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The Bethlehem Lions Club will be serving the community continuously from 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. April 1st at the annual Pancake and Sausage Breakfast. A choice of beverages will augment an "all you can eat" menu. The Sunday service will be held in the Community Room of the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post American Legion, Elsmere Avenue, Elsmere.

Ticket contributions are \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children under 12 years. Tickets are available in area stores and will be sold at the door of the Community Room during the Breakfast.

Breakfast proceeds will be used for the continuing Town of Bethlehem services the "We Serve" organization actively engages in.

Sight conservation work is the best known of all Lion community services and includes: operation of the Glaucoma Protection Clinic with local medical groups and the Eye Cornea Service for the delivering of donated eyes for sight restoration. Financial help has been made available to the Ophthalmological Department of the Albany Medical College by the Purchase of a "slit" lamp, special camera and cryopreservation unit to freeze and preserve corneal material.

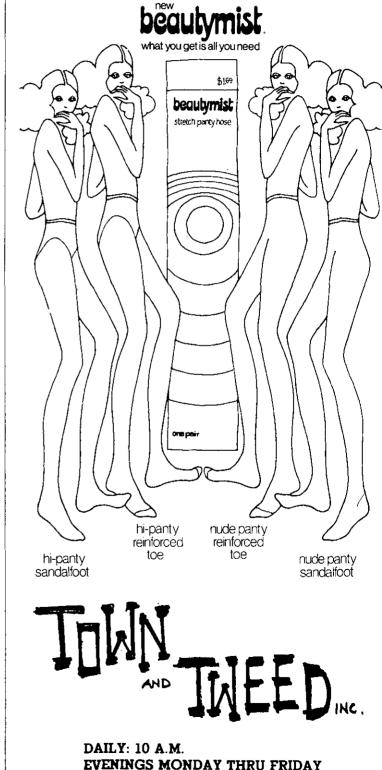
In addition, the Bethlehem Lions Club continues to provide door-to-door bus transportation with escort to regular and special Senior Citizen meetings for area senior citizens.

Plans are currently underway for a Bethlehem Lions Hearing Conservation program to test for hearing deficiencies by the use of audiometers. With the initiation of this program as a major service activity of local Lions, it is expected there will be allied hearing conservation projects that will include: preventative clinics, educational programs, information distribution and the maintenance of a "hearing aid bank".

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

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

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

Bethlehem Youth Employment Service, 114 Adams Street, Delmar. Open Monday-Friday, 1-4:30 P.M. 439-2238.

Bethlehem Lions Club meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at American Legion, Elsmere Avenue, 6:30 P.M.

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

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Bethlehem Police Reserve meets Mondays, 114 Adams Street, 7:30 P.M. **The Delmar Community** Orchestra will rehearse next Monday evening from 8 to 10 at the First United Methodist Church.

Dathlation: Senior Citizens meet each Wednesday at 1 P.M., Room 21A, BC High School. Meetings are automatically cancelled when school is closed.

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

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

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

6:30 P.M., Meetings, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, Bethlehem Lions Club, Center Inn, Glenmont.

1:30 P.M., meeting, third Tuesday of each month, American Association for Retired Persons, Delmar First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Avenue.

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

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

10 A.M.-2 P.M., Tuesday, Albany Academy Mothers' Association Boutique Workshop, bring scissors, pencil, sandwich.

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8-11 P.M., Folk Dancing, Albany Jewish Community Center. Jack Gelfand, instructor.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15

5-7 P.M., Pancake Supper, Slingerlands Community Church, sponsored by Troop 72, Boy Scouts of America. Proceeds for summer camping expense. Adults: \$1.75; children under 12: 75¢.

"Music in Our Schools" day in Bethlehem Central School District. Public invited to visit all schools.

8 P.M., meeting, nomination of officers, Bethlehem Historical



"LES IMAGES" THE TRI-VILLAGE Welcome Wagon's Annual fashion show and luncheon is being held today at the Normanside Country Club. Fashions by Town and Tweed will be modeled by members of the club and Mrs. N. Norton is the commentator. Selected as models are Mrs. R. Draper, Mrs. R. Grierson, Mrs. J. Longwell, Mrs. R. Kelly, Mrs. E. Wester, Mrs. A. Glassman, Mrs. M. Kirkman, Mrs. D. Chin, Mrs. H. Singer, Mrs. D. Parrish and Mrs. R. Brenner. Chairman of the event is Mrs. James Hoehn assisted by Mrs. David Losby as co-chairman, Mrs. Elliott Barske, posters, Mrs. Sam Ciccio, Mrs. A. Glassman, and Mrs. L. Grierson decorations. Reservations are being handled by Mrs. David Losby.

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Delmar Phone 439-9968 Association, at Museum, Cedar Hill. Speaker: Peter Christoph.

8 P.M., meeting, Empire Sports Car Club, Center Inn, Glenmont.

8 P.M., meeting, Albany and Whiz Ski Clubs, Center Inn, Glenmont,

1 P.M., Vanguard Prevue, home of Sue Yager, 331 Vly Road, Niskayuna.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16

2 P.M., Don Luce, who exposed notorious tiger cages in South Vietnam, will speak at BCHS, Room 46. Everyone invited.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17

6-8 P.M., Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner; dancing 9 P.M.-1 A.M., Ladies' Auxiliary, Sheehy-Palmer Post, VFW, Delaware Avenue, Albany. Tickets: \$5 per person.

9 P.M., Tarheel Slim, blues singerguitarist, at Bethlehem Coffeehouse.

12 Noon-2 P.M., Babe Ruth baseball registration, St. Thomas' School, Delmar. Boys who were born after Aug. 1, 1959 and before Aug. 1, 1960 may register as 13year-olds. Must be accompanied by parent and bring birth certificate.

SUNDAY, MARCH 18

2 P.M., movie, "Red Shoes" starring Moira Shearer, Bethlehem Public Library.

6:30 P.M., meeting, Heldeberg Ski Club, Center Inn, Glenmont.

MONDAY, MARCH 19

7:30-9:30 P.M., mini-course: Tent camping and Backpacking class, Voorheesville High School cafeteria. Information and pre-registration: 765-2372.

7:30 P.M., meeting, Ladies' Auxiliary, Sheehy-Palmer VFW, post rooms, Albany.

7:30 P.M., meeting, Women's Republican Club, Town of Bethlehem, Bethlehem Public Library. Program: Carlton Gordon will talk and show slides of wild birds. Refreshments.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20

9:30 A.M., Coffee; 10 A.M., meeting, Literature Group, Delmar Progress Club, Bethlehem Public Library: Program: "Book Reviews of Persons Worth Knowing."

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21

6:30 P.M., covered dish supper, 8 P.M., meeting, Glenmont Home-

St. Thomas Altar Rosary Society, School auditorium. Bring wrapped gift for Yankee Swap.

6 P.M., Pot Luck Supper; 7:30 P.M., Lenten Service, Bethlehem Lutheran Church. Special children's program.

7 P.M., workshop, parents: "Guidance for non-college-bound students," Bethlehem Public Library.

The Town Board of Appeals will hold three public hearings tonight at the Town Offices, 393 Delaware Ave., Delmar. At 8:00 P.M. - Petitioners Norman and Edward Mokhiber, Albany, N.Y., for Variance under Art. X of the Town Zonina Ordinance to permit sub-division of a lot on the South Side of Feura Bush Rd., one-half mile west of intersection with Route 9W, so that they may construct duplexes next to each other.

