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## Future of schools to be decided Tuesday

Two requests will be presented to the registered voters of the Forest Hills School district this next Tuesday. The voters will be asked to approve a one million six hundred eighty-five thousand dollar (\$1,685,000) bond issue and an operating millage in the amount of six mills (6) for two years.

### Building Program Has Many Aspects

The major part of the bond issue is for the construction of a new Junior High school and three elementary additions. The new Junior High school is to be constructed behind the present High school. It will face Ada Drive. The elementary additions are planned for the Orchard View, Collins and Cascade schools. All of the sites neces-

sary for these structures are now owned by the Forest Hills Public schools.

The Junior High school will be a one story building structure that will house 600 students. Utilities and special facilities will be large enough to serve a future addition of ten classrooms for three hundred more students.

Increasing enrollments and the need for improving both the Junior High school and High school educational program are the basic reasons for the new building.

The elementary schools will be the first step toward centralization so as to provide a better program, better services, and libraries for the children. These three buildings will have utilities capable of serving future expansion up to twenty rooms at each location. Serving areas for hot lunches and all-purpose rooms will be included in these schools.

### Shortage of classrooms brought home here

Last week, there was an article from the Office of Education in Washington, D. C. concerning the shortage of classrooms in public schools. Because of its timeliness (Forest Hills votes Tuesday) your news reporter has been requested to quote it in the Suburban Life. It is as follows:

"The Nation's shortage of public school classrooms became more acute this academic year, after two years of improvement, the Office of Education said Monday.

"Reports from the states showed there was a shortage of 124,300 public school classrooms at the beginning of the school year last fall, the office said.

"This was an increase of 3,000 from the estimated shortage of 121,300 in the fall of 1962. The 1961 figure was 127,300, down from 142,500 in 1960. The 1959 figure had been 135,300.

"A substantial classroom shortage for even one year short changes the education of millions of children," said Secretary of Welfare Anthony J. Celebrezze. He added:

"It is abundantly clear that continue year after year short changes this nation's future.

"It is abundantly clear that the states and communities cannot provide the classrooms needed for our increasing school-age population.

"The richest nation on earth can afford to build the classrooms it needs. It can ill afford not to."

"The Office of Education reported that 1,659,000 pupils were counted as in "excess" of normal classroom capacity. It said additional millions of students also were affected by the overcrowding.

"The states reported completion of 65,300 classrooms by school districts during the 1962-63 year, down from 72,100 the previous year.

"They listed only about 59,800 classrooms scheduled for completion this school year, but the education office said experience of recent years indicates completions may exceed the estimate."

### Attends workshop in Bayport, Minnesota

Lee DeGroot of R. D. Brooks Construction Grand Rapids, Michigan, recently attended a two day "Window Workshop" at the Andersen Corporation, manufacturers of Andersen Windows at Bayport, Minnesota.

The Workshop included a trip through the plant, which is the largest in the world devoted entirely to the manufacture of window units. The next day and a half was spent learning how windows affect the livability of a home.

### SYMPATHY EXTENDED

The sympathy of the community is extended to Neal Helmus of Ada in the death of his father on Sunday morning.

### Applications available for canvassing board

Applications for member of Cascade Township canvassing board may be filed with the township clerk on or before April 1, 1964. Blanks may be obtained at the Supervisor's office, 6907 Cascade Rd., S. E. c45-46

Increasing enrollments and the need for more centralized, up-to-date facilities are the main reason for these proposed additions. A small portion of the bond issue will be used for Shop, Home Economics, and Music rooms at the High school. A more comprehensive school program geared to the needs of the student not desiring college is drastically needed according to school officials.

Money is also included to add equipment to the high school kitchen. The number of meals prepared at this kitchen can be more than doubled. This will enable the district to offer government subsidized lunches to all of the children in the district.

School board members, school officials and interested citizens have tried to contact all residents of the district with accurate information concerning the building needs.

### School Requests 6 Mills

A second ballot will be presented to the registered voters of the district requesting six (6) mills for two years for operating expenses. This will replace the four (4) mill special operating tax which expired this year. In reality, it will be an increase of two (2) mills of the levy power.

