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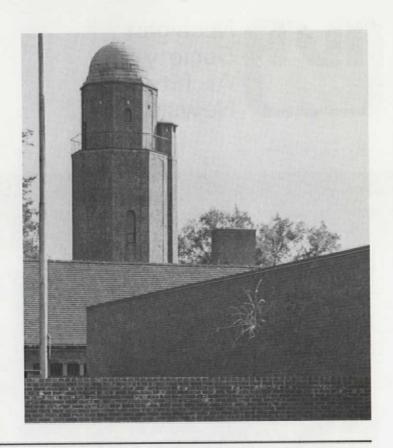


Gordon Hall at Cranbrook Wins 1976 'M Award' for Tarapata MacMahon Paulsen

"An outstanding exemplar for modifications and additions to an existing, worthy building...the attitude is respectful, unassertive, understanding and sensitive to the modest scale, while being strongly creative and artistic...the brickwork and its details are skillfully simple and appropriate." Norman N. Rice, FAIA, Chairman, Awards Jury.

This science laboratory and classroom building, the first major addition to the boy's prep school campus designed by the late architect Eliel Saarinen in the 1930's, won for Tarapata MacMahon Paulsen Associates, Inc., of Bloomfield Hills, an "M Award" in the second annual masonry design program sponsored by the Masonry Institute of Michigan in cooperation with the Michigan Society of Architects. (Mason contractor on the project was Delta Masonry Co., of Fraser.)

In all, four architects and their projects were honored by a distinguished panel of Philadelphia area architects who judged the entries. The other three winners will be featured in succeeding issues of this newsletter.



"LITIGATION, ARBITRATION & OTHER ADVENTURES

This is the topic of the Detroit Chapter, AIA, program for Tuesday, March 22, 1977 by John K. Grylls, Esq., J.D., P.E., Hon. Detroit Chapter AIA.

The program will be held at the Engineering Society of Detroit, 100 Farnsworth, Detroit - Reception from 5:30 - 6:30 P.M., Meeting from 6:30 P.M. until 7:30 P.M. followed by discussion.

ADMISSION: Free Cash Bar and free refreshments.

RESERVATIONS:

Call the Chapter Office at 965-4100 prior to Friday, March 18.

John Grylls is a multi-hatted attorney in private practice as a member of the law firm of Federlein & Grylls, P.C., head-quartered in Troy. He has developed a specialization in construction contract law and has represented owners, architects and contractors. He is also a registered professional engineer, an honorary member of the Detroit Chapter, AIA, and was previously a partner in the architectural firm of Swanson Associates. Additionally, Grylls is a Trustee of Wayne County Community College and is, therefore, able to bring to his practice the highly unique experiences and credentials of attorney, architect, engineer and owner.

RENAISSANCE CENTER Convention Site

The Detroit Plaza Hotel will be the location of the 62nd MSA Convention, November 2, 3 & 4, 1977.

The Plaza, centerpiece for the glistening Renalssance Center on the Detroit River will be in full swing by then and ready to show off for the MSA.

The exhibit hall in the hotel will be the scene of the daily action and the Detroit committee under the direction of Jim Hackenberger are planning for super social events to punctuate the professional and educational meetings on the program.

Keep the dates clear, November 2, 3 & 4 (Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and we will see you in Detroit.

DESIGN MICHIGAN YEAR

Governor William G. Milliken has designated 1977 as Design Michigan Year.

Design Michigan will have several components including a program of information and assistance to State agencies in visual and written communications, a juried exhibition of excellence in architecture, landscape, interior, industrial and graphic design; a public assembly for members of government, business, labor and private life to study and discuss major issues in design; and several public information resource tools. Watch for more information in the NL.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE 1977
MICHIGAN SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTS

We think some unexpected fallout from our recent review of the registration list is worth mentioning for your amazement.

There are 2802 architects registered in the State of Michigan of this group 1530 are residents of Michigan, the remainder are residents of other states like Rex Allen of California and Gyo Obata of Missouri as well as one man in Norway, one in Sweden and one in France. The ladies we could identify numbered 20; however, it is sometimes difficult to determine by first names or initials, so we welcome corrections.

