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Edward E. Steele, Publisher
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Dear Editor:

I would like publicly to congratulate Rev. Joseph Wise and the people of Emmanuel Church. As a result of their efforts many people were graphically reminded of the Biblical scene of the Savior's birthplace. Without question the involvement of so many people required a great deal of dedication and co-operation. The fact that the winter weather blew in with such vigor made the carrying out of the project even more of a sacrifice.

May the Christ Child reward all of the participants. And may the wonder of Christ's Coming fill us all with the desire to serve Him with fidelity.

Father Raymond R. Schinzier

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In 1925 it was possible to buy an automobile for as little as \$260!

Some early Christians, on the other hand, thought the mistletoe was the forbidden fruit of the Garden of Eden or the source of the wood for Christ's cross. In Old England, the girl who was not kissed under the mistletoe was supposedly doomed to be an old maid for another year. In addition to its value as a good luck charm, the mistletoe was also prized by various peoples for its medicinal value. Infertility, epilepsy and toothache are some of the ailments it supposedly cured. American mistletoe grows wild in southern states. It is a parasite of oak, cottonwood, alder and some conifers. It attaches itself to the water-conducting system of the host plant. Birds spread mistletoe seeds by eating the sticky fruit from their beaks onto branches and trees. The hard-covered seeds stick there until they germinate.

The custom of kissing under the mistletoe came to this country with the English colonists who settled in the South. However, the origin of the custom goes back much further than Merrie Old England. According to Norse legend, the mother of Balder, the sun god, persuaded every living thing but one - the mistletoe - to promise not to harm him. Balder's fellow gods shot him with an arrow of mistletoe wood. His mother's love brought him back from the dead. Her tears of joy turned to mistletoe berries, and she kissed everyone who passed beneath the mistletoe. Another legend has mistletoe growing on the sacred oak of the Druids, the Celtic priests of ancient Gaul and Britain. The Druids cut pieces of mistletoe at certain times of the year for their followers to wear as charms or hang over their doorways to keep evil spirits away. A Druid entering beneath the mistletoe received a kiss from the host to seal their friendship. The ancient Romans saw the mistletoe as a symbol of hope and peace. Enemies meeting under it would lay aside their weapons, kiss each other and declare a

Thursday, December 30, EMC 7:30 p.m.

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

Friday, December 31, New Year's Eve Service at the church at 8:00 p.m., "Word of Life" and college age bowling at Saline Lanes from 10:00 p.m. to 2 a.m., please invite your friends. College agers will then go to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Moore's for refreshments and a "good time."

Sunday, January 2, Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m. Missionary Time during 11:00 a.m. Sunday School hour. Installation of New Officers during 10:00 a.m. Worship hour.

Monday evening, January 3, Visitation at Rev. and Mrs. James G. Faith Circle 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, January 4, Circuit Pastors' Conference St. Paul's Ann Arbor 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, January 5, Sunday School Staff 1-2:30, Confirmation Classes 4-6 p.m.

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, January 2, 10:00 a.m. Worship Service with Communion, 11:00 a.m. Church School.

Weekly Meetings: Tuesday-7:15 p.m. Youth Choir, 7:30 p.m. Bible Study, Wednesday 4:15 p.m. Children's choir, 7:45 p.m. Senior Choir. Saturday-9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class.

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

Friday, December 31, New Year's Eve Communion Service 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, January 2, Sunday School and Bible Classes 9:00 a.m. Worship Service with Holy Communion 10:30 a.m. Adult Information Class 3-5.

Tuesday, January 4, Circuit Pastors' Conference St. Paul's Ann Arbor 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, January 5, Sunday School Staff 1-2:30, Confirmation Classes 4-6 p.m.

Your Church

EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Tuesday, January 4, 1-4 p.m. Senior Center.

Wednesday, January 5, 2:00 Women's Guild.
Saturday, January 8, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. Confirmation.

CHRISTMAS STORY HOUR AT MANCHESTER LIBRARY

The Manchester Township Library will present a Children's Story Hour Thursday, December 30, at 2:00 P.M. These special movies will be shown: The Great Toy Robbery, The Littlest Angel, The Night the Animals Talked. All children are welcome.

Following is a list of new books: Youth books-The Movers and Shakers, The Young Activists of the Sixties, by Helene Hanft, No Poodles for Miss K, Junior books-The Horse and His Boy, Prince Caspian, How to Train a Watchdog by Bruce Sesalotis, The Big Dummy's Guide to C.B.

EMBROIDERERS' GUILD

The evening group of the Embroiderers' Guild of America-Ann Arbor, Chapter will meet January 4, 7:30 p.m. at Michigan Municipal League, 1675 Green Road for a "Sit and Stitch."

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30 Years	\$170,903	\$89,308	\$81,595

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Quest 9:15 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m.
Plan to worship God regularly.
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Rev. Wayne Ferrigan, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m., Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN
Rev. Jerome Dykstra, Pastor
Ellsworth Road
Sunday School & Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Carl Asher, Pastor
Rogers Corners, Waters and Fletcher Bldg.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Church Services 10:30 a.m.

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

MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST
Rev. Walter R. Dumborg, Pastor
Church School 9:15 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father Raymond Schinzier
West Main Street
Sunday Masses 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Monday thru Friday 8:30 a.m., Saturday, 7:00 p.m.

NORTH SHARON COMMUNITY BIBLE
Pastor: Rev. Ronald C. Purvey
Sylvan and Washburn Road
Sunday School 10:00 a.m., Worship Service 11:00 a.m. (Nursery will be available)

Junior Church Classes 11:00 a.m., Youth Meeting Senior High 6:00 p.m., Youth Choir 6:00 p.m., Evening Worship Services 7:00 p.m. (Nursery available), Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting (Nursery available) 7:00 p.m. To your door Bus Transportation available 428-7222.

