

# Money Management

**To Buy Or Not Buy?**  
(Prepared by the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants)  
To buy or not to buy? That is the question facing many individuals who are in the market for a new car or residence. According to the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants, it is generally a person's individual needs and circumstances that determines whether it would be best to buy or lease. Each option has its own set of advantages and disadvantages, all of which should be carefully examined.

Not long ago, the questions facing new car buyers was whether to pay cash or to finance. Now leasing presents a third choice. When you lease a car, you (the lessee) are using a vehicle that belongs to someone else (the lessor) under certain conditions (the lease agreement). Better yet just think of it as a long-term rental car.

There are several good reasons to lease a car, although saving money is usually not one of them. It almost always costs more in the long run to lease a car than to buy one. However, some people find it more convenient to lease a car.

Many leasing companies would like you to believe that leasing costs less because there's no down payment. And, yes, the monthly payments are often lower, but that's because they are based on the new car price less its resale value at the expiration of the lease. When you finance a car, your monthly payment is based on the car's entire cost less your down payment. But when the car is paid off, it's yours. When your lease expires, you usually own nothing. But if you long to drive a Cadillac and can't afford the down payment, leasing may make your dream come true.

As for tax considerations, CPAs report that under tax reform you no longer have an itemized deduction for the sales tax on your new car and this year you may only deduct 65 percent of the car loan interest. (That amount will gradually be phased out until it reaches zero after 1990.)

If the added convenience of no cash down features of leasing appeal to you, shop around. The best deals and lowest monthly payments generally are available on cars that have the highest resale value. So beware - that loaded pink Cadillac you love may have limited appeal, lowering its resale value and raising your costs. There are two basic types of leasing agreements - open-end and closed-end - of which closed-end has become the most prevalent. With a closed-end lease, the company takes the car back at the end of the lease period. The company sells it and takes the profit or loss. Sounds easy enough, but you'll want to read the fine print to be sure of your responsibilities.

Most lease agreements require that you return the car in good condition, less ordinary wear and tear. Just what constitutes ordinary wear and tear is something you'll want to investigate before signing. Also, if you exceed the agreed upon mileage, you will be responsible for the excess mileage - usually to the tune of eight to ten cents a mile for each additional mile.

With an open-end lease, an estimated resale price is specified when the lease is signed. When the lease expires, if the car sells for more you pocket the gain. If it sells for less, you pay the difference. Your monthly payment may be lower with an open-end lease but you do run the risk of losing money in the end. Although the fact of the matter is that leasing a car will cost more, it may very well be the right decision for some drivers. The choice to buy or lease one's residence has been around longer than the corresponding choice on cars. Although the facts and figures differ, once again, in the long run, it is generally cheaper to buy than rent. However, there are many instances where renting may make more sense - even when it's not cost-effective. A house provides you with a stable and generally high-yielding investment. You build up equity and your home can serve as an asset you can borrow against. For most people, there is also a definite tax advantage to home ownership. Because mortgage interest costs and real estate taxes are deductible, your ownership costs are directly related to your income tax

bracket. The higher your income and your tax bracket, the more you stand to save by owning your home. Those taxpayers who do not itemize, do not realize any tax benefit of ownership.  
On the other hand, home ownership does require a hefty down payment (which could otherwise be invested) and a commitment to many years of monthly payments. And as a homeowner, your responsibility doesn't end there. You will have to devote a great deal of time and money to the upkeep of your home. Now, what about renting? Yes, like leasing, it does cost more in the long run, particularly in the sense that you do not realize the build-up of equity, nor do you receive the tax benefits. In addition, unless you are protected by rent control, you can never be quite sure of future rent increases. If they come, you either pay the increase or you move.  
Renting does, however, provide you with more financial flexibility. If you lose your job, get transferred or otherwise decide to relocate, it is generally easier to accomplish this in a relatively short period of time if you are renting. When you rent, your commitment is limited to the term of your lease - not a 30-year mortgage. Your day-to-day living expenses will probably be lower than if you were an owner.  
Taxes, major repairs, mowing grass and shoveling snow may all be the responsibility of your landlord. Another plus - if you're not sure you like an area or neighborhood, renting can give you a chance to test your surroundings without making a large financial commitment.  
Which is better for you? It depends on your circumstances. CPAs suggest that renting or leasing may very well be more appropriate at one state of your life; ownership at another.

### Meeting Notices

**Rogers Corners Farm Bureau**  
The Rogers Corners Farm Bureau group will meet Friday, September 11th at 8 p.m. at the home of Ken and Kathy Siler.

**American Legion Auxiliary**  
The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Legion Home on September 9, 1987, at 7:30 p.m. This will be the first meeting of the new season, and all members are urged to attend.

## Area Agencies Battle AIDS

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, or AIDS, is still an incurable, deadly disease that affects thousands of Americans. Several Washtenaw United Way agencies supply support and aid to victims of this fatal illness. The American Red Cross (971-5300) tests all donated blood for the HIV antibody. If the donor tests positive for the HIV antibody, the blood is destroyed. A Red Cross nurse meets with the donor and recommends that he or she see a physician for further tests. For people who have had transfusions prior to March 1985 and are worried about possible contamination, the Red Cross will test them for the presence of the HIV antibody. To fight the further spread of the disease, the Red Cross will soon offer an AIDS education program aimed at junior high and high school students, a work place awareness program for adults, and a general public education program for clubs and organizations.

## Fishing

Hilda Weiser notes that "The AIDS test is an important part of the Clinic's premarital exams. Couples who are about to marry and start families need to know if they could possibly pass the disease on to their children." If you have any questions about AIDS or would like more information, call one of the above agencies or the AIDS Hotline at 1-800-342-AIDS.

## Fishing

Seated at our table a few days since, looking over exchanges, we were accosted by a friend, thus: "By jove, Mat, this is the dullest day of the season, and I for one, do hereby propose that this institution 'go fishing.'" Well, what could I say in reply, but agree; so furnishing ourselves with hooks, lines and other "Necessities," we proceeded up the river in hopes of a jolly old time. Finding a suitable location we proceeded to "drop a line" to the denizens of the Raisin, in full confidence of success. After fishing for about an hour we succeeded in hauling out one little insignificant sun-fish. It dropped off the hook among the flood-wood, and throwing down our fishing tackle we made a lunge for the creature, but he was too slippery for us to handle in our eagerness to capture the little one, we lost our balance and fell down among the logs, tearing our trousers in a way uncomfortable to sit down and think about. However, we was not to be put off with this, for "there's as good fish in the sea as has ever been caught." We seated ourselves on the bank and awaited a nibble, when

## Customers To Receive Refund

Consumers Power Company's 1.4 million electric customers will receive a one-time refund totaling \$74 million in September bills. A typical residential customer, using 500 kilowatt-hours per month, will receive a refund of \$18.25, which will appear as a bill credit. The refund stems from a recent Michigan Public Service Commission decision which reduced a \$137 million annual rate increase granted Consumers Power in 1984 to \$115 million. The rate reduction is effective in September bills and saves a typical residential customer \$1.18 per month.

Consumers Power Company, the principal subsidiary of CMS Energy Corporation, is Michigan's largest utility serving almost six million of the state's nine million residents in 67 of the 68 Lower Peninsula counties. We don't like mosquitoes; we never did; they are always sticking their nose into other folks' business. We accordingly lit our pipe and proceeded to smoke them out, but we got smoked out first. We never had the name of being very brave, but we did fight like a hero; 'twas of no use; they flocked in as tho' there was to be a free lunch just for their special benefit. We tried to cut off communications, but they would "settle their little bills," (just like our patrons) for all we could do. We fought like brave men, long and well. We piled the ground with skeeters slain. We conquered and the skeeters fell. Bleeding at every vein. The few surviving comrades saw Our smile, then rang their loud huzzas. And the red field won. About this time our companion came to the conclusion that "all bites" and no fish was about played out, so gathering up our scattered "equipments" we left in disgust. Arriving at home our friends failed to recognize us, and we glad, for the rent in our pantaloon was disgraceful to the dignity of the "quillist." Upon squinting into our mirror we were unable to tell whether it was I or some other Dutchman.

