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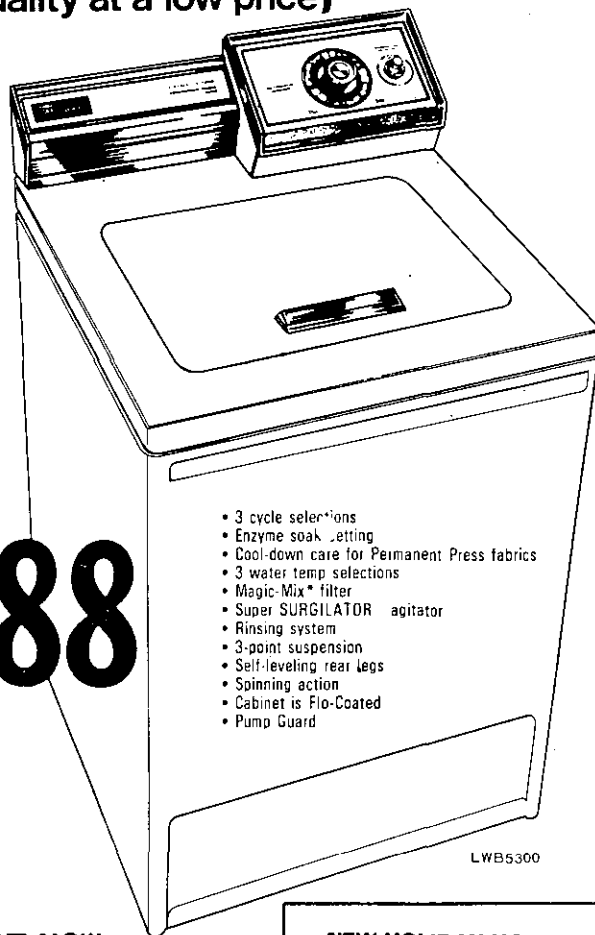
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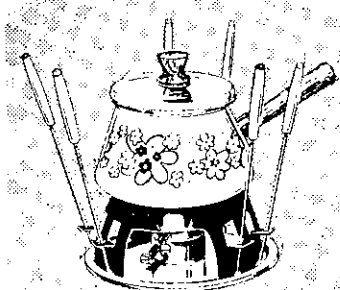
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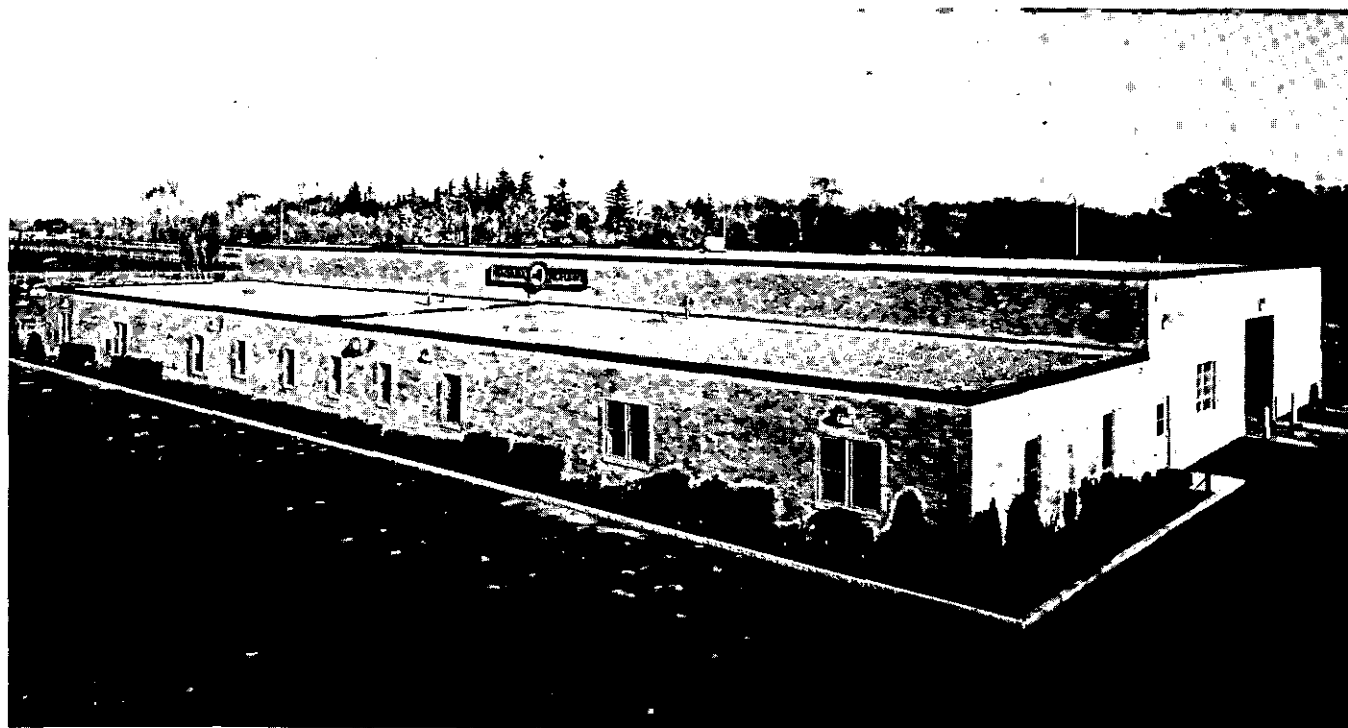
We've moved into our new Glenmont Service Center, and we are inviting all of our friends and neighbors in the Bethlehem and Guilderland area to an Open House from 1 P.M. to 5 P.M., on Saturday, December 4th. The service center is located on Route 9W, just south of the Thruway overpass in Glenmont.

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Spotlight CALENDAR

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An exhibit of Israeli art at the Albany Jewish Community Center's Main Lobby through November 21. 35 lithographs, watercolors, collages, woodcuts and oils will be on exhibit. Such well known Israeli artists as Samuel Katz, Jay Pinz, Ari Rothman, David Gilboa, Avram Polonsky, Moshe Bernstein, Reuven Rubin, Levinstein, Benskin and others will be represented in this exhibit.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2

The Mother's Club of the Montessori School of Albany will meet 7:30 P.M. at the school. Specific activities for the coming month will be discussed.

FISH Volunteers and would-be volunteers, come to a coffee at the St. Thomas Convent, 360 Kenwood Avenue at 9 A.M. R.S.V.P. to Anne Jeram 439-2321 or Ruth Henahan 439-6386. Here is a chance to get to know those working different shifts from yours and to exchange suggestions for the shop.

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The annual Christmas Interfaith Tea sponsored by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Delmar United Methodist Church will be held at 1 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Mrs. Sidney Smith will direct a Christmas musi-

cal program which will include the Mesdames Alvah Worth, Richard Haverly, Lyle Schoenthal, and the Reverend Sang Hahn. Mrs. Hollis Harrington and Mrs. Russell Johnson are serving as general co-chairmen for the event. All church women of the Tri-Village area are cordially invited to attend.

8 P.M. Assemblyman Tom Brown will conduct a Legislative contact meeting at Selkirk Fire Co., Selkirk.

VASCO, a group dedicated to spearheading youth activities in the Town of New Scotland, announces its monthly meeting will be held at 8:00 P.M. in the Voorheesville Legion Hall. The program will include discussion of present and future activities; i.e. ballet, the sports exchange day, winter sports, boys' basketball, dramatics and the pre-school story hour. New members mean new projects. If you are a High School grad or at least 18 years old, we want you and your ideas.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3

Bethlehem Environmental Improvement Association will meet at 8 P.M., in the Community Room of The Bank, Delmar. The nominating committee will present its slate of officers for 1972. The public is cordially invited to attend.

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar. Everyone is welcome to come in the morning to browse amongst the handicraft, baked goods, gourmet foods and white elephant booths. Luncheon will feature Shrimp Salad New Orleans at \$1.75 per plate. Supper will be "15¢ a dip," plus hamburgers, hot dogs and pizza.

8:15 P.M. Audobon Wild Life film and lecture at Lincoln Park School, Albany. Tickets at door.

Travelogue Program — The second in a series of winter Travelogue Programs will take place at 8:00 P.M. in the Selkirk Fire House #1 on Maple Avenue, Selkirk. Mrs. Alice Porter from Delmar will show pictures taken on a recent trip to Mexico.

The 25th Annual Christmas Greens Show will open at 5 P.M. on Friday, December 3 at the Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Avenue. The show will remain open until 9 p.m. and on Saturday from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. and on Sunday from noon to 6 p.m. There is no charge for admission.

"Now Sing We, Now Rejoice" is the theme of the show which is headed by Mrs. Edmund C. Purdy and Mrs. Dominic M. Delaney.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4

An exchange of winter sports equipment will be held at the Voorheesville American Legion Hall sponsored by VASCO. Residents of the Voorheesville-New Scotland-New Salem area who have equipment they would like to sell or swap or who are interested in purchasing used equipment are invited to the exchange. Any type of winter sports equipment may be brought to the Legion Hall for sale or exchange — skis, ski poles, ski boots and togs, ice skates, hockey sticks, sleds and toboggans.


Equipment will be accepted at the Legion Hall for consignment beginning at 8:30 A.M. on December 4th. The exchange will open at 10:00 A.M. and continue until 4:00 P.M. Any equipment not sold or exchanged will be returned to the consignor. Refreshments will be available while the exchange is in progress.

