

# The Spotlight

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## Board breaks its tie on wastewater plan

By Tom Howes

Voorheesville village board voted 3-2 last Tuesday to approve the waste-water facilities plan prepared for the village by Clough, Harbour and Associates. Trustee Douglas DeDe's affirmative vote broke a 2-2 tie carried from the board's May meeting when members deadlocked on the issue in DeDe's absence.

Mayor Milton Bates and Trustee Daniel Reh also voted for the measure, which calls for village take-over of the privately owned Salem Hills wastewater facility and upgrading its capability to include services to a central portion of the "old" village.

Trustees Richard Langford and Larry Dedrick voted no, even though they said they accepted Clough, Harbour's recommendations. Both board members believe residents of the Salem Hills subdivision and the old village should be allowed separate referendums on the issue, as the board initially promised. State law prohibited such a vote.

Under the plan, in order to begin the project Voorheesville must become eligible for and receive federal and state aid at their current levels of 75 and 12½ percent, respectively. Eligibility for assistance is determined by a point system, and, at present, Voorheesville's 112 points fall below the 137 point minimum. A revised list is expected Oct. 1.

Whether eligible or not for the larger plan, the board is pursuing acquisition of the Salem Hills Sewerage Corp. from developers Rosen and Michaels. Informal talks have already taken place,

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according to Bates, but the village is waiting for an appraisal of the existing facility before sitting down formally with the developers.

The board expects an appraisal from Industrial Appraisers Co. within a month, according to Bates. If the board is unable to acquire the facility through an agreement with the developers, Bates said, it will undertake a legal condemnation of the facility.

In other action, the board unanimously voted to purchase its workman's compensation insurance from Perma, a newly formed profit-sharing organization run by the Conference of Mayors and underwritten by Frank B. Hall of Conn. The board ends a 35-year association with The Hartford, represented by Burt Anthony.

Although both companies offered bids of \$6,800 for the contract, Perma's profit-sharing incentive provides an opportunity to recoup some of that cost.

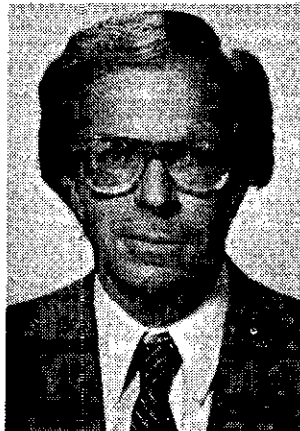
"If we experience a good accident experience rate," said DeDe, "we'll share a greater disbursement of profits." Voorheesville's 1.3 percent experience modification rate is well below the company's 35% maximum allowable for profit-sharing.

The board also voted to purchase a Hole-Hog, a device that replaces water services. Although the machine costs

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Ronald A. Townsend



Thomas J. McCord



David C.W. Sawyer

## Albany insurgent takes on the GOP

By Tom McPheeters

A new candidate, with a six-year record of vigorous opposition to the Albany Democratic "machine," has entered the race for one of Bethlehem's three seats in the Albany County Legislature.

David C.W. Sawyer is no Republican, though. Until he moved to Delmar in 1980, he had served six years on the Albany Common Council as one of two "dissident" Democrats. Last week the Bethlehem Democratic Committee endorsed Sawyer to run in the new 36th District, which has no incumbent. Also endorsed were Ronald A. Townsend of Delmar in the 34th District, where he will face incumbent Republican Gordon Morris, and Thomas J. McCord of Glenmont, who will face another Republican veteran, Edward Sargent.

Committee Chairman Michael Breslin said the party would pick its slate for town races within the next two weeks.

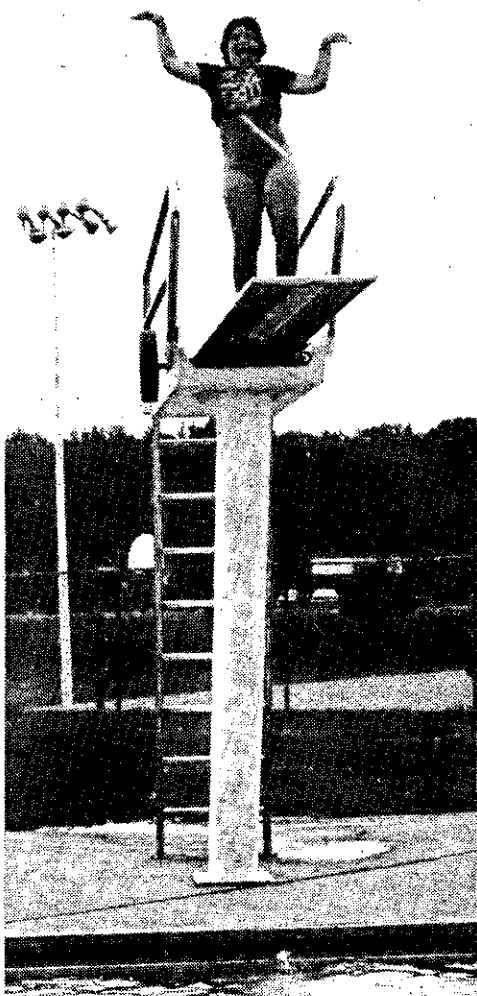
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Breslin said the Democrats will raise the issue of effectiveness, contending that the minority Republicans in the legislature (under Morris's leadership) have made a great deal of noise, "none of which has been to any productive end."

The Bethlehem Democrats, faced with a three-to-one disparity in voter registration and a persistent "image" problem because of their big-city cousins, have had little success cracking the town's solid Republican stronghold.

Sawyer, at least, should have little to worry about in the image department. He was the first of the "insurgents" to win election in Albany, defeating a party candidate in 1974 in the city's Pine Hills

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Many Bethlehem residents shunned crowded highways on the fourth in favor of Family Day at Elm Ave. Park, Delmar. Among them was an unidentified girl who mugged for the camera from atop the high board, two generations of Tom Browns enjoying the

park pool, and little Missy Liebman of Delmar, who enjoyed the clown perhaps more than Skip Parsons Riverboat Jazzband, which provided poolside entertainment.

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## Wastewater

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\$8,700, Trustee Langford noted that the village spent \$2,400 on one such repair to hire a contractor with a Hole-Hog last year. There are 12 leaks in need of immediate attention now, and town highway crews will do the work. Bates added the village faces another 40 to 50 water service repairs in coming years.

## Bastille Day

Historic Cherry Hill will remember the French Marquis de Lafayette and his stay at the Van Rensselaer home on South Pearl Street in Albany on Bastille Day — Thursday, July 14 — from 5 to 8 p.m. The fundraising event will be celebrated under a tent in the historic house-museum's backyard. House tours will also be conducted. Reservations are \$15. For information, call 434-4791.



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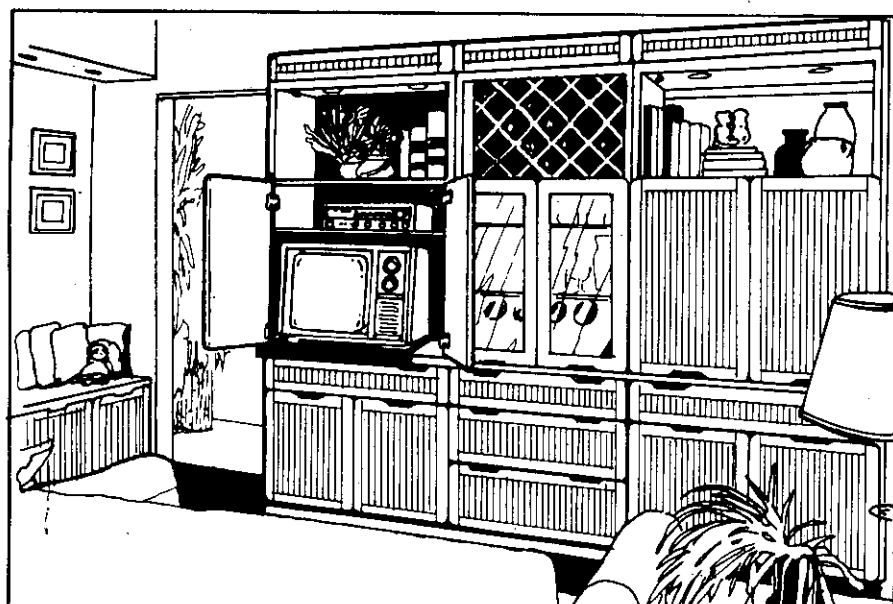
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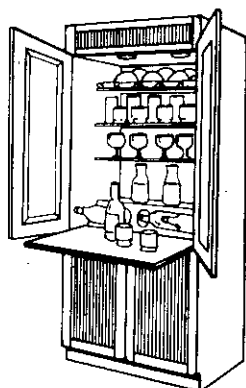
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## Candidates

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section. For six years, he patiently but firmly questioned fiscal and governmental practices on a common council that did not usually take kindly to questions of any sort.

"He will be super," Breslin said. "I'm very optimistic."

Sawyer, of 80 Fernbank Ave., is chief consumer service specialist at the state Public Service Commission, and served from 1971 to 1982 as a budget examiner in the state Division of the Budget. He is a graduate of Boston University and has done graduate work at the State University at Albany. He served four years in the Navy, and was discharged as a lieutenant.

The Albany Democrats have done Sawyer one favor — due to redistricting last year, the new 36th District (covering the western third of the town) has no incumbent, the Democrats having forced Morris and Sue Ann Ritchko into the same district. This year the Republicans are running a political newcomer, Robert Hoffmeister of Slingerlands, in the 36th.

The Democrats' other two candidates are also political newcomers, although for McCord, politics runs in the family. His wife, Patricia, has run unsuccessfully for town council and for town supervisor. She is currently the party's vice chairman.

McCord, of 9 Sussex Rd., Glenmont, is research director of the Traffic Safety Institute of SUNY Research Foundation, and is also a member of the adjunct faculty in public administration at the State University at Albany and at Russell Sage College. Prior to that he was research director for the state Division of Equalization and Assessment.

He has a PhD. in political science from the State University at Buffalo and has served on the faculty at the University of

Wisconsin and the State University at Buffalo.

Townsend, who lives at 4 Haddington La., Delmar, is a 20-year employee of the state Department of Taxation and Finance and is currently the director of the taxpayer assistance bureau. He has had experience in labor relations, including two years as president of the 3,000-member tax chapter of the CSEA.

He has been active in Little League and is a past state vice chairman of the Knights of Columbus. He is a graduate of Albany Business College and has completed the public executive project at the School of Public Affairs, State University at Albany.

### Working backwards

When Bethlehem Police stopped an 18-year-old Albany man and his two companions for a routine traffic violation early Saturday morning on Delaware Ave., all they had to do was follow the clues.

First was the driver's erratic progress that quickly led to a breathalyzer test and a driving while intoxicated citation. Then there was the flag found in the car; it had been uprooted earlier in the evening from a green at the Normanside Country Club. That led to a collection of criminal mischief and criminal possession of stolen property for all concerned. Finally, there were the hands of a large clock.

That was a bit tougher, but with the aid of Albany Police it was established that the evidence came from the clock atop Albany Academy. The three young men and the clock hands were turned over to Albany Police.

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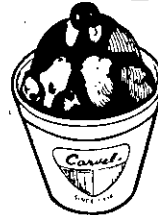
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# Hounding the town board

Sometimes what happens outside the meeting is more interesting than the meeting itself. The Bethlehem Town Board began its June 22 meeting dealing with a delegation of angry Catherine St. residents, and ended the evening watching a bloodhound chase the safety commissioner around town hall.

The Catherine St. residents were angry because their problem — a burned-out house — wasn't on the agenda. This despite what they took as promises at the board's last meeting that something would be done right away about 41 Catherine St., which has been sitting empty since a fire last January. The town board has the power to declare the building a safety hazard, tear it down and add the cost to the property taxes for the property.

But first there has to be a public hearing, and setting the date for the hearing was supposed to be on the agenda. "Mr. Flanigan thinks he's getting progress," explained Supervisor Tom Corrigan.

The responses from the half-dozen residents were skeptical and impatient. Moments later, just as the meeting was about to start, Building Inspector John Flanigan arrived and invited the residents into the hall. For the next 20 minutes their angry, anxious voices could be heard over the drone of town board routine.

Flanigan said later he decided to hold off based on word from Arcel Saint-Onge, a Valatia builder, that insurance ownership issues had been resolved and that he would shortly start rebuilding the house "exactly the way it was." Last week, Flanigan issued a building permit to Saint-Onge and said he would continue to monitor the situation.

Meanwhile, the town board was zipping through its agenda. It approved the purchase of an old house in the Henry Hudson Park for \$6,000 following the end of a permissive referendum period, it acknowledged a gift of nine trees at the Slingerlands Park from Harvey Westervelt of Bridge St., it granted a time extension on electrical work for pumping stations for the sewer extension project, and it worked out an agreement with contractor William Zacek of Delmar, who had been low bidder on a topsoil contract with the town and then found himself unable to deliver because of the wet weather. (Zacek agreed to make up the difference between his price and the

next highest bidder until he can make deliveries.)

The board also held two brief public hearings — one to put a stop sign on Forest Hill Rd. at its intersection with Thorndale Rd., and the other to extend the water district to a second section of Chadwick Square. Both measures were approved after the hearings.