## Chamber Of Commerce To Meet

Chamber of Commerce members and guests will have an opportunity to inspect the new Chateau Grand Traverse at the first meeting of the 1987-88 year. Officers and a Director for the new year will be elected and a reception featuring wine and cheese will be held in the tasting room. Non-alcoholic beverages will also be available. The meeting will be Wednesday, September 16, 1987, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Chateau Grand Traverse, 5701 Sharon Hollow Road (old Sharon Mill). Businesses and industries as well as local residents interested in the Chamber of Commerce are invited to attend. Members are urged to bring spouses and prospective members. There will be a \$4 charge per person for refreshments. R.S.V.P. by Monday, September 14, to Mary Kallewaard (428-7194) or Mark VanBogelen (428-8389). **SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE!**

## 65th Wedding Anniversary Celebrated



Mr. and Mrs. Lowell E. Parr

The 65th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell E. Parr, of Manchester, will be observed Sunday, September 13, 1987, with a family dinner. The dinner will be held at the home of their granddaughter Mrs. Ellen Stoolmaker of Grand Lodge. Alta Lydia Grossman and Lowell E. Parr were married September 12, 1922, at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Parr have two daughters, Lucille A. Bevier and Doris Lamb, both residing in Brooklyn. They also have five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Mr. Parr is a retired farmer. They are members of the Emanuel United Church of Christ in Manchester, the Golden Wedding Club, (Citizen Patriot), and Mrs. Parr has been a life-long member of the Shakespeare Club of Manchester.

## Twelve Together

Washtenaw County Juvenile Court is proud to introduce Twelve Together, a drop-out and delinquency prevention program. The Court has awarded a grant to the Metropolitan Detroit Youth Foundation to provide peer counseling and tutorial services to ten groups of twelve youth at a variety of locations throughout Washtenaw County. Starting in October, 1982, Twelve-Together forms support groups of twelve youth who attend a weekend retreat, a parent reception, 6 monthly Academic Forums, and 22 peer counseling/tutorial meetings held weekly in after school sessions. Each year from 1982 to 1985, 20 new groups have successfully been formed. In 1986-87, 42 new groups were formed. Each group is led by two trained volunteer advisors. The premise of the program is that high school years are the pivotal years for transition to adulthood. By being a part of a positive peer group, high school students can get the support and direction they need to overcome problems which lead to dropping out such as poor study habits, absenteeism, substance abuse, violence and vandalism in the schools, teen pregnancy, and other personal and family problems. United, the students can survive. Alone, too many simply drop out of everything. They do not become graduation statistics. Rather, they join the statistics of unemployment and crime. Judith James Wood, Juvenile Court Judge, notes that "This program has a national reputation and we are extremely fortunate to have Twelve Together in Washtenaw County. They will be filing a large void in prevention services for high risk youth and the program hopefully will keep those youth from becoming criminal statistics in the future." Eligible youth will be those 14 to 17 years of age who are residents of Washtenaw County and who meet at least one of the following criteria: (1) are involved with the Court

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## Obituary

Ivan Gordon Alder  
15651 Esauzes Road  
Grass Lake

Age 48, died Sunday evening, September 6, 1987, at Chelsea Community Hospital. He was born February 26, 1939, in Chelsea, the son of Ivan Gordon and Minnie A. (Scripter) Alder, Sr. Mr. Alder was employed at the Chrysler Proving Grounds for 20 years and was a member of the UAW Local 1284. In Chelsea on February 14, 1959, he married Linda Welch who survives.

Also surviving is his daughter and son-in-law LeAnn and Clay Belkonek of Ypsilanti and a son Gordon Alan Alder at home; his mother Minnie Alder of Manchester and his father of Detroit; six sisters Alta Young and Virginia Ramey both of Manchester, Beatrice Jarrell of Kentucky, Betty Braun of Saline and Mary Spiegelberg and Shirley Ritz both of Manchester; three brothers Carl Young of Napoleon, George Young of Cement City and Robert Alder of Ypsilanti; many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held

Wednesday, September 9, 1987, at 2:00 p.m. from the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home in Chelsea with the Rev. Robert B. Macfarlane, Pastor of Emmanuel United Church of Christ of Manchester officiating. Burial followed in Maple Grove Cemetery, Sylvan Center.

## M Big 10 Run

The 8th Annual Michigan Big 10 Run is scheduled to be held in Ann Arbor on Sunday, September 20, at 8 a.m. Three events including a 10-mile and 8-k race, and a 2-mile jog/walk will attract more than 1700 participants to benefit the American Lung Association of Michigan. A free Aerobic Dance-Thon will be available from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. along with food and refreshments immediately after the events.

Awards will be presented to individuals and corporate team winners in various categories, and a raffle will also be held.

For further information regarding events or registration, please contact the American Lung Association of Michigan at (313) 995-1030. There will be no registration the day of the race.

## Millions At Stake

Local government and school district funding could suffer losses of at least \$115 million, according to a study of the cases pending before the Michigan Tax Tribunal. The study, conducted by the Michigan Tax Information Council, examined 768 of 1,435 pending appeals to determine what type of property is being appealed and the possible losses to local governments and school districts.

Potential losses to Michigan municipalities could be over \$10 million if the Tribunal rules in favor of the appealing taxpayers. Counties face possible losses of over \$6 million and townships nearly \$1 million.

The big losers, however, would be school districts not receiving aid under the State School Aid Formula. These "out-of-formula" schools could lose over \$34 million in revenues which would not be replaced by state aid. Many districts' losses would not be enough to move them into the "in-formula" category. Per-pupil expenditures would decrease dramatically unless local millage increases are approved.

Losses to school districts in in-formula schools could be offset by increased state aid monies. This would, however, deplete state funds or make more state appropriations for education necessary.

Although publicity has centered around the multi-million dollar cases of corporations such as General Motors, Upjohn and Ford Motor Company, almost 70% of the appeals concern commercial real properties, such as apartment buildings, rather than industrial property. Commercial Personal and Industrial Real Property each account for just over 8% of the cases studied.

Referrals to the program should be made to the Court by schools, sheriff's and police departments and other interested parties.

For further information please call Gwen Moore or Amy Brandeis, Twelve Together, Metropolitan Detroit Youth Foundation, 864-0700, or Susan Finley, Programs Coordinator, Washtenaw County Juvenile Court, 971-2240.

## Fifty Years Of Marriage

Fifty years of marriage was celebrated on September 4th by Elenora P. (Sloat) Allan and Lee A. Allan of Manchester.

An evening entertainment of dining at the Cousins Heritage Inn was provided by their daughter Christie, her husband Clifford Manor, and their two granddaughters Kimberle and Jenelle.

Sunday, September 6th the Manchester United Methodist Church Women hosted a coffee, and cake reception in honor of Lee and Nonnie after the morning service.

## Bridgewater Township

Synopsis of the August 17, 1987, Bridgewater Township Meeting.

All Board members present; five electors.

Clerk's report and Treasurer's report was accepted.

Bills presented and paid. Voucher #1963 held for consideration.

Letter of resignation from D. Becklehammer was accepted from the Planning Commission Board. All interested residents willing to be on the Planning Commission please notify the Clerk's office by September 21, 1987.

Board adjourned 9:35 p.m.

Changes of the Transfer Site charges were discussed.

W.C.R.C. letter was discussed. Board approved an application on roads by 9-1-87.

Board acknowledged the work done on the township grounds and will give further attention at next meeting.

Board passed that old chairs be used to residents only, no tables used outside hall.

Zoning Inspectors report granted permits, Clark, Getty and Humphry.

Planning Commission in August cancelled; September will meet 14th.

Board adjourned 9:35 p.m.

