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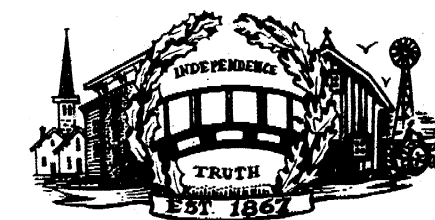
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 adults.

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Industrial Park News

An option to purchase land
 located in Industrial Park from
 Pamela Linderman was
 presented to Village Council at
 the December 2 meeting for
 approval and passed 7-0.

The Village will pay a total
 of \$36,000 for the 5-acre
 parcel of land with \$14,975
 paid at the time of the closing.
 Monthly payments of at least
 \$441.05 will be due on the
 first day of each month
 following closing with the
 entire balance of principal and
 interest paid within five years.

Additional costs the
 Village has paid for the
 purchase and preparation of
 Industrial Park date back to
 1983 when a local match of 50
 percent for an industrial start-
 up grant was \$2,500.

•1984-88: \$47,500 to
 purchase approximately 17.5
 acres

•1986: \$18,000;
 engineering design for water,
 sanitary sewer and storm
 systems, and road
 improvements

•1988: \$65,417; extension
 of sanitary sewer and water
 mains

•1988: \$6,500; further
 engineering costs

The Village of Manchester
 has hired the Washtenaw
 Development Council to seek
 industries interested in building
 here. In return the development
 council receives a fee of \$500
 per acre once the land is sold,
 according to Village Clerk
 Karen Tucker.

As a precaution, Tucker
 noted it would be wise to
 possibly get more than one
 industry in Industrial Park, in
 the event that one plant has to
 close, the effects wouldn't be
 as devastating.

Donna Spiess Student of the Month



*Picture: Manchester High School principal Russ LeBlanc
 presents the Optimists' December Student of the Month award to
 Donna Spiess. Donna is the daughter of Mickey and Joyce
 Spiess.*

The Manchester Optimists
 are very proud to announce that
 Donna Spiess, a Manchester
 High School senior, has been
 selected as their December
 Student of the Month. Donna is
 the daughter of Mickey and
 Joyce Spiess of Manchester.

Donna was chosen for this
 honor as a result of her in-
 volvement in a vast variety of

school and community activities.
 She has made the honor roll
 consistently each year for the
 past four years. This will be a
 very busy year for Donna. She is
 one of the hardest working
 members of the 1992 Yearbook
 staff. Recently, Donna was
 elected to serve as a board
 member of the Manchester High
 School Key Club

Santa Claus To Visit Manchester



Mr. George Macomber re-
 ceived word that Santa Claus is
 coming to town on December
 15. Santa remembers that special
 buggy ride down Main Street in
 1990.

Santa says sleigh rides are
 best but since Main Street may
 not be covered with snow, Mr.
 Macomber will drive his horse
 and buggy to town.

Boys and girls of all ages
 are invited to come to the
 Emanuel United Church of
 Christ parking lot at 12:30 to
 walk to Santa's Shop at 231 Main
 Street.

Manchester High School
 Key Club members will be
 Santa's helpers. Klager kids will
 provide some special Christmas
 carols. The Manchester High
 School Band and the Commu-
 nity Band will sound out the
 joys of Christmas.

Come visit Santa. There may
 be some surprises that come out
 of his pack.

Black Sheep Tavern still in violation Village Ordinance

At the Village Council
 meeting on November 18,
 councilperson Larry Becketl
 noted the possible danger
 caused by pieces of tin and tar
 falling off the roof of the Black
 Sheep Tavern, and since then a
 formal investigation has been
 conducted as reported at the
 December 2 Village Council
 meeting.

otherwise, which has any
 of the following defects
 or is in any of the
 following conditions:"—
 which according to an
 inspection by building
 inspector James Roberts, the
 Black Sheep Tavern is
 allegedly in violation of four of
 these conditions.

Ordinance Number 166
 secures "the public peace,
 health, safety and welfare
 of the residents and
 property owners of the
 Village of Manchester,
 County of Washtenaw,
 Michigan, by the
 regulation of dangerous
 building injurious to life
 or health; to provide for
 the means by way of
 hearings for the making
 safe or demolition of
 such dangerous
 buildings; to provide for
 the appointment of a
 hearing officer; to
 provide penalties for the
 violation of said
 ordinance; to provide for
 the assessment of the cost
 of said making safe or
 demolition of dangerous
 building; and to repeal all
 ordinances and parts of
 ordinances in conflict
 therewith."

In this ordinance it defines
 a dangerous building to mean
 "any building or
 structure, residential or

Alleged violations were
 observed on November 26, but
 according to Village President
 Mary Kallewaard who spoke
 to Black Sheep owner Chris
 Hoover's attorney on
 December 2, he said that
 sometime during the week,
 cleanup of the interior on the
 first floor would begin. The
 attorney also noted that the
 roof will be the first project to
 be fixed once Hoover receives
 the insurance check.

According to the
 investigation report, a hearing
 action is advised.

Thursday Last Day

to contribute gifts for
 needy children at
 Great Lakes Bancorp

Great Lakes Bancorp
 Manchester Office will be col-
 lecting unwrapped gifts for
 needy children in the area from
 Friday, November 29 through
 Thursday, December 12.

Items needed are mittens,
 gloves and scarves. Toys and
 other gifts should be for ages 4
 months to 16 years.

A collection box for non-
 perishable food items will also
 be available.

Office hours are 9:00-5:00
 Monday-Thursday and 9:00-
 6:00 on Friday.



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**Early Deadline Notice: Deadline for submission of
 all advertisements and articles for the December
 26th issue of the Manchester Enterprise will be
 Friday, December 20 at 3:00 p.m.**

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IDENTITY

In a recent visit with my parents, the conversation turned to topics for articles, and how writing serves to inform the public on issues of interest or concern.

Ever hear of it? It affects you if you were born between 1917 and 1926, for these birth years have suffered the penalty of receiving lower Social Security benefits than those born before 1917 or after 1926, given similar work situations and time of retirement.

It began in 1977 when Congress enacted a new Social Security benefit formula because they determined that retirees born in 1916 or earlier were receiving too high a benefit and if the current formula were to continue the next generations of retirees would break the Social Security bank.

Stuck in the Notch — R. Zang

The most revealing evidence of this is a graph which appears in a September, 1991 newsletter published by the nonprofit National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare. This graph depicts three things—the payment schedule under an old 1972 Social Security law, the intent of the 1977 law, and the actual payments given out.

Another article described the situation of two sisters who worked at the same job for the same pay for the same number of years. The second sister born in 1917 and 17 months younger, receives 21 percent less payment in Social Security benefits than her 1916 born sibling.

In the letters returned to my parents from Rep. Carl Pursell, and William D. Ford regarding the notch dilemma, the response was that any adjustment to the "notch" would be difficult to fund.

According to Rep. Pursell, notch babies receive the "actuarially correct amount of benefits". In another letter Pursell states, "With the huge deficit we face, I do not believe Congress will raise the benefits for those notch years simply to catch up with the others. Quite honestly, we just cannot afford it."

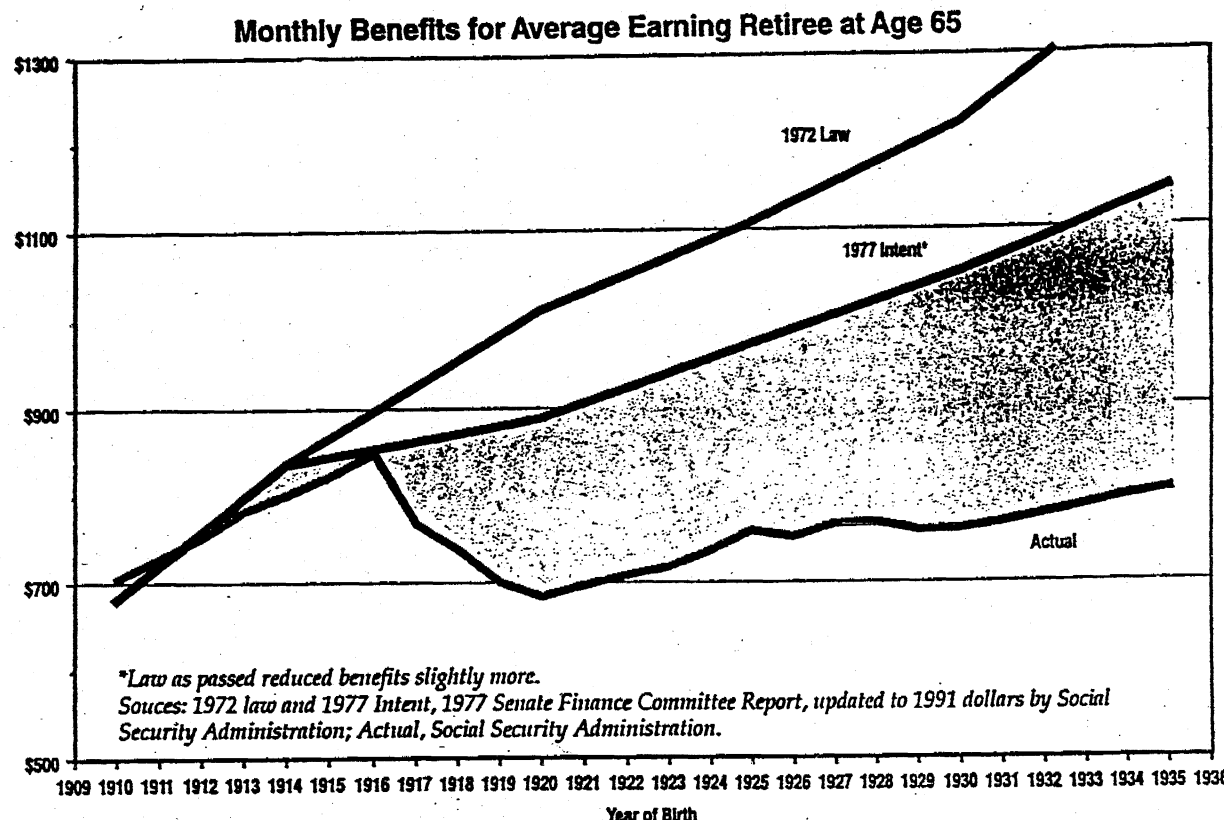
What Martha McSteen, President of the National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare claims however, is that the funding comes exclusively from the Social Security Trust Fund, which is added to by taxation.