Our tabulations show we have 60% of the total possible membership now in the eight chapters in Michigan. However, of the remaining 40% our files show some registrants are retired from practice, some are not engaged in architecture as such but are in related fields and maintaining their registration for personal reasons, some have been members and have dropped out and are not good candidates for membership. Applications for re-admission take anywhere from 4 to 6 weeks to process and are costly in terms of staff time and board review by both National AIA and the local chapter.

Currently Michigan is serving as a pilot region for the National AIA Membership Drive under the direction of MSA Vice President Art Nelson of Saginaw.

Art has a chairman in each chapter area responsible for contacting all non-member registered residents architects in his area. They will have supplies of all membership information available from AIA including copies of the "Yellow Pages", and the AIA Journal, and "Why Belong to AIA".

We encourage all members to participate in this membership drive on "an each one reach one" basis. More members mean a stronger voice of the profession in Lansing and in Washington, D.C.; more members mean greater group benefits on insurance and better programming for all chapters. Reach out to that new young registrant near you. It is your society- make the most of it.

# HISTORIC PRESERVATION/MICHIGAN '77

A Conference sponsored by the Michigan History Division of the Michigan Dept. of State in cooperation with the Kent County Council for Historic Preservation will be held May 6 and 7, 1977 at the Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Michigan '77 will offer a wide variety of morning and afternoon sessions, many of which highlight programs and issues important to architects involved in preservation. The program is outlined as follows:

"Historic Resource Management - The Implementation of Plans for Historic Commercial and Residential Districts" With: Bonnie Deloof, Broker and Redeveloper - Ann Arbor, Paul Bilgen, Architect, Marquette, and Barbara Roelofs, President, Heritage Hill Foundation -Grand Rapids.

"Preservation Technology" With: Richard Frank, FAIA - Ann Arbor, William Thrall, AIA - Grand Rapids and Norman Welss, Consulting Chemist - Boston.

"Environmental Review" With: John Bloswick, Construction Div., Michigan Dept. of Management & Budget - Lansing, Robert Garvey, Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation - Wash., D. C.

"Grants & Other Funding Incentives" With: Steven Newman, Chief, Grants Adm., Office of Archaeology & Historic Preservation, National Park Service - Wash. D. C. and Priscilla Upjohn, President, Save the Water Tower Comm. - Kalamazoo and Linda DeJong, Exec.Dir., Heritage Hill Foundation Grand Rapids. Plus other speakers and topics.

For more information contact: The Mich-Igan History Division, Michigan Dept. of State, Lansing, MI 48918 or call (517) 373-0510.

U OF D CO-OP

Stanley Fleischaker, is working as a volunteer for the U of D architectural school as coordinator for the architectural co-op program.

If you can be of assistance please call Stan at (313) 927-1532. This is a worthwhile program and is beneficial to the entire profession.

MSA/AIA Continuing Education March 15

The Michigan Society of Architects and the American Institute of Architects will present a continuing education program on Financial Analysis of Real Estate Projects on March 15 at the Metro. Hilton Airport Hotel.

The basic concept of the lab is to train architects to become competent in understanding and evaluating the economic performance of the private design commissions they undertake. At the conclusion of the lab, the attendees will be able to prepare basic real estate analysis and develop projects pro formas. In addition, much time will be spent on the marketing, costing and delivery of this expansion of professional services.

A textbook will be provided which is similar in format to Compensation Management Guidelines for Architectural Services.

The lab requires no previous extensive real estate knowledge, no substantial accounting foundation, no higher mathematics, and no legal background as prerequisities. Each attendee should bring a calculator (preferably with a memory),

lined paper (punched for a three-ring binder), pencils and erasers.

The program will begin promotly at 8:30 A.M. and last until 4:00 P.M. The Instructor is Thomas Selck, AIA, President of The Selck-Minnerly Group, Inc., Pittsburg.

Watch for your National Continuing Ed. mailer for details and reservation form. Including the fee for the one-day seminar.

## BUILDING OWNERS SEMINAR PLANNED

The Michigan Chapter of Producers' Council will hold a seminar for building owners/managers on March 21, 1977, in the Michigan Inn, Southfield, Michigan.

