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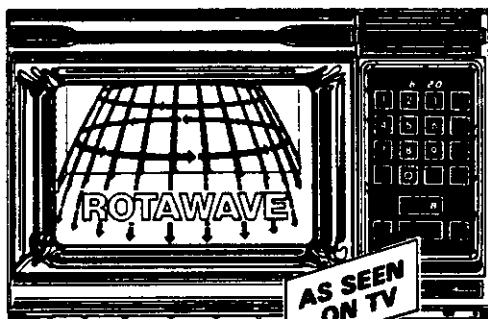
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**Cornell Women's Club**, 1980 election issues and candidates, speaker, Claire Malone, covered dish dinner, home of Nancy Lynk, 70 Mosher Rd., Delmar, 6 p.m.

**Childbirth Education Assn.**, speaker, Dr. Rich Cimma, pediatrician, Bethlehem Library, 8 p.m. Public welcome.

**Chinese Brush Painting**, demonstration by Robin Kirk, Voorheesville Library, 2 p.m.

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**Special Open House**, to explain program for pupils with special educational needs, Voorheesville High School library, 7 p.m.

**Food Stamp Outreach**, conducted by Albany County Dept. of Social Services, Bethlehem town hall, 9 a.m. to noon. Applications for food stamps available at town hall weekdays.

**Bethlehem Historical Assn.**, speaker, Dan O'Neill, antiques appraiser, Schoolhouse Museum, Clapper Rd. and Rt. 144, Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. Public invited.

**Village Volunteers File & Drum Corps**, recruitment night for new members age 10 to adult, free file lessons available, Bethlehem Library, 7 p.m.

**Blanchard Post, American Legion**, luncheon, members and guests, post rooms, Elsmere, noon.

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

**Calligraphy Demonstration**, Thelma VanAvery, Yeh Xiu-Shan, Bethlehem Library, 7:30 p.m.

**Recovery, Inc.**, self-help for ex-mental patients and nervous persons, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

**Babysitting Class**, Community United Methodist Church, Slingerlands, 9 a.m. to noon. Pre-registration required, 439-1766 weekday mornings.

**Demonstrations**, honey extracting and herb harvesting, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 1-4 p.m. 457-6092.

**Flea Market**, Ladies Auxiliary, New Scotland Elks Lodge, parking lot of Happy's Coach House, New Salem, 10-4 p.m.

**Legion Sports Day**, Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, 1 p.m.

**Suburban Council Football**, Niskayuna at Bethlehem, 1:30

**Rummage and Garage Sale**, Community United Methodist Church, 1499 New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands, 9-3.

**Boy Scout Troop 73**, Voorheesville, 60th anniversary dinner, American Legion hall, Voorheesville, 7:30 p.m. \$3. 765-3188.

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19

**Music and Literature Series**, discussion and concert, Bethlehem Library, 2:30 p.m. Free.

**Pop Warner Football**, Junior Midgets Division, Albany vs. Bethlehem, Hamagrael School, 1 p.m.

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

**VFW Ladies Auxiliary**, Bethlehem Post, 8 p.m.

**Assemblyman Larry Lane's** district office, 1 Becker Terr., Delmar, open 10-3.

**Delmar Community Orchestra**, Bethlehem town hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Career-Education Counseling**, Bethlehem Library, 1-4 p.m. Free.

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**Single Parents Support Group,** Bethlehem Library, 7:30-9. All welcome. B.J. Lornell, 439-6136.

**Selkirk Fire Commissioners,** Fire-House No. 1, Maple Ave., Selkirk, 7:30 p.m.

**Card Party-Fashion Show,** Bethlehem Republican Women's Club, fashions by Dorothy Lynn, Betty Spooner commentator, Bethlehem town hall community room, 7:30 p.m. Public invited.

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

**Blood Pressure Clinic,** Bethlehem town hall, Delmar, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., 7-8:30 p.m. Free. No appointment necessary.

**Dramatic Workshop** for grades 6-8, Bethlehem Library, 4 p.m.

**Bethlehem Planning Board,** Bethlehem town hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Free Career and Educational Counseling,** Bethlehem Library, 6-8 p.m., by appointment.

**Delmar Progress Club,** fall banquet, Colonie Country Club, Voorheesville, 6 p.m.

**Delmar Camera Club,** workshop on close-up photography, Thelma and Clyde Tomlinson, also Kodak slide show and competition, refreshments, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church parish hall, Elsmere, 7:30 p.m. 765-4673.

**Bethlehem Tri-Village AARP,** speaker, Albert P. Fredette, manager station WAMC, "The Exciting World of Non-Commercial Radio," First United Methodist Church, Delmar, social hour 12:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

**Assemblyman Larry Lane's** district office, 1 Becker Terr., Delmar, open 10-3.

**Public Hearing,** New Scotland town board, on preliminary town budget for 1981, New Scotland town hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Parents Meeting,** Junior High program, Voorheesville High School library, 1 p.m.

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

**Publicity Workshop,** for all local organization representatives, Voorheesville Library, 7:30 p.m.

**Salem Hills Park Assn.,** general membership meeting, Voorheesville Elementary School cafeteria, 8 p.m.

**Rummage Sale,** St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Elsmere, 10-7.

**Slingerlands Homeowners Assn.** informational meeting on current construction and Slingerlands park status, Room 106, Bethlehem town hall, 7:30 p.m.

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

**Recovery, Inc.,** self-help for ex-mental patients and nervous persons, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

**Haunted Church,** St. Matthew's Youth Group, old St. Matthew's Church, 6-9 p.m.

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**Open House**, Albany County Cooperative Extension, Martin Rd., Voorheesville, 6 p.m.

**Scholastic Football**, Mohonasen at Voorheesville, 1:30 p.m.

**Fall Cleanup**, village of Voorheesville, articles at curb by 7 a.m.

**Furniture Refinishing**, first of five sessions, Bethlehem Library, 10-11:30 a.m. Fee for series \$10.

**Building Dedication**, Voorheesville Area Ambulance Service, Voorheesville, 11 a.m.

**Haunted Church**, St. Matthew's Youth Group, old St. Matthew's Church, Voorheesville, 4-9 p.m.

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26

**Pop Warner Football**, tripleheader, Bethlehem PeeWees vs. East Greenbush, 11 a.m., Bethlehem Junior Midgets vs. Albany, 1 p.m., Bethlehem Midgets vs. East Greenbush, 3 p.m., Hamagrael School, Delmar.

**Haunted Church**, old St. Matthew's Church, 3-8 p.m.

**Contemporary Women's Writing** series, film on Muriel Rukeyser, lecture by Judith McDaniel, Bethlehem Library, 2 p.m.

**Public Reception**, wine and cheese sponsored jointly by Bethlehem Women's and Bethlehem Men's Republican Clubs, Blanchard American Legion Post, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, 5-6:30 p.m. Free. Square dance follows at 7 p.m., reservations \$6 a couple.

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

**Delmar Community Orchestra**, Bethlehem town hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Assemblyman Larry Lane's** district office, 1 Becker Terr., Delmar, open 10-3.

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

**Basic Home Insulation**, Albany County Cooperative Extension Assn. class, Resources Development Center, Martin Rd., Voorheesville, 7-9 p.m. Preregister, 765-2874.

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# area arts

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## THEATER

"Two Gentlemen of Verona" (Shakespeare comedy), State University Performing Arts Center, **Oct. 17-18, 22-25**, 8 p.m., **Oct. 19**, 2:30 p.m. 457-8606 and Community Box Office.

## MUSIC

Albany Symphony Orchestra, composers Gould, Tchaikovsky, Sibelius, Palace Theater, Albany, **Oct. 25**, 8:30 p.m. Box office, 465-4755, Community Box Office, 478-8122.

Faure's "Requiem" and Kodaly's "Missa Brevis," Capitol Hill Choral Society, Judson Rand conducting, soloists, Philip Schuyler Concert Hall, North Lake and Western Aves., Albany, **Oct. 24**, 8 p.m. \$3.75, students \$2.25, Community Box Office, 458-7530.

Evening of Light Opera (in English), Trilogy, St. Joseph's Hall, College of Saint Rose, 985 Madison Ave., Albany, **Oct. 19**, 7:30 p.m. \$3.50, students, senior citizens \$2.50.

