

Lathrup Discusses Storm Water Project

LATHRUP—Mayor Richard N. Cogger and Councilwoman Elizabeth Mitchell, acting for Lathrup's three other independent council members, were kept busy answering questions at last Wednesday's special information meeting.

Invitations were phoned to 40 Lathrup residents to attend the meeting and garner all available information on the proposed storm water project so that they could act as block information centers in all areas of the city.

With reference to the proposed storm water ditches, the group was told that they would run from a minimum of six inches to 20 inches with the width increasing with the depth.

Mayor Cogger explained that a "gold plated" job on the storm sewers, which would include replacement of sod and driveway cuts, had been estimated at \$900,000 and beyond the capacity of the city. The planned project will cost \$750,000.

BECAUSE CONSTRUCTION of the storm water project will take place in the next few months, residents wanted to know if the piecemeal development would bring some misunderstanding. Cogger explained that if the location is approved, the developed areas of the city would receive first attention; unplatted areas would be left until last. If the areas remain unplatted bonds will not be sold, thus reducing the city's debt.

"WHAT I'll sell my house" one resident asked, City Attorney Everett Hayes explained that the payments on the bond issue would

not be an assessment but purchasers would take over payments as taxes.

According to Hayes, the bonds will be written with a callable feature so that the city will be permitted to pay them off in advance if it ever becomes possible.

With reference to the projected tie-in to the Evergreen Interceptor, the city's engineers predicted the fall of 1960.

ACCORDING TO City Administrator Gerald D. Stone, the sanitary situation in the city has been cleaned out and at present are in good working order. A survey will be made next year to determine if further work is necessary.

Council members have planned to be available at the City Hall to answer questions on Jan. 20, 30 and 6 and 13 from 10 a.m. to noon. Sanitary and storm water engineering sessions will attend meeting the council chambers on Jan. 25 and Feb. 8.

Cancer Foundation Board Member

LATHRUP—Dr. John L. Barrett of Lathrup Village has been reappointed to represent South Oak land county on the Michigan Cancer Foundation's board of trustees.

Walnut Lake Club To Hold Jan. 25 Dessert-Bridge

WALNUT LAKE—Walnut Lake garden club is sponsoring a dessert-bridge party Jan. 25 at the home of Mrs. Henry Sahlin, 2670 Cornfort drive.

Mrs. John Kristoff, Mrs. G. P. Roberts and Mrs. Otto Winkelmann will assist the hostess.

Reservations for the affair must be made by Jan. 22.

Recreation Dance Classes To Start Jan. 25 in Lathrup

LATHRUP—"They laughed when I got up to dance, but they didn't know I had learned to cha-cha-cha at the Lathrup recreation commission dancing classes."

Mrs. William Provencher, chairman of the recreation commission says registrations are now being accepted for the teen dance sessions starting Jan. 25 at Lathrup school. Organized for 9th thru 12th grade students, the class will meet for eight Wednesdays under the direction of George and Gini Reiss.

Send your registration and \$4 to Mrs. Charles Cannon, 27320 Sunset. Make checks payable to the Lathrup recreation commission. The classes are open to all teenage people.

THERE ARE a few openings in the adult ballroom dancing class scheduled to meet at Northbrook school on Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 10 p.m. Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Provencher or registrations will be accepted by Mrs. David Pett, 2720 E. California.

Youngsters with pen-and-ink are working off steam in the Saturday recreation programs at Northbrook and Lathrup schools. The Northbrook schedule includes basketball, games, handicrafts and fun to please all. The Lathrup school program includes stunts and tumbling, basketball and botanizing with handicrafts for the artistically inclined.

THE SOUTHFIELD high school is open for adults and children on Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. and on Thursdays and Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m. The charge is 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

Older boys play basketball at Lathrup school from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on Thursdays and the men's volleyball group meets from 8:30 to 10 p.m.

Mayor's Exchange Regional Chairman

LATHRUP—Thomas Adams of Lathrup Village has been named regional chairman for the south-eastern area of Michigan for Mayor's Exchange since March 15 to 21. Mort Neff has been appointed Lathrup county chairman.

Schoenhals Speaks

LATHRUP P—At a Lathrup school PTA meeting Tuesday Superintendent of Southfield Public School Glen Schoenhals and members of the board discussed current questions on school affairs.

Goodfellows Elect Officers In Southfield

SOUTHFIELD—Thomas N. Myers, 1885 San Quentin, Michigan, was re-elected president of the Southfield Goodfellows Jan. 7 at an annual meeting and election of officers, at Southfield high school.

