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

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**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 LaCasa, Selkirk, 6:30 P.M.

AARP meets 12:30 P.M., third Tuesday of month, Dethar First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Avenue, Delmar.

Rotary Club of Delmar meets every Tuesday night 6:15 at Schrafft's Motel.

The Delmar Community Orchestra rehearses every Monday evening from 7:30-9:30 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 Fuesday) 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 mooth at the Masonic Temple in Delmar.

**Glenmont Lions Club** meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at LaCasa Restaurant, Selkirk, 6:30 P.M. Visitors welcome. Info: Frank Muria, 767-2408.

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

8 P.M., monthly meeting, last Treyrsday of each month, Elsmere Fire Co. Bethlehem Lodge meets on 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every monthy bedies: Auxiliary meets on 2nd Wednesday of every month.

**Citizen Bend** Radio Club 1st Thursday. Third Tuesday at the Center Inn, Glenmont, 8:00 P.M. Mrs. John Silvia: 463-7675.

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**Every Sunday** at 2:30 P.M., lecture on inter personal relations at Scientology, 23 Rockefeller Rd., Delmar. Open to the public. For information 439-1810.

**Empire Motor** Sports Club, third Thursday each month at the Center Inn, Glenmont, 8:00 P.M. Lee Beauregard. 456-0019.

Great Dane Club of Greater Albany meets 2nd Fri. of the month, 8:00 P.M., Center Inn, Glenmont. Guests are welcome. Info: call 785-7253.

Bethlehem Senior Citizens meet every Thursday at 12:30 P.M. at the Coffee House on Adams St., Delmar.

**12 Noon**, several historical films, Bethlehem Library, Large Community Room, bring lunch, free coffee.

12:30 P.M., meeting, Bethlehem Senior Citizens, coffee house, Adams St.

8 P.M., meeting, New Scotland Democratic Women's Club, home of Marge Cootware, Tarrytown Rd., Clarksville.

12 Noon in the Large Community Room of the Bethlehem Public Library, several historical films. Bring your lunch. The Library will provide coffee.

Paper Drive by Youth Groups of Methodist and Reformed Churches, second Saturday of each month. Bring papers to Town Parking Lot next to Applebee Funeral Home, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Papers will be picked up from the elderly or infirm if you call either church office.

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

**12 Noon,** Luncheon, Senator Buckley, guest speaker. Sponsored by Beth. Women's Rep. Club at Albany Country Club, Wormer Rd., Guilderland. Reservations: 439-2415.

6:30, Registration for winter program, 7:30 meeting, Delmar Dolfins, National Commercial Bank.

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

All Day, Voorheesville Auction-Bazaar, Methodist Church, Voorheesville.

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

7:30 P.M., Bicentennial Program, Large Community Room, Beth. Library, by Robert Mulligan, free.

9:30 A.M., meeting, Progress Club, garden group, Bethlehem Library, Community Room.

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

7:30 P.M., movies, "Things to Come," for young adults (age 14 & over), free, Large Community Room, Beth. Library.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12

2 P.M., Movie, "Western Union," Beth. Library, free.

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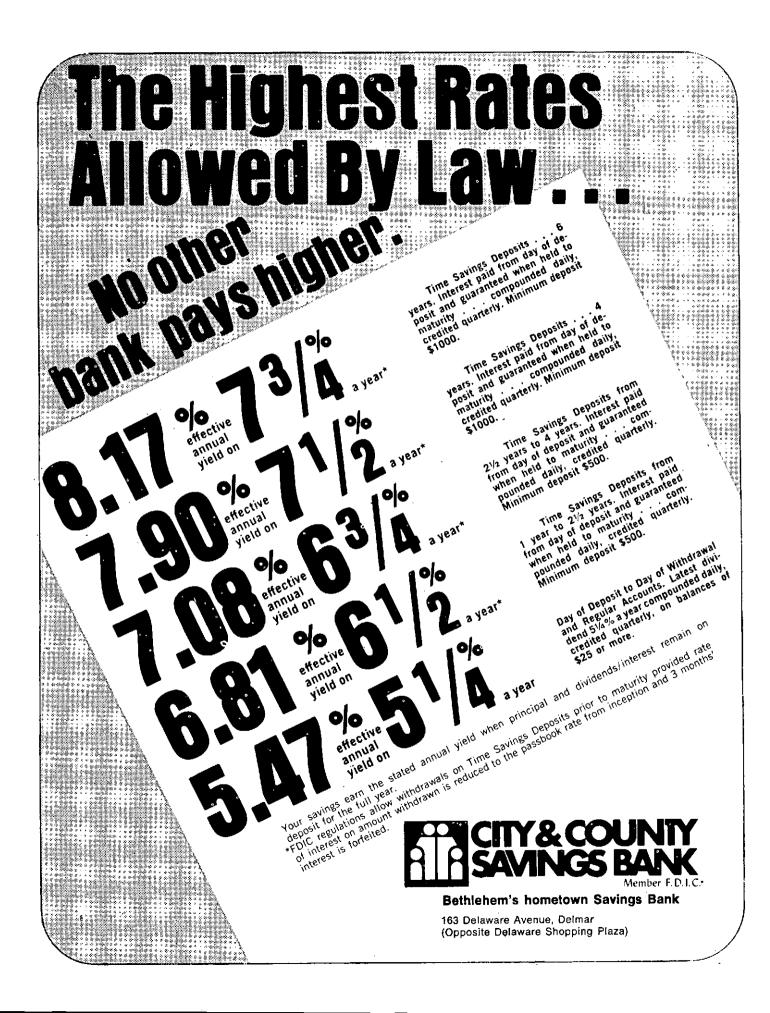
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# "HELP WANTED" from the people of the Town of Bethlehem SUGGESTIONS TO HOUSEHOLDERS