The Twelfth Annual Dinner of the Republican Committee, Town of Bethlehem, will be held tonight

COVER STORY

MISS REPUBLICAN

THE BETHLEHEM GOP will honor Miss Republican herself, Ruth Miner of Slingerlands, at the 12th Annual GOP Dinner to be held at Thruway Hyatt House on Saturday, December 4. Miss Miner has brought honor and esteem to the local Republicans through her unselfish efforts over the years on behalf of all the people. Her wisdom and foresight have provided a new high in Good Government. Her belief that "politics is practical patriotism at work" has made her accomplishments as attorney and in the offices of public trust which she has held, outstanding mileposts. No lifelong resident of the Town of Bethlehem can even begin to approach the rare qualities of loyalty and leadership of this woman over the years. The Spotlight is happy and honored to join with the Republican party in this tribute to Miss Ruth Miner.



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From 1-5 P.M., there will be an Arts Festival in the Voorheesville Elementary school. The paintings and lithographs exhibited, including works by Tom O'Connor of SUNYA, will all be for sale. The proceeds will go to Theatre Fun For Young People, the volunteer organization formed to bring professional theatre to the Voorheesville Elementary School.

The Festival will also include a demonstration of the potters wheel and a small shop featuring a great variety of handmade articles.

Come to the Ski Flea Market, sponsored by the Whiz Ski Club. Bring your used skis and winter sports equipment and we will sell it for you. Equipment registration Dec. 3, 6:30-9 P.M.; Dec. 4, 9-10 A.M. Public Sale 10 A.M.-3 P.M. Location: Al's By-Pass Garage, 645 Delaware Ave., Delmar, just West of Cherry and Delaware Ave. intersection.

Young Snowmobile operators Safety Training Course. 10 A.M. Slingerlands Fire House on New Scotland Road.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5

Christmas Silver Tea — Bethlehem Historical Association, Route 144 at Cedar Hill. 3:30 to 6 P.M.

5 to 7 P.M. Albany Panhellenic Association Christmas Party at home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFadden, Loudonville.

Registration for the winter vacation program and the winter day camp of the Albany Jewish Community Center will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Center office.

The day camp for pre-schoolers through 4th grade will take place on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 27, 28 and 29. Activities will include swimming, modelmaking, woodcraft, gym, folktime, drama, active games, singdowns and if there is snow, tobogganing and other snow activities. Milk will be provided. Trained day camp staff will work with the children.

A real "triple treat" is in store for the Capitol District when the St. Peter's Choristers, St. Peter's Church, State Street, Albany, will sing George Handel's "Messiah". This will be a complete, uncut performance starting at 4:00 o'clock with a supper interval in the Parish House.

This production of the "Messiah" will be unique in that it is the first

time in the known history of the work that it will be sung in its entirety by a choir of men and boys. Due to the length of the performance a delightful innovation has been arranged. There will be a buffet supper served at 5:45 in the newly decorated reception rooms adjacent to the church. At 7:00 o'clock the music will continue until its conclusion.



Donald Ingram

Donald Ingram, organist and choirmaster of St. Peter's Church, is a man with musical vision and a beautiful place in which to bring his ideas to fruition. He is in his third year in Albany and in that short time has become a well-liked and respected member of our musical community. He is Dean of the Eastern New York Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and as such was recently host to Helen Hosmer, the renowned conductor, who conducted a mass choir in Faure's "Requiem" at the Cathedral of All Saints in Albany. Mr. Ingram is also a member of the music commission of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany. He was formerly organist and choir director at St. Paul's Cathedral in Buffalo. Under his tutelage two of the treble in his choir have, in the past, been selected for membership in the prestigious Berkshire Boy Choir — James Chenot of East Greer bush and Richard Longley of Slingerlands.

The Albany YWCA will celebrate its traditional Hanging of the Greens Party from 2 to 4 o'clock. Each child present will make his own decorations from supplies donated by Macy's, and hang them on the three trees which will be placed throughout the building. There will be caroling and a procession to music following a piper. Special treat for the children will be the presence of Miss Peggy from Romper Room. This gathering has been a tradition for

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The Albany Jewish Community Center will hold its **Fifth Annual Jewish Book Carnival and Book Fair** beginning today at 2 P.M. The Jewish Book Carnival is geared to children of pre-school and elementary school age. There will be special game booths created from games described in Jewish books or depicting the book itself. There will also be a refreshment booth where hot dogs and soda will be sold. The children and counselors in the Center's Sunday Funday program have planned and designed the booths and will participate in the program.

The Carnival will take place in the Center's auditorium from 2 to 4 P.M.

4 P.M. — Helen Henshaw will give the Annual Christmas Organ Recital at St. James Church, Delaware Ave., Albany. The program will close with the singing of the "Hallelujah Chorus," by singers of several church choirs and choruses.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 6

The Bethlehem Art Associations 5th annual art show is continuing again this week at the Bankers Trust, Delmar, and can be seen during banking hours through Dec. 17.

8:30 - CCA meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prichett, 563 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar.

The churches in the Tri-Village Ministerial Association announce a proposed ecumenical church school for exceptional children; those children who have had serious learning difficulties or developmental disabilities and need special attention. All persons interested in enrolling their children are asked to call their pastor or Rev. Tom Peterson at 439-9976. This is to arrange for a 30-minute interview with staff workers to be scheduled today and tomorrow at the First United Methodist Church.

The proposed beginning date for the church school is January 30.

All persons interested in assisting or teaching these classes are asked to contact their pastor or Rev. Peterson at 439-9976.

Delmar Progress Club will honor all new members of the past year from 2 to 4 P.M. at a Tea to be held at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. The club will be entertained by the Thursday Belles, a group of bell ringers directed by Miss Helen

Henshaw who also directs the Thursday Musical Club of Schenectady and the Monday Musical Club of Albany.

The Albany County Mental Health Association will hold its annual membership meeting at 7:30 P.M. at Michael's Restaurant in Latham. Guest speaker for the evening is Dr. Robert McKinley, Deputy Commissioner of the Division of Mental Health, Department of Mental Hygiene. His topic will be "Current Trends in Mental Health Services."

The Chorus of the Monday Musical Club will present its Winter Concert at 8:00 P.M., at the Albany Institute of History and Art. Guest Artists for the Concert will be Corky Christman, harpist, and his wife Patricia Dell Christman, accompanist.

In addition to seasonal songs and carols, the Chorus will sing two selections from the Bach cantata "For Us a Child is Born;" and will join Mr. Christman to perform "The White Silence," by Nicola A. Montani, poem by Mahlon Leonard Fisher

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

The Garden Group of the Delmar Progress Club will "Deck the Halls" of the Bethlehem Library at 9:30 A.M. Members are requested to bring a sandwich, scissors and tools for cutting greens and wire. The hostesses for the meeting are Mrs. Robert St. John and Mrs. Everett Willoughby.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8

Fair Lady Holiday Card Party and Luncheon at Tall Timber Country Club at 11:30 A.M. There will be a luncheon special and table prizes. For reservations, call Marian Denn 456-6147 or Vera McIntosh 456-6089.

St. Thomas Altar-Rosary Christmas meeting. Mass in the church at 7:30, Christmas Auction and Boutique in the School Auditorium at 8.

8 P.M. Assemblyman Tom Brown Legislative contact meeting, Community Room of The Bank, Delmar.

The Bethlehem Garden Club will hold its Christmas Tea at 1 o'clock at the Bethlehem Historical Association museum, Rt. 144, Cedar Hill. The program will be a Surprise Exhibit. Mrs. Robert Leather and Mrs. Kenneth Ford will be co-chairmen for the meeting.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9

The Ladies Auxilliary of the Delmar Fire Department will hold its Annual Christmas Party at 6:30 P.M. at the firehouse. A roast beef dinner will be preceded by a cocktail hour. The chef will be Mr. William Contento. Christmas Party Committee for this event is Mrs. D.

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Cooke, Jr., Mrs. Bruce Wood and Mrs. George Miller. Santa Claus will make an appearance to distribute Christmas gifts. Our secret pals will be revealed at this time. All inactive members are also invited to attend.

Bethlehem Homemakers meeting at Selkirk Firehouse at 12 Noon. Christmas Covered Dish Luncheon and Auction. Bring covered dish, place setting, auction item, guest and 50 cents for Thanksgiving Fruit Basket sent to Cedars Rest Home.

The Albany Southwest La Leche League led by Mrs. Jules Kerness will meet at 8 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Stephen Aronson, 34 Greenleaf Drive, Delmar. "Nutrition and Weaning" will be discussed.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11

"**Winter Wonderland,**" Annual Dinner-Dance, Tri-Village Welcome Wagon Club, Normanside Country Club, cocktails at 6:30. Buffet Dinner at 8. Dancing 9 to 1. Music by Phil Foote's Orchestra. Reservations necessary. Call Milly Brenner, 439-1429.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13

Last chance! the Bethlehem Art Association's Fifth Annual Art Show can be seen till Dec. 17 — at Bankers Trust, Delmar, during banking hours. Many of the pieces are for sale.

The Second Annual Boy Scout Troop 58 Candy Sale will begin officially at 8 P.M. Hard fill Christmas Candy will be sold in a 1 lb. can for \$1.00. Troop 58 Scouts will be making visits to houses in the area to sell the candy. Your aid would be greatly appreciated.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14

The Annual Christmas Party and Meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Selkirk Fire Co. #2 will be held in the firehall at 6:30 P.M., starting with a covered dish supper. The business meeting will follow at 8 P.M. There will be games and prizes throughout the remainder of the evening, including the annual grab-bag exchange. A silver collection will be taken up during the evening, which will be used to help bring holiday cheer to residents of a local nursing home.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21

Members of Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post, American Legion Auxiliary, will celebrate Christmas with a dinner served by the Ladies of the Caldron Kaa Rau Von Grotto, at the post rooms. Reservations will close December 14. There will

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Members are asked to bring a grab bag gift.