So what's the hold-up? The House Ways and Means Committee for one. A bill called the "Notch Consensus Solution" (H.R.917/S.567) introduced by Rep. Ed Roybal, D-Calif., has garnered approval by 60 percent of the House of Representatives, and 37 members of the Senate as the most equitable solution to the notch dilemma without bankrupting Social Security.

According to Sen. Carl Levin, the Budget Act Prevents adjustments to the rate of benefits to notch babies without monies being cut elsewhere.

The notch baby dilemma appears unfair to retirees born between 1917 and 1926. My information suggests the bill proposed by Rep. Roybal is a good one.

If you wish to become involved, write to The National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare, 2000 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006. Call or write to Rep. Carl Pursell, 361 W. Eisenhower Parkway, Ann Arbor, MI 48103, phone (313) 761-7727.



Law as passed reduced benefits slightly more. Sources: 1972 law and 1977 Intent, 1977 Senate Finance Committee Report, updated to 1991 dollars by Social Security Administration; Actual, Social Security Administration.

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Second Front Page: Are Residents Ready for Recycling?

Appropriations Bill passes in favor of WWRA

—Sybil Kolon

After a two month delay the State Legislature has passed the appropriations bill containing the grant for the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority, which Governor Engler must now sign to release the money to the DNR.

Before the money can be released a contract must be signed between the DNR and the WWRA. The contract will stipulate that the \$330,400 grant be used to establish an expanded recycling program in the townships of Bridgewater, Dexter, Freedom, Lima, Lyndon, Manchester, Sharon and Sylvan and the villages of Chelsea and Manchester.

Any changes to the proposed grant application must be approved by the DNR. One major change will be in the type of trucking system and containers at drop-off station. It has been

determined that a larger truck and containers will allow the Authority to market its own materials more economically.

Once the grant is released, the WWRA will be able to hire a manager, complete the design of the processing building and order the necessary equipment.

The next WWRA meeting will be held on December 18, 7:00 p.m., at the Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle Street, Chelsea. The public is welcome.



WWRA Goals

As the WWRA is one step closer in collecting the special assessment of \$30 from village residents and \$17 from the township residents, it is important that people know exactly what the goals, objectives and major components of the proposed recycling program.

Goals include:
• to divert a minimum of 2,140 tons each year of solid waste from the waste stream through a region wide recycling program

• to achieve significant reductions in solid waste disposal by promoting waste reduction, composting and recycling in all sectors and educating the public regarding these options

• to run a cost efficient recycling program with widespread citizens support and participation

Beside the weekly curbside pick-up in the villages of clear and colored glass and tin cans, the program to begin operation in the spring or summer of 1992 will include:

• 12 drop-off stations throughout the township

• an intermediate processing building at the Chelsea Landfill with a baler and storage space for materials

• potential to collect other recyclable materials

• an education program, kick-off campaign and volunteer network to promote participation in the recycling program

In the future there will be volunteer opportunities for township residents to work at the drop-off stations; in the villages as block captains; or both through making presentations to groups and assist the elderly and disabled with recycling.

Recycling Reminders

—Sybil Kolon

Proper preparation of materials for recycling is critical for the operation of an economical recycling program. Most people do comply with these rules. The few who don't add significantly to the cost of the program. We, the tax payers, all pay the price.

* Do not leave any materials on the ground. Village personnel have other important duties to attend to.

* Tin cans should be flattened to conserve space. Some restaurant, apparently, has been leaving bags of unflattened large cans on the ground outside the bins.

* Only milk jug type plastic is allowed, not laundry detergent bottles or other colored plastic.

* Walco Foods is not accepting styrofoam at this time. Do not put this material in the recycling bins. It will be landfilled and we will be charged for someone to sort through and pick it out. It can be taken to Adrian (see side bar on where to recycle).

* Make sure you are putting materials in the right compartment. Tin cans have recently been found in the glass compartment, this also costs time and money to sort.

The costs for the recycling program are shared by the Village of Manchester and the townships of Bridgewater, Freedom, Manchester and Sharon. The value of the materials is less than the cost to transport and process them, however it is still less expensive than landfilling.

If you are going to take the time to recycle, please be sure you are following the guidelines. It may be inconvenient to have to bring materials back later if the bins are full, but you are causing inconvenience and expense to others by not doing so.

If you know of anyone who is not preparing their materials properly, please inform them in a diplomatic way of the need for everyone to comply with the rules. Let's make this program one we can all be proud of.

Advertisement for McCulloch chainsaws, featuring the TITAN 7 model and contact information for Earl R. Alber.

Advertisement for MicroAge Computer Centers, highlighting Macintosh power and providing contact details for Ann Arbor.

Advertisement for TIRB Chevrolet & Geo, offering a selection of new and used cars on the lot.

Advertisement for Stanley E. Gilbert, D.C., Manchester Chiropractic Clinic, including address and phone number.

Advertisement for Professional Auto Body Work, featuring over 30 years of experience and contact information for Larry Gonyer.

Notice regarding Ordinance No. 195, Parking Violation Bureau, and information about recycling programs.

Advertisement for Charles Reinhart Co. Realtors, featuring Deborah Engelbert and office location.

Advertisement for Troll Christmas decorations, featuring baby trolls, Santa Claus, and Mrs. Claus, with a surprise gift offer.

Editorial / Opinion

Out & About

by gar

Frustration - the act of frustrating or the state of being frustrated. Frustrate - to defeat; to baffle; to foil; as, he frustrated his opponents.

That is the state of mind that I experienced for three days this week. The same thing happened for three weeks at the end of July and the beginning of August. FRUSTRATION. The cause, dealing with Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan. Attempting to have employees added to the group policy coverage.

Last June, I added two employees to the Group coverage here at the Enterprise and deleted one. The last week in July we received in the mail a letter saying that we could not add any employees to the coverage except during the annual reopening period. This information was sent on an undated and unsigned form letter. Impossible to trace back to any person. Very convenient for Blue Cross and Blue Shield as no one is responsible and everyone can disclaim authorship.

The payments department, 77490. Sez, "Sorry we only take the money and don't be late as we will cancel your coverage and you may not be able to get coverage again. Call the district sales department."

Intimidation? You better believe it! But being a stubborn Taurus pollack they made me madder than mad.

After three weeks of calls, letters and more calls, a young lady by the name of Terri Heard, took a personal interest in my pleading and was able to add the new employees to the group. Apparently Terri was able to convince the section manager that our position was correct. Terri also discovered that our group has what is called, "continuous enrollment privilege". Short for some one didn't check the policy before sending out the form letter.

Unfortunately, I should not have deleted the one employee, who really wasn't an employee, but was the second ex-wife. I thought the decree was finished based on a letter I received. Apparently it wasn't and the Judge said reinstate the policy. I sent the money to Dept. 77490, along with a letter requesting reinstatement. Guess what?

NO LUCK! Back comes another copy of the same form letter, annual reopening only. You cannot request reinstatement, call the regional sales office. OH BOY, here we go again. 18 phone calls where some one was able to talk to me and approximately 14 more phone

calls, where no one was available. A Miss Cole, pinch hitting for the sales representative assigned to our account, called back. Right now I wish to say, Thank You Miss Cole for calling.

Miss Cole very patiently explained the process that Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan use in determining eligibility, cost, benefits available and coverage. I had never been involved in the book work or the bookkeeping of accounts dealing with Blue Cross before. I always depended upon the bookkeeper to cover that part of the business.

Honest mistakes, goofs or just don't know how to work with the system can create frustration. This at my age, I sure can understand how others feel now. Thank goodness there are some people like Terri Heard and Miss Cole who do help. Makes a person wonder if the others at Blue Cross or other large companies care.

To the Editor:

Happy Turkey Day! Reading the Enterprise each week gets better with every issue. — But, you are sending us two copies. Please send only the one paper to our Florida address.

Tell Mr. Gar things are more small town in ritzy Naples than in Manchester. His counterpart, John Lunsford, could give him lessons on putting burrs under peoples' saddles!