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH
Timothy Miles, Pastor
2400 Sharon Hollow Rd. off W. Austin Rd.
Worship service 10:00 a.m., Sunday School 11:00 a.m., Sunday Young People 6:00 p.m., Sunday Evening Service 7:00 p.m., Wednesday evening 6:30 p.m., Junior Choir Practice, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 7:00 p.m., Junior Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m., Senior Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.

IRON CREEK CHURCH
Rev. Ralph Janofski, Pastor
Worship Service 10:00 a.m., Sunday School 11:15 a.m., Youth Service 6:30 p.m., Evening Service 7:30 p.m., Wednesday Evening, Junior Choir 6:30 p.m., Bible Study and Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m., Senior Choir 8:30 p.m.

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

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
Austin Road, Bridgewater, Michigan
Rev. Dennis A. Falk, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:15, Worship 10:30 a.m.

MANCHESTER BAPTIST CHURCH
Alan W. Morris, Pastor
122 W. Main St., Phone 428-7236
Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m., Adult Bible Study 6 p.m., Youth and Childrens Bible Study 6 p.m., Evening Service 7 p.m., Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7 p.m., Saturday afternoon, Sunday School and Bus Visitation. Bus transportation 428-7082 or 428-7206. We teach Salvation of Souls through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ST. BARNABAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. Jerrald F. Besanmont, "Vicar"
Old U.S. 12 - 1/4 mile west of M52 - Chelsea, 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist and Morning Prayer.



Jenter Funeral Home
302 E. Main St.
Manchester, Michigan

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wiedmayer, Madison Street, a daughter, Hillary Diane on December 18, 1976. She weighed 7 pounds 5 1/2 ounces and has one brother Jason 18 months old.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Kruse a girl Diana Lynn on December 20, 1976 weighing 6 pounds 10 1/2 ounces. She has a sister Julie Anne 3 years old. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bower, paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kruse all of Manchester.

COMBINED SINGLES DANCE

The Tuesday Nite and Saturday Night Singles Dance Clubs, combined will be having a New Year's Eve Dance Party. The Dance will be in the Parker Room of the YM-YMCA, corner of Williams St. and Fifth, in Ann Arbor.

Dancing will begin at 8 P.M. till 1 A.M. The Ralph Manisto Combo will furnish the music. A Buffet will be served at 10 P.M. Reservations are not needed nor do you need a date to come. \$7.50 for the Dance.

All Singles 25 and up—please come join us for our New Year's Eve Dance Party. For information about the dance, phone 434-2456.

NOTICE Sharon Township Meeting Time Change

Starting on Thursday, January 6, 1977 the Sharon Township Board will hold its regular meetings at 1:00 P.M. on the first Thursday of each month at the Sharon Town Hall. The public is welcome. Thank you.

Duane R. Haselschwerdt
Sharon Township Clerk

1976

A GREAT YEAR

1976 saw the nation's industrial picture one of renewed activity. 1976 saw America set new records in total employment. 1976 saw the rate of inflation slowing 1976, and real personal income rising. Not everyone found 1976 one of prosperity, that's true. We still have a strong unemployment picture. We continue to operate our factories at less than full capacity. Prices continue to rise. All in all, though, we have reason to be thankful. We're at peace. We're learning to love one another a bit more.

At Union Savings Bank, 1976 was an excellent year. We grew in total deposits. But, most important, we grew in the number of people we served. What better enjoyment can we seek than to serve more and more Washtenaw County area people? At Union Savings Bank your happiness is our happiness.



MANHATTAN CRANBERRY RELISH

- 1 can (16 oz.) whole cranberry sauce
- 1 can (20 oz.) crushed pineapple, drained
- 1/2 cup diced orange peel
- 2-inch cinnamon stick
- 1/2 teaspoon powdered ginger
- 3 oz. Bourbon or blended whiskey
- 1 oz. sweet vermouth

Combine all ingredients. Refrigerate at least 24 hours before using. Makes 4 cups.

BERRY GOOD

Something your family and friends will really relish at holiday time and all year round, is a spiked and spicy cranberry relish, made like a Manhattan cocktail.

Julian Calendar
Observance of January 1 as the start of the new year began in Imperial Rome when Julius Caesar chose the date as the first day of the year on the Julian calendar.

The New Year Babe came down from the Greeks. During the festival honoring Dionysus, the nature god, an infant represented the symbol of rebirth and a baby's image figured prominently in Greece's Eleusinian Mysteries, religious rites signifying the annual decline and renewal of vegetation.



The Canny Man

One of the world's great writers on economics was, naturally, a Scotsman. If you belong to a canny race like the Scots, you know all about economy. He was Adam Smith, born in the town of Kirkcaldy in the county of Fife 200 years ago. He wrote a book called "The Wealth of Nations," which has been translated into almost every language in the world. Not long ago a three-day symposium was held in his

hometown, reports Teacher's Scotch Information Centre, and famous economists came from all over the world, including America and Japan, to talk about him and his theories.

It was learned that Smith was supposed to have been the traditional absent-minded professor. On one occasion he went out for a walk through town still wearing his pajamas and dressing gown and bedroom slippers.

One night he gave a dinner to some friends and, in the course of the evening said, "I must leave you now." He went to his bedroom and, when his friends decided to say goodbye, they found he was dead.



Manchester Locker Plant



Roller Jewelry



Happy New Year

The seasons change, but time ever strengthens old and valued friendships.

MANCHESTER PLASTICS



Janeireiros Welcome Portugal's New Year

In the Minho, in northwestern Portugal, masked children go around from house to house between New Year's Eve and Epiphany. They sing Janeiros, ancient "January" songs. The Janeiros, as the singers are called, sometimes improvise verses about the householders. When their presents are generous, they praise them. If the gifts are few, the performers make sure the whole neighborhood hears about it.