Music at the Cathedral, Monday Musical Club concert, Cathedral of All Saints, Albany, **Oct. 19**, 3 p.m. Free.

## ART

Exhibition, 19th Century Cast Iron Stoves of Albany Area, Albany Institute of History and Art, **through May '81**.

Symphonic Interiors, designer showcase featuring 10 vignettes of rooms, benefit Albany Symphony Orchestra, Albany Institute of History and Art, **Oct. 4-25**, Tues.-Sat. 11-3, Sun. 2-5, \$3.50.

Exhibit, New York Documented Furniture, 1730-1930, New York State Museum, Empire State Plaza, **through Jan. 4**, 10-5 daily.

## FILM

"Rules of the Game" (French Film Classics series), Recital Hall, State University PAC, Albany, **Oct. 17-18**, 8:30 p.m. \$2, students, senior citizens, \$1.25.

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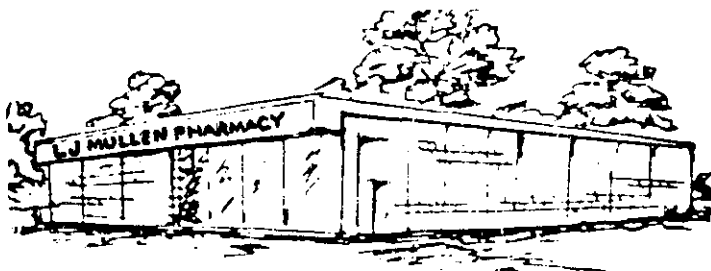
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## BETHLEHEM

### Fluoride foes frustrated at forum

To fluoridate or not to fluoridate: that is the question confronting the Bethlehem town board as citizen emotions build in a controversy that threatens to divide an otherwise peaceful community.

A town board session that was publicized as an informational meeting on a proposal for fluoridation of the Bethlehem water system took on the atmosphere of a public hearing at town hall Wednesday as opponents of the proposal turned out to have their say.

But Supervisor Tom Corrigan, insisting the state and county presentation was "purely informational" and not part of a public hearing, shut off the debate angle with a pledge that the board would schedule a hearing at a later date, possibly in November after the election and the budget procedure.

That left the electronic media as the only podium for the anti-fluoride forces, and they got a good play there. Holly Steuart of Channel 10's Action News aired a video clip of Laurel Cahill, former president of the Tri-Village Nursery School, in Delmar, and Eileen Marter of WROW News balanced her report with a taped excerpt of an interview with Douglas P. Bridge of Slingerlands in the hallway outside the auditorium.

Both voiced strong opposition to what they termed "forced medication," declaring that good oral hygiene and proper dietary habits will prevent tooth decay without injecting unwanted chemicals into the public water supply.

But before Corrigan could leave the auditorium to reconvene the town board meeting across the hall, he was challenged by Mrs. Cahill, who wanted the assurance that the board would not mandate fluoridation before holding a public hearing. After some hesitation, Corrigan gave her that assurance.

That exchange followed the formal presentation given by Dr. John Lyons, Albany County health commissioner; Dr. T. R. Rebich, director of the state Bureau of Dental Health and Dr. Elmer Green, deputy director of the dental health bureau, with support from a film. All cited strong reasons in favor of fluoridation, Lyons urging the town board to "bite the bullet" and mandate fluoridation without a referendum.

"I don't think you can go to a referendum on every sticky question," he said, an obvious reference to the 1958 Bethlehem plebiscite on the same issue. In that vote, residents of the water district overwhelmingly rejected the proposal to add fluorides to the system.

Also speaking in favor of fluoridation was Dr. Joseph Hart, a Delmar dentist, who declared patients who live on fluoridated water systems have fewer cavities in their teeth than those who do not.

The speakers emphasized that statistics showed fluoride reduces tooth decay and is particularly beneficial to the teeth of young children.

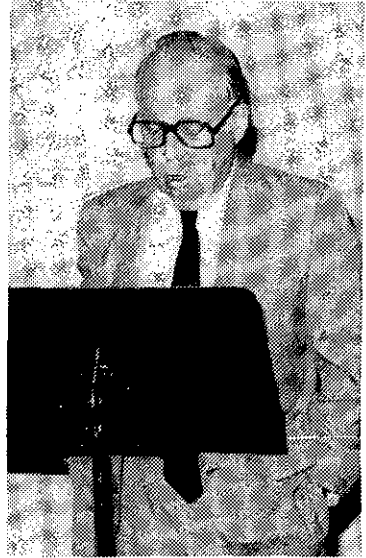
The session which drew approximately 70 people to the town hall community

room, was precipitated by a letter last month from the county health department to the town board stating that a government-funded program of fluoridation was available to municipalities. The department's offer to provide information was accepted by board members, who set up last week's session.

At the town board meeting prior to the presentation, Bridge and his wife, Anita, presented a citizens' petition bearing 102 signatures of persons opposed to fluoridation. The Bridges earlier had sent a letter to the Vox Pop column in the Oct. 2 *Spotlight*, a letter that drew a strong rebuttal the following week from Dr. Gary Nelson of Delmar, a dentist.

There have been no indications as to how far the controversial matter will go. The town board, finding itself in the middle of a highly emotional issue, is not required by law to hold a referendum, but that is one of the three options it faces. The other two are to mandate fluoridation, or to shelve the matter indefinitely and let the furor subside. The only commitment it has now is to take no action without holding a public hearing.

There also are no estimates available on the cost of converting the present Bethlehem water supply to handle fluorides. The town's treatment plant is located at the head of the Vly reservoir in New Scotland. The system also draws water daily from the Kenwood Ave. intertie with the Albany system,



Dr. John Lyons

which traverses the length of Bethlehem from the Feura Bush treatment plant to the city line on the Normanskill via a 48-inch main. Albany's system has not been fluoridated.

#### Planning board schedule

The Bethlehem planning board has rearranged its meeting schedule to accommodate a lighter agenda than in previous years and to avoid conflicts with upcoming holidays. The seven-member board, which last year went from weekly meetings to three Tuesdays a month, will meet twice a month through January on the following Tuesdays at 7:30: Oct. 21, Nov. 11, 25; Dec. 2, 16, and Jan. 6, 20.

#### Named to board

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## BETHLEHEM

### Fashion show set by GOP women

The public is cordially invited to a card party and fashion show, Monday, Oct. 20, in the Bethlehem town hall community room at 7:30 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Bethlehem Women's Republican Club.

General chairman is Miss Regina DuBois. Fashions will be from Dorothy Lynn, with Betty Spooner as commentator. Refreshments will be served and there will be table favors and door prizes donated by local merchants. Hair styles will be by John's Normanside. The refreshments are provided by Price Chopper through Mrs. Sue Ann Ritchko, with Cynthia Wilson as chairman. Mrs. Mary Bardwell is in charge of decorations and table prizes by Verstandigs.

Models are Sheila Galvin, Mary Bardwell, Ann Young, Jean Vogel, Carole Wood,



Planning the Women's Republican Club fashion show and card party Oct. 20 are, from left, Regina Dubois, general chairman, Dorothy Brown, club president, Mrs. Nancy MacDonald and Mrs. Ada Whitbeck.

Nancy MacDonald, Barbara Silber, Mary Ann Phelan, Sue Ann Ritchko and Ada Whitbeck. Chairman of models is Jeanne Gerdes.

Other chairmen are: Ruth Bickel, tickets; Marion Camp and Barbara Talmadge, program; Lois Marks and Ann Young, door prizes; Jean

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Every weekday morning at 8:30, John Buhac, a BCHS sophomore, will present "Morning Report," a news roundup. On Thursdays at 5 p.m., Betty Bardwell, a senior, will provide a series of interviews with Bethlehem school district employees and friends called "Personality Profile." On Fridays at 5 p.m., "The Week in Sports," with sophomores Mike Cole and Andy LaBarge will fill everyone in on school sports results and upcoming events.

The students are members of the BCHS Video Arts Production Club under the direction of Nick Viscio, a media technician. The high school TV studio has received the transmission capability from Bethlehem Video, which also provided cable hookups to the other district schools. The schools frequently make use of tapes beamed to class-

rooms from the studio, but this fall marks the debut of student programming to homes in the area.

