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NEWS BRIEFS

Seniors to hold birthday luncheon

The monthly birthday luncheon for senior citizens will be held at noon on Jan. 3 at the Emanuel United Church of Christ fellowship hall. Seniors 55 and older are welcome to join in enjoying these hot meals twice weekly for just \$3.25 per plate.

Seniors celebrating a birthday in January are especially invited to attend.

The regular senior citizen column by T.V. Ludwick will return next week.

Wexford Homes' site plan review extended

At the Dec. 17 meeting of the Manchester Village Council, the council extended the final plan review for the Planned Unit Development of the Emerald Glen subdivision.

Because it had been longer than 180 days since the initial application, Wexford requested an extension for 65 days.

Hidden Lake to offer Master Gardener program

Michigan State University Extension in Lenawee County will be offering the popular Master Gardener program at Hidden Lake Gardens starting on Jan. 14 from 6 to 10 p.m. and running 11 consecutive weeks.

The course teaches research based horticultural principles and environmentally sound gardening practices. Participants put their training to work as volunteers sharing their gardening knowledge with the community through a variety of activities.

The course fee is \$170 and includes a 700-page Master Gardener reference notebook. Applications can be obtained by contacting Hidden Lake Gardens at 517-431-2060.

New Years Jubilee set in Ypsilanti

The 10th annual New Year Jubilee of Southeastern Michigan will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Monday in and around historic Ypsilanti.

From storytelling to salsa music, something for everyone is offered at the Jubilee.

Tickets are available at all Busch's stores, Nicola's Books and at the Ypsilanti or Ann Arbor Convention and Visitors Bureaus. Children's tickets are \$5 for ages 6-12, and children five and under are admitted free. Tickets for adults are \$20 after Dec. 26 and at the door.

School board sets special meeting Jan 7

■ *Property owners want board to look at all options.*

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand
Associate Editor

The board of education has taken a holiday break but the final decision on the location of the new high school will be made at a special meeting Jan. 7, according to Superintendent David Oegema.

Oegema said last week that the Gourley property, north of the current high school, was "still a consideration," but the Beuerle parcel, which is located entirely within Manchester Township has come to the forefront since the board's Dec. 13 special meeting.

And a third property owner does not want to be overlooked as the eleventh hour approaches.

Hogan Road Associates' property is located south of town, and was annexed to the village last year from Manchester Township as a continuation to the current industrial park. The parcel was rezoned I-2 for (general industrial) by the village on Jan. 8.

A list of permitted and conditional uses for a General Industrial District in the

Village of Manchester codebook does not include schools. To utilize the property, another rezoning probably would be required.

"I'm not a Johnny-come-lately," Larry Byrne, a principal in Hogan Road Associates, said last Thursday. "I have talked to a board member for more than a year about offering my property for consideration as a location for the school."

"But it seems that my property has not been openly discussed as a potential site."

Byrne has attended the last couple of school board meetings, and said he expected to make a presentation of his property at the Dec. 17 regular board meeting. However, a formal request to be placed on the agenda was not received and Byrne arrived at the meeting too late to speak during the public participation segment. Given a short window of time at the end of the meeting, just prior to adjourning for closed session, Byrne obviously was frustrated and says he felt unheard by the board.

Meanwhile, the architects and construction managers have provided the board with a list of pros and cons of both the Beuerle and Gourley properties as the deadline draws closer for the site

selection.

Purchasing 30 acres from the Manchester Township portion of property from Gourley would give the district a "back to nature" approach with its secluded location and 90 percent usable property. The land cost also would be more economical, said the list compiled by Hobbs and Black. The isolation also could be a down side for building security. A high water table, annexation issues, mass excavation and overhead power lines at the front entrance also were listed among the concerns.

Beuerle's site could provide visual identity from M-52 and Geske Road and the campus atmosphere the district has sought from the beginning. Compact size and the close proximity to regulation fields for athletic events also are in the site's favor. The cost of property is substantially higher and questions of storm water, wetlands delineation and annexation remain as concerns to the architects at this time.

At this time it appears the biggest drawback to the Gourley site is not the wetlands but its location straddling the Sharon-Manchester township line. Since negotiations between Sharon Township

Supervisor Gary Blades and Village Manager Jeff Wallace regarding sewer and water access to the site have broken down, the prime location for the high school has become less attractive.

Locating the school completely in the Manchester Township portion of the Gourley property, as was suggested at the Dec. 13 meeting, is less desirable because it would require more extensive site preparation, including earth moving and tree removal, and because it would need to take place in an area where the property funnels down toward a narrow strip of land that would provide access to Geske Road.

While the Gourley site offers much more land and breathing room, at a lower price, than the Beuerle property, there would be less site preparation costs on Beuerle's land because it is flat, has fewer acres potentially classified as wetlands, and is more contiguous to existing water and sewer lines. It also is located entirely within Manchester Township.

Manchester Township Supervisor Ron Mann has indicated on several occasions that the township would not oppose annexation of either parcel for the pur-

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Special Friendships



Heather Stommen's second-grade class hosted "Special Friends Day" on Dec. 13. Each student invited a special adult friend, other than mom and dad, to help make holiday gifts for their parents. Special friends included grandparents, aunts and uncles, babysitters, neighbors, family friends, school personnel and even retired teachers. It was a fun-filled morning of creating and sharing. Above, Flo Oegema helps second grader Tia Harvey make her reindeer goodie bag.

Village to put old hall on the market

■ *Realtor selection first order of business.*

By Marsha Johnson Chartrand
Associate Editor

The Manchester Area Historical Society, following a special board meeting on Nov. 29, informed the Village Council that it was not interested in purchasing the old village hall property.

A letter from Don Limpert, president of the historical society, was acknowledged at the Dec. 3 village council meeting. In the letter, Limpert said that after thorough discussion and evaluation the board recommended "that we notify the Council that we are not interested at this time in purchase of the property for the appraised value."

"At first glance, it might appear we are through with this matter," the letter continued. "But we plan to monitor your actions as you move to dispose of the building and may come back into the picture at any time as our needs and interests warrant."

At the Dec. 17 Village Council meeting, Village Manager Jeff Wallace presented a report on behalf of the building committee regarding selection of a realtor.

Five realtors will be consulted for a market analysis on the village hall. Along with the appraisal provided by Davis M. Somers Co. last year, this will help the village determine an asking price in conjunction with the selected realtor.

Commission rates, length of listing contract and advertising venue all will be considered in the selection process. In addition, the village will want to know how long each realtor anticipates the property may be on the market and what successes each has had with similar types of buildings.

"We also need to discuss deed restrictions that we would want," Wallace said in his memo.

The building committee's recommendation for deed restrictions include not being able to alter the window openings on the second floor and front of the building, along with leaving the Manchester brick facade exposed.

Council had no further input into the process and Wallace said he anticipates the realtor selection to be addressed by the Jan. 21 council meeting.

Biologist works to return land to former glory

■ *Conservation easement to preserve and diversify old farmland.*

By Sven Gustafson
Staff Writer

An 1874 lithograph in the Washtenaw Historical Atlas captures Don Wieland's Manchester Township property in a pastoral phase.

Horse-drawn carts haul hay or wheat in front of Richard Green's old two-story house and adjacent stables and sheds. Evenly spaced trees dot the front lawn and the lower edge of the road. Across the road in the picture's foreground, farmhands cull wheat from the tidy field bordering a low stone fence.

Flash to 2001. On a brisk, clear day, 58-year-old Wieland points to a pile of stones hidden by trees and decaying leaves — farmer Green's old fence. He then points to a hilltop covered in sunlit yellow grasses to the north. The drawing was done from atop that vantage point, he explains, looking south to the property across the street.

The wheat fields in the picture's foreground have been replaced by 26 acres of native switchgrass, Indian grass, and

big bluestem Wieland began planting in 1991.

"I'd always had my mind on getting a place (in the country)," says Wieland, who grew up in Pennsylvania. He bought the old farm in May 1988 as an escape from his Ann Arbor home. "We thought seriously about moving out here, but that would sort of ruin the escape."

Instead, he decided to turn the old 80-acre farm, which includes wetlands and forested areas, into a natural preserve.

And so, the chemist went to work planting grasses.

The land Wieland bought — farmed as long ago as 1850 — was scarred from years of intensive agriculture. Consecutive years of growing corn with no filter strips, contouring, or crop rotation had left the soil eroded and choked of nutrients. Then came a torrential rainstorm on Memorial Day weekend in 1989 that dumped four inches of rain on the area. The rains washed topsoil off the fields and into the ponds and blueberry bog, turning Wieland's attention to the need to stem erosion.

He flew to Iowa, where he observed examples of native grass prairie restorations, and left convinced this was the best way to prevent the loss of soil



After suffering from overgrazing of sheep and erosion of topsoil, Don Wieland says this bog now supports white and spatterdock lilies as well as sandhill crane nesting areas and blueberries.

back home.

"I think the last thing we need out here is another corn field," says Wieland of his hilly property. "There's plenty of better soil."

The grasses hold the soil together and stop erosion, he explains.

"Most of the biomass of that field is underground," he says. He adds that the root structure of the grasses extend as deep as 15 feet underground.

"It's actually the decay of the roots that helps build the soil and improve the texture," he says.

"It also helps absorb the impact of the rain."

But Wieland wanted his hard work to last. To safeguard his property, he entered into a deed restriction contract known as a conservation easement with the Raisin Valley Land Trust last December.

His easement protects the land's natural resources by preventing development and agriculture on all but about two acres of the land. He retains ownership rights and controls access. The contract lasts in per-

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Dec. 27
Community Resource Center Board meets at 7:30 p.m. at the center.

Dec. 28
Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. in the Emanuel United Church of Christ kitchen.

Al-Anon meets at 7 p.m. at Emanuel United Church of Christ, in the third and fourth-grade room. Contact 428-8786 for information.

Dec. 31
Euchre Night at the American Legion, 7 p.m. each Monday. All are welcome.

Jan. 1
New Year's Day

Jan. 2
Awana Clubs meet at 6:30 p.m. at Community Bible Church.

Manchester Community Brass Band meets at 7:30 p.m.

Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners meets at 7 p.m. at the County Administration Building.

Raisin Valley Land Trust meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Blacksmith Shop.

Veterans of Foreign Wars meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Home.

Jan. 3
Sharon Township Board of Trustees meets at 8 p.m. at the township hall.

American Legion Post 117 meets at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Home.

Manchester Township Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. at the township hall.

MANCHESTER Thursday
Sharon Township Board of Trustees meets at 8 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month at the township hall.

American Legion Post 117 meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the American Legion Home.

Manchester Township Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of each month at the township hall.

Manchester Cub Scout Pack meets at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center.

Sharon Township Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at the township hall.

United Way Board meets at 12 p.m. on the third Thursday of

each month at the St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Hall.

Community Resource Center
Board meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday of each month at the center.

King's Volunteers meet on the fourth Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. at the Manchester United Methodist Church

Friday
Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. each Friday in the Emanuel United Church of Christ kitchen.

Al-Anon meets at 7 p.m. each Friday in the Emanuel United Church of Christ 3-4 grade classroom.

Saturday
Manchester Kiwanis Club meets at 8 a.m. on the first and third Saturday at the village hall. Call 428-8976 for membership information.

Sunday
American Legion breakfast is held from 8 a.m. to noon on the first Sunday of each month, October through June, at the American Legion Hall.

Parkinson Education and Support Group meets at 1:30 p.m. on the second Sunday of each month. Call 930-6335 for information.

Taize Worship on the second Sunday of each month, 7 p.m. at the United Methodist Church.

Boy Scout breakfast on the third Sunday of each month, September through May, at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center.

Monday
Euchre Night at the American Legion, 7 p.m. each Monday from October through May. All are welcome.

Manchester Village Council meets at 7 p.m. on the first and third Monday of each month at the village hall.

