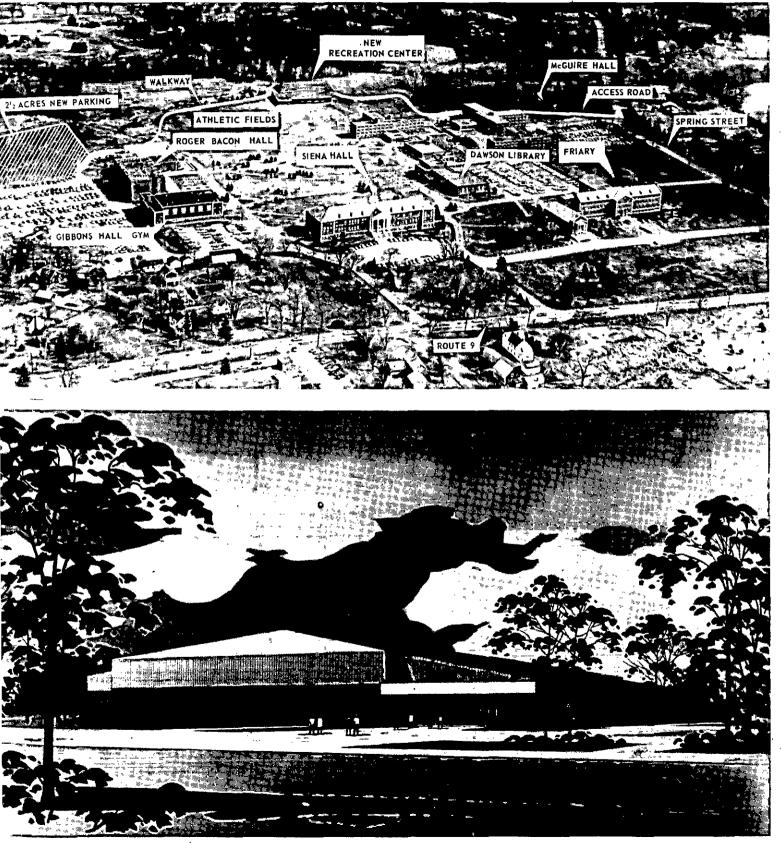
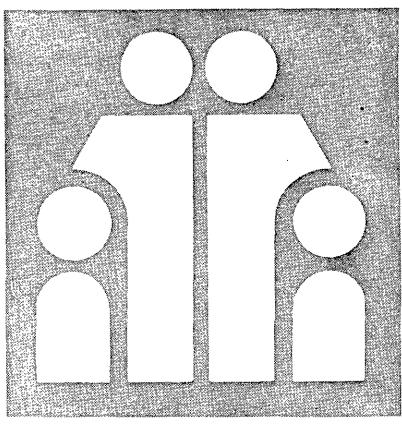
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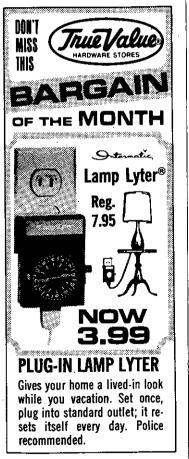
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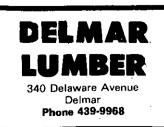
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Welcome Wagon — Newcomers and mothers of new babies call 785-9640, Mon. thru Sat., 8:30 A.M.-6:00 P.M. so you may have a Welcome Wagon call.

**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, 8:30 A.M.-1 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.

**Give and Take Shop**, staffed and stocked by residents of Delmar, clothing for all occasions, all ages, all sizes, available to everyone. Basement St. Thomas Apostle Church Rectory (ent. between Church & Rectory), Mon. 9:30-11:30 A.M., Tues. 1-3 P.M., Sat. 10 A.M.-12 Noon.

**Every Thursday** at 7 P.M., Delmar Reformed Church, scout meeting for handicapped, Troop 159.

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

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

**AARP meets** 1 P.M. third Tuesday of month, Delmar First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Avenue, Delmar.

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 Schrafft's.

**Soccer, Tuesday** and Thursday, 6:30 P.M., BCHS through August 23.

**Tri-Village** Nursery School fall registration open to 3-5 year olds. Information: Maureen Manzella, 439-9295, Susan Ayers, 439-4757.

Career Source Center, BCHS, open every Tuesday, 7:30-9:30 P.M.

The Delmar Community Orchestra rehearses every Monday evening from 8 to 10 at the First United Methodist Church of Delmar.

Through September 27 — Free nature movies every Tuesday and Thursday nights at the Outdoor Amphitheater, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Delmar. Occasional trailwalks at 7 P.M. Pick up a schedule of evening activities at the Center.

June and July — Registration for the Five Rivers Limited sponsored summer nature study program to be held at the Five Rivers Environmental Education Center. Children ages 7-12 will study animals and plants living in the woods and fields at the Center. Two sessions will be held Tuesday and Thursday mornings, July 10 through August 2 and August 7 through August 30. Call 457-6096 for further information. **Every Sunday,** 2 to 5 P.M., at Bethlehem Museum, special exhibit, "Pottery and China used in Bethlehem Homes," late 18th through 20th Century, Chronological table settings. Permanent Exhibit, artifacts, herb garden, memorabilia. Route 144 and Clapper Road, Selkirk. Admission is free.

**Registration** now being accepted for the fall afternoon classes for 4 year olds at the LEA Nursery School. For further information please call Mrs. Boykin at 463-0512 or after 5:30 P.M. Mrs. Denson, at 439-4019.

New voters, those with name, address changes, etc. may register for Nov. general elections at Albany County Board of Elections, County Courthouse, Lodge St., Albany (parking next door in County lot) during regular hours, Mon.-Fri. 9 A.M.-4 P.M.; special hours, Friday, July 20, 9 A.M.-8 P.M. and Saturday, July 21, 9 A.M.-1 P.M.; also, Friday, August 24, 9 A.M.-8 P.M. and Sat., Aug. 25, 9 A.M.-1 P.M., or at local polling place during local registration days, October 12 and 13. Information, call 463-3116, or League of Women Voters of Albany County, 434-7649, 439-4332.

#### THURSDAY, JULY 12

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, Chamber vs. GE.

**6:30 P.M.,** final meeting of the summer, Ladies' Auxiliary of Delmar Volunteer Fire Co., picnic at home of Mrs. William Wright. Bring table setting and chair.

#### FRIDAY, JULY 13

7 P.M., Carnival, Onesquethaw House grounds. Rides, games.

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, Blue Cross vs. Gallagher's.

