

Avoid Penalties

If you can't pay your federal taxes or find you need more preparation time, there are actions you can take to avoid IRS penalties, says Ellen Palmer, executive director of the Michigan Tax Information Council.

To get an automatic four-month extension, file Form 4868, "Application for Automatic Extension of Time to File U.S. Individual Income Tax Return." It must be filed by April 15 and you don't need to give a reason.

If after four months, you need more time, a two-month extension can be requested by filing Form 2688, "Application for Additional Extension of Time to File." However, a valid reason must be given for this extension.

If you need to raise money to pay your taxes, you should still file your return on time and pay as much as possible. The IRS will bill you 6-8 weeks after you file. In the meantime, consider borrowing if you must. Possible sources: a bank loan, an advance on your credit card, a loan from your credit union, employee savings plan, cash value of your life insurance, stocks, bonds or other investments, a home-equity loan and finally, friends or family members. Remember, however, that the interest on a loan is not fully deductible on your federal tax return.

To request specific forms from the IRS, call 1-800-424-Form.

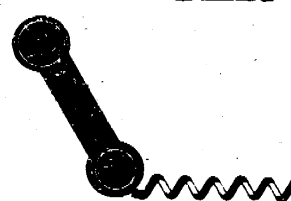
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Eagle Alert

Michigan residents are urged to participate in the annual Midwinter Bald Eagle Survey conducted by the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). All Bald eagle observations made between January 5-19 should be reported to the DNR's Nongame Wildlife Program.

The Midwinter Bald Eagle Survey is a cooperative effort between the National Wildlife Federation and the DNR. It is part of a nationwide effort to inventory the number of bald eagles wintering in North America.

A record 389 eagles were observed during last year's survey. Over 1300 responses to the survey allowed the DNR to begin to identify key wintering habitat necessary to maintain the increasing breeding population of Michigan's bald eagles.

"It is important to identify these key wintering areas so our growing eagle population can be supported throughout the year," said David F. Hales, DNR Director. "The success of the eagle's recovery from its decline associ-

ated with DDT is due in large part to the tremendous cooperation we receive from Michigan's residents."

Anyone sighting a bald eagle during the period of January 5-19 should send a postcard with the date, time, specific location, number of eagles, and any other pertinent information to: EAGLE ALERT, DNR Nongame Wildlife Program, Box 30180, Lansing, Michigan 48909.

"Knowing the numbers of eagles that winter here and comparing the effects of weather and food availability each year give us a better understanding about the winter requirements of bald eagles in Michigan," said Tom Weise, DNR Endangered Species Coordinator.

The majority of bald eagle management in Michigan is funded by the Nongame Wildlife Fund, which provides support for many other nongame species such as loons, peregrine falcons, bluebirds and endangered plants.

"Watts-Its Worth To You"

- Janet LaBeau Shurtliff

"Watts - its worth to you." A light-hearted pun? No; in fact, this is the title of the talk which a representative of Consumers Power will give at the January General Meeting of the Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce.

This meeting is open to the public and will be held at noon on Wednesday, January 18th at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Lunch is available first, but if you plan to attend the luncheon portion, please contact Ann Pat Wolf at 428-8389 for reservations.

The talk will begin at about 12:15 and end at 1:00. The Chamber is presenting this program for the community as an informational service. Especially in these winter months, one wishes energy bills could be lowered. This speaker will discuss what wastes energy and what saves energy. It will be a practical discussion and will include time for audience participation and questions and answers.