"We've recently become fully functional for this, after a lot of construction work by the company," Viscio said.

### Named fact-finder

A Delmar resident, Sumner Shapiro of 64 Darroch Rd., has been appointed fact-finder in the stalemate in union contract negotiations between the North Colonie Teachers Assn. and the board of education. The district includes Shaker Junior and Senior High School.

Shapiro, 56, has been involved in mediation for the state's Public Employee Relations Board (PERB) for the past 13 years, a board announcement stated. He is executive vice president of Star Textile and Research, Inc. Albany. North Colonie teachers have been working without a contract since June, when a proposal accepted by both bargaining teams was decisively defeated by the union's membership.

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## Decision upheld on Burger King

A State Supreme Court justice has upheld the town of Bethlehem's action in denying variances to permit the Burger King chain to locate a restaurant in Elsmere.

The ruling by Judge Con G. Cholakis last week turned back an Article 78 challenge stemming from the refusal of the Bethlehem board of appeals to grant three variances to the Buffalo-based fast-food chain. The determination by the five-member board followed a long procedure through various town agencies that stretched over a six-month period during which Elsmere residents vigorously fought the restaurant proposal at every step.

Cholakis stated that Burger King failed to prove it was entitled to the variances, and that the Bethlehem board's decision was supported by the record and testimony. In his written opinion, he noted that "the hardship alleged was thoroughly analyzed by the board and weighed against factors that strongly dictated the applications' denial."

He also agreed with the

board's determination that the presence of a fast-food outlet would change the character of the neighborhood and would be inconsistent with the town's zoning plan.

Burger King had sought the variances because a fast-food restaurant is not a permitted use of land in the town's Commercial-CC zone and because a portion of the proposed site lies in a residential zone. The third variance was required because the restaurant's sign would have exceeded limitations in the zoning ordinance.

The restaurant was proposed for a wooded tract on Delaware Ave. between the western boundary of the Delaware Plaza shopping complex and Plymouth Ave. The two-acre parcel is owned by Norris MacFarland, a Slingerlands developer, and State Sen. Howard Nolan, an Albany attorney, who also are partners in the ownership of Delaware Plaza.

## Music at cathedral

The Monday Musical Club of Albany will present a program at the Cathedral of All Saints, Swan St. near Washington Ave., on Sunday, Oct. 19, at 3.

Members and guest artists appearing will include Ruth Woodin Baumbach, violinist, Mark Baumbach, organist, both of Voorheesville, and Helen Schoenthal, contralto of Delmar.

## Turkey supper Saturday

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### Films on families

The Glenmont Pentecostal Church will present a film series on Fridays, Nov. 7-Dec. 19, at 7:30 entitled "Focus on the Family," with Dr. James Dobson. Dobson, associate clinical professor of pediatrics of the University of Southern California School of Medicine, has co-edited several books on the family. Discussion groups and refreshments will follow each presentation. All are welcome.

### Correction

The Oct. 2 article on Bethlehem-New Scotland liquor

dealers affected by the elimination of fair trade minimums on wines gave the impression that Buy Rite stores, of which Delaware Plaza Liquor Store is one, pooled their purchasing as well as advertising. The stores pool their advertising only. The *Spotlight* regrets the error.

### Retired teachers meet

Albany Area Retired Teachers Assn. invites all members and newly retired teachers to its annual fall luncheon on Oct. 23 at the Century House, Rt. 9, Latham, at 12 noon.

### Walkathon Sunday

A walkathon sponsored by the College of Saint Rose student chapter of the American Institute of Biological Sciences will be held on Sunday, Oct. 19, beginning at noon at the CSR Campus Center. The event is open to the public, and proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society.

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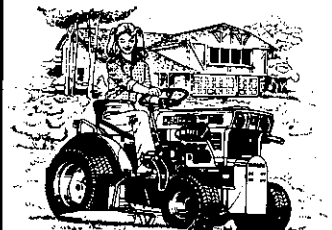
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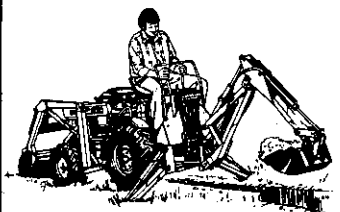
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## Students abroad

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Junior Girl Scout Troop 638 and third grade Brownie Troop 233 of Elsmere School recently enjoyed a sunny afternoon ride on a haywagon at Van Etten's farm, Altamont. The girls rode through woods and meadows to a field to roast hot dogs and marshmallows over an open bonfire. PM Magazine will broadcast a film of the hayride at 7 p.m. Oct. 28 on Channel 10.

## Designer recreates room

Among the display of creative vignettes at the designer showcase, "Symphonic Interiors," which will celebrate the Albany Symphony's 50th anniversary at the Albany Institute of History and Art, will be a room created by

Edmund D. Wood, Jr. of Elsmere.

Wood's college dormitory room, entitled "Disco Dorm" will be one of 10 rooms found in homes depicted by 12 members of the N.Y.S. Chapter of the American Society of Interior Designers (A.S.I.D.)

from through Oct. 24. Presented by ASID, the Albany Symphony Orchestra, (ASO) and Vanguard (The Women's Association of the ASO), all proceeds will benefit the ASO.

According to Merri Meislahn, a Delmar resident and publicity chairman for Vanguard, "each room is created by a particular designer using either very modern concepts, traditional or historical, with many antiques being featured. Wall hangings, pictures and special lighting will enhance the scenes."

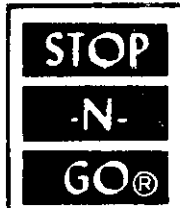
Wood, whose room will feature a loft bed and a unique study-lounge chair, is a graduate of Russell Sage College and the New York School of Interior Design.

## Auxiliary to meet

The Blanchard Post American Legion Auxiliary will hold a business meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 21, at 8 p.m. at the post rooms in Elsmere, followed by a sing-a-long.

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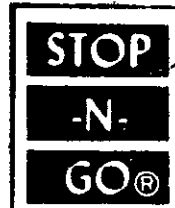


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#### Recruitment party

"Women with baccalurate or higher degrees are invited to a new members' recruitment party sponsored by the Albany Branch of the American Association of University Women on Thursday, Oct. 23, from 5:30 to 7:30 at the

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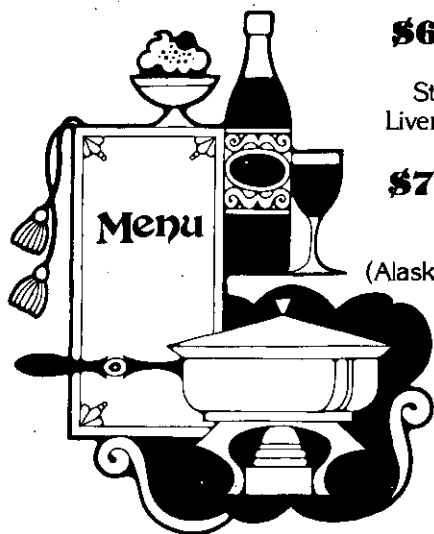
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## NEW SCOTLAND State aid cuts lift tax rate

Taxpayers in the town of New Scotland will see a fiscal yo-yo at work when they get their property tax bills in January. Sharp cuts in state aid and federal revenue sharing has boosted the town's tax rate by 9 percent, but reductions in the Albany County levy are expected to give most property owners a slightly lower tax bill than a year ago.

Residents of the village of Voorheesville will get even more of a break this time, thanks to a decision by the town board to exempt village taxpayers from two highway items previously covered by the village portion of the town tax. Those items are snow removal and bridge maintenance costs, which now will be shouldered entirely by the town.

The new town budget emerged from a second shirt-sleeve work session involving Supervisor Steve Wallace and the town board last week. The board adopted a preliminary budget of \$940,000, up from \$928,000 for the current budget. Wallace estimates the 1981 tax rate at \$33.94, compared to the present \$31.14.

The village rate, however,

will drop from \$19.05 to \$18.53 per thousand as a result of the highway budget exemption. In the past, because the village is situated entirely within the town of New Scotland, village taxpayers were assessed for a portion of the town's highway costs on the theory that village residents also use town roads in their normal routines. Village residents also pay taxes to the village for internal municipal services and facilities.