## Senior Citizens News

Labor Day has gone and as we oldtimers say, 'Time to put away your white shoes and get ready for fall'. School has started, the leaves are turning and our senior activities have begun in earnest. Let's get out of the house and go enjoy the senior meal program at Emanuel on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon, all who are 55 or over. The cost is small and the satisfaction is great. The senior bus will pick you up if you need a ride. Call the Center at 428-7181. The August and September birthdays are being celebrated today, September 10. Won't you come join in?

Tuesday, September 15 - Pastor Riske will give his presentation at 11:00 a.m. Noon lunch will feature baked chicken.

Wednesday, September 16 - Seniors will leave the Center at 11:00 a.m. to visit residents of Cedar Knoll and Chelsea Methodist Home. Call Helen Knickerbocker if you can go along. Chamber of Commerce meeting has been changed to this

date (from September 9) and will have an evening meeting and reception beginning at 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 17 - Exercise is tentatively set for 11:00 a.m. Chop suey is on the menu and bingo will follow.

We are gratified with 'purchases' made with our Bill Knapp's bonus points. Please keep them coming in. You may ask for them when you pay your bill and return them to the seniors. There are canisters in town or drop them off at the Center - thank you. Get your reservations in to Helen for upcoming American Tour trips. The following trips and tours are suggested: Michigan Heritage Day at Hanover October 4; Statue of Liberty Tour October 7-14; Covered bridge tour October 10; and the popular Christmas at Whiting trip on December 19. The fall is the ideal time for senior travel, when nature is at her very best.

from all sources for all in the entire family must not be more than: family of 1 - \$7,150; family of 2 - \$9,620; family of 3 - \$12,090; family of 4 - \$14,560; family of 5 - \$17,030; family of 6 - \$19,500; family of 7 - \$21,970; family of 8 - \$24,400. Add \$3,008 for each household member beyond family size of 8.

For households in which the head of the family is 60 years of age or over, the following applies: family of 1 - \$8,800; family of 2 - \$11,840; family of 3 - \$14,880; family of 4 - \$17,920.

If you have any questions call 428-8852 or the Community Service Agency in Ann Arbor at 994-1650.

## School Hot Lunch Menu

Monday, September 14 - Chicken Patty on Bun, French Fries, Dill Pickles, Peach Half, Milk.

Tuesday, September 15 - Beef Goulash with Cheese, Buttered Green Beans, Dinner Roll with Butter, Fruit Cocktail, Milk.

Wednesday, September 16 - Deli-Turkey Sandwich, Baked Beans, Vegetable Sticks, Crushed Pineapple, Milk.

Thursday, September 17 - Burrito with Chili, Hash Brown Patty, Buttered Sliced Carrots, Cake, Milk.

Friday, September 18 - Cheese & Sausage Pizza, Tossed Salad with Dressing, Lemon Pudding, Fresh Fruit, Milk.

"History is the bed carved by the river of life."  
Friedrich Hebbel

## Federal Foods Distribution

Federal surplus foods will be distributed in the Manchester area Friday, September 18, at the Manchester United Methodist Church from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The longer hours are due to the "Fall Shop" set up for low income families each fall by Manchester Family Service. For further information, call Claire Reck at 428-8852.

Eligibility for the Federal food program is determined by income levels set by the Federal government. Those levels are as follows: for households in which the head of the family is under 60 years of age, the annual income

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Public Hearing will be held on September 21, 1987, before the Manchester Village Council for the purpose of hearing comments on the application of Vera L. Kluwe, DVM for a Conditional Use Permit under provisions of Chapter 51, Article 12, Section 5.133 (4) Animal Hospitals or Clinics of the Manchester Village Code.

The provisions of the Code make it possible for a Conditional Use Permit to be granted for a "Animal Hospital or Clinic" in a General Commercial District, if standards and findings support the issuance of such a permit.

Ms. Vera L. Kluwe's application pertains to an Animal Clinic at 230 East Main Street.

The Public Hearing will begin at 7:15 p.m., in the down stairs Council Room of the Village Hall, 120 South Clinton Street. If you wish to comment but are unable to attend the hearing, you may send written comment to the Clerk, Village of Manchester, 120 South Clinton Street, Manchester, Michigan 48158, or deliver written comments to the Village in care of the Clerk or Treasurer. Written comments must be received no later than 2:00 p.m. on September 18, 1987.

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**Fall Fleece Fair Opera Performance**

For the fourth consecutive year, the Spinners' Flock, a Washtenaw County based hand-spinners' guild, will be holding its fall Fleece Fair at Spindrift Farm near Chelsea, Michigan. This annual event, scheduled for Sunday, September 20, 1987, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., will feature Michigan wool, mohair and angora, as well as blends and exotic fibers. In addition to fleeces, rovings and batts for spinners, quilters and other fiber-artists, there will be handspun yarns in natural and dyed colors, ready for knitting, weaving and other uses. These unique yarns are prized by weavers and other fiber-artists for their special beauty and quality. Finished goods, made in whole or in part, of handspun yarn, will also be offered.

Throughout the hours of the sale there will be demonstrations of handspinning, dyeing and weaving. Experienced knitters will be available to give advice on the use of handspun in their craft. All goods of fibers will be the work of Spinners' Flock members who now number over seventy. Organized in 1979, the guild draws its membership from Washtenaw, Lenawee and Livingston counties.

For further information about the Fleece Fair or about Spinners' Flock, call 313-475-2306, 313-769-1657, or 313-971-7614. Spindrift Farm is located at 10958 Scio Church Road, Chelsea, Michigan.

**Dutchmen Overpower Clinton**

by Jon

The Chelsea Community Hospital Breather's Club and the American Lung Association of Michigan are offering a free opera for adults with chronic lung disease. Papagena Opera Company, an Ann Arbor performing arts group, will present Mozart's opera, "Il Re Pastore (The Shepherd King)" in the Main Dining Room of Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main, Chelsea, on Saturday, September 19, at 2 p.m.

"The Shepherd King" is a simple five-character pastoral opera based upon a drama originally intended to teach the young Joseph that the lessons of a wise shepherd might benefit a future Emperor. A narrative will be added to excerpts from this two-act opera to keep the presentation brief but beautiful. The performance will be a 50-minute presentation in full costume, with beautiful singing and in English translation.

Breather's Club members are invited to bring their family or a guest to enjoy this exciting theatrical event and to thrill to unforgettable singing and music.

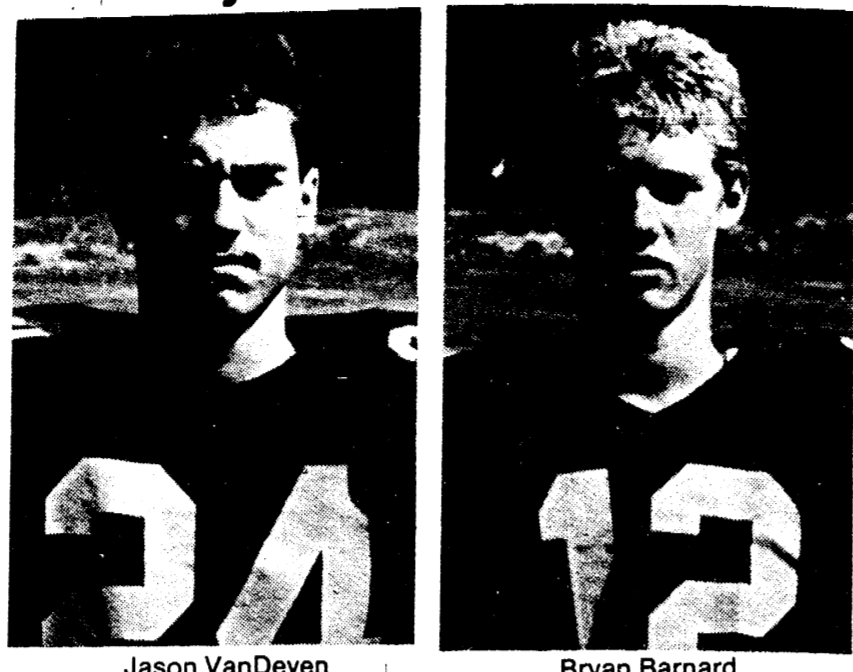
For further information regarding the free opera or upcoming Breather's Club educational support groups, please call the American Lung Association of Michigan at (313) 995-1030.