Then it was Belker's turn. Belker is a 150-pound yearling bloodhound, the personal possession of Det. Colin Clark, but well on his way to becoming a member of the force. The town board recently voted to pay for a week of training in the Maryland mountains for Belker and Clark, and the two of them were on hand to report Wednesday.

The week, said Clark, was "too short" the things a police bloodhound has to learn are endless. In Maryland, they learned to work with other dogs, to pick up a scent from cars, to track without a line with the handler following by helicopter. More mature dogs are learning how to follow scent from a blood stain; some even from parts of a blood sample, Clark said.

But Belker is still a youngster, and Clark would rather keep training him than rest on his laurels, which already include an arrest. So the detective had his boss, Safety Commissioner Ralph Tipple, rub his hands over a crumpled piece of paper and then drop it at the bottom of the stairs. Belker had never before been asked to pick up a scent on paper, he said.

Tipple took a stroll around town hall, and Belker, with some coaxing, set off in the same general direction. But the scent faded. Belker looked more and more puzzled and finally gave up the chase altogether, and the town board audience applauded anyway.

## Charged with burglary

A Colonie man who delivered meals to elderly persons in the Tri-Village area was arrested by Bethlehem police Tuesday on a second degree burglary charge.

Police said a warrant issued by Bethlehem Justice Roger Fritts charges Steven T. Buehler, 20, of 320 Sand Creek Rd., with taking \$180 from a home on Euclid Ave. June 23. Buehler was employed by Meals on Wheels at the time, according to police reports. Fritts remanded the young man to Albany County Jail pending further court action.



Those hazy, lazy days of summer may cause local residents to swelter, but they're great for our animal friends. The *Spotlight* camera caught these horses relaxing (and grazing) in a field on Wemple Rd., Glenmont. *Spotlight - Tom Howes*

## DWI patrols get results

Fourteen people got arrested for driving while intoxicated by Bethlehem police last week and over the weekend, and some of them can thank the town's beefed-up patrols aimed at catching drunk drivers.

One driver can blame only himself and the tree on Rt. 9W near Alteri's that stopped his car Sunday night after it ran off the road. Edward Fuller, 23, of Spawn Hollow Rd., South Bethlehem, was cited for DWI and driving at an unsafe speed. Police said his car was totaled, but Fuller escaped with only minor injuries and was treated at Albany Medical Center and released.

A special road check Sunday in the Rt. 85 area netted two drivers over the legal

limit — one a repeat offender. James H. McGovern of Schodack, faces felony DWI charges after police determined that he had three prior DWI arrests in Rensselaer County. He was remanded to Albany County Jail in lieu of \$5,000 bail by New Scotland Town Justice Kenneth Connolly and is scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court July 28.

Road checks on the Fourth netted two more tipsy drivers, and a third, a 22-year-old Cohoes woman, was bagged on a traffic violation, then sent to Albany County Jail after the computer came up with two other drunk-driving convictions.

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## Murray Dr. plans reviewed

The Bethlehem Planning Board at its meeting June 21 heard an informal presentation from surveyor Lindsay Boutelle for the proposed Woodhill subdivision to be located off Murray Dr. near the Bethlehem Preschool, Glenmont.

The plan calls for 94 lots, 17 in a commercial zone, to be developed into some 130 units on the 40-acre site, according to Boutelle, who was representing developer Vincent Riemma. Board members said they saw no problem with the proposal.

In other business, the board scheduled a public hearing for James Corbett, who requested a one-lot subdivision to be located off Brightonwood Rd., for July 5

at 7:30 p.m.

The board also heard from its attorney Earl Jones concerning its appeal of a state Supreme Court decision that would allow development of the proposed Normansgate subdivision off Euclid Ave. in Elmsmere. The plan, which calls for a road to be built through two existing lots on Euclid Ave., was originally rejected by the board in August of last year. The developers, Van Euclid Co., subsequently won an appeal in state Supreme Court and the planning board appealed to the court's appellate division.

Jones said last week that arguments for the case will most probably not be heard until late August or early September.

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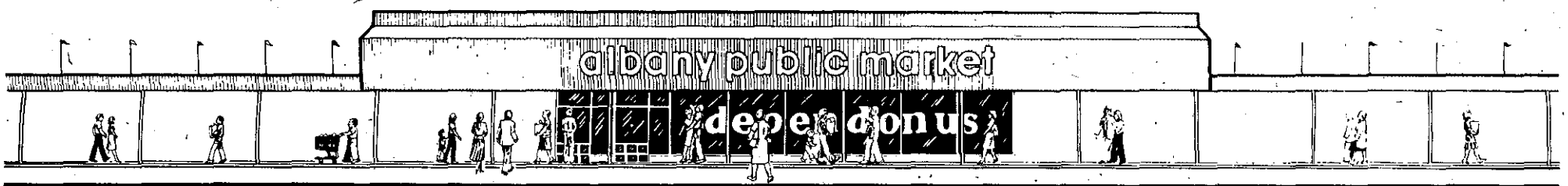
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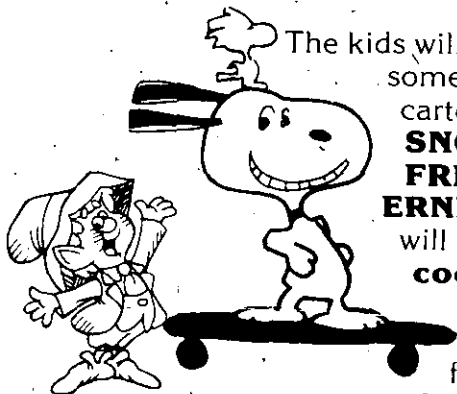
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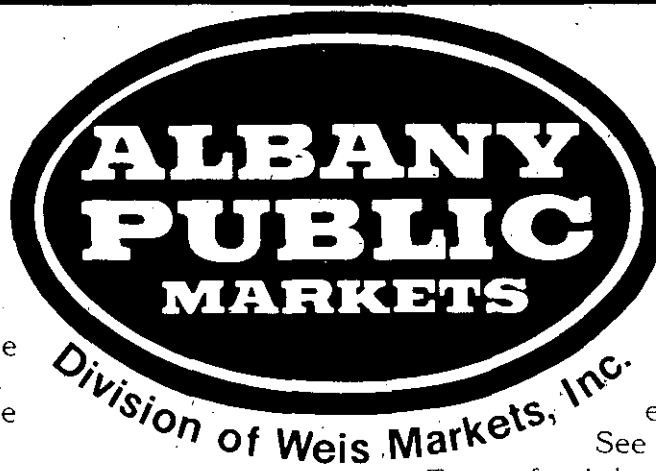


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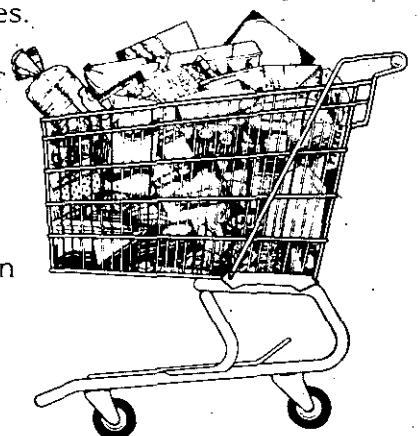
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Green, chosen by the legion auxiliary, traveled to Cazenovia College for Girls' State. She is a two-time president of the

Kiwanis-sponsored Key Club, captain of the BCHS varsity swim team, an active member of her church youth group and a waitress at the Tollgate Restaurant. She also studied for five weeks in Ireland last summer. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green of Delmar.

Denham attended Boys' State, based at Siena College in Loudonville. Very active in school and community, he is president of the BCHS student senate, a member of the varsity soccer and track teams and National Honor Society, and an Eagle Scout. He is the son of Mrs. Maud Denham of Delmar.

Both Green and Denham were chosen for their leadership, patriotism, scholarship and maturity.

Julie Ann Sosa



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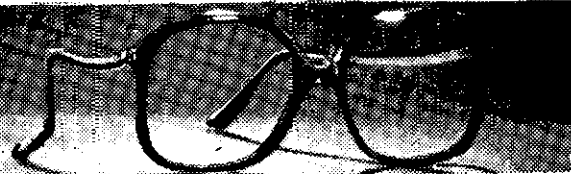
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Located in the Reprographics Lab in the high school, the computer is to be used for computer literacy training for ninth grade business students, inventory control in the marketing and school store programs, and computer literacy in reprographics and personal business problems classes. Through the years, Farm Family has not only provided RCS with supplies, equipment and services, but employed many of the students upon graduation.

## Grange sale

Anyone who has ever been to a rummage sale knows there's almost always something for everyone. Whether you're looking for a "buy" in household items, books, clothing, etc, it's almost a certainty you won't go away empty handed.

This weekend you'll have two full days to do a little bargain hunting as the Bethlehem Grange has planned a rummage sale for Saturday and Sunday. The

sale will be held at the Grange Hall, Rt. 396, Beckers Corners, Selkirk.

Contributions for the sale would be appreciated. Anyone having items they would like to donate may bring them to the Grange Hall Friday, June 7, after 10 a.m. or the morning of the sale, July 8.

## Seniors on tour

A very pleasant summer day was enjoyed by the Selkirk-South Bethlehem Senior Citizens in New Preston, Conn., recently. The group visited The Inn at Lake Waramaug, which is located in the northwestern part of the state and abounds in historic sites and beautiful scenery. The Inn, originally a colonial home built in 1775, offered not only a delicious meal but an opportunity to enjoy the fine antique heirloom collections of pewter, copper, brass and vintage silver tea services displayed there. An addition attraction was a cruise on Lake Waramaug in the Inn's showboat.

## Vacation Bible school

Vacation Bible school — as much a part of summer as picnics and the fourth of July! Combining religious instructions with music and crafts in the casual atmosphere of the out-of-doors, the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church will again offer youngsters 3 to 12 years of age a week of fun and learning. Beginning Monday, July 11, and continuing through July 15, all children of the area are invited to attend. Registration is not necessary for the program, which will be held 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the United Methodist Church, Willowbrook Ave., South Bethlehem.

## Menu

The menu for Senior projects of Bethlehem.



RCS is the beneficiary of the gift of a computer from Farm Family Insurance. The presentation was made by Verne E. Kenney, executive vice president of Farm Family, center, to William Gearhardt, business teacher, left, and Victor Carrk, RCS principal.

Ravena beginning Thursday, July 7 will be: Thursday, Knockwurst, baked beans, Friday; batter-dipped fish fillet, Monday; turkey tetrazzini, brussel sprouts, Tuesday; barbecue pork on bun, mashed potato; Wednesday; corned beef, boiled potato.

## Seniors at park

The Henry Hudson Town Park will again be the site for the South Bethlehem-Selkirk Senior Citizens regular monthly meeting. Weather permitting, the group will gather at noon, Monday, July 11, at the park located on Winnie Rd., Selkirk. After a pot-luck picnic, Elizabeth and Fritz Hular of South Bethlehem will provide a portion of the afternoons' program. Having recently returned from an extensive tour of the western United States, they have been invited to share their experiences. Should the weather prove inclement, the meeting will be held at the First Reformed Church of Bethlehem.

## Births



### St. Peter's Hospital

Girl, Teryl Lynne, to Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Andersen, Delmar, June 14.

Boy, Brett Christopher, to Lea and Steve Miller, Feura Bush, June 19.

Boy, Andrew Wallace, to Lorraine and Mark Brattrud, Delmar, June 19.

### Albany Medical Center Hospital

Girl, Alison Sheehan, to Angela Sheehan and Franklin Laufer, Delmar, May 29.

Girl, Keanna Arielle, to Joanne and Bruce Bushart, Delmar, June 3.

Girl, Robyn Faith, to Judy and Thomas J. Donnelly, Delmar, June 3.

Girl, Jessica Rhodes, to Mr. and Mrs. William Crabill, Voorheesville, June 8.

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## Concerts in the park

Fans of the Concert in the Park series will be happy to hear that the popular summer program will begin this Sunday with a concert by Voorheesville's own Tom Fisch. The local singer/composer, who accompanies himself on acoustic guitar, has appeared in many area clubs and restaurants, including The Icehouse, and The Cranberry Bog, and recently performed at the Hudson River Celebration.

The program will include a mixture of country, folk, blue grass and contemporary music, including some of Fisch's own compositions. Scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. the concert will be held in the George Hotaling-Evergreen Park, and is free and open to the public.

Other concerts set for July include performances by Delmar's youthful rock band "Strange Anatomy" July 17 and by Voorheesville's own country-western quintet "Southbound" on July 24.

## Country western night

Polish up those cowboy boots, dust off that stetson and come on down to the Fourth Annual Country Western night sponsored by the New Scotland Elks Auxiliary. The event is Saturday, July 23, at Picard's Grove in Voorheesville and tickets are \$14 per person which includes beer, soda and a barbecued chicken dinner as well as music by the "Country Casuals." Dinner is set for 8 p.m.

preceded by a social hour beginning at 6:30. Entertainment will run from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. Deadline for reservations is July 17. For more information or to secure tickets, call JoAnn Donohue at 765-4400.

