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What a beautiful day for the opening of the Michigan deer season. With an accumulation of an inch or so of snow Saturday it gave the hunters enough snow for tracking and the air was crisp with a bit of sunshine. Ideal! Many hunters were in and around Manchester for the opening day and we talked to a few who were successful. Jack Raiffel bagged a beauty, 10 points and field dressed at 214 pounds. A whopper. Roger Kessler brought down a 8 point and Ven. Everdale a 4 point. Monday morning Clare Arnold brought down a fine 8 point white tail. Hunters reported seeing many deer, but were not close enough for a shot. We understand some of the fellows who made the trip North, came back without even seeing a deer.

On Nov. 25 trapping season opens in Zone 3, which includes this area, for muskrat, mink and raccoon. The season runs through January 31, 1971. On the first day of the season, you may begin to set or stake your traps at 8 a.m. No trap other than a steel trap may be used for

trapping wild animals. Traps in use on or in your possession whenever you are afield must have a metal tag attached with your name and address. Within 5 days after the close of a trapping season, the kind and number of traps you have must be reported to a conservation officer at an office of the Department of Natural Resources. After making this report, you may, under permit, use the traps for recreational purposes rather than the great business it used to be years ago. Rabbit season opened on Oct. 20 and continues until March 1. Usually hunters prefer some snow on the ground before going after the cottontail. By using a 22 rifle rather than a shot gun you can make more of a sport out of rabbit hunting. A bounding hare or bounding cottontail is a tricky target to nail with a single bit of lead, and can survive several fusillades of frantic rifle fire. It is a skill of experience and practice to hit a springing rabbit with an open-sighted 22. The trick is to delay the shot until the rifle is tracking the target and to follow through after the shot just as you would if you should with a shotgun. Before too long rabbits will start to tumble ears over powderpuff

without benefit of aiming or taking a sight picture. We will include more about rabbit hunting in future articles. Deer hunters, remember to tag your deer after you have brought it down and are sure it is dead. One hunter reported he lost his deer to the Conservation Officer because he had failed to comply with the rule. Next weekend will be another heavy hunting weekend, be sure of what you are shooting at before you pull that trigger. There are many, many hunters in the woods and this is not a season on men. Tell them you read it in Woods and Water.

BOWLING

Manchester Women 11-10-70
Team Won Lost Pts
Rovestras 41.5 21.5 0
Manchester Bakery 39 24 2
Black Sheep 38 25 7
Carol's Out Curl 34.5 28.5 3
Dunradias 31.5 31.5 5
Lanholm's Var. 26 35 4
Village Tap 26 35 2
Goussberry 26.5 36.5 5
Krauss 25 38 6
Grossman-Huber 23 40 2
High Games: Evie Seegert 209, Joyce Schaffer 192, Rosemary Pierce 191, Ethel Weir 184
High Series: Joyce Schaffer 507, Phyllis Rymer 474, Barbara Parker 469, Sandy McClure 468

American Legion Mixed Nov. 7
Team Won Lost
Jose & Wurster 13 7
Walter & Gaige 12.5 7.5
Weir & Alber 12.5 7.5
Steele & Sutton 11 9
Whittington & Miller 11 9
Gettle & Gonyer 10 10
Schmidt & Bailey 9 11
Steele & Steele 8 12
Waltz & Schaible 8 12
Kuebler & Steele 7 13

High Series Team: Walter & Gaige 2341, Whittington & Miller 2265, Alber & Weir 2262
High Series Men: Simon Steele 508, Fritz Wurster 506, Jim Miller 485
High Series Women: Judy Miller 499, Evie Seegert 484, Cindy Wurster 448
High Game Teams: Walter & Gaige 836, Alber & Weir 786, Whittington & Miller 779
High Game Men: Jim Miller 185, Jack Weir 183, Simon Steele 180, Don Witter 180
High Game Women: Evie Seegert 185, Cindy Wurster 181, Judy Miller 179

Manchester Town Club 11-16-70
Team Won Lost
Tool & Die 48 22
D. E. Limpert 47 23
S & W Builders 45 25
Tom Marshall 39 31
Village Tap 38 32
Dorothy Mae's 33 37
Grossman-Huber 33 37
Union Sav. Bk. 24 46
Al's Plumbing 23 47
Laundromat 20 50
Individual High Series: Loretta Widmayer 552, T. V. Ludwick 540, JoAnn Clark 526
Individual High Game: Barbara Knapp 233, T. V. Ludwick 223, Shirley Carpenter 207, Jan Whittington 207, JoAnn Clark 207
High Team Game: Village Tap 848, S & W Builders 805
High Team Series: Village Tap 2340, Union Savings Bank 2251
200 Bowlers: T. V. Ludwick 223, JoAnn Clark 207

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TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR RETIRES AFTER 20 YEARS

by Carolyn Ahrens
Clayton Parr, Manchester Township Supervisor, recently retired from public office after 20 years of service to the community. A position Parr held since 1950 when he was appointed to fill a vacancy left by Charlie Waltz, Parr was subsequently elected the following April, 1951 and the years to follow at every second-year election. "But now I'm ready to just enjoy myself," he said. Prior to his supervisor's post, Parr was a Justice of the Peace in the area for over 10 years.