At 8:15 P.M. - petitioner Anthony F. Barnao for Variance under Art. XIII of the Town Zoning Ordinance to erect a five-foot fence in the rear of 9-A and 9-B Clermont St., Elsmere, N.Y.

At 8:30 P.M. - petitioner William H. Sager for Variance from Art. V-A of the Town Zoning Ordinance to permit use of premises at 1397 New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands, N.Y. for administration or professional offices; also Variance from Art. VI to permit erection of a sign to announce the offices therein situated.

7 P.M., meeting, New Scotland Senior Citizens at the Center in New Salem. Program: Sgt. Leo Dorsey, Bethlehem Police, and Albany County DA Arnold Proskin will speak.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

8 P.M. meeting, New Scotland Volunteer Fire Department Ladies' Auxiliary. Elsmere Auxiliary will be guests. Speaker's topic: Spring Gardening.

8 P.M., meeting, LaLeche League, home of Mrs. Arnold Putnam, 23 Dumbarton Drive, Delmar.

12 Noon-6 P.M., American Red Cross Bloodmobile at Voorheesville Methodist Church.

6:30-9:30 P.M., 3-hour prelicensing course, Voorheesville High School, Room 115, fee \$5. Registration begins at 6.

6:30 P.M., dinner meeting, Men's Garden Club, Sons Restaurant, Albany, Reservations: 482-8958. 8 P.M., Audubon Society presents Bob Marx in a lecture at St. Michael's Episcopal Church, Colonie.

9:30 A.M., meeting, League of Women Voters, "Transportation in the Capital District," Hamilton Union Church, Guilderland, Babysitting.



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FRIDAY, MARCH 23

8 P.M., Bach's "Mass in B Minor," Capitol Hill Choral Society, Cathedral of All Saints, Albany.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24

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SATURDAY, MARCH 24

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2 P.M., play, children's fantasy, "The Baffling Boohunk," by College of St. Rose Drama Group, at Bethlehem Coffeehouse.

SUNDAY, MARCH 25

2 P.M., movie, "The Cat and the Canary," 1927 horror film, Bethlehem Public Library.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27

8 P.M., meeting, Drama Group, Delmar Progress Club, Bethlehem Public Library. Program: Lillian Greene: "Character Portrayals of Colorful Personalities."

8 P.M., meeting, Delmar Camera Club, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. Bring prints and slide for Hudson-Mohawk competition.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

8 P.M., informational meeting, Bethlehem Central Board of Education, Educational Services Center.

10 A.M.-12 Noon, meeting, Creative Stitchery Class, Delmar Progress Club, Bethlehem Public Library.

6 P.M., Pot Luck Supper; 7:30 P.M., weekly Lenten Service, Bethlehem Lutheran Church with special program for children.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29

8 P.M., tonight and Saturday, "Marriage of Figaro," Capitol Artists Opera Co., Cohoes High School. Reservations: 456-4394.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31

9 A.M., bake-white elephant sale, Grange Hall in Berne, Reidsville Apostolic Church.

SUNDAY, APRIL 1

2 P.M., movie, "Champion." One of the best boxing pictures ever made with Kirk Douglas, Marilyn Maxwell and Ruth Roman, Bethlehem Public Library.

MONDAY, APRIL 2

10-11 A.M., physical fitness class, Delmar Reformed Church. New ten-week session. Register: 439-2058.

ABOUT THE CALENDAR

The information printed in this column is a FREE service to **Spotlight** readers. We neither charge nor receive any fee for publicizing these events. It is for this reason that we ask those who send in information to make sure that it is complete; we **cannot** (repeat: CANNOT) make weekly changes in running announcements.

Because the Calendar condenses the coming event in capsule form, it has become one of the most widely-read weekly **Spotlight** features. It was so designed to allow for more space for additional features. Therefore, organizations should **not** expect to find a duplication of facts in another place. If we were to run all of the events **twice**, we'd be cutting down on our available space and thereby defeat the whole concept.

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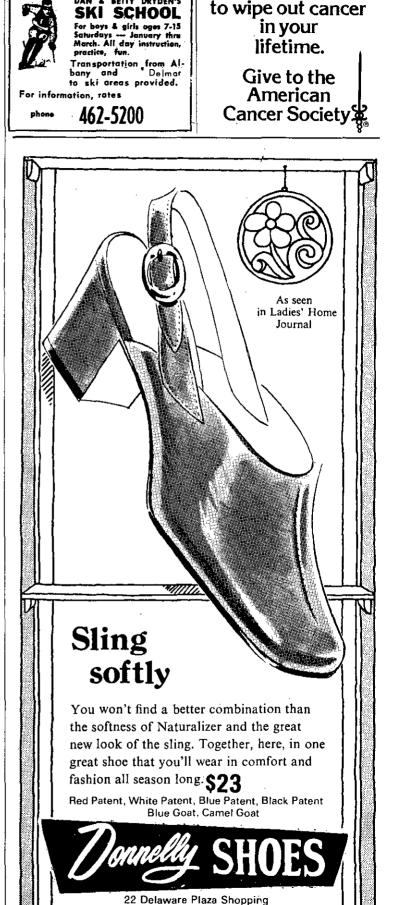
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National Poison Prevention Week will be observed March 18-24, and the community's pharmacists are calling attention to steps being taken to reduce accidental poisonings, especially among children under five years old.

The nation's 120,000 pharmacists were among the first to implement the new regulations for the Poison Prevention Packaging Act of 1970. Under this federal legislation, pharmacists began last August to dispense all medication containing aspirin in special child-resistant containers designed so that small children will have great difficulty opening them. Manufacturers also now are packaging nonprescription aspirin in safety containers.

Effective last October, pharmacists began using child-resistant containers for dispensing some 4,300 prescription drugs subject to misuse—the so-called dangerous drugs or "controlled substances." This year, pharmacists expect to comply with additional regulations requiring all prescription drugs taken orally to be in child-resistant packaging.

However, adult alertness to potential poisonings continues to be essential. None of the so-called "child-proof" packages is absolutely safe. Children are ingenious and can figure out ways to gain entry, ways that an adult would not conceive. The packaging law recognized this in that it requires that the special packaging be difficult for most children to get into but not all. The testing procedures require that a minimum of 80% of those children tested shall be inhibited from opening the package.

Thus, poison prevention will take more than packaging if we are to reduce the accident toll. In 1971, there were 46,000 reports of accidental ingestions of medicines tabulated by poison control centers, including 40,000 reports of accidental ingestions of medicines by children under five. Futhermore, safety packaging will be useless if the containers are not properly closed after each use, or if the contents are transferred to a nonsafety container for adult convenience.

In addition to using safety packaging properly, adults should follow these common sense rules to prevent acciddental poisonings:

-Keep all household products and medicines out of the reach of youngsters, preferably locked up when not in use. When the products are in use, they should never be out of sight of adults--even if it involves taking the container with you when answering the telephone or door;

-Store internal medicines separately from household products;

-Keep items in their original containers; never transfer them to cups or soft drink bottles;

-Make sure all products are properly labeled and read the label before using:

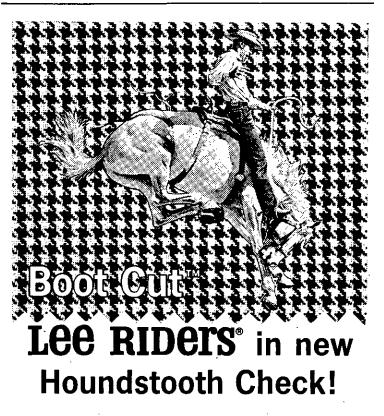
-Turn the light on when giving or taking medicines; -Refer to medicines as "medicines"; never call them "can-

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-Clean out the medicine cabinet periodically.

