

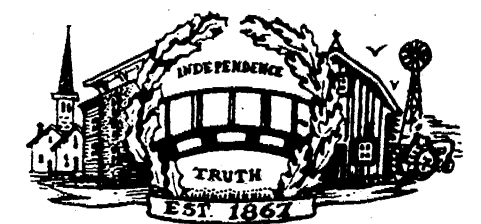
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## Testimony Heard on Product Liability Bills

Discussions on a House Democratic package of bills which would reform the state's products liability system, including an expansion of workers right to recover, is underway in the House Oversight Committee.

The committee has not yet completed action on the bills and further testimony will be taken.

Citing the number of incidents in which persons are injured or killed as a result of using defective products either on the job or at home, Speaker Curtis Hertel (D-Detroit) said the Legislature must take action to protect consumers. "People assume that the products they purchase or must use in their workplace have met some sort of safety standard," Speaker Hertel said. "However, that is not always the case and there is information to support the fact that people are using defective products every day. We have an obligation to protect people, as well as to hold the manufacturers of these defective products accountable."

Consumers for Safety at Work and at Home have assembled a display of defective products whose use has resulted in death or injury to people. The products will be on display on the ground floor of the Capitol through the end of the week.

The bills considered by

the Oversight Committee included the following:

—HB 5351, sponsored by Rep. Lynn Rivers (D-Ann Arbor), would create an act to prohibit the concealment of certain facts in a civil action arising out of a personal or environmental injury. The act would apply to all civil actions filed on or after January 1, 1995, and would declare void any part of a settlement agreement, in covered cases, which prohibits disclosure of information unless it is of a personal nature, a trade secret or subject to a statutorily recognized privilege.

—HB 5353, sponsored by Rep. Dennis Olshove (D-Warren), would amend the Workers Disability Compensation Act to eliminate the prohibition against employees filing a claim for recovery from an employer for an on-the-job injury. This expansion of the right to recover would be limited to an intentional tort or for an injury caused by a defective machine or employer-modified piece of equipment for which the employer had previously been cited for a violation of OSHA or MIOSHA standards.

—HB 5354, sponsored by Rep. Mary Lou Parks (D-Detroit), would amend the Consumer Protection Act to make it illegal for a manufacturer or distributor of a product or device in Michigan if the person

knows that it is dangerously defective. The bill would also make it illegal for a manufacturer or distributor to fail to immediately recall a dangerously defective product once the defect is discovered.

Under the bill, a dangerously defective product would be defined as one which "is designed or constructed in such a manner as to be dangerous to the health or safety of any individual when used in any manner for which the product or device is intended to be used or may foreseeably be used."

—HB 5355, sponsored by Rep. Lynn Jondahl (D-Okemos), would amend the Penal Code to create a felony offense which would apply to a person who causes a product or device which he or she knows is dangerously defective to be manufactured or distributed in Michigan. The offense would also apply to a person who learns, after the manufacture or distribution, that the product is defective, if then he or she fails to immediately recall it.

The offense would be punishable by a maximum of five years in prison and/or a fine of up to \$1 million. The bill defines person as "an individual having full or partial authority in a business to prevent the manufacture or distribution of a product or device or to require the recall of a product or device."

## Michigan Historical Museum to Celebrate 5th Birthday

The Michigan Historical Museum, will celebrate five years in its new home in traditional style with cake, music and special events on Sunday, March 6, from 1 to 4 p.m. On March 6, 1989, the museum opened in the Michigan Library and Historical Center, 717 W. Allegan St., two blocks west of the State Capitol. Since then, more than 830,000 visitors have enjoyed the museum's 14,500 square feet of exhibits on Michigan history from prehistoric times to 1900. During the birthday party, special dulcimer music will be performed by Ernie Block of St. Johns in the Lumbering Gallery. Gary Richmond of Mason will demonstrate harness making in the Growth of Manufacturing Gallery. The first 200 visitors to the museum will enjoy free birthday cake, and all five-year-olds will receive a special button. Also during the birthday celebration, docents will wear typical 19th century costumes in the one-room schoolhouse, which is part of the Growing Up in Michigan Gallery. Visitors celebrating the museum's first five years in the Michigan Historical Center will see a preview of its next major addition: the "Michigan in the 20th Century" galleries. The red 1957 Corvette purchased by the Michigan Historical Center Foundation for the Detroit Auto

Show Gallery is on display on the second floor. Dozens of other artifacts collected for the new exhibit are on the first floor. Construction of the new exhibits is underway and expected to be completed in 1995. Admission to the birthday party and weekend parking are free. The museum is handicapper-accessible. For more information, telephone (517) 373-3559.

Museum hours are Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Sunday 1 to 5 p.m.

The Department of State is the official state agency responsible for preserving, protecting and interpreting Michigan history. The department's Bureau of Michigan History administers the Michigan Historical Museum system; the State Archives of Michigan; and archaeology, historic preservation and publications programs, including Michigan History Magazine. The bureau is supported in its efforts by the Michigan Historical Commission, the Michigan Historical Center Foundation, the Friends of Michigan History and the Docent Guild.

By 1765, the Colonies had 30 newspapers.

## Optimists, Sheriff and School Work Together



DARE Essay Winners, front L-R: Michael Fuerstnau, Steven Holloway, Christine Jensen, Jacob Miller, Kira Davis & Kristine Adams. Back row: Yvonne Henry, Klager Principal; Sgt. Carl Werner, DARE instructor; Jim Krzyzaniak, Jane Raus, Karen Ellsworth, 4th Grade Teachers; Kay Miller, Klager Music Teacher

During the last four years, the staff at Klager Elementary have worked with the Washtenaw Sheriff's Dept. in a program sponsored by Manchester Optimists to develop, in our children, the skills and attitudes necessary to resist the use of drugs. This year, the Optimist D.A.R.E. committee headed by Yvonne Henry (Klager principal), invited Sgt. Carl Werner, and the Klager staff including Jim Krzyzaniak, Jane Raus, Karen Ellsworth, Kay Miller, Sandee Sheats and Joanna VanRaden to enjoy a dinner that recognized and thanked them for their service. The highlight of the evening was the recitation of the top six essays chosen from the fourth grade class. The assigned topics were to describe what D.A.R.E. meant to them personally and why they are choosing to grow-up drug free. Kira Davis, Michael Fuerstnau, Kristine Adams,

Steven Holloway, Christine Jensen and Jacob Miller made fine presentations and their parents very proud.

Sgt. Werner gave an address outlining the D.A.R.E. program (Drug Abuse Resistance Education). He explained how it puts an officer in the classroom with the teacher and students, giving the kids a chance to talk with police at a young age, without stress or confrontation. They learn very specific techniques on how to deal with classmates and adults seeking to draw them into using drugs and alcohol. The children are taught to be assertive and self-confident in resisting substance abuse by adults with whom they have a natural respect. The message of D.A.R.E. also alerts the kids to deception in the media and current American culture. Another key element of the program brings high school students to the grade school. The older kids confirm to the youngsters that it is cool to be drug free.

The six essay winners must have listened well as their comments revealed sharp insight. Here is a sampling: "I am proud to be drug free.... I wish that the producers would stop making the stuff.... God gives us our bodies to keep healthy and our minds to choose between right and wrong.... Parents who use drugs hurt their children because their kids are not important to them.... Life is too short for that kind of stupidity.... and You can do more in life if you don't use drugs. Perhaps our 4th grade has something to teach the adult world!"

by Bill Kwolek

## Patrick Grady

Daring, exciting, bold, are just a few of the words people use to describe Patrick Grady. The motivational speaker that will be coming to Manchester on March 16, thanks to the Manchester Community Resource Center and the Manchester High School Key Club.

Patrick Grady will be speaking with the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, as well as with students and parents. Grady has many outstanding qualities which make him a not only funny speaker, but effective.

Building team spirit, creative leadership, and encouraging excellence are just a few of the topics Patrick confronts. His program will make you laugh, lift your spirits, and change your life.

At 6:00 pm on March 16, there will be a Parenting Fair complete with brochures and helpful information. This program is open to everyone. The Parenting Fair will last until 9:00 pm. Patrick Grady will be speaking with parents at 7:00 pm in the High School Music Room. Babysitting is available for anyone who would like to participate in the Parenting Fair or listen to Grady speak.

The babysitting will be done by Manchester High School students with adult supervision. For more information or to register your child for the babysitting service call Dianne Schwab at the Community Resource Center-428-7722 or Sarah Feldkamp at 428-7802.

Submitted-Mary Lobbestael

## D.A.R.E. Culmination

On Thursday, March 3, eighty-seven fourth graders attended the culmination of their D.A.R.E. Lt. James Fink was the keynote speaker, with presentations by Sgt. Werner, Ms. Henry, Mr. Kindt, and a special interpretation of the D.A.R.E. theme song, directed by Mrs. Miller, by the fourth graders.

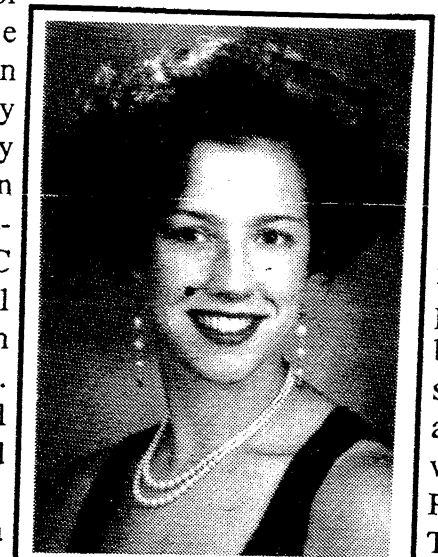
The Middle School stage was decorated with an arch of D.A.R.E. balloons, and each D.A.R.E. student received a certificate, a t-shirt, and a bag of goodies.

When you see a student wearing a D.A.R.E. shirt, congratulate them on their commitment to live drug-free!

-MJC

## Adrienne Wallace signed as Volleyball Recruit at Grand Valley

by Marsha Johnson Chartrand



MHS Senior Adrienne Wallace has been recruited by Grand Valley State College in Allendale, as reported by GVSC Volleyball Coach Joan B o a n d . Adrienne will play at Grand Valley next fall.

Adrienne is a 5'10" setter/hitter, who missed the 1993/94 season with an injury. She led Manchester to the quarterfinals in 1992-93 and was named to the All-Cascades Blue Conference Team, All-Ann Arbor News and All-Jackson Citizen Patriot Volleyball Teams.

This year, Adrienne has watched her teammates from the sidelines, and covered the season for the Enterprise. The Lady Dutch have received excellent coverage this year with Adrienne's articles.

Coach Boand says she feels that Adrienne exhibits the characteristics that will allow her to come back from surgery and make excellent contributions at Grand Valley.

Adrienne's accomplishments during the past four years have not been solely on the volleyball court. Her extra-curricular activities have included National Honor Society (of which she is currently President), Class Secretary for four years, Yearbook staff, Captain of the English Academic Games team, SADD, Drama Club, Writer's Club, and

the American Legion Junior Auxiliary.

In her Junior year, Adrienne was first runner up for Fair Queen; played basketball and softball as well as Volleyball, was on the All-Region Dream Team, the Ann Arbor News

All area first team and the Jackson Citizen Patriot all C/D team; all-state honorable mention volleyball; played on the World Sports Exchange Volleyball European tour; and was captain of the women's basketball team.

The summer prior to her Junior year, Adrienne played AAU Volleyball in Adrian, and was an AAU All-American nominee. That summer, the AAU team took third in the state and 17th in the nation in the 16 and under age bracket.

As a Sophomore, Adrienne was an Optimist Student of month. She has done stats for football for three years, and on the A/B Honor roll for four years.

Last summer, Adrienne volunteered at Saline Physical Therapy, and plans to major in Physical Therapy at Grand Valley. She has also been volunteer coach for the 8th grade volleyball team.

In her barely-existent spare time, Adrienne enjoys reading and writing. Congratulations to this many-talented young woman on her accomplishments!

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Scheduled Meetings

Bridgewater Twp. Doug Parr Supervisor 428-8243 Karen Weidmayer 13360 E. Austin 428-8641 Planning Commission 2nd Monday 7:30 Township meeting 3rd Tuesday 8:00

Freedom Township Town Hall 428-7545 11508 Pleasant Lk. Rd. Robert Little Supervisor Julie Schaible, Clerk 13785 Pleasant Lk. 428-7241

Township meeting 2nd Tuesday 8:00 Planning Commission meets on demand

Manchester Township Town Hall 428-7090 Ron Mann Supervisor 275 S. Macomb Kathleen Hakes, Clerk

Township meeting 2nd Monday 8:00 Planning Commission Last Monday

FIRE DEPARTMENT 428-9439 non-emergency calls

Sharon Township Supervisor John Savage 20453 Pleasant Lk. Rd. 428-8907

Duane Haselschwerdt 428-7733, 428-7591 8440 M-52

Township Meeting 1st Thursday 8:00 Planning Commission 2d or 3d Thursday

Manchester Board of Education Pat Sahakian, President Meetings 3d Monday 7:45 M.H.S. Library

Superintendent - Ron Niedzwiecki 428-9711

Village of Manchester Larry Becktel President Jeff Wallace Manager 120 S. Clinton 428-7877

Village Council Meets 1st & 3d Monday 7:00

The Community Calendar is a regular feature of the Enterprise. If your group would like their regular meetings printed here, please let us know at 428-8173.