There are many wise sayings in the Minho about the first day of the year. Since New Year's Day supposedly reflects the mood of the next twelve months, one should always have a coin in the pocket, something new on the back, and extra food in the larder. Parents urge their children to "mabel their manners" and adults try to act as they wish to act throughout the year. Portugal has a proverb, "Never pay a debt on New Year's Day!"



AULD-LANG SYNE

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
and never brought to mind?
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
and days of Auld lang syne?
For Auld-Lang-Syne, my dear,
For Auld-Lang-Syne,
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,
For Auld-Lang-Syne
We two, ha'e ran a-boolie
the brae,
and pu'd the Gowans fine,
We've wander'd mony a waly
foot sin
Auld-Lang-Syne
For Auld-Lang-Syne, my dear,
For Auld-Lang-Syne,
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,
For Auld-Lang-Syne.

Sweeten The Holiday With Nuts

- HONEYED WALNUTS**
- 1 1/4 CUPS SUGAR
 - 1/4 TEASPOON SALT
 - 1/2 CUP WATER
 - 3/4 CUP HONEY
 - 1/2 CUP WATER
 - 3 CUPS WALNUTS HALVES OR PIECES

Combine sugar, salt, honey, and water in a saucepan. Cook uncovered to 242 degrees on candy thermometer to the firm soft ball stage. Remove from heat, add vanilla and nuts and stir until creamy. Turn out onto waxed paper and separate nuts with two forks as they cool.

- SUGAR SPICED ALMONDS**
- 1 cup sugar
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 2 teaspoons cinnamon
 - 2 cups roasted whole almonds
 - 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
 - 1/2 teaspoon cloves
 - 1/2 cup water

Combine sugar, salt, cinnamon, nutmeg, cloves and water. Bring to a boil and boil uncovered to 236 degrees on a candy thermometer, or to a soft ball stage. Remove from heat and add almonds. Stir until creamy. Pour onto waxed paper and separate nuts with two forks as they cool.

Almonds are mentioned more than seventy times in the Old Testament and still are produced in the biblical regions and other parts of the Near East.

The so-called English walnut more properly be called a California or Persian walnut. It originated in Persia and was introduced to California more than a century ago.

A recent government manual on foods says shelled nuts retain top quality in a tightly closed container in the refrigerator for six months or longer, or in the freezer at zero for two years.

Scottish Tradition Of "First-Footing"

In Scotland the New Year celebrations outstrip Christmas and the big ritual of New Year's Day is "First Footing." The first person, the First Footer, to enter the house uninvited on New Year's Day, and often carrying symbolic gifts of bread, salt, coal and money and perhaps a piece of evergreen, brings good luck in the New Year. Requirements are strict: it must be a man, dark haired, not flat-footed or cross eyed and preferably a stranger. In Lancashire for a female to be the first to enter the house was to let in bad luck for the coming year. It is most important to begin the New Year as you would like it to go on; have plenty of money in the pocket, dine well, rise early, pay your debts and lead a cheerful life.

SAVE SOME
Save a little cheerfulness to scatter through the year. Save a few kind words to say, such as dry the tear. Save a few kind deeds to do when chance comes by and by. You can spread a little cheerfulness — if you have it, next July.

Pageantry And Pigskins In Pasadena

PASADENA, CA. — Two events have made this small California community famous, and on New Year's Day, 1977, Pasadena will again capture the imagination of millions of fans interested in flowers and football.

The festivities begin with the 88th annual Rose Parade, which in 1977 is a floral salute to "The Good Life" enjoyed by people whom ever and wherever they might be.

The two-hour pageant features 61 elaborate, flower-decked floats, 22 bands with over 4,000 musicians, and 250 equestrian riders in a 5 1/2 mile procession that will be seen by over 1 1/2 million curbside spectators and 120 million television viewers worldwide.

Leading the parade will be Western personalities Roy Rogers and Dale Evans, the first husband and wife to serve as grand marshals. They won't be riding horses, however. Instead, they will appear in a \$105,000 convertible loaned for the parade.

Also presiding over the pageantry will be the 58th Rose Queen, Diane Jene Ramaker, and her Royal Court of six princesses. Joining them will be Carl E. Wopschall, president of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Assn., whose 1,400 volunteer members stage the annual civic celebration.

In the afternoon, interest switches to Pasadena's historic Rose Bowl stadium, where for the 31st consecutive year the gridiron champions of the Big Ten and Pacific-8 conferences will clash in the "Granddaddy" of all post-season college football games.

Michigan faces USC in their third Rose Bowl encounter in the 63-year history of the grid-iron classic.

When the two schools first met, in 1948, the Wolverines shut out the Trojans, 49-0, as Michigan Coach Fritz Crisler demonstrated for the first time his double platoon system of substitution. In their most re-

cent clash, in 1970, the Trojans defeated the Wolverines 10-3. Both Michigan Coach Bo Schembechler and Trojan Coach John Robinson are seeking their first Rose Bowl wins. Schembechler, who led Ann Arbor teams to Pasadena in 1970 and 1972, has never won a Rose Bowl game. Robinson is making his Rose Bowl

debut in his first year as head football coach at Troy.

The 1977 Rose Parade will be telecast live, beginning at 11:30 a.m. EST (10:30 CST) over the NBC and CBS Television Networks. The Rose Bowl follows exclusively on NBC, beginning at 4:30 p.m. EST (3:30 CST).



GRIDIRON ACTION culminates the festivities in Pasadena on New Year's Day when Michigan faces USC in the 62nd Rose Bowl Game, to be telecast live over NBC-TV, beginning at 4:30 p.m. EST (3:30 CST).

HAPPY NEW YEAR

It's an old-fashioned greeting that's never out of style. We appreciate your confidence and good will.

