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Legion Aux., Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Tuesdays, 8 p.m.

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.

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Village of Voorheesville, Board of Trustees, fourth Tuesday at 8 p.m., Planning Commission third Tuesday at 7 p.m., Zoning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7 p.m. when agenda warrants, village hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave.

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Cooperative Extension Assn. of Albany County 63rd annual dinner, Resource Development Center, Martin Rd., Voorheesville, 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

The Joyful Noise. sponsored by Christian Music Ministeries, Inc., New Scotland Presbyterian Church, 2010 New Scotland Rd., New Scotland, 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6

BCHS fall pops concert, Bethlehem Central High School Auditorium, 8 p.m.

Music, Bethlehem Library, 1:30 p.m.

Registration for pre-school story hour, for 2½-year-olds and parents, for Nov. 28 and Nov. 30, Bethlehem Library, contact Micki Nevett, children's and young adult services.

Delmar Kiwanis, La Casa Restaurant, Rt. 9W, 6:15 p.m.

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

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Bake sale, Glenmont School.

Bake sale, Bethlehem Middle School, sponsored by Parents Steering Committee.

Garden club, Delmar Reformed Church dining hall, 10 a.m.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Bethlehem school board, Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Pl., Delmar, report on remedial reading services, 8 p.m.



Public hearing, Bethlehem town board, on preliminary budget for-1979, town hall, 8 p.m.

Public hearing, Bethlehem town board, to consider the Bethlehem Sewer District assessment rolls for 1979, town hall, 7:30 p.m.

Bethlehem Junior Women's Club, Bethlehem Library. Information, 439-7049 or 439-9555.

Public hearing, New Scotland town board, on the preliminary budget for 1979, town halt, 7 p.m.

Half Moon Button Club of Albany, nomination of officers and celluloid workshop, Mrs. William Crawford, chairman, Bethlehem Library, noon.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9 Adult information class, Rev. Warren Winterhoff, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

Christian science lecture, Ruth E. Jenks, "A New Beginning," sponsored by First Church of Christ Scientist, Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, Southern Blvd. at Thruway Exit 23, 8 p.m. Free. Child care available.

Slide-lecture presentation, Martha Egleston, professor emeritus of history at SUNYA, sponsored by the Albany Area Retired Teachers Assn., Bethlehem Library, 12:30 p.m.

Ladies Auxiliary of the Elsmere Fire Co., fire hall, 8 p.m. Refreshments.

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Third annual craft show, Locust Knoll Artisans, junction Rt. 85A and Picard Rd., 4-9 p.m.

Creative arts class, Bethlehem Library, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Pancake and sausage breakfast, Youth Group of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, starting 7 a.m. Tickets at the door or from Youth Group members.

Roast beef supper and bazaar, Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Tpk., 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 p.m. servings. Reservations, 439-1151.

Spaghetti supper, sponsored by Clarksville PTA, Clarksville Elementary School, 5-8 p.m. Tickets available at the Clarksville Supermart, or Mrs. Turner at the school.

Third annual craft show, Locust Knoll Artisans, junction Rt. 85A and Picard Rd., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Scholastic football, Columbia High School at Bethlehem Central, 1:30 p.m. Scholastic football, Tamarac at Voorheesville, 1:30 p.m.

Flower arranging workshop, Mrs. Dorothy Geyer, instructor, the Garden Shoppe, 10 a.m.-noon. Call for reservations, 439-1835.

Christmas crafts and bake sale, Voorheesville Community Club, St. Matthew's Church, Mountainview Ave., 1-6 p.m.

Guided walk, "Weathering the Winter," Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 2 p.m. Warm clothing and walking shoes recommended.



Morning Service—10 a.m. Evening Service—6 p.m. Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting—7 p.m.



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- "The Fantasticks," musical, Mac-Haydn Theatre, Rt. 203, Chatham, Nov. 2-5, Thurs.-Sat. 8 p.m., Sun. 7 p.m., discount matinee Sat. 2 p.m. 392-9292.
- "The Bad Seed," Albany Civic Theatre, Oct. 25-29, Nov. 1-5. 462-1297.
- "Women In and Out of Love," one-woman show by Suzanah Scher, Recital Hall, SUNYA Performing Arts Center, **Nov. 3-4**, 8 p.m. \$3.50, students, SCs \$2.50. Reservations 457-8606.

MUSIC

- "An Evening of Gilbert & Sullivan," soloists, chorus, Karen Ranung Studio, First Unitarian Society, 405 Washington Ave., Albany, **Nov. 3**, 8:15 p.m. Tickets at door.
- Flamenco guitar concert by Sabicas, world master, sponsored by Opera Buffs, "The Egg" at Empire State Plaza, **Nov. 11**, 8:15 p.m. Community Box Office, \$8.75, \$6.75.
- 'Music for Awhile," 25-minute noontime organ concerts by Andrew Clarke, St. Peter's Church, State St., Albany, each Friday at 12:05 p.m.

ART

- "Works on Paper," Jack O'Hara, College of St. Rose Picotte Gallery, 324 State St., Albany, through Nov. 24. Weekdays 12-6, Sundays 2-5.
- Photography exhibit, Martin Benjamin, The Center Gallery, 75 New Scotland Ave., Albany, through Nov. 18. Weekdays 10-5, Sundays 1-4.
- State Bank of Albany, 175th anniversary exhibition, paintings, prints, photographs, Albany Institute of History & Art, through November.

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Politics: groping for issues in 'quietest' campaign

In direct contrast to last year's all-out election campaign in Bethlehem and New Scotland, the 1978 campaign is close to being a yawner.

There are several reasons: it's an "even" year, hence the focus

is on state and county races; major candidates have for the most part by-passed Bethlehem and New Scotland in their personal appearance itineraries, and the only contests that are strictly local — two special elections in Bethlehem — are virtually devoid of debatable issues.

With most of the attention on the Carey-Duryea gubernatorial struggle, candidates on the regional and local level have

AN EDITORIAL Politics: a rare non-endorsement

The Spotlight believes that a newspaper's function is to report the news and, where appropriate, interpret news developments for the information of its readers. That is why this newspaper never endorses one candidate for political office over another, which many editors and publishers like to do when they control a newspaper.

Never? Well, almost never. This time we're making an unprecedented exception.

The campaign tactics of Barbara Selmer, Democratic candidate for "our" seat in the Assembly, are an affront to conscientious voters and cast serious doubts on her own personal integrity. Rarely does a candidate conduct an entire campaign with a total absence of a positive program, showing almost no semblance of ability to handle the responsibilities of representing an important segment of the population in the Legislature, including the towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland.

Instead, she has depended on her social personality and a dubious series of attacks on her opponent, the incumbent C.D. "Larry" Lane. The attacks have sunk so low as to feed to the media accusations reflecting on Lane's moral and ethical integrity.

In a Legislature notorious for serving its own and special interests at the expense of the public, it is frustrating to see a candidate with doubtful qualifications for public service and lacking personal conscience smearing one of the Assembly's hardest working and most dedicated members. It is even more frustrating when the smear is spread by television newsmen who don't check out statements

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made in the expediency of an election campaign.

How different are Barbara Selmer's tactics from those of her predecessor, Mary Lou Bartolotta of Livingston, Columbia County, who two years ago waged a high-level, intelligent campaign against Lane's popularity and legislative record without stooping to sling irresponsible mud at a respected opponent.

How different from the campaign, even more heated, being conducted by Robert Prentiss, the Republican contesting Howard Nolan's seat in the state Senate, and by Nolan. Prentiss has stressed a series of legislative reforms and has put forth a positive program instead of slurs against Nolan, who, like Lane, has the respect of legislators on both sides of the aisle in Albany.

This is not an endorsement of Larry Lane, despite the strength and community responsibility he has repeatedly demonstrated. Rather, it is an appeal to the thoughtful voters of Bethlehem and New Scotland to reject the tactics of Barbara Selmer.

Let's hope that community-minded voters among the traditional straight-ticket Democratic faithful, including the most zealous of party workers, pause a moment in flicking the levers in Row A in the polling booth on Tuesday and give some thought to dropping down — or skipping — the lever under Barbara Selmer's name.