VILLAGE COUNCIL ELECTION MARCH 14th Village Hall

Brookville Gardens

Brookville Gardens in Plymouth will hold an Introductory Herb Growing Class on March 12 and March 26 at 2:pm.

Information from planning to planting and maintaining an herb garden. Live herb plants will be used for hands-on learning and tasting.

Registration is necessary (313) 455-8602, and the cost is \$8.00

"Powerlessness"

CHELSEA COMMUNITY HOSPITAL is presenting "Powerlessness" a FREE community lecture in the Hospital's Main Dining Room on Thursday, March 10 at 7:15 p.m. This lecture by Larry Sheldon, B.A. a residential counselor with the substance abuse team at Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center, will explore the roots of the chemically dependent person's ambivalent relationship to power and describes how working a recovery program allows the recovering person to achieve a healthy acceptance of "life on its own terms". This lecture will be interpreted for the Hearing Impaired. These lectures are ongoing and self-help meetings follow immediately. For more information call the Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center, 313/475-4100.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Monday 1st Monday: Manchester Township Library Board meets 7:30 pm. 1st Monday: Manchester Masonic Lodge, business meeting 7:30

1st & 3rd Mondays: Manchester Village Council, 7:00 2nd Monday: Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets 7:30

2nd Monday: Manchester Township Board meets 8:00 2nd & 4th Mondays: Manchester Optimist Club

3rd Monday: School Board meets MHS Library 7:45 Last Monday: Manchester Township Planning Commission

Tuesday 2nd Tuesday: Freedom Township board meets 8:00 2nd Tuesday: (after 1st Monday) Village Planning Commission

2nd Tuesday: Manchester Area Senior Citizens, 9:30 am 2nd Tuesday: 20th Century Club, 7:30 pm.

Wednesday 2nd & 4th Tuesdays: Shakespeare Club, 2:00 & 4:00 3rd Tuesday: Bridgewater Township Board meets. 3rd Tuesday: Manchester Historical Society, 7:30 at Blacksmith Shop

4th Tuesday: Raisin Valley Land Trust, at the Blacksmith Shop 4th Tuesday: LaLeche League of Western Washtenaw County, 10:00 am in members' homes

Friday 2nd Friday: Village Piece Makers meet at Emanuel Church, 7-10 pm. All are welcome.

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REMEMBER TO VOTE MARCH 15th! Call us at the Enterprise to see how your Group's meetings can be entered in the Community Events Register! 428-8173.

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1st Wednesday: Veterans of Foreign Wars, 7:30 pm 2nd Wednesday: American Legion Auxiliary, meets 7:30 3rd Wednesday: Community Resource Center Board, 7:30 3rd Wednesday, WIC Program and Immunization Clinic, 9:30-3:00

Every Wednesday: Kiwanis, 6:30 at Haarer's

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A New Outlook at Village Hair Forum

by Marsha Johnson Chartrand

The Village Hair Forum needs no introduction - the business has been in Manchester for many years; first in the "Exchange Place" (now Frank's) and currently as the longest tenant of the "Old Mill".

Pat Spaulding, the former owner, was looking for someone to purchase the business so she could pursue some other interests, and it turned out that she found a person right under her nose! Linda Stevens, who has been working with Pat for five years, has purchased the business and, in so doing, has fulfilled a dream of having her own salon.

Linda has been a licensed cosmetologist for ten years. She attended the State College of Beauty in Ann Arbor when her daughter, Heidi Armstrong, was still a toddler. As a single mother, Linda wanted a career where she could work around Heidi's needs as a child and now as a teen-aged student. "I have really appreciated working right in Manchester - I can run home or to school if I'm needed." That was a luxury Linda didn't have when she worked at first in Saline, and then in Clinton. With every job change, she moved a little

closer to home. "I've lived in Manchester since I was in Middle School and I really want to stay here, especially now that Heidi is older and has her friends here too."

As is normal with a change in ownership, the business takes on a new outlook which reflects the personality and goals of the owner.

In Linda's case, she is still playing things "by ear", as Pat continues to work on a limited basis to provide continuity in the business, and give her customers time to become accustomed to the changes they'll undoubtedly see as time goes on.

One change which Linda has implemented already is the new "Kids Kut Klub". Open to kids 10 and under, the KKK offers a way to encourage good grooming in children, and the habit of family hair care for the



Linda Stevens is busy at work at the Village Hair Forum.

parents. The first time the kids come in and join, they get their picture taken. Each time they get a cut, they get a small gift - like stickers or pencils - and every fifth cut is free. Hey - it beats Mom's Bowl Cut! The kids' pictures are posted on the wall, and already kids are coming in to see their own and their friends' pictures at Village Hair Forum.

Another new innovation is Linda's monthly drawing. Each time a customer comes in, they fill out a slip and Linda holds a drawing at the end of each

month. Right now it's hair products (this month it's an 8-ounce bottle of Nexxus shampoo), but as time goes on, tanning products will also be added to the drawing, to promote their tanning bed which has been in operation for several years now.

The retail products which Linda carries are Nexxus and Matrix Biolage, both of which are popular with her customers.

"And yes, we do nails," Linda emphasized. Pat is doing nails currently, and in the near future Linda will be looking to hire a part-time stylist and manicurist for the salon.

One of Linda's main goals is to let people know that they can get quality hair services right here in Manchester. "Many people think they have

to go to Ann Arbor to get the latest cuts and styles, but we want everyone to know that we have a full-service family salon without leaving town." In fact, Linda's posted motto is "Family Hair Care at Affordable Prices."

Prices are much more affordable in town than in Ann Arbor or elsewhere. Cuts and manicures are \$10,perms are from \$40-up, and tanning starts at \$4 per visit, with price breaks for multiple visits.

Linda has plenty more ideas in store for her business, but right now her plans are apt to be more of a personal nature. She has recently become engaged; although no date has been set, she certainly will be working with those future plans in mind.

Stop in and make an appointment with Linda to get a fresh new look for Spring! Whether it's a new hair style or getting ready for that "spring break" tan, Village Hair Forum has just what it will take to give you a "new outlook", too.



Annual Village Election NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN ANNUAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN THE

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Karen Tucker Village Clerk

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# Editorial / Opinion

## Letters to the Editor

Concerned Taxpayers:

Regular, associate members and all other property owners, as Washtenaw Farm Bureau President, I strongly urge your support of Proposal A and ask for a "yes" vote on Proposal A on March 15th.

Under Proposal A, nearly all farmers will pay a six-mill homestead tax on their land. The back up statutory plan will put a 12-mill tax on the land immediately adjacent to farm homes and 24-mills on the rest of the farmland. The substantial reduction in property taxes under Proposal A will put Michigan's property tax bill more in line with other states, and make Michigan agriculture more competitive.

Although farmers, like all Michigan consumers, will pay a higher sales tax under Proposal A, Farm Bureau believes this is far preferable to the increased income tax under the statutory plan. A higher income tax rate reduces the amount of capital available for business expansion and job creation.

The sales tax increase in Proposal A does less harm to economic growth. In addition, the higher sales tax will be borne, in part, by visitors and tourists in Michigan.

The 2951 family members of the Washtenaw County Farm Bureau urge all Washtenaw County citizens to vote yes for Proposal A on March 15.

Sincerely,  
Harold Trinkle  
Washtenaw County Farm Bureau President - Dexter, MI

March 7, 1994

I feel compelled to write a letter to the editor about the upcoming election on Proposal A. I believe it should be turned down because of major faults—in procedure as well as in its text.

Last summer the legislature and the governor were quick to junk property tax as the main means of funding K-12 schools. They claimed the political rewards for "reducing taxes". Then all of a sudden there was a "crisis" in financing our schools.

Nothing was done about it until Christmas vacation loomed on the horizon for our full time legislators. At the last minute the political caucuses of both parties and the governor threw together a hodge-podge of items which became known as Proposal A. Another concoction of laws was enacted to finance schools if Proposal A failed. At the time I read in the papers that our local legislators complained that they didn't know what they were pressured to vote "yes" on at the midnight hour, and I believe them.

In any event, we ended up with Proposal A vs. the legislative package ostensibly thrown together to finance schools. I wonder if this might not have been done to confuse voters by playing selected elements of the political spectrum against one another in the hope they would get confused and panicked enough to approve Proposal A thereby letting the legislature off the hook as far as tax increases are concerned.

Proposal A should be voted down as a protest against this

kind of irresponsible chicanery even if nothing were wrong with the provisions in it. However, this is not the case.

Three constitutional changes are combined in the proposal: (1) sales tax increase of 50% (2) language to "cap" property tax assessments and (3) language to permit differential tax rates on property in the same school district. If it is not presently outlawed in the constitution, the practice of presenting multiple issues to the electors in a single proposal should be prohibited. I have to vote "no" on this proposal because parts of it are bad and there is no way to salvage the good parts.

We have been bombarded with many surface reasons (regressive taxation, "tourists" will pay their share, "sin" tax on cigarettes, etc.) for voting one way or the other. However, I feel the procedural and substantive reasons listed above should force thinking people to vote Proposal A down. If need be later on, we can vote singly on the issues of capping property tax assessments, differential tax levies or a reasonable adjustment in the sales tax if necessary. We can also let the legislature and the governor live with the legislative provisions they approved in case Proposal A should fail. Since they are already claiming credit for reducing property taxes, why not let them take credit for raising taxes instead of foisting responsibility on the voters with a mess like Proposal A? JUST SAY "NO" TO PROPOSAL A.

Howard E. Parr  
Manchester

Dear Sir:

Township property owners beware!  
There is a gang armed with chain saws and sponsored by the Road Commission going around supposedly cutting "brush" along the county roads.

Unfortunately, they aren't equipped to tell the difference between "brush" (up to six inches in diameter is brush, according to the Maintenance Supervisor) within ten feet of the driving surface and mature trees eight, ten, even thirteen inches in diameter thirteen feet or more from the driving lanes.

Although not an intrinsically valuable species, the healthy, mature trees they cut on my property provided valuable summer shade and winter windbreak.

Trees (and legitimate brush) they have cut on other property, especially along fence lines, won't be there next winter to

reduce the drifting of snow onto the roads.

My suggestion to owners and residents of property with trees anywhere near the road: If you want to keep your trees, call your township trustees and arrange some method to mark your trees "Hands Off" to this gang of butchers.

Yours truly,  
Richard L. Cole

**The Manchester Enterprise welcomes letters to the Editor, Guest Editorials, your comments, suggestions and opinions.**

**We ask that all letters be signed!**

### Editorial

We are expected to render an intelligent vote next Tuesday, March 15, 1994 on Ballot Proposal A.

This is a complicated issue that will have some very long reaching effects that have yet to be explored. Time constraints determined the package that is being presented to the people of the State of Michigan.

I do not think that the Governor of the State nor the Senate gave enough consideration to many of the issues. In essence the ballot proposal is the handy work of the Governor and the Senate. The Statutory plan had much more thought and work applied to the specific issues. The Statutory plan was developed by the House and compromised somewhat by both the Governor and the Senate.

If the Ballot proposal is passed, we are led to believe, we will increase the sales tax as a cure - all. As an aside the Federal Government will be enriched by some 300 to 400 million dollars per year in additional income tax revenue. Proponents claim this will be made up by the additional sales tax paid by non state residents spending their dollars in Michigan. I don't believe it!

Why will we be sending more dollars to Washington for them to squander? Simply we will be losing the deductions that were a matter of record paying property tax or State income tax. Sales Tax IS NON DEDUCTIBLE on your income tax.

I do not think the Legislature or the Governor have accomplished very much. One thing you can bet your bottom buck on, WE THE PEOPLE WILL HAVE TO PAY FOR INEQUITIES FOUND IN EITHER PROPOSAL.

### Out & About

by gar

After six weeks ole gar finally got his cast off and is able to hobble around somewhat better.

Strange thing about cast's on a persons leg. Fortunately mine was only from the knee down. Cast's cover most of a persons foot and leave the toe's exposed. In cold weather the toe's get rather cold, they look awfully gross naked.