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LIBRARY Notes

A TRAGIC ballerina, played by Moira Shearer, is the heroine of the film "Red Shoes" which will be shown at 2 P.M., Sunday, March 18, in the Large Community Room of the Bethlehem Public Library. This moving film with beautiful photography will be shown without charge. Parking is available in the lot behind the Library; the lot is entered from Borthwick Avenue.

BETHLEHEM Public THE Library needs another stroller for the use of its borrowers. In order to get another one, staff members are frantically saving trading stamps. Won't you help? Please bring in your extra trading stamps (we'll take any kind, and then trade ones we don't want for ones we do) and deposit them in the box at the Circulation Desk at the Library. And then, bring your youngster in for a ride when we get the new stroller!

Thank you for helping.

A NEW FEATURE soon available at the Bethlehem Public Library is "The Pattern Patch." With your library card you'll be able to check out a sewing pattern. During the month of March, the townspeople are asked to "recycle" their used sewing patterns by depositing the pattern envelopes in the "Pattern Patch" boxes that are located in the following stores: Mullen's, the Grand Union, the Bank, and of course, the Library.

AN ISOLATED mansion in a haunted Louisiana swamp and a killer on the loose are primary ingredients in "The Cat and The Canary", a 1927 horror film which will be shown at 2 P.M. Sunday, March 25, in the Large Community Room of the Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Avenue, Delmar. There is no admission charge, and parking is available in the lot behind the Library which is entered from Borthwick Avenue.

THE BETHLEHEM Public Library has been working to acquire back issues of The Spotlight so that they may be bound in volumes for reference use in the Library. With the help of generous borrowers, the Library has been able acquire four complete to years of Spotlights. Many more missing issues are needed to compile a complete set for the Library, so when you are doing your spring cleaning, don't throw out those old Spotlights. Check them against the following list and donate them to the Bethlehem Public Library. It will be greatly appreciated.

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1961—January 19, March 9,16,23,30, April 27, May 11 & 25, June 1 & 22, July 20, August 24, October 19, November 2, 23, & 30, December 7 & 14.

1962—February 1 & 8, all of March, April 5, May 17 & 24, June 28, July 26, August 26, September 6, 13, & 20, October 4, all of November, December 13, 20, & 27.

1963—All of January, February 28, March 14,21, & 28, April 4 & 11, May 2,23,30, June 6, 13, & 27, July 11, August 8, 22, & 29, December 5.

1964—February 13, March 12, & 26, April 16, May 7, 21, & 28, July 9, 16, & 23, August 6, 20, & 13, October 1, 8, 15, & 22, November 5, 12, & 26, December 10,17, 24, & 31.

1965-April 2, 8, 22, &29, June 10, 17, July 29, September 16 and 23, December 2, 9, & 30.

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The Spotlight Goes to School

JAMES R. HOAGLAND, 74 Devon Rd., Delmar, has pledged Sigma Alpha Epsilon Social Fraternity at Bethany College.

JOHN W. THURLOW of Slingerlands, New York has been admitted to Franklin and Marshall College under F&M's early decision program, and will begin studies at the Lancaster, Pa. campus in September.

BARBARA M. DAHL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Dahl of 123 Elm Avenue, Delmar, received her cap at the ceremonies of the Albany Medical Center School of Nursing held on March 5, 1973 at Junior College of Albany. The reception of the cap signifies satisfactory completion of the first six months in the School and was presented by Miss Marie W. Treutler, Director of the School of Nursing. Miss Dahl is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

WESTMINISTER College's semi-annual Dean's List, which recognizes students who have achieved 3.5 averages or better out of a possible 4.0 during the Fall Term has been released by Dr. Phillip A. Lewis, dean of the college. From this area is Diane Appleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick P. Appleton, 107 Marlboro Rd., Delmar. Miss Appleton, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, is a senior elementary major at Westminister. She is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority and Panhellenic Council.

THE FUTURE Business Leaders of America at Bethlehem Central High School have decided that this year a part of the proceeds from their Annual Carnival with GAA on March 30 will be donated to the March of Dimes.

Carmen Lee and Mira Lewis have agreed to head up this effort. At the Carnival they circulate as the Pick-A-Pocket Clown. The money collected from their sale of surprise packages will be completely donated to this community effort.

In preparation for their Carnival undertaking, Miss Lee and Miss Lewis met recently with Thomas McEnaney, Chairman of the Albany County March of Dimes. Mr. McEnaney provided them with literature which they will distribute to those attending the Carnival.

THE WIND Ensemble section of the Bethlehem Central High School Band has scheduled its annual exchange concert tour for March 28-31, and a final fund-raising project is being held this weekend to help finance the trip.

Band members are now taking orders for a Submarine Sandwich Sale, with the sandwiches to be delivered this Saturday afternoon (March 17). Parents of the band members will assist in sandwich preparation and delivery.

Anyone who would like to support the tour project--and enjoy some submarine sandwiches for a Saturday snack or supper--may call these High School pupils to place an order: Jean MacHarg, chairman; 439-3688; Audrey Hendler, 439-5301; or Gladys Chu, 462-0649.

Four fund-raising events have already been sponsored by the band members this year, but they still need more money to finance their trip.

The itinerary they have planned calls for traveling to New York City on Wed., March 28, for dinner, a stage show, and overnight hotel stay. The next day, they will arrive in Glen Burnie, Maryland, hold an open rehearsal, and then spend the night with the families of Glen Burnie band members. On March 30. they will have a sightseeing excursion in Washington D.C., and then present an evening concert at Glen Burnie, with both the Bethlehem Central and Glen Burnie bands participating. They will return to Delmar the following day, March 31.

The exchange concert tour is an annual spring event for the Bethlehem Central Band, and this year's members are hoping their "Sub Sale" will provide the balance of funds needed for a successful trip.

THE BETHLEHEM Central High School delegates to the Annual State Leadership Conference of the Distributive Education Clubs of America returned to classes on Thursday, March 8, after an exciting, informative and exhausting three days in the Catskills.

Some seventeen hundred boys and girls currently enrolled in the distributive education programs in the schools of New York State gathered to attend workshops, participate in contests, carry out the organization's business and elect new officers for the coming year.

Three BCHS students returned with honorable mention certificates. Carol Jenks, DECA Sweetheart; Mira Lewis, her miniature window display in the Display Diorama Contest; and Linda O'Connell in Job Interview, Girls.

The Bethlehem Central Group was accompanied by Robert A. Pierson, Coordinator of Distributive Education at Bethlehem Central, and Hugh J. Brown, a business education, distributive education teacher. Mr. Brown also





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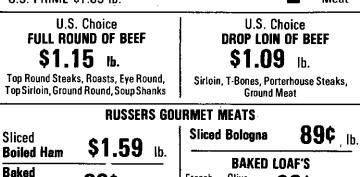
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THREE FRIDAY night social programs are being conducted this month for Bethlehem Central Middle School pupils, with chaperoning being provided by teachers and parents.

Sixth-graders had their "Friday Night Fling" on Mar. 9, seventh-graders have theirs tomorrow night (Mar. 16), and the eighth-grade program is scheduled for Friday, Mar. 23.