L. Bialecki

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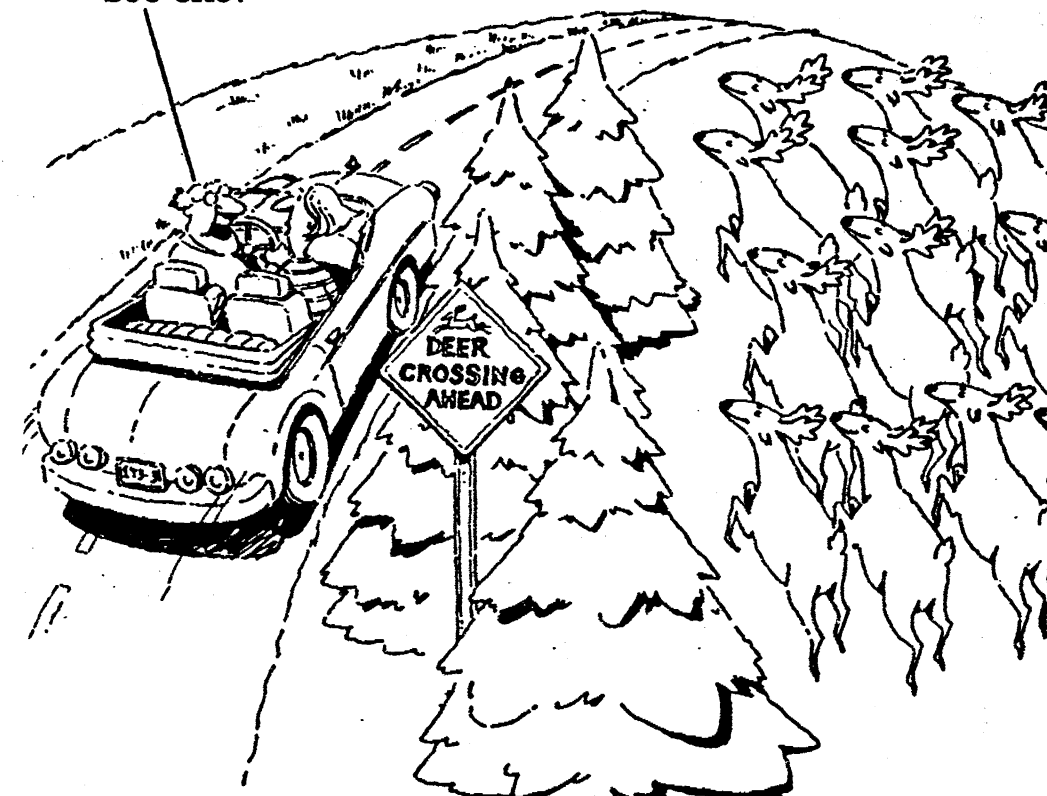
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INFORMATION

Fire Runs Police Beat

November 26: One person was transported to the hospital when a car accident occurred in the Village.

November 29: A personal injury was called in when a person signaled their Lifeline alarm.

December 1: A personal injury was called in when a car hit a pickup truck in Sharon Township. No one was transported to the hospital.

December 2: A personal injury was reported when a car hit a utility pole.

December 3: A structure fire occurred in Sharon Township when a pole barn ignited.

December 4: The fire department answered a rescue run when a person complaining of chest pains called in.

December 4: A personal injury was reported when a snowmobiler hit a sign.

December 5: The fire department answered a rescue run when a person complained of chest pains.

November 23: A B & E totaling over \$1,000 occurred in Sharon Township.

November 24: A car heading southbound on M-52 hit a patch of ice and rolled over once, landing on its wheels.

November 26: A driver was stopped on Ann Arbor Street attempting to make a left hand turn on Auburn when it was struck from behind.

NOTICE ORDINANCE NO. 197 WATER SERVICE CONNECTION EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON PUBLICATION

An ordinance to amend the Manchester Village Code, Chapter 22, Water Service and Ordinance No. 191 to include the change to the definition of the term "tap-in".

Ordinance No. 197 is available at the Village Office in its entirety.

Karen Tucker—Village Clerk

Christmas Shop

The date for the Manchester Family Service Christmas Shop is Friday, December 13 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. The location for the shop is the Manchester United Methodist Church.

caring and generosity of the Manchester community in taking care of its own, and making the Christmas holidays a little brighter for those less fortunate.

Keep Those Cards and Letters Coming!

Your ideas are needed! The Village of Manchester will be marking its 125th Anniversary in 1992. And the entire community—townships and village—will be celebrating the occasion.

But a theme is needed—a simple little slogan which captures the imagination and sums up the idea of the Village and its anniversary.

Do you have any ideas? The Committee for the 125th Celebration has until December 31st to decide on just what to use for publicity, on T-shirts, on posters, and programs.

All are invited to share your ideas for a theme. If your's is selected as the official theme, the committee will be delighted to honor the creator. And your name will surely go into the history books when the 125th Celebration is recorded!

Please submit your theme in writing to: Manchester's 125th Celebration, P.O. Box 761, Manchester, MI 48158. You are invited to include your name, although it is not required.

The deadline for submissions is December 31st. "Make hay while the sun shines!" For more information about the theme contest or about the plans for the celebration, call 428-8159 or 428-9312.

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Notice of Public Hearing and Regular Meeting of the Freedom Township Planning Commission

The Freedom Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on a "Common Use Ordinance" regulating land uses on land adjoining water bodies. The hearing will be held Tuesday, January 7, 1992 at the Freedom Township Hall. The public and especially riparian land owners at Pleasant Lake are invited.

Copies of the proposed "Common Use Ordinance" are available for review from the commission secretary, Bob Miller, 10955 Hieber Road, or call 428-8222 (home) or 428-8227 (work).

The regular meeting of the Freedom Township Planning Commission will immediately follow the public hearing.

As of this writing, we don't have a count on the number of girls and boys for whom we will need gifts. Last year, there were a little over 70 of each. With some new families added to those we were already serving, and with referrals from Washtenaw (sometimes as many as 20 from this area, who have indicated special needs, the numbers probably will exceed those of last year. As always, we welcome "like-new" used toys, games and stuffed animals. This enables each child to have one new and one used toy.

We plan on packing bags of food on Thursday evening, December 12. An item of food, which we seldom get, and which we haven't had through federal surplus foods, is dry milk. Adults, as well as children have a need for milk. The packing of bags will also be done at the Methodist Church.

At the suggestion of one of our board members, we have had some winter clothes,

(coats, sweaters and children's clothes) at our food distributions. We also have had a few linens. At the October food distribution, we had a lot of sweaters and coats that had been saved for us by the Bethel Church at the time of their summer garage sale. We hope to continue to have some clothing at each of the winter food distributions.

As in years past, Manchester Family Service knows that it can count on the

PROPOSED SUMMARY MINUTES BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOVEMBER 11, 1991

Chairman Fish called the meeting to order at 7:35 P.M.

Members present: Dayss, Fish, Dull, Iwanicki, Cobb Members absent: Mann, Wahl, Marion

Minutes of the October 14, 1991 meeting were approved as mailed.

Wade Peacock, chairman of the survey committee, reported on the progress of his committee and gave some samples of the types and subjects of the questions to be included.

It was discussed and agreed that information should be sought from the county regarding tax dollars spent versus services returned as regards road improvements and maintenance as well as police protection.

Zoning Administrator reports a permit issued to allow construction of a new house on Willow Rd.

Kevin Cornish, Manager of the Village of Clinton, was present to discuss present and future plans of the Village and common areas of concern between Bridgewater Township and the Village of Clinton. Mr. Cornish reported a Comprehensive Community Plan and a sewer analysis both in progress. Copies of both were requested by Chairman Fish upon their completion.

Motion by Dull, seconded by Iwanicki, to adjourn, passed without objection at 9:26 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, H. Cobb secretary

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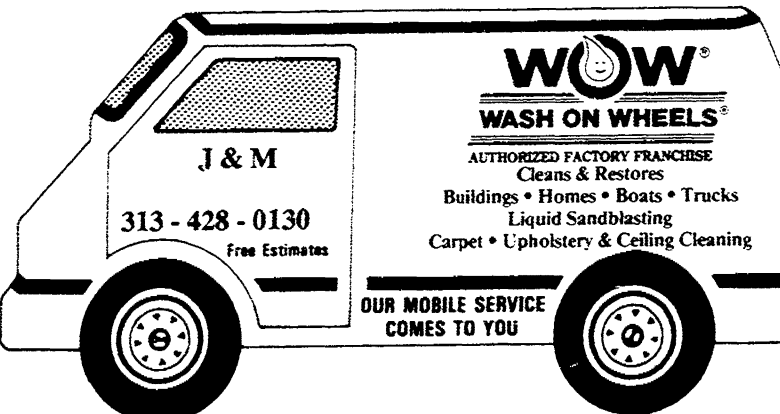


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JOLLY FARMERETTES PLUS 4-H CLUB

The November business meeting of the Jolly Farmerettes Plus

4-H Club was called to order by President Michelle Mann on November 20, 1991. Flag pledges were led by Hannah Goodrich. There were 16 members, 3 leaders and 2 guests present.

Karen Goodell handed out sheets regarding the upcoming club Sunshine Boxes which will be distributed on December 14 from 1-4pm. If members have names of shuntins, they are to call co-chairperson, Sarah Feldkamp, by December 13th with the names and addresses.

Club members are to meet at Parr's and bring their food donations. Jodi Parr gave a report on the club Christmas Party which will be held after the caroling and distribution of the sunshine boxes. We drew names and leaders will be providing the club luncheon on the 14th.

