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Southfield Buys Rubbish Truck

Southfield township board members Tuesday night accepted the bid of H. J. Dawson, Detroit, for a 15 cubic foot Leach Packmaster garbage and rubbish truck mounted on a Ford truck chassis at a cost of \$8,000. Delivery is expected in two weeks.

The additional truck, approved by township voters at the annual meeting, will help solve the growing refuse pickup problem township officials have been confronted with since the start of the year.

Pierce School Teacher Among Contest Winners

Mrs. Josephine Bristol Beck, of Detroit, third grade teacher in Pierce School, is listed among the prize winners in the 1953 Travel contest of "The Instructor," according to the Travel Editor. Announcement of 103 awards totaling \$1,000 is made in the September issue of the national teachers' magazine.

Writing on the general subject, "Where I Want to Go on My Next Trip and Why," Mrs. Beck chose New Orleans as her travel objective.



Here's the General Motors Parade of Progress on a typical busy-afternoon. In the background is the Aerodrome "Big Top," a specially-designed tent seating 1,250 people. Stage shows of science are presented hourly in the tent. Arrived around the tent are some of the Parade's Futuriners—vans that open up to display many of the wonders of modern research and science. The entire show is non-commercial and is open free to the public.

General Motors "Parade Of Progress" Opened To Public Tuesday In Pontiac

Pontiac, Mich., Aug. 25 — The "big top" was pitched on the grounds of Washington Junior high school in Pontiac Tuesday as General Motors Parade of Progress prepared to open its four-day Oakland County showing.

Public performances of the big GM science show will begin Thursday, August 27, and will continue through August 30. The show will be open from 2 to 10 p.m. daily, without charge. Washington Junior high school is located on Genesee street in Pontiac one block south of Huron street and one block east of Telegraph road.

Bedecked with gay pennants, the huge Aerodrome tent of the Parade

of Progress was set up before the eyes of hundreds of spectators. It was designed by GM engineers specially for the Parade of Progress, and is the only tent of its kind in existence. Like everything else connected with the show, it represents the latest in scientific thinking. It is built like an inside-out umbrella, with its silver-colored fireproof canvas hanging from a framework of aluminum beams. There are no poles, stakes or guy wires on the inside to obstruct vision.

MORE THAN 1,250 persons can be seated in the tent for the six daily performances of the Parade's dramatic stage show. Each performance lasts 40 minutes, with a new one starting every hour on the hour. Eight shows are scheduled for Sunday, August 30. In front of the tent, midway between the tent and the Futuriners, each holding one or more animated exhibits. These operate continuously, each of them functioning as a complete science "sideshow."

More than 600,000 persons have seen the spectacular Parade of Progress since it started its nationwide tour in April. Scheduled to remain on the road for five years, the Parade will make only one more stop in Michigan, at the Detroit State Fair, after its Pontiac showing. After the Detroit stop, it will swing eastward through Ohio, then will head south for the winter.

Burglars Obtain Cash, Merchandise

Burglars netted \$556.00 and an unknown amount of merchandise in Wednesday morning raids on two Pierce street business places in Birmingham.

Police discovered the burglaries at 5:00 a.m. Wednesday when on a routine check they found the rear door of the Golf Mart, 217 Pierce, open.

Investigation revealed that \$384 and an unknown quantity of merchandise was missing from the store. Apparently entrance had been made from the roof through a second floor window.

In continuing their check police found that the offices of the Store-Broadcasting Co., 159 Pierce, had also been robbed. A safe in the office was pried open and \$172.00 was stolen.

For the Golf Mart it was the second burglary in two months.

LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN
NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS
Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held Monday, September 14, 1953 at 8:30 o'clock P. M. in the Municipal Building for the purpose of considering an amendment to Ordinance No. 221 of the City of Birmingham, known as the Zoning Ordinance.

- Reclassifying lot 724, Leinbach-Hampshire's Woodward Avenue Subdivision from its present zoning classification of "Single Family Residence" to "Parking District";
- Reclassifying lot 626, Leinbach-Hampshire's Woodward Avenue Subdivision from the present classification of "Single Family Residence" to "Business A";

Objections on the part of abutting property owners must be filed in writing and it is requested that any such communication be submitted to the City Clerk no later than noon on Friday, September 11, 1953, so that they may be duplicated and forwarded to members of the City Commission prior to the meeting on September 14, 1953.

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk

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Southfield Asks Rezoning Hearing

Southfield township board members Tuesday night requested the township zoning board to hold a public hearing on the rezoning of three-quarters of sections two and three and approximately 75 acres of section 22 from B-2 to R-4.

The planning commissioner recommended the changes in zoning to conform with surrounding neighborhoods and requested the township board to take action on the rezoning.

The higher zone would require 15,000 cubic feet for residences. Board members, however, rejected a second recommendation of the planners to call a hearing on the rezoning of Northwestward frontage from approximately 10%

Mile road to Inkster from commercial to residential. Board members stated that there was too little undeveloped land in the area to attract good business.

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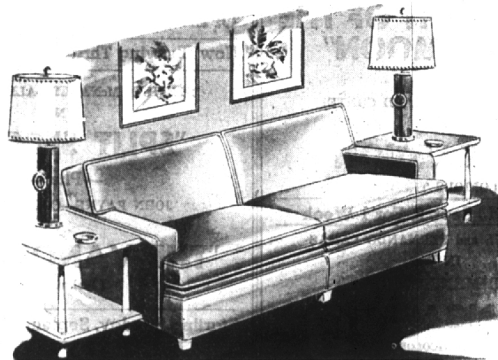
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