

**NEWS**

**APPROVED MINUTES MANCHESTER VILLAGE COUNCIL**

**FEBRUARY 3, 1992**

The regular meeting of the Manchester Village Council was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag by President Kallewaard at 7:00 p.m. Council members present: Kallewaard, Becktel, Brooks, Cooper, Gordon, Kwolek, Wallace and Clerk Tucker. Also present: Vanessa Forshoefel, Carl Werner, Janet LaBeau Shurliff, Deb Havens, Don Limpert.

The minutes of the January 20, 1992 regular meeting were approved as submitted on a motion by Becktel, support by Wallace. Vote: Ayes-all.

The proceedings of the January 20, 1992 meeting were approved as submitted on a motion by Becktel, support by Cooper. Vote: Ayes all.

**AGENDA**

The agenda was approved as amended on a motion by Kwolek, support by Gordon, deleting 9b) Planning Commission, 9c) Solid Waste & Recycling, 9f) Parks Commission, 9g) Finance Committee, 9h) Village Hall Maintenance, 10b) WWRA Contract, 10d) Grant Application Small Business Administration, 10e) Recreation Authority Resolution and Ordinance and adding 10g) Dangerous Building Ordinance - Black Sheep Tavern and 10h) Update on Mercury Testing. Vote: Ayes-all.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

Kallewaard acknowledged various correspondence included in Council packets. Clerk to send letter from Village to Senator Pollack and Representative O'Connor similar to that sent by Village of Chelsea, stating Village is in support of legislation which would place all mobile homes on property tax rolls with assessment at 50% of cash value.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

No one approached Council at this time.

**TREASURER'S REPORT** - Motion by Brooks, support by Gordon to accept the Treasurer's Report as of January 31, 1992 as presented. Vote: Ayes-all.

**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE**

Motion by Becktel, support by Cooper to approve payables in the amount of \$35,637.22, deleting invoice from Geraghty & Miller in the amount of \$1,632.90. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

Motion by Becktel, support by Gordon, to approve for payment, McNamee, Porter & Seeley invoices 35299, 35300 & 35301, upon receipt of money from the state. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

Becktel asked Clerk to call Village Attorney, Reading & Etter and request more detailed information on their invoice in the future.

**REPORTS**

**SHERIFF REPORT** - Sgt. Werner was present to answer any questions from Council.

Motion by Becktel, support by Wallace, to adopt Resolution to adopt Ordinance No. 199 amending the Uniform Traffic Code respecting driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor and/or controlled substance. Vote: Ayes-all. Clerk to publish synopsis as presented.

**DPW REPORT** - Council acknowledged receipt of DPW Overtime Report and Weekly Report.

Discussion was held on quote from Layne Northern for air lancing filters. This is a common procedure that should be budgeted for in the future. Motion by Kwolek, support by Becktel to approve work in the quote for air lancing filters as presented by Layne Northern. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

**ORDINANCE COMMITTEE** - Cooper informed Council that she will have the Home Occupation Ordinance revisions ready for next meeting for Council's review. She also stated that she is working on snow removal ordinance and asked Council for any comments.

**CLERKS REPORT** - Clerk presented two resolutions concerning charter amendment and ballot question.

Motion by Kallewaard, support by Gordon to adopt resolution certifying to the Governor of the state that the proposed amendment has been tabled at least 30 days and published. Vote: Ayes-all.

Motion by Kallewaard, support by Brooks to adopt the resolution in-

cluding charges requested by the Attorney General, to amend the Village Charter. Vote: Ayes-all.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**DRAFT OF VILLAGE MANAGER EMPLOYEE AGREEMENT** - Council discussed proposed employment agreement. Changes were made to Article II, Article IV and Article V (g). Clerk to retype and have ready for next Council meeting.

Brooks updated Council on screening committee's review of resumes received to date. It was agreed to close acceptance of resumes as of February 3, 1992. The village has received over 30 resumes for review. Committee discussed minimum requirements with Council. It was agreed that a business degree and public administration degree or 5 years experience, or a public administrator for at least 3 years, job stability and a year experience working with State & Federal agencies were necessary requirements.

Becktel asked if there would be a background investigation before the final phase. Council agreed there would be. Brooks stated salary range would be \$28-32,000. Don Limpert asked if Council had considered using an outside contractor instead of hiring an employee for manager. Council did not consider that as an option. Brooks will be contacting Clerk to set up interviews later this week.

**DPW SALARY PACKAGE** - Motion by Becktel, support by Kwolek, to promote Gary Wiedmayer to Superintendent of Public Works effective February 1, 1992 at \$33,500 per year, with an increase of 4% on September 1, 1992. Job description to follow. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

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Gary will have his own contract and increases will be based on his own merit. He will no longer be a part of the hourly contract and will have no automatic increases. Cooper stated this was reasonable, a promotion for Gary and acknowledged the good work he does. Becktel stated this would put Gary in the ballpark with other communities DPW Superintendents.

Becktel informed Council of suggestion from Gary that they look at the contract of the remaining hourly employees. They have a scheduled 4% increase 9/1/92. Gary recommends that they get a 2% increase effective 2/1/92 and 2% effective 9/1/92. Discussion was held on salary package for remaining hourly workers. Village Manager to discuss at a later date.

Motion by Becktel, support by Cooper to split the pay raise of the 2 hourly DPW workers and pay 2% as of 1st pay period in February and 2%

effective 9/1/92. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

**ASTI - TASK I LUST INVESTIGATION AT DPW YARD** - Motion by Kwolek support by Wallace to proceed with the proposal as presented by ASTI in the amount of \$8,462, which will be billed to the State under the MUSTFA funding for the UST investigation. Roll Call Vote: Ayes-all.

Clerk to ask Sheriff Dept. to check fences on all shifts at DPW yard. Gary to put up NO TRESPASSING signs.

**DANGEROUS BUILDING ORDINANCE/BLACK SHEEP TAVERN** - Clerk to set public hearing before Council for February 17, 1992 and inform insurance company and bank holding mortgage.

**MERCURY TESTING UPDATE** - Kallewaard updated Council on latest results of mercury testing. Council determined that Vickers could begin to discharge into sewer system as long as certain requirements were met. Clerk to write letter to Dave Johnson of Environmental Science & Technology and inform him of the following requirements:

- 1) Vickers to sample all three collection points for mercury on a weekly basis and send the Village immediate copies of results.
- 2) Village will sample once a month at one of the collection points.
- 3) Vickers to pay for all monthly

sampling.

4) Village will sample "in-plant" once a month, this will be paid by the village.

5) Pumping will be allowed to continue as long as results are at low levels.

**HIBBARD ROAD UPDATE** - Kallewaard updated Council on her memo and meeting held on 1-27-92 with Manchester Gravel, mobile home park owners, Wash-tenaw County Road Commission, Manchester Community Schools and Village of Manchester representatives. Council agreed that Manchester Gravel should apply for a temporary haul route permit, good for 30 days and renewable with a charge of \$100. Permit fee could be waived by council. This would guarantee contact with Council.

**RESOLUTION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS** - Motion by Kallewaard, support by Cooper to adopt the resolution supporting the services of the Manchester Senior Citizen Council. Vote: Ayes-all.

Motion by Becktel, support by Wallace to adjourn at 8:58 p.m. Vote: Ayes-all.

Karen Tucker - Village Clerk

To Grandpa & Grandma Drouae I'm your Cupid

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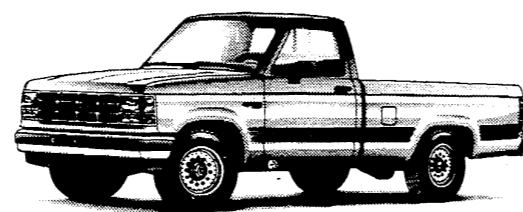
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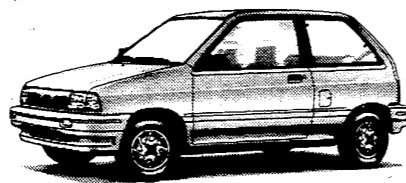
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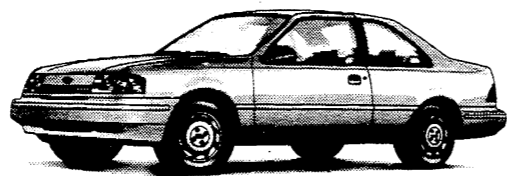
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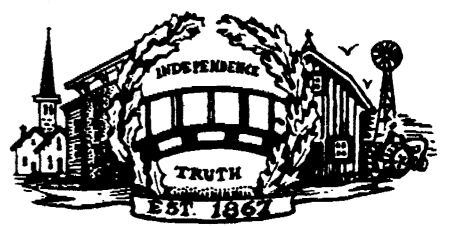
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**Down Memory Lane**

Let us return to yesteryear when life was hard but simple in the needs of day to day living. The picture to the right depicts a time in the lives of our fore fathers who had to cope with such things as rutted roads traversed by horse and buggy. The idyllic scene with tree shaded road is located in Sharon Hollow, Michigan. The cement block home on the left still stands. To the left of that house is a small two story frame home which is still there.



photo Courtesy of Mr. Elwin Gieske

These two homes are located on Sharon Hollow Road, 1/2 mile north of Sharon Valley Road. Ahead of the horse and buggy is the bridge crossing the River Raisin. Not seen in this picture is the old gristmill which was on the right of the bridge. On the left was the general store and post office. That building still stands.

**PHASE I, SCHOOL BUILDING PROGRAM TO COST \$7,396,000**

About thirty five concerned citizens met in the school library, Thursday the 20th to hear School Superintendent Ron Niedzwecki explain Phase one of, Manchester Community Schools Facility Development Plan.

The goals as outlined in a handout are; Provide sufficient and adequate instructional space for current and future curriculum needs including 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. (Phase I did not meet this objective)

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

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

Phase I is intended to be complete by fall of 1994 with a vote on the bond issue in 1992. The actual phase one work and cost will be;

Add instructional and support space to; Luther C. Klager Elementary, Nellie Ackerson Middle School, and Manchester High School.

Grade levels will be 1 - 4 in Luther C. Klager Elementary; Grades K, 5 - 8 in Nellie Ackerson Middle School; Grades 9 - 12 in Manchester High School.

The amount of the Project

cost estimate: \$7,396,000. Payback amount \$16,600,000 according to the financial consultant Mr. Ron Erickson. Mr. Erickson is with Erickson and Associates. The Bond interest rate is estimated at 6 1/2 %. Debt retirement at 3- 1/2 mills for 29 years, at the current District S.E.V. of \$128,220,728. The yearly payback amount would vary from about \$500,000 per year to \$700,000 plus per year.

Superintendent Niedzwecki used the large sketches of the proposed changes that we have been presenting on our 2ND FRONT PAGE. (This week features the High School the last of the buildings to be reviewed from the information provided by Superintendent Niedzwecki.) At the conclusion of the presentation the session was thrown open to question and answer's.

**Question:** The population projection is for less students than the system had 15 years ago, why do we need more space? Answer: "The needs of the system have changed over that period of time. Specifically the students need work stations for Computers, Science, English, one more Foreign language and for the specific new requirements of competency enforced by the State of Michigan." This has created a greater class room need's. The demand on the existing facili-

ties is greater than what we can provide with those existing facilities.

**Question:** Are you proposing a new High School in the next phase and what is the cost for that facility?

**Answer:** "Yes we propose to build a new High School if the population projection proves the need. No, we will not build a new High school if the enrollment is not there to warrant the need. Phase II will cost in the neighbor hood of 14 to 15 Million dollars. We do not anticipate the need until in the next Century."

**Question:** What will happen if there are cost overruns?

Mr. Dave Larson with TMP and Associates, Architects, responded. "The cost estimates have a built in contingency to cover reasonable overruns that might be encountered in such things as bad soils, etc..."

**Question:** will there be additional staff needs? "Probably there will be 2 in food service, one custodian and at the present time there will be at least one instructor per year. Hard costs of about \$45,000 per year not including teachers. The millage necessary to fund this could go to the maximum of 50 mills operational per year from the present level of 40 plus."

"There are some savings to be made by the reduction in portable classrooms that are presently being used at Klager. Each portable costs at the present time between \$30,000 and \$40,000 per year plus set up costs, when purchased. Lease costs are about \$6,000 per year. " Niedzwecki stated, " the demand for space on the existing system will not go away."

