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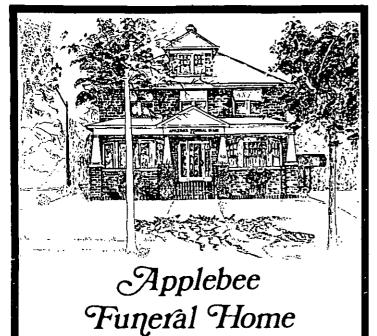
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Glenmont Homemakers meet third Wednesday of month; Glenmont Comm. Church, 8 p.m.

Sports Car Club of America, first Wed. of each month 8:00 p.m. at the Center Inn, Glenmont, Marie Corrin, 869-6948.

Bethlehem Junior Woman's Club meets 2nd Wednesday of each month, 8 p.m., Bethlehem Public Library.

Bethlehem Women's Republican Club, third Tuesday, Bethlehem Library, 7:30 p.m.

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Auxiliary, Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Tuesday, Sept.-June.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14

BCHS open house for parents, 8 p.m.

Coffee with Democratic candidates, Bethlehem Library, 9:30 a.m. Public invited.

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Eismere Fire Dept., Fire Hall in Elsmere, 8 p.m. Program on interior plant design.

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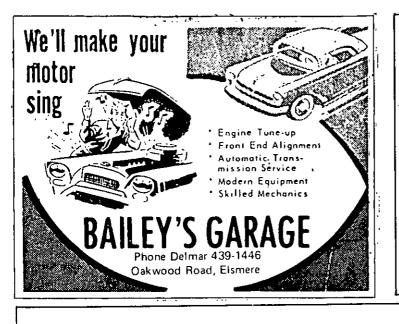
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Slide Show by Slingerlands Boy Scout Troop 72 and award ceremony, Slingerlands Community Church, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15

Movie: "The Rebel Without a Cause," Bethlehem Library, 7 p.m.

Movies at the Middle School, sponsored by the Delmar Fire Dept. Ladies' Auxiliary, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16

Guided walk: "Fall Changes," Five³⁴ Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Sports Day at the Blanchard Post, Poplar Dr., Delmar.

"Mischlef," a movie about a circus horse, 10:30 a.m. Creative Writing Workshop: 11-1 p.m., and "Red Shoes," a movie of the ballet, 2 p.m., all at the Bethlehem Library.

Cocktail party for Sen. Nolan and Guy Paquin, home of John Hunsacker, 9 Mile House, Delaware Turnpike, Unionville. Interested persons please call 768-2212.

4-H Walkathon for conservation projects, starts at Altamont Fair grounds 10 a.m., 11 miles to Voorville.

Chicken and biscuit dinner, Onesquethaw Reformed Church, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p.m. Reservations: 768-2213.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17

Movie: "The King and I," Bethlehem Library, 2 p.m.



Bethlehem Democratic Committee fund-raising cocktail party, hosted by Ed and Lois McConville, 45 Louise St., Delmar. 5-7 p.m. \$5 contribution. Information 439-4332

MONDAY, OCTOBER 18

Delmar Kiwanis Club Ladies Night and Installation of new officers, Center Inn, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce will honor Chief Peter Fish and Capt. Robert Foster, Alteri's Restaurant, Rte. 9W, Glenmont.

Registration for Delmar Dolfin Swim Team, Community Room of National Commercial Bank, Delmar, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19

Reception to honor Mrs. Freeman, retiring kindergarten teacher, at Slingerlands School, Union Ave., 7-9 p.m. Former pupils and parents welcomed.

Luncheon for WW2 veterans at Alteri's Restaurant, Glenmont, sponsored by Blanchard Post 1040.

All About Indians, Bethlehem Library, 3:45-4:45 p.m., grades 1-3.

Rep. Samuel Stratton will address the AARP's general meeting, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20

Bethlehem Central Board of Education Informational meeting, 90 Adams Pl., 8 p.m.

Creative Arts Group of the Delmar Progress Club, speaker, Mrs. Benjamin Meffert, "Touches in Making Clothing," 10 a.m.

"Barefoot in Athens," presented by the Slingerlands Players, Oct. 20-24, Playhouse, Unionville, 8:40 p.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21

Middle School Open House for parents of pupils in grade 6, 7:30 p.m.

Hunter Safety Course of Instruction, Voorheesville Rod & Gun Club, Foundry Rd., Voorheesville, 7-10 p.m.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

Game Night, Bethlehem Library, 7 p.m.

Movies at the Middle School, sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Delmar Fire Dept., 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

Free Blood Pressure Clinic, Selkirk Fire Dept., Selkirk, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Creative Writing Workshop, Bethlehem Library, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Please preregister.