There is time next year for local party leaders to come up with a qualified candidate worthy of an intelligent vote.

Nat Boynton

had to scratch for issues that would appeal to voters. With one exception, candidates for the state and county legislatures have directed their efforts to positive programs rather than hammering at their opponents, which tends to cut down on the excitement but keeps the intelligence quotient at a respectable level.

Bethlehem has two local races, both involving incumbents appointed for interim terms and now running for a one-year mandate until the regular election in November, 1979. New Scotland has none on the purely local level.

Bethlehem's in-town balloting pits incumbent Democrat George Harder against Republican Gordon Morris for an interim term in the Albany County legislature, and incumbent Harry B. Rezzemini against Democratic challenger Mike Breslin for town justice.

Harder, who lost a close race for town supervisor in 1975, was appointed by the heavily Democratic majority in the county legislature to fill the unexpired term of Bernard Kaplowitz, who resigned last February to become Bethlehem town attorney. The resignation cost the GOP one of its 11 seats in the 50member body.

Rezzemini, who was serving as town attorney at the time, resigned to accept an appointment as one of Bethlehem's two police justices, succeeding Donald DeAngelis, who resigned to devote full time to his law practice.

Harder, Morris and Breslin have been conducting intense doorbell drives in their respective bailiwicks. The town Re-





Barbara Selmer

publican committeemen hope Rezzemini has been doing the same.

Since Bethlehem voters have never elected a Democrat to any office since the birth of the Republic, the pressure is always on the challengers to dig up issues to arouse the public. The closest they could come this year was to jump on a budget request in the early draft of Bethlehem's town budget that would raise the salary of town justices from \$12,000 to \$16,000 to accommodate a courtroom workload that has leapt from an average of 69,000 cases a year to 88,000. The issue disintegrated last week when the Republican-controlled town administration killed the request in the honed-down budget submitted to the public. The two races thus were relegated to popularity contests.

Breslin has been emphasizing his experience with young adults as an infantry officer in the U.S. Army, where he was responsible for commanding and supervising draftees during the turbulent period of the 1960s.

The lone sour note of the fall campaign came from Barbara Selmer, who lists Greenville as her residence as the Democratic challenger to Assemblyman C.D. "Larry" Lane, GOP incumbent from Windham. The latest Assembly gerrymander threw three Albany County towns — Bethlehem, New Scotland and Coeymans —



C.D. Lane

into the 102nd district with Columbia and Greene counties.

Selmer's three press statements attacked Lane's voting record on sales tax legislation, in which Lane has been battling for repeal of the levy on home heating fuels. Last week in television interviews Selmer accused Lane of a conflict of interest by hiding his affiliation as a bank trustee and voting on bank legislation.

Lane, whose reputation as a conscientious legislator is well known in the Assembly and in the 102nd district over eight terms, issued a rebuttal, his first public statement of the campaign. Lane said he had reported his position as a trustee of the Greene County Savings Bank in disclosure statements in 1975 and 1976, but a clerical error deleted it from his 1977-78 financial statement. He also declared he had abstained from voting on savings bank legislation that might constitute a conflict of interest, and had stood on the floor to state his position in accordance with chamber rules. "My record is clear," his statement said.

With only one weekend to go before the polls open, neither Lane nor Selmer had done much personal campaigning in the populous sections of Bethlehem nor in rural New Scotland. Selmer's predecessor, Mary Lou Bartolotta of Livingston, made a strong showing in a losing effort against Lane two years ago with a vigorous drive in Bethlehem that met current issues and was devoid of mud-slinging.

Selmer, who won the Democratic nod in a primary contest in September, was attacked last week by a member of the Greene County legislature for implying previous public service "in areas she has never worked." Andrew Macko of Freehold said Selmer "stretched the truth" by inferring she served on the Greenville school board and as a tax collector. Macko said she was defeated in a contest for the school board in June, 1977, and lost two bids for the tax collector post by 3-1 margins in 1971 and 1973.

Although Lane held off on a personal counterattack, his office distributed the Macko press statement that said "the list of untruths being generated by the Selmer campaign in addition to her total lack of background and experience in public service, make her totally unqualified, incompetent and ethically unfit to even attempt to handle the job."

Ballet students chosen

Mary Wotton of Delmar and Tricia Daniels of Albany, students at the Hevenor School of Ballet Arts, Delmar, have been selected to join the Berkshire Ballet in the performance of "The Nutcracker Suite" at the Albany Performing Arts Center in December.

BC '73 reunion

The Bethlehem Central High School class of 1973 will hold their fifth reunion, with a buffet and dancing, at the Tall Timber Country Club, Slingerlands, Nov. 25 from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. Call Keith Austin, 463-8061, for reservations.

DELMAR Police tracing video pirates

Bethlehem police and officials of Bethlehem Video, Inc. are investigating several incidents of local residents tapping into cable television trunk lines.

Detectives said two illegal connections have been traced to adjacent dwellings on Gardner Terr., Delmar, and a third on Salisbury Rd., Elsmere. Police indicated several others may be added to the list.

Police said they expected to make arrests momentarily on charges of theft of services, a Class A misdemeanor punishable by one year in jail or a maximum fine of \$1,000. Bethlehem Video, which holds the cable TV franchise for Bethlehem, has stated it will prosecute the cases, police said.

Corpsmember arrested

The arrest of an 18-year-old youth under the supervision of the New York Job Corps Center in Glenmont last week is the first such incident involving the rehabilitation facility since it was established here nearly two years ago. Officer Fred J. Holligan of Bethlehem police arrested the youth and a companion, James Strohm, 23, of Windham, Ohio, on charges of possession of marijuana when he found them sleeping in a car parked at the Henry Hudson riverfront park at 9:45 a.m. Oct. 21. Bail was set at \$75 each, and the corpsmember, whose name was withheld, was released to the State Dept. of Correctional Services.





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DELMAR Legion honors board member

Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post, American Legion, will present a citation for meritorious community service to one of its members, John H. Clyne of Elsmere, at a Veterans Day ceremony next Thursday, Nov. 9.

The presentation will highlight the Delmar post's observance of American Education Week, Nov. 12-18. Clyne, a Navy veteran of World War I, is the senior member of the Bethlehem Central board of education, on which he has served for 14 years. Before coming to Delmar he served for seven years on the school board at Hamden, Conn., and taught at New Haven College. He also has served five years as chairman of the education committee of the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce, chairman of the Albany District of the Boy Scouts of America and a member of the education task

force of the Albany Catholic Diocese.

The award will be presented to Clyne at the post at noon, at which time the post will also conduct its annual ceremony observing Veterans' Day (Nov. 11).

As part of its participation in American Education Week, which was founded jointly by the American Legion and the National Education Assn. in 1921, the post has announced that it will again make a scholarship award to a boy and girl member of the senior class at Bethlehem Central High School. These awards will be presented at the Awards Assembly in May.

Luncheon for post members and their guests will follow the ceremonies at the post rooms on Poplar Dr., Elsmere.

BICYCLE THEFTS

Oct. 19 — Bethlehem Central High School, storage room.

Oct. 23 - BCHS (no location given).



Bethlehem police officer Richard Vanderbilt shows Britt Luzzi the safe way to wear a mask as Michael Chung, left, watches Hallowe'en safety demonstration at Elsmere School, Cheryl Marks

Bake sale Tuesday

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Elsmere Fire Co. will hold their annual Election Day bake sale on Nov. 7 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the firehall. All proceeds will be donated to the Albany County Volunteer Fire Fighters Burn Fund.

Extension annual dinner

The Cooperative Extension Association of Albany County will hold its 63rd annual dinner meeting on Saturday, Nov. 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the Resource Development Center, Martin Rd., Voorheesville. For reservations, call 765-3635.



Plant donates science films

Science Screen Report, a series of contemporary educational films on science-related subjects, has been donated to the Bethlehem Central school system by the Delmar plant of Owens-Corning Fiberglas.

The schools will receive nine new color films, one per month from October through May, as a permanent part of their audiovisual library. Plant manager Joseph Curl presented this year's first edition to school officials in a brief ceremony at 90 Adams P1. on Friday. Entitled "Research Into Genetics," the film employs animation and microphotography for a look into the human body.