If you return home and find evidence that your home has been entered during your absence, do not enter, but telephone the police at once from a neighbor's phone. Leave everything exactly as you find it because you might destroy valuable evidence, such as fingerprints, before the police arrive. A good rule to remember is "KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN AND YOUR HANDS IN YOUR POCKETS," until the arrival of the police.

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Madame:

I was startled and then shocked by the half-page box which appeared on pg. 20 of your issue of September 18.

It was headed "Help Wanted" and read - incredibly! - like a handbill from the secret police of Apartheid South Africa or Nazi Germany.

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Public cooperation with the police is fine. This is something entirely different. Let the police catch the crooks and vandals without involving the public in this kind of dangerous and un-American idiocy.

I found your action disturbing and offensive. I would like to see this protest in print — since I am protesting for a number of other people as well as for myself — over your explanation and apology.

Otherwise, I will go to the Post Office Department; here, in Albany and, if necessary, Washington, to complain about what I consider highly irresponsible publishing.

David De Porte

# LIBRARY NOTES

Next Thursday, October 9th, the Bethlehem Public Library will be holding the first in a series of meetings in conjunction with the American Issues Forum, a nationwide dialogue for the Bicentennial year. Plan to be there at 7:30 p.m. in the Large Community Room, and pick up a booklist of reading for the Forum anytime in the Library. For further information, call the Reference Librarian at 439-9314.

## BICENTENNIAL PROGRAM

The Bethlehem Public Library is planning a special program for the Bicentennial on Tuesday evening, October 7th at 7:30 p.m. in the Large Community Room of the Library. The program, entitled "Albany County in The Revolutionary War" will be presented by Mr. Robert Mulligan, Jr., a curator at the museum in Rotterdam. Mr. Mulligan's program will focus on the involvement of this area in the American Revolution, and he will highlight his presentation with slides.

The program is free and everyone is welcome.



# PROGRAM Scheduled

A physical fitness proaram for men and women will be conducted on Monday and Thursday evenings beginning Monday, October 6, and Thursday, October 9. The Monday registration will take place at the Middle School Girls' Gym at 6:30 p.m. The Thursday registration will be conducted two days a week through out the Fall Program. For information pertaining to the program please call Mrs. Holbrook at 439-7190.



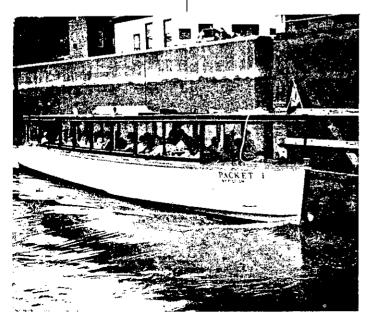
# HUDSON RIVER GONNA RISE AGIN

By Polly McIntyre

Turgid, oil-slick, stupor, ignored and abandoned by all but freighters for years, our fantastic river is really, finally, emerging into an exciting recreational resource. Canoes, yachts, sailboats, families fishing from shore and rowboat, even swimming below New Baltimore, are becoming frequent sights. The fish are coming back. Bethlehem andGreen Island have already developed riverfront parks. And prime rib dinner cruises started this year operating out of Poughkeepsie

every evening, proving so popular that they are booked 3 weeks in advance. The firm expects to expand to include cruises, charters and private parties out of Albany next spring.

We've been poking around the river for years, begging our way into Norwegian oil and Russian grain freighters for guided tours by the radio operator, who speaks English. Captain of the ship full of Volkswagens from Wolfsburg confided that he drives a Ford Falcon. Even sitting in a rowboat at our Cedar Hill Park, one gets the feeling that the entire world is just down the river.