Wallace and town board members apparently were concentrating so much on the new numbers they didn't look back at the 1979 arithmetic. A check of the Spotlight files showed that New Scotland's taxes a year ago took a far bigger leap--14 percent--despite a budget Wallace said at the time would be hard to live with, and that was in a local election year, too.

The yo-yo effect comes to light with the revelation that while the overall town budget is up only \$12,000 in round numbers, the amount to be raised by local taxes is up more than \$70,000. The actual figures: \$302,776.56 for 1980, compared to \$374,098.79 for 1981.

The new state aid formula is still tentative, Wallace said, but the projected 20-percent cut in revenue sharing is real. That trims New Scotland's share from \$53,000 this year to \$42,400 next year.

Despite the austerity of the town's current fiscal operations, board members

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trimmed dollars from virtually every line in the 1981 document, including nearly \$20,000 from highway appropriations. "We slashed everything to the bone," said Wallace, slipping into the vernacular of the meat business he operates in Slingerlands.

The budget knife did not apply to the New Scotland payroll. The deep cuts line-by-line presumably will make room for a 7-percent across-the-board raise for the town's approximately 40 employees up to a maximum of \$1,000. The latter figure will apply to Wallace's own salary, which will go from \$18,600 to \$19,600 next year.

The board scheduled its annual budget hearing for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 22, at the town hall, the second year in a row the hearing will have been held before Election Day.

#### Job hunters' workshop

A free four-session workshop series on resume writing and interviewing skills will be offered on Saturdays, Nov. 1-22, from 1-5 p.m. at the Bethlehem Library. Michael D'Attilio, dean of students at the College of Saint Rose, will conduct two sessions to help job hunters produce an effective resume and cover letter. Karen Klaja-Maher, career counselor and consultant, will conduct two experiential sessions entitled "Sweaty Palms: Gearing up for Interviews," on Saturdays, Nov. 15 and 22 which will feature interview role-playing and critical feedback. The series is sponsored by the Upper Hudson Library Federation. For information, call 439-9314.

#### Career workshop sign-up

A free workshop on career development will be held at the Bethlehem Library on Tuesdays, Oct. 7-Nov. 25, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Sylvia Haas, coordinator-counselor at Schenectady County Community College, will assist participants in assessing, exploring and formulating careers. For information, call 439-9314. Pre-register deadline is Oct. 3.



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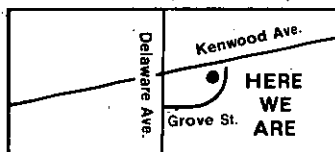
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### Planners revise apartment rules

A sharp increase in the number of proposals to build apartment units in Bethlehem has moved the town planning board to recommend tighter restrictions on the lot sizes and setback regulations under Bethlehem's zoning ordinance.

Virtually all such proposals have brought out neighborhood property owners to voice opposition. Their common objections center on alleging the change in character of the neighborhood would downgrade property values and increase traffic congestion.

At last week's planning board meeting, the first of two regularly scheduled sessions this month, the board adopted these suggested revisions among others for 4-unit apartments and sent them to the town board:

- Raise the maximum lot size from 10,000 to 24,000 square feet and the front setback from 25 to 40 feet minimum for Residential-A zones; from 7,000 to 20,000 square feet and 20 to 35 feet setback for Residential-B

zones, and 5,000 to 16,000 square feet and 10 to 30 feet setback for Commercial and Light Industrial zoning.

The town board, meeting the following night for its regular agenda, acknowledged receipt of the recommendations and deferred action pending further study and a possible public hearing.

The vote on the planning board's motion was 5-1, with Warren Kullman absent and John LaForte dissenting.

In other actions, the planning board:

- Responded to Mrs. Barbara Silber of Brightonwood Rd., Glenmont, by stating it would study the Glenmont area before making preliminary zoning recommendations for that rapidly developing area.

- Voted to uphold the town requirements of two parking spaces per unit for the Chadwick Square town-house clusters being constructed by Rosen and Michaels, Inc., in Glenmont.

### Open house at JCA

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### Camera club meets

A workshop on close-up photography by Thelma and Clyde Tomlinson and a slide show on competition and camera handling will be featured at the meeting of the Delmar Camera Club Tuesday, Oct. 21, at 7:30 in the Parish Hall of St. Stephen's Church, Elsmere. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited.

### In Grimm Opera

Three Tri-Village residents will perform in the famous Grimm tale of Hansel and Gretel in Englebert Humperdinck's opera Oct. 16-18, at 8 p.m. at Russell Sage College in Troy. Directed by Dirk Hillyer, the opera will feature Janet Stasio of McCormack Rd. and Denise Carnell of Slingerlands. William Jones of Delmar will accompany on piano.

### Models in weight show

Mary Rozell of Delmar, who has lost 11 pounds in a Weight Watchers program, will be one of nine models in an unusual fashion show at

Flah's Colonie Center store on Oct. 22. The models, men and women, have enjoyed weight losses up to 114 pounds in the program. The show at 7:30 is open to the public.

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## Police probing burglary rash

Burglars have been busy in Bethlehem as local detectives work their way through a growing file of break-ins.

A \$1,500 gold charm bracelet was one of the items taken in a daytime burglary on Carriage Rd., Delmar, last Tuesday. Police said entry was gained through an unlocked garage door between 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Missing are coins, jewelry and watches. The thief or thieves also got \$63 in cash hidden beneath the mattress of an upstairs bedroom.

A weekend break-in at the Radio Shack, 159 Delaware Ave., netted several cassette recorders and an undetermined number of other items, according to a police report. Bethlehem police responded to a call at 5:20 a.m. Monday to find a window broken and a light on in the store. Tapes

were strewn over the floor, the report said.

In Selkirk, a power saw valued at \$179 was taken from the garage of a residence on Rt. 396, and in Elsmere two cars parked on Salisbury Rd. were entered. Police said a radio and two FM converters were taken from the cars, one of which was locked, between midnight and 8 a.m. Saturday. A camera and tools valued at \$325 were taken from a car parked on Normanside Rd. and two speakers from a car parked on Glendale Ave. were taken Friday night, police said.

Detectives also are investigating the theft of 49 assorted gold rings taken from a display case at Bill and Lou's Antiques at 154 Delaware Ave., Elsmere, Friday while the attendant was out of the store for a brief time. The items were valued at \$3,800.

Bethlehem detectives also are investigating the theft of an undisclosed quantity of stereo equipment from the K-Mart store at the Town Squire shopping plaza in Glenmont. Jay Fornoff, store manager, told police that the items had been stolen over a period of several months.

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## Voorheesville News Notes

Maryann Malark 765-4392

The workshop for publicity chairmen of local organizations scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 23, at the Voorheesville Library has been postponed. A new date will be announced.

The Salem Hills Park Assn. will hold a general meeting to elect officers and discuss business on Thursday, Oct. 23 at 8 p.m. in the Elementary School cafeteria. All Salem Hills residents are encouraged to attend.

St. Matthew's Youth Group will stage their third annual "Old Haunted Church" Oct. 24-26 at the old church building on the Pleasant St. hill. It will be the first event to be held in the renovated building since volunteers and neighbors completed the big job of installing many new safety features.

The 100-year-old weather-beaten church has been transformed into a Halloween

haunted house complete with spoofs, ghouls and ghosts.

More than 150 teenagers work in all aspects, including lighting, props, special effects, music and acting.

Small groups will be guided through the church. They won't know what to expect as they travel along the long, narrow corridors. The "Witches Kitchen" concocts many strange brews and "The Devil" waits to welcome visitors into his Inferno.

This year the teenagers are receiving acting training from students in the Siena College Drama Dept. and will be given instructions in make-up application by two members of the Empire State Youth Theater. In addition, WTEN's PM Magazine will feature the church in its segment on Tuesday, Oct. 21.