The series is produced by Allegro Film Productions of New York in cooperation with the National Science Teachers Assn. and the Engineers Council for Professional Development. The films each last approximately 15 minutes and come with a teacher's guide for class discussion.



Supt. of Schools Lawrence A. Zinn, left, accepts gift of science film from Owens-Corning plant manager Joseph H. Curl. Looking on is Dr. Thomas Atkinson, science supervisor for the Bethlehem school district.

Slides on China

The Albany Area Retired Teachers' Assn. will sponsor a slide-lecture on China by Martha Egleston, professor emeritus of history at SUNYA, Thursday, Nov. 9, at 12:30 p.m., at the Bethlehem Library. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited.

Delmar woman cited

Clara Fuller of 242 Murray Ave., Delmar will be honored with a banquet on Saturday, Nov.4 at the Turf Inn, Albany, at the annual state convention of the New York State Secretaries Assn. She will be installed as president of the association.

Juvenile flees, caught

A 13-year-old boy suspected of shoplifting in Delaware Plaza ran from the custody of a Bethlehem policeman and was recaptured a short distance away, according to a police report. Officer Richard L. Vanderbilt, answering a call from an attendant at Record Town who was holding the boy, said the youth bolted while Vanderbilt was putting the boy's bicycle in the patrol car, but was located moments later on Delaware Ave, a short distance south of the scene at 12:35 p.m. last Monday. Vanderbilt took the boy to police headquarters. where he was turned over to Albany Family Court.

Area builders elect

Albany Area Builders Assn. has elected Barry D. Hollander of Menands president for 1979. Other officers are Joseph J. Zelenke, Jr., first vice president; G. William Zautner of Elsmere, second vice president; Frank B. Pioggia, treasurer, and Raymond J. Hotaling, Jr., secretary.



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Did you know that as your County Legislator, I have

Sponsored a resolution that would place a maximum limit on taxes derived from real property. The actual dollars collected could not exceed 1% of the full assessed value. It applies to all monies raised, in the aggregate, by the County and all its cities, towns and villages for all local governmental purposes.

Opposed resolutions to (1) award an architect's contract without competitive bidding and (2) allow the County Sealer of Weights & Measures to impose an additional charge on private businesses for checking certain equipment.

Supported resolutions to (1) eliminate the sales tax on home heating fuels, (2) create a special committee to examine the operations of Albany County Jail and another to study the needs of the handicapped and (3) authorize financing for the renovation of Albany County Courthouse—which is long overdue.

> * Vote Row A, Democratic * November 7, 1978

If you want independent representation, elect a man who challenged the inaction of both Dan O'Connell and Bert Kohinke!

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BCHS violinist David Brickman, music director Samuel Boz-, zella and Mrs. Lorell Hernandez of the Bethlehem Music Assn. chat before a rehearsal for the Pops Concert to be held at Betlehem Central High School at 8 p.m. Monday. Performing will be Sound Systems (formerly Swing Choir), Choreliers, Choiristers, Concert Band, Wind Ensemble and Orchestra under the direction of Joseph Farrell and Salvatore Gangi. The public is cordially invited to attend. Photo by Jim Carroll

VAN WIE'S PT.

Residents press for water

Negotiations to extend Bethlehem's town water district to ease the shortage at the New York Job Corps in Glenmont have given new impetus to hopes of nearby neighbors who have long yearned to join the water district.

The disclosure last month that the three wells serving the 240-acre former Our Lady of Angels seminary had slowed to a trickle sent Bethlehem Supervisor Tom Corrigan to the rescue. Corrigan authorized an emergency hookup from the Cedar Hill terminal hydrant on Rt. 144, using more than 3,000 feet of borrowed surplus fire hose from the Delmar and Slingerlands fire companies to feed the Job Corps storage tower.

Last week Corrigan notified John N. Acquilano, regional director of Northeastern Job Corps centers administered by the Singer Corp, that a permanent line could be installed as an emergency hookup for the youth rehabilitation facility. Corrigan also indicated that if the U.S. Labor Dept., which owns the former seminary, and the town board could negotiate "a fair share payment" toward providing a linkup of two water district extensions along Rt. 144, the town would be in a position to extend water service to residents of Van Wie's Point nearby.

Currently, a 12-inch main along Rt. 9W serves as the trunk aqueduct serving the two most easterly extentions of the original Bethlehem water district. On the north, the trunk on Glenmont Rd. bends south along Rt. 144 as far as the Texaco plant. On the south, the main on Beaver Dam Rd., Selkirk, feeds into a north-south main on Rt. 144 in Cedar Hill, but the system terminates near the southwestern corner of the Job Corps property. The two arms form a "C" on the map that points up the need for a linkup.

Homeowners on Van Wie's Point had attempted early in the 1960s to have the water district extended to their area, but the tax base provided by the assessed valuation of residences was not sufficient at that time to support such a project. Their hopes were balked by the seminary's decision to rely on its own wells instead of joining the district.

A spokesman for a group of Van Wie's Point homeowners said last week that Supervisor Harry H. Sheaffer, Corrigan's predecessor as head of the town government, "gave assurances that if it was ever necessary to extend the water district to supply the Job Corps, the extension would include Van Wie's Point.' The spokesman said Sheaffer made the statement during public discussions between local officials and Labor Dept. representatives leading to establishment of the Job Corps center.

In his letter to Acquilano last week, Corrigan confirmed that the seminary had "opted not to join the Cedar Hill extension" when it was hooked to the Bethlehem system 12 years ago. "This resulted in a drastic reduction of assessed valuation for the Cedar Hill extension, thereby increasing the rate for the remaining property owners," Corrigan said.

The supervisor pointed out that since "there is at best a marginal level" of assessed valuation without the Job Corps along the proposed linkup, "we expect to negotiate a fair share payment" toward the cost of the Rt. 144 main.

In the current emergency, the water district has notified Job Corps administrators that water used will be billed at twice the regular rate, as provided by the town ordinance for users outside the district, plus a "demand charge" of \$3,600 per year, which will be credited to the Cedar Hill levy during the interim period until a permanent arrangement is negotiated. Cedar Hill water users now pay \$34.91 per \$1,000 assessed valuation for the debt incurred in the 1966 extension.

In campus play

Tara McKenzie of Clarksville is rehearsing in one of the lead roles in the Arthur Miller play, "The Crucible," to be staged by the Davis and Elkins College Theatre in West Virginia Nov. 6-11. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie.

AARP slide talk

Bethlehem Tri-Village chapter of the American Assn. of Retired Persons will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 21 at 1:30 at the First United Methodist Church, Delmar. The meeting will be preceded by a social hour at 12:30. The speaker will be Mrs. Allison Bennett. who will show slides and talk on "Christmas in Williamsburg."

Lane taking holiday

Assemblyman C.D.'s district office at 1 Becker Terr., Delmar, will be closed from Wednesday, Nov. 8, through Friday, Nov. 17. It will reopen on Monday, Nov. 20.

Stolen car torched

Officer Ted Wilson of Bethlehem police, on patrol on Rt. 144 in Cedar Hill at 3 a.m. last Wednesday, noticed the area in the vicinity of the town's Henry Hudson Park brightly lit. At the park he found a 1975 Cadillac completely engulfed in flames but no sign of a driver. The Selkirk Fire Dept. quenched the blaze.

The car was registered to a Sylvia Alteri of Albany, who told police she had left it parked in front of her home on Ormond St.



BETHLEHEM Budget hearing set Wednesday

In the three weeks between release of Bethlehem's tentative town budget and the last revision before the public hearing, town officials lopped some \$50,000 off the total requested by department heads.

As a result, the version that will be presented to taxpayers at the annual open hearing next week totals \$3,124,335.56, which includes general town appropriations and three highway accounts. The tentative budget was \$3,173,000, and the current operating budget is \$2,841,000.

The public hearing is scheduled for 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 8, at the town hall.

Factoring in higher anticipated revenues and a modest jump in the town's assessed valuation, the 1979 general town and highway tax rate is expected to be \$25.79 per thousand, up 24 cents from the current levy, or slightly more than 1 percent.