7:45 P.M., movie, "Challenge to Witness," Camp Pinnacle. Adm. free.

#### SATURDAY, JULY 14

**4 P.M., Carnival**, Onesquethaw Volunteer Fire Co., Unionville Fire House grounds. Chicken, Barbque until 8. Rides, games, free parking, free admission.





**10 A.M.-4 P.M.,** car wash, Delaware Plaza Mobil Station, \$1, sponsored by BCHS Cheerleaders.

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, PBA vs. Main Care.

**9 P.M.-1 A.M.,** Round & Square Dance, Maple Inn, East Berne, sponsored by Ladies' Auxiliary o, East Berne Volunteer Fire Co., music Johnny Bridgewater and the Townsmon. Tickets at door, \$1.50.

**5:30 P.M. on,** smorgasbord, film and concert, Camp Pinnacle, reservations 872-1053.

#### SUNDAY, JULY 15

t P.M., turkey dinner, Camp Pinnacle, reservations 872-1053, \$3.50.

**11 A.M. and** 7:45 P.M. through Thursday, Rev. Reinhold Barth; Bible messages; Helen McAlerney Barth, the singing lady of TV and records, Camp Pinnacle in the Helderbergs. Adm. free.

#### MONDAY, JULY 16

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, Farm Family vs. GE.

8 P.M., meeting, Bethlehem Democratic Action Group, Community Room, Bethlehem Public Library.

#### TUESDAY, JULY 17

7:30 P.M., meeting, Bethlehem Women's Republican Club, Bethlehem Public Library. Presentation of new constitution and by-laws. Talk by Supervisor Bertram E. Kohinke.

**7:30 P.M., Evening** on the Green, Bethlehem Public Library, featuring Village Volunteers Fife and Drum Corps.

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, Blue Cross vs. Chamber.

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, Main Care vs. Gallagher.

The Town Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing tonight at the Town Offices, 393 Delaware Ave., Delmar, N.Y., at 8:30 P.M. on application of Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corp. of Toledo, Ohio for a Special Exception from Article V of the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance to permit the storage of 500,000 gallons of fuel oil and four 60,000 gallon tanks of propane, and for a Variance under Article VII of the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance to permit erection of a batch tower approximately 169.25 feet in height and a furnace building approximately 64.75 feet in height, on Route 32, Feura Bush Road, Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, N.Y.

7 P.M., fire drill, Selkirk Fire Co. #1, at firehouse.



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

6 P.M., Babe Ruth Baseball, Middle School, PBA vs. Farm Family.

#### FRIDAY, JULY 20

**7 P.M., carnival,** Onesquethaw Fire Co., Unionville Firehouse grounds. Rides, games and fun for everyone. Supervised parking, free adm.

#### SATURDAY, JULY 21

2-4, 7-9 P.M., today and tomorrow, Elizabethan Festival, Arts Center, New Scotland Road, Albany. Play: "Midsummer Night's Dream," acrobats, dancers, musicians, craftsmen plying their trades, ale and cheese, breadsticks and ginger cakes, sweets, authentic "Merrie Olde England" setting of the 16th Century.

**4 P.M., carnival,** chicken barbecue served until 8 P.M. Rides, games, fun, supervised parking, free adm.

#### TUESDAY, JULY 24

**7:30 P.M., Talent** Show, an Evening on the Green at Bethlehem Public Library.

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 25

**Selkirk Fire Dept.** monthly training drill with Company 3, So. Bethlehem, as host company.

8 P.M., meeting, Bethlehem Jaycees, Center Inn, Route 9W, Glenmont.

#### THURSDAY, JULY 26

8:15 P.M., meeting, La Leche League, home of Mrs. Stephen Aronson, 34 Greenleaf Drive, Delmar



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#### New Displays

Acrylics is the medium used by Mary Agnes Schaefer of Selkirk for the art work presently on display in the corridors of the Bethlehem Public Library in Delmar. According to Mrs. Schaefer, these colorful paintings are "non-representational acrylic collages."

A member of the Albany Artist Group and the Bethlehem Art Association, Mrs. Schaefer has studied privately



and has also attended Northwestern College, Russell Sage, and is presently a student at Empire State College in Albany. She has taught privately and in the continuing adult education program in South Colonie and in the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk School Districts.

Mrs. Schaefer's work will be on display through the 27th of July.

Also on exhibit at the Bethlehem Public Library during July is a collection of 26 pieces of carnival glass owned by Mary Bilancia of Coeymans Hollow. These pieces are examples of all kinds of different patterns, base colors, and finish types. They are a dazzling array of irridescence. There are bowls and dishes, vases and baskets, a candlestick and even a lovely bronze irridescent bead necklace. Many of the pieces in the collection are quite scarce:

So, stop in the Library this month - see the displays (in cool comfort!) and get a book or two for summer reading.

#### On the Green

The Village Volunteer Fife and Drum Corps played last summer for a Bethlehem Public Library Evening on the Green program and everyone loved them, so, by popular demand they are returning for another appearance. The corps will march out of the pages of history onto the "green" behind the Library at 7:30 on Tuesday evening, July 17. (Should the heavens pour down, a movie, Treasure Island, will be shown in the Large Community Room.)

Bearing colors which are a replica of the revolutionary war flag with 13 stars arranged in a circle to represent the 13 states, the corps marches with a slow dignified step reminiscent of early-marching military units. The spontoon carried was used as a side arm by officers of the colonial period to direct troops in action and to serve as a weapon for close combat.

The award winning group, formed in 1956, is one of the original members of the Na-



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tional Company of Fifes and Drummers which has membership in many of the Eastern States and which is dedicated to the preservation of colonial music.

For a visually and musically colorful evening, join the Village Volunteer Fife and Drum Corps as they perform at the second Evening on the Green Program at the Bethlehem Public Library at 7:30 P.M. July 17.

Note: If it does not rain the evening of July 17th, the movie Treasure Island will be shown the following night, July 18 at 7:30 at the Bethlehem Public Library.

The third evening-on-the-Green program of the Bethlehem Public Library will be Tuesday, July 24, at 7:30 P.M. It is the annual Talent-Under-12 Show for any child through age 12 who has something unique to share. Talent can range from a musical ability to an athletic ability to dramatics or readings. In the past some children have formed musical groups which were particularly enjoyed. The more variety the better, so if you do something you think is unusual, give it a try at the show of local talent.

Anyone interested in being in the Talent Show, please contact Mrs. Harris in the Children's Room or at 439-9314 by Friday, July 20. Come and see what our local children have to offer, and share an evening of laughter and enjoyment.