Childrens Book Review

A Ghost Around the House
by William Mac Kellar

Jasper Trimble and Malcolm Mac Dhu (a ghost) are the main people. This story is in a small town in Connecticut. The night before Halloween Jasper was thinking of ghosts and decides to go to this old castle, Strowan Castle. Strowan Castle has been around since before the Revolutionary War, so you can get an idea of its looks. It is from Scotland.

Mac Dhu is a very, very conceited ghost. He lives in Strowan Castle, where Jasper met him. After Jasper got used to talking to this transparent figure, which most people label as a ghost, they become good friends. When Jasper hears that Strowan Castle is to be torn down and apartment houses are to be built he takes Malcolm home with him and the hilarious things that happen are unbelievable. I could go on and on, but that would give away the story and you wouldn't read this book, which you must do!

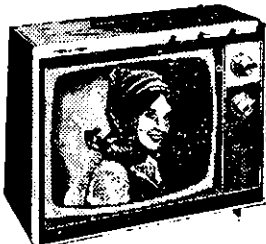
Francine Sidoti

Coal Camp Girl
by Lois Lenski

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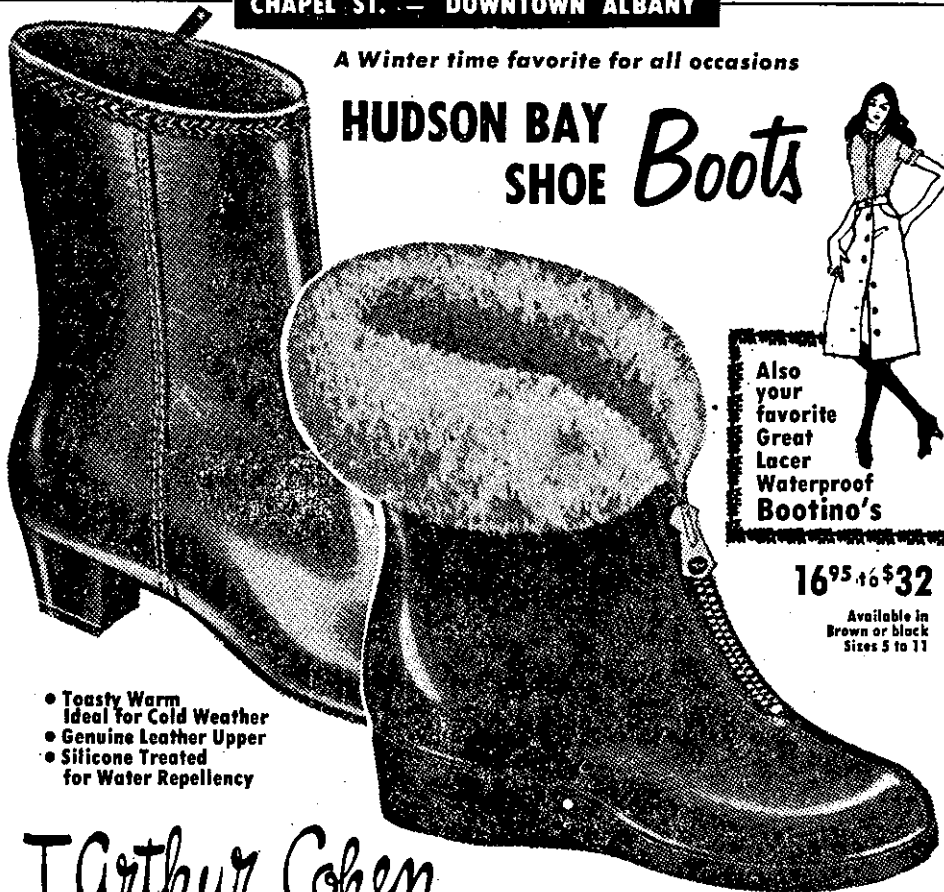
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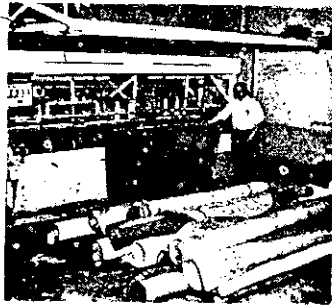


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UNICEF Christmas cards can be purchased at the Capital Area Peace Center. Also available there is jewelry for men (tie tacs) and women and stationery from Another Mother for Peace. Addresses of many other groups are on file. Drop in or phone Capital Area Peace Center, 727 Madison Ave., Albany — Monday thru Friday from 1:00 to 5:00.

Sincerely,
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**Spotlight
Engagements**

MR. AND MRS. Edward Nesselbeck of Clarence Center, New York, announce the engagement of their daughter, Penny, to Frank J. Tomaro, son of Mrs. John Tomaro, 5 Becker Terrace, Delmar, and the late Mr. Tomaro.



Penny Nesselbeck

Mr. Tomaro is a graduate of BCHS and Junior College of Albany and SUNY at Geneseo. Miss Nesselbeck also attended SUNY at Geneseo.

A Spring wedding is planned.

**Spotlight
Weddings**

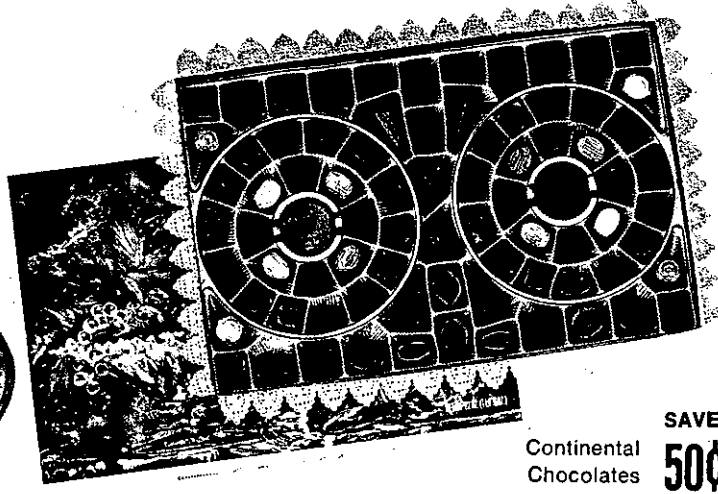
CAROL LOUISE STONE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Stone, 198 Westchester Drive, Delmar, became the bride of J. Keith Luckenbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Luckenbach, South Kein Street, Pottstown, Pa., on November 27. The ceremony was held at West-



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The bride is a graduate of BCHS and is attending Skidmore College. Her husband is a graduate of Dartmouth College and is employed by Sears, Roebuck and Co.

THE MARRIAGE of Lois D. McDonald of Albany, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Franklin McDonald, Sr. and George Dewey Rothaupt, Jr. of Feura Bush, son of Mrs. Esther Rothaupt and the late George D. Rothaupt Sr., took place

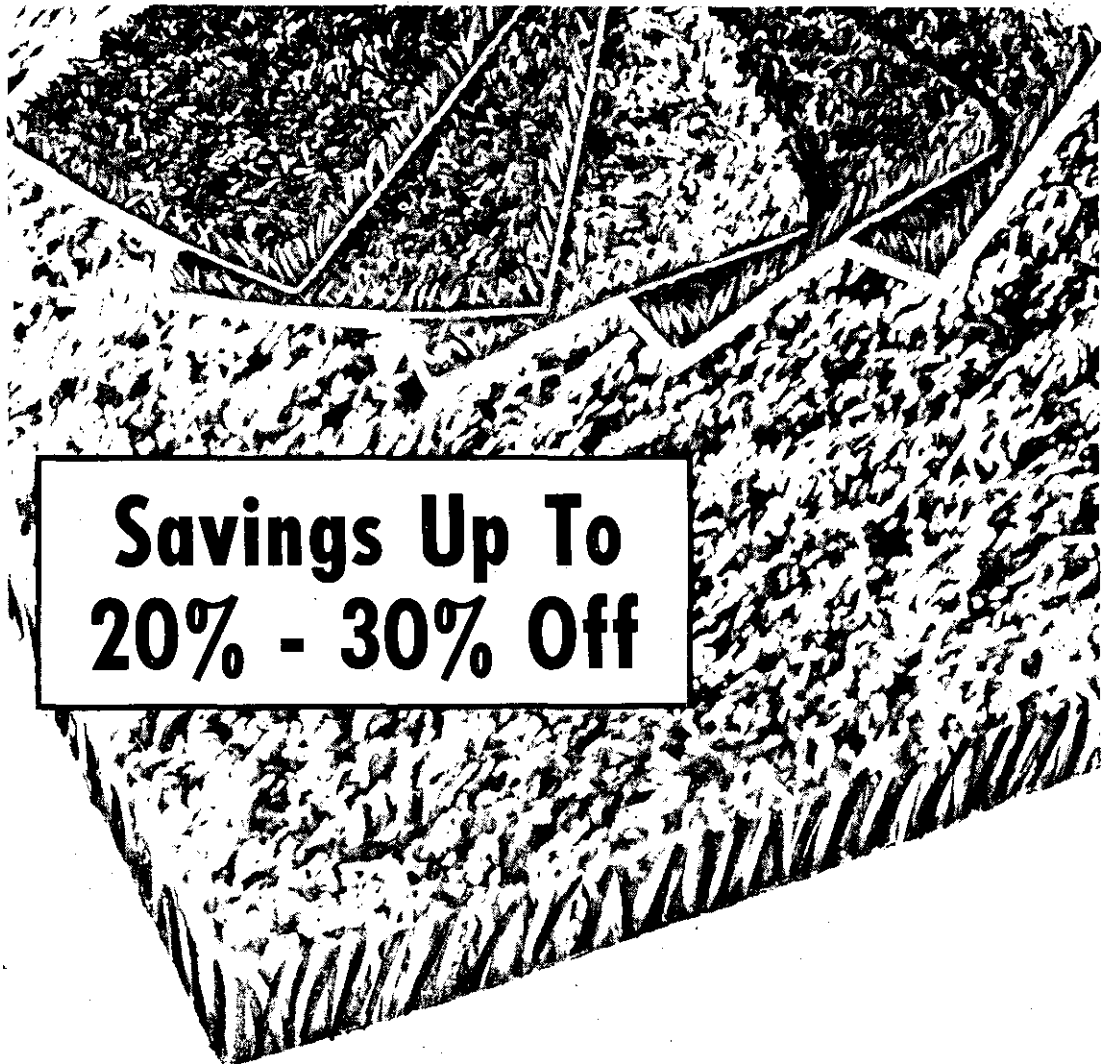


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In the Shorthand I contest 99 students participated. Christine Tuck placed seventh, while Donna Grovenger tied for tenth place.