Preceptor Gamma Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi meets on the first and third Monday of each month. For more information call Diana Sloat at 428-7253.

Masonic Lodge business meeting takes place at 7:30 p.m. on the first Monday of each month.

Manchester Optimist Club meets at 6:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month at Emanuel United Church of Christ.

Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce Board meets on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 a.m. at the new Village Hall. All chamber members may attend.

Manchester District Library Board meets at 7:00 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the new village hall, 912 City Road.

Bridgewater Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Bridgewater Township Hall.

Manchester Knights of

Columbus meets at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center.

Manchester Community Fair
Board meets at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the village building.

Manchester Township Board
meets at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Manchester Township Hall.

Manchester Board of Education meets at 7:00 p.m. on the third Monday of each month in the high school media center.

Tuesday
Bootsomperers meet at 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Emanuel United Church of Christ.

Story Time with Grandma Pat, 10:30 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 1:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month at the Manchester District Library, for children ages 3 to 6, accompanied by an adult.

Manchester Band Boosters meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the high school band room.

Freedom Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Freedom Township Hall.

Manchester Area Senior Citizens meet at 9:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the senior center.

Little League organizational meeting at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the high school, room 104.

Manchester Village Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the Village Hall.

20th Century Club meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month.

Freedom Township Board meets at 8 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the Freedom Township Hall.

Shakespeare Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

Ackerson Middle School PTA meets at 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the middle school.

Manchester Historical Society meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the Blacksmith Shop.

La Leche League of Western Washtenaw County meets at 10 a.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 428-8831 or 475-2094 for location or information.

Klager Elementary School PTO meets at 6:30 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Call 428-8321 for location.

Wednesday
Awana Clubs meet at 6:30 p.m. each Wednesday at Community Bible Church.

Manchester Community Brass Band meets at 7:30 p.m. each Wednesday.

Washtenaw County Board of

Commissioners meets at 7 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the County Administration Building.

Raisin Valley Land Trust
meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the Blacksmith Shop.

Veterans of Foreign Wars meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Home.

Athletic Boosters meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month in the high school media center.

American Legion Auxiliary
meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Home.

Southwest Washtenaw Council of Governments meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month. Call (517) 456-4642 for information.

Women and Infant Children
program meets from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the senior center.

Bridgewater Township Board
meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Bridgewater Township Hall.

Manchester Men's Club meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month.

Manchester Family Services
Community Food Gatherers program takes place from 1 to 3 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at St. Mary's Catholic Church Parish Center kitchen.

Manchester Township Fire Department Board meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the fire hall.

The Manchester Garden Club
meets informally on the fourth Wednesday of each month. Gardeners of all levels of experience are welcome. Call JoAnn Okey at 428-9667 for details.

ELSEWHERE
Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Group meets from 1 to 3 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at Turner Senior Resource Center, 2401 Plymouth Road, Suite C, Ann Arbor. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 677-3081.

National Association for the Mentally Ill public education meetings are open to consumers, families and the general public. Meets second Mondays except December, July and August at 7:30 p.m. at St. Clare's Church/Temple Beth Emeth, 2309 Packard, Ann Arbor. (734) 994-6611.

Male Caregiver Support Group
for husbands, sons and partners of someone with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. the second Thursday of the month at Westside United Methodist Church, 900 S. Seventh St., Ann Arbor.

When a Parent has

Alzheimer's Disease Support
Group meets from 6 to 8 p.m. the third Wednesday of each month at the Chapter Office, 3810 Packard Road, Suite 240, Ann Arbor. Call (800) 337-3827 or (734) 677-3081.

Alzheimer's Association family caregiver support group
in Chelsea meets from 2 to 3:30 p.m. on the third Thursday of every month at the Chelsea Retirement Community, Crippen Building. This group is co-sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association and the Chelsea Retirement Center.

Saline Alzheimer's support group meets from 10 to 11:30 a.m. on the third Thursday of each month at the Saline Library Brecon Room.

Alzheimer's Association Transition/Placement Support Group meets from 7 to 9 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month at Individualized Home Care, 3003 Washtenaw Ave.,

Suite 5, Ann Arbor. Meetings are free and confidential.

National Association for the Mentally Ill, meets fourth Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. at St. Clare's Church/Temple Beth Emeth, 2309 Packard, Ann Arbor. This support group is open to families of persons with mental illness

GETTING LISTED
If you would like to have your group or organization's event listed in the Community Calendar, call The Manchester Enterprise at 428-8173, fax your copy to 428-9044 or mail to The Manchester Enterprise, 109 East Main Street, Manchester, MI 48158. Calendar events may also be submitted by e-mail to mchartrand@heritage.com. Deadline to have items listed in the Community Calendar is 5 p.m. Friday for the following Thursday's paper.



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STRAIGHT FACTS

In the Dec. 13 issue, the article, "Local townships explore land preservation program" should have stated that donating an easement does not imply sharing the land with the public.

No matter how hard we try to avoid mistakes, sometimes they happen anyway. When that occurs, we rely on our readers to let us know about them. So, please help. To request a correction, e-mail Marsha Johnson Chartrand at mchartrand@heritage.com, or call 428-8173.

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Manchester's odyssey in 2001 begins with changes

■ A recap of stories featured in the first six months of 2001

By Laura Merte
Staff Writer

January 4 Bridgewater Township applies for sewer grants

At its Dec. 20 meeting, it was announced that the Bridgewater Township board has applied for a grant to help offset the cost of a sewage system for those in the hamlet of Bridgewater.



Trustees Vic Mann and Doug Parr explained the need for this system. Statistics and tests prove that the changes are necessary. The board hopes to receive the grant later this spring, said supervisor Carol Peacock.

Legionnaires make building renovations

After 25 years, the American Legion post is doing its first major interior hall renovation project.

"It's well over due," Commander Jay Clouse said.

With the discontinuation of bingo, which had been a major fund-raiser for the organization since the hall was built, the membership knew that the building needed a face-lift if they wanted hall rentals to continue. The warped and discolored ceiling tiles were naturally the first target.

January 11 Land trust acquires new preserve by donation

Land preservation in Washtenaw County has increased by another 57 acres with the donation of a Sharon Township farmstead to the Washtenaw-Potawatomi Land Trust.

The 57.5-acre property is a diverse mix of mature oak-hickory woods, kettle wetlands, oak savanna and old field, with fantastic scenic views of surrounding lands from its highest point.

River Raisin Greenways Project seeks Manchester participation

With the recent inclusion of Bridgewater Township in the River Raisin Greenways Project, the project has expanded from Lenawee into Washtenaw County. And now, they'd like to grow even more.

Operating under an inter-local agreement, the Greenways project committee is made up of several different municipalities, primarily in Lenawee County, to discuss plans for a non-motorized trailway extending through Lenawee and Washtenaw County Communities.

January 18 Teens face charges in arson case

What started as a youthful prank turned into much more than two suspects ages 13 and 14 bargained for when a storage shed caught fire in Manchester Manor on Jan. 5.

Two students at Ackerson Middle School were first caught

shooting BB pellets that broke a window and caused damage to the vinyl siding on one of the homes in the residential community.

The 18th Century Shoppe steps into the 21st century

After 13 years in business in her hometown, Sandy Trolz is expanding her horizons.

"Things happen in your life that take you in different directions," she says. "Our priorities change."

"It's time for me to move on," Trolz has moved the 18th Century Shoppe inventory to the Pinetree Centre Antique Mall in Brooklyn and her business to her home in Manchester Township.

January 25 Mercury contamination a concern in waste water plant

Well-known as an environmental pollutant for decades, mercury emissions have recently become a concern at the village's wastewater treatment facility.

Mike Harvey of Tetra Tech, the village engineers, said some sources of the mercury contamination have been traced to local dental offices.

"Old dental amalgam is not the only source of mercury," he said, "but it is one of the more common sources."

Varsity volleyball posts solid victory in home opener

The Manchester varsity volleyball team kicked off their home meet season with a powerful win over conference opponent Napoleon. The Flying Dutch defeated the Pirates 15-10, 15-9.

"The girls were in complete control the whole game," said head coach Dan Roughton. And finally, we had a relaxing game this year."

February 1 Junior varsity volleyball struggles with injuries

The Manchester junior varsity volleyball team got a stroke of bad luck just 24 hours prior to their season home opener against Napoleon.

Liz Okey, a solid all-around player, sprained her ankle in practice on Jan. 17, causing Manchester coach Sarah Tweitmeyer to rearrange her lineup at the last minute.

The Junior Dutch handled the change well enough to win their first game against the Pirates before losing two games and the match.

February 8 Manchester student in ambassador program

Manchester High School sophomore Ken Schwab will join a delegation of 40 high school students from around the area on a People to People Student Ambassador visit to Australia this summer.

Schwab was selected on the basis of nominations and is chosen by People to People to represent his community and nation based on a personal interview with members of a screening committee.

"The person who nominated me was anonymous," Schwab said, "but I am very thankful to that person for giving me this wonderful opportunity."

February 15 Firefighters' goal of high-tech camera in reach

A thermal imaging camera is state-of-the-art technology that can substantially improve the service provided by the Manchester Township Fire Department. And the goal is within reach as the Manchester Men's Club recently contributed \$2,500 to the fund-raising effort.

The device will allow firefighters to look through thick smoke to locate victims trapped in a fire. It also can locate hidden fire burning inside walls.

Top wrestlers honored

Manchester wrestlers who have exceeded 100 career wins were honored at last week's final home meet. The Flying Dutchmen have a total of 13 men who have passed this benchmark and they were named in a special ceremony.

Several current and former wrestlers were present that evening to receive their awards, including Will Slocum, Jeremiah Tobias, Steve Spurr, Jason Woods, Brent Woods, Joe Tobias, Ed Cruz and Bryan Duvall.

February 22 Freedom on the record in opposition to road expansion

Freedom Township officials have taken an official stance opposing the widening of Pleasant Lake Road.

At its meeting the board voted to authorize township supervisor Bob Little to send a letter to the Washtenaw County Road Commission expressing its opposition to the expansion of the road. The proposed area to be widened stretches between Fletcher Road and M-52.

March 1 Family Doc: an old-time practitioner took on many roles in the community

During his long career as Manchester's family physician, Dr. William Purfield served the community in a variety of roles.



Whether it was as the family doctor, taking care of the football team, lecturing to high school students in their health classes or serving as the area's medical examiner, Purfield devoted nearly 40 years to the people of Manchester.

Competitive cheer remains Cascades champions

The Manchester competitive cheer squad, the defending Cascades Conference champions, made it two years straight when they racked up 391 points to take first place again at the conference meet at Hanover.

March 8 Local business lays off nearly 50 employees

Last Friday, Uniloy-Milacron's Manchester operation lost up to 10 percent of its work force.

But officials at the Cincinnati office of Uniloy-Milacron said the plant will definitely remain open and the layoffs are not a first step to closure.

March 13 District Champs!

It took 27 years, but for the first time since 1974 the Manchester varsity basketball team won a district championship.

In 1974 the Flying Dutchmen were conference, district, and regional champs. The 1974 team lost in the state quarterfinals.

The win was extremely rewarding for the team, according to coach Mike Quinn.

"It was the first district championship in 27 years," Quinn said. "There wasn't anybody who didn't remind them of that every day."

March 22 On the road again: Brian and Simendea Kissman to teach in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

As a mother, Simendea Kissman has the typical hopes and aspirations for her daughters' social and educational opportunities.

But there's a different twist to Kissman's thoughts these days as she contemplates leaving their home of four years in Manchester.

The Kissman family—Brian, Simendea, Ashley and Amanda—will leave for Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia July 20. There, Brian will take a new position as curriculum director of the International School of Kuala Lumpur. The school serves expatriate children from all over the world, the children of diplomats and corporate employees working abroad. Their daughters also will attend the International School.

