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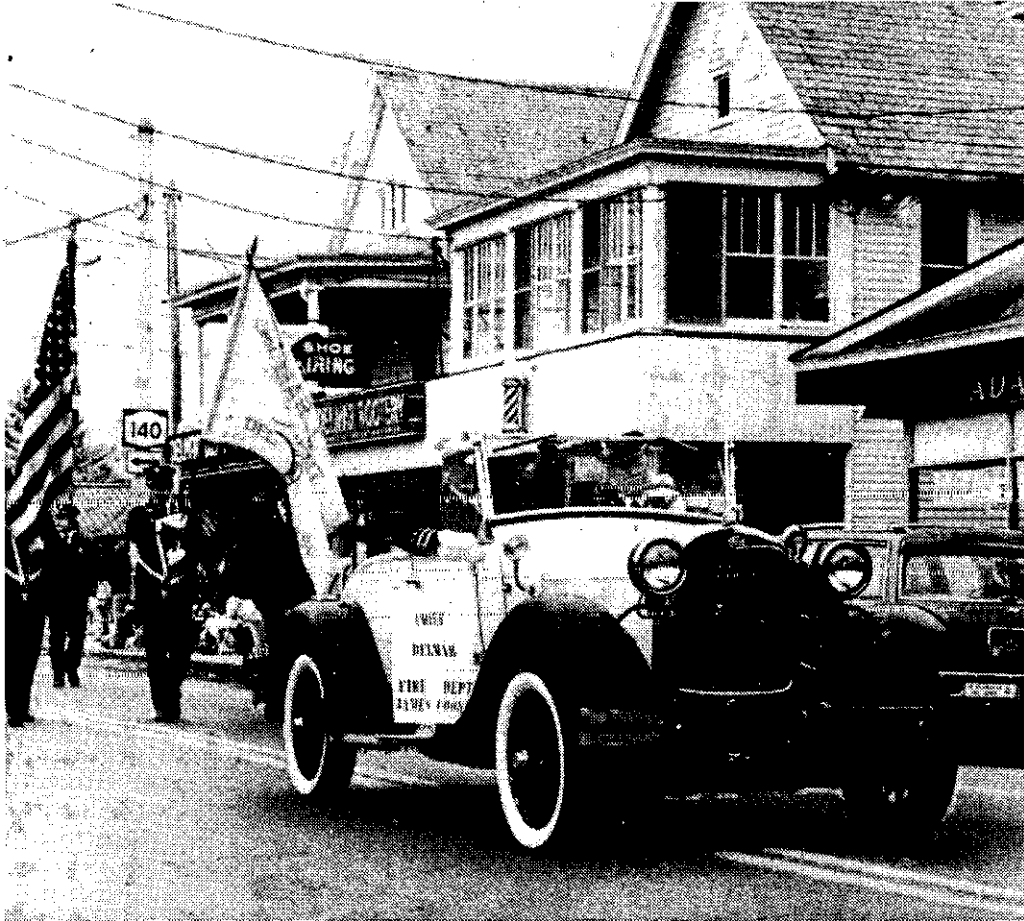
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#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

**Parents' Informational Meeting**, Voorheesville Jr.-Sr. High School, 9:30 a.m.

**Voorheesville Elementary School**, Grade 5 parent meeting, 7:30 p.m.

**Bethlehem Central Middle School Parent Faculty Organization**, general information and planning meeting, 7:30 p.m. All parents welcome.

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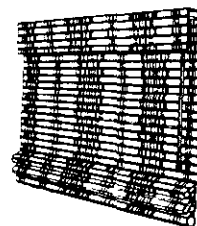
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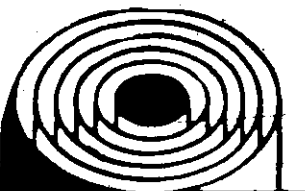
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**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25**

**New Scotland Elks Lodge**, institution of Ladies' Auxiliary and "Meet the Officers Night," Bethlehem Elks Lodge, Cedar Hill, cocktails 7:30 p.m. followed by dinner.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26**

**Bethlehem Genealogy Group**, tour of old cemeteries and gravestone rubbing, Schoolhouse Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., Selkirk, 10 a.m. Public welcome, bring bag lunch.

**Fables**, Arnold Lobel, Bethlehem Public Library, morning. Tickets required.

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

**Garage and Bake Sale**, to benefit the alumnae scholarship fund of Mount Holyoke College, 12 Lavery Dr., Elsmere, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., rain or shine.

**Bethlehem Memorial Auxiliary 3185**, annual lawn/bake sale, 404 Delaware Ave., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Flea Market and Auction**, New Salem Reformed Church, Rt. 85, flea market 9 a.m.-4 p.m., auction with Doug Cater 1 p.m.