Township Supervisor, a job that brought "something interesting" and a continuous responsibility at all hours of the day, Parr pointed out that until last year, the Township Supervisors were a vital part of the Washtenaw County governmental body. Commissioners are now elected to make up the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners, thus the Township Supervisors are concerned only with their 36-square mile township problems, he explained with this recent change the biggest change in the post retirement. "I really enjoyed working on the County Board though," he added, "because we were directly involved in our county government. We felt a small part of our county achievements." He added that during his years on the County Board, the new county building, jail and juvenile home were only a few of the assets to the county that he helped in some way to achieve. "We only did a small part but still the Township Supervisors were a part of that achievement."

Current duties of the Township Supervisors are to assess property values for taxation purposes, act as Chairman of the Township Board, follow up building permits, which he stressed are issued at the County Building and which are important in determining the state of that dwelling for the yearly tax purposes, and "generally handle a hundred-and-one problems" that arise throughout the township. A resident might call as to how to find out about drainage for a possible building site, a dog has mauled a flock of sheep or working with the village council on any number of projects, he pointed out. "We get a little bit of everything whether we can handle the problem or suggest the right individual to call."

Tax assessment is the major responsibility however. A state manual plus the building permits are major guidelines for tax evaluation, he explained. One topic arose involving home improvement and Parr explained that painting or putting a new roof on a home does not increase the tax. The State does specify however, that a building addition or "change of cover" such as aluminum siding on a previously wood-sided home for instance, would increase the property tax. Property assessment is taken between January 1 and March 1 and as Mr. Parr pointed out, the condition of a new home for example, is taken in that time regardless of whether or not it is scheduled for completion within that same year. If the house is 40% complete by March 1, that is how the tax is based for that particular year. When it's completed the tax is re-evaluated.

MOONLIGHT SALE

It's almost here... Moonlight Madness... with an array of nightwear being worn by each merchant. Friday, Nov. 27 is the date. There will be in-store prizes offered by some merchants, a "mystery shopper" with gifts to shoppers at random, low-priced merchandise with each store offering stocks of new goods ordered especially for this sale. Stores will close at 8:00 p.m. and re-open at 8:00 and remain open until 11:00 p.m.

He went on to explain that before the recent changes the village prepared their own tax evaluation but now the village and township roll must be exact duplicates so the full responsibility of the tax roll is now a part of the Township Supervisor's job. He continued to say that the village council and township board have always worked harmoniously and have achieved many assets for the community. Parr compared the first tax roll he prepared and the 1970 roll. In 1951 the equalized value of Manchester Township was \$3,013,880 to the 1970 figure of \$12,183,150. The total tax levy in 1951 was \$64,443.06 to \$454,893.50 in 1970.

There are 20 townships in the county and out of the 20 supervisors, six will retire and three were defeated at the polls. This great a change-over is somewhat unusual Parr said, thus these supervisors and their wives were honored at a dinner at Leutheuser's Restaurant, in Saline recently. In addition to Mr. Parr's retirement, Malcolm Billings, a township board trustee for 18 years, will also be leaving a post he said he's held "long enough." "I've enjoyed working on the board and with the other members. But I guess 18 years is long enough for anyone," Mr. Billings said. He too was originally appointed to fill a vacancy in 1952. Billings was defeated at the polls by Lyle Widmayer who resumed the duties of trustee at noon on Friday, November 20.

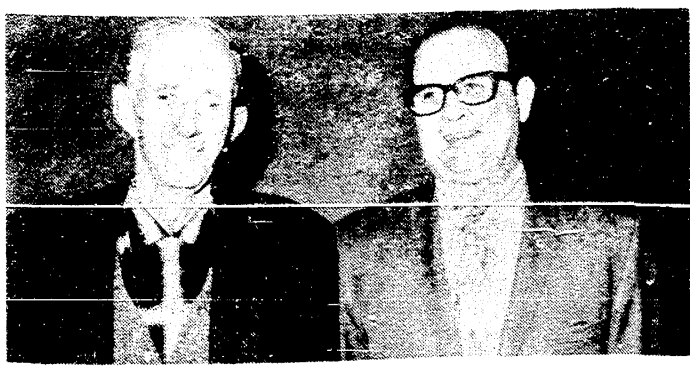
Clarence Fielder was recently elected as Township Supervisor and also began his official position last Friday. Mr. Fielder, well-known in the community, is affiliated with Manchester Tool & Die and Manchester Stamping, a member of the Optimist Club, St. Mary's and the K of C, has served over eight years on the Board of Education and until his recent resignation due to his supervisor's position was treasurer of the Board, was previously on the Review Board of Manchester Township and is active in many community projects. Lyle Widmayer, General Manager of Tom Marshall, Inc., is assistant chief of the Manchester Township Fire Department, charter member of the Manchester Jaycees and Optimist Club, member of the American Legion, Sportsman Club and Emanuel United Church of Christ. He also served as Village Clerk for six years. Mr. Fielder and Mr. Widmayer will undoubtedly see many changes in the town-