On Friday, the Redskins came to town and left on the short end of a 15-6 score. The first half of the contest was a typical rough-and-tumble defensive battle, which produced no score.

Clinton hit pay dirt first in the third period on a 68-yard pass play. The point after touchdown failed, leaving the tally 6-0. Not long after, our Bryan Barnard intercepted his second pass of the evening. This play turned the tables as in less than 40 seconds, we went atop to stay. Our Jason VanDeven lined up as a lonesome end, and as the ball was snapped, quarterback Tom Mann threw to the touchdown. Jason also toed the extra point to put us ahead to stay 7-6. Four minutes later we iced the victory as Scott Gross motored 29 yards for the TD. Tom's pass to Brian Gebhardt added 2 more points to put the game out of reach - 15-6.

Our Little Dutch had their win streak halted Thursday night when Clinton beat them 16-8.

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**Manchester Village Council Proceedings**

**Approved Minutes August 17, 1987**

The regular meeting of the Manchester Village Council was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Pro-Tem Tapping with the Pledge of Allegiance. Present: Tapping, Limpert, Reinhart, Becktel, Harris. Also present: Gary Wiedmayer, Brad Roberts, Chris Spork, Barbara Fuller, Glen Burkhardt, J.K. Schaffer, Jay Clouse, Rebecca Doyle, Bob Daverman, Sandra Carraher, Mike Balent, Monty Okey, Robert Lowery, Wendy Chapin, Robert Chapin, Cecilia Chapin, Eleonora DiLiscia.

Mayor Pro-Tem Tapping announced that the September 7th Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 8, 1987, due to Labor Day. There were no objections.

Motion by Harris, supported by Becktel to approve the minutes of the August 3, 1987, regular meeting as presented. Ayes - all. CORRESPONDENCE

The Clerk presented Council with a letter from Morton Thiokol, Inc. which Council referred to the Village Manager.

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

The statement was made that the Agenda was incomplete and that it is the responsibility of the Village Manager or the Mayor to set the Agenda.

Motion by Harris, supported by Becktel to accept the Agenda with the deletions of all items subsequent to and including item 11 (Managers Report). Roll Call Vote: Ayes - all.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Mr. Jay Clouse approached Council for permission to hold the Annual American Legion Parade on November 8, 1987, at 2:00 p.m. Motion by Becktel, supported by Limpert, to allow the American Legion to have the parade on November 8th, and that the American Legion contact Sgt. Spork from the Sheriff's Department about traffic control. Ayes - all.

Mr. Robert Daverman and Monty Okey from the Manchester Historic District Study Group were present to review the rough draft of a proposed amendment to the Village of Manchester Ordinance Code, for Historic Districts with Council. ZBA - CHAPIN

Motion by Reinhart, supported by Becktel, to adjourn as Council and reconvene as Zoning Board of Appeals at 7:15 p.m.

Wendy Chapin reviewed the drawings with Council.

The Clerk read a letter from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chapin in favor of the variance.

Becktel offered a motion, supported by Harris, to approve the appeal from the 25 foot set back. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - all.

Motion by Becktel, supported by Limpert, to adjourn as Zoning Board of Appeals and reconvene as Council at 7:25. Ayes - all.

Barb Fuller from the Recreational Task Force approached Council with a Proposed Recreational Trail. After some discussion regarding the markers, Reinhart offered a motion, supported by Limpert, to approve the Recreational Trail pending written permission from property owners for placement of markers. Ayes - all.

Marshall entered at 7:35 p.m. SHERIFF'S REPORT

Sheriff's Report was received. Motion by Limpert, supported by Harris, to accept Sheriff's Report as received. Ayes - all.

DPW REPORT

DPW report was received. Harris asked Wiedmayer if the DPW has found themselves in need of some direction in the absence of the Village Manager or if everything was being handled alright. Wiedmayer reported that in the Village Manager's absence he has had to seek out Council members twice to approve things such as overtime and putting the water tower back on line. These were decisions that in the past Wiedmayer would have had the authority to handle himself.

Council asked questions concerning the televising of the Macomb St. sewer. Burkhardt, supported by Reinhart, Porter and Seeley, recommended not to consider the paving of Macomb St. until the results of the televising were received.

Motion by Limpert, supported by Marshall, to accept the DPW Report. Ayes - all.

Becktel offered a motion, supported by Limpert, to pay Wiedmayer for the meeting due to the absence of the Village Manager - to answer questions.

**PLANNING COMMISSION**

Marshall reviewed the Planning Commission minutes of August 12th with Council.

**MANAGER'S REPORT**

Tapping read the following letter from the DNR regarding Treatment Works Grant - Village of Manchester C262401-02: Dear Mr. Naimowicz: It has been determined that there is sufficient funds to certify to EPA The Village of Manchester's Step 4 grant application. However, before I can certify the application, the Village of Manchester and the Department of Natural Resources needs to come to an agreement on the terms and conditions of the Consent Decree regarding compliance with the July 1, 1988, deadline stated in the Clean Water Act. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,  
 Janice Lynn Tompkins  
 Municipal Facilities Section  
 Surface Water Quality Division  
 517-373-6626

Burkhart explained that the Consent Decree regarding compliance with the July 1, 1988, deadline stated in the Clean

Water Act will cost the Village \$70.00 a day for everyday that we are not in compliance. It was stated that if things are underway, in the past, the charge was only \$35.00 a day. This money will have to be paid up front before the DNR would certify. Burkhardt explained that they were hoping for a spring groundbreaking and the grant, if certified, would cover approximately 65% of the cost.

Hinkley entered at 7:55 p.m. The Wastewater Treatment Plant Grant was discussed at length. It was the consensus of Council that the Mayor (in the Village Manager's absence) contact the DNR immediately to finalize the paper work.

The Riverside Pump Station was the next item of discussion. Burkhardt said the problem could be corrected at a cost of approximately \$1100.00. There was some discussion as to who was responsible for the cost.

Motion by Tapping, supported by Hinkley, to fix the problem at the Riverside Pump Station at the Village's expense. Roll Call Vote: Tapping - yes; Limpert - no; Reinhart - no; Becktel - no; Harris - no; Marshall - no; Hinkley - yes. Motion defeated.

Motion by Limpert, supported by Becktel, that any additional cost on the Pump Station that was not the direct result of any act on the part of the Village should be the responsibility of the engineering firm or the contractor which ever the case may be. Roll Call Vote: Tapping - no; Limpert - yes; Reinhart - yes; Becktel - yes; Harris - yes; Marshall - yes; Hinkley - no. Motion approved.

The next item of discussion was the question of who is in charge in the Village Manager's absence. Council expressed a considerable

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## Conservation Officer Awareness Week



An exhibit of Conservation Officer (CO) memorabilia, speaking engagements and TV/radio announcements, will mark Michigan's week-long observance of "Conservation Officer Awareness Week," September 13-19, as recently declared by Governor James J. Blanchard.

"The Department is indeed honored this fine recognition of our law enforcement staff is taking place, it is all the more significant as it coincides with the 100th anniversary of our Michigan CO corp's founding," said Department of Natural Resources Director Gordon Guyer.

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## Fall Tree Sale Announced

The Board of Directors of the Washtenaw County Soil Conservation District has announced the District's Annual Fall Tree Seedling Sale. This is the eighth time this program has been offered to the citizens of Washtenaw County in addition to the annual Spring Sale.

The purpose of the tree sale is to offer landowners seedlings for conservation uses which include, reforestation, soil erosion control, wildlife habitat, windbreaks, and aesthetic purposes.