**Village Mart**, bazaar featuring homemade food and craft items, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Mime Artist Performance**, Ricky Smith, deaf mime, Bethlehem Central High School, 7 p.m. Tickets: \$3 adults, \$1 senior citizens and children under 12, available Community Box Office.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27**

**Victorian Period Exhibits**, Bethlehem Historical Assn., Schoolhouse Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., Cedar Hill, 2-5 p.m. Open to public every Sunday through October.

**Pop Warner football**, Midgets vs. Twin Towns, Hamagrael School field, 2 p.m.

**Church School** for nursery through grade 10 resumes at Delmar Reformed Church, 10 a.m. Children should meet in Fellowship Hall following children's time in the worship service.

**Meet the Republican Candidates**, Mosall's Grove, Schoolhouse Rd., 2 p.m. For information, 439-3366 or 439-2629.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**

**Campus Life Super Burger Bash** for Bethlehem Central High School students, at the Millers on Waldenmaier Rd., Feura Bush, 6-8 p.m. Admission \$2.

**Bethlehem Youth Advisory Council**, organizational meeting, Bethlehem Town Hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Delmar Community Orchestra**, Bethlehem Town Hall, weekly at 7:30 p.m.

**Delmar Kiwanis Club** meets weekly at Altieri's Restaurant, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

**Public Hearing**, Bethlehem Planning Board, on application of A.T. Zautner & Son, Inc., for two two-family dwellings on Feura Bush Rd., known as "Glenmont Homes." Bethlehem Town Hall, 7:30 p.m.

**Travelogue on Caribbean**, Bethlehem Town Hall, 7 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

**St. Thomas Altar Rosary Society** of Delmar membership tea, St. Thomas Church, 7:30 p.m.

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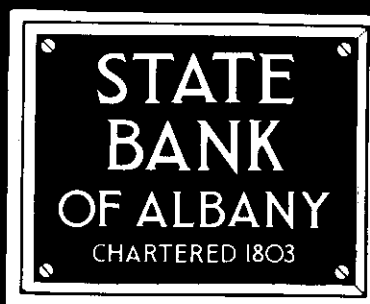


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**Slide Presentation, "Hands Across the Sea"** by Mrs. Leon Adkins Jr., on exchange trip to England, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., luncheon noon, program 1 p.m.

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2

**Farmer's Market**, locally grown produce, baked goods and crafts, St. Thomas Church parking lot, Delmar, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

**"War of the Worlds,"** first in weekly series of monster and horror films, Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m.

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

**Voorheesville Auction-Bazaar**, First Methodist Church, Rt. 85A, with bargains, rides, games and food.

**Workshop on Teaching Out-of-doors**, designed for teachers, scout leaders, parents, etc., Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 3:30-6 p.m. Registration 457-6092.

**Gulded Walk** on the fall season, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 2 p.m.

**Roast Pork Dinner**, Bethlehem Grange, Becker's Corners, 4:30 p.m. Reservations, 463-0693 or 767-9165.

**Scholastic Football**, Bethlehem Central vs. Burnt Hills at Bethlehem, 2 p.m.

**Voorheesville Fire Dept.** annual open house, 1-3 p.m. Refreshments.

**Scholastic Football**, Burnt Hills at Bethlehem Central, 1:30 p.m.

**Voorheesville Auction-Bazaar**, First Methodist Church, Rt. 85A.

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

**Pop Warner Football**, PeeWee Bethlehem vs. Watervliet at noon, Junior Midgets Bethlehem vs. Inner City at 2 p.m., Midgets Bethlehem vs. Troy at 4 p.m., Hamagrael School field.

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

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## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

**Class on the Gospels**, led by Dr. Brennan Hill, St. Matthew's Church, Voorheesville, 9:30-11:30 a.m. First of six-week series.

**Bethlehem Sportsmen's Club**, first Tuesdays, Five Rivers Environmental Center, 7:30 p.m. Guests welcome.

# area arts

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

## THEATER

"Drought" (drama by local playwright Mark Dalton), Albany Theater Project, Page Hall, SUNYA downtown campus, **Sept. 23-27**, 8 p.m. \$4; students, senior citizens \$3. 465-8195 and CBO.

"Da" (Hugh Leonard's award-winning dramatic comedy), Albany Civic Theater, 235 Second Ave., **Sept. 23-Oct. 4**, 8 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday, 2:30 p.m. Sundays. 462-1297 or Community Box Office.

"Beauty and the Beast" (new stage treatment of the fairy tale by Empire State Youth Theater), The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, **Sept. 27**, 2 p.m., **Sept. 28-Oct. 2**, 10 a.m., **Oct. 2 and 3**, 7:30 p.m. 473-4020.

"A Repertory Romp in Washington Park" (family entertainment for benefit of Capital Repertory Company), Washington Park, Albany, **Sept. 27**, noon to dusk.