In attendance will be building owners/ developers/managers. School officials, architects, engineers, and others interested in greater efficiency and economy as they relate to better building operation.

The program will be directed towards the remodeling/renovation markets as well as the design and/or the construction of new buildings. The purpose of this seminar is to provide good practical information and new design ideas to the owner, particularly as applied to products and equipment...in energy conservation, life cycle consideration, and interior space planning.

Energy conservation methods will exploit better building design and products that endure greater efficiencies, economics... while complying with new laws, codes, and regulations.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Bob Denlinger, Owens-Corning Fibergias Corp., at (313) 967-1300.

# REPORT ON CONTINUING EDUCATION

Across the country there is a movement toward mandatory continuing education for the re-certification of professionals. Minnesota has permissive legislation now, lowa has almost passed this into effect but it has failed by a slim margin and Wisconsin is in the process of implementation.

The AIA has a national continuing education committee and for the past several years mandatory continuing education has been a hot topic for the group. Carl Pirscher and Joe Fleshner of Detroit are on the committee and will report from time to time.

The MSA committee on continuing education under the chairmanship of Gene Terrill of Flint is researching the possibility of implementation of a CE program for the state through one of our State University facilities. The costs of development of this program would be considerable and the committment must be made in cash as well man hours. These continuing education

programs would be open to anyone interested and would be run by the university and the credits recorded by the university. A transcript would be available upon request.

The theory of the CE unit is recording I CEU for each 10 contact hours. 18 CEU in a period of three years would be required for re-certification and these units would be from a range of subjects not just one area of the profession. Reciprocity for the CEU and re-certification is a yet unidentified area.

Michigan has not had any legislation proposed for mandatory continuing education for the re-certification of professionals but it may come. The MSA will be prepared with a plan to serve the members in the event it becomes law.

Your comments are invited, please call Ann Stacy (313) 965-4100.

## MICHIGAN BELL ANNOUNCEMENT

Pay Telephone Installations: It is the policy of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company to install all pay telephones at the standard height of 54" to the coin slot from the floor level.

For your convenience, a telephone number is listed below for all required information regarding pay telephone enclosures, measurements, conduit, etc. For additional information contact: Public Communications, Michigan Bell Telephone Co., (313) 963-7500.

#### SOLAR ENERGY CONFERENCE

The first international solar/energy conference and exhibit will be held in Palm Springs, California, April 30-May 4.

This five-day event, the Helioscience Institute, is expected to bring together nearly 1,000 prominent energy scientists, educators and technologists from throughout the world as well as government officals involved in the development of energy policy and the application of alternate energy sources.

The original concept of the Helioscience Institute (SEDI), a non-profit foundation established by the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce was to promote the research, development and application of solar-related energy.

Jointly assisting SEDI with this project are: The Pollution Control Research Institute, the Southern California Solar Energy Association and Northrop Univ, which is serving as a coordinating sponsor.

The Helioscience Institute will include a three-day technical conference and a four-day public exhibit.

The conference will consist of a series of workshops, panel discussions and the presentation of significant technical papers, conducted by an international groups of energy experts.

The objective of the conference will be the production of a "White Paper" assessing the existing and near-term alternate energy technologies for use by federal, state and local governments in the formulation of a national energy policy.

A solar/energy exhibit will be held from April 30-May 2 and will feature special displays of products utilizing the latest solar, geothermal and wind energy technology.

Advance conference registration is \$60 per person and will be held at the Palm Springs Riviera Hotel. Admission is free to the exhibits located in the desert city's Pavilion.

For more information, write Helioscience Institute, %Northrop University, 1155 W. Arbor Vitae St., Inglewood, CA 90306, or call (213) 776-3410 or 641-3470.

#### 1977 BUILDING CONSTRUCTION COST DATA

"Building Construction Costa Data" is the Building Construction Industry's primary reference manual for unit prices. The new 1977 edition has been enlarged, and now this extremely useful handbook has over 18,000 prices. Call MSA Headquarters for your copy (313) 965-4100 - the price is \$24.95 plus tax and handling.

