



**Can You Count
The Small Dots
In This Picture**

City commissioners and officials are studying this aerial photo, taken toward the south at noon on a recent Saturday, to see if it can aid them in solving the city's off-street parking problem.

Only a few of the little white dots are in the middle of the streets. All the rest are parked. They line curbs in the downtown area, and spill well into adjacent residential areas.

Lots financed by Wakefield Corp. and Jacobson's, Inc., (at lower right) have done much to relieve the parking need for the commercial area north of Maple and west of Woodward.

But most merchants, officials, and shoppers agree still more off-street

parking facilities are needed, particularly south of Maple and west of Woodward. Commissioners have declared necessity for a 23-car parking lot on Pierce, south of Merrill (top center).

But there remains some objection to proposed assessment methods, which may become more complex now that a second lot for this southwest quadrant has been proposed for the corner of Bates and Martin streets (at right center).

City's share of the Pierce lot is figured at \$130,000, at \$50,000 for the Bates-Martin.

People's Column

**Writes Thanks
For Publicity**

To the Editor:
On behalf of the Junior Group of Goodwill Industries, I wish to express our sincere thanks for your assistance in promoting our recent Antique Show and Sale.

We believe that the picture and story space you so generously allotted to us, was one of the main reasons for the wonderful attendance.

Your cooperation has made our plans for capital improvements of the Goodwill Plant a reality.

My personal thanks to you for your help.

HELEN WHEELER
Publicity Chairman
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STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 24th day of November A. D. 1954.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of NEIL MCINTYRE LONEY, also known as NEIL M. LONEY, Deceased.

Margaret M. Loney having filed a petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate, and that an order be made that said instrument be admitted to Probate, and that administration of said estate be granted to Alexander J. Loney, the executor named in said Will or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1955, be a day in the afternoon, at said Probate Office, in the City of Pontiac, in said County, for the hearing and trial of said petition.

It is further Ordered, That public notice hereof be given by publishing a copy hereof, once each week, for three consecutive weeks, ending on said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that proponent cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipt demanded, to each of the known heirs at law, legatees and devisees at their last known places of address at least ten days prior to said day of hearing.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.

★ Smile a Minute...
Angus had lived two months in America when he went to see a movie last in the Canadian wilds. Presently he saw a close-up of a moose.

His friend explained that it was "A moose?" Angus cried, "Awful, if that is a moose, I don't want to meet an American rat and sinna ken what you beastie then?"

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