## Movies!

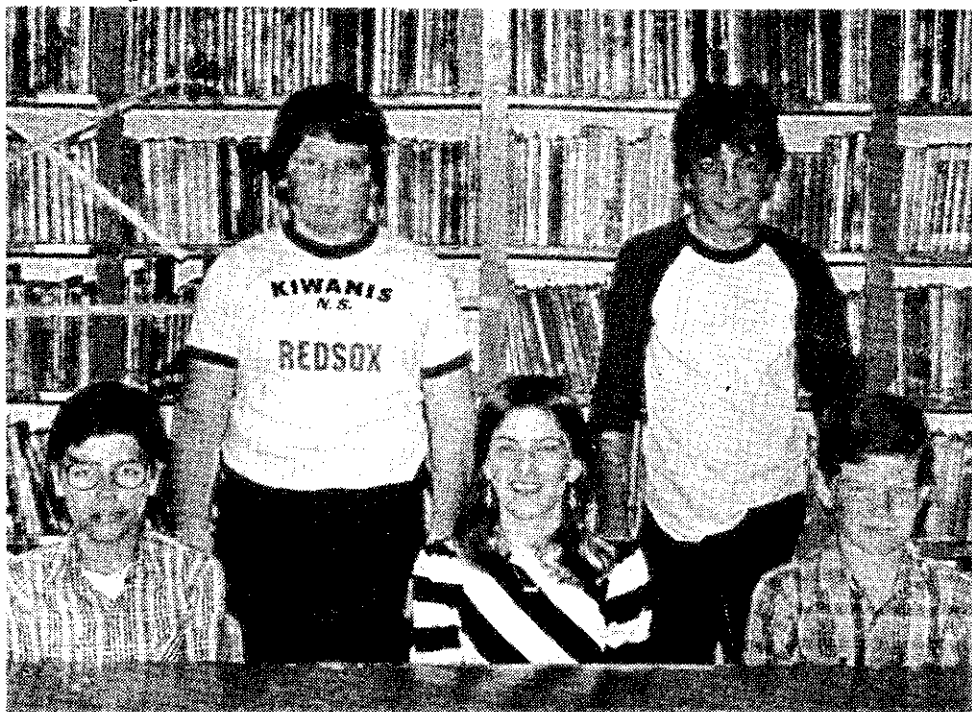
Those looking for a quiet break from all the summertime activity going on in Voorheesville will be happy to hear that the Voorheesville Public Library will begin its Summer Movie Festival today, July 6, and continue every Wednesday during July and August. Movies will be shown starting at 2 p.m. and are free and open to the public.

This week the movie "Fame," starring Irene Cara will be aired, telling the story of eight talented teens trying to break into show business. Next Wednesday, July 13, the program will begin with "Winnie the Pooh and the Honey Tree," followed by "The Hound of the Baskerville" starring Basil Rathbone as Sherlock Holmes.

On the subject of the library, a final reminder to those who signed up for the library's summer reading club that this week they start on their "Book Trek." Meetings will be held on Thursday and Friday at 3:30 p.m. at the library.

## Watch that blood pressure

"Summertime and the living is easy." So says the song, but for most, summer means rushing here and there and eating



Voorheesville winners in the recent Math League competition for elementary schools were, from left, Michael Sestak, Colin Breeze, Kirsten Taylor, David Larrabee and Patrick Ryan.

plenty of rich, salty foods. The Kiwanis Club of New Scotland reminds residents that the blood pressure clinic it sponsors takes no vacation and will open on Tuesday, July 12, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Those wanting to keep an eye on their pressure are invited to come to the Methodist Church during those times.

## Pedaling north

Summer's here and many people will be traveling. Among those hitting the highway this weekend will be members of the youth group at the Voorheesville United Methodist Church. Leaving Saturday morning, July 9, the young

people will bike up to Saratoga Springs and stay overnight in the United Methodist church there. Following worship services the next morning, the group will pedal back to Voorheesville. Accompanying the energetic cyclists will be Dick Hibbert, pastor of the Voorheesville Church, and Oakley and Mary Neitzel, the new advisors of the Youth Group.

## Senior awards

The Class of 1983 may have left the hallowed halls of Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High but not without leaving their mark and receiving numerous awards. Both at the awards assembly held earlier in June and at graduation

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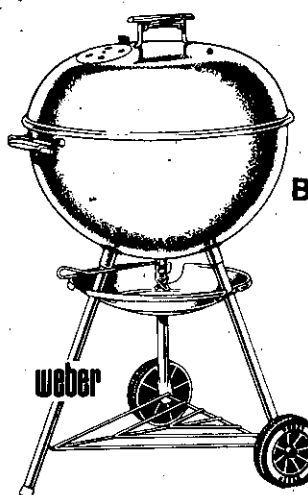
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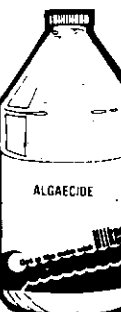
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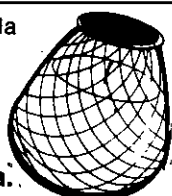
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itself many seniors received honors for their achievements in various areas.

Receiving the Harriet Frohlich Memorial Scholarship Award was Mary Beth Paradise. The award is presented annually to a graduating student who has proven to be a mature, creative individual devoted to school and community.

Dorothy Ungerer received the Matt Farrell Memorial Award given to a member of the graduating class for outstanding contributions in the areas of journalism and writing and who has contributed to the school community.

Another award was presented to Robin Schrager who received the Diana Joy and Clay John Conklin Memorial Award given to the senior who exhibits love, concern and enthusiasm towards helping others.

Schrager was also the recipient of the Howard F. Ogsbury Memorial Scholarship given by Noah Lodge No. 754, F. and A.M. of Altamont, to a member of the senior class who is planning to pursue a career in journalism or radio/television and is based on character and citizenship.

The Janis Lee Delehanty Memorial Scholarship is given to a member of the graduating class to be used towards their first year of college. The recipient is selected on the basis of conscientiousness, achievement, effort and need. This award was presented to Donna Throop.

#### Scout troop number one

Voorheesville Boy Scout Troop 73 has been named the number one troop in community service out of all the troops in New York State sponsored by American Legion Posts. Sponsoring Voorheesville Legion Post 1493 is scheduled to receive the award sometime during the summer and will present it to the troop in the fall.

Another award received goes to a member of troop 73, Nathan Rasmussen, who was recently named the number three Eagle Scout in New York State in a troop sponsored by the American Legion. Rasmussen, who became an Eagle Scout this past fall, is a 1983 graduate of Clayton A. Bouton High School and an honor student and a Regents Scholarship winner as well.

The troop won't be just sitting on their laurels this summer. A busy schedule is planned for the industrious scouts, who will start their summer off by camping at Rotary, the area Boy Scout Council camp, from July 10 through 16. On Wednesday, July 13, a chicken barbecue will be held for the scouts and their parents at the encampment outside of Poestenskill. Parents are reminded that they must register ahead of time if they plan to attend.

#### Legion leaders honored

The younger generation weren't the only ones receiving honors this past month. Several important awards were given at the Past Commanders Past Presidents Dinner held in June at Voorheesville American Legion Post

1493. The dinner is held each year to honor those who have served as leaders of the legion and its auxiliary. Honored guests at this year's affair were immediate past commander Odel Bradon and immediate past president of the auxiliary Mary Miller. Also feted at the festivities was Ralph Cox, who was named "Legionnaire of the Year." Presenting Cox with the diamond pin award was Ray Cox, brother of Ralph and, ironically, enough, last year's recipient of the award.

Another award presented was the Charlie Crow award, given to Jerry Gardinier for his work in and dedication to American Legion-sponsored baseball. The award was named after the first commander of the local post who is credited with originating American Legion baseball in this area.

#### Year-long achievers

Clayton A. Bouton High School in Voorheesville has announced the names of students who were on the honor roll and high honor roll three times this year. (The \* denotes students on the high honor roll).

##### Ninth Grade

Margaret Arthur, Lawrence Bach, Lisa Baker, \*Mark Gibbons, Marin Burke, Justin Corcoran, Stephanie De Crescenzo, Edward Donohue, Meridith Englander, Antoinette Genovese, Glenn Goldstein, \*Kirsten Haaf, \*Edward Hampton, Bradley Kranz, \*Jennifer Kurkjian, \*Jill Lawrence, Janet McMillen, \*Christine Martin, \*Susan Merritt, Kathleen Michalak, Bonnie Mitchell, Paul Nichols, Lynne Richbart, \*Elizabeth Rourke, Christina Shuff, Constantine Solomos, \*Grethchen Storm, Christina Tarullo, Alissa Van Zutphen, \*Colleen Vaughn, \*James Volkwein.

##### Tenth Grade

Douglas Arthur, Theresa Baffe, \*Debra Bausback, \*Lewis Bernstein, \*Christopher Biernacki, \*Courtney Brennan, Brian Casey, \*Katherine Danforth, \*Christine Fernandez, \*Peter Fisch, Adrienne Fitzgerald, \*Ann Grassucci, \*Dianne Jackson, \*Michelle Koch, \*William Lee Kraus, Michael Larahee, Karen Lonnstrom, \*Mary Beth Manning, \*Sharon McKenna, Linda Mensching, \*Edward Mitzen, John Paradise, \*Kerry Rapp, Tina Rasmussen, Elizabeth Riviello, \*Victoria Ross, \*Cythia Sauer, Christopher Smolen, \*Christine Toritto, Robert Vanderveer, Clinton Wagner, Thomas Wight.

##### Eleventh Grade

\*Elaine Bartley, Derek Bassett, Brereton Bissell, \*Christine Cillis, \*Adam Clark, Jeffrey Clark, Heather Dolin, Susan Dunning, Karen Flewelling, Kirsten Ford, Michelle Huth, Kerry Kelly, \*Wendy Knapp, \*Patricia Martin, \*Elizabeth Mattfeld, \*Michael McCarty, \*Peter McMillen, \*Kristen McMullen, Janet Merkle, Maria Michele, Renee Nichols, Sandra Peragine, Yvonne Perry, \*Sean Rafferty, \*Michael Ricci, \*Jeffrey Rockmore, \*Mary Rogers, \*Marianne Sapience, Brian Smith, \*Frances Spreer, \*Ellen Sutherland, Catherine Teuten, Robert Trombley, \*Edward Volkwein, Denise Way, \*Christopher Zeh.

##### Twelfth Grade

Scott Applegate, Tracey Bales, Elizabeth Biernacki, Cheryl Burns, Laurie Caimano, Cynthia Campbell, Carol Cicero, Diane Donato, Thomas Flynn, Yvette Gifford, \*Susan Hempel, \*Brian Hickey, Melinda Hoffman, Donna Hooks, \*Judiane Koch, \*Maryanne Kraus, Richard Lennox, Brian McKenna, \*Lisa Murdoch, Anne Olsen, Mary Beth Paradise, \*Bonnie Rafferty, Nathan Rasmussen, \*Margaret Rogers, Ernest Sacco, Robin Schrager, Lynn Sickinger, Daniel Sutherland, Marissa Truax, Thomas Ubbens, \*Sandra Van Buren, Kathleen Weaver, \*Peter Zeh.

## Workshop to start programs

The Heldeberg Workshop begins its 23rd annual summer program Monday, July 18, with a variety of classes in folk arts, science, theater, art and high adventure. Outdoor classes for all ages will be offered on the workshop's 270 acres on Picard Road in Voorheesville from 9 a.m. until noon July 18 to 29 and August 1 to 12.

The Heldeberg Workshop, a non-profit educational organization, strives to provide a summer program that will spark the excitement of learning in children and adults by showing that learning can be fun.

In Discoveryland, first and second graders can explore the workshop land investigating the fascinating world of plants and animals in "Warm Fuzzies, Creepy Crawlies and other Fun Creatures," "Living Creatures in the Wild," "Adventures in Wildlife" and "Bugs and Butterflies." Rock hounds seek out the fossil rock abundant in this area while young scientists build simple instruments for studying nature and then go onto the land to use them in "Building, Measuring and Observing." An on-going "dig" of an 18th century farm site at the workshop provides a unique opportunity for young scientists to be introduced to the basic field survey techniques used in "Archaeology."

"Kaleidoscope of Art" introduces young artists to all the art studio skills. Limited class enrollment permits individual attention with special emphasis on a child's special area of creativity. Studios in weaving, calligraphy, drawing and painting, and pottery offer concentrated study in a specialized field. Monsters, hot air balloons, painted cut-outs and a rock maze are common day events in the world of "Sculpture X."

The theater department welcomes back "The Theater that Nature Built," with new courses including "Children: The Music Makers," "Clowning Around," "Potpourri of Theater" and "Masks Performance Workshop." "Nature's Musical Theater" will work with "Sculpture X" as a program made possible in part with public funds from New York State Council on the Arts-Decentralization Program.



A youngster explores the fields around the Heldeberg Workshop property on Picard Rd. in Voorheesville.

"Folk Arts Sampler," "Life on a Pioneer Homestead" and "Woodland Indian Life Crafts" give an exciting glimpse into early American times. Other folk art classes include wood carving, kite construction and flying, doll house construction and games from yesterday and today.

Adventurers can choose among wilderness survival and backpacking, archery, basic canoeing, an introduction to spelunking (caving) or a more advanced caving course "Speleology" in which students will learn the basics of cave mapping and cave rescue techniques.