Seventy-five years ago, 29 young people graduated from the Evangelical and Reformed Church 1895 confirmation class. Mrs. Yetta Maurer and Mrs. Emma Dresselhouse are mainly responsible for identifying those in the picture with only a list of names to go by and all but three of the young men were identified. The picture was found in the home of the Leonard Ahrens and it was discovered, contained the picture of his grandmother, Mrs. Anna Kuhl Steinigeweg. Top Row: (unidentified young man), Ida Anna Ahrens Radke, Rev. Schoettle, his daughter Julia Schoettle, Friederika Dorothas Miller Kobb, Wilhelm Heinrich Kleinschmidt, Minna Grossman, Emanuel Braun, Emma Grossman Dresselhouse, Edward Friedrich Miller. 2nd Row: Jakob Schaible, Mathilda Eifring, Anna Lydia Lindbergs Huber, Johann Wiedmann, Clara Wuerthner Stukey. 3rd Row: Bertha Schaible, Maria Magdalena Haschely, (unidentified young man), Anna Sabrina Engel, Anna Kuhl Steinigeweg, Christian Friedrich Glatz, Pauline Wilhelmina Huber, Otto Emanuel Bauer. 4th Row: (unidentified young man), Rosina Schaefer, August Lambert Uphaus, Emma Lydia Landwehr, Friedrich Tolle, Clara Wollpert Lutz, Ludwig Samuel Grossman, George Friedrich Stockinger. Johann Heinrich Altenbernt, Friedrich Kleinschmidt and Johannes Altenbernt were unidentified in the picture.

WORK CREWS BEING ORGANIZED TO ASSIST WALKOWE FAMILY

Manchester has seen much tragedy over the past few years and recently a fairly young man in the area suffered a heart attack, leaving a widow and five small children. Joseph Walkowe had many friends and because he was in the process of building a larger home for his family, these friends have decided that once again Manchester can and will prove that in times of need we can help our neighbor. Mr. Walkowe, a Manchester High graduate, "was not much of a softball player but one heck of a good basketball player," a high school friend recalls, "and he even got there during a good snowstorm once when the rest of us had given up." It's these same friends who are now determined to help his family. Ted Roberts is organizing work crews to complete the Walkowe home, hopefully and against all odds, by Christmas. Donations to help and perhaps lend a helping hand to Santa, will be appreciated and a Joseph Walkowe Fund has been set up at the bank. Workers, whether you can pound a nail or carry a board, are needed. Ted Roberts may be contacted for a work schedule. Several area businessmen have already started the Christmas deadline by either donating their labor and/or selling materials at cost. If you can help in any way, call Ted and volunteer your help. Call Ted at 428-8502 or call 428-8140 or 428-8344.



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WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE & WHY

HARVEST TIME THANKSGIVING TIME - A TIME OF AWE AND GRATITUDE

We in America have an abundance of people who always know what is right and wrong with us, what we should or shouldn't do and will be glad each day to tell us why and how we do everything. We have, for the interested seeker of the American soul - an interesting clue in the form of a Holiday. A Holiday like no other in the world, not religious, not a state or political holiday, but a modernized version of some pagan rite: but a people's holiday.

The year 1631 was a black year in the Massachusetts Bay Colony. Few people and unending forests stretching away. Little food, children were hungry, men and women thin. Turning on their leader, they complained for his having led them to this dark and hopeless place. A stern man who lived by the Book, decreed a day of fasting.

"Ye think ye know hunger, Ye have escaped oppression and brutality, and this is God's land where Jehovah sees us, and yet ye whimper of hunger."

He decreed a day of fasting. But before that day, a ship loaded with provisions sailed into Massachusetts Bay. Food in plenty - the leader relented, the people set down to rough hewn board tables to feast and give thanks.

Thirteen years later, two hundred miles north, a Dutch settlement of people who spoke another tongue and did not know of the earlier celebration; frightened by

Indians, these ordinary people took their matchlocks and fought for their settlement. New Amsterdam was the name and it too was surrounded by forest. Terrified, they fought and won. Governor Kieft, proclaimed a public thanksgiving. February, 1644 was the date.

The idea of thanksgiving was an expression of the people in different places without previous knowledge of other such days. There are at least nine recorded instances of pre-Revolutionary colonies declaring Thanksgiving feasts or holidays.

On eight separate occasions, during the long and terrible course of the American Revolution, the Continental Congress set aside specific days of thanksgiving. These had nothing to do with the Pilgrims' holiday, no, they were a humble measure of thanks for the few and pitiful little victories their ragged armies gained.