#### **Owens-Corning Speaks Out**

by Polly McIntyre

"We feel this Owens-Corning plant is needed by the county and will be an asset to the Town of Bethlehem," concluded Charles "Ted" Peck, group vice-president in charge of the construction group for Owens-Corning, at a press conference last Thursday at Schrafft's Restaurant in Glenmont. Stressing the need for insulation, the plant's primary product, in meeting the national energy crisis, Peck explained what considerations had gone into planning the plant to "continue its history of responsible citizenship."

Bethlehem was selected as a plant site to meet the fiberglas needs for the next 20 to 40 years of the northeastern United States, presently serviced by Owens-Corning plants in New Jersey and Ohio. The site offers a good supply of power, water, and transportation. Rt. 32 is currently not carrying nearly its limit in traffic. The Thruway services the northeast. The Penn Central is adjacent. The 205-acre site makes possible a greenbelt and building without taking down a single tree.

The company hopes to have the preliminaries cleared up and the building under roof before snowfall in November of this year, beginning production in the spring of 1974. The plant will house one production line with space for another at a later date, serving upper New York and 6 New England states. It will employ 250 workers, plus staff, increasing to 400 plus 90 staff when the second production line is put into operation. The buildings' appearance will be similar to the Owens-Corning Georgia plant, with large green area, low profile, in earth tones. One production line will make enough insulation for 480 to 500 homes per day.

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation has told Owens-Corning that it has enough power for present and future needs. In the event of a shortage, homes and hospitals would take priority over the plant. The end product of insulating homes and buildings in the northeast will result in overall energy savings, according to Peck.

While air pollution control will not be complete, it will meet all legal standards. Air pollution research by the company is continuing. A new allelectric manufacturing process will be in use in this plant which can be most accurately compared to the new Georgia

plant. The older New Jersey plant was built in 1956, before environmental concerns were prominent. The state of New Jersey has taken action against the plant. Plans for improvement are now being effected including conversion to all electric furnaces. 90% of the company's fine to the state of New Jersey will be rebated upon completion of the improvements. Thorough plans have been made for manufacturing process water disposal. An on-site treatment plant will handle human waste. A 4% increase in demand on Bethlehem water supply will leave entirely adequate water. The company will pay for all water installations. A 5% traffic increase will occur on Rt. 32, which will handle 80% of the traffic including all the trucks, and some employee cars. All deliveries will be by train. Trucks and trains will take out the manufactured products. The company will build extra traffic turn lanes, etc. to handle this. The plant will be built so that no trees will be cut. An existing area of trees will screen the plant from Waldenmaier Rd. The plant will be in earth tones, with all ugly piles of raw materials enclosed. Continuing, and probably stricter, state and federal regulations will apply to the plant.

In reply to questions, Peck replied that Owens-Corning will emit small quantities of phenol. The company has submitted phenol emission levels to the Department of Environmental Conservation. Small quantities of boron will be emitted. This site was chosen over a location in the Bethlehem industrial park because it had rail transportation, size and terrain suitable to this plant, and the land was already zoned light industrial. There was already heavy industry in the area. The Wilton site was not used because a test well showed no water. Owens-Corning has not been contacted on the possible effects of the large Dowerskill housing development in the area. The plant does however meet all current legal requirements. Purchase of land has been completed at "a million two," The cost to build will be mostly in machinery, in "multi-million dollar" the range. Odors are hard to measure, but in this area "we believe we will be good neighbors." Fiberglas particle emission will "not go off the property line," with the aim to contain it within the processing. Fiberglas particulate is fine, but not microscopic. Asked if they planned further meetings with the public, Peck replied that they had held two public meetings and felt that was enough. He had no comment on published accounts that the company had not attended a recent meeting of citizens at the Bethlehem Public Library.

Attending the conference, and assisting in answering questions, were Dick Grant, manufacturing vice-president for the construction group; Bob Logan of the legal department; Sam Thomas in charge of environmental control; Dick Webb manager of the facility; and Stan Collins, in charge of public relations.

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**Arsenal Worker Retires** 

Walter J. Roberts, 1508 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands, has ended a 31 year career as a federal government employee with his retirement from the Watervliet Arsenal.

The Slingerlands man entered government service in January, 1942, at the Voorheesville Army Depot. He transferred to the Schenectady Army Depot in 1948 and in 1966 came to the Arsenal where he has been a boiler plant operator in the facilities engineering unit. During his arsenal service he has received two outstanding performance ratings and a certificate of achievement.

Mr. Roberts is secretarytreasurer of the Slingerlands Fire District. A member of the Slingerlands Volunteer Fire Department for 25 years he was one of the organizers

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of the department's rescue squad. He was also a 25-year member of the NY Army National Guard, retiring in 1967 with the rank of sergeantmajor.

Summer Jazz Party Vanguard's 11th Annual



ALEXANDER RIHM, JR., 28 Euclid Avenue, Delmar is the new President of the Air Pollution Control Association. Mr. Rihm is director of the Division of Air Resources, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation. Jazz Party for the benefit of the Albany Symphony Orchestra will be held on Friday, July 27, starting at 7 P.M., rain or shine. The location will be the same as last year, Ted Brandow's, 10 Stafford Road off Crumitie Road in Loudonville. Music will be supplied by Nick Brignola and his band plus Sadie's Scratch Band, and everyone is welcome. Sandwiches and drinks will be available, and entertainment will feature pert and saucy Can Can dancers. New Orlean's own Bourbon Street will be the theme for this year's summer lazz Party.

### Promoted

Theodore A. Burke and Dean A. Hocking, Assistant Cashiers of State Bank of Albany were promoted to Assistant Vice Presidents at the Board of Directors Meeting held on June 26. Mr. Burke is presently Manager of the Bank's Central Avenue Office and he will become the Manager of the new Delmar Office when it opens in the Fall. Mr. Hocking will continue as the officer in charge of the Amsterdam Office, according to the announcement made by President Frank H. Odell.

Mr. Burke began his banking career in 1948 employed in various departments until 1964 when he became a participant in the Management Training Program. In 1967 he was assigned to the Business Development Department and in December of 1967 he was elected Assistant Cashier. He was assigned to the Loudonville Office as Manager in 1968 and in 1972 became Manager of the Central Avenue Office.

A native of Albany, he is a graduate of Vincentian Institute and Albany Business College. In addition, he has completed several courses in the American Institute of Banking, Albany Chapter, both at the Standard and Graduate levels.