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from swirling into the middle as the lock emptied. We passed the new Rensselaer County sanitary & industrial sewerage treatment plant, the gleaming white modern Troy City Hall, wedged between crumbling and restorable industrial buildings, the now-operating Cluett Peabody, Ford Motor Co., Matton Shipyard; slag heaps, islands, ducks, seagulls saw the tide rise, and much more. Some addresses for your notebook: Hudson-Mohawk Industrial Gateway, 5 First St., Troy 12181, phone 274-5267 for next spring's guided tour and membership information. Mid-Hudson Navigation, Haviland Shopping Center, Rt. 9G, Hyde Park, N.Y. 12538, phone 914-229-7811 for information on charters and daily cruises out of Poughkeepsie. This even beats owning

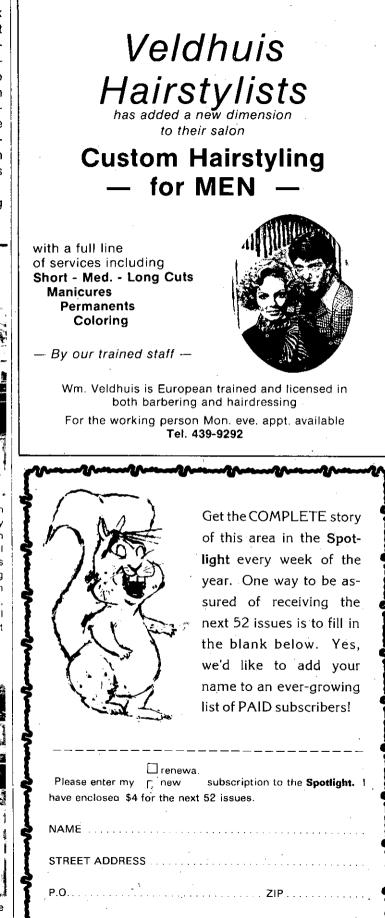
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A SPECIAL PROGRAM — aimed at making school crossing safer for Town of Bethlehem students will be inaugurated at all of the Town's elementary schools. Supervisor Harry H. Sheaffer said, "The steady rise in traffic on our streets and highways is making walking between home and school increasingly hazardous." The Bethlehem Police Youth Division is sponsoring and directing an "in-service" and "on-the-job" training program for all school guards. Special instructions will also be given students at all school crossing locations by Sgt. Pat Dorsey. In the photo, taken by James Fuller, are Sgt. Pat Dorsey, and Elsmere Elementary School Principal, Richard J. Herrmann explaining the proper way to cross a street to the children.



Shown in the picture is Detective Marvin C. Koonz of the Bethlehem Police Youth Division stopping traffic during the safety program at the Elsmere Elementary School.



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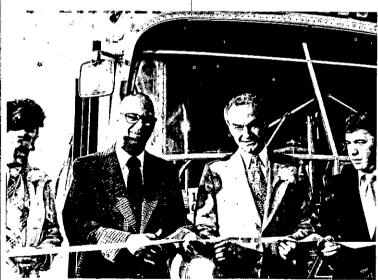
A Delmar woman, Ms. Jo-

Ann Unright, 139 Elsmere Avenue, has been initiated into membership in Delta Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, international society of women educators.



WILLIAM JACKSON, of Altamont, and his daughter, Pamela, try out one of the ponies that will be a feature at the Voorheesville Auction-Bazaar on Saturday, Oct. 4. The all-day event, held on the grounds of the Methodist Church, also offers movies and games for the kids.

Attractions for the youngsters is only part of it, however. An auction is scheduled for 11 A.M. and more than 15 booths will be selling, at low-low prices, items of every description. Food aplenty will be available at the "super garage sale."



OFF AND RUNNING — The Capital District Transportation Authority's new 17X Slingerlands-Campus Express service went into operation Monday, September 22, on a 90 day trial basis. Cutting the ribbon to kick off the new service are Eileen Sullivan, CDTA member representing Albany County; Harry Sheaffer, Bethlehem Town Supervisor; John K. Mladinov, Executive Deputy Commissioner, New York State Department of Transportation; and Andrew F. Capoccia, CDTA member representing Albany County. Passengers on the innaugural run were greeted at the State Office Campus by Major Erastus Corning 2nd of Albany and Gen. Hamilton D. South, CDTA member representing Albany County. The new Express Service is geared to the needs of Elsmere-Delmar-Slingerlands residents who work at the State Office Campus. In addition to serving the State Office Campus, the express bus also operates to the State University's uptown campus.



Ms. Unright was formally initiated into the local chapter at its first meeting of the season held at Sept. 20 the Gideon Putnam hotel in Saratoga.

The new chapter member this year began duties in a new post, Supervisor of English in the Albany school system. Previously she taught the academically talented classes in English at Hackett Middle School. She holds bachelors' and masters' degrees from SUNY in Albany.

Delta Kappa Gamma membership includes women educators in various fields of education who have made outstanding contributions to their profession.

