

Livonia's Newest Hardware Plans Big Opening Thursday

The American Hardware Co., Livonia's newest and most modern hardware and lumber center at 31245 W. Eight Mile Rd., will hold a grand opening sale for three days starting Thursday, Sept. 17.

That was the announcement of Marvin Kemp, owner-manager who brings 17 years of experience from Jahn's Hardware and the Federal Hardware, into the new operation.

American houses over an acre of display area and a parking lot capable of handling more than 200 cars.

The new project culminates more than 20 years of work for Kemp who finally has achieved his lifetime dream of owning his own hardware store and lumber yard.

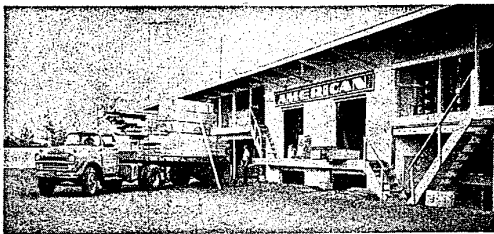
He will use a new concept in the hardware field, amalgamating market theory from all areas of business.

The new store and lumber yard includes a two-story structure for the hardware sales with 5,000 square feet on the second floor for a toyland.

In the rear is the large lumber yard which has a two-story building, 200 by 40 feet, for storage, sales and handling of lumber of all sizes and shapes. He has emphasized the following items in his new operation:

1—A large toyland, complete and up-to-date, stocking only the most dependable and durable names in the industry.

2—A huge lumber yard facility with access from the store, featuring a full line of quality



MODERN LUMBER YARD at the American Hardware store and yard, 31245 W. Eight Mile Road, is equipped to handle the needs for any type of lumber or paneling. The two-story, 200 by 40 foot building is open in the front and has a loading and unloading dock as shown here.

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3—An authorized Detroit agency with all of the services including bulb exchange, appliance repair and a bill payment center.

4—A custom-designed fireplace and fireplace accessories division.

5—All plumbing needs.

6—Complete paint and supply division, equipped to handle all needs for the professional as well as the do-it-yourself painter.

7—Full line of all other hardware supplies and merchandise, all well organized and displayed.

The store and yard will be open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday, Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

day from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. sale, the hours will be 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday through Saturday and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

During the grand opening



READY TO HANDLE customers at the new American Hardware store and lumber yard at 31245 W. Eight Mile Road are (from left) Owner-Manager Marvin Kemp, Cashier Annette Cooper, Bonnie Sparks, Sanford Buchanan, custom fireplace designer; M. A. Barker, shop equipment sales manager; Helen Westfall, Harold Smith, manager lumber department, and William MacArthur.

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Opens Dance Programs

Beginning next week, the Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation starts its fall program of square dance classes and clubs. New this season is class in round dancing.

Registration for square dances will be held on the first night of classes, which will begin this week. Fees will be \$10 per couple for a period of ten weeks.

Beginners classes: Wednesday, 8 p.m., Lincoln, Sept. 23; Tuesday, 8 p.m., Roosevelt, Sept. 22; Monday, 8 p.m., Jefferson, Sept. 21.

Intermediate: Wednesday, 8 p.m., Harrison, Sept. 23; Monday, 8 p.m., Hull, Sept. 21.

Advanced: Wednesday, 8 p.m., McKinley, Sept. 23; second and fourth Mondays, 8 p.m., Coolidge, Sept. 22.

Round dancing: second and fourth Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Harrison, Sept. 22.

Scheduled clubs (for experienced dancers) which have a charge of \$2 per couple for each evening include the following: Tea Cup Chasers, Intermediate, 8:30 p.m. on second and fourth Fridays at Rosedale, beginning Sept. 23; Hi-Inter-

SC Board To View Plans For Two More Buildings

Preliminary plans for the next two buildings to be constructed on the Schoolcraft College campus, Haggerty at W. Seven Mile road in Livonia, will be presented to the board of trustees Wednesday night by the two architectural firms, Eberle M. Smith Associates Inc. and Ralls-Hamill-Becker.

Eberle M. Smith Associates Inc., who designed the four buildings now in use, will present plans for the Campus Center. The building will house a cafeteria, a snack bar, reading rooms, activity offices, publications offices, book store and television studios.

Ralls-Hamill-Becker will

present plans for the Technical building which will include such features as manufacturing processes, electronics, drafting rooms, facilities for teaching of dental technology, automotive mechanics, welding and other similar technical facilities.

Present plans call for the construction of the new buildings to begin in late winter or early spring.

Harold Fischer, chairman of the Board, received authorization of the Trustees to seed and sod the campus. Fischer, a well-known landscaper from Plymouth, is donating his time to the college with no personal profit so that the amount available for landscaping may be spread over as wide an area as possible.

The Board received bids from three landscaping architects to make plans for the beautification of the landscaping of the campus. The award will be made at the next official meeting.

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Livonia Farnum Boosters Plan Testimonial Dinner

"Frankly Farnum" is the theme of the testimonial dinner for Auditor General Billie S. Farnum, scheduled for Roma Hall on September 23. Farnum is the Democratic candidate for Congress in the new 19th District.

"This is one of the best buys anyone can make," said Livonia City Councilman, John Dooley, chairman of the dinner committee. "For a five dollar bill a guest will get all the beer he can drink, set-ups, pizza pie, and at midnight there will be a free buffet supper."

"In addition, there will be an orchestra for those who like to dance, and only one speech, and

that by Billie Farnum, even though we have invited such personalities as Senator Philip Hart and Neil Staebley."

According to Ed McNamara, chairman of the Farnum Campaign Committee, the purpose of this testimonial dinner is not to raise funds, but to acquaint the community with the programs of Mr. Farnum.

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