In the Open Typing, Mary Beth Flynn placed sixth among 253 contestants.

William B. Brophy, Chairman of the Business Division of the SUNY Agricultural and Technical College at Cobleskill, indicated that 969 business students from 38 schools in eastern New York participated in the business contests this year. Certificates were forwarded to Mr. Miller with the results. They will be presented to the winning contestants at the Spring Awards Assembly.

ON THURSDAY evening, November 18, students from Miss Lindy Arnold's Business Law class at Bethlehem Central High School served as the jury for a mock trial at the Albany Law School.

Seniors completing their work at Albany Law School are required to present a mock trial as a part of their course of study. On November 18 the trial was an assault case with two of the Law School students serving as the prosecuting attorneys and two others serving as the attorneys for the defendant. Judge John Lynch of Kingston served as the presiding judge.

After listening to the case, & making their deliberations, the following jury found the defendant not guilty: Thomas Dill, John Guertze, Jeffery Kurman, Mark La Pierre, Matthew Reagan, Stephanie Rowen, William Shepherd, Thomas Sutter, and Jill Warner.



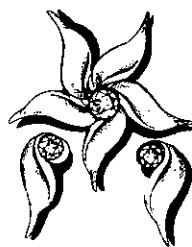
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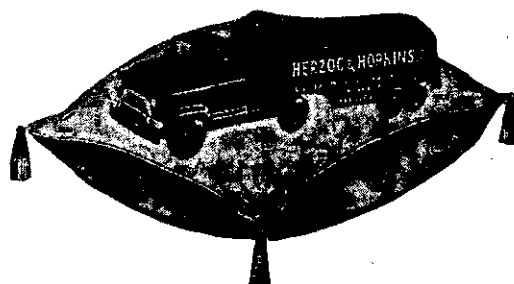
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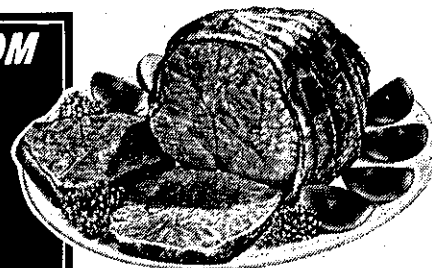
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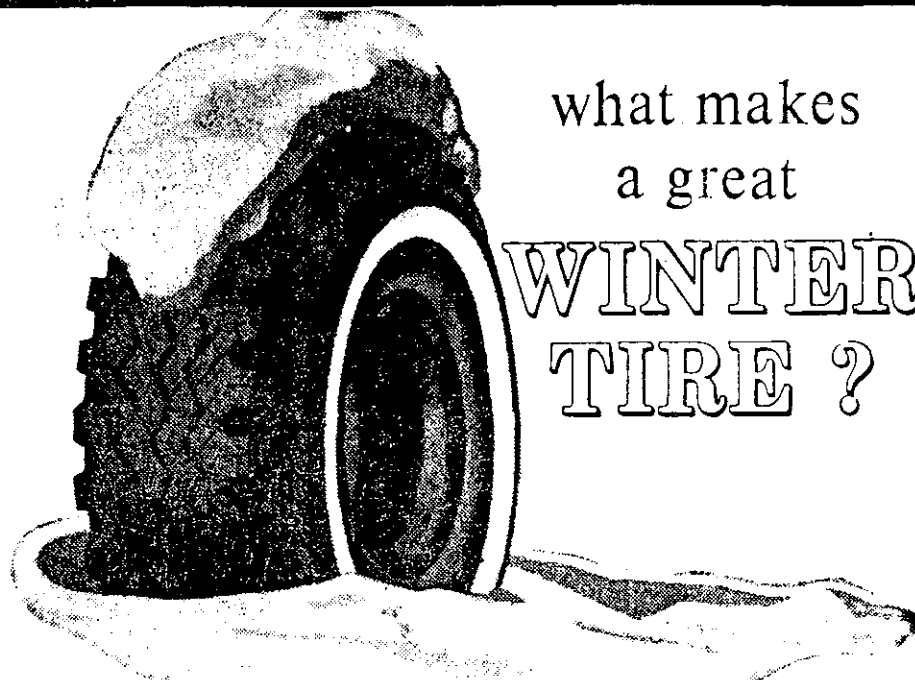
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BONNIE MYERS, President of the Bethlehem Central High School Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America, has announced the results of the voting for the Historian and Publicity Chairman posts in the organization.

Debbie Wright has been elected Historian and will be charged with the responsibility of keeping the scrap book up to date. Gail Donovan is the new Publicity Chairman who will keep the activities of the club advertised.

At the same time, Miss Myers named Janet Cozzy, to serve as Chairman of the first FBLA Fudge Day of the year, November 23. Miss Cozzy is organizing her committees and getting volunteers to sell fudge in the cafeteria during the various lunch mods.

THE NEW YORK State Vehicle and Traffic Law requires all applicants for driver's license must have taken the Three-Hour Safe Driving Course. Proof of completed training must be presented at the time of scheduling the road test appointment.

Bethlehem Central Continuing Education will offer this course on December 6 and 8 at the Bethlehem Central High School, Room 19-A, at 7:15 p.m.

For further information and registration, phone 439-2410. You must have your learner's permit to be admitted to the class.

TWO BETHLEHEM Central senior girls visited foreign countries this past summer, with organizational sponsorship. Barbara Hargrave, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Dudley Hargrave of Feura Bush, spent three months in Colombia, South America, sponsored by the International Fellowship Exchange Program. Kathy Tuzzolo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Tuzzolo, 27

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Harding Ave., Delmar, visited San Jose, Costa Rica, for nine weeks, sponsored by the American Field Service.

This is Barbara's own account of her experience:

"As an exchange student in Colombia, South America, under the International Fellowship Program, I spent what can best be described as the most meaningful and memorable summer of my life.

"For three months, I lived with Dr. and Dra. Hugo Quijano and their five children in Bogota, the capital city of Colombia. Our differences in language and customs were soon forgotten and, thanks to the patience and guidance of my Colombian 'family,' I quickly adapted to my new surroundings. With my 'family,' as well as with a group of other American students, I was able to travel quite extensively through Colombia and several other South American countries.

"I found Colombia to be a land of striking contrasts—a land

of modern, complex metropolitan areas, such as the city of Bogota, and a land of steaming, unexplored tropical jungles, inhabited by breathtakingly colorful parrots, and perhaps the most exquisite orchids in the world.

"It is also a land characterized by the warmth and graciousness of its people, and I encountered this atmosphere of friendliness not only in my own home with my family and friends, but throughout every part of the country that I had the opportunity to visit.

"Culturally, socially, and

educationally, my sojourn in Colombia was of infinite value to my growth toward independence and greater awareness of the "brotherhood of man." This summer not only exposed me to a culture and life style that is radically different from my own, but it helped to bring my image of 'home' and 'country' into sharper focus."



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SGT. SCOTT M. Sherman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Sherman, 187 Adams St., Delmar, is now serving a tour of duty with the U.S. Air Force in Thailand.

Scott, who is a 1966 graduate of BCHS, had previously served for 2 1/2 years as an air traffic controller at Eglin Air Force Base in Florida.

NAVY SEAMAN George H. Smith, son of Mrs. George H. Smith of 684 Kenwood Ave., Slingerlands, has been graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

He is a 1971 graduate of Ithaca College in Ithaca, N.Y.

REGISTRATION is now being taken for an intensive three-week workshop to be given at The Arts Center on Marylrose Campus. Entitled "Experiences with Fibers," the workshop is designed to deal with the various techniques of working with fibers in weaving, macrame, etc. The instructors, Jan Nyquist and Carol Kurtz, will meet with the participants from 9 to 12 every day, Monday through Friday, from Jan. 17 to Feb. 4.

For further information call 438-8428.

SUBSCRIPTIONS to the 1972 Legislative News Service of the League of Women Voters of New York State are currently available to non-league members as well as to members, according to the state LWV office.

The annual service includes the following items: the Legislative Forecast; Legislative Newsletters; the Legislative Review; selected roll calls; a roster of Legislative committee chairmen; and the annual Directory of State Officials.

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AT CHRISTMAS time, The Salvation Army is busier than at any other time of the year. It preaches the gospel more often, invites more elderly and homeless people to a hot, full-course dinner and makes more visits to patients in hospitals and other institutions. The Army also plans more parties and wraps pre-

sents for children—and adults, and brings the warmth of friendship to more prison cells. The Salvation Army, through your support, can reach hundreds of the less fortunate during this holy season. Will you help them? Your contribution dropped into the kettle or your check mailed to Army headquarters will ensure a happy Christmas for many of our neighbors.