Plant Parenthood Classes, "Water Me Tenderly," Garden Shoppe, Feura Bush Rd., Glenmont, 11 a.m. Free.

Annual Fall Dinner, sponsored by the Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Tpk., Unionville, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 p.m. Reservations: 768-2184 or 768-2183.

Workshop on nature activities, hobbies, and crafts for grades 1-6, sponsored by the Five Rivers Environmental Education Center and Five Rivers Limited, Game Farm Rd., Délmar. Information: 457-6096.



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

THEATER

- "Critic's Choice," Ira Levin comedy, Ensemble dinner theater, Polish-American Community Center, Oct. 18-20, 25-27, 7 p.m. 434-1777.
- "Frankenstein," State University Performing Arts Center, Oct. 12-16, 8 p.m. 457-8606.

MUSIC

- Bach Aria Group, touring chamber ensemble, Page Hall (Western Ave. at Robin St., Albany), Oct. 24, 3 p.m. Tickets at door. 457-8608.
- Joint chorale concert, State University Chorus and College of St. Rose Choir, with guest conductor Richard Condie of Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir, Bach Cantata #4 and Britten's "Te Deum," State University Performing Arts Center, Oct. 22. 8 p.m., and Cathedral of Immaculate Conception, Albany, Oct. 24. 8 p.m. 457-8608.
- Joint performance, State University-Community Symphony Orchestra and RPI Symphony Orchestra, Bedford Auditorium, Troy, Oct. 17, 7 p.m., and State University Performing Arts Center, Oct. 19, 8:30 p.m.

FILM

Russell Sage Sunday Night series, "Jane Eyre," with George C. Scott and Susannah York, Schacht Center, Oct. 17, 7:30 p.m.

"Inherit the Wind," Spencer Tracy, Frederic March, Siena College, Oct. 25, 8 p.m. 783-2337.

FORUM

Public forum on Nuclear Power Plants in New York State, Campus Center Lounge, College of St. Rose, Oct. 18, 8 p.m. Free.

EXHIBITS

- "The New York Cabinetmaker and His Use of Space," tribute to American furniture-making 1740-1840, Albany Institute of History & Art, through October.
- Al Konitzer, photographer, and Brunhilde Miller, craftswoman, at Rensselaer County Council for the Arts, 189 Second St., Troy, through Oct. 28, weekdays 9-5. 273-0552.



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Albany press conference: Kolberg, left, and Stratton, and a moment in the glare for Sheaffer.

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JOB CENTER UPDATE: The shoe drops in Glenmont: lawsuits and vigilantes

In the wake of the establishment this week of a federal Job Corps office in Glenmont, complete with telephone and a clerk-typist to answer it, waves from last week's splash of publicity were radiating from the beautiful Our Lady of Angels Seminary on the river. Among them:

• Bethlehem town officials, bitter at being bypassed as the U.S. Dept. of Labor went about the business of establishing a Job Corps center in their town, gave a grudging pledge to cooperate while announcing they planned to seek a court stay to block the project.

• Federal labor officials beamed their gratitude to local Congressman Samuel S. Stratton for providing them with the "perfect out" that let them off an embarrassing hook.

• Glenmont residents were meeting to strengthen their neighborhood association in order to have a voice on the job center's community relations council when it is established. The association also plans to file suit against the Labor Dept. in an action separate from the town suit.

• Job Corps officials extended the date for the award of a management contract and a \$247,000 construction and renovation contract for the physical plant at the seminary, confirming a Spotlight report of two weeks ago.

• Bethlehem Supervisor Harry H. Sheaffer cautioned that the seminary's tax exempt status was now in doubt as a result of the changeover.

On trial basis

Taking these one at a time, here's what is happening now that U.S. Dept. of Labor officials have confirmed a Sept. 20 Spotlight report they had previously denied for the benefit of themselves and Albany area newspapers, television and radio stations — that they were proceeding with plans to set up a Job Corps youth rehabilitation center at the vacant seminary:

Federal officials gave local media 24 hours notice of a major press conference called

for last Wednesday morning at the Sheraton Inn-Towne motel in Albany. The principals were U.S. Assistant Secretary of Labor William Kolberg, who announced the establishment of the center on a oneyear trial basis, and Stratton, who accepted credit for suggesting the trial period last August and again in mid-September as a compromise between adamant opponents from Bethlehem and the federal agency. Kolberg, facing radio tape recorders and TV cameras, said the Job Corps would move 275 trainees into Glenmont on a gradual basis - 25 every two weeks until capacity is reached — and it would be up to Stratton to decide whether by mid-1978 the program has been successfully integrated into the Bethlehem community.