According to summer program chairman Barbara Matejka, class enrollment is very good this year, but openings are still available in many classes. Call 765-2777 for information.

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shops as well as play in concert.

These workshops are intended for active musicians, students and music enthusiasts. Participants, who are urged to bring their instruments, will sit in on the concert rehearsal in the morning and discuss music technique and instruments with the artists. After lunch in the IMS

Weathervane, participants will work in small groups with individual artists and in ensembles to produce a workshop "mini-concert." The evening public concert is also part of the workshop, as is dinner at the Weathervane. Tuition for each full day workshop is \$35.

The first workshop, "Break Into

Baroque" with the Baroque Festival Trio, was held on July 1. The trio features leading members of the Foundation for Baroque Music, Robert Conant, harpsichord, Steven Lundahl, recorders and sackbut, and Sarah Mead, viola da gamba.

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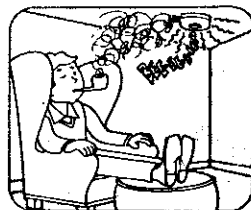
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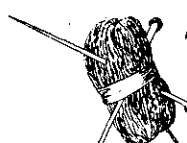


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# The taste of anger

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Actually, it occurs after I have been contemplating violence anyhow. When things irk my ire I typically force myself to get calm and be patient and consider the circumstances. But when those things persist in irritating the irking of my ire, then I get crazy and the juices start to bubble up.

**Please excuse me for I have had a difficult day... Every attempt I made toward accomplishing something today went awry. Every time I reached out I either got cut off or ignored...**

I can't stand it when people don't return their phone messages, especially when I was the one who called them. It's particularly offensive when the call is important. The feeling is like saying "hello" to someone who simply ignores the salutation and walks by without so much as a turn of the head.

I also can't tolerate service workers who have either burned out or who should never have been hired to serve others in the first place...or the second place...or any place. These are people who just don't like other people. When I encounter such misfits and respectfully ask for their help, and receive a cold, bothered and arrogant response, my mouth fills with the taste of anger.

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are paid your salary to perform! I asked you not to exceed your function. I expected no more from you than what I asked! We don't know each other, so why do you assume I'm trying to make your life difficult? Why do you react to me as though I'm some sort of troublemaker? I don't deserve that kind of treatment. You have no right, no power to subject me to such maltreatment! Who do you think you are? Who do you think I am?!"

Please excuse me for I have had a difficult day. I trust (in writing about it) that you, too, have had these kind of days. Every attempt I made toward accomplishing something today went awry. Every time I reached out I either got cut off or ignored. Each idea I concocted fizzled out in short order. I connected the wrong people, reached the wrong departments, just missed the right person, or unwittingly said some the wrong thing.

I really should have stayed in bed, but I didn't. And with the hindsight of the day in mind, I am desperately trying to retrieve a sense of worth for my efforts by writing about them now. Something good has to come out of anything!

Well, maybe not. I just re-read what I have written.

However, in keeping with the day, I will forge ahead and present the raw experience of what it's like to experience feelings as a hopefully well-adjusted individual in modern American society. (Good Lord, if this is normal I cringe at what we are going through. Perhaps abnormal is the way to go. It is the perpetual enigma of what constitutes success. Striking out for new vistas, or following worn paths of tried and tested

achievements? Who knows? The Shadow does...)

Do you ramble when you're angry? Or find that your train of thought gets derailed easily? Or that you lose your sense of consequence, of tomorrow? I do.

Anger can be very dangerous. It can undo everything you have worked so hard to do for long periods of time and effort. It can overturn the turning over of new leaves. It can neutralize positive actions and accentuate negative ones. It can ruin your entire day.

**When you are angered, let it flush up to your surface, taste it, and know it for what it is. Then grab hold of it and guide it into some endeavor...**

But I hold out a fresh carrot on a big stick for you. I firmly believe anger can be transformed into a tremendously positive and creative experience, if it is recognized as such, and guided toward that end.

As some drugs are uppers and others are downers, anger is an emotion which is definitely an upper. It energizes the body, and, if you will permit, the soul. It brings everything within yourself to the foreground and forces you to present it to the immediate world around you. It poses the problem of pitting energy against circumstance, and changing that circumstance. If you guide the force of anger toward a positive outcome, it will result in a positive effect. If, however, you misguide it or do not guide it at all, you run the risk of producing a destructive event, one that can produce lasting effects that detract from your efforts and can cost you much time in repairing what was.

When you are angered, let it flush up to your surface, taste it, and know it for what it is. Then grab hold of it and guide it into some endeavor, perhaps totally unrelated to its origin, and make something of it. Let it energize you into some activity you hadn't thought about for a while, but needed the energy to achieve. The anger will provide you with the energy.

Our anger can be a tool for getting

what we want. It can lead us, prod us into a direction we wanted to go, but didn't have the nerve to try. It can push us past the point of fear, over the edge of hesitation, and beyond the bastions of the unknown.

Taste it in your mouth, and like the old species we once were, let it thrust you into action that will produce results you didn't think you could achieve. The feeling of anger is part of our heritage and part of our responsibility to control like nuclear power which can produce bombs or power to drive our machines. The choice is yours.

## Overtures begins July 7

"Overtures: Summer Series/4," a lecture program designed to prepare audiences for SPAC performances and co-sponsored by the Capital District Humanities Program, will focus on four performances representing ballet, modern dance, music and theatre.

Lectures by authorities in these fields will be held in July and August at SPAC's Little Theatre or Hall of Springs' Gold Room before performances by the New York City Ballet, Circle Repertory Company, The Philadelphia Orchestra and The Lake George Opera Festival.

The first lecture, Thursday, July 7, will examine the New York City Ballet's performances of "Swan Lake," "Souvenir de Florence," and a new untitled Jerome Robbins' ballet. Mel Tomlinson, a soloist with the New York City Ballet will lecture.

The Circle Repertory Company will perform "Seagull" by Timothy Mason with Richard Thomas on Tuesday, July 12.

On Thursday, Aug. 18, the Philadelphia Orchestra will perform the Berlioz "Requiem" with tenor Jon Humphrey and the Saratoga-Potsdam Chorus. The Lake George Opera Festival will perform the world premiere of "The Adventures of Friar Tuck" Thursday, August 25.

The fee for each lecture is \$5, including wine and cheese. Performance and lecture tickets must be purchased at SPAC box office only. Call 587-3330 for more information and tickets.

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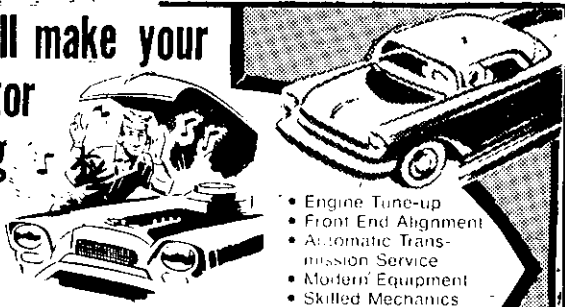
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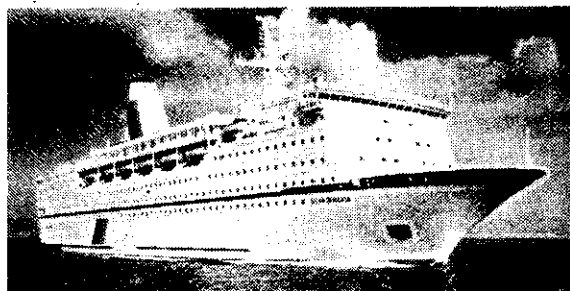
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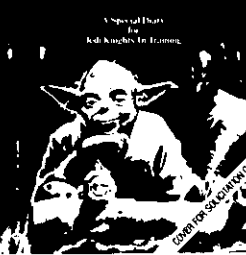
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**Village of Voorheesville**, Board of Trustees, fourth Tuesday at 8 p.m., Planning Commission, third Tuesday at 7 p.m., Zoning Board, second and fourth Tuesday at 7 p.m. when agenda warrants, Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave.

**Town of New Scotland**, Town Board meets first Wednesday at 8 p.m.; Planning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m., Board of Appeals meets when necessary, usually Fridays at 7 p.m., Town Hall, Rt. 85.

**Bethlehem Board of Education** meets first and third Wednesdays of each month at 8 p.m. at the Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Pl., Delmar.

**Voorheesville Board of Education** meets second Monday of each month, 8 p.m., at the district offices in the high school, Rt. 85A, Voorheesville.

**The Ravena-Coeysmans-Selkirk Board of Education** meets the first and third Mondays of the month, 8 p.m., at the board offices, Thatcher St., Selkirk.

**New Scotland Landfill**, open 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays only. Resident permit required, permits available at Town Hall.

# THE SPOTLIGHT CALENDAR

## Events in Bethlehem and New Scotland

**Bethlehem Landfill**, open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Saturday, closed Sundays and holidays. Resident permit required, permits available at Town Hall, Elm Ave. Park office and town garage, Elm Ave. East.

**Bethlehem Recycling** town garage, 119 Adams St. Papers should be tied, cans flattened, bottles cleaned with metal and plastic foam removed. Tuesday and Wednesday 8 a.m. - noon; Thursday and Friday noon - 4 p.m., Saturday 8 - noon.

**Voter Registration:** You may vote in New York State if you are 18 on or before the election, a U.S. citizen, a resident of the county, city or village for 30 days preceding the election, and registered with the county Board of Elections. Mail registration forms can be obtained at town and village halls, from political parties, from the League of Women Voters and from boards of election. The completed form must be received by your Board of Elections by the first Monday in October. Information, Albany County Board of Elections, 445-7591.

**Assemblyman Larry Lane's** district office, 1 Becker Terr., Delmar, open Mondays and Wednesdays 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

**Bethlehem Youth Employment Service**, Bethlehem Town Hall, Mon.-Fri. 8:30 a.m.-noon. Call 439-2238.

**League of Women Voters**, Bethlehem unit, meets monthly at Bethlehem Public Library, 9:15 a.m. Babysitting available. For information, call Susan Richmond, 439-5744.

**Project Equinox**, Delmar satellite office, professional counseling for substance abuse problems, all contacts confidential. By appointment, call 434-6135.

**Food Pantry**, Selkirk and South Bethlehem area, Bethlehem Reformed Church, Rt. 9W, Selkirk, call 767-2243, 436-8289 or 767-9140 (after 5 p.m.).

**Tri-Village FISH**, 24-hour-a-day voluntary service year 'round, offered by residents of Delmar, Elsmere and Slingerlands to help their neighbors in any emergency, 439-3578.

**American Legion** meets first Mondays at Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, at 8 p.m., except July, August.

**Bethlehem Women's Republican Club**, third Monday at Bethlehem Public Library, except June, July, August and December, 7:30 p.m.

**Welcome Wagon**, newcomers or mothers of infants, call 785-9640 for a Welcome Wagon visit. Mon. - Sat. 8:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

**Preschool Storyhour** for children ages 3-5, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays through Aug. 11, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., Bethlehem Public Library.

**School Age Playgrounds** for grades 1-6, games, arts, crafts, storyhours and special events, weekdays through Aug. 19. Clarksville, Hamagrael, 9-11:45 a.m.; Glenmont, Elsmere and Slingerlands, 1-3:45 p.m.; Becker School, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-3:45 p.m. See bus schedule for transportation. Free.

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**Becker Playground Route:** Pickup 8:30 a.m., noon return,

or pickup at 12:30 p.m., return 4 p.m. Pickup at the Jericho School on Jericho Rd. South on Jericho Rd. to South Albany Rd. South on South Albany Rd. to South Bethlehem School then left on Bridge St. to Lasher Rd. Left on Lasher Rd. to Rt. 9W. North on 9W to Elm Ave. Left on Elm Ave. to Jericho Rd. Right on Jericho Rd. to 9W. South on 9W to Beaver Dam Rd. Left on Beaver Dam Rd. to Rt. 144. North on 144 to corner of Clapper Rd.—turn around. South on Rt. 144 to Rt. 396. Rt. 396 to Thatcher St. Along Thatcher St. to Rt. 9W. Cross Rt. 9W to Cottage Lane. Cottage Lane to Beaver Dam Rd. to Rt. 9W to Becker School.

**North Bethlehem-Selkirk-South Bethlehem Route:** Leave Bethlehem Central school bus garage 11 a.m., directly to North Bethlehem Fire Dept., return to Elm Ave. Park via Schoolhouse Rd., Krumkill Rd., Blessing Rd., Rt. 85, Cherry Ave., Elm Ave. Arrive Elm Ave. Park approximately 11:40 a.m. Depart Elm Ave. Park south on Elm Ave. to Houcks Corners, east on Feura Bush Rd. to Rt. 9W, 9W north (stop at Glenmont School), 9W south to Dowerskill Village, Dowerskill Village to Rt. 396 to Beaver Dam Rd., along Beaver Dam Rd. to Rt. 144, north on Rt. 144 to Clapper Rd., Clapper Rd. to Halter Rd. via Rt. 144 and turn around. South on Rt. 144 to Maple Ave., west on Thatcher St. to Cottage Lane, cover Cottage Lane to Maple Ave. to Beaver Dam Rd. to Rt. 396, west on Rt. 396 to South Albany Rd., north on South Albany Rd. to Bell

Crossing Rd. and Jericho Rd., Jericho Rd. east to New Road (Long Lane), Long Lane east to Elm Ave., Elm Ave. East to Rt. 9W and turn around.