His organizational affiliations include the following: Secretary of the Central Avenue Civic and Merchants Association and member of the men's association of St. Pius Church, Loudonville. He is a member of The Festival of Praise 1973; State Bank's Speakers Bureau; and the





Theodore A. Burke

American Institute of Banking, Albany Chapter.

Married to the former Joan Doyle, the Burke's have two children. They reside in Loudonville.

Mr. Hocking is a graduate of Chatham High School and the Bentley School of Accounting and Finance, Boston, Mass. In addition, he has completed various courses in the American Institute of Banking on the Standard and Graduate levels.

During the years 1949-1952 he served with the U.S. Army in Korea after which he served three years in the U.S. Army Reserve.

During the years 1956-1958 he was employed by Montgomery Ward as a Staff Accountant, Management Trainee.

Active in community and organizational affairs while in the Schoharie area he was Treasurer of the Schoharie Chamber of Commerce and Treasurer of the Little League Baseball. He is a Trustee of the Mohawk Valley Library Association, member of the American Institute of Banking, President of Montgomery Fulton Schoharie County Banker's Association, Director-Treasurer of the Cobleskill Agricultural College Foundation, Director of the Schoharie Kiwanis Club, Deacon of the Schoharie Dutch Reformed Church and member

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of State Bank's Speakers Bureau.

Married to the former Janet Raymond, the Hockings have three daughters. Presently they reside at Barton Hill, Schoharie, but plan to move to Amsterdam in the near future.

#### National Jamboree

On August 1, Troop 262, sponsored by the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, will leave to join more than 70,000 other Scouts and leaders at the world's largest Scout jamboree. Seventeen Scouts and two leaders will arrive at jamboree East at Moraine State Park in Pennsylvania on August 1, and will return on August 10. The Scoutmaster for the jamboree is Robert Myers, Feura Bush Road, Delmar.

This is the first time that a national jamboree has been held at two different locations. And, for the first time, any registered. Scout can go with no age or advancement requirements.

At the jamboree, the Scouts will live in a huge tent city and cook their own meals, including mountain trout and steak.

For activities, there's a lot to do, including swimming, boating, canoeing, fishing, several miles of scenic hiking trails, and many areas of sports competition for individuals and troops.

Extensive ecology experiments and demonstrations will be available, plus the big new Arts and Science Expo, where Scouts will enter original artwork, musical compositions, and science projects.

Chicken in the Rough

The President of the Albany County Women's Republican Club, Mrs. Reva Rivers of Albany, has announced that a Club Barbeque will be held on Saturday, July 14 at the home of Mrs. Susan Redmond, 69 Salisbury Road in Delmar. Activities and games will also make up part of the day's agenda. Serving will take place at 4 P.M.

Republican candidates running on the county-wide tick-

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et for election this November will attend and invitations have also been extended to Richard Rosenbaum, State GOP Chairman, and Mrs. Eunice Whittlesey, Vice Chairman, as well as Joseph C. Frangella, Albany County Republican Committee Chairman. General Chairman for the

"rain or shine" event is Miss Kathy Dorn of Albany, Vice President of ACWRC. Also assisting on arrangements are the Mesdames Reva Rivers of Albany, Beverly Burkins of Delmar, and Rita Richey of McKownville.

Club members are cordially invited to attend and bring family, neighbors and friends to the outdoor barbeque.

#### **Dr. Deuel Promoted**

Dr. Regis P. Deuel, chairman of the Business Division at Genesee Community College, has been named to the rank of full professor. The appointment was announced today by the Board of Trustees and President Dr. Neal V. Robbins.

Before coming to Genesee a year ago, Dr. Deuel was an associate professor in the School of Business at the State University of New York at Albany. Prior to that time he taught and helped to develop many of the business courses at Corning Community College.

#### Candlesticks?

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation is switching to "candlesticks" - newly designed electric distribution

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poles without the familiar crossarms on top:

Ralph P. Van Woert local manager for the power firm, said the new poles improve appearance and provide increased strength.

"We are eliminating cross-

arms wherever possible, so that there is less bulky equipment in the air and the wires are spaced in a tight configuration." Mr. Van Woert said.

He also noted that without crossarms, wires are held closer to the poles, eliminating a "fulcrum effect" sometimes

created on the crossarms during storms, which can strain wires and cause power interruptions.

The new design utilizes fiberglass and epoxy materials and is referred to as "candlestick" in the electrical equipment trade.

"It's much better from an environmental standpoint because the narrower, vertical placing of the wires cuts down the amount of tree trimming necessary for line clearance,' Mr. Van Woert said.

He pointed out, however, that in rural areas, where longer spans are needed between poles, crossarms are still utilized. "With armless construction, poles have to be spaced closer together," he added.

It's less expensive for a utility to originally install a line using crossarms. But the average life of a power pole is 40 years, and for a crossarm about 20 years. "Therefore, the final cost is the same since crossarms never installed never need to be replaced," Mr. Van Woert said.

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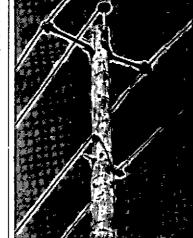
tion, employees with Federal service totalling 106 years were honored recently by their co-workers and friends at a retirement luncheon at the Rowntowner Motor Inn on Wolf Road. They are Mr. Maurice W. Groves, 32 years service: Mr. Sherburne Hill, Ir., 43 years service; and Mrs. Salvatore (Mary G.) Restifo, 31 years service.

Mr. Groves is a native of Kingston, New York, and a graduate of Cooper Union Institute of Technology, New York City. He is a veteran of World War II, seeing service in Iceland and Europe. Mr. Groves served as District Engineer for the Federal Highway Administration in western New York State, including the cities of Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse. He also served as Area Engineer during the construction of the highway network which serviced the New York City World's Fair in 1964. He has been recognized with three superior performance awards over the past ten years for his efforts in highway matters, and is currently serving as vice-president of the Albany Society of Engineers. Mr. Groves resides with his wife, Gwendolyn, at 4 Brockley Drive, Delmar, N.Y. They have two sons and two grandchildren living in Connecticut and New York City.

Mr. Hill, a native of Methuen, Massachusetts, and a graduate of Tufts University, served as a highway engineer in the U.S. Bureau of Public Roads, later Federal Highway Administration, in 43 years. Mr. Hill's most recent assignment was Area Engineer in the Utica region. In this capacity he was instrumental in the design and construction of the first TOPICS project to be built in New York State. Mr. Hill also served as Area Engineer in the Syracuse, Poughkeepsie, Binghamton, Hornell, Rochester, and Buffalo regions during his long career in Federal service. He resides with his wife. Elizabeth. at 425 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, N.Y. They have two sons, one daughter, and seven grandchildren, all residing in the Albany area.