In order to keep my toes warm I cut the end of some socks off and slipped them over the digits. That worked fairly well, as far as keeping warm, but the toe portion of a sock just does not want to stay on the foot very well.

Have you ever tried to keep the toe of a sock on without the heel of the stocking? It just don't work. The anatomy of the foot is such that you need a hook for the toe of the sock. Finally deduced that our maker declared a heel was needed only for a toe and not for a foot.

Beside there seem to be more heal's in this world than there are feet to go with them.

Dear Editor:

Property tax reform has long been a top priority of the people of Michigan. The Legislature has put on the March 15th ballot a property tax proposal known as Proposal A and has passed a Statutory property tax reform that will go into effect if voters do not support Proposal

This statutory system requires increases in the State's income tax rate, making Michigan's income tax rate, the highest flat rate in the nation. The statutory plan also increases the state's Single Business Tax, already the third highest in the nation, by 17 percent from 2.35 percent to 2.75 percent meaning less money for employees compensation and investment. The statutory system also leaves residential property taxes for schools at 12 mills and provides no caps on future assessments growth.

Proposal A would reduce the State's income tax from 4.6 percent to 4.4 percent the first time the rate will be under 4.6 percent in more than 15 years. Proposal A sets school operating tax rates in 520 of the state's 558 school districts at 6 mills and caps assessment growth at 5 percent or the rate of inflation, whichever is lower. Proposal A does not increase the state's Single Business Tax which is very critical in soliciting new businesses to locate in Michigan.

Proposal A would increase the sales tax from 4% to 6% which would provide a stable source of school revenues that will be paid in part by out-of-state residents. The state's sales tax will still be at the national average under Proposal A and less than many major metropolitan areas in the Midwest.

Proposal A's mix of taxes provides a fair, stable source of revenue that will encourage future economic growth in Michigan and a better life for its citizens.

Vote Yes on March 15th for Proposal A and let's continue to say "YES" to Michigan.

Sincerely,  
Paul LaRoe, President  
Home Builders Association of Washtenaw County

Dear Editor:

Please renew my subscription for another year - and keep up the good work!

Sincerely,  
Amy Little  
Miami, FL.

## Local Government

### Election Notice TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE FOLLOWING TOWNSHIPS:

Bridgewater, Freedom, Manchester and Sharon

Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held in said governmental units on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1994**

from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm  
for the purpose of voting on the following proposal:

#### PROPOSAL A

A PROPOSAL TO INCREASE THE STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATES FROM 4% TO 6%, LIMIT ANNUAL INCREASES IN PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENTS, EXEMPT SCHOOL OPERATING MILLAGES FROM UNIFORM TAXATION REQUIREMENT AND REQUIRE 3/4 VOTE OF LEGISLATURE TO EXCEED STATUTORILY ESTABLISHED SCHOOL OPERATING MILLAGE RATES.

THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT WOULD:

1. Limit annual assessment increase for each property parcel to 5% or inflation rate, whichever is less. When property is sold or transferred, adjust assessment to current value.
2. Increase the sales/use tax. Dedicate additional revenue to schools.
3. Exempt school operating millages from uniform taxation requirement.
4. Require 3/4 vote of legislature to exceed school operating millage rates.
5. Activate laws raising additional school revenues through taxation including partial restoration of property tax.
6. Nullify alternative laws raising school revenues through taxation including an increase in income tax, personal tax exemption increase and partial restoration of property taxes.

Should this proposal be adopted?

YES   
NO

Polling Places are located as follows and are accessible by the handicapped:

Bridgewater Township 10990 Clinton Road Manchester Township 275 South Macomb Street	Freedom Township 11508 Pleasant Lake Rd Sharon Township 18010 Pleasant Lake Rd..
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**Karen Weidmayer, Clerk - Bridgewater Township**  
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### Bridgewater Township Planning Commission February 14, 1994 Summary Minutes

Commission Chair James Fish called the meeting to order at 7:34 p.m.

The Minutes of the January 10, 1994 meeting were approved as written. However, Chairman Fish indicated that the wording in paragraph three, page two—while correct—may be somewhat confusing. Chairman Fish stated that it should be understood that the granting of a variance by the Board of Appeals does not remove the need for the applicant to get a zoning permit. Approval of a variance by the Board of Appeals provides the Zoning Administrator with the authority to issue a permit that could not be issued without the variance.

The primary business of the meeting was the discussion of a possible lot split ordinance for the township. There was a discussion of several zoning problems that have been created in the township by land divisions made without knowledge of township zoning regulations. These problems caused significant inconvenience and expense for residents. Chairman Fish summed up the discussion by stating that there are several purposes of a lot split ordinance, but the primary purpose is to provide zoning compliance information to property owners and potential property purchasers before a property division and sale. This information should reduce the need for applications for variance from the zoning ordinance.

It was decided to proceed with a draft of an ordinance that could be considered at the March meeting. For the balance of the meeting the Commission began compiling a list of Purposes and Provisions of the ordinance.

Charles Wahl reported that it anticipated the unpermitted commercial tire repair facility in the Village of Bridgewater may be moving to a new facility across the street from Bridgewater Lumber Company. The owner has been advised that he should apply for a conditional use permit from the Planning Commission to operate the new facility.

Meeting adjourned at 9:25 p.m.  
Next Meeting is March 14 at 7:30 p.m.  
Wade Peacock, Secretary

### MANCHESTER VILLAGE PLANNING COMMISSION REGULAR SESSION - TUESDAY, 3/15/94 7:30 P.M. - COUNCIL ROOM, VILLAGE HALL

#### AGENDA

1. Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Minutes of Previous Meeting
4. Reports from Administration, Council, Commissioners & Public
5. New Business
- 5.1 Preliminary Site Plan Review - Walco Foods
- 5.2 Other
6. Outstanding Business
- 6.1 Continuing Codebook Review
- 6.2 Other
7. Adjournment

### NOTICE MEETINGS OF BOARD OF REVIEW

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

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in the said Township, on

Tuesday, March 8, 1994 at 9:00 a.m.  
Board of Review - organizational meeting

Appeals to the Board may be made in person on the following days or by letter to the Board by **March 18, 1994**

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1994  
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1994  
1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 17, 1994  
9:00 p.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

At which place, and on each of said days, said Board of Review will be in session, 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.

The County Board of Commissioners of Washtenaw County has proposed the following starting ratios for Manchester Township for the year 1994:

Agriculture 49.49	Industrial 45.55
Commercial 43.03	Residential 47.62
Personal 50.00	

Ronald E. Mann, Supervisor

22A, 373, 3110

### PROPOSED SYNOPSIS Regular Meeting Manchester Twp Board February 15, 1994:

update for the voter registration software.

Washtenaw County did not mail Homestead Exemption forms to property owners who live in Manchester Township but have a Clinton, Tipton, or Brooklyn post office address. The Board agreed with Supervisor Mann's proposal to mail forms to these property owners, since the county did not.

Renewal of the salvage license for Dyer's Auto Parts was granted. Road millage and fire hall millage will be expiring. The Board agreed to have the township attorney prepare the wording for a renewal of the road millage, possible additional road millage, and a millage for fire equipment. These proposals would appear on the August ballot.

1994 road projects were discussed. Mann and Trustee Widmayer will be meeting with the Road Commission this month and will report back to the Board. Hakes reminded the Board of the Special Election to be held March 15th on Proposal A.

The Board of Review will be held Monday, March 14th, Wednesday, March 16th, and Thursday March 17th.

There being no other business to come before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 10:54 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Manchester Township Board will be Monday, March 14th at 8:00 p.m.

Submitted by Kathleen M. Hakes, Clerk  
Approved by Ronald E. Mann, Supervisor





# TAX TIPS TaxNews

by H&R Block

## JURY DUTY PAY

**Q** I was recently called for jury duty. I continued to receive my pay from my employer while I served, but my company required me to turn over to them the jury duty fee I earned. What are the tax consequences of all of this?

**A.** You must include in income both your wages and the jury duty pay. You may deduct the amount you turned over to your employer, however. What's more, you can deduct this amount even if you do not itemize deductions.

(Prepared by the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants)

To help you understand the limits of the tax law and prevent you from becoming an April fool this tax season, the Michigan Association of CPAs provides these tax tales.

### Minor Children Cannot Escape Tax Laws and Penalties

If your child has any income, including self-employment income, you may be required to file a tax return on his or her behalf. One family found this out the hard way when they failed to report the income their 13 year-old had earned from professional modeling. The result: Because the parents had failed to file a return for the child, she was hit with negligence penalties. She also owed penalties for her parents' failure to file estimated taxes on her behalf. (Sky Bassett, 100 TC No. 41)

### Amicable Separations May Compromise Tax Deduction

One couple called their marriage quits and sought divorce action. However, they both continued to live in the same house together. The husband paid for all household expenses, except for food and his wife's personal expenses. When he tried to claim an alimony deduction for these expenses, the IRS disallowed it. Although the

husband argued that he and his wife were estranged and living separate lives, this did not entitle him to a tax deduction. Tax law requires that a husband and wife be separated and living apart at the time alimony payments are made in order for them to be deductible. Both the Tax Court and the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals agreed that Congress did not intend for alimony to be deductible when a husband and wife are living under the same roof. (Coltman, CA-7, 12/7/92)

### Time Is of the Essence For IRS

In one case, the Internal Revenue Service tried to collect back taxes from a couple eight years after they had filed their tax return. The couple, with legal assistance, argued that they were not liable for additional taxes since they were protected by the three-year statute of limitations. Despite the tax law specifying that the IRS generally has three years after the date on which your return is filed to assess additional taxes, the IRS persisted in its claim. Ultimately, the Court of Appeals found the IRS liable for the couple's legal defense costs since the agency had ignored the statute of limitations and the couple's correct legal defense. (Bruce Hanson, CA-5, No. 91-5060)

## Don't Be an April Fool When It Comes to Your Taxes: Take Note of These Important Lessons

### The Costs of Bouncing Checks Are Yours Alone

Don't expect Uncle Sam to alleviate some of the costs associated with overdrawing your business accounts. In a recent case, a taxpayer was denied a deduction when he tried to claim bank overdraft charges as a business expense, even though the check was used to pay a business-related expense. The Court of Appeals ruled that it does not consider bouncing checks a normal and customary business practice. (Asa M. Balley Jr., CA-11, No. 91-9003)

### Excuses, Excuses

If you let your personal problems get in the way of filing a timely tax return, you risk being hit with late-filing penalties, points out the Michigan Association of CPAs. One taxpayer argued that his health problems and those of his wife, his marital difficulties, and his need to work three jobs to make ends meet, provided reasonable cause for his late filing. The Tax Court disagreed. Illness and personal problems constitute reasonable cause only if they result in an individual becoming incapable of managing his or her affairs. Since the taxpayer was capable of working three jobs, the court felt he was also capable of completing a timely tax return, and so, enforced the penalty. (James A. Farley, TC Memo 1993-31)

## MOVING EXPENSES

Expenses to sell your home may be deducted as moving expenses if you qualify for a moving expense deduction on your 1993 tax return. Alternatively, you may use the selling expenses to reduce the gain realized on the sale. Which approach is best for you depends on whether the gain on your home will be taxed in the current year or deferred by the purchase of another home.

If you have a gain on the sale of your home that is taxable this year and you qualify to claim moving expenses, you should consider your overall tax situation before deciding where to claim the selling expenses. Claiming some or all of the selling expenses as moving expenses will increase your taxable gain. The higher taxable gain may reduce the amount of certain deductions, credits, and loss allowances you are entitled to.

However, if you are in the 31 percent or higher tax bracket, you may want to claim your selling expenses as moving expenses. It's possible that the gain on your home will be taxed at a maximum rate of 28 percent. In this situation, it may be more advantageous to have a larger gain taxed at a lower rate and to use your selling expenses to reduce income that will be taxed at a higher rate.

If your gain is currently not taxable, the decision on where to claim the selling expenses depends on whether you will itemize your deductions. If you will itemize even without moving expenses, claim the selling expenses as moving expenses. The current tax savings will probably outweigh the necessary basis adjustment to your new home. If you cannot itemize without the sales expenses but can itemize if you include them, figure your tax both ways to see which is better for you.

Beginning in 1994, you will no longer be allowed to claim expenses to sell your home as moving expenses. Also beginning in 1994, allowable moving expenses will be deductible regardless of whether you itemize your deductions.