During the past two presentations of the "Old Haunted Church", over 6,000 people have wound their way through the eerie mazes. Proceeds from the venture are used to keep the Youth Group self-sustaining. In addition to sponsoring dances, hayrides and field trips the group members do various volun-

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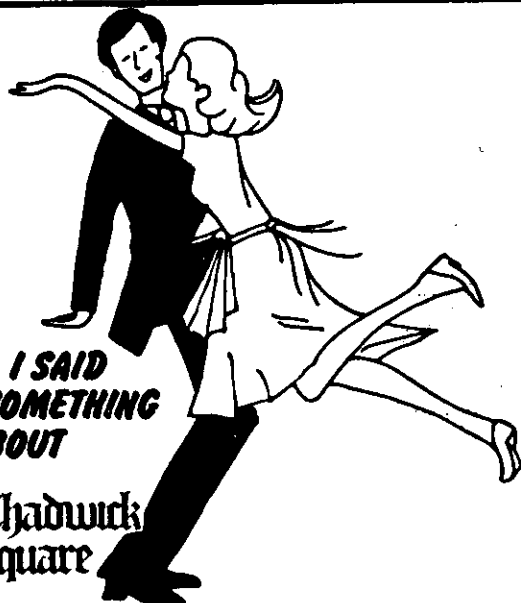
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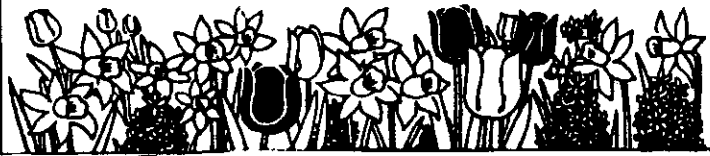
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On Saturday, Oct. 25, at 11 a.m. a brief ceremony will be held dedicating the Voorheesville Area Ambulance building to Edward Smith, charter member of the organization. Smith, longtime resident of Voorheesville and designer of the building, died last year. Mrs. Ethel Smith, his widow, will unveil the plaque. The community is invited.

The second in a series of parent meetings at the Voorheesville High School library is scheduled for Oct. 22 at 1 p.m. The meeting will center on the Junior High program, especially the seventh grade. Present at the meeting will be Mrs. Elaine Buyer, Jr., guidance counselor, Terry Barlow, administrative assistant, and Peter Griffin, principal.

The village of Voorheesville has announced its annual fall cleanup will be held on Oct. 25 and Nov. 8. All

articles left at the curb by 7 a.m. will be picked up. Branches, brush and loose trash should be contained so that it can be readily collected by one man.

### Troop celebrates 60th

Voorheesville Boy Scout Troop 73 is sponsoring a dinner on Sunday Oct. 18, at 7:30 at the American Legion hall in Voorheesville, in celebration of its 60th year.

The ham dinner will cost \$3 per person. For tickets contact Jack Rasmussen at 765-3188.

### Wallet returned

A Leaf Rd. resident who found a wallet in the Delmar postoffice lobby turned it over to Bethlehem police, who returned it to its owner. Police said the wallet contained \$53.99 in cash and a bank passbook.

### Christmas bazaar planned

Rental applications for craft booths at the Clarksville Community Church Christmas bazaar on Nov. 8 are being taken at 768-2277 and 768-2324. Women of the church Guild are preparing for the annual event.

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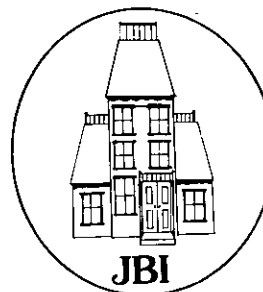
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## Shop Talk

by Judi James

On Saturday, Oct. 18 four enterprising women will re-open the site of the Clothes Horse in Slingerlands. New signs are up for "Antiques at the Tollgate," the windows are fascinating, and we were lucky enough to have a preview.

Permit us to introduce you to the new tenants of the attractive store behind the Slingerlands post office and the Tollgate. Ruth Kirkman, formerly of the Country Corner in Delmar, and Maria Brooks of Slingerlands, together with their associate exhibitor of antiquity, June Benjamin, have created a display area and shop for the purpose of buying and selling quality antiques and collectibles. And at the back of this interesting shop, with a separate entrance off the Tollgate court, Sue Zick has sent up her interior design shop.

It's an interesting concept: the area has been made into little room arrangements, each with carefully chosen antiques and accessories. At the back of the store is a clever little shop called "The Second Time Around," where good quality, used furniture will be available to those who are just beginning their homes.

A little about these talented women: they all have one thing in common—excellent taste. Ruth and Bob Kirkman have, over the years, become very knowledgeable about country furniture. They have some wonderful pieces which will be on display including some excellent primitives. Those of us who always appreciated the charming windows and talented flair for display of the Kirkmans' former shop in Delmar will find the same pleasure at Antiques at the Tollgate, and the friendly and helpful atmosphere always offered in the Kirkman way!

William and Maria Brooks' collection of fine Shaker and Early American furniture is well known to collectors. They moved to this area three years ago from Massachusetts, and Maria is enthusiastic about joining Ruth Kirkman and June Benjamin in the new shop. We enjoyed meeting this dark-haired young woman, who has an air of capability and charm. I asked her about the Shaker pieces she has. For example, a two-drawer blanket chest. "It's a genuine Shaker," she told me. "It came from Sabbath Day

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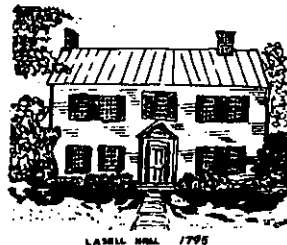
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She has a handsome, curly maple Shaker candle lantern with pierced tin top from the Shaker colony in Hancock, Mass. I couldn't help but ask just how one can identify an early Shaker piece of furniture. "It's tricky. Every piece has to be thoroughly researched. You know their carpenters came from the world. Sometimes they left the scribe marks on a chair, for they thought that was an integral part of the design. If it's a production piece, then, of course, the number is usually stamped on the chair."

I look forward to learning more about the Shakers from this knowledgeable young woman!

We didn't meet June Benjamin nor Sue Zick when we stopped for our preview, but surely intend to know them better. Ruth tells us that June has some fantastic lamps, clocks and glassware and that her selection in these—as well as her antique jewelry—will greatly enhance the show rooms.

Sue Zick, who lives in Colonial Acres, has been serving her clients and providing her skills as an interior decorator from her home for the past several years. She has a charming shop of her own there on the Tollgate court.

The doorway is attractively opened from that courtyard and inside Sue has a fine selection of fabrics, papers and carpeting for home decoration. Sue will keep her shop hours on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays from 9:30 to 2, and appointments may be made by telephoning her at 439-2517.

### Babysitters' course

A course on babysitting will be offered by James Corbett of the Bethlehem Police and Alex Milmoie, pediatric nurse and mother, for sitters in the seventh grade and up on Saturday, Oct. 18, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at the Community United Methodist Church, Slingerlands. Participants must pre-register by calling 439-1766 weekday mornings.

### Vandals halt train

A Delaware and Hudson freight train was braked to a stop in Slingerlands shortly before midnight Friday when a crew member, Clarence Bumford, 23, spotted a camper-trailed across the track. Bethlehem police said that the vehicle had been parked on a vacant lot in the 600 area of Kenwood Ave. and that vandals had pushed it over an embankment onto the track. A tow truck pulled the camper off the track and the train continued.

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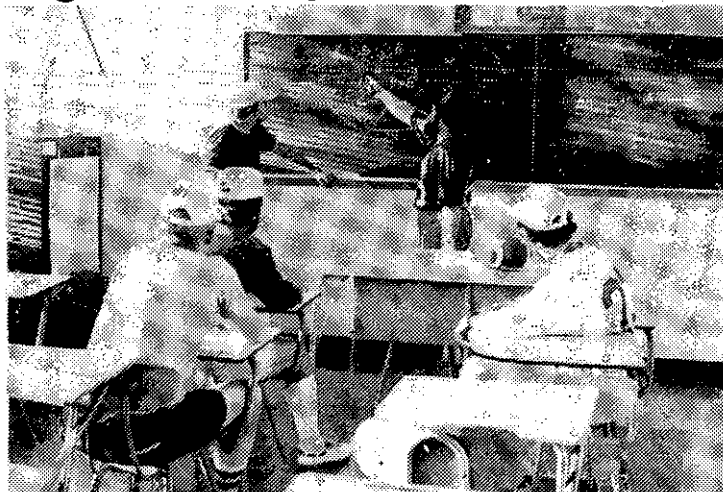
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## Football scouting: anatomy of a game plan

The football game at Voorheesville has been over for more than half an hour, the field is deep in shadows as the sun began its dip behind the Helderberg escarpment, and the players are whooping it up in the showers after a victory.

