

# The Spotlight

February 2, 1978  
Vol. XXIV, No. 5

20¢

Graphic newsweekly serving the towns of Bethlehem, New Scotland and nearby communities

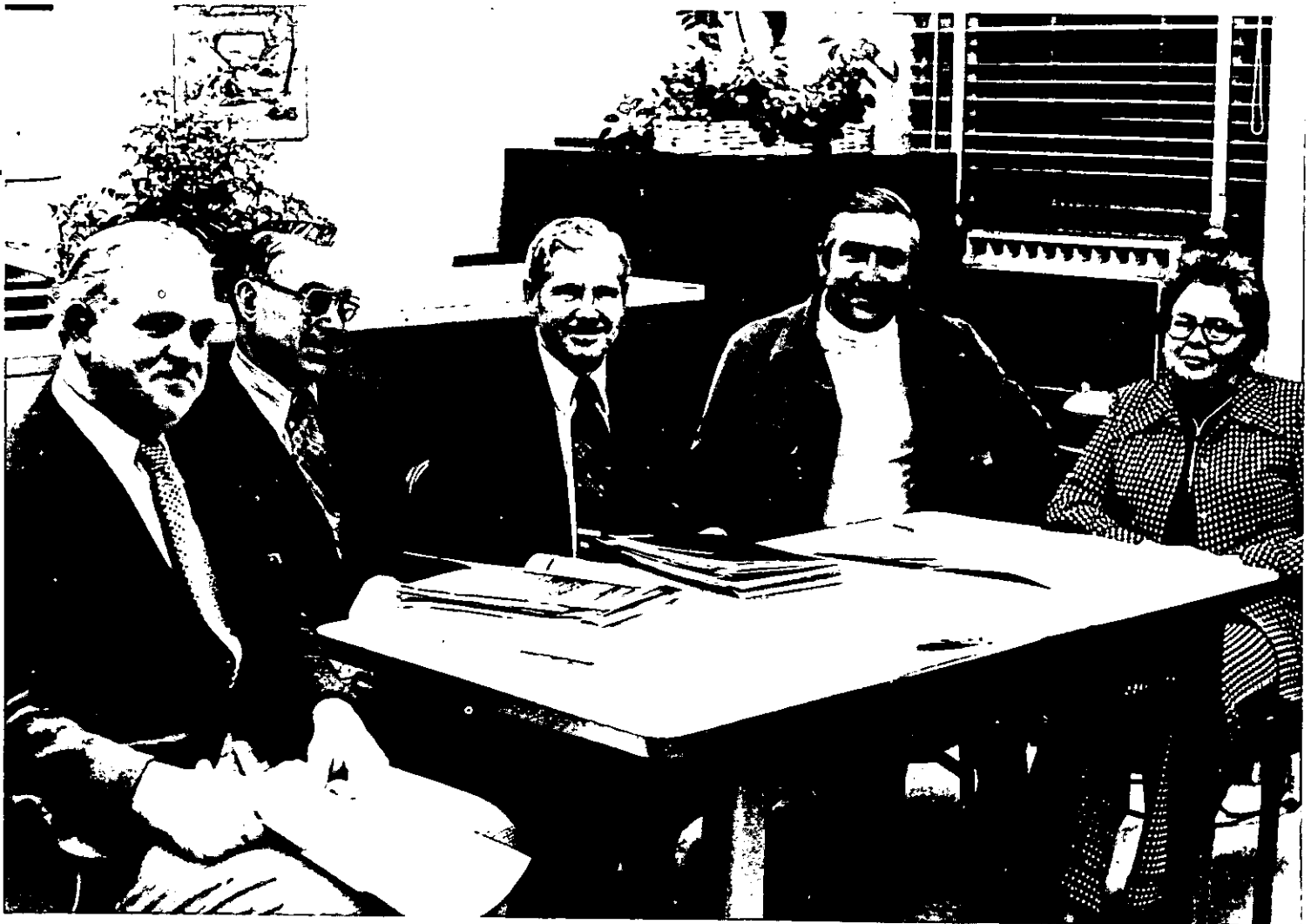
## Historic houses series

Page 16

BETHLEHEM

## New 'esprit' in town hall

Page 9



Bethlehem town board 1978-79

The sooner you insulate your home's No. 1 energy waster, the sooner the numbers on your fuel bill will get smaller!

**Your home's No. 1 energy waster?**



**That underinsulated attic.**

**Stop** paying for heat to melt snow off your roof forming dangerous ice build-ups.

**Insulate** your attic in February and

**D.A. BENNETT INC.**  
*SINCE 1915 TRUSTED* **439-9966**  
**DELMAR**

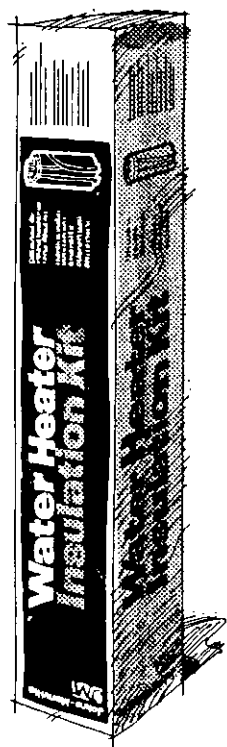
will install a

**FREE**

**JOHNS-MANVILLE  
WATER HEATER  
INSULATION KIT**

- Installs easily in less than an hour
- Significantly cuts energy consumption of your home's No. 2 energy user

**Your home's No. 2 energy user.**



# Spotlight CALENDAR

**Town of Bethlehem**--Town Board second and fourth Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m., Planning Board every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., Board of Appeals first three Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m., town hall, 393 Delaware Ave. Town offices are open 8:30 to 4:30 weekdays.

**Town of New Scotland**--Town Board meets first Wednesday at 8 p.m., Planning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7 p.m., Recreation Commission third Tuesday at 7 p.m., Board of Appeals meets when necessary, usually Fridays at 7 p.m., town hall, Rt. 85.

**League of Women Voters**, Thursdays, Bethlehem Library, 9:15 a.m. Babysitting available. Information 439-5786.

## The Spotlight

*Editor and Publisher*  
Nathaniel A. Boynton

*Advertising Manager*  
John C. Bennett

*Office Manager*  
Arline M. Holder

*Contributing writers:* Allison P. Bennett, Perry M. Galt.

*Contributing photographers:* James Carroll, J.W. Campbell, R.H. Davis.

*Sales representatives:* Gerald S. Gordon, Janet Stutzman, Susan Moore.

*Production:* Jeanette Bolanos Winkler, Ann Brink, Elva Dootz, Pat McGlynn.

*Subscriptions:* Laurie Holder.

*The Spotlight is published each Thursday except the last week of February, the first week of July and the first week of September by Newsgraphics, Inc., 414 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, N.Y. 12054. Second class postage paid at Delmar, N.Y. News and ad copy deadline: 4 p.m. Friday for following week's issue.*

*In Albany County, one year \$6, two years, \$10. Elsewhere, one year \$7.*

Phone 439-4949

**Bethlehem Jaycees**, first and third Wednesdays, Center Inn, 9W, Glénmont, 8 p.m.

**Bethlehem Memorial Auxiliary** to Post 3185, VFW, third Monday, Post Rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

**Bethlehem Sportsman's Club**, first Tuesday, 5 Rivers Environmental Center, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Guests welcome.

**Bethlehem Recycling**, town garage, 114 Adams St., Papers should be tied, cans flattened, bottles cleaned with metal and styrofoam removed. Mon.-Sat. 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

**AARP**, third Tuesday, Delmar First United Methodist Church, 12:30 p.m.

### SEMI-ANNUAL Winter CLEARANCE

## SALE

on suits, sportcoats,  
outerwear  
and furnishings

**Up To  
50% OFF**

- All from regular stock
- All latest fashions
- All SUPERB quality

*Stulmaker's* Ltd.  


8 James St., Albany, N. Y. 12207

EIGHT JAMES STREET  
ALBANY, NY 12207  
JUST OFF STATE  
BANKAMERICARD  
MASTER CHARGE

YOU'RE CLOTHING FITTED  
BY OUR MASTER TAILOR  
MEMBER PARK & SHOP

# LEAVE YOUR FILM WITH US

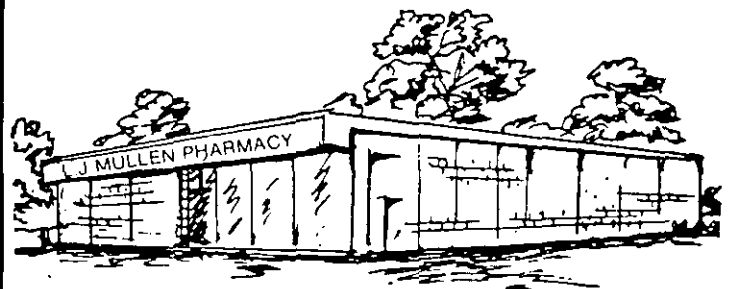
Prompt  
quality processing

... on Kodak paper

... at discount prices

*We'll Call You  
When They're Ready!*

## MULLEN PHARMACY



439-9356 256 Delaware Ave.

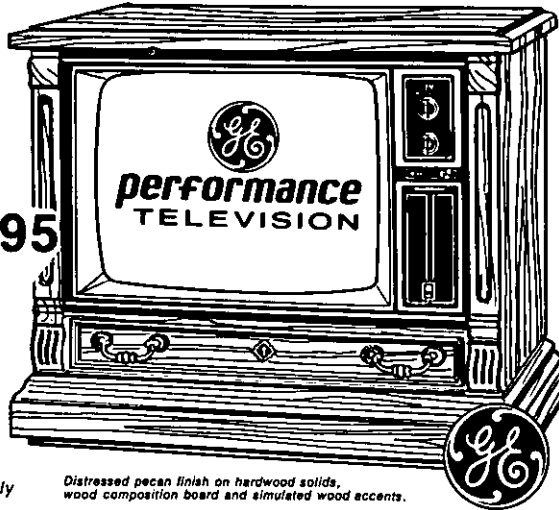
*Open Every Day*

From now through March 5, 1978, GE has reduced its prices in varying amounts on these selected models, so you may get big savings.



# GE Great Annual Red Tag Sale!

THIS GENERAL ELECTRIC TELEVISION SET FEATURES THE VIR COLOR SYSTEM. **GE WON AN EMMY FOR USING VIR FIRST!** SEE IT PERFORM. ONCE YOU DO, YOUR COLOR STANDARDS WILL NEVER BE THE SAME.



**Save \$71.95**

**GE 25" diagonal Color TV with VIR "Broadcast-Controlled" Color!**

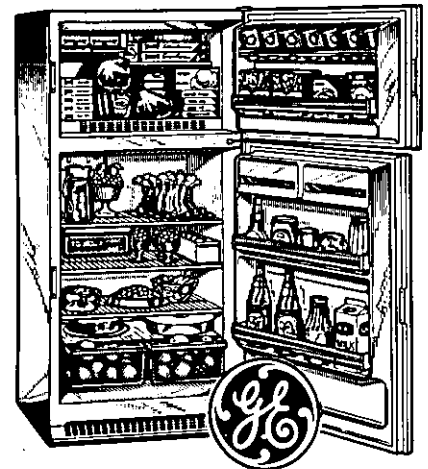
Adjusts color & tint automatically sixty times a second!

Distressed pecan finish on hardwood solids, wood composition board and simulated wood accents.

Regular Price \$659.95

Less "Red Tag" Discount **71.95**

**YOU PAY ONLY \$588.00**



**SAVE \$40.00**

GE Quality-Built 15.6 cu. ft. No-Frost Refrigerator-Freezer. Only 30½" wide. 4.30 cu. ft. freezer. Energy Saver Switch. Auto. Ice Maker (optional, extra)

Regular Price \$489.95

Less "Red Tag" DISCOUNT **40.00**

**YOU PAY ONLY \$449.95**

**SAVE \$41.95**

**GE 19" diagonal Color TV with Automatic Color Monitor System!**

- 100% Solid State Chassis
- Modular Chassis Design

Regular Price \$429.95

Less "Red Tag" DISCOUNT **41.95**

**YOU PAY ONLY \$388.00**



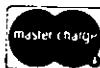
19" diagonal. Walnut finish on high impact plastic.

# Van Dyke's

**NORTHEAST  
439-6203**



243 Delaware Ave.  
Delmar  
Parking in Rear



Or use our easy instant credit

Mon.-Thurs.-Fri. 10-9  
Tues.-Wed. 10-5:30  
Sat. 10-5



**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2**

**League of Women Voters** unit meeting, "Property Tax Consensus," Bethlehem Library, 9:15 a.m. For this meeting only, babysitting available at 7 Pineridge Pl., Delmar, call Doris Davis, 439-5786.

**Coffee** for new residents of the town of Bethlehem, at the home of Mrs. Kay Valentino, 119 Mosher Rd., Delmar, 10:30 a.m.

**New Scotland Senior Citizens**, guest speaker, Rabbi Bernard H. Bloom of Congregation Beth Emeth, New Salem Center, Rt. 85A, 1:30 p.m. Public invited.

**First Thursday Group** of United Methodist Women, "An Armchair Tour of the Town of Bethlehem" by Mrs. Alice Porter and Mrs. Catherine Van Volkenburgh, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, luncheon 12:30 p.m.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3**

**Herrick Marionettes**, Glenmont Elementary School, 7 p.m.

**Recovery, Inc.**, for parents with nervous or emotional problems, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

**Paper Drive**, Clarksville Community Church parking lot, 9 - 11 a.m.

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6**

**Music Group**, Delmar Progress Club, performance by Young Musicians Forum of the Monday Musical Club, Bethlehem Library 1 p.m.

**Delmar Community Orchestra**, First United Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m.

**Ambyopia Workshop**, Tri-Village Welcome Wagon, Bethlehem Library, 9:30 - noon.

**State Safe Driving Course**, BCHS Rm. 19-A, 7:15 p.m. (Must also attend Feb. 8).

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7**

**Pre-School Winter Film Series.**

Bethlehem Library, 10:30 - 11 a.m.; 2 - 2:30 p.m.

**Maple-sugaring**, New Scotland Historical Assn., at the Center, New Salem, 8 p.m.

**Legislative Forum**, Chancellor's Hall, State Education Bldg., Albany, 10 a.m.

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8**

Bethlehem Garden Club, "Share a Little Love," workshop for others.

Delmar Reformed Church, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., bring lunch.

