

NOTICE

OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2, FRACTIONAL, TOWNSHIPS OF BLOOMFIELD, TROY AND WEST BLOOMFIELD, AND CITY OF BLOOMFIELD HILLS, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, MICHIGAN, FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JULY 11, 1955.

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a Special Election will be held in said School District on Monday, July 11, 1955.

Section (2) of Act 199, Public Acts of Michigan, 1951, provides as follows:

"The Inspectors of Election at any annual or special election shall not receive the vote of any person residing in a registration school district whose name is not registered as an elector in the city or township in which he resides."

THE LAST DAY on which persons may register with the appropriate city or township clerk in order to be eligible to vote at the Special Election to be held on July 11, 1955, is Friday, July 1, 1955. Persons registering after 5:00 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, on said Friday, July 1, 1955, will not be eligible to vote at said Special School Election.

Under the provisions of Act 199, Public Acts of Michigan, 1951, registrations will not be taken by School officials, and only persons who have registered as general electors with the appropriate city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are registered school electors. Persons planning to register with the city or township clerk must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerk's office is open for registration.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Education of School District No. 2, Fractional, Townships of Bloomfield, Troy and West Bloomfield, and City of Bloomfield Hills, County of Oakland, Michigan.

MERRILL O. BATES
Secretary, Board of Education

Date May 31, 1955

NOTICE

OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2, FRACTIONAL, TOWNSHIPS OF BLOOMFIELD, TROY AND WEST BLOOMFIELD, AND CITY OF BLOOMFIELD HILLS, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, MICHIGAN ON MONDAY, JULY 11, 1955.

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that at a Special Election to be held in School District No. 2, Fractional, Townships of Bloomfield, Troy and West Bloomfield, and City of Bloomfield Hills, County of Oakland, Michigan, on Monday, July 11, 1955, the following proposition will be submitted to vote of the qualified electors of said School District:

"Shall School District No. 2, Fractional, Townships of Bloomfield, Troy and West Bloomfield, and City of Bloomfield Hills, County of Oakland, Michigan, borrow the sum of not exceeding Eight Hundred Thousand (\$800,000.00) Dollars and issue its bonds therefor for the purpose of erecting and furnishing an elementary school building and an addition to the Wing Lake School, remodeling the Vaughan School, acquiring additional school sites and improving existing school sites, and furnishing of the High School Building in said District?"

Each person voting on the above bonding proposition must be—

- A citizen of the United States of America over twenty-one (21) years of age;
- A resident of the State of Michigan for six (6) months and of the School District for thirty (30) days prior to the date of the election.
- Have property assessed for taxes within the School District, or be the lawful husband or wife of each owner.
- A registered elector in the City or Township in which he resides.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL BE OPEN FROM 7:00 O'CLOCK A.M. TO 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

The place of election will be:
Vaughan School Building
Bloomfield Hills
Bloomfield Hills, Michigan

Take Notice that the Board of Education has estimated the expense of erecting and furnishing an elementary school building and an addition to the Wing Lake School, remodeling the Vaughan School, acquiring additional school sites and improving existing school sites and furnishing of the High School Building in said District to be \$800,000.00, all of which it is necessary to raise by borrowing and issuing bonds of the District.

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NATURE NOW

World War: Man vs Insects

By LYDIA KING FREHSE
Special Writer for The Birmingham Eccentric

Your scribe is not one to present nature as all sweetness and light. Life spins an intricate web within whose confines every species must contend for living space. In a very real sense we are all predators and we are all preyed upon; the verdict of "friend" or "foe" depends upon who sits on the judge's bench.

From man's point of view, summer accentuates his battle with an ancient foe, the insect. Among these the fly is one of the most obnoxious. Flies belong to the order of two-winged insects, the Diptera. Some 10,000 species are described from North America alone.

ALMOST ALL are obnoxious to man since they are carriers of filth and disease. Many are disastrous to vegetation and livestock. The Hessian fly alone, destroys millions of dollars worth of grain, cutting in half the crop value of an infested field.

The common house fly is a vendor of more than 20 human diseases including typhoid, cholera and dysentery. It also serves as an intermediate host to certain species of round worms and tapeworms in animals and in poultry. By nature the house fly is such an admirable carrier of disease that a single individual can be host to anywhere from one to six million dangerous bacteria.

THE HOUSE fly is not choosy in habits or manners. He is found in all sorts of dwellings throughout the world. However, the automobile has greatly reduced all species of flies since horse manure is a perfect medium for the laying of the eggs.

A half-ton manure pile examined four days after exposure contained an estimated 400,000 fly larvae. In the absence of this substance it will breed in other excrement material and in decomposed vegetation and garbage. Within 24 hours the eggs hatch into white maggots. These turn into chestnut-colored pupae from which the adults emerge. Since the entire life-cycle is completed

in from 6 to 20 days, the fecundity of the species is staggering.

A known record is 21' hatches with a total of 2,387 eggs laid by one female. It is obvious that in the course of a summer the progeny of a single house fly would reach well into the billions.

WHEN THE body of a house fly is examined one finds the wings membranous and transparent. The hind wings are represented only by two knobbed projections called pterostyles. If these are removed the insect cannot maintain its equilibrium and acts like a drunken man.

It has large compound eyes of its kind. Its feet are equipped with sticky footpads which enable it to walk on ceilings. Body and legs are covered with short hairs which make excellent carriers for bacteria and parasites.

