs", new hospitals and better doctors are constantly working to help life insurance profits; and sprinkler companies, fire-alarm companies such as Gamewell, and others are working to prevent fire losses. Furthermore, the Gravity Research Foundation, in New Hampshire, is working to prevent accidents, 80 percent of which come from falls. Occupational accidents are generally covered by compulsory insurance with fixed standard rates and compensations.

If you reside in Northville or Novi townships or the nearby area served by The Record and Novi News, you are invited to enter the $3,500 contest. See the ad in this paper. You can't lose.

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DO YOU USUALLY ASK PEOPLE to "speak a little louder, please" during phone conversations? Perhaps you haven't heard of the new volume control telephone. It's like other phones, but it has a small knob that lets you control the volume of the voice you're listening to. Volume control phones are invaluable for those with a hearing loss, and they're just the thing for use in places where there are distracting noises. If you need some help to hear "loud and clear" on the phone, ask for a volume control set when you order an extension.

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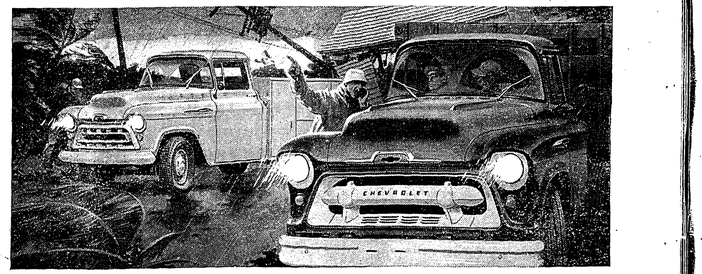
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Start Final Drive for High Votes in $3,500 Contest

With only three more days remaining in the first and largest vote period of The Northville Record and Novi News $3,500 Subscription Contest, the final drive will be made by contestants to get every available subscription to secure the high vote credits.

Hard and persistent campaigning from now until 10 o'clock Saturday night can easily mean a new 1957 Ford for one of the contestants who is working for subscriptions and votes with a determination to win over his competitors.

When the clock strikes 10 Saturday night, the first and greatest vote period of the entire contest will end. Every contestant must report in person, by phone or mail before the closing hour to get first period credit. Subscriptions mailed by people wanting to give contestants first period votes can be dropped in the post office by the closing hour. If the postmark shows that they were mailed by 10 p.m., August 24, they will count.

BOOST FAVORITE NOW

Subscribers and readers of this newspaper who have been following the progress of contestants in this race can give their favorites the biggest boost toward victory by giving subscriptions before the final hour of this important period.

When the votes are in and counted this week, there is little doubt about them determining the real contenders for the largest prizes.

Saturday's results will show who is in to win and who is merely wishing he could win without making any effort to do it. They will show who are the most resourceful, most energetic, hardest working and most deserving contestants in the race.

The most successful people of today are the ones who realize that success comes through doing just a little better job than your competitors. A contest is no exception. It takes campaigning and planning to be a contest winner. All contestants who make an earnest effort to get support will get it. The ones who lack confidence in their own ability, the ones who find reasons for being unable to accomplish anything, and the ones who think that their competitors will win anyway can't hope for success.

MAKE PROMISE GOOD

Several contestants have been accepting promises of subscriptions. All who make an effort to make these promises good will make a good showing in the standings next week.

Many people have promised your subscription to some contestant do it this week. It means more votes. When you make your promise good you encourage your favorite to do more than his or her competitors and win this interesting competition. Making that promise good NOW will also give your favorite more time to get other subscriptions and other promises.

GET EXTRA VOTES

When the contest was announced entrants were given an opportunity to pile up a huge vote total by turning in $30 clubs of subscriptions to take up Opportunity Club Coupons. This coupon is now worth 75,000 votes for each $30 worth of subscriptions. Its vote value drops 25,000 Saturday and continues to drop 25,000 each week until it is worthless. Every $30 club turned in NOW is a BIG STEP toward winning the highest honors.

HELP WITH CLUBS

All readers with favorites in the race who are trying to complete $30 clubs can show their interest NOW. Get in touch with the contestants of your choice and place your subscriptions.

When contestants try to get your subscription during the next few days, they are trying to complete $30 clubs to get extra vote credit. In addition to clubs being worth more credit, your subscription will yield from 2,000 to 10,000 more votes this week.