## CAN WE OVERCOME PAYMENT PROBLEMS?

Ask anyone in construction to talk about his most pressing problems and he is sure to bring up delays in receiving payment for work performed by his company. He will likely go on to tell you that it has been a nagging problem over the years and, in fact, has been growing more serious.

The problem involves all concerned in the building process -- owner, architect/eng-ineer, general contractor and subcontractor. Each party is affected and each has a point of view as to the causes and possible solutions.

The luncheon program on March 22 at the Engineering Society of Detroit will feature a panel discussion directed at taking this topic head-on. The panel will be composed of an owner, architect/engineer, general contractor and subcontractor. You will hear the problem defined and aired from each side along with positive thinking on solutions.

Panel members are: Eugene DiLaura, AIA (Past MSA President), Vice President, SH&G Associates, Keith Bennett, Resident Comptroller, General Motors Corp., E. "Joe" Forte, President, G. Forte Co., and Robert Spiegel, President, Palmer-Smith, Inc. with Panel Moderator Charles Merwin, President, Darin & Armstrong, Inc.

This March 22nd program will be held at the ESD and will begin at II:30 A.M. with cocktails. For tickets contact ESD: (313) 832-5400.

# COURT LIMITS MINNESOTA STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS

The Minnesota Supreme Court recently ruled that the state's statute of limitations does not cover the relationship between architects and owners, but only third party suits. In other words, owners may sue contractors and architects for an unlimited number of years as long as they initiate legal action six years from discovery of defect. The constitutionality of the statute was not addressed in the court's decision on the Caledonia Hospital case.

According to the Minnesota Society of Architects, most attorneys associated with the case have agreed that the decision of the Court has essentially negated one of the original purposes of the law. The possibility of a rehearing is being carefully re-studied by the legal counsel by those involved, but it is unlikely to take place. Other legal and legislative options will be carefully studied.

An amicus brief was filed in the Caledonia Hospital Case by fourteen construction industry organizations. The Minnesota Supreme Court based its decision on an earlier case rather than the issues presented in the amicus brief.

A copy of the Minnesota decision and additional background information on statutes of limitations for design professionals is available through Elizabeth Chalmers at the AIA Headquarters.

#### PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE

The AIA and the National Society of Professional Engineers jointly commend the national professional Hability Insurance program administered by the Victor O. Schinnerer Company of Washington, D. C., and Insured by the Continental Casualty Company of Chicago.

As part of their ongoing concern for the education of the architectural and engineering profession on liability insurance matters and loss prevention, the administrators of the program have sponsored a series of seminars in strategic locations around the country since 1958.

Seminars in the coming six months will be held in Houston on March 17, St. Louis on March 18, and Boston on May 6.

For more information on the seminars,

write Paul Genecki, Director of the Office for Professional Liability, V.O. Schinnerer & Co., Inc., 5028 Wisconsin Ave., N.W., Washington, D. C. 20016.

# SYMPOSIUM US - YEAR 2000

The Face of America: This Land in the Year 2000, a symposium on the Status of Land in the U.S. held at the University of Michigan May 16 - 18, 1977.

The schedule is as follows: Monday, May 16 at 8:00 P.M. William H. Whyte, author of "The Last Landscape" speaks on "Uses of Empty Urban Land" illustrated with motion pictures of New York City. This opening is free the public.

On Tuesday, May 17 the program will be presentation and discussion of papers on the status of land by Joseph L. Sax, Professor, UM Law School, Lynton K. Caldwell, Arthur F. Bentley, Prof. of Political Science and Prof. of Public & Environmental Affairs, Univ. of Indiana, William F. Reilly, President, Conservation Foundation and Fred P. Bosselman, author, "The Quiet Revolution in Land Use Control"

Wednesday, May 18 workshops on the relation of the status of land to: Food and the Farmer, Cities, Suburbs, Housing, The Courts, Land Ownership, Population Distribution, Public Policy and Public Agencies, Natural Assets, Public Lands, Forests, Coastal Zones, Wildlife, Wetlands, Fisherles, etc. and Plenary Session of Participants and Resource Personnel. Discussion of Reports and Recommendations.

