

Open Fight To End Air Pollution

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If you live on a farm, the dust in your home probably came directly from the fields or from a dirt road nearby. But if your home is in an industrial city, or even near one, a good part of that dust probably came out of the air.

It fell just like rain, because industrial plants, power plants, and home furnaces and trash burners send tons of solid material into the air every day. This smoke, soot, and chemical eventually falls to the ground in a wide area.

A good example is downtown Muskegon where actual samples show that 133 tons of this debris falls on every square mile each month.

The industrial areas of our state have had this air pollution problem for many years, and now some of our smaller communities are experiencing air pollution for the first time.

The extra housework caused by this grime is irritating, but a larger problem is the potential health hazard. Our statistics show that respiratory and heart disease rates for city dwellers are above those for people who live in the non-industrial areas of our state.

Studies conducted by competent scientists indicate that air pollution is a contributing factor to a person being affected by these diseases.

Take lung cancer. Some people say, "That's no problem for me, I don't smoke," but a nationwide test conducted by the Federal Public Health Service showed that benzopyrene (one of the cancer producing agents in cigarette smoke) is also present in your car exhaust, and in some industrial gases as well.

That same survey went on to say that the average person living in downtown Detroit, will inhale an amount of benzopyrene every day, equal to that from a number of cigarettes. While there is no definite proof, we do suspect that air pollution is linked to the cause of lung cancer, along with smoking.

In older folks with respiratory diseases, such as asthma or chronic bronchitis, continued exposure to polluted air can make breathing very difficult, and can even cause death. Polluted air most frequently causes recognizable problems in the very young, old, and the sick.

Meanwhile the rest of us are getting a daily dose of gas and particles in our lungs, that may eventually cause us to develop some type of health problem we might have otherwise avoided.

Fortunately we in Michigan are getting an early start in our war on air pollution. We have watched, and learned lessons from the serious pollution of Los Angeles, New York, and others.

These, and other warnings of the potential health dangers of pollution aided the passage of Michigan's 1965 Clean Air Act. This established an Air Pollution Control Commission which is composed of three governmental leaders, and six citizens.

Now we have the needed legal authority to expand our state health department's program of air testing, technical assistance to industry, and protective services to people.

Through the reasonable application of the law, through working with industry, and through the use of modern technology and careful planning, we can eliminate much of our existing aerial contamination and prevent more from occurring.

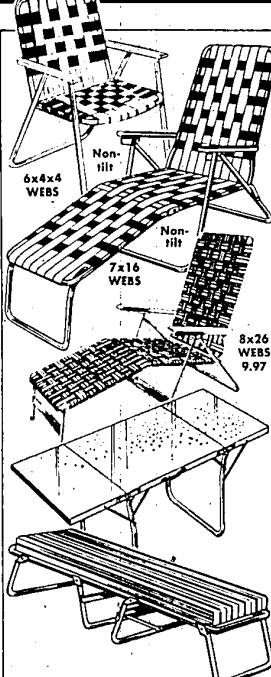
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Army Private Larry L. Brock, 18, son of Mrs. Edna D. Brock, 22746 Lilac, Farmington, has completed a successful course at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Serves in Vietnam

Army PFC Richard H. Arleigh, 20, whose mother, Mrs. Marjorie Culp, lives at 20904 Robinson, Farmington, has been assigned to the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment in Vietnam.

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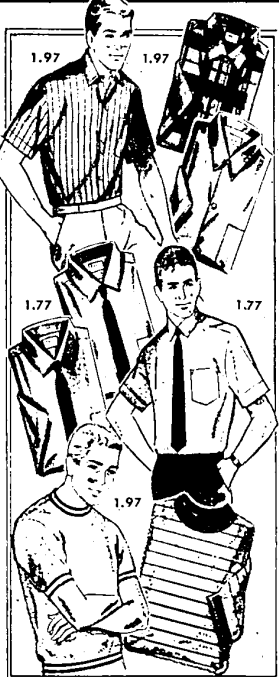
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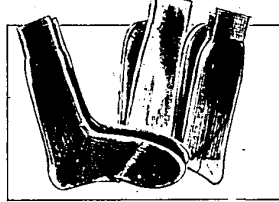
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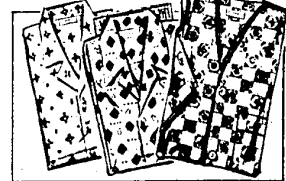
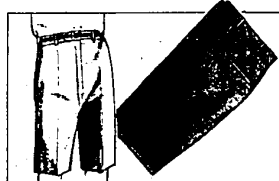
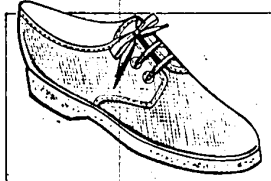
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