**Public Hearing**, Bethlehem town board on zoning ordinance amendment, two areas from Light

# DiNAPOLI & DiNAPOLI

New York State



Guild Opticians

**282 Delaware Ave.**

**Delmar 439-6309**

Tues., Wed., Fri. 1:30-5:30

Thurs. 9:00-12:00

Sat. 9:00-1:00

**CLOSED MONDAY**

**OPEN Tues. Night 7-8:30**

**457 Madison Ave.**

**Albany 449-3200**

Mon. thru Fri. 9:00-5:30

Sat. 8:30-1:00

*Appointments not necessary  
but appreciated*



## NEW LISTINGS

**Hampton Street** ..... \$73,500.

Tastefully decorated Colonial in immaculate condition on a professionally landscaped lot. Large living room, formal dining room, family room with fireplace and 4 large bedrooms with abundant closet space. Hardwood floors throughout and 2-zone heat. Call Janet Crannell at 439-9906.

**Capitol Avenue** ..... \$43,900.

Four bedroom home in fine condition. Large living room with fireplace, formal dining room, situated in a quiet, residential neighborhood. Close to Normanside Country Club. Call Frank Downs at 439-9906.

**Rural Place** ..... \$33,900.

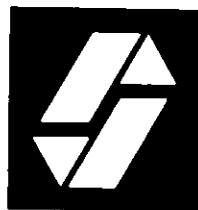
Central Delmar location one block to bus and shopping. Large living room, formal dining room, kitchen with breakfast nook, and one-car garage. New roof, exterior just painted and new wiring throughout. Call Helen Aranson at 439-9906.

**North Street** ..... \$35,900.

Country-like setting on quiet, dead-end street, in town. This ranch style home has large living area with wood-burning Franklin stove, three bedrooms and bath. Realistically priced. Call Bob Edwards at 439-9906.



Belated congratulations to Janet Crannell, our December salesperson of the month for the Delmar office.



# Roberts Real Estate

Area's Oldest and Largest

# SAAB

Dealer . . . with complete parts dept. AND SERVICE!

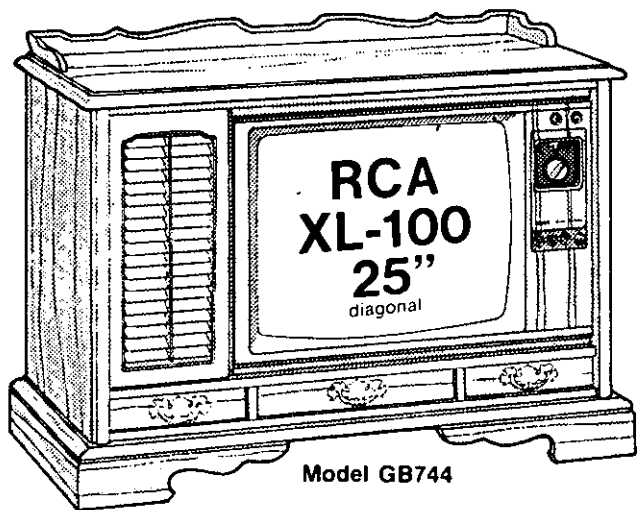
Test drive a Saab at

# New Salem Garage SAAB INC.

New Salem, N.Y.  
765-2702

Money back direct from RCA

# RCA DOUBLE SAVINGS SALE



SAVE  
AN  
EXTRA

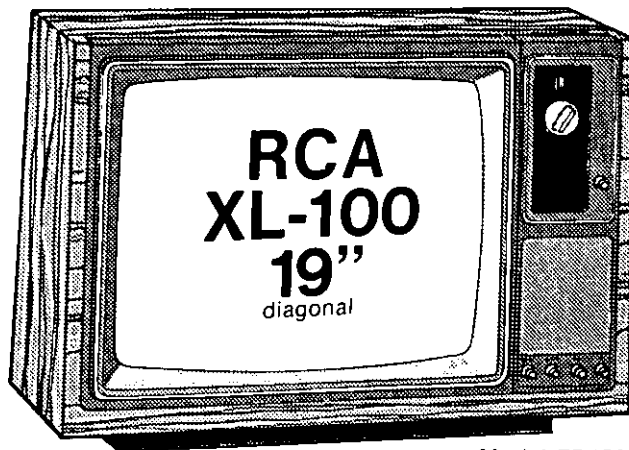
\$ 50

(REBATE)

our  
price

\$599

SAVE ENERGY  
with RCA's  
XtendedLife Chassis



SAVE  
AN  
EXTRA

\$ 20

(REBATE)

our price \$409

MONEY BACK DIRECT  
FROM RCA when you  
purchase one of the  
qualifying models.

LIMITED TIME ONLY AT DELMAR'S  
RCA TV CENTER

## HILCHIE'S

## AMERICAN HARDWARE

235 Delaware Ave.  
Delmar



### Publicity Chairmen Please Note

The Spotlight will not publish on Thursday, Feb. 23. Publicity chairmen should note that calendar items for dates between Feb. 17 and March 3 should be in the Feb. 16 issue, deadline Friday, Feb. 10.

Industrial Zoning to "C" General Commercial in the Cedar Hill-Glenmont area, Bethlehem Town Hall, 8 p.m.

"The Trials of Jesus," first Lenten Service, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

State Safe Driving Course, BCHS Rm. 19-A, 7:15 p.m.

Halfmoon Button Club, Bethlehem Library, 12 noon.

Antique Study Group, "Jewelry of Yesteryear" with Bette Lou Goodwin, Bethlehem Library, 10 a.m.

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Delmar Fire Dept., covered dish supper for Delmar Fire Dept. at Delmar Fire Hall, 6:30 p.m.

"Getting to Know Your Library," community program sponsored by Tri-Village Welcome Wagon, Bethlehem Library, 7:30 - 9 p.m.

C. B. CLARKE, INC.  
FOR  
INSURANCE  
CALL



Burt Anthony

IF YOUR INCOME STOPPED  
DUE TO AN ACCIDENT OR  
ILLNESS, WHAT WOULD YOU  
DO?

CALL US — WE HAVE SOME  
IDEAS ON THE SUBJECT!

CALL 439-9958

339 Delaware Ave.  
Delmar

**Albany Southwest La Leche League**, meeting at home of Mrs. Nicholas Barth, 12 Pineview Ave., Delmar, 8:15.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

**Bethlehem Grange Talent Show**, United Methodist Church, South Bethlehem.

**Film**, "The Gold Rush," Charlie Chaplin, Bethlehem Library, 7:30 p.m.

**Recovery, Inc.**, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

**QUILT, Quilters United in Learning Together**, "Applique Festival," Polly DeGraff, Mary Browne, Barbara Boynton, demonstration by Susan Gillespie, Bethlehem Library 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., all welcome.

**Scholastic Wrestling**, Suburban Council Invitational Tournament, Bethlehem Central High School, preliminaries 4 p.m.

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

**Valentine Dance**, sponsored by Selkirk Fire Co. No. 3 Ladies Auxiliary, South Bethlehem Fire House, Rt. 396, dancing 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. Public invited.

**Scholastic wrestling**, Suburban Council Invitational Tournament, Bethlehem Central High School, starting at 11 a.m., finals 8 p.m.

**Monte Carlo Night**, Albany Chapter, Women's American ORT, Center Inn, Rt. 9-W, Glenmont, 8 p.m.

**"Winter Fun With Snowshoes"** workshop, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 9:30 a.m. - noon.

**Spaghetti dinner**, sponsored by Scout Troop 260, Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

**Film**: "City Lights," Charlie Chaplin, Bethlehem Library, 2 p.m.

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

**Film**, "Limelight," Charlie Chaplin, Bethlehem Library, 2 p.m.

#### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

**Delmar Progress Club**, business meeting, Bethlehem Library, 10 a.m.

**Delmar Community Orchestra**, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

#### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

**"Potpourri of Poetry"**, Delmar Progress Club, Bethlehem Library, 12:30 p.m.

**Bethlehem Lutheran Church Ladies Guild**, church lounge, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.

# area arts

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. Phone numbers are for information and tickets.

#### THEATER

"Anastasia," Albany Civic Theater, 235 Second Ave., Albany, Feb. 22-26, Mar. 1-5, 8:30 p.m. Theater box office 462-1297, Community Box Office, Colonie Center 438-7530.

"The Merchant of Venice," Empire State Youth Theatre Institute, Meeting Room 6, Empire State Plaza, Feb. 10-11, 8 p.m., Feb. 12, 2 and 7 p.m. Tickets at door and Community Box Office, Colonie Center.

"The Three Musketeers," National Theatre of the Deaf, on tour, at College of St. Rose, Feb. 13, 8 p.m. Tickets \$1 at campus bookstore and at door.

#### MUSIC

Cathedral Noontime Concerts, "Three's a Company," piano trio, Cathedral of All Saints, Elk and Swan Sts., Albany, Feb. 14, 12 noon, free, bring lunch.

University Celebrity Series, Borodin piano trio, Page Hall, downtown campus, Feb. 12, 3 p.m. \$3.50, students \$3.

Albany Symphony Orchestra, Barber, Elgar and Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 6, Palace Theater, Albany, Feb. 18, 8:30 p.m.

"Music at the Cathedral," organ, violin, soprano soloists, Monday Musical Club of Albany, Cathedral of All Saints, Swan and Elk Sts., Albany, Feb. 5, 3:30 p.m. Free will offering.

#### ART

Don Mochon, drawings, paintings, graphics, Architectural Gallery, Greene Bldg., RPI, through Feb. 15. Mon.-Fri. 9-5, Sat. 1-4

#### FILM

"Greenfields," Yiddish film, sub-titles, Albany Jewish Community Center, Feb. 6, 8 p.m. \$1 at door.

"Grapes of Wrath," Greyfriar film series, Roger Bacon Science Center, Siena College, Feb. 8, 8 p.m. Free to Public.

"Amarcord," Fellini, Junior College of Albany Library, Feb. 6, 12:30 p.m. Free to public.

"The Wonderful Crook," Prize Cinema Series, State University at Albany, PAC Recital Hall, Feb. 10-11, 8:30 p.m.

"Strangers on a Train," Hitchcock thriller, Cohoes Music Hall Classic Film Series, Feb. 6, 7:30 p.m. \$2 at door.

**GENERAL ELECTRIC**

SELKIRK, NEW YORK 12158

Equal Opportunity Employer

## MICHAEL ROONEY

formerly of the Scissor Society

**runi**  
ltd.  
449-7161

has now opened  
a complete service  
salon for both  
men and women  
on the corner  
of Madison Avenue  
and Swan Street,  
across from the  
Empire State Plaza.

Daily hours, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Thursday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

449-7161 Parking available

# Quality Carpets & Flooring

## NEW YEAR'S SALE

**20% — 40% OFF!**

**Every Item on SALE  
Prompt Installation**

We are offering these low, low prices on all our lines of top quality merchandise to stimulate business during our traditionally slow period.

We want to keep our men happy by keeping them working .

We both thank you.

### CONVENIENCE SERVICE

*We bring the ENTIRE store to your living room with our UNIQUE MOBILE SHOWROOM. At your convenience we show entire selections*

*of Carpet, No-Wax Vinyl, Floor Tile. Ceramic tile and Wallpaper too! We measure & give you an exact price for your proposed work—all FREE and WITHOUT OBLIGATION*

**BANK FINANCING**



**SHOP AT  
HOME**



### COMPARE THESE LOW, LOW PRICES!

**SAXONY PLUSH CARPET \$10.90**

100% Nylon Regularly \$15.30 per sq. yd.

**SHORT SHAG CARPET \$9.90**

100% Nylon Regularly \$12.80 per sq. yd.

**SCULPTURED CARPET \$8.70**

100% Nylon Regularly \$10.90 per sq. yd.

**No-Wax Vinyl Plus  
Installation** as low as

**\$9.85** per sq. yd.

**Carpet Installation  
Plus Pad** as low as

**\$2.60** per sq. yd.

**Call for an  
Appointment**

**768-2341**

**Call Us Now  
24 Hours**





# The Spotlight

Graphic newsweekly serving the towns of Bethlehem, New Scotland, Albany County, N.Y. 439-4949

## BETHLEHEM

### Town hall: new administration, new spirit

Behind the traditional pillared facade of 393 Delaware Ave., Delmar, a popular politician-businessman has brought a new "esprit de corps" to Bethlehem's town hall. It may not be apparent to the occasional visitor, but people who conduct regular business in town offices and town employees themselves have noticed that the new spirit is infectious.

Whether the credit should go to Tom Corrigan, now in his fifth week as town supervisor, is a matter of conjecture. Corrigan exercised his retirement option as a unit manager with the New York Telephone Co. at age 55 after winning an overwhelming victory at the polls in November. Observers credited his easy-going personality and personal popularity for the 2000-plurality sweep.

Most noticeable of several innovations is the introduction of open discussion by councilmen at town board meetings. With a five-member board solidly of one party, motions invariably go to a 5-0 vote, but observers foresee some split votes in the future. When and if that Bethlehem rarity occurs, it will be in open meetings, not the closed-door sessions that Bethlehem supervisors have administered in the recent past. Corrigan jettisoned that practice in his first week in office, a move designed to silence the bi-annual Democratic campaign complaints of rubber-stamp voting and closed meetings.

Other innovations include (1) extending town hall office

**On the cover:**  
Bethlehem town board in open session: from left, Edward Mocker, William Johnson, Supervisor Tom Corrigan, John Geurtze, Ruth Bickel. *Spotlight photo*

hours an extra 90 minutes to 6 p.m. on Wednesdays to permit persons working 8-to-5 to do business at town hall without taking time off from work, and (2) calling the town board into "workshop" sessions on an alternate Wednesday night when the board is not scheduled for a regular meeting.

This week the board is meeting in a workshop session to talk about such things as a new landfill ordinance, new specifications on blacktop treatment for highways, and a new ordinance for controlling residential lawn sprinkling. Bethlehem had such an ordinance in the mid-1960's, rescinded it when a drought year passed, and now is looking into a more practical method. The board currently is studying similar ordinances in effect in Guilderland and Colonie.

Corrigan, spending this week at a training school on fiscal affairs run by the State Dept. of Audit and Control for new supervisors, also scheduled a meeting for Monday night with residents interested in reviving the town's recreation council. He also has set up a meeting with John Mesick of the Albany architectural firm of Mendal, Mesick and Cohen to discuss a new roof for Bethlehem House. The town has a \$25,000 federal grant for

the purpose. The historic structure, once known as the Nicoll-Sill house, is one of the area's oldest, and is located on Rt. 144 near the town's waste treatment plant.

Corrigan has met with the town's beautification committee with the objective of expanding the recycling program, and with citizens interested in developing a program of youth activities.

### Power restored after outages

Four separate power outages caused temporary interruptions in Glenmont and Delmar last week, according to Niagara Mohawk Power Co.

Thursday's windstorm blew tree limbs across power lines on Glenmont Rd., cutting off electricity for 1,140 customers in Glenmont from 8 to 9 a.m., and on Rt. 32, Feura Bush Rd. near Brightonwood, affecting

about 550 customers at approximately the same hour.

