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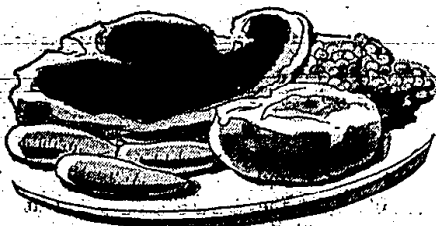
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**CADILLAC**  
 20455 Grand River  
 or Call KE. 1-2600 for  
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 the "Standard of the World"

**ANYTIME IS  
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 Farmington's new, modern dining spot . . . where the  
 Welcome mat is out 24 hours a day for those who wish  
 the best food served in a spotless modern dining area.

Business Mens Lunches A Specialty.

★ FISH and SHRIMP DINNERS ★


**The CLOCK Restaurant**  
 "Open 24 Hours Every Day"  
 GRAND RIVER  
 Just South of Inkster Road

# Michigan Boat Show Starts This Saturday

 What's new on the waterfront  
 will be answered for thousands  
 of boating enthusiasts  
 when the doors of the 1960  
 GREATER MICHIGAN BOAT  
 SHOW swing open at noon on  
 Saturday, March 19 to continue  
 for nine (9) big days full of  
 excitement for sailors.

 MICHIGAN'S Water Wonder-  
 land, already famous, will take  
 on a new look when the 1960  
 crop of watercraft hits the  
 beaches. Every effort of the  
 marine architect and engineer  
 will come to life in the form  
 of boats, motors, safety equip-  
 ment, accessories and allied  
 products. . . all arrayed in a  
 manner designed to benefit the  
 water minded public.

 SERVICE AND EDUCATION  
 are the key notes of this great  
 marine spectacle. A special  
 area has been set aside where  
 panels-of-experts will conduct  
 CLINICS on the many subjects  
 involved in this fast growing  
 field of pleasure and relaxation.  
 HERE, without fear of sales  
 pressure, John Doe may have  
 the answers to his many ques-

 tions to make certain he and  
 his family will enjoy their favorite  
 water sport to the fullest.

 The show will be held at the  
 Detroit Artillery Armory, 15500  
 W. Eight Mile Road, Oak Park.  
 Hours are 2 p.m. to 11 p.m.  
 on week-ends and noon to 11

 p.m. on weekdays. Admission is  
 \$1.00 for adults. Children under  
 12, accompanied by parents,  
 will be admitted free.

**Township's Taxing  
Powers Are Limited**

 The taxing powers of the  
 township are limited by statute  
 and constitution.

 One of these limits is the  
 limitation of the Michigan Con-  
 stitution, 1908, Act. X, s. 23  
 which is more commonly re-  
 ferred to as the 15 mill limita-  
 tion. This law requires a vote  
 of the people to levy any more  
 than a total of 15 mills in taxes  
 for township, county and school  
 operations.

 Oakland County has the sec-  
 ond largest population of all  
 counties in Michigan, according  
 to latest figures available.

# DON'T MISS

the 13th Annual

**FARMINGTON  
JUNIOR CHAMBER  
OF COMMERCE**

 Roaring 20's  
**MUSICALE  
SPECTACULAR**

# "RUNNIN' WILD"

Friday - Saturday

**MARCH 25, 26**

at the.

**FARMINGTON  
JR. HIGH AUDITORIUM  
33000 THOMAS ST.**
*Curtain Time*
**8:15 p.m.** (Both  
Nights)

**GET YOUR  
TICKETS NOW**

Available at

**Farmington Radio & TV****Bel-Aire Drug****Kresge's**
**Kreason Dance Studio  
or From Any JC Member**
**Children - 75¢****Adults - \$1.50**
**Twp. Form of  
Government  
Has History.**

 Townships as a unit of gov-  
 ernment have a long history.

 The Michigan township is the  
 direct heir of the New England  
 township and was created by  
 the Northwest Ordinance of  
 President Thomas Jefferson  
 who desired to preserve the  
 rugged direct democracy and  
 self-sufficiency of the New En-  
 gland town in the settlement of  
 the midwest.

 The New England town had  
 proved itself able to meet the  
 exigencies of frontier life in a  
 savage environment where  
 communications were tenuous or  
 non-existent. It was self-suffi-  
 cient, needing little outside help,  
 and it was one of the few ex-  
 amples of direct democracy in  
 which each man had the right  
 to speak openly at a meeting  
 and know that his opinion would  
 be considered.

 It was also a human-sized  
 unit of government in which a  
 man might know all his neigh-  
 bors, come to respect others,  
 and be respected in turn.

 Such was the heritage of the  
 township, and such was the pat-  
 tern which Thomas Jefferson  
 chose above all others for the  
 settling of the region between  
 the Ohio and the Mississippi.

 Even in this present day the  
 township is still an essential  
 component unit of county and  
 state government.

 The needs of civilization in  
 this century, however, have  
 removed from the orbit of town-  
 ship officials any possibility of  
 action based upon any notion  
 of an inherent right of local  
 self-government. Today, the  
 township may not act unless it  
 is permitted to do so by the  
 constitution of statutes of Michi-  
 gan or by an interpretation of  
 the common law by the Su-  
 preme Court of Michigan.

**Township Population**

 There were only 5,695 people  
 residing in all of Farmington  
 Township in 1940. Ten years  
 later census figures showed  
 that this population had increas-  
 ed to 11,224. A conservative  
 1960 estimate is 25,000. The 1960  
 census figures will give a true  
 figure.

 It is interesting to note that  
 there are only two business  
 places in Farmington listed on  
 the 1960 membership roster of  
 the Michigan Retailers Associa-  
 tion. Bradley (Rexall) Drugs  
 and The Farmington Enter-  
 prise.