The general town budget provides for a 5-percent pay raise for the town's 150 fulltime employees other than members of the Bethlehem Police Benevolent Assn. The BPBA, collective bargaining unit for the police department, is covered by a separate contract.

The town board, however, knocked out a proposed salary hike for Bethlehem's two court justices that would have raised their annual pay from \$12,200 to \$16,000. The justices will now be included in the general 5-percent hike. The increase had been sought to compensate for a sharp rise in the number of cases handled in the town court, intensifying pressures on the board to either raise the pay scale of the present justices or spread the work load by authorizing a third justice.

Supervisor Tom Corrigan said the 1979 budget will be the first to include a new job classification and wage scale system patterned on comparable municipalities in the area, and on the business community.

The system assigns job classifications according to job function and each pay grade carries a minimum and maximum salary. The maximum is reachable in five increments, over a period of eight years, based on job performance.

Bethlehem residents also pay sewer and water taxes, where the services are available.

Sewer district charges are based on a variety of factors, depending on the location of property.

Faces gun charge

Bethlehem police issued an appearance ticket to a 58-yearold Delmar man on a charge of reckless endangerment after he allegedly fired two shots in the air and another shot at a fleeing car following a reported incident involving a prowler at his residence on Royal Blvd. at 4:55 a.m. Oct. 21. Police withheld his name pending disposition of the case in Bethlehem town court at a later date

NEW SCOTLAND Budget is pruned[®] to 34-cent rise

New Scotland taxpayers will ante up an additional 34 cents per thousand valuation next year if the town's preliminary budget survives next week's public hearing without significant change.

The tax rate for Voorheesville village property owners, who pay both village and town taxes, will be up 26 cents for the general town budget and highway allocations. In adopting the preliminary budget last week, the New Scotland board unanimously rejected a request by the village board for tax relief by excusing village residents from highway items Nos. 2 and 4, maintenance of bridges and snow removal.

Three members of the fiveman town board residents of the village.

"We felt it (the tax relief proposal) would not have saved village residents that much and it would have placed

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ACTIVE IN COMMUNITY

Next Tuesday, Vote for MIKE BRESLIN for Town Justice





Blanchard Post American Legion Auxiliary members have joined a long list of community organizations giving a boost to the Delmar Resuce Squad drive for a new ambulance. Above, Barbara Whitney, Barbara Palmer and Carol Cummings present a check to Rescue Squad Lt. James Kerr. Contributions have topped the \$29,000 mark toward the goal of \$40,000.

an unfair burden on the rest of the town," commented Supervisor Steve Wallace after the 5-0 vote. "After all, village people use town roads and bridges just as they do state and county roads, and they benefit from snow removal, too."

The annual budget hearing has been scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 8, at 7 p.m. at the town hall, Rt. 85. The general town budget totals just under \$850,000, and includes a 5percent pay raise for New Scotland's 20 fulltime employees.

University women meet

The American Assn. of University Women, Albany branch, will hear Sr. Cecilia Holbrook, associate professor of education and social sciences at the College of St. Rose, discuss "The Politics of Food," Nov. 15 at 7:30 p.m. at Alumni House, SUNY Albany. Call Maxine Chesbro, 439-1308, for information.

Daughter is born

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schliffer of Middlesex are parents of a daughter, born Oct. 10. Mrs. Schliffer is the former Annie Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Prentice J. Rodgers, formerly of Font Grove Rd., Slingerlands.

St. Stephen's bazaar

St. Stephen's Church in Elsmere will hold a harvest bazaar Nov. 18 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lunch is from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. For information, call Mrs. Riley, mornings, at 434-8944.



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ENTERTAINMENT

Craft fair slated

A heritage craft fair will be held Nov. 4 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Voorheesville Elementary School. For information, call Ruth Briggs. 765-3117.

At state conference

Miss Frances Haner, president, Mrs. Kenneth Ford, first vice president, and Mrs. G. Earl Hay, past president of the Delmar Progress Club are attending the Mid-Atlantic



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conference of the General Federation of Womens' Clubs at the Nevele in the Catskills Nov. 1-3. As state chairman, Mrs. Hay conducted a workshop on home energy conservation.



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Disco opening

Deli-Downs discoteque at the Center Inn, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, will have a fashion show with a "grand opening" party Friday, Nov. 3, from 8 to 10 p.m. to celebrate a complete remodelling by a new management. Fashions will be Ups & Downs and Proving Grounds of Colonie Center.

Locked cars looted

A burglar or burglars who forced windows in two vehicles parked at apartment complexes on Blessing Rd., Slingerlands, made profitable hauls on two consecutive nights. Bethlehem police said a \$200 tape deck, a \$150 "radar fuzzbuster" unit and a set of golf clubs and a golf bag valued at \$200 were taken in the first ncident between 1 and 5 a.m. Oct. 18, and items worth \$2,895 taken from a pickup truck prior to 3 a.m. the night of Oct. 19. Among the items in the truck were a set of tools valued at \$1,200, a \$900 camera, 40 cassette tapes and a bowling ball, police said.

Voting machine set up

Residents of the town of Bethlehem may inspect a voting machine set up for the coming election on Friday, Nov. 3 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Bethlehem Community Center, 125 Adams St., Delmar. On Election Day, Nov. 7, polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. There are 22 election districts in the town of Bethlehem.



Mountainview Church

Sunday services of the newly formed Mountainview Bible Church are held at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. at the Tall Timber Country Club clubhouse, with a Christian education hour starting at 9:45 a.m. A news article in the Spotlight on the new congregation's move from a private residence on Hennessey Rd., Voorheesville, to the Slingerlands site, inadvertently omitted the times of the Sunday morning meetings.

La Leche meeting

The Albany Southwest La Leche League, led by Mrs. Nicholas Barth, will meet on Nov. 16 at 8:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Diana Ryan, 20 Penn La., Glenmont



Congratulations to the Winners in the 3rd Spotlight Sweepstakes

Grand Prize Winners:

Southwood Tennis Club family membership Mr. and	Mrs. Neil Brown
Weekend for 2 in New York, Myers Travel Center	Robert A. Shaw
\$50 Certificate, Delmar Interior Design	Mrs. Arthur Dill

Other Prize Winners:

Lois I. Alkenbrack, Voorheesville C.F. Adrian, Slingerlands Leonard R. Angeramer, Delmar Jan P. Augar, Voorheesville George Ayers, Delmar Patricia L. Baldwin, Delmar F.W. Barends, Slingerlands Larry Bartkos, Delmar Lisa & Dan Berman, Delmar Harry A. Bever, Delmar F. Biernacki, Voorheesville S.J. Bower, Slingerlands M.G. Breslin, Delmar B. Brewster, Jr., Slingerlands Kenneth Brown, Elsmere Pat Bull, Selkirk Robert J. Carr, Delmar Anthony Casimo, Delmar Pat Clark, Voorheesville Sally Clayton, Delmar Mrs. Alfred Cook, Glenmont John E. Dahne, Delmar James Davis, Delmar Mary Davis, Delmar Karen DeFazio Thomas R. Driver, Feura Bush Nancy DuBois, Delmar Robert H. Dugan, Delmar Mrs. Adrian A. Ehler, Delmar J.W. Elmendorf, Delmar Charles Foster, Jr., Delmar Meyer Gaes, Albany

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Shop talk? There's nothing new about that name...but, let's talk shop! The word comes from Anglo Saxon sceoppa, meaning a booth, or a storehouse. The purpose of this column is to provide you with a storehouse of ideas for your shopping, for your interest, and introduce the people behind the scenes who make your shopping easier and more creative.

The Tri-Village area won't be our limitation. We'll scour the countryside for you and have fun doing it. We will welcome inquiries of "where to find it" and find the answers if at all possible. We welcome your suggestions so that we may share them with others. Just write me in care of the Spotlight.

The nitty-gritty of merchandising vanishes when a shop exudes a spirit! That's why crafts have become hot sales items. There is a certain amount of heart in a gift that has been lovingly made by hand. This is how the local Country Corner was started.

The Kirkmans, Bob and Ruth, had their beginning accepting good and unique crafts on a consignment basis. As always, one good thing leads to another. Today their crafts people come from many states, they buy on the New York State market, and they now find a great bit of action in selling antiques.

