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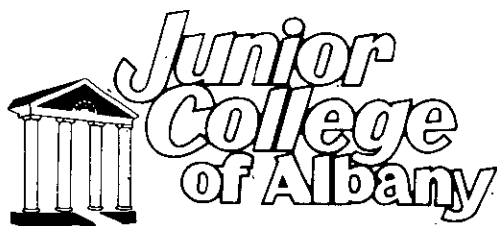
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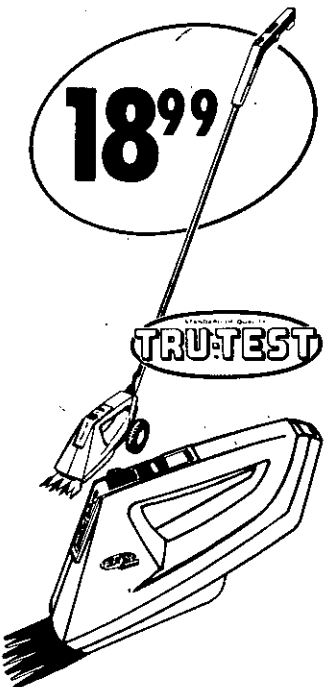
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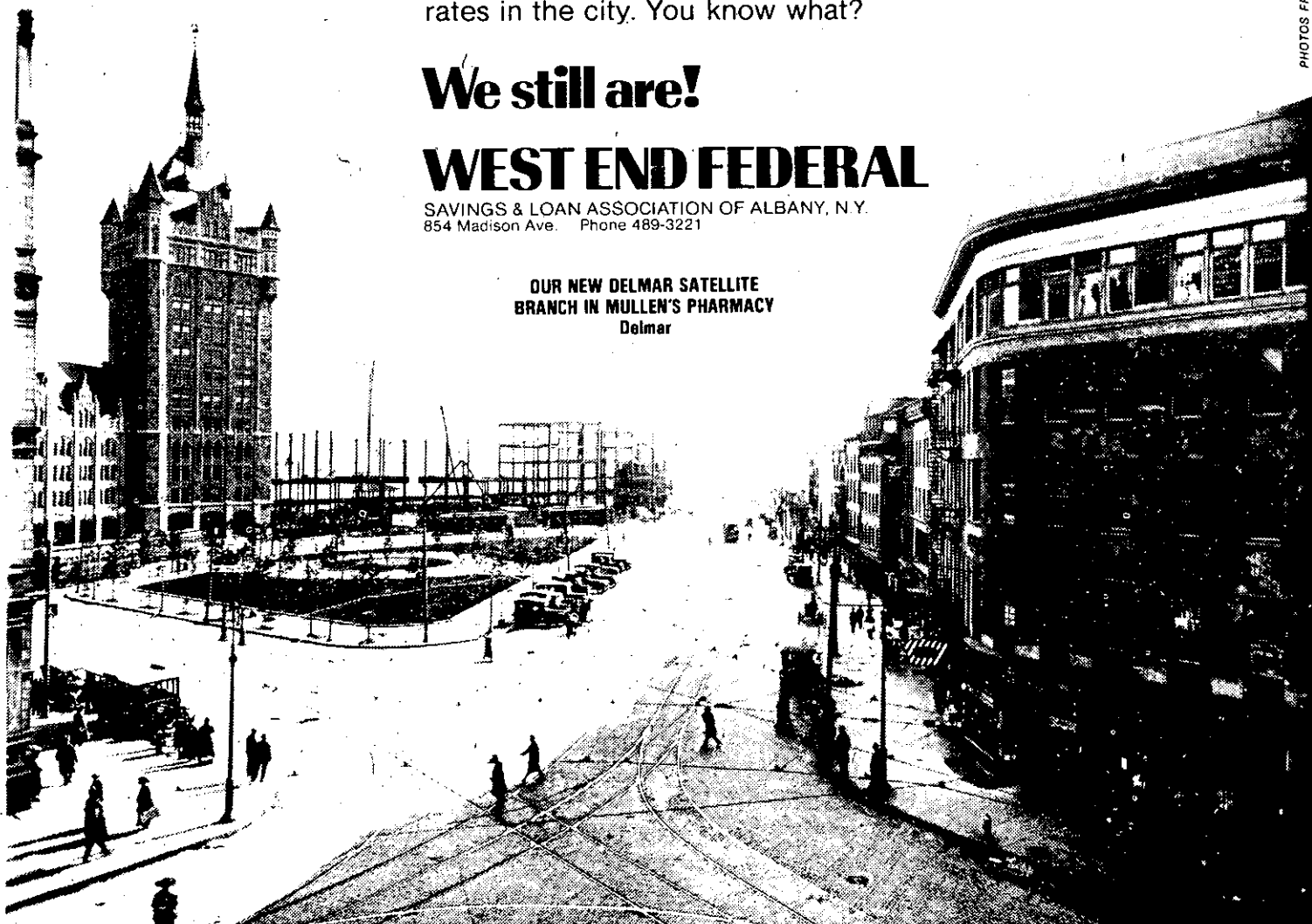
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Bethlehem Jaycees meet first and third Wednesdays of the month, 8 P.M., Center Inn, 9W, Glenmont.

