



100-Year-Old House Comes Down

BIRMINGHAM'S PIONEER HOMES are minus this old timer on Maple avenue just east of Hunter bld. Estimated at about 100 years old, it was built by James Post, one of Birmingham's earliest doctors. It then was occupied by his three spinster sisters, Julie, Xenia and Veronica Post. Present owners say they have no immediate plans for the site, that maintenance costs were too high on the old building.



Heap Big Exchange Mayors

MAYOR'S EXCHANGE DAY saw two new Indians added to the tribe around Keweenaw Bay. Chief Heber Welsh, great-grandson of Sitting Bull, places a ceremonial headress on Pham's Mayor pro tem James Allen, while M. Clemens Mayor Harold Lindsey already has his. Watching (from left) are Judge Campbell of L'Anse, M. Clemens councilman Spencer Fenlon, and John Schanahan of Baraga. Allen was L'Anse's "mayor-for-a-day," while Lindsey visited nearby Baraga.



An \$8,000 Sparkler

THIS INNOCENT-looking sparkler caused \$8,000 damage in a recent fire at the Granville A. Morse home, 2195 W. Maple. Dropped on the roof by one of the children, the sparkler caused burning particles to fall through to the attic floor and smolder for a long while on paper insulation backing.



Time to Make Up

GETTING READY for their recent production of "Caesar and Cleopatra," are members of the Michigan State University Players. At left is Bill Bird, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bird, 701 Hanna. Being made up by Virgil Godfrey, the play's director, is Larry Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner, 1252 Chesterfield road. With them is Don Bumgardner of Pontiac.



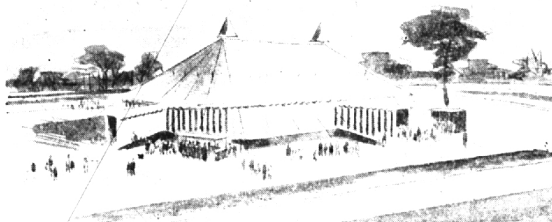
Show How Patent System Works

STOPPING TO CHAT before a Parke-Davis exhibit in the U.S. Department of Commerce building, Commerce Secretary Sinclair Weeks (left) and Kenneth D. McGregor, secretary and general counsel of the drug firm, view many national firms' showing how the federal patent system has helped and cooperated with industry. McGregor lives at 6360 Muirfield, Bloomfield township.



Summer Bike Safety Being Stressed

"PLAY IT SAFE", Birmingham bike riders are being told. Here Lt. Henry Timm, Birmingham police juvenile officer, and Donald Burlia, principal of Torry school, show safety posters to youngsters at the school, just before screening a film on bike safety which has been shown so far to over 1200 local children. Lt. Timm and Det. Robert Schaute are currently showing the Johnson & Johnson company sponsored film at all Birmingham schools. (Some of the audience here were momentarily distracted from bike safety by the cameraman.)



Area's Newest 'Theatre-in-the-Round'

TOP-RANKING STARS of Broadway, Hollywood and TV will bring summer theatre to Northland Playhouse, new 1500-seat tent theatre to be erected at the northeast corner of Northland Center, off Greenfield Road. A season of Broadway hit comedies and dramas starts June 29. Charlton Heston, Ava Gabor, Tallulah Bankhead, Chico Marx, Vincent Price and Judith Anderson are among the stars whose participation is being currently negotiated.



\$6 Million Addition to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital

PLANS FOR A \$6,000,000 ADDITION to the facilities of St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac have been revealed by Sister Mary William, administrator. The shaded portion in this sketch is the existing building.

A drive is underway to raise the money for the work, which would give the hospital another 200 beds and badly needed medical and surgical facilities.

Ask City to Finish Paving of Taunton

One hundred twenty-one residents in the spring and a dustbowl in the dunes in the Taunton street area summer want it paved from Lakeside to 4th. Commissioners asked City Manager, according to the action filed by D. C. Eibert to study possibility with the city this week. Robert A. Kanoniec, 2300 E. 42nd, ready to be paved from Melton to 4th, cited the block as a morass. Woodward.