## MUSIC

"Coppelia" (Berkshire Ballet's first production of the season), Koussevitsky Arts Center, Berkshire Community College, Pittsfield, Mass., **Sept. 25**, 8 p.m., **Sept. 26**, 8:30 p.m., and **Sept. 27**, 3 and 7:30 p.m. Reservations (413) 442-1307.

United States Army Field Band and Soldiers' Chorus presents patriotic medleys, light classics and popular music, Empire State Plaza, Albany, **Oct. 1**, 8 p.m.

"In Praise of Troy Music Hall" (special celebration honoring the "acoustic marvel," with baritone John Cimino, Findlay Cockrell and others), Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, **Oct. 3**, 2 p.m. Community Box Office.

Pinchas Zukerman (premier violinist plays works by Beethoven, Bartok, Dvorak and Schubert), Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, **Oct. 9**, 8 p.m.

Tokyo String Quartet opening 33rd season of Friends of Chamber Music, Kiggins Auditorium, Emma Willard School, Troy, **Sept. 25**, 8 p.m.

Sarah Vaughan, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, **Sept. 26**, 8 p.m., to be followed by reception at Uncle Sam Atrium. Community Box Office.

## ART

College of Saint Rose Faculty Exhibition of 1981 Mohawk-Hudson Regional, College of Saint Rose Art Gallery, 324 State St., Albany, **through Sept. 30**.

Exhibit, 150th Anniversary of the Mohawk & Hudson Rail Road, commemorating the first U.S. train on primitive 15-mile line between Albany and Schenectady, Albany Institute of History and Art, **through Oct. 18**, 10 a.m.-4:45 p.m. Tues.-Sat., 2-5 Sun., closed Mon. Free.

"Roller Coasters & Carousels," 200 drawings, prints and paintings by roller coaster expert and artist Robert Cartmell, New Gallery, Russell Sage College, Troy, **through Oct. 16**, weekdays 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Louis Le Brocquy and the Celtic Head Image (internationally-known Irish artist's paintings of the human head), New York State Museum, Empire State Plaza, Albany, **Sept. 25-Nov. 29**.

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**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8**

Crafts Fair, with baked goods and fortune telling booth, Good Samaritan Home, Rockefeller Rd., Elsmere, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Rain date Oct. 9.

Delmar Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary, regular meeting second Thursday of every month, except August, at the fire house, 8 p.m.

Elsmere Fire Co. Auxiliary second Thursday of each month, except July and August, at the fire house, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, 8 p.m.

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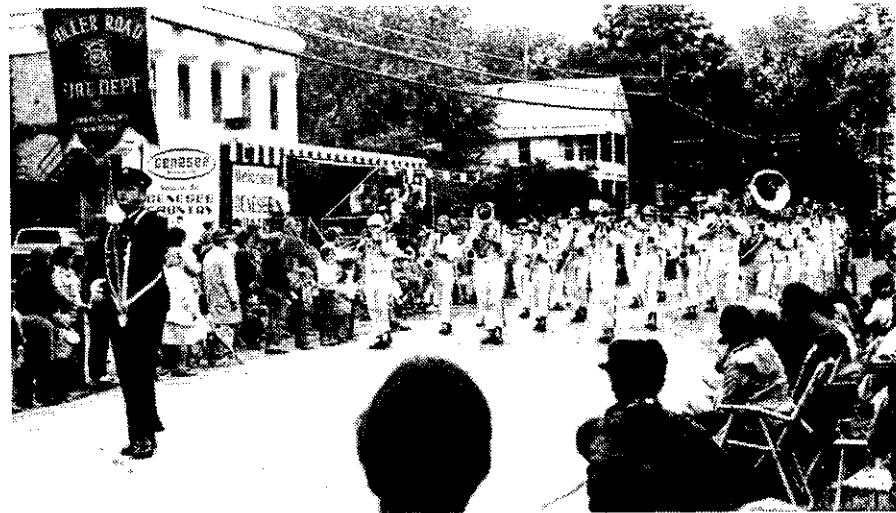
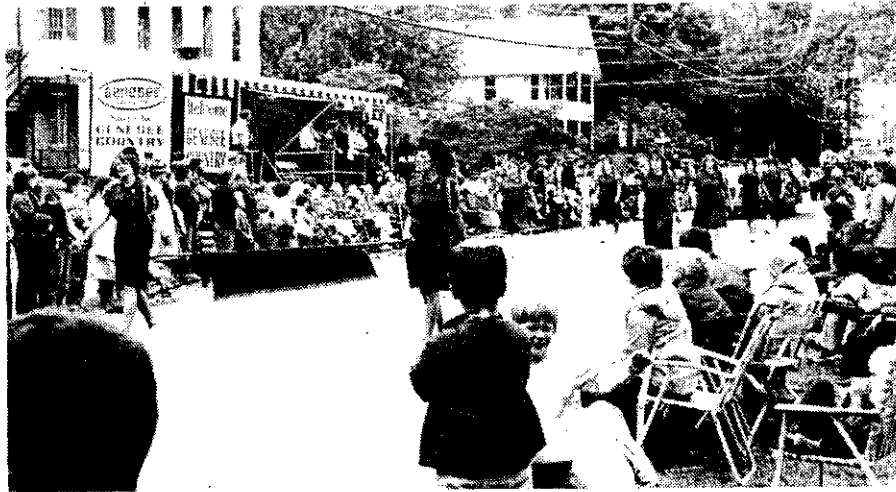
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## Area volunteers show their stuff in Delmar