Until Stratton's suggestion was made at a closed-door session with Job Corps and Bethlehem leaders in Delmar Aug. 11, Washington bigwigs were stuck with their published statements that "we will not go into a community where we are not welcomed" and a community and town government that strongly spelled out that they were not welcome. When Stratton, projecting himself into the controversy as a self-appointed mediator, saw the strength of the community opposition, he pulled out, but the Labor Dept. recognized the Stratton trial-run suggestion as a silver-platter opportunity to get a foot-inthe-door in Glenmont. The press conference reactivated the decision made in November, 1975, to set up the Glenmont facility, which had been temporarily "cooled" by the public uproar that greeted disclosure of the project last June.

Town fights back

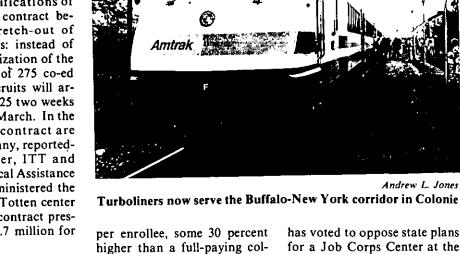
For Glenmont citizens and town officials, the Kolberg statement last week ended the Damoclean tension they had been enduring since the story broke last June. "We have been waiting for the other shoe to drop," observed one neighbor. "Now at least we know they're coming." Their community association, headed by Mrs. Betty Van Oostenbrugge, was meeting Tuesday of this week to determine further strategy.

Sheaffer, sitting in on the press conference, stole the late headlines by promising the town would go to court: "While the Job Corps contends that in their interpretation there will be no difference in the school the seminary operated and the school the Job Corps will operate, we feel there is a vast difference, and certainly an enstudy vironmental impact would be in order. We feel that public opinion has not truly been sampled, and the Job Corps is coming in on the basis of their own conclusions and nothing concrete as far as the town of Bethlehem is concerned."

Contract go-ahead

Meanwhile, at Job Corps regional headquarters in New York City, the pace stepped up in preparation for the opening of the Glenmont center about March 1. Reuben Friedman, assistant regional administrator who will direct the Glenmont transition, said his agency would start this week to renegotiate specifications of the management contract because of the stretch-out of activating trainees: instead of the normal mobilization of the full complement of 275 co-ed corpsmen the recruits will arrive in groups of 25 two weeks apart starting in March. In the running for the contract are the Singer Company, reportedly the low bidder, ITT and American Technical Assistance Corp., which administered the now-closed Fort Totten center in Queens. The contract presently calls for \$1.7 million for the first year.

As it stands, that contract, plus the \$247,000 contract to build a new automotive training facility and renovations to the main building at the seminary, plus the annual rent and startup costs, brings the firstyear cost to just under \$9,000



lege student would have to shell out for a year at Harvard.

Meanwhile it was obvious from last week's cumulative statements from the Washington and New York labor officials at the Sheraton, that the Job Corps will tread carefully at Our Lady of Angels and will take extra precautions in security to make certain there will be no incidents to substantiate the fears of Bethlehem residents.

Maryland Job Corps center chronology

The following excerpts are taken from Baltimore newspapers.

Dec. 28, 1970

Despite months of civic protest, negotiations continue between federal and state governments regarding the proposed use of the Woodstock Jesuit Seminary in Granite as a Job Corps center. Recent reports that a contract had been signed caused great concern among the residents, but officials of the Office of Economic Opportunity deny any agreement has been reached.

March, 1971

Because of too many unanswered questions, the Greater Patapsco Improvement Assn. has voted to oppose state plans for a Job Corps Center at the Jesuit Seminary in Woodstock. Eugene Hamilton, past president of the community association, said the citizens opposed the job center because of their inability to learn anything specific about the proposed facility.

Andrew L. Jones

State Sen. Melvin Steinberg is backing his constituents in their opposition. "This is a case of ramming something down the peoples' throats, and it won't work," he declared. May 3, 1971

The State Office of Economic Opportunity is currently screening male applicants for the new Job Corps Center at Woodstock, scheduled to open next January. The state will be paying about \$2.5 million (for a lease).

Strong opposition to the proposed Job Corps Center has come from local residents, who cite the high costs of the operation and security as their chief reasons for opposition. June 16, 1971

The contract is expected to provide for 101 instructors, which would provide a teacherpupil ratio of more than one teacher to every three enrollees.

The Maryland Job Corps center opened in 1972 and is currently administered by the Radio Corporation of America under a U.S. Dept. of Labor management contract.

