OU seeks to shed weak-sister image

Lee Frederick yearns for the day when he can walk onto the basketball court at the Lepley Sports Center on the campus of Oakland University and find the full-house crowd of 2,500 fans

. n's basketball coach, now in his fourth full season, envisions a seli-out crowd stomping their feet, pointing

their index finger skyward, and screaming at the top of their lungs. You know, like the doings each home game at the University of Notre Dame.

The scenario, albeit ficticious, was an outrageous supposition four years ago. But it could happen. And as far as Frederick is concerned, the sconer, the

FREDERICK, who recently began his fourth full scason as the Oakland University men's basketball coach, was a four-sport athlete at Bluffs High School. He played college ball for four years at Bradley University, where he said he was "locky to be on the team." During his sophomore year, Bradley won the then-prestigious National Invitational Tournament.

Frederick coached three years at Northern Michigan University, and an additional three at Western Illinois between the second of the second of

OU coach has Antiguan connection lights — and thus began the love affair between Frederick and Antigua. "I love it there," Frederick said. "I think that (initial trip) was the most important thing I've ever done bere we saw what the third world was like. It was a great cultural experience. "Since then, I've kept the relation-ably through the years. It's really unique. It gives you a keener perspec-tive on things. It's a wonderful situa-tion. I love Antigua and I love the peo-ple. It's so different from Michigan."

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There's a new moniker for the city of Rochester. Thanks to Oakland University men's basketball coach Lee Frederick, the northern suburb can be referred to as 'Antigua of the North.' Frederick, who's extensive basketball background had its origin in a small fillions towe cailed Bluffs, has strong ties with the Antiguan national basketball team.

He recently returned from the self-governing West Indies island after a brief stint which had him preparing the national team for a tournament in Jamaica. However, the country had to be closed down — and thus, the tournament postponed — due to an epidemic of poilo.

This weekend, though, Frederick and three Antiguan players he brought with him, will return to Kingston, the capital city of Jamaica, for the Caribbean basketball tournament.

FREDERICK WILL coach the team, which includes Marcus Christian, a new student. Oakland University, and Nool Roberts and Wayne Harris, two Antiquan freshman at Michigan Christian College in Rochester. The tournament will run from Friday until Dec. 23.
Frederick's ties with Antiqua began three years ago when the Antiquan government sponsored a trip by the Oakland University basketball team to the island. The Pioneers played games there — all outdoors and under the

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NONETHELESS, Oakland Universi-ty, which surpassed the school's highest win output (17) with an 18-9 record last season, is a team going places. Freder-ick starts three freshmen and two jun-

in the process of making the Pioneers a contender in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC).

The Pioneers are 8-2. OU's two losses—an overtime setback to defending league champ Hillsdale and a one-point defeat at the bands of Illinois Tech—came after the Pioneers had a chance to sink the go-ahead basket in the wanlag seconds.

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While the future looks bright and the present certainly is cause for a cautiously optimistic tone, it wasn't too long ago when the Ploneers were a team opponents acheduled just to guarantee a mark in the win column.

"We had a four-year contract to play St. Joseph's," Frederick said prior to Monday's practice. "They beat us the first three years, and Saturday, we beat them (67-62). Now I hear from their coach, and they don't want to play us anymore.

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They know we've got some good players, and we're going to be good the next couple of years, Frederick added.

'Used to be, everybody would call us because it usually meant an automatic win. Now the games aren't as easy to get. I must say though I like it this way better."

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The days Oakland University was thought of as a weak sister are still a vivid memory for Frederick and fol-lowers of Ploneer basketball. Drawing talented basketball players to the Ro-chester campus was as easy as con-vincing Ralph Sampson that he isn't tall.

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"I DEFINITELY think the image has changed, there's no question about it. And it's changed in several areas. The students are starting to come out for the games. It wasn't too long ago when we wouldn't have 100 people for our games. The crowds were 77, 63, 88. I can remember those days, "Frederick recalled, not needing to search too deep in his memory bank. "For our first Thursday night home game this year, we had 500 people. We hold 2,500, but still, 500 is a good number for us.

"The players on the team are good students and high-quality players. The faculty is behind us, now. Before, we din't have that kind of support. I can't but the thind the players of the faculty is behind us, now. Before, we din't have that kind of support. I can't but the thind the players of the player thoughtfully, "everything is coming together. The whole thing has snowballed."