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## Memory Lane

# NATIVE AMERICANS HISTORY SUBJECT TO MANY MISCONCEPTIONS

**YPSILANTI**—On-going generalizations and stereotypes about Native Americans, often perpetuated by the media at Thanksgiving time, have resulted in our society viewing Native Americans as merely one- or two-dimensional people, according to EMU history Professor Lee Boyer. "The horse-back, feather-wearing, buffalo-chasing culture that we've seen on television was not typical of all native people," said Dr. Boyer, who teaches Native American history. Largely because of the stereotypes, conflicts between whites and Native Americans continue, Boyer said, including debate over what general term should be used for the living ancestors of indigenous people.

"If you say 'Native Americans' it suggests that their history or life didn't start until Columbus got here," Boyer said. "The preferred term is Native Peoples or Indigenous Peoples."

According to Boyer, the portrayal of Native Americans by Hollywood, for example, is slowly improving, but stereotypes continue. "I think the worst stereotype is when you hear a word associated with Indians and it suggests fighting or violence," he said. "For example, the (name) Jeep Cherokee is used because it is an outdoor, tough, rugged kind of vehicle. You apply an Indian name to something suggesting that it will be beat up and that's a big problem. If you see a film which suggests that whenever people speak of you and your family, they think you (are) violent people, that is just not fair."

Native Americans, Boyer said, believed humans should function harmoniously with the outside world, employing violence only when it was needed for protection or to restore the natural order. "Native peoples are very peaceful who compared war to a storm or tornado—a necessary evil," he said.

Another long-held stereotype implies that Native Americans were primitive and barely surviving until Europeans came along and showed them how to exploit the natural resources around them. "For example, the Quakers tried to convince the Pawnee that they ought to give up hunting for buffalo, and concentrate on growing

corn to maximize their profits," he said. "The Pawnee couldn't do that and wouldn't do that, because they viewed life as a harmonious interrelationship. They didn't choose subsistence living because they lacked technology and were ignorant, as the Quakers thought; it was 'the wa' it was meant to be."

"The Quakers would call that primitive," Boyer continued. "But the Pawnee viewed that as a very sophisticated way of recognizing the way we are all supposed to live in harmony with all the plants and animals and never overuse one." The differences in how European settlers and Native Americans viewed plant and animal life were great. "Native Americans respected the animals, believing that humans could learn from them. Euro-Americans tended to exploit the wilderness, using it for private gain," Boyer said. Moreover, he added, it was in their best interest for Native Americans to study the animals who were suc-

cessfully surviving in the wild. "Human beings on Earth are very fragile (as are animals) and the animals seemed to figure that out and cooperate and get along pretty well, but we seem to have a rough time," said Boyer. "Native Americans saw a lot of need for guidance and help. As a result, they watched animals, insects and everything else to learn lessons about life." When Native Americans became ill, he added, they often attributed it to having fallen out of harmony with the natural world. "They believed there was something they were supposed to do and had not done in this reciprocal universe and so their curative people (tried) to restore the harmony," Boyer said. "In a sense, it is holistic medicine." Boyer adds that historians estimate that somewhere between 30 and 90 percent of the American Indian population died of diseases settlers brought over, for which they had no immunities. "Whole groups of people were wiped out," he said. "(A plains tribe) in 1837

caught small pox from a Missouri Riverboat crew and it almost wiped out the entire tribe. It was disastrous." The Native American population originally was between 10 million and 13 million people, he said; today, according to the 1990 Census, there are 1.5 million. "Many, many of them were lost to disease," Boyer said. Another stereotype that has lasted throughout the years is the notion that Native American tribes had only one leader or chief. "Euro-Americans just assumed that because they had one king, other people did," Boyer said. "Native Americans had a variety of political categories. The Cherokee, for example, had white leaders and red leaders. The red leaders were warriors and the white leaders were elders. One wasn't at the top of the hierarchy or at the bottom; both had their function. When a person would speak for the entire nation, it usually meant that he had a particular power and ability that at that time and place was useful.

Geronimo, for example, was supposed to be able to know where the enemy was and anticipate evil." Much of the Euro-American conflict with Native Americans, Boyer said, came from an inability to understand their spiritual concepts, lack of greed and non-materialistic approach to life. "There is no Indian religion...because everything is spiritual," he said. "There isn't a dichotomy between the spiritual world and the secular world which you do find in the Christian world."

To further illustrate the difference, Boyer notes a common misunderstanding that occurred between early Indians and white settlers. "When asking a Native American about his generosity, he often replied that it is the way life is. 'Look around and see what the Creator has done,' he would say. 'He created all of these wonderful things, and for me to come along and say I'm going to keep them and not share...it just isn't fair.'"

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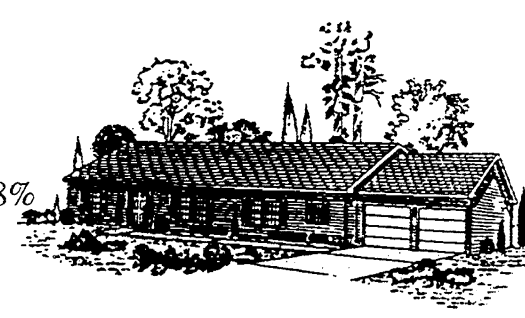
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**VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH**—Rev. R. Dean Cooper, Pastor; 423 S. Macomb, 428-7506, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Evening Public Bible Class 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Praise and Prayer 7:00 p.m.

#### CATHOLIC CHURCH

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**—Rev. Francis J. Murray, Pastor; Telephone 428-8811; 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 10:30 a.m.

#### LUTHERAN CHURCHES

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**—Rev. Dennis A. Falk, Pastor; Austin Road, Bridgewater; Telephone 429-7434; Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Worship 10:30.

**ST. THOMAS LUTHERAN CHURCH**—10901 W. Ellsworth Rd., (5 miles North and 6-1/2 East of Manchester); Telephone 653-7511; Schedule: Church Service 10:45 Sunday; Bible Class and Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**—Rev. Mark A. Weirauch; 3050 S Fletcher Road; Telephones: Pastor 475-3481, Church Office 475-8064, Susan Wiley, Secretary 428-7268. Sunday School 9am; Worship 10:15am

#### UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

**MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. Marsha Woolley, Pastor; 501 Ann Arbor St. Phones: Parsonage 428-8013, Church 428-8495. Sunday School 9 a.m.; Worship 10:30 a.m.; Coffee/Fellowship 11:30 a.m.

**SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. Peggy Paige, Pastor; Corner of M-52 and Pleasant Lake Roads; Church- 428-7714, Parsonage- 428-8430; Sunday School 10:00 am; Worship 11:00 a.m.

#### MORMON CHURCH

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS (MORMONS)**—Samuel Skidmore, Branch Pres; 1330 Freer Rd, Chelsea; 475-1778; Sacrament 9:30 am; Sun. School, 10:40; Relief Soc., Priesthood & Youth 11:40

#### NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHURCHES

**COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH**—Pastor Jody Riethmiller, meets at the Manchester Middle School in Manchester; Worship 10:00 a.m., Sunday School following, Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

**FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH**—Scott Engelman, Pastor, 8400 Sharon Hollow Rd. Telephone 428-8709; Worship Service 10:00 a.m.; Sunday School 11:30 a.m., Sunday Eve Service 6:00 p.m.; LIFELINE 7:30 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.

**CHELSEA FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**—John & Sarah Groesser, Pastors; Lima Town Hall 313-475-7379; Sunday 10:15 Prayer, 11:00 Morning Worship, 6:00 Evening Worship; Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Church School, all ages

**NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN CENTER**—50 Freer Rd. (Covenant Church); Pastors Erik & Mary Nansen; Sunday 12:30 p.m. Praise, worship, Children's Church, 6 p.m.

**CLINTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD**—Rev. Richard Coury, Pastor; 13300 Clinton-Manchester Road; Phone 517-456-7510; Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:45; Sunday Eve 6:30; Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study, Youth 7: pm

#### UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**—10425 Bethel Church Road at Schneider Rd.; Phones: Parsonage & Church 428-8000/429-7175; Church Service 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

**EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**—Rev. Brewster Wilcox, Interim, Rev. Nancy Doty, Associate Pastor; Telephone: 428-8359; 9:00 a.m. Sunday School, Worship 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship

**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.

#### UNITY CHURCH

**UNITY CHURCH OF JACKSON**—3385 Miles Road, Ackerson Lake, Jackson, MI, 517-764-6900; 11:00 a.m. Sunday Services and Sunday School.

#### EMANUEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Wednesday, March 9:** 7:30 am Mid-Week Lenten Meditation, 6:00 pm Bell Choir, 6:30 pm Daisies, 7:30 pm Adult Choir

**Thursday, March 10:** 12 Noon Senior Meal, 3:30 pm Cherub Choir, 3:50 pm Children's Choir, 6:00 pm Cub Scouts, 6:30 pm Brownies, 6:30 pm Basket Making Group, 7:00 pm Board of Deacons, 7:30 pm Board of Christian Ed, Missions Committee

**Sunday, March 13:** 9:00 AM Sunday School, 10:30 am Worship, 11:30 am Fellowship; 12 Noon Confirmation, 1:00 pm Senior Youth leave for Whirlyball.

**Monday, March 14:** 5:30 pm Weight Watchers, 6:30 pm Optimists, 8:00 pm Fair Board

**Tuesday, March 15:** 12 Noon Senior Meal, 6:30 pm Daisies, 7:00 pm Boy Scouts

**Wednesday, March 16:** 7:30 am Mid-Week Lenten Meditation, 7:30 pm Lenten Choir Festival at St. Mary's Church

#### ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

**Wednesday, March 9:** Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:pm.

**Thursday, March 10:** Lent Video Discussion, 7:45 pm

**Friday, March 11:** Way of the Cross, 7:30 pm.

**Saturday, March 12:** Children's Choir, 3:30-4:45 pm, Sacrament of Penance, 4-4:45 pm

**Sunday, March 13:** Adult Choir, 9:30 am, Rel Ed Pre-school/Kindergarten, 10:30 am, Adult Choir, after 10:30 am Mass, Confirmation, 6:30-8:30 pm.

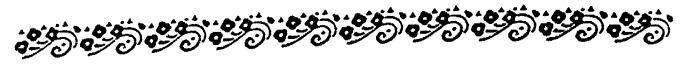
**Monday, March 14:** Girl Scout Troop 706, 3:30-5:30 pm, Celebration of Caring, First Communion Students & Parents, 7:pm

**Tuesday, March 15:** Rel Ed, Grades 1-4, 3:15-4:15 pm, Rel Ed, Grades 5-6, 3:30-4:30 pm, Faith Inquiry, 7:30 pm.

**Wednesday, March 16:** Interchurch Lenten Choir Sing at St. Mary's, 7:30 pm.

#### ST. JOHN'S U.C.C.-ROGERS CORNERS

**Sunday, March 13:** 9:00 am worship, followed by Annual Meeting and carry-in dinner.



### One Day At A Time

There are two days in every week about which we should not worry; two days which should be kept free from fear and apprehension.

One of these days is Yesterday, with its mistakes and cares, its faults and blunders, its aches and pains. Yesterday has passed forever beyond our control. All the money in the world cannot bring back yesterday. We cannot undo a single act we performed; we cannot erase a single word...Yesterday is Gone!

The other day we should not worry about is tomorrow with its possible burdens, its large promise and poor performance. Tomorrow is also beyond our immediate control; Tomorrow's sun will rise, either in splendor or behind a mask of clouds...but it will rise. Until it does, we have no stake in Tomorrow, for it is yet unborn.

This leaves only one day...Today! Any man can fight the battle of just one day. It is only when you and I have the burdens of those two awful eternities, Yesterday and Tomorrow...that we break down.

It is not the experiences of Today that drives men mad...it is the remorse or bitterness for something which happened Yesterday and the dread of what Tomorrow may bring.

Let us, therefore, live but one day at a time.

#### BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Wednesday, March 9:** 12:00 pm Deadline for Newsletter items, 7:30 pm Lenten Service.

**Thursday, March 10:** 6:30 pm Youth Choir Plus

**Saturday, March 12:** 7:30 pm Botch-A-Luck Dinner, 7:30 pm In-Betweeners meet at John & Holly Porter's

**Sunday, March 13:** 9:30 am One Great Hour of Sharing offering, Worship Service

**Tuesday, March 15:** 6:30 pm Youth Choir Plus

**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, CHELSEA**

**Wednesday, March 9:** 6:15 pm Lenten Supper, 7:30 pm Lenten Service, Senior Choir following; Church Council.

**Sunday, March 13:** 9:00 am Inquirer's Class, & Sunday School for all ages 3-adult, 10:15 am Worship, Junior Choir & Coffee hour following.