"It all started," Ruth Kirkman says, "when, to obtain more space, I tucked mittens in a drawer of an old washstand

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for display. Someone ignored the mittens and wanted my washstand!"

Children, as well as adults, are the Country Corner customers. It is usual, when school is out, for five or six little customers to come in to buy stick candy and sweets, and not at all unusual when they are short a penny or two and one will hear Ruth Kirkman say, "Well, that's all right, you can have it anyway. Maybe you will remember to bring in the extra penny tomorrow?" Many a mother has received a birthday gift or Christmas gift, which has had the price "knocked down" by the Kirkmans because a child's savings weren't quite up to his very special taste.

Incidently, one of the new items which should sell like good cookies are a group of tots' aprons. Unique? Yes, indeed! Just like Dad's carpenter apron—there's one for Junior with small hammer, wrench, etc. in the pockets.

Little sister can be Mom's carbon copy wearing a tiny chintz apron which has a small rolling pin, some cookie cutters, etc. in its pockets! And, for the tot who would rather diddle than cut cookies, there's a little print gem which has five little pockets, and in each there is a finger puppet!

Yes, there is a lot of "heart" that goes into the sales at the Country Corner. Just recently, a young married whose talent is tremendous asked if they would sell her uniquely appliqued party skirts, Ruth Kirkman said it wasn't quite in her line, but called a fellow shop owner who does sell women's apparel. She is actually having to take orders on these skirts now, they are so original and unique. We'll tell you more about the gal who makes them and the shops where they sell in our column next week. Till then ... happy shopping!



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Organ builder Leonard Carlson presents organ pipe to Rev. Leon M. Adkins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Philip Moore and Bruce McDonald at dedication service Sunday at the First United Methodist Church, Delmar. On the cover: McDonald with Mrs. Sydney Smith, director of music at the church, and Mrs. Rachel Worth, organist.

DELMAR A 'new' organ is dedicated

The pews were full on a bright morning in Delmar on Sunday when members of the First United Methodist Church dedicated their newly rebuilt and relocated organ.

Special music featured the dedication service, with Rachel Dean Worth, church organist, at the console. The combined chancel and youth choirs sang under the direction of Mrs. Sydney L. Smith, music director, and the choirs and congregation joined in singing "The Old Hundredth Psalm Tune."

Rev. Leon M. Adkins, Jr., minister of the church, conducted the service. In the dedication ceremony, organ builder Leonard Carlson presented a symbolic organ pipe to Philip B. Moore, chairman of the organ committee, and Bruce MacDonald, chairman of the board of trustees.

The oldest part of the organ, the swell organ, was built and installed by the Moller Organ Co. of Hagerstown, Md., in 1928. The great organ was added in 1947 and built by the Hillgreen-Lane Co. A new console was installed in 1966.

Both organs were suffering from age, use and water damage when the administrative board voted on Dec. 13, 1976 to have the organ rebuilt and enlarged. On Dec. 19, 1976 the trustees signed a contract with L.A. Carlson Co. of East Greenbush.

At a special charge conference on Sept. 19, 1977, the congregation instructed the trustees to relocate the rebuilt 3organs on the south wall in the front of the sanctuary, a more acoustically desirable position. The design of the new wall was by Edmund D. Wood, Jr.

Cost of the project was \$57,608, which was met by memorial gifts and contributions. Benjamin H. Evans served as chairman of the organ ¹⁴ fund.

Button wearers win

A number of local residents were handed gift certificates from merchants participating in the third annual Spotlight Sweepstakes just for wearing a 'A Spotlight button around town last week. A partial list of winners included Pat Mc-Connell, Sue Stark, Pat Bannon, and Helen Harder, all of Delmar, Jean Balint of Selkirk and Robert Hardt of Slingerlands.

Elsewhere in this issue is the list of winners in the Sweepstakes drawings. The 1978



Voorheesville's "haunted house" drew a crowd this week to the old St. Matthew's Church hall. Meg Rogers and Colleen Burns stirred witches' brew in a scary setting. Fran Smoller

Spotlight giveaways, sponsored by 30 local merchants, businessmen and regular Spotlight advertisers, drew the largest number of entries since the sweepstakes originated in 1976 to observe the first anniversary of the newsweekly's new management,

Science speakers here

Two members of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship will give free public lectures in the Albany-Delmar area next week.

William Henry Alton will speak on "God is Your Provider" at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 4, at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Madison Ave. and Quail St., Albany.

Ruth E. Jenks will lecture on "A New Beginning" at Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, Southern Blvd. The lecture, sponsored by First Church of Christ, Scientist, Delmar, will be at 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 9. Child care is available.

Lamaze classes start

Classes in the Lamaze method of prepared childbirth will begin in Albany starting the weeks of Nov. 6 and Nov. 20. Women planning to attend the six week series of classes should plan to begin them at the end of the seventh month of pregnancy. For information 'contact Melody Brennan, 439-6353, or Ethel Cooper, 765-4572.

Births

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Boy, Tjark, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Beaven, Delmar, Oct. 3. Girl, Brooke, to Mr. and Mrs.

Brian Shea, Delmar, Oct. 9. Boy, Jeremy, to Dr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Rosen, Delmar, Oct. 10.

Girl, Parise, to Dr. and Mrs, Vincent Sellitti, Delmar, Oct, 10,







FOOTBALL Eagles shoot for 9-0 season

Only a full-scale fold stands between the 1978 Bethlehem Central powerhouse and an undefeated, untied football season and a chance to be in the Capital District's first tenthgame playoff between the Big Ten and Suburban Council champions.

The Eagles snapped out of a first-half slumber at Scotia last week in time to paste up a 28-7 non-league win over an unde-feated team. The Tartans, who went in with a 5-0-1 record, had a 7-6 lead at intermission before Bethlehem decided to play football.

Bethlehem can wrap up the Suburban Council crown, its first since 1967, with one victory in its final two games against Shaker and Columbia, Neither team can match the Eagles all-around strength.

Safety Paul Howell and defensive lineman Walt Wadelich are question marks for the Shaker game with knee injuries. Both were hurt in the first half at Scotia, but Wadelich returned to the game in the fourth period.

"We played a tremendous game in the second half," said Coach Art Ritchko. "We did it when we had to."

Ritchko gave credit for the comeback to linemen Mike Hodom, Tom Shaw and Wadelich, with Brian Bourque again showing why he is one of the area's top defensive players. On the attack, Bill Hannmann, a tight end, caught several key passes and did a big job blocking.



Jim Giacone, Eagles' receiver, pulls in a scoring strike from Steve Nowak in 28-7 win over Scotia. R.H. Davis



Bethlehem's Bud Nevens scores the go-ahead touchdown in the third period at Scotia. No. 71 is Walt Waidelich. R.H. Davis



Mike DeAngelis, BC fullback, gets 8 yards at Scotia despite an enemy attempt to "strip" the ball as Bill Hannmann (82) blocks.

Soccer player cited

Tom Klim, a senior from Delmar and a member of the Bentley College soccer team, tak has been named Falcon of the Weck for his outstanding performance during the week R.H. Davis

ending Sept. 30. A 1975 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School. Klim scored both goals in the Falcons' comefrom-behind, 2-1 victory over Holy Cross College. He is the son of John and Viva Klim, 17 Harrison Ave.



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VC girls' teams looking to '78

Voorheesville Central School's 1978 girls' field hockey and tennis teams recently ended their seasons with league records of 4-2-2 and 1-4 respectively.

The field hockey team under Coach Robyn Lock had an overall record of 5 wins, 6 losses and 4 ties. Senior Wendy Kohler, who played forward was the high scorer with nine goals. Second highest scorer was junior Melanie Sembrat, playing halfback, with 2.

Miss Lock commented that "this year we did very well considering we only had four players from last year. Next year we will only lose three girls and I expect we'll do even better."

In recent years the varsity team has always finished either second or third in the Central Hudson Valley League. All of their games this year were lowscoring and close.

Tom Kurkjian coached the two-year old girls varsity tennis team which had an overall record of 2 and 7. The team was composed of 13 girls in grades 8-12. Junior Brigeda Bank was No. 1 singles player. The top doubles team, which had a winning record, was sophomore Sandy Murphy and eight grader Tracy Petre.

