

PRESENT AT THE SIGNING of this year's official proclamation for the Christmas Festival were, left to right: Olin Bouck, Chairman of the Board of Directors; Bertram E. Kohinke, Supervisor of the Town of Bethlehem; and Mrs. Robert Kelum, Chairman of the 1965 Production.

Ambassador Named to Who's Who

An area resident, Miss Mary Ann McManamon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McManamon, 34 Fernbank Avenue, Delmar, is one of eleven students attending The College of Saint Rose named to Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

Who's Who is a national organization which annually honors students nominated for their scholarship, leadership, citizenship, and their promise for the uture.

Named to Dean's List each emester of her attendance at aint Rose and a member of the Pre-Honors and Honors courses, Aiss McManamon is currently erving as editor of "Rosaverian," he campus newspaper, having teld the position of assistant ditor during her junior year. member of Aliciam, the literry society, and Sodality, she as in charge of writing and proucing two television shows uner Communications Committee f Sodality. National Student ssociation Travel Director on ampus, and a member of Interational Relations Club, Miss cManamon has done volunteer ntoring in Cathedral Parish. his past summer she spent in apan as Bethlehem Community mbassador to that country. Miss McManamon, a senior nglish major at Saint Rose, a graduate of Bethlehem Cen-

al School.



Mary Ann McManamon Named to Who's Who

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Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Town of Bethlehem has celebrated its Christmas Festival as a community endeavor for the past 24 years, and,

WHEREAS, this celebration has endured long enough to insure that it is the creation of this community as a whole, receiving the enthusisastic endorsement and participation of the members of our community organizations and churches of all faiths, and,

WHEREAS, this annual event has participated in spreading Christmas cheer to others, and adding to our Christmas joy and blessings by presenting an opportunity to help others in our neighborhood and world community, and,

WHEREAS, this Christmas Festival has become a medium through which our neighborhood community unites in common observance in Christmastide,

THEREFORE, I, Bertram E. Kohinke, Supervisor of the Town of Bethlehem, do hereby proclaim December 12th, 16th and 17th in the year 1965 as Town of Bethlehem Community Christmas Festival days.

BERTRAM E. KOHINKE, Supervisor

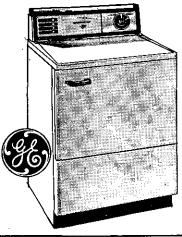


NEWSMEN FROM WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS, radio and television met with Governor Nelson A. Rockefeller for dinner at the Hendrick Hudson Hotel in Troy recently as part of the Governor's visits throughout the state to test reactions to various state programs and how they are being developed. Above, left, Robert G. King, Spotlight publisher, and unidentified newsman chat with the Governor following the meeting.



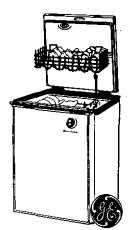
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Treasure Tree

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people of the area to bring their gifts and place them on the tree at the Library. The laden tree is a symbol of the generosity and interest of those who have so much. Join us all this year.

Party

The annual Christmas party of the Slingerlands Chapter of the New York State Federation of Home Bureau will be held on December 14 at 7 o'clock in the Slingerlands Elementary School.

After a smorgasbord supper there will be decorating of Christmas balls by the members.

Thank You

The Mr. and Mrs. Club of the First Methodist Church thanks all of the people of the Delmar-Elsmere Area for their food donations for the recent Thanksgiving Scavenger Hunt for needy families.