Alber Excavating

Best Wishes

May the New Year Be Very Kind to the Special People of this Community.

Michigan Livestock Exchange

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Thank You For Letting Us Serve You. Good Luck, Good Health To You.

FANEY REALTY

There is a Star in the Sky, A Child Is Born. The Hope of Mankind is a Reality.

MANCHESTER LOCKER PLANT

Warmest GREETINGS

Through changing seasons, we hold in deeper appreciation the valued good will of all our friends.

TIRB CHEVROLET CO.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

FREEDOM ELECTRIC

Happy Holiday

We look to the New Year with confidence and hope to serve our friends often and well.

JOHN W. STEELE HEATING & COOLING

May each new day bring an abundance of life's many blessings.

KOEBBE WELDING

In the spirit of the season, we say, "Thanks" to all our friends and customers.

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Season's Greetings

In friendship and in good health, may the days ahead bring to you and yours a world of peace and abundant happiness.

DU RUSSELS' POTATO FARMS INC.

New Year Cheer

May Each New Day Light Your Way To A World of Happiness, Health and Success.

FILLYAWS SERVICE

"Should Auld Acquaintance be forgot"

Auld Lang Syne

... And a happy Year to our friends, old and new.

Scott Painting & Decorating

MANCHESTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS ADOPTED BUDGET FOR 1976 and 1977

ANTICIPATED REVENUES (INCOME)	
Taxes - Bridgewater	111,509.35
Taxes - Freedom	374,253.70
Taxes - Manchester	551,878.71
Taxes - Sharon	262,912.55
Taxes - Grass Lake	1,115.16
Taxes - Norvell	8,805.79
Trailer Park Fees	480.00
Interest on Del Tax	-0-
Tuition Elementary	-0-
Tuition Secondary	-0-
Adult Education Fees	6,220.00
Summer School Fees	-0-
Transportation Fees	91.61
Interest on Investments	3,000.00
Interest on Investments	1,378.52
Rental of School Facility	29.00
Gifts and Bequests	-0-
Miscellaneous	36.25
State Aid	479,109.48
Driver Education	3,180.00
Comm. Ed. Director	4,000.00
Vocational Ed Refund	435.49
Title I 0157 358	17,922.00
Title I 0156 358	10,329.00
Co Special Ed Tax A 6B	25,000.00
EMU Training Grant Comm. Ed.	4,000.00
Sale of School Property	300.00

TOTAL 1976-77 SCHOOL REVENUES (INCOME)	\$1,863,896.61
Less 1975-76 Deficit	82,500.38
1976-77 Revenues	\$1,781,396.00
Less 1976-77 Budget	1,777,330.00
June 30, 1977 Balance	4,066.00

1976-77 BUDGET EXPENDITURES	
INSTRUCTION EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	
Employee Health Insurance	38,600
Dental	3,000
Workmens Comp	1,558
Unemployment Comp	12,000
Annuity	25,000
ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS SALARIES	
Teachers Salaries	197,436
Teachers Salaries	58,000
Substitute Salaries	1,900
Substitute Salaries	500
PURCHASED SERVICES	
Teacher Local Travel Exp	100
Teacher Local Travel Exp	178
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Teaching Supp K-4	8,860
Teaching Supplies	2,340
Texts K-4	1,100
Texts K-4	400
INSTRUCTION MIDDLE SCHOOL SALARIES	
Teachers Salaries	237,733
Substitute Salaries	1,800
PURCHASED SERVICES	
Teacher Local Travel Exp	150
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Teaching Supplies	5,800
Textbooks	1,500

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS SALARIES	
Teacher Salaries	203,487
Substitute Salaries	1,800
PURCHASED SERVICES	
Teacher Local Travel Exp	100
HIGH SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Ind Art Teaching Supplies	2,580
Vocal Music Teach Supp	400
Instrumental Music Supp	1,200
Business Ed Teach Supp	1,200
Math Teaching Supplies	300
Science Teaching Supp	800
Other Teaching Supp	5,500
HS Textbooks	1,500
SPECIAL EDUCATION - High School	
Teacher Salaries	21,334
Supplies and Materials	500
COMPENSATORY EDUCATION (TITLE I)	
Teacher Salary	15,133
Teacher Aide Salaries	9,936
Teacher Aide Salaries	1,553
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS (COMPENSATORY EDUCATION)	
Reading Materials	43
Reading and Math Materials	3,500
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS	
Summer Supervision	3,491
Voc Ag Teach Salary	14,535
VOC EDUCATION SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Prod Ag Teach Supplies	300
Ag Mech Teach Supplies	300
Coop Teach Supplies	300
ADULT AND CONTINUING EDUCATION	
Comm Ed Director	18,500
Teacher Salaries	5,452
PURCHASED SERVICES	
In-Service Training	418
Travel and Expenses	400
Printing	1,000
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Textbooks	25
DRIVER EDUCATION	
Teachers Salaries	25,663
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	
Mandatory Retirement Chgs	1,174
Mandatory Retirement Chgs	184
SUPPORTING SERVICES	
Life Insurance	460
Employee Health Ins	19,600
Dental	400
Workmens Comp	3,508
Unemployment Comp	6,000
Annuity	11,000
Retirement	1,250
CAPITAL OUTLAY	
Site Acq & Improvement	1,000
Remodel Bldgs	4,000
New Furn Equip	3,000
SUPPORTING SERVICES - PUPIL SERVICES	
Teachers Salaries	11,033
Teachers Salaries	13,431
Teachers Salaries	4,000
Extra-Curricular	27,752
Teacher Salary EMI	5,000
Noon Hour Duty	3,630
Crossing Guard	