Welcome Wagon — Newcomers and mothers of new babies call 785-9640, Mon. thru Sat., 8:30 A.M.-6:00 P.M. so you may have a Welcome Wagon call.

Bethlehem Memorial Auxiliary to Post #3185, Veterans of Foreign Wars, meets the third Monday of every month, at the Post Rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

The Albany County Pistol Club, Winne Place and Maewin Drive, Delmar, welcomes guests at its indoor pistol range every Tuesday at 8 P.M. Information: Dave Herbach, 439-4372 or Tom Corrigan, 439-3301.

Monarch Club of Albany meets every Tuesday night at 6 at the Center Inn, Glenmont.

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Every Thursday at 7 P.M., Delmar Reformed Church, scout meeting for handicapped, Troop 159.

Kiwanis Club of Delmar meets every Monday night at 6:15 at The Center Inn, Route 9W, Glenmont.

Bethlehem Lions Club meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at The Center Inn, Route 9W, Glenmont, 6:30 P.M.

AARP meets 1:30 P.M., third Tuesday of month, Delmar First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Avenue, Delmar.

The Delmar Community Orchestra rehearses every Monday evening from 8 to 10 at the First United Methodist Church of Delmar.

Bethlehem Junior Woman's Club meets 2nd Wednesday of each month, 8 P.M., Bethlehem Public Library.

Bethlehem Recycling Program (paper, cans, glass), Town Garage, 114 Adams St., Delmar. Mon. thru Fri., 8 A.M.-4 P.M. Papers should

be tied, cans flattened, bottles clean w/metal removed.

Rosary — St. Thomas Church, Adams Place, Delmar, every Thursday at 11:45 A.M.

Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post #1040, American Legion Auxiliary, meets third Tuesday of month except July & Aug., 8 P.M., Post rooms.

Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post #1040, American Legion, meets first and third Monday of month (when holiday occurs, move to Tuesday) except July and August. 8:30 P.M.

8:15 P.M., meeting, every Wednesday, Gam-Anon, wives of compulsive gamblers, St. Pius Church, Loudonville. 462-6916 or P.O. Box 23, Albany.

Onesquethaw O.E.S. meets on the first and third Wednesday of every month at the Masonic Temple in Delmar.

Glenmont Lions Club meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month at LaCasa Restaurant, Selkirk, 6:30 P.M. Visitors welcome. Info: Bob Jones, 463-3141.

Glenmont Homemakers meet 3rd Wed. of month; Glenmont Comm. Church, 8 P.M.

8 P.M., monthly meeting, last Thursday of each month, Elsmere Fire Co.

L.E.A. Nursery School, now accepting fall registrations, '74-'75 session, 3 and 4 year olds. Contact: Mrs. Boykin, 463-0512, Mrs. Denison, 439-4019 after 5:30 P.M.

1-5 P.M., Trap Shooting, Bethlehem Sportsman's Club, Dunbar Hollow Road, Clarksville, every Sunday starting May 5, free instructions noon to 1 p.m. and every Wed., 7 P.M. starting June 5. Non-members welcome. More information: 439-6003.

Bethlehem Lodge meets on 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month; Ladies' Auxiliary meets on 2nd Wednesday of every month.

Clam Chowder on sale 3rd Friday of each month through September. New Salem Reformed Church, Rt. 85, New Salem. 12-4 P.M. Bring container.

Bethlehem Youth Employment Service, 114 Adams Street, Delmar. Summer Schedule Monday-Friday, 8:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M. Telephone 439-2238.

Bethlehem Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., featuring "Ladies' Fashions 1870-1910" every Sunday through August 4, 2:00-5:00 P.M.

Tri-Village Nursery School is now accepting applications for September enrollment. Call 439-3102.

Registrations — St. Thomas School, all grades except 5 & 6. Call 439-1285 or stop at Convent.

Bethlehem Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Road featuring "Children's Toys — Dolls and Their Houses," every Sunday through Oct. 20th, 2:00-5:00 P.M.

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

7:30 P.M., meeting, Albany County Legislature, County Courthouse, Eagle St., Albany. Information, 449-5000.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

8 P.M., The Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem will hold a public hearing at the Town Offices, 393 Delaware Ave., Delmar, to take action on application of the Gulf Oil Corporation for a Special Exception under Article V (Special Permit Uses Applicable to the Entire Town) of the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance to demolish existing gasoline station at Delaware and Elm Avenues, Delmar, and erect a self-service station; also to replace fuel storage tanks with three 10,000 gallon tanks — total 30,000 gallons.

8:30 P.M., The Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem will hold a public hearing at the Town Offices, 393 Delaware Ave., Delmar, to take action on application of Martin and Janet Paigo, 19 Partridge Rd., Delmar, for a Variance under Article XII "Side Yards" of

the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance for a reduction in side yard at above address.

7:30 P.M., Evening on the Green, Tom Hord, Mime, Bethlehem Library.

8 P.M., the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem will hold a public hearing at Town Hall to consider the petition submitted by Dowerskill Village Associates for the construction of lateral sewers within the Bethlehem Sewer District.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

GOP Steak Roast — Murray Jennex Park — tickets available from your committeeman or Merwyn K. Atwood, 409 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Telephone 439-5720.

