

\$300,000 PROJECT

New Recreation Area Mid-West Ski Center



THE ALPINE LODGE AT TAMARACK MOUNTAIN COUNTRY CLUB, north of Angola, Indiana, will be the focal point for club activities. Lester A. Trier, structural engineer and architect of Elkhart is the designer of the club house. Through the huge picture wall which forms the front of the building, members and guests are afforded a wide-range view of the ski slopes and surrounding area. Opening date for the \$300,000 project is set for December.

A \$300,000 recreation project, Tamarack Mountain Country Club, is under development north of Angola by a group of area business men and sportsmen, headed by Chuck Priest Jr., as president. Sponsors include Fred Marolf, of the County Line Cheese Company, Leo, Lowell Roesner, president of Overmyer Mold Inc., of Winchester; C. W. Newell, Kokomo attorney; Elmer Thye, President of the Peoples Dairy, Fort Wayne and Sunrise Dairy, Angola; R. W. Jarrard, Angola business man, and Robert Trier, president of Mechanical Contractors, Fort Wayne, among others.

The project manager is Jim Leathers, who has wide experience in the development of similar recreational facilities throughout the midwest. Mr. Leathers came to Tamarack Mountain from Kansas City, where he was associated in country club development and operation.

"The first and only such club of its kind in Indiana, or in the surrounding tri-state area of southern Michigan and northern Ohio, Tamarack Mountain Country Club's private facilities for recreation and sports offer fun for the entire family," stated Chuck Priest, president, in discussing membership plans.

Just off U.S. 27, three and a half miles north and a half mile east of Angola, the club's setting in the hills of northeastern Indiana, is but two miles south of the Angola Interchange of the Indiana Toll Road.

From the top of Tamarack Mountain, one can see the countryside for miles around... the toll road interchange, Indiana, Michigan, and the edge of Ohio are all within viewing range. More than 90,000 cubic feet of Indiana earth has been moved from the wooded area of the club to add an additional 75 feet to the height of the topmost hill on the club site, to make this the highest point in Indiana.

Tamarack Mountain is among the few major ski resorts in the midwest with an assured supply of snow. This is possible through the use of snow-making machines. Amazingly, man-made snow is better than real snow because it is more dense, packs more tightly, lasts longer, and stands up under heavy use, according to the experts. An artificial lake has been created to provide water for the snow machines.

The slopes are designed to provide fun for the family and for all types of skiers. There are some steep, speedy runs for experts, and there are gentle, easy slopes for beginners and novices. Professional ski instruction will be available through private lessons or in class sessions to be held daily. Another of Tamarack Mountain Country Club "firsts in Indiana" is a double chair lift, in addition to a Poma lift.

Tamarack Mountain Country Club is in the center of the tri-state resort and recreation area, with a population of more than two million people. The club is within easy driving distance of Toledo, South Bend, Elkhart and Fort Wayne, with Detroit, Dayton, Muncie, Chicago, Anderson, (Continued on page 5)

POLICE CHIEF REPORTS

All Pupils And Motorists Must Preserve School Safety

With summer vacation ended and the beginning of the school year at hand, all motorists are asked to be alert and use extra caution in driving, urges Angola Chief of Police, Gerald C. Lett. Special caution is needed in the areas of schools and playgrounds, due to the number of children who will be walking to and from such areas. Since most of the children who are injured or killed going to and from school are innocent victims of traffic accidents, this puts the responsibility squarely on the shoulders of the driving public, reports Lett. Motorists are required to stop when the adult patrol is in the street displaying the stop sign, and are also required to stop and yield to children in the street in a crosswalk in the absence of any adult patrol.

The police department requests that parents accompany those children who must walk to school on the first day of classes, pointing out to the students the safest route to the school. Parents also

should discuss with the children any potential dangers they may encounter. Youngsters should understand that they are not to accept rides or favors from strangers, and that they are more likely to be approached by strangers if they straggle from the other groups of children and are alone, even on days of inclement weather.

Patrol Crossings
There will be four crossings that will be protected by adult patrols on school days during the school year. Angola authorities report that these locations are on North Williams Street in front of the Carlin Park School, on North Wayne Street at the Mill Street intersection, on South Wayne Street at the Felicity Street intersection. Children crossing East Maumee Street are asked to cross at the public square. The adult patrols will be on duty from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., from 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., from 12:00 noon to 12:30 p.m. and from 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Students With Cars
Angola high school students who drive to school are asked to park their vehicles in the school parking lot, according to Chief of Police Lett. All are asked to observe the normal traffic courtesies when entering and leaving the parking lot and while driving on the city streets. Unsafe driving practices will be reported to the school officials for appropriate action. Flagrant violations, said Lett, will result in court citations.

During the noon lunch hour break of the schools there will be a uniformed officer on duty on the public square to assist in pedestrian safety, while an additional officer will conduct an area vehicular patrol, informed Lett. During the morning movement of

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