Seven species will be available: Austrian Pine, Red Pine, White Pine, Norway Spruce, White Spruce, Colorado Blue Spruce and Douglas Fir. Also, available will be tree planting bars, a sturdy tool for planting seedlings. Orders with payment in full will be accepted until Friday, October 2, 1987. Trees can be picked-up on Wednesday, October 7, and Thursday, October 8, at the Soil Conservation District Office, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.



There are fifty thousand rooms, or cells, in the average honeybee hives.

For more information and to obtain order forms, contact the Soil Conservation District Office, 6101 Jackson Road, Ann Arbor, 1/2 mile West of Zeeb Road, telephone (313) 761-8721.

## OPINION POLL

Recently the Village Council announced that they wanted to use \$200,000 of the bond issue passed last December (this was a \$500,000 bond for water and sewer systems improvements) for the Industrial Park Site. The monies would be used to extend the existing water and sewer lines to the property located north of Johnson Controls.

In light of our problems with the system today, the question arises - would this money be better spent improving the existing facilities?

The input of the community is an important consideration. Write or call the Village Mayor, John Hinkley, or one of the Council members. Council members are Larry Becktel, Ted Tapping, Terry Harris, Don Limpert, Joe Marshall and Wendall Reinhart.

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## Village Council

amount of concern in the area of the computer, budget, and Act 51 money. A number of Council members felt that the job was not getting done.

Tapping said he thought the "character assassination" was out of order. Other questions raised were concerning Wiedmayer's authority to make certain decisions and the purchasing policy.

Harris gave the Clerk a list of 13 items he wanted on the next Agenda. He also felt nothing was getting done.

The question of a doctors excuse was also raised. Council expressed numerous other concerns.

Limpert offered a motion, supported by Marshall, to have a Special Council meeting on Monday, August 24, 1987, at 7:00 p.m. with the following Agenda:

- (1) State Funding - Waste Water Treatment Plant
  - (2) Financial Statements  
A. Budget  
B. Computer
  - (3) Act 51 money
- eyes - all.  
Council adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Constance M. Schaffer  
Village Clerk

## Approved Minutes Special Meeting August 24, 1987

The Special Meeting of the Manchester Village Council was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by President Hinkley with the Pledge of Allegiance. Present: Hinkley, Tapping, Limpert, Reinhart, Becktel, Harris, Marshall and Naimowicz - Village Manager. Also present: Gary Wiedmayer, Helen Kensler, Barbara Burda, Brad Roberts and Kathy Roberts.

### TREATMENT PLANT GRANT

Naimowicz presented Council with an update on the Waste-water Treatment Plant Grant. Naimowicz reported that the Village of Manchester is eligible for a \$1.6 million grant plus a \$300,000.00 bonus funding for an innovative project.

Naimowicz said that there will be a series of things that need to be done. The first thing will be to negotiate a court order concerning fines for not meeting the 1988 compliance date. Negotiations are set for September 1 and 2, we will have seven days to respond. The negotiating committee will be Hinkley, Naimowicz and the Village Attorney - Robert Travis. It is estimated that the fines could amount to \$14,000.00 or more.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Naimowicz reported that the financial statements were almost ready, they would be completed by the next regular Council meeting. It was also reported

that Post, Smythe, Lutz and Ziel, Certified Public Accountants, have been assisting the Village Manager in preparing the financial statements. The Village Manager said the total bill so far was \$1200.00. Becktel disagreed, he said he talked to the accountants that day and the bill so far was \$2035.00. Naimowicz said he would check into the difference.

A lengthy discussion on the status of the computer followed.

Council asked for a monthly report on delinquent water bills. Limpert also asked for a more detailed Treasurer's Report.

The problem of incomplete Agendas was also brought to the Village Manager's attention.

Council initiated a discussion on Act 51 money. Questions such as 1) How much Act 51 money is left; 2) What are the rules and regulations involving Act 51 money; 3) Is Act 51 money ever used to supplement other funds; were asked. Naimowicz said that last year's annual report was accepted but he would get the Village of Manchester's status in writing.

Naimowicz announced that he would be back to work as of tomorrow at half time, on doctor's orders.

The problem with Contractor Containers was discussed. It was decided that it was a police matter and should be taken care of immediately.

Barbara Burda, representing Gov. Swainson, approached

Council with an update on the Double A Task Force and asked for volunteers to help.

Council also discussed the flooding that took place over the weekend. It was stated that Double A would take care of some of the bills.

Motion by Becktel, supported by Marshall, to adjourn at 8:25 p.m.

Constance M. Schaffer  
Village Clerk

## Village Planning Commission

Regular Meeting  
Tuesday, September 16, 1987  
7:30 p.m.  
Council Room, Village Hall

### AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Requests from Public to Address the Meeting (will be heard under "New Business")
4. Minutes of August, 1987 Regular Meeting
5. Update on Items Covered in August Minutes
6. Manager's Report
7. Old Business  
7-1. Historic District Study Committee  
7-2. Sign Permit Application: Hop-In  
7-3. Other Old Business
8. New Business  
8-1. Conditional Use Permit Application: Vera Kluwe, D.V.M.  
8-2. Other New Business
9. Work Session: Ordinance and Plan Revision
10. Adjournment

"Save the fleeting minute; learn gracefully to dodge the bore."  
Sir William Osler

## Saline Breather's Club

"Coping and Relaxation" is the topic to be presented to the members of the Saline Breather's Club by Constance Bowman, O.T.R. on Saturday, September 19, from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon.

This educational support group is available to persons suffering from chronic lung diseases such as asthma, bronchitis, emphysema, etc., and will be held at 400 Bemis Road, (Church behind Dairy Queen), Saline. Family members are also encouraged to attend. There is no admission charge.

The Breather's Club meets monthly and is made possible by the generous contributions of Lung Association volunteers and proceeds of Christmas Seal Sales. For further information, please contact the American Lung Association of Michigan at (313) 995-1030.

## Dial-A-Garden

The following is a monthly schedule of Dial-A-Garden, the system of pre-recorded daily gardening tips sponsored by the Washtenaw County Cooperative Extension Service. The system is in operation 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Interested persons are invited to call 971-1129 at their convenience to listen to timely, up-to-date gardening information.

- Thursday, September 10 - Little Bulb Flowers
- Friday, September 11 - Beautify Your Landscape
- Monday, September 14 - Harvesting Grapes
- Tuesday, September 15 - Frost Protection
- Wednesday, September 16 - Autumn Rose Care

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# Money Management

### Tuition and Tax Reform

(Prepared by the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants)

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The Michigan Association of CPAs cautions parents who have begun a college savings program to re-examine their savings strategies in light of the Tax Reform Act of 1986. For those who have not yet begun a college savings plan, CPAs say it's never too early to start. Tax reform has virtually eliminated the tax advantages of the two most popular college savings vehicles - custodial accounts set up under the Uniform Gifts to Minors Act and the Clifford Trust which allowed assets to be set aside in a child's name for a minimum of ten years during which time earnings were taxed at the child's lower rates. While you may still open a custodial account or a Clifford Trust, it may be less beneficial under tax reform, since any unearned income over \$1,000 received by a child is taxed at the parent's higher marginal tax rate until the child reaches age 14. When a child is 14 or older, his or her earnings will be taxed at the child's rate.

Given the new rules, CPAs suggest if you have a child under 14, you plan his or her investments carefully so the annual investment generates approximately \$1,000 to take advantage of the exclusion available to the child. For any additional funds you wish to invest in your child's name, consider those instruments that defer taxable income until your child reaches age 14 and can take advantage of a potentially lower tax bracket. If you're saving for a child's education, there are a number of strategies you may want to consider:

**SERIES EE SAVINGS BONDS** - This is one of the simplest strategies. You can buy Series EE bonds in your child's name in denominations ranging from \$50 to \$10,000. The interest is not federally taxed until the bonds mature or are redeemed and the interest is also exempt from state and local taxes.