Next year the team will lose two seniors, only one of whom started in the matches.



John Furey

Furey to play here

John Furey, a senior from Delmar is playing cornerback w on the varsity football team at Ithaca College.

Furey, a '75 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, was a starting cornerback for Ithaca in '77. He was the winner of the "Whistelman Award" last year for out- * standing hustle, and was the top scorer in Ithaca's winter workout drills. A physical education senior at Ithaca, Furey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Furey, Sr., 24 Montrose Dr., Delmar. The Bombers will play at Albany State on Nov. 4.

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Frank Kelly

Heads Pop Warner

Bethlehem Pop Warner has elected Frank Kelly president of the youth football organization for next season. Other officers are Arthur Young, vice president: Barbara Jadick, secretary, and John Moran, treasurer. New members of the board are James Fuller, James Cooke, Theodore J. Czerw, John McCarthy, B. D'Amico and Eugene Fish.

Delmar student cited

Anita E. Abolins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Visvaldis Abolins of Delmar, has been chosen for inclusion in the 1978-79 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." She is a member of the fifth year class at the Albany College of Pharmacy.

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FOOTBALL Blackbirds face rugged invader

When Coach Tom Buckley booked a home-and-home series with Scotia last year, he did it because he wanted to find out how his tough Voorheesville Central football team would do against a so-called "big school."

Last year's scoreboard at Scotia read 34-14 for the home team, but Buckley was pleased that the game was closer than the score indicated. This year Scotia is 5-1-1, but so is Voorheesville, so there could be a lot of leather-thumping Saturday when Scotia comes out to the lee of the Helderbergs.

"This probably will be our toughest game," said Buckley. "We had a sluggish first half again last week, but looked good in the second half. The only touchdown we gave up was when a defensive back fell down on slippery turf covering a pass."

The Blackbirds trussed up a hard-hitting Rensselaer team, 14-6. Jim Cillis carried most of the way in a 65-yard drive that tied the score in the third period, and Tom George iced it

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with an 85-yard breakaway in the fourth. Cillis had 73 yards in 19 expeditions, George 106. Defensive standouts were noseguard Sean O'Connor and halfback John Harding.

"We're just hoping we can put a full ballgame together and have a good first half."said Buckley. "Our goal is to show we can play at this level of competition."

Craft show coming

The Locust Knoll artisans will hold their third annual craft show Friday and Saturday, Nov. 10-11, in the old sheep and horse stable at the junction of Rt. 85A and Picard Rd., New Salem. The show will include pottery, woodworking, candles, stained glass, photography and weaving. Hours are Friday 4 to 9 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

In campus play

Tenny Bardwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton T. Bardwell, 79 Fernbank Ave., Delmar, was a member of the cast of the recent LeMoyne College student theatrical presentation of "The Odd Couple." He is a sophomore.



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SOCCER BC booters gird for Sectionals

Bethlehem Central's varsity soccer team began its quest for the Section 2 title this week in the tougher of the two brackets in the eight-team shootout. The Eagles, seeded No. 6, were paired with No. 3 Guilderland in a quarter-final Wednesday. with the winner meeting the survivor of Burnt Hills-Saratoga.

That bracket is a lot tougher than the other, where Colonie should have a relative breeze to the finals. Although Colonie is seeded No. 4, they have Amsterdam and Troy in their bracket, neither of which should cause trouble.

Bethlehem's bid in the tough Suburban Council race faded in the final week when the Eagles dropped a 2-0 decision to Colonie and lost a heartbreaker to Guilderland, 2-1 after taking pesky Niskayuna, 2-1, in the rain.

Saturday's finale against the Dutchmen in Delmar was a well-played game. "We did everything but score in the fourth period." remarked Coach Dale Walts. "We had 15 shots to their two, we couldn't score and they got one, a scramble in front of the goal with the keeper on the ground. It was struck by about six players, one of those things."

Walts was bringing up two sophomores from the junior varsity for insurance in the Sectionals—David Usher, an inside forward on the line, and Wes Hotaling, a goalie.

> Don't forget to vote Tuesday, November 7.



Maria Del Giacco

SOCCER BC girls in bid for boot crown

The Bethlehem Central girls' varsity soccer team is one of the strongest contenders for the Section 2 title this season with a record of 5-1-2. Its only loss came at the hands of powerful Niskayuna, which also advances to the Sectionals competition this week. Tuesday's semifinal pairings put Bethlehem against Burnt Hills and Niskayuna against Guilderland, both games at Schalmont High School Finals are scheduled for today (Thursday) at 3:30 p.m., also at Schalmont.

The team, coached by Vicki Bylsma and co-captained by seniors Mandy Mason and Edie Eyres, swept its first five



games before tying with Guilderland and Burnt Hills and finally bowing to Nisky in the eighth scheduled Suburban Council matchup.

The varsity offense, led by Mason and Eyres with six goals each, includes forward linesmen Sue Goodrich, Jacqui Bevan, Sue Digeser, Kathy Harder, Marcie Manion and Mandy Mason, assisted by alternating halfbacks Edie Evres, Mary Touhey, Ann Digeser, Sue Marr, Cindy Caswell and Sue Robinson. The Eagle defense, which has allowed few goals all season, is -headed by the "backbone" of the team, goalie Molly Nevens, and fullbacks Julie Castle, Kim Young, Ann Dalton and Maria Del Giacco.

Jessica Treadway

Church supper-bazaar

A roast beef supper and bazaar will be held at Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Tpk., Saturday, Nov. 11. Dinner will be served at 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 p.m. Call 439-1151 for reservations.

SPOTLIGHT PROFILE Ex-Washington reporter reflects on exciting life.

Surrounded by mementos of her past — books on the social welfare and economy of the early 20th century authored by her father, the collage of pictures taken at the luncheon honoring her retirement from the Dept. of Environmental Conservation, the books in which she is mentioned — the vivacious Mary Spargo of Elsmere expounds on her life animatedly for hours.

From Vermont to Washington, from the Twenties to the future, her tales of a "green young reporter" growing up in a small town and rubbing elbows as a child with the famous and powerful as they — quite literally — solved the problems of the world, spanned miles and generations. Mary Spargo has had an interesting life.

As the daughter of John Spargo, one of the "early muckrakers" who were social critics in the years before



World War I, Mary was brought up in an actively political environment where some of the intellects of the time assembled. "The Colby Note was drafted on our dining room table — and I was there," she says in a matter-of-fact tone () at is not without a touch of pride.

Following the journalistic example of her father (who also founded the Bennington Mueum and served as its first curator), Mary accepted her first job as a reporter for the Bennington Evening Banner, where she earned \$15 a week. While covering a prominent trial, she caught the attention of attorney Warren Austin, U.S. Senator from Vermont, who suggested she look for a summer job in Washington. She did so, and landed a job on the Washington Daily Press. From there she moved to the Washington Post, anxious, because of her background, to cover the goings-on on Capitol Hill.

At the Post she was assigned to cover all major Congressional investigations in the late Forties, including the Alger Hiss trial. As a reporter she attempted to maintain her objectivity, but Ms. Spargo





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Mary Spargo greets Mrs. Perry Duryea during a campaign rally in Albany in October.

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282 Delaware Ave., Delmar • 439-4101 Mon.-Sat., 9-5:30 / believed that the evidence tended to indicate Hiss' guilt. She would like to re-examine transcripts of the hearings, and advises that experiences such as this "caution you not to make judgments" about people.

Prior to her assignments at the Post, Ms. Spargo was, employed by the House Un-American Activities Committee, the group that later examined Hiss. In discussing this period of her life, Ms. Spargo becomes uncharacteristically reticent. "It was brief and interesting, but not a pleasant expe-. rience." She was attracted by the pay and the glamour - she was the only woman investigator with full-fledged credentials which empowered her to serve subpoenas, among other privileges. But she found testifying distasteful, and when the uniqueness of her situation



ceased to amuse her, she left the job. Still, she does not waste thoughts on regrets, believing as she does that one can learn a great deal about people through such experiences.