BEST TIME FOR WORK

Contestants who have been lagging along, getting barely enough subscriptions to make a report, will find the remaining days of this first important period an excellent time to get subscriptions. Time is getting short for the big vote credits. Public interest is aroused. Subscriptions will be easier to get now than at any other time during the remainder of the contest. This is the time for contestants to show what they are capable of doing. A few hours spent in honest effort now will surprise and delight contestants.

Standings Tighten In Race for Votes

With the largest vote period of The Northville Record and Novi News $3,500 Subscription Contest scheduled to end at 10 o'clock Saturday night, contestants are closely bunched and a furious battle is being waged for every available subscription to get the high vote credits toward winning the new Ford, $500 cash and other prizes.

What a race! Not a contestant has a vote lead that could not be wiped out by a competitor. The contestant with the lowest vote can forge to the front this week!

How They Reported Last Week

Miss Dolores Teshka pulled the largest vote for the week and gained from 5th to 1st place. Joe Kritch turned in the 2nd high vote and held 3rd place. The third high vote was credited to Mrs. Lois McAllister and she dropped from 4th to 5th in total votes. Mrs. Russell Button had the 4th high vote for the week and dropped from 1st to 2nd place. The 5th high vote was credited to Mrs. Paul Polino and she dropped from 2nd to 4th place. Coming in 6th high was Mrs. Kenneth Cook. She gained from 6th to 6th in total votes. Mrs. John Chamberlain had the 7th high vote and gained from 12th to 8th place.

Mrs. Richard Kay pulled the 8th high vote and dropped from 6th to 7th place. A new entrant, Mrs. Mary Wallace, turned in the 9th high vote. Another new entrant, Mrs. Ralph Foreman, Sr., had the 10th high vote for the week. Sidney Junod, who just got started, came in 11th. The 12th high vote was credited to Mrs. E. A. Kampmann, 13th to Mrs. Louis Chismark, 14th to Mrs. Pat McGuire, 15th to Jerry Horne, 16th to Mrs. Wallace Dean, 17th to Mrs. William Lemon, 18th to Mrs. Ray McKnight, 19th to Mrs. Ruby Koester, 20th to Mrs. Mary Ware, 21st to Mrs. Mildred Lyke, 22nd to Mrs. Robert Hansor, 23rd to Mrs. Earl Brady and 24th to Leo Harrawood. Other contestants tied with votes on one subscription.

Comparative vote standings after Saturday, August 17, are shown below. This is not an accurate or actual vote count, but shows ACTUAL POSITIONS.

NOVI AREA LEADERS — DISTRICT TWO

	VOTES
Mrs. Russell Button, 9460 Grand River	1,570,000
Mrs. Kenneth Cook, 44230 12 Mile, Walled Lake	1,537,500
Mrs. John Chambers, 49085 Pontiac Trail, Wixom	1,522,000
Mrs. Louis Chismark, 23980 E. LeBost	1,518,000
Mrs. Wallace Dean, 44480 Grand River	1,400,000
Mrs. Mary M. Wallace, 46103 Grand River	1,041,000
Mrs. Robert Hansor, 26545 Taft Rd.	170,000
Mrs. Joseph Gardella, 46235 11 Mile Rd.	108,500
Mrs. Earl J. Brady, 40960 Holly Dale	104,000
Julius Welt, Jr., 49127 West Rd., Wixom	91,500
Wesley McAtee, 3023 W. Maple, Walled Lake, Wixom	40,000

NORTHVILLE AREA LEADERS — DISTRICT ONE

Miss Dolores Teshka, 215 W. Main St.	1,575,000
Joe Kritch, 270 Rayson Ave.	1,567,000
Mrs. Paul Polino, 350 E. Cady	1,564,000
Mrs. Lois McAllister, 15674 Lakeside Dr.	1,562,000
Mrs. Richard Kay, 609 W. Main St.	1,537,000
Mrs. E. A. Kampmann, 47100 Stratford Ct.	1,531,000
Jerry E. Horne, 16781 Negaunee Rd.	1,530,000
Mrs. Pat McGuire, 240 Orchard St.	1,517,000
Mrs. Ray McKnight, 302 Yerkes	1,512,000
Sidney Junod, 146 Walnut St.	1,195,500
Mrs. Glenn E. Delbert, 9825 Napier Rd.	1,115,000
Mrs. Ralph Foreman, Sr., 50050 W. 7 Mile Rd.	1,025,000
Mrs. Wm. D. Lemon, 9760 W. 7 Mile Rd.	1,010,000
Mrs. Ruby Koester, 42730 8 Mile Rd.	518,500
Mrs. Mary Ware, 229 Hutton St.	517,500
Mrs. Mildred Lyke, 9690 6 Mile Rd., Salem	197,000

LIST DOWN TO REAL CAMPAIGNERS

The contestant list is now down to the most ambitious, most resourceful, most deserving contestants. It has narrowed down to those who will never say "die" . . . to those who know that they are just as capable as anyone else and have the courage to prove it.