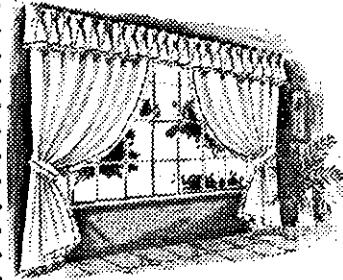
EACH YEAR, the American Legion Auxiliary Units in the



LUCKY WINNER—Ken Parker, manager of the Delmar Esso Service Station, presents Mrs. Kenneth Ingleston, Delmar, with a 25-lb. turkey as the grand prize in a drawing held by the station. 15-lb. turkey winners were: Frank Darling, Thelma Gay, Richard Rudolph, Linda Oransky and Pat Molo.

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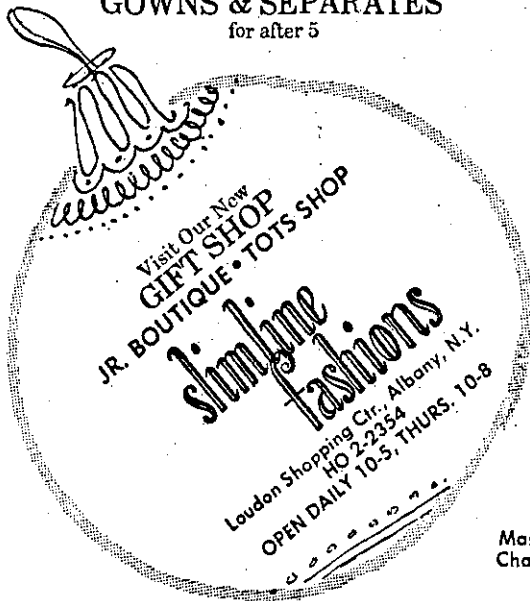
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These packages are gift wrapped and mailed by members of the Auxiliary. For patients who may not be able to attend the Gift Shop itself, carts loaded with gifts are taken to the rooms so patients may choose their own gifts.

This year Gift Shop will be held December 6 and 7.

Members of N.A. Blanchard Unit 1040, American Legion Auxiliary and Mrs. Maud Hafley, Veterans Affairs Chairman for the Unit, are making plans to give of their time and spread "Glad Tidings" to those who are not as fortunate as others.

The Public is invited to attend a open house of the Gift Shop on Sunday, December 5, from 2 to 4 P.M. The members of Blanchard Unit hope you will take this opportunity to come in and see the real spirit of Christmas in action.

THEY'RE EQUAL opportunity workers. Emerging from walls, sinks and pipes with an alias of waterbug or crotonbug, the pesky cockroach patronizes almost all urban dwellers with equal vigor.

And to the distress of the homemaker, cleanliness is often not enough to prevent an infestation.

"Often brought unobtrusively into the home with groceries or laundry, a cockroach can live quite frugally on unnoticed food scraps on the floor, in the sinks, or around the garbage pail," explained Prof. Edgar M. Raffensperger of the N.Y. State College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Cornell University.

When water is not found in the obvious places, this



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efficient household pest uses his jaw-like mandibles to squeeze drops from damp dishclothes or towels, he said.

These nimble-footed insects, the Cornell entomologist noted, are nocturnal, often surprising the midnight refrigerator thief. Because they prefer the dark they may appear to be more obvious and numerous during the sun-deprived late fall and winter months.

"Cockroaches can do more than foul a house with their characteristic odor," warned Raffensperger. "They can spoil foods with their wastes and are suspected of carrying diseases of man. Correlations have been made between increasing cockroach numbers and outbreaks of hepatitis."

Because cockroaches have access to entire apartment buildings intermittent "search and destroy" missions on the part of individual irate tenants are almost useless. The cockroaches simply flee to an untreated apartment and return later when the effect of the pesticide has subsided.

What is needed, advises Raffensperger, is a unified front by all the tenants of a house with the aid of a professional

pest control operator. Several repeated treatments will kill all cockroaches, including those emerging from eggs, which are normally unaffected by pesticide treatment.

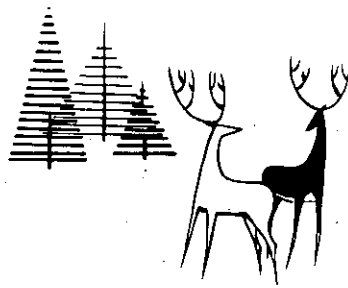
Raffensperger added that the continual battle against the cockroach is shared by the researcher. Because the four species of cockroach plaguing the urban dweller acquire resistance to pesticides rapidly, the research entomologist is constantly screening new pesticides and methods of control.

CHEVROLET is adding a four-door sedan to its fast selling Caprice series, Robert D. Lund, general sales manager, announced today.

Production has already begun on the new model which Lund said "offers top-of-the-line luxury to the buyer who prefers the rigid construction and lower price of a pillar body sedan."

It broadens customer choice among Caprice models, which Lund said are "showing one of the strongest sales gains in the industry—up 64 percent over sales last year."

"Adding a second four-door Caprice model keeps pace with a growing preference for this body style among buyers of full sized Chevro-



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MOST VALUABLE RUNNER—Bruce Williams of Delmar, was recently selected New England College's most valuable cross country runner for 1971. Williams, at right, received the award from coach George Hamilton. A senior majoring in psychology-sociology, he captained this year's team and paced the Pilgrims to an 8-4 record.

lets," Lund said. "Sales of four-door models have increased from 44 percent of our big cars in 1965 to a current 54 percent."

Lund said the Caprice—which in November will pass 1 million sales since its introduction in early 1965—is becoming a synonym for peak luxury in a popularly-priced car.

"Caprice has done an outstanding job for Chevrolet by keeping in our own family the buyer who might have moved to another manufacturer in search of greater luxury," he said.

"Over the years, Caprice has been given greater exterior and interior individuality from our other regular cars. Closely tuned to today's consumer emphasis upon maximum value for his automotive dollar, Caprice is attracting luxury-minded buyers from higher priced car lines. This is a strong factor in its sales increase."

MISS ELIZABETH E. McGlone, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. McGlone of 81 Manning Blvd., Albany, N.Y., recently arrived in Vietnam where she will serve a one-year tour of duty as a recreation aide in the Red Cross Supplemental Recreational Activities Overseas (SRAO) program. After completing two weeks of orientation training at Red Cross National Headquarters in Washington, D.C., she flew directly to Vietnam.

As an SRAO girl, Miss McGlone is one of a select group of young women chosen to conduct informal recreation programs for American servicemen stationed in Vietnam. The Red Cross also conducts this program in Korea.

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and set up their fast-paced audience participation programs in unit mess tents, motor pools or wherever they can find adequate space.

Red Cross recreation programs in the two Asian countries encourage active soldier participation in activities that provide a relaxing break in routine and help keep young Americans in touch with home. Quizzes, skits, music, informative discussion groups and general fun programs are the order of the day when the Red Cross girls arrive on the scene.

Miss McGlone is a graduate of Vincentian Institute and the State University of New York at Albany where she received a B.A. degree in history.

"TINY TOTS" and their mothers are enjoying the free swim programs offered jointly by the Albany Area Chapter, Red Cross and the City Recreation Department at the Arbor Hill Community Center from 9:30 to 11:30 on Wednesday mornings. Mrs. Ruth Goss is the Red Cross volunteer Water Safety Instructor for this program.

Other volunteer staffed swim programs sponsored

throughout the week by the Recreation Department and Red Cross at the Arbor Hill Community Center include a Housewives Swimming and Life Saving Course on Tuesday, from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.; directed by Mrs. Goss and Mrs. Karen Arsenault.

Wednesday morning is the Tiny Tots program and Thursday is a Swimming Improvement Class for women from 9:30-11:30 a.m. conducted by James H. Carnahan, Director of Water Safety for the Albany Chapter Red Cross.

Friday mornings from 9:30-11:30 is another Housewives swimming and lifesaving course and Water Safety Instructor Course, taught by Harold Fletcher, Red Cross Water Safety Instructor.

Boy Scouts take swimming and life saving courses at 9:30 a.m. on Saturdays from instructors Al Jones and Bob Olcott, both qualified Red Cross Water Safety Instructors.

ON THE HEELS of recent criticism of the United Nations, Mrs. John Mallory, president of the multi-million-member National PTA, has issued a statement to all



OUTSTANDING MUSICIANS—These 4 Bethlehem Central pupils were chosen to take part in the New York State School Music Assoc. All-State Conference held this week at Kiamesha Lake, N. Y. Shown, from left to right, are Michael Emery, Miriam Knox, James Adams Jr., and Margaret Comes.



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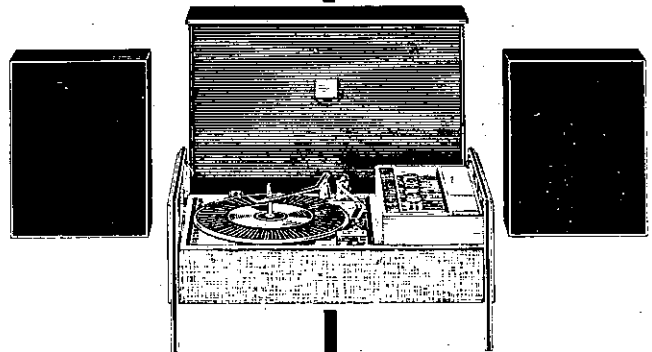
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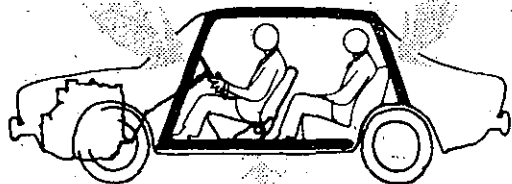
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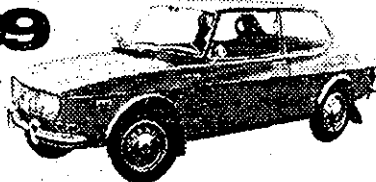


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members of the U. S. House of Representatives and the Senate in support of the UN.