Activities open to the pupils on these dates, between 7 and 9 p.m., include: Ping pong, basketball, tumbling, trampoline, swimming, and movies. An admission fee of 50 cents is being charged, so the programs can be self supporting.

The Friday night social events are being coordinated by Mr. Terry Ulion of the Middle School faculty, in cooperation with the Parents' Steering Committee. They are being held this year on an experimental basis, with the possibility of future expansion, "to give children the opportunity to participate in various activities in a healthy social atmosphere with people of their own age group."

THE CONTRIBUTION of a Bethlehem Central High School pupil, Miss Barbara DeSantis, has been selected for inclusion in an Art Show presently on exhibit in the rotunda of the South Mall Legislative Building in Albany.

Every high school in New York State submitted entries for the "Youth Art Month" exhibit, and only about 90 were chosen for display. Miss DeSantis' work is an untitled abstract combining silk screen and water color techniques.

The exhibit was formally opened on March 1, at a ceremony attended by State legislators, officials of the State Education Department, the



E. NORMAN McGRATTAN, RACONTEUR

FOR YEARS WE HAVE WAITED FOR THE opportunity to get a picture of E. Norman McGrattan that would be classed in the "news" category. Now we have it. Last Friday evening he presented the last travelogue of the season at the Fire House on Maple Avenue in Selkirk. His stories were based on slides which he had taken on a visit to China.

But who is Norman McGrattan? First, he is a teacher of fourth grade students at Becker Elementary in the R-C-S School District - and, first again, he is one of the finest teachers of pre-teen youngsters. He has traveled extensively, not only around the world, but all across the United States - and periodically his classes are treated to an authentic travelogue complete with beautiful color slides.

Mr. McGrattan has another forte: the ability to direct children's musicals. He directs the choreography and drama in concert with Martin Ainspan who is another genius with children - in the music field. What an experience for those youngsters fortunate enough to come under the influence and teaching of these two men!

One last observation: Mr. McGrattan has a passion for Lincoln cars and generally has two, sometimes three, in his garage at Van Wies Point. Photo by Jim Fuller

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student artists and their teachers. Mr. Stanley Reich, art supervisor for Bethlehem schools, and Mr. Henrik Post, Miss DeSantis' graphics teacher, were present. These seven Bethlehem Central pupils also served as receptionists at the event: Dagmar VonSchwerin, Helen Burgraff, Mary Ann Guard, Mary Zulgit, Pat Falvey, Dianne Pompa, and Jane Kilo.

HERE and THERE

CHILDREN in Grades 3 through 6 will have an opportunity to join an art group which will meet at the Bethlehem Coffeehouse for 10 weeks from March to June.

Some of the explored projects will be: simple graphics, sculpture, ceramics, puppets, tie dye and batik.

The fee for the 10 weeks will be \$20. Interested parents may call Mary Dorsey (439-1900) or Barb DeSantis (439-4322).

THE MARCH MEETING of the Tri-Village Chapter of the American Association for Retired Persons will be held on Tuesday (Mar. 20) at 1:30 P.M. at the First United Methodist Church of Delmar, The

speaker will be John E. Wagar, Field Representative of the NYS office for the Aging.

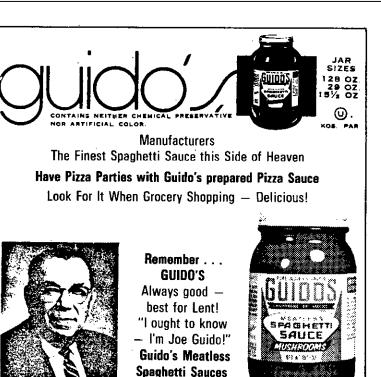
The local chapter, which now has 340 members, was organized to help retired people find purpose and security in their lives through service to the community.

THE "ARKANSAS Lassies," a world renowned all-girl basketball team, will appear at the Bethlehem Central High School on Tuesday, March 27, at 8 P.M.

The "Lassies" are the female basketball wizards of the sports world who have won all but two of their last 150 games. The "Lassies," in addition to playing outstanding



SCENE FROM NEW PLAY — On Saturday afternoon, March 17, at 2 P.M. and 4 P.M., the drama students of the College of Saint Rose will present an original children's play: THE BAFFLING BOOHUNK. The work was written by Katharyn Machan, a student at the College. The performances will be held in Saint Joseph's Hall, 985 Madison Avenue.



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will provide the opposition and have been holding practice sessions under the tutelage of Ray Sliter, Director of Athletics, and Dale Walts, varsity basketball coach.



GEORGE AND DOROTHY WIESNER discuss the upcoming course in creativity development called the Science of Creative Intelligence.



Linda Fancette

Lineups for the faculty will include such stalwarts as Ken Hodge, Terry Ulion, John Rathiens, Gene Fitzpatrick, Nelson Garrington, Richard Poplaski, Art Ritchko, Jack Whipple, Richard Gorman, Jim Juliano, Bill Fuller, Mike O'Brien, Wayne Paige, Bill Ninness and others.

Several members of the Men's Association are attempting to make the squad but the only definite draft choice to date is Kenny Schenkel.

The game is being sponsored by the Bethlehem Central High School Men's Athletic Association and proceeds will be used to provide necessary athletic equipment for the benefit of all students.

THE SECOND in a series of Workshops designed to assist parents as they councel their children in special areas of need will be centered on the theme, "Guidance for the non-College Bound Students." If college is not desired by the youth or is not called for, this Workshop is "In Search of Answers." Specific attention will be given to the nature of careers open to students whose education experiences ends with high school or vocational training.

This Workshop will be held at the Bethlehem Public Library from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 21. Mrs. Ruthann Cons, Psychol-



ogist for the Bethlehem Central School District, will serve as Moderator. Mr. C. Julian Parrish, Director of Ethnic Research, New York State Department of Civil Services, will speak on the broad subject of work patterns and values in the near future. Mr. Bruce A. Austin, Coordinator of Career Education, a special Title III program in the Bethlehem High School inaugurated this year, will speak on what is actually being done in this area of guidance counseling. Many features of this program are innovative and quite distinctive. Mr. Samuel Morrell of the State Employ-



CHARLES H. HANLEY is the new Vice President of Madison North Marketing Communications Agency, Ltd.



GEORGE E. SCHUBERT has just been appointed Art Director for Madison North Marketing Communications Agency, Ltd.

ment Services will speak on the immediate job market which a youth faces.

The evening is open to all parents for whom this is a matter of concern.

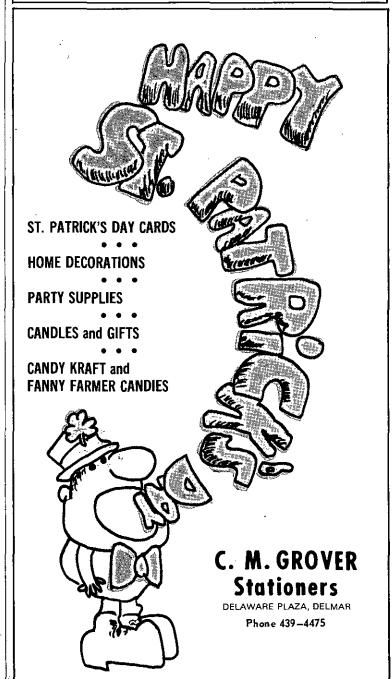
AT A RECENT meeting, the Delmar Kiwanis Club heard Stanley Beran of the Town of Charleston, a Montgomery County small town to be partially flooded for a park project, discuss whether today's popular environmental concern is "public or political". A member of the group of County residents who have formed an Okwari Park Committee for Fair Play, Beran reported on the alleged secrecy with which the 3,7000 acre, ten million dollar project developed, how this citizen's committee helped to bring about a public hearing by the State Department of Environmental Concern on granting a water permit to the County, and how the hearing which already has three days of testimony on the record and will continue for at least another three days this week has revealed the high cost and the "text book planning" of what Beran calls "a fun-andgames project" that is putting people out of their homes and destroying environment under the guise of protecting it.