General Information: Registration fees for the Symposium are anticipated to be \$60/person for the entire program, \$35/person for one day, and \$5/day for student registrations. Paid up members of CLURE may register for \$50/person for the entire program or \$25/person for one day. Meals and lodging will be additional. An information brochure and registration materials will be available in April - Contact UM Extension Service, Dept. of Conferences & Institutes, 412 Maynard St., Ann Arbor, MI 48109 (313) 764-5304 for additional information.

# AIA DOCUMENTS - CALL MSA

Architects currently performing services under a previous or existing edition of an Owner-Architect Agreement, such as AIA Document BI3I or BI4I, should amend those agreements to reflect changes in the construction administration responsibilities found in Article 2 of A20I - General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, 1976 Edition. AIA is publishing a new document BI42 - Amendment to the Owner-Architect Agreement, which will be available sometime this spring. The retail price of this document will be \$1.00 from National - thru the MSA \$.75. Until this document is

available, please contact Alan Stover, Director of AlA's Document Division, for this Information. Alan's phone number is (202) 785-7254.

#### DC COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN 1977

All divisions in the Detroit Chapter committee structure have chairmen for 1977 - if you are interested and not serving on any committees contact the chairman directly.

Division I: Urban Design - John Hilberry, AIA, 963-8074, Historic Resources -Gordon Bugbee, AIA, 644-0600, Don Riha, AIA, 649-2000, Professional Practice -Sandy Rossen, AIA, 352-2520, Public Education - Tom Wikle, AIA, 962-8300.

Division II: Employment Practice -W. James Pfaendtner, 964-3240, Public Relations - Daniel Redstone, AIA, 476-6620, Programs - Bob Wine, AIA, 961-2084, Membership - Dennis King, AIA, 643-8010, Honor Awards - Bruce Smith, FAIA, 398-1800, Fellowship - John Haro, FAIA.

Division III: Continuing Education Berry Merenoff, AIA, 354-0300, Construction Management Development - Colton
Weatherston, AIA, 474-6310, Housing Jack Brown, AIA, 646-8877, Health Environment - Ken Mitchell, AIA, 964-3000 and
Architects in Industry - Joe Veryser,
AIA, 424-0200.

#### PC CAROUSEL INVITES ARCHITECTS

The Michigan Chapter of Producers' Council has scheduled their annual construction industry products "CAROUSEL" for April 21, 1977, to be held at the Roma Hall, 27777 Schoolcraft Rd. in Livonia.

This program features the construction industry's latest products, designs, specification ideas, and systems. It is regarded as Producers' Councils' gala event of the year with a famous "Roma" buffet dinner, opportunitities to participate in "fun" games of chance, and door prizes.

Additional Information may be obtained by contacting Program Chairman Carl Follmer, Dow Chemical Company, at (313) 358-1300.

#### CONVENTION NEWS

You know the location and the dates now we need your help. Chairman Jim Hackenberger is gathering his committee. Volunteers are most welcome and the plans are underway. Remember this is the first convention in Detroit since 1972 - lets make it successful.

Call Jim to volunteer for one of the many tasks that face the leader of this

19	Detroit Chapter Board of Direct- ors Meeting	20	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting	
20 JULY	MSA Board Meeting	NOVEMBER 2-4	MSA 62nd Annual Convention Detroit Plaza Hotel, Renaissance Center	
Not Set	Detroit Rap Session	2	MSA Board of Directors Meeting	
5-7	National Interfaith Conference on Religion & Architecture Milwaukee, WI For Information		MSA Business Meeting	
	contact: Dorothy Adler, 1777	16	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting	
	Church St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036	17	MSA Board of Directors Meeting	
19	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting		Huron Valley Chapter Meeting	
20	MSA Board Meeting	DECEMBER		
21	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting	Not Set	Detroit Chapter Annual Awards Banquet	
AUGUST			Statewide R/UDAT	
4-6	MSA Mid-Summer Conference Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island	6	MSA Board of Directors Meeting	
4	MSA Board of Directors Meeting	14	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting	
5	MSA Business Meeting	15	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting	
5	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting			
SEPTEMBER 15	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting			
21	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting			
22	MSA Board Meeting	So	contact the Detroit Engineering collety for information - Program sponsored and held at ESD. (313) 32-5400	
28 - Oct. I	AlA National Board Meeting Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island			
0070050		PC* Pr	oducers' Council Meeting	
Not Set	Architects Week in Detroit Fall Celebration - Detroit Chapter, AIA	(Editor's Note: We would appreciate any additional listing you can supply for this calendar - Call Rae Dumke (313)		
18	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting	965-4100.		

