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Water Plan Announced For Area

... which includes six counties in Metropolitan Detroit. Plans for the long-range water expansion program were announced last week. A proposed \$172 million will be spent in the next 20 years to fulfill the first two stages of the three-stage construction program. Twin 90-inch pipelines carrying water from Lake Huron would be included in the first two stages. Construction of the second Lake Huron pipeline would be included in the third stage.

A 12-CENT PER 1,000 cubic feet increase in the wholesale price of water sold by Detroit was approved last week by the Detroit water board.

Financing for construction would be through revenue bonds which will be paid off with receipts from water bills.

Detroit will buy the Wayne county water system serving western Wayne county communities. It was agreed last week. The move cleared a big obstacle in the expansion plans of Detroit's water system.

County Cash Scene Good

... according to a six months' report to supervisor's, despite tax rate protests.

For the second straight year, it looks as if the county budget will absorb a million-dollar welfare overdraft.

The report shows that some major estimates of income, as in the past, have been too low.

IF THE FIRST half-year's income holds steady throughout the year, the county may take in \$600,000 more than figured when the budget was written last October.

On the other side of the balance sheet, 16 or 23 county departments spent less than half their 1959 appropriation in the first half-year. None underperformed by any great margin, but there appears to be enough cushion for deficit spending that may reach \$750,000 more than was budgeted.

New Bids OK On Courthouse Say Supervisors

... and they rescinded the contracts made June 2 for architectural and mechanical work on the proposed new Oakland county service building.

New bids will be taken on construction of the courthouse unit. The board of supervisors ratified a committee decision last week for the work that would have totaled \$2,750,070.

THE ORIGINAL contracting has been tied up in court when low bidder A. Z. Shmina company of Dearborn was bypassed for the architectural contract. Supervisor David Levinson of Birmingham, chairman of the special courthouse committee, said bids are expected by Sept. 9 and will be presented to the county board Sept. 14 or 21.

County Clerk Gets New Aide

... it was announced last week by County Clerk-Register Daniel T. Murphy.

David Lang, 31, of Detroit was appointed deputy county clerk. He is a former microphone service man and salesman who worked on Oakland county's record retention program for Remington Rand.

Murphy said he chose Lang because he is planning changes in procedures in the clerk's office. He will replace Wilfred St. Conroy, Jr., who resigned in May. Lang, formerly of Jersey City, N. J., plans to move his family to Oakland county.

County Gives OK To MSU Sewers

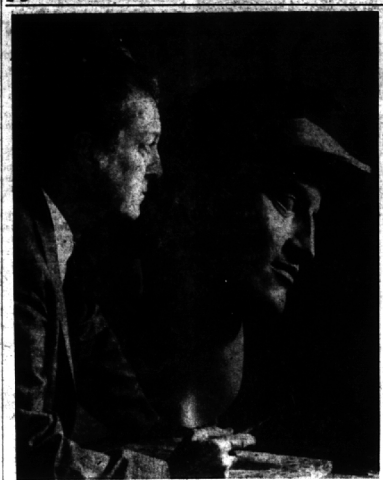
... for the \$210,000 sewage system, pipes and treatment plant. The Oakland county supervisors approved the allocation last week. The university and two developers have advanced \$220,000 and the J. F. Pritchard company of Kansas City, will finance the cost of one of its treatment plants plus an additional \$115,000.

A netter \$100,000 has been loaned to the project from the county general fund, to be repaid in the next two years.

Court Delays Change In Area Gas Service

... to further study the case involving a shift by the Panhandle Eastern Pipeline. The U. S. Court of Appeals has ordered Panhandle to continue delivering natural gas to the Detroit area on a temporary basis. The Federal Power commission had granted Panhandle permission to abandon its Detroit market. The shift was to have been effective Aug. 15.

2-D THE BIRMINGHAM (MICH.) ECCENTRIC Aug. 13, 1959



Art in Industry

Newest art creation by famed sculptor Marshall Fredericks is the head of the Roman god Mercury, shown here in clay. When completed, the head will be cast in honed nickel alloy and will be one-quarter larger than life-size. Originally commissioned for use in a commercial advertising program, the head will be offered to museums for display by the Mercury-Edsel-Lincoln Division of Ford Motor Company, sponsor of the sculpture.



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Erdmann Elected

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Davis & Company. He holds a CPA degree and is a member of the controllers institute of America. A commander of a destroyer in World War II, he is married and has five children.

Erdmann is controller of Parks

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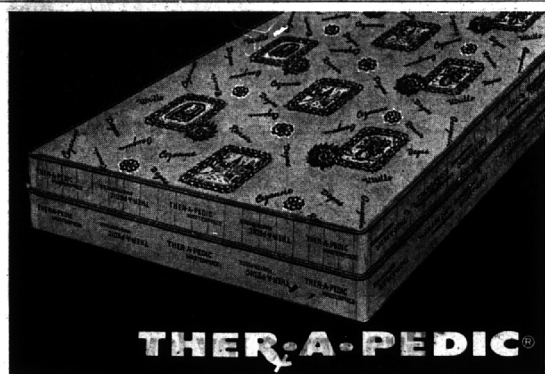
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