A day earlier, a broken insulator on a 34,500-volt transmission line out of the Bethlehem substation on Feura Bush Rd. caused a temporary cutoff for more than 500 customers, the company reported.

Early Friday morning six homes in the Delmar Pl.-Douglas Rd. area were blacked out when a fuse blew on a distribution transformer. A company spokesman said the blackout might have been caused by ice formation attributed to firemen battling a garage blaze at 104 Delmar Pl. Power was restored 30 minutes later, the company said.

### Key Club dinner

Voorheesville High School Key Club's annual spaghetti dinner will be held Saturday, Feb. 25, from 4 to 8 p.m. at the school cafeteria, with Mike Michele as caterer.



Wind-blown tree limb cuts power on Feura Bush Rd.

*Spotlight Photo*

## House of Charm Beauty Salon

Call us for an appointment

And try our new

### Dermetics Ultra Moist Cosmetic Body Wave

"Like Natural Curl"

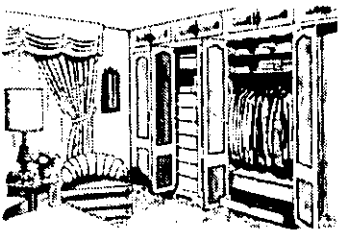
Call 439-9202

226 Delaware Avenue, Elsmere

## OPPORTUNITY DAYS

Save up to 25% off

### WOOD MODE CABINETRY FOR YOUR KITCHEN & EVERY ROOM IN YOUR HOME



Not enough closet space for shoes & clothes? WOOD-MODE BUILT-IN CABINETRY IN THE BEDROOM will provide plenty of storage space for the largest of wardrobes, and it's ON SALE RIGHT NOW.

#### DELMAR INTERIOR DESIGN

by Delmar Construction Corporation

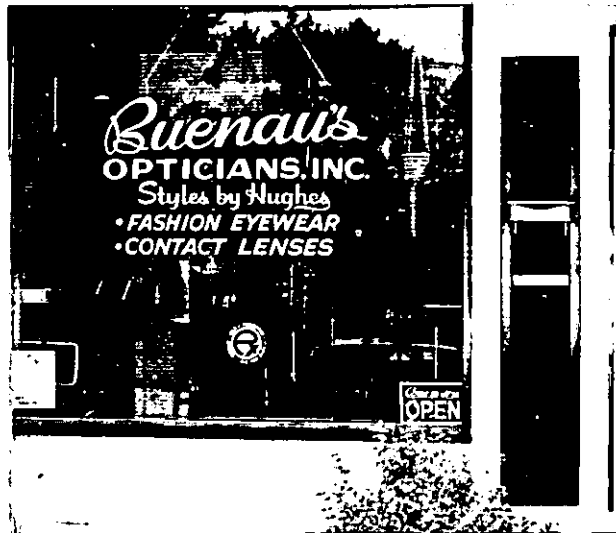
228-C Delaware Avenue, Delmar

439-5250 — 439-1620 — 439-2350

## EYE EXAMINATIONS RIGHT HERE IN DELMAR

— starting soon at Buenau's —

*We Have Your Convenience in Mind*



### Fashion Eyewear by Norell

Contact Lenses That Don't Need Boiling

DELMAR

ALBANY

Tom Hughes  
228 Delaware Ave  
439-7012

8:30 to 5  
Sat. till  
Noon

Michael P. Buenau  
71 Central Ave.  
434-4149

## SELKIRK

### Chemical spills plague firemen

Since discovery of a potentially dangerous corrosive chemical leak at the ConRail yards in Selkirk two weeks ago, volunteer firemen from the three units of the Selkirk Fire Dept. have spent more than 100 man-hours monitoring the clean-up progress and supplying railroad employees with safety equipment.

Robert J. Wiggand, district fire chief of the Selkirk department, said his men were called back to the Selkirk yards twice after the initial efforts to stop the leak on Jan. 20. Last Monday, and again on Wednesday, Selkirk firemen were on standby at the yards when additional leaks were discovered among the 88 55-gallon drums of phosphorous tri-chloride, a corrosive chemical.

"We were there with our equipment truck to supply the railroad men with Scott Air Packs to keep them from breathing the fumes, and we supplied them with protective equipment," said Chief Wiggand.

Fire department equipment was used by the 10 railroad workers who spent more than a week pumping out the drums and transferring the chemical to a tank truck. Since it is safer for the men to work during the day when they can see new leaks, the work was not done during darkness, said Robert Skocick, general car foreman at the yards.

"It would not have been a problem if the weather had

been dry and warm," Skocick said. "But the chemical turned to a gas when it mixed with water; the snow hit it, melted and caused the reaction."

Despite a heavy snowfall and nearly three feet of snow lying on the ground during the first containment efforts, the weather did not significantly hamper the crew's efforts, he said. A payload truck cleared away the snow for the tank truck and emergency equipment to have working room. The storm itself did not significantly delay efforts, although officials from Stauffer Chemical Co.'s plant in Morrisville, Pa., shippers of the chemical, were prevented by the weather from immediately reaching the scene.

The phosphorous tri-chloride is a common shipment through the Selkirk yards, said Skocick, and the recent leaks were unusual.

To neutralize the chemical that found its way to the ground, emergency crews used garden lime, more than 1,000 lbs. of it, which was bought from the nearby Shrub-Rite Garden store owned by Al and Patricia Mertz, who opened the store just to assist workers.

The chemical was not explosive, but a large-scale gaseous release from a large leak could have spread serious injury throughout the neighborhood if not contained immediately.

#### Health course offered

An American Red Cross "Health in the Home" course is being offered by the Albany Area Chapter, American Red Cross on Monday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The classes are being held at the

Most Tri-Village Homeowners Prefer



THE COMPLETE  
FUEL SERVICE

FUEL OIL—KEROSENE—GASOLINE  
INSTALLATION OF HEATING AND AIR  
CONDITIONING SYSTEMS

MAIN-CARE HEATING SERVICE

318 Delaware Ave., Delmar - 24-Hour Service

439-7605

Chapter House, Hackett Blvd., Albany. The volunteer instructor for this course is Debbie Rubenstein of Delmar. For registration or information call 462-7461.

**Engagement told**

Mrs. Arthur J. Quinn of Delmar has announced the engagement of her daughter, Kathleen, to Douglas J. Dillenbeck, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dillenbeck of Colonie.

The future bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and is employed at Almart's department store, Colonie. Her fiance is a graduate of Cardinal McCloskey High School. He served four years in the U.S. Navy and is employed by the Veterans Hospital, Albany.

**PBA elects slate**

Daniel W. House of Elsmere, a 17-year member of the Bethlehem police department, has been elected president of the Bethlehem Police



**Daniel House**

Benevolent Assn. House, who served as the association's chapter president in 1968-69-70, succeeds Joseph Sleurs. Other officers are Charles Rudolph, vice president; Richard Vanderbilt, secretary; and Conrad Martin, treasurer. The association plans a more active participation in community affairs, with special emphasis on youth-oriented programs.

House Plant  
**BONANZA**



**Only 46 days 'til Spring!**

And we must make room for our Easter Flowers and April Plants

JOIN IN BIG SAVINGS AT OUR ANNUAL  
**GREEN HOUSE REDUCTION SALE**  
SPECIAL SAVINGS from 20% - 50%

Open daily, 9-5  
Sunday, 10-4  
CLOSED MONDAY

Feura Bush Rd.  
Glenmont 439-1835  
3699 Albany-Carman Rd., Guilderland 356-0442

TWO LOCATIONS



AFFILIATE OF J.P. JONAS

**SAVE!**

**ON ALL HOME IMPROVEMENTS, FAMILY ROOMS, DORMERS, ADDITIONS, GARAGES, KITCHENS, ROOFING**

**SAVE!**

**CUSTOM BUILT HOMES. WE SPECIALIZE IN THE AFFORDABLE HOME. EASY TO BUY & MAINTAIN (CHEAPER THAN RENTING)**

**ALL DESIGNER SERVICES & ESTIMATES ARE FREE WITH NO OBLIGATION**

**Quality Construction**

**768-2341**

CALL US  
24 HOURS

**COMPLETE Bank Financing**



Come and Join us  
for Lenten Services  
**BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
85 Elm Avenue, Delmar • 439-4328  
Sunday — 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday — 7:30 p.m.

**TOLL GATE**  
**ICE CREAM & COFFEE SHOP**  
in Slingerlands  
HOMEMADE, HAND PACKED

**ICE CREAM**

Serving Lunches & Dinners  
from 11 a.m.

Open 7 days a week 'til 10 p.m.

Make  
Your Own  
Valentines!

**Hallmark**

© 1977 Hallmark Cards, Inc.



Here's a fun-filled Hallmark book for children that provides all the ingredients for making 16 valentines — borders, messages, pictures, envelopes. Easy-to-follow instructions, too! Only \$2.00. We have lots of other valentines for children for "love" day — Tuesday, Feb. 14.

**THE PAPER MILL**  
Delaware Plaza, Delmar  
439-8123

**MULLEN PHARMACY**  
Delaware Ave., Elsmere  
439-9356

**Faces assault charge**

In the aftermath of a fender-bender car accident on Delaware Ave. at Normanskill Blvd. at 6:30 p.m. during the snowstorm of Friday, Jan. 20, an Albany man has been charged with assault, third degree. Jeffrey N. Hines, 9 Delmar Pl., Delmar, told police that the driver of a car involved in a collision with Hines' vehicle pushed him to the ground during an argument following the accident. Hines was treated at Albany Medical Center Hospital for injuries received when his head struck the car as he fell. Hines swore

out a warrant for the arrest of Mark P. Stanish, 30, of 76 Beach Ave., Albany, who turned himself in the following day at Bethlehem police headquarters. He was arraigned Thursday before Justice Harry Rezemini and released on his own recognizance for a later appearance.



**Lillian Longley**  
Painting class starts

Lillian Longley, Slingerlands artist and president of the Bethlehem Art Assn., will offer two sessions of a class in painting at The Arts Center on Holy Names Campus, 1069 New Scotland Rd., Albany. The class, entitled "Impressionism — A Way of Seeing. Not a Technique," will be offered on Tuesday evenings, beginning Feb. 7, and on Wednesday afternoons. The course, which will offer the student the option of painting in pastels or oil, will cover still life and portrait. For information, call 438-7895.

Gifts of Quality  
and Fashion  
in Menswear



- Countess Mara Neckwear
- Christian Dior Neckwear
- Viyella Sportshirts and Robes
- Alan Paine Sweaters
- Dobbs Hats
- LaCosta Knit Shirts and Sweaters
- Silk Ascots
- Wool-lined English Gloves
- English Sport Vest
- Navy Blazers
- Camel Hair Sportcoats
- Bass Weejun



8 James St., Albany, N. Y. 12207

BANKAMERICARD  
MASTER CHARGE

YOU'RE CLOTHING FITTED  
BY OUR MASTER TAILOR  
MEMBER PARK & SHOP

**SNOWBLOWERS HEADQUARTERS**  
Toro Bolens  
Jacobsen

Snowblowers in stock  
for immediate delivery

**FREE SET OF CHAINS**  
with ALL NEW 2-STAGE  
SNOWBLOWERS

**L.C. SMITH**

LAWN & GARDEN EQUIPMENT  
154-B Delaware Ave., Delmar, N.Y.

439-9746

(Next to Delaware Plaza) Len Smith, owner

## Woman rescued in Delmar fire

Firemen and police carried a Delmar woman from her smoke-filled home shortly before 1 a.m. Friday before dousing flames that had broken through the roof of her attached garage.

Mrs. Louise M. Fraser was carried from the kitchen of her home at 104 Delmar Pl. by James Cooke, chief of the Delmar Fire Dept., and Officer Theodore Wilson of the Bethlehem Police Dept. The Delmar Rescue Squad ambulance was at the scene, but Mrs. Fraser was uninjured and was taken to a neighbor's house.

Delmar volunteers were called at 12:41 a.m. and the first pumper arrived at 12:44 to find the garage in flames. Chief Cooke arrived at the scene within three minutes of being notified by police, who had picked up a radio report en route that a woman was in the house. The blaze, believed to have started in the garage, spread to the adjoining attic before it was quenched. The garage and an automobile parked in the garage were damaged extensively.

Firemen said the nearest hydrant on Delmar Pl. was buried in a roadside snowbank, forcing firemen to jump through a wall of packed snow, but a hydrant on Douglas Rd. nearby had been cleared by neighbors following the storm a week earlier.

### Amblyopia workshop

A workshop for the amblyopia screening program will be conducted by the Tri-Village Welcome Wagon on

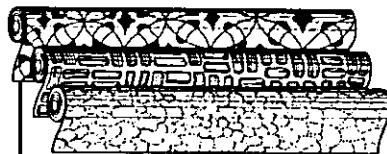
Tuesday, Feb. 7, from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the Bethlehem Library. Members will assemble and address materials to be sent to the homes of all pre-schoolers in Bethlehem and make items to be used on the days of the amblyopia screening program March 15-16-17 at the First United Methodist Church, Delmar.

### Local musicians play

Among musicians participating in the Monday Musical Club concert at the Cathedral of All Saints on Sunday at 3:30 p.m. are Ruth Woodin Baumbach, of Voorheesville, violinist, Eleanor Haverly, soprano, Rachel Worth, organist, both of Delmar, and Mark Baumbach, organist.

### No Spotlight Feb. 23

There will be no issue of the Spotlight on Thursday, Feb. 23. Publicity chairmen, advertisers and subscribers are asked to take note of the date, one of the three weeks each year in which our hard-working staff takes a rest. The last issue of February will be published on Feb. 16. The news and advertising copy deadline for the issue is Friday, Feb. 10. The Spotlight office at 414 Kenwood Ave., however, will be open as usual from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on weekdays.



### Wallpaper

VINYL AND REGULAR  
— IN STOCK —

FOR THE BEST SELECTION,  
SERVICE, AND PRICE

**TRY US!**

### MILLER PAINT

296 Central Ave. — 465-1526  
480 Broadway — 465-2466  
ALBANY

Under New management  
formerly  
Slingerland Service Station  
NOW  
**WALLY'S MOBIL**

Kenwood & Grove St., Slingerlands  
(Near Tollgate)

Owned and Operated by  
**Wallace Throop, Jr.**

Repairs • Tuneups • Tires • Batteries  
**439-9837**

## ROGERS

**SPORT & SKI SHOP**  
Greenbush Plaza E. G'busch 477-9104  
MON-FRI 10-9 SAT 10-6

**Grand  
Opening**

**DELAWARE PLAZA**  
**FEBRUARY 15**



Experienced  
**GUITAR**  
Instructor

Now accepting students  
for private or group  
LESSONS  
Call 439-2058

mr. charles semi-annual

# SALE!



Further Reductions to

**BARGAIN RACK**  
Smashing Shoes  
Reg. to \$40  
**\$9.99**  
First come, first served!

We have only two Sales a year, when all our seasonal, quality merchandise is tearfully tagged at radical reductions. Stunning shoes! Beauteous boots! Handsome handbags! Savings that startle! So come, from near and far, by bus or car, to snoop and spy...but most of all, to buy and buy!!