RED-HOT STUFF

Our first contribution this evening (we write this in the evening) comes from a young lady named SUSIE. The suggestion is: **DON'T BE DEADWOOD—BUY RED-HOT STUFF**. Of course, she is referring to the beautiful patio, porch and yard furniture made of that most beautiful material . . . the enduring redwood, by the **ADELPHIAN ACADEMY MILL**.

When you see it you know that Susie, by hook or crook, is shooting up the right alley. We have a limited stock and an expansion catalogue and the material is quickly available.

The conversation is about CRABGRASS which many THOUGHT they had and by now they probably HAVE. The early errors have been Foxtail, Goose Grass, Crow foot Grass, Knawel, Nimble Will, Quack Grass, Meadow Fescue, etc.

Now . . . once more: IF you have seeded your lawn 1 week ago you may now apply CHLORDANE to restrict a high percentage of the plants which will try to germinate later.

IF you HAVE crabgrass plants, spray with POTTAS-SIUM CYANATE. We carry it as CRAB-NOT and CRAB-NOT SPECIAL. The latter handles broad-leaved weeds as well. **PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE INSTRUCTIONS**, and you will get particularly good results. Conversely, if you are sloppy, the results will also be.

Have you ever been to a hoe-down? Well, if you use an ALL-PURPOSE HOE (\$2.25) you will have even more fun. Get one and give most of your flower bed tools to the County Home.

Parking in front of our store has been improved. The FRONT of your car may come EXACTLY to the No Parking sign. If yellow paint is on the curb South of the sign, you may ignore it.

BE GLAD YOU PLANTED GLADS.

Be boastful you planted other BULBS.

Be pleased you planted PEONY ROOTS.

Ditto . . . PEACOCK ORCHIDS.

Do not be afraid to plant GRASS SEED NOW. But tell us of your situation so a good recommendation can be made. Conditions vary the requirements. Actually the present climatic situation is the BEST we have had this "sinspriger".

In a negative vein, we wish to remind you we do not carry annual, perennial (except for DELPHINIUM) or vegetable plants. You get 'em, we will give you the stuff to protect them.

If you are sincere and hard-working, you can ease a lot of your SPRAYING problems by owning a

- HAYES NO. 1 SPRAY GUN . . . \$6.15
- HAYES NO. 6 SPRAY GUN . . . \$9.95
- G. S. MASTERS TROMBONE SPRAYER . . . \$8.95

Think what they will do if you use the proper materials such as—

- DD-DIE to annihilate the caterpillars
- CHLORDANE to frustrate the crabgrass
- 2 DD 16 sock the broad-leaved weeds
- DD-DIE to reduce the mosquito population
- TREE-TOX to produce more worm-free fruit
- MALATHION to protect evergreen and all kinds of ornamental trees and shrubs
- ORTHO ROSE FOR—hms—flowers and, oh yes, roses
- ISOTOX to squelch rose chafers and most other bugs (insects)

WELL, we could go on . . . but let's change the subject

Cut your grass 2"—TWO INCHES—high.

Water Blue Grass and Fescue every 7 days and at least 6 to 8 inches deep. (one inch of water in a 1 lb. coffee can will do it)

Water Bent and Crabgrass lightly and frequently for best growth.

The Eccentric did not feel that we handled the KUTA-BAGA situation very well—so, no credit.

Things of current interest:—

- Planter tubs and boxes
- Barbecue grills
- Spraying equipment
- base and sprayers
- Calcium chloride and dehumidifiers
- Gladuli and Peony roots
- Terra-Cotta jars
- Garden bird baths and fountains
- Thermal jugs and boxes
- Humming bird feeders

Try securing a half an orange or grapefruit, etc., to a branch to attract orioles and Tanagers to your yard. Possibly a tangerine would be even better for the latter.

To-whit-to-wee!

McCLELLAN-BALL CO.

YARD GARDEN SUPPLIES FARM KENNEL

BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN

Phone MI 4-1133 159 Brownell St.