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1959 - 1960 FINANCIAL REPORT

MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP

M. H. WOLFE, Treasurer

Table with columns for account name, date, and amount. Includes Balancé Union Savings Bank, Manchester Township Fund, Fire Dept. Fund, Liquor Control Commission, Contingent Fund, Checks outstanding, Fire Dept. - Petty Cash Fund.

TOWNSHIP FUND

Table with columns for Receipts, date, and amount. Includes Balance 4/1/59, Delinquent Tax, Interest, Sales Tax Diversion, Intangible Tax, Zoning Permits, Trailer Permits, 1959 Twp. Tax Collected, Excess Roll, Penalties.

Total Receipts 14113.41

Table with columns for Disbursements, amount, and balance. Includes Library Expense, Cemetery Expense, Flags & Wreaths - Soldiers Graves, Election & Tax Expense, Supervisors & Twp. Dues, Board of Review, County Road Commission, Township Officers Salaries, Zoning Board Expense, Delinquent Tax - Special Education, Treasurers Bond, Miscellaneous Expense, Fund Transferred, Social Security, Fire Department, Contingent Fund.

Balance 2527.32

MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The fourth marking period honor roll at Manchester High School was led by the seniors with twenty-three students. The freshman class came second with thirteen students on the list; sophomores third with nine students; and the juniors last with eight.

- SENIORS: Christie Allan, Sandra Beckington, Martha Boutell, Carol Braun, A. J. Breitenwischer, Robert Cummings, Gary Hamilton, Sue Hassett, Hugh Higgins, Terry Huber, JoAnn Koernke, Lois Kuebler, Marianne Leddy, Martha Leeman, Paul Menzel, Linda Palacky, Mary Ann Paul, Francine Purfield, Paul Reinhart, April Smith, Janice Steinaway, Susan Timmerman, Jo Valencich.

- FRESHMAN: Larry Alber, Mary Beth Burch, Doris Kemner, Judy Kuebler, Janet Larson, Bruce Oates, Robert Paul, Louise Pippenger, Marianna Raymond, Shirley Samonick, Jacque Swank, Betty Tase, Janet Walter.

- SOPHOMORES: Lee Below, Margaret Bihlmeyer.

- JUNIORS: Jerry Creech, Judy Hazen, Gretchen Kirk, Jim Knight, Sandra Kay Trolz, Diane Walkow, Judy Walter, Milton Weidmayer.

SPEECH CONTEST

M.H.S. Debate Club members have been practicing for the District Forensics Tournament, which will be held at Saline High School next week. Students from Manchester, Dexter, Saline, Ann Arbor, St. Thomas, and Ypsilanti. Roosevelt will compete in the following four speech activities: declamation, original oratory, humorous reading and interpretive reading. Students who will represent Manchester in the contest include Linda Jacob, Bonnie Bentschneider, Ann Walton, Barbara Kappler, Paul Menzel and Mary Ann Paul.

By: Delores Cox.



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CENSUS UNDERWAY

There are 173 enumerators in Washtenaw County working on their regular door-to-door count of the area residents. Mrs. Fred Fielder is the reviewer for the Manchester area. Working on the house-to-house campaign in the Village are Mrs. Willard Baker and Mrs. Alice Maurer. Mrs. Rolland Grossman has Manchester Township. Mrs. Jack Barkley has Sharon Township and Mrs. Jean Crawford has Bridgewater. Mrs. Virgil Hines of Loeffler Road, Chelsea has Freedom Township. Mrs. Fred Fielder assists Mrs. Ethel Spike in the entire area. A census taker may be identified by a red, white and blue identification card on the lapel of his or her coat or suit. The card bears the official seal of the U.S. Dept. of Commerce and has the words "Census Enumerator" and "Official Credential" across its face. John R. Thomson, Jr. District Supervisor for the 1960 census is urging area residents to return "sample" questionnaires; those printed on blue paper; to fill out the forms and mail them promptly to the district office at 109 Francis St., Jackson, Mich. The success of the census depends upon the co-operation of local residents in filling out these forms and mailing them promptly, Thomson said. He pointed out that all information furnished to the Census Bureau is kept in strict confidence under federal law and cannot be used for taxation, regulation or investigation.

COUNCIL MEETS

Manchester, Mich. April 4, 1960. Council met in regular session. Called to order by President Bentschneider. Trustees present: Clark Pippenger, McGuire, Galloway, Gage and Wurster. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The following claims were presented, received and ordered paid out of the proper funds, Carried. General Fund: Carl M. Schaible, Inc. \$ 20.06, Tibb Chev. Co. 2.25, A & L Bat. & Eit. Serv. 26.50, Mich. Bell Tel. Co. 57.16, Sutton Agency Inc. 24.00, Consumers Power Co. 435.85. Highway Fund: Grossman-Huber Serv. 69.82, R.C. Davider 26.73, Water & Sewer Fund: R.C. Davider 8.85, Consumers Pwr. Co. 291.46, Treatment Plant Fund: Mich. Bell Tel. Co. 10.43, Electric Maint. and Repair Co. 24.00.