For "Watts - its worth to you," plan to attend the January Gen-

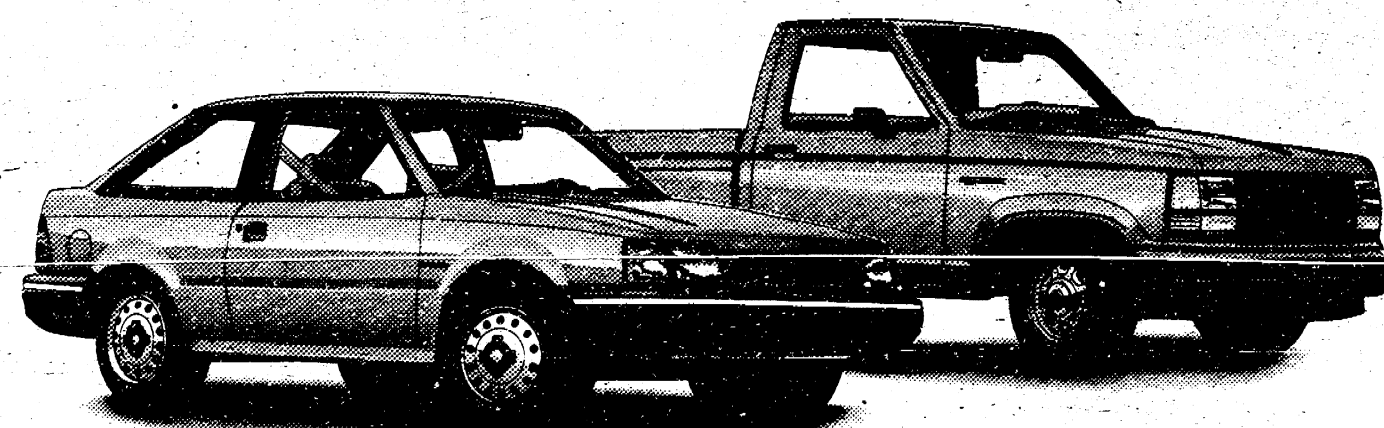
eral Meeting of the Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, January 18th, at noon!

Michigan Archaeological Society

The January meeting will be held on the 18th of the month. The program will be a talk entitled "Then and Now: The Uses of Plants by Native Americans for Food and Medicine" by local botanist Bronwen Gates, who received a one year grant from the Michigan Council for the Humanities. She will compare the results of her own research with the archaeological findings of U-M anthropology professor, John O'Shea.

The meeting will be held in room B-124 of the U-M Modern Languages Building, 812 East Washington at Thayer. The meeting will start at 7:30 p.m. There will be a short business meeting.

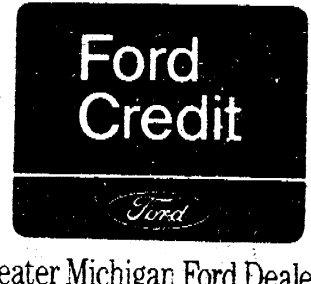
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The Coming Woman

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While the press grows eloquent over the perfections of that phenomenon, "the coming man," the public stand yet striving to catch a glimpse of his approaching state, and little said or tho't of what the "coming woman" will do. Although she may walk unnoticed in a winding path from the "hearthstone to the threshold," yet around her the noblest men of the world have been trained, and while we look upon those personages, upon their true, intellectual, and moral greatness, woman is looked upon as a mere household machine.

Woman too has been created for higher destinies in life, and is it not her fault if she does not soar high above human society of the fashionable world? If the fair girls of today, who are wasting price-less hours, would only accept the rare advantages bestowed upon them by nature and cultivate higher and nobler aims! But no, they are regardless of all future responsibilities in life, and they follow on in the folly and frivolous fashions of dress, until their intellectual minds become utterly void of common sense.

Outward appearance is not all that is necessary to true, womanly greatness, nor even an