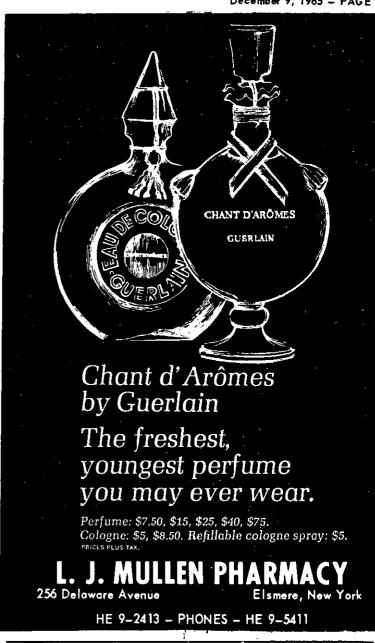


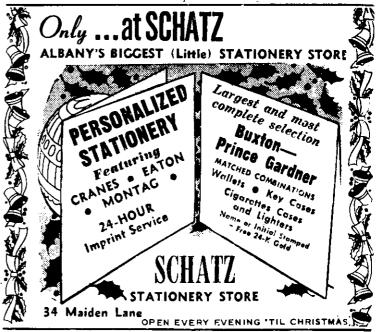
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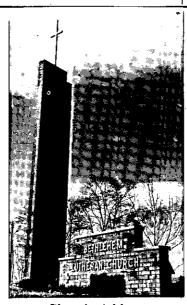
Table Talk

Mrs. Eleanor Wages, assistant home demonstration agent in Albany County, will demonstrate the preparation of holiday yeast breads on TABLE TALK on Wednesday, December 15 on Channel 13 at 7:30 A. M.

Many homemakers consider bread baking an art — something only grandmother could do — and consequently have never attempted to bake a loaf of bread. Only few simple techniques in mixing and kneading are

required to achieve a good loaf of bread, and Mrs. Wages plans to demonstrate these techniques. Emphasis will also be placed on the proper temperature required for optimum yeast growth.

Assisting Mrs. Wages will be the weekly hostess, Karen Hull, assistant home demonstration agent to Albany County. They will demonstrate shaping tea rings and coffee breads which will be suitable for the holiday season. Convenience forms of bread will be used to make one



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of the tea rings. A free bulletin entitled, "Yeast Bread and Rolls" will be offered to the viewers of this program.

Dolls, Dolls!

Dolls, dolls - a charming display is now on exhibit at the Delmar Public Library. The babies and teen-agers of the doll world have been dressed by the employees of the Thruway office and will soon be claimed by the Salvation Army.

The opportunity to have these delightful visitors each year is becoming a tradition at the Library and is enjoyed by the young at heart, no matter what their age.



Another community Bethlehem is contributing in a unique way to our own Town of Bethlehem Christmas Festival.

Mr. W. T. Miller of Bethlehem, Pa., has lent the festival decorating committee one of his handmade Advent stars, to be placed in the fover of the high school as illustration of the festival theme: "Star Over Bethlehem."

Mr. Miller, who is 81 years old and a former employee of the Bethlehem Steel Company, is the father of Mrs. Frank W. Sterrett of 7 Burtonwood Place in Delmar.

A man of considerable artistic ability, Mr. Miller's main hobby since his retirement has been designing and constructing Advent stars. The stars are a Moravian custom, and even today if you drive through Bethlehem, Pa., a city of about 75,000 people, vou will find Advent stars at this time of year decorating almost every private home.

Mr. Miller has invented the orms for Advent stars, which re lighted from the inside in lifferent colors and which come n various sizes. The one we ave borrowed has yellow lights nd measures four feet across.

Churches all over the county have requested and received dvent stars from Mr. Miller.



