

### Children Will Get 'Made Up'

A make-up booth for children will be sponsored Aug. 6 to 9 by the Western Suburban Junior Womens Club at the Northville Fair at Northville Downs. Children can choose make up for a clown, monster, indian or princess. The proceeds will be used for the Scholarship Fund and the Retarded Childrens Fund.

### Family Planning Unit In Operation

Family planning services will soon be delivered to hundreds of women in six out-county Wayne communities including Ecorse, Wyandotte, Brownstown, Huron, Romulus, and Canton Township. A mobile family planning unit sponsored by the Wayne County Office of Economic Opportunity will begin its operation, in mid-August, bringing family planning services closer to the people who live in isolated communities unable to utilize existing family planning facilities, due to lack of transportation.

SERVICES PROVIDED, other than educational, will be to only those patients who voluntarily request medical supervision or supplies, and who meet the income eligibility established for poverty areas served by Wayne County OEO Neighborhood Action Centers.

A concentrated education program on health and family planning methods has been conducted in the six communities, and will continue as an on-going phase of the family planning program. All contraceptive methods offered are approved by the Federal Food and Drug Administration, and are given without charge. Other services offered are blood test for anemia, blood pressure test, pap test for cancer, physical examination, medical counseling and referral services.

The Mobile Clinic will be operated by a full-time medical professional staff experienced in the field of family planning.

Clinic dates are slated for Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays on a weekly basis at the following locations: Monday, Canton Mobile Trailer Court, 41275 Michigan Avenue, Wayne; Tuesday, Ecorse Neighborhood Action Center, 421 Sallotte Street, Ecorse; Thursday, Huron Elementary School, 24820 Merriam Road, New Boston; Friday, Romulus Neighborhood Action Center, 35351 Beverly Road, Wayne.

For clinic appointments or for additional information, write or call Mrs. Joann Tolliver, director, Wayne County Office of Economic Opportunity Family Planning Project, Building "C", Eloise, 48132, 722-2410 or 722-2411.



MR. AND MRS. RAY BOWSER

### Bowers Wed For 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Ray F. Bowser celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at an open house at the home of their daughter, Mrs. William A. Loesch in Plymouth.

Bowser is retired from the 10011 Stark Rd. in Livonia for 34 years. Mrs. Bowser is a former kindergarten teacher for the Stark School.

### March Of Dimes Reorganizes

A new Metropolitan chapter of the National Foundation-March of Dimes now will spearhead the continuing battle against birth defects.

The chapter was formed through a recent merger of the Wayne and Macomb chapters, and will have its main offices at 19330 W. McNichols, Detroit.

Three local March of Dimes leaders will serve on the executive board that works with Richard T. Kelly of Wyandotte, chairman of the merged chapter.

They are Mrs. Robert Fox of Livonia, Mrs. John Camillo of Garden City and Mrs. Florine Mark of Farmington.

THE MERGER is expected to increase efficiency in the Southeastern Michigan area work of the March of Dimes which conquered polio, and for the past 12 years has put its entire resources in its campaign to combat birth defects that affect one out of 15 children in the U. S. every year.

Through the research programs aided by the March of Dimes we now have vaccines which prevent Rubella (German Measles) and RII blood disease-both of which can be direct causes of birth defects. Early and continuous prenatal care, including genetic counseling, can prevent other defects. Prevention has become a reality in the fight against birth defects.

DESPITE the potentials of preventives now developed, most birth defects are still unpreventable. Thus the March of Dimes continuing need for funds to support research on a national level.

Being aided are the Salk Institute for Biological Studies and many individual scientists and institutions throughout the nation, including the University of Michigan and Michigan State University, which will enable scientists to come up with the knowledge and techniques to control the genetic and environmental influences responsible for abnormalities at birth.

### Deaf Education Program Gets International Fame

The education available for deaf children in Oakland County school districts will go on international display at the International Congress on Education of the Deaf in Stockholm, Sweden, Aug. 17-21.

Mrs. Lucille Kirchoff, Oakland Schools consultant on programs for the deaf and hard of hearing, will present a paper describing the specialized services and classroom programs for deaf and hard-of-hearing persons from birth to age 25.

Mrs. Kirchoff will distribute Oakland Schools' award-winning brochure "A Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing" and present a slide sequence illustrating the total program.

THE CONGRESS has been organized by the Swedish Association of Teachers of the Deaf under the auspices of the Swedish National Commission for the Deaf and is supported by the Swedish Union of Teachers. Proceedings will be conducted in English, French and German with simultaneous translation.

Clinical services and the elementary school programs stress oral communication and regular association with hearing children.

Secondary programs are concentrated in Bloomfield Hills and continue to stress oralism. Increasing attention is paid at this level to vocational and higher educational choices of the student.

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Total enrollment of hearing handicapped children in the 28 constituent districts of Oakland Schools was 264 in the 1969-70 school year. All of these students receive an entire spectrum of services ranging from the clinical to the special class.

Specialists work with both parents and child at the Oakland Schools' Speech and Hearing Clinic until the child is three. He is then enrolled in a pre-school program in one of six centers located in elementary schools in Ferndale, Waterford, Pontiac, Bloomfield Hills, Farmington and Royal Oak.



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Nurses Help. The Visiting Nurse Association, a Torch Drive service, operates eight district offices and a neighborhood center to serve residents throughout Metropolitan Detroit.

Center Plans Youth Camp. Beginning the week of Aug. 17, two new programs will be offered by the Jewish Community Center of Detroit, 18100 Meyers. The first will be a camping tour through Northern Michigan for seventh, eighth and ninth graders. The second program will be a one-week expanded mini-camp for first through sixth graders from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Main Building and the Ten Mile Branch. Shuttle bus service will be available from Ten Mile. Registration for members will be open until Aug. 6. Beginning Aug. 7, registration will be open to non-members. Those interested should call the group services division, DI 1-4. Here's Jeffrey Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lamb of Detroit announce the birth of their second son, Jeffrey Michael, July 7 in St. Mary Hospital, Jeffrey and his brother, Todd, are grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wedge and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamb, both of Redford Township.

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