"We are aware that important decisions are being made about the UN and about U.S. participation in this international organization," Mrs. Mallory, said. "On behalf of its membership, the National PTA wishes to record its belief that the UN should be supported as the best possible instrument for world peace."

Quoting from the 1971-72 legislative program of the National PTA, Mrs. Mallory said, "Diligent efforts for international cooperation should be made through use of United Nations channels—to improve the economic, social, physical, and spiritual welfare of all children and youth."

Mrs. Mallory also urged senators and congressmen to continue the program of the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF). She said the National PTA supports in principle the work of specialized agencies of the UN, such

as the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organizations (UNESCO), the World Health Organization (WHO), the Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO), and the United Nations Development Program (UNDP).

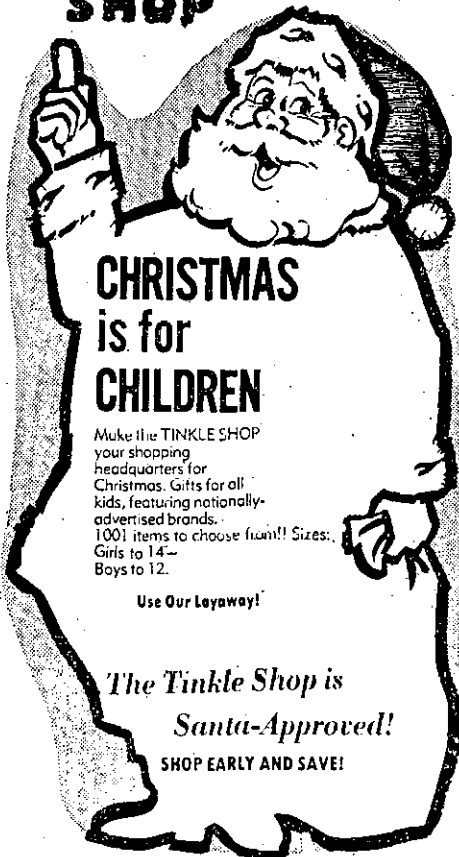
"In addition, hemispheric programs such as the Alliance for Progress, which are related to regional organizations established within the framework of the United Nations and which are designed to develop understanding, respect, and cooperation among nations, should be supported," Mrs. Mallory said.

The National PTA supports a broad program of cultural and educational exchange between the United States and other countries, and assistance by the U. S. in the training of teachers and other professional and technical personnel for other countries.

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AT THE BETHLEHEM ART ASSOCIATION'S Fifth Annual Juried Art Show five \$50 Awards of Distinction were given to (left to right) Suzanne Seaver, John Hotchin, Marion Bers, Daniel Fantauzzi and Allen Yarinsky. Two additional awards of Merit were presented to Marijo Fasulo and Selma Kraft. The show can be seen at Bankers Trust in Delmar during banking hours through December 17.

the members of the National PTA—the largest voluntary organization working totally in the interest of children," Mrs. Mallory pointed out. "If these programs are not continued, the losers will be the young people with whom our children are growing up—the builders of the world of tomorrow."

G.D. LOVE, President, Federal Executive Association of the Capital District, announced that the regular meeting of the Association was held to recognize the efforts of the Federal Community in supporting community, National, and international services through participation in three separate Combined Federal Campaigns. The "Victory Luncheon" was held at the Cafeteria, Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, New York.

A Combined Federal Campaign is a single fund-raising campaign within the Federal Service to support United States agencies, National Health and Welfare agencies, and International Service agencies. President Nixon, in the spring of this year determined that all Federal offices will use this once-a-year campaign.

Approximately 7,600 Federal employees, civilian and military, participated in the campaign.

Awards were presented to agencies meeting goals and to individuals and agencies for special efforts.

The luncheon was attended by Agency Heads, Agency Executive Chairman, Keyman and Campaign workers. Representing the participating agencies were:

John Musante, Executive Director, Albany United Fund/United Cross, Joint Appeal.

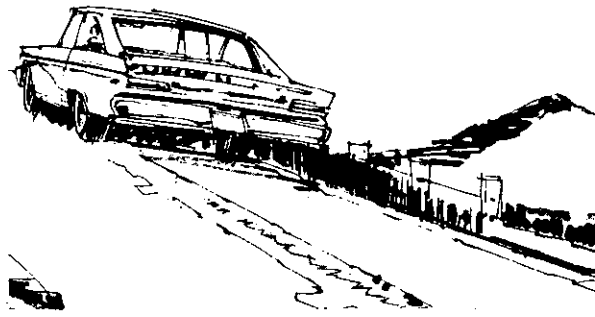
Thomas Murphy, Executive Director, Troy United Fund.

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THE BETHLEHEM Environmental Improvement Association congratulates the following nine residents of Bethlehem who were appointed by Supervisor Bertram Kohinke and the Town Board to the "Bethlehem Council for Conservation of the Environment." Mrs. Catharine Van Volkenburgh of Delmar, Russell Miller of Delmar, William Johnston, Jr. of Delmar, Paul Dickinson of Delmar, Robert M. Selkirk of Slingerlands, Carlton C. Gordon of Elsmere, Donald M. Gillespie of Selkirk, Saul M. Caro of Delmar, and Leonard B. Ditton of North Bethlehem.

Russell Miller, Chairman of the Council for Conservation of the Environment, is a past president of BEIA and is presently chairman of its Beautification Committee. Other members of BEIA serving on this new Council

include: Mrs. Catharine Van Volkenburgh, BEIA's representative to the recently concluded Bethlehem pilot program in recycling, Saul M. Caro and Robert M. Selkirk.

In keeping with its own intents and endeavors, BEIA offers the Council its assistance in environmental activities and also its meetings as a forum at which the Council may present its programs to the public. Bethlehem Environmental Improvement Association extends its wishes to the Council for success in fulfilling its duties and for fruitful gains in its work in maintaining and improving Bethlehem's environment.

PRESIDENT William Bailey commended the members of the Building Committee for the tremendous job done in formulating plans for the

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new fire station in Clarksville. Mr. Bailey cited the many months the committee spent in meetings discussing and planning the many aspects of erecting a new building suitable to the needs.

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STEVE KING, 26 Voorheesville Avenue, Vorrhessville, will play one of the featured roles in the Latham Community Players' production of "George Washington Slept Here" coming to the Forts Ferry School, Latham, Friday and Saturday, December 3 and 4.

Steve, who is presently attending SUNY at Albany, has appeared with the Slingerlands Community Players in "Inherit the Wind," "Androcles And The Lion," "Dylan," "Serjeant Musgrave's Dance" and "Cactus Flower." He also appeared with the Episcopal Actors Guild in "Boy With A Cart," and "Joan of Lorraine."

Neal Rew, who also appeared with Slingerlands Players, has the leading male role of Newton Fuller, who trades city distractions for what he hopes will be old-fashioned family joys of the country. Barbara Schupp, one of Latham's leading actresses, has the female lead. Mrs. Schupp was seen by area audiences in Joan Jamison's original play "Humpty Dumpty Had A Great Fall."

Directed by Charles Buckley, the show features Miss Madeline Massey, who appeared in the original "Rosemarie" on Broadway, Dick and Doris Kelly of Colonie, Sue Richardson, Chris Byrnes, Dee Freedman, Bette Buckley, Robert Archambault and Harvey Epstein.

When the ace comedy writers, Kaufman and Hart, wrote this play which regaled New Yorkers for many months, they really were quite familiar with their subject matter. These wits had themselves built summer retreats in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, and both had long since discovered that getting away from it all in the country was not quite the Utopia they had been led to expect. In fact, it took nearly all of the royalists the long run of their play earned to pay for the firsthand experience in country home own-



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Curtain time for the production is 8:30 P.M. and reservations may be made by calling 785-1435.

I THOUGHT you might be interested in news of a young couple (my son and his wife) who are with the Peace Corps in Colombia.

Virginia Cornell

Colombians take a casual approach to the problem of litter, according to a young Delmar couple serving with the Peace Corps in that country. They report seeing the following sign in front of their bus, "Please don't litter our bus. Throw your garbage out the window."

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who went to Bogota in July after completing their studies. Jim has a degree in Sociology from Cornell University and Lynn graduated in Speech Pathology and Audiology from Ithaca College. Both are 1967 graduates of Bethlehem Central High School and married in 1970.

In January, 1971, they enrolled in the Colombian Peace Corps program conducted by Cornell University to prepare Peace Corps candidates for service in that country. A week of intensive study in Spanish and in Colombian culture during intersession culminated in a survival experiment in which the stu-

dents were dropped off in a small town thirty miles from Ithaca without money or other resources. The experience was aimed at testing their ability to obtain food, shelter, and transportation from strangers in a strange town. Lynn and Jim were taken in by an obliging minister who also drove them back to Ithaca the next day.

In July, Jim and Lynn flew with a group of trainees from California to Botoga for further training. A month of intensive language study was followed by another four to six weeks divided between language and technical studies. During the training period, PCV's (Peace Corps Volunteers) board with Colombian families to gain insight into their way of life. Volunteers

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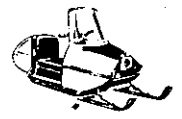
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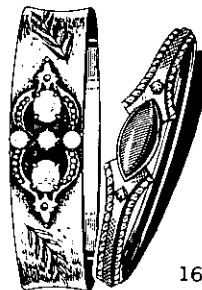
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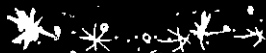
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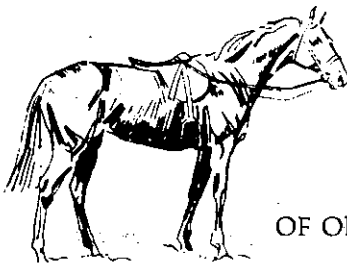


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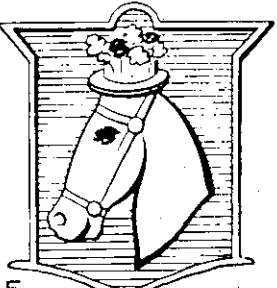
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NATHAN E. KULLMAN, JR., Ph.d., prominent educator and associate executive secretary of the New York State Teachers Association, has been appointed to the office of director of public information for the New York State Teachers' Retirement System, effective December 16.