7:30 P.M., Evening on the Green, movie "Hombre", Beth. Public Library.

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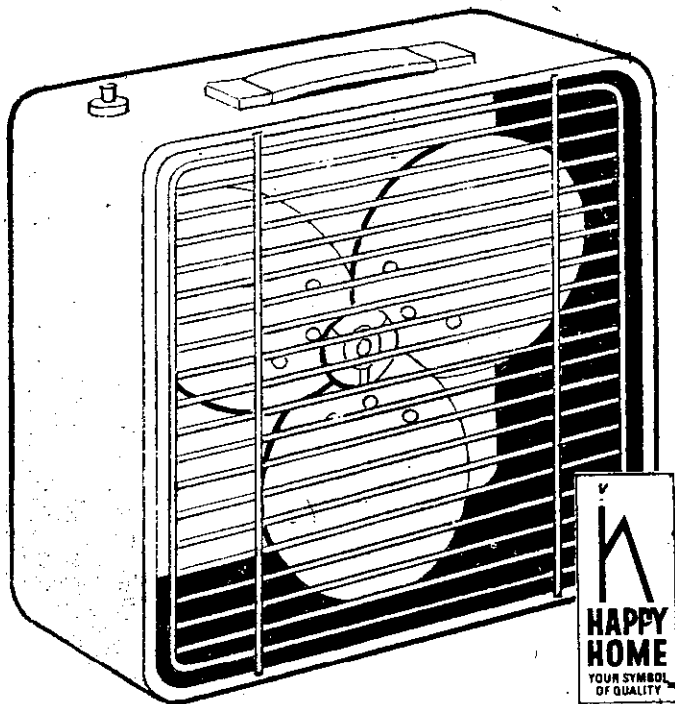
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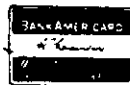
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July 12

Saturday

July 13

Monday Morning

July 15

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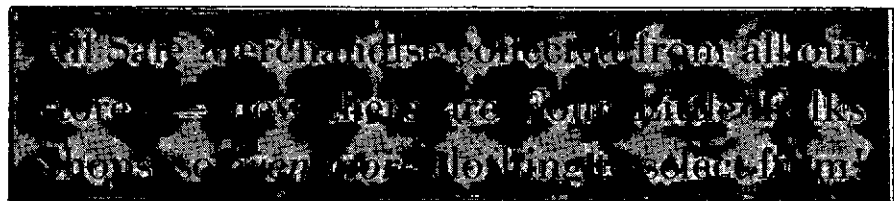
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by
Joni

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When the trucks are loaded and weighed, I'm sure the load is of legal size — but legal size for what? Due to the poor condition of this road, I would consider them overloaded. At the speed they go with all this weight, upon hitting the ruts in this road, the material which they are carrying is thrown

from the truck. This is very dangerous to fellow motorists and pedestrians. Who is to judge what is a safe load? Conditions of roads must be considered.

How many of you find this a problem? Maybe you have had bad experiences, let me know.

Listed in Who's Who

Roy Edgar Lott III, son of Roy Lott II and Peggy Smith Lott, formerly of 17 Pine View Ave., Delmar, is among those listed in Who's Who among students in American Universities as follows: "Colgate Univ. May 26, 1951 B.A. History 1973. Student Assn. senator, pres. Social Comm. co-chmn. 84 Broad St. pres., Univ. Council Student Affairs Commission chmn., Bd. of Trustees Nominating Comm., student publ. staff, intramural soccer capt. 4 yrs., Dean's List consistently, Phi Soc., George Cobb Fellow pres., Resident



THE 15th ANNUAL STAG STEAK ROAST of the Bethlehem Republican Committee is being held on Wednesday, August 21st at Murray Jennex Sunset Park. Refreshments, clams, games and contests start at 3:00 P.M., and dinner will be served at 6:00 P.M. Visit with the State and County candidates, as well as many officials, who will be attending this affair. Tickets available from your GOP Committeeman, or Merwyn K. Atwood, Ticket Chairman, 409 Delaware Avenue, 439-5720.



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Force doing research to help evaluate the advisability and determine the implementation of keeping the University open for an additional summer term.

He was elected the honorary scholastic fraternity of Phi Beta Kappa and graduated cum laude. He is now enrolled in the Law School of the University of Virginia at Charlottesville, Va.

Congratulations, Roy!

The Spotlight Goes to School

Nursery School Openings

The Tri-Village Nursery School, Delmar, still have openings for four and five day/week enrollments, on both a traditional and cooperative basis. The school stresses development of self-reliance, social adjustment, and emotional growth. There are art and music activities, field trips, free play, stories, games and outdoor play.

For further information on hours, fees, etc., please call Kathy Francke, chairman, at 439-3102.

Vacation Church School

The First United Methodist Church of Delmar announces the schedule for Vacation Church School. The School, under the direction of Mrs. Helen Nickel, will be August 12 through 16 for two year olds through grade six. Classes will begin at 9:30 and run through 11 A.M. Students will be grouped as follows: two and three year olds; four and five; grades one through three and grades four through six. Early registration is encouraged by calling the church office, 439-9976. The School is open to all residents of the area.