Under unfinished business, inserts to the club programs were handed out to members and leaders. These inserts contained all club program corrections for 1991-92 and the names and addresses of all members.

New business included the distribution of certificates of achievement for the 1990-91 club year and 1, 3, 5 & 7th year pins to members. The County Officer Retreat pizza party is December 3rd with RSVP for December 2nd. Those members wishing to attend the Michigan Awards workshop should circle December 11th at 7pm. Book cover contest designs for the 1992 4-H fair are due January 20th.

The club voted for 4-H Council candidates.

Additional new business included recognizing those leaders and members who received pins and certificates at the County Recognition Breakfast. They were: Nancy Haeussler for 5 years and Elaine Feldkamp for 15 years of volunteer adult leadership. Andrea Clark received county medals for photography and breads. Sarah Feldkamp received awards for crafts and leadership. Jodi Parr was one of two county teens to receive the Danforth Award.

A review of the monthly Sounder made mention of the County Workshop scheduled for February 1, 1992 to be held at the Westside Methodist Church in Ann Arbor. A brochure will be mailed from the 4-H office, registrations will be due January 10th.

Under Leader's Report, Mrs. Clark handed out the lace gingerbread house instructions. The workshop for this activity will be at Mrs. Clark's on Sunday, December 8th from 2-4pm. Bring your materials, having the cardboard pre-cut. Mrs. Feldkamp gave a brief presentation regarding insurance coverage for members. We were also given our assignments for sewing leaders. Members are to contact the assigned leader to get started on winter sewing projects.

For our club meeting activity we made lace candy canes, but with some difficulty! We had a song led by Jodi Feldkamp, song leader and demonstrations by Sara and Angie Cooper. Refreshments were by Angie and Sara Cooper.

Submitted by Sarah Feldkamp, Club Secretary

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Jeff Hughes Chosen As DAR Good Citizen

Manchester High School is very pleased to announce that Jeff Hughes has been chosen as the high school's 1991-1992 winner of the Good Citizen of the Year award from the Daughters of the American Revolution. Jeff is the son of Michael and Diane Hughes of Manchester.

Because our youth hold the future in their hands, the Daughters of the American Revolution established a Good Citizen Contest in high schools in 1934 to recognize and encourage outstanding young people in the pursuit of high ideals. Jeff was selected on the basis of leadership, dependability, service, and patriotism.



He has advanced to the state Good Citizen Competition by taking a written examination, submitting a transcript of his

grades and letters of recommendation. State award winners will receive educational scholarships and will advance to the National Scholarship Competition.

Jeff is a senior at Manchester High School who plans to major in finance in college. At the present time, Jeff ranks first in his class with a perfect 4.0 grade point average. He is a member of our National Honor Society and the Key Club where he serves as its president. Jeff has lettered in track and golf. This year he was captain of the golf team and its number one player. Outside of school, Jeff is very active in the Boy Scouts of America.

Lavender receives degree

Paula C. Lavender of Ann Arbor, graduates December 12 from Wayne State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in political Science. She plans to begin graduate school in 1993 in the field of Environmental Policy.

Paula is the daughter of Thomas and Susan Lavender of Manchester.

Save Your Labels

Manchester Middle School continues to collect Campbell soup labels which will be exchanged for audiovisual equipment.

Please save labels from all Campbell soups, V-8 juices, Swanson canned and frozen foods, all Franco-American products, Recipe dog food, Mrs. Paul's frozen foods, and Vlasic pickle products.

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MPW Sponsors Contest

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This year's competition includes six categories: news stories, sports stories, feature articles, editorials, feature photography and columns. First, second, and third place certificates will be awarded in each category and Michigan's first place winners will be advanced to national competition, sponsored by the National Federation of Press Women (NFPW).

Michigan's contest had over 300 entries last year and three Michigan students were national winners.

A copy of the 1991-92 rules and entry blank is being mailed to each newspaper and all high school English and journalism teachers throughout the state. Michigan contest entries must include a completed entry blank and must be postmarked by January 16, 1992.

MPW will honor Michigan's first place winners at a Youth Awards Luncheon in Traverse City on Saturday, February 22, 1992. MPW also will provide any Michigan student earning first place in national competition assistance to attend the NFPW Youth Awards Luncheon in Lansing, Michigan, Friday, June 19, 1992.

For additional information contact Naida Ayadi, director, MPW High School Journalism contest, 1105 Eastfield, Lansing, MI., 48917. Phone: (517) 323-3111.

Students wishing to have articles published in *The Enterprise* may contact Vanessa Forsthoefel at 428-8173.

Mottice Receives Degree

Heather L. Mottice of Manchester received her BA in interior design from Michigan State University on December 7 in the Breslin Student Events Center.

She was one of 2,108 degree candidates for 1991 fall commencement.

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For more information about Understanding Taxes program, interested educators can contact the IRS Taxpayer Education office by calling toll free on 1-800-829-1040, extension 3674, or call direct on (313) 226-3674.

Manchester Community Schools Board of Education Regular Meeting December 16, 1991

- I. Call to order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll call of officers
- IV. Secretary's Report
 - A. Minutes of previous meeting
 1. Regular meeting—Nov. 18, 1991
- V. Treasurer's Report
- VI. Communication
 - A. Correspondence
 - B. Visitor Input
- VII. Old Business
- VIII. New Business
 - A. New Bus Bids
 - B. Contract Renewal—Environmental Management
 - C. Personnel Items
 1. Notification of Superintendent's Renewal Clause
- IX. Discussion Items
 - A. Fall Athletic Report
 - B. District Goals
- X. Recess
- General Session
- XI. Facility Development Project-Work Session with Facility Planning Committee
 - A. Discussions—long range master plan
 - action plan to phase in project - scope of the project
- XII. Adjournment

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- milk jugs (clean, crushed, no caps)

Dan's Westside Automotive:

- used car batteries
- used motor oil (a 90¢ charge per gal. what Westside is charged to have motor oil picked up)
- used anti-freeze (same as above-90¢/gal.)

Pyramid Office Supply:

- polystyrene packing peanuts
- household batteries
- Dyer's Auto Parts: (The junk yard two miles west of town on Austin Road, 8am-5pm Mon-Fri, 8am-1pm Sat.
- any scrap metal, including used appliances (refrigerator doors must be removed)
- used car batteries (they pay \$1 each for them)

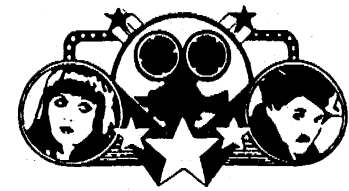
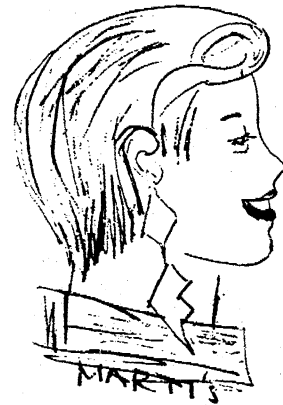
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- used motor oil
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- car batteries
- newsprint
- glass
- tin cans
- aluminum
- household batteries
- #2 laundry detergent type bottles (caps removed)

Recycling & Resource Recovery, 2314 Treat Hwy., Adrian (near Meijers), Mon-Fri 9am-5:30pm, Sat. 9am-1pm — all plastics with the recycling logo (numbers 1-6). They do not take #7 (other), #2 HDPE should be sorted into three categories, translucent, colors and oil containers. They also accept polystyrene packing blocks (no packing peanuts)

• everything else except oil and batteries

Shopping Manchester



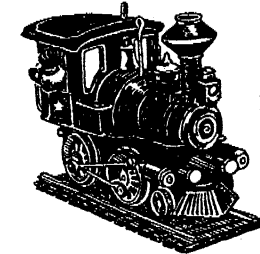
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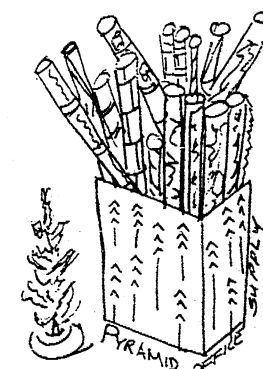
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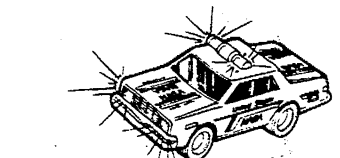
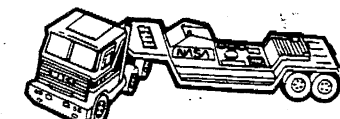
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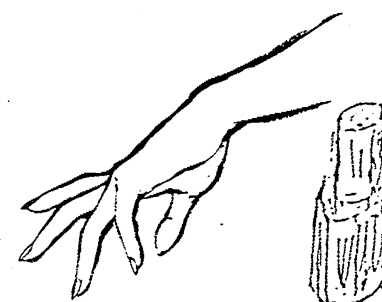


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Senior Citizen's News

—T.V. Ludwick

All area folks and those traveling through our town can again appreciate Gale Koebbe's effort at Christmas time. Our water tower has its traditional lighted tree atop for all to view. We watched through binoculars as the red-coated figure moved around tying down and wonder, as usual, if we would have the nerve. We look forward to the beauty of that tree each year, thank you. Thanks should be extended to our village crew for our multi-colored uptown lighted trees and especially the ones bordering the river—beautiful. It also seems like our merchants have decorated with finesse and beauty, it really does add to our holiday spirit.