According to Beran, who is a General Electric Co. planning engineer, the County Planner has testified that this lake project would be five times the size of the biggest County park now in existence and will raise taxes at least \$1.32 per thousand IF the Federal Government agrees to pay half. If no federal money is available, this amount probably would double. Deran also said that the hearing brought out that costs of administration and roads and services around the park area are not included in the costs now predicted by the County. Nor does the County know what its administrative plan, drinking and other water suppiles, sewage treatment method and fire portection etc.

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Presiding at the Kiwanis meeting held at Center Inn, Glenmont, was president William Game, 6 Thorndale Rd., Slingerlands. Program chairman is C.J. Strzemienski, 529 Wayne Pl., Delmar.

THE MARYLROSE Arts Center is initiating a music program for kindergarten age children. The program will be available for 10 weeks on Wednesday from 1:30 to 3:00 at The Arts Center. 1069 New Scotland Road. The fee will be \$40,000 for the 10 weeks program to begin on March 21.

For further information and to enroll your child please call: 438-8428 by March 19.

THE ANNUAL Grapefruit Sale sponsored by the Rotary Club of Delmar is in progress. Orders for tree-ripened Indian River grapefruit delivered direct from Florida are being taken now by Rotary members. Distribution of the fruit, to be picked at the peak of flavor, is anticipated during the second week in April.

The proceeds from the sale are used to support the Rotary Scholarship program and other community service projects for youth undertaken throughout the year. The assistance of the Bethlehem Lions Club and the Bethlehem Kiwanis Club to sell and distribute the 5 pound bags of fruit has been requested to assure the success of the project. Martin Smith and W. Melbourne Miller are in charge of the sale and distribution of the grapefruit for the Rotary Club this year.

If you have not yet been contacted, and desire to order some of this quality fruit, call 439-6824 weekdays after 5 P.M.

A CLASS for Red Cross hospital volunteers will begin Monday, March 19, at 7 P.M. at the Albany Chapter House on Hackett Blvd. and Clara Barton Drive.

The course will be taught by a registered nurse and instruction ranges from "on the job training" to 30 hours of practice in nursing techniques. Classes will be on Mondays and Thursdays for five weeks.

Red Cross hospital volunteers have long served at the VA hospital and for the first time will begin service at The



VA NURSE, MRS. MacFARLAND of Delmar and Red Cross volunteer, Mrs. Helene Greenwood give veteran Gary Thompson an assist during his recuperation from recent surgery. A Red Cross class for hospital volunteers will begin March 19 at 7 P.M. at the Chapter House.

Child's Hospital at the request of Mrs. Verna Brust, Director of Volunteers.

Hospital volunteers serve as hostesses in the outpatient clinic, escort patients to therapy, perform personal courtesies as well as actual nursing services. Hospital volunteers are always needed at the VA hospital and now at The Child's.

The personal attention of the VA hospital staff and Red Cross volunteers make the hospital stay of many handicapped verterans much less difficult.

Persons interested in helping hospital patients may call Miss Elizabeth Judd at the Red Cross Chapter.

THE ALBANY Jewish Community Center in cooperation with the Heart Association New York State and Albany City and County Health Departments, will sponsor a community-wide Health Fair on Sunday, March 25, from 1:00-5:00 P.M. in the gymnasium and throughout the

building.

Dr. Raymond Harris, Vice-President of the Center and Chief of Cardiology at St. Peter's Hospital, is chairman of the event. His co-chairman include Betty Clark - Aquatics Director, Al Sloman -Phys. Ed. Director, Jay Baron -Assistant Phys. Ed. Director and Mrs. Helen Press.

FREDERICK J. BOND, Vice-President-Marketing of Blue Cross of Northeastern New York, has announced the opening of a new Blue Cross and Blue Shield office, Room 111, Queensbury Hotel, Glens Falls, New York. The new office will operate under the direction of Anne Viglione, Manager of the Membership Services Department. The office will be supervised by Robert Davis, a long term resident of Glens Falls.

Christopher P. Long, General Sales Manager of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Northeastern New York, has announced new sales assignments. Raymond Saba, Salesman of the Year for Blue Cross



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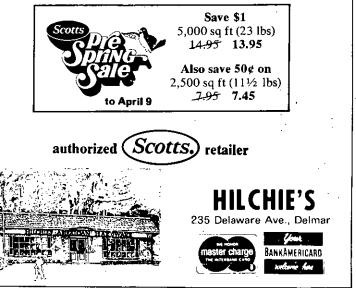
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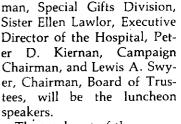
been transferred to the new Glens Falls office, and will be responsible for sales in Warren County and some area in adjacent counties. He will report to Hans Otto, District Sales Manager.

Roscoe Werder will be responsible for sales in Columbia and Greene counties and part of Albany County. Guy Murphy will handle sales in Schenectady County. Mr. Werder and Mr. Murphy will report to Edward Vandenburgh, District Sales Manager.

THE SPECIAL Gifts Division of St. Peter's Hospital's Progress Building Fund Campaign will hold its "kick-off" meeting Thursday, March 15 at the hospital.

More than 150 volunteer women will attend the luncheon meeting prior to soliciting more than 1,000 selected Capital District residents. Goal of the Special Gifts Division is \$100,000. Overall goal is \$2 million.

Mrs. James Furlong, Chair-



The total cost of the expansion and modernization program is \$17 million. The hospital has secured a 30-year, \$14.9 Million Mortgage from the New York State Dormitory Authority and a one million grant from the Hill Burton Program for the new ambulatory care facility.

The seven-story addition currently being constructed will include the ambulatory care facility, replacement an expansion of laboratory facilities, and five patient-care areas including an intensivecoronary and progressive care unit, a pediatric unit and three medical-surgical floors.

"THE NEW Gordon-McCarthy Law is the most harsh nofault statute in the country", according to a member of the Auto Insurance Committees of the State Bar Association and the Albany County Bar Association is an address before the Latham Rotary Club March 5th. Attorney Ernest P. Lyons criticized the Republican consensus bill "for abolishing the right of 80% of the injured to any recourse for pain and suffering damages and for cutting in half benefits previously available to fault-free passengers & pedestrians seriously maimed, disfigured or crippled by negligent motorists."

no-fault Reviewing the controversy the speaker claimed' "For three years the press displayed an amazing unwillingness to admit to the difficulty of clarifying the complex issues, of explaining the fundamental principals involved in eliminating the fault concept, and of reporting the motivations of the contending special interest groups." The press had difficulty telling the 'good guys" from the "bad guys", he said. "For the first two years they grouped the in-

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This facility is now providing and will continue to provide, due to its expansion program, unlimited job opportunities for the local labor market.



WE WENT TOURING AGAIN LAST SATURDAY, first to Delmar where we found traffic at a standstill on Delaware Avenue at the corner of Adams Street.