All Sales Final!

**mr. charles**  
beautiful shoes

3 North Pearl Street, Albany...434-2466

## COURTSIDE TENNIS SHOP

Delaware & Elsmere Aves., Delmar • 439-6803  
Open Monday thru Friday 'til 9, Saturday 'til 6

**DOUBLE** the space space  
**DOUBLE** the bargains bargains!!  
We have **DOUBLED** the size  
of our store, and **DOUBLED**  
the size of our ad on the next page  
to tell you about our

### EXPANSION SALE

## FEB. 1 - 11

### Truck gas siphoned

Thieves used the National Insulation Co. in Delmar as a bulk gasoline supply depot over the weekend. Richard Phillips, owner of the company, told Bethlehem police that a total of about 85 gallons of gasoline was drained from three trucks parked alongside the building at 64 Hudson Ave.

### Who did what to whom?

Floyd W. Dennis was spending a quiet evening at home last Monday when an errant driver lost control of his car and smashed into a fence in front of the Dennis dwelling at 124 Beldale Rd., Slingerlands. Dennis told Bethlehem police that the driver, identified as David Lengyel, agreed to pay for the damage to the fence, but later called Dennis to say that he had discovered that his car

was damaged also, and that he considered that "we're even." Dennis disagreed, and notified police. Officer John R. Cox, Jr. talked with both men, and filed a report saying he explained to Lengyel that the damage to the car was not caused by Dennis hitting the car, or the fence hitting the car, but by the "subject hitting the fence." The matter, the report added, was resolved.

### Dognapped again

For the second time in 13 months, a thief or thieves have taken a registered 'coon dog from a fenced-in pen in Delmar. Scott M. Boice, 11 Adams Pl., reported his black hunting dog with a white tail, valued at \$500, missing on Jan. 17. Boice told Bethlehem police the pen was secured by a sliding bolt lock. In 1977 the dog was reported stolen and was recovered by police at a residence in Westerlo.

### Hours extended

New Scotland town offices will be open for business until 6 p.m. on Mondays, starting Feb. 6, according to an announcement this week by Supervisor Stephen Wallace. The regular town hall hours, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., will be extended two additional hours one night a week to accommodate residents whose working hours prevent them from doing business with the town during the regular hours.



**MODERN PHARMACY**

Michael Krugman

Thanks to the widespread use of the Pap test, which can detect cervical cancer at a stage when it is curable — the death rate from this disease in the United States has dropped by two thirds over the past 35 years. Now, using a German-developed instrument called the colposcope, gynecologists can confirm Pap-test findings more easily and cheaply than ever before. Women as they approach their thirties should definitely have a Pap test every year thereafter. Don't take chances!

Find service as you like it—fast and friendly from the efficient staff at **KRUGMAN'S DELMAR PHARMACY INC.** We handle a full line of drugs and have a large well equipped pharmacy to handle your prescriptions. You can depend on **KRUGMAN'S DELMAR PHARMACY**, 361 Delaware Ave., 439-9914 for all your prescription requirements. Reach us after hours by calling store phone or 439-4582. Open: Mon. thru Fri. 9 a.m.-7 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

PREPARATION FOR SPRING '78

Our 40th Year

## College Boards

# SAT

### Classes Forming Now

Call Days, Evenings & Weekends  
or Visit Our Center

Albany Center  
163 Delaware Ave., Delmar  
(518) 439-8146

**Stanley H. KAPLAN**  
EDUCATIONAL CENTER

TEST PREPARATION  
SPECIALISTS SINCE 1938  
Centers in Major US Cities & Abroad



Taking time out from their reading to admire a certificate presented to the St. Thomas School are from left, Jean Carazza, Cathy Miles and Tony Tonanek.

Cheryl Marks

**Young readers cited**

The students of St. Thomas School were recently thanked by the Capital District Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society for their participation as "Mystery Sleuths" in the MS read-a-thon. One hundred fourteen children read 511 books and raised \$829.73 for local patient services and to support research.

**Mrs. Clark dies**

Mrs. Lee Clark, wife of the late Addison J. Clark, and a long time resident of Delmar, died Jan. 24 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Dubois, in Media, Pa.

Mrs. Clark was active in community affairs including the Delmar Progress Club, of which she was a past president.

She was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church of Albany and of Gansevoort Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Besides her daughter Wendy (Dubois), she is survived by another daughter, Mrs. John (Carolyn) Humphries of Denver, a son, VanBuren of San Antonio, Tex. and seven grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at Media.

**Hello**  
**RUSTY JONES™**  
**Goodbye rusty cars.**  
 Call me about the best auto rustproofing guarantee in town.  
**Ken Parker's**  
**DELMAR EXXON**  
 439-9806



**SHUTTLE HILL HERB SHOP**

*Large selection of*  
**FINE ENGLISH TEAS**  
*Celestial Seasonings*  
**HERB TEAS**

CORNER DELAWARE, ELSMERE AVENUES  
 DELMAR, N.Y. BEHIND PHARMACY

**COURTSIDE TENNIS SHOP**

Delaware & Elsmere Aves., Delmar • 439-6803  
 Open Monday thru Friday 'til 9, Saturday 'til 6

**DOUBLE the space space**  
**DOUBLE the bargains bargains!!**

**EXPANSION SALE**  
**FEB. 1 - 11**

**MOST TENNIS ITEMS ON SALE**

**SHOES**  
 as low as  
**\$10**

**SHORTS & SHIRTS**  
 as low as  
**\$8**

**RACKETS**

Wilson Kramer  
 Evert Autograph  
 Dunlop Maxply **\$30**  
 nylon strings

Rackets Re-gripped **\$2**      Re-strung with nylon **\$5**  
 ONE DAY SERVICE

**Many DOWN HILL and CROSS-COUNTRY SKI items on sale**

**Selected TENNIS & SKI ITEMS**  
 reduced to 50% of suggested retail

We also sell  
**Adidas, Nike & Etonic**  
**RUNNING SHOES & RAQUETBALL equipment**

# Doctors and developers on Delaware Ave.

By Allison P. Bennett

People have been coming and going at the Paddock House on Delaware Avenue in Delmar ever since it was built in 1853 as a residence for the local doctor. Patients came here to consult with Dr. John Van

Allen, one of Bethlehem's pioneer horse and buggy doctors and a descendent of the old Dutch settlers of the area. The house was purchased in later years by George Paddock and in 1934 willed to his

nephew, Howard P. Paddock, a well known insurance and real estate broker in Delmar. His daughter, Eloise, is the present resident of the home and has many piano students coming to the house each day to take their lessons.

Going up the center front walk toward the Doric-columned entrance, one is struck by the symmetry of everything about the house. It has an unusual roof line, being hipped rather than gable, but this only enhances the look of the four-square house and draws the eye to the house itself. Originally the house was built of red brick, but later owners decided that they liked the look of a painted house, so it has been painted white with black shutters for contrast. Although the house is Greek Revival in style, the four chimneys coming through the roof and the general lines of the architecture give it almost a Georgian appearance.

There is a center hall which runs through the house from front to back. The door to the back yard is a double Dutch door, divided so that the top can be opened to let in the summer breezes and the bottom half remain closed. There is a graceful stairway curving up to three large bedrooms on the second floor. Because of the roof style, this old house had no attic - unusual for a house built at its time.

There were originally four fireplaces in the home, but all but the one in the front parlor have been closed. To the left of



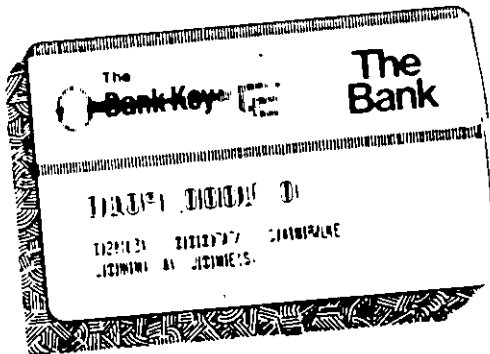
Col. Howard P. Paddock in field uniform of the 10th Regt., NYNG.

the entrance doorway are two large double parlors, divided by an archway, and on the right of the entrance is the dining room and country kitchen. From the dining room beveled glass French doors lead to a sunroom and there is a built in china closet with leaded glass panes on its doors. The wooden doors throughout the house are exceptionally fine, having six raised panels and original hardware. Upstairs the bedroom windows are the old "stomach" or sometimes called "eyebrow" windows, because they are small and narrow and close to the floor. Children would often lie on their stomachs and peer out of the windows. All of the interior wood-work is massive and commanding, as in other Greek style houses of the period.

Behind the Dutch door to the rear, George Paddock built an ell for a maidservant. This charming wooden addition with its graceful outside arch curving over a cellar "louk" contains a complete bedroom, kitchenette, pantry and bath. The house has a large cellar, laid up with stones brought down from the Helderbergs, with a separate fruit cellar walled off with brick. In this cool cellar were stored the fruits and vegetables raised on the place when it was under cultivation as an active, working farm.

The old carriage house is still standing on a corner of the lot.

## QUICK! CONVENIENT!



Now use your  
**Bank Key**  
at these  
**Grand Union locations**

Glenmont  
Town Squire Plaza

Ravena  
Plaza Del Sol



National Commercial Bank and Trust Co.  
A **FC** FIRST COMMERCIAL BANK  
Member FDIC

O'SHEA  
**Getty**  
STATION

4 Corners, Delmar

LUBE SERVICE AND  
COMPLETE MECHANICAL  
REPAIRS

Open 7 days, 6:30 a.m.-10 p.m.  
— 439-9808





**Paddock House on Delaware Ave., Delmar.**

The inside is virtually unchanged from the days when it contained a harness room, stable for the horses and a place for the doctor's surrey.

Although the house itself is interesting, so are the residents it sheltered, from doctors of olden days to real estate developers of modern times. When Howard P. Paddock moved to Delmar from Albany with his family in 1920 the town consisted of about 700 people. He had the vision and faith to know that it would grow, so he left his state job to open a realty office. Working with Edward Boutelle he had most of the land behind the Paddock house surveyed and laid out into building lots. Some of this also incorporated lands from the Lyons and Heinsohn farms, which were part of the present Hamagrael area.

Alton Rowe and John Oliver were successive town

supervisors in those years and saw the need for some orderly and planned growth of the town. It was Mr. Paddock's idea to start a planning board, and he served as its chairman. From this grew the other town boards as we know them today. Howard Paddock was active for over 40 years in many town government activities.

His great love however, was the New York National Guard and he was a military man with the 109th Regiment for 29 years, retiring with the rank of colonel. He served in the Mexican Border campaigns

**Prevent RUST on new cars. Stop RUST on old cars.** With our system, we RUST PROOF complete under carriage, inside doors, inside rocker panels, inside trunk. **Appointment only.**

**JOE KELLER'S MOBIL**  
Rt. 9W • Glenmont, N.Y.  
463-7712

## MARJEM KENNELS

**PET Grooming**

All Breeds  
By Appointment Only  
767-9718 Glenmont

**Box Springs & Mattress Sets** **SAVE \$60-\$115**

**BURRICK FURNITURE CO.**  
560 DELAWARE AVE., ALBANY, N.Y. 465-5112

# MEYERS FUNERAL HOME

**B. L. Meyers**  
owner and director



*Our facilities and services are of the finest*

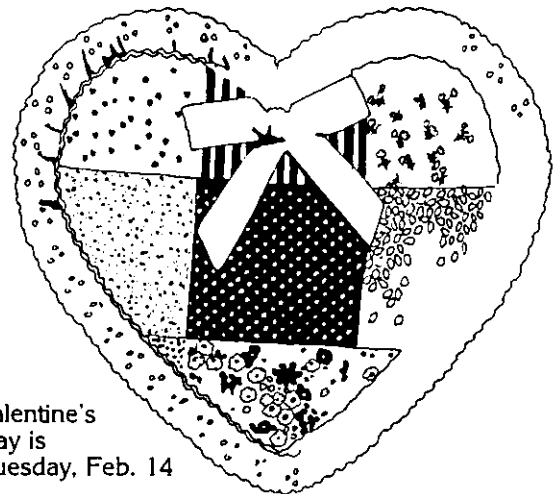
*Selection Room on Premises  
Two Private Chapels*

**439-5560 Delmar, N.Y.**

**Don't Forget Your Sweetie!**

Hallmark

© 1977 Hallmark Cards, Inc.



Valentine's Day is  
Tuesday, Feb. 14

**THE PAPER MILL**  
Delaware Plaza  
439-8123

**MULLEN PHARMACY**  
Delaware Ave., Eismere  
439-9356

When you care enough to send the very best



**Marcia  
and  
Geri**  
have joined  
**JOHN BINI**  
and his staff at

## THE SCISSOR SOCIETY

For an appointment, call

**439-8171**

2 NORMANSKILL BOULEVARD, DELMAR  
(across from Delaware Plaza)

All ice cream made fresh daily on premises

**Carvel**

222 Delaware Ave  
Delmar, New York

ICE CREAM SUPERMARKET

**439-7253**

Hours: 9:30 - 9:00  
7 days a week

Quality Ice Cream  
Manufactured in Delmar

**VALENTINE  
ICE CREAM CAKES**  
**\$1.50 to \$11.25**

**ICE CREAM CAKES**  
with any message written free  
**\$1.50 — serves 4**

7"-\$4.25 • 8"-\$5.25 • 9"-\$6.25 • 10"-\$7.25

**SHEET CAKES**

10x14 - \$8.25 • 11x15 - \$9.25 • 12x17 - \$11.25

**ICE CREAM LOGS**  
**\$4.50 to \$5.25**

and World War I. Because of a health problem, he was not able to go into active service in World War II, but he compensated for that by serving as professor of military science and tactics at Christian Brothers Academy in Albany in 1941-45. He took over this post from Maj. Bertram Fay when that gentleman was called to active duty.

Over the years in the Guard it had been one of Col. Paddock's duties to be in charge of leading all marches and parades of the 10th Regiment. He was also an expert rifleman and his daughter has a scrap book of clippings that tell of his prowess with a rifle, as well as his other Guard and town government achievements. The 10th Regiment was composed of men from the Albany area and another well known local man was commander of the Regiment - Col. Charles E. Walsh, who resided for some years in the beautiful farmhouse on Roweland Ave. that was originally a part of the Heinsohn farm.