On the eighteenth of December, 1777, in the cold of Valley Forge General Washington did a strange and seemingly perverse thing. He appointed a day of thanksgiving - and what had his men to be thankful for?

"Why did the Richard's Wagon Train, in 1895, after losing twelve of its people to an Indian attack, order a day of thanksgiving?"

Where is the key? Perhaps the key to that is the key to much of America. We seem to ourselves the most enviable people on earth. We boast, and it seems to be bragging. But never do we take ourselves for granted.

We had nothing to start with, just the land - and we are thankful.

We made ourselves a holiday and it's unlike any holiday in any land. The Ohio corn, the California grapes, the Kansas wheat, the new England pumpkins, all are ours. And we are thankful.

Howard Faust

MAN. METHODIST CHURCH

Tues., Dec. 1 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Joint Bazaar and Luncheon by the three churches at Emanuel Church.

Wed., Dec. 2 7:30 p.m. Mid-week Exploration.

Thurs., Dec. 3 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

FHA TO SPONSOR SCAVENGER HUNT

The F.H.A. of Manchester High School will sponsor a Scavenger Hunt on Tuesday, December 8.

The Scavenger Hunt is to collect canned goods for the needy families.

MANCHESTER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Wed., Nov. 25 School dismissed at noon.
- Thurs., Nov. 26 Have a Happy Thanksgiving.
- Fri., Nov. 27 No School. Moonlight Madness Sale 11:18 to 11 p.m.
- Sat., Nov. 28 J. V. and Varsity vs Saline - Here.
- Sun., Nov. 29 Attend church of your choice - consult community church calendar.
- Thurs., Dec. 3 Wrestling - Clinton - Away. Jaycee Board meeting.
- Fri., Dec. 4 J. V. and Varsity vs Clinton - Here.
- Sat., Dec. 5 Fall Sports Banquet 7:00 p.m. High School. Bake Sale Emanuel Youth Fellowship at Emanuel Church.

SCUTTLEBUTTE

R. Read Jenkins, of Bloomfield Hills, was recently promoted to Divisional Merchandise Manager, Decorative Accessories Division, Hudsons. Mr. Jenkins is the son-in-law of Mr. & Mrs. Sydney Laeman, of Manchester.

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FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Thomas Hicks, Pastor, 8400 Sharon Hollow Rd. off W. Austin Road. 10:00 a.m. Worship Service; 11:00 a.m. Sunday School; 6:30 p.m. Sunday Young People; 7:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Service. Thursday evening, 6:30 p.m. Junior Choir Practice, 6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study. 8:30 p.m. Senior Choir Practice.

NORTH SHARON COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH

William Enslin, pastor, Sylvan and Washburn Road. 10:00 a.m. Sunday School, 11:00 a.m. Worship Service, 6:30 p.m. Young People, 7:00 p.m. Evening Service. Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

IRON CREEK CHURCH

Rev. Ralph Janofski, Pastor. 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. Sunday School, 7:30 p.m. Youth Service, 8:00 p.m. Evening Service. Thursday evening 6:30 p.m. Junior Choir, 7:30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 8:30 p.m. Senior Choir.

SHARON UNITED METHODIST

Corner Pleasant Lake Rd. - M-52 Rev. Michael Peterlin, Pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m.

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN

Rev. Daniel Mattson, Pastor, Ellsworth Rd. 10:00 a.m. Church Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday School

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN

Rev. Hubert Kaste, Pastor, Bridgewater 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Church Services

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Roman A. Reineck, Pastor. 10:00 a.m. Church Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday School Schneider and Bethel Church Roads

MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Walter R. Damberg, Pastor. Church School, 8:45 a.m. Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Ralph Kuether, pastor. Don Gibson, Associate Pastor. Worship Services: Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Church Services - 10:30 a.m. Plan to worship God regularly.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. John R. Morris, Pastor. 3050 S. Fletcher Road. 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Family Worship

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. David Klies, Pastor. 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Church Services Rogers Corners, Waters & Fletcher Rds.

MANCHESTER BAPTIST CHURCH

S. Macomb St. - Philip Mathias, pastor. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday evening Prayer Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

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VILLAGE CHURCHES TO HOLD CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

by Carolyn Ahrens

This year the three village churches are experimenting with another ecumenical idea. Manchester United Methodist, St. Mary's and Emanuel Church are combining their efforts for a Christmas Bazaar. Co-chairmen of the event are Mrs. Shirley Roller, Mrs. Lucy Roberts, and Mrs. Virginia Fielder.

Scheduled for Tuesday, December 1 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Emanuel Fellowship Hall, hosts for this first event will be the Emanuel Church ladies. A noon luncheon is scheduled from 11:30 to 1:00 p.m. at \$1.50 per person. A special feature also planned will be a delicatessen for those who wish to take home St. Mary's German potato salad, bean soup and baked beans, a specialty of the Emanuel Church ladies, or a chicken 'n noodle casserole from the Methodist Church kitchen.