School officials say this is a minimum request that represents a very limited amount for improvements. Eighty (80) per cent of the increased revenues will be used to employ new teachers and to pay the cur-

rent scheduled salaries to teachers now in the system. This will leave approximately \$12,000, less than half a mill, for maintenance and improvement for the educational program and student services.

The building program and the operating millage are expected to add approximately \$45 to the tax bill of the average home owner in the Forest Hills school district if both the building program and millage issues are approved. Suburban Life has carried a series of articles for the past several issues describing accurately different phases of the program.

A review of these articles, and detailed brochures distributed by the area citizens committee will help every citizen to cast an informed vote this next Tuesday.

### New Officers for Citizens Club

Junior American Citizens Club of the third grade at Martin School have elected their new officers for the spring.

President is Karen Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Stevens of 4830 Luxemburg S. E.; vice-president, Marjorie Conde, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conde of 4608 Cascade Road, S. E.; and secretary is Kevin Ferrall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferrall of 4814 Luxemburg S. E.

Mrs. E. H. Roth is their sponsor.

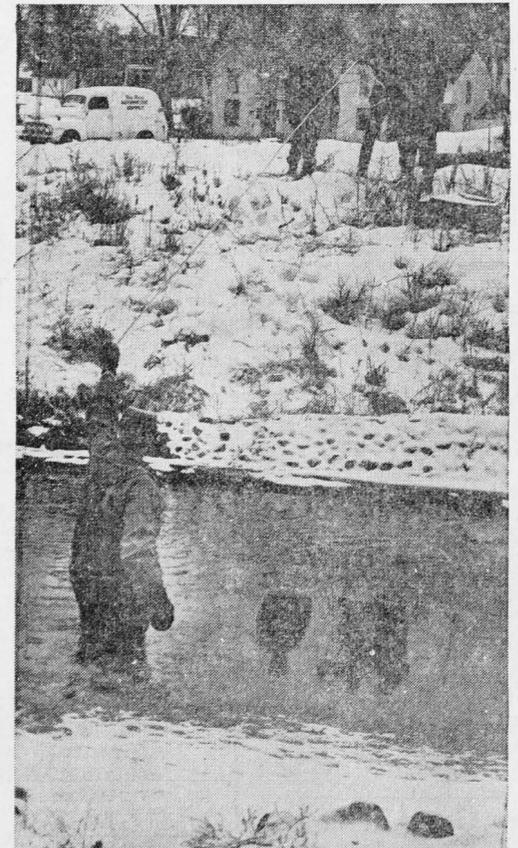


Mr. and Mrs. Todd C. Merrill, Goodwood Drive, S. E., are the proud parents of a son, Mitchell Todd, born February 17 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital. The new arrival weighed 7-pounds, 15-ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Kloosterman of 4410-36th Street, S. E., are the parents of a baby girl born last Friday, February 21, at Blodgett Memorial Hospital.

A baby boy, Eric, was born on February 19 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stiles of Jeanlin Drive, S. E.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rooker of 6441 Ada Drive, S. E., are the new parents of a son born on February 19 at Blodgett Memorial Hospital. He has been named James Orin.



WORLD'S COLDEST JOB---A Michigan Highway Department employee wades into the chilly waters of the Rocky River at Three Rivers to complete surveying for a State Highway Department widening project scheduled to be done later this year.



Have you made your reservation for the Chicken 'N Biscuits Dinner to be served from 5-7 p. m. on Saturday, February 29, in the Fellowship Hall? Above from left to right are Mrs. Guy Quiggle, Carol Jo Provoche and Sally Dustin, as they are busily making their plans to serve you. The dinner is sponsored by the Christian Youth Fellowship of Cascade Christian Church, and the profits will be used to send some of their members to the International Affairs Seminar in New York and Washington, D. C. There will be a ticket booth at Cascade Pharmacy Friday afternoon and evening, and Saturday morning. Tickets for adults will sell for \$1.50, and children under 12 years of age, 75c. Admittance to the dinner will be by ticket or reservation only. Reservations can be made with Carol Slater, at 949-1546.

## Object . . . Success

My story is directed mainly to handicapped people, those, who for some reason or other could not become "professionals."