PURCHASED SERVICES	
Contracted Services Cert	100
Expenses	150
Local Travel Expense	150
Student Serv Ath	3,000
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Teaching Supplies	200
Teaching Supplies	500
Teaching Supplies	200
INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF SALARIES	
Inser Ed Teach Sal	1,900
Inser Ed Teach Aide Sal	253
Librarian Salaries	16,517
Librarian Salaries	16,517
Coordinator Salary	6,000
SUPPORTING SERVICES INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF	
Planning and Research	1,000
PURCHASED SERVICES	
Consultant Services	200
Conf Attendance	300
Prod Ag Travel and Conf Exp	300
Coop Trav & Conf Exp	300
Mileage Expenses	60
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Workshop Materials	60
Library Books	1,300
Library Books	1,291
Library Books	1,043
Library Books	366
Audio Visual Materials	784
Audio Visual Materials	450
Audio Visual Materials	368
Audio Visual Materials	208
Audio Visual Materials	74
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	
Board Salaries	7
Superintendent Salary	25,000
Bus Mgr Salary	1,713
Admin. Asst Salaries	22,950
Secretarial Salaries	6,500
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION - PURCHASED SERVICES	
Consultant	-0-
Unemp Comp Serv	800
Legal	5,000
Audit	4,500
Architect's Fee	5,133
Board Travel Exp	2,000
Printing & Publishing	1,000
Elections	1,500
Travel Expenses	1,600
OFFICE SUPPLIES	
Office Supplies	2,400
Board Membership Dues	1,069
Supt Membership Dues	328
Misc Expenses	1,400
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION	
Principal Salary	43,457
Principal Salary	23,332
Principal Salary	19,330
Principal Salary	12,770
Principal Salary	12,730
Clerical Salaries	7,362
Clerical Salaries	6,020
Clerical Salary	3,139
PURCHASED SERVICES	
Conf Local Trav Exp	100
Conf Local Trav Exp	200
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	
Office Supplies	1,337
Office Supplies	871
Office Supplies	365
Office Supplies	130
OTHER EXPENSES	
Princ Member Dues	200
Princ Member Dues	100
Princ Member Dues	100

MAINTENANCE AND CUSTODIAL	
Plant Eng Salary	
Maint Salary	
Custodians Salaries	
Part-time Help	
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	
Supv Salary	4,328
Mechanic Salary	7,062
Bus Drivers Salaries	49,986
Spec Ed A Bus Dr Sal	959
Spec Ed B Bus Dr Sal	5,830
Clerical Salary	1,200
Bus Drivers Physicals	300
PURCHASED SERVICES	
Telephone	6,000
Heating Fuel	51,000
Electricity	37,000
Water	1,100
Cont Serv Grounds	2,000
Cont Serv Bldg BIEQ	14,000
Cont Serv Equipment	6,000
Dus Driver Program Cost	600
Skills Exam Fee	100
Travel Bus Driver School	600
Transportation Ins	3,500
Vehicle Parts	3,000
Contracted Mechanics	4,000
Prop Boiler Ins	10,164
Treasurer's Bond	95
Supplies Grounds	900
Supplies Bldg BI Eq	8,000
Supplies Equipment	1,900
Custodial Supplies	9,000
Gas, Oil, Grease	18,000
Tires, Tubes, Batteries	2,100
Misc Supplies Parts	4,000
Equipment Replacement	12,000
Vehicle Replacement	27,000
Interest on Loans	14,000
Health Services	600
Coaches Salaries	35,000
Mandatory Ret Charges	709
Mandatory Ret Charges	255
Monitoring Services	250
Rental Data Proc Equip	7,000
Tuition Expenditures	5,000
Expenses to Other Districts	16,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$1,777,330

Under the new converted accounting system adopted state-wide, the presentation of a budget becomes extremely difficult since each area must be broken down much more precisely and with individuals and buildings accounted for in each line item of the budget. In preparing this budget for your study, I have removed all the numbers (16 of which appear before each expense item) and the General Fund number in order to avoid as much confusion as possible. Most of the budget you will be able to identify by school and when you see expenditures repeated, you will know that the figure represents one of the four schools, special education, etc.

It is extremely important for you to know just how, why, and where your tax dollars are being spent in your schools. If you have any questions about the expenditures or some item for which you wish more information, do not hesitate to call me at any time. You might also wish to stop in for a visit to review the budget with me or raise any questions you may have or concerns about expenditures.

It is also important to point out here that I am presenting here only the General Fund Budget. At a later date, I will be presenting you an accounting of the Internal Account which holds all monies generated by athletic events, fund-raising activities, clubs, class accounts, etc. The Internal Account is totally separate from the General Fund operating budget and while under the control of the Board of Education must be separated and not used in the general operation of the schools.

For the Manchester Schools Board of Education,
William J. Green, Superintendent

Gingerbread People From Santa's Workshop

Part of the traditional holiday preparations in many homes is the shaping and decorating of an assortment of cookies. Create the magic of Christmas in your house by having a cookie baking spree. Commemorate Christmas past by selecting some favorite cookie recipes from your childhood—and Christmas present with some new additions.

Gingerbread people are made with "sugar" in spice "n' every thing nice." Ground peanuts are incorporated in the batter and whole peanuts are used to decorate the cookies. These delicious cookies make excellent Christmas tree ornaments or stocking stuffers.

GINGERBREAD PEOPLE

- 2-1/4 cups unsifted flour
- 1 cup Planters Cocktail Peanuts, ground
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 3/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1/8 teaspoon ground allspice
- 1/2 cup (1 stick) margarine
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 1/4 cup water
- Currents
- Candied cherries
- Planters Cocktail Peanuts

Mix together flour, ground peanuts, baking soda, ginger, nutmeg and allspice; set aside. Cream margarine and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in molasses and water. On low speed gradually add flour mixture; blend thoroughly. Chill several hours. On well-floured board roll out dough to 1/8-inch thickness. Cut with floured 5-inch gingerbread cookie



As the picture changes to a bright New Year, we wish you the very best of everything. Warmly we thank you for your loyalty and good will.