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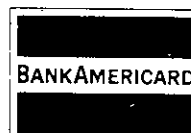
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Enjoy his performance August 14th. There is no admission charge.

Free Film Program

Once again the Voorheesville Public Library is presenting a free film program. The August series is entitled the "August Potpourri," potpourri meaning medley or mixture. Films on the

American Revolution, Greece, Turkey, the American Indian, and Russia will be shown. The last night of the Film Season in Voorheesville will feature mood films, which are short works done with the sole purpose of expressing a mood. Sports, man, and nature provide subjects on which a mood is built.

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August 8 — "The Aged Land" and "Turkey"

August 13 — "Custer: The American Surge Westward" and "Geronimo Jones"

August 15 — "The Kremlin"

August 20 — "Primordium", "Moods of Surfing", "Sky Capers", "Super Up", "Cry of the Marsh"

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Mario Lanza bellowing like a water buffalo mired in quick sand.

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great "Singin' in the Rain" is absolutely joyous.

So what if you have to watch Debbie Reynolds and Carleton Carpenter singing "Abba Dabba Honeymoon" — Judy Garland singing on key makes it all worth while.

Go — and bring the family.



C.S. BURRISS (right) VICE PRESIDENT of the Atlantic Cement Company accepts an autographed photograph of the Champion Ravena Warriors of the Pop Warner Football League in appreciation for the Company's continual financial support for the teams efforts. Making the presentation are players Charles Racey and Chris Bulliss. Looking on are team coaches Reggie Patterson and Thomas Hard, both employees of Atlantic Cement. The Warriors compiled a winning record last year and went on to win a post season invitational game. They have already begun registration for the coming season. The Warriors are one of many youth oriented activities supported by Atlantic Cement.

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Bethlehem Senior Citizens

This group of Senior Citizens, a leisure time organization, was formed in September, 1955, the second oldest group of Senior Citizens in the area. It meets during the summer each Monday, at 12:00 noon, in the Mid-

dle School Cafeteria on Kenwood Avenue. Mr. W. Jack Weaver, Coordinator of Activities, lives at 14 Adams Pl., Delmar and Mrs. Marguerite Morlock, 24 Crannell Ave., Elsmere, is the President.

"The Second Milers"

The Second Milers started out in 1964 as a group of 20 men who attended the Delmar Methodist Church. It has now grown to about 225 members and is non-sectarian. It began, and still remains, a strictly social group of retired men who are residents of the Town of Bethlehem and who meet once a month for lunch, fellowship, and entertainment. New members are sponsored by existing ones.

Delmar Community Orchestra

Mr. Cliff Allanson of 126 Marlboro Rd., Delmar is not one of the retired gentlemen who sits in his rocking chair whiling away the days! About 18 yrs. ago he joined the Delmar Community Orchestra which meets Mondays from early September through May. George Carpenter is president of the group of about 30-35 men which was formed approximately 40 years ago. Four times a year the orchestra presents concerts for charitable organizations.

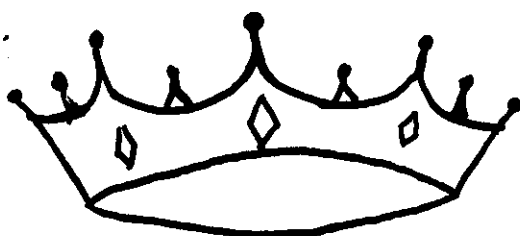
The Albany Senior Citizens Orchestra, or Capitol Area District Senior Citizens Orchestra, as it is sometimes called, meets each week the year round on Tuesday mornings at 25 Delaware Ave. This active group of about 50 members presents concerts to liven up the days of many shut-ins. Little Sisters of the Poor, the Albany Nursing Home, Mary Immaculate, County homes and many others have enjoyed their presentations. In August they will visit the Daughters of Sarah and in early September the Jewish Community Center.

Christmas in July?

Last year 400 patients at the Veteran's Hospital were presented with beautifully decorated containers filled with Holiday candy and cookies by "older" area residents and sponsored by the AARP. Because of the heart-warming response their gifts brought, our Bethlehem group has already undertaken the first step towards Christmas 1974! 724 cans are decorated and waiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton

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The American Association for Retired Persons

The Bethlehem Tri-Village Chapter, #1598, of the American Association for Retired Persons was formed on January 30, 1973 with 160 members. It is a Chapter of the national association which has over 6 million members. This Chapter now has its limit of 400 members. It was organized to help retired persons find purpose and security in their lives and be of service to the community. Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the month at the United First Methodist Church, Delmar. It is governed by a 15 member Board of which Mr. Arthur F. Ahr is President.

While its monthly programs provide entertainment and good fellowship they also bring to its members up to date information on income taxes, social security, legal problems, legislation affecting the elderly and insurance. Tours to interesting places have been arranged.

At Christmas time 400 decorated cans containing cookies and candy were delivered to the V.A. Hospital. The Chapter addressed envelopes for the Cystic Fibrosis appeal. With the cooperation of the Delmar Police Department, the N.Y. State Police and the District Attorney it sponsored 4 sessions on a Crime Prevention Program for the community.