March 29 Manchester teacher awarded honorary editorship

It sounds somewhat like the old television game show, "Queen for a Day," But Manchester High School life management teacher Donna Clark has been awarded a one-day assignment to an editor's position for the nationally distributed



Scholastic Magazine.

For the past four years, Clark has been asked to serve on the magazine's advisory board. Her responsibilities have included critiquing each issue on a variety of topics including the artwork, subject matter and other criteria, in terms of her students and herself.

Varsity volleyball says goodbye to seven seniors

The volleyball teams held a post-season banquet on March 25 to recap a successful season. The team tied for second place in the league, taking second



Christmas in April

place at the league meet and second at the districts.

Head coach Dan Roughton announced numerous awards including Conference Honors.

April 5 Bridgewater kicks off barn census

Bridgewater Township residents are an integral part of the update of the township's master plan.

One aspect of the master plan that has generated a great deal of interest is a survey of Bridgewater's barns. A training session for barn survey volunteers was held last weekend at High/Scope retreat center in Bridgewater Township.

New varsity track coach looks forward to exciting season

After four years as assistant track coach, Cory Cox will begin his first season as Manchester's head varsity coach on April 12 when the Flying Dutchmen host Blissfield.

Cox came to Manchester after earning his bachelor's degree in sports medicine, with an emphasis in exercise science at Central Michigan University. He is a certified athletic trainer and holds a minor in coaching.

April 12 Sharon ordinance stands up in supreme court

The Michigan Supreme Court has reaffirmed Sharon Township's mineral extraction ordinance enacted nearly four years ago.

"Ever since it was enacted, Farmer Brothers have been challenging the ordinance in court," Supervisor Gary Blades said. "We've been this long in

the process."

Farmer Brothers lost their case in circuit court, and took it to the appellate court and finally to the supreme court.

Varsity Baseball has high hopes for season

This year is going to be different for the varsity baseball team. Manchester coach Adam Benschoter has 10 returning players from his varsity squad, and plenty of new talent besides.

"We have a lot of experience this year," Benschoter said. "This is going to be, without a doubt, one of the more talented teams in a few years."

April 19 No trails, no way?

A group called "Preservationists Against Greenways Project" has been formed in Bridgewater Township to fight the formation of greenways trails through the community.

"We all want preservation of our community and environment, we feel this will accomplish neither," says an informational letter signed by the PAGP steering committee composed of township residents.

Junior Dutch win big in season opener

The junior varsity softball team opened its season with an impressive five-inning, 16-4 win over Leslie last Tuesday.

Freshman Megan Eisenhauer pitched the entire game and got the win. She gave up just two hits, walked three and threw six strikeouts. As a team, Manchester committed just one error.

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April 26 Rezoning, development still an issue for Wexford

President pro-tem Pat Valliencourt provided direction for the Manchester Village Council at its April 16 meeting in the absence of village president Jeff Schaffer.

The top issue on the agenda took the majority of the time in discussion of the ongoing concerns regarding the Wexford Homes proposed development on Sanborn Road.

The exit onto Sanborn Road is an ongoing conflict as residents have expressed disapproval of the proposed site.

Amy-ing high: Nothing was going to stop this comeback kid from playing her favorite sport

She remembers it as a very short trip. Maybe five minutes.



Preston

In reality, the helicopter flight from the accident site to the University of Michigan Medical Center must have taken longer than that. She doesn't remember

the accident at all.

In the end, Amy Preston was diagnosed with the broken femur, compressed L-5 and L-7 vertebrae, fractured ribs, fractured hip socket and a chipped ankle. She had no internal organ damage but she was one broken girl.

"When she started physical therapy in Chelsea they asked her what her goal was, she answered 'to play volleyball,'" LouAnn Preston said.

And Preston did. She was named the Most Valuable Player on this year's varsity team.

May 3

Varsity girls ready to get back on track

Between spring break, the

band trip and injuries the Manchester girls' track team has faced a few setbacks. It's 2-3 in dual meets but Manchester coach Denny Steele says the team is coming back.

"We're going to shock them yet," Steele said. "We're coming along pretty good, had injuries, but we are getting back in good health."

Christmas in April's one-day blitz helps five seniors

If it's true that every picture is worth a thousand words, the photos taken at last weekend's projects tell the story of a multitude of smiles, on the part of both givers and recipients.

At least 65 volunteers brought in elbow grease, paint, tools, ladders, lawn rakes and plumbing equipment to do repairs, clean up and yard work for five local senior citizens.

May 10

Dancing on the stars

Manchester High School's junior/senior prom, "Dancing in the Night," was welcomed by nearly 200 students at the Michigan Union in Ann Arbor last Saturday night. Prom queen Shannon Green and king Eric Walter led the dancing as students donned their finery and enjoyed each other's company for an evening of fun and relaxation.

May 17

Library awarded \$100,000 anonymous grant

An anonymous donation of \$100,000 puts the Manchester District Library ahead of its plans for renovation of the space at the old Ford building.

"This has given both parties—the library and the village—a big jump start, and that is helping immensely," said library board president Charlotte Major. "We got a response back in a week to our request when we thought it would take much longer."

Miss Poppy, times two

They like basketball.
And more basketball.

Twins Jennifer and Katharine Meyer will jointly represent the American Legion Junior Auxiliary as "Miss Poppy" for 2001.

And by the way, they really like basketball.

Co-captains of last year's Manchester junior varsity girls' basketball team, the 16-year-old sophomores not only enjoy playing basketball, but they enjoy watching it and talking about it, too.

May 31

Valedictorian and Salutatorian are named

Manchester High School is pleased to announce the Valedictorian and Salutatorian for the class of 2001.

Ranking first in her class with a 4.0 grade point average is valedictorian Audrey Bennett, the daughter of Randall and Karen Bennett.

Earning an overall grade point average of 3.837, Ashleigh Sewell has been selected as salutatorian for the graduating class of 2001. Ashleigh is the daughter of James and Cynthia Sewell.

Varsity softball team ends tough season

The Manchester varsity softball season ended their regular season with three more losses last week.

The tough season ended with a 9-0 loss to Hanover Horton, and 11-5 loss to Addison and a 7-1 loss to Greenhills.

June 7

Recreation task force announces winners of annual canoe race

The annual canoe race on May 20 was blessed with quiet waters and a beautiful blue sky overhead.

Eden Foods sponsored the trophy for the Choose Partner class, won by Andrew and Dave Lukasik in 31.03, the fastest time of this year's race.

Single paddler Mike Contrera completed the course in 45.37.

The Sprint class took canoes up the mill pond and around a buoy back to the finish line. First place winners were Chris Maly and Clint Grenier in 1 minute, 28 seconds.

Varsity baseball team ends with a loss in districts

Although the season started slowly, the Manchester varsity baseball team posted a solid 10-11 record and tied for fourth place in the conference.

Considering that the team had a dismal 3-22 record last year, the improvement this year was impressive.

New CRC director has ideas, goals and plans for future.

After one year in the director's chair at the Community



Kanta

Resource Center, Crystal Copeland has resigned to take a job with the University of Michigan.

The new director, Chris Kanta will begin her position

Monday.

Kanta says she looks forward to working with the CRC board, expressing some amazement at the variety and caliber of people who make this effort a priority.

June 14

Curriculum improvements ongoing at high school

The Manchester Community Schools Board of Education agreed to expand the business technology curriculum next year by adding three new classes: Web Design, Engineering Design, and Product and Material Engineering.

"I think the kids are going to be very excited about the new additions," Superintendent David Oegema commented. "They're very hands-on and they match the needs of today's work force."

Voters elect McConnell

With 325 voters casting ballots in Monday's school board election, incumbent Jennifer Loud lost to challenger Tim McConnell by a vote of 243 to 82. Last year's school election, spurred by a \$3 million bond issue, attracted nearly 900 voters.

McConnell said the issue of curriculum and an obligation to do the best for Manchester's children prompted his bid for a school board seat.

Eighth-graders have an eventful trip to nation's capital

At 4:30 a.m. on May 24, 88 groggy eighth graders and 44 chaperones assembled in the middle

school gym for roll call and final checks in preparation for a trip to Washington, D.C. Thirty minutes later, they boarded the buses and departed Manchester.

22 students submitted essays about why they wanted to help lay a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Four essays were chosen, and the winning writers, Marie Anthor, Carolyn Billetteaux, Jessica Curtis, and Rosalyn Harvey were given the honor of laying a wreath on the tomb.

Alternative education graduates eight to end successful year

The Manchester Alternative High School held its commencement exercises at Freedom Township Hall on May 31.

Seniors Nolan, Ahrens, Leigh Aiuto, Kaylin Davis, Devin Golka, Jeff Holt, Aaron Parks, Amber Shock and Brandon Smith received diplomas at the event.

June 21

Library director declines to sign contract

It was with regret that the Manchester District Library Board accepted the resignation of Director Dorothy Davies on Friday, June 15.

A special meeting of the district library board was held on Sunday evening to determine a course of action following receipt of a letter from Davies Friday indicating that she was unable to sign the contract offered by the board.

Alternative high school loses primary facilitator

Kathy MacKercher, the prima-

ry facilitator for Manchester's alternative education program, submitted her resignation last week and has accepted a post with the Chelsea alternative high school.

MacKercher, who started the program from ground level in 1997, has been a guiding force as the program jumped from 14 students and four graduates in its first year to a successful, viable and growing alternative to traditional high school.

June 28

Queen's Court

Manchester Community Fair Queen for 2001 is senior Lesley Jacob. Selection of the queen is based on poise, personality, smile, attire, and how the candidates present themselves publicly and in personal interviews. Miss Congeniality is voted among the candidates and announced just prior to the crowning of the queen.

The 2001 Fair Queen and her court: Fair Queen Lesley Jacob, first runner-up Liz Okey, second runner-up Abby LaRock, Miss Congeniality Shantelle Neff, and 2000 Fair Queen Rachelle Lilienthal.

Masonic Lodge donates time to improve Klager playground

Once they got started, they just couldn't stop.

The Masonic Lodge #148 of Manchester provided time, equipment and a coordinated effort to help Manchester Community Schools and the Klager PTO make new playground equipment a reality for the Klager kids.



Queen's Court: Liz Okey (left), Shantelle Neff, Abby LaRock, Rachelle Lilienthal and 2001 Queen Lesley Jacob.



Miss Poppy, Jenny (left) and Kate Meyer.

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Street Talk

By Michelle Smail

What is your New Year's resolution?



"To get all A's."

Devin Render



"To lose 20 pounds."

Matt Brewington



"To grow."

Jake Neal



"To stay out of trouble."

Jake LaCross



"To pass 7th grade."

Andrew Tindall



"To get good grades."

Weston Clark

Computer frustrations amplify stress



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Life-altering decision making and serious computer glitches should never, ever, coincide, especially in the life of a mid-forties female. The level of frustration here at my desk is rising to Unbearable.

I'm of half a mind (no comments, please) to wear a caution sign on my forehead: "Smile and be nice to me, or suffer consequences out of all proportion to your offense." Or perhaps, "Contents under extreme pressure. Stay clear."

I sit here and type knowing the words I save may be irretrievable thanks to a gremlin that refuses to let me back into documents I've created in Microsoft Word. Notes or articles written months ago, once safe and readable, now are irretrievable. Most new work disappears the first time I try to re-open it. To most Americans, that might not seem devastating. To a free-lance writer, it feels like a giant force is tilting the room back and forth, suc-

cessfully keeping me unbalanced.

Did you know you could spend close to forty hours a week trying to fix a single computer problem? Logging on and downloading patches to programs, uninstalling and reinstalling programs, talking to and e-mailing experts who have no concrete answers is worse than standing in the return lines on December 26. I love being in the country, but out here, modems usually connect at about 24.4K instead of the

rated 56Ks. Some downloads take hours.