Norm Walz Construction



Holidays are happy days — and the time when one most appreciates good friends and neighbors. Best wishes to one and all.

K & W Equipment, Inc.



Sincere thanks to our friends and patrons. It has been our pleasure to serve you. We will strive to merit your continued confidence.

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With best New Year wishes, heartfelt thanks for your patronage.

Keith's Barber Shop

ONLY GENTLEMEN
On New Year's Day in early Amsterdam, great bowls of punch were set out surrounded with cookies and cakes made from cherished family recipes, and Dutch wives donned their best dresses and sat in the parlor to await callers. They were holding the first "open house". It is interesting that only the gentlemen went calling; the women had to stay home to receive guests until some practical soul arranged a list of calling hours so the women could get out too.

PREDICTIONS
Man has always been curious about what the future brings and predictions are made in the world of politics, relations with other countries as well as personal affairs. It's hardly possible to be indifferent about the New Year. We cannot help dwell for a moment on the happenings and personal events of 1974—and we have hopes and plans for 1975. Have a good year!



We Wish Prosperity for the Community; Joy and Peace to our Friends and Neighbors.

Woodside Automotive



THE NEW YEAR DAWNS — AND HOPE BLOOMS IN THE HEARTS OF MEN.

Sutton Agency



Though kissing under the mistletoe is believed to be distinctly English in character, a custom long known in parts of Austria was often enjoyed at inns and taverns where people spent New Year's Eve. Greens were used to decorate the rooms and a large wreath was hung from the ceiling in the parlor or largest room. A character known as Sylvester would be lurking in a dark corner. He is a strange character, ancient and ugly in appearance. He wore a flaxen beard and a wreath of mistletoe on his head. Whenever anyone in the room — man or woman, young or old — passed beneath the evergreen wreath, this old man would jump out from the shadows and bestow a rough kiss and a hug on the passer-by. But, when midnight came, Sylvester was driven out. This folkway is believed to represent the banishing of the old year.



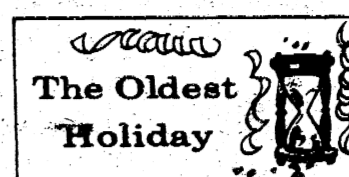
Sound the trumpet, ring the bells, gather loved ones, close and near, Our wish for all, this message tells: health, happiness, prosperity, good cheer.

Mann's Feed Mill



Good luck, good fortune for all the coming days. Special holiday greetings to our valued patrons and friends.

Black Sheep Tavern



MIDNIGHT
The hour of midnight is a special occasion. The moment is here to ring out the old and ring in the new. The old year is left to memory and coming up now is a new supply of time. In the spirit of togetherness let's share this time with one another.

OFFICIAL SOUND

Everyone in Iceland bundles up and goes out to watch a display of fireworks, which says good-bye to the old year and welcomes the new. In the harbor, at the same time, all the ships sound their horns. It's the sound everyone waits for—the New Year is official.

Both primitive and civilized people have noted New Year's as our oldest holiday. The Day has always been recognized with some sort of festivity and numerous traditions and customs are associated with its arrival.

WHAT'S THAT? YOU SAY YOU REALLY DON'T LIKE TO GO OUT ON NEW YEAR'S EVE? TOO EXPENSIVE? TOO NOISY? TOO CROWDED? — WHY NOT PLAN A TV PARTY TO USHER IN THE NEW YEAR?

WHAT'S A TRADITION?
Simply, a tradition is a cherished custom families repeat year after year, and generation after generation... the happy memories you have and want to give to your children. That's why traditions bring families together. Families can make meaningful traditions of little things.

1976 A.D.
Use of the notation A.D. ("in the year of our Lord") was initiated by Charles III of Germany, who adopted the symbolism to his reign in 879. The system of retroactively dating the years prior to the Saviour's birth and dedicating the succeeding years to His Glory was invented by a Monk about 532 A.D. This marked the beginning of what is termed the Christian Era.

A "MAI" IN ALSACE

It used to be the custom in Alsace to set up a "mai" in the public square for New Year's Day. This age-old tradition may well have been a forerunner of the community Christmas tree, popular in North America today. Usually the tree, its lower limbs stripped, was erected near a fountain. The term "mai" refers to decorations or to adorn. Dais, ribbons, and always a figure of a shepherd were hung on the tree which was put in place on New Year's Eve. The tree was allowed to remain standing throughout the year as a symbol of protection for the maidens who put it there.



We come to the New Year with appreciation for this community and our many friends and neighbors. We hope to serve you often.

Helfrich Masonry



We wish the very best to all the fine folks who are our friends and neighbors.

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HALLER & SON MEATS



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Weather or Not

There's no excuse for abandoning your exercise program merely because of filthy weather. Simply adapt your outdoor workout and your outfit to the season. Instead of running or jogging—which could be dangerous in ice or snow—why not slow things down to a walk? It should be a good brisk walk, mind you, one that makes you breathe more deeply, speeds up circulation and in general makes you feel more alive. For best results, alternate a comfortable marching pace with an occasional "forced march" for brief periods.

Keeping feet dry and warm is the most important thing for health and comfort. Rather than putting clumsy overshoes or galoshes on top of your regular walking shoes, try to find a single boot or shoe that will do the trick. See what the local sporting goods store or ski shop is showing in the way of walking shoes for snow country. Try on the newest style of walking shoes with lowered heel, and see if this is right for your particular feet. Be sure to try on all footwear over the socks you plan to wear on the coldest days as you'll need to allow extra room for them.