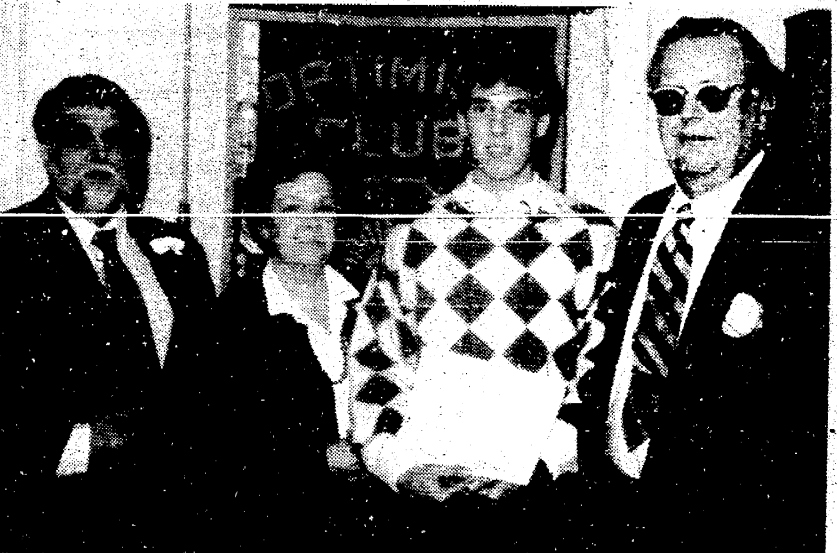
approximation thereto, but the mind well-stored and illuminated by a thorough knowledge of the things of every day life is of far greater importance and benefit. Women should not aspire to fill the position of man for he is superior. Ah! no, let her have no desire to forfeit her own, but let her fill it nobly, intelligently, and amiably, and in that sphere of life she will find abundant amplitude for all the educational acquirements she can possibly possess, and as wife and mother she will be able to fill the highest destiny of true womanhood.

Village Council Report

January 16, 1989

1. Appointed Martin Way to fill the vacancy on the Planning Commission
2. Passed a resolution supporting continued grant assistance to the Senior Citizens Council bus program
3. Adopted a new ordinance creating a means of billing water users when meters have been out of order
4. Passed two resolutions supporting grant applications to the Transportation Economic Development Fund

John Korican Receives Optimist Award



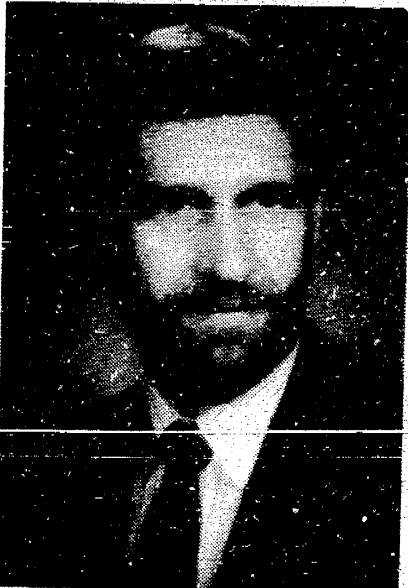
The Optimists awarded the honor of Outstanding Student for the month of December to John Korican. John is the son of John and Mary Korican. He is a senior, and has played football, basketball and baseball since his freshman year. John's football honors include Honorable Mention All League Offense and Defense, WPZA 2nd Team Offense and Ann Arbor News All Region 2nd Team Offense. He was awarded Honorable Mention in both All

Chelsea Hospital New Trustees



Rosanne C. Bloomer, Trustee

Chelsea Community Hospital Board of Trustees has two newly elected members beginning January, 1989. Roseanne C. Bloomer and John P. Hansen, Ph.D., were elected at the November meeting. Bloomer is employed by Farm Credit Services of Southeastern Michigan as a manager in the commercial agricultural lending office. She is a graduate of Michigan State University and has taken post-graduate courses in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources.



John P. Hansen, Ph.D., Trustee

Hansen is the Superintendent of Dexter Community Schools. Previously he was the principal for Dexter High School. He is a member of the Michigan Association of School Administrators and Washtenaw County Superintendent's Association. Re-elected to the Board of Trustees were John W. Merkel of Chelsea, and Kent P. Talcott of Manchester. Re-elected officers to the Board include Walter F. Hamilton, Jr., Chairman and John W. Merkel, Treasurer. John R. C. Wheeler, Ph.D. is the newly elected Vice-Chairman and Cindy L. Bradbury is the newly elected Secretary.

Sale Of Double A Property Possible

- Janet LaBeau Shurtliff

There is a productive activity occurring in the efforts to secure a purchaser for the vacant Double A Products building. According to Village President Mary Kallewaard, the Village is considering acting as an "intermediary" in a proposed sale.

