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- LAWN PROBLEMS** are one of our specialties. We keep in touch with the TURF RESEARCH centers and are possibly in a position to help you develop the lawn that is advertised by the seed and fertilizer companies. (The writers of their ads living, no doubt, in apartments).

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 - The bent lawn requires the same.
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 - The bent lawn requires 1 1/2" to 1" mowing.
 - The merion lawn requires 1 1/2" mowing and may be even better at 2".
- WATERING**

All except bent REQUIRE deep infrequent watering. If you have a sprinkling system and enjoy watching it every day you better plan on a bent lawn.
- Persistently mediocre lawns that have honest attention to 1, 2 & 3 may require a real examination with regard to the element of THATCH. Thatch is a most obnoxious detriment to a healthy lawn. Call us if you are concerned.

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Tempers Get Hot On Cool Subject In Beverly Hills

By KAT SMITH
Special Writer

BEVERLY HILLS — The night was cool, but tempers were hot at the regular council meeting Monday, as two different matters brought reprimand from the council in one case, and accusations between neighbors in another.

In the first, while settlement appeared to be arrived at in the suit brought by Mr. and Mrs. Emrys Davies, 18734 Chelton Drive, against the village and Southfield Township with regard to a toboggan run under construction in Southfield Park, council president pro tem Hugh G. Allerton, Jr., had a few things to say to the plaintiff.

After the council had agreed to move the center of the hill to the east in order to place it behind a vacant lot rather than behind the Davies lot, to which they objected, and Davies had said he would agree, Allerton told Davies:

"WE WERE disappointed you didn't come to the council first to ask what might be done, you went directly to court. You did it the hard way.

"I never heard of you until I was served with a summons. Even a telephone call might have helped. You've cost the taxpayers hundreds of dollars and made both the township board and the village council look like we're all dumb."

"I don't think I have to take this," Davies said. I never heard of the toboggan run until I saw the bulldozers out there. I wanted it stopped and the surest method of stopping it was to bring a lawsuit.

"We knock ourselves out to help people in this village, and we find out about this problem only when a lawsuit is filed against us," said Councilman Edward M. Shurtliff.

THE RUN is being constructed in Southfield Park, and the councilmen pointed out to Davies both that it is a public park and that articles on the toboggan run had appeared many times in the newspapers.

Formal agreement is still to be reached between Davies' attorney, the township board and the council. In the second dispute, which concerned a drainage easement on the north side of a lot in Coryell Estates No. 1, William L. Black, 30601 Embassy Drive, told the council he wants the ditch removed from his property and placed on that of Samuel P. Saputo, 30651 Embassy Drive.

Saputo and Black exchanged hot words over the problem. Black's point being that the ditch was originally supposed to be elsewhere.

and Saputo's being that it's been there for 15 to 25 years. The council referred the matter to the water and drainage commission for speedy settlement.

IN OTHER business, the request of E. J. Heathfield, 31129 Fairfax Drive, to divide two lots of Greenfield Villas subdivision into two parcels for each lot was referred to the village engineer and the building and zoning commission.

A request by the Metropolitan Federal Savings and Loan to construct a greenbelt instead of a wall at their property at 14 Mile Road and Southfield was referred to the zoning board of appeals.

On information by Miss Jeanne Loyd, director of Baldwin Public Library, the council agreed to an addendum to the library contract allowing teachers in the village to obtain cards. After July, nonresidents cannot use the library without a contract.

A report on the status of the program to clean up the village property by Councilman John Magee, chairman of the administrative commission, assured residents that work is going forward. The incinerator has been removed, and seeding and sodding will begin soon.

STUDY IS still going on with regard to drainage on the Old Post Road. The matter is still under study.

The planning commission will study the soil boring report of Westwood Estates subdivision at its meeting Thursday and attempt to resolve the problem so that the builder may go ahead.

Authorization for the anti-pollution sugar cube program June 14 was made, and the council directed Village Manager Robert E. Murphy to write to the authorities who set up the program commending them on the thought and effort which went into the successful effort Sunday.

Permission was extended the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Berkeley Post 1022, to sell Bay Poppies at the village, May 21.

Permission was also granted the Muscular Dystrophy Association to hold a campaign in the village, but Village Manager Murphy was directed to write to Mrs. Helen Moore, campaign coordinator, asking why the association is not part of the United Fund.

EVERGREEN DEBT Service Charge will be set for a bakery and coffee shop on Southfield Road at 13 Mile, but in the event of a change, the village reserves the right to alter and amend the charges.

Three change orders were authorized to Coolidge Excavating

Library Seeks Area Atlases

Are there historical atlases of Oakland County stored away in basements, attics, closets that might be given to Baldwin Public Library?

Les Tuttle, head of the Library's Reference Department has issued an invitation to residents to help swell the Library's local history book collection.

Any area history books not on the shelves would be most welcome, but particularly historical atlases currently needed. The Library has gained three atlases which have been published in the past, which includes a copy that came out about 1875, an illustrated Atlas of Oakland County that was published in 1886 and a Standard Atlas of the County in 1908. All three are long out-of-print and difficult to obtain.

HISTORICAL research at the local level is always a popular pastime with young and old in the Birmingham-Bloomfield area and the Library would like to do all it can during the Centennial year to make its sizeable collection grow even further.

Anyone considering a gift of local history or local atlas to the Library may contact Miss Tuttle in the Library Reference Department.

Co. for new water mains on Greenfield from 15 Mile Road to Amherst and on Pierce and Sheridan. Councilman Claude A. Shepard, chairman of the water commission, checked prices and found the extension would be cheaper than the unit price for new bids.

Low bids by Bill's Road Oiling Service for \$6,000 for dust control and E. Pollard & Co. for chloride were approved.

Insurance policies in a total amount of \$6,000 in premiums over a three-year period, were awarded the Detroit Insurance Agency. No other agency, of the five contacted for sealed bids, replied. Councilman Shepard abstained from the voting because he is employed by the company.

A PUBLIC hearing was set for May 4 at 8 p.m. on the special assessment roll for the Greenfield village assessor, presented the roll at the meeting, with assessments on seven properties ranging from a low of \$488.95 for a vacant lot to \$670.75 for a residential property. The charge is based on \$307.15 per unit plus \$3.03 per lineal foot.

Total estimated cost for the project is \$12,800, with \$8,500 as the village share, and \$4,300 the special assessment district share.

Career Shopping?

Dental Career Days, sponsored by the Oakland County Dental Society, have been slated for April 25 at the University of Michigan and May 2 at the University of Detroit. A chartered bus will leave for the schools at 8:30 a.m. on Fourth and Woodward Avenue in Royal Oak.

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