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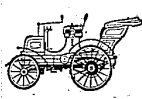
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Build Safety Into Landscape, Specialist in Landscaping Says

You want your landscape to be practical, efficient and beautiful. You also want it to be safe.

Joseph T. Cox, specialist in landscape architecture with the Michigan State University Co-operative Extension Service, says safety should be built right into a property layout as it is developed or redeveloped.

You can pinpoint possible safety hazards if you plot the circulation patterns of family members and note where pat-

terns cross.

MOVEMENT involving drive ways, steps and paths is the most common safety hazard in a landscape. Use of the driveway for toys or for basketball and other games, and for making deliveries in a limited space can add to the danger of a drive way.

Safety on steps and porches depends largely upon weather conditions. Amount of space allowed for the door is open, your speed and whether or not you are carrying things. Step proportions are vital to safety.

Cox says. The riser should be about 6 inches and the tread, 12 to 14 inches.

With trees, Cox says, you need to consider future growth, storm damage, sapling, tank, sewer stoppage by roots, power lines, foundation walls and heating of walks.

BUT COX POINTS OUT that the "human element" is special. By a person's impulsive actions, increases the danger of hazards. For example, he explains that power equipment hazards are usually the result of someone's impulsive actions or of poor operating conditions.

Some safety hazards are produced indirectly. Poor tree locations can cause wind spots near driveways, create more serious storm damage problems or produce utility line interference. Often, Cox notes, trees are placed too close to drain lines. They should be 30 to 40 feet away.

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Use \$43 Million In Fertilizer

Apply commercial fertilizers according to recommendations in the city or on a farm in the county.

This is the advice of Director G. S. Moore of the Michigan Department of Agriculture. The Department's Laboratory Division has charge of the registration of all commercial fertilizers sold in the state.

Last year there were about 1,600 fertilizer products from 200 companies registered.

Tests are run in the laboratory to make sure the material meets the formula declared on the container.

Michigan annually uses about 120,000 tons of commercial fertilizer, worth an estimated \$43 million.

Fertilizers properly used are a boon to growing vegetation of all kinds; fertilizers improperly used can cause damage and a waste of money. Recommendations on use are important.

There is no one formula of fertilizer that is ideal for every soil or every crop. Gardeners and lawn enthusiasts usually gain advice on fertilizers through books, bulletins, magazines, county extension offices, or their suppliers of garden needs.

A universal trade practice among commercial fertilizer companies is to show the formula of a fertilizer on the container or package. This is required by law in Michigan. This formula is expressed in percentage of content of nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash.

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Procedure to Follow in Cleaning Up Around the Home Outlined

Spring Home Improvement line is here.

In communities across the nation, civic-minded citizens are out to brighten up their homes.

The National Board of Fire Underwriters suggests that spring home improvement time can be given double meaning and double value by checking the home at the same time for fire hazards.

Here's one procedure you may follow:

Begin in the attic. Are there piles of old newspapers, magazines, broken furniture, old clothing, and other combustible items which you no longer need?

You can take a spring home improvement step and at the same time eliminate potential fire hazards by throwing out these combustibles.

The same goes for the cellar. Remember many home fires start in the basement and stacks of magazines and papers, discarded furniture and old rags often supply the fuel the fire feeds on. Clean out the basement, too, and make it fire-safe.

The same goes for the older rooms in the house. Clean out old clothes and unwanted papers stored in closets, and put shelves and cupboards in order.

Keep flammable liquids, such as turpentine, preferably in tightly sealed metal containers. Bottles are likely to break. And do not store flammable liquids near source of heat or ignition. Gasoline should never be used for any household purpose. Use non-combustible cleaning fluids.

If you must keep a quantity of gasoline on hand for the lawnmower or outboard motor, keep it in an approved safety can in the garage—never in a glass jug. And never smoke in the garage.

When cleaning up the yard, be careful if you burn leaves. Because yard fires can easily get out of hand, some cities do not permit them.

Check your local fire department regulations before starting such a fire. Some communities require a fire department permit. However, if you burn leaves or trash follow these precautions:

1. Never light an outdoor fire on a windy day.
2. Set out, and attach, your garden hose. Keep it handy until the fire is completely out.
3. Use a wire mesh basket or a metal container with a cover to burn in. Set it well away from buildings, fences, dry

grass or other combustibles.

4. Keep children away.
5. Stay with your fire until it is out and the ashes are cool enough to touch.

Even if the drinker does not get drunk, he will be five times as likely to be involved in an accident. The social drinker can be a bigger hazard than the complete drunk.

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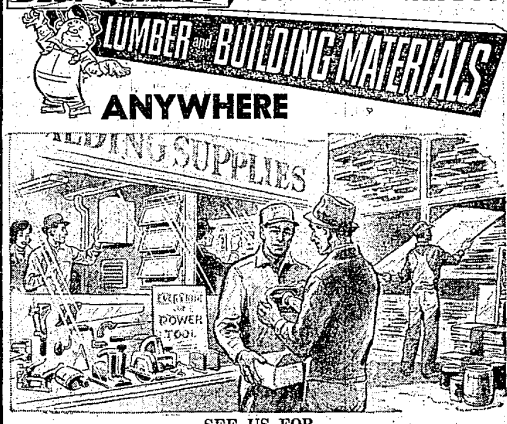
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NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION

FOR ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION
JUNE 8, 1964

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Monday, the 11th day of May, 1964, up to 5:00 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time, is the last day on which unregistered persons may register in order to be eligible to vote at said annual school election.

Application for registration should be made to the clerk of the city or township in which the elector resides.

Persons already registered upon the registration books of such city or township clerk need not register.

BARBARA ANN BROWN, Secretary
Board of Education
Farmington Public School District
Oakland County, Michigan
(April 30, May 7)

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