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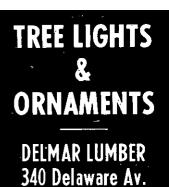
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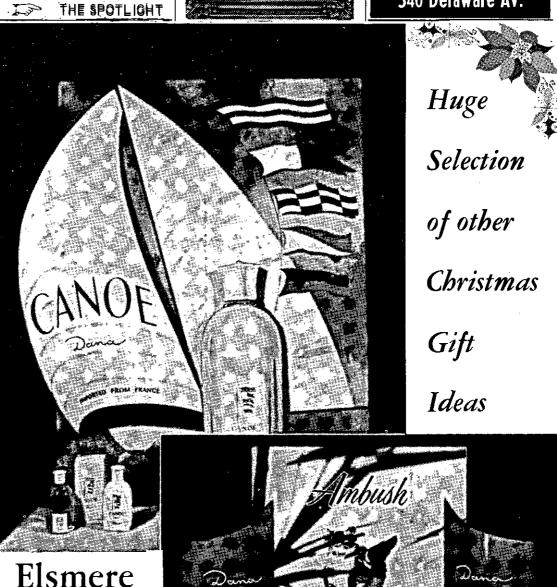
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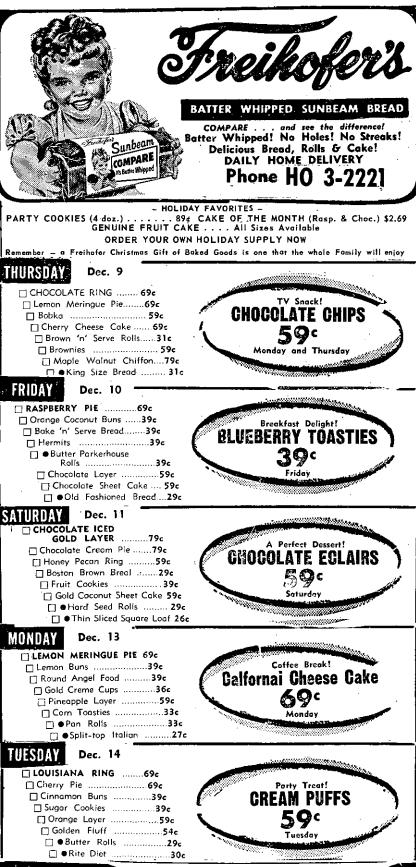
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An active man, Mr. Miller is presently recuperating from an operation for cataracts and impatiently awaiting his doctor's permission to get back to his hobbies. He also makes Christmas mobiles and original cookie cutters.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterrett are both natives of Bethlehem, Pa. They have two sons, Frank, 20, who was graduated from Bethlehem Central in 1963 and is now a student at Moravian College in his parents' hometown, and John, 13, a pupil at Bethlehem Central Junior High School.

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Christmas Festival will be three tableau scenes, entitled "Let Earth Receive Her King." The first scene will show Mary and Joseph on their way to Bethlehem, the second will show the three kings on their way to Bethlehem and the third will be the Nativity scene.

Cast members are being directed by Mrs. Robert Kellum, and the tableaus will have background music provided by the Madrigals, a small group of high school pupils under the direction of Mrs. Magdalene York.

The tableau scenes will be presented in about 10 minutes. "We've all made an effort to cut down on the time of the festival," Mrs. Kellum told me, because in recent years it has become quite lengthy. She hopes, too, that the simplicity of the tableaus will be appreciated by festival audiences.

Cast members for the tableaus will be: Mary, Miss Marjorie Reid and Mrs. Robert Johnson; Joseph, Mr. Robert Kellum and Mr. David Coughtry: Kings. (each representing a different church in our community) Mr. Gene Carpenter, Mr. Walter Kinn, Mr. John Flandreau, Mr. Samuel Hazleton, Mr. Frank Downs, and Mr. Harold Garinger.

Mr. Gilbert Drake is chairman of the staging and scenery committee for the festival. Mr. William Bub is in charge of lighting, Mr. John McColl will direct make-up activities, and Mrs. Joseph Stella is wardrobe chairman. All of their work is vital to the success of the tableau presentation.

Mrs. Kellum, who has lived at 47 Jordan Blvd, in Delmar with her family for the past six

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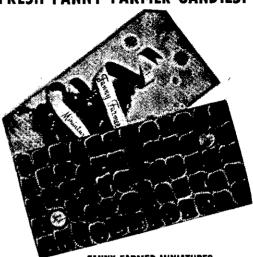
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years, coordinated the production of the festival three years ago. She has also been president of the Delmar Progress Club, and is now an assistant Girl Scout leader.