In announcing the appointment, Dr. Harold N. Langlitz, executive director of the Retirement System said, "We are extremely fortunate to be able to appoint a man with 35 years of experience in the field of education to this important position on our executive staff."

Dr. Kullman is a graduate of Albany High School and received his M.A. in educational administration from the New York State College for Teachers at Albany in 1941. The first recipient of the Albert S. Heusted Fellowship from Albany State, he attended Cornell University and was granted the doctor of philosophy degree in 1950.

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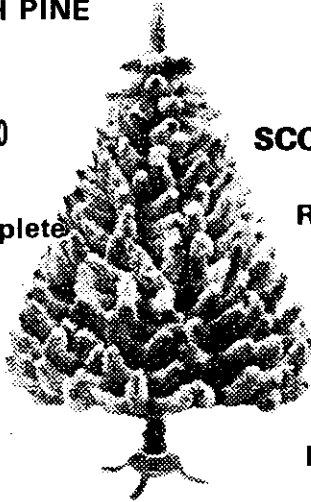
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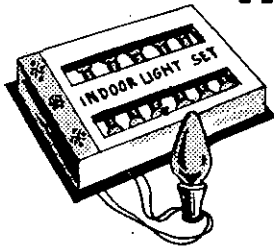
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He served as professor of education and principal of the Campus School from 1950-52 and then became acting dean of the college for the next two years. Following this he was appointed director of education, a post which he held

until joining the NYSTA organization as administrative assistant to the executive secretary.

After five years of service with NYSTA he was promoted to assistant executive secretary and earlier this year to associate executive secretary. During his tenure with NYSTA, Dr. Kullman has been active in the legislative program developed by the teacher organization and in advisory counseling on many matters related to New York State education.

He is the author of a number of articles in professional journals and is co-author of the "Handbook on Professional Practices for Teachers." He

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A visiting faculty member at State University College, Plattsburgh and State University of New York at Albany, Dr. Kullman is also an officer or member of several educational boards and associations, among them the Regents Advisory Board on Teacher Education, Certification and Practice, the Benevolent Association at Albany State and the Council for Administrative Leadership. He was granted the Outstanding Alumnus Award from the State University in 1969.



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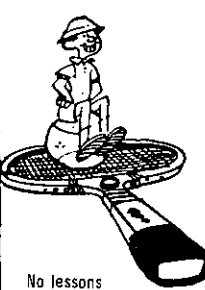
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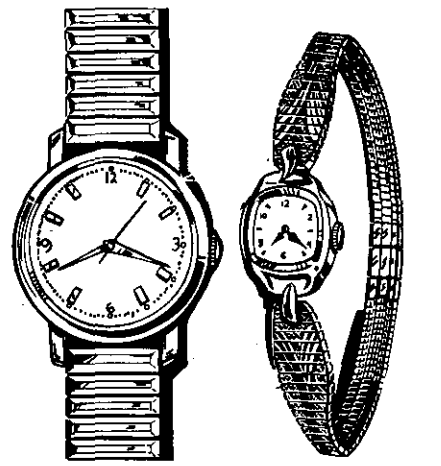
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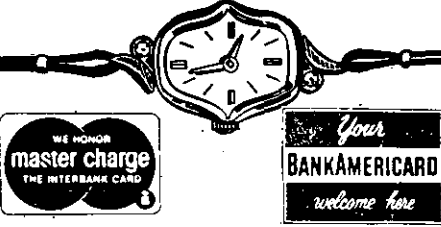
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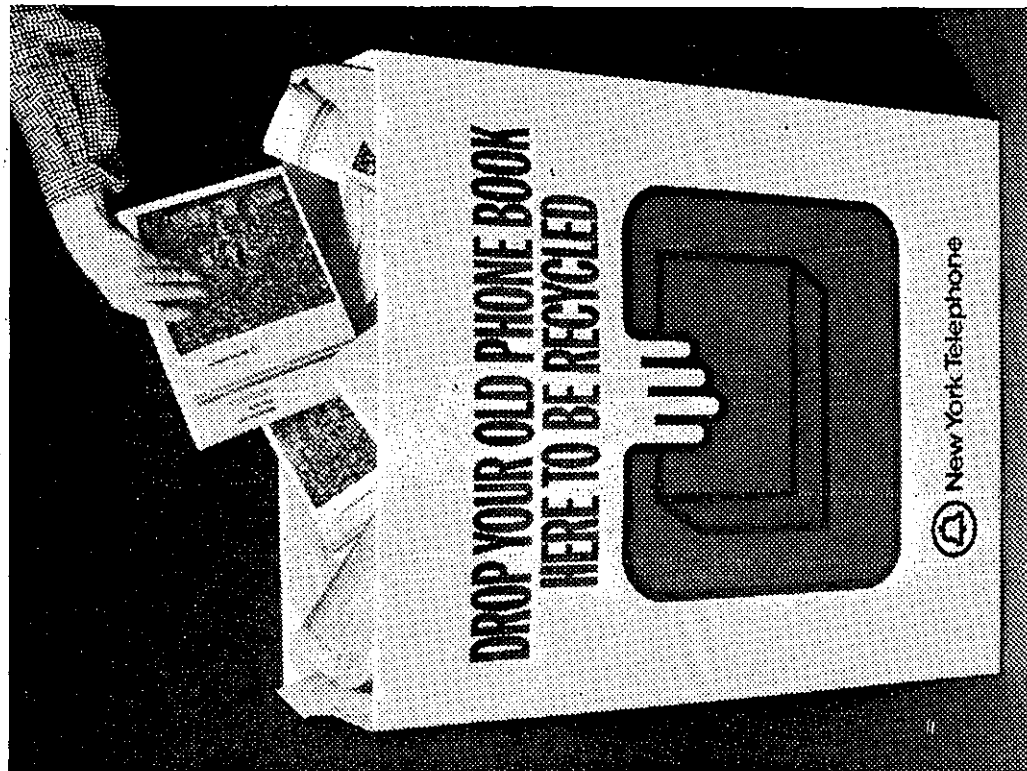