Mrs. Restifo, a native of Albany, New York, served as a secretary during her Federal

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service. She resides with her husband, Salvatore, at 73 Benson Street of this city. They have one daughter and two grandchildren residing in Poughkeepsie, New York. She was honored with two awards for distinguished service for outstanding performance over the past five years.



SHOWN ABOVE ARE THREE NEW YORK DIVISION, Federal Highway Administration, career employees with service totalling 106 years who were honored recently by their co-workers and friends at a retirement luncheon at the Rowntowner Motor Inn. They are (left to right) Sherburne Hill, Jr., 43 years service; Mrs. Hill; Mrs. Mary G. Restifo, 31 years service; Mr. Restifo; Maurice W. Groves, 32 years service; and Mrs. Groves. Mr. Groves and Mr. Hill are both residents of Delmar.

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At Institute

Lloyd R. Wilson, Ir., Director of Recreation for the Town of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department, recently participated in the Second Annual Institute for Coordinators and Leaders in Heart Prevention Programs. The Institute was held at Skidmore College in Saratoga Springs. Mr. Wilson is presently working closely with J.D. Hills, Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, developing a program projected to begin in September.

Bike Day Bertram E. Kohinke, Supervisor of the Town of Bethlehem, calls upon all citizens of the community to give their wholehearted support to the "Bicycle Registration Day" program. This program will take place on Saturday, July 14th, from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon at the Selkirk Fire Department, Company #2 for all children and parents throughout the Glenmont area. This event will be under the direction of Sgt. Leo E. Dorsey of the Youth Bureau, Bethlehem Police Department.

Mr. Kohinke notes that the purpose of the bicycle registration program is to help reduce the hazards of bicycle riding for both children and adults by explaining and encouraging proper riding habits.

While Sgt. Dorsey, along with members of the Selkirk Fire Department, Company #2 are inspecting the bicycles and teaching safety rules to our Town's cyclists, Steve Brodeur, Store Manager of McDonald's," located at 132



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#### Legion Baseball

The local Blanchard Post team is the current leader in the Albany County Legion Baseball League with a 6-0 record. Pitchers Shawn Fitzgerald, Pete Toohey and Jeff Young have two wins each.

The locals are managed by Ernie Gall with coaches Joe Caruso and Gene Usher. The team roster follows: Dan Barclay, Dick Brewster, Steve

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With the Servicemen Navy Seamen Recruits George M. Camley, son of Mr.



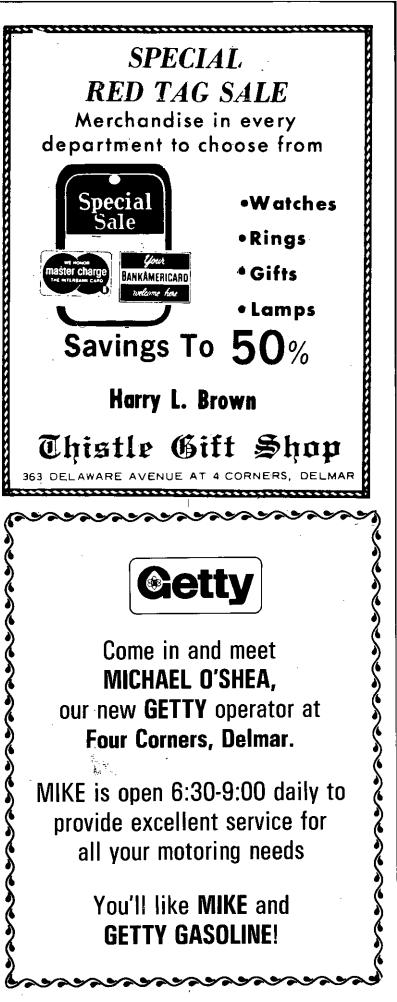
George M. Camley

and Mrs. Maurice Camley, 17 Railroad Avenue, Ravena, and William F. Heath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald E. Heath, Ravena, were graduated from recruit training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center.



William F. Heath

GOP Steak Roast The 14th Annual Stag Steak Roast of the Bethlehem GOP will be held at Murray Jennex







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Festivities will start at 3 P.M. with hot dogs, clams, games and contests. Prizes for the winners. A steak dinner will be served at 5:30.

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#### Drawing Winner

The Bethlehem Recreation Baseball League obtained additional finances by holding a drawing for \$50 in cash on July 5.

Linda Allaway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Allaway, Lansing Drive, Delmar, drew the winning ticket. Winner of the cash prize was Annina Fuller, Feura Bush.

League games are played on the BCHS field at 6 P.M. on Monday and Wednesday evenings.



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Return to South Bethlehem and Selkirk from Elm Avenue Park 2:00 P.M., 3:30 P.M.

BUS B — Pickup at Glenmont Grade School 1 P.M., 2:15 P.M. Pickup at Hamagrael Grade School 1:15 P.M., 2:30 P.M. Pickup at Elsmere Grade School 1:30 P.M., 2:45 P.M. Arrive Elm Avenue Park 1:45 P.M., 3:00 P.M.

Return to Glenmont, Hamagrael, Elsmere 2:00 P.M., 3:15 P.M.

BUS C – Pickup at North Bethlehem Firehouse 1:15 P.M., 2:45 P.M. Pickup at Slingerlands Grade School 1:30 P.M., 3:00 P.M. Pickup at Delmar Grade School 1:45 P.M., 3:15 P.M. Arrive Elm Avenue Park 2:00 P.M., 3:30 P.M.

Return to North Bethlehem, Slingerlands, Delmar 2:15 P.M., 3:45 P.M.



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# The Spotlight **Goes to School**

#### About the Cover Pictures

Plans for the construction of an estimated \$1.8-million recreational facility at Siena College were announced today by the Rev. Matthew T. Conlin, OFM, President of the College.

"If all goes well, construction will begin around July the Franciscan Priest 15," commented. "Completion is set for next lune."

The multi-purpose building will serve as a 35,000 square foot all-purpose intramural sport and leisure-time recreational facility for Siena's 2,000 day and evening students. When seats are expanded, the center will have a seating capacity of 4,500 for varsity sports and special events such as commencements, lectures, concerts, and activities promoted by off-campus groups.