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Features

DEALING WITH STRESS

Ron Zang

Knowing how the economy has caused many of us to adjust our life-styles, increased economic stress has also caused increased stress in our families. How are people dealing with this premise and question? I took it to someone in Manchester who I think probably has more insight and experience than most of us in attempting to make a response.

This person, a friend of mine, has made a career of working with children and adults who carry with them the manifestation of "chronically stressed family". This term, more benign and accurate than "dysfunctional family", states that members of a family make adjustments to their particular environment, and when that environment involves abuse in any form, the adjustment results in harmful behavior patterns.

Introducing Nic Cooper. Maybe you've heard of him. He leads substance abuse workshops, conflict resolution sessions, and counsels individuals who have stress problems. This gentle man with pale gray eyes and silky voice speaks for our better side, and has developed techniques that allows people to talk. To talk about their problems. And to talk about solving them.

With this in mind, Nic gave an affirmative response. Sure, the economy has affected people. He has noticed more problematic behaviors in children within the schools he works with. He also claims that more adults have engaged in harmful behaviors, like substance abuse.

Is anything being done? Well, Nic is doing something, he has a private counseling service. He has a grant to consult with area schools. And he claims that school systems are more responsive to helping their students. In fact, school systems are more responsive to helping their own employees.

Now Nic has a way of speaking that reminds me of water washing over rocks in a mountain stream. He'll be talking about his work and you'll be listening, and suddenly something he says splashes in your face. It hits home, and it makes you think. He speaks of people and the way they communicate. What they say, he listens to. And what he hears comes similarly packaged.

In working with people and their problems, Nic has noticed one thing in particular. They come to him angry. But in reality, he sees fear. Fear of acceptance, fear of love, fear of letting go, fear of forgiveness. Our "shame", as he calls it, is

held dear to us and keeps us from becoming another self. Nic acts as the person who gives permission to talk. He establishes trust and makes it safe to be with fear so that "blocks can be freed up".

Without attempting to sound trite, Nic claims that most people's problems are about love and forgiveness; about breaking down barriers; about forgiving oneself.

He finds that in his work it helps to change negative perceptions to positive, thus creating a better perspective from which to problem solve. He talks of the "adult children of alcoholics" who even though they may have dealt with a harmful situation by removing themselves from it, or by physically stopping their own alcoholism, don't know how to change their old patterns (usually negative or harmful) of behavior in dealing with people. He then helps them to reconstruct patterns that are more positive.

Interestingly, Nic claims that also within the last few years, adults more willingly have dealt with sexual abuse that may have occurred in childhood. This has come about because "its O.K. to talk about it now". He shakes his head when commenting about adults in their 40's and 50's who have "carried shame for something that happened they had no control over."

Nic says things like, "People have really sophisticated ways of protecting themselves. We make it safe for people to look back to themselves. We help them try to make things better. When you start to act on something less bound by shame, then you begin to do some things differently."

He works effectively in schools because he does a good job of establishing trust with his audience. I remember that he started an alternative education program called Growth Works for students who just weren't making it in school. And although he left the school district where he initiated this program, its program goals still remain much as he left it. He's proud to say that other school districts have also made use of his strategies. Why? It works.

And you get a sense that he also gets pretty good results in his private practice. I'm not sure that I could handle the continuous flow of individuals who approach him with problems. But I know he's the kind of person who can get energized by the experience while making the results good for his clients. It seems that Nic is realistic about what he does however. He doesn't pretend to be the expert, nor does he make the change in his clients. He claims that the real change comes from within, and he happens to facilitate the process.

You know, after listening to Nic Cooper, you can't go away without the feeling that this human being loves what he does. And he has a tremendous love for humanity. He exists as one of the special few who can take a bad situation and make it good, one of the few who can listen to you talk to yourself and redirect your thinking from one of confusion and despair to one of purpose and good feeling.

Its good to have people like Nic Cooper around. **Out and About** by gar

Mortality n. 1, the condition of being mortal. That definition is from Webster's dictionary.

When I think of that word it does not mean a lot as far as I am concerned at that moment. It's not that we are not mortal or that it may pertain to me. Rather I don't really like to consider the meaning when taken in context with Webster's second description. 2, deaths, death rate. That is not a very nice thing to consider.

Yesterday a friend from high school disclosed that he has cancer. Fortunately it is a treatable form that in of it's self does not cause death. A while back I wrote of another friend that had some tumors of the brain. His condition is stable but other problems have surfaced. Now a friend in town is rumored to have the Big C. I am afraid.

Not that I think anything is wrong with me but that I could be loosing some very near and dear friends. That bothers and concerns me. I start to consider the possibilities and what life expectancy lies ahead. When you are 16, you are invincible and nothing can or will go wrong. When you reach sixty, all kinds of things seem to pop into your head and a person wonders what is next.

I want to talk about my friend from high school. Jerry, Ed and I used to chum around a lot together. Jerry's dad owned and managed a foundry in Wayne Michigan and was one heck of a swell guy. He used to have big Roadmaster Buick's and Jerry would wheel those Buick's around like they were kiddie car's. The three of us shared our first bottle of wine together, a bottle that Ed's dad brought home from the Kroger store where he worked. It had a ton of sediment in the bottom and as I recall we didn't care for it very much. Ed's dad however consumed some of the sediment and became quite ill. At least that is what he claimed. (Maybe he just consumed more than sediment)

Anyhow we shared many good times together and over the years we would drift apart for a while but always come back together again. Neither Jerry or I had a brother so we have kind of developed that type of relationship. His diagnosis has scared me and caused me to consider that word Mortality.

To you my friend and adopted brother, may the sun always be in your face, the wind and rain always be against your back. I am looking forward to many many more years of our friendship.



The back forty

by Roger Pond

One of the drawbacks of part-time farming is the high cost of equipment that you only use once a year. The part-timer or hobby farmer just can't afford the tractors and trucks a guy really needs to do things right.

Consequently the hobby farmer is constantly making do with what he has or can borrow from the neighbors. Even though a person may own two cars and an Oriental pickup, the animals are always too big or too dirty to transport in what you have available.

That's what happened to my cousin, Dean, when it was time to take Buffy the bull home after breeding season. Dean has a small farm with some pasture and it just seemed natural to have a few cows around. Then, if you are going to have some cows it's just natural to keep a bull for a few weeks, so you'll have some calves.

I should stop here and explain that Buffy is not something you would normally name a bull. You can name your sheep, pigs, dogs, or daughters Buffy, but this is not good for a bull.

A bull needs a name like Mark Domino 707, Hillsdale Blackmar John, or simply Red—but never Buffy! With a name like that it's a wonder the old bull wasn't totally sterile.

But Buffy had to go home, and Dean agreed to take him. So he borrowed a horse trailer and went to work getting the car rigged-up with a trailer hitch.

Ofcourse a person wouldn't normally haul a bull in a horse trailer, either, but this was OK for Buffy. He was just a big pet anyway, and would probably ride in the car if the door was big enough.

With just a little coaxing the bull walked into the trailer like a kid's pet horse, and they were off. So here's Cousin Dean heading down the road with old Buffy in the trailer when he hears a sudden thump and starts to put on the brakes.

But before he could turn around to look back, here comes Buffy in the passing lane. The trailer hitch had come loose and the bull was wheeling it down the highway at 50 miles an hour! And being an Angus, Buffy had no horns to blow.

There was one little window in the front of the horse trailer, and all Dean could see was a big brown eye as Buffy went by. Then the trailer left the road and took out two flamingos and a cast iron lawndog before impaling its tongue in a lovely antique Desoto.

My cousin says the folks who owned the lawn ornaments and the old car were really nice about the whole thing, and the insurance agents got the forms filled out once they stopped laughing. The bright spot is that Buffy wasn't hurt—at least not physically.

Old Buffy still sires good calves, according to the bull's owner, but every time a horse trailer goes by on the road it lengthens the calving season by two weeks.

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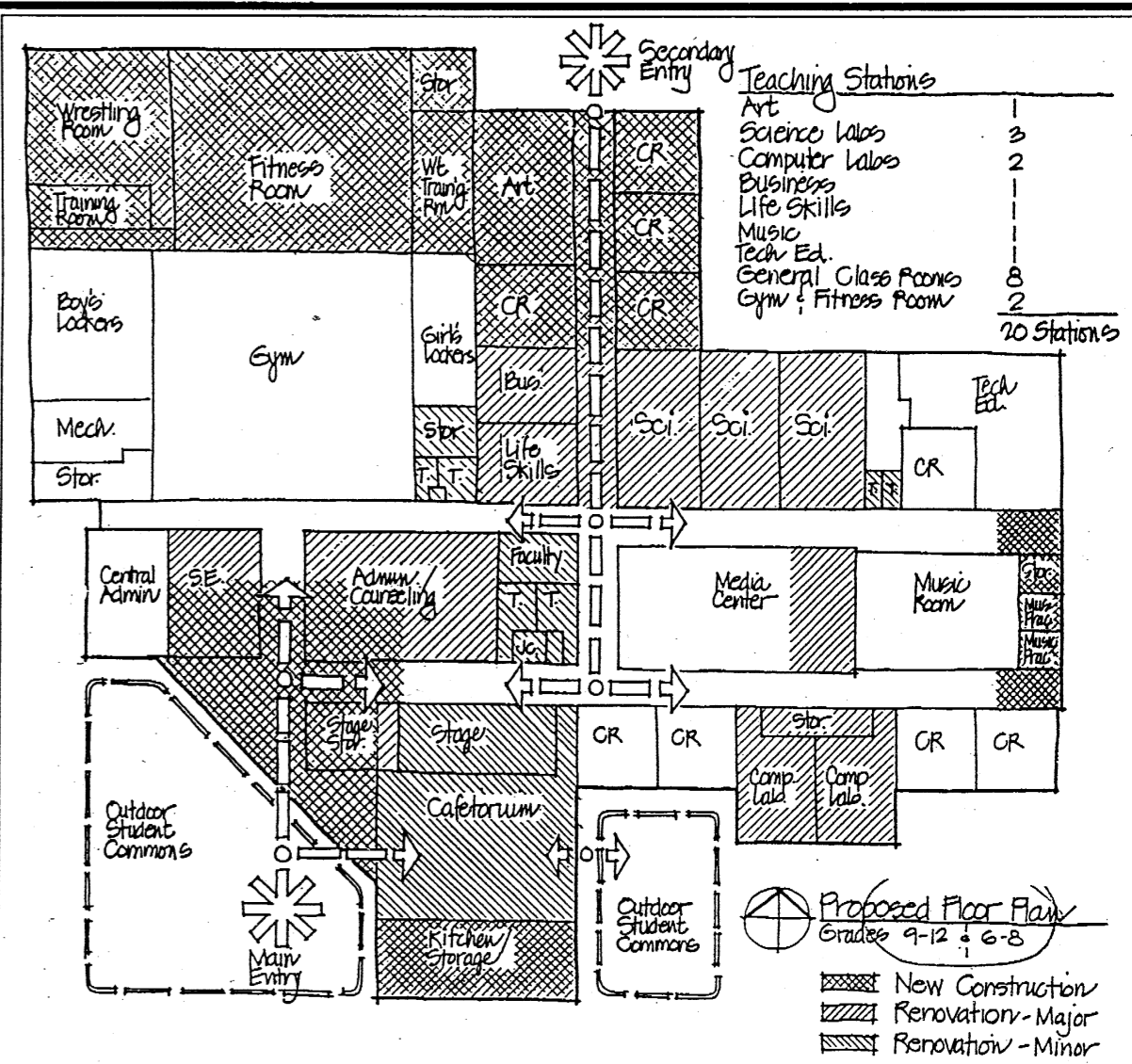
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HIGH SCHOOL Scope of Work