Elm Ave. west to Fairlawn, Fairlawn to Elm Ave. Park. Bus will return to North Bethlehem, Selkirk and South Bethlehem area from Elm Ave. Park via the same route at approximately 4 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

**Evening on the Green**, "Singing Strings and Dancing Bones," old-time band and innovative clogging, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Free.

**"Fame,"** Voorheesville Public Library, 2 p.m. Free.

**Public Hearings**, Bethlehem Board of Appeals, on application of Frances Whiting, Center Lane, Glenmont, for variance to permit storage building at premises, 8 p.m.; Harrie Patrick, 114 Rowland Ave., Delmar, for variance to permit addition at premises, 8:15 p.m.; Union Oil Co. of California for a modification to a special exception for premises on Rt. 144, Selkirk, 8:30 p.m., Bethlehem Town Hall.

**Clarksville Boy Scout Troop 89** meets Wednesdays at Clarksville Community Church, 7 p.m. Information, 768-2977.

### THURSDAY, JULY 9

**Family Film**, "Your Three Minutes Are Up," Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m. Free.

**Summer Reading Club**, Thursdays for children in kindergarten-grade 3, Voorheesville Public Library, 3:30 p.m.

**New Scotland Kiwanis Club**, Thursdays, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

**Bethlehem Senior Citizens** meet every Thursday at the Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

**Photo Exhibit Opening**, showing work of area portrait photographer Steven Fink, Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m.

### FRIDAY, JULY 8

**Red Cross Bloodmobile** visits Farm Family, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Appointments, 462-7461.

**Preschool Storyhour**, first of summer season, Voorheesville Public Library, 10:30 a.m.

**Recovery, Inc.**, self-help for former mental patients and those with chronic nervous symptoms, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, weekly at 12:30.

**Farmer's Market**, fresh produce and crafts, St. Thomas the Apostle Church parking lot, Delaware Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Fridays.

**Firehouse Carnival**, four days of games, rides, toys and snack bar, sponsored by Onquesethaw Volunteer Fire Company, Unionville firehouse, 7 p.m.

## area arts

A capsule listing of cultural events easily accessible to Bethlehem-New Scotland residents, provided as a community service by the General Electric Co. plastics plant Selkirk.

### THEATER

"7 Brides for 7 Brothers," Mac-Haydn Theatre, Chatham, July 6 through July 17, Wednesday-Friday 8 p.m., Saturday 5 and 8:30 p.m., Sunday 2 and 7 p.m. Reservations, 392-9292.

"Cinderella" (Mac-Haydn presents theater for children), July 8-9 and 15-16, 11 a.m.

"The Comedy of Errors" (Shakespeare & Company do Shakespeare on the lawn at The Mount, Lenox, Mass.), July 13 through Aug. 27, Tuesday-Saturday 8 p.m. Reservations, (413) 637-1197 or 637-3353.

"Bell, Book and Candle," Woodstock Playhouse, Rts. 375 and 212 in Woodstock, through July 10, Tuesday-Saturday, 8:30 p.m., Sunday, 7 p.m., 2 p.m. matinees Thursdays and Sundays. Reservations, (914) 679-2436.

"The Seagull" (Anton Chekhov's play in translation by Jean-Claude van Itallie and produced by Circle Repertory Company), Saratoga Performing Arts Center, through July 23, 8:15 p.m. Reservations, 587-3330.

### MUSIC

Lou Rawls and Roberta Flack, Colonie Coliseum, July 8-9, 8:30 p.m.

Kris Kristofferson, Colonie Coliseum, July 13, 8 p.m.

"Kiss Me, Kate," (Cole Porter's musical given the Lake George Opera Festival treatment), Queensbury Auditorium, Glens Falls, July 14-16, 8:15 p.m., July 18, 2:15 p.m., July 20 and 22, 8:15 p.m., July 23 and 25, 2:15 p.m. Reservations, 793-3858.

Michael Cooney (folk songs), Eighth Step Coffee House, 362 State St., Albany, July 14, 8:45 p.m.

### DANCE

Paul Taylor Dance Company, Jacob's Pillow, Lee, Mass. (take Exit 2 off Mass Turnpike, Rt. 20 East), through July 9, (Tuesdays 7:30 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday 8 p.m., Friday 8:30 p.m., Saturday 2 and 8:30 p.m.). Ticket information, (413) 234-0745.

Jazz Tap Ensemble, Jacob's Pillow, Lee, Mass., July 12 through July 16.

### ART

"Painting as a Pastime: The Paintings of Winston Churchill," State Museum, Empire State Plaza, Albany, opens July 13.

"Community Industries of the Shakers... A New Look," New York State Museum, through Jan. 8.

Potsdam Prints (16th National Print Exhibition from the Brainerd Art Gallery), the Plaza Gallery, State University Plaza, Broadway at State St., Albany, through Aug. 4, weekdays 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

1983 Artists of the Hudson-Mohawk Region, Schenectady Museum, Nott Terrace, through Aug. 21.

Helderberg Weavers, Guggenheim Gallery, Institute on Man and Science, Rensselaerville, through July 26 (daily 9-5, call 797-3783 for weekend hours).

M.A.S.S. (Major Albany Sculpture Sites), two-year outdoor sculpture exhibition by New York State artists at Riverfront Preserve, Albany.

Brooklyn Before the Bridge: American Paintings from the Long Island Historical Society, State Museum, Empire State Plaza, through July 10.

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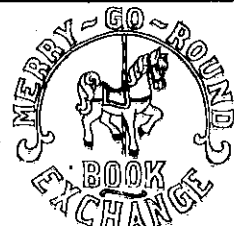
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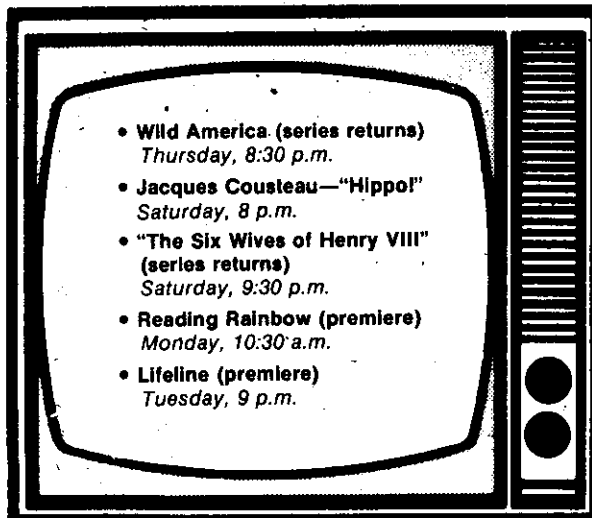
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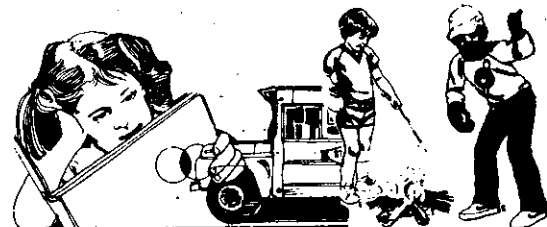
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#### SATURDAY, JULY 9

**Sharing Nature with Children**, workshop for parents and youth leaders, Five Rivers Environmental Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 10 a.m. Preregistration required, 457-8092.

**Class of '48 Reunion** for graduates of Bethlehem Central, at Golden Fox Steakhouse, Colonie, 6 p.m. Information and reservations, 439-4269 or 439-2552.

**Firehouse Carnival**, games, rides, toys and chicken barbecue, Unionville firehouse, 4-8 p.m. Information, 765-3356.

#### SUNDAY, JULY 10

**Cedar Hill Schoolhouse Museum**, special Bethlehem House artifacts display, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., Selkirk, summer Sunday hours 2-5 p.m. through October.

**Concert in the Park**, series opener with singer-composer-guitarist Tom Fisch, George Hotelling-Evergreen Park, 7 p.m.

#### MONDAY, JULY 11

**Delmar Kiwanis** meets Mondays at Starlite Lounge, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

**Al-Anon Group**, support for relatives of alcoholics, meets Mondays at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 8:30 p.m. Information, 439-4581.

**Overeaters Anonymous** meets Mondays, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

**Fly Rod Making Workshop**, five-day course on rod construction and fly-tying, Heldeberg Workshop, Picard Rd., Voorheesville, 6:30 p.m. Continued through July 15; \$42 registration, 482-9121.

**Bethlehem Christian Workshop**, week of morning classes for children at area homes, 9-11:30 a.m., evening courses for teens-adults at church, 7-9 p.m., sponsored by Bethlehem Community Church.

**Bethlehem-Selkirk Senior Citizens**, potluck picnic and regular meeting, Henry Hudson Park, noon. (In case of rain, at First Reformed Church.)

#### TUESDAY, JULY 12

**Slingerlands Home Bureau**, second Tuesday of each month at Delmar Reformed Church, 7:30 p.m.

**Famous Film Series**, "Casablanca," starring Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman, Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m. Free.

**Children's Films**, double feature, Bethlehem Public Library, 2 p.m. Free.

**Blood Pressure Clinic**, United Methodist Church, Maple Ave., Voorheesville, 9-11 a.m. and 7-9 p.m.

**Delmar Rotary** meets Tuesdays at 6 p.m. at Albany Motor Inn, Glenmont.

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

**Bethlehem Elks Auxiliary** meets at lodge, Rt. 144, Cedar Hill, 8 p.m., second Wednesday of month.

**Red Men**, second Wednesday at St. Stephen's Church, Elsmere, 7:30 p.m.

**New Scotland Elks Lodge** meets second and fourth Wednesdays at Voorheesville Rod and Gun Club, 8 p.m.

**Evening on the Green**, "A Gallery of Women," Judi Harris performs scenes from some of Broadway's great musicals, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Free.

**Children's Films**, double feature, Voorheesville Public Library, 2 p.m. Free.

**Child-Director Workshop**, Scotia-Glenville Children's Museum puts on film production workshop for children ages 6 and up, Bethlehem Public Library, 1 and 2:30 p.m. Registration, 439-9314.

**Horticulture Diagnostic Clinic**, Albany Cooperative Extension master gardeners identify plant insects, Bethlehem Public Library, 7-8:30 p.m. Information, 765-2331.

#### THURSDAY, JULY 14

**New Scotland Democratic Social Club**, second Thursday, 8 p.m.

**Bethlehem Memorial V.F.W. Post 3185** meets second Thursday of each month, post rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Information, 439-9836.

**Delmar Fire Dept. Auxiliary**, regular meeting second Thursday of each month except August, at the firehouse, 8 p.m.

**Family Film**, "When Comedy Was King," Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m. Free.

#### FRIDAY, JULY 15

**Bethlehem Christian Workshop** all-family grand finale and musical performance of "The Witness," Bethlehem Community Church, 7-9 p.m.

**Firehouse Carnival**, games, rides, toys and snack bar, Unionville firehouse, 7 p.m.

**Summer Reading Club**, crafts afternoon, Voorheesville Public Library, 2 p.m.

#### SATURDAY, JULY 16

**Firehouse Carnival**, games, rides, toys and chicken barbecue bring carnival to a close, Unionville firehouse, 4-8 p.m.

#### MONDAY, JULY 18

**Bethlehem Memorial Auxiliary Post 3185, V.F.W.**, third Monday, post rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

**Temple Chapter 5, RAM**, first and third Mondays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

#### TUESDAY, JULY 19

**Legion Auxiliary**, Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Tuesday, 8 p.m.

**Bethlehem Lodge 1096, F&AM**, first and third Tuesdays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

**Children's Films**, double feature, Bethlehem Public Library, 2 p.m. Free.

**Famous Film Series**, "Cimarron," Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m. Free.

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 20

**Delmar Fire District** regular meetings third Wednesdays, Delmar Fire Station, 7:30 p.m.

**La Leche League**, informal discussion group for mothers interested in learning about pros and cons of breastfeeding, third Wednesdays, home of Ellen Poczik, 93 Fernbank Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.

**Glenmont Homemakers**, third Wednesday, Selkirk Fire House No. 2, Glenmont Rd., 8 p.m.

**Evening on the Green**, the Bob Warren Band performs jazz, folk rock and blues rhythms, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Free.

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#### THURSDAY, JULY 7

**Empire State College Information Session**, Environmental Conservation Building, 50 Wolf Rd., Colonie, 4 p.m. No appointment necessary.

**Vehicle Auction**, Office of General Services selling 67 surplus vehicles, State Campus (north side), Albany, 10 a.m.

**Italian Peace Activist** Rev. Gianni Novelli of Rome speaks about the role of the Catholic church in the peace movement, College of Saint Rose, 7:30 p.m. Sponsored by Physicians for Social Responsibility.

**Concerned Friends of Hope House**, self-help and support group for parents of substance abusers, Capital District Psychiatric Center, 75 New Scotland Ave., Albany, every Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

#### FRIDAY, JULY 8

**Hunter Italian Festival**, three-day festival with ethnic comedians, operatic sopranos and Italian food, Hunter Mountain, Rt. 32A, Information, 263-3800.