The beautiful Paddock house has seen a lot of living and with its charm and generous plot of land is an asset to our own Delaware Ave. We

hope that the path of progress will not overrun it, but keep it for the years ahead as a landmark in our town and a symbol of the gracious living of the past.

### Music classes starting

The Arts Center on Holy Names Campus, 1069 New Scotland Rd., Albany, is beginning the second semester of music classes and private lessons. There are opportunities available for beginners and advanced students, for children as young as 4 years and for adults. Piano, clarinet, guitar, banjo, mandolin, saxophone, flute, oboe, recorder, suzuki violin, violin and viola are among the instruments being taught. Voice is also offered.

An adult mini-course is available for those who may wish to renew their acquaintance with an instrument or get to meet one they have always wondered about. A chamber music workshop offers an opportunity for musicians or students of music to play ensemble music. There are also classes for children and for adults on guitar. An evening class in basic theory will be taught as well as an introduction to 20th century music. For information call 438-7895.

### FREE BOOKLET

on

**How to Waterproof  
Masonry Walls**

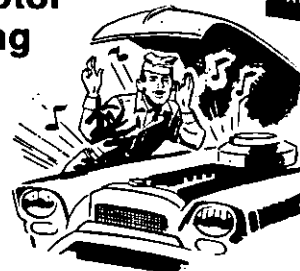
Write P.O. Box 227  
Clarksville, N.Y. 12041

LP Gas for Commercial & Domestic Use

**KELGAS**

Trailer Tanks Filled  
Witter Rd., Altamont, N.Y. 12009  
(518) 872-1477

**We'll make your  
motor  
sing**



- ★ Engine Tune-up
- ★ Front End Alignment
- ★ Automatic Transmission Service
- ★ Modern Equipment
- ★ Skilled Mechanics

**BAILEY'S GARAGE**

Phone: Delmar 439-1448  
Oakwood Rd., Elsmere

**BASKETBALL**

**Eagles poised for stretch run**

At this stage of the Suburban Council basketball race, with four teams in the running for the title, every game each contender plays is critical. For Bethlehem Central, going into this week tied at 8-3 with Shaker and Shenendehowa one game behind front-running Niskayuna, there is no room for a loss to second-division teams enroute to the showdown in the last three games against the other powerhouses.

"We're taking each game as it comes," observed Coach Dale Walts over the weekend. "We're playing much more aggressive basketball now, we're getting our forwards inside, and if we can play

**In Italy news job**

Helen M. Burggraf of Delmar, who has completed her studies in the Newhouse School of Public Communications at Syracuse University, has joined the staff of the International Daily News in Rome, Italy as a reporter-photographer. The News, established in 1977, is one of two English-language daily newspapers published in the Italian capital. Ms. Burggraf, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, served as a reporter for the Spotlight during the summer of 1976, on several occasions illustrating her articles with pen-and-ink sketches. At Syracuse she was a reporter and cartoonist for the Daily Orange, student daily. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Burggraf, 65 Fernbank Ave.

aggressive defense, we can stay with anybody in the league."

The Eagles, hampered earlier in the year by a rash of ankle injuries to four starters, are using less tape now, and with the improvement in health comes more confidence. "We're starting to develop a consistent pattern, and our shooting has improved," says Walts.

BC had an easy time at Scotia last Friday, taking the cellar-dwellers by 30 points. This week the Eagles have Columbia at East Greenbush Tuesday and Burnt Hills at Delmar Saturday. Next week they will be home against Colonie, the council's spoiler, and at Rotterdam against Mohonasen Friday.

**Classes scheduled**

Classes in the Lamaze Method of prepared childbirth will begin in Albany starting the weeks of Feb. 13 and Feb. 27. Women planning to attend the six-week series of classes should plan to begin them at the end of the seventh month of pregnancy.

Classes are led by registered nurses who are A.S.P.O. trained in the Lamaze Method.

For further information contact Suzanna Hudacs, 439-6353, or Ethel Cooper, 765-4572.

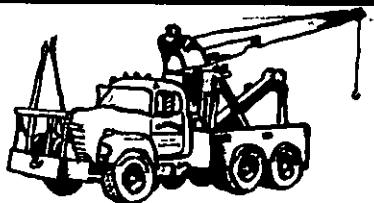
**Tennis Rackets  
Restrung—Regripped  
Viollns Repaired  
Bows Reaired**



**C.M. LACY**  
3 Becker Terrace—439-9739

**BLEAU'S**

**Towing & Service  
Elm Avenue, Selkirk**



NO JOB TOO BIG OR TOO SMALL

**24 Hour Emergency Towing Service  
Complete Auto & Truck Repairs • Crane Service**  
4 radio dispatched trucks

**CALL US 439-4135**

**WE BUY**

*Fine Quality*

**DIAMONDS—RUBIES—SAPPHIRES—EMERALDS**  
1/4 Carats up to larger sizes

FRANK H. *Adams*

Registered Jewelers  
58 North Pearl St.  
Downtown Albany

9:30 to 5, Thurs. to 8

**FREE PARKING NEARBY**

**marone**

**Douglas G.  
Marone**

DISPENSING OPTICIAN

*"Dedicated to the science of compounding  
Eye Physicians' Prescriptions"*

**16 Years at Delaware Plaza**

Daily 9:30-5:30  
Sat. 9:30-2:00  
Evenings by Appointment

**TEL. 439-9191**

**Reds**

**Seafood Restaurant Inc.**  
Rt. 9W W. Coxsackie, N.Y. 12192  
N.Y.S. Thru Exit 21B  
1-731-9905

**Valentine's Day  
Specials**

Tues. Feb. 14th

N.Y. Sirloin **\$750**  
Steak  
Lobster **\$850**  
Tails  
Surf 'n  
Turf **\$950**

Have a **FREE** Glass of  
Champagne or Cold Duck  
with any Dinner

**Lenten Season!**

We have a Large Selection  
of **Broiled** as well as  
**Fried FISH!**

Winter Special

Fried  
Shrimp **\$495**

Sunday Special - Feb. 5th  
Full Course  
Roast Chicken **\$495**



## Applebee Funeral Home

403 Kenwood Avenue  
Delmar, New York



# Le Shoppe

## HAS A COLOR FOR YOU



**"Come Let Us Pamper You"**

with

**Precision Cutting • Soft Natural Perms  
Bouncy Sets • Radiant Colors  
And a Full-Time Colorist on Staff**

397 Kenwood Ave.  
Four Corners, Delmar  
439-6644

Tues. thru Sat.  
9:00 — 7:00  
Thurs till 9:00

### BASKETBALL

## BC girls' hoop gets fast start

The Bethlehem Central girls' varsity basketball team got off to a quick start last week, defeating Shaker, 37-27, and Colonie, 55-30. Senior Krina Danckert, a returning starter, led the team in the first game with 16 points and 18 rebounds, while another returnee, Junior JoAnne Van Woert, led the scoring in their second outing with a 25-point performance.

Seniors Pat McSherry and Linda Allaway also return from last year's first place team. Juniors Kathy Harder, Mandy Mason, Edie Eyres and Kathy Cleary have moved up from the JV. Rounding out the team, coached by Kenneth Hodge, are Alex Roberts, Jacqui Bevan, Tee DeFlumer, and Alison Wrynn.

The girls faced Niskayuna Tuesday, play Scotia Friday and Burnt Hills Tuesday, ending their stretch at home.

*Cindy Cohn*

## Blackbirds facing moment of truth

With three league games in five days, Voorheesville Central will need all the stamina and poise it can muster in its bid for the Central Hudson Valley throne. But the Blackbirds, getting better every week, are in a strong position to scramble the standings: they're 4-1 in the league, one game behind Maple Hill's 5-0, and face two contenders in the next two games, both on the road.

In their toughest week of the campaign, the Blackbirds travel to Waterford Friday and play a makeup game Saturday afternoon at Catskill. Then it's home for another makeup game against Cossackie Tuesday and the "biggie" Friday when Maple Hill comes to the Helderbergs. Voorheesville was 9-2 overall starting the critical week with a non-league exercise against Ichabod Crane at Valatie.

The Blackbirds got a major lift last Friday when Tim Lewis

came off the bench to spark a 76-67 win over Averill Park. Voorheesville was mired in a 16-all first quarter when Coach Howie Smith inserted Lewis with two minutes left in the period. The quick-moving junior hit on his first five shots and propelled his team to a 38-33 halftime lead. He wound up with a game-high 23 points, hitting 9 for 11 from the floor and now has meshed 10 straight foul shots.

"Tim has been playing only about 6-7 minutes a game," said a happy Coach Smith. "He's been coming fast in practice these last few weeks. Against Averill Park he didn't miss a shot the first half."

Smith was also exultant about Jack Carmody's work, holding down Averill Park's star center, John Kimball, while pumping in 18 points of his own. "He really showed who was the best of the big men," enthused Smith. As a bonus, Pete Foster had seven feeds and pitched in eight points.

### Students elect

Stephanie Czirr and Craig Gleason were elected Student Council co-presidents at Voorheesville Central High School recently.

The new co-presidents, who defeated Jeff Negus and Greg Hawkins, succeed outgoing president John Martin. Mary Flynn is secretary, replacing Karen Lewis, and Steve Smith is treasurer, taking over from Jody Gallagher. Steve McEvoy is the outgoing vice president of the Student Council.

### Student in Australia

Julie Stewart Carey, daughter of R. Nickson Carey of Slingerlands and Mrs. Ruth R. Carey of Guilderland, has transferred to the University of Sidney, New South Wales, Australia, for the fall term of her senior year at Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla.

Miss Carey is living with an Australian family while she pursues courses in child education. Her father attended Rollins before joining the U.S. Marine Corps in 1942.



Mary Jean Gutman

**Named bank manager**

Albany Savings Bank has appointed Mary Jean Gutman of Elsmere manager of its downtown Albany office. Mrs. Gutman, who lives with her husband, Joseph, at 4 Brookman Ave., is a graduate of Vincentian Institute and attended the College of Saint Rose. She joined the bank in 1969 and was promoted to assistant manager in 1977.

**No Spotlight Feb. 23**

**Supervisor at school**

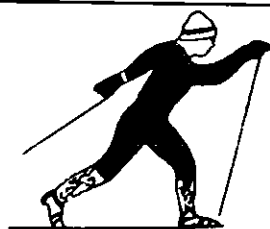
Bethlehem Supervisor Tom Corrigan is attending a five-day fiscal affairs training program for new town supervisors conducted by the State Dept. of Audit and Control this week. The program runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Corrigan, a town councilman for 11 years, became supervisor on Jan. 1.

**Program on library**

The "Getting to Know Your Library" program cancelled recently because of the inclement weather has been rescheduled for Thursday, Feb. 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Library. Sponsored by the Tri-Village Welcome Wagon, the free, multi-media presentation will be coordinated by Cassie Brooks, special collections librarian.

A slide show will deal with the library and all its services, the media center and its equipment will be displayed in a film presentation and an explanation of the Job Information Center and children's services will be presented.

**X-C SKI SALE**



- FISCHER RACING SKIS *only* \$96
- HUSKI EXTRA-LIGHT TOURING SKIS *only* \$64
- HUSKI LIGHT TOURING SKIS *only* \$64
- SKILOM GENERAL TOURING SKIS *only* \$72

2-piece CROSS-COUNTRY SKI SUITS \$45 to \$55  
SKI SWEATERS \$18 to \$30

*WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!*

**THE BERESFORD FARMS**

Ski Touring Center • Delanson, New York • 895-2345  
Only 2½ miles west of Duanesburg on Route 7, then south 1 mile on Chadwick Road — only 30 minutes from the Capital District!

**Glen-Del Sound**

154 Delaware Ave Behind Denby's  
Delmar, N.Y. Next to Delaware Plaza

Litton & Panasonic Microwave Ovens  
Craig & Sylvania Home & Auto Stereo  
Sony, Sylvania & Quasar Televisions  
CB Sales & service  
439-1246



Mon.-Fri., Noon-9 p.m. Sat., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Easy credit terms available!



**D. L. MOVERS, INC.**  
(MOVING WITH PRIDE)

**Local and Long Distance  
FACTS:**



1. 19 Years of Professional Service.
2. 99.9% Customer Satisfaction.
3. 90% of all our jobs are by referral.
4. Agents for Wheaton Van Lines.

**WHO IS WHEATON VAN LINES?**

I.C.C. MC 87113

- a.) 9th Largest Mover in the country  
Large enough to ship your goods world wide, but small enough to give you Number 1 Service.
- b.) Wheatons drivers average 7 to 8 years experience
- c.) One of the smallest claim ratios of all major movers.
- d.) Wheatons facilities and equipment are among the most modern in the industry.

**DICK LEONARDO, Pres.**

**DELMAR**

**439-5210**

**WALLPAPER CLINIC**  
*Learn how to hang  
wallpaper and vinyls*

**DATE: Thursday, February 16**

**TIME: 7:00 p.m.**

**PLACE:**

**VOGEL WALLCOVERINGS, INC.**

411 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar

**Call 439-6335**

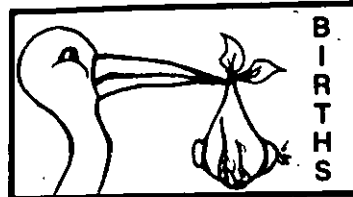
*Reservations accepted for  
the first thirty people*

**— Refreshments served —**

**Selwyn A. Fraiman, DDS**  
Family Dentist

Route 9W, Glenmont  
½ mile South of Feura Bush Road  
**TELEPHONE 463-3462**

Office hours  
(by appointment)  
Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 8:30 a.m.-12:00 noon



**Albany Medical Center**

Girl, Krista Leigh, to Mrs. and Mrs. Ronald Winters, 6 Windmill Dr., Glenmont, Dec. 29.

Boy, David Joseph, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stapf, 5 Oak Ct., Voorheesville, Jan. 7.

Girl, Lisa Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Schaap, RD 2, Voorheesville, Jan. 10.

Boy, Noah McClave, to Drs. Michael and Margaret Kieserman, Picard Rd., Voorheesville, Jan. 12.

Girl, Leah Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Everhart, 18 Rural Pl., Delmar, Jan. 13.

**St. Peter's Hospital**

Boy, Ryan Thomas, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNally, 22 Pineview Ave., Delmar, Dec. 25.

Girl, Marcie Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Altimari, Neil Blvd., Selkirk, Dec. 31.

Boy, Derek Arthur, to Mrs. and Mrs. Jeremy Halls, 405 Delaware Ave., Delmar, Jan. 4.

**No Spotlight Feb. 23**

**Albany quilt to hang here**

The Albany Quilt, containing 35 applique squares depicting historic buildings and Albany scenes, went on display at Bethlehem Library this week and will remain for the month of February.