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SLINGERLANDS Developer asks subdivision okay

A Delmar architect-developer has petitioned the Bethlehem planning board for approval of a 12-lot subdivision in Slingerlands to be known as "Barnfield."

The preliminary plan submitted by David Dembling calls for a new road ending in a cul-de-sac off McCormick Rd. The subdivision is planned for approximately six acres between Maple Ave. and Bridge St. extending south to Cherry Ave. Extension.

Dembling has built a number of houses individually in the area, but this is his first try at developing a subdivision.

Playhouse stages a Grecian drama

Michael Stringer of Schenectady and Pat Titterton of Clifton Park play the lead roles of Socrates and his wife Xantippe in "Barefoot in Athens," opening production of the Slingerlands Community Players.

The drama will have nine performances at the playhouse in Unionville, running Wednesday through Sunday next week and Wednesday through Saturday the following week. Tickets are available at the door or in advance at Mullen's Pharmacy and the Paper Mill in Delmar.

Others in the cast are Terry Wood, Peter Propp, Andy Frank, Don Roby, Barbara Knox, Michael Sharp, William Smith, Richard Matturro, Paul Losacco, Martin Barr, Krishen Mehta and Art Blanchard.

Educators swap with business

Bethlehem teachers and counselors are getting a close insight of a number of local business operations, and businessmen are being given an inside view of the school system this week.

The occasion is the Bethlehem chamber of commerce's first Business-Education Exchange, designed to increase the awareness of the two fields in regard to each other's fields. Observes May Blackmore, Bethlehem Central High School guidance counselor and chamber member: "We want to relate the subject matter of the classroom to the job - for instance, how much mathematics, social studies or economics are needed in retailing, agency work, business management, etc."

Participating businesses are taking educators into their locations for half a day this week. On Friday business representatives will sit in classrooms and also talk to various classes. On Friday night there will be a joint school-chamber dinner, at which Rep. Samuel S. Stratton will give a slide talk on his recent trip to China.

In the exchange are 18 teachers, nine each from the high school and middle school, and 10 businesses: Blue Cross/Blue Shield, General Electric Plastics Division, Delaware Plaza Pharmacy, Hall & Co., National Commercial Bank & Trust Co., New York Telephone Co., Niagara Mohawk, Owens-Corning Fiberglas, State Bank of Albany and Weber Bros. Construction.

COVER PHOTO

Pat Titterton and Michael Stringer play the leads in the Slingerlands Players' opening production, "Barefoot in Athens," at the Playhouse in Unionville starting Wednesday. Charles Losacco directs the play, which will run through Sunday this week and Wednesday-Saturday next week.

DELMAR is there room for a subdivision?

Bethlehem planning board members were considering a subdivision proposal that calls for only seven homesites, but that may be five or six too many for the amount of land available.

Gerald Klein, a Rensselaer builder, presented a tentative plan for a project to be developed on a narrow strip of land less than four acres in size on Elsmere Ave. opposite Wellington Rd. in Delmar. Klein proposes a dead-end street off Elsmere Ave. extending to the 50-foot-wide right-of-way of the aqueduct supplying the Albany water system.

But Klein has an option on only 150 feet of frontage on Elsmere Ave., hence he has drawn his roadway along one edge of the property and blocked in his lots along the other edge. Planning board members at first glance took a dim view of running a street along a line that abuts private property (the Howard Goold estate) on the other side, but will look into the matter further before making a decision.

Previously developer Gerald Goldie had held an option on the tract, but let it go when he was unable to get board approval for a project. At that time Goldie's option included 300 feet of frontage, twice the footage of Klein's option. The property, at 126 Elsmere Ave., currently has a house on it.

Scouts show slides

Slingerlands Troop 72, Boy Scouts, will present a 30-minute narrated slide show of 1976 campouts and the Stratton Mtn. trip tonight at 7:30 at Slingerlands Community Church. Advancement and merit badges will be presented. David Chambers, Caldwell Blvd., is scoutmaster and James Haslam senior patrol leader.



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VOORHEESVILLE Board to seek federal funds

Voorheesville Central board of education will ask school district voters to grant conditional approval to spend up to \$800,000 for building repairs if the government puts up the money.

The board has decided to apply for federal funding under public works legislation recently passed by Congress and signed by President Ford earlier this month. Under terms of the legislation, municipal applicants must hold a referendum within 45 days of filing the application.

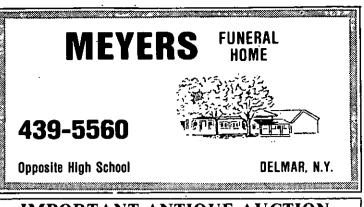
Board members were expected to set a date in late November for the referendum. Voters will be asked to approve the expenditure only on condition that the government funds are made available to the district.

