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SUBURBS

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Moling Asks Purchase Of Whitehall Tract for Park

Whitehall Mayor Walter B. Moling moved Friday to revive his long-stalled proposal for a community park.

Moling instructed Solicitor James Maxwell Jr. to prepare legislation for Tuesday night council consideration which would authorize purchase of a 15-acre park site.

THE MAYOR proposes to purchase the tract lying just east of Rosemore School, east of Hamilton Rd. and north of E. Main St.

The land is owned by two persons and contains sufficient area for a number of baseball diamonds, picnic areas, tennis and horseshoe courts.

The mayor said he believes the site can be acquired and recreational facilities installed for "no more than \$100,000."

The area is accessible through Langley Ave. and through the school grounds, Moling added.

THE TRACT LIES some distance south of a 25-acre site first proposed for the park by the mayor last May. Property owners in the area had objected to the original site.

Council Democrats stalled action on the park proposal during ensuing months, arguing for a system of small parks scattered throughout the community.

Whitehall's master plan, sponsored originally by council Democrats, recommends a total of \$616,000 be spent on the development of

ing, followed by entertainment and a business meeting at 11 a.m. A complementary luncheon will be served at noon in Barlow Hall.

An afternoon highlight will be a showing of Otterbein's professionally produced "From the Tower," a movie dealing with Otterbein campus life.

OPEN HOUSE will be held on campus from 3:30 p.m. until 5 p.m.

"Parents of the Day" will be chosen at half-time ceremonies during the Otterbein-Oberlin football game at Memorial Field Saturday evening.

DUBLIN

Two Will Serve At Church Sale

Two Dublin men, Clark Coffman and Adam Hirth, will be acting for the 32nd time Saturday as clerks of the annual Dublin Community Church sale.

Coffman and Hirth have been clerks since the sale was instituted in 1930. Dublin Mayor Lewis Geese said Friday that the sale, sponsored by the Men's Goodwill group, is thought to have been among the first such in the country.

A chicken supper will be served from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. with the auction starting at 7 p.m.

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Registration and a coffee hour will start the day at 10 a.m. in the Association Build-

The statement said, in part: "One cannot separate Sunday as a day of rest from a day of worship. It is both . . . we need all the external supports we can find to add to our feeble strength . . . our civilization cannot be rebuilt unless institutional religion is revived and loyally

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