

20 Taxpayers Hit New Sewer For Harmon Ave.

Twenty taxpayers put in an application with the city council last Monday to protest construction of the sewer project in the Harmon, Woodland-Union-Lake area. The issue was not settled, and a further hearing was set for Jan. 22 to take more actual data on basement flooding can be garnered.

First to speak against the improvement was A. Dexter E. Vanzant, 676 Dewey street, who said he could not possibly figure out why his lot should be assessed when no possible benefit can accrue to him.

Next to speak was H. C. Corson, who said that a storm sewer was installed in 1925 when a sanitary sewer was put through. "I didn't ask them to disconnect it," he protested.

Several other persons protested the project on the ground that they never have been troubled with basement flooding. Several admitted that street flooding was frequent, and Corson and City Manager Donald C. Bowers said that the entire area of some 200 lots is now drained of storm water by two small 10-inch lines on Baldwin avenue and one on Greenwood.

"We don't even use a 10-inch pipe to connect two catch basins," Bowers said. It was further stated that a careful survey had shown that the storm sewer facilities are one-sixth one of the standard. The plan is to construct new lines in utility old lines as much as possible, particularly a line on Greenwood.

The point was raised that all pipes in the area are equally responsible for the cost. George Boutwell, 507 Lakeside, objected: "I have lived 37 years in the Harmon and Lakeview and have never had any trouble, but I have been told that I might try to sell some day, and I could never do it with conditions the way they are. I am in favor of it."

The cost has been figured at \$39 per 1,000 square feet, less 10 percent through use of WPA.

Alpena Club Announces Annual Ice Carnival  
Arrangements are being made for a thousand residents of Alpena, Michigan to leave Detroit on a snow train for Alpena's sixth annual ice carnival, which opens Saturday Jan. 20. The snow train leaves Detroit at 7:30 o'clock that Saturday morning, and returns Sunday evening. Into that time, the Detroit-Alpena Club, sponsoring the snow train, has packed twenty thrill known to winter outdoor sports enthusiasts.

Define Mrs. Biggs: "What is your husband's average income?"  
Mrs. Biggs: "Oh, about mid-dle."

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From the Women's Angle

By NELLIE HURLEY MINIFF  
Praise be to the woman's angle. A small club in a daily newspaper the other day told of a woman's club in New Rochelle, N. Y., that has started an "I'm Not Listening" campaign against the romances on radio networks.

These radio serials have been going on for years and years and have been getting absolutely no place. Each story depicts an endless chain of stupid situations that are more like-life than an old-fashioned pair of shoes. As a whole they are asinine figments of neurotic heroines and utterly spineless pseudoheroes who traipse all over the creation looking for their own particular Utopia.

But the women are on to them now. They have finally organized and with this united front they will surely come a change for the better. At least, the radio producers will be given to understand that there is a limit to the unadulterated bosh that they can cram down the throats of American women.

By KATHERINE W. GEORGE  
Now that winter has us firmly in its grip, the lucky ones are Florida-bound. Or they are off to California, or Hawaii, or some other exotic clime, in pursuit of the sun. And I don't mind saying that I wish I could stow away in someone's car and go along.

Winter to me is just a period to get through while I wait longingly for spring and warmer weather. I merrily enjoy these hardy souls who like to slip and slide over ice-coated walks, to say nothing of skidding on icy streets, to about looking frostbitten but jolly in zero temperatures, and skip blithely to bed at night in a freezing room, with the wind whistling open and a bitter wind fairly blowing the blankets off the bed.

Yes, I know, winter sports are wonderful and "investigating." But they are simply not for me. I always get too cold to enjoy them and my ankles are wobbly on toboggans and I hate to admit, it—but tobogganing and kindred activities terrify me. Definitely sportswoman in winter, I lounge with the flowers in May.

By MYRTLE B. KNOWLTON  
"Music is the universal language of mankind," said Henry W. Longfellow. Even those who claim that they do not know one note from another, and say that they have little appreciation of music, are affected by it, and it stimulates their rhythmic rhythm of a good orchestra, the stirring outdoor music of a trained band, or the soothing and quieting melody of one of the great classics. In addition to countless other evidences of the loving-kindness of an all-wise Providence, there is the gift of the appreciation of music, which helps to ease some of the disappointment and pain of life, and to heighten the joy.

Social Briefs  
Charles J. O'Connor, of Avon-ville, will leave in a fortnight on a business trip to California.

Mrs. M. M. Kanne, of Barbours-terrace, will leave soon for Naples, Fla., for a mid-winter sojourn.

Mrs. Genaro A. Flores, of Wad-dington road, left last week for Arizona, to remain until April. Mr. Flores accompanied his wife to Chicago and is returning home today.

Eleanor and Martha Penfield will entertain about 50 of their friends at a sleigh ride Saturday evening. Preceding the ride, Eleanor and her guests will dine at Devon Gables, while her sister and her friends will have dinner at the home of the hostess's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Penfield, of Daines street, will entertain.