New savings bonds mature in 12 years so you can plan your purchases so the bonds will mature after your child's 14th birthday. In this way, when the bonds mature, your child will be taxed for the accumulated interest, but taxed at his or her own rate.

**LIFE INSURANCE** - As a result of tax reform, life insurance has become a favored means of saving for college because of its tax-deferred nature. As the cash values of insurance policies build up, there are no taxes due on the earnings until they are withdrawn. When the tuition bills start to come in, you can borrow against the policy's earnings, at

little or no interest. And, generally, there's no tax bill as long as you don't dig too deeply into the policy.

A single premium whole life policy provides a valuable tax shelter for college funds, particularly for those parents who are in a position to pay a single, large premium payment. With a single premium policy, you make one large, lump-sum payment of at least \$5,000 and your earnings begin to accumulate on a tax-deferred basis. Single premium life offers the added benefit of having the company deduct fees and commissions out of earnings rather than from the beginning balance, leaving more of the premium intact to earn interest. Like other cash-value policies, you may borrow at little or no cost and generally with no adverse tax consequence.

**DEFERRED ANNUITIES** - An annuity is a vehicle that allows you to save money for a specific date in the future. When you set up a deferred annuity for your child's college education, interest accumulates tax-deferred on the funds deposited and payout begins when your child reaches college age. Single premium annuities can be paid for with a series of contributions. With both types, federal and state income taxes on earnings within the plan are deferred until payments begin, provided you are 59½. Should you withdraw earnings prior to age 59½ you will be subject to income tax and a 10 percent penalty.

**ZERO-COUPON BONDS** - Zero coupon bonds can be especially well-suited for college savings

plans. You buy zero-coupon bonds at a significant discount and receive the full face amount when the bond matures. This gives you the advantage of knowing exactly how much money your child will have available when he or she reaches those college gates. The yield on zero-coupon bonds is determined by the current interest rate at the time of purchase and is locked in until the bond matures. You might also consider investing in zero-coupon municipal bonds issued by local and state governments. The interest is exempt from federal taxes and state taxes if you buy bonds issued in the state where you live.

**A caution:** Be sure the bonds you select cannot be redeemed prior to the bond's maturity. **EDUCATION FUTURES** - A new concept in financing a college education is now being offered by a growing number of universities. Basically, it is a prepaid plan similar in concept to a zero-coupon bond. Only in this case, you make a payment (or payments) to the college of your choice when your child is young in return for a guarantee that the child's full tuition (not room and board) will be covered when the child attends. The younger your child, the smaller the payment. This plan is not without risk. First of all, the college of your choice may not be the college of your child's choice. Although you may find it hard to believe your cute little two-year-old daughter would flatly refuse the chance to attend your alma mater, it can happen. And what if your son does not meet the school's entrance requirements? According to current rules at many universities, unless your child attends the school for at least one year, you get back only the initial deposit and forfeit all interest.

In Michigan, the Michigan Education Trust is offering parents a prepaid financing plan. Funds placed in the Trust are deductible on your Michigan

Income Tax return, but the Internal Revenue Service has yet to determine how prepayment plans will be treated for tax purposes. For more information, or to be placed on the Trust's waiting list, call their hotline in Lansing (517) 373-8435.

Keep in mind that the Internal Revenue Service has not yet determined how college prepayment plans will be treated for tax purposes. There is the possibility that the IRS may decide to tax the earnings on prepayments when the time comes to use them to pay tuition.

Saving for your child's education has become more of a challenge under tax reform, says CPAs, making it all the more important to start while your child is young.

## Hunter Safety Class

The Manchester Sportsman Club will offer Hunter Safety Classes to anyone 12 years and older at the club grounds at 8501 Grossman Road on Tuesdays, September 8, September 15, September 22, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, September 26, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. ALL CLASSES MUST BE ATTENDED.

This program is sponsored by the Department of Natural Resources, and the material is provided by the DNR. DNR licensed instructors are Lauren Huber, Daryl Taylor and Earl Iverson. You have to have a Hunters Safety Certificate if you want to hunt before the age of 16. Sign up sheets will be available at the Manchester Middle School and Keith's Barber Shop, or contact Lauren Huber at 428-8116. Parents are urged to attend with their student.

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Manchester, MI 48158

DATE: Friday, September 25, 1987  
HOURS: 1:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Minors must be accompanied by an adult

# Klager P.T.O.

program was postponed until next month. Sharon A. made a motion to buy book marks to give to each child on their birthdays. Gail K. seconded. Motion passed.

August 31, 1987

The meeting was called to order by President Vicky Miller at 7:30. Those attending the meeting were: Charlene Miller, Julie Messing, Janice Little, Amy Cohn, Sharon Anderson, Margaret Goodrich, Vicky Miller, Mrs. Henry, Elsie O'Dell, Kathy Donnellon, Gail Kuhl, Monica Brooks and Pat Ahrens.

The minutes from the May 26 meeting were read and approved. Sharon Anderson gave us the Treasurer's report. We have a balance of \$1,735.26.

The Klager PTO welcomes Mrs. Henry as our new principal and Mrs. Little as the teacher representative. We're all looking forward to working together and having a good year.

The election of officers for the school year 1987-88 were as follows: President Vicky Miller, Vice-President Kathy Donnellon, Corresponding Secretary Monica Brooks, Recording Secretary Pat Ahrens, Treasurer Sharon Anderson.

The fall fundraiser is going to be a Bulb and Candy sale. This year we will receive 45% of the profit. There will be an assembly September 10, to explain it to the children. The sale will be from September 10-21.

The Middle School playground has new paint and some new play equipment. Tuesday, September 1, and Saturday September 5, there will be a working session at the Middle School playground to put up a fence and picnic table and additional play equipment.

There were 3 benches and a trash receptacle purchased for the Klager grounds. Discussion on the R.A.N.

Sharon A. made a motion to buy book marks to give to each child on their birthdays. Gail K. seconded. Motion passed.

The Room Parents Tea will be September 16, at 3:00. Kathy D. made a motion that we buy snacks for the tea. Seconded by Monica B. Motion carried. Sharon A. said she would see to buying them.

The open house for parents will be September 23, at 7:00 p.m. There was a good discussion on PTO's goals for 1987-88 school year: A. Beautification - 1) Large wind socks; 2) Sign for Klager; 3) Mini-Art Gallery (with Klager students work); B. Outdoor water fountain; C. Asphalt or cement around basketball pole; D. Soccer field and goals; E. Special classes for Science/Art; F. Assemblies (Amy C. will check into); G. Parents Assemblies; H. Family nights.

Elsie O'Dell is going to check on a program to help us and our children learn about child molesting-ways to avoid it and how to deal with it.

Mrs. Little wanted us to remember that ValueLand ir Tecumseh gives us a percentage of cash register receipt and with this money Mrs. Beuerle buys books for our library.

Monica B. made a motion that we allocate \$150 for Sharon A. to purchase a typewriter for PTO use. Motion seconded. Passed.

Our next meeting will be September 28. Meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Only the male nightingale sings.

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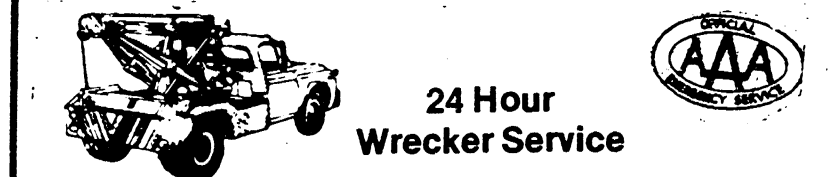


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Sunday, September 13 - 10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Church School 3-4 & Kindergarten, 11:00 Church School, 12:00 noon Sr. Youth Lunch & Plan, 5:30 p.m. Summer's end Potluck, 6:15 Vespers - Singing, In-Betweeners.  
Wednesday, September 16 - 7:30 a.m. Choirs Rehearse, October Newsletter deadline.  
Thursday, September 17 - 7:30 a.m. Adult Confirmation Class.