Today is here for action. Waiting until next week to "go after" those subscriptions means taking a loss in vote credits. This is the week to get the winning votes and let other contestants wait to see how they get along. Real effort now will be worth all the regrets in the world after the contest is ended. Work! Win!

THE NOVI NEWS

YOU KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING IN NOVI TOWNSHIP IF YOU READ THE NEWS

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Salow, Promo Up for Trustee Position

The attorney general of Michigan apparently will be asked for an opinion on whether Novi building inspector Glenn C. Salow, Jr. can also hold the position of trustee on the township board.

If Salow is ruled out, the nod may go to Gordon Promo who, like Salow, was a Republican candidate for trustee in the last Novi primary.

Both men were nominated by the board Monday night to fill the vacancy caused by the death of former trustee Frank Clark three weeks ago.

Though all four board members named Salow as their first choice, they disagreed on whether his position as building inspector disqualified him from the trustee job.

Clerk Hadley Bachert, treasurer Ray Harrison, and trustee Stan Balon indicated they felt the two jobs would be "incompatible". But supervisor Frazer Staman said township officers have often held second positions, and saw no reason why Salow should be counted out.

The question was referred to township attorney Anthony Renne, who eventually suggested that the board get the opinion of attorney general Thomas S. Kavanagh.

Balon had initially placed Promo in the ring, after Staman had asked "if you fellows have decided on a trustee?"

Balon explained:

"Promo placed fourth in the Republican primary — right behind Frank Clark, myself and Glenn Salow. Salow would normally be my choice, but since he is now our building inspector, it seems that Promo would be next in line."

(The primary vote was: Clark-294; Balon-252; Salow-239; Promo-297; Harold Miller-233.)

"In addition," he said, "Promo lives in Willowbrook Village and would give representation to that area of Novi."

When Harrison asked for Staman's opinion, the supervisor said: "I've known Glenn Salow for many years, and believe he would be an asset to the township. As for holding two jobs, the Farmington township supervisor served as building inspector for many years. In any case, Salow would be my choice." Renne, after consulting several law books, came up with a handful of attorney general opinions which seemed to uphold Staman's dual-office position. But he also cited a Michigan supreme court ruling which appeared to back the conflict-of-duty stand taken by the other board members.

"It boils down to this," said Renne. "It wouldn't be illegal for Salow to hold both jobs, but the supreme court has indicated it might be bad policy."

Renne explained that the supreme court frowns on one person holding positions in more than one of the three areas of government — legislative, executive and judicial.

"If Salow held both a legislative position — trustee — and an executive position — building inspector — he would be both enacting measures and enforcing them," he said. "In addition, he, as building inspector, would be partly responsible to himself as trustee."

"And if a question of discipline or even removal ever came up," he concluded, "the board would be in the embarrassing position of having to take action against one of its own members."

At that point, Renne said he would write the state attorney general for a concrete ruling.

Wixom Fills Two Boards, Halts Work on Trailer Park

Hurrying to inaugurate its own zoning and building regulations, the Wixom village council approved a nine-member planning commission and a five-member zoning board of appeals Monday evening.

Already harrassed by a suit charging that Wixom cannot enforce Novi and Commerce township zoning laws until new village regulations are established, the council also blocked an alleged attempt to construct a trailer court.

Last week parties seeking to build a gasoline station on Wixom road opposite the Lincoln plant brought suit against Wixom on charges that delay in acting on a request for commercial zoning would cause financial loss. Construction of the station has been halted by court order.

The trailer court construction at Charms and North Wixom roads was opposed by a petition bearing 150 names of area residents and presented to the council by John Lambert.