The Kellums have a son, Jerry, who recently passed his bar examinations and is practicing law in southern Minnesota, and a daughter, Debbie, 11, who is a pupil at Hamagrael Elementary School.



WITH THE GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scout uniform exchange, which was recently held in the basement of St. Thomas Church, was a great success from all reports. It is hoped that we can continue to do this each year there is a need for it.

Brownie Troop #122 held its investiture with 17 girls being received into the troop. Parents attended the ceremony and refreshments were served, with the Brownies ending the program with songs they had learned earlier in the year.

Cadette Troop #442 is now working on the Good Grooming Badge. Mrs. Gagmon, from the National Dairy Council, will speak on nutrition, grooming and dental care. The National Dairy Council, in cooperation with Girl Scout Headquarters, has made booklets and charts on the subjects, available to the leaders and Girl Scouts. These should be a great help to all working on this badge.

The Annual Carol Sing and Tree Lighting Service on the Capitol Steps, sponsored by the Girl Scout Council and the Knickerbocker News, will be held on December 16 at 6:30 P. M. We hope that many troops from this area will again take part. As usual a First Aid Stand will be operated by Mr. Charles Fritz under the steps of the Capitol.

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Cadette Troop #136, under the leadership of Mrs. Nelson J. Williams and Mrs. Walter Hollner, took a trip to the Veterans Hospital on Friday, December 3. They toured the third floor of the hospital and visited the library, recreation room, dining room and the chapel. The girls presented bookmarks which had been made by members of the troop.

Party

President Mrs. Edward Costigan has announced that the Annual Christmas Party of the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post #1040 Auxiliary will be held Tuesday, December 14, at 6:30 P. M. in the Post Rooms, Popular Drive, Elsmere.

Chairman, Mrs. George Kirk, has reported that a Smorgasbord will be prepared and served by the Eastern Star of Delmar. Reservations chairman for the evening is Mrs. Cosse Drury.

The regular business meeting will be held the following Tuesday, December 21, at 8 o'clock.

Tea

The Town of Bethlehem Historical Association has announced plans for a reception and tea to be held on Sunday afternoon, December 12, in honor of the retirement of Mrs. Paul E. Dickenson as Town Historian of the Town of Bethlehem, Mrs. Dickinson, well-known as Ruth to her many acquaintances, plans to retire from her duties as Historian at the end of the current year, after serving the Town of

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The tea and reception will be held at the headquarters of the Town of Bethlehem Historical Association, which is the Cedar Hill School building, on Route 144 in Cedar Hill. Hours of the I tea will be from 4 to 6 P. M. and the public and residents of the Town of Bethlehem are invited to be present.

Mrs. William Waldbillig is General Chairman of the event, assisted by members of the Historical Association, Mrs. Chester Hawley and Mrs. Howard Geyer are in charge of table settings and refreshments. Mrs. Waldbillig has announced that the following will be pourers: Mrs. Edwin Corning, Mrs. J. B. Lvon, Mrs. Phillip Campbell, Mrs. S. Vint Vanderzee, Mrs. Henry Meyer, Miss Merdith Clapper, Miss Arthur Main, Miss Ruth Miner, Mrs.

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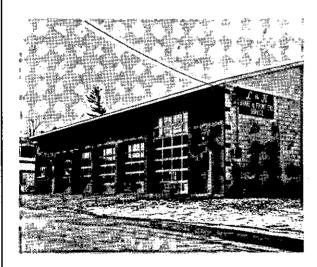
There will also be a display at the school on the afternoon of the tea of paintings by local area artists of the Town of Bethlehem. The Village Four of Delmar will exhibit, as well as John Williams of Glenmont, Mrs. Donald Hunter of South Bethlehem and a group of the Bethlehem Church Artists.