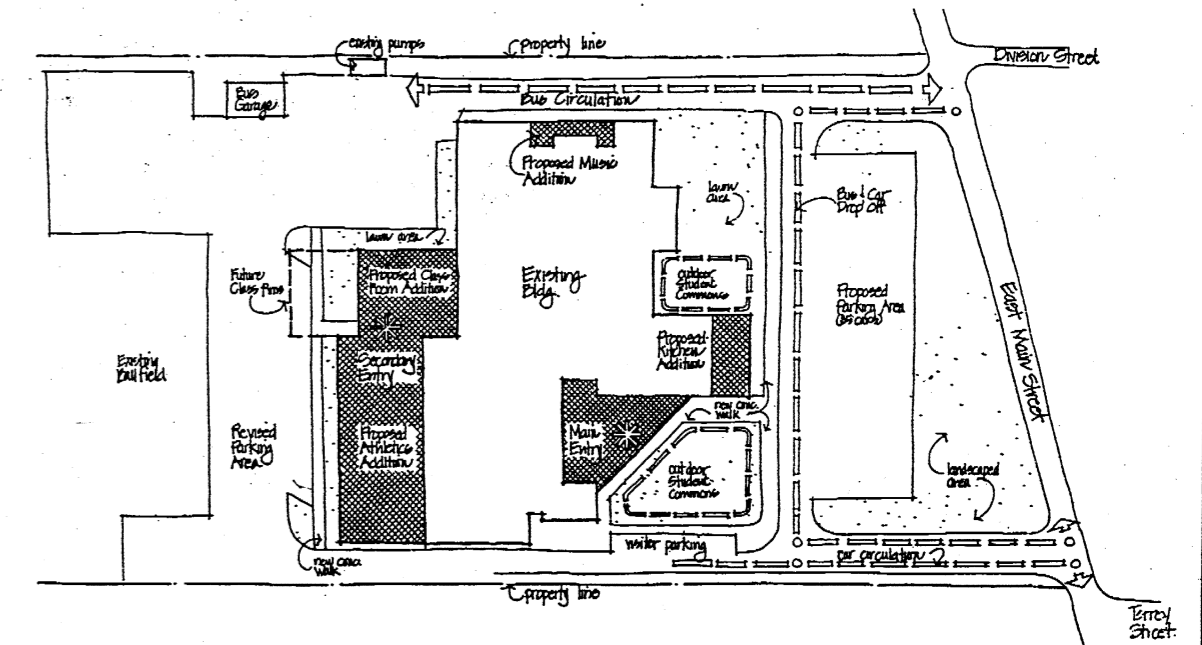
- 1. Need more classrooms
2. Upgrade existing classroom space
3. Enlarge Media Center and provide more support space
4. Need more space for Special Education program
5. Upgrade Music Room
6. Provide two Computer Classrooms.
7. Provide for technology distribution throughout school for computers, VCR's, and telephones.
8. Add a Central Kitchen with servery.
9. Enlarge the career and Vocational Counseling areas
10. Add separate Art Room
11. Add General Conference Rooms.
12. Increase Storage throughout building
13. Enlarge Administration area.
14. Provide Clinic near Administration area
15. Upgrade Teacher Planning area
16. Upgrade Science and Technology areas.
17. Upgrade Auditorium and Stage area
18. Increase Indoor Physical Education facilities
19. Provide a Student gathering space and a "Front Door".
20. Re-carpet building
21. Widen existing student lockers.
22. Upgrade toilet rooms. Provide barrier-free access.
23. Improve mechanical ventilation
24. Provide back-up boiler. Improve temperature controls.
25. Zone plumbing to facilitate repair and maintenance.
26. Upgrade lighting in selected areas.
27. Improve vehicular circulation
28. Provide pedestrian access into building from the rear. Create a "Back Door".

PROPOSED REMODELING AND NEW CONSTRUCTION COSTS, HIGH SCHOOL

Table with columns: BUILDING ADDITION, AREA, \$/SF COST, COST. Includes subtotals for major and general remodeling, and total construction costs.



HIGH SCHOOL FLOOR PLAN ADDITIONS AND REMODELING



NEW SITE PLAN, PARKING AND TRAFFIC FLOW PATTERN

Student Enrollment vs. Building Capacity High School

Table with columns: Academic Year, Enrollment Range, Existing Capacity, Proposed Capacity. Shows enrollment projections from 91-92 to 02-03.

This fourth of the series presents the proposed High School modifications. The front page this week reviews the meeting conducted on the 20th to inform the public of the Bond Study. We will be presenting our editorial opinion in the next issue. Editor

Advertisement for Manchester Electric. Text: 'We are successful when our customers succeed - Call Manchester Electric for In-Home Service. 428-8243 428-8331'.

Advertisement for Premier Contracting Inc. Text: 'Premier Contracting Inc. Full Service Residential Building & Remodeling. Let us help you with your building plans. Lots Currently Available. Ron Milkeg (313) 428-9826'.

# Editorial / Opinion

## Citizens wanted for 'noise test' March 7

It's not often that you get a chance to tell someone else how to spend money—but that's just what residents will be doing March 7 when they take part in a noise-level test conducted by Manchester Plastics, Inc.

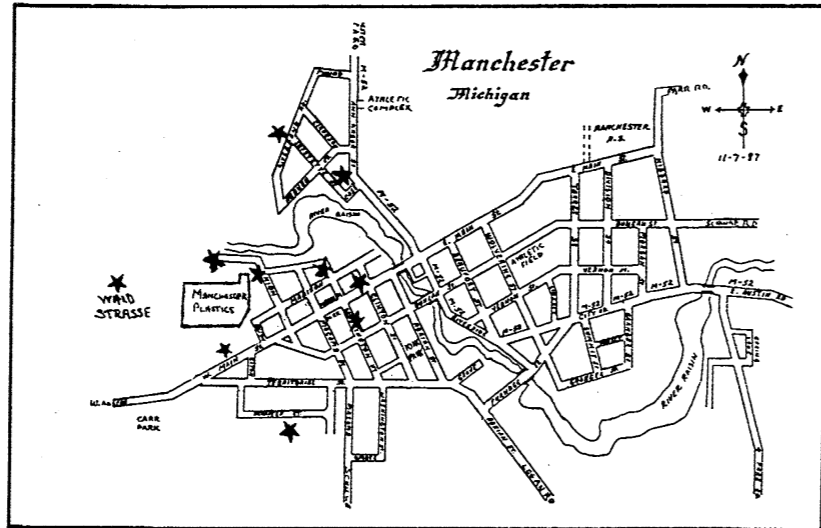
The company is asking citizens to help them determine what equipment is causing the most disturbance to its residential neighbors and has pledged a significant amount of money toward correcting the problems in 1992.

Noise from the factory has been one area that citizens have consistently noted as annoying, and the March 7 test will help determine which equipment produces the most disturbance.

Those participating in the test will be asked to listen from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. as exhaust fans,

compressors, pumps and other machinery is turned on for a few minutes at five-minute intervals. Checklists that rate the resulting noise as undetectable, slight, distinct, irritating and intolerable will be given to participants in advance. The results will be tabulated by the company management and the citizens' group and published in the Manchester Enterprise. All test participants will turn in their checklists at the factory at 8:15 and add any verbal or written comments and suggestions.

Noise, light and water pollution have been addressed by the company and a group of local citizens in meetings over the last six months. In 1991, the company hauled away barrels of contaminated soil and built a con-



Map shows some areas that have been most affected by noise in the past. Some residents in these areas have already agreed to take part in the March 7 testing.

tainment system to extract petroleum products from water that was channeled to the river. The company and the citizens' group are still exploring ways to deal with excessive light.

Those interested in being part of the test should contact Deb Havens (428-8586), Patty Swaney (428-9302) or Becky Doyle (428-7193) to obtain a checklist.

## Sports Editor Comments

February 1, 1992

Dear Mrs. Tallman,

This is in response to your letter to the Enterprise on January 23, 1992.

The reasons that Middle School Sports Team pictures aren't published is that, in my 20 years as Sports Editor, I do not get paid for putting such pictures in the paper. When I receive the team photos back from the paper to sell in my Photo Shop, I've noticed that people would rather spend 30 cents on an Enterprise than purchase the actual photo from me, so it is not economical for me to print any team photos in the paper. As far as action photos and write ups, the coaches very seldom give me any information. For 8 years now, I've done the Sports pictures for the Middle School Yearbook, so I have many pictures I could use. I then go to the coaches, asking for the stats from each game so I can do the write-ups for the paper, but I rarely

receive anything from the coaches.

I understand your concern and would like to help you, but this is where I sit after 20 years of being the Sports Editor for the Enterprise.

Sincerely,

Jon R. Hardenbergh

## From the Publisher

Jon has ably covered sports for the Enterprise for many years. We pay him for his articles, compensate him for mileage traveled and for his film. Additionally we buy as much of his supplies as we can. Without Jon's coverage, sports would not be as ably done.

Unfortunately Jon must depend on School Staff members who do not always remember to get him the information he needs.

Jon sells the photo's he takes whenever possible so please help him whenever you can. He has a neat shop crammed with goodies. The Publisher.

## TaxNews

by H&R Block

### NEW EARNED INCOME CREDIT RULES

Designed to help more working Americans, major changes have been made to the earned income credit for 1991. According to H&R Block, the income tax preparation service, in addition to increasing the dollar amount of the basic refundable credit and adjusting it for family size, two new credits have been added—a health insurance credit and a young child credit. The requirements for claiming the credit have changed too.

To qualify for the credit taxpayers must have earned income and adjusted gross income of less than \$21,250 and they must have at least one qualifying child.

A qualifying child is one who meets three tests relating to relationship, residence, and age. Qualifying relationships include a taxpayer's son or daughter or descendant of either, stepson or stepdaughter, foster child, or adopted child. The

qualifying child must have lived with the taxpayer for more than half the year (the entire year in the case of a foster child). Finally, the qualifying child must be under age 19 (or a full-time student under age 24) or be permanently and totally disabled.

A taxpayer entitled to the basic credit who also has out-of-pocket expenses for medical insurance covering at least one qualifying child may claim the new health insurance credit. A taxpayer eligible for the basic credit who has a qualifying child born in 1991 may claim the supplemental young child credit as well.

The IRS has designed a new Schedule EIC for claiming the new and expanded credit. In addition to providing separate space for calculating and reporting each part of the total earned income credit, the new 2-page form requires that the taxpayer provide certain identifying information about his or her qualifying child or children.

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## SCHOOL NEWS

### The Middle School Wants You!

The hustle and bustle of science fair preparations are again underway at Nellie Ackerson Middle School, but there are some differences this year. In order to provide a greater variety of options and opportunities for the students, sixth and eighth graders are continuing to do science projects while fifth and seventh graders are doing social studies projects.

These projects will be displayed and evaluated during the

week of March 9 with phase 2 judging taking place on Wednesday, March 11. We are inviting all who have been judging the science fair to continue but need some new volunteers to assist with social studies. If you can volunteer a few hours of your time on March 11, please contact Nondus Buss at the middle school (428-7442) as soon as possible. People who judge once almost always ask to be invited back again. Join us for an enjoyable experience.

### Area Resident Named to Dean's List

Gabriel Weiss, son of Nancy Potter of Manchester and Gerald Weiss of Southfield, has been named to the Dean's List at Simon's Rock of Bard College in Great Barrington, MA for the fall 1991 semester. Being named to the list indicates that the student has earned grades of B or better in all subjects and a se-

mester grade-point average of 3.3.

Simon's Rock College is the nation's only college of the liberal arts and sciences for high school age students. Established in 1964, it accepts students after the 10th, 11th, and 12th grades into programs leading to both the Associate in Arts and Bachelor of Arts degrees.

### Student Earns Honors at Michigan Tech

Dr. Martha Janners, Dean of Students at Michigan Technological University in Houghton, MI, announced placements on the fall quarter Dean's List. Lyle N. Portice of

Manchester, a junior in Electrical Engineering, is among those students who have been named to this list. Students must earn a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

The agenda item on the Manchester Recreation Authority has been postponed until concerns about potential liability can be addressed.

Mr. John Ochs, Freedom Township resident and audience member, requested to speak to the Board when they come to the bond issue on the agenda.

The Superintendent has been authorized to proceed with the pre-qualification application for a bond proposal in the amount of approximately \$7 million for the purpose of remodeling, renovating and for additions to Luther C. Klager Elementary School, Nellie Ackerson Middle School buildings and Manchester High School as presented and at an estimated cost of \$7.4 million. The Board also approved the Superintendent to have prepared by district counsel the appropriate bonding proposition reflecting a single K-12 proposition to be voted on in the June 8, 1992 annual school election.