In spite of carefully following expert advice, I find myself wondering if I'm just making the whole mystical computer situation worse. Nothing has changed for the better, after all.

Adding to my unease is the process of Shopping for a New Home. All the women's magazines say moving is high on the scale of stress inducers. Heck, if ever a decision is finally made on where to move, the actual process should be a breeze. However, with my luck, it will hit more like a blizzard.

I envision carrying cardboard boxes or lighter furniture, battling through snowdrifts or sloshing through mud. Is there ever a good time to move?

Maybe I'll embrace the mental gymnastics that shield us from reality. The computer glitch is unavoidably real, but the buying-a-house scenario seems all too surreal, as if it's

somebody else contemplating packing everything from porcelain knickknacks to a flock of sheep and moving them to another abode, in a not-yet-disclosed location.

I find myself focusing on the silly details: Will I have to buy a freezer? What will I do with food now in the deep freeze HERE? How quickly could I cook and serve half a lamb and half a deer, not to mention some chicken breasts, a spiral sliced ham, and lots of frozen fruit, veggies, and jams?

Will I have to keep Casper the friendly cat indoors until he feels at home elsewhere? Will he claw the furniture, without access to his usual trees, garage hunting grounds, and barn vermin? How will the dog pack react to new home territory?

Should I struggle through packed-away, seldom-used stuff and have a big "moving" sale, or move it all (most is already in boxes) and then tackle the

task of eliminating the excess? Who do I know who'd like my pressure cooker, since I don't envision canning veggies for myself in the future?

Yes, these mind-boggling dilemmas occupy those moments between waking and sleeping at night or sleeping and waking before dawn. Embracing them is easy.

Harder is the thought of being further away from friends, from Manchester's Main Street community. Maybe, even, further from family. It's one thing to have a place to call one's own. It's another to have people in your life to call close friends. Saying goodbye to neighbors or buddies, knowing a daily conversation with them will turn into a rare visit, is anything but easy.

So, for now, I'll "save" these musings and go back to my vain attempts to "fix" a computer. All of a sudden, it doesn't seem like such a difficult task.

Schools should look to long-term solutions

You'd have thought it would get easier by now.

But the ongoing struggles faced by Manchester Community Schools haven't let up. It seems like the Murphy's Law of school issues has applied to this project.

Some may say that Murphy is trying to tell us something. I've been tempted on occasion to think that myself. But I'm going to give it another chance.

Over the past two years, a handful of people have worked diligently to bring this plan to fruition. They've worked quietly and behind the scenes, but not in secret. They've been willing, and even eager, to share what they've learned from talking to administrators, teachers, kids, community groups, and key people in local government. All along, everyone involved has admitted that there is no perfect site, no perfect solution, and nothing is ever a sure thing.

The Citizens for Education group that has worked so hard is made up of board members, staff members and people from the community. Most of these people are parents as well. They care a great deal about what happens to the school, about the kids who will eventually attend the school, and



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about the community that will support the school long after they, and even their children, are gone.

Over the past few months many people have attended school board meetings, contacted a variety of board members and discussed the pros and cons at great length over coffee and a doughnut at the bakery. Each person, even those who have never attended a school board meeting in their lives, seems to have the perfect answer, if only the board would listen.

Well, I've attended quite a few school board meetings over the past few months and I have to say that I think they are listening. In fact, I'm surprised that they haven't got a crick in their neck from their heads turning back and forth to listen to everyone's varying opinions.

There's a heck of a lot of different ideas out there and it seems no one is shy about offering these opinions to the board.

The board has taken its share of heat for making some difficult decisions over the past several months.

"If only they had done ..."

Whatever. If they'd done that, someone else would have criticized them.

At a recent meeting, Manchester Township Supervisor Ron Mann made a wise comment.

"Some times the short term solution is more popular than what's best in the long term," he said. "People will criticize you for not taking the short quick fix. You may save a few dollars now but have long term higher costs."

"I know you're all trying to do your best and I wish you good luck."

Couldn't have said it better myself.

Someone asked me the other day, if you had a vote, what would you do? I had to say I really don't know.

I know what I'd want to do, and I know that it might not be the best decision in the short term. But maybe it would be the better long-term solution.

What's the best answer?

I freely admit that in the past I have been critical of public boards for being what I consider short-sighted and not taking what I think—or thought at the time—was the best course of action. But I've come to realize that all along, all of these men and women have done the best job they could do with the information they had available at the time.

At a recent meeting, teacher Sheryl Purol asked the current board, "When the next generation looks at our choices, what will they say?"

Well, we're the next generation to a generation of past school boards. And I know what people are saying now.

"If only" the school boards of 10 or 15 or 20 or 30 years ago had bought property, this board would not be faced with the agonizing decisions of which piece of property they should buy today. Nor would they be paying today's inflated real estate prices; they'd be paying 1970s or 1980s prices.

"If only" the school board and the public had realized eight or ten years ago that a new high school was going to become a necessity in the decade to come, the district already would own a piece of

land that was suitable for a school. Maybe that land would even have provided the "campus" atmosphere the district currently is seeking.

"If only" there weren't such a thing as wetlands, or the DEQ.

"If only" there weren't township boundaries ... or perhaps "if only" the spirit of cooperation and community extended across those boundaries.

"If only" we had more property at Klager, enough for both an eventual upper elementary school and a new high school.

"If only" the board had looked at different locations, some of them outside of the campus atmosphere.

Well, here we are, and these are the decisions that have to be faced today. The board has a 10-day reprieve in which to mull over these decisions, which are expected to be made at its Jan. 7 meeting.

It's some way for them to spend their holidays.

It's easy to criticize and it's much harder to make wise decisions. Hindsight is always clearer than the nebulous visions in a crystal ball.

Let's hope that those nebulous visions turn into accurate ones.

I draw my own conclusions...

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"This is completely free, and to small libraries like ours it is an amazing resource," said Kate Phitsley, director of the Manchester District Library. "Having worked as a business librarian, I know that the business databases alone could cost thousands of dollars in subscription costs."

"These would be cost prohibitive to most smaller libraries. But this service makes our library comparable to large public or even academic libraries."

The databases are located on the internet but can only be accessed through the library through a special connection. However, if you can't make it to the library, you may request the librarian to do a search for you and the articles may be e-mailed directly to your home computer. The databases are helpful to

students, of course, but there is something for every interest available on line at the library.

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Educational databases can be a great resource for teachers and for home schooling parents. Databases of educational web sites and abstracts of articles, some linked to the full text articles, are appealing to those with an interest in education.

Health topics are covered in the Health and Wellness Research Center, MDX Health Digest and PsychFIRST databases. Full text articles, summaries and indexes related to health issues are included on these databases.

Book Review Digest, Books In Print and WorldCat, a "super library catalog" provide a great resource for readers interested in library and book information.

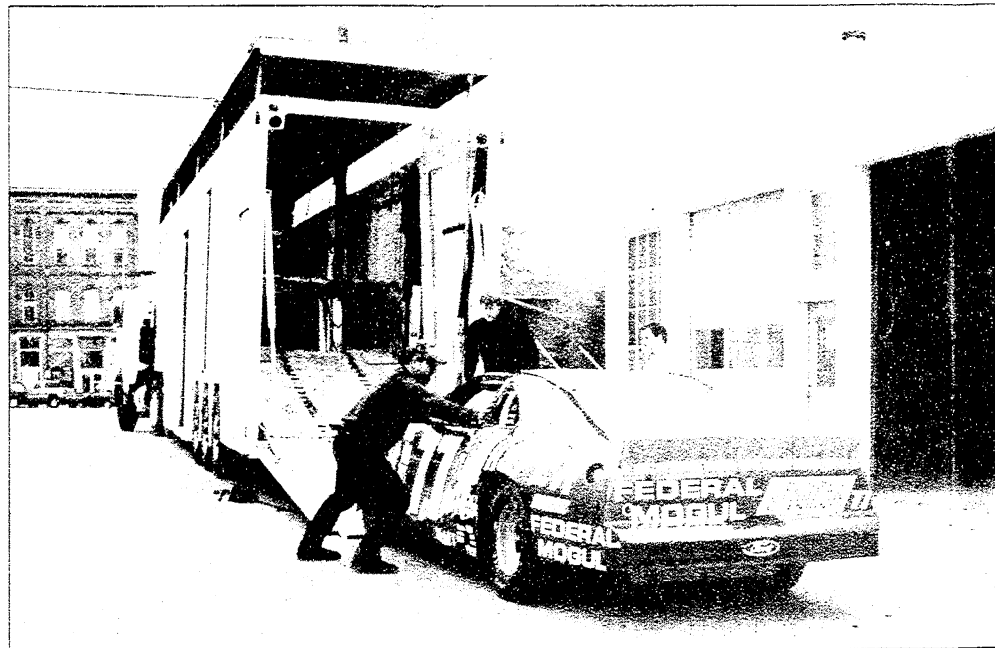
A Family Movie Guide database provides descriptions of films intended to give parents and children a general idea of the plot, the levels of violence, sex and profanity and an informal suggestion about what may be appropriate and enjoyable for various ages.

The past twelve months of the Detroit News, Grand Rapids Press and New York Times also are available in full text through this subscription. News Abstracts also provides abstracts of articles from more than 50 national and regional newspapers.

The Manchester District Library opens at 10 a.m. daily, Monday through Thursday it closes at 8 p.m., on Fridays at 6 p.m. and on Saturdays at 2 p.m. Four internet computers are available for adult use at all times and two kids' computers. Patrons must sign in but there is no limit on computer use time unless there is a waiting list.

For more information on the many new resources the library has to offer, stop in and visit the new location at 912 City Road or call 428-8045.

Road Rally



Track Time Driving School is moving its headquarters to Manchester and will be located in the former Tirb Chevrolet building on Adrian Street. Last week saw racing cars delivered to the site and principals Bill and Trena Eversole getting the office area ready for business. Eversole said most of the school's business is conducted via telephone and the internet but that the storage space for vehicles is great.

DeLoof named to planning spot

Relative newcomer brings a wealth of community involvement.

By Sven Gustafson
Staff Writer

The Freedom Township Board appointed Peter DeLoof as the newest member of the Freedom Township Planning Commission at its Dec. 11 meeting. DeLoof joins six others on the commission and replaces Steve Thelen, who moved to Lodi Township.

DeLoof works as an attorney in Ann Arbor, where he formerly lived. He and his wife Sara Bassett, who serves as the township's deputy clerk, moved to Freedom five years ago, and live on 188 acres with a lake on Ernst Road. They have a tree farm on part of their land, and they lease another portion to a farmer.

DeLoof said he has long been involved in historical preservation issues in Ann Arbor, where he has bought and renovated several buildings, and has worked with struggling downtown business owners after the

opening of Briarwood Mall.

Since moving to Freedom, he has been an almost constant presence at board and planning commission meetings, and has helped with legal advice when the township drafted its telecommunications ordinance, said Freedom Township Supervisor Bob Little.

"He has been on other side of the fence, so to speak, on township matters," said Little. "I feel that he has some expertise that will be beneficial to Freedom Township."

DeLoof said that he often deals with zoning and planning issues as an attorney, but said, "primarily, my interest in Freedom Township is as a resi-

dent."

"It's a strong personal commitment to be involved in the communities I live in," he said. "I look forward to doing that in an official capacity."

"It's something I view very positively and am grateful for." In addition to DeLoof's appointment, three Freedom Township officials were reappointed at the Dec. 11 meeting: Carol Huehl, to the planning commission, Earl Horning, to the board of appeals, and Gerald Huehl, to the board of review.

The Freedom Township Planning Commission meets on the first Tuesday of every month. Meetings are held at 7:30 at the township hall.

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GLORY

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petuity.

"Whatever that is," he says.

Wieland wants to keep the area open as a prairie, which requires burning. Burning simulates the natural fire cycle of the grassland prairie by getting rid of heavy thatch and killing off woody vegetation such as maple

saplings that choke off grasses. It also turns the ground black and recycles nutrients.