Contractors will be Bunkoff Construction Co., Inc., Albany. Architects are Finnegan, Lyon and Colburn, Syracuse.

The center will be located on the lower campus parallel to the left field foul line of the baseball field.

Regarding the new recreational facility, Fr. Conlin said: "It has been increasingly obvious in the past several years that our recreational, social and athletic facilities must be expanded as the student population increases and the ratio of coeds to male students is enlarged. Gibbons Hall, which houses our present gymnasium, is no longer adequate."

Movable mesh netting lowered from the ceiling and an artificial surface will allow flexibility for a variety of sports including indoor track, handball, tennis, and volleyball.

The remaining area - ap-The Spotlight

feet - will be used for exercise rooms, offices, lockers, shower rooms and storage.

Father Conlin said the site which has been chosen for the new facility is ideal since it is easily accessible to all campus buildings, and the athletic fields.

The new building is part of an extensive program of rehabilitation and construction recently approved by Siena's Board of Trustees. The recommendations followed an intensive 27-month study by the College's Development Committee composed of a crosssection of trustees, faculty, students, alumni, and administrators.

Currently underway is the rennovation of a part of Siena Hall and the Friary to accommodate more faculty offices, and the remodeling of the basement of Dawson Library.

Father Conlin said that conversion of old Gibbons Hall gym into a campus center will begin in about a year.

#### Named Assistant

The Rev. Ronald P. Stark, OFM, has been named Assistant to the Vice President for Academic Affairs at Siena College. The announcement was made by the Rev. Matthew T. Conlin, OFM, President of the College.

Father Stark, 37, joined the administration at Siena last year as assistant registrar. He previously served as dean of studies at St. Joseph Seraphic Seminary, Callicoon, N.Y., and taught mathematics, science and theology at that school. He served as Provincial Educational Council secretary from 1968-72 and will be co-director of the Franciscan Formation Program at Siena this year.

Father Stark earned bacheproximately 19,000 square lor's degrees in philosophy



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and theology at St. Francis College, Rye Beach, N.H., and Holy Name College, Washington, D.C., respectively.

He is a member of the National Catholic Educational Assn.; the National Educational Assn.; the American Assn. of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers; and the Eastern Assn. of college Deans and Advisors of Students.

Father Stark replaces Dr. Daniel J. Horgan, who recently was named Vice President for Academic Affairs at Siena.

#### High Honor

James D. Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kelly, 316 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, has been named a College Scholar, the highest recognition for Academic achievement, for the spring term at Middlebury College.

Students who receive the coveted designation at Middlebury must have earned three A's or better and no grade below C during the semester.

#### Grad

Jack Wasserbach of 213 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, has been awarded a Bachelor of Science Degree in Wildlife Biology by Colorado State University at the University's May Commencement.

#### In Art Program

Miss Janet Anker, 47 Fairway Ave., Delmar, is enrolled in the Summer SIX Program in Art at Skidmore College. Now in its sixth season, the Summer in Experiment Program consists of courses in painting, drawing, sculpture, ceramics, jewelry, weaving, film-making, photography, art education, and art history. The program is intensive, with students normally taking two courses, each meeting at least eight hours a week. In most, students may choose between basic or advanced coumes in the areas.

#### New Vice President

Robert L. Hughes, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hughes of 11 Heather Lane in Delmar has been elected vice president of the Alumni Association Board of Directors of Boston University's School of Public Communication (SPC). The Director of Communications for the Massachusetts Taxpayers Foundation in Boston will serve a one year term as vice president effective in September.

A 1969 graduate of SPC with a bachelor of science degree in public relations, Hughes graduated from Albany Academy in 1965. He is a member of both the New England Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America and of the Publicity Club of Boston. Hughes resides at 10 Perkins Square in Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts.

#### Scholarship Winner

Paul Van Ryn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Van Ryn, 391 Elm Avenue, Selkirk, has re-



Paul Van Ryn

ceived a \$200 scholarship award from the NYS Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

He will attend Springfield College in September.

# Hard Facts on SOFTBALL

Standings in the Bethlehem Softball League were almost unchanged last week since all but two games were rained out. Here's how the race stood at week's end: W I

Elsmerian	5	2
Fireside Tavern	5	3
Selkirk #2	4	4
Van Curlers	4	4
Selkirk #1	3	5
D. L. Movers	3	5
Bradt Plumbing	3	4

Ed Reid pitched Van Curlers to a 11-5 win over Selkirk #2. To add to their woes, the Selkirk-men committed 9 errors. Then Bob Shultes, the loser in the above contest, pitched the Selkirk team to a 2-1 victory over Selkirk #1. In this game, Joe Crosscup had a triple; Jeff Arnold, 2 singles; Dick Hummel singled in the winning run.



MRS. NELLIE V. ANDERSON, Recreation Director at the Glendale Home in Schenectady, will be the guest speaker at the Retired Men's Fraternity today (July 12) at Noon, Veeder's Restaurant, Albany-Schenectady Road.



#### Curran-Lussier

The Hawthorne Reformed Church in Hawthorne, New York, was the setting on June 30, for the marriage of Mary K. Curran, Hawthorne, and Joseph A. Lussier, Cohoes. The officiating clergyman was Rev. William Coons.

The bride is a physical education teacher in BC schools. Her husband is employed by General Electric.

Langmore-Birchenough Elizabeth Woodhull Langmore and Robert Henry Birchenough, Jr., both of Wi-

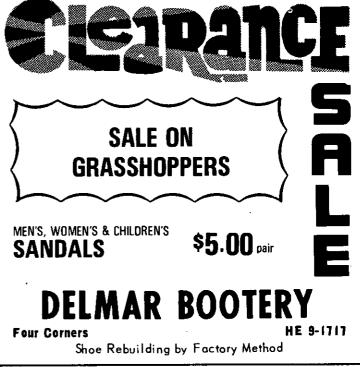


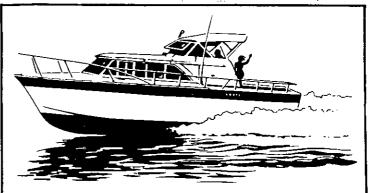
Mrs. Robert H. Birchenough, Jr.

nooski, Vermont, were married on June 16 in the Cathedral of Incarnation in Garden City, Long Island, by the Right Reverand Jonathan G. Sherman. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William Langmore of Garden City and the late Mr. Langmore. The groom is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Robert H. Birchenough of Slingerlands, New York.