A Consumer Economics class has been approved as presented for the 1992-93 school year. Currently a one semester Economics class is required for graduation. The course will be revised to meet state core curriculum guidelines.

A new science course sequence has been approved as presented to become effective with the class of 1996. Beginning with next year's freshmen, all students will take Biology in the 9th grade and Physical Science in the 10th grade. The Physical Science class will include earth and space science to meet state core curriculum outcomes.

The resolution to amend the General Fund Budget for the 1991-92 fiscal year has been approved as presented.

The following persons have been appointed to coaching positions for the 1992 season: Mark Bareis, junior varsity baseball coach; and Jeff Etzel, junior varsity softball coach.

Mr. Bruce Abbott, Board

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### Named to Sienna Heights Dean's List

The Dean's List, marking high academic achievement for first semester 1991/92 at Sienna Heights College, has been announced by Dean Robert W. Gordon. Undergraduate students maintaining at least a 3.5 grade-point average (on a 4.0 scale), while carrying a full-time course load of at least 12 credit hours are eligible. Kristine Marie Walter of Manchester has been named to the Dean's List.

Sienna Heights College also announced its Academic Achievement List recognizing part-time students who attained a 3.5 grade-point average out of a possible 4.0 during first semester 1991/92. Part-time students are enrolled in not less than 6 but no more than 11 semester hours. The honor is similar to the Dean's List for full-time students and Betty Jane Rosansky of Manchester has been named to the Academic Achievement List.

Sienna Heights College is a private, Catholic, coeducational, liberal arts college offering associate's, bachelor's and master's degrees. The college was founded in 1919 by the Adrian Dominican Congregation. Along with the central campus in Adrian, Sienna Heights has centers in Southfield, at Lake Michigan College in Benton Harbor and at Monroe County Community College in Monroe.

### Klager D.A.R.E. Graduation



The culminating activity for the 4th grade students in the D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) program was a graduation ceremony held on February 19 at the Middle School gym. Deputy Jon Scicluna presented each student with a D.A.R.E. certificate.

Each student proudly wore a D.A.R.E. t-shirt. Pictured are: (left to right back row): Kari Binder, J.T. Dominick, Sean Davis, Erin Kane, Amanda Sheldon, (front row): Arianne Chartrand, Heather Duwall, Patrick DuRussel and Troy Tichenor



The "What D.A.R.E. Means to Me" and "Why I Choose to Grow-up Drug Free" essays selected to be read at the graduation and Optimists Club were written and read by (picture left to right): Christopher Benedict, Lauren Adler, Katie Heinz, Angela Tyler, Peter Detling and Tyler Breilein. Also pictured are Mrs. Yvonne Henry, principal and Deputy Jon Scicluna, D.A.R.E. instructor

### Manchester Community Schools Board of Education Summary

Regular Meeting  
February 24, 1992  
Not Official Minutes

The meeting was called to order by President Sahakian at 7:47 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members present: Sahakian, Gordon, Gilbert, VanBogelen, Turk, Abbott, Gaughan

Members absent: None

The minutes of the regular meeting of January 20, 1992 and the special meeting of February 5, 1992 were approved as presented.

The treasurer's report was approved as presented with a cash balance as of January 31, 1992 in the amount of \$1,906,907.92; post approved bills payable of \$417, 949.08.

The following items of correspondence were received: a thank you note from John and Pat Sahakian; and a letter from North Central Association of Colleges and Schools notifying Mr. Russell LeBlanc, Manchester High School Principal, that Manchester High School is in full compliance with

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**INFORMATION**

# RIVER RAISIN'S HISTORY FILLED WITH DIRT - Part Three

The Manchester Area Resources Conservation Coalition (MARCC), which is sponsoring the River Raisin Festival May 16 and 17, decided to explore the history of the river, and found the first hint of a pollution problem back in 1951.

In our last episode, October 6, 1955, the state Water Resources Commission told officials the village faced a law suit over failure to build a sewage treatment plant as ordered.

January 5, 1956, the following article appeared in *The Manchester Enterprise*:

**WR COMMISSION BRINGS SUIT AGAINST VILLAGE**

The Michigan Water Resources Commission has filed suit in Washtenaw Circuit Court to force the village of Manchester to build a sewage treatment plant and stop polluting the Raisin River.

Manchester, which has a population of 1,381, is creating conditions (in the river) which are injurious to the public health," the suit claims.

A final order, issued by the commission in July, 1951 required the village to abate the alleged pollution by July 1955.

The village was ordered to submit plans for a sewage treatment plant to the state commis-

sioner of health by Feb. 1, 1953. Extensions of the order were approved twice.

"Manchester village has failed steps toward proceeding with the necessary financing and construction program...to abate pollution," the suit states.

The circuit court is asked to order compliance with the final order "within reasonable time." An injunction enjoining the village from violating provisions of final order is also sought.

(End of *Manchester Enterprise* article.)

In the next installment, the *Manchester Enterprise* reports on cyanide from industrial discharge found in the River Raisin.

## Entry Forms Available for River Raisin Festival

To kick off the festivities for the River Raisin Festival to be held May 16 and 17, the Manchester Area Resource Conservation Coalition (MARCC) is sponsoring three contests: photography, essay/poetry, and a raisin bake-off.

Entry forms and contest rules are now available for the first two contests at Krauss Pharmacy, Pyramid Office Supplies, Jon's Photo Shop and the Great Lakes Bank. The bake-off entry forms will not be distributed until March.

Judges for the photography contest will be local artist Bill Shurliff, *Manchester Enterprise* photographer Jon Hardenbergh, and media specialist Harry Sabourin. Two of the judges for the essay/poetry contest have been selected, including local writer Lois Jewel, and Ann Arbor News reporter Roy Reynolds.

If you would like to enter up to three of your photographs of the River Raisin, you have from now to April to shoot new material, or you may enter an old favorite. All photographs must be submitted between April 24th and May 1.

If you would like to write an essay or poem about the river, you must submit it by Friday, April 17.

Winners will be announced at 3:00 p.m., Saturday afternoon (May 16) at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Ribbons and certificates will be awarded to first, second and third place winners. Ribbons will be awarded all participants.

For further information about the photography contest, please contact Margaret Bialecki (428-7794). If you have questions about the poetry/essay contest, call Sybil Kolon (428-8108). Think Spring and the River Raisin Festival!

## OBITUARY

### Ardis A. Scheid Manchester

Age 78, passed away at her home on February 22, 1992. Ardis was born in Manchester July 28, 1913, the daughter of Phillip and Catharine (Hayes) Henzie. In 1935 she was married to Lawrence Scheid and he preceded her in death on March 9, 1980. Ardis retired from Double A Products in 1979. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and the St. Mary's Altar Society. She was also a graduate of Jackson Business College and a member of the National Secretaries Association. Ardis was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary #117 of Manchester.

Mrs. Scheid is survived by one son Leonard and Patricia Scheid of Swansboro, NC; two daughters Susan and James McClarren of Cement City, MI, Kathleen and Jeffery Wilde of Saline, MI; six grandchildren and one great-grandson; one sister Marie McNulty of Adrian; five nephews.

The family received callers at the Jenter-Braun Funeral Home Monday and Tuesday. There was a Rosary Service held Monday and the Funeral Mass was celebrated Wednesday from St. Mary's Catholic Church in Manchester with Father Francis Murray officiating. Interment took place in St. Mary's Cemetery. Those wishing an expression of sympathy for the Scheid family may wish to make memorial contributions to Arbor Hospice or St. Mary's Handicapped Access Fund.

### ZION LUTHERN CHURCH

Thursday, February 27: 1:30-3pm Search Bible Study, 7:30-9pm Search Bible Study  
Saturday, February 29: 9-12am Catechism

### SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Thursday, February 27: 7pm Men and Boys Night, dinner followed by program featuring a magician. Tickets at the door.  
Saturday, February 29: 6:30pm Young Adults Progressive Dinner beginning at the home of Mr. & Mrs. William Weber  
Sunday, March 1: 11am Holy Communion

### EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Wednesday, February 26: 6pm Bell Choir, 7:30 Adult Choir  
Thursday, February 27: 12 Noon Senior Meal, 3:20 Cherub Choir, 3:40 Children's Choir, 5:15 Weight Watchers, 6:30 Basket Class, 7 Cub Scouts  
Saturday, February 29: 10:30 Dance Class  
Sunday, March 1: 9am Sunday School, 10:30 Worship, 11:30 Coffee & Fellowship,  
Monday, March 2: 3:15pm Cub Scouts  
Tuesday, March 3: 12 Noon Senior Meal, 7pm Boy Scouts  
Wednesday, March 4: Community Ash Wednesday Service at Manchester United Methodist Church with Rev. Peggy Paige of Sharon UMC bringing

### THERE WILL BE A MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JAMES C. HENDLEY SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1992, 2:00 P.M. AT SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, MANCHESTER, MI.

State of Michigan, Probate Court, County of Washtenaw, Claims Notice Independent Probate File No. 92-98308 IE Estate of Otto Kulenkamp, Deceased Social Security No. 364-38-3291 To All Interested Persons: Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following: The decedent, whose last know address was 20992 Bownes Road, Manchester, MI, 48158 died 6/26/91. An instrument dated May 26, 1978 has been admitted as the will of the deceased. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, Vern Kulenkamp, 14175 Schleweis Road, Manchester, MI 48158 or to both the independent personal representative and the Washtenaw County Probate Court, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it. William Glaser P35013 Attorney 1561 Wolf Creek Hwy. Adrian, MI 49221 Telephone 517-456-4228

## CHURCH NEWS

### ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, March 1: GVM Sunday #3, Grow and Excel in Giving...Living, 9:30am Sunday School, 10:45 Worship with Communion  
Wednesday, March 4: 8pm Ash Wednesday Worship Service at St. Thomas

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### MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Thursday, February 27: 5pm Girl Scouts  
Friday, February 28: 9:45am Bible Study at Vada Ridge's  
Sunday, March 1: 9:30am Sunday School, 10:30 Worship, 11:30 Coffee & Fellowship Hour  
Monday, March 2: 3:15, 6 and 7:30pm Girl Scouts  
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Wednesday, March 4: 1pm Willo Circle, 3:15 Girl Scouts, 7:30 Ash Wednesday Community Worship

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## CHURCH DIRECTORY

**EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**—Rev. Paul Kuntzman, Senior Pastor, Rev. Nancy Doty, Associate Pastor; Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship

**MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. Marsha Woolley, Pastor; Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m. Church office hours—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**—Rev. Francis J. Murray, Pastor; Masses: Monday thru Wednesday, Friday 8:30 a.m., Thursday 7:00 p.m., Saturday 5:00 p.m., Sunday 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

**FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH**—Scott Engelman, Pastor, Mike Ostrander Youth Pastor, 8400 Sharon Hollow Rd. off W. Austin; Worship Service 10:00 a.m.; Sunday School 11:30 a.m., Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; LIFE-LINE 7:30 p.m.

**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. Peggy Paige, Pastor, Corner of M-52 and Pleasant Lake Roads; Church School 10:00 a.m., Worship 11:00 a.m. Phone 428-8430

**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.

**IRON CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH**—Tom Butterfield, Pastor; English and Sharon Hollow Roads; Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Church 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.

**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; Sacrament 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.

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**BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING**  
Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Freedom, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan.  
That the assessment roll of said Township as prepared by the assessing officer will be reviewed by the Board of Review at:

**Freedom Township Hall**  
11508 Pleasant Lake Road.  
Appeals and Conference With Taxpayers will be heard on  
**MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1992**  
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
and on  
**TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1992**  
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Or Appropriate Letter**  
at which time the Board of Review will be in session. Upon request of any person who is assessed on said tax roll or of his or her agent and upon sufficient cause being shown, said Board of Review will correct the assessment as to such property in such manner as in their judgement make the valuation just and equal.  
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PEOPLE and OCCASIONS

### Nash-Lockridge United in Marriage



Paula Kay Nash and Thomas Victor Lockridge were married September 21, 1991 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Adrian. The Rev. Louis Komorowski presided over the ceremony uniting the daughter of Dolores Nash of Jasper and the late Rolland Nash with the son of Jack and Diane Lockridge of Manchester.