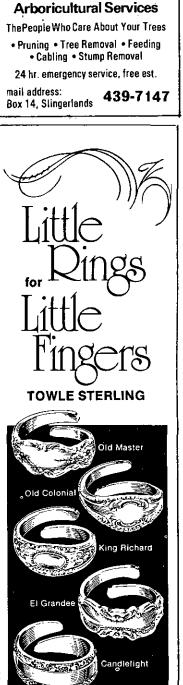
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# BICENTENNIAL KICK-OFF

THE KICK-OFF CAMPAIGN of Bethlehem and the Bicentennial got underway Friday, September 19, 1975. The start of the year-long observance of the American Revolution was marked with souvenir buttons, colonial costumes, flags, decorations, a stone marker, advertised specials, punch, cookies, programs and plenty of rain. But even the rain couldn't dampen the spirits of the participants and spectators who assembled at Town Hall that historic day After presenting Town Supervisor Harry Sheaffer with a Bicentennial flag and scroll, Mr. Neal Moylan addressed some brief remarks to a jam-packed audience which consisted of students and residents of the the Town of Bethlehem. Mr. Moylan, a member of the New York State Bicentennial Commission, told his audience of the importance of this area to the colonists during the American Revolution. He also indicated that the designation of the Town of Bethlehem as a "Bicentennial Community" is not easily attained. He commended the work of the Bethlehem Bicentennial Committee, an organization comprised of representatives of the various clubs and civic groups throughout the town.

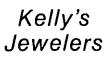
The rain had tapered off by 6 P.M. that evening down at the Cedar Hill Park. The half-hour program was marked with colonial music by the Village Fife and Drum Corps, an invocation by the Rev. Charles H. Kaufuss, and the unveiling of the marker dedicating the area "Henry Hudson Park at Cedar Hill." Henry Hudson (Sgt. Pat Dørsey) greeted the audience of about 150 people who braved the weather; and yes, there was even an indian who paddled up the river in his canoe. The Indian has yet to be identified.

The Bethlehem Bicentennial Committee under the leadership of Mrs. Ruth Bickel invites your organization to participate in celebrating our nation's bigentennial. The next general membership meeting will be held MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1975 at 8 P.M. at the National Commercial Bank and Trust Company's Community Room — Delmar Office. Don't let this opportunity pass you by; after all, a Bicentennial only comes around once every 200 years. Hope to see you there. photo by Jim Fuller



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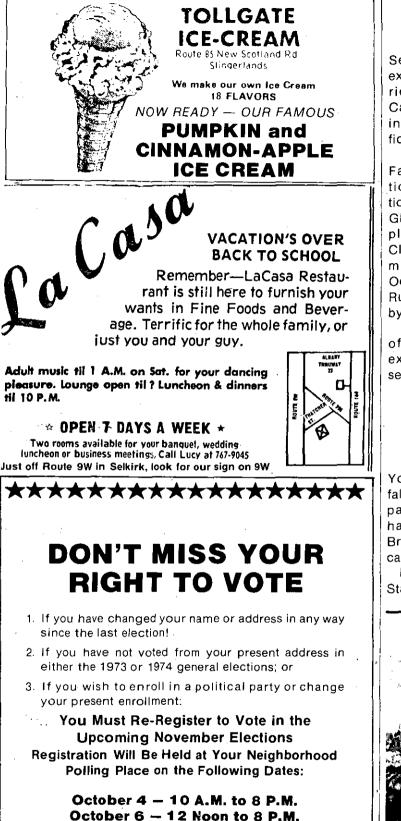
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# POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The United States Postal Service has announced examinations for Clerk-Carrier and Substitute Rural Carrier of Record positions in the Glenmont, Post Office.

Postmaster Ms. Edna Falkner said that applications and further information are available at the Glenmont Post Office. Application forms for the Clerk-Carrier examination must be submitted before Oct. 3, and for the Substitute Rural Carrier examination by October 8.

Applicants will be notified of date, time and place of examinations and will be sent sample questions.

## DIVISION CHAIRMEN ANNOUNCED

Chairmen for the New York State division of this fall's 1976 United Way Campaign of the Albany Area have been announced by Brooks R. Barvoets, general campaign chairman.

Heading the New York State division as chairman



Comm. James P. Melton

is, James P. Melton, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles. Vice chairmen are Raymond T. Schuler, Transportation Commissioner and Joseph E. McDermott, president of the Albany Region CSEA.

In their voluntary posts, Melton and Schuler will oversee the giving of 67 New York State agencies and McDermott will coordinate the campaign among CSEA members. One of the key divisions of the campaign, the 1976 goal for New York State is \$482,200. This represents a 3.4% increase over what was raised by state employees last year.



THE ABOVE PICTURE illustrates the result of proper care, watering and feeding, of the plants in the flower boxes, provided the merchants in the Village, by the Delmar members of the Albany Men's Garden Club. This box shows the loving care by Tommy Spinosa at his barber shop at the Four Corners.



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## GAMBLE HEADS DEPARTMENT

Thomas O. Gamble, Jr.,



Thomas Gamble who graduated from The Albany Academy in 1945, recently joined the school as Business Manager. He is the son of the late Dr. Thomas O. Gamble, who was the Head of the Obstetric-Gynecology Department at the Albany Medical College and also a Professor at The Albany Medical College for many years. Mr. Thomas Gamble, Jr. received his B.A. from Williams College and his M.B.A. from Valdosta State College, Georgia. In 1973 he retired as a Lt. Colonel in the Air Force. after having been on active duty as a fighter pilot since his graduation from Williams. Mr. Gamble lives with his wife and two children in Delmar.