Mrs. Birchenough is the administrative secretary to the Director of the Clinical Research Center at the University of Vermont College of Medicine in Burlington. She is a graduate of the Cathedral School of St. Mary and Nassau Community College: Mr. Birchenough is pursuing a career in medicine after teaching







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couple left on a trip through New England.

Mrs. Brownrigg is a Hartwick College graduate and is employed by the National Commercial Bank and Trust Co. Her husband is a graduate of Cornell University and is employed by Texaco, Inc.

#### Fiato-Pasquini

In a home wedding on June 3. Martha Ann Fiato, daugh-



Mrs. Richard P. Pasquini Louis Studio Photo

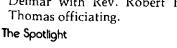
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Fiato, Krumkill Road, Slingerlands, became the bride of Richard P. Pasquini, son of Mr. and Mrs. William V. Pasquini, Voorheesville. Rev. Kevin Mackin was the officiating clergyman.

The reception was also held at the bride's home, after which the couple flew to Europe for an 8-week trip through Spain, Italy and Greece.

The bride is a Marylrose Academy graduate and is attending Maria College Nursing School. Mr. Pasquini is a SUNY graduate with a BA degree in political science.

#### Cline-Werthmuller

Nancy Lee Cline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin L. Cline, 7 Oak Road, Delmar. was married to George H. Werthmuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Galcota, Lakeland, Florida, on June 9 at the First United Methodist Church of Delmar with Rev. Robert B. Thomas officiating.





Mrs. George H. Werthmuller Ramark-Varden Photo

The reception was held at the Bavarian Chalet in Guilderland after which the couple left on a trip to Virginia Beach and Cape Hatteras.

The bride is a BCHS graduate; her husband was graduated from SUNY at Oneonta and is a teacher in Carbondale, Pa.

Cole-Storm In a garden wedding on June 16, Debby Cole, daugh-

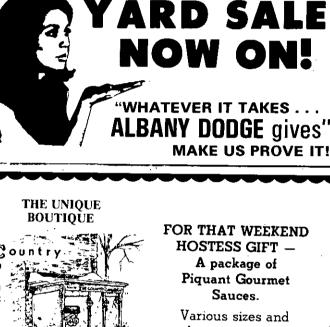


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Time and again it has been demonstrated that boys who have cultivated an interest in outdoor activities are less apt to become entangled with the law. They have also learned one of the secrets of relaxing from the stress of modern day life so that they can return to their routine with restored enthusiasm and vigor.

Many everyday family activities, such as little league baseball, still keep everyone going in high gear. Father and son fishing expeditions offer something to do together without the tension and competition - where man and boy can get to know each other better. Introducing a child, either boy or girl, to the wonders of a fish pond can be a most satisfying experience.

There is no age limit on fishing, in fact it is an ideal three generation sport. When a voungster is along, the trip should be geared to his level;





you should accompany him on his trip instead of him accompanying you on your trip. His interest span is more or less directly related to his height, so for the youngster there should be plenty of action. Even the older novice needs action, for he hasn't built up a store of anticipation from earlier successful expeditions.

Action means panfishing — sunfish, perch and bullheads. This is where family fishing can be good fish management, for too many fishe men concentrate on the big fish, and in this way are sometimes their own worst enemies. A good fish pond must have the proper balance between large predatory fish, bass, pike, etc., and the small forage species like perch and bluegills.

Mother Nature gave the small fish a very high reproductive rate so that they could produce enough young to feed the big fish and still have enough left over to maintain their numbers in the pond. If too many of the large fish are removed, the panfish can quickly become overpopulated. This is a double-edged sword, for not only are there too many panfish for the amount of food available, but they will also eat young of the predatory fish, further reducing their numbers.

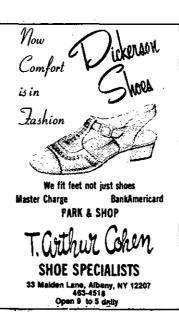
Panfishing no longer has to be a sit-and-wait proposition, for with modern spinning tackle it can be made a lively

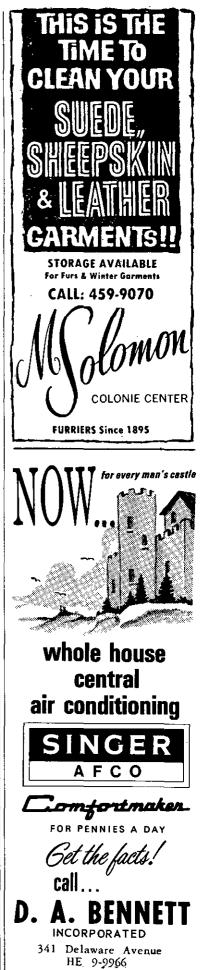
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3 Broderick Street Albany, N.Y. 12205 sport. Adjust the drag on the reel way down and even medium-sized perch or sunfish can put up a fight which will excite a youngster. While casting small lures for perch and sunfish he is actually learning how to properly handle the equipment, so that when he graduates to game fish he won't spend all his time disengaging lily pads.

Even panfish can be uncooperative at times, but every fisherman must learn that fishing isn't just pulling in fish. This is the ideal time to show that there is a lot more to fishing than just catching fish. By opening the youngster's eyes to the many activities of the other inhabitants of the pond, you can show him how to bring home memories that will make it possible to come home empty-handed, but refreshed. Some of these memories may long outlive the memories of even the better fish.

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- LUGGAGE, men's & women's, various sizes, used once. 439-4849.
- LIQUIDATION SALE: complete stock including fixtures. 25% to 75% off. All sales final, Galla-gher's Ski & Sport Shop, 282 Delaware Ave. Delmar.
- GOLF CLUBS: 2 9 wedge and putter. Excellent condition, \$30. 439-5263. YAMAHA, 100cc, \$150, recently renovated. John-
- son, 767-9001
- REEL TYPE MOWER 22", self propelled, excellent condition, \$40, 439-5897. Bolens 22" rotary mower, self propelled, good condition, \$35. 439-5833.
- 1 KONICA, 35mm with case, manual & flash master \$30. 1 flexaret with case \$20. 439-7239.
- EXCELLENT CRIB \$20; white racker \$15; king size cane headboard, \$30; sturdy sola, sofabed \$15 each; electric snowblower \$30; Maytag washer, \$25; electric dryer \$75; antique table lamp \$25; pair antique side chairs \$12.00 439-5066.