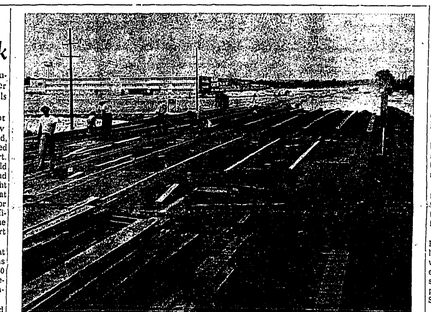
President Joseph Stadnik had warned the council last week that action should be taken to stop "building without permits or regard for our laws."

Members of the planning and zoning bodies approved by the council are: (planning commission) Herbert Abrams, Del Bourgeois, Paul DePodesta, John W. Erickson, Robert Rickard, John Ryding, Stewart Sauber, Robert Wagnitz and Johanna Ware; (zoning board) Don Brooks, Reese Lacy, John Lambert, Gunnar Mellin and Paul Salo.

In other appointments the council named Frank Jadinski and Ronald Slomkowski volunteer policemen. Jadinski will act as chief.

Nearly all village appointments must be accepted without pay and policemen will receive compensation only for the use of their automobiles. The council is still seeking a "civic minded citizen" willing to accept the position of temporary superintendent of public works without compensation.

While the village hall at 121 Wixom road will not be ready for occupancy until mid-September, the council adopted hours for the village clerk to be on duty. Temporary office facilities have been provided in the Voorheis & Cox real estate agency adjoining the proposed village quarters. Clerk Mrs. Jesse Byrd conducts village business from this office on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., Saturdays 10 a.m. until noon and on Wednesday afternoons from 2 until 6.


BIG STEP IN WIXOM — Construction workers installed the last steel girder on the long-delayed Wixom road bridge over the Farmington-Brighton expressway. At the same time, other men continued work on the Wixom road widening project. The two construction jobs are scheduled for completion later this year, just in time for the expressway opening.

School Days Coming Soon

School superintendent William Medlyn this week announced the following schedule of events for school registration and school-opening period:

—September 3: teachers report
—September 4: half-day for all students
—September 5: first full day for all students

Medlyn also requested parents of non-registered students to take care of registration as soon as possible. The school office will be open for registration daily from 9 a.m. to noon, and from 1 to 4 p.m.

Medlyn asked that kindergarten through 8th grade students from the former Durfee district will attend Novi school, Farmer Durfee 9th-12th graders will attend Northville high school.

To Study Effects Of Incorporation

The "Novi Township Farmers and Landowners Protective Association" was formally organized last week to study and possibly oppose the proposed incorporation of Novi as a village.

Herbert Koester was named president of the group.

Some 20 landowners plus the Novi incorporation committee and supervisor Frazer Staman spent nearly two hours exploring the pros and cons of incorporation.

Association members pledged to inform outlaying areas of the effects of incorporation, and then listed these reasons for opposing it:

—taxes would be higher, with the possibility of no increased benefits

—village status might force some farmers out of business if new residents complained of farm odors, sounds, and the like

—would not protect Novi areas from annexation to Walled Lake or Northville.

—retired farmers could not meet village taxes.

Staman and incorporation committee members Walter Tuck and Russell Button claimed, on the other hand, that incorporation would:

—protect Novi boundaries since the entire village could vote on annexation, whereas only the affected part of the present township can now vote.

—village status has nothing to do with subdivisions driving out farmers. Subdivisions come development will come whether Novi is a township, village, or city. In fact, a village would offer more, not less, protection for farmers.

—Novi village taxes would not be high as Walled Lake or Northville taxes if parts of Novi were annexed. Furthermore, as a village, Novi would get more money from state gas and sales tax rebates.

Novi Highlights:

Vacationers Come Home

By Mrs. Luther Rix — Phone Northville 2741

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ward and their children, Ronald, Debra and David, and Jean Smith returned last week from a two weeks vacation at Houghton lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hansor, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. George Waite returned last Tuesday from a ten day trip to northern Michigan. They crossed the Straits and visited Marquette, and they also visited the Tahquamenon Falls by way of the Tonnerville Trolley and a boat trip up the river.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilenius are the parents of another son, Donald Paul, born last Friday, August 16 at the Beyer Memorial hospital in Ypsilanti. Donald, who weighed eight pounds, seven ounces, has two brothers, Jimmy, 3, and Ronny, 1. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rex LaPlante, Sr. of Novi road.

Mrs. Benjamin Foor was honored at a pink and blue shower last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. George Mair.