### BRUNCH

Monday, September 14 - 6:30 p.m. Optimists, 8:00 p.m. Fair Board.  
Tuesday, September 15 - 12 Noon Senior Meal, 6:15 p.m. Country Dance Class, 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous.  
Wednesday, September 16 - 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir, 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir, 8:00 p.m. AA, Al Anon.  
Thursday, September 17 - 12 Noon Senior Meal, 7:30 p.m. Women of Emanuel.

### ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wednesday, September 9 - 7 p.m. Business Man. Christian Ed., 8 p.m. Church Council.  
Thursday, September 10 - 7:30 p.m. Confirmation Youth & Parents meet with Christian Ed.  
Saturday, September 12 - 11:30 Sunday School Staff Luncheon, 7:30 "Messiahs Messengers", Ottawa Lake.  
Sunday, September 13 - "RALLY DAY" - 9 a.m. Sunday

### EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, September 9 - 8:00 p.m. AA, Al Anon.  
Thursday, September 10 - 12 Noon Senior Meal.  
Sunday, September 13 - 9:00 a.m. Sunday School Teacher Orientation, 10:30 a.m. Worship, 11:30 a.m. All-Church Family

## CHURCH DIRECTORY



**EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST** - Rev. Robert B. Macfarlane, Pastor; Rev. Nancy Doty & Mr. Philip VanDop, assistants; Sunday School for all ages 9:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Fellowship 11:30 a.m.

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**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.

**SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** - Rev. Evans Bentley, Pastor; Corner of M-52 and Pleasant Lake Roads; Church School 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:30 a.m.

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

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**IRON CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH** - Rev. Ray Robichaud, Pastor; English and Sharon Hollow Roads; Worship Service 10:00 a.m.; Sunday School 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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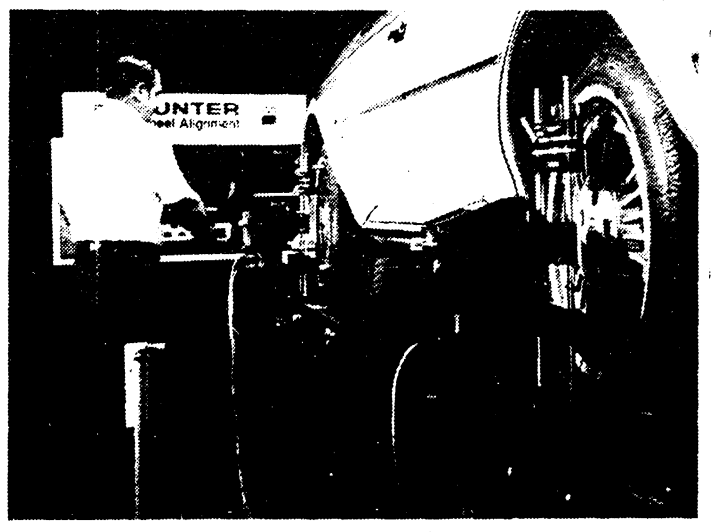
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A special thanks to my husband, Tanya, Nancy and Marian.

Thanks to all, Maxine Hanewald

We would like to thank so very much the many, many people who remembered Elwin in their prayers during his illness. We will be forever grateful for all the kindness shown him by your prayers, visits and phone calls. A special "Thank You" to Father Schlinkert for all his visits at home and in the hospital. Thank you too to Ron and June Jenter and the doctors and nurses at St. Joseph Hospital.

To all the relatives and friends who brought food, sent flowers, had masses said and who donated money (it will go to the Diabetes Foundation and Dr. Nixon and Oncology wing at St. Joseph Hospital), we really appreciated it.

Your kindness will always be remembered. God Bless you all. Maxine & Teresa Larry & Betty Gary & Kathy Chuck & David Benedict

We would like to thank our relatives, neighbors and friends who sent cards and flowers and brought food. We are especially thankful for all the prayers for Marge and now the family. All your acts of caring and kindness are appreciated more than words can say. God Bless you.

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Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to the personal representative and to the court on or before November 25, 1987. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.  
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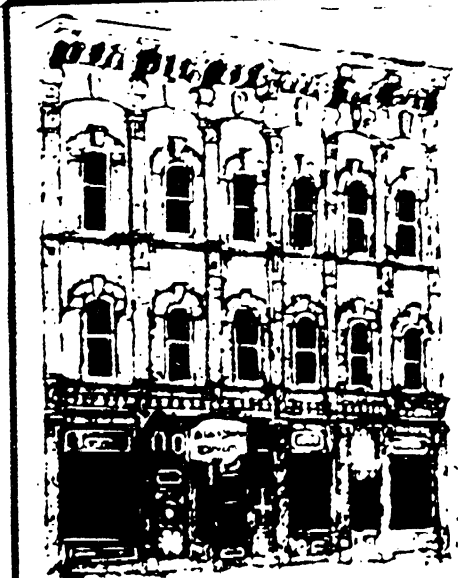
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Our JV Girls fought back from 16 points down to win 47-44. Jackie Ahrens led our girls with 17 points and Stacey Wilde scored 12 points.

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Rogers Corners Farm Bureau

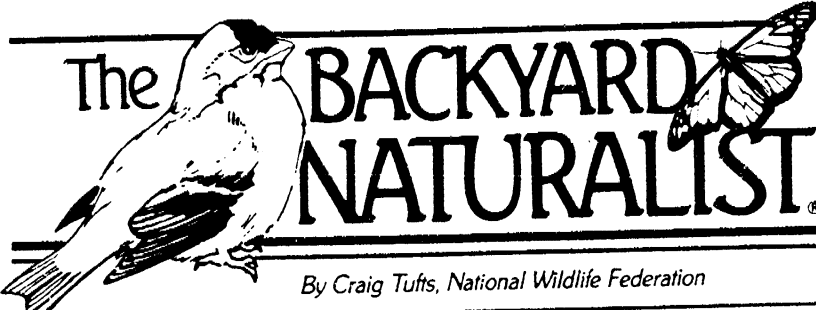
The Rogers Corners Farm Bureau group will meet Friday, September 11th at 8 p.m. at the home of Ken and Kathy Siler.

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That redbird with the big beak really has it made. With the exception of its southwestern close cousin, the pyrrhuloxia, its close relatives are called grosbeaks. Just about everyone receives its picture during the holidays. It might be the number one Christmas card pinup. And the northern cardinal, as it is officially called, is popular for good reason.

No other bird I know of looks so good against a freshly fallen snow. Both the male and the female sing a very pleasant, simple song, often counter-sung (the male answers the female with a song on a slightly different pitch). And cardinals seem to prosper with the alteration of habitat that accompanies our home building efforts. That few other song birds reward us so richly or so rapidly if we but scatter a few handfuls of sunflower seed onto the ground or on a low feeding table heightens our appreciation of this year's resident.

The cardinal ranges throughout most of the eastern and central states, the entire south and much of the arid southwest. It is so popular that even those who live where the cardinal does not—California, the Rocky Mountain states and Pacific Northwest—love the bird and very much want it to visit their yard. The cardinal may be the ideal suburban bird.

Cardinals prefer dense, shrubby habitat. Provide that in your Backyard Wildlife Habitat within its range and you'll keep a pair happy. They nest in shrubs and viney tangles at least twice every summer and perhaps three times. If the shrubs provide favored fruit—viburnums, junipers, honeysuckles, roses and dogwoods—all the better.

In the winter, this bird with a very heavy, crushing bill prefers sunflower seed. Offer it close to the ground. Cardinals do not like to feed high or far from dense cover. They are invariably the last birds to leave feeders each evening.

These birds do have some qualities that might be considered negative. They can occasionally become bul-

lies at feeders, forcing smaller sunflower aficionados away for a brief time. And their territoriality can prove annoying. Anyone who has put up with a pair of cardinals constantly battering themselves against a bedroom or kitchen window throughout the entire nesting season soon questions the common sense of the birds. The solution is to block the reflected image of the bird which is simply trying to keep invaders out of its territory.