I would have liked to become a teacher but circumstances prevented the education which was necessary. It is indeed most important to make the most of what we can do, physically handicapped or not, whatever the limitation, as there are so many rewarding achievements open to each of us in exchange for the efforts put forth.

Many years ago I started out in the business world, after 21 years of life as an invalid. I will never forget my amazement at seeing an adding machine for the first time. After I was taught how to operate it, I was moved on to other types of machines and also learned to be a switchboard operator. After 10 years in this office I decided to try something else. I felt now that I had the knowledge of business procedure.

My next position did not last as long. I went to work for another company in the accounting department which I found very dull. I stayed about three years and started out again to do something different. I went to visit a friend who was a patient and ended up with a job at the hospital. I worked in the admitting office, the business office, did relief work at the switchboard and finally in the medical records department which I found positively fascinating. There is a sense of satisfaction you get from working in a hospital which no other job can equal.

One day while working at the hospital I was offered a job at an investment counseling firm which I promptly accepted because of the good salary offered. At first I was very bored with this work because I knew nothing about stocks and bonds, but I decided once again to apply myself and to learn something about stocks and bonds. Today, I am vitally interested in the stock market.

So you see, one can adjust oneself to many things. I am now having a recurrence of my original illness and am confined to bed completely for an indefinite period of time, but I intend to pick up where I left off when I recover. I keep busy doing needlework, reading and as you can see, writing letters.

Sincerely,  
Margaret Shaffrey.

To our readers: please say a prayer for Margaret, she has been ill since last summer. Her willingness to contribute her story is another indication of her many admirable traits. Write us your story. Object Success: Box 128, Lowell, Mich.

### Phillip R. Jacobus named area ticket chairman for Republican dinner

William S. Farr, Chairman of the 77th Annual Lincoln Day Dinner, has announced the appointment of Mrs. Joseph R. Stratman of Comstock Park, Phillip R. Jacobus of Eastmont, and Miss Geraldine Masters and Mrs. Robert McDowell of Grand Rapids as area ticket chairmen. Miss Shirley Decker and Miss Patricia Vander Linde will be in charge of decorations and Roger W. Boer, general arrangements.

The Dinner is to be held at the Grand Rapids Civic Auditorium at 7:00 p. m., Thursday, March 5th. Hon. Gerald R. Ford, (R-5th District), will be the main speaker.

### Art demonstration open to public

The Thornapple Valley Artists will hold a demonstration of interest to everyone in our area. Al Heemstra, commercial artist, will give us a generous sampling of his work, including gold leaf uses as applied to industry, silk screen techniques, lettering design and lay out, as well as the use of various medias, paper, film and other materials used in commercial art.

Mr. Heemstra is past-president of the Cascade Business Men's Association. He owns and operates an Exhibitors Display Company, as well as doing professional lettering and sign work. His interest in the T.V.A. helped to establish the group.

The public is invited to all of the demonstrations, held on the first Tuesday of the month at 8 p. m. in the Cascade Town Hall.

There will be a question and answer session following the demonstration and coffee for all. Come and enjoy an instructive evening in a friendly atmosphere.

### Fashion show 'Spring Fantasy'

The Collins PTA is planning a fashion show "Spring Fantasy" for Thursday, March 12, at 8 p. m. at Forest Hills High School All-Purpose Room.

Mrs. Donald Strazisar is chairman of the show. Other chairmen are—Models: Mrs. William Blackport. Hospitality—Mrs. Robert Willard and Mrs. Hardy Ensing. Publicity—Mrs. Edward Bunda and Mrs. Gale Anderson. Tickets—Mrs. Barbara Treleven. Refreshments—Mrs. Curtis Amundson. Decorations—Mrs. Roger Stirdivant, Mrs. James Jarrad and Mrs. Harry Luehrs. Mrs. Marge Sveadas will narrate.

The show is being sponsored by the Debonair Shop of Lowell and Ada, hair styles by Romana Beauty Shop, and make up by Viviane Woodard, Cosmetics.

Reserve this evening, March 12, for a delightful preview into spring.