The quilt has been displayed at the Albany Institute of History and Art, the New York State Bicentennial Ball at Empire State Plaza and The Arts Center on the Holy Names campus. It was designed and fashioned by 30 women of St. Peter's Episcopal Church in downtown Albany under the direction of Barbara Boynton of Slingerlands. Other Tri-Village residents whose work is in the quilt are Sally Brownell, Eleanor Adams, Lillian Shultz, Constance Van Heuven, Melissa Palmer, Lillian Longley, Florence Harris and Jean Joel of Slingerlands and Barbara Welt of Delmar.

**Ham dinner on**

The Dutch Arms Mens' Club of the Helderberg Reformed Church, Rt. 146, Guilderland Center, will hold its annual ham dinner on Saturday, Feb. 18, beginning at 3:30 p.m. and continuing until all are served.

**TERRACE LOUNGE**

OPEN FOR LUNCH MON. - FRI.

Available for parties, banquets, and wedding receptions for 30-120 people  
**Thursday, Friday & Saturday**  
**Jeannie Collins & Company!**

99 DELAWARE AVE., ELSMERE 439-9857

(Next to Albany Public Market)

**COURTSIDE TENNIS SHOP**

Delaware & Elsmere Aves., Delmar • 439-6803  
Open Monday thru Friday 'til 9, Saturday 'til 6

**DOUBLE** the space space  
**DOUBLE** the bargains bargains!!  
We have **DOUBLED** the size of our store, and **DOUBLED** the size of our ad on the next page to tell you about our

**EXPANSION SALE**

**FEB. 1 - 11**



**TIME TO RE-EVALUATE YOUR INSURANCE COVERAGE.**

In today's inflated market, your homeowner's policy may not be adequate to cover your losses in case of disaster. Bring in your policy now for a professional evaluation.

from your good friends at  
**THE INSURANCE OFFICE**

**ALEX SNOW**      **JOANN PACYNA**  
Olof H. Lundberg Agency • Tucker Smith Agency  
159 Delaware Ave • 439-7646 • Delmar, 12054

## Delmar publisher acquires paper

Rex Kitchen of Delmar, publisher of a Capital District free distribution "shopper" newspaper called Once A Week, has purchased the Rotterdam Reporter, a paid circulation weekly newspaper published at 1821 Curry Rd., Schenectady. The purchase price was not disclosed.

Kitchen, who publishes the shopper under the name Erex Publishing of Colonie, purchased the Reporter from VOD Communications, Inc., owned by Russell Mott. Mott will continue as a columnist for the Reporter and will retain his printing and composition accounts.

The Reporter carries legal advertising as the official newspaper of the towns of Rotterdam, Duanesburg and Princetown, village of Delanson and the Mohonasen School District, all in Schenectady County. In the first issue under the new ownership last week, the Reporter carried the full advertising complement of Kitchen's free distribution paper, which serves primarily discount chains.

"We're trying to blend the paid circulation of the Reporter with the saturation coverage for the discount stores," Kitchen said. He also plans to launch a circulation drive for the Reporter this week.

Kitchen has retained the sales and office staff of the Reporter and has hired two news reporters for the paid circulation paper. His free distribution paper carries syndicated feature articles but no local news in its editorial columns.

### At Legion conference

Mrs. Barbara Palmer represented the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post of Delmar at a nine-state Mid-Atlantic Area Conference sponsored by the American Legion, the Legion Auxiliary and the Eight and Forty in Newark, N.J., Jan. 25-28.

### Refresher courses set

Two cardiopulmonary resuscitation refresher courses will be offered by the Albany Area chapter, American Red Cross. The first, to be held on Thursday, Feb. 9, will begin at 7 p.m. The second will be held on Saturday, Feb. 18, at 9 a.m. Pre-registration is required. Call 462-7461.

# COURTSIDE TENNIS SHOP

Delaware & Elsmere Aves., Delmar • 439-6803  
Open Monday thru Friday 'til 9, Saturday 'til 6

**DOUBLE the space space  
DOUBLE the bargains bargains!!**

## EXPANSION SALE FEB. 1 - 11

**MOST TENNIS ITEMS ON SALE**

**SHOES**

as low as

**\$10**

**SHORTS &  
SHIRTS**

as low as

**\$8**

**RACKETS**

Wilson Kramer  
Evert Autograph  
Dunlop Maxply

**\$30**

nylon strings

Rackets  
Re-gripped **\$2**

Re-strung  
with nylon **\$5**

ONE DAY SERVICE

**Many DOWN HILL and  
CROSS-COUNTRY SKI  
items on sale**

**Selected TENNIS & SKI ITEMS  
reduced to 50% of suggested retail**

We also sell  
**Adidas, Nike & Etonic  
RUNNING SHOES &  
RAQUETBALL equipment**



**INDIAN LADDER FARMS**  
The Apple Experts

**CROSS COUNTRY SKIING**  
5 Miles of Trails  
\$1 per person-kids 12 & under FREE!  
"Controlled Atmosphere  
Apples Are IN!!"

Visit our farm market for mulled cider  
and hot cider donuts.

We make cider  
all winter

Store Hours: 9-5 Weekdays,  
10-5 Sundays Closed Mondays

Indian Ladder Farms  
2 miles west of Voorheesville on Rt. 156 Phone 765-2956



# THE INCOMPARABLE WALT STANLEY

every Friday, Saturday & Sunday

joined by  
**JOE CORNELL**  
on Saturdays

Rte. 85 New Scotland Rd.  
(12 mins. from Albany)

Dinner served from 5 to 10 daily,  
2 to 9 Sundays, closed Mondays

In addition to our Regular Menu we are now  
featuring Italian Dinners & an A la Carte Menu

— SANDWICHES AND PIZZA 'TIL 12 MIDNIGHT —

Serving lunch Thursday through Sunday  
Catering to banquets and private parties, too

765-9382 — 765-4426



## DEAN'S LIST

Johnson State College,  
Vermont — John C. Brown  
3rd, Delmar.

State University College at  
Cobleskill — Terri E. Mason,  
Delmar.

Rensselaer Polytechnic  
Institute — Nancy O'Connor,  
Glenmont.

St. Lawrence University —  
Ellen A. Rosenberg, Delmar.

University of Missouri —  
Sandra J. Butcher, Delmar.

Indiana University — Elaine  
M. LaForte, Delmar.

State University Colleg at  
Delhi — Susan Mosher,  
Unionville; William Haverly,  
Delmar.

Wheaton College, Wheaton,  
Ill. — Bruce Edwin Harro,  
Delmar.

### QUILT program set

The February meeting of  
QUILT, Quilters United In  
Learning Together, will feature  
an "Applique Festival" led by  
Polly DeGraff, Mary Brown  
and Barbara Boynton. At the  
meeting at Bethlehem Library  
on Friday, Feb. 10, Susan  
Gillespie will demonstrate the  
Hearts and flowers pattern. All  
interested persons are  
welcome.



Bruce F. Sowalskie

### Advanced at bank

Bruce F. Sowalskie of  
Delmar has been named  
regional credit manager at  
Schenectady for the National  
Commercial Bank and Trust  
Co. He is treasurer and a  
director of the Northeastern  
New York Speech Center, Inc.,  
and a member of the American  
Institute of Banking. He had  
been assistant manager in The  
Bank's commercial Loan  
Division Credit Dept. He is a  
graduate of Troy High School  
and the State University  
College at Oneonta.

### Bank race again

Eight National AAU 30-  
kilometer championships will  
be on the line March 19 in the  
fifth annual Bankathon, the  
Schenectady-to-Albany  
runners race sponsored by the  
National Commercial Bank  
and Trust Co. Entry blanks for  
the run of approximately 18½  
miles can be obtained at any  
office of the Bank or by  
contacting Burke Adams, 21  
Chestnut Ct., Rensselaer. All  
entries must be postmarked by  
March 5.

### Valentine dance set

The Ladies Auxiliary of  
Selkirk Fire Dept. No. 3, South  
Bethlehem, will sponsor a  
Valentine's Day dance at the  
fire house on Rt. 396, South  
Bethlehem, on Saturday, Feb.  
11. Music will be by "American  
Gentlemen" for dancing 9 p.m.  
to 1 a.m. The public is invited.

- ★ FAST, SAME-DAY SERVICE,  
EVEN ON SATURDAY!
- ★ WE SPECIALIZE IN  
DRAPERIES, SUEDES  
AND LEATHERS
- ★ AND WE HAVE THE  
LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN!



Men's 2-piece suit — \$2.00  
Bulk cleaning — 9 lbs., only \$3.00  
Shirts — Alterations — Laundry

## HANDY DANDY CLEANERS

Mon—Fri 7 a.m.-6 p.m. Sat 9-5

240 Delaware Ave., Delmar 439-4444

# NORTHEAST INSTITUTE OF GYMNASTICS

1328 CENTRAL AVENUE, ALBANY, N.Y.

Classes in Four Olympic Events — Balance Beam,  
Floor Exercise, Vaulting and Uneven Bars

For girls 7 years and up. Tiny Tots Program for 3½ to 6 years.  
Scaled to their ability in tumbling and beam.

Member: U.S. Gymnastics Federation, Qualified Coaching Staff of State,  
Regional & National Level Champions.

LIMITED ENROLLMENT

CALL 459-4547



# CLASSIFIEDS

Classified Ads are 15¢ per word (\$1.50 minimum) payable in advance before 4 p.m. Friday for following Thursday publication.

Come in person or mail your ad with check of money order to  
414 Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

439-4949

439-4949

## ANTIQUES

### ANTIQUES

Bought  
and  
Sold



"At the Sign of the Coffee Mill"

A Fabulous Collection

**Jeanne Van Hoesen**

67 Adams Place, Delmar

**(518) 439-1021**

### THE ANTIQUE EXCHANGE

154 Delaware Ave.  
next to Plaza  
(Behind Denby's)

### Antique Show & Sale

Sundays, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

### Turn of the Century Marketplace

4 Central Ave., Albany  
(Just above Lark Street)

For further info:

**439-4549 or 438-5167**

(Spaces Now Available)

Free Admission

### Antiques & Collectibles

### The Country Corner

449 Delaware Ave.  
Delmar

**439-5766**

9:55-5:30 daily  
Thurs. 10 'til 9p.m.

## APPLIANCES

WITH SALES — SERVICE  
PLETON TV • 439-2926. tf

N DYKE'S NORTHEAST, GE  
or Appliances and TV, Zenith  
& Stereos. 243 Delaware Ave.,  
Delmar. 439-6203 tf

## BEAUTY

**SPECIALIZING IN BRECK,**  
Realistic, Rayette and Caryl  
Richards permanents. Hair tinting  
and bleaching. **MELE'S BEAUTY**  
**SALON**, Plaza Shopping Center,  
439-4111. tf

## CARPENTRY

**KEVIN J. GILDAY, CARPENTRY.**  
Repairs, remodeling, built-ins,  
additions. 30 Charles Blvd. Delmar,  
439-5502 or 439-3122. tf

**REPAIRS, REMODELING, PAN-**  
**ELLING.** Attic insulation, stairs,  
cabinets, formica. All Carpentry/  
Masonry. Joe Loux, 439-1593. 3t126

**CARPENTRY** — Large or small jobs  
reasonable. 439-6841. 4t22

## CARPET CLEANING

**RICHARDSON Carpet Cleaners**—  
See our display ad elsewhere in this  
issue. 482-4768. tf

Why Steam Clean  
Carpets & Upholstery  
When I can **SHAMPOO** Them  
Using our **SPECIAL**  
**2-STEP PROCESS?**



for free estimate, call

### SCOTCH CLEANING SERVICE

768-2603, ask for Frank  
474-7979, ask for Theresa

## CROSS-COUNTRY SKIERS

### X-COUNTRY SKIS

sales & rentals

**Meyers Bicycle Center**

1958 New Scotland Rd.

**439-5966**

## ELECTRICAL

**EXPERIENCED ELECTRICIAN.**  
very reasonable. Free Estimates  
765-4530 —evenings & days. 3t126

### JAMES W. BARTLEY & SONS

ELECTRICAL-PLUMBING

**Hydronic Heating  
Water Pumps**

**768-2230**

## FIREWOOD

**SEASONED HARDWOOD** cut and  
split to order. Delivered and  
stacked at your convenience. Face  
cord \$35, 3 face cords \$90. John B.  
Guertze, Jr. 434-8903.

## FURNITURE REFINISHED

### ANTIQUE OR MODERN FURNITURE REPAIR SERVICE

Repairing—Refinishing  
Telephone if no CALL  
439-7700 answer 439-1800  
154 Delaware Ave., Elsmere

## HOME IMPROVEMENT

### DeVellis Bros. HOME IMPROVEMENTS ROOFING & SIDING

Fully Insured • Free Estimates  
**765-2188 765-4197**  
After 6:00

REMODELING—REPAIRS—ROOFING

BCB MARRIOTT



**(518) 439-4875**

PLUMBING HEATING ELECTRICAL

### Slingerlands Contracting, Inc.

Free Estimates No Job  
Too Small



Phone: 439-1222 If no answer, 456-4860  
Quality Work at a Reasonable Price

## HORSES

**JOSEPH'S TROUBADOR Stables.**  
Riding lessons, pony rides,  
training. Rt. 9-W, 767-9537.

### TORCHY'S TACK SHOP

Jericho Rd., Selkirk

**RO7-2701**

Mon.-Sat. 9-9

Boarding & Training Stables

RIDING SUPPLIES & SADDLES

Lessons—Indoor Arena

## INTERIOR DECORATING

**KECK'S DRAPERY CO.**  
Custom Draperies,  
Slip Covers, bedspreads.  
**LARGE FABRIC Selection**  
**Attractive Prices...**  
**...Home Service**  
Call **JOAN KEMMER 869-0589**

### Marion Michaels, Interiors

93 Font Grove  
Slingerlands, N.Y. 12159

Exclusive Designer Fabrics  
and Wallpapers

All Personal Decorating Services  
Phone: 439-6937 after 3:00 PM

## DRAPERIES

Fabric Selection  
Bedroom Ensembles  
Home Service  
Draperies

Custom made by Barbara  
Call **872-0897**

## JEWELRY

**WATCH REPAIRING**, expert  
workmanship. All work guaranteed.  
Also engraving, diamond setting,  
watch bands. Harry L. Brown,  
Jeweler, 4 Corners, Delmar. 439-  
2718.

**EXPERT WATCH AND JEWELRY**  
**REPAIRS.** Diamond settings,  
engraving wedding and engage-  
ment rings, reasonable, your  
trusted jeweler, LeWanda,  
Delaware Plaza Shopping Ctr. 439-  
9665.