But burning requires work.

To burn, he must first acquire permits, establish firebreaks, and corral volunteers to assist him. Wieland burns approximately a third of the prairie, or about 10 acres, each year in March.

The work is doubly hard for

Wieland, who was diagnosed with Parkinson's disease shortly after he bought the property. Parkinson's is a disorder of the central nervous system that affects up to 1.5 million Americans. For Wieland, it makes it difficult for him to walk.

"My health has really set me back," he says. Parkinson's, he explains, "slowly undermines your ability to do things."

Recent brain and knee operations have helped, as has the aid of his 26-year-old son, Ben, who lives near San Francisco. Ben makes it back home about twice a year, and assists with much of the hard labor, such as digging and planting trees.

The bluestem, Wieland says, was part of a tallgrass prairie that once covered much of Iowa, Minnesota, and as close as what is now Kalamazoo.

"There's lots of endangered landscapes, but the native prairie is just completely decimated," adds Ben, a biology teacher.

Once covering 40 percent of the United States, wild prairie land now exists only in isolated pockets, often the result of deliberate conservation or recreation efforts.

"This is not really a prairie recreation or restoration," Wieland says. "I hope (it) to be someday. But this is just prairie grass."

"An authentic prairie would be a mix of forbs (flowers) and grasses." He says up to 50 percent of a native prairie consists of flowers.

Wieland wants to expand the prairie back over the hill into the area he calls "the bowl," where he built a barn with living quarters. He also wants to recreate the oak savannah that characterized much of pre-settlement Southeast Michigan.

The barn, built before the easement was created, may one day serve as an interpretive center.

"It's essentially going to be a wildlife sanctuary, which is what I want it to be," he says.

Lewis "Woody" Kellum, president of the RVL, says the organization has two conservation easements in Manchester Township along with five in Lenawee County. They range in size from one acre to 150 acres.

"People are just beginning to

learn about them, and there's more concern about the disappearance of farmland and open space," he says. In the future, he says, people will look to RVL to help preserve land. Kellum has a conservation easement on the 70 acres around his family's home.

"It's been slow," he says of creating the easements. "We don't have any full-time staff, so we're having to do this on the cheap. There's a lot more that could be done if we had a full-time person."

Wieland now enjoys walking the property to relax and take photographs. His wife Kathy, a CPA, sometimes plays guitar and banjo there.

"I enjoyed the place probably the most the first couple of years because I didn't have anything to do," he says. "I just sort of traipsed around and photographed, and enjoyed the country. Then when you start putting in the prairie grasses and trees, I was coming out here and working my butt off. Which is good, it's good therapy."

In terms of wildlife, his efforts seem to be paying dividends. Wieland says wild turkeys nest in the switchgrass, and bobwhite quail and deer are common. As he discussed sandhill cranes that nest in the bog, a distant flock appeared, sounding a chorus of rhythmic, ambient croaks. Ben says he has also seen orioles, vireos, bitterns, herons, tanagers, wood ducks, and migrating warblers on the property.

As guide, Ben leads us into the rear half of the property, where a wooded peninsula extends into the bog. Approaching a high lookout point, our voices flush a trio of white-tailed deer from the depths of the bog.

Ben says the woods were cut in the mid-1800s, then again in the early 1900s. But since then, he thinks, it has been allowed to grow.

The bog is a natural habitat for blueberries, which the Wielands harvest in the growing season. The bog extends to a tributary of the Raisin River.

Once overgrazed by sheep and filled with topsoil, Wieland says the wetlands are coming back. They now support white and spatterdock lilies, which, though,



Don (left) and Ben Wieland surrounded by switchgrass on the restored prairie they own in Manchester Township.

not rare, are "a sign that there is some re-generation out there," Wieland says.

Wieland has a PhD in chemistry from West Virginia University and a Masters degree in biology from University of Michigan. He works at The University of Michigan Medical Center, where he makes radioactive medicine.

Wieland paid \$60,000 for the property in 1989. An estimate suggested its value at \$350,000, adjusted to \$220,000 with the easement contract. A nearby A-frame house on 10 acres, he claims, recently sold for \$389,000.

So by placing the land in a conservation easement, Wieland's land loses property value, which is based partly on potential for development. Meanwhile, his state property taxes remain about the same.

But Wieland does not worry about that too much.

"I think we can afford to not speculate on the land," he says.

"Were losing about \$130,000 (in property value)," he says. "But this can be put on your federal income tax as a loss." He also points out the parcel is located on land zoned as agricultural, and that keeps property taxes lower to begin with.

Although any new owners of the land would be bound to the easement contract, Wieland says development restrictions would be hard to enforce in the future.

"What you really hope for is to have kids and grandkids of the nature conservancy looking out for the place."

Wieland says he has enjoyed the project, and has learned a lot in the process.

"He's done a great job of putting in a prairie," says Kellum. "It's really just a nice piece of property all around."

"It will be a great place to educate kids."

SCHOOL

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poses of building a school. Blades has gone on record opposing any annexation of Sharon Township property and a Dec. 3 letter from Wallace to Blades indicated that discussions on a 425 agreement had stalled because the issues were more complex than expected.

"In your letter of 10-21-01 you requested water and sewer without annexation to provide services for the school and resolve Sharon Township's ongoing legal challenges," Wallace wrote. "Since that date we have proposed a couple of possible options that we felt could provide win-win solutions but they are apparently unacceptable."

In the letter, Wallace asked for additional information in order to create a comprehensive plan, and recommended that "we concentrate on facilitating (the school's) needs to allow the community to get going on our new school project."

To date, Blades has not responded to Wallace's letter.

Oegema and board members would neither confirm nor deny an asking price of \$35,000 per acre for the Beuerle property, but Oegema indicated the price "had not changed" from the price Beuerle had previously offered the board. Roy Gourley has offered a 70-plus-acre parcel for \$19,000 per acre (a total of \$1.33 million) and Byrne said that his written proposal to the board included a 40-acre parcel of prime industrial land at a cost of \$37,500 per acre and an additional 15 acres that includes a pond and a deed-restricted woodlot at \$17,000 per acre. The total asking price for Hogan Road Associates' 55 acres would be more than \$1.7 million.

Board president Ron Ellison said that the board was looking at "between 30 and 40 acres" of Beuerle land. At the reported \$35,000 per acre, the asking price for Beuerle's property could be anywhere from \$1.05 million to \$1.4 million.

At last Monday's regular meeting of the school board, Eric Geiser of TMP Associates showed potential site plans locating the school and athletic

facilities on 30 acres of Beuerle's land and 30 acres of Hogan's.

"That was to show that the school and facilities could fit on that size parcel and so we could compare apples to apples," Ellison said.

Oegema said that 30 acres is the minimal amount necessary to build the high school the district is proposing.

While locating the high school on roughly 30 acres of the Klager site, as discussed at the Dec. 13 meeting, is still listed as a possibility, Geiser did not show any proposed site plans for this property at the Dec. 17 meeting.

Asked whether the Hogan Road site was under consideration, Ellison referred to the minutes of a June 19 joint meeting of the Manchester Village Council and Village Planning Commission.

"(Planning commissioners) Finger and Keller indicated an interest to advise the school board officially regarding the general consensus of council and planning commission regarding the areas being considered," the minutes state. "Wallace volunteered to develop a letter to officially advise the school board that the council and planning commission do not favor the southern end of the village. All meeting attendees were in agreement to send the letter as soon as possible."

Village president Jeff Schaffer has said that if there were no other sites available and the school was exploring sites south of town, the council likely would work with this eventuality.

But given the board's frequently stated preference for a "campus atmosphere" and the fact that three potential locations exist on the north edge of the village, the possibility seems remote.



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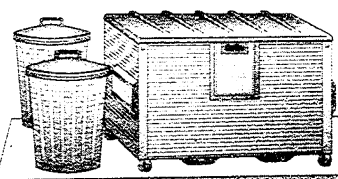
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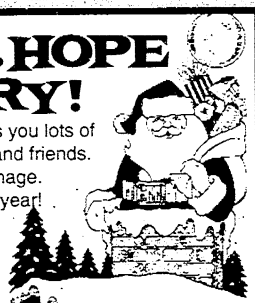


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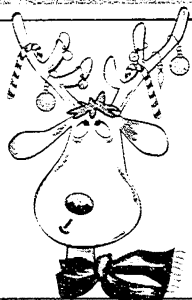
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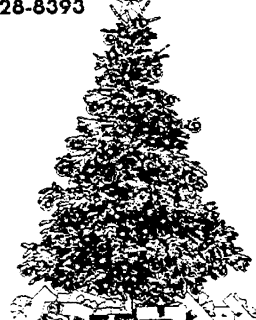
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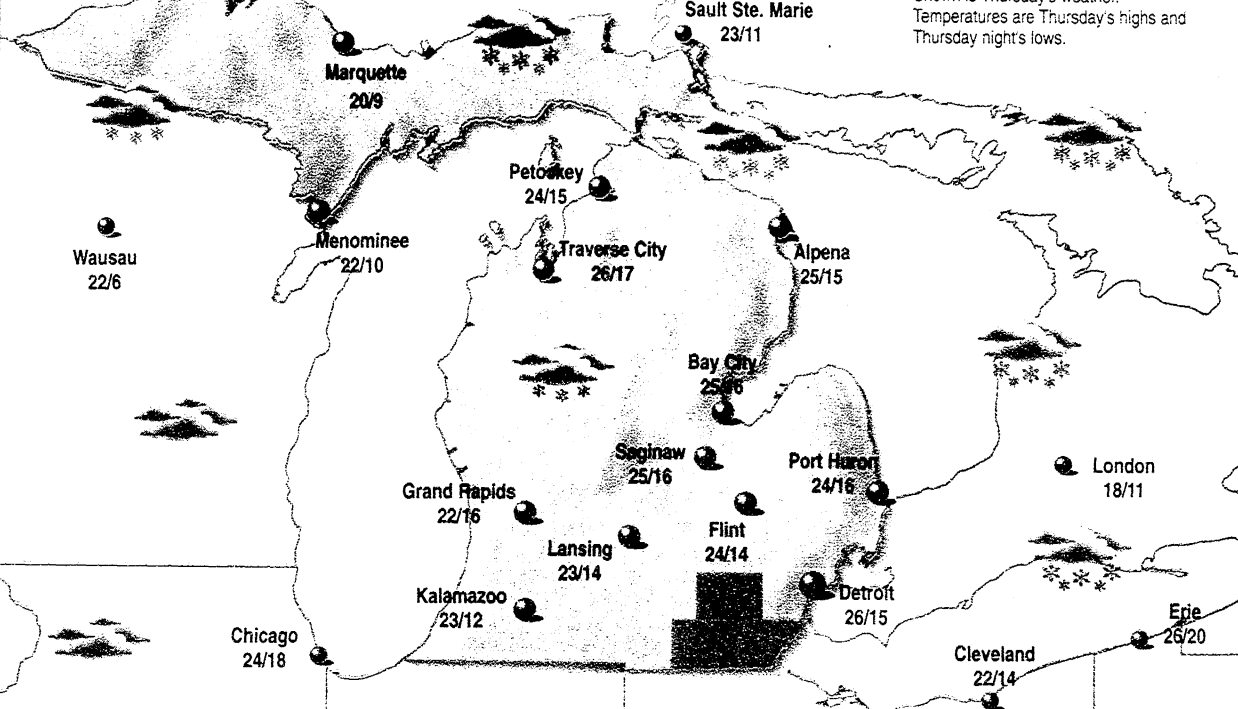
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Kalamazoo	23 12 c	20 10 c	21 8 c	21 8 c
Lansing	23 14 c	22 11 c	21 9 c	22 5 c
Livonia	24 15 c	24 13 sn	24 13 sn	22 9 pc
Midland	25 15 c	23 12 c	20 9 c	22 10 c
Muskegon	25 18 c	25 15 c	21 15 c	25 11 c
Owosso	24 14 c	23 12 c	22 11 c	22 5 c
Pontiac	25 16 c	25 19 sn	25 15 sn	23 10 pc
Port Huron	24 16 c	23 14 sn	24 11 sn	24 9 c
Saginaw	25 16 c	23 12 c	21 10 c	21 6 c
Sturgis	21 12 c	20 11 c	21 9 c	22 10 c
Toronto	20 16 sn	21 11 sn	19 6 sn	18 5 sn
Traverse City	26 17 c	22 12 c	21 13 c	24 8 c
Warren	27 16 c	26 16 sn	25 15 sn	23 7 pc
Wausau	22 6 sf	20 4 c	15 4 pc	22 6 pc

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Noon Thursday	13°
Noon Friday	15°
Noon Saturday	12°
Noon Sunday	15°
Noon Monday	18°
Noon Tuesday	19°
Noon Wednesday	20°

UV INDEX THUR.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1-3: minimal; 4-5: low; 6-7: moderate; 8-9: high; 10: very high									

Friday	1	minimal
Saturday	1	minimal
Sunday	1	minimal
Monday	1	minimal
Tuesday	1	minimal
Wednesday	1	minimal

SUNRISE/SUNSET

Sunrise Thursday	6:14 a.m.
Sunset Thursday	5:14 p.m.
Sunrise Friday	8:03 a.m.
Sunset Friday	5:11 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	8:03 a.m.
Sunset Saturday	5:11 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	8:04 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	5:12 p.m.