### Trombonist will present sacred music program

Samuel Saltar, trombonist, will present a program of sacred music on Friday, February 28, at 7:30 p. m. at the Calvary Reformed Church, 1513 East Fulton Street.

The program is to be presented with the showing of the motion picture In His Steps, based on the religious best seller of the same name.

In His Steps is a motion picture based on the book by the same name, written by opeka clergyman Charles M. Sheldon. The book is reported to have sold over thirty million copies, and has been translated into dozens of languages across the world.

The film story follows the experiences of an aspiring young actress, a newspaper publisher, and the clergyman whose unique concept changed their lives.

### BRIDAL SHOWER

Miss Patricia Ann Ribbens was feted at a bridal shower given by Mrs. Calvin Leiter and Mrs. James Feeney and Mrs. Stanley Stevens on February 23. Miss Ribbens is the bride elect of Gary E. Stevens.

### Forest Hills PTA will sponsor bond meeting

The Forest Hills PTA will sponsor an important information meeting on the bond and millage vote, Thursday night, February 27, in the high school multi-purpose building at 8 p. m.

All residents are urged to attend this meeting at which time school officials will review the proposed building program and related operating millage, and will answer questions of concern to our residents.



### Carnival Friday

As a special attraction for this year's Ada School Carnival, Mrs. Glenn Raymond will appear in her clown costume and entertain the youngsters at the fun-filled event.

This Friday evening the doors of the school will open at 6:30 p. m. Inside will be games of almost every description to be played by all members of the family.

The event is being sponsored by the Ada School P.T.A. Door prizes will be given away at a drawing scheduled to be held at 8 p. m.

### STATE UNIVERSITY HONORS ALL-A STUDENTS

Michigan State University honored Marty McMahon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McMahon, of Lowell and Charlotte Beahan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Beahan, 7788 Cascade Rd., Cascade for achieving all-A records during the fall term. Miss McMahon and Miss Beahan are both freshmen at MSU.

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Representative Martin D. Buth (R-Comstock Park) is shown comparing a badly rusted steel Michigan auto plate, while Rep. Lucille H. McCullough, (D-DeARBorn) displays an aluminum auto plate for longer life. Rep. Buth and Mrs. McCullough have co-sponsored a bill to have Michigan plates made of aluminum which have been tested on State-owned cars during the past 18 months.

## Ada Twp. property values set

The re-appraisal of real estate in Ada Township has been completed by the Doane Appraisal Service, Township Supervisor Richard Lynch, reported this week.

Every property owner in the township will receive a letter with his new property valuation this week. The 1,700 notices will be mailed so that property owners will have an opportunity to have their new valuation explained next week at a Board of Review prehearing in the Ada Township Hall, March 4, 5 and 6.

Lynch said an explanation of the new assessment is enclosed with the card showing property owners new appraisal. The appraisal is based on twenty-five percent of the true cash value, to figure your true cash value, just multiply by 4. He also stated that even if your assessment is five times what it was previously, you would pay no more taxes than in 1963, if the tax rates remain the same.

Valuation Over 9 Million  
In 1963, Ada Township had a State Equalized Valuation of 8.2 million, preliminary figures of the Doane Appraisal Service.

This indicates the appraisal is accurate on the whole, as the State Equalized value is based on 50 percent of true cash value.

Hearings Set  
The first hearings will be held on Tuesday, March 4 through Thursday, March 6, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The second meeting of the Board of Review will be held on Monday, March 10 and Tuesday, March 11, for the same hours. At this time the board will hear appeals of property owners who were not satisfied by the pre-hearing the week before with the appraisers.

### JOYCE PENNOCK RANKED AS SUPERIOR STUDENT

Mrs. Joyce Pennock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Perin, Route 1, Ada, has won recognition for superior scholarship at Olivet Nazarene College by being placed on the semester honor roll.

The announcement was made by Dr. W. E. Snowbarger, Dean of the College. The honor roll consists of the names of those students with a grade average of 3.0 (B) or above.

### Missionaries to speak

The public is invited to a Mission Program at the East Paris Christian Reformed Church on Sunday, March 1, at 9 p. m.