Good Work

Two Bethlehem Central Students placed in the Rapid Calculation contest held on October 5, 1965 at the State University Agraculture and Technical college at Cobleskill. Thomas Pratt placed second and Ann Whitney placed ninth among 92 contestants.

The students, members of the classes of Robert Pierson, Bethlehem Central Business Teacher, will receive certificates of achievement award by the college at Cobleskill, and signed by the president, Edward Sabol.

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the DECA club at Bethlehem Central, while Ann is a junior and is a member of FBLA.

In Crash

A 31-year-old U. S. Air Force jet pilot from Delmar parachuted to safety recently, when his plane crashed on the outskirts of Pieiku, Viet Nam.

It was the second time Capt. Robert D. Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Street of 36 Roweland Avenue, Delmar, has been forced to bail out of an aircraft.

He was piloting a USAF F4C twin-jet phantom bomber taking part in a rocket strike against Viet Cong positions.

An Air Force officer said it was more likely that Capt. Street's plane had been hit by Viet Cong ground fire.

Capt. Street and his co-pilot,

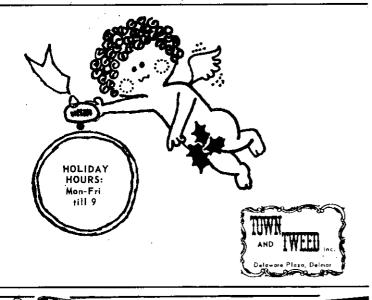
1st Lt. H. James Knoch of Oakron, Ohio, ejected themselves



Capt. R. D. Street

from the aircraft as it went out of control.

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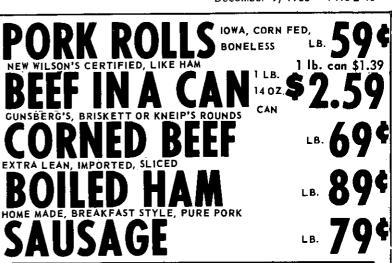


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Capt. Street was stationed at MacDill Air Force Base in Tampa at the time.

New Building

The need for a new headquarters building for the Albany Area Chapter of the American Red Cross was announced by James R. Davie, Chapter Chairman, at the Annual Board of Directors Dinner Meeting held at the De-Witt Clinton Hotel Thursday evening.

Mr. Davie announced the official Kick-off date for the Building Fund Campaign would be January 17, 1966.

J. Spencer Standish, Vice-President of Albany Felt, has been appointed Campaign Chairman with Everett W. Wyatt, Vice-President of the National Commercial Bank and Trust Company, and Mrs. Richard C. Rock-

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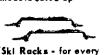
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James Davie stated, "Ever since our old headquarters on Englewood Place was gutted by fire two years ago, we have been provided temporary quarters by Albany Junior College. The college now needs the space by August 1st to prepare for an increased enrollment in the Fall of 1966."

A building site has been purchased at Hackett Boulevard and Holland Avenue with construction to begin in the Spring of 1966.

The Headquarters will contain 15,000 square feet to enable the Red Cross to meet the expanding services of the Chapter. Classrooms for training of volunteers, a canteen for disaster operations, an area for Red Cross Motor Service, storage space for equipment lent to the sick and injured, as well as offices for staff and administration of service to Military Families are all included in the new build-

\$300,000 is the need for the new building," Spencer Standish, Campaign Chairman said. "We are planning the Advanced Gifts Campaign during December. Fred Peters, President of the National Savings Bank and a member of the Board, has agreed to head the Advanced Gifts Committee," according to the Campaign Chairman.

"Individual Memorials may be dedicated to the memory of a relative or friend and the donor may make payment over a three year taxable program. Further information about memorials or pledges can be had by calling the Red Cross Chapter at 140 New Scotland Avenue," according to Spencer Standish.