HIGHWAY PROJECTS SCHEDULED

There are about 60 projects scheduled for the new five-year primary road construction program announced by the County Road Commission. Included in the list are the following townships together with their cost and tentative completion dates: Manchester Township - Sharon Hollow Road, 3.75 miles from Herman Road to US-112 sub-base, base, prime and double seal, \$85,000 by 1965. Bridgewater Township - Par-Road, .25 of a mile, from Freedom Township lines to Austin Road, sub-base, base prime and double seal, \$8,300 by 1963; Kaiser and Burmeister Roads, 2.60 miles from Austin to McCollum Rds. sub-base, base, prime and double seal, \$60,000, 1964. McCollum Road, 3.01 miles from Burmeister Road to US-112, sub-base, base, prime and double seal, \$75,000, 1965. Freedom Township - Parker Road, 1.53 miles, from Scio-Church Road to Pleasant Lake Road, complete base, prime and double seal, \$35,000 by 1961. Scio-Church, one mile from Parker Road to Lima Township line, sub-base, base, prime and double seal, \$21,000, 1963; Parker Road 1.75 miles from Pleasant Lake Road to Bridgewater Township line, sub-base, base, prime and double seal, \$58,500, by 1963; Fletcher Road, 3.18 miles from Pleasant Lake Road to Lima Township line, gravel surface sub-base, base construction, \$70,000, by 1965. Sharon Township - Grass Lake Road, 2.86 miles from M-92 to Sharon Hollow Road, sub-base, base, prime and double seal, \$65,000, by 1963.



Thirty-two children were confirmed Sunday at St. Mary's by Archbishop John F. Dearden, D.D. The children had been instructed by the Dominican Sisters at Chelsea.

COUNTY ROAD PLAN

A \$2,350,000 five-year county road construction program for Washtenaw county's primary roads has been announced by Howard G. Minier, road superintendent. Mr. Minier said this will include 90 miles of paved roads added to the present road system in the county. The commission just completed an eight-year program. The aim of the program will be to pave all of the county's primary roads and maintain local roads. The county will have 350 miles of paved primary road when the system is completed. This compares with 269 miles now and 111 miles of paved roads in 1952 when the first county road improvement plan began. Raymond Koch, chairman of the county road commission said the five-year plan, however, will meet only one-third of the Washtenaw county's over-all highway deficiencies.

CONFIRMATION AT ST. MARY'S

Confirmation was held Sunday at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Manchester with Archbishop John F. Dearden officiating. The children have been given their instructions by the Dominican Sisters at Chelsea. Parents entertained the following: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Braun and Mrs. Marvin Meyer entertained at a family dinner at the Braun home for Donna Braun and Raymond Meyer. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Benedict and Wanita Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Benedict and family, Mrs. Edna Kline, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Burkhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Smith and Miss Joan Hieber. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Dettling entertained at dinner Sunday after confirmation of their daughter Gloria. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dettling and son Dick of Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Roger MacGonagle and family of Plymouth, also Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dettling.

CENTENNIAL FARM

A tract of land in the Township of Sharon, County of Washtenaw, has been designated a "Centennial Farm" by the Michigan Historical Commission. This newly designated Centennial Farm is owned operated by Mahlon A. Smith, 17123 Pleasant Lake Road, Manchester, Michigan, and has been in the family since 1851; having been purchased in that year by Hallett Smith, Great Grandfather of the present owner, John Falconer & wife.

FAREWELL PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Esch entertained Sunday, for their daughter, Mrs. Richard Paul. She plans to leave Saturday, April 9th, to join her husband, Pvt. Richard Paul, who is stationed in Gelnhausen, Germany. She will leave Metropolitan Airport, Detroit. There were 46 present at a pot-luck dinner. Guests were from Toledo and Sylvania, Ohio, Detroit, Napoleon, Brooklyn, Adrian, Blissfield, Jackson, and Manchester. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Al Miller of Leaville, Colorado, who came on a surprise visit to see their niece before she leaves for Germany.

LIBRARY

National Library Week coincides with the first week of the new fiscal year for the Manchester Township Library. Being a township library, board members were elected at the annual township meeting, Saturday, April 2nd. For three-year terms, Nellie Ackerson and William Furgason were elected. George Johnston and Ray Tibb were selected to fill the two one-year vacancies. Mrs. Ray Kerr and F.W. Schiller were the retiring board members who have served the local library well for the past eight and fifteen years. At the library board meeting Monday night, officers were chosen by the group. President; Mrs. Franklin M. Reck; vice-president, William Furgason; Secretary, Mrs. James C. Hendley, and treasurer, George Johnston. Chairman of the three standing committees are Miss Ackerson for books; Mr. Furgason for building and maintenance and Mr. Johnston for public relations. The local library board meets the first Monday of each month at the Library at 8:00. Mrs. Della Gage of Adrian came Friday and spent the week end with her daughter and family, the Lambert Esches.

EASTER EGG HUNT



Manchester will stage its first Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 16, at 3 p.m. The affair is being planned by the local Jaycees under the direction of Willard Baker. Some 1,000 eggs will be hid out on Carr Park for the pleasure of the children. Each of the Jaycees are preparing about five dozen. Children up to and including the fifth grade are welcome with the participants divided into two groups, kindergarten and pre-school and the first grade through the fifth. The Jaycees promise to make this an interesting affair with various prizes being given.

Miss Sophie Mikelusky of Detroit was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Eckles at dinner following the confirmation of their daughter, Francis. She was a week end guest of the Eckles family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fielder following the confirmation of their son, Richard, at a buffet supper were Mr. and Mrs. Don Ross and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fielder.

Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Scheid entertained at a buffet supper following the confirmation of their daughter, Kathleen. Guests were Mrs. James McNulty and son Patrick of Adrian, Loretta Scheid, Mrs. Philip Kern and Ralph Scheid.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grothe entertained Sunday following confirmation of their children, Constance, Mary, Paul and William. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Paul and Mary Ann and Robert.

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