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### hospital notes

Mrs. Harold Homrich of Kraft Avenue S. E. underwent surgery last week at the Grand Rapids Osteopathic Hospital.

Bob Verburg of 884 Orlando S. E. is a surgical patient at Butterworth Hospital



### Betty J. Wilson, Robert Wilson Exchange Vows

Homestead Bible Chapel was the scene of the wedding of Miss Betty Jean Wilson and Robert E. Wilson on Friday evening, February 21. Dr. Dean B. Smith officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Wilson of Caroline Place N. E. are the parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Wilson of 4047 Michigan Street N. E. are the bridegroom's parents.

The bride chose for her wedding a gown fashioned with a lace skirt and bodice applied with lace. Her veil fell from a crown of crystals and she carried white carnations and hydrangeas on a Bible.

Miss Terresa Ann Wilson was her sister's honor attendant. Miss Mary Ann Smit was bridesmaid and Ronnie Jo Leeth was junior bridesmaid. They wore red velvet dresses with matching hats and carried white muffs with red and white carnations.

Best man was Allen DeVol. Karl Braun and Robert Lyons were the ushers.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Groters, uncle and aunt of the bridegroom, presided at the reception in the chapel parlors.

The couple will live at 1030 Helen Street, N. E., after a wedding trip to the upper peninsula of Michigan.

### Mrs. Don Krout

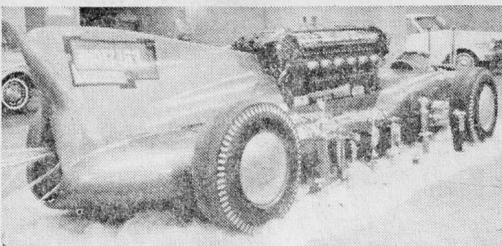
Mr. and Mrs. David Carpenter of 1959 Thornapple River Drive, S. E., announce the marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Ann, of Glendale, California, to Donald R. Krout on Saturday, February 15.

The bridegroom is in the U. S. Navy and is attached to the S. S. Sargo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Krout of Renton, Washington.

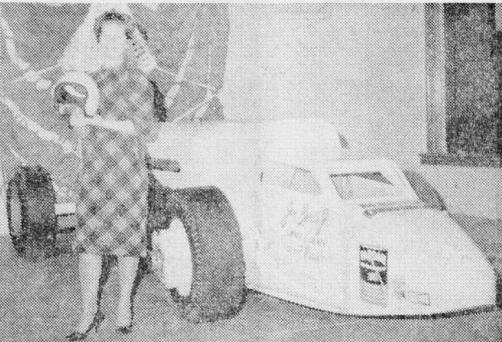
The newlyweds were entertained at a family gathering in Glendale with the bridegroom's mother and sister as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Krout will make their home in San Diego, California.

### Eyes speed record



This trophy-winning dragster, Pioneer I, is owned by Jim Byerly, jr., of 859 Byerly Avenue, S. E. After a successful season in 1963, the car was dismantled and a new goal and car took its place.



A seven-layer fiberglass body is the new coat for the Albino Dinosaur, the power machine designed and built by Byerly for drag racing. Shown by the car holding his helmet is his wife, Loa, who has been instrumental in the successful completion of the car.

This week end, February 29 through March 1, the Albino Dinosaur will be at the L. C. Walker arena in Muskegon for its first show of the 1964 season.

The annual Rod and Custom Show, sponsored by the Road Gents, will feature custom cars, dragsters, midgets, Bonneville cars, stock cars, super-modifieds and various displays and movies from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. each day.

Even though Byerly just put the finishing touches on the car, he has made two local television appearances promoting the show and his car, during the past week.

The new dragster was built from main part of Pioneer I, the sister car. Fuel consumption for the Allison airplane engine powered machine is 1/4 mile, 1 gal. high test gas.

When Byerly completes a run on a strid a 20-ft. parachute is used to help stop the car. At Bonneville Flats in Utah, where land speed records are set, an 8-ft. chute is used.

The Dinosaur is 43 inches high at the highest point, 16-ft., 10-inches long, 32 inches wide, and weighs 3,500-lbs.; 1,300-lbs. engine weight. Ground clearance is 5 1/4 inches. The engine has 1,710 cubic inches and puts out approximately 3,000 hp at sea level.