A warm cap contributes much to being comfortable, but only if it really keeps the wind out of your ears. Now's a good time to start to use that Christmas muffler. You can wind it around the lower part of your face on a really snowy day, to protect nose and chin, then stuff the ends inside a turned-up coat collar to fill every crack where the wind might whistle in. Are your gloves warm enough for icy weather? If not, get yourself some alkyl glove liners at a ski shop.

Don't exercise on an empty stomach just because you're pressed for time. You can fix a nourishing hot breakfast in minutes with Carnation instant breakfast. It gives you delicious flavor plus a boom-and-boost kind of energy to help you win the fight for physical fitness... in a walk!

Try these Winter Warm-Ups with instant breakfast:

HOT MAPLE NOG

Combine 1 cup cold milk, 1 envelope Carnation eggnog instant breakfast and 1 tablespoon maple syrup in saucepan. Cook over low heat, stirring occasionally until serving temperature. Serve in large coffee mug.

CAFE AU LAIT

Combine 1 cup cold milk, 1 envelope Carnation vanilla ice cream instant breakfast and 1½ teaspoons instant coffee in saucepan. Cook over low heat, stirring occasionally until serving temperature. Serve in large coffee mug.

CHOCOLATE MALLOW WHIP

Combine 1 cup cold milk, 1 envelope Carnation chocolate instant breakfast and 2 tablespoons marshmallow whip in saucepan. Cook over low heat until serving temperature, beating with wire whip occasionally to mix thoroughly. Serve in large coffee mug.

DID YOU KNOW



A LAW HAS PASSED IN 17th CENTURY ENGLAND FORBIDDING DOGS, CATS, AND ALL OTHER ANIMALS TO BE KEPT IN THE HOUSE. CATS, DOGS, AND ALL OTHER ANIMALS BEING THROWN INTO A FIRE FROM WHICH DRINKING WATER WAS TAKEN!



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SIGN IN!

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NEW YEAR GREETINGS

Season's best to our friends, a most happy holiday to all.

Village of Manchester

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS POLICE DEPARTMENT
VILLAGE COUNCIL

THE TOAST

England—cheerio
Czechoslovakia—na zdar
Hebrew—lachaim
Greece—ygeia

Should you wish to be more formal, and have the time to practice, you might wish your friends from other countries the traditional "Happy New Year" in this fashion:

SHIN NEN OME DE TO (Japanese)
GODT NYTT AAR (Norwegian)
A GLICKLUCH NIE YUOR (Yiddish)
BLAIDHAN NUA FE MHAISE DHUIT (Irish Gaelic)
GOON HO SINN SHEE (Chinese)
GLUECKLICHES NEU JAHR (German)
BONNE ET HEUREUSE ANNEE (French)
BUON CAPO D'ANNO (Italian)
AND IN ENGLISH—HAPPY NEW YEAR!

HAPPY NEW YEAR

We Hope All the Days to Come are Good to You in all ways, all Seasons.

Manchester Electric

RING IN THE NEW!

Season's best to each and every one. It is always a pleasure to serve you.

Bridgewater Lumber Co.

Ham for the Holidays

When the family gathers from near and far, the kitchen is the center of interest. What's baking there? Ham, of course. Ham is a universal holiday favorite that's as fun to prepare as it is flavorful to eat. Furthermore, it leaves those luscious leftovers!

Glazed Holiday Ham becomes especially tasty coated with Aunt Jemima Syrup, horseradish and nutmeg. A boneless ham makes serving a crowd easy, and the glaze adds tempting flavor and fragrance. The final garnish of cherries, pineapple and cloves makes this holiday ham truly glamorous!

GLAZED HOLIDAY HAM

3/4 cup Aunt Jemima Syrup	1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1 tablespoon prepared horseradish	One 4 to 5-lb. fully cooked boneless ham

Combine syrup, horseradish and nutmeg in heavy saucepan. Bring to a boil; simmer 5 minutes, stirring occasionally. Set aside. Bake ham as package directs. Score ham about 30 minutes before meat is done; baste with glaze. Continue cooking 15 minutes; baste with glaze. Garnish with cherries, pineapple rings and whole cloves, as desired.

MORNING AFTER I BURNED MY CANDLE AT BOTH ENDS — AND NOW HAVE NEITHER FOES NOR FRIENDS: FOR ALL THE LOVELY LIGHT BEGOTTEN, I'M PAYING NOW IN FEELING ROTTEN.

May All Friends Share The Holiday—All Dreams Come True Through The Year.

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BEST WISHES

May Old Friends and New Friendships Warm All Your Days All Through The Year.

Verhines Auto Salvage

Mocha Crunch Brownies



For something just a little different try these delicious tasting mocha crunch brownies.

- One 6-oz. pkg. (1 cup) semi-sweet real chocolate morsels
- 1 1/2 cups unsifted flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 1/2 cup heavy cream
- 1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon Nescafé
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup quick oats, uncooked
- 1 teaspoon Nescafé
- 1/2 cup heavy cream
- 1 cup chopped nuts

FROSTING: 1/2 cup butter, softened; 1/2 cup heavy cream; 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar; 1 teaspoon Nescafé; 1 cup chopped nuts

Preheat oven to 375°F. Melt over hot (not boiling) water. semi-sweet real chocolate morsels; remove from heat and set aside. In small bowl, combine flour, baking powder and salt; set aside. In large bowl, combine 1/2 cup butter, 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar and 1 tablespoon Nescafé; beat until creamy. Beat in eggs. Blend in chocolate; gradually blend in flour and oats. Spread into greased 13" x 9" x 2" baking pan.

BAKE at: 375°F. TIME: 25 minutes

Cool 5 minutes. Dot top with Frosting; spread evenly. Broil 2-4 minutes until golden. Cut into 2" squares.