In addition to the luncheon and delicatessen, the ladies are planning a bake sale. Manchester has long been famous for their chicken broils but visitors will soon find the ladies are unsurpassed when it comes to home-made breads, sweet rolls, pretzels, lebkuchen and many other delicious baked goods.

Featured at the actual bazaar section will be favorite projects from each of the three churches. Items such as stuffed toys, aprons, knitted and crocheted pieces plus a wide variety of Christmas decorations including unusual candles and light-switch covers will enhance the imagination and the home this holiday season.

A Christmas bazaar is an ideal place to find that special gift or to add that personal touch to your own home this Christmas. The ladies of the three churches cordially invite you to remember the date of their Christmas Bazaar, Tuesday, December 1 at Emanuel Fellowship Hall.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE IS SCHEDULED

A Thanksgiving Service is scheduled for Thanksgiving morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church at 9:30 a.m. All area church members are invited to attend this united service.

Rev. Roman Reineck of Bethel United Church of Christ will give the sermon. Also taking part in the service will be Rev. Walter R. Damberg of the Manchester United Methodist, Rev. Ralph Kuether of Emanuel United Church of Christ and Fr. Raymond Schlinkert of St. Mary's. Rev. Michael Peterlin of the Sharon United Methodist will be unable to attend the service.

Coffee will be served in the church hall following the service.

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

Wed., Nov. 25 Jr. Choir practice at 6:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve Service at 7:00 p.m. This will be a Communion Service with a fellowship hour to follow.

Sun., Nov. 29 There will be a Moody Science Film shown during 7:00 p.m. Evening Service entitled "City of the Bees."

Tues., Dec. 1 The Board will meet at the church at 7:00 p.m.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wed., Nov. 25 Thanksgiving Eve Service 8:00 p.m.

Sat., Nov. 28 No Youth Instruction Classes

Sun., Nov. 29 Worship with reception of new members 10:15 a.m. Luther League 7:00 p.m.

Mon., Nov. 30 Choir nite Jr. Choir 7:15 p.m. Sr. Choir at 8:00 p.m.

Wed., Dec. 2 Women of Zion Dinner Party.

STUDY GROUP TO MEET

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Pale and reluctant, the sun rose early,
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Peered at the earth and stretched out a finger
To touch the frost on the ground.
Then he remembered that Thanksgiving Day
Was a red-letter day to unfold . . .
He brightened with pleasure, beamed at the world,
And painted the sky pink and gold.

Here on the farm our breakfast was over
Before we greeted the sun.
Mother and Grandmother rallied their helpers . . .
They had tasks for every one.
While Grandfather went to gather the eggs,
Father and I carried wood
Enough to keep stoking the black kitchen range
That many such feasts had withstood.

The racks in the oven could hold a half dozen
Large minos and pumpkin pies;
When the pies came out, in went the turkey
Before our admiring eyes.
We used our best dishes, and the table was set
For ourselves and our company.
Soon they arrived and our joy was complete
As we welcomed them heartily.

Dinner was ready at last and we sat
For a moment of silence and grace.
The turkey was carved, every plate was filled,
And happiness shone on each face.
Sunset came early, but our minds and our hearts
Were serene was the evening closed in.
Such was our day . . . a Thanksgiving Day
To recall and live over again.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

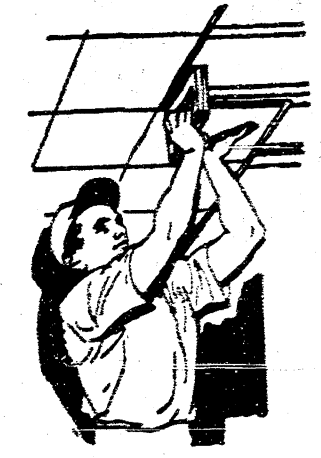
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FIRST THANKSGIVING

Jessie Wilmore Murton
The bleak wind whistles and whistles, as it spits
White flakes against the corncob's bulging slits,
And sifts them underneath the cabin door.
But firelight leaps and flickers on the floor
Inside, from the wide chimney place. Its gleams
Fall on a spinning wheel; and rosy beams
Glint the two candlesticks of quaint old brass,
The copper kettle, and an old-world glass.

A rude log cabin, in a hostile land;
The frugal fare, upon the rough-hewn board;
Crude furnishings, wrought patiently by hand;
And homespun garments! Yet, for this small hoard,
Our brave forefathers still could gladly raise
Their graceful songs of thankfulness and praise.

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COUNCIL MINUTES
November 2, 1970

Council met in regular session with the meeting called to order by President Little at 7:05. Trustees present were Curley, Fitzgerald, Mahony, Reinhart and Scully; absent Walton. The minutes of the Oct. 19, 1970 meeting were read and corrected. Moved by Scully, supported by Mahony that the minutes be approved.