1) Neither the big "stop" signs on Adams Street nor the mourningdraped Town Hall prevented these two cars from tangling. 2) Then, on to the Bethlehem Public Library where Robert G. King, (center) **Spotlight** publisher, inspected and heartily approved the clothbound copies of the **Spotlight** which are now available for reference. On the left is Madeline R. Schnabel, Reference Librarian, and right, Mrs. Ann P. D'Attilio, Administrative Assistant at the Library. 3) At the Middle School on Kenwood Avenue in Delmar, Tawasentha Chapter, DAR, was sponsoring an Antique Show and Sale. The displays were beautifully arranged and the capacity crowd seemed to be enjoying everything they saw. 4) Last, back to the Town Squire Shopping Center in Glemmont to get a picture of the manager of the Giant Store, Phil Ward. In case you've been wondering, the Garden Shop next to Giant is actually a part of the department store and entrance is from the Giant Store.



ance companies and all lawyers together as opponents of nofault, and for the past year they lined the companies up with the "goodguys", without any explanation for the switch or apology for their prior error."

The lawyer added, "An uncensored press, free of any control, is essential to American democracy. However, each of us, individually, must demand responsible and professionally competent journalists. equal to the task of making important, but technical, issues understandable to the average citizen."

ANSWERING

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Mr. Lyons emphasized that a press corps lacking in technical expertise may be "manoeuvred and manipulated" by special interest groups and those who are politically motivated. "It is apparent by the way the newspapers' editorial responsibility was exercised statewide with almost complete uniformity, both in error and in accuracy, that a very powerful force was at work behind the scenes developing a public attitude appropriate to a particular political point of view."

"The real winners in nofault", he concluded, "were not

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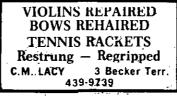
THE MEMBERS of the Abbott family are more than happy with their combined weight loss of over 368 pounds. Star loser of the group was son David who has lost 122 pds., followed by sister Nancy with a decrease of 69 pounds. Mother Evelyn, who was the family's inspiration, is a 40 pound loser, while Aunt Leona Michaud took off 28 pounds. Dad, who wasn't really too heavy, added another 15 pds. to the decrease column.

Mom and Dad

Evelyn Abbott's success inspired her son David but she herself became a member of Weight Watchers after experiencing the minor shock of seeing herself in a home movie film. She couldn't possibly look like that, she thought, but there was the evidence right before her eyes and everyone else's. And the image remained strong enough to drive her to take some action to get rid of the aging fat and flab that mortified her son. Her husband couldn't have been happier and he decided to share a meal or two. As Dave and Nancy joined the program, he found the whole process easier and easier. Just as a sort of innocent bystander, he became a loser.

ELEVEN LOCAL businesses in the Albany Area have. trained a total of 35 employees in Red Cross first aid to comply with the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act. The Act requires business and industry to have first aid trained personnel on the iob site if a hospital or clinic is more than fifteen minutes away.

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Company headed the list with twenty employees receiving first aid instruction respectively. Others included Albany Plastics, Blue Cross-Blue Shield, Barker Manufacturing Co., United Brands Co., Gardenway Manufacturing, and Oil Companies.

The Albany Area Chapter, Red Cross has been conducting first aid classes on Fridays, specifically for businesses and industries. In one day, participants can complete the basic first aid course. Advanced courses are offered if desired.

First aid courses are offered by all Red Cross Chapters in Eastern New York. Businesses and industries who do not meet the first aid provisions of the Occuptational Safety and Health Act should call their local Red Cross Chapter.

"SCREEN PRINTING is the process for translating highway landscapes into personal visual statement"-so says Lois Rheingold when asked what motivates her work. It is a versatile one-screen method process with formal design elements and specific technical aspects.

Miss Rheingold, a young Albany artist, is to be watched. Her often vibrant, sometimes soft colors, her mastery of the technique and the pleasing result of her work make exciting viewing.



On Sunday, March 18, from two until five, Miss Rheingold will open the second in a series of one-man shows at the Sales-Rental Gallery of the Albany Institute of History and Art. The show is open to the public. Miss Rheingold will be at the opening to meet visitors and answer the many questions sure to be asked.

IT HAS LONG been the goal of the Albany Jewish Community Center to involve the entire family in programming. This spring, the Center will make a special effort to involve the young mother in daytime programming.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings, baby sitting will be available from 9:30 to 12:30 p.m.

Morning classes will be offered in a variety of disciplines. Cecille Sirotkin, M.A. in Fine Arts, whose works are widely exhibited, will give a class in Non-Objective Painting on Tuesday mornings. Other classes offered on Tuesday are Sewing for beginners and intermediates and a 3 week mini-class in Basic Sewing Machine Instruction. Slimnastics with Marge Tynan is given on both Tuesday and Thursday morning and Modern Dance with Louise Schmitt of the Capital Area Modern Dance Council will also be held on Tuesday.

The Center pool holds a pre school-parent swim class on Tuesday mornings for children 4 to 5 years of age, and every day Hydro-slimnastics (water exercises) are given followed by free swimming for adults only.

On Wednesday morning, the Center has programmed a Pottery class with Bruce Ross giving special instruction in the wheel and hand building. Evelyn Eisner will conduct a mini class in decoupage. A Crochet class for all levels, a class in Needlepoint with Barbara Cohen who will give instruction in over 20 different stitches as well as original design. Yoga also is held in the Center gym and adult co-ed swimming lessons are given on Wednesday morning.

On Thursday, a class in Printmaking with Sherril Gould instructing will be given. Marge Tynan will give a second class in Slimnastics and Parent-pre school swim instruction is given to children age 1 to 3.

For further information regarding these programs and the many evening activities offered at the Center, call 438-6651 or come personally to 340 Whitehall Road and pick up the Spring registration bulletin.

THE GRAND Union Company today announced a plan to make available to its customers who are members of the Shop and Go Club low-cost international air charter travel. These services will be offered through MPS International Corp., a Civil Aeronautics Board approved travel group charter operator.

Family membership in the Shop and Go Club will be available on an annual basis to Grand Union's customers for a filled book of Triple-S Blue Stamps — or a \$3 membership fee.

Membership applications will be available in 462 Grand Union supermarkets in 10 states along the Eastern seaboard.

The club's charter flight program will be conducted by MPS International Corp. (AMEX), a publicly-owned company which specializes in travel planning and tour packages, is experienced in the field of banking and credit and offers a variety of consumer services, with main offices located at 660 Madison Avenue, New York City.

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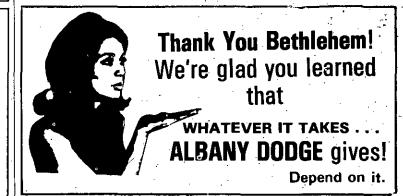
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Operating under federal regulations, the fully-bonded program requires club members to pay 25 per cent of their fare 90 days prior to departure. Complete payment must be made 60 days prior to departure. Final payment will be accompanied by \$100 in Grand Union register tapes.

"Grand Union is happy to be able to provide this further cost reducing as a special service to customers who shop in our stores regularly," noted William H. Preis, Senior Vice President of Grand Union, the nation's tenth largest food chain.

"There is a large and growing public demand for effidependable charter cient. flight service," Mr. Preis said. "Grand Union customers now have the opportunity to avail themselves of low-cost international air travel by bonded charter flights operated by major air carriers on a regular basis."