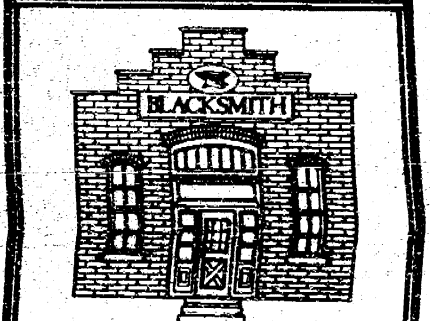
The Vickers Corporation, parent company to Double A Products and owner of the building, has had the property on the market for more than a year with no success or even encouraging possibilities. The Village felt a concern that the property be sold and utilized in order to provide more jobs for the community as well as to enhance the Village tax rolls.

Thus, the Village government began talks with Vickers to see if the Village could assist in attempts to find a purchaser. If a sale comes about, the Village will serve as intermediary. Although Mayor Kallewaard was not willing at this time to provide details of the on-going negotiations or of what exactly the Village's "intermediary" role would be, she did confirm that discussions with a potential buyer are taking place and that an announcement may be forthcoming.

Double A Products, Manchester Division, closed in January 1988. It had been one of Manchester's largest industries, and its closing

meant almost 200 people were forced to look for employment elsewhere.

The property, which is situated on the large block at Duncan and Division Streets, has been vacant for the past year. While many suggestions have been made for its use, to date nothing has been successful in filling the void which Double A's closing left.



MANCHESTER AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Manchester Area Historical Society held its monthly meeting on Monday, January 16, 1989 at the Blacksmith Shop. The opening and dedication of the State Library and History Museum will be held on March 6th to 11th in Lansing.

Professor Jerry Lax from the University of Michigan spoke on "Historic Preservation - A Legal Perspective." The important and exciting aspects of historic preservation are to discover the historic importance of buildings in the area and to decide how they are to be preserved. Preserving the appearance and/or the use of the buildings need to be considered. Lawyers can help by drafting regulations and ordinances to allow communities to do what they wish. The Constitutional rights of property owners cannot be abridged. The federal government offers some tax benefits for historic preservation. Some communities, such as Beacon Hill in Boston, the French Quarter in New Orleans, and Williamsburg, Virginia, have benefited economically by preserving their buildings.

Substance Abuse Awareness Committee

The Substance Abuse Awareness Committee will meet January 23, 7 p.m. at the Community Resource Center. Mr. Jay Hait, Prevention Specialist and staff member of the Substance Abuse Coordinating Agency for Livingston and Washtenaw Counties will be present for the meeting.

The SAAC will be discussing program guidelines for Mr. William O. Manning of Plymouth, Minnesota, who will spend two days in the community of Manchester April 12 and 13. Mr. Manning is trainer and consultant for alcohol and drug abuse. He will be spending time in the schools and with other community groups.

All interested community residents are encouraged to attend the meeting and lend a hand in coordinating efforts to provide prevention programs and information related to substance use and abuse.

Low Income Families Eligible For Tax Credit

A broad based nationwide campaign is being launched to make sure low income working families with children apply for a recently expanded income tax credit by filing a federal tax return.

Need for the education campaign stems from recent tax law changes that broadened the 13-

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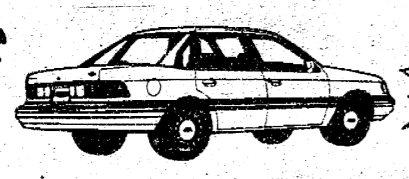

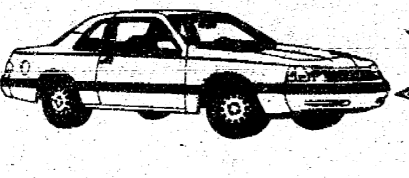

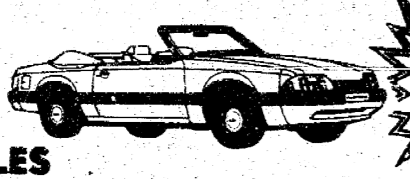

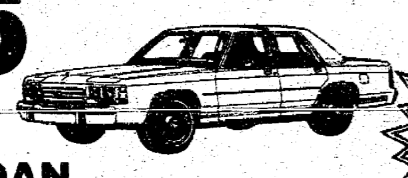
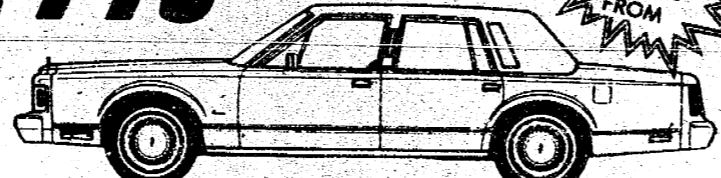
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Conservation District Annual Meeting