**Baseball Card Convention**, 76 dealers trade cards with Ty Cobb card door prize, Polish Community Center, Washington Ave. Ext., Albany, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### SATURDAY, JULY 9

**Saratoga Springs Tour**, part of great resorts lecture series bathes in mineral waters, tours Museum Casino, Congress Park and Yaddo, and lunches, leaves State University at Albany's main circle 9 a.m., return 4 p.m. \$27 for series.

#### SUNDAY, JULY 10

**International Bazaar**, Empire State Plaza, Albany, noon to 9 p.m.

**Agricultural Tour**, drive-it-yourself tour of three Albany County farms, leaves Engel farm and market, 667 Albany-Shaker Rd., at 10 a.m. \$1 donation for tour booklet.

#### MONDAY, JULY 11

**Expectant Parents' Night**, tour hospital facilities and meet staff, St. Peter's Hospital cafeteria, 7:30 p.m. Information, 454-1515.

#### TUESDAY, JULY 12

**Farmer's Market**, Tuesdays at St. Vincent de Paul Church, 900 Madison Ave., Albany.

**Safe Place**, mutual support meeting for family and friends of suicide victims, Friends Meeting House, 727 Madison Ave., Albany, 7:30 p.m.

**Science Lecture Series**, photo specialist Jack Englert speaks on "A Tribute to Our National Parks," Whiteface Mountain Field Station, 8:30 p.m. Free.

**Circle Rep** artistic director Rod Mariott discusses company's production of "The Seagull" with Friends of the Library, Albany Public Library, Washington Ave., 12:15 p.m. Free.

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

**Albany VA Medical Center** annual employees family day, 1:30-4 p.m.

**Environmental Measurement Workshop**, outdoor workshop builds instruments to measure animals, plants and weather, Tawasentha Park, Rt. 146, Gunderland, 7 p.m. Information, 356-1980.

#### THURSDAY, JULY 14

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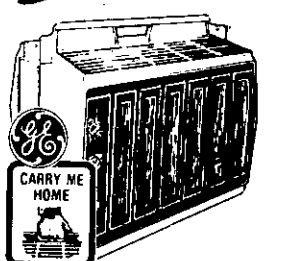
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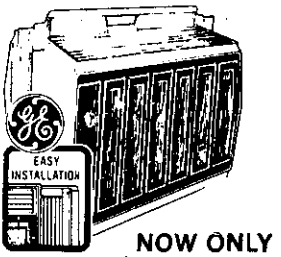
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# Christian Workshop has openings

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While kids' courses fill up fast for this popular workshop for Bethlehem residents from kindergarten through adult to be held July 11 to 15, there are openings for most classes in its teenadult section. Teenadult classes are held evenings and are open to anyone from ninth grade on — no age limit.

Teenadult offerings include a course in hand applique techniques, a beginning archery course, calligraphy, a beginning golfer's clinic, introduction to photo-

graphy, portrait painting, a candy and cake-making course, and a simple auto care course.

Most of the teenadult classes will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Bethlehem Community Church, sponsor of the workshop for the 18th consecutive year. Check the workshop brochure, which was distributed throughout the Bethlehem area on June 11, for class details, times and registration information. Brochures are also available at the church.

Other new features this year are two special classes, (exercise to music and gift's 'n' things, a crafts course) for workshop mothers employed in delivering and picking up workshop kids, and courses geared specifically to teenagers in sailing, outdoor adventure and rock and roll.

All classes, from kindergarten through adult, will include a Bible study, taught from an interdenominational perspective.

Bible studies this year will focus on The Witness, a musical presentation of the life of Jesus by Jimmy and Carol Owens. The musical itself will be presented as the highlight of the Friday night All-Family wrap-up to Workshop Week at Bethlehem Community Church on July 15 from 7 to 9 p.m.

## Bible school planned

A vacation Bible school for children from age four through those entering eighth grade will be held during the week of July 25 to 29 at the Glenmont Community Church (Reformed) on 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont. The school, sponsored by the Glenmont Community Church with the assistance of Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church, offers a wide variety of crafts and activities including ceramics, cooking, macrame and a "week in the woods." Class limits have been set, so early registration is important. Registrations forms are available at various Glenmont stores, at the church, or by calling 439-9753.

Chairman of the program is Ted Davis, and Cheryl Diegel is registrar.

## Focus On Faith

Rev. Joyce S. Giles

Executive Director Capital Area Council of Churches



Many fine articles have appeared in this corner dealing with various aspects of the religious life. Today I ask you to consider the title of the column itself. It calls us to focus — to concentrate — on Faith. As I reflected on the words, I thought how we regularly concentrate on our work, on our wants and needs, and even on persons. Too often, also, our thoughts focus on fears and anxieties. But we are reminded weekly by the good editors of *The Spotlight* to Focus on Faith.

Now, faith has many facets, but let us accept as basic a belief in God. A good focus for our faith in him can be found in the messages from the most familiar of Psalms.

Does your faith include these beliefs?

- *The Lord is my shepherd.*
- *I shall not want; he makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters; he restores my soul.*
- *He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.*
- *Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.*
- *Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of my enemies; thou annointest my head with oil; my cup overflows.*

• *Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

As we focus on these six statements of Faith (or on the 23rd Psalm itself), our perspectives and priorities change, our fears are conquered, and our lives can find renewed meaning and purpose!

May it be so for you.

## From farm to farm

Albany County farms sell over \$16 million of farm products annually. Three farms that do their share will be on an agricultural, drive-it-yourself tour sponsored by the Albany County Cooperative Extension on Sundays, July 10 and 17, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The tour starts from the Engel Farm and Market, 667 Albany Shaker Rd., which is a progressive vegetable farm and greenhouse operation. From there, the tour winds through 35 miles of eastern Albany County. Stops include a sheep farm, with a sheep dog demonstration, and a large dairy farm that does its own milk bottling.

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# Four Corners swap begins

The Four Corners Round Robin is on, and if that sounds like a summer sporting event it's fitting that the first round got under way over the Fourth of July weekend.

The event is really a four-way swap that will see new tenants in three buildings. The chain reaction began when realtor John Healy sold his building at 361 Delaware Ave. to Vincent R. Rehbit, owner of Tri-Village Drugs which is now at 340 Delaware Ave. Rehbit plans to move after renovations which should take two to three months, but that means an immediate move for Healy and his tenant, Brown Jewelers and the Thistle Gift Shop.

Healy said last week agreements have now been reached with Roger Smith, owner of Decorative Products and the

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building that housed Tri-Village Drugs, to divide the drug store space between Brown Jewelers and Video Connection, which had been in the Spotlight building at 125 Adams St. And, Healy said, he will move into the Video Connection's space at the Spotlight. Video Connection began the round robin by moving over the weekend.

Until the drug store can move into its new quarters, Video Connection will use a corner of the drug store space and Brown's will operate out of Decorative Products, Healy said.



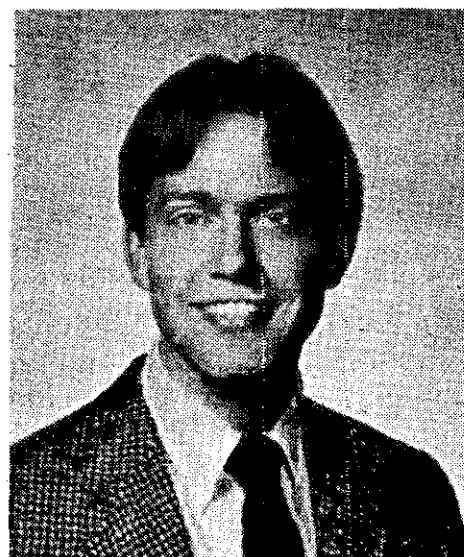
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### Top parts manager

Gus Ressegieu of Delmar, parts manager at Orange Motors, recently received the Ford Motor Company's Silver Medallion Parts Manager Award for being among the top 15 percent of all Ford and Lincoln-Mercury dealership parts managers in the country in terms of management and sales performance in 1982.

### Ad manager appointed

Anne C. Kerrigan, formerly of Delmar, has been appointed advertising manager for TravelLodge International Inc., a subsidiary of Trusthouse Forte of London. She will be responsible for coordination of joint advertising programs in cooperation with more than 540 TravelLodge hotels and motels in North America. Kerrigan also will oversee advertising design and special promotional projects. TravelLodge corporate offices are in San Diego, Calif.



Edward D. Arnheiter

### Joins equipment company

Edward D. Arnheiter, son of Dolores and Edward Arnheiter, Jr., of Selkirk, has joined Con Diesel Mobile Equipment, Waterbury, Conn., as a manufacturing engineer. Con Diesel is a division of Condec Corp. and manufactures special military equipment and vehicles. Arnheiter is a June graduate of Union College with a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering.

# Albany Public set to 'reopen'

The Albany Public Market in Delmar has had a new facelift. The newly remodelled and enlarged Delaware Avenue supermarket will celebrate with a grand opening sale that starts on Saturday, July 10, with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 9 a.m.

The Delmar branch of the Albany Public Market chain first opened in 1960. It outgrew the town but was unable to expand until it owned the property around it. Richard Dunn, vice president of Albany Public Markets, a division of Weis Markets, Inc. of Sunbury, Pa., says, "The new store brings to the Delmar area a totally new food shopping concept, offering everything a supermarket normally would in an enlarged and more modern surrounding, plus special unique departments like a full service scratch bakery with custom cake decorating, a pizza shop, an international cheese shop, farmers' produce and a New York-style deli."

Store managers include Vince Monforte, general manager; Doug Nisbet, divisional supervisor; Art Mosley, meat; Bruce Darrow, groceries; Jim Mariani, dairy, and Frank Steinback, produce.

### Honda dealer moving

Delmar Honda won't be Delmar Honda much longer — it's moving to Albany. The Honda dealership, at its Delaware Ave. location for five years, will now move to 945 Central Ave., Albany, early this fall. The new location is next to Westgate Shopping Plaza, on "automobile row."

Ed Suriano, general manager, said the company will have more room at the Central Ave. site — "we'll be able to fit 250 Hondas in the front lot!" The property was previously owned by Otto Oldsmobile, which has built a \$3 million facility down the road. Suriano said the dealership will be stepped up in its allocation of new cars when it has more room; it has been getting 30 to 35 new cars a month in Delmar.

The company also expects to start selling used cars when it moves and to allocate some of its space to body work. The expansion will mean adding to the roster of some 16 employees, Suriano added. He said no decision has been made on who will take over as tenant at 268 Delaware Ave.

### Bank prize winners

Winners in the Albany Savings Bank's grand opening sweepstakes at the new Delmar office have been announced by Gilbert O. Robert, board chairman and chief executive officer. Robert L. Lorette of Delmar won the grand prize, a 25-inch color TV. Home computers went to Patricia and Frederick Schoen, Mildred Hoffmeyer and Elizabeth Atkins, all of Delmar, and Cosmo Cavallo, Mary Soloyna and Beatrice Levine, all of Albany.

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# The Olympics are in his sights

By Caroline Terenzini

Earl Hauf, a Glenmont teenager, has a good shot at a berth on the U.S. Olympic team as a marksman.

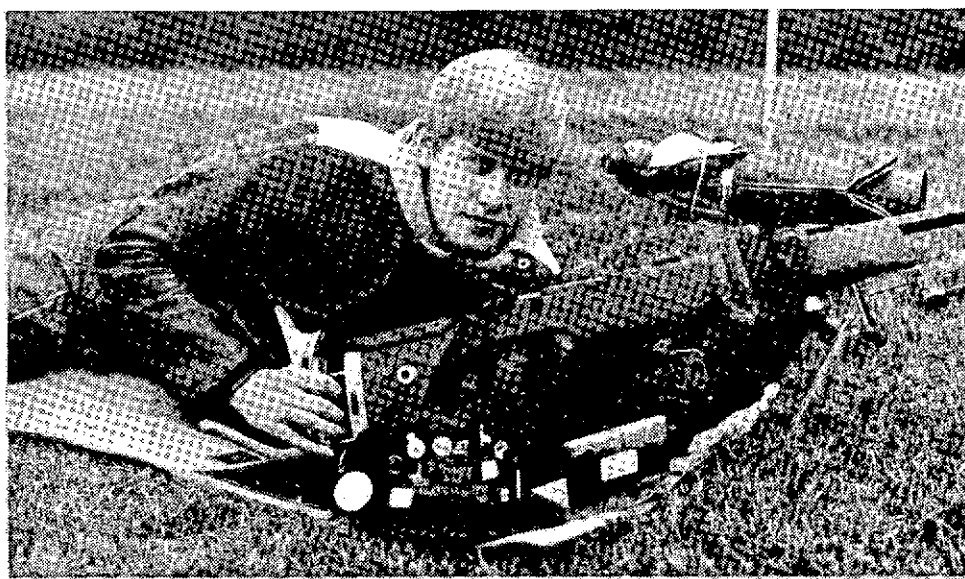
Earl, whose 17th birthday was Tuesday, is just back from Phoenix, Ariz., where he competed against the top 10 percent of shooters from all over the United States. His father, Lou Hauf, is getting the family camper ready for a trip to Camp Perry, Ohio, where the outdoor national championships are being held, and after that, there's a regional competition in Connecticut. It looks as though it'll be another summer like last year when Earl was home a total of 10 days.