In a classroom across the hall from the locker room, the coaches are running the film of last year's Albany Academy game, their eyes glued to the plays and players on the screen. It is 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, just seven days before Voorheesville is scheduled to play undefeated Abany Academy. The winner of that game probably goes on to win the division championship, and Coach Tom Buckley of the Blackbirds is already hard at work on preparation.

The film has been running only a few minutes when Pete Douglas and John Sittig join the group. Douglas, an elementary school teacher, and



Late afternoon football session in Voorheesville as coaches, seated, listen to scouting reports from John Sittig, left, and Chuck Farley. On the cover: Sittig diagrams a play.

Sittig, who teaches at the high school, are bringing in their scouting report from Johnstown, where they have watched the Academy win a 3-0 bruiser.

Buckley and his assistants, Dave Burnham and Dennis Ullion, listen intently as Doug-

las and Sittig diagram Academy plays on the blackboard. Says Buckley: *We have to know what kind of offense they have, what type defense. Do they have speed? Can we run against them? Pass? Who should we key on?*

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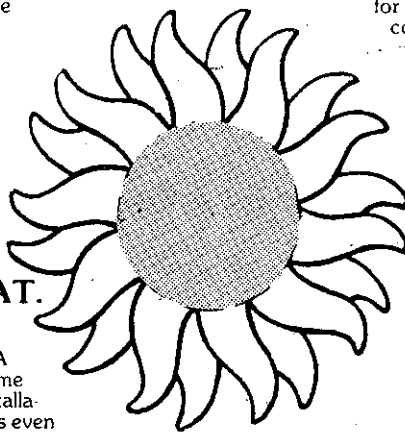
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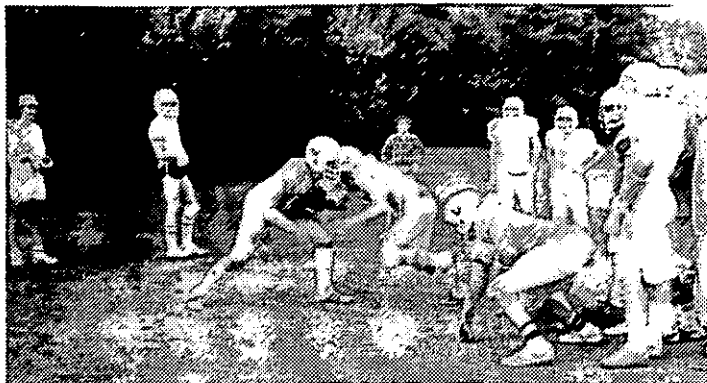


are the only people left in the building, and the meeting breaks up. Buckley, the smiling Hibernian now in his 19th year as varsity coach at Voorheesville, picks up the movie projector and the reel of the 1979 Academy-Voorheesville game and heads home for New Salem, dinner with his family and a Saturday evening with the game film.

#### Sunday

Buckley is out of the house by 7:15 a.m. driving to Schenectady to pick up the processed film from the Ravena game played the day before. Back at the school by 9, he is joined by Burnham, Ulion, and the scouts, Douglas, Sittig and Chuck Farley, a former player and volunteer strategist.

The routine of the Sunday morning cabinet session is the same every week: run the new game film over and over, backward and forward, stopping and slowing the motion for those close looks. We try to pick up areas where



Mid-week contact drills on the Voorheesville practice field: Chris Clark is sandwiched on a 2-on-1 block.

*we can improve, see where plays went wrong, and see what worked well. We discuss possible personnel changes.*

They send the scouts to the blackboard and go over the scouting report. The coaches fire questions at the scouts. From this evolves the match-ups for the coming Saturday. *We set our offense against their defense, and our defense against their offense. We study their kicking game and formations, and their receiving procedure. Then we take another look at the '79*

*film, and discuss what might they do to stop us. Here's where we change some blocking assignments.*

The meeting adjourns at noon and the group splits for home and the pro games on television. Buckley lugs the projector home again, and Sunday night he runs the Saturday game film three, four, maybe five times.

#### Monday

The players run the film in small groups in the locker room during free periods. In the afternoon it's back to the

practice field, wearing shorts and helmets, no pads. The coaches put them through their conditioning routine, "running the circuit," stretching, 100-yard sprints and a 12-minute run. This loosens them up, gets rid of sore muscles and keeps the players fit.

Then comes the Recognition Drill: lining up the Academy's offense and running Academy plays against the Voorheesville defense. No contact, just running through the plays. Then its Voorheesville offense vs. Academy defense, and the coaches make some adjustments.

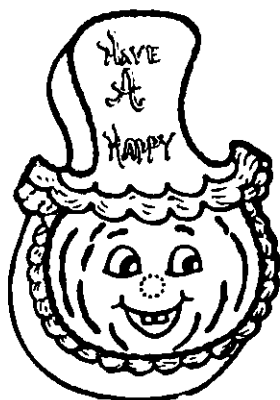
After showers and dressing, the whole team gathers in the auditorium for a review of the previous Saturday's film and a play-by-play critique from the coaches. It's 6 before the session breaks.

#### Tuesday

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### Wednesday

The pattern is repeated, with some time allotted to the kicking game and 20 minutes on kickoffs, punts, kick returns and the point-after-touchdown. *We don't scrimmage a lot. We hit hard, but nobody can block or tackle below the waist.*

### Thursday

The Academy game is now 48 hours away, and the boys run through the Cadets' plays and formations repeatedly, running an off-tackle handoff to the left six, seven times. If it works, the defense catches the dickens; if the play is stopped, the coaches sound off at the offensive breakdowns. By now the 3-by-5 index cards that chart every known Academy play are worn and smudged, but the plays and formations are familiar to everyone. *We know they'll have to pull some surprises or execute perfectly to beat us.* The players, grimy, dusty and sweaty, do a final sprint and head for the showers.

### Friday

Now the strategy for Saturday is set. Buckley sends his boys through the pre-game warmup, kick, stretch and run through plays. *We review the offense, defense and kicking game, emphasizing the critical things. We go into what we call Situations—long counts,*

*spread formation, quick kicks, how to stop the clock or keep the clock going.*

At 4:30 there's a team meeting for half an hour, going over the game plan, a final run through of last year's game film, and a question period.

Friday night it's time to relax, but not entirely. The players and coaches gather at somebody's house for Film Night, usually last week's game or last year's opponents' film. There's often a "golden oldie" from Buckley's film library, anything from the 1978 championship game with Whitehall, or some humorous clips from past films.

### Saturday

The coaches are in early, the scouts have fanned out to Watervliet or Tamarac to scout future opponents, and the players drift in slowly to suit up for the game. For home games they're ready by 12:29, for road games the time depends on the length of the bus trip.

Douglas, Sittig and Farley are absent, are already en route to Watervliet, Tamarac or Rotterdam to start a new card file on future opponents. This week's game is still an hour away, but the pattern for next week has already started.

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## TENNIS

### Eagles bid for Sectional crown

Bethlehem Central's girls' tennis team takes a 26-match winning streak into this week's team Sectionals, starting Wednesday against the winner of the Guiderland-Bishop Maginn match. The Eagles, seeded No. 1 and seeking their third straight Section 2 title, drew a bye in the first round.

Three singles players and the team's No. 1 doubles combo wound up the regular season undefeated as Bethlehem rolled to a 9-0 season and its third straight Suburban Council crown. The big win was a 5½-3½ triumph at Niskayuna, where three matches went three sets and BC's top doubles team of Randi Frank and Sheila Gould scored the decisive victory by 6-2, 6-4.

Bethlehem won four of the six singles as Molly Treadway took Niskayuna's No. 1 player, Marcie Elliot, 2-6, 6-1, 6-2, and Ann Weber at No. 3 suffered her first setback after eight straight wins in a 6-3, 0-6, 6-2 loss to Ann Leonelli. Three Eagles finished the campaign at 9-0, Kathy Bragaw, Judy Van Woert and Laura Treadway.