Police Chief Becktel gave his monthly police report for the period ending Nov. 1, 1970. There were 38 complaints all of which were investigated. There was 1 dog complaint. Other Departments: Washtenaw County Sheriff 7; Services Rendered, etc. 52; Traffic Violations: 16 moving violations issued; 1 disobeyed stop sign, 2 excessive noise, tires; 1 expired registration plates; 2 operator's license violations; 5 speeding violations; 2 improper lane usage (crossing yellow lines), 1 no registration on person; 2 careless driving. Total warnings: 55. Parking Summons: 8 Arrests: 1 arrest made for Washtenaw County for warrant out of Wisconsin. Accidents policed: 1 property damage accident policed. Other police activities: 9 major complaints investigated, 1 door found unlocked, 1 window found open. 2 traffic assists for funerals, 4 traffic assists for fires - received new portable radio 10-9-70 and is in use, led snake parade through town on 10-15-70, led homecoming parade through town 10-16-70, turned in \$26.00 parking summons money for Sept. & Oct., caught 3 minor girl soaping windows Halloween night. No reports of any destruction again this Halloween night.

The safety of children near Luther Klager School on M-52 was discussed. The council felt that posting of signs should be called to the attention of the State Highways Department as there is nothing presently posted to indicate a school zone. The DPW will contact the State Highways Dept. for a more appropriate speed in the school vicinity as well as proper signs.

There was discussion on the special assessment for curb and gutter on Division. The village will pay 50% and the individual property owners will pay the other 50%.

At 8:00 p.m. Attorney Roesch auctioned off lot 6, block 16 original plot of Manchester to the highest bidder, L. V. Kirk for \$500.00. Moved by Fitzgerald seconded by Scully the Village purchase lot 8 block 16 original plot of Manchester from L. V. & Flornee Kirk for \$500.00. All yeas, carried.

Moved by Scully, supported by Reinhart that the following resolution be adopted.

Whereas, the Village Council by resolution adopted Sept. 21, 1970, declared its intention to vacate the unnamed street or alley lying between Blocks 15 & 16, original or old plat of the said Village of Manchester as therein set forth and set November 2, 1970, as the last date to file objections thereto, and

Whereas, notice of said intention has been duly published in the Manchester Enterprise once each week for four successive weeks prior to said date, and

Whereas, no objections to said vacating were filed,
Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Village of Manchester does hereby vacate, discontinue and abolish all that part of the unnamed street or alley lying between Blocks 15 & 16 original or old plat of the Village of Manchester, Washtenaw County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for Washtenaw County, Michigan.

Mr. Roesch advised the council of the letter he had written to Mr. Gordon E. Gable, from whom McPherson Oil Company has leased property in Manchester. Mrs. Walsh is not satisfied with the blacktop around her back step. Bruce Daniels was asked to go and see her and find out what the problem is.

The Duncan Street Bridge is near completion. The sidewalks will go on as soon as weather permits. The bridge will probably be blacktopped next week. Public Works Commission is setting up a meeting with Ayling-Cunningham in hopes of speeding up the work.

Moved by Mahony, supported by Curley to accept Washtenaw Asphalt's bid on re-surfacing West Main Street from the west village limits to Union Street. All yeas, carried.

The possibility of a new dump site was discussed and further inquiries were to be made.

Moved by Scully, supported by Reinhart that we adopt a resolution that there be no parking on any village street between the hours of 2 a.m. and 5 a.m. from November 15, 1970 to April 1, 1971. All yeas, carried.

Bruce Daniels reported on an estimate from Davey Tree People for trimming and removing necessary trees. They average the cost at \$75.00 per tree to remove trees to grade level and about \$300 for trimming. They would use a work crew of 3 men for the job. We have 29 trees marked which would cost us approximately \$2500.

The road work on M-52 was discussed, and Bruce was asked to draft a letter of complaint to the State Highway Department.

Mahony proposed that we adopt an ordinance against burning leaves. Fitzgerald will obtain a copy of an existing one to use as a pattern.

In checking into financial assistance from the federal government for recreation purposes, Mahony felt that Sec. 14-109 (Index 29) or Sec. 14-212 in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance might apply for our new ball diamond. The clerk was delegated to begin application as well as to call Mr. Esch and the Municipal League.

Mahony requested authorization to transfer necessary funds from the Bridge Construction Fund to the Local Street Fund (Bridge Construction Account). So moved by Scully, supported by Fitzgerald. All yeas, carried.

The vouchers for the previous month's bills were reviewed. Moved by Mahony, supported by Curley to accept vouchers 1317-1363 for payment from respective accounts.