Reporting at the meeting, president Myers said that the Southfield Goodfellows had raised approximately \$3,500 this year. The funds were raised through a football game, annual newspaper sale, a dance sponsored by the Sportsman club and donations by business places, churches, clubs and other organizations and individuals.

THE GOOD WORK done by the Goodfellows would not have been possible, Myers said, "if it had not been for the full cooperation

of our members, clubs, churches, scouts, police, firemen, public officials, schools and those who used their trucks and station wagons for delivering cartons and baskets and volunteering their assistance."

The Goodfellows have a meeting Feb. 4 and an organizational meeting will be scheduled then for April or May.

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Lions Change Menu

LATHRUP—Lathrup Lions club will meet at 12:15 p.m. Tuesdays at Howard Johnson's restaurant, Northwestern and 10 Mile road, Southfield. The club has been meeting at Cetter's in Berkeley for the last two years.

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Beverly-12 Schedules Feb. 6 Dinner Dance

BEVERLY HILLS—The Beverly-12 Improvement association will hold its second annual dinner-dance Feb. 6 at the Sylvan Glen country club. Mrs. D. B. McRitchie of Nixon road is chairman for the event and with her committee held a meeting at her home Monday to complete plans for program and decorations which will have a Valentine motif.

Other members of her committee are Mrs. W. T. Burwell, Mrs. E. P. Gibson, Mrs. Elgin Oehler, Mrs. Ivan Strand and Mrs. Leonard Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fischer of Kinross entertained house guests last weekend. Mrs. Fischer's mother, Mrs. E. H. Gardner of Albion and her sister, Mrs. Gardner Pardee of Bloomfield Village.

Groves High PTA Meets Tonight

BEVERLY HILLS—A meeting of members of the Wylie S. Groves high school PTA on the 9th and 10th grade level will be held at 8 tonight, in the school's speech room. Due to the new facilities and lack of sufficient space until the school is completed, the board of the PTA is breaking down meetings into grade level programs.

All parents of students in the 9th and 10th grades are invited to this meeting to hear principal Kenneth F. Nagley speak on "Groves Prepares for College." He will talk on college standards and how Groves high school fits into the picture. He will show slides to emphasize important points. Dr. Harlow Bates will be chairman for the evening.

Beverly WNFGA To Meet Jan. 28, Plan Card Parties

BEVERLY HILLS—West Beverly WNFGA will meet Jan. 28 at the home of Mrs. Herbert Layle of Riverside drive. Co-hostess will be Mrs. William Bailey and Mrs. F. H. Fischer. Speaker for the afternoon will be Mrs. Charles Davison whose subject will be "Conservation and the School of Conservation at Higgins Lake."

A Jan. 25 card party for members will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold Reasoner, 32344 Mayfair Lane in February. Two card parties will be held as the money-making projects of the organization this year. The first will be held Feb. 11 at the home of Mrs. James Moorecroft, 32915 Northcrest. Information on tickets may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Harold Reasoner, 32344 Mayfair, Beverly Hills.

Beverly PTA to Host Annual Card Party, 'Frontier Night'

BEVERLY HILLS—"Frontier Night" will be the theme of the annual card party slated Feb. 12 by the Beverly school PTA. Canasta, bridge, pinocle, cribbage or dealer's choice will be played for prizes and to sweeten the PTA's treasury. Tickets will be distributed through room mothers and will also be available at the door.

Mrs. William Kerr, general chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. George Lett in charge of decorations; Mrs. Donald Borgeson, hospitably; Mrs. Robert Lyle, food; Mrs. Robert Horner, games; Mrs. Karl Jepson, prizes; Mrs. Donald Richards, supplies; and Mrs. Harry Brown, tickets.

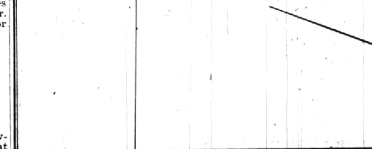
Bon Voyage Party At the Bekolays

BEVERLY HILLS—A bon voyage party was given recently by Mr. and Mrs. John Bekolay of Evergreen road. One-hundred twenty guests attended the affair. Hors d'oeuvres were served throughout the evening and a midnight supper. Mr. Bekolay will leave Jan. 30 for Hawaii.

Among the local guests attending were the Donald Dietrichs, the M. Mayers, the Louis Sabas and the R. J. Heron.

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