Matron of honor was Joan Fish, sister of the bride, of Dayton, Ohio. Bridesmaids were Laura Echelbarger and Shannon Krzyzaniak, both of Sand Creek; Chris Laren of Olathe, Kansas; Kim Lockridge, sister of the groom, of Manchester; Lisa Miller, cousin of the bride, of Cincinnati, Ohio; and Lisa Ridenour of Ann Arbor.

Best man was Kevin Creech of Pulaski, Tennessee. Groomsmen were John Fish, brother-in-law of the bride, of Dayton, Ohio; Fred Grossman and Matt Grossman, cousins of the groom of Greenfield, Indian; Rob Hartmann of Pleasant Lake; Matt Mazurek of Ypsilanti; and Jesse Otto of Grand Ledge.

Following a reception at the United Auto Workers Hall in Adrian, the couple departed for a honeymoon in Jamaica. They live in Ann Arbor.



### Comerica Announces New Business Representative

Judith M. Heekin has recently joined Comerica Bank as Personal Trust business development representative. Her professional experience includes investment management of personal trusts and endowment funds for a major brokerage firm, sales, and admissions counseling for Colby College and the adult degree completion program at Concordia College. She attended New York University Graduate School of Business and holds a BA degree with distinction in Economics from Colby College and a master's degree in Consumer Finance from Eastern Michigan University.

Active in local community affairs, she is a member of the Washtenaw County Estate Planning Council, the Advisory

Council of Soundings for Women, the finance committee of First Presbyterian Church, the Ann Arbor Thrift Shop, and the Women's City Club. The immediate past president of American Association of University Women, other previous leadership positions include Huron Valley Girl Scout Council, board and finance committee; Women's National Farm and Garden Association, vice-president; University of Michigan Lucile Conger Alumnae, treasurer; and University of Michigan Museum of Art Auction, treasurer.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

### Troop 706 Weekends at Camp O' The Hills

Junior Troop 706 enjoyed a weekend at "Camp O' The Hills" near Wampplers Lake. They stayed at Juniper Knoll Lodge February 7 until February 9. The weather was perfect for skating, sledding and hiking. We also did several indoor activities including a fashion show, dancing and singing contest. The girls also earned the "Frosty Fun" badge. All in all it was a great weekend.



Pictured: Front row left to right: Laura Chapin, Heather Duvall, Rhonda Johnson, Erin Wiley, Katie Okey, Molly Thornton. Middle row left to right: Cristina Hakken, Rene Craft, Nikki Moore, Angie Tyler, Amanda Coutts, Rachel Fleck, Erin Kane. Back: Leader Anita Tyler. Not pictured: Chrissy Abbott and our T.S.D. Lucille Bruner.

**Junior Girl Scout Troop 706 will be hosting a Preschool Reading Hour at the Manchester Library Saturday, February 29 and Saturday March 7 from 10:00-10:30 a.m. Preschoolers welcome. Come and enjoy the fun!**

### Last Chance For Business Directory

The Manchester Area Chamber and Business Directory is being finalized by the Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce. This is a great opportunity to obtain some free exposure for your business, especially small or home-based business. Plans are being made for a wide distribution of the Directory in Washtenaw and surrounding counties. If your business is not now on the Chamber mailing list, act now to be included in the Directory. Also, there is a limited area for display ads; full, half and quarter page sizes.

ments for the Directory: alphabetical listings, listing by business category, advertising pages and basic Chamber information. Plans also include inserts for school and tax information and a calendar of standing events in the Manchester area.

Chamber members will have their listings in bold print. The Directory will be free to Chamber members and available to others for a small charge.

To be included in the Directory, contact Rick Taepeke at 428-7444 or Dianne Schwab at 428-7722. To purchase a display ad, contact Jim Linebaugh at 665-5554.

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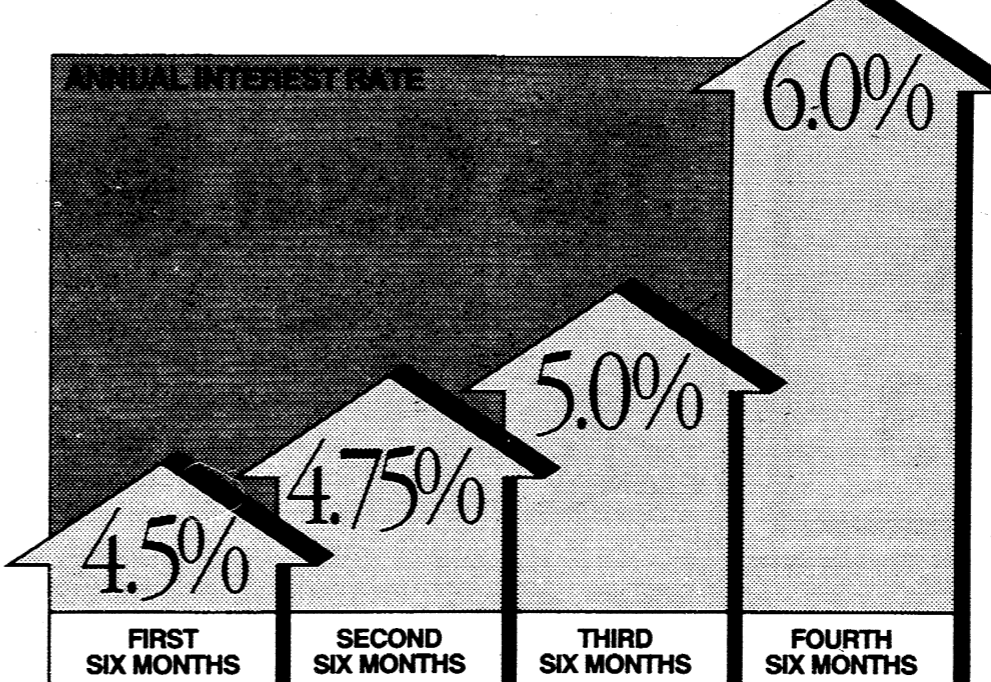
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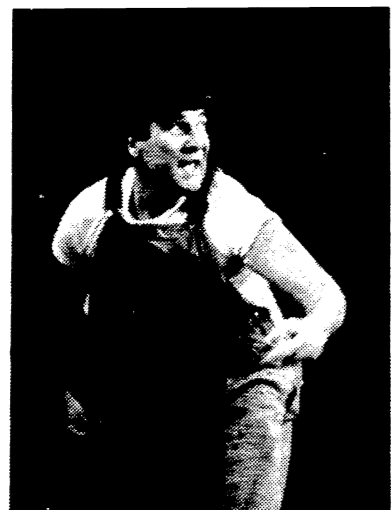
**ANNUAL VILLAGE ELECTION**  
 To The Qualified Electors:  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ANNUAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN THE  
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### More Fun Than Bowling at the Purple Rose

Phillip Locker (pictured right) portrays Jake Tomlinson, owner of the Dust Bowl Bowling Alley, in *More Fun Than Bowling*, a comedy by Steven Dietz being presented at the Purple Rose Theatre Company through March 15. Performances are Thursdays through Saturdays at 8:00 p.m. with Sunday performances at 2:00 and 7:00 p.m. For tickets and more information please contact the Purple Rose Theatre Company at 313-475-7902.



### "While The Lights Were Out"

Chelsea Area Players will present "While the Lights Were Out" by Jack Sharkey at Beach Middle School (445 Mayer Dr., Chelsea) March 5, 6 and 7. Tickets are on sale now at Chelsea Pharmacy or by calling 313-475-2898.

Put on your Sherlock Holmes cap and prepare to laugh all evening long as a wonderfully talented cast takes us for an evening in Bermuda to solve a murder mystery.

A thunderstorm! The lights go out! A pistol shot rings out! An agonizing voice cries out! The deed is done! The lights come up! A new face appears out of nowhere with a dagger. Lord Clive is dead on the floor all right, but without being shot or stabbed. WOW...every clue will leave us with the different idea as to the culprit. The final solution involves an even more unusual twist with the most bi-

zarré motive for murder ever imagined. Performances will be at 8:00 p.m. on March 5, 6 and 7 and also a 2:00 matinee on Saturday March 7. Cheesecake and a beverage will be served PRIOR to all performances except the matinee; therefore, the house open at 7:00 p.m.

Come see for yourself... **Wodunnit?**

## Manchester Township Library



Don't let these springlike days fool you! There are still some cold nights ahead to curl up in front of the fire with a good book. The following new fiction was purchased with contributions from our patrons.

**Daughters of the New World** by Susan Shreve. An unsentimental family tale of five generations of American women. From Liverpool to an Indian reservation, through WWI and on to 1989, the focus of the novel shifts as each daughter begets another.

**Family Money** by Nina Bawden. A deeply sympathetic story of a woman whose friends and family have "just lumped her into a sack labelled 'Old Women'". But Fanny fights back and her character shines in her refusal to let society strip her of her individuality.

**Black Sun Rising** by C.S. Friedman. A splendid hybrid of science fiction and fantasy in this first volume of a trilogy. Memorable protagonists, high drama, and vivid world-building marks the beginning of what promises to be a magnum opus of the imagination.

**They Thirst** by Robert McCammon. Prince Vulkan, master of the vampires, unleashes his army of the undead on Los Angeles. McCammon delivers terror with skillful ferocity.

**Booked to Die** by John Dunning. A Denver cop and rare book dealer delves into his city's antiquarian book trade, whose practitioners display an expertise exceeded only by their greed. Crisp, direct prose and excellent

dialogue enhance this page turner.

**The Three Stigmata of Palmer Eldritch** by Philip K. Dick. Human beings have spread out among the planets, yet the future that Dick (1928-1982) presents is anything but stary. His vision of an ecologically damaged earth and of a decadent society besieged by drug abuse is right on target.

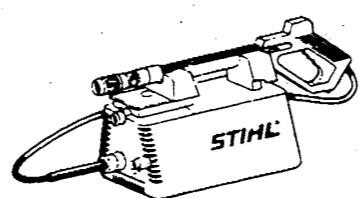
**Outlander** by Diana Gabaldon. While her husband immerses himself in historical pursuits, Claire inadvertently enters a circle of standing stones and is plunged back 200 years to a Scotland on the verge of the second Jacobite uprising.

**Out of Time** by Helen Schulman. When twenty-year old Ken Gold dies after an automobile accident, his absence creates an emptiness that engulfs the lives of his family and friends. This novel explores untimely death, resentment of the living and the guilt of survival.

And don't miss the last book in our discussion series on The Civil War.

**Mary Chesnut's Civil War**. Close friend of the wife of the confederacy, Ms. Chesnut was no magnolia belle. A non-fiction counterpart of *Gone With The Wind*, editor C. Vann Woodward noted "In these pages we enter the life and reality of slaves and brown half-brothers, poor whites, overseers, common soldiers and solid yeomen, as well as the very top elite of state, military and society that thronged her drawing room. She brings to life the historic crisis of her age."

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### Happy Anniversary, Cubscouts

Last Thursday, the Manchester Cubscouts celebrated scout anniversary week at the annual Blue and Gold Banquet held at the American Legion Hall. The theme was "Scouting Around the World". In preparation for this event, each den chose a country to study. Tables were decorated to represent that country and food was also prepared for that country. Some of the countries were: Canada, United States, Italy and Germany. The tables all looked so good that the judges gave each den a blue ribbon. The food was so good that very little was left to take home.

Paul Bordine was awarded his aquanaut and sportsman. Ted Roberts received his aquanaut and outdoorsman. The aquanaut was also awarded to Kenny Jordine, Willie Slocum, Jeremiah Tobias, Scott Burby and Patrick DuRussel. Branden Lentz, Chris Lutz, Andrew Roberts, Devin Golka and Derrick Smith were awarded their Bear Badge. Patches were handed out to the cubscouts that participated in the winter event last month.

Next month will be the annual Pinewood Derby. The pinewood derby kits were handed out to the den leaders.

their siblings fully entranced. The boyscouts from Troop 426 presented a skit about a magic box that can make fat people thin, old people young and make a big dog small.



### Manchester Area Historical Society

The Manchester Area Historical Society held its February meeting at the Blacksmith Shop on February 18.

Terry Towler from Ypsilanti brought some bottles from his 5000-plus bottle collection and presented a very interesting program on bottle collecting. He had several bottles from Manchester as well as bottles from Detroit, Port Huron, Marshall, Jackson, Monroe and even several from Africa. Cobalt blue bottles are rare and are sought after. Having words misspelled on the bottles makes them more valuable as well.