1977 CALENDAR MARCH - DECEMBER			Ala Chapters with Producers'
MARCH			Council Dinner at the Bavarian
3&4	Health Facilities Seminar sponsored by Mich. Dept. of Public Health & MSA at the Park Place Motor Inn, Traverse		ESD* Breakfast: J.W. McLernon, President, Volkswagon
	City. Fee \$30/registrant	20	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting
4	Huron Valley Board Meeting	21	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting
10	Detroit Chapter Construction Management Development Committee Meeting at 4:00 P.M. held at LIT		Carousel at Roma Hall PC - see NL story.
15	AIA/MSA Continuing Education Financial Analysis of Real Estate Projects, Detroit Metro Airport	21-22	Detroit Board of Real Estate Appraisers & MSA Meeting, Detroit Plaza Hotel.
	Hotel - Call MSA or see your mailer from National AIA	25-29	ESD* Value Engineering Workshops
16	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting	27	ESD* Evening: Renaissance Tour
17	MSA Board of Directors Meeting	30-May 4	Solar Energy Conference - see NL Story
	Huron Valley Membership Meeting	MAY I-4	Solar Energy Conference
	Political Action Committee Meeting Lansing-II:00 A.M.	6-7	Historic Preservation/Michigan sponsored by the Michigan History
19	WAL Hayride Square Dance Couples Evening. Cost \$15.00/couple. Call Eve Gardner (313) 626-9620 or Mitzi Phillips 645-5029 for		Div and the Kent County Council for Hist. Preservation, The Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids For Information see NL
	Information.	6	ESD* Evening: Orchestra Hall
21	BOMA Industry Service Meeting at Michigan Inn. PC Meeting	10	ESD* Luncheon: SEMTA Today
22	ESD* Breakfast: C.T. Fisher	12	PC* Renaissance Industry Ser- vice Meeting at the Mackinac Rm. Detroit Plaza Hotel
	ESD* Luncheon Construction Payments Problems - Hear Gene DiLaura as a member of the panel.	17	PC* Election Meeting Oakland Hills CC
	Detroit Chapter Program - ESD John Grylls, ESQ., J.E., PE, Hon. Detroit Chapter AIA "Litigation, Arbitration and Other Adventures" 5:30 P.M 7:30 P.M. See Inside	16-18	A Symposium on the Status of Land in the U.S., held at U of M, Ann Arbor. See NL for story.
		18	Detroit Chapter Board Meeting
	NL for details.	19	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting
29	ESD* Motivation & Discipline Seminar	19-20	ESD* Labor Relations Seminar
30	ESD* Job of Supervision Seminar	20	MSA Board of Directors Meeting Northern Michigan Chapter
31	ESD* Communicating Through Ob- jectives Seminar	Not Set	New Registrants Reception Detroit Chapter
APRIL Not Set	PDA Workshop/U of D/Topic: Legal Responsibilities	JUNE Not Set	Western Michigan R/UDAT
12	ESD* Breakfast: Leonard Wood-	3	ESD* Evening: Annual Meeting
	cock, President, UAW	16	Huron Valley Chapter Meeting
14-15	AIA/MSA Continuing Education	19-24	American Consulting Engineers
16-17	LIT Openhouse  MSA Board of Directors Meeting		Council & AIA are sponsoring a Value Engineering Workshop in Dearborn, MI. For additional information contact Sandy Pearson of ACEC (202) 296-1780.
12	Frankenmuth - Joint Meeting in the evening with Saginaw & Flint		

3-day professional meeting. His phone number is (313) 873-2310 and his address is 3011 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit, MI 48202.