But the fly's most destructive powers are resident in its particular mouth structure and feeding habits. Nourishment is taken only in liquid form though a kind of proboscis tipped with a sponge-like organ. If the fly feeds on a dry substance, this must first be liquefied by exuding a salivary secretion which dissolves it.

THE MOISTENING process is also aided by regurgitation of food from the crop. It is thus evident how a fly fed on infectious substances becomes a dangerous contaminator and carrier. As a family, flies show great variation in structure and habit. In addition to hundreds of species of so-called flies the order includes mosquitos and ticks.

As a whole the group has little value for man and the insects. TODAY THE whole subject of insects as agents for the transmission of disease is one of the most prominent in medical research, and nearly all the insects concerned belong to the fly family. The presence of houseflies means only one thing; our sanitation is defective. Prompt and complete disposal of garbage, manure, sewage and food wastes is our only curb on the tremendous fecundity of this pest. The greatest war against entomology is not between human beings. It is a war between two arch rivals in the control of nature; man and the insects.



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LEGAL NOTICES

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS CUMMINGS SIDEWALK

The City Commission of the City of Birmingham will meet Tuesday, July 19, 1955, at 9:00 p.m. in the Commission Room in the Municipal Building to consider any objections to the construction of certain improvements described here, in the creation of a special assessment district, created to defray the cost of construction of

CUMMINGS SIDEWALK consisting of concrete sidewalk, four feet in width, located on the west side of Cummings, immediately adjacent to lots 1174, 1181, 916, 949, 811, 697, and 600, and on the east side of Cummings, adjacent to lots numbered 812, 915, 1000, 1301, 1324 and 1375.

The Commission proposes to create a special assessment district to defray the cost of this construction and said special assessment district shall consist of the following described property: Leitch-Humphrey's, Woodward Avenue Subdivision

- Lots 629 to 672, inclusive
- Lot 675 to 774, inclusive
- Lot 719 to 740, inclusive
- Lot 749 to 834, inclusive
- Lot 849 to 893, inclusive
- Lot 894 to 934, inclusive
- Lot 939 to 940, inclusive
- Lot 949 to 1074, inclusive
- Lot 1049 to 1074, inclusive
- Lot 1077 to 1104, inclusive
- Lot 1124 to 1152, inclusive
- Lot 1155 to 1182, inclusive
- Lot 1187 to 1212, inclusive

Plans and estimate of cost of this project are filed with the City Clerk of the City of Birmingham for examination by the public. Individual assessments are not now available. They will be computed by the assessor after Tuesday, July 8, 1955, if the necessity for this improvement is established by the Commission, and there will be another public hearing scheduled for the purpose of reviewing the assessment.

BREN E. HANLEY, City Clerk (15-16)

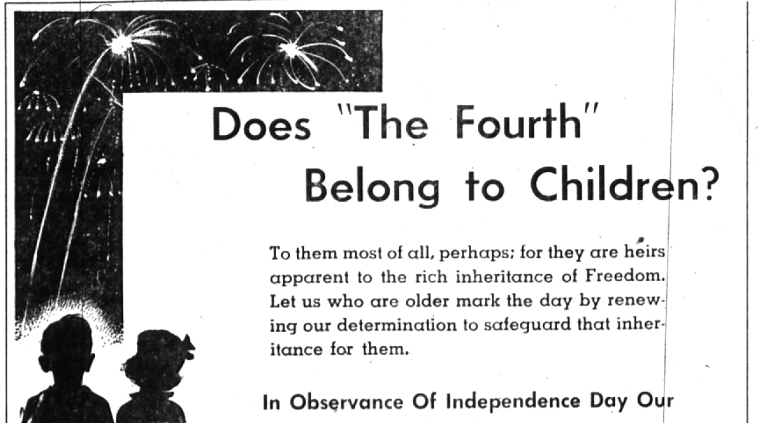
John E. Martz, Attorney, 727 Penobscot Building, Detroit 26

MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of certain mortgages made by EDWARD J. ARMSTRONG, a single man, of this township, Oakland County, Michigan, to CHARLES E. SANFORD, of Detroit, Michigan, dated the 1st day of October, A. D. 1943 and filed in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland and the County of Michigan on the 1st day of December, 1953 in Liber 2089, Page 429 of Oakland County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due the sum of THREE HUNDRED TWENTY TWO DOLLARS, totaling EIGHT THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TWENTY TWO DOLLARS.

And no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, now the virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, it is hereby given that on Thursday the 1st day of September, A. D. 1955, at 10:00 o'clock noon Eastern Standard Time, said mortgage shall be foreclosed by a sale of the portion of the premises described in the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is being held, the premises described in said mortgage, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, on said mortgage with the interest thereon at six per cent (6%) per annum and all legal costs, charges and expenses including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sum or sums which have been or may be paid by the mortgagee necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Troy, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, as described as follows: Lot number Forty (40) Rochester Road Farm, a subdivision of part of the Northwest 1/4, Section 14, Town 2 North, Range 11 East, Troy Township, Oakland County, Michigan, according to the record that thereon as recorded September 8, 1948, in Liber 68, Page 72 of Plat, Oakland County Records.

CHARLES E. SANFORD, Mortgagee
JOHN E. MARTZ, Attorney for Mortgagee, 727 Penobscot Building, Detroit 26, Michigan. 15-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24

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Does "The Fourth" Belong to Children?

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