About Hiss, and surveillance in general, she notes that eavesdropping has been in effect for thousands of years, and will always continue. "People get the kind of government they deserve," she says philosophically. She can see the possibility of mankind destroying himself, not necessarily through war or weaponry, but by poisoning his world. "If 1 had to do it over again, 1 would pay more attention to the environment," Ms. Spargo declares.

In 1958, Ms. Spargo returned to this area to be near her father, who was ill. She worked for the Albany Times-Union and then for a series of state agencies. She retired from the Dept. of Environmental Conservation last year after seven years. Reporting, she says, was "more fun than any other job."

Despite her obvious pleasure in maintaining her garden and home, shared with her 18-yearold grandson and his dog 'Minnie, who "runs the household," Ms. Spargo is not content to spend her retirement in leisure. She has traveled to every state but Alaska — which she does not appear anxious to visit — and has, she says, "no dearth of subjects to think about." She is active in the Women's Press Club of New York State, swims often, and would like to write a biography of her father. She works as a public relations consultant, and is searching for a job that would allow her to consolidate her writing, editing, and organizational skills with her interests in history and politics.

It was through her work as a reporter that Ms. Spargo came to be mentioned in two books that she knows of. She believes there may be others. Luther Mott included her in "Headlining America, the 100 Best Stories of the Year." Chalmers Roberts was one of her co-workers on the Post; she treasures her autographed copy of his recent book, "The Washington Post — The First 100 Years." Nancy S. Rapp

Christian Women meet

The New York Capital District Women's Club will hold its "World at Your Fingertips" luncheon Nov. 8 at 11:30 a.m. at the Bavarian Chalet, Rt. 20, Guilderland. Beverly Cipperly, area puppetry artist, will entertain and speak at the luncheon. Call Mrs. Betty Hale, 23 Orchard Dr., Scotia, for reservations.

Bake sale set

The WGCS of the Clarksville Community Church will hold its annual Election Day bake sale at the Clarksville Fire Hall on Nov. 7 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.







The Joyful Noise will sing at the New Scotland Presbyterian Church, 2010 New Scotland Rd., Sunday, Nov. 5 at 7:30 p.m. The public is welcome to hear this popular Christian group.

Art unit slates a juried exhibit

A Michigan art authority will judge the 12th annual juried show of the Bethlehem Art Assn., scheduled for the Bethlehem Library Nov. 3-30.

W. Louis Jones, who holds a master of fine arts degree from the Cranbrook Academy of Artivi in Detroit, currently is represented by the Kornblee Gallery in New York City and the Arwin Gallery in Detroit. He formerly taught painting at the University of Idaho and Skidmore College. He has had 16 one-man shows, and has... paintings currently on display at the Schacht Fine Arts Center at Russell Sage College, Troy.

The opening reception to meet the artists at the Bethlehem show will be held at 7 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 3. Work will be accepted from members on Wednesday, Nov. 1, from 2 to 7 p.m. Membership dues are \$6, 4 and can be paid with entry fee. Limit is three entries per person.




Laurie Bilinski with pupils Chad Sprinkle and Audra Ingraham.

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some students will be idle while not playing the piano, Laurie says. The Pace program eliminates this problem by using the blackboard in conjunction with the piano. Jean Sharkey

CPR offered

The town of Bethlehem will offer a course in CPR—cardiopulmonary resuscitation—beginning Nov. 2. The course, open to residents of the town and school district, will be held from 9 a.m. to noon Thursdays through Dec. 7, at the Bethlehem Community Center, 125 Adams St., Delmar. Registration is limited to the first 15 persons who sign up. Call Karen Pellettier, 439-0368.

Named to GE post

Richard Powers, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Powers, Evelyn Dr., Delmar, has been appointed by the General Electric Co, as field engineer for the states of Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho and Alaska. He will supervise installation and service engineering for the mechanical and nuclear turbine division of General Electric. A graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, he received his engineering degree at Oregon State University, Portland, where he has resided for the past 10 years.



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Donna Lee Wilsey

Selkirk couple to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Demmer, Rt. 144, Selkirk, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Donna Lee Wilsey, to Martin Cross, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cross, Jr., Rt. 144, Selkirk.

Miss Wilsey is a graduate of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Central High School. Her fiance. also a graduate of R-C-S High School, graduated from Hudson Valley Community College and is employed by the U.S. Postal Service in Selkirk. The wedding is planned for Jan. 6.

Scouts paper drive

Cub Scout Pack 81 of Selkirk is conducting a paper drive through Dec. 2. Pickups can be arranged by calling 767-9288 or 439-7778. The pack, which has 69 members, attended a demonstration by the Selkirk Fire Dept. as a highlight of the October program on fire safety.

Elsmere student tapped

William (Chip) Morris of 6 Ridge Rd., Elsmere, has been selected as one of six graduate student to direct residence halls at Slippery Rock State College this year. Morris, who is majoring in counseling and guidance, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gordon Morris, Jr. He is a graduate of the State University College at Potsdam, where he received a BS in psychology.



Gail L. Donovan

Troth announced

Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Donovan of Delmar have announced the engagement of their daughter. Gail, to Thomas W. Donovan of Clifton Park, son of Dr. and Mrs. John F. Donovan of East Lansing, Mich.

The future bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and Vermont College, Montpelier, Vt. She is a legal secretary with the firm of DeGraff, Foy, Conway and Holt-Harris, Albany. Her fiance is a graduate of Siena 'r College and is a certified public accountant with Charles L. Marvin and Co., Schenectady. An Aug. 4, 1979 wedding is planned.

Ex-resident promoted

Timothy M. Moore, formerly of Elsmere, has been ap-pointed vice president and director of research and development at Information Associates Inc., of Rochester, where he will be in charge of new computer software products. Moore is a 1964 graduate of Bethlehem Central High 🐴 School. He served two years in the U.S. Marine Corps before joining IA1 in 1969 while attending the University of Rochester. He is the son of Mrs. Connie Moore of Slingerlands and the late John Moore of New York City. He is married to the former Lynne Walthers of Schenectady and 27 has two children.



Mrs. Kevin W. Tighe

Janice Hofaker bride

Janice Lynne Hofaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius L. Hofaker of Delmar was married to Kevin William Tighe, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Tighe of Middletown on Oct. 7 at 2 p.m. at St. Henry's Church, Averill Park. Rev. Meale and Rev. Richard Broderick officiated.

The maid of honor was Denise Hofaker and the bridesmaids were Christine Hofaker, Julie Taub, Kathy Hofaker and Ellen Ahl. Best man was Kevin Morrissey. Ushers were Brian Halcott, Bob Fadler, Tim Hofaker and Karl Hofaker.

The bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and SUNY at Plattsburgh. The groom is a graduate of Middletown High School and SUNY at Plattsburgh.

Supper in Clarksville

A spaghetti supper sponsored by the Clarksville PTA will be held at the Clarksville Elementary School Saturday, Nov. 11 from 5 to 8 p.m.

Too young to drive

An unlicensed Delmar juvenile driver failed to negotiate a turn from Woodstream to Pheasant Lane at 9:28 p.m. Oct. 13 and struck a split rail fence and a tree. Police turned the young driver over to his father for possible action by the police juvenile Bethlehem division.



Mrs. Daniel R. Glastetter

Glenmont couple wed

Debra A. Latter, daughter of Mrs. Joan Latter, Beacon Rd., Glenmont, and Daniel R. Glastetter, I Maewin Dr., Glenmont, were married Aug. 26 at Delmar Reformed Church. Rev. Gerard J. Van Heest performed the 2:30 p.m. ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by Jack Ouickenton, was attended by Drena Van Der Zee of Ravena as maid of honor, and by her sister, Kim Latter of Glenmont, and Lynne, Carol and Terry Quickenton, all of Glenmont, cousins of the bride. David Glastetter was his brother's best man, and ushers were Donald Glastetter, brother of the groom, Deacon Jones and William Smith, both of Glenmont, cousins of the groom.

Mrs. Glastetter is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and is employed at Farm Family Life Insurance Co., Glenmont. Her husband is employed by Good Hope Industries.

The couple had a trip to Atlantic City, N.J., after a reception at the Bethlehem Elks, Lodge, Cedar Hill. They are living at Fonda del Sol. Ravena.