- KENMORE WASHER and gas dryer. Multiple cycles and designed for permanent press. Call 439-3463.
- ABOVE-GROUND POOL, Muskin, steel frame, 1/4 HP, powered ampro earth filter, ladder, excellent condition, \$65. Attic fan, 24", 6 blades, 1/4 HP, reversible motor, excellent condition, \$50. Lawn mower, 21" Jacobson reel type, self-propelled, excellent condition, \$50. 439-6034.
- Sol. 439-0034.
  GIANT two family lawn sale, 50 year figurine cat collection, dishes, knick knacks, antiques, toys. New Scotland South Rd., Route 308, July 14, 9 A.M. Rain date July 28.
  GARAGE SALE moving, 52 Oakwood St., Aibany, July 13 14 15, 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.
  ANTIQUES furniture & miscellaneous items. 439-1708.
- BARN SALE: air conditioner, oak desk, crib, dress-
- ing table, stroller, chair, rugs, etc. Road, Glenmont between 9W and 144. Wemple MISC. GARAGE SALE - July 14 - 8 to 4, July
- 15 8 to 12. Across from Miss Glermont Diner, Route 9W.
- GIANT SIX FAMILY garage sale. Elegant odds and ends, housewares, furniture, clothes. You can't afford to miss this one. July 14, 15, 10 to 6, rain or shine. Melito, Town Line Road, Rensselaerville.
- GARAGE lawn sale, furniture, toys, household, misc. Friday, July 13th, 9:00 to 7:00. Rain date, Friday, July 20th. 108 Poptar Drive, Delmar
- OCCASIONAL AQUA fanback chair, good condition, \$15.00. 439-9664.

MOVING: refrigerator, washer, rug, beds, dressers, TV, dining set, misc. furnishings. Call 439-4659, Williams, 511A Kenwood Ave.

- GARAGE SALE: July 20, 21. Williams 511-A Kenwood Ave., Delmar. 2t719 2 SETS MEN'S golf clubs with bag. \$15.00 each, both \$25.00. 439 1260. 21719
- HOMEMADE COOKIES and wholewheat bread at The Health Shop, 392 Kenwood Ave., 4 Cor-

ners (in rear of meat market), Delmar. 439-5580

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# Vandering & Wondering ...

IT HAS BEEN A LONG TIME since we've seen or heard from Howe Cassavant — yet here he is with a letter:

Dear LeVere Fuller:

I write to congratulate on the article under Wandering and Wondering, it intrigued me to the extent that I read it again.

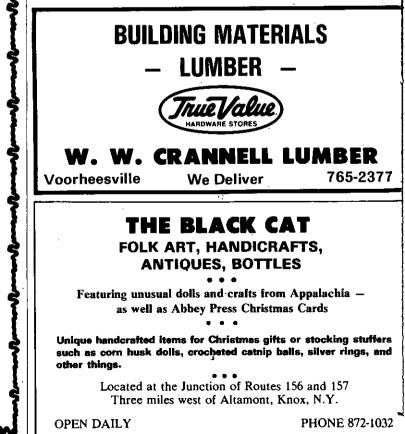
It is not a diatribe against politics and the effect of power on those we elect. It is not a subtle political bid for the party not in power. It is not written in anger nor 'despain but in sadness. Will the lust for power and the prequisites of office so destroy the capacity to rule and govern with an equal hand that this Land of the Free will wither and die?

> Respectfully yours, Howe K. Cassavant

... AND THEN THERE'S THIS LETTER from Jack Bidel who poses some rather pertinent facts and theories about motives and aims . . .

Dear Mr. Fuller:

I have been following with interest the comments o Mrs. Ann Lyons and her cohorts concerning results en visioned by the construction of the Owens-Corning facility in the Town of Bethlehem. While I disagree with their position and feel that it is self-serving and does not have the best interests of the town itself at heart, I respect their



ight to make as much noise as they wish consonant with ne bounds of accuracy and fair play.

However, when a public official such as Dr. John Lyons njects himself into the controversy and starts making toises like a conservationist, I think it's time to call a halt. For years conservation groups headquartered in Albany County have been complaining about industrial pollution of our waterways, flagrant disregard of the health regulaions and general inaction on the part of the County Health Department in the enforcement field. People such as mytelf, private citizens residing in the Town of Bethlehem, have complained about sewage emissions in certain areas. The response has generally been, "There is nothing we can to. Talk to the State Health Department." or "We'll look nto it."

Suddenly there's a change in posture. The Owenscorning plant and the GE plant, which have received so nuch publicity in the newspapers lately, just happen to be located in the same general area in which Dr. Lyons naintains his estate. One cannot help but wonder how nuch interest would be generated in the Health Departnent if these plants were in Colonie or Cohoes. This blaant use of the media as a forum by public officials who ire personally involved in the problem must cease. In view of the fact that Mrs. Lyons is so active in this dispute with ndustry, it would seem to me that the commissioner would be better serving the interests of the community as a whole by totally disassociating himself from this problem and eaving the resolution of it in the hands of others with a nore objective viewpoint.

The writer has been active in sportsmen's groups and conservation groups in Albany County for a number of years and holds no brief with industrial polluters and if such be the case, it should be stopped. However, how much credence can be placed in the cries of people who have a vested interest in retaining the "rural atmosphere" of their community? I also wonder just how much attention any ordinary group of concerned citizens would receive were they not led by the wife of a public official.

The area in question is immediately adjacent to the Penn Central Railroad and in no way can be compared to the beauty of the Catskill or Helderberg Mountains. It is a flat piece of farm land exactly like thousands of others n Albany County and has about as much natural beauty as Patroon Creek. Using popular issues such as "pollution, green belts and preserving our natural heritage" are becoming catch-alls for people with a drum that they would ike to be heard. I suspect that when you tear away all of the emotionalism and charges it all comes down to — "whose ox is being gored."

GE has probably already contributed more to the welare of Bethlehem than this bunch of "concerned citizens" has in their entire lives. Hopefully, Owens-Corning will also.

> Very truly yours, John F. Bidell

# Community Co

## **"MISS CLEAN"**

What: Car Wash sponsored by the BCHS Cheerleaders.

Where: Delaware Plaza Mobil Station.

When: Saturday, July 14, 10 A.M.-4, P.M.

Double pleasure: you can have a sparkling-clean car for the weekend and, better still, the work will be done by one of those pretty Cheerleaders.

## **"TEMPERATURES RISING"**

What: Round and Square Dance sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the East Berne Fire Co.

Where: Maple Inn, East Berne.

When: Saturday, July 14, 9 P.M.-1 A.M.

Should be a lot of fun: square dancing up in the Helderbergs and at the same time you'll be adding to the treasury of still another area fire protection unit.

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