**Tuesday, March 15:** 10:00 am Sewing Activity Day with noon potluck, 7:30 pm Old Zion Church board.

**Wednesday, March 16:** 6:15 pm Lenten Supper, 7:30 pm Lenten Service with Senior Choir following.

#### SHARON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**Wednesday, March 9:** 6:30 pm Brownies, 8:pm Pass-It-On Committee

**Sunday, March 13:** 11 am One Great Hour of Sharing offering. Special guest speaker Mrs. Becky Foote.

**Monday, March 14:** 6:30 pm Sharin'Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Mark Miller for an International Dinner.

**Wednesday, March 16:** 7:30 pm, Lenten Choir program presented by four choirs at the St. Mary's Catholic Church

**MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**Wednesday, March 9:** 6:30 pm Lenten Soup Supper & Worship

**Thursday, March 10:** 6:30 pm Youth Bell Choir, 7:30 pm Adult Bell Choir

**Sunday, March 13:** 9:00 am Sunday School, 10:30 am Worship

**Monday, March 14:** 3:15 pm Scouts

**Wednesday, March 16:** 1:00 pm UMW; 6:30 pm Lenten Soup Supper & Worship, 7:30 pm Community Choir Sing at St. Mary's.

### Senior Citizens

## Senior Citizens News

by Howard Parr

I haven't followed weather reports from the Southland where T.V. and Del are, but I trust they can enjoy themselves and quickly adapt to a summer mode of living. When I talked to T.V. about her upcoming Florida trip she expressed concern that she never got a tan while she was there and probably would come back as pale as ever. Isn't it great to know that there is a new emporium here that can fix that? Maybe we ought to start a campaign to subsidize tanning sessions for her to finish up the job. We'll see how she looks when she gets back in three or four weeks. Enjoy, Ludwicks!

Right now it's too bad our organization is non-political. This would be a good time to plug events of the up-coming elections. I tried to insert some political stuff in this column when Jan Shurtliff was editor and she properly cut it out. All I can say is that there elections next week and you should vote your conscience—but vote! I guess I just grew up in the tradition of voting. I voted absent ballot when I was in college and even remember filling out my absent ballot while I sat under a palm tree in New Guinea in 1944. Somehow it has always just seemed the thing to do. I've always said that if everyone voted in our democracy, we could never make a "wrong" decision. The problem comes when 51 per cent of the 22 per cent who vote call the shots; when that happens it is difficult to predict which way the tide will turn. Yes, we should all take the time to vote.

On Election Day, March

15th, Pastor Cooper will make the Clergy Presentation at 11:15 followed by the noon luncheon which is Chef's Choice. It will be a good luncheon if Jan's past record is any indication. Since we have had our own freezer—thanks to Ron Jenter and the Glatz estate—Jan has been able to tuck surplus tid-bits in it and bring them out for a surprise meal. I know there are some knoeplfle in her freezer left over from our last sauerkraut meal and maybe they will come back.

There will be no Health-O-Rama for us in Saline on the 16th. The calendar listed two choices for health services and we will be going to Chelsea on the 19th. The bus leaves the Center at 7:30 a.m. This is early, but so many use this service that numbers are handed out as you come in. The sooner you get the number, the lower it is and the quicker you'll be out of there. I'll go back to sequence with the dates, now. On St. Patrick's Day Craft Class is scheduled at the Center at 9:30. Then we have our own Corned Beef and Cabbage for lunch followed by Bingo at the Center, if we haven't founded on the feast. On the 18th we leave the Center at 6:00 p.m. for the Saline Card Party. On the 19th the bus leaves the center at 6:30 p.m. for Fun Night at Zion Lutheran Church.

Erma Alber is back on deck now ready to receive your calls about transportation needs—428-8707. See you next week after the elections are over and we are starting to think Spring.

### Genealogical Society

The Genealogical Society of Washtenaw County will hold its regular monthly meeting Sunday, March 27, 1994 at 1:30 P.M. at the Washtenaw Community College Liberal Arts and Science Building at Ann Arbor.

**GENEALOGY BY COMPUTER** is the topic of the program presented by HARLEY BARNETTE who will demonstrate the computer program, BROTHERS' KEEPER. Mr. Barnette is president and founder of the Genealogy by Computer Society of Toledo, Ohio and teaches computer genealogy in adult education. If arrangements can be made, ARLENE EAKLE'S GENEALOGICAL VIDEO TAPES will be shown for the class hour.

A short business meeting precedes the program. Anyone interested in family history is invited to attend. There is no charge for the meeting. For further information, call Peggy Brann 810/553-5711.

### Individualized Hospice Seeking Volunteers

The goal of a certified and licensed hospice program is to assist families in their commitment to have a loved one die at home by offering physical, emotional and spiritual support. Volunteers are an important part of the hospice team. Some work directly with the families, others help out in the office or with special projects. The time commitment is flexible and training is provided.

The training consists of 20 hrs of classwork designed to familiarize volunteers with the hospice philosophy, practices and procedure. It will meet Tuesday evenings (7-9 PM) from April 5 - May 10, with two Saturday sessions (9 AM-1 PM) on April 26 and May 7 at the Individualized Hospice offices in Ann Arbor.

To register for this training session or for more information about our Volunteer program, please call Jereva Christensen - Coordinator of Volunteers, Individualized Hospice at 971-0444.

### Selecting Trees and Shrubbery Workshop Offered

On Wednesday, March 16, 1994, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Washtenaw County/Michigan State University Extension Service will be offering a workshop titled, "Selecting Shrubbery and Trees for Landscaping". This is a free program and open to the public.

Steve Gordon, a master gardener, will be the resource person for this program. He will share some facts and offer a systematic way of deciding what plants are best for your particular situations. Participants will understand the major trade-offs involved in plant selection and will be able to begin to apply this to their individual landscapes.

The workshop will take place at the Extension Service, 4133 Washtenaw Avenue, Ann Arbor (located at the County Service Center). Pre-registration is required by calling 313-971-0079 by March 15, 1994.

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Feature Pages

**PROPOSAL A WILL SAVE LIVES IN SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN**

Your vote for Proposal A could save someone's life, according to the American Lung Association of Michigan.

The 50-cent tobacco tax increase in Proposal A will save 33,483 lives in southeastern Michigan, according to estimates released by the Michigan Department of Public Health (MDPH). A number equal to the entire populations of Ferndale, Utica and Brighton would be saved due to the tobacco tax increase.

"In public health, there aren't many things we can do that have this great an impact in reducing tobacco addiction and saving lives. Proposal A gives us the ability to make Michigan a healthier state," said Paul Munzenberger, Pharm. D., vice president of the American Lung Association of Michigan.

If Proposal A passes, the tobacco tax will prevent an estimated 14,069 teens in southeastern Michigan from smoking, according to MDPH.

"With the rate of smoking and teens on the rise, we must do everything we can to keep kids from starting this deadly addiction. The tobacco industry spends 11 million dollars a day to addict our youth through the use of advertisements that appeal to kids. The tobacco tax is one way to counteract the insidious seduction of our youth by the tobacco industry," said Munzenberger.

**BRIEF SYNOPSIS MARCH 15, 1994, BALLOT PROPOSAL VS. STATUTORY BACK-UP PLAN FOR SCHOOL FUNDING REFORM**

	PROPOSAL	STATUTORY PLAN
Sales/Use Tax	Increases from 4% to 6%. Begins May 1, 1994.	No change from current 4%.
Income Tax	Rate decreases from 4.6% to 4.4%. Begins May 1, 1994.	Rate increases from 4.6% to 6%. Begins May 1, 1994.
Personal Exemption - State Income Tax	Remains at \$2,100. Seniors remain at \$3,000.	Increases from \$2,100 to \$3,000. Seniors increase to \$3,900.
Homestead Credit - State Income Tax	Remains in place.	Remains in place.
Homestead Credit - Renters	20% of rent paid is considered property taxes (currently 17%).	20% of rent paid is considered property taxes (currently 17%).
Property Taxes Levied for School Operations in 1994 (includes state and local mills)	6 mills on homesteads; 24 mills on nonhomesteads. Begins 1994 summer tax bill.	12 mills on homesteads; 24 mills on nonhomesteads. Begins 1994 summer tax bill.
Allocated Mills	County allocated mills no longer available for schools.	Current interpretation permits county allocated mills to be used toward the required local millage effort.
Charter Millage Authority	No change from current law.	With voter approval, permits districts to establish themselves as chartering authorities for levying millage.
ISD Mills	Freezes various ISD millages at current individual ISD levels.	Permits ISDs to seek additional millage for special education, vocational education and general operating.
Supplemental Local District Levies (hold harmless mills for over \$6,500)	Voted "hold harmless" mills must be levied just on homestead property until number equals 18, then levied on all property equally.	Voted "hold harmless" mills levied equally on all properties.
Voter Approved Enhancement Millage	Up to three mills through 1996. Only intermediate school districts (ISDs) may seek voter approval for up to three enhancement mills after 1996.	A local district or ISD may seek voter approval for enhancement millage within a specified limit (ranging from approximately 2 to 6 mills) beginning in 1994. Revenue would be shared on a per-pupil basis with other districts in the ISD levying enhancement mills.
Property Tax Assessment Caps	Assessment increases capped at 5% or inflation, whichever is less, until ownership of the property is transferred. Begins in 1995.	No change from current law.
Single Business Tax	No change from current 2.35% rate.	Rate increases from 2.35% to 2.75%. Begins May 1, 1994.
Cigarette/Tobacco Products Tax	Cigarette tax increases by 50 cents per pack. 6% of new tax proceeds earmarked for public health. Creates a new 16% tax on noncigarette tobacco products. Begins May 1, 1994.	Cigarette tax increases by 15 cents per pack. Creates a new 16% tax on noncigarette tobacco products. Begins May 1, 1994.
Interstate Telephone Tax	Imposes use tax of 6% on interstate calls. 800 numbers and WATS lines are exempt. Begins May 1, 1994.	Imposes 4% use tax on interstate and international calls. Begins May 1, 1994.
Real Estate Transfer Tax	New tax - 2% of property value transferred. Begins January 1, 1995. (Reduced to .75% April, 1995, pursuant to P.A. 3 of 1994.)	New tax - 1% of property value transferred. Begins May 1, 1994. (Reduced to .75% April, 1995, pursuant to P.A. 3 of 1994.)
School Bonding	Limits placed upon certain types of bonding for equipment and remodeling.	No change from current law.

**MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP -- MANCHESTER SCHOOLS PROPOSAL "A" IMPACT ON YOUR TAX DOLLARS**

Your SEV	1993 Tax Dollars* 52.5314 Mills	Yes Vote 20.4133 Mills	No Vote 26.4133 Mills
\$30,000	\$1,575.94	\$612.40	\$792.40
\$35,000	\$1,838.60	\$714.47	\$924.47
\$40,000	\$2,101.26	\$816.53	\$1,056.53
\$45,000	\$2,363.91	\$918.60	\$1,188.60
\$50,000	\$2,626.57	\$1,020.67	\$1,320.67
\$55,000	\$2,889.23	\$1,122.73	\$1,452.73
\$60,000	\$3,151.88	\$1,224.80	\$1,584.80
\$65,000	\$3,414.54	\$1,326.86	\$1,716.86
\$70,000	\$3,677.20	\$1,428.93	\$1,848.93
\$75,000	\$3,939.86	\$1,531.00	\$1,981.00
\$80,000	\$4,202.51	\$1,633.06	\$2,113.06
\$85,000	\$4,465.17	\$1,735.13	\$2,245.13
\$90,000	\$4,727.83	\$1,837.20	\$2,377.20
\$95,000	\$4,990.48	\$1,939.26	\$2,509.26
\$100,000	\$5,253.14	\$2,041.33	\$2,641.33

\* ASSUMING ALL OTHER MILLAGE RATES REMAIN THE SAME IN 1994. AND THAT SEV REMAINS THE SAME 1993 - 1994

\*\* REMEMBER A NUMBER OF OTHER TAXES WILL CHANGE DEPENDING IF PROPOSAL A IS PASSED OR NOT (SALES, INCOME, ETC.)

**Speaker of the House Curtis Hertel Reports**

On March 15, the voters of this state will make a major decision regarding public education funding in Michigan. With each providing \$10.2 billion for our schools, the bipartisan and ballot plan's both deserve consideration. Contrary to the way it has been portrayed, the voters are not just choosing between increases in the sales tax and the income tax. With the ballot plan, all citizens will see not only a sales tax increase, but significant increases in property transfer, cigarette and interstate phone taxes, together with some reinstated local property tax. When you add in the ballot plan's proposed reliance on new keno gaming revenue to the above mix, you end up with an educational system dependent upon tax sources that are risky, unstable and cyclical. The bipartisan plan will increase the income tax from 4.6 to 6 percent; the ballot plan will increase the sales tax from 4-cents on the dollar to 6-cents on the dollar. The income tax is preferable for a number of reasons, primarily because it is a tax based upon an individual's ability to pay. Those who are in a low income bracket will not incur an additional financial burden at the expense of those with a higher income. To mitigate the rate increase, the bipartisan plan proposes to raise the personal exemption from \$2,100 to \$3,000 and for seniors, that exemption would go to \$3,900.