Coffeehouse program

Mary Ann Buckold will be playing an evening of folk and soft-rock music at the Bethlehem Coffeehouse, 125 Adams St., Delmar, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Nov. 4.



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The Borsts and a new Delmar business venture.

BUSINESS City duo tries suburban shop

The Delmar Auto Body shop's motto is "no job too small (or big) to repair." Body work, painting and polishing are just a few of the services provided by the owners, John and Peter Borst of Albany, who have opened one of Delmar's newest businesses. The shop, located at 325 Delaware Ave., to the rear of Gochee's Garage, is open weekdays, and appointments can be made for the evenings and weekends.

"If someone needs a repair or would like to talk to us but they can't make it during our store hours, they can just call for an appointment," John Borst said. "We want to help our customers at their convenience."

The Delmar Auto Body shop is one of the few shops in Photo by Mark Collien Delmar that will remove rust

from cars. The Borsts recently restored a 1957 "wagon" that was severely damaged by rust, and put it up for sale after painting its original color.

The Borsts were employed by another auto body shop in the area, but this is their first business venture on their own. They are pleased with their location and the friendly people in Delmar. Some of their future plans include selling quality used cars and a polishing and waxing service.

Exhibition ends

The Bethlehem Library has wound up a month-long exhibition of 13 watercolor paintings by area artist Nora Hooper Schultz. Mrs. Schultz, who works in her home at 37 Albin Rd., Delmar, specializes in *the matercolors* and portraits of people's homes.







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SERVICEMEN In The NEWS

Navy Ensign Ten Eyck B. Powell II1, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ten Eyck B. Powell, Jr. of Bronk Rd., Selkirk, has completed the basic naval flight officer program at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla. Powell, a 1978 graduate of Syracuse University, received 26 weeks of extensive instructions in the functions, capabilities and operation of all systems aboard a jet training aircraft and has now progressed to advanced training leading to his designation as a naval flight officer.

Senior Airman Ronald G. Kriete, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kriete of Selkirk, recently participated in "William Tell," a world-wide weapons competition conducted by the Aerospace Defense Command at Tyndall AFB, Fla. Airman Kriete serves at Ramstein AFB, Germany as an aircraft pneudraulic systems repairman with the 86th Field Maintenance Squadron, a part of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe.

Airman William J. Hensel, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hensel, 120 Bedford Ct., Voorheesville, has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training. He will now ¥eceived specialized training in the air operations field.

Program for quilters

A slide show on "Quilts of 1978" will be featured at a meeting of QUILT (Quilters United in Learning Together) at Bethlehem Library on Friday, Nov. 10, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., presented by Annette Billmeyer, Sue Gillespie and Charlotte Reinhardt. Nancy Garver, a judge at the Ulster County quilt show, also will speak. The public is invited to bring lunch. Beverages will be provided. For information, call Joyce Strand, 439-6224.



Planning the Historical Association card party are committee chairman Marjorie Terrell, left; Pat Weisheit, in charge of the boutique, and Marjorie Crangle, co-chairman. Florence Becker

Historical card party

The Fall Card Party of the Town of Bethlehem Historical Assn. will be held on Thursday, Nov. 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Elks Lodge, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., Cedar Hill. There will be games, a door prize, drawing for a turkey, and homemade apple pie. A boutique will be set up. Entertainment will be furnished by the Suburban Sounds. For reservations, call 439-4489 or mail \$2 per person to the Town of Bethlehem Historical Assn. by Nov. 6.

Forum on lobbying

Mrs. Joanne Blanchard. president of the Rensselaer County School Boards Assn., will chair a meeting on "Lobbying and the Art of Political Action," at Columbia High School, East Greenbush, on Nov. 13, at 7:30 p.m. Speakers include Bill O'Neill of the New York State School Boards Assh., John Quimby of the Citizens Public Expenditure Survey, and Mike Ruberti, professor of political science at Siena College. The meeting is open to the public.

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Barry A. Gold

Delmar man elected

Albany attorney Barry A. Gold has been elected president of the board of visitors of the Oswald D. Heck Developmental Center. The board consists of seven members appointed to four-year terms by the Governor. The board is a watchdog organization with the authority to investigate cases of alleged abuse and mistreatment of O.D. Heck clients. Gold is chairman of the New York State Bar Assn. committee on public health. He resides in Delmar with his wife and daughter.

Vox Pop is open to all readers for letters in good taste on matters of public interest. Letters longer than 300 words are subject to abridgement by the editor, and must be signed. Names will be withheld on request.

Campaign rebuttal

Editor, The Spotlight:

I wish to thank my friend, Bill Burkhard, for his kind words about me in his first paragraph (of a recent letter to-Vox Pop). I now have "paragon of virtue" printed on my chair in the church choir loft. The rest of the paragraph I'm not sure that I understand. He is correct about the Albany County Nursing Home, which, by the way, was the brainchild of the then County Attorney John J. Clyne. It points out thewillingness of the Republican minority to support legislation when they are given all of the facts

Mr. Burkhard quotes me as speaking "so disparagingly about the Democratic incumbent." His understanding of certain words may be different from mine. My letter said,





"both candidates are well qualified by virtue of background ind experience." Is that a disaraging statement?

To answer the rest of the leter, here are some facts for Mr. Burkhard and the voters:

1. The statement he refers to (as heard by Democrats as (ell as Republicans.

2. On Oct. 16, when I asked he whereabouts of a commitre report due on Oct. 1, 1 was nored and a motion made to djourn was passed without rotest or explanation from the najority.

→3. Both Veronica Meier, a reform Democrat, and 1 were removed from the finance committee because we asked questions and voted against last year's budget. There was no majority protest.

4. A standing committee of he legislature would not support a resolution which would have placed at least two minority party members on each standing committee, given the ninority party the right to lace its own members in the llocated number of committee positions (even in our state and federal legislatures this is done, but not in Albany County) and set a definite time and place for monthly meetings of the standing committees of the legislature. This would allow legislators to prepare their calendars, and the public to better prepare to attend.

5. For the past two years no discussion has taken place on the floor of the legislature concerning needed changes in the county charter. The majority prefers to keep changes in the courts.

6. The majority party would not even acknowledge the report made by a special citizens committee on charter reform even though the committee was appointed by the county executive.

Based on just these facts alone I repeat that there is but one issue, the Republican minority in the Albany County Legislature must be strengthened, which means the election of Gordon Morris.

Edward H. Sargent County Legislator, 36th district

Carey's wrath

Editor, The Spotlight:

It is tragic that only a few people witnessed a historical first — attempted murder publicly demonstrated by a governor of New York State.

Unfortunately, few upstaters were privy to an incident which was broadcast throughout metropolitan New York City following a recent debate between Carey and his gubernatorial challenger, Perry Duryea. Pressed beyond the point of controlled reason by a reporter's relentless quest for the truth, in full view of New York City TV audiences, Hugh Carey picked up a wire, wrapped it around the neck of his news media antagonist and actually started to choke off the man's windpipe when he was pulled loose.

Taken in this perspective, Carey's slaughter of the death penalty bill becomes more clarified. Apparently, he's known all along what only a few of us know now. Hugh Carey is a man with a vehement and vicious temper. Hugh Carey shouldn't worry though - reportricide is not included in murders covered by the death penalty bill he killed.

It is, however, unfortunate, that the vast majority of New Yorkers did not have the opportunity of viewing this bizarre temper tantrum.

Fran Fanuele

Albany

Delmar

Ambulance fund

Editor, The Spotlight:

The Delmar Fire Dept. would like to thank the residents for supporting them in their current fund drive for a new ambulance for the Rescue Squad.

We would also like to thank B.R. Joel insurance and realty agency for donating the Tot Finder stickers for our fire district.

> William E. Wright Chie<u>f</u>, Delmar FD



Community Corner

Family Swim Time

The town of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Dept. offers a family recreational swim time on Sundays at the Bethlehem Central Middle School, Kenwood Ave. Delmar.

The pool is open from 1 to 4 p.m. Sundays from Nov. 5 through Dec. 17, except for the Sunday of Thanksgiving weekend, Nov. 26. Residents of the town of Bethlehem and Bethlehem Central School District may participate.

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