Here & There

Sigler Attends Conference

Erasmus J. Sigler, of Delmar, Sales Representative of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's district sales office at 28 Colvin Ave., Albany, is at the LeChateau Champlain Hotel, Montreal, Canada this week for a business conference with officers and officials of the company.

Mr. Sigler, who lives at 311 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, had an exceptional sales and service record last year and is among the top-ranking members of Metropolitan's staff of 22,000 sales representatives in the United States and Canada.

Rescom Appointed Distributor

Rescom Security Services, Incorporated, was recently appointed the authorized distributor for Dictograph Security Systems and Dictograph Sentinel 4 Surveillance Programs in the Capital District area and the seven adjacent counties. Announcement was made by William H. Geary, president of the Rescom organization.

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bany and currently makes his home in Slingerlands. He was formerly a vice president of the Ayco Corporation and president of Cromwell Business Forms, Inc., both of Albany. He is a graduate of Colgate University and the Albany Law School, a member of the New York State Bar Association, Albany Country Club, Governor Clinton Council, Boy Scouts of America, and a Director of The Ayco Corporation.

Teenagers Complete Red Cross Course

Thirty-five teenagers successfully completed the recent Red Cross small craft safety

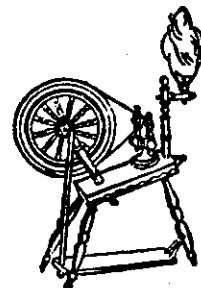
COVER STORY

AT FBI ACADEMY

CONGRESSMAN SAMUEL S. STRATTON is pictured on the steps of the United States Capitol with Police Sgt. Leo E. Dorsey of the Town of Bethlehem Police Force. Sgt. Dorsey, who is presently attending a special two month training course for police officers given at the FBI Academy in Quantico, Virginia, was in Washington for a brief visit with his Congressman.

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The class was visited by Bud Wilson, Director of Recreation for Bethlehe and Robert Carr, chairman of the Recreation mittee and Red Cross division chairman of water safety. This is the second year Raymond Patterson of Delmar — assistant director of water safety for the Albany Area Chapter, has conducted the popular course.

Found

One picture as reproduced here:



by a Glenmont resident after giving a ride to daughter's friends. Reply to the Spotlight, 154 Delaware Ave.

Three-Hour Course

The New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law requires that all applicants for driver's license must have taken the 3-hour Safe Driving Course. Proof of completed training must be presented at the time of scheduling the road test appointment. Bethlehem Central Continuing Education will offer this course on August 12 & 14 at the Bethlehem Central High School, Room 19A, at 7:15 P.M. You must have your learner's permit to be admitted to the class which consists of two 1-1/2 hr. sessions, 1-1/2 hours Monday evening and the other 1-1/2 hours Wednesday evening.

This course will be offered again Sept. 9 & 11. If further information is desired call 439-4905.

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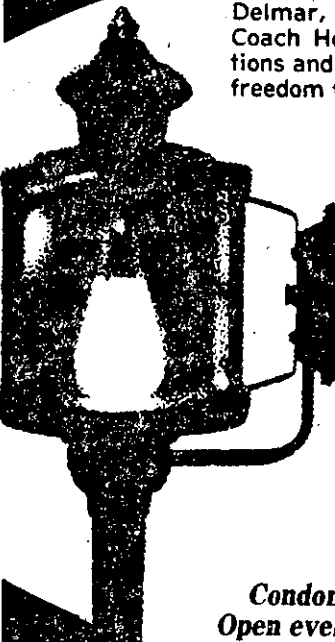


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Mary Lee Armao, James Bennett, Edwin Briggs, Nancy Boughton, Nancy Coughlin, Robert Davidson, Gladys Dawer, Robert (Tim) Dixon, Roberta Farrington, Robert Hayes, Sharon Henning, Leroy MacDonald, Dorothy Rivkin, John Sharpe, Robert Taylor, Norman Whaland.

Dolphins Win Again

The Dolphins together with the Woodlin and Kattskill Bay Swim Teams continue to dominate the Tri-City Swim League with identical 3-wins, 0-losses records.

First place winners for Delmar were:

8 and under age group — Janet Shaffer and Chris Brown.

9-10 age group — Jessica Follet, Tina Eckhardt and Chris Mackey.

11-12 age group — Donna Minick, Sam Neff, Lynn Draper, Kelly Brown, Mark Dean, Mike Nyilio, Suzy Friedlander.

13-14 age group — Martin Tomlinson, Andy Neff, Ken Neff, Kathy Evringham, Sue Young, and Sue Matterson.

15-17 age group — Dick Van Ryn, Steve Steele, Randy Sanderson, Jack Marr, and Skip Johnson.

In addition, all four (4) of the relay teams won 1st place.