BC's three doubles teams advanced to the round of 16 in the Sectional eliminations

that started with 64 pairs last weekend. The Eagles also have the two top seeds, Bragaw-Van Woert No. 1 and Frank-Treadway (Molly) No. 2. The surprise was Bethlehem's freshman combo of Eileen Berry-Leanne Cory surviving with a win over the tourney's sixth-seeded team.

In the individual Sectionals, Ann Weber made it to the round of 16 as Sheila Gould and Jeanne Marie Franze were eliminated by Glens Falls No. 1 and Troy High No. 2 respectively.

### Babysitting class

A babysitting course will be offered at Community United Methodist Church, Slingerlands, on Saturday, Oct. 18, from 9 to noon. Alex Milmoe, a pediatric nurse and mother, and a youth officer of the Bethlehem Police Dept. will cover ethics, responsibilities, basic emergency procedures and infant and toddler care and amusement.

### Vandals cause damage

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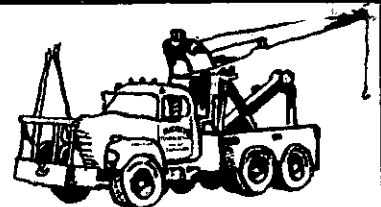
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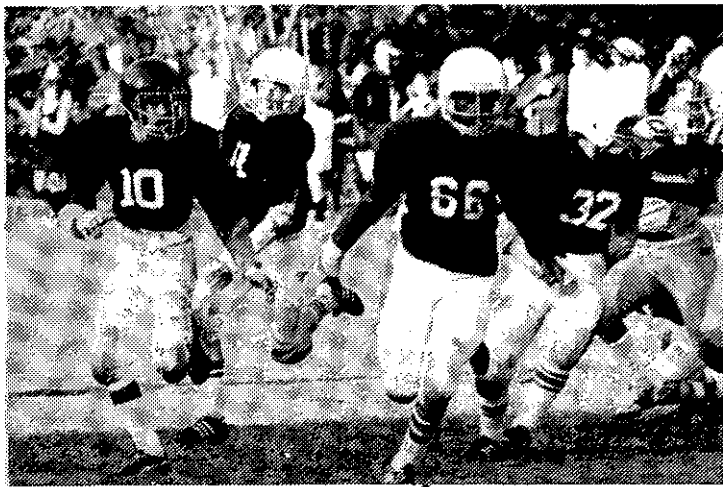


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A phalanx of blockers, Jeff Masline (10), William Graham (66) and John Moran (32) convoy Brian Bell (11) on the start of a 45-yard run against Albany in a Pop Warner game in Delmar.

#### Warner teams lose

It was a "lost weekend" for Bethlehem's three Pop Warner football teams. Colonie Raiders trimmed the PeeWee Falcons, 30-0; the Junior Midget Hawks were shaded at Hudson, 24-21, and Albany Blockers topped the Midget Division Eagles, 31-6.

The Falcons held the Raiders to six points in the first half, but couldn't keep it up. The Hawks were in it all the way, scoring on big plays. The first touchdown came on a razzle-dazzle pitchback from Mike Whitney to Al Higgins, who threw to Whitney downfield for a 70-yard TD. Higgins later scored on runs of 60 and 40 yards, and carried for three extra points. The Eagles got 102 yards from Brian Bell on the ground, including sprints of 45 and 26 that set up Dave Young's sneak from the 6.

The Junior Midgets play at home at 2 Sunday at Hama-grael, while the Falcons and Eagles are at Guilderland.

#### Blackbirds stickers strong

Voorheesville has a very young varsity field hockey team that lacks experience. With a record of 5-0, Coach Janet McKeough feels that the girls are highly motivated with strong drive and determination.

Junior co-captains Tami Tetreault and Mary Ann Jablonowski are playing their third year on the varsity. Juniors are Grace Cowles, Cathy LeGere, Melissa Michele, Cathy Shearer, Renee Decker, Joan Beardsley and Kathi Bartley. Sophomores include Meg Rogers, Beth Kane, Bonnie Rafferty, Kim Gray and Renee Germain. The team has five freshmen: Beth Mattfield, Janet Merkley, Patty Martin, Kerry Kelly and Mary McCabe.

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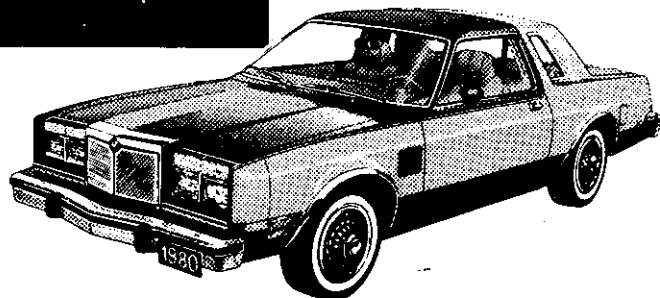
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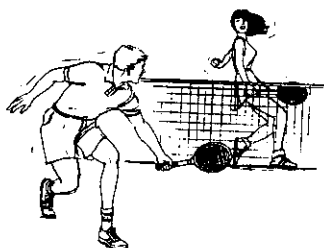
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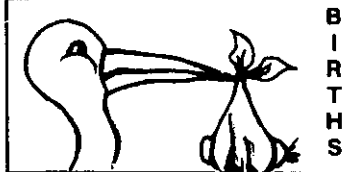


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## FOOTBALL

### Blackbirds get tie in big test

"It was a tremendous football game. I was proud of the whole team. It would have been a tough game for either team to lose, and we certainly appreciate the great number of fans who came to the game and gave us such great support."

That was Voorheesville's veteran football coach, Tom Buckley, speaking as he walked off the field at Albany Academy Saturday after the Blackbirds had tied the undefeated Cadets in a stirring, hard-hitting confrontation before the largest crowd of the year. The score was 7-7, the Blackbirds gaining the tie on a blocked punt by Joe Donato, their noseguard.

Buckley continued: "I felt we played our best game of the year. We made some mistakes, but that came from the caliber of the opposition. That's the toughest defense we'll see all year, but we moved the ball. I was very impressed with the offense, and the defense was just tremendous."

The Cadets struggled to a 7-0 lead in the second period on a 40-yard pass play and a six-yard run. The teams battled through the third period without making a first down, so furious was the defense on both sides as they forced each other into turnovers. The Blackbirds got their break with time running out in the third when Donato smothered Dave Reed's punt on the

Academy 19 and Eric Sickinger cradled it on the 2-yard-line. An Academy penalty moved it to the 1, and Mike McKaig jammed over on the first play. Mike SanGeorgi kicked the point as the large Voorheesville audience, several hundred strong, cheered wildly.

Both teams threatened in the fourth period. Twice the Blackbirds stopped the Cadets on fourth down inches short of a first, the last time on the 35 with 12 seconds on the clock. In between, the Blackbirds launched their best drive of the day, moving from their own 23 to the Academy 25, but Greg Picard's pass to Jim Riviello on the sideline was picked off at the 10.

Picard hit on only 3 of 14 and was intercepted twice, but got 42 yards in eight carries. Riviello caught four passes for 53 yards, including an option pass from Joe Traudt. Traudt, the workhorse back, had 77 yards in 15 carries. On defense, Donato and sophomore Jim Meacham, playing the whole game for the first time, were standouts. Donato adding a sack, 12 tackles and a forced fumble to his ledger. Glen Haberland had three unassisted tackles, helped on three others, intercepted a pass and knocked down another.

This week the Blackbirds are back on the bus to Watervliet, with the coaches trying to guard against a letdown. At 3-1-1, Voorheesville is tied for first place in the Colonial Division and has a good shot at the title if somebody knocks off the Cadets.

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Nicholas J. DeMarco, son of Dilomena DeMarco of Delmar, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of staff sergeant. He is an air traffic control specialist at Ramstein Air Base, West Germany.

National Guard Maj. Anthony Sroka, Jr. of Delmar recently was graduated from the first Reserve Component correspondence course of the Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute, Patrick Air Force Base, Fla. He and his wife, Barbara, live at 546 Huron Rd. He is assigned to the 205th Support Group in Troy.

Walter A. Ross, whose wife is the former Katherine Warnstadt of River Rd., Rt. 144, Selkirk, has been promoted to corporal at the Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C. Cpl. Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ross of Ravena, joined the Marine Corps in September, 1978.

