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## Open Meetings

The Farmington School Board has voted to open to the public its next study session Monday night, which will be devoted to consideration of curriculum additions concerning substance abuse. There's some vocal opposition to sex education

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## Cleaner Sewers

The City of Farmington is preparing a massive campaign to clean its sanitary sewers and hopes to get all cleaned within six or seven months. There's a special reason why this is now possible.

## New Counselor

A Farmington mother of four is taking over a new position with the Continuum Center and heading its upcoming series in Southfield. Read about her in the Women's

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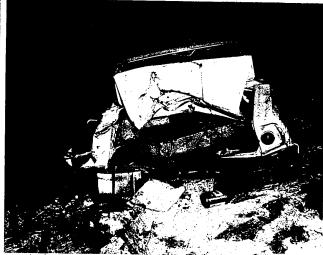
There is a vacancy on the Farmington Township Planning Commission and thus far 29 persons have applied. The board tabled the supervisor's first appointment and then refused to confirm. The supervisor's second appointment was also tabled. A report in the weekend edition will examine what has occurred and what might. what has occurred and what might.

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# Board Reverses Dismissals Of Building Dept. Officials



THIRD FATALITY --- William A. Bruning.
17. of 22761 Ashley. Fermington: become the third 1971 fatality in Farmington Township at 12:47 p.m. Jan. 9 when he was killed in a traffic accident on Freedom Dr., about a halfeast of Drake Rd. Bruning was helping to a car (shown here) to get it started when

McConnell, 25 of 33003 Meadowlark, Farming ton. Bruning and three friends werd pushing car owned by John M. Velt. 18 of Detroit Two of the three fatal traffic accidents in 1971 in the township have involved pedestrians. Township police are still investigating the Jan. 9 mishap.

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By EMORY DANIELS

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Monday slight by the township board in a long and
stormy five-hour session.
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the supervisor tacket awars
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about 19 and 19 and 19 and 19 and
Supervisor added that
Taylor had told him nothing
inspector Fred Zeidman, 21,
of 32543 Sprucewood, Farmington Township.
Monday night the board
approved the hiring of Zeidman as an interim zoning
inspector effective the date
he was hirted by Teeples.
Some trustees commented
that Zeidman may be considered as a replacement for
Taylor, who wants to retire
on March 1.

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to the supervisor deded that clerical
persons were trived in other
departments without the
board's confirmation and that
the previous supervisor. Curtist. Hall, dismissed persons
without the board granting
approval on the record at a
public meeting.

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THE MOTION to reverse objection was not to the the dismissals was made by Trustee Fred Lichtman who stated he was concerned that his first knowledge of the three being discharged was in a new story in the weeken edition of the Farmington Enterprise & Observer.

Are Sought

An unsuccessful attempt on
Jan. 8 to collect \$200,000 ransom from a Farmington
Township man has been
turned over to the FBI in
Detroit for investigation.

Last Friday, a man and his
female accomplice demanded
\$200,000 from David Cushing
for 23441 Stockton while holding Mrs. Cushing and a child
in the basement of the Cush,
ing residence.

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ing residence.

Mrs. Cushing reportedly
managed to escape and nocity police while the gumman
was upstairs calling her husband. The gumman earlier
had captured a service truck
owned by Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. and removed
the driver's uniform at gunpoint.

Sources report the gumman

the driver's uniform at gur-point.

Sources report the gumman entered the Cushing home posed as a gas repairman and then tied up Mrs. Cushing and her child in the base-ment. Cushing is an execu-tive with Bank of the Com-monwealth.

FBI officials have refused to comment on the incident

COTTON feels bad about the cutbacks, but the reductions were mandatory to help the district obtain its total cutback of \$400,000.

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## Some School Budget Cuts Now Being Felt By Parents overloaded with calls since Jan. 4 from concerned par-ents of junior high students, especially from parents of eighth grade basketball play-ers.

By EMORY DANILLS
Nearly half a million dollars cannot be pared from a school district's operating budget without making some harmful changes which affect some parents and children.

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tentative budget showed a deficit.

The teachers' contract was written, and the board or- dered the administration to trim the budget by \$400,000 in prevent the deficit.

Business Manager William Staffs at each of the four Prisk ordered each depart.

The teams had showed up for practice a couple of weeks ago, and at one school the boys began practicing at 7 a.m. daily becuase this was the only time the gym was free, reports one parent.