The Board Members will be



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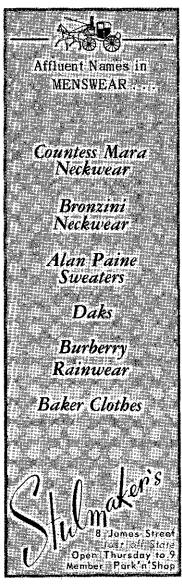
taking an active part in the solicitation of gifts. The Board and Staff are now being solicited with \$35,000 or 11.6% of the Building goal already pledged with 100% Board participation anticipated.

Mayor Erastus Corning spoke briefly stating, ". . . the Red Cross Chapter House will be another fine addition to our current city building program."

Benefit

The Church of Jesus Christ, Latter Day Saints, (Mormon), is sponsoring a pre-opening, benefit performance of the George Stevens production, "The Greatest Story Ever Told," at





the Hellman Theatre in Albany. December 23 at 8:15 P. M.

Tickets for the reserved section are \$5.00, general admission is \$4.00, and are available by contacting Mr. and Mrs. Robert de Ruyter, Slingerlands, or Dr. and Mrs. George Swenson, Delmar.

Meeting

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Delmar Fire Department will be held at the Fire House tonight at 8 o'clock. A Christmas party with Santa Claus and gifts will highlight the evening.

Election

The Annual Bethlehem Babe Ruth League meeting for the nomination and election of officers for the coming year will be held Monday, December 13,

8 P. M. in the Junior High School. The public is invited.

Christmas Tea

The December meeting of the DAR will be held Saturday, December 11, 1 P. M., at the home of Mrs. Hildreth C. Bailey. Tea will be served.

Letter

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New Member

Raymond A. Griffin Jr. Assistant Treasurer and Manager of the Central Avenue office of Home Savings Bank has joined the select circle of 25-Year Club members of that organization.

He was presented with a wrist watch by President Harry D. Yates in token to his loyal service to the bank. He became the 22nd member of the 25-Year Club, the members of which combine the impressive total of 700 years service in the bank.

Once a year the bank hosts an annual dinner for club members.

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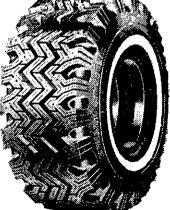
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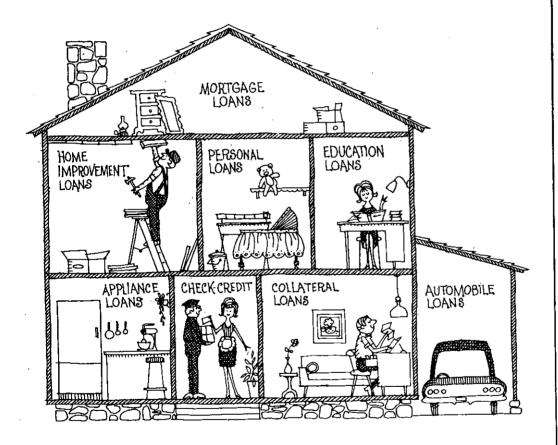
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Speaker

G. H. Link of the Industrial Products Department, Shell Oil Company, New York City, will be the speaker at the December 14th meeting of the Mohawk-Hudson Chapter of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

Mr. Link, who has a background of 30 years of sales and engineering experience with Shell Oil Company, will talk on "Motor Trends." He is presently a staff engineer with Shell and has the responsibility of marketing and related technical service activities to original equipment manufacturers of cars, trucks and construction equipment.

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workshop, sponsored jointly by the Heldeberg Workshop, "An Adventure in Learning" and Hudson Valley Community College in cooperation with Science Education Products Co., division of B-D Laboratories of Rutherford, New Jersey will cover basic principles of microbial growth. Included will be laboratory procedures and techniques, classroom experiments for beginner and advanced student, the use of selfcontained teaching units and improvisation to make possible the teaching of micro-biology with a minimum of experience and equipment.