Eberle Honored

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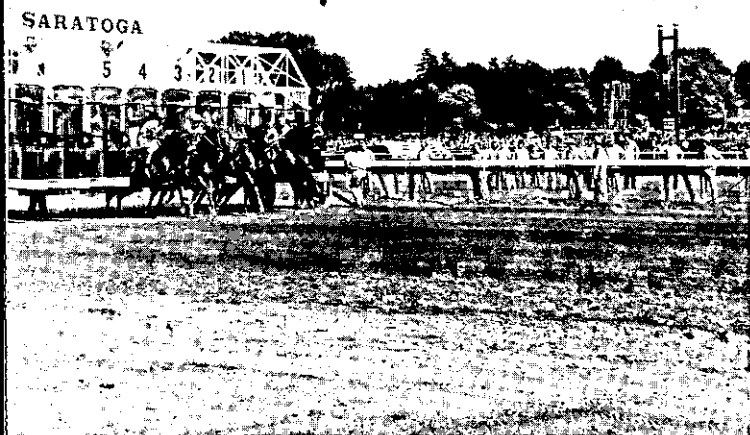
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Raised Curtain

Horses... horses... horses... were the main topic of conversation when the thoroughbreds began action here Monday, July 29. Top competitors from America's leading stables were out to capture their share of the prestigious stakes events and valuable purses offered by the New York Racing Association during the 24 day meet.

Bethlehem Senior Citizens

On Thursday, Aug. 15, 1974, the Lions Club will provide a picnic for members of the Bethlehem Senior Citizens. A bus will pick up members near their homes. This is a day of entertainment which the Lions Club furnishes to the Senior Citizens of Bethlehem each year. Members are taken to Thatcher Park, where a delicious lunch is served. They will enjoy an afternoon of games and cards, and the bus will bring them back to their homes.

On Aug. 19, 1974, a trip is planned to Dunham's Bay, Lake George. Bethlehem Senior Citizens will be picked up at their homes. A boat ride (one hour) can be arranged for those wishing to take the trip. The bus will take members to the pier for boarding. The return trip will be in the late afternoon when each member will be brought back to his home.

Miss Softball America Championship

Ravena will host the 1974

Miss Softball America New York State Championship Tournament this weekend with the Major League All-Stars of Colonie, Hoosick Falls, Ravena-Coeymans - Selkirk, Saratoga, Shenendehowa and Brunswick (Troy). The winning All-Star Teams will compete in the National play-offs which will take place in Anaheim, California at the end of August. Miss Softball America is in its third year in New York State, and is open to girls from 9 to 15. The games will take place in the

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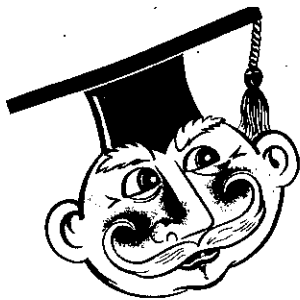
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Call 482-6443 and register.

Smith Invites Would-Be Girl D.A. to Albany
District Attorney Ralph W. Smith, Jr. was host Thursday to a Delmar Girl who lost out in her race for State District Attorney at the annual Girls' State held recently at Cazenovia College. She is Debra Cohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cohn, 115 Berwick Road, Delmar, and a senior at Bethlehem Central Schools.

Smith, a former Boys' Stater himself who found the event a rewarding experience, had written congratulatory letters to all



GILBERT J. MOLELLA, 35, of Ravena, has joined the staff at Frank Stolz Agency and will be working with Frank in selling insurance. Gil graduated from the Ravena High School in 1957 and from Siena College in 1961. In 1965 he joined the Hartford Insurance Co. in Delmar and worked as a representative until he was promoted to claim supervisor in Feb. of 1968. In June of 1973 he was promoted to claim manager of the Chicago Metro Claims Office which handles all the business in the center of Chicago. He was later sent to Rome, Italy for 6 months on special assignment to train three men in the quality control work. Gil is now residing at 66 Main St., Ravena.

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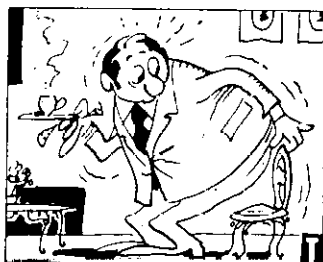
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Boy and Girl Staters from this area.

Miss Cohn, who was sponsored at the statewide event by the American Legion Auxiliary, Blanchard Post, Delmar, replied with a letter of her own in which she stated she ran for the statewide D.A. office at Girls' State and was defeated.



Avoid These Common Decorating Blunders

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1. DON'T over-accessorize. Lamps, ashtrays, vases, mirrors . . . it takes only one too many to go from charm to chaos. When in doubt, don't.
2. DON'T try to force co-existence on a variety of non-coordinating patterns. It's very unsettling to live in a battle of clashing designs.
3. DON'T hire just anybody

who says he or she is an interior decorator. Even reputable stores label sales personnel "decorators." To be sure you're working with a true professional, look for AID or NSID after the designer's name. It's a designation used only by those who have passed rigid qualification examinations.

4. DON'T use monochromatic color schemes in rooms with a northern exposure. Correct dull lighting with vibrant colors — yellows, oranges, reds cheer best.