John Pope of Midwest Ford presents a miniature Indy car to Robert Fenelon of Manchester. Fenelon was the winner of a drawing held at the Manchester Community Fair last week.

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## Task Force Helping Double A Workers

The Governor's Office for Job Training in Lansing has provided a grant of \$75,600 to support the work of a task force helping to retrain and find jobs for 150 workers at Double A Products in Manchester.

The workers will lose their jobs when Double A's valve-making operation is phased out later this year.

Co-chaired by Kay Ford, head of the Livingston-Washtenaw Private Industry Council and Double A Products Operations Manager William H. Johnson, the newly formed task force has brought together community resources in education, job training, job placement, counseling, labor and health care to help the dislocated workers. Former Michigan Governor John Swainson, who resides in the Manchester area, has also lent his support to the project.

The broad-based task force includes representatives of the Jobs Team/WALTEC, Washtenaw Community College, the South and West Washtenaw Consortium, the Michigan Employment Security Commission, including MESC's Disabled Veterans Outreach Program, the Washtenaw Development Council, the Village of Manchester, the Manchester Public Schools, the Washtenaw County Community Mental Health Center, the Washtenaw County Health Department, Michigan State University, the AFL-CIO Dislocated Workers Assistance Project, the Michigan Department of Commerce, the Michigan Department of Labor and representatives of management, salaried personnel and the labor union at Double A Products.

The Governor's Office for Job Training has the discretion to award Title III federal funds for dislocated workers to programs within the state which serve such workers effectively.

An office has been set up in the Double A plant, staffed by Jobs Team/WALTEC counselors, to aid workers in getting the help they need. On-site services will include assistance in writing resumes and locating future jobs, as well as in identifying available classroom training.

"It will take some of the Double A employees and their families several years to complete the transition from the old to the new," said Vickie Hutchens, program administrator for the Ann Arbor office. "We're glad that we can be there to help them. These are people who have worked all their lives, people who are experienced, dependable, stable. What we'd like most to find for them is new jobs. They've got ability and access to training - all we need are employers."

## 20TH Century Club

The 20th Century Club met at the home of Mrs. Kent Talcott Tuesday, September 8th, with 22 members present plus one honorary member from Tucson, Arizona, Mrs. Ken Furgason. A potluck dinner was served featuring "Michigan" grown foods. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Janice Little and Mrs. Helen Bordine. The next meeting will be held October 13th at the home of Mrs. Herb Bersuder.

## Klager Introduces New Teachers



Klager School is proud to introduce several new teachers - Mrs. Roberta Kemp, Physical Education; Ms. Caryn Shapiro, Speech Therapist; Mrs. Beth Robertson, Teacher Consultant and Mrs. Vivian Patten, Special Education Resource Room.

## Council At A Loss Following Manager's Illness

by Becky Doyle

For the past several weeks the Manchester Village Council has been acting without the benefit of the advice of Dan Naimowicz, Village Manager. Naimowicz has been ill or on vacation since the end of July, although he has been in the office on a part-time basis for a few days of that period.

On several occasions, Council members have expressed unease at acting without the advice of the Manager, stating that they didn't feel they could make decisions without his input.

At a July meeting, Ted Tapping said that he didn't want the responsibility of making a decision without knowing all the circumstances. Terry Harris summed up the general feeling of Council, saying, "The responsibility is here, but the authority is vested in the Village Manager."

Now that Naimowicz's illness has been extended and Council is not sure when he will be back on the job even part-time, Council members are nervous about the general lack of information that they have to use as a base for their decisions.

"Sure, I feel it. Wouldn't you if you were in this position?" responded Harris. Harris used to oversee the financial operations when the Village Council had

committees to which each councilman belonged.

But the Council abolished the committees about two years ago, giving the sole responsibility for all the information gathering to the Village Manager. Since then Council members have become less involved in the every day business of the Village and have saved their energies for making the decisions after the legwork has been done.

Unfortunately, since early July less and less of the legwork has been done and Council has tabled about half of the items on each agenda. This has led to not only frustration on the part of Council members, but public concern about the lack of action on vital issues.

For instance, publication of the 1987 budget is required by law in February. However, as a result of the lack of information, it has not yet been done at the time of this writing.

The current situation has Village officials stumped as to how to conduct business without a Manager.

"I just don't know what to do," said Harris.

Manager Naimowicz is currently under contract to the Village for a term of a little less than three years.

## Slippery Oliver Lands In Prison

Man Who Furnished Lots Of Thrills For Manchester Arrested At Saginaw.

Oliver Rogalski, who came here from Saginaw some months ago and has since brought the village a lot of unwanted notoriety because of his activities, has at last been landed behind the bars at Ionia state reformatory, with a sentence of one and one-half to three years hanging over him for carrying concealed weapons.

Oliver gained the nickname of "Slippery" here after he used a key and walked out of the village jail after being arrested for stealing tires and other accessories during his short residence here, at which time he was supposed to be working for farmers. He afterward slipped from the fingers of a deputy sheriff after making a threat with an upraised plant crock. Then after he had been captured by Special Officer Lee Davison he slipped from the U. of M. hospital, where he was being treated for a bullet wound received during his capture.

Oliver's wife and their baby

remained in town part of the time since and it is said he and some of their friends dropped in here, but no arrests were made.

On Monday Special Officer Lee Davison of this village and Under-sheriff John B. Andrews of Ann Arbor went to Saginaw and were joined by Detective Geo. F. Wiggins of the Saginaw Police force in search for Rogalski. Concealing himself in a lilac bush where he thought the desired slippery one would pass, Davison waited and eventually was enabled to turn flash light and gun on him and demand hands up. Oliver stuck 'em up - and the quest was over.

Not all anxious moments had passed, however, as a party of Rogalski's pals followed the officers on their return with the prisoner as far as Flint, with the evident intention of releasing the captive if opportunity was presented. Additional officers discouraged them from making any attempt at capture.

At Fenton additional Ann Arbor officers met the party and

and Council members seem to agree that it could more accurately be said that the matter is not being actively pursued. There are at present no bids received for the work, although at one meeting a decision was made to solicit bids.

Interest in the water and sewer extensions was stimulated by a statement in the Manchester Enterprise asking for public opinion about the expenditure of approximately \$200,000.

## Optimist Tri-Star Football Contest

The Manchester Optimist Club will hold a Tri-Star Football Contest on September 26, at 1:00 on the new football field. The program tests the skills of contestants in three of the basic skills of the game - place-kicking, passing and punting.

Kids will compete in six age groups, 8 through 13, against youth only of their own age. All that is needed to compete is a pair of gym shoes. Football spikes and boots are not allowed.

There will be trophies awarded to the first three winners in each age group. Every contestant will also receive a memento scorecard and a Tri-Star Patch.

Entry blanks are available at the Middle School office and Klager office or at the contest site on the day of the competition.

## Limpert Statement Misleading

by Becky Doyle

Village Councilman D.E. Limpert admits it was "a poor choice of words."

Wendell Reinhart said, "I'm sure he didn't mean to say that!"

Even Mayor John Hinkley was surprised by the statement Limpert made last Tuesday at the September 8, Village Council meeting.

Limpert was responding to a question from village resident Cliff Tracy. Tracy asked Village Council to clarify their position on extending water and sewer lines at the Industrial Park site; did they really intend to spend \$200,000 on the Industrial Park?

Limpert said, "That thought was at one time expressed here, there was a motion made and it has since been rescinded."

"My jaw did drop," said Hinkley. "He misspoke. That motion was not rescinded." However, no Council member contradicted Limpert, and the impression gained by the public was that the sewer and water extensions were a dead issue.

The motion was not rescinded, and Council members seem to agree that it could more accurately be said that the matter is not being actively pursued.

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When contacted later, Limpert said that he planned to clarify his statement at a subsequent meeting of the Village Council.