MOON PHASES

Full	Last	New	First
Dec 30	Jan 5	Jan 13	Jan 21
Moonrise Thursday	3:05 p.m.		
Moonset Thursday	4:58 a.m.		
Moonrise Friday	3:44 p.m.		
Moonset Friday	6:06 a.m.		
Moonrise Saturday	4:33 p.m.		
Moonset Saturday	7:15 a.m.		
Moonrise Sunday	5:32 p.m.		
Moonset Sunday	8:20 a.m.		

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NATIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abilene	53 29 s	46 27 s	55 31 s	56 28 s
Albuquerque	48 24 s	46 26 pc	48 24 pc	42 22 sn
Amarillo	40 19 c	40 21 s	49 24 s	50 22 s
Billings	31 16 pc	33 20 s	37 20 s	40 24 pc
Bismarck	36 9 c	19 9 c	26 10 c	35 11 pc
Boise	26 20 pc	34 22 pc	38 26 c	32 30 c
Casper	30 10 sf	30 10 pc	26 6 s	30 8 s
Cedar Rapids	26 6 c	22 10 pc	20 9 pc	27 12 pc
Cheyenne	32 14 c	32 12 pc	32 8 s	28 8 s
Colorado Springs	39 14 pc	40 17 pc	47 21 s	48 15 s
Columbia	32 15 c	29 16 c	28 16 pc	36 16 pc
Denver	45 32 s	46 26 c	48 32 s	34 12 pc
Des Moines	37 18 pc	34 16 c	36 14 pc	34 12 pc
Eugene	28 9 c	22 11 pc	20 12 c	34 13 pc
Fargo	46 34 s	50 38 pc	50 45 r	52 46 sh
Fresno	52 36 pc	56 38 pc	54 40 pc	52 38 pc
Garden City	24 15 c	24 18 sn	24 14 sn	23 8 c
Grand Island	32 12 c	30 15 c	38 14 pc	41 16 s
Grand Junction	36 17 pc	40 15 c	42 18 s	42 19 s
Great Falls	32 15 s	35 16 s	39 16 s	38 23 c
Greeley	36 11 pc	36 12 s	44 15 s	44 19 s
Houston	58 38 s	51 28 s	54 28 s	51 30 s
Kansas City	32 16 c	30 14 c	32 16 pc	38 18 pc
Las Vegas	59 36 s	57 36 pc	58 36 pc	65 31 s
Lincoln	30 13 c	28 9 pc	31 14 s	35 15 s
Miami	67 50 c	68 56 c	68 56 c	73 54 c

Weather (w): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

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Bands play to full house

■ *Winter program includes old and new favorites.*

By Laura Merte
Staff Writer

The Dec. 13 annual winter concert featured the high school Concert and Symphony Bands performing to a full house in the Manchester High School gymnasium.

The hour-long concert began with the national anthem, performed by the Concert Band.

Highlights of the Concert Band's program included tranquil, watery trills and majestic horn segments in "Habitat" by John Higgins, "Three Ayres from Gloucester" and a medley of carols in "Christmas Tryptich."

An energetic show tune, the theme from "New York, New York" paid tribute to the recent events in New York City, as a dramatic conclusion to the Concert Band's portion of the night.

"They did a good job playing together for the first time," said Throneberry. "Their experience playing in the gym will improve their performing ability in the future, especially at band festival."

Middle school band director Ed Schoendorff started the Symphony Band's program, guest conducting "Chaconne."

from "First Suite in E^b minor for Military Band" by Gustav Holst.

Unable to perform at marching band festival, the combined percussion section was able to present their drum feature, which resonated throughout the gym and resulted in a standing ovation.

A mix of George Gershwin tunes was the Symphony Band's homage to New York in "A Gershwin Portrait." Recognizable fragments of "Rhapsody in Blue," "Swanee," and "Someone to Watch Over Me" made for a smooth medley.

Taking a break from the music, the "Outstanding Section" award was presented to the trombone section, a six-member troupe that has been working very hard all year.

"They're a small group, with only one senior, and I'm looking forward to seeing them all again next year, and being even better," said Throneberry.

Senior Christina Carpentier presented Throneberry with a gift on behalf of the band, in appreciation for all his hard work.

The evening came to a close with the rousing holiday favorite, "Sleigh Ride," complete with the clippety-clop of horses' hooves, the cracking of a whip, and winny of a tired steed.



Of the Symphony Band, Throneberry says, "They do a nice job of blending their sound. 'Every year we seem to work better as a group.'"

As a class C school, there is a certain level of music that the band is expected to play up to, but the director tends to select music far above that level.

"I pick music that's pretty difficult. The students always pull it off and do really well," he says of the pieces typically selected for class A schools.

The rising quality of performance from both bands has a lot to do with the success of the middle school program, says Throneberry.

"Lots of kids are sticking around and playing from middle through high school," he says. "That kind of continuity is important."

Throneberry was pleased to see such a large turnout for the concert.

"It's nice for the bands to play in front of a full house. I can't wait to get into an auditorium and play for a full house there," he said.

Klager kids make ornaments for Vets

By Laura Merte
Staff Writer

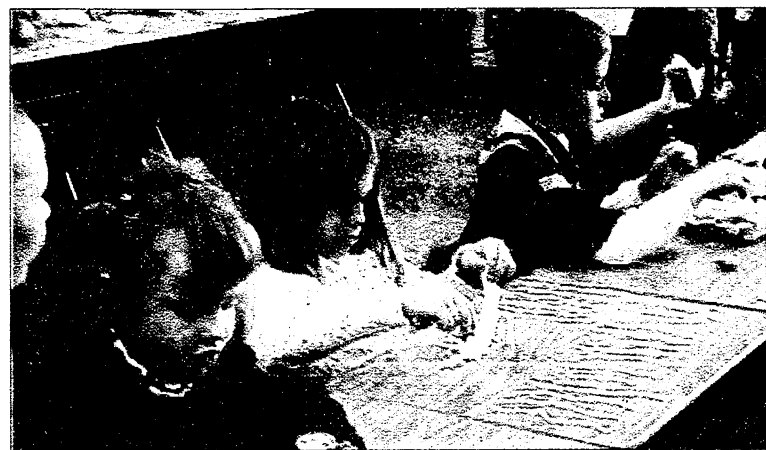
Kathy Rose's second-grade classroom at Klager Elementary School was transformed into an assembly line recently, as the students worked on a project for the

Battle Creek veterans' hospital. Their hard work resulted in 500 almond reindeer ornaments that were delivered to the hospital on Dec. 19.

"The children should be very proud of their accomplishments," Rose says.

The ornaments are part of

the annual Christmas cookie trays project, sponsored by *The Brooklyn Exponent*. Each holiday season, 500 trays of cookies and candy are assembled and delivered to the Battle Creek veterans' hospital, bringing some much-needed holiday cheer to the patients.



Katie Sykes, Kelly Goodart, Zach Horton and Kendra Waldron work on the "assembly line" of ornaments for veterans hospitalized in the Battle Creek VA hospital.

Local author publishes book

By Kent Ashton Walton
Heritage Newspapers

Following her well-received recently published book "Our Hometown: America's History As Seen Through the Eyes of a Midwestern Village" based on the history of Chelsea, Cynthia Furlong Reynolds has written a book for Christmas titled "S is for Star: A Christmas Alphabet."

This is Reynolds' fourth book to be published by Chelsea's Sleeping Bear Press. Her other books include "L is for Lobster: A Maine Alphabet" and "H is for Hoosier: An Indiana Alphabet."

"S is for Star" is Reynolds' first book with a religious theme produced by Sleeping Bear Press. The book tells the Christmas story coupled with the legends and traditions that surround it.

Reynolds says that when she was a child it seemed to her that there were two Christmases — "the one we learned about in church with Mary and Joseph and Jesus, and the Christmas in the stores and on the tree, with Santa Claus, reindeer, cookies and presents."

For years, she says she never understood the connection between the two Christmases. After Reynolds had children, she began explaining how the various traditions point to the manger scene. She convinced her editor, Heather Hughes at Sleeping Bear Press, that she should write a book for all the other children who were puzzled by the two versions of Christmas.

Reynolds sent a list of the words chosen for the Christmas alphabet to artist Pam Carroll to illustrate.

"Her illustrations added great depth and meaning to my words," Reynolds said. "She is a wonderful artist."

Many of the pictures painted by Carroll reminded Reynolds of scenes from her childhood.

The book, Reynolds said, almost wrote itself, since Christianity has words for the most challenging letters of the alphabet, including Wise Men (W), the symbol for Christ (X),

Yule (Y) and Zion (Z).

Christmas is a special time for Reynolds.

"When I was a little girl, it seemed that the rest of the year was lived in anticipation of Christmas," she said. "If I didn't get something I wanted for my birthday in February, my mother's rallying cry was 'Put it on your Christmas list!'"

"My two boys, Chip and Ben, and my daughter, Elizabeth, do the same nowadays."

REYNOLDS, a Scio Township resident, gathered much of the material for her book from her childhood. When she was a girl, Reynolds lived in Maine and Massachusetts, and the family would walk and picnic in the woods while looking for the perfect tree.

The page in the book that illustrates "D for December" is the image she has of her childhood trips into those woods.

"F for Festival, Feast, Food and Fellowship," also reminds her of the Christmas meals she shared with her family and friends.

Reynolds' maternal roots are in Maine and the family celebrated Christmas in the old English fashion. This included singing in Christmas pageants, lighting Advent wreaths, singing carols around the piano, as well as the usual decorating, wrapping presents and baking.

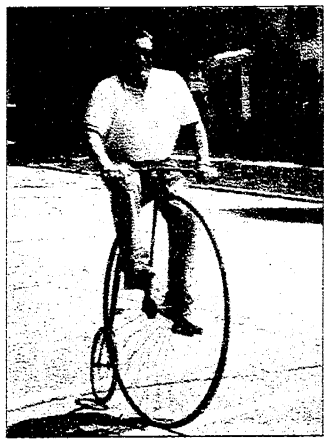
Her father's family — from Pennsylvania Dutch country — brought German traditions to the Christmas celebrations, including cookies, ornaments, a crèche scene, and the tradition of decorating picture frames and ledgers with green foliage throughout the house. They also prepared both white English and black German fruitcakes soaked weeks ahead in wine for Christmas.