Things weren't much better during the indoor shooting season, from September to March, when Earl traveled to a competition just about every weekend and sometimes midweek, too. Despite this heavy schedule, he earned honors at Christian Brothers Academy, where he has just finished his junior year. His course load left time for only one study hall a week, but Earl somehow also fit in the assignment as commander of the color guard. His rank at CBA this year was, master sergeant, the highest rank a junior can obtain.

Earl, a good-looking young man with an engaging smile, enrolled at CBA for his freshman year after attending Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Central schools. That is also when he took up shooting, only three short years ago. "He picked it up pretty fast," said the elder Hauf. "Earl has determination." He also knows how to set goals, his father said.

These are probably good traits for a marksman to have since the sport requires concentration and precision. "Most of it is mental training," Earl said. "You work on your position with dry firing — you do everything but fire the bullet." In competition, "you have to keep distractions out of your mind," he said. At the same time, you don't want to overemphasize the shooting — you can talk yourself into being nervous.

"Mental management" is stressed by Earl's coach, William Wolfe, who is director of junior small-bore activities for the New York State Rifle and Pistol Association. Wolfe, who resides downstate, travels all over the state to help young shooters, Hauf said. Wolfe also will coach them at matches or in long-distance telephone conversations. "Men-



Earl Hauf and his trusty German rifle in Glenmont.

tal management" is critical both for concentration and for keeping a competitor's pulse rate down because, in position Earl said, the target will bob in the sight with the pulse beat.

The concentration required in competitive shooting can take its toll. After an hour and a half, Earl said, "the target blurs and, sometimes, suddenly the target isn't there." He has a pair of shooter's "glasses" to ease the strain. Only one eye is used for sighting, but closing the other eye affects the sight so serious shooters use "glasses" with a small lens that can be swiveled to accommodate shifts in position. The other larger lens is "smoked" since shooters have found that staring at either a black or a white opaque lens can cause eye strain. Earl also has added blinders to his shooting cap to cut down on glare from the barrel.

Competitive shooters have special leather jackets, too. For the Phoenix competition, which was sponsored by the National Rifle Association but was conducted under international rules, each competitor's jacket was creased at the elbow and the fold was measured with a gauge to insure that it was no thicker than regulations allow. Similarly, the jacket must overlap only so many millimeters in front to eliminate any advantage from additional support a tighter jacket would give.

Even the ammunition is special. For

competition, Earl uses ammunition manufactured in England, which cost 12 cents a round. For practice at CBA, the shooters use "generic" ammunition provided by the military.

Since a hair's breadth off the dot in the center of the target is the difference between being No. 1 and being No. 2, Earl's rifle (like those of many competitors) is a German-made Anschütz, "supposedly the world's finest," he said. The 15-pound rifle doesn't look much like the standard .22. Among the special equipment on this costly rifle are counter-weights attached to the barrel and a small spirit level at the tip.

Earl also has a businesslike air rifle. Since air rifle competition is conducted at a distance of only 33 feet, Earl can practice in the basement of his home, where his shots will "chew" the center out of an old phone book in one evening, his father said.

That Earl ranked No. 2 in New York State at a recent competition at West Point is ironical since Shirley Hauf "was one of those mothers who said no cap guns, no nothing," she related with a laugh. Now, after becoming so well acquainted with the sport, she has a different view: "When taught properly, shooting is the safest sport going," she said. Injury is most likely from "dropping the rifle on your foot," Earl agrees, recalling a survey that ranked shooting



right next to the "chess club" in terms of possible danger.

Interestingly, at the Phoenix competition, to which the NRA invited the top 10 percent of marksmen nationwide, about a third of the nearly 400 competitors were female, Shirley Hauf estimated.

Earl expects to attend a college that has a shooting team and he has his sights set on engineering as a major. But, "basically, most of my life right now is shooting," Earl said. And an Olympic slot is the target.

## Report due

A recommendation from hearing officer Paul Vela on disciplinary charges against Bethlehem Police officer Wayne LaChappelle is expected this week, and will probably be taken up in closed session by the Bethlehem Town Board at its July 13 meeting, Supervisor Tom Corrigan said Friday.

Vela conducted two days of closed hearings last month on the charges against the officer, which involve discrepancies between LaChappelle's time sheets and the department's radio logs, but delays in obtaining transcripts of the hearing help up disposition in the case, Corrigan said. In the meantime, LaChappelle has served out a 30-day suspension (the maximum allowed before a civil service hearing and determination) and has returned to duty.

## Correction

Thruway Exit 22 in Selkirk, not Exit 23 as reported in last week's *Spotlight*, is the site for a proposed Union Oil Co. development. The company is proposing to run a sewer line north to the Bethlehem treatment plant.

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# Delmar team makes final 4

A Bethlehem team reached the final four of the District 6 Babe Ruth 13-year-old tournament for the first time in recent memory before bowing to host Guilderland.

The Delmar entry won four games, one of them by forfeit, and lost one in the double elimination tournament at Tawasenthia Park, Guilderland, before being sidelined. Bethlehem had a 3-1 lead behind Mike Hodge's strong pitching, but in the fifth inning a rash of errors and a couple of hits contributed to a six-run cluster for Guilderland. Mike Mecca had two hits and made several good plays in left field for Bethlehem, and Alex Buerle had a fine day at second base.

After an opening-round victory over East Greenbush, the Bethlehem all-stars lost to Albany Central, 12-6, defeated Hudson Valley by 12-5 and Whitehall by 8-5. The forfeit came when South Troy was unable to field the required number of players for a game.

Buerle and Jeff Pesnel led the attack on Hudson Valley with two hits apiece. Buerle and Ed Kane shared the pitching chores. Against the Whitehall team from Albany, Paul Evangelista went nine full innings to gain his second victory of the tournament, and chipped in with two hits. John McNiff also had two hits in the

game, but it was McNiff's shot over the center field fence at the 310-foot mark against Albany Central that gave the fans a thrill.

When Bethlehem bowed out, Guilderland and Central were scheduled to play the semi-final on Monday, the winner going against Cohoes for the title.

## Bethlehem Tomboys

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Major League					
	W	L		W	L
Nancy Kuiv.	6	0	LeShoppe	2	1
That Design	4	3	Beth. Elks	2	3
Dunstons	3	4	Beth. Mas.	1	5
Traveling League					
	W	L		W	L
Beth Tom.	3	2			

# Spotlight SPORTS

## Church Softball

Results 6-30-83

Glenmont 13, Delmar Reformed 3  
 Bathlehem Community 4, Westerlo 3  
 St. Thomas 16, Albany 5  
 Clarksville 18, New Scotland 7  
 Voorheesville 13, Delmar Methodist 4  
 Wynantskill 13, St. Thomas II 5  
 Presbyterian 10, Bethany 6

### Make Up Games

Glenmont 13, Albany 7  
 New Scotland 10, Delmar Methodist 7

	W	L		W	L
Glenmont	10	0	Bethany	3	6
Clarksville	8	1	Beth. Comm	3	6
Presby	8	2	Methodist	3	7
Wynantskill	7	2	Del. Reform	2	7
New Scot.	7	3	Westerlo	2	7
St. Thomas	7	3	Albany	2	8
Voorville	4	6	St. Thom II	1	8

## Game winning homer

Donna McAndrews unloaded a home run in the bottom of the eighth inning to give Riccardo's Studios an upset win over league-leading Atlantic Cement in Intermediate action in Bethlehem Tomboys softball last week.

In the minor league on the same night, Cheryl Lovelace smashed two homers for BPW and Kelly Keenan a round-tripper for Bailey's Garage.

# Little League hosts all-stars

There will be plenty of action at Magee Park on outer Kenwood Ave. next week when Delmar hosts the district 9-year-old all-star Little League baseball tourney starting Monday and running through Friday.

The Tri-Village 9-year-olds will kick off the eliminations with a game against the Whitehall League of Albany on Monday at 6 p.m. Tournament action at other age levels will require travel — the Tri-Village major league all-stars will play at the Whitehall park (at the start of I-787 near Thruway Exit 23) on July 23, the 10-year-olds will play at Whitehall on July 24, and the 11-12s at Colonie on July 17.

In regular-season play last week, Chris Oberheim of CPM became the sixth Senior League player this year to hit a homer as his team beat Houghtaling's, 14-9.

Owens-Corning had a win and a loss. They were shelled by Applebee, 14-0. Later in the week, the team beat Houghtaling's 14-12. Scott DiLillo had a double and a single.

In Major League action Andriano's beat Meyers, 10-1. Kyle Snyder of Meyers had a home run and a single, Sean Davies smashed two homers in Farm Family's 16-5 win over Convenient while Bill McFerran had a double for the losers.

Sean Lynch struck out 15 batters in Spotlight's 5-1 victory over Price Greenleaf.

A directory of popular restaurants recommended for family dining in the immediate area within easy driving distance of Bethlehem and New Scotland.

We trust that you will continue to enjoy your favorite restaurants and hope that on your next evening out, you will try one of the fine dining places advertised on this page.



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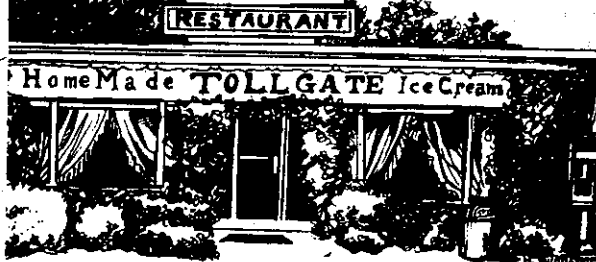
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## Keenan, Warren win at park

Dale Keenan and Jennifer Warren didn't let 95-degree temperature readings prevent them from turning in the best times in the annual Family Day running race at Elm Ave. Park in Delmar on the Fourth of July.

Dale was only one of several Keenans — three overall — who earned first-place plaques in the race. He covered the four-mile course in 25:07 to edge Mike Waldemaier and Bumper Wagoner in the men's sub-masters (30-39) division.

Warren, competing in the high school girls division, outran Kathy Keenan, winner of the women's sub-masters (30-39) and Sally Hansen, winner of the masters (40-49). Pat Hannan was second in the masters. Warren's time was 32 minutes flat over the course, three times around the park's fitness trail.

Other division winners were Peter

Hammer, Jeff Guinn and Peter Nelson, 1-2-3 in the high school boys race; Mike Nyilis and Mike Fischer, 1-2 in the men's 19-29; and Ty Yandon, Kirby Hannan and Charles Scholes in that order in the men's masters (40-plus).

Younger runners competed on a half-mile course over part of the fitness trail. Winners were: boys 9-11 - Bobby Smith, Pat Scholes and Brennan Perkins; girls 9-11 - Jennifer Flynn, Meg Connolly and Jan Isenberg; boys 12-14 - Craig Isenberg, Tom Nyilis and David Brown; girls 12-14 - Jennie Keenan. Award plaques went to the first three places in each division, and all participants in the children's races received ribbons.

### Normanside winners

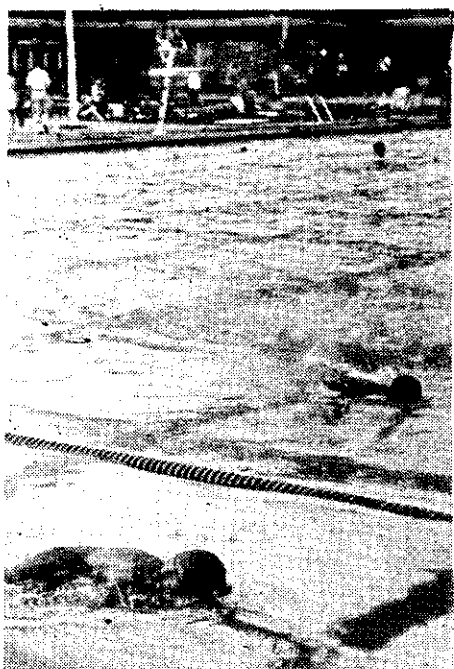
Normanside Country Club was the site of an annual July 4 Member-Member Tournament over the weekend. Teams competed in six flights over three days.

Winners were: championship flight, Dyke Farrow-Bill Stasiuk 3-2; first flight, Curt Matterson-John Riopelle, 3-2; second flight, Mike Miller-Jim Vogel, 2-1; third flight, Joe Fiato-Dick Phelan 6-5; fourth flight, George Grover-Ray Stout 1 up; and fifth flight, Bill Blackwell-Ed Carlton 1 up on 20th.

In a nine-hole event for women over the three-day weekend, winners were first, Mildred Jagareski-Cissy Stasiuk, 97; second, Berit McKenna-Tara McKenna, 98; third, Betty Martin-Connie Casimo, 100; fourth, Pat Meldrum-Joyce Fisher, 100; and fifth, Betty Pauquette-Mary Winchill, 101.

### Standings void

Standings in the Tri-Village Little League, Bethlehem Babe Ruth and Voorheesville Babe Ruth were not received for this week's paper.