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## FOOTBALL

### Eagles buoyed by best game

Bethlehem Central's defense has come into its own. Now if the offense...

Brian Wagner, shifted from offensive tackle to the front four, joined by Stu Allaway, Rob Agnew, and Dan Chambers in a brilliant effort last Saturday against one of the Suburban Council's genuine powerhouses. The Eagles shut down Colonie's strong running game, cut off their big gains and played the 4-1-1 Raiders even most of the way. Colonie, beaten only by Shenendehowa, won the game, 18-13, but had to work for it.

"I feel very good, it was a good game," said Coach Gene FitzPatrick. "We let down in a few spots, but overall the defense was tremendous. Brian and Stu moved well, they clogged up the middle better than we've ever done before. We ran only eight plays the first half, so the defense was out there almost the whole time. The kids played a good ball club to a standstill."

Colonie got a touchdown in the first period after a long time-consuming drive against the stubborn Eagles. Matt McGuire took the ensuing kickoff, got two good blocks from Tom Rutnick, picked up a couple of others, cut to the left and ran down the sideline for 81 yards and a score. It was the second week in a row that McGuire had broken loose: against Columbia the week before he returned a punt 80 yards. This time

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Colonie led by 12-6 at the half, and didn't get its insurance touchdown until late in the fourth quarter. With fourth and 3 on the BC 37, the Raiders went for it, but the Eagles took a defensive gamble and tried for the ball. The runner cut inside and went all the way.

Bethlehem looked good on an 80-yard drive, Steve Malone pitching to Tom Dexter for 43 yards to the 2. Malone got the TD with two minutes left.

Lou Conera will be back for the Niskayuna game this Saturday, but Jim DeAngelis and Bob Rivenburgh are still out. Altie Mendelson, a junior halfback who replaced Rivenburgh in the Columbia game, turned an ankle in a sandlot game the day before Colonie, and is out indefinitely.



Tom Dexter (12) gains ground against Colonie.

#### School official tapped

Franz Zwicklbauer, business administrator for the Bethlehem Central school district, has been named to the board of directors of the New York State Assn. of School Business Officials to fill a vacancy.

#### Tour to Albany

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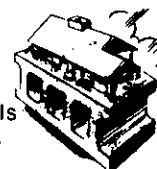
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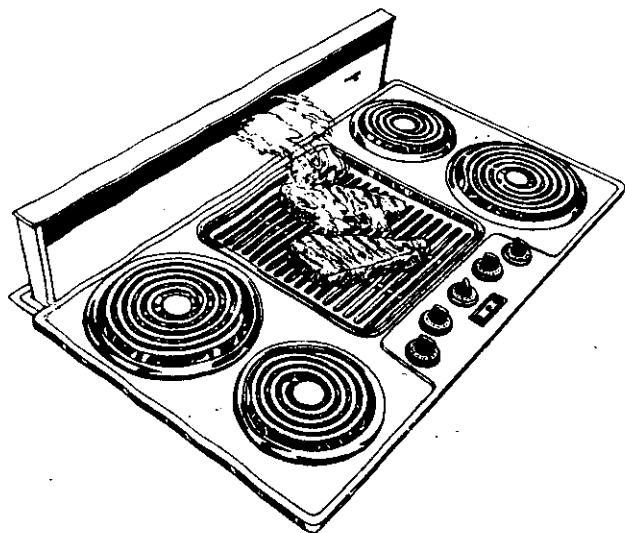
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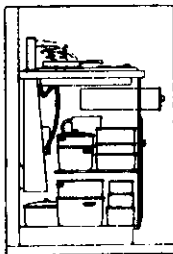


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## **Favors flouridation**

Editor, The Spotlight:

I compliment Dr. Nelson on his firm stand on the flouridation issue. Since flouridation of drinking water is helpful to the majority of people and has no adverse effect on the rest of the population, we should certainly support its use.

However, I feel that the public ought to be informed accurately concerning the nature of flouride. When people do not fully understand, they tend to be fearful and therefore antagonistic. Let's be scientific and tell the

community that flouride is a chemical, namely sodium flouride. For that matter table salt (sodium chloride) is a chemical, baking soda is a chemical, sugar is a chemical, vinegar is a chemical, water is a chemical which is essential for life, and on and on. Plants and animals are made up of chemicals. To be sure some of these chemicals occur naturally and some are synthesized in the laboratory, but they are the same chemical substances no matter how they are made. Chemicals may be harmful or beneficial depending upon their nature and their concentration. No one should be afraid of chemicals which are not dangerous in small concentrations.

What Dr. Nelson and I are advocating here is the addition of a minute amount of the chemical, sodium flouride, to our drinking water to benefit a large population.

*Eleanor P. Alexander*

Delmar

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Susan Constantine has joined our staff. She is a licensed Broker with five years of experience selling Real Estate locally. Susan most recently was the Delmar branch Manager of a large multi-office firm. Her knowledge, experience, and drive a welcome asset to our company, and we wish her continued success.



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## Opposes fluoridation

Editor, The Spotlight:

In response to the letter by Gary Nelson, DMD, in the Oct. 9 issue of the *Spotlight*, it is upsetting to me that anyone by virtue of possessing the title of "Doctor" has the ability to appear all-knowing. Doctors are not infallible, especially when they choose not to present all sides of an issue and thereby mislead the public on the issue of fluoridation.

Dr. Nelson refers to fluoride as a "dietary mineral" but fails to mention that this supplement is available by *prescription only* so that its dosage may be regulated, and that fluoride is also an enzyme *poison*. One-tenth of an ounce would be acutely poisonous to most people. One part per million (called "optimum" recommended level in water) does not alter the toxic nature of the chemical.

Dr. Nelson states that fluoridation of our water supply is neither a federal nor state government project. Why then are the monies promised to this community to facilitate injection of fluoride being provided under grants from the federal government through the state and thusly to the town?

It is also interesting to note here that the panel making their fluoride presentation to the town board on Oct. 8, with the exception of the local dentists, admitted they were being paid to do so under these same grants.

Dr. Nelson states "35 years of intensive research have proven fluoride to be safe and effective." Why, then, have there never been any toxicity studies done with regard to the total effect of fluoride on the human body? Can he cite one unbiased study which proves fluorides are absolutely safe?

Dr. Nelson also touted fluoride as a treatment of osteoporosis. However, in 1966, the originator of the fluoride treatment, himself,

reported in the *Journal of American Medical Association*, that such treatment could result in gastric pain, osteoarthritis and visual disturbances.

I suffer from hypoglycemia and undifferentiated connective tissue disease. This affects the body through an autoimmune blood disorder which may subsequently result in serious illnesses. For me, the danger of kidney disease is always present, and to be avoided at all costs. It is important for everyone to know that 60-80% more fluoride is retained in patients with kidney disease.

My two children, when given topical applications of fluoride and fluoride rinses, reacted with vomiting, dizziness and headache. Our decision to halt their fluoride treatments seemed even more propitious upon learning of the death in Brooklyn of 3-year-old William Kennerly in May, 1974, who was given, through negligence, a lethal dose of fluoride in jelly form. This child's symptoms were the same as my children's except he, sadly, went into a coma and died.

In November, 1979, in Annapolis, Md., machinery malfunction was responsible for the death of one kidney dialysis patient and the illness of seven others. In May, 1980, 34 children in Los Lunas, N.M. were taken ill when fluoride machinery malfunctioned.

Can any substance be called "safe" when there is the potential of human error and mechanical malfunction, or when it is used to treat a population composed of people with many diverse medical problems?

Will the Bethlehem town board assume responsibility for any illnesses, complication of present illnesses, or death resulting from fluoridation or malfunction of fluoridation equipment used in the town's water supply?

Laurel J. Cahill  
Delmar



## Community Corner

### Town Hall Facility

Local organizations are making more and more use of the new Community Room at Bethlehem town hall. For instance: Monday is the Bethlehem Women's Republican Club fashion show, Tuesday is the monthly free blood pressure clinic (10-2, 7-8:30) and Thursday is a meeting of the Slingerlands Homeowners Assn. to discuss the proposed town park and construction projects.

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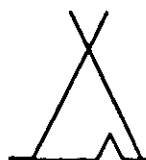
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