William Fishbeck, Chairman of the Washtenaw County Soil Conservation District announces the 40th District Annual Meeting to be held Wednesday, February 1, 1989, 8:00 p.m. at the Freedom Township Hall, 11508 Pleasant Lake Road, at Pleasant Lake.

Agriculture and Water Quality will be the feature program for the meeting. The program will include Dr. Ted Loudon, MSU, Agricultural Engineering Department and Michigan Energy Conservation Program Project Leader, plus a video presentation, "Agriculture and Groundwater Contamination: Exploring the issues", produced by MSU Cooperative Extension Service.

An election of two District Directors will be conducted at the meeting. Candidates for the director positions include: Grant Beeman, Lyndon Township; William Fishbeck, Superior Township; Dennis Huehl, Freedom Township; and, Stephen Soloweznik, Lodi Township. The two candidates receiving the highest number of votes will be elected to three-year terms. All occupiers of three or more acres of land within Washtenaw County are eligible to vote in the director election.

Other features of the Annual Meeting include award presentations, drawings for door prizes donated by area businesses and refreshments following the meeting. There is no charge for attending the meeting.

Questions about the District Annual Meeting should be directed to the Soil Conservation District Office, 8101 Jackson Rd., Jackson, Michigan 48426, 761-0721.

It's Campbell Soup Time Again

Manchester Middle School is collecting labels to be exchanged for audio-visual equipment. The collection period ends on March 1, 1989.

Please save labels from ALL Campbell soups, "V-8" juices, Swanson canned and frozen foods, all Franco-American products, Recipe dog food, Mrs. Pauls frozen foods, and Viasic pickle products.

You may send the labels to any Manchester School to be sent to the Middle School, or give them to any Middle School student, or deposit them at the local I.G.A.

Murderous Assault By A Highwayman

Manchester Enterprise December 2, 1875

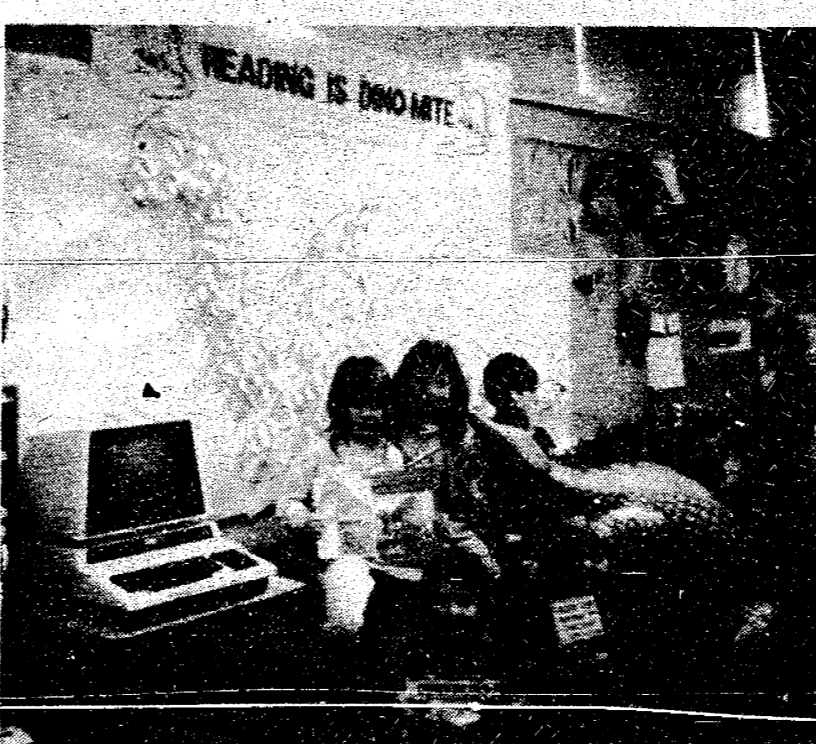
Mr. Freeman, the victim of the following outrage, the particulars of which are taken from the Elmira (N.Y.) Gazette, is a brother of Wm. and Frank Freeman of this town, and formerly owned the farm now occupied by Wm. H. Palmer. He also kept the Manchester Hotel for several years.