One of the main reasons Frederick has been able to lure better players to

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Oakland University has been due to the role performed by a club which calls tiself "Oakland 100".

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City Hall Office will be open for payment of taxes 8:39 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday with the following exception:

Friday, December 24, 1982, Friday, December 31, 1982, Monday, February 14, 1983. (Closed All Day)

For tarpayers convenience, a night depository, located on the east wall of the front courtyard, is available for after hours tax payments. Also, tax payments may be made at any National Bank of Detroit. They will accept tax payments until 3.00 p.m., February 15, 1913.

Whether you pay your taxes in person, through the mail, or by night depository, be sure to return BOTH COPIES of the tax bill.

Pay PAYMENTS BY MAIL are recorded by the Treasurer on the date actually received, Payments received after February 15, 1983, will be returned with added centalty.

CITY OF FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Summary)

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A regular meeting of the Farmington City Council was called to order at 8.00 p.m. on December 8, 1982, by Mayor Bennett in the Council Chambers, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan

PRESENT: Mayor Bennett, Councilmen Hartacck, Mitchell, Tupper, Yoder, CITY OFFICHALS PRESENT: City Manager Deadman, Director Selfert, Attorney Kelly, Acting Glerk DeChant.

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Public hearing to review special assessment roll for 1982 sidewalk program.

Council authorized the Special Assessment for the 1982 Sidewalk Assessment as Council authorized the Special Assessment for the 1982 Sidewalk Assessment as Council Labled the decision regarding Brookdate parking until information was secured relative to a permit parking system.

Council agreed to give further consideration to Ram's Bron's request for extending operating bour.

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Commission.

Council entered into contract with Michigan Department of Transportation for modernization of traffic signals at Nine Mile and Farmington Roads.

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Council established a closed meeting January 3, 1983, at 8:30 p.m. to consider negotiation of contracts for Public Safety Officers.

Public comments were heard.

Council appointed Herb Henry to the Oakland County Cultural Council.

The following ordinance was adopted:

ORDINANCE NO. C-496-82 AMENDMENT NO. 11 TO ZONING MAP

THE CITY OF FARMINGTON ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the territory lying with the City of Farmington, Gakland County, Michigan, be rezoned as follows:

TIN, R9E, SE 44 Section 27, City of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan; west 149 ft. of the property described as the S 90 ft. of the N 100 Ft. of the E 213.50 Ft. of the SE W of Section 27 lying Nly of Shlawassee Road excluding the E 23.50 Ft.

FROM: C-2 Community Commercial

TO: C-3 General Commercial

Section 2. A map showing the property affected by this amendment is available at the City Clerk's office.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be known as Amendment No. 11 to the Zoning Map of the City of Farmington, dated May 1, 1978, as amended.

This ordinance was introduced at a Regular Meeting of the Farmington City Council on November 15, 1982, was adopted and enacted at the next Regular Meeting on December 4, 1982, and will become effective ten days after publication. AVES: Hartsack, Mitchell, Tupper, Yoder. MAYS: Bennett. Monthly bills were approved for payment. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 pm.

ALTON L. BENNETT, Mayor KATHLEEN DECHANT, Acting Clerk

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Sterilization Procedures RONALD S. PAROLY, D.O.

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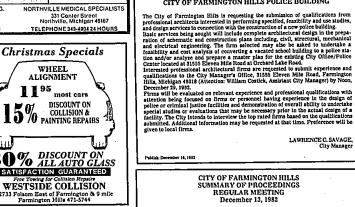
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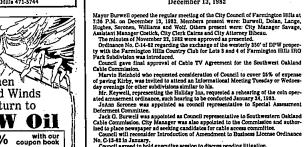


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A closed meeting was beld by Council regarding land acquisition.

Council recommended refund of special assessment construction surplus for How-rid Road Paving SAD No. 169 in the amount of \$193,338 to be returned to the owners.

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City Manager was authorized to issue a Purchase Order to Races Sales and Services of Novi for a new Fire Pumping Engine form 1-D Fire Apparatus on Booduet, Wisconsia in the amount of \$190,239.

Council approved a three year labor agreement with AFSCME Local No. 1458.

Council recommended City Manager proceed with the selection of an Architectural firm for additional facilities in the Police Department.

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Council second adjourned at 11:28 P.M.

JACK G. BURRELL, Major

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