The funds would be used for repairs to the roofs of the three buildings owned by the district — high school, elementary school and bus garage — and renovations to several rooms in the elementary school and to locker room facilities at the high school.

DELMAR Board studying variance petition

Nearly a dozen residents of Delaware Ave., Adams Pl. and Kenwood Ave. in the vicinity of Delmar Four Corners have expressed opposition to construction of a parking lot in connection with the proposed new bank-store development opposite the post office in Delmar.

Norris MacFarland, prominent business developer, is seeking a variance from the Bethlehem board of appeals to extend the proposed parking area for the new complex to exit on Adams Pl., which is in a residential zone. The majority of the proposed develop-



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ment is in the commercial zone on Delaware Ave. The board held a public hearing on the petition last week, but deferred decision.

The residents protested the parking lot layout, which extends between Delaware and Adams parallel to the St. Thomas Church parking area, for reasons of through traffic and safety. Rev. James D. Daley, pastor of the church, did not oppose the petition, but pointed out that the church parking lot "is often a speedway." He suggested a common driveway to serve both the church and the commercial development.

School board sues planning board

The Bethlehem school board is taking the Bethlehem planning board to court. Board of education president Ann Patton has signed papers instituting legal action to annul the planning board's determination last month approving plans for the Apledorn subdivision on Van Dyke Rd. opposite the local high school.

The school board contends that approval of the subdivision creates additional safety hazards on Van Dyke Rd., which it says "is already heavily trafficked," and puts additional pressure on what the board deems is an already dangerous intersection on Delaware Ave.

During planning board procedures over several months, developer Wolfe Krahmer of Slingerlands made several revisions in his plans for the 35lot residential subdivision at the instigation of board members, but the school board continued to oppose the project.

The school board action was filed in State Supreme Court by board attorney Roger Fritts of Delmar.

Join the Oct. 30 Spotlight Sweepstakes

Ensign graduated

Navy Joseph W. Kenney, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean P. Kenney, Rt. 2, Voorheesville, was graduated from the Navy Supply School at Athens, Ga. The 35-week course is designed to provide newly commissioned officers and warrant officers with the technical knowledge needed for duty with the Navy Supply Corps. A 1975 graduate of Union College, Schenectady, with a BA degree, he joined the Navy in June 1975.

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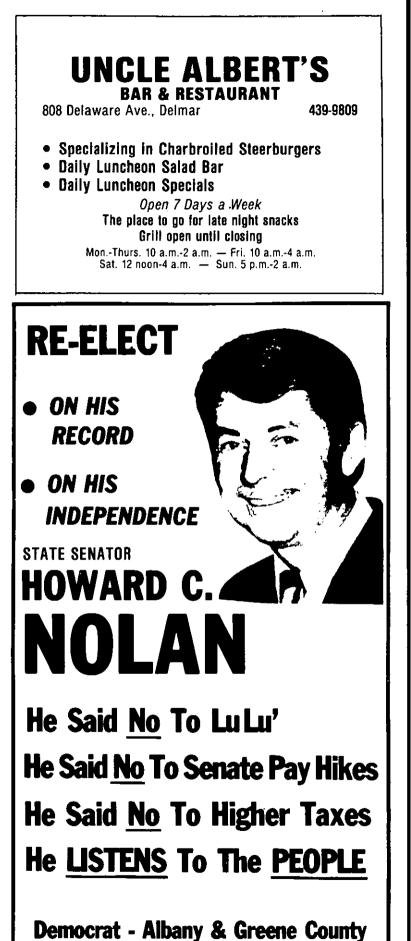
Chadwick Square plans revised

A townhouse development of major proportion — 230 units — proposed for a Glenmont tract has moved into the public hearing stage in the builders' quest for approval of the project.

The Bethlehem planning board is expected this week to set a hearing date for the Chadwick Square subdivision the Rosen-Michaels firm wants to erect on the east side of Wemple Rd. north of Beacon Rd. The area is zoned Residential A, which permits single-family and duplex dwellings.

Developer James Michaels told the board last week that





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he was seeking the board's approval of his plan for the first segment of 61 units at this time. In submitting a revised configuration, Michaels told the board he was responding to four suggestions the board had previously asked him to consider. In the revised plan, Michaels said his firm:

• Agreed to build a road connecting with Brightonwood Rd. if the town deemed it necessary for traffic flow.

• Reduced the size of the townhouse clusters from eight units to six.

• Provided more off-street parking and

• Filed an environmental impact statement.