Mrs. Cora McDonald is spending a few days of this week with her niece and family, Mrs. Starr Hilliker at 14 Mile road.

Correction: The Blue Star Mothers Experience Tea will be held at the home of Mrs. A. McCallum on 11 Mile road September 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rix attended the Tobins family reunion at McCormick's park in Williamston Sunday.

The Howard Greens of West Grand River entertained their pinochle club Saturday evening at a planned pot-luck dinner. First prizes were won by Otis Tewksber 27, and Mrs. Luther Rix.

Last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. William Hansor, Sr. visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Lillian Hoetger in Detroit. They all took a boat ride to Bob-Lo.

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Patrolman Begins Suspension

Novi patrolman Vernon Loeffler began a 90-day suspension Wednesday morning for allegedly taking part in political activities while on duty.

The suspension leaves Novi with only three full-time policemen to cover the township's 36 square miles.

The suspension was ordered by three members of the township board two weeks ago. They gave Loeffler 15 days in which to appeal, but the patrolman failed to appear by the deadline last Tuesday morning.

The action threatens to set off a new crisis in the already-strained relations among township board members.

Supervisor Frazer Staman forcefully objected to the proposed suspension when it was first brought up, and still claims the township board has no jurisdiction over police matters.

Staman insists a five-member safety commission was established in 1955 to govern police, fire and building activities in Novi. He also feels that, as supervisor, he has direct control over personnel problems.

Clerk Hadley Bachert, treasurer Ray Harrison and trustee Stan Balon, who took the action toward Loeffler's suspension, claim on the other hand that the police department is responsible to the entire board.

As for the safety commission, Bachert claims that it has been so inactive as to be non-existent. In any case, he insists, the township board supercedes all other township bodies.

Staman further claims that Loeffler did not receive official notice of the charges against him, and therefore cannot be suspended at this time.

Bachert, however, said Loeffler had been requested verbally to appear at the board meeting Monday night. When he did not, Bachert said, he granted his opportunity to feels, he granted his opportunity to a public hearing.

Phone Rates Up

Telephone users will pay higher rates as a result of action by the Public Service Commission last week.

A request by the Michigan Bell Telephone company to increase its rates was given approval by the commission. According to John Kumego, company manager for the Novi area, one party residential rates will go up 25c per month, four party 35c and rural 25c. Business telephones will have a $1.00 increase for one party, 50c for two, 25c for rural and $1.50 for PBX trunklines.

JP Fee Question Takes Another Twist

The off-again-on-again question of how much Novi justices of the peace should pay the township — and for what — took another unexpected twist Monday night.

It now appears that the two justices will be asked only to pay for certain supplies used in settling court cases arising under township ordinances.

The new demand represents a considerable change from the original plan to bill the justices for use of the township hall and services of the township receptionist as well as for supplies. A charge of 10 percent of the justices' fees had been considered.

Treasurer Ray Harrison, who had made the charge-for-supplies-only motion, withdrew it until a study could be made.

In other business, the board:

—heard a letter from the City of Northville, applauding the Novi fire department for its quick action in getting to the Allied Products plant fire in Northville two weeks ago.

—heard a letter from Mrs. Charles Crawford, complaining about trailers at Novi township park being visible from the road during the winter.

—discussed replacing the present township hall janitor, who works one night a week with a woman who would work four hours a day for approximately the same cost

—agreed to pay Staman's expenses to the Michigan State Association of Superintendents conference

—waived the building permit fee for the new Willowbrook church

—approved specifications for a new 1,000-gallon tanker fire truck and agreed to advertise anew for bids

—heard that Walled Lake park officials are willing to remove an old police booth from near the Novi road bend to allow better vision for drivers turning the corner

—discussed the naming of a health officer, after Renne reported that the state requires townships to have such officials. For the time being, Renne said, Staman could serve in that capacity, and the entire board could serve as a board of health

—discussed keeping the township park open an extra month (until approximately October 1) providing rental of trailerspace covers expenses

—approved the appointment of Harry Garlick as an auxiliary police radio dispatcher to serve while regular dispatchers are on vacation or unable to man the police and fire radio

—authorized the hiring of part-time help to assist Staman in making current assessments and spreading the tax roll. Staman noted that Novi's equalized valuation is now $21,800,000 — compared to $6,000,000 several years ago — and that the job demands more time than he can take from his duties as supervisor