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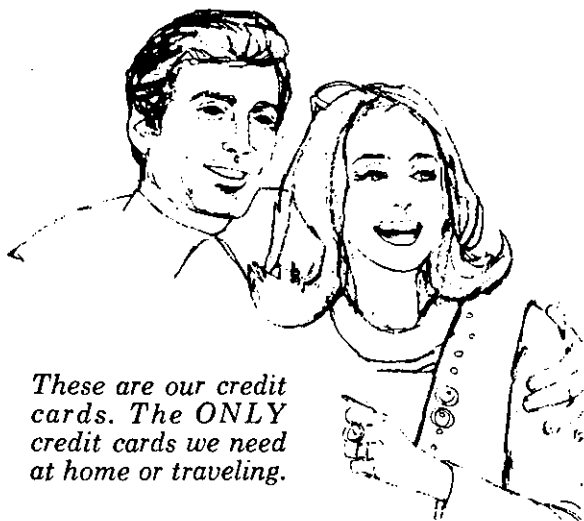
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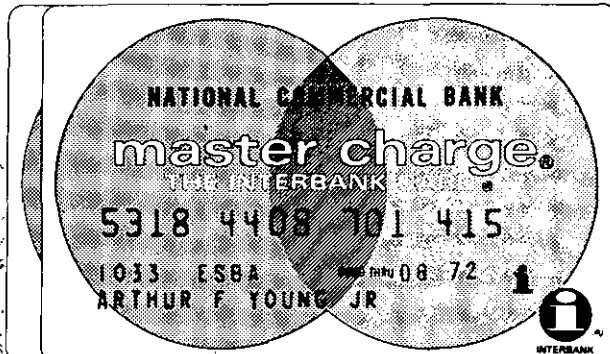
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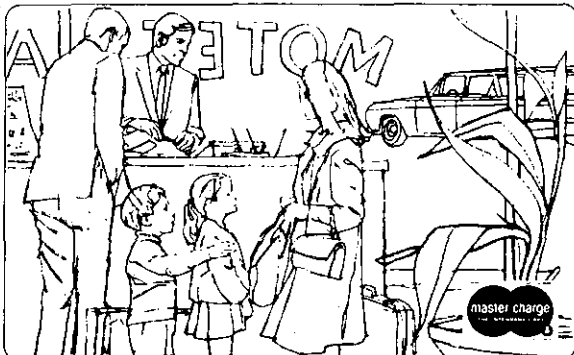
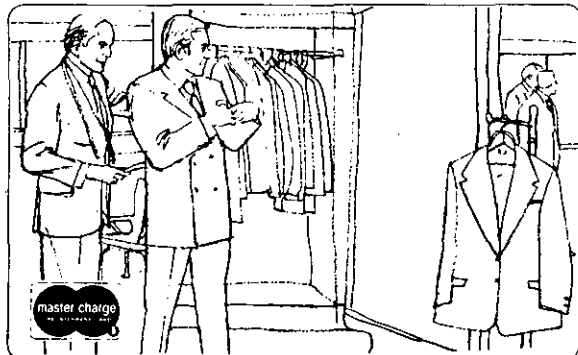
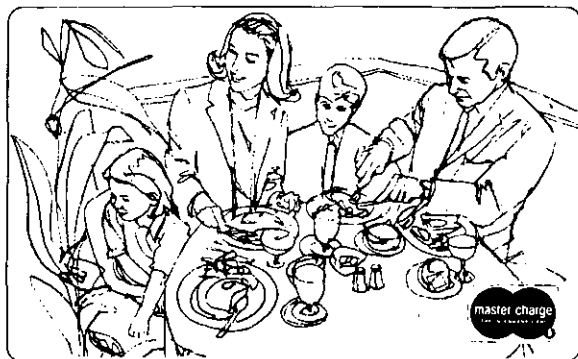
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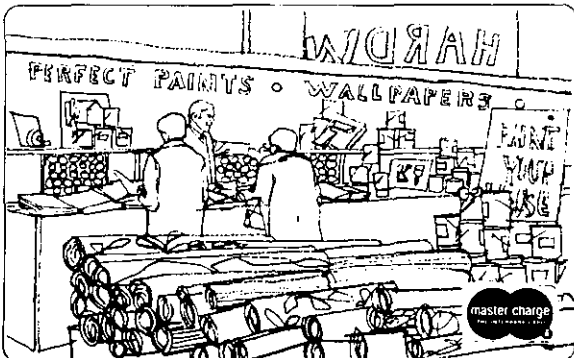
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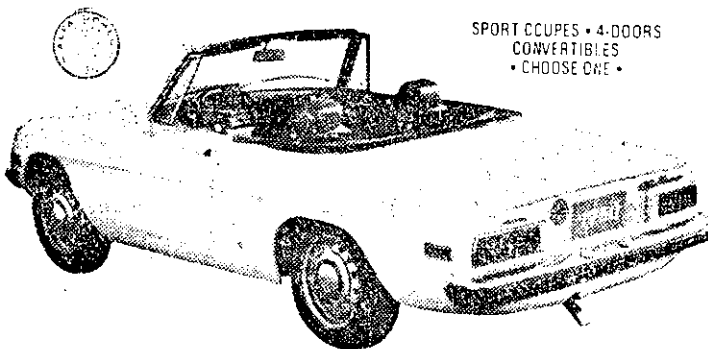
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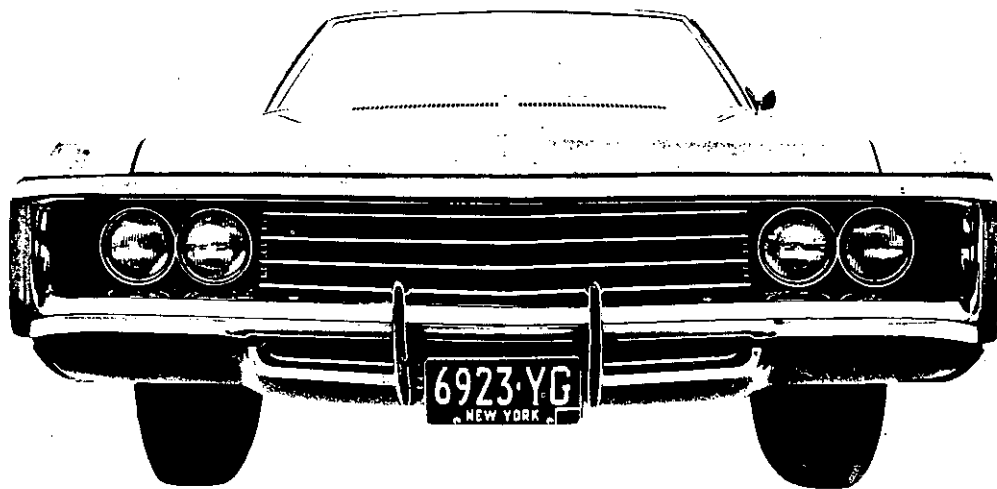
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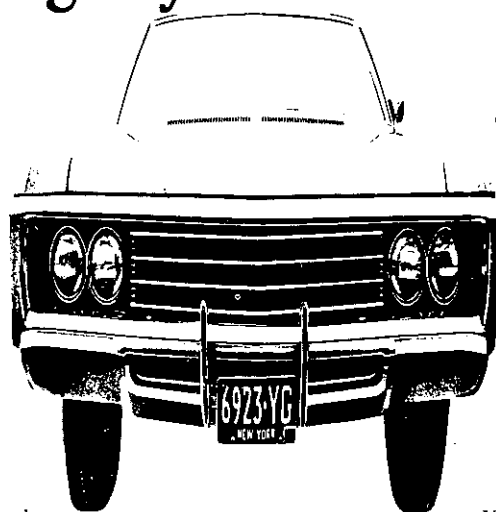
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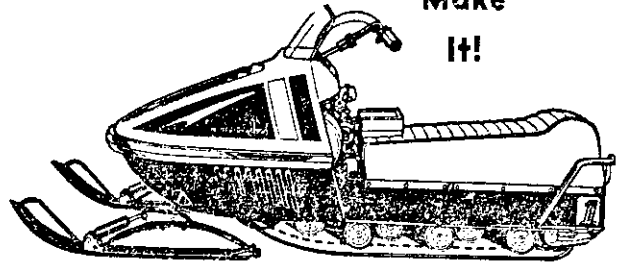


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"I am curious to know how many parents would agree with me and be offended by some of the titles now chosen."

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Last season the Garden Shoppe changed its bird food source and purchased from a man who had spent 25 years observing what birds like and what seeds they waste by pushing them out of the feeder. With the waste seeds eliminated, we cut our very sizable seed bill by more than 40% and instead of having a pile of uneaten seeds at the bottom of each bird feeder, we discovered that the ground was clean — except for sunflower seed shells, shucks, casing — whatever they're called. We used to buy the regular mixture and in addition we had to buy the sunflower seed because the regular mix contained so little of this favorite food of some species. This year we are buying a mix with 40+% sunflower seeds — and saving even more money. This sounds as if we didn't want the birds to eat so much. It isn't that at all. It's simply that our particular set-up attracts so many birds of all kinds that it becomes an expensive pastime. And once started, it's cruel to even let the feeders get completely empty. Our sincere thanks to Jim Howard and Jerry Jonas at the Garden Shoppe for their keen interest in birds which led them to seek out the kind of food that the birds clean up and is therefore less expensive. In the event that you're interested in birds and also saving money, the mixture is called Wild Wood and, as far as we know, the Garden Shoppe is the only place in New York State that has it!

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THE HAPPIEST 17 YEARS of our life were spent on farm. Okay, it is hard work — but the rewards are so much greater. We've almost always had a garden of some kind. The thing that captivated us about our present home was not the house which is more than 100 years old and never a day goes by that some kind of repair doesn't need doing. On top of that, it seems to have been built over a period of years with not much thought given to the additions except to provide more room. Even today, with only four of our children still at home, it is inadequate spacewise. But in the ten years we have lived here, the fondest memories have been formed. It is here that the oldest of our children read

ed adulthood and began careers for themselves; it is here that the merriest family parties have taken place. In fact, the house has become a home in every sense and meaning of the word.

To get back to gardening: When we moved here, less than two acres of the eight were mowable lawn. The other six acres were covered with a jungle-like undergrowth amply laced with vines, apple and pear trees most of which were either dying or dead, plus a great many shade trees. Four giant maples in front of the house succumbed to the drought during those early years. A dozen or more pear and apple trees had to be removed; more than two dozen worthless plum trees had to be cut down. After ten years of labor and some \$15,000.00 in repairs and improvements, we have 4-1/2 acres in lawn, flowers and a vegetable garden. Another ten years should see the house improved and the remainder of the jungle cleared. In the meantime we have set out numerous shade trees and planted a 20-tree orchard of the dwarf variety. The garden (by next spring) will have grown from a 10x10 patch to a plot some 100 feet long and nearly 50 feet wide with beds of strawberries and asparagus just about ready to yield in 1972. Every square foot of the eight acres is on a side-hill; there are just no level spots; the top soil is the heaviest clay we've ever seen. When we have lots of rain, it's almost impossible to stand up — and when it's hot and dry, don't fall because it's like sitting solid concrete. The cleared acres are typical country lawn: weedy.

Our three good sized flower beds and the vegetable

garden have had some 2 tons of peat moss, peat humus, leaves, hay, grass cuttings, etc., added in an effort to break up the heavy clay. The flowers are beautiful — the vegetable garden is a slower process. So far this fall we have rototilled more than a ton of leaves and 250 lbs. of peat moss into it — and next spring we'll add even more. To those of you who believe that all fertilizers must be gray granules that are sealed in a bag, this is called organic gardening and goes hand-in-hand with ecology and pollution control. Organic gardening fans maintain that the commercial fertilizers and pesticides are as great polluters as the others we are fighting. By composting organic matter we return the natural fertilizers to the soil instead of poisoning it with chemicals. We have been gardening this way for the past 20 years — although we've slipped at times and added chemicals when we were either too lazy or we thought we lacked the time to do it right. One other labor-saving task that helps the vegetable garden is to mulch it after the plants have a good start. The mulch insulates from extreme heat, holds the moisture in; helps keep the weeds from growing. We were one of the first in this area to try the mulching — as we started using it more than 20 years ago.

Perhaps December is the wrong month to talk about gardening — but the avid gardener is planning what he hopes to do next spring right now. If you're interested, your garden center should have an ample supply of books, pamphlets, etc., on organic gardening available — they make for fine dreams and good winter reading.



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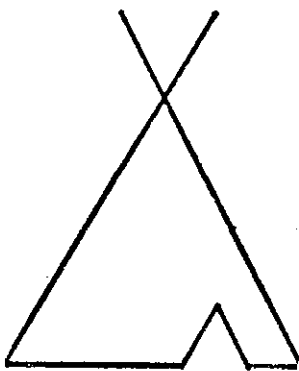
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