He said the new plan "staggers the elevations of the clusters so there will not be a monotonous row" of houses. He also told board members that the introduction of a fourth floor-plan for two-bedroom and three-bedroom units permitted more open spacing and more garage capacity with-



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out adding to the density of the project.

Michaels said the firm intends to build the first section before constructing the proposed recreational facility.

In other actions last week, the planning board:

• Granted conditional approval to the final plan for the first section of Bicentennial Woods Extension No. 1 in Glenmont.

• Approved the third and final section of the Delaway Park subdivision off Murray Ave.

The Bicentennial Woods project has been on and off board agendas for more than a year. The Delaway project represents the remaining 11 lots for single-family houses by Williams Brothers Builders Inc. The firm has already built the first two sections of the subdivision, the plan for which was originally approved by the town planning board in 1964.

FIRE REPORTS

Oct. 4 — North Bethlehem, Ivaloo St., house fire, out on arrival.

Oct. 5 — Slingerlands and Elsmere, rescue at Thacher Park.

Oct. 6 — Elsmere — Hannay La., asphalt tanker fire.

Oct. 6 — Elsmere and Delmar — Beacon Rd., brush fire. Oct. 6 — North Bethlehem, Reineman St., grass fire.

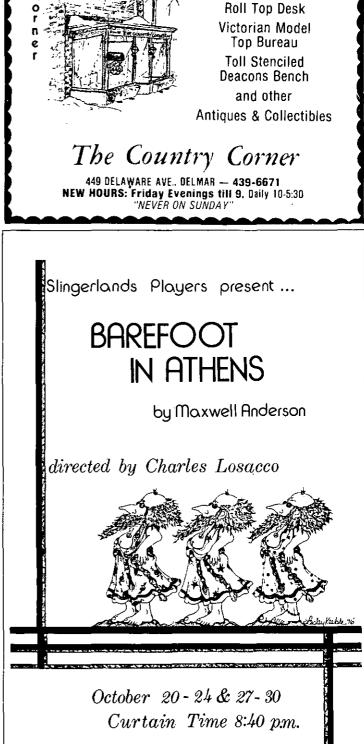
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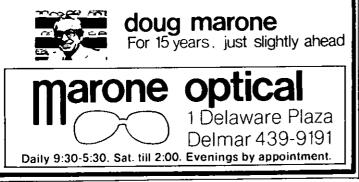
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Dolfins to hold swim registration

Teenagers and pre-teens interested in competitive swimming will be able to register for the Delmar Dolfins Monday at 7 p.m. in the community room of the National Commercial Bank & Trust Co. Delmar office. There will be a meeting for parents at 8 p.m. following registration.

The Dolfins, members of the Tri-City League and Amateur Athletic Union, practice 6-9 p.m. each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Bethlehem Central High School pool. Coach for this year is Steven D. Busch. Busch was a member of the Shaker High School swim team, was state finalist in several events, and with the Springfield College varsity was an all New-England winner in the 200-yard butterfly 1973-76. He has coached in such varied places as Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New Mexico.

For information, call Barbara Meinert, 439-7281.

Bank earnings up

A 32 percent per-share earnings rise for the first nine months of 1976 has been reported for the United Bank Corp. of New York, parent company of the State Bank of Albany. Peter D. Kiernan, chairman and president, reported income before securities gains was \$2.62 per common share compared to \$1.99 for the corresponding period a year ago. Comparative figures for the three-months ended Sept. 30 also showed a gain, from 69 cents a share last year to 91 cents.

LaLeche meeting set

Mrs. Jules Kerness will lead a meeting of the Delmar La-Leche League at the home of Mrs. Hap Mullenneaux, 14 Greenleaf Dr., Delmar, Oct. 21 at 8:15 p.m. Women interested in breastfeeding and with nursing babies are invited.

Steamship social note:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mc-Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. Kearney L. Jones and Andrew L. Jones, all of Delmar, were among the passengers on a special New York-Albany cruise of the motor vessel Yankee sponsored by the Southern New England Steamship Historical Society last Saturday. Mrs. McDowell is secretary of the society.





Spotlight photo Lillian Longley

Slingerlands artist honored

Lillian Longley of Slingerlands, a well known area artist, was honored at a reception Oct. 3 at the Albany Institute of History & Art on the opening of her mini-show at the Institute. Also honored by more than 150 persons attending was her mother, Mrs. Elmer F. Wallendar of Delmar, who was observing her 85th birthday.

Mrs. Longley, whose work is also on display at the Canajoharie Library and Art Guild, has selected one of her original floral paintings as the prize item for the Champagne Ball to be held at the Albany Institute Nov. 6. This painting may be seen in the rotunda.