# TOURS PLANNED

The Faculty Wives Club of SUNY Albany will sponsor three tours as part of their fall activities. On October 2, the group will meet in the University library and then tour the Educational Communications Center. On November 6, the group will meet at Draper Hall and tour the Hawley Library; and on December 4, the tour will take place in the Performing Arts Center.

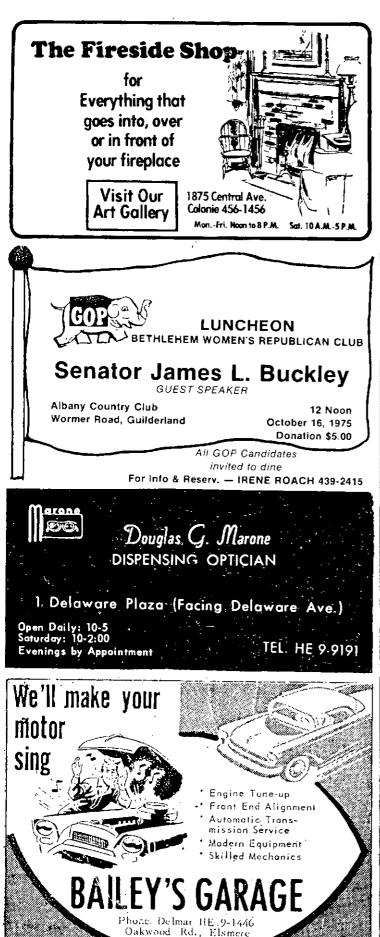
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## NEW SWIM COACH

The Delmar Dolfin Swim Club will begin their winter season with the first swim practice on October 7 at the Bethlehem Central Middle School on Kenwood Ave., Delmar. For information about workout times and about joining the group, call Dolfin President Charlie Neff at 439-0827.

The Dolfins, who are Tri-Ciy Champions and whose boys and girls' teams won first and second place respectively in the A.A.U. District Championships at summer's end, will be under the direction of Coach Gary Karl this year. Mr. Karl hails from Scotia and has recently served as coach of the Glen Hills Swim Club.

A graduate and Dean's List Student at Hamilton College, he has had extensive experience in water sports, both as a competitor and a supervisor. In addition to nine years of age-group swimming for Schenectady



New Delmar Dolfin Swim Coach, Gary Karl

YMCA and Schenectady Swim Club, Gary was a four year letterman on the Varsity Swim Team in College, serving as Captain in his Senior year and also participating in the water polo club.

Coach Karl hopes to teach the swimmers the value of self discipline as a result of their participation and plans to stress sportsmanship and team cooperation as a means to cultivate a positive attitude towards all sports so that physical activity can be



THE GOD AND COUNTRY AWARD was presented to James C. Smith during the Sunday morning worship service in the Third Reformed Church on September 28 at 11:00 A.M. He devoted two years to fulfill all of the requirements for this Boy Scout Award, which is presented to him on the basis of personal piety and service in his Church. He is also a candidate for th Eagle Scout badge. From left to right His parents, Hazel and Arthur Smith, His Pastor, the Reverend Ernest Crounse, and Boy Scout James C. Smith.

employed as a recreational outlet throughout their lifetimes.

Young Dolfins are in for an eye-opener of a swim season!

## THREE-HOUR DRIVING COURSE

The New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law requires that all applicants for driver's license must have taken the Three-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 Oct. 6 & 8. 1975 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 hour sessions, 1-1/2 hours Monday evening and the other 1-1/2 hours Wednesday evening.

This course will be offered again Nov. 3 & 5, 1975. If further information is desired call 439-4921.

#### SHOPPER'S MART

For the benefit of St. Margaret's House and Hospital for Babies, there will be a Shoper's Mart, held at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Hackett Boulevard in/Albany, on October 7, 8, 9. St. Margaret's is upstate New York's only certified institution specializing in the longterm care of mentally and physically ill infants and small children. For the past five years, to raise extra monies for these children, the hospital board has sponsored the Shopper's Mart. As in the past, the stores represented this year are all from out-of-town, to give area residents a chance to purchase specialized and exclusive merchandise not readily available locally.

The names of the shops participating this time are The Carriage Trade of Manchester Center, Vermont; Emgee of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii; The Gooseberry, Manchester, Vermont; The Kid's Store, Benninaton, Vermont; Linekin Bay Fabrics, Philadelphia, Penn.; Mia, Arvada, Colorado; Nimble's, Woodstock, Vermont; St. Margaret's Boutique; Southwick's, Ltd., Manchester, Vt.; Walker's, Chatam, New York, The Hospital receives a commission on all sales.