Thursday, December 12: Our faithful cook, Jan Barbour, who is expert at not only enticing our taste buds, but has kept secrets about what chef's choice will be, has finally broken down. In a weak moment, Jan confided that she wasn't going to serve pheasant under glass, flea ribs or crab imperial. We will be treated to baked chicken, nothing fancy, just good. That is why we attend senior meals—who need to be fancy, just good. That is why we attend senior meals—who needs to be fancy? And you may join the bingo players afterward at the Center.

Friday, December 13: Reservations are filled up for the trip to Turkeyville which leaves the Center at 10 a.m. Don't despair, join us at the fun-filled Klager School Christmas for seniors beginning at 10:30 a.m. Program, tour of classrooms and full turkey dinner is an annual event which delights all who are 55 or more.

Monday, December 16: Come join the seniors on a shopping trip to Adrian. You may call Erma Alber at 428-8707 to go finish your Christmas list.

Tuesday, December 17: Pastor Kuntzman will give our clergy presentation at 11. At noon, Italian casserole is on the lunch menu with Center activities following. Call Linda ahead at 428-8359 for your reservation.

Thursday, December 19: Ho, ho, ho... Christmas dinner of pork chops with dressing to be served. Merry Christmas Jan and kitchen helpers as this is the last meal 'til 1992.

WE LOOK AHEAD: On Saturday, December 21, a trip is planned to Stagecoach Stop in the Irish Hills for "Christmas in the Country". Admission is \$4 for those wishing to go along and you may call Erma to reserve your spot on the bus.

Cubscouts receive awards

Manchester Cubscouts Pack 421 is pleased to announce that the cubscouts have been very active over the past summer and fall in earning their cubscouts awards.

The Bobcat badge is the first badge that must be earned by all cubscouts. The following boys were awarded their bobcats at the November Pack meeting: David Canter, Justin Brady, Justin Tinkle, Jeff Panches, Jeffrey Chapin, Clint Grenier, David Ellison, Derek Panches, Adam Knapp, Chad Roberts, Christopher Maly, Steven Halloway, Aaron LaRock, Eric Mackies, Scott Stockwell, Casey Preuninger, Seth LaRock and Jack Smail.

The Wolf badge is the second grade scouts. Andrew Roberts received his at the November meeting.

The Bear badge is the third grade scouts. Nick Piefke received his Bear badge at November meeting.

Webelos scouts are in the fourth and fifth grade. After earning the Webelos badge they earn pins for different electives. The Engineer pin was awarded to Nick Piefke, Willie Slocum, Jeremiah Tobias and Ted Roberts.

The Family Member pin was earned by Paul Bordine, Ted Roberts, Ben Grenier, Patrick Schultz and Pat Wilson. Jeremiah Tobias also earned Handyman, Athlete and Fitness. Ted Roberts also earned Citizens and Communicator.

We are very proud of all of our scouts, especially those that received these awards and congratulate both the scouts and their parents.

Manchester's 125th Celebration

The committee to plan Manchester's 125th Anniversary Celebration met last week and continued to move forward with plans to celebrate the occasion.

Nondus Buss, Mike Miner, Elsie O'Dell, Sandy Trolz, and Janet Shurtliff discussed various items, including:

—The progress on the theme contest: some submissions have been received; but more should be solicited—not because of the quality of those submitted to date, but rather to involve more in the process.

—The "shape" the Celebration will take: the events marking the anniversary will probably occur during a period of 125 days beginning on March 16, the anniversary of the day of incorporation. Organizations, churches, and clubs will be asked to share in the celebration by taking on specific projects as their own. An Official Calendar of the 125th Anniversary will be published.

—The committee and the community will meet in mid-January to get down to business and decide on just what events the 125th Celebration will consist of and who will see to it that certain things happen. The community will be invited to attend that meeting when the date and time is finalized.

—The committee discussed the need for this celebration to include the townships, as the village and the townships are interdependent. The Village would not be were it not for the townships.

—It was also felt that this anniversary should not just be a party, but should have an commemorative, educational aspect to it, with perhaps a long term project associated with it.

Work will continue through the Holidays by the committee with the community meeting planned for mid-January. You will be kept posted!

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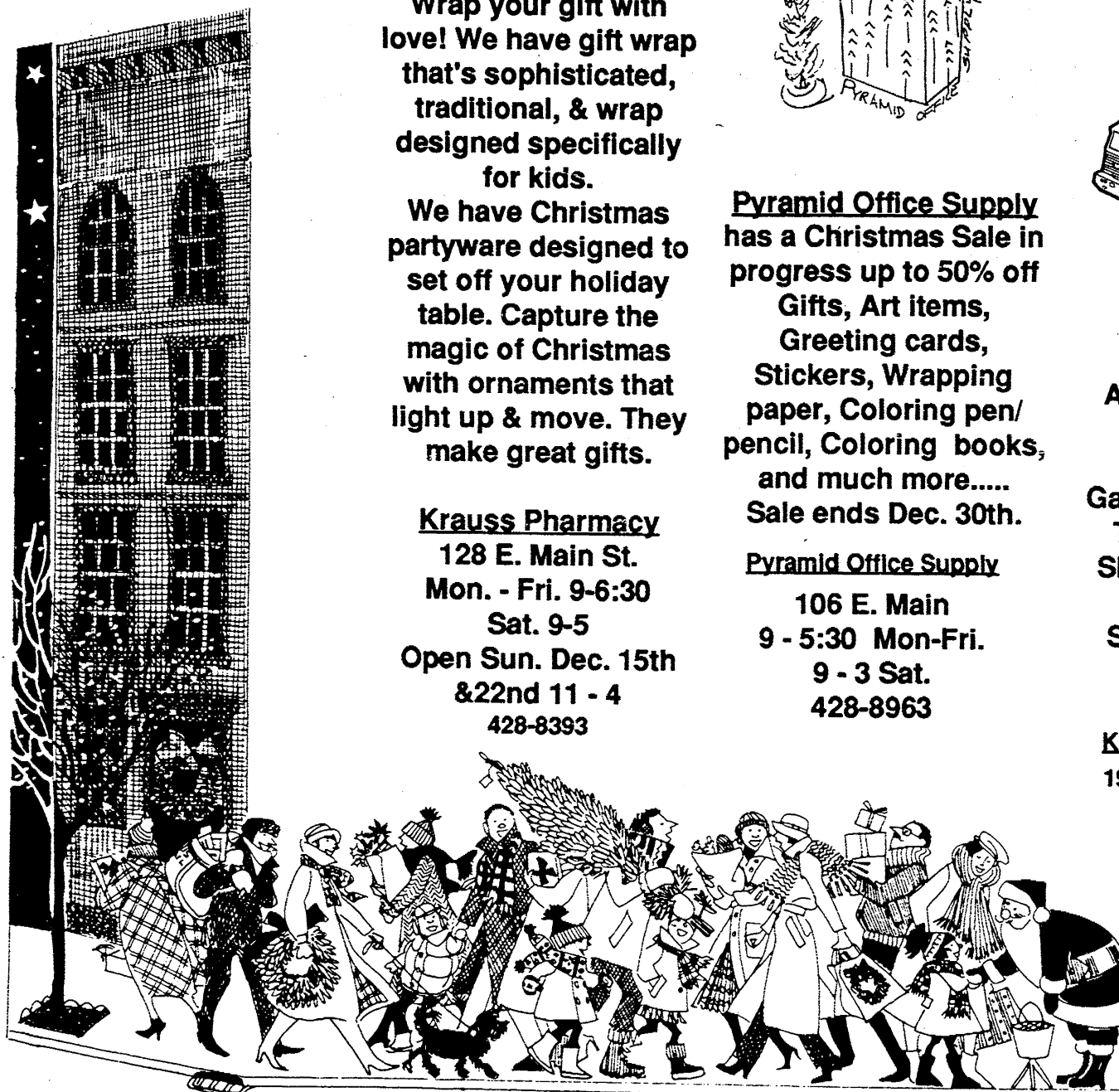
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VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. R. Dean Cooper, Pastor; 423 South Macomb, 428-7506, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Public Bible Class 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Praise and Prayer 7:00 p.m.

BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST—Rev. Roman A. Reineck, Pastor; Schneider and Bethel Church Roads; Church Service 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. Erik Alsgaard, Pastor, Corner of M-52 and Pleasant Lake Roads; Church School 10:00 a.m., Worship 11:00 a.m.; Bible Study 5:00 p.m.

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

NORTH SHARON BAPTIST CHURCH—Bill Winiger, Pastor; Clifford W. J. Whitenburg, Assistant Pastor, Sylvan and Washburn Roads Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Church 11:00 a.m.; Evening Church 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Youth Meetings 7:00 p.m.

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ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH—Rev. Mark A. Weirauch; 3050 S Fletcher Road; Sunday School 9:00 a.m.; Worship Service with Holy Communion 10:15 a.m.

ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH—Rev. John Riske, Pastor; 10001 W. Ellsworth Rd., (5 miles North and 6-1/2 East of Manchester); Schedule: Church Service 10:45 Sunday. Bible Class and Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST—Rev. Nancy Doty, Pastor; 12376 Waters Road, Waters and Fletcher Roads, Rogers Corners.; Worship and Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

CLINTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD—Rev. Richard Coury, Pastor; Chris Bouldrey, Youth Pastor; 13300 Clinton-Manchester Road, Clinton; Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study, Youth 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS (MORMONS)—Samuel M. Skidmore, Branch President; 1330 Freer Road, Chelsea; Sacramento 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, Primary 10:40 a.m.; Priesthood Relief Society, Aaronic Priesthood, Youth 11:40 a.m. For more information call 517-456-7876.

CHELSEA FULL GOSPEL CHURCH—John and Sarah Groesser, Pastors; 11452 Jackson Road (Lima Town Hall) 313-475-7379; Sunday 10:15 a.m. Prayer, 11:00 Morning Worship Service, 6:00 Evening Worship Service; Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Church School, all ages (call for location)

St. Mary's Catholic Church

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE
Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Individual Preparation
Saturday, December 14: 11:30-12 Noon; 4-4:45pm
Saturday, December 21: 11:30-12 Noon; 4-4:45pm
Monday, December 23: 4-4:30pm; 7-8pm
Celebration of Liturgy: Christmas
Tuesday, December 24: 5pm, preceded by Children's Choir Program at 4:30pm
12 midnight, preceded by Choir Program at 11:30pm

Wednesday, December 25: 10am Congregational Hymns
New Years
Tuesday, December 31: 5pm
Wednesday, January 1: 10am

Manchester United Methodist Church

Thursday, December 12: 5pm Girl Scouts Evening—MFS Shop set-up and Klager Senior Citizen meal preparation
Friday, December 13: Morning—Klager meal preparation, 9am MFS Christmas, 9:45 Bible Study
Sunday, December 15: 9:30am Sunday School, 10:30 Worship
Monday, December 16: 6pm & 7:30 Girl Scouts
Tuesday December 17: 6:30pm Girl Scouts, Wednesday, December 18: 12 noon UMW, 3:15 Girl Scouts

Scripture study continues
The 13th installment of Genesis Scripture study continues Sunday at the K of C Hall. Dr. Scott Hahn teaches how God's family had grown into a clan with the adventures of Abraham. The relationship of the Lord with the early Hebrews is no different than for us in the 90's. Join us from 7-9 p.m. or call Bill Kwolek at 428-7674.

St. John's

Wednesday, December 11: 12:30 Chimes, 1:30 Ruth Circle, 1:30 Jr Choir/Bell Choir, 6:30 Midweek Advent Service at St. John's, 9pm Sr Choir
Thursday, December 12: 6:30pm Mary Martha Circle Christmas Party
Saturday, December 14: 1pm Sunday School Staff puts up Christmas tree, 6:30-8pm Jr Choir practice
Sunday, December 15: 9:15am Sunday School, 10:30 Worship with Jr Choir Cantata "Angels"
Monday, December 16: 7:30pm Church Council
Wednesday, December 18: 9am MOPS, 6:30pm Jr Choir/Bell Choir, 8pm Midweek Advent Service at St. Thomas, 9pm Sr Choir
December 19: 8pm Men's Bible Study at Clyde Kruger's

Bethel United Church of Christ
Wednesday, December 11: January Newsletter Items, please.
Saturday, December 14: 8:30am Confirmation Class, 9am-2pm 4-H group
Sunday, December 15: 9am Teacher's meeting, 9:30 Worship Service, 7 Church School Children's Christmas Program
Thursday, December 19: 6pm Children's Choir, 6:30 Potluck ALL Choirs, 7:30 Senior & Youth Choir Plus
Sharon United Methodist Church
Thursday, December 12: 7pm Food Co-Op
Saturday, December 14: 9-10:30 Church School program practice, 6-9pm Open House at the Parsonage
Sunday, December 15: 11am Boys and Girls Fellowship; 12:15pm Chancel Choir dinner
Wednesday, December 18: 8:15pm Chancel Choir practice
Thursday, December 19: 5pm Food Co-Op, 6:30 Women's Potluck Christmas dinner
Wednesday, December 18: 6pm Prayer Meeting, 6:30-8:30pm AWANA Clubs for kids age 3 thru 6th grade, 6:30 T-Live (Jr high age) Christmas party

Emanuel United Church of Christ

Wednesday, December 11: 6pm Bell Choir, 7:30 Adult Choir, 8pm Al Anon
Thursday, December 12: 12 Noon Senior Meal, 3:20 Cherub Choir, 3:40 Children's Choir, 6 & 7 Cub Scouts, 6pm Women of Emanuel Christmas Potluck, 7:30 Church Council
Friday, December 13: 7pm Quilting
Saturday, December 14: 9:30am Co-Op Board Mtg, 10am Rehearsal for Sunday School Christmas Program
Sunday, December 15: 9am Sunday School, 10:30 Advent Worship, Handbell Choir, 11:30 Coffee & Fellowship Time, 7pm Sunday School Christmas Program in gym
Tuesday, December 17: 12 Noon Senior Meal, 7pm Boy Scouts
Wednesday, December 18: 6pm Bell Choir, 7:30 Adult Choir, 8pm Al Anon

St. Thomas Lutheran Church
Wednesday, December 11: Advent Worship Service at St. John's
Sunday, December 15: Installation of Officers
Wednesday, December 15: Advent Worship Service at St. John's
Faith Community Church
Friday, December 13: 7:30pm Annual Business Meeting
Saturday, December 14: Noon Practice for Sunday School Christmas Program, 5pm Church Bowling League
Sunday, December 15: 10am Morning Worship Service (Nursery available), 11:30 Sunday School for all ages, 4:45 Choir Practice, 6pm Festival of Lights Musical Program, 7:15 Lifeline teen youth group
Monday, December 16: 6pm Tecumseh Convalescent Ministry
Wednesday, December 18: 6pm Prayer Meeting, 6:30-8:30pm AWANA Clubs for kids age 3 thru 6th grade, 6:30 T-Live (Jr high age) Christmas party

Alexander's Go All Out



With or without snow on the ground, 'tis the season to prepare for this year's yule. One family out in Freedom Township truly have the spirit and it's obvious from a ways away.

If you get a chance this Christmas season to drive down Bethel Church Road (to the old Gehringer homestead) you can see the Alexander house lit up even from Koth Road, probably because Frank and Dottie Alexander have about 4,000 lights decorating both the inside and outside of their house. Where do they get

these decorations and why do they go to such great lengths is what I wondered.

They pick up Christmas ornaments everywhere...from garage sales to Bronner's in Frankenmuth. This year they spent over \$300 on decorations, added to probably the same amount as last year, and five years before that.

Why? Because they are kids at heart, both Frank and Dottie admitted. Plus their kids and grandkids all enjoy the Christmas spirit and going to the Alexander's just magnifies this joy.

—Vanessa Forsthoefel

This year Frank started a little earlier so they would be sure to get all the decorations up before their son Dennis Gehringer comes home from the Navy on December 13th. He began around Thanksgiving and was making the final touches this week.

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Tree of Lights

Sunday, December 15, many people in Manchester will have the opportunity to share in the spirit of the Christmas Season. Old fashioned Christmas carolling begins at 6:00 p.m. (Bring a flashlight to use with the songsheets that will be provided.) And, yes, there will be the smell of wood burning in an open fire. Hot chocolate will be served to help take care of the winter chill.

Annual Luminaria coming soon

Christmas is fast approaching and supplies for the 1991 Annual Luminaria, sponsored by the Manchester Historical Society, will be available at the Blacksmith Shop on December 21-23, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The idea originated from Karen Hinkley 14 years ago when she talked to her neighbors on Ann Arbor Hill about placing these unique lights in front of their homes. As people drove by on Christmas Eve, they were enthralled by the beauty of flickering candles all along the streets.

For more information, contact Forest Walz, your candleman, at 428-8234.



As we remember loved ones, we also help people who could not otherwise receive counseling to assist in the stressful times of their lives.

Tree of Lights forms can be mailed to or dropped off at the Community Resource Center. Any one of the above locations has an envelope for deposit. For information, call 428-7722.

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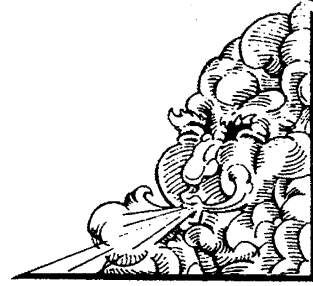
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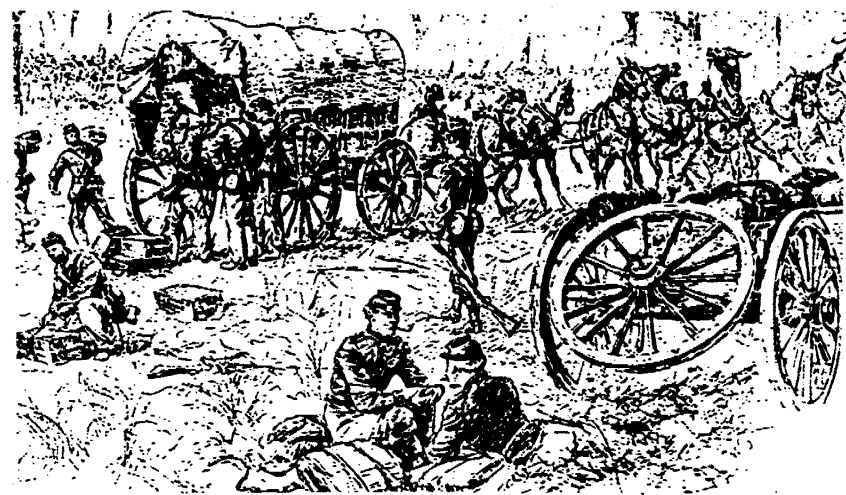
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M-52 Livestock Exchange

"A Day In The Life Of A Civil War Soldier"



"A Day in the Life of a Civil War Soldier", sponsored by the Manchester Township Library, will be presented by the Michigan 17th Company E at the Blacksmith Shop, Thursday, December 12 at 7:30 p.m.