"Christmas has always been a very special holiday in my family, which is why I was really pleased to write a children's book about Christmas," Reynolds said. "Many of the traditions mentioned in 'S is for Star' are things that my family did—often without realizing their significance."

2001 Announcements

By Laura Merte
Staff Writer

"From the celebration of a birth, to the tragedy of a death, to everything that happens in between, our mission is to be the voice and record of those who make up the communities we serve."—Mission statement for Heritage Newspapers



Joe Kirk

Following is a compilation of all births, engagements, weddings and deaths as announced in the *Enterprise* during 2001. Unfortunately, some events may have been left out, and we will be happy to include them in next week's issue, when we publish the second portion of "year in review." Please call 428-8173 to let us know.



Quenton Bortmas

Births

Jan. 1. Alison Lynne Boham
Jan. 12. Ainsley Louise Lay
Jan. 21. Chance Michael Lowery
Feb. 5. Anna Marie Muszynski
Feb. 16. Karl Allen Pyle
Feb. 23. Gillian Grace Conley
March 25. Gillian Rachel Bross
May 25. Ricardo Kane Villareal
May 30. Anna Elizabeth and Olivia Kay Walz
May 31. Hannah Alyssa Woods
June 4. Eli Patton Lobbstaef

April 23. Anna Elise and Kayleigh Marie Messina
Aug. 20. Brendan George and Jake Robert Luckhardt
Sept. 20. Nicholas James Justus
Oct. 24. Quenton William Bortmas

Obituaries

Delisle M. Bross. 66. Jan. 2
Helena Sortor. 81. Jan. 12
Nicholas Peter Johnson. 71. Jan. 12
Harold Leroy Townsend. 62. Jan. 14
Sofija Vasiulis. 88. Jan. 27
Helen DeClaire. 98. Feb. 1
Beverly Spiess. 73. Feb. 4
Donna Kathleen Reynhout. 47. Feb. 5
Elmer E. Bristle. 85. Feb. 15
Helene Bowers. 89. Feb. 24
Johnnie Lee Smith. 90. March 1
Irving H. Roberts. Sr. 71. March 2
William Joseph Kirk. 17. March 6
Eleanor Kensler. 77. March 8
Julius C. Altenberndt. 82. March 9
Mary L. Wilson. 82. March 12
William Watson. 80. March 23
Virginia C. Hendley. 87. March 24
Raymond H. Riley. 77. March 26
Alva R. (Jake) Trent. 76. March 28
Beverly Knickerbocker. 69. April 2
Anna Belle I. Wright. 92. April 12
Egbert H. Treat. 91. April 15
Carl Cody. 86. April 15
John Wallace III. 57. April 19
Delores I. Strahle. 62. May 1
Ethel Parr Truesdale. 97. May 3
Joan Dunny. 68. May 8
Steven E. Lesjak. 38. May 21
Rosanne M. Hawk. 59. May 23
Olga Uhr. 82. June 2
Stephanie Hanselman. 25. June 9
Harold Wayne McDonald. 83. June 10
Joseph R. Kemeter. 74. June 10
Denise A. Kellenberger. 42. June 17
Margaret Lee Huber. 77. June 18
Roger E. Hill. 62. June 23
Vera Steinaway Paul. 96. June 28
Olive M. Hazen. 90. June 30
Leon E. Green. 80. July 19
Glenn Cecil Lehr. 87. July
Earl Alber. 83. Aug. 16
Martha D. Cottrell. 95. Sept. 2
Mildred R. Grantham. 68. Sept. 14
Lucille Marie Roberts. 77. Sept. 25
Elsie Mollenkopf. 91. Sept. 25
Irene Bartlett. 82. Sept. 26
Edwin H. Grob. 88. Sept. 30
Phyllis Koerke-Fox. 85. Oct. 4
Stephen F. Gero. 55. Oct. 10
Gary P. Hamilton. 59. Oct. 14
Elgin Motluck. 83. Oct. 20
Opal I. King Moore. 93. Oct. 26
Jerry A. Osborne. 55. Oct. 26
Heien A. Pierman. 90. Oct. 27

Earl L. Uhr. 82. Oct. 28
Thomas C. Bick. 90. Oct. 30
Diane Orris. 52. Nov. 4
Maynard J. Kidd. 76. Nov. 13
John Edward Livingstone. 82. Nov. 23
Genevieve M. Wooster. 96. Dec. 11

Engagements

Adrienne A. Wallace and Steven P. Schumacher
Dawn Wenk and Mark Durivage
Lisa Dossett and Matthew Forner
Karla Anita Weidmayer and Jeffrey Daniel Shankland
Nikole Reinhart and Corey Fether
Jean Guthrie and Bill Hiller
Dawn Marie Krueger and Kristopher Chance Bolan
Sarah Lynn Ehnis and David M. Collier
Katrina Bihlmeyer and Jeff Brook
Deanna Marie Walter and Thomas Edward Gerard Fielder
Amy R. Verran and Mark G. Mann
Meghan Colleen Hakes and Kyle David Weidner
Andrea Zurawski and John Gould
Michelle Gould and Edward Sidor
Denise Jacob and Tim Bargy
Darci Anne Hock and Paul Michael Majewski
Jeanne Corrinna DeMoulied and Tracy Ryan Snead
Michelle M. Davis and Jason D. Swain
Constance Victoria Zimmer and Kevin Scott Creech



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Weddings

Deanna M. Walter and Thomas E.G. Fielder. July 14
Karla Anita Weidmayer and Jeffrey Daniel Shankland. July 14
Anne Lathey and Ryan Novess. July 30
Meghan Colleen Hakes and Kyle David Weidner. Aug. 10

Student attends conference

■ *Youth conference teaches next generation of leaders.*

By Laura Merte
Staff Writer

Justin Henderson of Manchester recently attended the National Young Leaders Conference (NYLC) in Washington, D.C. This unique leadership development program invites high school students to interact with today's national leaders.

Henderson, a senior at Manchester High School, began the application process for the NYLC following his nomination by Rev. Hardy from Bethel United Church of Christ. Selection is based on scholastic achievement, community involvement, and leadership contributions.

"We did a lot of government simulations and role-playing," Henderson said of the conference.

An hour of one-on-one discussion with Congressman Nick Smith, and another with an interactive panel of renowned journalists also were squeezed into Henderson's busy six-day schedule, Dec. 4 through 9.

NYLC is sponsored by the Congressional Youth Leadership Council (CYLC), a nonprofit, nonpartisan leadership education organization. Founded in 1985, CYLC is committed to educating, motivating and inspiring young people to achieve their full leadership potential.

Each year, 7,000 outstanding select youth participate in twenty sessions of the NYLC. To date, more than 100,000 students have taken part in CYLC programs.

Summer spot getting a face lift

■ *Never fear, DQ is still here ... for now.*

By Laura Merte
Staff Writer

The absence of a well-known sign on Main Street may tempt passers-by into thinking a favorite summer stop will be departing Manchester.

Thankfully, this is a mistaken assumption: the Dairy Queen will still be here during the summer of 2002.

While the ice cream shop is

closed for the winter, the current sign will be out for repairs, and either a freshly refurbished or brand-new sign will be up in its place at the start of the next season.

"Parking issues downtown put limitations on what we can do," says co-owner Jeff Fahey. "We're doing some renovations, but it's hard to keep it up without overdoing it financially."

"I wish we had a lot more space to do things with," adds co-owner Dick Fahey. "Like a drive-up window ... everything's drive-up in this world."

But there is not a lot of room for expansion, with the building wedged tightly against the bridge on Main Street.

Manchester's Dairy Queen is one of a dying breed of walk-up ice cream shops, a nostalgic trend of the past. While popular among residents in the summer, the sales can't justify it staying open year-round.

"We have six months of sales to cover a year's worth of expenses," says Jeff Fahey. "People like the idea of a year-round store, but they don't support it enough."

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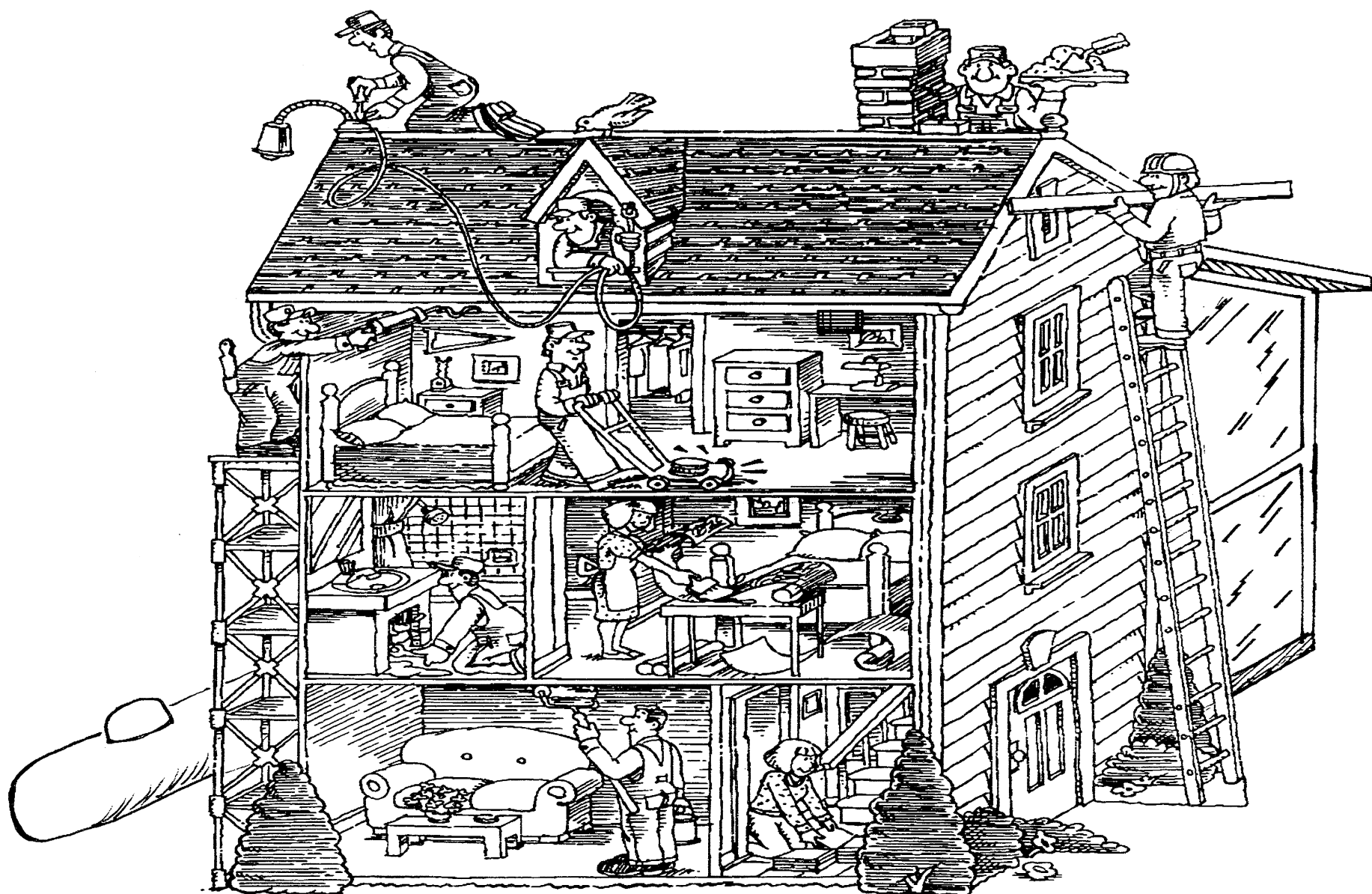
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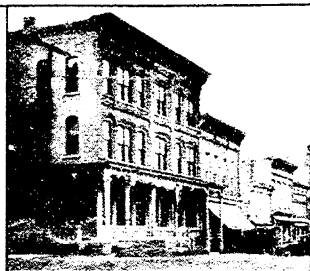
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Looking Back



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MICHIGAN NEWS Over One Hundred Years

Louis Rock, a French-Canadian, who lived in Geo. Washington's time, passed away at his home in Ludington Wednesday at the advanced age of 107 years. Rock's first and last sickness was nothing more than a mild case of gripple, death resulting more from old age than anything else.