5. DON'T buy chairs for charm alone. "Sit-test" for comfort and see that they literally measure up for weight and girth.

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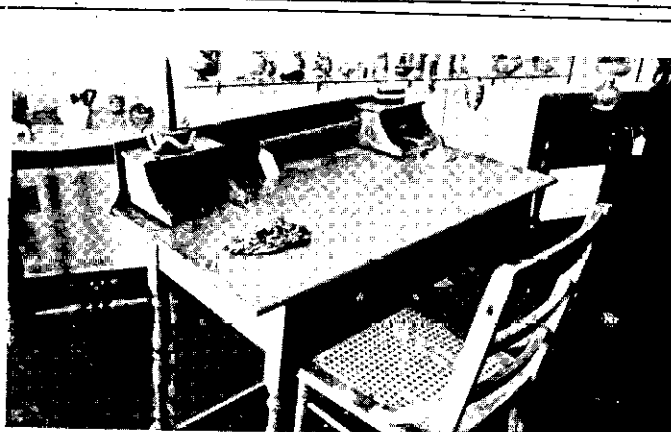


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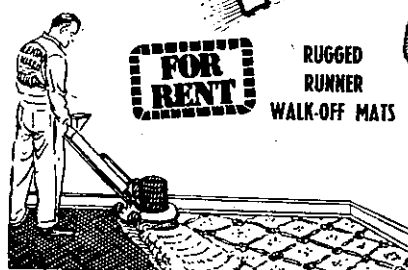
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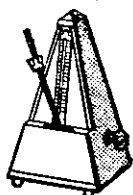
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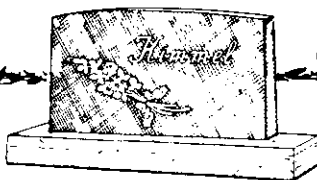
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Price, author of the new book *Get A Horse!*, published by the Viking Press. What Mr. Price points out is that owning a horse is neither as difficult nor as prohibitively expensive as it may seem at first. There are, however, certain fundamental facts that a potential horse owner should know — and these are what the book provides.

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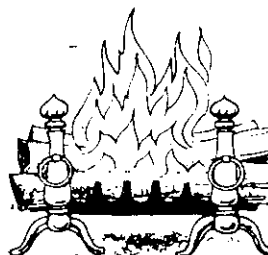
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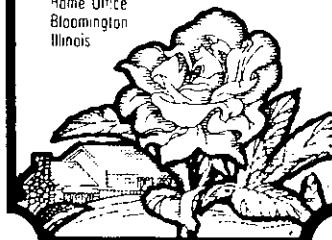
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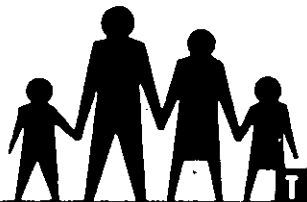


to selecting and buying the animal; from stable routines to safety rules; from feed and bedding to calling the vet. There is even a chapter on horse communes (as well as other alternatives to keeping a horse right on your property) and suggestions for group activities.

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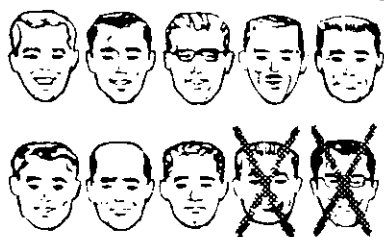
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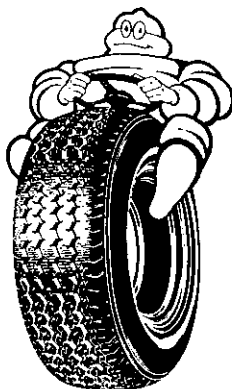
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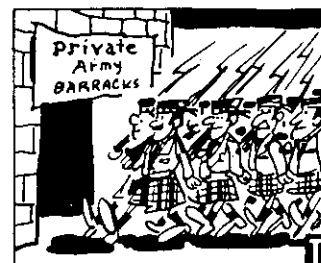
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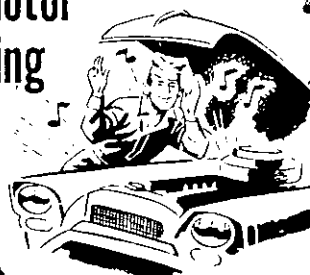
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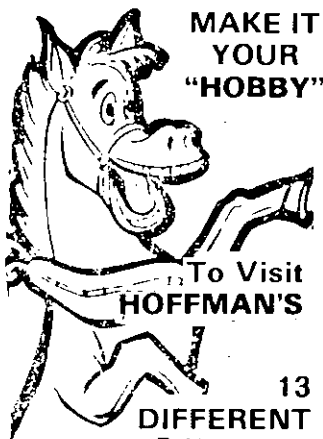
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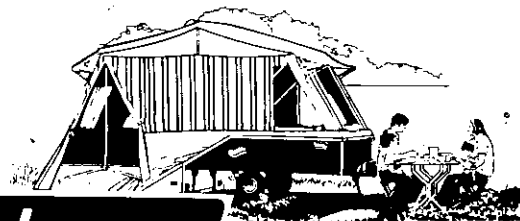
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Learn-to-Swim Program

On July 1, the learn-to-swim program sponsored by the Bethlehem Recreation Dept. began. I've started with about 60 boys and girls spread out into three one hours classes, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00. There are three instructors plus a supervisor, both in the Middle School and the High School. The instructors at the Middle School are: Wendy Weinberg, Michelle Lecakes, Cathi Byrns, and the supervisor is Polly Judd.

