



and bugle corps, to march down Main street and return to school athletic field. The parade "reviewed" by a committee of who will have prizes to be awarded to the best costume, the original outfit, and the best presentation of a Halloween character and probably others.

At the athletic field, a program of being arranged, and of course the main event will be the "eats." All members of the Milford Club are to be on hand to help with serving of food and other details. Chairman of the committee is Floyd Culham, and he has the assistance of W. S. Lovejoy, Dr. M. G. Hoffman, Robert Gorsline, and other members of the club an ex-officio.

Mr. Lodge is in charge of judging costumes, and he will select the winners and award prizes. Mr. Harlow is also making investigations to see if a free movie for the kids, to be shown at the school auditorium, as part of the program is in the works as yet.

Business people and others interested will be asked to contribute to financing the party, which will cost about \$60.00.

Juvenile Judge Must Overstand Child Problems

Such a part of real life as death and taxes, yet as little noticed by Mrs. John Q. Public as everyday life of countless children, is the drama of Jack and Jill, or boy and girl, who sin against society and become what to many is known as juvenile delinquency.

In Oakland County the stage for that is the Juvenile Court. For a period of one year beginning July 1, there were 360 individual characters involved — all of them younger than 17 — who made up a total of 415 disposed cases. At all of them the Probate and Juvenile Court Judge James H. Lynch.

Jack and Jill the Juvenile Court at first appeared to be an unrelenting individual, bent on punishing and punishing.

NEW FORD MOTOR CO. PLANT HERE NEARS COMPLETION

PLANT WILL BE OPERATED BY EDISON POWER UNTIL OWN CURRENT IS AVAILABLE

With each passing day, work on the Ford development at Milford shows progress, with a large number of men involved on several fronts in bringing into being what will be one of the most modern smaller industrial units in the Ford organization. The Milford plant will be equipped for the manufacture of carburetors and already much machinery has been installed in the new factory building, now in the late stages of completion, with a view to beginning manufacturing operations as soon as possible. When this time will be, Ford men at the plant are reticent to make any predictions, but operations will begin first in a limited way, adding others as practical. The whole plant will doubtless be in operation before the construction for the development of the water power is completed, using Edison current until their own generating equipment is available, and Edison will also furnish stand-by service in later days.

The new factory has been about completed as to exterior, but considerable work remains on the inside, and the Albrecht Company will be on location at least another month, they predict. At present the main contractor has but two men on the job, but more will be brought back later as they are required. There are a large number of men working at the plant daily, the crews of several subcontractors and a large force of Ford labor from the Rouge. A number of Milford men have been employed by the Ford organization during the past week, some of them going to the Rouge plant, to be later transferred to Milford, and others are now working in and about the plant here.

Construction of the big pipe line from Moore's lake to the lower pond, is making satisfactory progress, according to the Lorne Company, contractors, who have been favored with some fine weather for their operations, and they continue to keep their fingers crossed while making the most of these late October days. The lower mill pond has been nearly crossed, the pipe line laid in its cement cradle, welders are busy closing the joints, and workmen are pouring upper sections of the concrete collars to secure the pipe in place. In the upper pond, piling has been driven and timbers placed to support the tube through that area, and twenty cement saddles are being prepared, ready to receive the pipe. A power excavating ma-

MAIN STREET FIRE QUICKLY SUBDUED

FLAMES THREATENED HAMELL STORE; TIMELY DISCOVERY AVERTS SERIOUS LOSS

A fire, blazing at the rear of the Hamell store and but for its timely discovery by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Purdy, might have seriously threatened the business district occurred shortly after 7 o'clock this Thursday evening. Firemen were on the job very quickly after the alarm was sounded, and damage was being mostly from water and smoke the latter filling the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Purdy, who live in the former Mary Phillips house were just leaving home. They saw a reflection, and heard the crackling flames. Investigating they found a small fire nicely started and at once turned in the alarm. The blaze spread rapidly however, and within a few moments almost the entire wooden shed attached to the brick building was in flame. Early arrivals subdued the fire with buckets of water and the fire department quickly finished the job.

The department was called back an hour later, when Mr. Purdy discovered the fire had broken out, this time on the second floor porch behind the A & P store.

chine has made the cut at the south end of the upper road from an anchor point along the railway into the pond, passing through the old cement spillway or chute entrance, where Milford "kids" of the past were wont to spend their summer afternoons in that glorious pastime known as "shooting the chutes."

One of the next operations will be driving the tube under the Pere Marquette tracks, a distance of 85 feet from one side of the right-of-way to the other. The pipe will pass through at about a 45-degree angle to the tracks, and when work starts will be carried on for 24 hours a day, until completed. The tube will be "jacked" through, men working from inside the pipe.

West Commerce street has been closed to traffic this week, an excavation being opened across the road just west of the viaduct.

A new 12" well has been completed just north of Commerce street on the former George Ott property, and the screen set at 80 feet. What the well will produce is not definitely known, but it is estimated at about 350 gallons per minute, not quite what is sought, but with the first 12" well rated at 500 gallons, will probably meet requirements. Pump test will probably be delayed until the pipe line job is completed in this section.