GENERAL FUND			
Mary H. Wheeler	\$ 25.00	Tom Marshall, Inc.	\$ 1.50
Michigan Bell	13.66	Motorola	508.00
Consumers Power	37.21	Steeb Dodge	23.01
Earl Alber	37.50	Fillyaw's Ashland	31.05
Widmayer Hardware	7.57	Fillyaw's Ashland	4.40
Tirb Chevrolet	2.10	Michigan Hospital Service	377.98
Al's Custom Plumbing	3.80	E. L. Huber, Dist.	301.00
Man. Tool & Die	35.00	Eisele's Welding	58.50
Koebbe Welding	6.65	R. G. Moeller Co.	26.27
Dunkel Bros.	17.55	Michigan Bell Telephone	63.96
Sutton Agency	29.00		\$1,783.16
Office Supply House	74.59		
Rymack Printing	36.10		
Municipal Supply	39.00		
Industrial Rainwear	22.76		
MAJOR STREET FUND			
Ann Arbor Foundry	\$ 71.00	Washtenaw Asphalt	\$ 46.50
Eisele's Welding	18.50	Ann Arbor Const. Co.	439.11
Washtenaw Asphalt	58.43	Union Const. Co.	20,000.00
Ayling Cunningham	7,576.60		\$20,485.61
	\$7,719.53		
SEWER AND WATER FUND			
Consumers	\$ 39.98	Mrs. Bruce Daniels	\$ 35.00
Michigan Bell	11.30	National Chemsearch	44.80
E. L. Huber, Dist.	3.30	Traverse City Iron	31.07

Widmayer Hardware	22.47	Will Scientific	11.39
Bridgewater Lumber	7.30	Certified Lab	38.45
Koebbe Welding	5.20	Korest-Peterson	416.00
Frigid Products	27.55		
Eisele's Welding	6.50		\$700.31

All yeas carried.
Regarding a kennel ordinance, Fitzgerald had met with our attorney and would have an ordinance to present at the next meeting. A tax assessing ordinance will also be taken care of by Mr. Roesch.
Curley had no new program from the Youth and Recreation Committee. There's not much need for extra activities with school and football at this time of year. No change in program for future activities has been set up.
The minutes from the Village Planning Commission were read and discussed.
A bill was read from the School Board concerning the wage payment of one crossing guard for the 1969-1970 school year. The item was questioned as it was not in the budget for this fiscal year. The clerk was requested to check into the matter further.
The Jaycees will be calling in vote totals on election night.
November 11-15 is to be proclaimed Youth Appreciation Week. So moved by Curley, supported by Scully. All yeas, carried.
Moved by Scully, supported by Mahony that the meeting be adjourned. All yeas, carried. Meeting adjourned.

Village Clerk
Mary Wheeler

COUNCIL MINUTES - November 10, 1970

Council met in special session at 10:30 p.m. Trustees present were Scully, Reinhart, Curley, Fitzgerald, Mahony and Walton.

The proposal of a drive-in TV banking window was requested by the Union Savings Bank. The proposal was referred to the Planning Commission. Mr. Bill Cray spoke for the bank. He will meet with the Planning Commission on November 12, 1970 at 7:30 p.m. with plans for their proposal and also with the Village Council November 16, 1970 at 8:00 p.m.

Clerk for November 10, 1970 Bruce T. Daniels

THANKSGIVING

A DAY OF BROTHERLY LOVE

The first Thanksgiving was a demonstration of brotherly love between the white man and red man. May this Thanksgiving remind us all of the need to once again look to our brothers with a mutual feeling of brotherly love.

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There is a feeling of compassion for the less fortunate that glows more warmly on this day than any other day.

Christmas is the time of the heart's inventory, the time of being together and going home. Most of all, Christmas is the time of transformation of mothers and fathers, grandmothers and grandfathers, into the children they once were — and still are — for a very short time this one day of the year.

Notice of Restrictions in the Sale of Natural Gas by Consumers Power Company

The Michigan Public Service Commission, because of a shortage in natural gas supply and to protect service to existing customers, has authorized Consumers Power Company to impose certain restrictions on the sale of natural gas to existing and prospective customers, and has directed the Company to publish the essential portions of the Commission's order. These are:

- 1. All commitments and applications for future residential service, including apartments and mobile homes, existing on the date of the Commission's order (November 9, 1970) are voided.
2. No new commercial or industrial customers shall be added to the Consumers Power Company system.
3. No new residential customers or additional residential space heating loads, including apartments and mobile homes, shall be added to the Company's system, except as follows:
A. Persons who had installed gas space heating equipment, or were in the process of installing gas space heating equipment on October 1, 1970, shall be given first priority on remaining gas supplies, provided that such persons otherwise qualify for gas service in accordance with the Company's standard rules and regulations.
B. All other persons desiring residential gas service, including service to existing residential units, and

new construction, must make application in writing to the Company for such service.

- C. Applications for existing residential units may be made at any time. Applications for new residential construction shall be made after the footings and foundation walls are completed at the location desiring gas service or, in the case of mobile homes, after the concrete slab is poured.
D. Consumers Power Company, as soon as practicable, will verify by field inspection that the residential units are in existence or that the required construction is completed, and upon such verification will issue a dated commitment. Thereafter, the Company is directed to make a second field inspection in not less than 80 nor more than 100 days. If construction has not proceeded to completion of the framing and roofing of the structure the Company will advise the applicant that he has 30 days in which to carry construction to that stage of completion, or the permit will be irrevocably canceled. In any case, gas service must commence within 12 months of the original date of issuance, or the commitment will be voided. Dated commitments are applicable only to the locations specified, and may not be transferred to any other site.
E. Owners of buildings now receiving gas service in a building which is torn down because of public improvements, may transfer such gas service for the same uses to another location owned by such person, provided the transfer is completed within 12 months after discontinuance of service at the original location.
4. The procedures set forth in paragraph 3 hereof shall be followed by the Company until such time as its total confirmed estimated connected annual requirements are approximately 370 billion cubic feet.