Francis J. Lockwood, President of the Travel Division of MPS International Corp., said "Our computerized flight charter administration system enables us to provide con-



firmed charter flights to club members beginning June 20. Booking for flights began on March 12."

The Grand Union Company, which had sales last year in excess of \$1.3-billion, currently operates 540 supermarkets, 23 Grand Way general merchandise discount stores, 18 E-Z Shop convenience food stores and five Grand Distributive catalog showrooms in 11 Eastern states. Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

PLANS ARE NOW under way to offer this spring a course of instruction in the Science of Creative Intelligence. This will be the first time that such a program will be available in the Capitol District area.

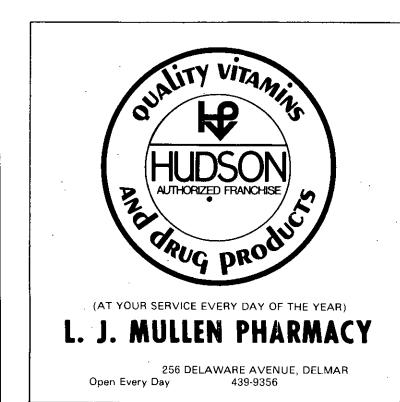
Creativity can be defined as the cause of change and is present everywhere at all times. Intelligence is a basic quality of existence exemplified in the purpose and order of change. The single and branching flow of energy (creativity) and directedness (intelligence) is

called creative intelligence. The science of creative intelligence is the knowledge of the nature, origin, range, growth and application of creative intelligence. This science arose from the major discovery that there exists in every human being the constant source of energy, intelligence and happiness. This source can easily and systematically be drawn upon by everyone for spontaneous use in everyday life, bringing personal integration and a harmoniously productive relationship with others and the world. Like every science, therefore, the science of creative intelligence is founded on practice; regular experiential contact with the source of energy and intelligence.

The practical aspect of this science is a technique of proven efficacy which allows the individual systematically to enjoy increasingly refined states of awareness until its pure state, the field of pure







intelligence, is reached. Through this simple and natural procedure alternated with activity the whole mind and body gradually gain permanent access to the full value of creative intelligence.

Those who practice the technique report improved efficiency in all spheres of thought and action. It is a process of direct experience and not of intellectual analysis. This practice is known as Transcendental Meditation.

The locally offered course in SCI will begin within the next few weeks as soon as a suitable location at which to hold the eleven-week course can be secured. Classes will be held three times per week during evening hours. Each session will include a color video-taped lecture by Maharishi. Enrollment will necessarily be limited by available space. For further information about starting date, location or enrollment contact Dorothy or George Wiesner at 439-9198. A public information meeting to explain the science of creative intelligence and the practice of Transcendental Meditation will be held Friday evening, March 16, at 8 at the Bethlehem Public Library.

CONSTRUCTION PRO-GRAMS by Niagara Mohawk Power Corp. over the next five years will exceed over a billion dollars in capital investment, the utility noted in its 1972 Annual Report to Shareowners, issued today.

In a foreword to shareowners, James A. O'Neill, president and chief executive officer, described efforts at keeping ahead of growing energy requirements under continually rising pressures, primarily from inflation and environmental demands.

"Environmental requirements alone, for example, added capital costs of \$57 million in 1972," O'Neill noted. "It will be difficult for Niagara Mohawk to maintain a high earnings level as inflationary pressures continue, wahes and taxes consistently rise and environmental requirements add heavy capital costs and related operating expenses without compensating increases in revenue," he told shareowners.

"Our 1972 operations reflect virtually a full year of an electric rate increase of \$46.5 million annually, made effective in January 1972. Nevertheless, expenses, including servicing of capital, are outrunning revenue gains."

"Consequently," the executive disclosed, "new electric rate adjustments will be filed in March 1973 in an endeavor to produce earning adequate to offset rising expenses and to provide a sufficient return on investment."

O'Neill emphasized, "Energy supplies, both electric and natural gas, are a matter of continuing concern. The nationwide shortage of gas continues to limit any growth in this area of our business in the foreseeable future. Under PSC rules, essentially restricting new gas installations to one-and two-family homes and other limited classifications, growth is small. However, we are protecting the supply to present customers."

The Annual Report said the firm is now making plans for generation expansion needed for the 1980's. Construction expenditures for 1973-77 are estimated at \$1.274 billion. The 1973 construction budget alone is estimated at \$262 million.

"Our extensive program of generation and transmission facilities under construction or design will take care of load growth through this decade," O'Neill assured stockholders.

The Annual Report underlined the importance of research and development projects and pointed out that Niagara Mohwak's R & D expenditures for the year surpassed \$3 million.

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Under what circumstances is an amount for funeral expenses available under the Railroad Retirement Act?



If an employee who is completely or partially insured under the Railroad Retirement Act dies leaving no survivor eligible for an annuity at the time of his death, a lump sum is payable. This is equal to ten times the basic amount, and is paid to the surviving widow if she was legally living with her husband when he died.

If there is no eligible spouse, and the funeral expenses are unpaid, the lump sum may be assigned to our funeral home by the person who assumed the responsibility for these expenses. If our costs are paid, reimbursement will be made to the person who paid them. This will be either the amount he paid, or the lump sum maximum.

Under certain circumstances the lump sum may be paid to us, without an assignment, if no one assumed responsibility for the funeral costs. entire utility industry intensified R & D and related support activities in 1972. Enhancing reliability, preservenvironmental quality ing and natural resources while reducing costs are all overriding objectives of our R & D efforts," said the report.

Spotlight Engagements

MR, AND MRS, Harold T. Mason of 58 Louise St., Delmar, announce the engagement of their daughter.



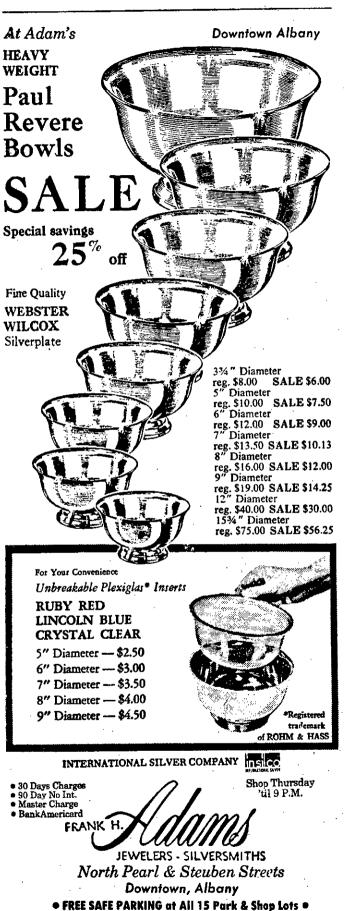
Darlene B. Mason

Darlene, to Mr. George W. Dowse, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dowse, Jr. of 65 West Street, Albany. Miss Mason is attending Mohawk Valley Community College. Her fiance served four years in the U.S. MR. AND MRS. Charles Bronk, West Coxsackie, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Anne, to Rev. Drs. Joseph A. Loux, Jr., son Marjorie A. Bronk of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Loux, 140 Elm Avenue, Delmar. Miss Bronx is employed by the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the US. Albany: the Rev. Drs. Loux is pastor of the Heldeberg Reformed Church, Guilderland Center. A May wedding is planned. The deadline for Spotlight Classified Ads is Friday afternoon preceding publication the following Thursday. Please get yours in on

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AND NOW ONE GLEANED from the daily papers that almost made us jump out of our chair: SUNY students brought a rock group to the Palace in Albany. 3000 rock followers crowded into the theatre. There was a reported bomb-threat with everybody being herded outside while a search was made. It proved false and most of the 3000 filed back in. Now here's a direct, accurate quote from the by-lined review: "And the good feeling that started with Wet Willie two hours before started all over again. The music got better. There was beer, and dope, and for two hours the band and the audience happily fed off each other."