Lifesaving course ready

If you are over 15 years of age and can swim 500 yards, you are eligible to take a Red Cross advanced lifesaving course starting on Monday, Oct. 25 at Bethlehem Central High School. The course. given in cooperation with the Bethlehem Recreation Dept., will run from 7 to 10 p.m. for eight Monday evenings. The course is free but the textbook cost is \$2.25. Registration can be made on opening night, when students will be required to demonstrate their swimming ability. For information, call 462-7461, extension 57.

Chicken and biscuits

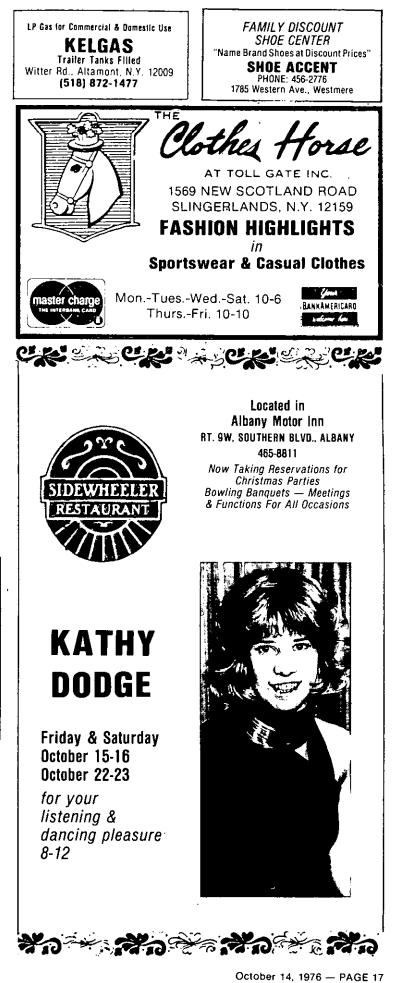
Women's Guild of the Onesquethaw Reformed Church will sponsor a chicken and biscuit supper Saturday at the church. Servings will be at 4:30 5:30 and 6:30. Mrs. Elwood Vanderbilt is taking reservations at 768-2213.

Nolan opposes 'lulu'

State Sen. Howard Nolan has declared his determination to resubmit his bills to put an end to the infamous "lulu" and points out that lulus exist in

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Mrs. Jessie Leonardo would like to thank patrons of the Bootery and Delmar residents who remembered her during her stay in the hospital. She received numerous cards and flowers, and appreciated everyone's concern. other ways for other officials. In a statement to a gathering of Albany campaign workers, Nolan called the \$8000,000 in total lulus passed by the last Legislature a raid on the public treasury that has pushed the patience of the taxpayer beyond the limits of their endurance."

Nolan declared that the misuse of tax dollars by elected officials is not confined to the Legislature. "No official being paid \$45,000 a year should have tax dollars used to buy him a car. A \$45,000-a-year elected official can afford to buy his own car," he said.

Speaks on investments

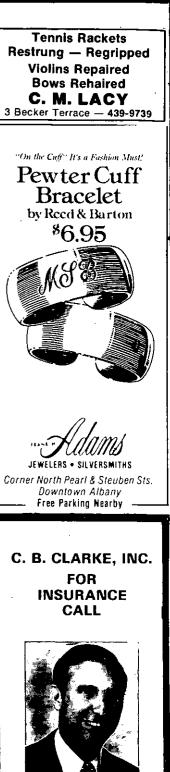
Walter Marvin of Delmar, vice president of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith Inc., will conduct an adult education course at Linton High School, Schenectady, for four Mondays beginning Oct. 18 at 7 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public.

False alarms probed

Two false alarms telephoned to the Delmar Fire Dept. for addresses around the corner from each other one week apart almost to the hour are under police investigation. The first alarm came Friday evening, Sept. 24, for 73 Jordan Blvd., the second for 155 Winnie Rd. the following Friday evening. Bethlehem Police Chief Peter Fish said the investigation was continuing.

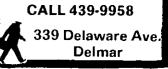
SLINGERLANDS Retiring teacher to be honored

Mary Freeman has retired as Slingerlands kindergarten teacher after 25 years in the Bethlehem school system. Next Tuesday her friends and former students will gather at the Slingerlands School from 7-9 p.m. to honor her at a reception. Mrs. Freeman, who taught at Delmar and Bethlehem Center before coming to the Slingerlands school 10 years ago, has always been



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Her classes have built "vehicles" such as school buses and fire engines out of big cartons and even once built an 'igloo.' Another Mary Freeman tradition has been the "fathers' breakfast," usually held on a spring morning before dads had to go to work. This event stressed the importance of fathers and was one of the times when the men were sure to turn out at school.