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A New Year's Eve Party in Manchester

You are invited to a New Year's Eve party sponsored by the Manchester Men's Club. We wanted to have an inexpensive party in Manchester and are providing the hall (K of C), music, party favors, ice, glasses, cups and plates.

It is requested that everyone bring an appetizer-type dish to pass, your own refreshments and mix.

We assume that everyone will have eaten dinner before they come, but it would be fun to sample your favorite recipe of hors d'oeuvres. If time is short, or you don't cook, bring a bag of munchies!

There is only room for 150 people in the hall, so buy your tickets early. The cost is \$7.50 per person. Tickets are available at Krauss Pharmacy and from Jim Schook or Dave Kemner. Bring your friends and celebrate the New Year with us.

Stay in town and bring in the New Year!

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'Tis the season...

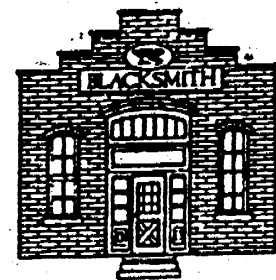
"'Tis the season to be jolly..." and as good ol' St. Nick might say, it's "Ho Ho Ho-down time!"

In this season of giving and receiving, the Recreation Task Force, together with the local band "Raisin Pickers", is sponsoring an evening of bluegrass and good ol' square dancin' tunes. John Freeman from Ann Arbor will be calling the dances. Each dance will be taught and will include polkas, swing and much more.

The members of the Raisin Pickers include Mark and Carol Palms, Gary Reynolds, Mike Gleason and Bill Farmer. All are from Manchester and are generous to donate their services. Thanks to the Knights of Columbus for the use of their hall. Admission is \$4 at the door. All proceeds are for the Manchester Family Services. Hope to see you there!!

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Manchester Historical Society Schedules Christmas Party

Every year the Manchester Area Historical Society sponsors a community holiday celebration. This year the festivities are scheduled for December 17, 7:30 p.m. at the home of Deb Havens and Dave Limbaugh, 526 West Main Street.

A cookie exchange has become a traditional part of the evening, and here's how it works: bring a dozen or so of your cookie specialties. Part of the batch will be part of the evening's menu (yum!). At the end of the evening, people are welcome to take home as many cookies as they would like, giving in return a donation for Manchester Family Services.

The evening's program will rely on all attendant: Christmas carols sung by you, accompanied by Howard Parr on the parlor organ. Sounds heavenly! Please join us!

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Dutchmen Hoopsters Begin

Our Boys Basketballers did play in Sand Creek on Tuesday, but their home campaign starts Friday as we host the wildcats of Onsted. Varsity Head Coach Jim Krzyzaniak and his captain, Lance Fielder, are expecting an exciting season.

Be with us Tuesday, December 17, as we welcome Madison.

Chain Gang will be missing a link

For about nine years, Mike Schneider was seen by Varsity and JV football players and their fans measuring for first downs. But now, Mike has decided to retire at the conclusion of the '91 season, however his stay was prolonged by two games when we hosted the state playoffs.

Athletic Director Randy VanGasse mentioned at the recent awards night that the state normally brings in their own people, but because we had such a capable chain gang, they allowed ours to do the job.

When I asked Mike what game was most memorable, he said, with little hesitation, the one in 1989 when we hosted Michigan Center in a snow-storm.

Now the two remaining members of the chain gang, Jack Smith and Larry McGee have 'til next fall to find a replacement.

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Cliff Tracy	583	
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Vicki Modica	179	
HIGH FEMALE SERIES		
Cindy Wacker	465	
Jodie Heselschwerdt	440	
Lynda Steele	424	

Council OK's sponsorship of circus

Village Council approved at their December 2 meeting to once again sign as the sponsoring organization for the 1992 Manchester Community Circus, contingent on the approval of Sgt. Carl Werner.

Franzen Bros. Circus has set aside Sunday August 23, 1992, for the date of our fair, with shows scheduled for 2 to 4:30 p.m. at the Middle School Athletic Field.

The 1992 contract is similar to the one as in 1990, with the Village of Manchester acting as sponsor for insurance purposes only. Cost of the tickets is \$5 pre-sale and \$6 on the day of the show. Kids under three will be admitted free. There will be no special rates available for children, seniors and family groups as was available in 1990.

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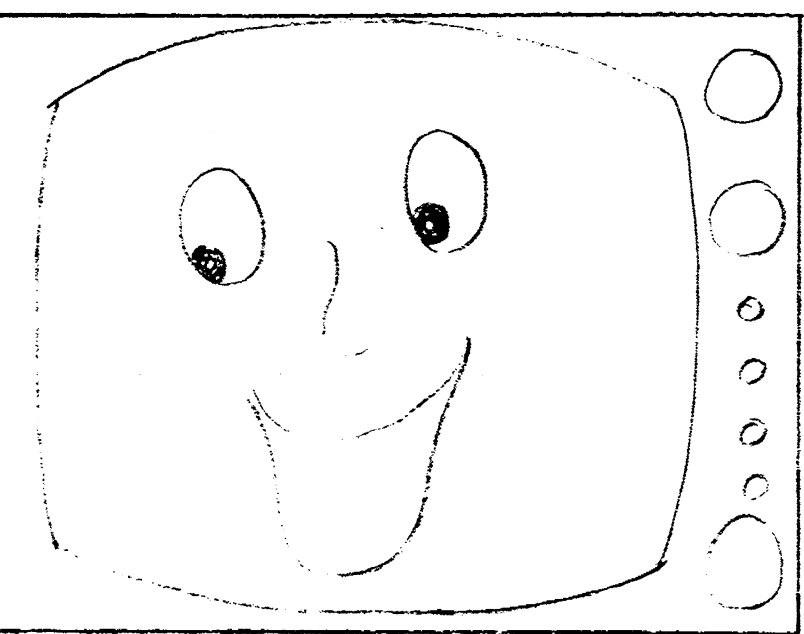
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
VILLAGE OF MANCHESTER
DECEMBER 16, 1991

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Manchester will hold a public hearing on December 16, 1991 at 8:00 p.m. in the Village Offices at 120 S. Clinton St., Manchester, Michigan for the purpose of reviewing the application for industrial facilities exemption certificate for Manchester Plastics, Inc.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive public comment on the application prior to the Village Council resolution of approval or disapproval.

If you wish to comment on the application but are not able to attend the hearing, you may send written comments to Karen Tucker, Village Clerk, Village of Manchester, 120 S. Clinton St., Manchester, MI 48158, or deliver written comments to the Village Hall, no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, December 16, 1991.

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We would like to express our sincere gratitude to those who gave us their support during the past week. The speedy response of both the Manchester and Chelsea Fire Departments and the Washtenaw County Sheriff Department helped to contain the fire saving other equipment nearby. Our special thanks to our neighbors and friends who called in the report and broke the news to us. To those who rushed to check on our family and animals and continued on here into the night, our love and gratitude can never be expressed. When we remember this tragedy, it will not be the barn and equipment, which can be replaced, — it will be those friends who are irreplaceable.

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Sharon Township approves change of 911 boundaries

—David Tell

Area fire officials came to Thursday night's Sharon Township board meeting ready to shake hands and come out—in agreement. And they concurred that the board should reverse its recent action accepting Washtenaw County's 911 Central Dispatch boundary for response by the Manchester, Chelsea and Grass Lake fire departments.

The new 911 system, which has seemed to involve problems in implementation in several area townships, moved the boundary for response by the Manchester Fire Department to include all residences along Grass Lake Road. This is north of the previous boundary determined by following the division between the 428 and 475 telephone exchanges. Chelsea Fire Chief Bud Hankerd said he thought the agreement to follow the telephone exchanges had settled the issue four or five years ago. Manchester Fire Chief Keith Johnson said whatever the his-

tory of prior agreements, he thought the county erred in setting the new boundary. Township board members emphasized their willingness to do whatever the fire departments, as the experts, advised — if the departments involved were themselves in agreement. All departments were in agreement and it was decided that the response areas should again follow the telephone exchanges, except that the Manchester department should cover Peckins Road south of Waters, and in the portion of Washtenaw County using the 517 area code, Chelsea would cover residences on Grass Lake road and northward, and Manchester would cover all the area south of Grass Lake Road.