The sales tax is a regressive tax impacting middle class and lower income families who spend a greater percentage of their incomes on taxable goods. The sales tax is also not deductible on your federal tax return and income and property taxes can be deducted. A sales tax increase means an estimated \$300 million to \$500 million more federal taxes paid from the pockets of Michigan taxpayers. While both plans reinstate some local property tax, only the bipartisan proposal would allow districts to end the chore of seeking constant renewal elections by providing a voter-approved charter millage option. As stated earlier, the ballot proposal provides an unstable base of educational funding in its reliance on cigarette and gambling revenues. The Governor wants to place a 50-cent per pack of cigarettes tax increase and rely upon those revenues for schools at the same time our state spends millions to discourage smoking. We can also remember the false hopes raised when the Lottery was initiated and now Proposal A advocates seek to pull the wool over our eyes again with a new keno game. The bipartisan plan will increase the state's single business tax slightly, from the current 2.35 percent to 2.75 percent. But a study conducted by the Senate Fiscal Agency indicates that Michigan businesses would incur \$335 million in additional taxes a year with the SBT increase, while with the ballot proposal, they would pay out an extra \$554 million per year. It appears most small businesses would be better off under the bipartisan proposal. The above comments address the funding of education, but it is important to also note that Democrats were successful in significantly improving the quality of what our children will be taught. Regardless of which funding mechanism is selected, the changes we made will be enacted and will go a long way to help prepare our youngsters to be successful in a global economy.

Please, take advantage of your opportunity to be heard and cast your vote on March 15.

Feature Pages

**SCHOOL FINANCE REFORM IMPACT ON SCHOOL REVENUES**

Legislative action in late December 1993 resulted in the March 15th ballot proposal and the statutory backup plan. Both plans reduce the dependence on property taxes as the primary source of revenue for school funding. The ballot plan establishes 6 mills on homestead and 24 mills on non-homestead while the statutory plan fixes 12 mills on homesteads and 24 mills on non-homestead.

The ballot plan relies heavily on a 2% increase in sales tax, an increase in tobacco taxes and the introduction of a Keno game for additional sources of revenue. The statutory plan calls for an increase in state income tax (4.6% to 6%) and tobacco tax increase.

According to Superintendent Niedzwiecki, both plans create a foundation grant of approximately \$5,323 per pupil for Manchester in 1994-95. The school district will receive the full amount only if it levies the maximum amount of mills permitted under the adopted plan.

Addressing the impact the finance reform proposals have on school revenues, Niedzwiecki provided the following comparison:

\* In 1994-95, the distribution formula and the amount of money available for school district will be the same under both the statutory and ballot plans. (Manchester's foundation grant in 1994-95 will be \$5,323 per pupil.)

\* The revenue generated from taxes used in the statutory plan tend to grow faster than the taxes in the ballot plan. The statutory plan may provide more revenue per pupil in future years and be a more stable source of revenue.

\* Intermediate School District's (ISD's) millages are frozen at the 1993-94 rate under the ballot plan. The increasing demand for new special education programs and increased costs beyond inflation would be the responsibility of local districts.

\* Both plans allow for enhancement millage not to exceed 2.36 mills for districts in Washtenaw County. These are mills beyond the required mills needed to generate the full foundation grant. Under the statutory plan both locals and ISD's can levy enhancement millages. The ballot plan limits enhancements mills to ISD's after 1997.

\* School Bonds - statutory plan maintains current laws. Ballot plan restricts bonding and does not permit it for remodeling, improving, furnishing, equipment of existing buildings unless part of a complete renovation. These needs would have to be met within operating revenues.

\* Headlee Amendment remains law. The ballot plan caps SEV growth per parcel at inflation or 5% whichever is less. The statutory plan keeps the current system.

Headlee probably would have greater impact on the statutory plan because it is more dependent on property taxes. Schools would have to override Headlee or renew local taxes every year in order to get the maximum per pupil foundation grant. The ballot plan would probably not be impacted by Headlee because of the cap on SEV.

\* Borrowing - Manchester will not have to borrow as much money under either plan. Under the ballot proposal we

would receive more from the state per month due to the fact that less revenue will be generated locally. This will reduce the amount we need to borrow compared to the statutory plan. We borrowed \$1,600,000 in 1993-94. Under the ballot plan we would need to borrow approximately \$400,000 in 1994-95 and \$600,000 under the statutory plan.

- Provided by Superintendent Ron Niedzwiecki

The Enterprise would like to thank Mr. Ron Niedzwiecki for his assistance and explanations on School Finances and School Finance Reform during this time. It is important that the community be aware of the effects which the Proposals under consideration will have on each of us locally, and on our children's and grandchildren's education. Please read the other pertinent articles found elsewhere in this week's paper. -MJC



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Schools

School Lunch Menu

Monday, March 14: Cheeseburger on bun, french fries, dill pickles, mandarin oranges, milk.
Tuesday, March 15: Beef Ravioli, mixed vegetables, bread & butter, applesauce, milk.
Wednesday, March 16: Crispy Fish Fillet, oven browned potatoes, carrots & peas, dinner roll & butter, pear half, milk.
Thursday, March 17: Burrito with chili, Has brown patty, corn, shamrock cookie, milk.
Friday, March 18: Cottage Inn Pizza, Tossed salad/Dressing, fresh fruit, milk.



Bear Stories

If I wanted to see a real bear, I would go and find a bear's cave and go in and see the bear. He might be behind a rock sleeping so I wouldn't wake him up. So I might go outside and my dad would call me and say it was time to go.
by Chelsea Render
Miss Koebbe's second grade

PUBLICATION NOTICE Decedent's Estate STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF WASHTENAW File no. 94-103910-SE Estate of FLORA C. SCHANZ, deceased. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: your interests in the estate may be barred or affected by this hearing. NOTICE: A hearing will be held on March 22, 1994 at 9:00 a.m. in the probate courtroom, Ann Arbor, Michigan, before Judge John N. Kirkendall (P-160100) on the petition of ROBERT SCHANTZ requesting that he be appointed personal representative of the Estate of Flora C. Schanz, deceased, who lived at 805 W. Middle Street, Chelsea, Michigan, and who died on 2/12/94, and requesting also the will of the deceased dated 6/17/85 be admitted to probate. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the (proposed) personal representative or to both the probate court and the (proposed) personal representative within four months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further being given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record. KEUSCH & FLINTOFT, P.C. Attorneys for the Estate, by JOHN P. KEUSCH, Attorney P-15927, 119 S. Main Street, PO Box 187, Chelsea, MI 48118 313/475-8671. Dated March 1, 1994, ROBERT SCHANTZ, Petitioner, 416 Wilkinson Street, Chelsea, MI 48118, 313/475-1795.

Manchester Advisory Committee

Manchester Schools is a member of a consortium with Livingston and Washtenaw Counties that receives state funds to provide drug and alcohol prevention and education in the Manchester community. The advisory committee was formed in 1992 to oversee the spending of the approximately \$5,000 the district receives yearly. The Advisory Committee has combined efforts and resources with the Manchester Community Resource Center who also shares the goal of coordinating prevention activities between the schools and the community. The Committee is a broad base of volunteers including a member of the sheriff's Department, parents, students school staff and the Community Resource Center director. The funding has been used for such areas as purchasing videos and prevention handouts for the township library, establishing a parents' library at Klager, and a comprehensive update of prevention materials at each of the school's libraries. The funds have also been used to train teachers to teach Quest at the middle school, fund nationally known drug prevention speakers to do assemblies at each of the schools for both parents and students, fund the 1993 drug survey, establish scholarships for the Camp Storer 7th grade weekend retreat, purchase driver education booklets, which teens and parents openly discuss the responsibilities for use of the family car as well as fund other prevention activities both through the schools and community. The Advisory Committee's current focus is to establish a parenting education-prevention program in the community. Parents would be trained at the Community Action on Substance Abuse (CASA) upcoming training seminar called Effective Parenting in the 90's. Parents would then return to the community to share their knowledge with other parents in five weekly group meetings. More information will be shared as the seminar dates are announced. As you're aware, the recent drug and alcohol survey of 1993's 8th, 10th and 12th graders show a higher than national average usage of alcohol and inhalant use in our community. A large percentage of our students also state that it's OK to ride with a driver under the influence of drugs or alcohol and also OK if they or their friends drink more than five drinks in a row several times weekly. There is a direct correlation between parents being educated about drug/alcohol use; communicating effectively with their children and setting high expectations and the reduced use of drugs by their children. The Advisory Committee is looking for parents who are willing to be involved in drug prevention in the community by either joining the committee or be willing to be trained through the upcoming CASA parenting seminars. Committee members have a voice in the direction the committee takes to provide prevention-education activities in the schools and community. For more information, call Bill Kindt, Manchester Schools' social worker at 428-7333 or attend the next Advisory Committee meeting at the Middle School on March 22 at 3:30 pm in Mrs. Monkiewicz's room. -submitted by Bill Kindt, Manchester Community Schools Social Worker

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 undersigned will be subject to inspection at:

Freedom Township Hall 11508 Pleasant Lake Road

in the said Township on

Monday, MARCH 7, 1994 at 9:00 am. BOARD OF REVIEW ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Appeals and Conference with Taxpayers will be heard on:

Monday, March 14, 1994 9 am - 12 pm, 1 pm-4 pm, 7pm -8 pm

Wednesday, March 16, 1994 9 am - 12 pm and 1 pm - 4 pm.

OR APPROPRIATE LETTER

At which place, and on each of said days, said Board of Review will be in session, and upon request of any person who is assessed on said roll, or if 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 therefor relatively just and equal.

Such assessment tax roll as reviewed and pproved by said Board of Review will be assessment roll of said township of Freedom for the year 1994.

- Agricultural - 48.85
Commercial - 50.00
Industrial - 48.54
Residential - 48.71
Development - 0

ROBERT LITTLE, Supervisor

Sports

Volleyball

Manchester downs Jackson Western 15-1, 15-3.

Manchester closed its regular season play by defeating Western in two; 15-1, 15-3. Coach Stein said, "the game wasn't very exciting, they didn't make us do anything."

Sarah Riske led the Dutch with 9 kills; Tracy LaRue went 11/12 in serving with 10 points and three aces; she also had 12 assists. Kathleen Baran led the defense with five digs.

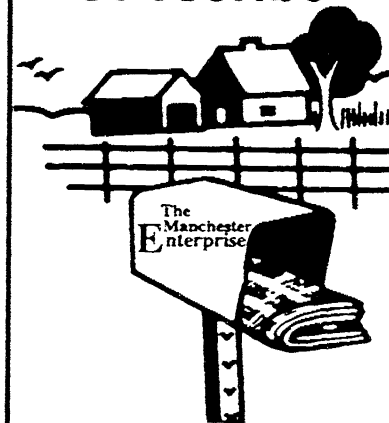
Dutch Dominate District

Manchester beat Napoleon (15-6, 16-14), Clinton (15-10, 15-8), and Michigan Center (15-6, 15-9) to claim the district title. "It was a good district because everyone got to play," said Coach Stein.

District leaders were Kathleen Baran - 38 digs, nine kills, five solo blocks and 97% serve receive; Sarah Riske - 30 digs, 31 kills, 8 solo blocks, 100% serving with 22 points and 100% serve receive; Tracy LaRue - nine kills, and 55 assists; Laura Alber - 30 digs, and 25/26 serving with 13 points; and Liz Bragg - 30 digs.

The district win advances the Lady Dutch to the second step of the State Volleyball Tournament, the Region, which will be held at Napoleon High School on March 12th. MHS will play the second match of the day vs. Sand Creek at 11:30 am.

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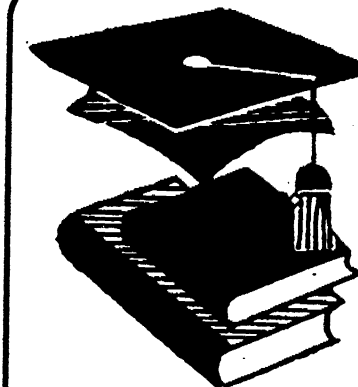
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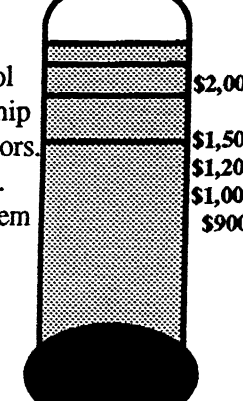
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TIME: 7:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

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**People & Occasions**

**DEAN'S LIST AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY**

(Boston, Mass.) — Jeffrey L. Hughes, a resident of Manchester, has recently been named to the dean's list at Boston University for the fall semester.