Mr. James T. Fitzgibbons, president of Hudson Valley Community College, will welcome the teachers in the auditorium of Amstruz Hall. Appearing with

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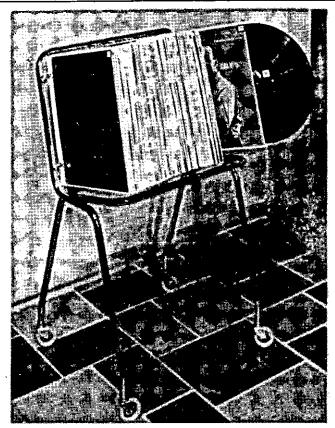
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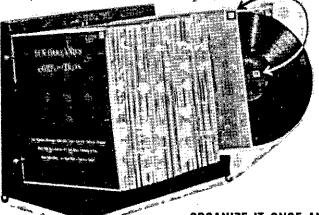
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Mr. John Ainsworth of the Hudson Valley Community College faculty will direct the Workshop. Working with him will be Dr. Dominick Eannello, head of the Biology Department, and Mrs. Elizabeth Rowe and Miss Arlene Briard who are members of his staff, and representatives of B-D Laboratories and senior biology students.

Lunch will be served in the College cafeteria and the afternoon will be spent in the laboratory. Supplies will be furnished by Science Products Co., division of B-D Laboratories.

During the summer the Heldeberg Workshop held a class in micro-biology for 4-5-6 graders taught by John Ainsworth. The impact on the youngsters was so great and the interest and enthusiasm so high that the Heldeberg Workshop felt a siminar on the subject would serve to make available techniques developed by Mr. Ainsworth to

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Summer Trip

The Fort Orange-Uncle Sam Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America will conduct an adventure packed sightseeing trip to Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimarron, New Mexico, in August 1966. The contingent will travel

through 16 states which are rich in beauty and history.

Chartered buses will leave Albany on Saturday, August 6, 1966 and travel 17 days en route to Philmont. Some of the highlights included in the itinerary are the Badlands, Mount Rushmore, Yellowstone National Park. horseback riding in the Grand Tetons, swim in Great Salt Lake, Bryce Canyon, Hoover Dam, Petrified Forest, a visit to a Pueblo Indian Village, Lincoln Monument and Indianapolis Speedway and Museum. En route the dele-

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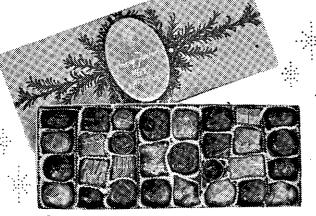
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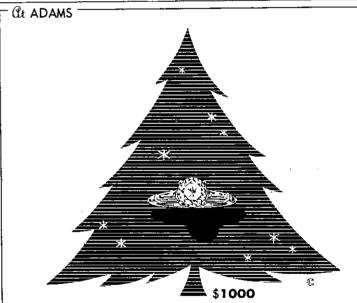
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Additional information on the trip may be obtained by calling the Council Office, 869-0961. Early registrations are important as the Expedition will be limited in size. Many registration fees have already been received at the Council Office.

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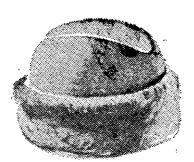
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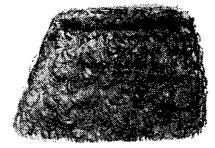
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The party, which will take place at the CYO Center, 340 First Street, Albany, will begin at 2 P. M. All campers, parents and friends are invited.

Entertainment will be provided by campers and counselors who will cooperate in presenting a talent show.

Soloist

An area resident, Miss Anne Hoffmann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffmann of 18 Bedell Avenue, will be a featured soloist at the annual College of Saint Rose Glee Club Christmas Concert, Friday, December 10, at 8:00 P. M. in the auditorium of St. Joseph Hall,

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Dance

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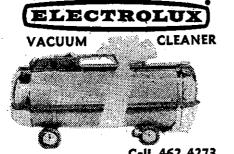
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Santa Here

The Garden Shoppe on Route 32 between Elsmere Avenue and Route 9-W announces that Santa is there for the third year. He has lots of gifts for the kids as well as an ear for their Christmas wishes.