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The Family of Joseph R. Walkow *

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION - GENERAL STATE OF MICHIGAN File No. 46219

Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw.

Estate of Joscelyn Vera Freeman, M. I. It is Ordered that on January 5, 1971, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Ann Arbor, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Loren W. Campbell, Guardian, for the allowance of his Ninth Annual Account as Guardian.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: November 17, 1970

RODNEY E. HUTCHINSON Judge of Probate

Forsythe, Campbell, Vandenberg & Clevenger Attorney for Guardian 111 S. Main St., Ann Arbor 11-26, 12-3, 12-10

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER OF PUBLICATION GENERAL STATE OF MICHIGAN

File No. 56680

Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw.

Estate of Michael L. Beck, deceased. It is Ordered that on January 5, 1971, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Ann Arbor, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Daniel J. Dahmen, Sr., 7935 Fourth Street, Dexter, Michigan 48130 prior to said hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: October 16, 1970

RODNEY E. HUTCHINSON Judge of Probate

Gerald D. Grohnert Attorney for Estate 3212 Alpine Street Dexter, Michigan 11-19, 11-26, 12-3

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JAYCEE AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT ANNOUNCED

Ray Weaver, son of Mrs. Helen Weaver, 200 Vermont Street, Manchester, is the recipient of the Manchester Jaycee Auxiliary Adult Scholarship.

LOOKING AROUND

Ray Harrison got his old moving job in Stoke-on-Trent, England, when he forgot that he had switched to a double-decker bus and jammed it under a low bridge.

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Manchester Enterprise December 3, 1970

PRO-BALLPLAYER TURNS TO JEWELRY BUSINESS

by Carolyn Ahrens
'I knew pro-ball would be an uncertain career and I needed a part-time job anyway so I started down Main Street and wound up getting a job with a jeweler,' and so began a career for Duane 'Chink' Roller over 18 years ago.



YOUTH APPRECIATION WEEK POSTER WINNERS FETED AT OPTIMIST DINNER

Four Manchester students were guests of the Manchester Optimist Club on Monday evening, Nov. 23 and recognized for their winning poster contributions for the Optimist Youth Appreciation Week held during the week of Nov. 9 through 15.

MANCHESTER ONE OF FIRST

Manchester is one of the first ten areas in the state to make its United Drive goal! The final report on the recent United Community Fund and Red Cross drive in the Manchester area was given by Ted Stautz, campaign chairman, at the Community Chest Board meeting, \$16,513.56 was donated or pledged to the 1971 budget. The goal had been set at \$16,222.

TAX STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN MAILED

The Township tax statements have been mailed out to property owners at last known addresses in Manchester Township. This year the total tax in the township is \$454,893.09 and the tax is due December 1, 1970. However, the taxpayer has until February 28, 1971 to pay without penalty if paid to local Township Treasurer. After that date all taxes are payable to the Treasurer of Washtenaw County in Ann Arbor.

UNITED FUND CAMPAIGN HAS BEEN FINALIZED

The United Fund campaign has been finalized for another year. As Chairman of the drive this year I feel a great community effort and cooperation has been put forth to accomplish the goal. With economic conditions as they are, the challenge was even greater, when the campaign began, but with the determination of a great number of individuals the goal was met with approximately two percent to spare.

MEETING CHANGE

The Village Council will meet next Tuesday evening instead of the usual Monday.

DUNCAN STREET BRIDGE DEDICATION CEREMONY THIS SATURDAY

A Dedication Ceremony will be held this Saturday, Dec. 5 beginning at 9:00 a.m. with the public invited.

Prayer Welcome Rev. Walter Damberg David Little, Village President

Introduction of Guests Wendell Reinhart, Chmn. Public Works

Planning Comm. Gene Bentschneider Bridge Plaque Allen Schaffer Speaker Judge John Swainson Cutting of Ribbon Dave Little, Gale Koebe, John Althouse, Bruce Daniels

FIRE CALL

The Manchester Township Fire Department was called out late Wednesday night on a false alarm fire call at Pleasant Lake.

LEGION AUXILIARY NEWS

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary was held on Nov. 12 with 16 members present. President Leota Schwab opened the meeting in the prescribed manner. Committee reports were read.

MOONLIGHT MADNESS WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Winners of the Moonlight Madness Nightwear Contest are Nancy Ganzhorn, First Place; Virginia Fielder, Second; Anita Kirk, Third and Delia Widmayer, Fourth.