Boston University is the third largest independent university in the United States, with an enrollment of more than 29,000 students in its 15 schools and colleges. Located in the heart of a city rich in cultural, historical and intellectual attractions, the university is one of the nation's preeminent teaching and research institutions.

**FUND RAISING**  
**Manchester Sportsman Club**  
 8501 Grossman Rd.  
**Friday 6:45 p.m.**

**Manchester American Legion**  
 203 South Adrian  
**Saturday, 7:00 p.m.**

**IT'S AN ANTIQUE WORLD**

by Marilyn Koebbe

In the world of antiques, one time period that is of special interest is that of the Chippendale period dating from approximately 1754-1780. Furniture was beautiful, graceful and very proportioned. It was characterized by rich carving and the free use of curves. One of the most recognizable characteristics of the Chippendale style is that of the ball and claw foot.

Thomas Chippendale was an English cabinetmaker who lived from 1714 to 1779. He was a superb wood carver and master designer. He published a book of his designs in 1757 titled *The Gentleman and Cabinetmaker's Director*. This book, the first of its kind, brought him world-wide fame.

Chippendale did not practice inlaying or veneering, although he was familiar with these arts. His furniture had to be beautiful as well as strong. Not only did it have to be strong, it needed to look strong. He was especially noted for his chairs. The distinctiveness of these chairs

was the fret down the middle of the back from the bow-shaped top to the seat. Instead of cutting a fret from one solid piece of wood, Chippendale's method was to cut three thicknesses. These were glued together, the grain of the middle fret running the opposite direction to the other two. His chairs were of generous size, appropriate for the voluminous costumes of that period. You seldom will find a narrowness in a Chippendale chair.

The most characteristic feature of Chippendale furniture was the ball & claw foot appearing on much of the Chippendale style furniture along with the cabriole or straight leg. Bracket feet were used on some pieces of furniture such as desks and chests of drawers.

Chippendale preferred mahogany using it almost exclusively for his furniture although fine specimens can be found in maple, cherry and curly-maple.

It is interesting to note that in the present day meaning of the sideboard that there

are no Chippendale sideboards for in his time sideboards served all sideboard needs.

During this period white painted walls were popular but the range of color was from pearl to cream yellow to dark mulberry and various shades of brown. Fabrics were usually rich & strong in color and the designs were bold. Preferred most were cream, yellow, brown and soft blue green. Patterned silks, damasks, brocades, brocatelle and velvets were used for upholstery. Also popular was needlepoint and tapestry. Plain velvets were used for contrast to the patterned materials.

Whether your individual taste is that of a fine piece of Chippendale furniture or another time period, it may take a little time to find just that perfect piece to grace your home and your own personal taste. There are many fine reproductions on the market today, but considering everything, the wait for the authentic item is still worthwhile and a great venture through the antique world.

**Tecumseh Players Presents: "Ten Little Indians"**


The Tecumseh Players will present the Agatha Christie Mystery/Comedy "Ten Little Indians" on March 10, 11, and 12 at the Tecumseh Civic Auditorium (400 N. Maumee Street, Tecumseh), at 8:00 pm.

Tickets are \$7.00 for adults and \$6.00 for students and senior citizens.

Full of suspense, humor and even romance, the show is a first-rate "Whodunit". Join the mysterious "Mr. Owens" and his guests at a deserted island mansion for drinks, dinner and death as one by one they pay for past offenses. Betty Jo Hancock directs.


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**U.S. REP. PAT SCHROEDER TO SPEAK AT EMU MARCH 20**

U.S. Rep. Pat Schroeder will present a lecture at Eastern Michigan University Sunday, March 20, at 3 p.m. in the McKenny Union Ballroom as part of the EMU Office of Campus Life Spectrum Lecture Series.

Schroeder is touring the United States on her "Great American Family Tour," speaking on family issues, including child care, parental leave, pay equity, housing and health care. Schroeder has said her tour is intended to "bring American family policy into the 20th century."

Schroeder (D-Colorado), the first woman from a major party to run for president of the United States, was first elected to Congress in 1972. She is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and Harvard Law School and a member of the Colorado Bar.

Schroeder worked as a field attorney for the National Labor Relations Board for Colorado, Wyoming and Utah

in 1964-66. She then worked as a law instructor for Community College of Denver, the University of Colorado at Denver and Regis College. Since 1972, Schroeder has been re-elected each succeeding term to Congress and has served on such committees as the House Armed Services Committee, the House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, the House Judicial Committee, the Civil and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee and the Immigration, Refugees and International Law Committee. Schroeder presently is a member of the Environmental Study Conference, Congressional Clearinghouse on the Future, and the National Commission on Working Women. Schroeder's lecture is free and open to the public. For more information, call Campus Life at (313) 487-3045.

**MISTER RUBBISH ANNOUNCES RECYCLING FIGURES FOR 1993**

Officials at Mister Rubbish have announced that in 1993 the company recycled and composted nearly 33 million pounds of material which it collected from its residential, commercial, and industrial customers.

Of that total, over 16,500,000 pounds of material originated in Washtenaw County.

Mister Rubbish currently provides recycling services to Freedom and Sharon Townships.

Statistics for the individual communities were as follows:

Freedom Township, 42,210 pounds recycled; and Sharon Township, 32,110 pounds recycled.

The majority of the recycled material diverted comes largely from the commercial and industrial waste streams. Some of this material is recycled through the combined efforts of the businesses working with Mister Rubbish personnel to set up recycling programs which uniquely address their needs.

Another active recycling partnership is with individual homes throughout the county which use *The Recycle Bag*, the company's special bag for recyclables. *The Recycle Bag* is placed at the curb along

with the customers regular trash. It is picked up by the regular trash truck and taken to the company's solid waste processing and recycling facility in Whitmore Lake. The bags are separated from the trash and the contents are sorted on a special sorting line.

The largest recycling component at this time is that which takes place at Mister Rubbish's processing facility. Cardboard, wood, and metals that would have gone to the landfill just a couple of years ago are removed from the waste stream without any prior preparation or involvement of the businesses where it is collected.

Mr. Rubbish representative Steve Dawdy indicated they are utilizing less than 10% of their capacity to handle recycled material from customers, so there is a long way to go before the facility reaches capacity.

The Mister Rubbish Solid Waste Processing and Recycling Facility was the first state licensed solid waste processing facility in the area. The facility recycles cardboard, newsprint, office paper, wood, metals, plastic, glass, and yard waste. Since operations began, over 100,000,000 pounds of material have been recycled or composted at the facility.

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### Club News



## HISTORICAL SOCIETY SALUTES WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

The Manchester Area Historical Society invites you to join us on March 15 for a salute to Women's History Month. Deb Havens will present the program exploring the pursuit of women's suffrage in the early 19th century and how it effected life in our state and our nation. The program will highlight the friendship of Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton, the two brilliant women who worked together for nearly fifty years in the pursuit of women's suffrage.

The 19th amendment which allowed women to vote finally became law in 1920, over a decade after Anthony and Stanton had died. But they had inspired women all over the world to seek equality with men, changing the lives of men and women dramatically.

When Susan and Elizabeth were born, the boundaries of woman's place in society were rigidly defined. The science of the day had proven women less intelli-

gent than men, based on smaller brain size. Presumed lacking the basic intelligence to compete in life, man was her natural keeper. A woman's husband, father, or brother was her legal guardian. She had no legal identity if she married, her condition described by the term "dead in the law".

A woman was not entitled to the custody of her children, nor to a jury trial with women as jurors. She was not entitled to any money she earned or inherited, nor to an education free or paid for. Women could not sue for injury or damages, couldn't divorce an abusive spouse, and certainly could not vote. If unmarried, however, she could own property and pay taxes.

Thus, in an era when women friends usually made quilts together, Susan and Elizabeth made history. They spoke in Michigan when rallying support for suffrage, and in doing so eventually convinced Michigan men to allow women to vote in 1918.

Twenty eight countries around the world gave women the right to vote before American women were permitted the ballot. In the early

1900's, a new generation of women chained themselves to the White House gates for the right to vote, and after their arrests, starved themselves in prison.

After the first world war made the world safe for democracy, women continued to fight social convention and legal restrictions until 1920, when they were finally granted the full rights of citizens at home. In 1995, America celebrates its 219th birthday. Women will have had the right to vote for 75 years.

The meeting will begin with a short business update at 7:30pm. Presentation begins at 8:00 pm at the Blacksmith Shop on East Main Street. Refreshments are served after the meeting. We hope you will feel welcome to attend.

Deb Havens



## The story of Girl Scouting

A woman named Juliette Gordon Low started girl scouting in 1912 and her uncle nicknamed her Daisy. She was born on Halloween day, October 31, 1860, in Savannah, Georgia. She had three sisters and two brothers. Daisy's father worked in the cotton business and her mother stayed home and took care of the kids and the house.

Daisy liked animals. Once she saved a kitten from a flood and a cow who was very sick. She also had a horse and a parrot. When she grew up, she married Willie Low from England. Then she lived in England and Scotland. Her husband died when she was 44 years old. She had no children but loved helping young people.

Daisy heard about scouting from a friend in England. On March 12, 1912, she met with her first troop of girls in Savannah, Georgia. That's why March 12 is the Girl Scout birthday. Daisy died in 1927 when she was 66 years old.

I think I'm like Daisy Low because I love animals and I like girl scouts. My birthday is also a day before Daisy's. I think Girl Scouts is important because it teaches me how to be nice to other people. If I could only do one thing to make the world a nicer place, I would pick up all the trash.

The End...By Ashley Golka - local Girl Scout

## MICHIGAN FESTIVAL SCHEDULE 1994

MARCH		APRIL	
3-6	Michigan Home and Garden Show, Silverdome, Pontiac, (616) 530-1919	17-20	St. Patrick's Day Parade, Manistee, (616) 723-1031
5	OMFA Fiddlers' Jamboree Schedule, Civic Center, East Jordan, (313) 434-3442	17-20	Grand Center Sport, Fishing and RV Show, Grand Center, Grand Rapids, (616) 530-1919
5-6	Hawaii Days, Big Powderhorn Mountain, Ironwood, (906) 932-4838	18-20	Spring Carnival, Marquette Mountain, Marquette, (906) 225-1155
5-6	Bluebird Festival & Wildlife Art Show, Jackson Community College, Jackson, (517) 782-3453	18-20	Home, Boat and Car Show, Manistee Armory, Manistee, (616) 723-2575
5-6, 12-13, 19-20	Maple Syrup Festival, Cranbrook Institute of Science, Bloomfield Hills, (313) 645-3200	18-20	Central Collegiate Hockey Championships, Joe Louis Arena, Detroit, (313) 396-7600
8-12	Home Show, County Fairgrounds, Kalamazoo, (616) 375-4225	19	Maple Sugar Festival, Nature Center, Kalamazoo, (616) 381-1574
10-13	Home Build Association Show, Finch Fieldhouse, Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, (517) 772-2396	19	Maple Syrup Day, Chippewa Nature Center, Midland, (517) 631-0830
10-13	RV & Camper Show, McMorrin Place, Port Huron, (313) 985-6166	19-20	Maple Syrup Festival, Fenner Arboretum, Lansing, (517) 483-4224
11-13	Irish Festival, Doherty Hotel & Town & Country Restaurant, Clare, (517) 386-2442	19-27	Builders' Home, Furniture & Flower Show, Cobo Center, Detroit, (313) 224-1010
12-13	Amish & Country Show, Cook Energy Information Center, Bridgman, (616) 465-6101	20	St. Patrick's Day Parade, Bay City, (517) 893-1222
13	Dog Show, Cobo Center, Detroit, (313) 352-7469	24-27	Home Show '94, Kellogg Arena, Battle Creek, (616) 963-4800
15-20	Ann Arbor Film Festival, Michigan Theatre, Ann Arbor, (313) 995-5356	25-May 1	Easter Flower Show, Belle Isle, Detroit, (313) 267-7133
17	St. Patrick's Day Parade, Detroit, (313) 224-1184	27	Sugaring and Shearing, Ella Sharp Museum, Jackson, (517) 787-2320



## Manchester High School Key Club

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### Announcements

## BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the township of Bridgewater, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan.