Terry showed us some one of a kind bottles; others were made but they haven't been found yet. He loves to dig in privies for bottles. You never know what you might find in an old privy. He has found bottles, dishes and dolls.

Refreshments were provided by Loring and Linda Eversole.

Betty Cummings

### Senior Citizens News

—T. V. Ludwick

Am wondering, do you use some of these overused expressions? "At this point in time." Why not use the word 'now'? "This is what it's about." It never is. "This is the bottom line." Isn't that usually your signature? "You know." No, I don't know. I heard a person say "you know" six times in less than 30 seconds (I know I am also guilty of that one!) Doesn't everyone have certain expressions that are uniquely theirs? Others use whatever is current, i.e.: "Read my lips" and "You-know-what-I-mean?". It's fascinating and we are all human after all. (I stole this in part from an article I read.)

Thursday, February 27: Be at the Center at 9:30 for crafts and the fun you'll have learning new tricks. Baked fish, which is one of Jan's specialties, will be served at noon lunch in Emanuel's dining room. Call in reservations to either Linda at 428-8359 ahead, or to Jan in the kitchen at 428-7630 before 10:30.

am. on meal days. Then stop in at the Center for bingo at 12:30. We have a 29th this February and that gives us that extra day to do all the things we wouldn't do if we hadn't had it. Make it an amorous one by giving out hugs. Happy Leap Year Day.

Tuesday, March 3: Good loaf is the menu and it is good. At 12:30, Gwen (we don't as yet have her last name) will present a talk on "Medical Liability" — sounds interesting.

Thursday, March 5: Crafts will be held from 9:30-11:30 at the Center, giving you plenty of time to get to the meal of baked chicken at 12 noon sharp. It is also the day for all seniors born in March who are 55 or older to come enjoy your birthday party and dinner. We have 25 signed up who were born in March and would like many more of you to come. Please try our senior meals with a visit at Emanuel on your birthday party day.

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### Sweet Adelines to Entertain

Chelsea Community Hospital Senior Health connection is pleased to announce that on Tuesday, March 10, 1992 at the Emanuel United Church of Christ, 324 W. Main St., Manchester, there will be cards at 2:30, followed by entertainment, "Sweet Adelines" at 4:15, then supper at 5:00 p.m.

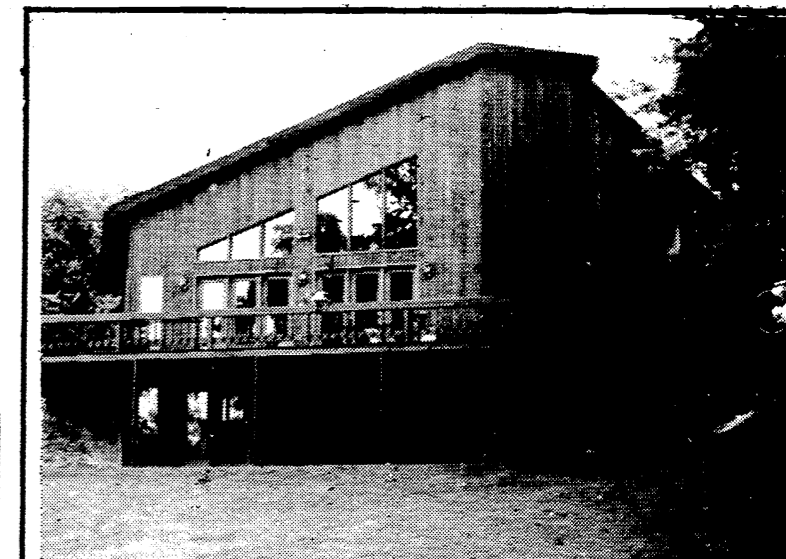
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### Freedom Township Proposed Synopsis Feb. 11, 1992

The meeting was called to order with all board members present. Minutes and Treasurers report were approved with \$20,313.27 in the General Fund and \$4.10 in the Liquor Fund.

Various communications were read and discussed including fire runs and the C.R.C. Volunteer dinner. A report on the W.W.R.A. was given with a new contact between Washtenaw County and the Authority presented for the Boards approval. Concerns were raised about the recycling plan by two residents.

Old Business included discussion of citizen's complaints and approval of townhall phone purchase.

Under New Business, the Board set the Annual meeting date to March 28, 1:00 P.M. at the townhall. Also approved were typewriter repair, reorder of checks, and the 1992/1993 salary resolution whereby treasurer's salary would increase by \$400 per year and all other salaries and wages would remain at 1991/1992 levels.

Bills #3238 thru #3262 were approved for payment. Budget reclassifications were also approved. The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 P.M.

Submitted By:  
Julie Schaible, Clerk

Approved By:  
Robert Little, Supervisor

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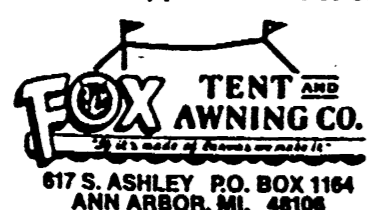
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**SPORTS**

**Varsity Hoopsters Split**

—by Jon

On Tuesday we bused to meet our arch-rivals, the Redskins of Clinton. This was a typical rough, tough battle with the Redskins leading after one period, 15-19. We put on a real defensive clinic in the next eight minutes, outscoring them 18-5, to take the halftime lead 33-24. Clinton entered the third quarter fired up and proceeded to score, score, score. They finally went ahead with 3:49 to play in the game, but Jason Dominick sank two free throws with 1:12 left to know the tally. Clinton went into a semi-offensive stall and were fouled with 17.9 ticks of the clock left. The skins swished both tosses to end it 59-61. Rob Davis led our scorers with 23 points as Jason Dominick hit for 22.

Friday's game at Vandercook Lake was very interesting. It certainly wasn't an offensive masterpiece, but a win's a win. We finally took the lead 9-8 with 1:35 left in the first quarter and never looked back. It was 11-8 after one period and only 21-14 at halftime, but it was a big fourth period that turned the tide, 53-35. Senior Jason Dominick and sophomore Rob Davis led all scorers, popping for 16 each. Jason was vicious on the boards as he had 15 rebounds. Our record overall is 11 and 6.

The remaining two games scheduled are both away as we meet Addison February 28 and Michigan Center March 6.

**Little Dutch Roundballers Have Bad Week**

—by Jon

I arrived in Clinton on Tuesday with about four minutes left in the game, and we were behind by 21 points. In the remaining minutes we scored at will. But lost by only eight points, 49-57. Mica Puscas led our scorers with 13, as Shane Goodell contributed 10.

Friday we traveled to Vandercook Lake and with 2:14 left trailed by only two points. The ball failed to drop for us, allowing the Jayhawks to build an insurmountable lead. The final was 51-54. Chris Fillyaw led our scorers with 12 points as Mike Barnard and Jeff Kemner had 9 each.



JV Boys Basketball: Co-Captains Chris Fillyaw and Mike Barnard, Coach Wilkins. Photo by Jon

**Varsity Spikers Win**

—by Jon

The only match for our volleyball girls last week was Monday night in Addison. We ended it quickly as we downed the Panthers in two straight games, 15-4, 15-12. Adrienne Wallace led our servers with 6 for 6. Upcoming games: Greenhills hosts us 2-27, and host Clinton 3-3.

**Dutchmen Wrestlers Lose in Districts**

—by Jon

We advanced to meet host team Clinton by downing Whitmore Lake 54-24. Unfortunately, the Redskins nipped our young grapplers 30-43, and now proceed to the team regionals February 26 at Leslie.



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JOHN A. SAVAGE, SUPERVISOR

2/26, 2/26, 3/4

**BOARD OF REVIEW  
MEETING**

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes  
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**MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1992**

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

and on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1992**

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Or Appropriate Letter**

at which time the Board of Review will be in session. Upon  
request of any person who is assessed on said tax roll or of his or  
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**Stefan Knul  
Contributes to  
Bobcat Team's Wins**

Effectively using the height of 6'3" Stefan Knul of Manchester, the Bobcats of Brewster Academy men's varsity basketball defeated New Hampton and Cheshire Academy this past week in two games which give them a good shot at a tournament slot. The Bobcats had lost to both of these teams earlier in the season, but according to coach Peter Hess, the new offense which was introduced this year is making itself felt.

Stefan Knul is the son of Arie and Sonja Knul of Manchester. Stefan is a senior at Brewster Academy, a college prep boarding school located in Wolfeboro, NH.

**Manchester  
vs Addison**

February 17, 1992

The JV volleyballers traveled to Addison Monday night hoping to get back on the winning track.

The Panthers got ahead in the first game, but we came back to tie it 9-9. Some bad officiating and timely mental errors cost us the game.

The second game we showed some good hustle but weren't consistent enough to win. April Butterfield and Jodi Preston had good games.

Our last two weeks of play will all be at home against some good competition. Come out and watch!!

Parents night is March 3, Tuesday, at 6:30 p.m. We play Clinton.

Barb Stein, JV Coach



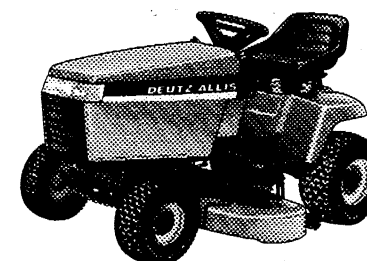
JV Volleyball — Amber Burkhardt keeps ball in play. Photo by Jon



Pictured above: JV Girls Volleyball Tri-Captains: Liz Bragg, Laura Alber, April Butterfield. Below: 7th grader Steven Spurr pins his Onsted opponent. Photos by Jon

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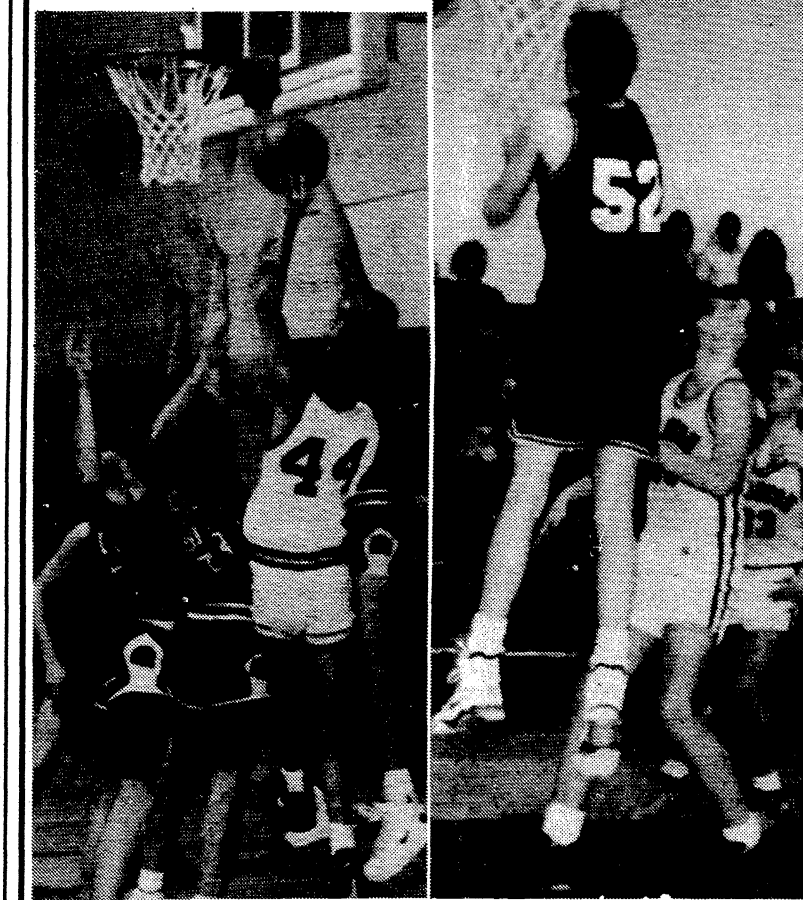
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Below: Troy Niehaus moves in to score against 4 defenders in freshmen basketball action.

Right: Jason Dominick shoots during varsity action.

