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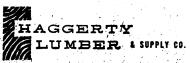
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Rowes make farmhouse a hobby

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Lory room of the downlown Farmington Community Library, where he was able to check out the tax records.
"You look for a jump in assessment." Rowe says in trying to discover when the structure was built on the property.

John Power purchased 160 acress from the government on June 9, 1823.
On Dec. 17, 1849, he sold the property to Elisha Gross who assigned the land to his daughter Susan Cross the house was known as the Hance farm, as it appears in the "Oakland County Atlas."

However, through researching the tax records. Rowe has determined that the structure was probably built between 1855s? when the Couroys owned the property, because a jump in the assessment occurred during their ownership.

Although the dwelling is designated

remodeling over the years, the stone basement and hand-hewn timbers in the attic and basement are further evidence of the structure's age.

"The frame is held together with wood pegs, not nalls, in some places," adds Mrs. Rowe, and the basement still shows evidence of a northwest wing of the house which was removed sometime this century.

Two smaller buildings on the proper-ty puzzled the Rowes for a while, but they soon discovered that what ap-peared to be an outhouse building was used as a smokehouse. And a small ce-ment building was used as a spring or milk house.

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"There's a trough in it, and cold water was piped into the trough." Rowe explains. "Dairy farmers would put their milk cans in the trough to keep the milk cool."

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two of his hobbies: poking into old books and planting as many seedlings tree in front of the 125 year-old house, as possible. Mrs. Rowe as her dream of putting up lace curtains in a room where they "belonged" realized.

And despite an annual spring siege you." Rowe says.

Hills cutbacks shrink art funds

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in proportion to the amount received locally. If Farmington Hills allocates less money to the Arts Commission, then its entire budget shrinks.

But fight his week's council ment for being absent from the previous week's budget hearing by Mrs. Dudley.

"The council made it a point to be 100 per cent here. I'll grant you that you had no indication that this would happen. But there were many here who didn't want funding but came here for the information," she said.

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