That the assessment roll of said township as prepared by the undersigned will be subject to inspection at:

BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP HALL  
10990 CLINTON ROAD

In the said Township, on  
Tuesday, March 8, 1994 at 7:00 p.m.  
Board of Review -organizational meeting

Appeals and Conference with taxpayers will be heard on:

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1994  
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1994  
By appointment Only

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1994  
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

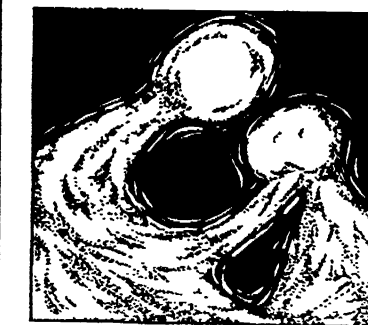
OR BY APPROPRIATE LETTER TO  
THE BOARD BY MARCH 16, 1994

At which place, and on each of said days, said Board of Review will be in session, and upon request of any person who is assessed on said roll, or if 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 judgment make the valuation therefor relatively just and equal.

The County Board of Commissioners of Washtenaw County has proposed the following starting ratios for Bridgewater Township for the year 1994.

Agricultural - 49.45 Industrial - 47.66  
Commercial - 47.00 Residential - 49.99  
Personal - 50.00 Developmental - 46.51

DOUGLAS PARR, SUPERVISOR 224, 3/3, 310



CARE ABOUT KIDS

## March is Parenting Awareness Month

HEALTHY PARENTING INCLUDES.....

1. Providing consistent love, security, nurture, and care for children.
2. Providing an environment of physical and emotional safety.
3. Treating children with dignity & respect.
4. Helping children to accept all their feelings.
5. Teaching children to behave appropriately no matter how they feel.
6. Setting reasonable, age-appropriate limits for children.
7. Establishing reasonable, related, age-appropriate consequences for misbehavior.
8. Teaching children healthy communication by empathizing with them or mirroring their thoughts and feelings.
9. Listening to, and taking children seriously.
10. Giving children appropriate opportunities to succeed.
11. Teaching children to be responsible.
12. Appropriately allowing children to experience the consequences of their actions.
13. Appropriately including children in the family decision-making process.
14. Establishing, maintaining and nurturing family traditions and a healthy family identity.
15. Being a good role model.

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Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the township of Sharon, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan.

The Board of Review will meet to hear appeals at the township hall, 18010 Pleasant Lake Rd. Sharon Township on

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1994  
from 9am to 12 noon and 1pm to 5pm

Due to the ELECTION on MARCH 15 no Board of Review will be held

WEDNESDAY,  
MARCH 16, 1994  
from 1pm to 5pm and 7pm to 9pm

Letters, instead of personal appearance, are acceptable if received by March 14, 1994. Mail to: John A. Savage

20453 Pleasant Lake Rd.  
Manchester, Mi. 48158.

1994 tentative ratios as determined by the Washtenaw County Equalization Department are:  
Agricultural 49.39  
Residential 45.43

## NEW STATE LAWS HAVE REDUCED PROPERTY TAXES

To receive your maximum benefit on your homestead, you must complete and sign "AFFIDAVIT For HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION From SOME SCHOOL PROPERTY TAXES", Michigan Department of Treasury form T-1056 and mail it to me as soon as possible. After March 20th, Call 428 - 8907 if you need help with this form.

John Savage  
Supervisor/Assessor  
Secretary of Board of Review  
Sharon Township

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LAND FOR SALE

10 Acre parcel - Surveyed & Perked. 8% interest, \$300 month, no money down, land contract. Manchester School District. 517 - 688 - 9259 3/10/24

USED VEHICLES

1989 Stake Dump, 18 foot steel bed, 31,000 miles, F 800, 5 speed, air brakes, very good condition, \$19,890. Call 313 - 522 - 2100. 3/10

'81 Ford Bronco, \$1500 or best offer. 517 - 536 - 4371 3/10

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McCulloch Saws- Earl Alber 313 - 428 - 8707 tfn

LOST PET

Black Snauzer. Answers to the name of Bud. If anyone knows anything or has seen him please call 428 - 9239. Last seen on West Austin & Buss Road 3/10

PET AVAILABLE

Male Gray Cockateel with cage, 5 years old, 2 year old Lop eared Rabbit with Hutch. Golden Retriever, 13, needs Farm home. Moving to the south 428 - 0059 3/10

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Wanted to buy 3 - 4 bedroom, 2 bath home in Manchester. Owners only 428 - 9127 3/10/31

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HELP AVAILABLE

Experienced 17 year old Senior is available for babysitting on weekends and occasional weekdays. References available. Evenings call 428 - 9461 3/10

POSITION AVAILABLE

Older couple with nice home looking for live-in help, for cooking and housekeeping. No smoking or drinking, all living expenses furnished, including phone and car. References required. Reply with background, age, and phone number to: PO BOX 37, Manchester, MI 48158 3/3p

REAL ESTATE

For Sale by Owner; 204 Morgan - in Village Ranch, attached garage, large lot. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. 428 - 7396

GARAGE SALES

4 - Day Rummage Sale Temple Beth Israel (corner W. Mich Ave and West Ave., Jackson) Monday, March 14, 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. Tues - Thur March 15 - 17, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Please do not block driveways on South Grinnell.

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Save Your Vision Week

LANSING, MI — How often does a person need to have their eyes examined? It depends upon their age and the health of their eyes. But no matter what a person's age, if a few years have passed since the last time they sat in an optometrist's chair, Save Your Vision Week, Mar. 6-12, is a great time to schedule a comprehensive examination. Save Your Vision Week (SYVW) has been sponsored by the American Optometric Association since 1927 and recognized by presidential proclamation since 1963. It is also proclaimed by Michigan Governor John Engler. "Save Your Vision Week is an excellent time to reflect on the importance of sight to our daily lives and a reminder that regular eye care is critical to good vision," said Dr. Frederick W. Scarpace, president of the Michigan Optometric Association. So, how often should you get an eye examination, here are AOA's guidelines" Birth to 24 months - First exam by age six months 2 to 5 years old - Exams at age 3 and 5 6 to 19 years old - Annually 20 to 64 years old - Every one to two years 65 years old and above Annually

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Family Physician of the Year

The Michigan Academy of Family Physicians is expanding its nomination process for its "Family Physician of the Year" award to include nominations from the general public. Dr. Douglas Krause, chair of MAFP's Patient Education and Public Relations Committee, states that, "By expanding nominations to include those submitted from patients of family physicians, we believe we will see a significant increase in the number of nominees and that the support of the public for this award program will expand the group of deserving family doctors considered each year for the MAFP's most prestigious award." Nominees must meet four criteria: 1) Spend at least 50% of his/her time in patient care; 2) Maintain hospital and office practices; 3) Participate in community affairs; and 4) Must be a member of the academy. Nominations must be submitted in written form noting the reasons you believe your family doctor should receive the "Family Physician of the Year" award. A business photograph and current curriculum vitae must also be included with the nomination. Nominations should be mailed to the MAFP headquarters office at 2164 Commons Parkway, Okemos, MI 48864. The deadline for nominations is March 30. To verify Academy membership, you may phone the Academy at 517-347-0098. The winner will be announced in early June.

Women & Depression NOW FORMING A WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP PROVIDING: INFORMATION ABOUT DEPRESSION CURRENT TREATMENTS COPING STRATEGIES The group's goal is to increase a sense of belonging, expand knowledge, and to improve management of depression. Group leaders: Ellen Fabes, ACSW Judy Gentz, RN, CS For more information please call 313/475-4030. Most major insurances accepted. Chelsea Community Hospital Outpatient Mental Health Services

You are invited to attend Brookyn American Legion Post #315 Las Vegas Night SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1994 6:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. AMERICAN LEGION HOME 211 Chicago Street - Brooklyn CASH PRIZES ROULETTE BEAT THE DEALER CASH PRIZES BLACK JACK GRAND SOISO RAFFLE CASH PRIZES MONEY WHEEL \$500.00 Winners Limit Per Player ADMISSION: \$2.00 CASH BAR & LOUNGE Proceeds to support Brooklyn Legion Baseball Michigan State License No. M-24274

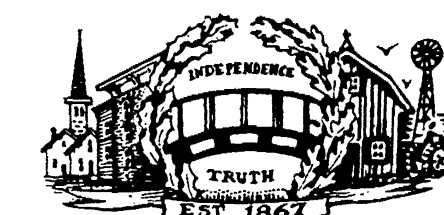
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## Down Memory Lane

With Don Irwin by gar



A very special thanks to Don Irwin who has so graciously shared the Civil War chronicles of his Grandfather John Emory Irwin. This particular article is taken from John Emory Irwin's Account Book dated 1873 to 1906, which Don is sharing with our readers through the Manchester Enterprise.

John Emory Irwin wrote to his cousin Sam Rawe (now anglicized to Rowe) who had moved to the Dakotas.

My Dear Cousin Sam

My feet are on the fender  
And my chin is in the air  
My thoughts are on a bender  
And perhaps I'll tell you where

Where steel shod feet fled  
lightly  
Across the icy floor  
Where merry eyes danced  
brightly  
Oh happy days of yore!

You see it's this way Sammy  
The postman came along  
And left a big envelope,  
Full of poetry and song

My feet are on the fender  
And my pipe is burning low  
But may heaven bless the sender  
Of memories long ago

There were quaint & odd  
allusions  
To the days of long ago  
Where boyhoods warm  
delusions  
Were unchilled by winters  
snow

There'll come some happy  
moments  
I'm certain of it now  
When Shakspeare isn't in it  
T will be Irwin then & Raw

Where my fleet sled bounded  
downward  
With it's freight of youthful  
charms  
(A stray curl brushed my  
forehead,  
and her weight was in my  
arms)

J. E. Irwin 3 - 19 - '01

## BLACK EYE AWARD

Manchester Varsity Basketball season culminated with the final game being called by the referees with about 2 minutes and 30 seconds remaining. Hardly a fitting climax for the basketball season and certainly not a game that can be called fitting of the past successful football season.

Hanover - Horton trounced our lads 79 to 47. Brandon Woods was high scorer with 14 points. Coach Wilkins stated there were not a lot of bright spots in the game. We had a good first quarter but everything went downhill from there.



Election Officials who toiled until almost 10:00 pm tallying the write in vote. From left to right June Jenter, Maggie Tapping, Mary Blossom & Edward Steele Thanks for your many years of service!

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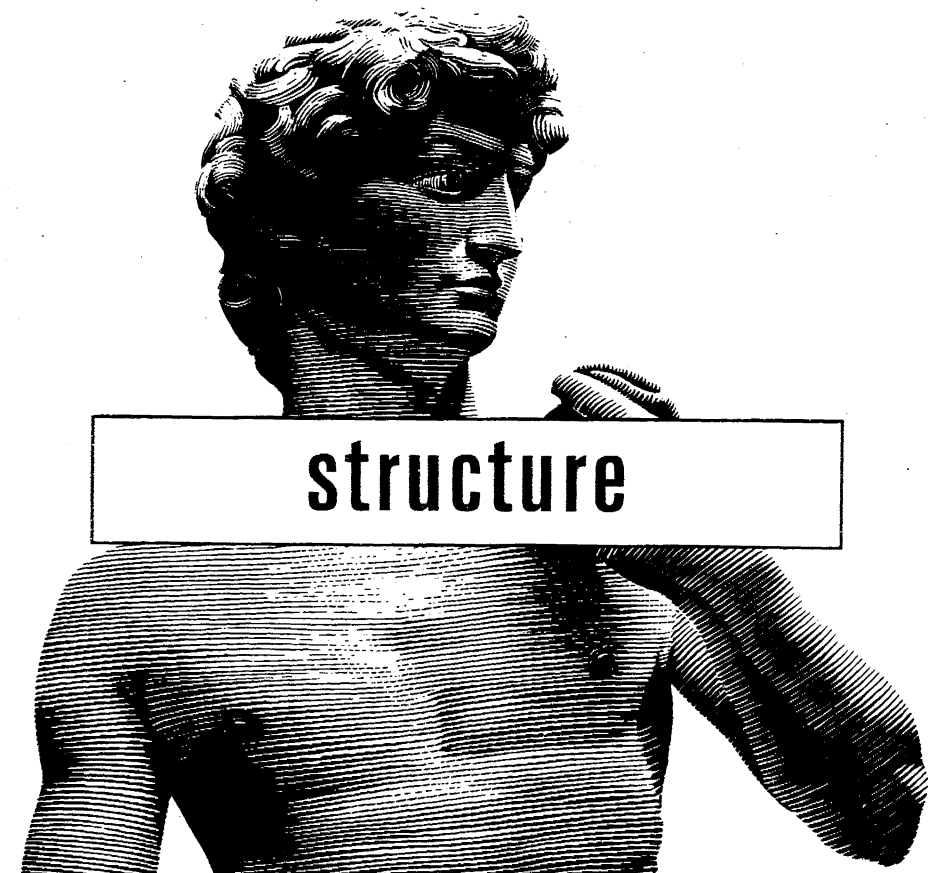


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