New to the Mart this year will be a cheese-tasting party on Oct. 8 from five to seven. Admission is free.

Mrs. John P. Harcourt, Jr. is the chairperson of the 1975 Mart. Mrs. E. Stewart Jones, Jr. is co-chairperson, and Mrs. Richard Gerrity is Treasurer.

**CHILDREN &** 

THEIR MUSIC

of the Albany Jewish Com-

munity Center's Children's

Department, has announced

that Fran Miller of Guild-

erland, will be teaching two

classes of MUSIC FOR EAR-

LY CHILDHOOD. The con-

tent of the course will in-

clude sound, perception,

music and movement, the

autoharp and rhythm, vol-

ume, tempo, beat and pitch.

The class is open to 3 to 5

year olds and will be held on

Friday's at the Center, 340

Whitehall Road, from 1:15-

2:15 p.m. and 2:30-3:30 p.m.

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READING course is being offred at the Albany Jewish Community Center, 340 Whitehall Road, beginning Thursday, October 9. This course will run for 6 weeks. Registration is going on NOW and will be possible until the week of October 6.

Also being offered at the Center are approximately 30 different 8 week classes: Health, Heart & Diet, Sewing, Macrame, Bridge, Photography, Pottery, Drawing & Painting, Woodworking, Folk Dance, Modern Dance, Ballroom Dance and Physical Fitness, For Parents Only, Swedish Rya, Batik, Copper Enameling, Household Handyman and Law for Laymen.

For more information, contact Gail Klein, 438-6651.

## NURSING SEMINAR

Mrs. Mary Rider, Director of Nursing for Medical Per-

Thought For The Week:

"No man ever injured his eyesight by looking on the bright side of things."

ina homes.

ANONYMOUS

sonnel Pool in Albany, has

just returned from Fort Lau-

derdale. Florida where she

participated in an educa-

tional seminar along with

other Directors of Nursing

representing 92 other Medi-

cal Personnel Pool offices

The topics of discussion

included the present health

care field with special em-

phasis on quality nursing

care, new trends in nursing.

national health legislation,

legal aspects of nursing, and

new ways in which to pro-

vide greater availability of

nursing care in the home for

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#### EXPANDS BUSINESS

William Veldhuis, owner of Veldhuis of Holland Hair Stylists, Elsmere, will expand his business to include hair cutting and styling for men. Repeated requests from his present clientele to cut and style their husbands' and sons' hair gave Mr. Veldhuis the impetus to enlarge his business to include hair styling for men. He received his license for men's hair styling from the State of New York in September of 1975.

Mr. Veldhuis began his training in 1940 in Europe. From 1950 to 1952 his experience included working in both the men's and women's salons on the luxury liner. SS Van Barneveld on its runs from Amsterdam to Indonesia. In 1954, he came to the United States from his native country, the Netherlands. He worked at the Vanity Fair Beauty Salon in Albany until he established his own business at 154A Delaware Avenue, Elsmere in 1962. During the years he worked in Albany, Mr. Veldhuis was quest demonstrator at the Rutland, Vermont State Hairdressers' Convention and also for the Albany Haircutting and Frosting Assolation, Affiliate No. 7.

Mr. Veldhuis has been a U.S. Citizen since 1962 and a resident of Delmar for 20 years. He lives with his wife, Marian, and their four children at 23 Harding Avenue, Elsmere.

## MEET THE CANDIDATES

Mrs. Clayton T. Bardwell, the newly elected President of the Bethlehem Women's Republican Club announces that Senator James L. Buckley will be the guest speaker at their annual "Meet the Candidates" Luncheon on October 16, Albany Country Club, sponsored by Bethlehem Women's Republican Club.

# OCTOBER MEETING

The October meeting of the Altar Rosary Society of St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Delmar, will take plae on Wednesday, October 15th, at 7 o'clock p.m. in the School Auditorium. Reverend James D. Daley will install the new officers for the 1975-76 term. The new officers are:

President – Mrs. James F. Blendell

Vice-President — Mrs. Arthur Roberts

Recording Secretary — Mrs. Arthur Wendth

Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. J. Alan Davitt

Treasurer -- Miss Rita Gagnor.

The evening will begin with a Smorgasbord Dinner, catered by Home Town Bakery of Cohoes. Reservations must be made by October 13th. Mrs. Paul Gratzel is in charge of all arrangements for the installation meeting and tickets for the dinner may be had from her or any of the officers and also by calling Mrs. M. Morlock at 439-4496.

After the dinner, Rev. Daley will install the new officers and the evening will be concluded with a showing of slides of the Living Rosary.

Dinner will begin promptly at 7 o'clock p.m. in the auditorium of the school. Circle Wednesday, October 15th, 7 p.m. on your calendar, and bring a friend.

# PDQT MEETS

Supervisor Sheaffer met with Rich Endreny of People Deserve Quiet Trucks to discuss the noise problem in the heavy trucking area around Selkirk. The meeting was a response to the 500 family petition submitted last October. A current basis for action is new federal truck noise standards which take effect October 15.