Mrs. Rock died three years ago at the age of 85. To them 13 children, 20 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren were born.

Louis Rock was born at sea while his parents were crossing the Atlantic Ocean in the year 1794. During his younger days he spent many years with the Indians in the west and is said to have been the first white man who entered Yellowstone park.

Endowed with a constitution which never knew fatigue, Rock endured untold hardships during his long frontier career and until ten years ago worked in a sawmill every day.

What's the Old Lady Doing?

A woman approaching 50 years of age and a son of 6 years, giving their names as Avis and Courtland Butts, are in jail in Jackson. Chester A. Conant, of Sandstone, having secured a writ of attachment for the debt of caring for the stock recently. Mrs. Butts is traveling about the country in a covered wagon with several dogs and eight head of cattle. She stopped at Conant's, but didn't pay for her keep at the farm for the past five weeks. Says she came from Minneapolis and makes butter while she travels, stopping with farmers occasionally. Her destination is vague and her husband's whereabouts unknown. It is thought her mind may be affected.

MINOR MICHIGAN MATTERS

Andrew Carnegie, who gave

Iron Mountain \$15,000 for a library, has added \$2,500 to his gift upon request. The library will be opened in about a month.

Congressman Aplin is confident that nothing will be done at this session of congress that will in any way injure the beet growers and manufacturers of Michigan and other states.

A spasm of reform is sweeping over Marquette, and the mayor has issued an ultimatum to saloon keepers stating that they must close their places of business promptly at 11 p.m. and also that the slot machines must go.

The whole city of Detroit was in the extremes of a water famine Friday owing to a bursted main, and factory, hotel, school and housewife were in distress. Even beer could not be drawn owing to the lack of water to work the beer pumps.

The home of Henry Hill, of Goodland township, is without a mistress, and Hill charges Dan Hall with eloping with his wife. He says he traced the couple to Smith's Creek, where he says they are living as man and wife. He wants Hall arrested.

NEWS IN BRIEF

A bill has been introduced in the senate by Mitchell, fixing \$2 as the minimum wages to be paid to women in the employ of the government.

Coal famine and extreme cold are causing much suffering to people and inconvenience to business in St. Louis and Chicago.

Wm. Laschell, alias Wm. O'Day, was killed in a street duel at New Orleans by Finch Gerard, who has served a term in the Texas penitentiary. Gerard was also wounded.

VILLAGE NEWS

A good many enjoyed the sleighing yesterday.

J.H. Kingsley is putting a new cob grinder in his mill.

George Miller brought about 80 evergreens here and sold

nearly all for Christmas trees.

When you renew your subscription for 1902 ask for a calendar we have some for our patrons.

T.B. Bailey has lost his faithful family horse. It was all right Sunday noon and ate its feed but at supper time it was found dead in the stall. It was 29 years old. Thad bought it off Jeff Besimer about 15 years ago.

A fire started in Dr. Ackerson's office Tuesday morning. A defective stove pipe was the cause. It was not much of a blaze but the boys got out the hand engine and squirted on it and someone came with a Babcock and together they saved the building and its contents.

Some three weeks ago George Kern had 187 sheep dipped. From the results of too hot a dip it is said nine have died and many more are badly injured.

That unusual smile that Frank English has been wearing for the past few days, we think must be on account of that new grandson born to Mr. & Mrs. Fred Zimmerman on the 12th.

The snow that most folks were wishing for, came just in time for Santa Claus to use his sleigh in delivering presents early Christmas morning.

NEWS EDITORIAL BY MAT D. BLOSSER

Germany has decided to begin the abolishment of slavery in East Africa. Civilization appears to be spreading.

A Baltimore society woman has erected a marble tablet over her dog's grave. Let us hope she left a space on it for her own epitaph.

Prince Henry made a mistake in marrying a queen to pay his debts. He ought to have come to America and sold himself to an heiress.

A Michigan man climbed to

the top of a tall tree to shoot himself. After taking all that trouble he might have jumped and saved his ammunition.

The Austrian premier has threatened to suspend the constitution if the reichsrath does not behave itself. To those who have followed the performance of this body for a year or so, it will be a distinct surprise to learn that Austria has any constitution to suspend.

A "Y" has been put in on the Boland line in the eastern part of Grass Lake so that the big cars can be operated. All aboard for Chelsea? Nit.

Now that the owners of the Panama unfinished canal are willing to close the ditch out at a loss or at least have come down in the price, would it not be better and cheaper to buy and complete it than to dig a new one?

FROM THE EDITOR

The publisher of the Enterprise has reason to be thankful because our subscription list is steadily growing larger, our advertising columns are well filled and our job printing and binding departments are well patronized.

Our subscribers are much more prompt in paying for their paper than heretofore and this is quite encouraging because we have use for every dollar to pay for stock and material which we are constantly purchasing.

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CHAS. KREITNER

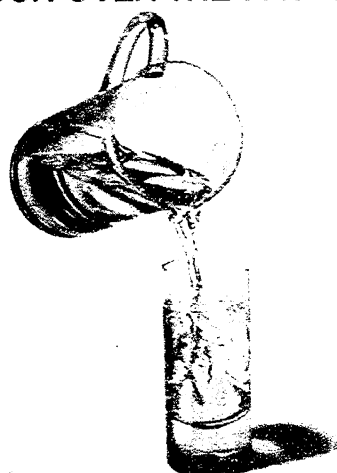
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NOTICE FREEDOM TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given for a public hearing and meeting of the Freedom Township Zoning Board of Appeals on January 3, 2002 at 7:30 p.m. in the Freedom Township, 11508 Pleasant Lake Road. Purpose of the meeting is for consideration of request for variance from the provisions of the Freedom Township Zoning Ordinance on property as 11484 Hieber Rd., Manchester, MI 48158 Tax Code No. N-14-22-302-006 to make an addition to a non-conforming residence.

Application for variance and all supporting papers can be examined by making an appointment with the Chairman of the Freedom Township Zoning Board of Appeals, Luke Schaible, at (313) 428-9120.

The Freedom Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the hearing, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting or public hearing upon ten days notice to the Freedom Township Board.

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MANCHESTER VILLAGE COUNCIL APPROVED PROCEEDINGS - DECEMBER 3, 2001

President Schaffer called the regular meeting of the Manchester Village Council to order at 7:00 P.M. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Council members present: Conaway, DuRussel, Dzengeski, Schaffer, Vaillencourt and Way. Joe Marshall was absent. Also present: Manager Wallace, Clerk Schaible, Dieter Heren-WCSD, Ken Rogge, Don Limpert, Joan Berry, Marion Ahrens, Mark Palms, Chris Kanta, Sven Gustafson, Ron Fielder, Kristi Adams, Kristi Trinkle, Michelle Sott, Dan Huntsberger.

The minutes of the November 19, 2001 regular meeting were approved as amended. The proceedings of the November 5, 2001 regular meeting were approved as presented.

The Agenda was approved as amended. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - Hall open house dates for February, 2002 were discussed. Mark Palms presented the Council with a plan for a Manchester Traditional Music and Arts Festival. The one-day event would be held in August, preferably at Carr Park.

OLD VILLAGE HALL DISCUSSION - The Manchester Area Historical Society notified Council that they are not interested at this time in purchasing the Old Village Hall for the appraised value. Vaillencourt reported that the Building Committee had met and will proceed by contacting realtors.

5 YR. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN - WATER & SEWER - Wallace presented Council with five-year plans for improvements to wastewater collection and the water distribution system.

PROPOSED NEW MHS SEWER & WATER REVIEW SERVICES-TETRA-TECH - Motion to authorize the Village Manager to approve up to \$2,000 to Tetra-Tech for work performed by them in the proposed Manchester High School sewer and water review. Motion carried.

AUDIT REVIEW - Areas that need to be addressed are the sewer and water funds. Rate will have to be looked at in the near term. Motion to accept the audit report. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT - The Treasurer's report for November 2001 was accepted.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE - Motion to approve payments listed on the November 2001 report with one addition for a total amount of \$60,614.79. Motion carried. Motion to go into closed session pursuant to the attorney-client privilege to discuss items exempt from disclosure concerning a potential conditional transfer agreement. Motion carried.

Motion that Manager Wallace compose a letter to the Sharon Township Board of Trustees indicating the Village's interest in cooperating to define an urban growth area and the willingness to aid in the mobile home park situation in a way that is mutually beneficial. The motion included directing Wallace to ask the Sharon Township Board to address the new school's critical needs expeditiously. Motion carried.

Council adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Julie A. Schaible
Manchester Village Clerk

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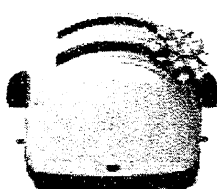
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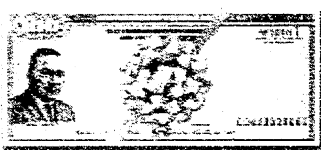
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counter work, supply
ordering as well as daily
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will also process inter-
departmental deposits,
check distributions and
other duties as required.
The successful candidate
must possess: a high
school diploma prefera-
bly supplemented by
some additional voca-
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5 Scot's cap
8 Colonial patriot
12 Worm, often
13 Anger
14 Theater award
15 Lollapalooza
16 Idyllic
18 Exit
20 Pleasant-
tasting
21 Ford or Lincoln
23 Cribbage
scorer
24 Peace of mind
28 Long story
31 Sapporo sash
32 Southern diner
item
34 Comical
Conway
35 Band instru-
ment
37 With peace
39 Subordinate
Claus?
41 Georgia city
42 Soap opera, e.g.
45 Ali opponent
49 Placid
51 The O'Hara
estate
52 Chip in a chip
53 Citric quaff
54 The Tentmaker

DOWN

1 Woodwind
2 Shooting pain
3 Layer
4 Rill
5 Touts
6 Coach
Parseghian
7 GI's cafeteria
8 Stock footage?

9 Annul
10 Storyteller
11 Slithery
17 Savion Glover's
specialty
19 Vocalized
22 Wicker-work
willow
24 Barracks bed
25 Dhabi lead-in
26 Free
27 Pram
29 Hodges of
baseball
30 "Little Women"

33 Big rig
36 Dior originals
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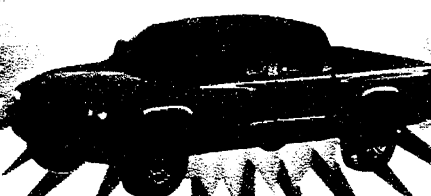


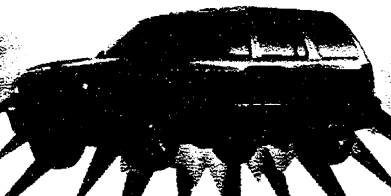


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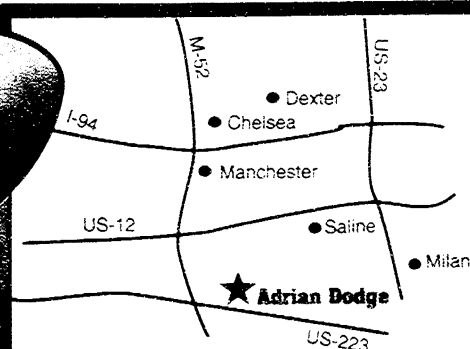
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