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**One Bedroom Apartment:** Non-smokers only. No pets. Adults only. Utilities furnished except phone & electric. \$375 per month. Call Marie 428-7937. 2/27/p

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**WANTED TO RENT**

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**10 Acre Parcel, Manchester Township:** Rolling, private, lots of wildlife. Will build to suit. \$37,900. 313-428-9373. p

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**Great family room with fireplace, 4 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, country kitchen.** \$178,900. Barbara Gomes, 429-2200 days/517-456-7038 eves. 16340

**New 3-bedroom, 2-bath home on 10 acres.** Ideal for horses. Cathedral ceilings, walk-out lower level, master suite. \$169,900. Paula Donn, 761-6600 days/662-7195 eves. 19818.

**Renovated Victorian farmhouse.** 3 large bedrooms, 2 baths, 4-car garage. \$159,900. Barbara Gomes, 429-2200 days/517-456-7038 eves. 17922.

Edward Surovell/ Realtors continued next column

**Newer cape cod with 4 bedrooms, 3 full baths, on 7 acres near the Village.** \$149,000. Kevin Duke, 761-6600 days/747-9898 eves. 18017.

**Country ranch just outside of Manchester.** 3 bedrooms, country kitchen, workshop. \$119,000. Barbara Gomes 429-2200 days/517-456-7038 eves. 18856

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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**PETS, SUPPLIES, SERVICES**

**Paws-itive Pet Grooming:** Conscientious care on a personal basis! Pick up and delivery available. 428-9869. p

**AKC Golden Retriever male puppy.** Shots, wormed. \$150 or best offer. Terms. 313-483-1018

**AKC Chow Puppies:** 8 weeks old. Paper trained. Adorable. 2 black, 1 red males. 428-7176. p

**VEHICLES**

**1987 Nissan Pickup:** 72,000 miles, good condition. \$3,000 or best offer. Don Limpert, 428-7400.

**ANTIQUES**

**Manchester Antique Mall:** 35 Dealers. Open 7 days 10-5. 116 E. Main. 428-9357 tfn

**Wanted To Buy Antiques:** Call Limpert Antiques 313-428-7400

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**Ann Arbor Public Schools** now accepting applications for bus drivers. Apply at Ann Arbor Public School reception desk, 2555 South State St., Ann Arbor. 2/27

**WANTED TO BUY**

**Old Oriental Rugs:** Wanted — any size or condition. Call 1-800-443-7740. 3/19/p

**Wanted to Buy:** Old Comic Books. Pre-1965. Call Rick 428-8115 evenings. 4/23/p

**MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE**

**9 pc. Sectional Couch, Neutral.** Excellent condition — \$600. Washer/Dryer, Whirlpool, great shape — \$250. Bamboo Table — \$50. Wicker Loveseat — \$50. Call 428-7273. 2/27

**Frigidaire Washtier and gas dryer.** Two years old. Used one year. \$350. Call 428-7681. p

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**CARDS OF THANKS**

To my many friends, I thank you for the cards, flowers, gifts and visits while in the hospital and since my return home.

A special thank you to my caring family and to Pastors Paul and Nancy.

Ica Schaffer

Thank you to George Macomber, Jr. for your early Sunday morning help in rescuing our horse. Thanks to you she is fine. Dave and Kathy Kueffner Valley Cross Farm

**IN MEMORIAM**

In memory of my husband, A.R. "Rocky" LaRock who passed away 2 years ago, March 2.

A husband is a precious gift, And one you think will stay. You never dream the day will come, When he will go away. But I cannot wish him back again.

Amid this world of care, For God has called him home, And I will meet him there.

Forever missed by wife, Marilyn

**IRS TIPS**

February 19, 1992 **EXTRA DOLLARS AVAILABLE FOR WORKING FAMILIES**

Detroit, MI—Low income working families may have a bonus coming from the Internal Revenue Service this year.

"Over 400,000 Michigan families are eligible to receive the Earned Income Credit," said IRS district director John Hummel. "Taxpayers who earned less than \$21,250, and had a child living with them in 1991 may be entitled to up to \$2,020 extra in their refund."

Hummel said that changes in the law make even more Michigan families eligible for the credit this year.

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Trustee, has informed the Board of his need to resign effective March 16, 1992. Board of Education members will appoint a person to fill the vacancy and hold office until the next annual school election when the vacancy shall be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term.

The resolution calling for

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1991 Chev Lumnia Euro 4 dr. 7,000 miles	\$12,900

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1988 Ford Tempo	\$5,995
1988 Chev Suburban	\$9,995
1988 Ford F150 Pickup 4x4	\$8,995
1988 Dodge 1/2 ton pickup	\$5,995
1988 Olds Cutlass Supreme 2 - dr.	\$8,495
1988 Chev Pick-up 1/2 ton V-8	\$8,995
1988 Chev Celebrity 4-dr.	\$4,995
1987 Nissan Pulsar	\$5,995
1987 Ford 1 Ton Dump Box	\$11,500
1987 Olds Touring Sedan	\$9,995
1987 Chev Cavalier 2-dr. R.S.	\$4,995
1986 GMC S15 Pick up	\$4,995
1986 Ford Escort 2-door	\$1,995
1986 Mercury Grand Marquis LS	\$6,495
1986 Olds Delta 88 Royal 4-dr	\$4,995
1986 Ford Ranger Ext. Cab Pick-Up	\$6,295
1985 Chev Celebrity 4-dr	\$2,995
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the annual school election to be held on Monday, June 8, 1992 as been adopted as presented.

Anne Marie Gordon, Secretary of the Board of Education and Chief Election Officer, has delegated election duties to Janice Tillie, Administrative Assistant and Ronald Niedzwiecki, Superintendent.

Denise Senekewitz has been appointed to the Washtenaw County Special Education Parent Advisory Committee.

The contract with G. R. Kunkle and Associates for environmental management services for the year 1992 at a cost of \$2,655 has been approved as presented.

The Advocate's Report on the teacher evaluation process has been postponed until next month.

Superintendent Niedzwiecki encouraged Board members to attend the March 6 annual legislative luncheon meeting. This will enable members to discuss key issues with AGENDA MANCHESTER VILLAGE COUNCIL

**MARCH 2, 1992**

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
3. Minutes of the previous meeting
4. Approval of Agenda
5. Correspondence
6. Public Participation
7. Treasurer's Report
8. Accounts Payable
9. Reports

- a. Sheriff's Report
  - b. Planning Commission
  - c. Solid Waste & Recycling
  - d. DPW Report
  - e. Ordinance Committee
  - f. Parks Commission
  - g. Finance Committee
  - h. Village Hall Maintenance
  - i. Clerk's Report
10. Old Business
- a. Village Manager Appointment.
  - b. Grant Application- Small Business Administration
  - c. Recreation Authority Resolution and Ordinance
  - d. Other
11. New Business
- a. Appointment of President Pro Tem
  - b. Other
12. Adjourn

state legislators. Mr. Russ LeBlanc, Manchester High School Principal, spoke briefly on the development of an alternative education program with the South and West Washtenaw Consortium.

Superintendent Niedzwiecki reported on the

The meeting was adjourned at 9:38 p.m.

March 6, 1992 inservice program involving faculty and support staff of Manchester Community Schools. This program is in conjunction with the Washtenaw County Consortium for Professional Development. School will not be in session on this date.

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**NOTICE MEETINGS OF BOARD OF REVIEW**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS LIABLE TO ASSESSMENT FOR TAXES IN THE

**TOWNSHIP OF MANCHESTER COUNTY OF WASHTENAW STATE OF MICHIGAN**

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and **TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1992**

at which place, and on each of said days, said Board of Review will be in session at least six hours, and upon request of any person who is assessed on said roll, or of his agent, and upon sufficient cause being shown, said Board of Review will correct the assessment as to such property in such manner as will in their judgement make the valuation thereof relatively just and equal.

After said Board shall complete the review of said rolls, a majority of said Board shall endorse thereon, and sign a statement to the effect that the same are the assessment rolls of said City for the year in which it has been prepared and approved by the Board of Review.

The County Board of Commissioners of Washtenaw County has proposed the following starting ratios for Manchester Township for the year 1992.

Agriculture.....	50.00
Commercial.....	50.00
Personal.....	50.00
Industrial.....	50.00
Residential.....	50.00

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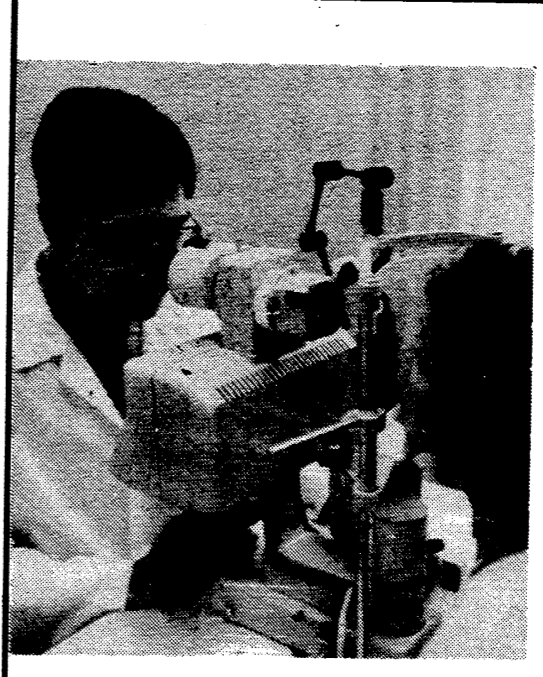
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## TRAILER PARK CONSTRUCTION STARTS

After three years, many changes and a great deal of controversy the Mobile Home Park at the end of East Main, at Hibbard Street, has started. The new owners, represented by Dennis Bartlett have started the construction. Wilkinson Contracting of Livonia is doing the heavy earthmoving on the project. As can be seen from the photograph the Cat dozer is pushing the heavy clay loam topsoil into a windrow that is being picked up by Cat DW21 scrapers.

Clearing and removing trees by Tarr's Recycling was the first operation. The woodlot that Tom Walton, of the Planning Commission, wanted saved was decimated. The denuded site resembles a battlefield.

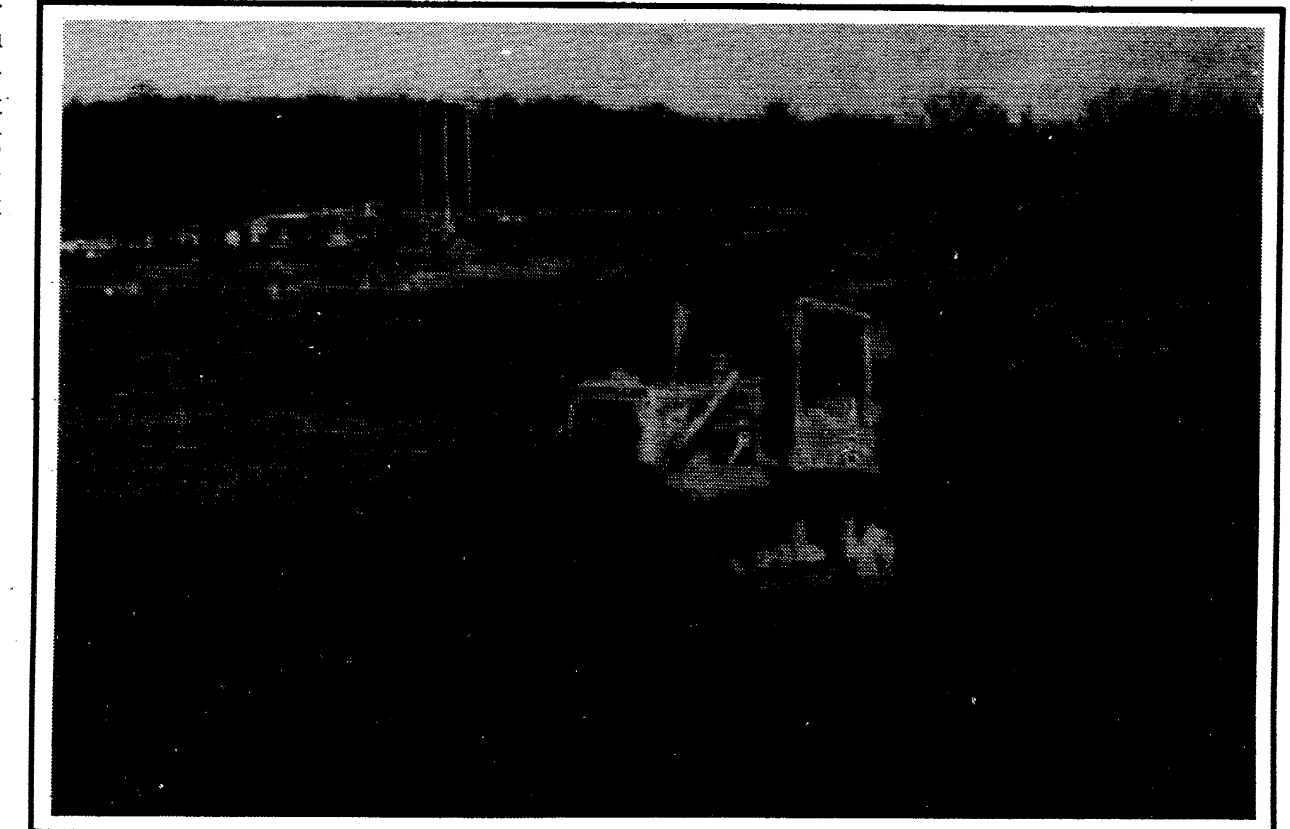
One of the priorities in

grading the site will be the removal of the muck hole, shown behind the Cat dozer in the picture. The wet mucky soil must be removed before backfilling with compacted fill can commence. The muck hole about two acres in size and approximately 20,000 cubic yards, together with wet clay subsoil will be moved to another location.