The program this summer lasts for 6 weeks. These weeks are divided into three sessions: first is beginners; second is

advanced beginners and intermediates; and third is advanced intermediates, swimmers, and junior lifesaving. The students are also fortunate enough to be able to ride in on buses which the Recreation Department has provided thru their funds. Boys and girls from Glenmont, Clarksville, So. Bethlehem, and Selkirk are able to attend because of the busing. Red Cross testing will be used to classify skill levels.

Monday we started our second session which we hope will be just as rewarding and successful as the first.

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Elm Avenue Park

During the month of July, attendance at the Elm Avenue Park has been at a seasonal high. The average attendance between July 1 and July 10 has been 1,250 per day with a record high of 2,000 on July 4.

The weather has been excellent for swimming and sunbathing and many residents of the Town of Bethlehem have utilized the park facilities during this period.

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Pre-School Program

The Pre-School Program has ended its two-week session at Slingerlands School and two of the eight continuous weeks it will be at the Hamagrael Elementary School. The program is run in connection with the Town of Bethlehem's playgrounds but services a younger group of children. Both sessions have so far enjoyed a daily arts and crafts project, outdoor games and stories. The children participated in a basic plant growing project; they planted seeds, nurtured the sprouts and watered their young plants daily. The Slingerlands group visited the Delmar Fire Department on July 12, while the Hamagrael group enjoyed a party and special outdoor races.

Registration is still open for the remaining morning sessions at Glenmont, Delmar, and Elsmere Schools and afternoons at Hamagrael. For more information and/or registering call Pat Corrigan at 439-3301.

Delmar Dolphins Win Again

The Delmar Dolphins hosted their second Dual Meet of the Tri-City League season at the Town of Bethlehem, Elm Avenue Park Pool. The competition this week was the Voorheesville Swim Club: the final score was Delmar — 310 and Voorheesville — 111.

First place winners for Bethlehem were:

8 and under — Janet Shaffer, 5 Free — 16.6 and 25 Breast — 2.0; Robin Neff, 25 Back — 1.5; Kathleen Henahan, 25 Fly — 21.8; Scott Draper, 25 Free — 19.5; Chris Brown, 25 Back — 23.9; John Henahan, 25 Fly — 22.6; and David Young, 25 Breast — 25.6.

9 and 10 — Kristi Carron, 50 Free — 37.0; Jessica Follett, 50 Fly — 45.0 and 50 Breast — 46.8; Jay Henahan, 50 Free — 33.0; Dean Meinert, 50 Fly — 44.2; and Chris MacKay, 50 Breast — 41.3.

11 & 12 — Elizabeth Young, 50 Free — 30.9 and 50 Back — 3.4; Donna Minick, 50 Fly — 5.5; Sue Matterson, 50 Breast — 38.8; Sam Neff, 50 Free — 9.1; and Mike Nyilis, 50 Breast — 41.4 and Diving.

13 & 14 — Suzy Friedlander, 50 Fly — 38.9; Susan Young, 50 Breast — 1:29.3; Andy Neff, 100 Free — 57.5 and 50

Fly — 29.7; Ken Neff, 100 Back — 1:07.6.

15 to 17 — Jackie Marr, 100 Free — 1:05.1 and Diving; Debbie Van Ryn, 100 Back — 1:17.0; Mark Delaney, 100 Free — 1:01.7; Steve Steele, 100 Back — 1:06.2; Len Steele, 50 Fly — 29.8; and Skip Johnson, 100 Breast — 1:10.6.

Summer Tennis

The Bethlehem Summer Tennis Program has grown and expanded each year since its start (with teachers such as John Stevenson and Bruce Echardt). This summer however the growth has been almost startling. Perhaps the increase in registration is due to the recent Tennis "boom", but whatever the reason, changes have had to be made to accommodate the growth.

John McCall is working as a full-time assistant to George Hatt to enable more children to receive the individual attention they need. John has coupled his teaching techniques with those of George (who benefitted from teaching under the supervision of Don Camp) to try to generate a more effective program.

In the morning clinics the format is the same basic strokes, rules, and courtesy rules being taught as always. However, there are now three clinics (formerly there were two) to allow for smaller classes. The first two clinics are for beginners and intermediates, and the third clinic gives beginners of high school age an opportunity for instruction.

The afternoon program gives advanced players, ages 9-17, a chance to receive instruction and compete in matches against other teams members and players from area clubs. Quite a few new and promising players have come out this year in addition to the many excellent players from past summers such as Bill Minnock, Matt Reich, Rick Robertson, Marty Metzler, and Carolyn Brown who have returned to complete. Already, home matches have been scheduled with Troy and Mohawk Country Clubs on July 25th and 30th.

Parents as well as interested residents may come and observe the morning clinics, and are especially encouraged to come to the matches to lend support to Bethlehem's Summer Tennis Team.

community corner

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Where: Thacher Park

When: Thursday, August 15

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