Swimmers were part of the field day at Bethlehem's Elm Ave. Park Monday.  
Tom Howes



John Rodgers

### Letters at Wesleyan

John Rodgers, son of Dr. and Mrs. John B. Rodgers, Jr. of Delmar, has earned his second varsity wrestling letter at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn. A 1981 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, Rodgers earned three varsity wrestling letters there and was team captain as well as most valuable wrestler. The Wesleyan squad was ranked 13th in the NCAA dual-meet Division III poll. Rodgers is a member of the jazz ensemble at Wesleyan and is majoring in economics.

### Two in games

Two Bethlehem residents are on the Adirondack District team competing in the Empire State Games at Syracuse in August.

Michele Colbert of Slingerlands, a bronze medalist last year, and Elizabeth Kirk of Delmar are members of the women's judo team, regarded as one of the strongest in the summer classic.

Qualifying events in other sports are on the docket this weekend, primarily involving athletes from the Capital District competing against a team from the four northern counties of the district, Clinton, Essex, Franklin and St. Lawrence. Track and field events in both the open and scholastic divisions will get underway Friday at 5 p.m. at Albany State and will continue through Saturday. In swimming, qualifiers for the open and scholastic divisions will start at 9 a.m. Saturday at the Colacic pool. Also on the schedule are steeplechase, fencing, yachting, men's and women's basketball, soccer, volleyball and wrestling.

## Blanchard wins 2 on pitching

Jim McGuinness and Rob Kistler turned in victories as Blanchard Post ran its record to 4-6 in American Legion baseball, but the Delmar team continued to suffer from defensive lapses.

Stu Allway helped McGuinness with a home run and single in a 7-6 win over Zaloga Post. McGuinness, a Siena College student, fanned 10 and survived a last-inning rally that fell one run short.

Kistler went the seven-inning distance and helped his own cause by driving in five runs with a home run and two doubles in an 8-3 triumph over Voorheesville. Mike Cronin had a home run and single and Tom Duffy two singles.

But another barrier blast by Kistler and a double and single by Allway went for naught in a 9-3 loss to Helderberg. Fielding miscues were costly as McGuinness lost a five-hitter to Fort Orange, 6-5, Blanchard letting a 5-3 lead slip away in the last inning. Duffy had a triple and double, McGuinness two singles and Will Phillips a two-run single for Blanchard.

In a rematch with Fort Orange, Kevin Roohan's single delivered the only two runs for Blanchard in a 5-2 setback.

### Family tennis winners

Bethlehem's annual Fourth of July parent-child round-robin tennis championship went to Mike and Bill Cole in the "experienced" division while Jeff and Dick Grant won the novice bracket.

The Coles defeated Colleen and John Nyilis, 6-2, in the deciding match at the Elm Ave. courts as a feature in the Family Day program at the town park. Tom and John Nyilis were runners-up in the novice match, won by the Grants, 6-1. The round-robin, sponsored by the Bethlehem Tennis Association under the direction of Richard and Pat Heffern, attracted six teams in the novice division and five in the experienced division.

### Win at horseshoes

The Lynk family continued to dominate Bethlehem horseshoe pitching as Bob Lynk won the town singles championship by defeating Bob Smith in the finals and teamed with Leon Talmage to win the doubles title over Harold Hasselbarth and Tom Doody. The tournament was part of Bethlehem's annual Family Day celebration at Elm Ave. Park on the Fourth of July.

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Like old friends — Delmar's Farmer's Market opened for another season Friday at the St. Thomas Church parking lot, and Paul and Marcia Nelson were happy to welcome back this unidentified farmer from Krug Farms. The market will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Fridays.

Tom Howes

of the cut flowers.

Display the flowers in a location away from drafts and sunlight. Warm or moving air removes water from the leaves and petals faster than it is absorbed by the stems.

Beth Bergeron

## Sweet summer smells

There was more than just the sweet smells of summer in the air at Bethlehem's Elm Ave. Park on Monday's holiday — there were those delicious whiffs of fresh-baked pies and cakes direct from the home partry.

Four champions were crowned in the baking contest as part of the town's annual Fourth of July Family Day celebration. Beth Davis's pecan pie was judged the winner over an apple pie by Fred Atkins in the pie-baking competition, and Eleanor LaVolette's rum cakes topped the cake division. Lee Lindstrom was second with a cheesecake and Terry Ulion's coconut cake was third.

When the judges got to the cookies, the prize went to a chocolate-peanut butter recipe by Mrs. John Gill. Gloria Johnson was second with a batch of chocolate chips, and Heidi Lempert was third with peanut butter cookies.

Taste buds got a real workout in the pastry contest, as might be expected. Shannon Perkins was the winner with marble cupcakes, edging out dinner rolls baked by Karen Pellettier and choco-fudge brownies by Mary Ann Davis.

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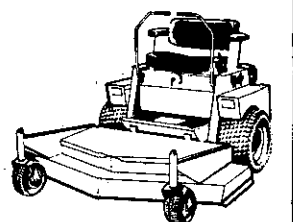
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### Fully appreciated

Editor, The Spotlight:

We would like to thank the members of the Selkirk Fire Department for their efforts in our behalf. Their quick response and organized actions kept a bad situation from becoming much worse.

Like most other residents of the town, we did not fully appreciate the personal time and energy these neighbors devote to all our well being.

Thank you,

The Plunkett Family

Glenmont

### Graduation gift

Editor, The Spotlight:

The following letter is addressed to William Cleveland, senior class advisor at Bethlehem Central High School:

Graduation from high school is always a milestone in the life of a person.

The Senior Class of 1983 evidenced their concern and thoughtfulness for older persons by sending their graduation floral arrangement to the Good Samari-

tan Home. Flowers always symbolize beauty, joy and happiness for the residents of the home.

On behalf of our residents, we offer our thanks to this thoughtful and caring expression by the Senior Class of 1983. They have evidenced Community involvement and sensitivity — truly the marks of a good citizen. As they take their place in society — in whatever community they may be involved (vocational, college, etc.), we feel they are worthy and knowledgeable citizens. With the future in the hands of young people like them, our faith and trust in the future is well placed.

We're in good hands with citizens like them.

Margaret Henahan, president  
Good Samaritan Home  
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### Behind it all

Editor, The Spotlight:

As a resident of New Scotland, I would like to commend your newspaper on your coverage of newsworthy events and happenings which take place within our town.

I was especially elated when I viewed your cover photo of the June 23 issue. It showed the "veteran" American Legion Color Guard dipping their colors as the "not so veteran" Cub Scouts of Pack 73 marched by, displaying one of the six flags symbolic to our country since 1775.

At the bottom of the picture was printed "Flag Day in New Scotland - Page 10." Anxiously, I opened the paper to Page 10 and read the caption under the second photo. This one showed Super-

visor Wallace, Congressman Stratton and friends admiring plaques dedicated to George Hotelling and Dr. Sutherland — during the Flag Day ceremony.

As I stated, I was elated to see the coverage your newspaper had given to our town on its Flag Day ceremony — but I was disappointed to see that you did not once mention the organization that originated Flag Day in this country — the organization that sponsored this particular service, invited the distinguished guests and the other organizations to participate with it at the New Scotland Town Park.

I truly hope it was an oversight not to mention "The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks" which stages this impressive and patriotic service at over 2,600 different locals throughout our country annually.

George R. Koch  
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### Gratitude for effort

Editor, The Spotlight:

The following letter was sent to Bethlehem Police Officers Christopher Bowdish and Michael McMillen:

Please accept this donation to the Police Benevolent Association on your behalf. We would like to express our deepest gratitude to you for your attempts to save Bridget Ryan's life on May 13, when you were called to Cherry Ave.

Thank you for all you did for her.

The family of Bridget Ryan

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### Resurrected

Editor, The Spotlight:

Our thanks and appreciation for recent articles in *The Spotlight* regarding the problems of getting my wife Doris to life again.

Your fine reporting resulted in our gaining factual information not obtainable through our personal request of Social Security and Blue Cross.

The good office of State Sen. Hugh Farley, who finally got Blue Cross into positive action after our personal calls and correspondence were consistently ignored was welcome and effective.

My personal rating of 1 to 10 on Blue Cross representing Medicare and their callous attention and response would be eleven minus.

The executive extolling the virtues of Blue Cross on television advertising should be enlightened.

Our warm thanks to Caroline Terenzini for her accuracy of reporting.

Delmar

Edward J. McKeon

### Another bumper crop

Last summer, the Town of Bethlehem introduced a "bumper" crop program to help the town's gardeners share the produce from their gardens with senior citizens.

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July 4, 1963

The Bethlehem Community Ambassador Project held a reception at the Delmar Public Library for nine teachers from India who are staying with area families until July 9.

The U.S. Postal Service will begin use of the new five-digit zip code July 1. The new system, designed to speed up mail service, has assigned 12054 to Delmar and 12159 to Slingerlands in the list of post offices in this area.

July 4, 1968

At the final Court of Honor of the season for Boy Scout Troop 85, Elsmere, it was announced that Warren Everson was stepping down as scoutmaster and that he would be succeeded by Frank Leavitt, assistant scoutmaster. The troop is planning a week-long bicycle trip on Cape Cod in late June.

July 5, 1973

New officers of the Bethlehem Central High School Men's Association are: John Gold, president; Irving Peters, first vice president; Norbert Kuk, second vice president; John Miller, treasurer; William Kerrigan, secretary; and Florence Furey, recording secretary.

## Sign recovered

One of the signs stolen from the entrance to Colonial Acres subdivision June 26 was recovered the following day on a North St. lawn, according to Bethlehem police reports. Police returned the sign to the Colonial Acres Association.



Mrs. Douglas J. DeForge

## Bride in Albany

Zemira Maria Cazzato, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Cazzato, 16 Southern Blvd., Albany, and Douglas James DeForge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeForge, Plattsburgh, were married June 25 at St. James Church, Albany. Rev. Anthony Sidoti and Rev. Joseph Aubin officiated at the ceremony.

Cynthia Pardo of Castleton was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Jill Briggs, Debbie Cazzato, Denise DeForge, Patience DeForge, Kathie Kiszka and Denise Michani. Flower girls were Kristina Fournier and Jill Cavalieri.

David Gadway of West Chazy was best man. Ushers were Michael Cazzato, James DeForge, Michael Arduini, Dean Milerm, Robert Pardo and Glen LaForce. Ring bearer was Timothy Michaniw.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Century House, Latham. On their return from a wedding trip to Venice,

Florence and Rome, Italy, the couple will make their home in Albany.

Mrs. DeForge is a graduate of Mercy High School and Maria College, and is employed by the Department of Pathology, Albany Medical College. Her parents are proprietors of Cazzato's Custom Tailors and Tri-Village Cleaners, Delmar. Her husband is a graduate of Mount Assumption Institute, Plattsburgh, and Siena College, and is employed by Albany Public Markets.

## Willey-Thompson

The engagement of Phyllis A. Willey, daughter of Mrs. Carol Willey of Slingerlands and the late Howard Willey, and John F. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Thompson, 7 Sutherland Ct., Delmar, has been announced.

Miss Willey is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and the College of St. Rose, and is employed by the Connecticut National Bank, South Norwalk, Conn. Her fiancé is also a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and is employed by Victoria Station Restaurant, Darien, Conn. An Oct. 8 wedding is planned.

## Homemaker course

A free 13-day homemaker-home health aide training program, beginning July 19, is being offered by the Home Aide Service of Eastern New York, Inc., 10 Colvin Ave., Albany. Homemaker-home health aides provide in-home care to the ill, the frail elderly and other individuals in need assistance.

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Team B didn't clinch the team title until the final event of the meet, the tug of war, when it strung-up two out of three match wins. Team A was second, 27 points behind.

Since all of the student-athletes graduated to the fifth grade, they won't be able to defend their titles next year.

## Testimonial for Dutcher

Former Conrail yardmaster Raymond Dutcher of Glenmont recently retired after 42 years of service in Albany and Selkirk, and over 100 friends, relatives and Conrail co-workers came out for a testimonial dinner at the Starlite Restaurant to say good-bye. Among the gifts he received were plaques from division superintendent R.E. Carbaugh and Selkirk superintendent Jim Fallon, speaking for all of Dutcher's co-workers there.

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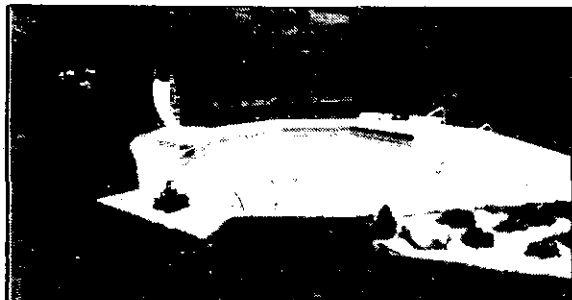
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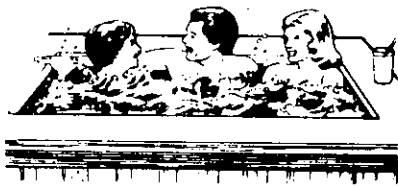
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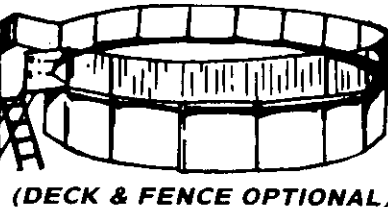
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