There will be a strong emphasis on the professional program with special attention given to the architect in training.

#### NEW FIRM NAME

G.E. Diekema and Associates has changed its name to Diekema/Hamann/Architects, Inc., and are still located at 4615 West Main St., Kalamazoo, MI 49007, telephone number (616) 343-4641. Gerald E. Diekema is president and Norman L. Hamann is vice president. Arno Yurk, a graduate architect of the Univ. of Idaho has joined the design staff.

#### WAL COOKBOOK

The Women's Architectural League (of Detroit) has a new Cookbook - Volume II Just call or write MSA Headquarters for your copy - the charge is only \$3.00.

## MEMBERSHIP

Welcome New MSA Members - Detroit Chapter: John Castellana, AIA of TMP, Kenneth Ellers, AIA of Jahr Associates, Myron Serbay, AIA of Ford and new Assoclate member Joseph Philips.

Saginaw Valley's new corporate member is David Teerman, AIA of Dow Associates.

Recent transfers are: George Moutsatson from Mid-Michigan to Northern Michigan (not to recent since they elected him treasurer for 1977) and Ralph Bergsma, from Huron Valley to Northern Michigan.

Bob Chapman has moved from Detroit to the Northern California Chapter and is located at Stone, Marraccini & Patterson, 455 Beach St., San Francisco 94133.

#### GRAPEVINE

Ross Pursifull, AlA of Daverman Assoc. has returned from his second trip to Saudi Arabia where he conducted a series of workshops and seminars for the Arabian American Oil Company facilities on the Arabian Gulf...Jim Gallagher and Tom Holleman of SH&G are hosting a tour of their art collection for the Docents of the 'Art in the Schools' program of the Founders Society of the Detroit Institute of Arts...Ronald F. Nino, professional community planner, has become an associate member of Tomblinson, Harburn, Yurk Associates, Filnt...Philip Meathe, FAIA president of SH&G has been named President of the Detroit CBDA...The Detroit Chapter is celebrating the 90th anniversary of its founding this year...R.S. Rokicki, AlA of the Detroit Chapter has

requested transfer to the Mid-Florida Chapter in Orlando...Jim Hackenberger, AlA is the Chairman of the 1977 MSA Convention to be held in Detroit at the Plaza, November 2-4, 1977...National
Board of Directors of the AIA will meet
at the Grand Hotel in September at the invitation of Bill Jarratt, FAIA, our regional director...Lou Goldsteins phone number is 494-1776...<u>Gary Van Neck</u>, AIA is serving on the National AIA Office Practice Committee... Winebrenner & Ebejer Architects, Inc. of Farmington Hills announces that Peter J. Albertson, R.A. (applying for Corporate membership in the Detroit Chapter) has joined their firm as Associate in charge of Project Development. Also, Carol A. Fortin has assumed the position of Chief Comptroller...WAL is 25 years old...Bob D'Alessandro, AIA of TMP has accepted the vice chairmanship of the Mid-Summer Conference under the direction of chairman Eugene Terrill, AIA. ...CIC Guldelines available and you can obtain them by contacting the CIC office at 25180 Lahser Rd., Southfield, MI. 48075 or call (313) 355-3500 and ask for Peter Marana... CIC of S.E. Michigan also announced that Tom Young of Harley Ellington Pierce Yee Associates was elected Chairman and Peter Marana of S.E. Michigan Chapter, NECA, elected as Secretary/Treasurer of CIC.

#### OBITUARY

S.A. Nurmi, AIA, an Emeritus member of the Flint Chapter passed away on February 7, 1977 at his home in Ft. Lauderdale. Mr. Nurmi was a member of AIA since 1946.

Paul Tilds, AIA died February 12, he was a resident of the Detroit area for 55 years. He formerly operated the architectural firm of Paul Tilds & Associates in Ferndale. He was a member of the Detroit Chapter since 1944.

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# ADDRESS CHANGE

The architectural-engineering firm of Ellis/Naeyaert Associates have moved to 3270 West Big Beaver Rd., Troy, MI. 48084 and their new telephone number is (313) 649-2000.

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