In other business, Township Supervisor John Savage read the conclusions of the groundwater report done for the township in support of its efforts to come up with a General Development Plan. With the disclaimer that

the report is as yet unofficial and incomplete, the conclusions (which he said should not change) are that:

- the dispersed and extensive use of land in the township is consistent with the protection of groundwater resources

- there being no EPA-listed Superfund contamination sites nor industry or type 1 or 2 landfills, the groundwater is at present uncontaminated (however, testing supporting this conclusion did not look for contamination by agricultural pesticides)

- absence of impermeable clay layers in the soil offers little natural protection against dispersion from any future sources of contamination

- there are ample supplies of unpolluted groundwater, and the average 59.9 degree Fahrenheit temperature suggests most of the water is of local origin

From the last two points an

additional preliminary conclusion was drawn: that the township may wish to focus its preventive efforts on the impact from possible local sources of contamination. In other words, paraphrasing Zoning Administrator Gary Blades, it's all local water, so if it gets contaminated, you'll have nobody to blame but yourselves.

Savage noted that elevated though not excessive levels of nitrates, presumably from agricultural activity, were found in samples from along Eusades Road.

Blades announced that the Barrett gravel pit project is apparently dead, with the prospective operator's consultant having found the water table too high for it to be financially feasible to quarry gravel at the site.

Kathleen Aikens, the township's delegate to the River Raisin Watershed Council, reported that so far the council has

received few proposals for use of approximately \$300-400,000 in funds the Environmental Protection Agency has made available for local cleanup projects. She said the grant money, which requires 25 percent in matching funds from the community, was first offered to the council at its April meeting. There seemed to have been an expectation, which some felt was unrealistic, that individual municipalities would report back to the council with their proposals by June.

According to Aikens, the only suggestions received had been for setting up some gauging stations to monitor water levels. Some board members said they saw merit in doing some dredging and clearing trees and other obstructions; however, no action was taken. Aikens said the involvement of young Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) workers where some clearing and cleanup has been undertaken has been very creditable.

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Firemen fight pole barn fire last week

—Vanessa Forsthoefel

The Manchester Township Fire Department and the Chelsea Fire Department were called out to Bethel Church Road on Tuesday, December 3 around 8 p.m., and found a 144 by 50 foot pole barn that belonged to Walter and Mike Horodeczny, fully engulfed in flames. Fire Chief Keith Johnson estimated losses at well over \$300,000 in equipment and at least \$50,000 more for the building.

There was a greater potential for danger and damage Keith explained, because down-wind was a 1,000 gallon propane tank and also nearby were chemicals used to treat hay. Luckily, the wind wasn't blowing in the direction of the house about 30-40 yards away. Firefighters were also able to save a semi-trailer that was outside the shop door.

Having been out of town

all day, Walter and Monica Horodeczny didn't know about the fire on their farm until they came home to firefighters still working on the scene. However, co-owners Mike and Sula Horodeczny were called immediately at their farm on Pleasant Lake Road, and when they arrived, found all of their shop equipment, three or four farm tractors, a combine, hay mowers, bailers, and more were destroyed.

"We've pretty much ruled out arson," said Keith, "there was heat, electricity and a lot of vehicles which anyone of their batteries could have shorted out."

AGENDA MANCHESTER VILLAGE COUNCIL DECEMBER 16, 1991

- Call meeting to order
- Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- Minutes of the previous meeting
- Approval of Agenda
- Correspondence
- Public Participation
- Public Hearing, 8:00 p.m. for Manchester Plastics
- Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate
- Zoning Board of Appeals Interpretation of the "Home Occupation" provision of Chapter 51 of the Manchester Village Code.
- Reports
- Sheriff's Report
- Planning Commission
- Solid Waste & Recycling
- DPW Report
- Ordinance Committee - Ordinance No. 196 Amending Uniform
- Traffic Code
- Old Business
- Village Manager Job Description/Employee Agreement
- New Business
- Adjourn

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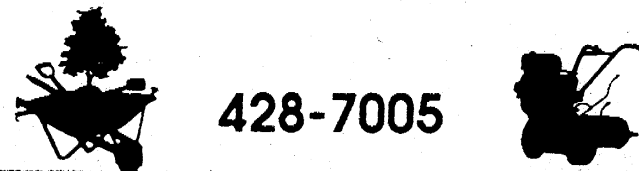
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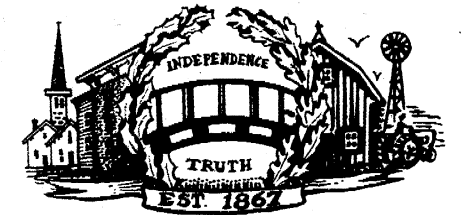
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District School Facility Development Discussed at Board of Education Meeting

—Kathy Kueffner

The General Session of the Board of Education regular meeting Monday night summarized the basic master plan constructed by the facility planning committee from previous community and staff input. This master plan was structured through input from residents of the community, teachers, administrators, students, etc. including information and ideas presented at a town meeting.

The Board needs to give final approval of the project by February 10 to meet the June 8th bond issue election deadline.

The project encompasses these goals and objectives of the district:

- Provide sufficient and adequate instructional space for all curriculum offerings including science and technology, humanities, performing and visual arts, and physical education.
- Increase the size of Media Centers and make them the

technological "nerve center" in each school.

- The schools must embrace today's newest technology as well as future technology.

- Provide adequate space for Special Education programs.

- Maximize the flexible utilization of existing facilities.

- House the Kindergarten and 5th grade with other elementary students.

- Upgrade or provide support spaces such as Career and Counselling, Administration, Kitchens, Staff Planning Areas, and General Storage.

- Improve infrastructural elements such as ventilation, plumbing, electrical, acoustical, circulation and finish systems.

Joe Turk, Board of Education member, was the spokesperson for the ad hoc committee. He explained the proposed two-phase action plan geared to the overall master plan and presented comprehensive graphed

charts demonstrating district enrollment and budget projections. Projections ranged from existing building capacity of 1,020 and enrollment of 1,002 to the school year 2002/03 with a minimum estimated enrollment figure of 1,225 (proposed building capacity without new high school-1,250) to maximum estimated enrollment of 1,550 (proposed building capacity with new high school-1,550).

Dave Larson and Jim Mumby of TMP Associates, Inc., the architectural firm that has been engaged, then presented proposed floor plans for Klager, Nellie Ackerson and the High School.

Comments were requested of audience members and the overall consensus of opinion was support with only minor reservations about specific details. As Mr. Larson and Supt. Niedzwiecki explained, the

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SANTA AND HELPER COME TO TOWN



Santa Claus and Official Christmas Elf John are escorted in grand style by Mr. George Macomber and his Belgian reindeer "King". See additional Santa pictures on page 11.

—Photo by Kathy Kueffner

ZBA interprets Home Occupation Act relative to conditional use permits

—Vanessa Forsthoefel

Village Council convened as the Zoning Board of Appeals for a short time at Monday's meeting after being asked by Councilperson Bill Kwolek to interpret the definition and application of limitations of "home occupation". This action stemmed from an article which was printed in the October 24 issue of the Manchester Enterprise where publisher Emory Garlick specifically asked Kwolek whether he was conducting a business out of his home without a variance, referring to the R1-B conditional use permit required for home occupations.

Immediately following this question, Kwolek requested a ZBA meeting as well as outlined details of his consulting business.

BK Technology Consultants, of which Kwolek is sole proprietor, offers consulting services in the fields of laser and electro-optics, mechanical engineering and industrial design.

"I maintain an office in one room on the main floor and occasionally use part of the basement to assemble or repair the instrumentation which I design....At this date, my home is used to produce income on the average of 15-20 hours per week. BK Technology work shares the use of my office and workshop with the volunteer work I offer to the Village and St. Mary's parish. However, if I had the opportunity, I would expand the time allocated to the business. Anyone who doubts is welcome to visit."

Kwolek also listed 30 occupations known in Manchester which are operated out of the house, yet do not have conditional use permits. The list included house painters, photographers, tutors, handyman services, cleaning services, artists, accountants and real estate agents. Other council members were able to expand upon the list, resulting in a consensus that if the occupation does not change the residential character of the neighborhood or does not have a visible impact on the neighborhood, then a conditional use permit is not required. As Kwolek stated, "This individual right should prevail without restriction unless or until the income producing process alters the residential character of the

neighborhood and warrants government limitation through zoning specification based on objective standards."

The ZBA did determine that the definition of "home occupation" was too vague and should be worked on by the ordinance committee, which coincidentally is headed by Kwolek. Currently, the definition of "home occupation" (in part) is "an occupation that is traditionally and custom-

arily carried on in the home by resident members of the family....being clearly incidental and secondary to the principal, residential use...."

The question Kwolek and other council members were unable to define was "traditional and customary". It was agreed that an objective standard is needed to better define "home occupation".

WWRA waits for grant

—Susan Satherthwaite

On December 6th Governor John Engler signed into law House Bill No. 5137 appropriating money to the DNR's 1992 budget for approved contracts which includes the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority's \$330,400 grant. The authority estimates at least two weeks before they have a signed contract. Several new factors however, have arisen since the time of the public hearing, and now must be resolved with the DNR before any money will be released.

Technically, once the legislator passes each year's DNR appropriations bill into law, nothing from that point on can stop the money from being released. Unfortunately, in the situation of the WWRA, the DNR is breaking from its standard policies, requiring the WWRA to "lump through hoops", according to Frank Hammer, WWRA Vice-Chairman.

The next WWRA meeting will be on December 18th, 7 p.m., at Sylvan Township Hall in Chelsea, 112 W. Middle St. For more information call Sybil Kolon, 475-8963 or 428-8108.

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