8:20x15 tires are run on the car for drag racing. The tires are 8 1/4 inches wide, and with 4-wheel drive gives 265 square inches of rubber on the track. Tires used at Bonneville are 7:00x18, and carry 150-pounds of air pressure.

In August of this year, Byerly will pack up and go to the Salt Flats in Utah. There, he will be entered in the Lakester class, which now holds a world's record of 251 mph. Competition, in the week long event, will be tough with approximately 200 cars and 50 motorcycles from all over the United States and South American taking a try at various records.

The Salt Flats track is 10 miles long. Last year, with the Pioneer I, Byerly clocked 167 mph in a 1/4-mile run, from a standing start. This year, he will have a 2 mile running start to get up speed. His big goal is 85 mph faster and he will top the world's record in this class. Jim hopes to run between 275 and 300 mph.

Problems? Due to the fact that he will run a longer distance, Byerly is faced with the major problems of a proper cooling system, fuel consumption and gear ratio.

The run for the record must be made between 7 to 9 a. m. The heat on the flats ranges from 120 degrees to 130 degrees.

The power plant which will speed Byerly towards the record is a basic Model 99 Allison high-altitude engine from a Curtiss P-40 fighter airplane. The engine originally had a 2-to-1 reduction gear on the nose. This was removed and replaced with an Allison direct drive cover. Then the crank-shaft hub was adapted to the input of a multi-disk "tugboat clutch." The clutch has 13-alternate steel and bronze disks.

After July 4, Byerly will halt all area drag competition to change his car over for Bonneville. He estimates a month's work will be involved.

During 1961-62, with the Pioneer I, he won 12 trophies in shows at Grand Rapids, Detroit, Chicago, Akron and Youngstown, Ohio, Flint, Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, Lansing, Holland and Muskegon. The car was run at drag strips at Grattan, Martin and Omondaga and Muncie, Indiana.

At the Flint show, Jim's car was judged "best of show" and won a beautiful 5-ft trophy.

Anyone interested in having some local and world-wide publicity by having their name on the Albino Dinosaur can contact Jim at his home, 859 Byerly Avenue, S. E., or talk with him at the Muskegon show this week end.

The Byerlys, who have just put over a year's hard work into the new car, have three children.

### Cascade Township Zoning Notice

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Cascade Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Friday, March 27, 1964, at 8:00 PM on said date at the Cascade Township Hall, in the village of Cascade in said Township, upon the following proposed Amendments to the Cascade Township Zoning Ordinance and Land Use Map, viz:

1. To change the zoning classification of the Hickory Hills Golf Course property, so-called, the legal description of which follows, from its present "R-2" Residential classification to "A" Agricultural, so as to conform to the present use of said property to the Cascade Township Zoning Ordinance, subject to the condition that said land shall be limited to use as a golf course, and the facilities, including buildings necessary and proper for such golf course purposes:

All that part of the East 1/2 of the SouthEast 1/2 and of the SouthEast 1/2 of the NorthEast 1/4 lying South of Cascade Gardens except that portion described as follows: Commencing at the SE corner of Lot 154 of said Plat, thence West 300 feet to the SouthWest corner of said Lot, thence South on the East line extended of MacNider Avenue 150 feet, thence East parallel with said Lot line 300 feet to the East Section line, thence North 150 feet to place of beginning, Section 6, Town 6 North, Range 10 West; also except commencing at the SouthWest corner of said Lot 32, Cascade Gardens, then South 200 feet, thence Easterly 364.75 feet parallel with the Southerly line of said Lot 32, thence Northerly 275 feet more or less to the SouthWest corner of Lot 97 Cascade Gardens, thence SouthWesterly of the SE corner of said Lot 32, thence Westerly along the South line of said Lot 32, 304.75 feet to the place of beginning; ALSO, that part of the North 1/2 of the NorthEast 1/4 of Section 7, Town 6 North, Range 10 West, lying East of a line commencing 1,695 North & 410 feet East of the South 1/4 corner, and extending Northeasternly to a point on the North Section line which is 500 feet West of the East 1/4 line, except the East 165 feet thereof, all in Cascade Township, Kent County, Michigan.

