

Permit in a statement properly signed and dated and such statement shall have the force of a Certificate of Occupancy.

The Building Inspector may issue a Temporary Certificate of Occupancy for a part of a building prior to the completion of the entire building, but such temporary Certificate shall not remain in force for a period in excess of six (6) months nor more than five (5) days after the completion of the building ready for occupancy.

SECTION X—ENFORCEMENT

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be administered by the Building Inspector, who shall be appointed by the Township Board for such term and subject to such conditions and at such rate of compensation as said Board shall determine; and the duty of enforcement hereof shall rest with such administrative official or officials as shall be authorized therewith by law.

SECTION XI—PENALTIES

Any firm, corporation or person who violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be fined not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for each offense, or shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for a period of not to exceed ninety (90) days for each offense, or may be both fined and imprisoned, as provided herein. Any building which is erected, altered or converted or any use of land which is begun or changed subsequent to the time of passage of this Ordinance and in violation of any of the provisions thereof is hereby declared a nuisance per se. The Building Inspector, the Legislative Body of the Township, the Board of Appeals or any court having jurisdiction shall order such nuisance abated and the owner or agent in charge of such building or land shall be adjudged guilty of maintaining a nuisance per se. Each day that a violation is permitted to exist shall constitute a separate offense. The rights and remedies provided herein are cumulative and in addition to all other remedies provided by law.

SECTION XII—AMENDMENTS

In the manner prescribed by Act No. 202 of the Public Acts of Michigan for 1937 as amended, the Township Board may from time to time on petition amend, supplement or change the boundaries of said District and on its own motion or petition may amend or supplement regulations hereinafter established. Whenever the owners of fifty per cent (50%) or more of the frontage in any zone or part thereof shall present to the Township Board a petition in writing, duly signed and which shall have been acknowledged by each of said petitioners substantially in accordance with the provisions for the acknowledgment of deeds, requesting an amendment, supplement, change or repeal of the regulations prescribed for such zone or part thereof, it shall be the duty of the Township Board to refer the petition to the Planning Board for their recommendations and to vote upon said petition within sixty (60) days after the filing of the same by the petitioners with the Township Board. If any area is hereafter transferred to another zone by a change in zone boundaries by an amendment as always provided, the provisions of this Ordinance, relating to buildings or uses of buildings or land existing at the time of passage of this Ordinance shall apply to buildings or uses of buildings or land existing at the time of passage of such amendment in such transferred area.

SECTION XIII—INTERPRETATION; PURPOSE

In interpreting and applying the provisions of this Ordinance, they shall be held to be the minimum requirements adopted for the promotion of the public health, safety, comfort, convenience, prosperity and general welfare. It is not intended by this Ordinance to repeal, abrogate, amend or in any way to impair or interfere with any existing and unrevoked provision of law or Ordinance or any rules, regulations or permits previously adopted or issued pursuant to law relating to the use of buildings or land; provided, however, that where this Ordinance imposes a greater restriction upon the use of buildings or structures or land or upon the height, area or size of buildings or requires larger yards, courts or other open spaces than are imposed or required by such existing provision of law or Ordinance or by such rules, regulations or permits, the provisions of this Ordinance shall control. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION XIV—VALIDITY

Should any section, clause or provision of this Ordinance be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof other than the part so declared to be invalid.

SECTION XV—EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance is ordered to take effect as soon as a public hearing is held thereon in accordance with Section 5, Act 69 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1939.

Approved by the Board of Bloomfield Township June 18, 1940.

Printed by authority of the Township Board of the Township of Bloomfield, County of Oakland, State of Michigan.

But It's True!

Stewarts, trying to raise funds for the Confederacy, stayed with friends on Fifth avenue, New York, walked about at random, was not recognized. The Wild river flows so fast before it reaches Broadminster that the impetus sends the water uphill.



LANSING—A national defense conference, designed to present a coordinated factual picture of Michigan present-day needs, will convene next Friday, July 5, at Port Huron under auspices of the Michigan Press association, state group of daily and weekly newspapers.

It will precede a visit by newspapermen and their guests on Saturday in the Canadian city of Sarnia for dinner address by W. A. Buchanan, member of Parliament at Ottawa and a Canadian newspaper publisher.

As European events unfold at a rapid tempo and the White House reveals plans for military con-

scription of youth, the Michigan state capital is concentrating more attention on our needs of national defense.

"We are at war" was the cryptic judgment voiced by Thomas Read, attorney general, at a special session of the state administrative board. On Wednesday, July 3, the "little legislature," officially known as the Michigan emergency appropriations commission will meet here to provide funds to construct an anti-aircraft army in Detroit and possibly to enlarge the state police force. However, state officials cautioned the public against hysteria.

Thus the blitzkrieg triumphs of Herr Hitler are having reactions on the every-day life of Michigan people. Once again our citizens find that it's a small world.

Leaders to Speak

National defense needs in Michigan will be outlined by the following speakers at the Port Huron conference to be held at the Gratiot Inn:

Army—Col. John S. Borse, the adjutant general of Michigan.

Navy—Commander Broadhead, Michigan naval reserves.

Aviation—Col. Floyd Evans, director, state aeronautics board.

Highways—Murray D. Van Wagener, commissioner, state highway department.

State police—Lieut. Harold Mulbar, deputy chief of detectives and in charge of a state police division for "fifth column" subversive vigilance.

The conference will be opened officially at a noon luncheon by Gov. Luren Dickinson and will be closed at a dinner program by Everett DeRyke, American Legion state commander.

Invasion of Canada?

The jittery mental attitude of Canadian citizens—some of them at least—prompted Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario to declare the other day that Nazi forces in Michigan threatened an invasion of Canada!

He said fascists awaited only a word from Hitler to shoulder arms and institute a miniature blitzkrieg across the United States border.

Fantastic was this outright intimation that Canada was in jeopardy from a "fifth column" subversive plot hatched in Michigan. (The domestic politics underlying Hepburn's remarks are that the premier at Toronto differs from

the dominion premier at Ottawa on the conduct of the war; Hepburn believes that Ontario needs more home defense units.)

An invitation to Premier Hepburn to address the Michigan editors at Sarnia, and thus possibly clarify the "Michigan invasion" situation, brought a letter of regret that Hepburn was ill and his personal physician had advised against further speech-making. A member of the premier's cabinet may bring a message from Toronto to the Sarnia dinner.

"Fifth Column"

Two incidents have been reported in the press which tend to bear out the request of Commissioner Oscar Oldber for 100 more state police officers.

"Fifth column" activity was suspected this month in the blaze of a freight car, loaded with General Motors engines, as a train was entering the St. Clair river tunnel between Port Huron and Sarnia. The train was also carrying munitions it was said.

During the first World war a small arsenal was uncovered in Detroit in connection with a German plot.

Gov. Luren D. Dickinson, in re-

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

The annual meeting of School District No. 2 of the Township of Bloomfield, County of Oakland, for the election of Director, and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at the Schoolhouse on Monday the 27th day of July, 1940, at 10:00 o'clock P. M.

(Brief statement of questions to be submitted.)

Director of District for three-year term.

Determination of tax levy for next fiscal year.

Usual business of annual meeting.

Dated this 15th day of June, 1940.

(Signed) EDWARD S. REID, JR. Director.

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