Mrs. Barbara Traub of West Long Lake road, will leave Feb. 1, for Naples, Fla., where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Davis at their winter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. James of Donningham lane, will take their winter vacation in the middle of February for Golden Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Frank L. Bromley entertained Dr. Doolittle at luncheon Tuesday, at her home on brook road.

Mrs. Clay E. Herbst and her son, Jim, of Oxford drive, and Mrs. Herbst's daughter, Mrs. John Chick, will leave by motor Feb. 14, for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they will spend five weeks.

Mrs. Turner A. Duncan will be hostess on Friday, at luncheon and bridge at her home on Wimbledon road. Mrs. C. W. Coville will be Paul B. Hoffman, Mrs. Blaine E. Don, Mrs. John F. St. Clair, Mrs. A. G. Green, Mrs. Carl J. White, Mrs. G. A. Green, Mrs. Clay E. Herbst, Mrs. E. A. Schirmer, Mrs. Donald U. Herbert, Mrs. Charles E. Carey, Mrs. Robert F. G. Copeland and the hostess, Mrs. Duncan and her young son, David, plan to leave next month for a sojourn in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Givens and their children, Joyce and Ronald, have returned home, after spending the holidays with relatives in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Frank W. Shuell, of Lone Pine road, is spending a few days in Battle Creek.

Moved up from its customary February date, the annual costume party of the Bloomfield Open Hunt club will be held Saturday evening, Feb. 24, at the club. The affair, followed by dinner and dancing, is being given by E. Herbst is chairman of the event.

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Quarton Cub Pack Is Organized and Meeting Regularly

When noses were counted the first of the year in the Quarton Cub Pack No. 5, 54 boys were present and accounted for in this group sponsored by the Quarton School P.T.A.

Organized during the fall, a pack consists of seven den chiefs with from five to eight boys between nine and twelve years old. A pack also consists of a den mother, den dad and den chief—the latter a Birmingham Boy Scout.

Adult Leader An adult committee, known as the Wolf Pack Committee, consisting of the den dads, several P. T. A. representatives, D. A. Murray, cabinetmaker, and R. M. Hasted, assistant cabinetmaker, handle the finances and other business affairs of the pack. Others on the committee are T. W. East, George T. Jeffers, Robert F. Grindley, Milton F. Malender, M. H. Smiley, L. L. Ferrall, William P. Winslow, Randolph Heiser, Benjamin H. Miron and E. P. Brumbaugh.

The den mothers are Mrs. Robert F. Grindley, Mrs. John Loftis Stewart, Mrs. Walter Smith, Mrs. George T. Jeffers, Mrs. Harry M. Buchanan, Mrs. William P. Winslow and Mrs. Randolph Heiser.

Den chiefs are Mr. Roberts Jim Thomas, Fred Zoellin, Fred Jeffers, Tom Allen, Newell Wright and John Staples.

Meeting Pack meetings in which the parents of all cubs as well as the cubs and den chiefs participate, are held periodically, the first one for the Quarton cub pack to be held Monday at Quarton School from 7:30 to 9 p. m.

Among other things there will be a four minute stunt by each den, the presentation of the cub pack charter by Mrs. Stanley Spiegel, president of the Quarton P. T. A., to Mrs. Grindley, chairman of the den mothers. There will also be presentation of insignia and awards by various members of the pack committee to different members of the pack.

ALKY EXPLODES; DRIVER BURNED DEARBORN (MPA)—Kenneth Bowers recently learned that a match can be as dangerous as the front end of a car as far as the gas tank. He recently lighted one as he was full. Flames from vaporized alcohol exploded, burning Bowers about the face and head.

Dr. Watson Speaks On Health Series

Dr. Thomas Y. Watson spoke to a very interested audience last Monday night at the Barnum School about the intelligent, watchful care children require for eyes, ears, nose and throat. This series is sponsored by Holy Name P.T.A.

He spoke about the need of hygienic care for each child, particularly if there is any infection, with the use of separate wash cloths and towels. He stressed the immediate care necessary in case of any chemical entering the eye before it penetrates the delicate tissues.

The refractive errors of the eyes are corrected by glasses. Children that are near-sighted should receive constant attention to improve that condition at an early date, he said.

Infections in the middle ear and mastoids occur more frequently with children than adults, who develop a stronger resistance to infections in the nose, throat and ear as they grow older. Frequent bathing during the lesson, Dr. Watson stressed the importance of building up the resistance of the body to common colds, and more virulent infections, and urged every precaution to prevent illness and accidents. Dr. Watson told several incidents of the difficulty doctors had in removing open safety pins from throats even with most improved instruments.

The talk on Monday night, Jan. 23, will be on mental hygiene for parents of small children. Miss M. Herr, Visiting Nurse, is leader.

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