"We have learned the following fuller particulars of the desperate attack made on Mr. Freeman of Southport, on Sunday evening. He was on his way to church, and the place where he was stopped by the man was between John D. Miller's and the lower toll-gate on the plank road. His money or his life was demanded. Freeman said he had no money, he was going to church. The man then shot him in the mouth, and as Freeman was falling to the ground, the second shot again, but the ball failed of its murderous purpose. Freeman, although badly wounded, resisted with a heavy cane an attempt to rob him, and the man ran off, jumping over a fence and taking across the fields. Mr. Wm. D. Ingersoll was going to church from Mr. J. G. Copley's, and met the wounded old gentleman trying to get home to Southport Corners. Mr. Ingersoll turned and helped him home afterwards coming to the city after Dr. Henry Flood, who immediately went to the aid of the injured man. Freeman's lower jaw is shattered. All attempts to find the ball have so far failed. The wounds are very severe and painful, but are not believed to be fatal. The outrage causes deep excitement in the neighborhood and throughout the city. The murderous deed, so boldly committed, has aroused public attention to the startling frequency of such occurrences and the peril of human life by the desperate criminals swarming the country under the guise of 'tramps,' a most reckless and dangerous class which is rapidly increasing and preying upon every community, perpetrating crimes of the vilest character, such as the attempted murder on Sunday night, of an honest and peaceable citizen of Southport. The great evil of the times is the 'tramp nuisance' - and the great question is how can the people protect themselves against this alarming curse?"

Pre-school Story Hour At Library

The winter season of pre-school story hour will be held at the Manchester Township Library on Fridays from 10:30 to 11:00 a.m. Marcie Alsgaard will be conducting the series which begins on February 3 and ends on April 14. Three to five year olds are invited to attend.

"Reading Is Dino-mite"



1st graders in Mrs. Groeb's classroom gather around their favorite dinosaurs with their favorite dinosaur books. Pictured are (back l-r): Sara Cooper, Ellen Supers, Nicholas Gordon, (front l-r): Kevin Sahakian and Nicky Puscas.

1989 has been designated as the Year of the Young Reader. Klager Elementary School has planned several activities in celebration of this year. During the week of January 23rd-27th, students will focus on reading and dinosaurs. The week has been named "Reading is Dino-mite."

Students in grades one through four will begin the week by writing a dinosaur story or collection of dinosaur stories. On Tuesday, classes will decorate the hallways with their special art projects that are, of course, dinosaurs. Written reports will accompany the art projects. There will be a used-book sale in the library on Wednesday. On Thursday, students will read about several dinosaurs, vote for a favorite and record the school results on a gigantic graph in the lobby. If the weather permits, "snow dinosaurs" will be built on the playground. Friday will end the special week with a story sharing session and parade. Several student stories will be selected for the special edition of the "Klager Kids' Korner."

The special week was planned by principal Yvonne Henry, teacher Joanna Van Raden and librarian Liz Beuerle.

VFW Forms New Post



The new Manchester VFW Post 10329 is proud to announce that they have recruited and presented a Life Membership to Mr. Albert Herman of Sharon Hollow Rd., Manchester. Mr. Herman, age 95, is a World War I veteran, serving in France in 1918 and 1919 with the U.S. Army. Pictured above: (l-r) Vernon Herman, son of Albert, Post Commander Carter Ray, Albert Herman, 6th District Commander John Kemper, Jr. Vice Commander Frank Harris (who recruited Mr. Herman) and Quartermaster Barney Davis.