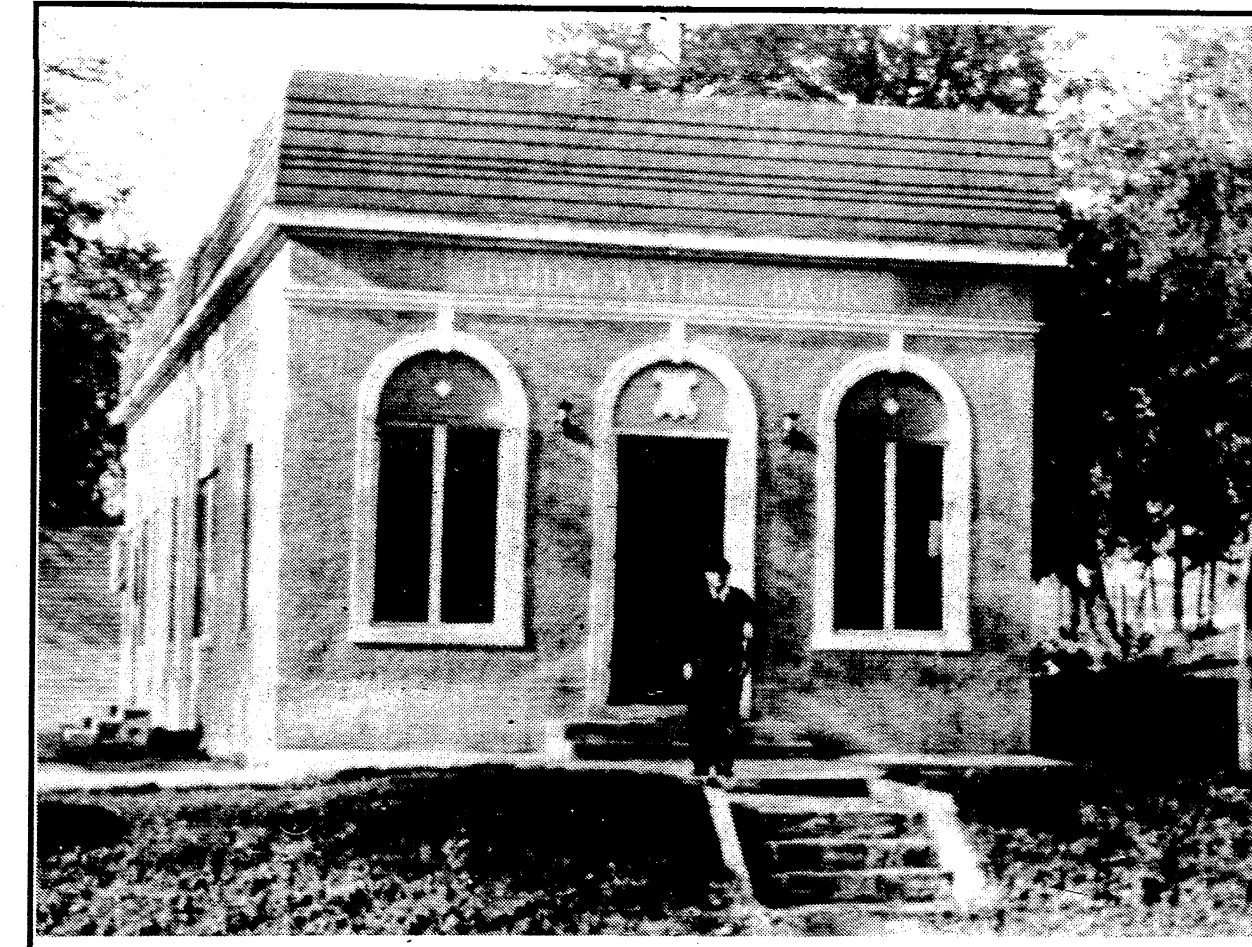
Apparently an elevation difference of some 7 verticle feet has been discovered. The Aerial topography is in variance with the actual elevations as determined by on site surveying.

Pacitio and Forest sewer contractors will be removing the muck and placing sewer and water lines.

No local contractors have been employed for any work at this time.



## DOWN MEMORY LANE BRIDGEWATER BANK



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This weeks feature photograph is of the Bridgewater Bank. Presently bring used as the Bridgewater Bank Tavern.

The Bank building was constructed in early 1919. The Bank was formed August 15, 1919 and opened operations May 6, 1920. Banking operations commenced to serve the predominately rural farming community and the general business of Bridgewater. Bridgewater at that time had a feed mill on the north side of the Rail Road that traversed the center of town. Boettner Road the main north, south street had a general store, two taverns, a lumber facility that also made barrels and other locally consumed products.

Bridgewater Bank closed the first year of their operations with assets of \$127,776.60 and ten years

later, in 1930 assets had reached their zenith at \$336,258.98.

In 1932, during the depression, assets fell by 43% and the Bank closed due to insolvency from January 1, to March 11, 1932. 1933 marked the Federal Bank Holiday Act and the bank was closed again from February 11 to March 15th. On June 26, 1944, the Bridgewater Savings Bank was voluntarily liquidated.

During the 50's the building was used for storage. One of the Tavern owners on Boettner Road purchased the building and moved his tavern business to this building. The original license issued May 1, 1944 hangs on the wall. The bar closed in 86 and reopened in 87, by Gary and Bonnie Mitchell, Ron and Joanne Finkbeiner. They are celebrating their 5th anniversary.

## Editorial- Do we need a \$7,400,000 Phase I Building Program?

As the Editor of the Manchester Enterprise it has been necessary to try and be objective over the past few weeks while presenting The Bond Proposal Program. One very important fact keeps coming to mind during the past year while this study has been going on and that is that this is just Phase I. Phase One is projected to cost \$7,400,000. Phase II probably will cost another \$13,000,000 plus. The combined cost will be in excess of \$20,000,000. That is dollars, not rubles, centavos, dineros, yen or whatever but TWENTY MILLION AMERICAN DOLLARS.

With interest, bond costs, etc. the payback will be in excess of FORTY MILLION DOLLARS OVER THE NEXT THIRTY YEARS PLUS. Mathematically that converts to 9.5 mills or \$475 per year on Deb Havens theoretical 50,000 SEV house. Not including any increases for operating millage.

NO THANKS! We are not getting our monie's worth for the following reasons.

1. The population projection by Stanfred Associates is unproven and does not reflect that the district will have even attained the School census present in the system 15 years ago.
2. The goals and objectives established by the administration are probably needed but to what degree. This is not the Ann Arbor School system. As Superintendent Niedzwiecki has repeatedly pointed out we have higher administration and transportation costs to support our District. We do not have an industrial or commercial base from which to draw taxes.
3. We are a rural residential community with limited resources. At the present time we are one of the highest taxed communities in the county.
4. Our children need facilities that will enable them to compete in the world economy. They also need exposure to science, technology, humanities, performing and visual arts, physical education and special

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**Question:** Have the Pleasant Lake School facilities been considered for class rooms if the Bond Issue is defeated. **Answer:** "The Vo-Ed program is housed out there now and there is no place else to put that program. If we were to use those facilities to house students the Vo-Ed program would have to be moved. The building is currently under a lease program for one dollar a year and is maintained by the authority. The building is in better condition by being used. The building contains 7 rooms. If we were to use the building only four class rooms would be usable. The three other rooms

would be needed for office, custodial staff, principals office. I guess the cost to operate the Pleasant Lake school at about \$130,000 per year not including teachers. Transportation expense would be one of the major expenditures."  
**Question:** Did the consultant studying student population projections consider the impact on enrollment with the trailer park? **Niedzwiecki:** "The consultant Stanfred and Associates feels there is enough room in the projections to accommodate children from the trailer park. If the residents of the park are predominately senior citizens then few children would impact the system. Conversely if the park

contained younger families more students could possibly attend Manchester's Schools."  
Mr. Ron Ellison, who has a young family spoke. "I have heard people say here tonight, that they are concerned with the cost involved in the building plan. I want you people to understand that this is an investment in the future of the kids." Overheard behind this writer but unable to determine who replied, the following comment. "That is nothing new. We have been investing in our kids future for all the years past and they are doing good."

Deb Havens, candidate for Village Council asked the **Question:** "What will it cost the home owner who has a \$50,000 SEV? (A \$50,000 SEV would mean the house had a market value of \$100,000)

- Answer:** "1. A 3-1/2 mil increase in debt retirement.  
2. Existing debt retirement.  
3. Existing operational millage cost.  
4. Any increase in operational millage due to new facilities."

(Our interpretation of the costs are as follows;  
Existing millages are 40.1336 operating times \$50,000 or \$2,006.68.

0.58 mills debt retirement times \$50,000 or \$29.00.

Total existing for Manchester Schools ONLY, \$2,035.68, at this time.

Additional costs for new programs and building:  
3 1/2 mills times \$50,000 for \$175.00;

The probability of an increase in operational millage to the maximum allowed of 50 mills exists.

For each additional mil levied for operations the cost on \$50,000 will equal \$50.00.

One mil on the District SEV will produce \$128,220.74.

Assuming only one mil increase, (\$50.00) the increase would cost \$175.00 Debt, plus \$50.00 operating, for a total of \$225.00.

A 11.2% increase, if our premises are correct.)

Patrica Sahakian, School Board President spoke and gave her considered opinion for the proposed program. "This is the cost for doing everything we feel is necessary to accomplish our objectives."

Ann Marie Gordon expressed herself quite eloquently and conveyed the message that there was a cost in delivering an education for the students. "The class room needs are there." - "One of the things that need to be pointed out is that the three large science rooms have facilities at both ends. While science projects are being carried out at one end there is seating at the other end that can be utilized as a classroom need."

Superintendent Niedzwiecki at this point sort of

summarized the meeting, pointing out that Manchester Schools have some very unique problems. Such as the high cost of transportation being a large geographical area and that we have a higher support costs than other districts.

As this reporter was leaving the meeting, I could not help but overhear the following comment. "Seven new classrooms for 7,000,000 dollars, that is just not something I can support." We passed that remark on to Superintendent Niedzwiecki. His response and a valid one is that this program is doing much more than just adding 7 rooms. We are upgrading all the buildings, adding storage, altering existing rooms to meet the needs of today and tomorrow. Our teaching stations are overcrowded, antiquated and need to be modernized to meet the needs of the education program.

We asked Superintendent Niedzwiecki to stop at the Enterprise to review this article. Ron pointed out that the operational millage increase, if any, will be determined by several different factors. Currently the Court system is trying to sort out what the Hedlee Amendment is and how it affects the maximum millage allowance within the various school districts. The maximum of 50 mills that may be levied is not all available to each school district. Out of the potential 50 mills only one or possibly two might be possible.

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