PDQT reports that Sheaffer understands the area's noise problem and the way the new U.S. standards can help. It was seen that town enforcement could hasten compliance and support steady efforts at quiet trucking in residential areas of Town.

The Supervisor asked the Town Attorney to investigate the legality of local truck noise limits and plans to confer with PDQT in early October. PDQT says that loan of a noise meter and training in enforcement can come from the NYS DEC Bureau of Noise Control. PDQT expects a time table can soon be set for Town involvement in limiting truck noise in Bethlehem.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!

The gavel was turned over to Ray Starr, Saturday night, September 27, at the Bethlehem. Grange Installation of Officer's Meeting.

Arthur V. Smith, of Selkirk, received a Past Master's Pin from Master Starr after having served 4 years. I would like to congratulate him for his fine service to the Grange. He was also the one who talked me into joining and I have enjoyed the years that I have been a member.

Well, again congratulations to the new Master and other officers and a big congratulations to my father-inlaw, Arthur Smith, for a job well done.

Mrs. Wayne (Susanne) Smith

The Spotlight Goes to School

### CELEBRATES 30th YEAR

On September 15th Tri-Village Nursery School opened its doors for its 30th year of education in the Tri-. Village area.

Now located in the Methodist Church at 438 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, Tri-Village is a non-sectarian school for 3 and 4 year olds.

Before receiving its certification from the N.Y.S. Board of Education, the School had several locations, after having been started by a group of concerned parents who had a common interest in the development of their children and shared this common bond by making their own toys and finding a common place to meet. This basic ideal is still present 30 years later as, Tri-Village Nursery School is a Co-operative School so that parent and child can interact with each other within the learning experience.

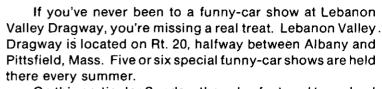
A Birthday Party and Open House was held on September 10 at the school to open the school year and to acquaint parents with the school, its facilities, its teachers and staff.

Chairperson f o r this school year is, Mrs. Laurel Cahill, Teachers are, Mrs. Mary Caruso and Mrs. Grace Ridsdale, with Mrs. Shirley Kullman, teacher's aid.

Any questions concerning the school or enrollment requirements can be made by contacting Mrs. L. Cahill at 439-3534.

# A Day at the Races

# by Jim Fuller

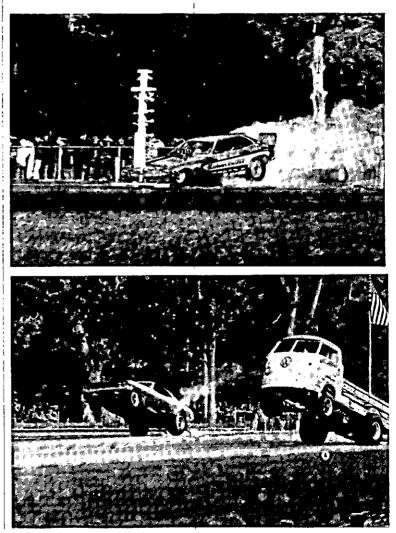


On this particular Sunday, they also featured two wheel stander cars. These cars go the entire length of the 1/4 mile track on their back two wheels, using a system of brakes to steer with. They do this in a mere 8 to 10 seconds at about 130-140 mph. The two wheel standers that were there last Sunday were the world's fastest truck called the "Chuck Wagon," owned by Chuck Poole and the "Hemi Under Gear."

A funny-car is an eighteen hundred horse power car with a fiberglass body. They run the quarter-mile track in an unbelievable 6 seconds at speeds of over 200 mph. Remember that these cars are starting from a dead stop at the beginning of the 1/4 mile.

I promise you a real thrill if next year you go out to the Dragway and see one of the several funny car shows.

Regular drag racing is held every Sunday at 2:00, with time trials starting at 10:00 A.M.