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2 Chosen

Two Bethlehem Central High School Seniors were selected to attend the New York State

School Music Association All-High Conference at the Concord Hotel, Kiamesha Lake, New York. Richard Gibbs, currently the solo clarinetist in the Bethlehem Central Senior High concert band, and Charles Mayberry, a bass voice in the High School Choraliers and the Madrigal choirs, participated in the threeday conference from December 5 through 8. Participants were selected from recommendations by their teachers and from individual solo ratings earned at various NYSSMA solo and ensemble festivals











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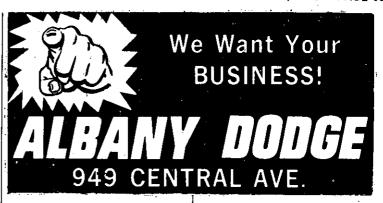
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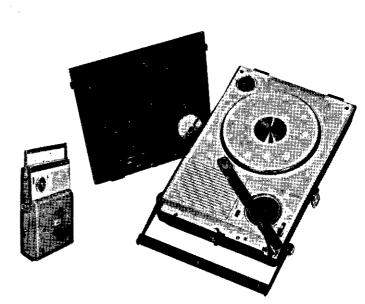
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Party

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Elsmere Fire Company will hold its annual Christmas party on Thursday, December 9, at the Fire Hall on Popular Drive, Elsmere.

A smorgasbord will be held at 6:30 preceding the regular business meeting presided over by Mrs. Donald Blodget, President.

Entertainment and the exchange of Christmas gifts will follow.

Speaker

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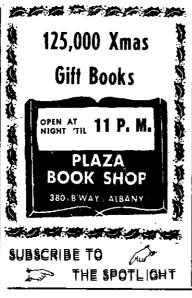
The program is open to the public.

Member Drive

Edward Waldron, Chairman of the Albany County Agricultural Extension Service, reported that the 1966 main membership drive appears to be off to a fine start. To date, close to 300 people have already renewed their membership for 1966. These members have nominated almost 100 additional people for a complimentary 1966 membership in the Agricultural Extension Ser-

During the year 1965, the Agricultural Extension Service completed a half-century of Extension work in Albany County. To help recognize this milestone. all paid 1966 members have been invited to nominate a person to be a complimentary member for 1966. It has been specified that the complimentary membership may be given to a person who will benefit from the activities of the Agricultural Exension Service and who has not been a member in 1964 or 1965.

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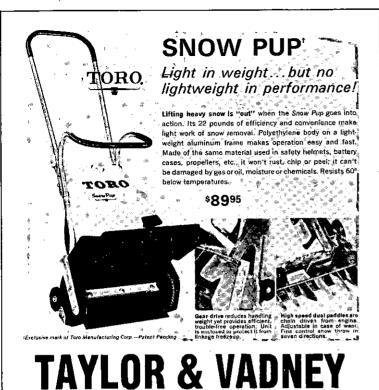


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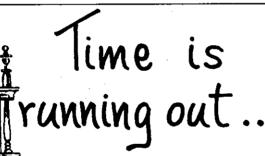
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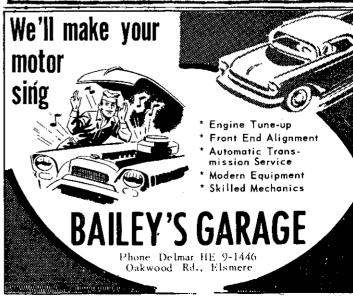
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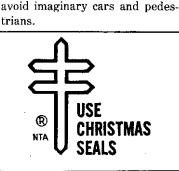
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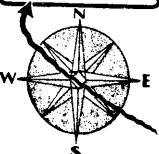
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