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Charge Conflict of Interest

Seek to Prevent Village Green

There was a moment of drama, at the Farmington Township Board Meeting, when the layout of Township Trustee Thomas Duke's Village Green apartment development — now renamed Independence Green — came up for approval.

From the audience, attorney Joseph Larsen, a resident of the Township rose to read a statement. He announced that he was seeking a writ of mandamus, ordering the Township administration to put to the voters the question of whether the Duke development should be allowed.

Larsen believes that there were sufficient signatures. He recalls that about 1,420 were submitted. He finds it ironic that they were ruled insufficient.

He believes it should not be necessary for the signers to have identified themselves as property holders. This, he feels, would have created a very cumbersome situation.

Further, he feels that Brennan, in rendering the opinion, was guilty of conflict of interest. This was so, he says, because Brennan does legal work for Duke.

He expected to win such a suit if it came in. In other action: The Board considered specifications for a new fire truck.

On the necessity for sanitary sewers in Glen Oaks. The Board authorized Pate, Hirm and Bogue, Inc. to prepare a cost estimate for transmission lines to service Glen Orchards, Farmington Hills, St. Man Acres, Pasadena Park and Springfield Subdivisions.

The Board set March 29 as the date for a Public Hearing on the necessity for sanitary sewers in Glen Oaks.

Kendallarks to Perform

The Kendallarks under the direction of George Asternay, bring their talents together, March 27, at North Farmington High School.

This is the first planned, annual program of its kind presented by the Kwanan Club of Kendallarks in cooperation with the Kendallarks and several choral and instrumental groups from Farmington area schools.

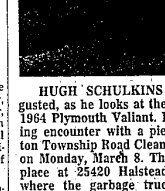
When a large number of ladies responded to the call for membership in a women's choral group and discovered they blended well in three-part harmony, they decided to organize under a specific name and engage a professional director.

Assembly received his training at Wayne State University, at the Palastina Institute and Detroit Institute of Musical Arts.

Select Woman Of the Year

March 7 through 13 has been designated as National Business Women's Week.

The Farmington Business & Professional Women's Club, Inc. will climax this week with a dinner at Koster's on March 13.



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Comments from the arithmetic members termed the textbooks "very readable with a clear understanding for each concept or operation."

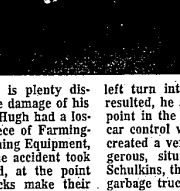
Township Rejects Apartment Units

The request of developers Nederlander and Rosin for rezoning 13.2 acres in the area of 13 Mile Rd. and Middlebelt for apartment development was rejected by the Farmington Township Zoning Board.

The Board approved the rezoning of 47 acres at the southwest corner of 12 Mile Rd. and Halstead from the Classification of Community Business to General Business.

Jaycees Parade

The Farmington Junior Chamber of Commerce will stage a parade down Grand River at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 13.



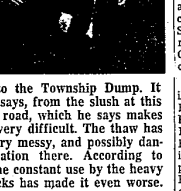
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Opening addresses by John Felkens and Burton I. Gordin Co-Chairman and Executive Director respectively of the Michigan State Civil Rights Commission.

ERO Down Without a Fight

The Farmington Planning Commission after reviewing proposals for residential development, that had been submitted by a group headed by Arthur Gillard of Allen Leona Subdivision, has decided to recommend that the 22 acre parcel previously recommended for Office use be changed to R1 residential.

The decision was based on the feasibility of building a residential development on the site. Further there was the fact that considerable public opinion has been expressed in favor of such a development.

Civil Rights Gains High Level Support

By ROBERT M. LEIDLEIN Top level support from County and State officers was assured human relations councils at a joint meeting held Saturday, March 6.

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