FROSTING: In small bowl, combine 1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup brown sugar and 1 teaspoon Nescafé; beat until creamy. Blend in heavy cream and nuts.

Makes 24 squares.



Happy New Year

We look forward to 1977 and the opportunity it may bring to serve our friends and customers in every possible way.

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Happy New Year

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MANCHESTER BUSINESS MENS

TEAM	WON	LOST
Spikes Mobil	33	12
Krauss Pharmacy	32	13
Wolverine Bar	29	16
DuRussel Brothers	27	18
Smith Pallet	26	19
Manchester Tool & Die	26	19
Albers Excavating	25	20
The Village Tap	23	22
Grossman-Huber Gulf	22	23
Superior Land Developers	22	23
Albers Orchard	19.5	25.5
Gambles Store	18	27
K & W Farm Equip	18	27
Double A Products	18	27
G.E. Wacker, Inc.	17	28
Tom Marshall Ford	17	28
Union Savings Bank	16	29
Doug's Party Store	16	29
HIGH TEAM SERIES		
Smith Pallet	3120	
Wolverine Bar	3119	
Wolverine Bar	3115	
HIGH TEAM GAME		
Manchester Tool & Die	1113	
Tom Marshall Ford	1097	
Superior Land Dev.	1088	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES		
Andy Fletcher	645	
Micky White	621	
Dick Kuntz	617	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME		
Andy Fletcher	269	
M. White, D. Ganzhorn	254	
John Schaible	242	

MANCHESTER WOMEN

TEAM	WON	LOST
Koebbe Welding	299.5	150.5
Gambles	261.5	188.5
Maple City Meats	257	193
Columbia Foods	237	213
Columbia P. & H.	226	224
Weatherwax Drugs	222	228
Billmeyer Hardware	217	233
Doug's Party Store	210.5	239.5
Chivas Products	179.5	270.5
Mowry's Gulf	140	310
HIGH TEAM SERIES		
Gambles	3047	
Maple City Meats	3017	
Doug's Party Store	2990	
HIGH TEAM GAME		
Maple City Meats	1097	
Gambles	1076	
Columbia Foods	1053	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES		
Joyce Golightly	556	
Nancy Althouse	555	
Jan Blackburn	549	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME		
Jan Blackburn	243	
Joyce Golightly	218	
Dee Sharpe	212	

AGRICULTURE IN ACTION

MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU EDITORIAL

"SOMETHING FOR NOTHING" IS COSTLY

If you feel like you're earning more, but enjoying it less—you're probably right. According to the U.S. Labor Department, an average worker in private industry, supporting a family of four, now pays 23.4 percent MORE to the federal government for income tax and social security than he did a year ago.

Despite the fact that taxes are the fastest-growing expense in the cost of living, it's often food prices that play the "heavy" in this everyday drama of trying to stretch the weekly paycheck. Compared to other increases in consumer prices, food—up 2.4 percent—was low on the list. That's why farmers get a bit frustrated when they hear rumblings of government involvement in setting prices on food products. They think consumers ought to be more concerned about attacking the real cause of inflation—excessive government spending.

That's not an easy task. We can express shock when we hear congressional staff members have increased by 44 percent and staff salary appropriations have doubled since 1970. We can tell our Congressmen to stop the spending spree which has fueled the fires of inflation. The hard part comes when we have to admit our own responsibility in the nation's number one problem—and then do something about it. Human greed, the desire to get "something for nothing," the continual demand for more government benefits than we are willing to pay for through taxes—this has caused inflation. We cannot demand, out of one side of our mouth, that Congress halt big spending and, out of the other side, demand more government programs. This "sparking with forked tongue" will not solve the problem.

Demand for more government involvement in our daily lives also leads to another danger, according to Paul Polpot, author of "The Pension Law." His words are worth pondering...

"Those who contend in this day that the government of the United States owes a living to any citizen, or group of citizens, are forfeiting their own liberty and that of their fellowmen to a grasping government which can and will make beggars of men otherwise able to care for themselves and naturally inclined to be charitable toward others. Much of the apparent need for governmental aid today is strictly a product of too much government, not the other way around. When government forcibly deprives productive men of a third or more of their earnings, as it does now in this country, it has seriously reduced their opportunity to care for either the aged or the youthful unproductive members of their own families. The cure for this situation lies in less government—not more; in greater individual opportunity—not less."

Inflation and the threat of lost liberty—problems which could be solved with a national realization that there is no such thing as "something for nothing."

NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST

Karen C. Bird, a Senior in the School of Arts and Social Sciences at Lake Superior State College, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall quarter. Those on the list have earned a 3.0 (B) or higher average for 10 or more credit hours; part-time students are not eligible for the dean's list until they have accumulated 15 credit hours.

The Tuesday Nite Singles Club have dances every Tuesday night from 9 p.m. to 12 p.m. Dancing to live music and refreshments are served. The dances are at Roma Hall, 2196 West Stadium (West Stadium and Liberty St.) in Ann Arbor. All Singles 25 and over are invited to come. Joe Wash will provide the entertainment on January 4.

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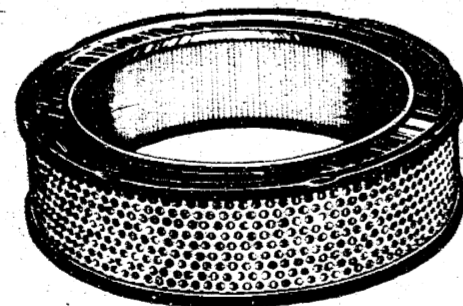
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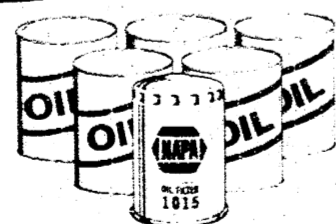
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