Mrs. Freeman took her kindergartners outside in all but the worst weather. Slingerlands principal Virginia Lowe recalls a time after the year's first snowfall when Mary looked unusually tired at the end of the school day. The kindergarten teacher explained that she had spent much of her time that day "putting this year's feet into last year's snow boots!"

All of Mary Freeman's former pupils and their families as well as other friends are invited to the reception on Oct. 19 at Slingerlands School.

Ann Eberle

4-H clubs plan 11-mile walkathon

Over 300 youth members and friends of the Albany County 4-H Division of the New York State Cooperative Extension Association are expected to participate in an 11mile walkathon Saturday to raise some \$3,000 for trail construction and other site improvements at the Troutner Conservation Education Center, north of Westerlo in south-







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Slingerlands meeting

Slingerlands Homeowners Assn. will hold a meeting Thursday, Oct. 28, at 7:30 p.m. at Bethlehem Library. David E. Reville of the Albany County Extension Service will discuss the planting of trees and shrubs and will describe those which will survive, and those which should be avoided.

Marine promoted

Marine Cpl. Charles A. Keller, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Waldbillig of Krumkill Rd., Slingerlands, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with force troops, Camp Lejeune, N.C. A 1974 graduate of Voorheesville High School, he joined the Marine Corps in September, 1974.



Elizabeth Klein, area manager of the U.S. Treasurer Dept. Savings Bond division presents a Liberty Man flag to officials of the Atlantic Cement Company, Ravena, for their support of the Payroll Savings Plan. Over 50 per cent of Atlantic Cement employees participants in the purchase of bonds through payroll deductions. Accepting for Atlantic Cement are Joseph Nunziato, savings bond committee chairman; and C.S. Burriss, vice president of operations.



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LIBRARY Workshop planned on job counseling Are you job hunting or thinking about changing your job? There are ways to do it that can improve your chances of success, and the Bethlehem Library has planned a program to help you. Helen Walton-

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Curtin, director of career counseling and placement at the College of St. Rose, will conduct a two-part workshop titled, "The Job Hunt: A Systematic Approach."

The first session will be on Wednesday, Oct. 20, the second Oct. 27.

The meetings are free and begin at 7:30 p.m. The program also will introduce the new job

information center at the library, one of four in the Capital area. A new microfiche reader has been added to the center at the library, which will make possible the use of the New York State Employment Service information on microfiche.

Awareness speaker

Delmar Women's Awareness Group is presenting its first guest speaker, Susan Blume, Monday night at 8 at the Bethlehem Library. Ms. Blume, a second-year graduate student at the School of Social Welfare at SUNYA, will speak on the various aspects of women's

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Mrs. Timothy K. O'Keefe

Sandra Mooney bride

Sandra L. Mooney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mooney of 24 Vagele L., Glenmont, was married in St. Ann's Church, Albany to Timothy K. O'Keefe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Keefe of St. Louis, Mo. on July 25.

Sandra Conley was matron of honor, and best man was Daniel Monuts.

The bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and Maria College, and is employed at St. Peter's hospital as a registered nurse. Her husband is a graduate of Southwest High School, St. Louis, and attended Hudson Valley Community College. He is employed by Spiak's Restaurant.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Aurania Club of Albany. The couple is residing in Watervliet following a honeymoon in Nova Scotia.

Glenmont couple wed

Miss Gail Marie Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymong Curtis, Jr., 8 Maewin Dr., Glenmont, became the bride of David Paul Frueh, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Frueh, Stoeffels Dr., Glenmont, in a ceremony Aug. 21 at St. Thomas Church, Delmar. Rev. James D. Daley, pastor of the church, officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attended by



Mrs. David P. Frueh

Kathleen Flanigan. Charles Adalian was best man. Both bride and bridegroom are graduates of Bethlehem Central High School.



Linda Sue Howard

Linda Howard betrothed

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Howard, 35 The Crossway, Delmar, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Linda Sue, to Philip Edward Sutton, of Lexington, Mass., son of Mrs. Michael Sutton and the late Mr. Sutton.

The prospective bride attended State University College at Cobleskill and at Plattsburgh, and is teaching third grade at St. Joseph School, Somerville, Mass. Her fiance is in the accounting department of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

SPOTLIGH on community corner

Bethlehem Lions Club members will launch their annual light bulb sale Saturday to boost proceeds for the club's projects that support the blind, deaf and senior citizens. Each Lion will be calling door-to-door and will be selling at local shopping centers.

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