## LAWN & GARDEN CARE

**REAGAN'S TREE SERVICE**, re-  
moval, trimming, cabling.  
Emergency service, insured. 439-  
5052. tf

**HERM'S TREE Service.** Call IV2-  
5231.



### LEE'S TREE SERVICE

- Removal
- Pruning
- Cabling

•24 hr. Emergency Service

Special Low Winter Rates  
Free Estimates, Fully Insured

**439-7365**

(Residential • Commercial • Industrial)

**TAMONT TREE SERVICE**  
REMOVAL & PRUNING

Free Estimates/Reasonable Rates/Insured  
**HENRY WHIPPLE**  
861-6541 or 861-5568

**VOGEL**  
PAINTING CONTRACTOR.  
Interiors — Exteriors  
PAPERHANGING  
COMMERCIAL SPRAYING  
Free estimates — Guaranteed  
INSURED 439-7922

**Dick Domermuth**  
ALUMINUM  
SIDING & TRIM

Our 27th Year

**768-2429**



INTERIOR PAINTING/ODD JOBS  
Reasonable. 439-1715.

**DELMAR SANITARY** Cleaners, service Tri-Village Area, over 20 years 768-2904.

**NORMANSKILL SEPTIC TANK** Cleaners. Systems installed. Electric Sewer Rooter Service. 767-9287.

**MASON WORK**

MASONRY AND CARPENTRY of all types. Over 20 years experience. **William Stannard**, 768-2893.

**ALL TYPES MASONRY**  
NEW — REPAIRS  
26 Years Experience  
Chimneys, Fireplaces, Stoops, Walks, Foundation Repairs, Waterproofing  
PROFESSIONAL WORK WITH INTEGRITY  
Serving this community for years with Pride — Satisfaction Guaranteed

**F. JOSEPH GUIDARA**  
439-1763, evenings

FIREPLACES, concrete floors, steps, chimneys; all types new MASONRY, repairs, CARPENTRY. **JOE LOUX**, 439-1593, 41216

**Painting & Paperhanging**

PAINTING, Interior-Exterior, Paperhanging. Experienced. Reasonable rates. **DeWitt Stannard**, 439-7110

**S & M PAINTING**  
INTERIOR & EXTERIOR  
Wallpapering — Paneling  
FREE ESTIMATES  
INSURED — WORK GUARANTEED  
765-4528

COMMERCIAL—INDUSTRIAL  
**D.L. CHASE**  
Painting Contractor  
Residential Specialists  
Phone 768-2069



**KEN JALET**  
Painting Contractor  
Paperhanging  
Free Estimates • Insured  
273-4590

Protect Your Investment  
Call **RUSS McCURDY**  
For Free Estimate  
Interior/Exterior Painting  
Quality Work • Fair Prices  
Insured 439-7124

**Mike Sinai**  
Painting Contractor  
Interior/Exterior Painting  
Attention to Detail  
Quality Workmanship  
Fully Insured-Free Estimates

**482-0659**

**PLUMBING—HEATING**

**B. P. WOOD**  
Plumbing & Heating  
24 Hour Service  
Phone 439-9454

**Home Plumbing Repair Work**  
Bethlehem Area  
CALL JIM for all your Plumbing problems  
Free Estimates • Reasonable Rates  
439-2108

**RESTORATION**

**INVISIBLE REPAIR**—Furniture, Antiques, Fine Porcelain, Statues, Figurines, Oil Paintings, Glassware, Metalware, Frames, Lamps. Any Valuable or Keepsake. **RESTORERS OF AMERICA**, 756-9600.

**ROOFING—SIDING**

ASPHALT, SLATE, Wood shingle repairs, ice-slides, gutters. **VANCANS**, 439-3541.


For A FREE Estimate On

**A NEW ROOF**  
**Cyrus Shelhamer Roofing**

- SNOW SLIDES
- GUTTERS
- TRAILER ROOFS

INSURED REFERENCES  
756-9386

Can't Decide Who to Call To Do Your ROOF?



Why not call the company where superior workmanship still means something.

**VANGUARD ROOFING CO.**  
Free Estimates Fully Insured  
Call **JAMES S. STAATS**  
767-2712

**SNOW REMOVAL**

SNOW PLOWING—Removal. Large or small jobs. **Joe**, 872-0236 2128

**SPECIAL SERVICES**

**B.P.W.**  
REFUSE SERVICE  
Residential • Commercial  
439-5569

ICE SKATES SHARPENED. Also saws, chain saws, knives, scissors, pinking shears, etc. 439-5156 or 439-3893.

Sewing Machines  
Vacuum Cleaners  
Sales • Service  
Parts • All Makes  
All Models  
Free Pickup & Delivery  
Small Appliance & Lamp Repair

It costs less for us to come into your home—than it does for you to drive it in to any repair shop

**East Greenbush Variety**  
693 Columbia Tpke.  
East Greenbush, N.Y.  
12061  
477-5993

**Beautiful Cakes**  
Decorated for all Occasions  
Weddings, Showers, Birthdays  
Anniversaries, Graduation, All Religious Occasions.  
**JOAN ADAMS**  
439-7247





**Sewing Machine Repairs**  
by well-known **John Besson**

- All makes of sewing machines
- Free Estimates in your home
- Workmanship guaranteed

463-2520

- Repairs on all makes of vacuum cleaners

**CHIMNEY SWEEP**  
Is Your Chimney Dangerously Dirty??  
**FIND OUT!!**  
Call Our Experienced  
**CHIMNEY SWEEPS**  
**Ron D'Ambrosi**  
**Howard Engel, Jr.**  
439-6616



**CLASSIQUE DANCE SCHOOL**  
154 A Delaware Avenue  
CHILDREN AND ADULTS  
PRIVATE OR GROUPS  
All types of Dance and Exercise  
439-3331 **Mrs. B. Follett**

**AUTO BODY SHOP**  
**Hilltowns Sales & Service**  
**COMPLETE BODY & FENDER REPAIRS**  
**Howard Hurley** — 4222 Elm Dr. EAST BERNE  
(off Pinnacle Rd. Helderberg Lake area)  
CALL 872-1805  
(satisfaction guaranteed)

OVER 25 YEARS EXPERT TAX SERVICE. FILE EARLY FOR REFUNDS. CALL 439-4471. **WALTER LAUT.** 41223

**OPENINGS AVAILABLE FOR  
MUR STUDENTS.** Experienced  
teacher, Berklee Alumni. All phases  
of drumming taught. For info. call  
David Calarco, 449-2117. . . . 2129

**MILD CARE** — lovely country  
home. 24 hr. service. 50¢/hour.  
7-9537.

**ALTERATIONS** — Hems, button-  
holes, all small sewing jobs.  
9-4582.

**MISC. FOR SALE**

**SAWDUST, WOODCHIPS** and  
firewood available. 438-3541.  
2122

**PAPER** — 20 single rolls pre-  
stamped, vinyl-coated, washable.  
eg. \$5.95, will sell \$2.25. 439-4751.  
2129

**COMPLETE SKI OUTFIT.** Reiker  
boots, 9, Northland 6' skis and step-  
bindings, Zenith poles. \$250  
plus, asking \$100, 732-2683.

**OLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES,**  
KC, OFA, \$150. Ready late Feb.  
May be seen any time. 439-5782.

**Instant PASSPORT PHOTOS** and  
identification pictures. Call L.  
Hellich, photographer. 439-5390.  
alt

**ADIES SKI BOOTS,** excellent  
condition, size 9½. 439-4502 after 4.

**FLY TRUMPET,** excellent  
condition, \$185. 439-2021 after 4.

**ALL THE GAPS** left by your  
Christmas decorations with **dried  
flower arrangements.** Reasonably  
priced. Your container or mine.  
9-2115.

**WANTED**

**DE WANTED** from Delmar to 50  
off Rd. (to arrive by 8 a.m.)  
9-2310.

**WANTED TO BUY**

**CASH MONEY PAID**  
Full Contents of Home  
Attics • Basements  
Silver • Guns  
439-1388

**AUTOMOTIVE for SALE**

**OLVO 145, 1970 WAGON,** 4-  
speed standard, runs well.  
9-9168. 2122

**CHRYSLER WAGON,** runs well.  
91 439-9168. 2122

**SITUATIONS WANTED**

**ALL BABYSIT** — my home,  
weekdays. 439-0536. 2122

**COMPANION AND NURSING,** day  
evening. 439-2832. 3122

**FORMER TEACHER** will babysit  
a child, my Voorheesville home,  
9vs, 785-3186.

**For Small Businesses:**  
Financial Reports — Accounting  
Bookkeeping

**For Individuals:**  
Financial Entitlements, Moderate Tax Returns  
& Financial Planning, if desired  
William E. Patchen  
Delmar 439-4063

**HELP WANTED**

**RECREATIONAL ASST. P-T,** \$3.50  
per hour. Mrs. Helmich, Personnel  
Dir., Job Corps, 767-9371. 3129

**Help Wanted**  
**RN's • LPN's • Nurses Aides**

Private Duty or Staff Relief  
Choice of Days and Shifts  
Must have 1 year experience  
Call 463-2171  
Medical Personnel Pool  
90 State Street  
Albany, N.Y.

**HELPER NEEDED TO MOVE  
FURNITURE.** Single, full-time, with  
car. Delmar area. 439-5210. . . . tf

**MATURE/RESPONSIBLE H.S. JR.,**  
boy. Vicinity of Elsmere &  
Kenwood. Pleasant after-school  
job. Call 439-6735 for interview.

**BABYSITTER** 2:15 to 11:15 p.m. 3  
days/week. Pheasant Run Apts.,  
references, 765-3143, 456-3595.

**SALESLADIES.** Fulltime & parttime  
positions available. Liberal  
company discount. **LITTLE  
FOLKS, DELMAR.** Call 439-2970,  
Mr. Treiber for appointment.

**CENTURY 21**  
**NO EXPERIENCE  
WANTED  
REAL ESTATE  
SALES**

Join the largest real  
estate organization in  
the United States

- PROFESSIONAL CLASS-  
ROOM INSTRUCTION
- AUDIO VISUAL SALES  
AIDS
- PERSONAL SUPERVISION

For information and interview  
call Dick Connolly

**Century 21**  
**REINER REALTY, INC.**  
489-7432  
Over 4,800 independently  
owned offices

**\$150 WEEKLY** stuffing envelopes  
sparetime possible. Experience  
unnecessary. Details, \$1.00  
stamped, self-addressed envelope  
to: K.C. Mail Sales, 8023  
Leavenworth Rd., Kansas City, KS  
66109. 5t223

**BOWLERS  
WANTED**

with over 180 average  
Fast 3-men teams  
**SUNDAYS 8 p.m.**  
**Delmar Alleys**  
CALL 785-3333  
ask for Marotta

**LOST & FOUND**

**LOST — TOOL BOX,** gray.  
Between Elm Ave. & Curtis Lumber.  
Reward, 439-6759.

**VACUUM CLEANERS**

**VACUUM CLEANERS &  
SEWING MACHINES**  
Repairs & Parts for All Makes  
The Third Generation Serving You  
**LEXINGTON VACUUM CLEANER  
& SEWING MACHINE**  
562 Central Ave. Albany  
482-4427

**ANSWERING  
SERVICE  
BUSINESS &  
PROFESSIONAL**  
Telephone Exchange  
24 Hours a Day  
**CALL  
439-4981**

**CLASSIFIED AD POLICY**  
Classified advertisements in the  
Spotlight must be paid for when the  
ad is submitted. We must enforce  
this policy strictly. Our rates are  
too small to permit invoicing and  
bookkeeping on these accounts.  
Please do not ask us to make any  
exceptions to this rule.

Your copy and remittance must  
reach us on Friday before 4:30 p.m.  
in order to appear in the following  
Thursday issue.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING  
RATES**  
15¢ per word for each insertion  
\$1.50 minimum  
Call 439-4949

Write, or stop in at our  
convenient office:  
414 Kenwood Ave., Delmar  
**Why don't YOU subscribe to  
THE SPOTLIGHT?**

**A Nurse  
You Can  
Trust**

To care for someone you love in  
the hospital or at home, Med-  
ical Personnel Pool has highly  
qualified RNs, LPNs, Aides and  
Attendants. Each is responsi-  
ble to our Director of Nursing,  
each fully insured and bonded.  
Day, night or around the clock  
care easily arranged.

**463-2171**

**MEDICAL PERSONNEL  
POOL**  
90 State St.,  
Albany

**Tools**  
**RESTAURANT**  
**FRIDAY ENTREE  
SPECIALS**

Breaded Fried  
**BAY SCALLOPS \$3.85**

Breaded \$2.95  
**FILLET of HADDOCK**

**LOBSTER NEWBURG**  
At its best \$4.25

**BEEF STROGANOFF**  
on noodles \$3.95

**OR, OLD FASHIONED  
BEEF POT ROAST**  
(Eye of Round) \$3.95

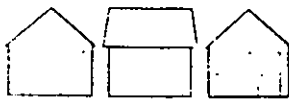
Above items served with  
veg. or salad, potato, hot  
rolls & butter

Bountiful **LOBSTER  
SALAD** with crisp lettuce,  
sliced tom., hot rolls &  
butter \$3.25

Ever Popular **LOBSTER  
ROLL**, served on a butter-  
toasted roll, chock-full of  
delicious lobster salad,  
with potato chips \$2.65

**283 DELAWARE AVE.,  
DELMAR 439-9111**  
**OPEN 7 a.m. — 8 p.m.**

# REAL ESTATE



## DIRECTORY

### Local

- Cohn Yaguda Cronin ..... 439-7657  
321 Delaware Ave.
- John J. Healy ..... 439-7615  
5 Grove St.
- Klersy Realty Inc. .... 439-7601  
282 Delaware Ave.
- Picotte Realty Inc. .... 439-4943  
205 Delaware Ave.
- Philip E. Roberts Inc ..... 439-9906  
190 Delaware Ave.
- Realty Executive Agency Inc. ... 463-6643  
Rt. 9W, Glenmont
- Scarborough Realty Inc. .... 439-9306  
Elm Ave.

### Area

- Del Palmer Inc. .... 434-0181  
111 State St., Albany

## REAL ESTATE for RENT

- APT.—SLINGERLANDS. \$165. 1  
BR. no pets. sec. dep.. 439-9824.
- 2129
- CLARKSVILLE APT. 5 rms. stoves,  
refrig. 439-1030



**BUYING  
OR  
SELLING  
PROPERTY?**

\*\*\*\*\*  
\* **EXCLUSIVE HOME** \*  
\* **WARRANTY** \*  
\* BUY AND SELL WITH CONFIDENCE! \*  
\* A ONE YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY \*  
\* ON PLUMBING, HEATING, CENTRAL \*  
\* AIR CONDITIONING, ELECTRICAL \*  
\* SYSTEM, RANGES, BUILT-IN \*  
\* APPLIANCES, AND STRUCTURAL \*  
\* AVAILABLE ON MANY OF OUR PRE- \*  
\* OWNED HOMES FOR SALE. \*  
\*\*\*\*\*

## Announcement REAL ESTATE CLASSES

**Starting  
This Month**  
Class Size Limited  
Now Hiring for our  
new Delmar office  
459-1520



## ROOM WITH BOARD

PARENTS BOARDED. Love  
country home. Visit with them an  
time. 767-9537.