This whole thing makes us very ill.

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TWO TOWN OF BETHLEHEM STALWARTS left the scene during the past week and thereby left us more than a little sad at their passing. Both were friends.

First, it was Harold C. Barkhuff who had so much to do with the planning and building of Water District #1 in our town. He was also one of the most distinguished of Past Commanders of Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post



#1040, American Legion. Then, a few days later, Judge Harold White who was a Niagara Mohawk attorney for most of his adult life; he was the Peace Justice in the Town of Bethlehem who made headlines when he announced that he would be harsh in his treatment of teen-age drivers who defied the law. Harold believed that he could save lives by making the penalty high for ignoring motor vehicle laws. Many believe that he was successful and this may be the reason so many judges lean on the younger drivers today.

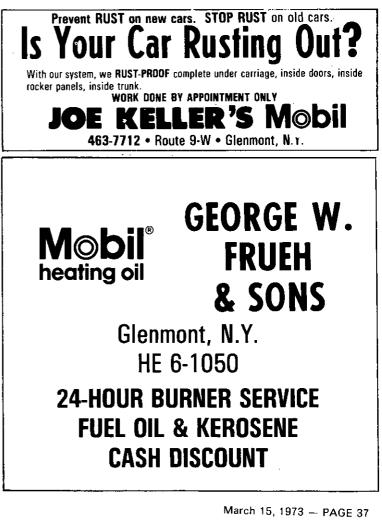




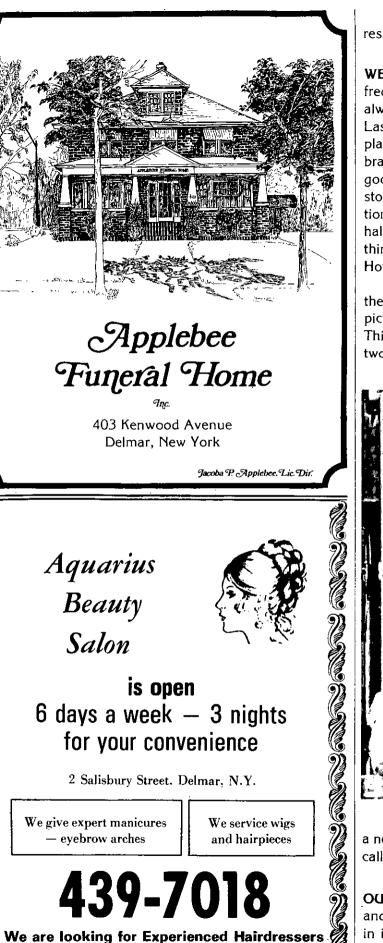
Harold White

Harold C. Barkhuff

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the relatives and the multitude of friends both men had.



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At the time of their deaths, both had retired and were residents of Florida.

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WE KNOW THAT JIM CREEPS or bursts into this column frequently — maybe too frequently for some. But there's always a rather good story connected with it. Like this: Last week, State Photo Supply in Albany and Bell & Howell placed an-almost full-page ad in the TU to introduce a brand new camera. The camera description seemed too good to be true — so Jim went in to see it. We'll make the story short by saying that he thought it just about perfection — it was just a matter of digging up slightly more than half a thousand dollars. Pouf! That was easy! and the next thing he knew he was the proud new owner of a Bell & Howell Canon F-1 camera.

One feature is an electronic time setting device that lets the photographer set up the camera, leave it and get in the picture — then the camera automatically takes the picture. This feature especially appealed to Ed and Wayne Smith, two of Jim's small nephews.

We had to print the result:



If you'd like to see this camera in action and you have a newsworthy event — or want some commercial shots call Jim at 767-2760. He'll be there.

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OUR 16 TO 60 SUMMER BASEBALL PROGRAM is off and running as we write this column. That "our" is not used in its possessive form; by "our," we mean the program which Sam Capone has gotten started with a small assist from us. To date (March 9), 35 plus have signed up to play. 10 plus are 20 years or older. Bethlehem Parks and Recreation is supplying the playing field(s). With the ever mounting interest, it now looks as though there will be in excess of the number needed to field four excellent teams.

Here's the next meeting notice: a general meeting of hose already registered, those who want to register and all who are interested in the program will be held at the Bethlehem Public Library on Thursday evening, March 22, at 7 P.M. This will be the LAST opportunity for prospective players to register and be assured of playing. After his date, registrations will be taken on a strictly "maybe"you'll-be-able-to-be-assigned-to-a-team basis.

Again, we'd like to ask any business man in the Town of Bethlehem who will consider sponsoring a team or givng any assistance to this fledgling league to call Sam Capone (439-1345) and make the offer. We believe it unnecessary to remind potential sponsors of the good they will be doing, or how much it will be appreciated, or any of that sales pitch. Just call Sam and tell him you're willing!

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WE RECEIVED A LETTER from Charles R. Siple of Schenectady giving us a lot more information on what we hought was the "lost" art of that special penmanship. Mr. Siple tells us: there are some 100 "flourishing penmen" in the United States today, most famous is of Japanese extraction. Best known of the engrossing* houses is the irm of Ames & Rollinson in New York City. Only about a lozen of the 100 make their living from "engrossing." We are reproducing the envelope containing Mr. Siple's letter below:

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Delmar's Betty Roberts was kind enough to send our column on penmanship to Mr. Siple, and we thank them both for giving us this added information.

*We learned added meaning to a rather common word hrough this exchange. We had always used "engrossed" o mean completely absorbed in something. But take off he "ed" and add "ing" and it means large writing or the penmanship we've been writing about. Another word (this one new to us) was "interpretative" which means essenially the same as the much more common (to us) "interpretive." And we thought we had some small knowledge of the English language!

BLOODMOBILE AT VOORHEESVILLE

Where: Voorheesville Methodist Church When: Thursday, March 22, Noon to 6 P.M.

The Voorheesville branch of the American Red Cross will sponsor the Bloodmobile in the Voorheesville area. Donors must be between 18 and 66 years of age and in general good health. Babysitting will be available at the Bloodmobile. At **least** 115 pints of blood are urgently needed to meet the area's quota

BABE RUTH REGISTRATION

- What: Registration of boys between 13-15 years for the summer baseball program.
- When: Sat., March 17, Noon to 2 P.M. Sat., March 24, Noon to 2 P.M.
- Where: St. Thomas' School, Kenwood Avenue, Delmar.

Boys who are 13 and are therefore registering for the first time must have been born after August 1. 1959 and before August 1. 1960 Registrants must present birth certificate and be accompanied by a parent. Boys entering the Babe Ruth program for the first time will find it a demanding and satisfying experience due to the fact that it is one big step up. a new age group and the joining of young men entering adulthood.

GRAPEFRUIT, ANYONE?

What: Annual Grapefruit Sale sponsored by the Delmar Rotary Club.

When: Now. Call to order: 439-6824 after 5 P.M.

Again this year you can order **tree-ripened** Indian River Florida grapefruit from this local club and your purchase will help support the Rotary Scholarship program. Delivery of this picked-atits-peak fruit will be the second week in April.

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