

New Troy Twp. High School Gymnasium To Provide Needed Athletic Facilities

By RAY DENNIS

When the gymnasium of the new \$600,000 Troy township high school is completed, a much needed function in that area will be fulfilled.

At present, no indoor physical education facilities are available in the entire township.

Neither Big Beaver nor Log Cabin schools have gyms, and high school athletes use the rented Royal Oak Methodist church gym for practice sessions and play all basketball games away from home. In addition, only outdoor physical education classes are offered.

However, this situation will undergo a drastic change when the new gymnasium is put into use.

The gym will be one of the largest in this area, according to Athletic Director Royd Larson. The playing court will be 86 feet

ment seats in the bleachers at the south side, 400 temporary bleacher seats on the north side, and in addition, 300 can be seated around the floor.

The playing floor will be constructed of new style block Maple pieces. An unusual feature is that blocks can be replaced individually if necessary.

Larson said there will be two fan tall backboards and four side baskets for gym classes. An electric scoreboard will be set up and public address equipment installed, with a microphone at the scorers table.

A BAND STAND will be constructed at the southeast corner overlooking the floor and there

will be a large athletic equipment storage space underneath the permanent stands. Ample parking space will be furnished alongside the building.

Three locker rooms are being constructed adjoining the gym. On the north side, there will be girls' locker room; a visiting team room with 75 lockers; and the home locker room with 150 lockers.

The visiting team locker room also will be used for physical education classes.

Near the locker rooms, will be an athletic office, which will accommodate the athletic director, coaches and officials. Private showers will be available for officials.

There will be a public ticket booth near the gym, so located that spectators won't have to go through the rest of the school.

The stage will be 46 feet across and 24 feet deep. It will be adjoined by a property room. The stage will have an acoustical ceiling. Three microphone openings will lead onto the stage, making it convenient for panel discussions.

THE COMBINED gymnasium-auditorium can be used as a civic center for almost any function in the township, Larson stated. Because the cafeteria is located near the gym, banquets and dinners can be served there. Larson also commented that applications will be made for district and regional basketball tournaments.

In the future, outdoor athletic fields will be constructed at the rear of the school building. So that athletes will not have to go through the rest of the building, there will be an outside entrance to the locker room.

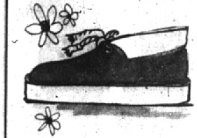
The gym will be used for junior and senior high school physical education classes. In addition, a grade school physical education program will be conducted Saturday.

The athletic director stated that athletic tournaments will be arranged for the younger students.

MEMBERS OF the Troy township school athletic staff, besides Larson, are Marshall Benjamin, football and golf; Peyton Goodwin, basketball and baseball; and Bob Nyquist, track.

Larson said that the contractor expects the gymnasium to be completed by May. Physical education classes will start there in September. The new high school is located on Livernois, north of Big Beaver road.

A girls' physical education instructor will eventually be hired.



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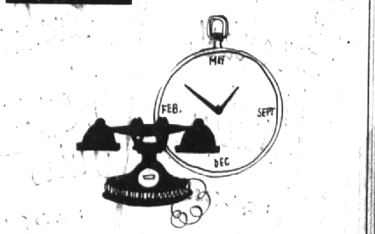
Clarence W. Blomson, Attorney at Law, 227 Wabash Bldg., Birmingham, Mich.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1951.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 Clifford H. Dixon, Executor of said estate having filed in said Court her Final Account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof; determination of the heirs of said deceased; assignment of the residue of said estate; and the discharge of said executor.
 It is Ordered, that the 13th day of May, A. D. 1951, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, be and is hereby appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition.
 It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that notice be given to all interested parties who address are known by personal service, or by registered mail with return receipts demanded addressed to their respective last known addresses.
 ARTHUR E. MOORE, Judge of Probate.

Oliver H. Kirk, Attorney at Law, Wabash Bldg., Birmingham, Michigan.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
 In the Matter of the Estate of Marvin C. Mack, Deceased.
 At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1951.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 Martha Stevens, Executrix of said estate having filed in said Court her Final Account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof; determination of the heirs of said deceased; and the discharge of said executrix.
 It is Ordered, that the 7th day of May, A. D. 1951, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, be and is hereby appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition.
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Henry J. Goguel, Attorney, 1455 Pensacola Building, Detroit 26, Mich.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
 In the Matter of the Estate of Albert W. Wray, Deceased.
 At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1951.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 Harold S. Davock, W. Whiting Raymond, and Donald H. James, executors of said estate having filed in said Court their Final Account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof and of all previous accounts heretofore filed.
 It is Ordered, that the 14th day of May, A. D. 1951, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, be and is hereby appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition.
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 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
 In the Matter of the Estate of Edna M. Dixon, Deceased.
 At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1951.
 Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
 Clifford H. Dixon, Executor of said estate having filed in said Court her Final Account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof; determination of the heirs of said deceased; assignment of the residue of said estate; and the discharge of said executor.
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