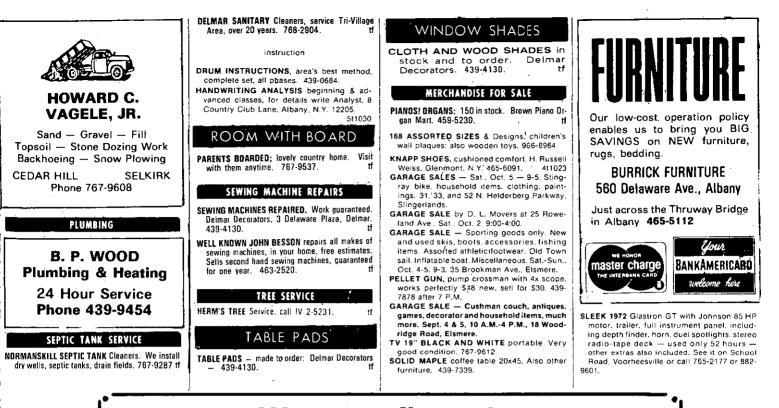




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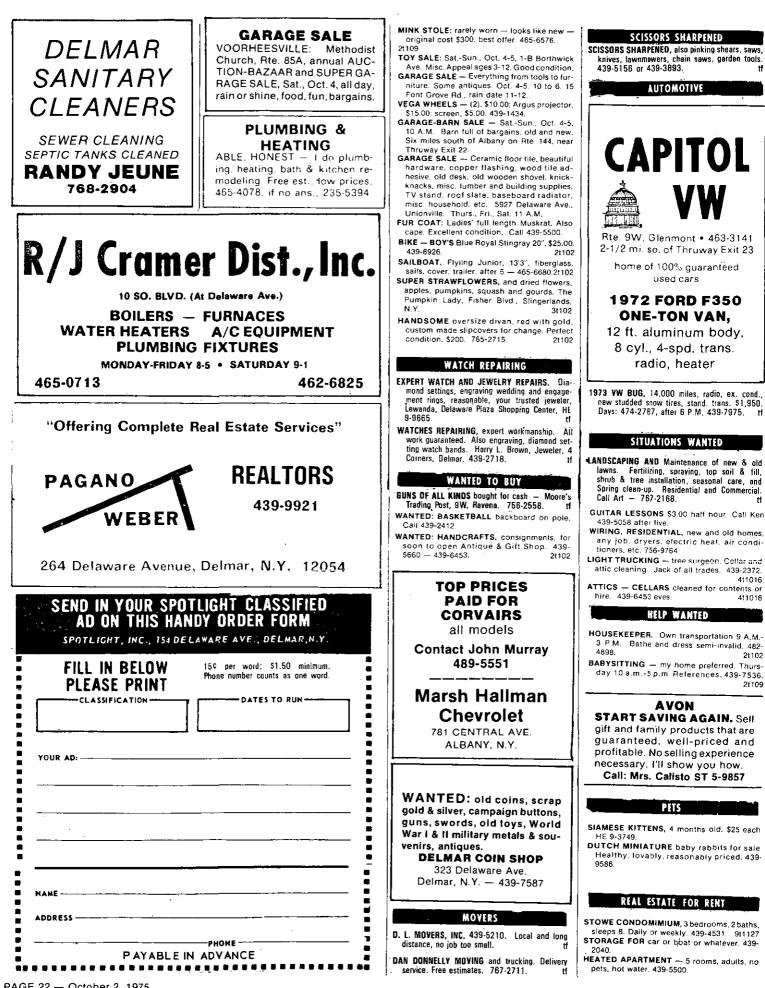
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SPECIAL DEMONSTRATION, FIREMATICS AND RESCUE, at the Bethlehem Middle School Sat., October 4, 9 to 1 p.m., for all to observe and take part in. All voluteer Fire Departments throughout the town will participate. Guests will be Snoopy, Sparky the Fire Dog and Smokey the Bear.



REVEREND JAMES D. DALEY and the new officers of St. Thomas Altar Rosary Society outline the program for the year and are making preparations for the Smorgasbord Supper — to take place in the school auditorium, Wednesday evening, October 15th at 7 P.M.

Left to right, seated — Vice-President, Mrs. Arthur Roberts; President, Mrs. James Blendell; Corresponding Sec., Mrs. J. Alan Davitt. Standing — Treasurer, Miss Rita Gagnor; Moderator Rev. James D. Daley; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Arthur Wendth.

# SPOTLIGHF on community corner

# FIREFIGHTING

What: Demonstrations in Firefighting and saving lives

When: Saturday, October 4; 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Where: Bethlehem Middle School

10All youngsters and adults in our Town are invited to be guests of the Town of Bethlehem Fire Officers Association for four hours of safety demonstrations in Fire Fighting, Saving of Lives and First Aid. All your volunteer Fire Departments throughout the Town will participate — North Bethlehem, Slingerlands, Delmar, Elsmere, Selkirk No. 1, Glenmont No. 2, and South Bethlehem No. 3. Special guests to be on hand to meet you and your family will include "Snoopy," "Sparkey the Fire Dog" and "Smokey the Bear."

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Pepsi Cola, 16 oz., 6/pack 99¢	
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In past weeks we have shown you only a few examples of FAVORITISM in tax assessments granted to FRIENDS OF TOWN HALL. Actually, there are HUNDREDS of UNDERASSESSED properties. There are also many which are OVERASSESSED.

Your assessment determines HOW MUCH town and school taxes you pay. It is set by the Republican Assessor appointed by your all-Republican Town Board. FOR MANY YEARS they have used the same OLD and VERY LOW ASSESSMENTS as a tool to get votes and keep ONE-SIDED control of Town Hall. This means that the rest of us must pay HIGHER TAXES to make up for those who are favored by TOWN HALL and DO NOT PAY THEIR FAIR SHARE.

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