2. To change the zoning classifications of the following described property from "R-2" Residential District to "I-1" Industrial District, subject to the condition that the owners of such property shall, by a recordable indenture, impose restrictions and conditions upon said lands substantially as follows:

(1) along the Westerly boundary of said land, the owners shall cause to be planted before June, 1965, a buffer zone 50 feet in width of evergreen trees which planting shall consist of at least two rows (spaced in an East and West direction) of said trees; and

(2) A zone 100 feet deep starting from the South end of the right-of-way of Cascade Road, and extending the full distance said land is contiguous to Cascade Road shall be landscaped and part thereof shall be occupied by a building, parking lot or other facility which is apparent on the surface; and

(3) The area lying between the plant facilities erected or to be erected upon said land and Galbraith Avenue shall either be landscaped or used for parking of passenger automobiles; and

(4) The design and architecture of the plant facilities to be erected on said land shall be approved by the Township Board before erection is initiated; and

(5) At no time shall there be exposed exterior storage of machinery, equipment, tooling or products; and

(6) The land shall not be used for industrial purposes other than those which are related to the activities of Ace Plating Company, and in no event shall the land be used for industrial purposes which create a nuisance by reason of noise or obnoxious odors; and

(7) Any buildings to be erected on said premises to have brick fronting on the portions thereof fronting on Galbraith Road.

Said land proposed to be so rezoned is described as:

Lots 17 through 32 inclusive of Cascade Gardens, Cascade Township, Kent County, Michigan, and a parcel of property described as:

Commencing at the SouthWest corner of said Lot 32, Cascade

### School doin's

On February 18, interested juniors and seniors attended Career Night at Rogers High School. Given their choice of professions, each student attended two brief lectures with an opportunity for questions following. The purpose of Career Night was to give students an opportunity to learn more about a profession from a person doing that type of work.

On February 20, the Spanish Club held a meeting. It will sponsor a car wash on March 14, the cost being one dollar per car. Those having a green and white car will receive a discount of 25 cents.

Don't forget the "World's Fair" is coming to Forest Hills in the shape of the Annual Variety Show. There will be acts from France, England, and other countries so plan on coming for a highly enjoyable evening. Tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 75 cents for students and may be purchased from any choir member.

Schedule making time has come again. Students must decide on next year's courses amid many moans, groans, and "What are you going to take?" type questions. First, of course, comes the required courses then the electives. It's the elective courses that cause the moans and groans for many students are undecided as to their future. But—if this is such a problem to the students, think what headaches it must cause those who set up next year's schedules!

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### coming events

Forest Hills Music Association will meet on Monday, March 2, at 8 p. m. in the B Building at the High School.

The Lowell V.F.W. Post will hold a meeting in the post rooms on East Main Street, Lowell, on Tuesday evening, March 3.

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### Pedro club meets

Pedro Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Dele Smit.

Owing to illness, business and dinner engagements, and a trip to Florida; four members were absent.

Guests for the evening were Eva Rickert, Bertha Bryant, and Ida Litschewski.

Prizes were won by Oleta Smith, Bertha Bryant, Margi Sveados and Mae Standard.

Special valentine prize won by Leona Hunt.

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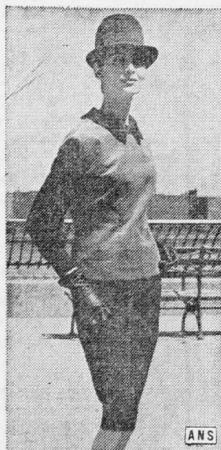
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Boys eligible to play must be 15-years-old before August 1, and 19-years-old before December 1.

The proposed 6-team softball league will have a 10 game schedule, with 13 men on each team. Entry fee into competition will be \$4 per player.

This program is being set up by various members of the Ada Athletic Association who feel that this age bracket need recreation to keep them busy, nights.

The summer program will be a success if the interest of the boys is high and the support from the community is great.

Watch the coming editions of Suburban Life for registration information and details on this "softball under the lights" program.



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