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Sidelights

PRICES ARE so high, it's even costing more these days to grow older. Southfield's Deputy Clerk...

West Bloomfield Elected Officials Get Salary Hike

West Bloomfield township board voted to raise its elected officials' salaries \$700 to \$1,500 a year last week.

Forming Road Paving Policy

LATHRUP—City's road committee was authorized by council Monday to prepare sample petitions and instructions for those wanting road paving done this year.

Four Franklinites Will Not Seek Re-election Mar. 11

FRANKLIN—Norman Currin, Franklin village treasurer, councilmen John Lackner and Philip Van...

Water Users, U.S. Govt. May Finance Connecting Sewers

LATHRUP—Water users may be asked to pay for the city's share of a sewer line project being requested by council to help the city...

Quick, Thrifty Meals Subject Of Lesson Feb. 14

SOUTHFIELD—Mrs. Robert Cadwell, 2576 Marshall, hosted members of the extension program...

Supreme Court Case

LATHRUP—City Attorney Everett F. Hayes said he expected to file a reply brief Friday with the Supreme Court on a case heard by that body Jan. 8 in the High...

My Neighbors

SOUTHFIELD—Seven of 10 persons interviewed Tuesday evening were selected to man the enlarged seven-member zoning board.

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Camphens Key to Lathrup Council Effectiveness

Mayor Holds Veto On City Spending

LATHRUP—It is increasingly apparent to observers at Lathrup council meetings that the key to cooperation and accomplishment for the last three and one-half months of the present council rests with Mayor John G. Campbell.

Jack L. Roberts Named to Franklin Council Post

FRANKLIN—Jack L. Roberts, Franklin's volunteer police chief, was named Monday night by the council to fill the council vacancy created by the resignation of F. Glen Shoemaker in November.

S. James Clarkson Elected President Of Democratic Club

SOUTHFIELD—S. James Clarkson was elected president of the Southfield Democratic club's annual meeting Jan. 9 with that organization's elected officers and executive committee members for 1957.

Improvements, Wages Get B of E Approval

An incinerator for Lathrup school headed a list of improvements for schools in the district approved by the Southfield board of education Monday.

Joseph V. Bell Retires After 41 Years of Service

SOUTHFIELD—Joseph V. Bell, 23835 Westbrook Parkway, in Cranbrook Village, division traffic personnel supervisor for Michigan Bell Telephone Co., retires this month after 41 years of service.

Participates In Ceremonies

SOUTHFIELD—Army Specialist 3/E Richard R. Mikovitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew R. Mikovitz, 21845 W. 12 Mile road in Southfield, recently participated in memorial ceremonies in France honoring French and American heroes and war dead.

Southfield B of E Is 10 Years Old

Members of the Southfield board of education were reminded of their names, township clerk, Glen Schoenhals, superintendent, that they were marking the 10th anniversary of Southfield's consolidation of schools.

Extend Tax Deadline

LATHRUP—Deadline for paying county and school taxes has been extended from Jan. 19 to Feb. 15 by council Monday night.

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two weeks have been interviewing candidates for the newly-created post. Township officials hope an engineer will bring higher standards of construction while serving as the township's watchdog on all building projects.

BY 1960 Southfield could be swayed by requests for tavern licenses. At that time a new census will allow more bars (licensees are now limited to 10) and with the increase from the 1950 census of 18,499 to somewhere in the neighborhood of 25,000 to 30,000 people it is evident that there could be quite a demand.

EAST, SOUTHFIELD—Special teachers, explaining the work of their department, highlighted the work of East Southfield PTA members Tuesday night.