Wedding  
Photographs ..  
by Campbell

PORTRAIT  
CANDID  
COMMERCIAL

439-1381

Delmar, N.Y.

## SLINGERLANDS

### New England Colonial

New construction featuring entrance foyer, living room and  
dining room, kitchen with appliances and bright eating  
area. Panelled family room with fireplace. 2½ baths,  
2-car garage..... \$66,900.

**PAGANO**



**REALTORS**

**439-9921**

264 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

## WESTCHESTER WOODS

Three beautiful Klersy-built 4-bedroom, 2½  
bath Colonials now available: a 2-year-old  
with large private rear yard; and a just-listed  
4-year-old loaded with extras. Beat the Spring  
market — call now! Priced from \$77,900 to  
\$89,900.



**KLERSY REALTY**

**439-7601**

282 DELAWARE AVE., DELMAR 12054

HENRY J. KLERSY JR. BROKER

**ROSEN-MICHAELS  
REAL ESTATE**

## The New Sign of Full Service

Offering four-county multiple listing • A guaranteed sale  
program • Knowledgeable professionalism • A well-known and  
respected name. We are an arm of  
Rosen-Michaels Builders & Developers

**BUYING, SELLING, TRADING? Call us — 783-0151**



## DELMAR EXECUTIVE HOME

Stunning four-bedroom brick split-level on heavily  
treed 113' x 206' property.

Fully air-conditioned, two fireplaces, newly decorated  
with modern flair.

Brand new kitchen. Two family rooms, one with private  
entrance to outside that can be a separate office  
situation.

Master bedroom suite has its own bath. Fully carpeted.

\$70's



**REALTORS • LOUDONVILLE • 434-4590**

# Vox Pop

Vox Pop is open to all readers for letters in good taste on matters of public interest. Letters over 300 words are subject to abridging by the editor. All letters must be signed but names will be withheld on request.

## Campaign revisited

Editor, The Spotlight:

It was indeed interesting to read in the Spotlight of Jan. 26 that Supervisor Corrigan met with Mayor Corning to obtain permission for the town to interconnect with the city of Albany's water main. At last Supervisor Corrigan has realized that even though "Republican" rain may fall on election day filling our reservoir, there still remains the problem of bringing the water from the reservoir to the town's water supply system.

There should be no doubt in anyone's mind that our present Kenwood Ave. standpipe is not

adequate to provide pressure for emergency situations and for future growth. This was, of course, the situation determined by the engineering study of the town's water supply and brought to our attention recently by Ed Stringham. Plans for a new standpipe should, of course, not be held up by politics despite the recent attempts by the previous administration to deny the problem.

I commend Supervisor Corrigan for taking appropriate steps in the interim to protect us from the possible disaster of inadequate water pressure. However, I cannot resist pointing out the irony to the town electorate that if their lawns are kept green this summer and if we are to be protected from inadequate pressure this summer, it will not be because of the long-range planning of our Republican administration but rather because of the gracious consent of Mayor Corning. The temptation to point out that regardless of how much

## THIS WEEK'S HIGH SCHOOL SPORT SCHEDULE AT BETHLEHEM CENTRAL



- Feb. 3 - Girls Basketball, Scotia home 3:45
- Feb. 3 - Volleyball, Scotia, home 3:45
- Feb. 3 - Wrestling, Saugerties, away 6:30
- Feb. 4 - Basketball, Burnt Hills, home 8:30
- Feb. 4 - Indoor track, Wash. Ave. Armory 9 a.m.
- Feb. 7 - Girls Basketball, Burnt Hills, home 6:30
- Feb. 7 - Basketball, Colonie, home 8
- Feb. 7 - Volleyball, Mohonasen, away 3:45
- Feb. 7 - Wrestling, Burnt Hills, home 4:00
- Feb. 8 - Volleyball, Colonie, home 3:45
- Feb. 8 - Indoor track, Wash. Ave. Armory 4

compliments of

# Donnelly SHOES

DELAWARE PLAZA  
439-6106

LATHAM CORNERS  
783-7491

## Thinking of selling your home?

We will be happy to answer your questions about the entire process from advertising to closing. Please call us at 439-4943 or stop by our office at 205 Delaware Avenue, Delmar.

439-4943

205 Delaware Ave.

489-8551

1215 Western Ave.  
Albany



465-4747

120 Washington Ave.  
Albany

We bring people home.

# PICOTTE

REAL ESTATE

## UNIQUELY WEEKLY

Subscribe to

# The Spotlight

for professional news coverage of Delmar, Slingerlands, Voorheesville, Glenmont and nearby communities.

**\$6.00 a year—2 years \$10.00**  
within Albany County

All other Subscriptions \$8.00 a year.  
SPOTLIGHT, 414 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, N.Y. 12054

Please enter my  renewal  new subscription to the SPOTLIGHT. I have enclosed \$6.00 for the next year, \$10.00 for the next 2.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

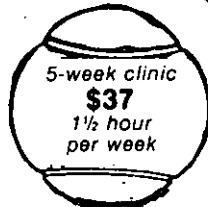
P.O. \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

# PLAY TENNIS FOR FUN & EXERCISE AT SOUTHWOOD TENNIS & SWIM CLUB



- Group Lessons
- Private Lessons at \$8 for 1/2 hr. Available — morning, afternoons and evenings
- Junior Development Program
- 6 Indoor Courts & Practice Court
- Complete pro shop
- Rates start at \$8/hr.
- Indoor pool & sauna

**Special!**



Taught by Tennis Professionals  
David Robards and John Sciara, U.S.P.T.A.

**southwood** TENNIS & SWIM CLUB, INC.

ROUTE 9W AND SOUTHERN BLVD. (at Thruway Exit 23) ALBANY, N. Y. 12209  
PHONE 436-0838

Republican rain fills our reservoir, it is a Democratic pipe that supplies our homes with water, is great but admittedly silly and juvenile. The point was and is that water pressure is just as important as a full reservoir and that long-range planning of our water system may have avoided the problem at hand.

The fact is that during the campaign of last November the attempt to confuse and misuse the issue was successful and now we see that the problem must be faced. Hopefully, in future town elections issues can be discussed and determined on their merits without slogans and attempts to discredit them on the basis of guilt by association. The irony of Mr. Corrigan seeking help from Mayor Corning, the man he painted as the arch villain of all times, should not escape us. While he is to be commended for his courage in eating a bit of humble pie for our common good, let us also hope he was enough of a gentlemen to apologize to the mayor for his bad manners during the heat of the campaign and let us not forget Mr. Stringham was right all the time.

*Jed B. Wolkenbreit*

Delmar

### Dogs and deer

Editor, The Spotlight:

One day this winter, before the major snowfall, six deer spent 15 minutes lazily inspecting our backyard in Elsmere. We were, of course, delighted, for we had dumped several bushels of wormy apples there for deer to eat when other food became scarce. But it took more than that. For some years it was

normal to find several deer killed by dogs in the woods close by. Then the town fathers decreed that dogs not be allowed to run at large in Bethlehem.

Dog owners also deserve credit for keeping their dogs close to home when outside, and Art Taylor, town dog warden, has been diligent in rounding up stray animals. Many of us find life entertaining in suburbia by watching the small birds, squirrels, pheasants, grouse and occasionally a deer. Let's give both the dog owners and town officials credit for cutting down on the number of dogs running at large in Bethlehem.

*Name Submitted*

Elsmere

### Cats and birds

Editor, The Spotlight:

I sympathize with Mrs. Bosse whose Persian cat was hit by a pellet. But if she does not want her cat discouraged from wandering by a BB or a pellet, please tell those of us who like birds more than cats just how to control the rash of cats that constantly occupy our back yards.

Mrs. Bosse spends money on her cat. We spend money feeding birds and planting food species for them in our yards. The usual response, "My cat does not catch birds," is hogwash unless the cat is closely supervised when out of doors, for cats are by nature predators and catch birds when the opportunity arises. So, cat lovers, please give us bird lovers a break.

*Gardiner Bump*

Elsmere

## JUST PICK A PAPER VOGEL HAS IT.

Delmar's Most Aggressive  
Wallcovering Shop

- Great Service
- Top Selection
- Sales Staff That Cares

**VOGEL  
WALLCOVERING**  
411 Kenwood Ave. Delmar  
439-6335



## COMMUNITY NURSERY SCHOOL

of Voorheesville

Will be accepting applications for Fall registration  
for 4 year olds (by Dec. 1)  
Tues. Feb. 7 - 9 a.m. Call 765-2198, 765-4696  
United Methodist Church, Maple Ave., Voorheesville  
Co-op or Non Co-op

**now removal**

The Spotlight has lost count of the number of people, local residents as well as those from Albany and other nearby communities, who have praised Bethlehem's performance in keeping its streets plowed during the recent heavy snowfalls and in the follow-up snow removal job.

No one has written to Vox Corp. so your scarred old editor offers these paragraphs as an adequate tribute to Supt. of Highways Martin Cross Jr. and his weary crews. Among the many verbal and casual comments heard during the storms were such as these: "You can't move in Albany, but out here the roads are plowed wide and traffic is moving," and "In comparison with the city, it's like May in Delmar."

*In rural New Scotland, Supt. Peter Van Zetten's crews also toiled 'round the clock. Their roads don't get Bethlehem's traffic density, but the residents who live in hilly, windswept and remote sections of New Scotland are grateful for their town plows. Ed.*

**No Spotlight Feb. 23**  
Feb. 16 copy deadline Feb. 10



**CAT HAVEN**  
FOR CATS ONLY  
Reservations Requested  
Individual Care in Private Home  
ETHEL FAY 765-2715

**CARPET and NOWAX VINYL FLOORS**  
roger smith  
439-4468 439-4751

**T. ARTHUR COHEN**  
**ANNUAL WINTER SALE**  
**ALL SHOE BOOTS LEATHER**

|                |      |                |
|----------------|------|----------------|
| <b>\$38.88</b> | WERE | <b>\$48.00</b> |
| <b>\$29.00</b> | WERE | <b>\$36.00</b> |
| <b>\$15.00</b> | WERE | <b>\$22.00</b> |

**FOOTWEAR SAVINGS**

**WOMEN'S WINTER STOCK**  
**WILBURCOON LOCKE ONLY**

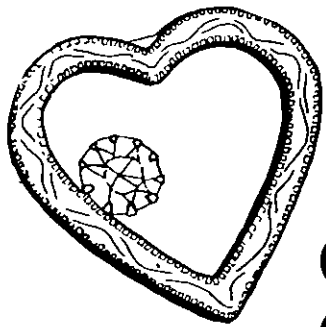
**FOOT SOPORT 20% OFF**  
**DR. SCHOLLS 16.99 TO 28.88**  
**VALUES WERE TO \$42.00**  
**A FEW DISCONTINUED SLIPPERS**

**\$8.88 WERE TO \$12.00**

*T. Arthur Cohen*

**33 MAIDEN LANE**  
**NO EXCHANGES NO REFUNDS**

BANK AMERICARD  
MASTERCARD  
NO EXCHANGES



**Community Corner**

**Legislative matters**

Assemblyman Larry Lane has opened a satellite office at 1 Becker Terrace, Delmar, to better serve his constituents in this area.

The office will be open between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Assemblyman Lane himself will be in Delmar each Wednesday from 3:30 to 6:60 p.m. to discuss personally any matter of importance to a resident.

At a time when important changes in the laws of New York State are being considered, this is an excellent opportunity for citizens to get accurate information and to express their views on pending legislation. We hope many residents will take advantage of it.

*Community Corner, a public service column of important community events, is sponsored by*



**City & County Savings Bank**  
Member FDIC

163 Delaware Avenue, Delmar  
(Opposite Delaware Shopping Plaza)  
439-9941



**WE HAVE IT ALL!  
A TO Z**

- |                       |                       |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| A. ARTISTS' MATERIALS | N. NEEDLECRAFT        |
| B. BATIK              | O. OSMIROID PENS      |
| C. CERAMIC CLAYS      | P. PERMANENT PIGMENTS |
| D. DECOUPAGE          | Q. QUILLING           |
| E. EASELS             | R. REMBRANDT PASTELS  |
| F. FRAMES             | S. STRING ART         |
| G. GRUMBACHER         | T. TOLE WARE          |
| H. HOW TO BOOKS       | U. UNDER GLAZES       |
| I. INKS               | V. VENUS PENCILS      |
| J. JUTE               | W. WEAVING LOOMS      |
| K. KIDS CRAFTS        | X. X-ACTO TOOLS       |
| L. LATCH HOOK RUGS    | Y. YARNS              |
| M. MACRAME            | Z. ZIPPER PORTFOLIOS  |

**PLUS  
FREE 1978 ARTS & CRAFTS CATALOG**

**CRAFTS PLUS  
STUYVESANT PLAZA**

Mon.-Fri. 10-9 Sat. 10-6  
SUNDAYS 12-5  
438-7679

**—SORRY—**

The wrong telephone number  
was printed for our  
Jewelry and Macrame classes

**Call 439-1883**

Macrame classes will now start Tuesday, Feb. 7

**—CROSSROADS TO CREATIVE HANDS—**

414 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar (by 4 Corners)

Mon, Wed, Fri, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. • Tues, Thurs, Sat, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.



**VALENTINE DAY  
Specials**

from the House of Gorham  
Crystal Heart Pendants  
9.95 and 14.95  
Crystal Heart Earrings 14.95  
additional designs available

**THE CRYSTAL CHANDELIER  
in Delmar  
BEHIND TOWN HALL**

Lamps - Shades - Gifts - Accessories for the P-



**439-4643** Lay-aways always available  
Tuesday - Saturday, 10 - 5:30; closed Monday



**Danny & Bonita Lee**



welcome you  
to the

**GRAND  
OPENING**

OF

**Lee's Restaurant**

*featuring fine*

Cantonese, Mandarin, Szechuan,  
Polynesian and American cuisine

*carefully prepared by*

Chef Freddy Lau

from Hong Kong & New York

**LUNCH, DINNERS & TAKE-OUT  
DELICIOUS COCKTAILS**

Mon-Thurs 11-10 Fri-Sat 11-10:30 Sun 11:30-10  
**DELAWARE PLAZA 439-6662**



Delmar, N.Y. 12054  
451 Delaware Ave.

Bethlehem Public Library