

Suicide Cancels Drug Trial

A Detroit woman, whose trial in Westland's Municipal Court on possession of marijuana was scheduled for several days before the trial was to start.

The defendant was Mrs. Rita Luke, of 18220 Monica Street, who had pleaded innocent to the charge July 25 with the trial scheduled for Tuesday, August 2.

However, the day before the trial was to have been held, the court was notified that Mrs. Luke had committed suicide.

She was charged by Sheriff's Detective Emory June 23 after an amount of the narcotic was found in Mrs. Luke's purse in Wayne County General Hospital, where she was committed.

Her attorney, Daniel French of Detroit, said that Mrs. Luke had no previous criminal record.



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Pflieder is a native Detroit resident and attended the University of Detroit where he acquired a bachelor's degree and master's degree in business administration.

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Included are corporate auditor, supervisor and manager of general accounting, manager and director of corporate taxes, manager of financial analysis, controller and assistant treasurer of Burroughs Finance Corporation, director of corporate systems and procedures, chief corporate accountant and assistant treasurer. He was elected assistant controller in March 1965.

Pflieder served as a pilot in the U.S. Navy Air Corps from 1943 to 1946 with the rank of ensign. He is a member of the Detroit Board of Commerce and the National Association of Accountants.

He resides with his wife and three children in Farmington.

U.S. Senate Backs Fight To Avoid \$54,000 Loss

Garden City's struggles to avoid a \$54,000 payment involving a technical law in an urban renewal program report gained support from the U.S. Senate last week.

Mayor Edwin Fresh Jr. announced that he received a telegram from Senator Philip A. Hart of Michigan reporting that the Senate's Banking and Commerce Committee Wednesday, Aug. 2, approved new housing amendments with a provision validating the local expenditures made in

the building of Florence Elementary School.

The committee passes on all bills and amendments involving the federal urban renewal program.

The problem came to light last month when Congressman William Ford, whose 15th District includes Garden City, reported House success in overcoming a technicality that could result in the loss of \$54,000 of federal aid to the city.

The flaw arose in the Cherry Hill urban renewal

project for which a federal grant of \$434,000 was approved nearly four years ago. The city's share was to have been \$134,000. But of that figure, a credit of \$54,292 was to be allowed for construction of the school within three years prior to the date of the grant approval.

Because of a misdated inspector's report, it was first thought that the Florence school was started within that required period. Later, it was discovered that work on the school actually started four

days too early to qualify. The need with the unexpected spending of \$54,292, city officials contacted Ford who offered a special amendment to the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1966 which would give the city credit for the school work despite the four-day discrepancy.

"If the amendment is not passed," Ford said recently, "the \$54,292 will have to be paid with local tax dollars. This will mean a big financial burden to Garden City and its residents."

Westland Man Is Victim

Deputy Dies in Shooting

Funeral services were held Saturday morning for a Wayne County Sheriff's Deputy, a Westland resident, who was the victim of an accidental shooting incident Wednesday night in a Wayne bar parking lot.

The deputy, Roger W. Sugg, 30, of 6553 Caribou, died in Wayne County General Hospital early Thursday morning following the shooting.

Witnesses told police that Sugg had his own pistol in his hand when he lost his balance, started to fall, and struck his elbow against a parked car in trying to regain his balance. As his arm hit the auto, the gun went off.

Lt. Walter MacGregor of the Wayne Police Dept. was told by friends and neighbors with Sugg that Show Bar about 9:30 p.m. Wednesday and drank heavily when he started to leave about midnight.

Robert MacDonald, of 34487 Tonquich, Westland, said that Sugg was getting "a little boisterous" and went to a nearby phone booth to call police. Just before he started to dial, he heard a half-dozen shots in the parking lot.

Mrs. MacDonald said that Sugg was walking beside her and without provocation or warning drew his pistol and started shooting. She screamed at him to stop shooting

and then ran for her car. With the door open, Sugg swung around and started to back into the front seat of the MacDonald auto when he lost his balance.

The services were held at the Caldwell Funeral Home, Garden City, with Rev. M. Clement Parr of the Free Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Surviving are his wife, Eva, a son, Tracy, a daughter, Tokesh, his father, Winton of Dearborn, mother, Evelyn Tudor of Detroit; grandmother, Minnie Lasky of Dearborn; four brothers, Gerald, of Dearborn Heights; Marvin of Aurora, Ill.; Dale Tudor and Barry Tudor of Westland.

Sugg was born June 4, 1930 in Melvindale and lived all of his life in the area. A veteran of the Korean War, Sugg was a road patrol deputy for the past five years.



THE CLOCK WAS turned back 40 years when the Garden City Chamber of Commerce held their "Roaring Twenties Sidewalk Sale." Aug. 4 through Aug. 7. All sorts of merchandise were on display and shoppers (pictured above) crowded the sidewalks.



A POPULAR PERSON at the Garden City sidewalk sale was the Cotton Candy salesman. This annual event in Garden City featured a sidewalk sale, a parade, a sports car display and rally; and musical entertainment.

Expert Lauds Hospitals

American hospitals are not nearly as sick as they've been pictured recently, says a professor who regularly takes the pulse of the nation's health services.

"Of course there is room for improvement in hospitals, just as in everything else," Lawrence A. Hill says. "But by and large our hospitals are doing a better job now than ever before."

Hill is director of the Bureau of Hospital Administration in The University of Michigan's Graduate School of Business Administration. His comments were inspired by national magazine articles with such titles as "Our Hospitals Are Killing Us" and "Our Sick Hospitals."

"The facts of the matter are that hospitals have been doing a generally good job for some time, and that Medicare will enable them to do

a better job rather than a poorer one," Hill says. He describes the hospital as the only place in the community where the quality of a physician's practice is routinely scrutinized by his colleagues.

"Every patient's clinical record is open for review by a doctor's professional colleagues. Every doctor's credentials are checked before he is admitted to the staff. 'Inexperienced doctors have only limited hospital privileges. It's not a perfect system, but it's a reasonably effective safeguard for the patient."

"On the other hand, there is no system of quality checking or control on the care a doctor provides in his office or in the patient's home."

Medicare will reinforce the quality control system by requiring participating hospitals to set up "utilization committees," made up of doctors, to pass on questionable admissions or long stays.

Still, Hill concedes, a "quality gap" will remain between the major medical centers and the small-town hospitals.

"The critics insist that every citizen should have equal access to the most modern techniques and facilities — and as a social goal, that's excellent."

"We can't have an open-heart surgery team in every hospital any more than we can have a classic Greek

theater in every town. There just aren't enough professionals to go around or enough patients to keep small-town professionals busy."



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