It was a weekend of parades, fun and camaraderie as volunteer fire fighters from all over the area flocked to Delmar to help the Delmar Fire Dept. celebrate its 70th anniversary.

Selkirk Fire Dept. won the trophy for the most men in line at the gala dress parade that climaxed the Albany County Volunteer Firemen's convention in Delmar over the weekend. West Albany Fire Dept. won the trophy for the most women in line among more than 1,200 members from 29 departments and companies.

At the company level, Coeymans had the most ladies in line and took the men's prize for the best appearing company with 25 or more volunteers in line. Ravena was awarded trophies for the best appearing company with 15-24 in line, and the best appearing ladies auxiliary.

Another local winner was the New Salem Fire Dept., judged the best appearing department with 14 or fewer in line. Other marching trophies went to Fuller Road Fire Dept. (2), West Albany (2), Schuyler Heights, Shaker Road-Loudonville and Colonie Village, which also won the prize for the best appearing ambulance.

Delmar's Village Volunteers was cited as the best appearing fire and drum corps, and the Yankee Doodle Band of Rensselaer as the best appearing band.

Special trophies for the Mardi Gras parade went to the Shaker Road-Loudonville Fire Dept. dinosaurs for the most comical unit, and to the Westmere Fire Dept.'s "I Love New York" as the best float.

In the drill team competition, Onesquethaw Fire Dept. men and women, Elsmere men and Bought Corners men won trophies.

The Selkirk Fire Company Auxiliary (top) marches past the reviewing stand at the Adams House on Delaware Ave. in Saturday's dress parade. In the middle picture, the Yankee Doodle Band of Rensselaer, which was named the best appearing band, treats spectators to a march. At bottom, volunteers mingle at town hall as the parade ends and the carnival begins. *On the cover:* Clowns entertain the crowd at Friday's Mardi Gras parade (top). At bottom, Delmar Fire Dept. Chief James Cooke, making his first appearance since a serious accident this summer, was honorary marshal for the dress parade.

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### Job Corps: 82 pints

The annual bloodmobile held for students and staff of the Glenmont Job Corps Center collected 82 pints of blood for the Northeastern New York chapter of the American Red Cross. The bloodmobile was coordinated by Health Services Supervisor Patricia Jackson and Medical Assistants Instructor May Ann Harvey. Ms. Har-

vey's students worked at the bloodmobile, registering donors, checking hemoglobin and temperatures, escorting donors and serving in the canteen.

Glenmont Job Corps Center is a residential, vocational training center for young people between 16 and 21 years old. It is funded by the U.S. Dept. of Labor and operated by the Singer Co.



The weather finally allowed the Slingerlands Parent-Teachers Association to get off their annual picnic Friday; as usual the event was worth the wait. From left, Eral Brewer, Tom Cunningham, Brad Snyder and Hilda Honikel man the grills.

*Tim Haverly*

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Volunteers for the Leukemia Society of America, Upstate New York Chapter, will be going door-to-door in their own neighborhoods as part of the Leukemia Society's annual residential campaign. Dates of the residential campaign are Sept. 26 to Oct. 11.

### Yuccas on loose

A thief — or thieves — took two large antique vases, each with a five-foot high yucca plant in it, from a house on Adams Pl. in Delmar Thursday, according to Bethlehem police. The loss was estimated at \$325.

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## BETHLEHEM

### Environmental study required for Oakview

The Bethlehem Planning Board decided last week that the Oakview project, a "planned residential district" proposed for 62.9 acres off McCormack Rd. in Slingerlands, will have to go through the state environmental quality review procedure.

The site, currently zoned "A" (which permits only single-family dwellings), is owned by Mrs. Helen Burtman, wife of the late Norman Burtman.

The PRD designation is a change in zone which requires approval by the town board and differs from other designations in that it permits:

- Mixing of single- and multi-family dwellings on the same site.
- "Clustering" of dwelling units, with regulations more flexible than other designations in regard to building-to-lot ratios.

• Potentially greater density in regard to acreage. In the A zone, for example, roughly four dwelling units are permitted per acre; in a PRD, as many as eight are allowed.

Planning consultant Edward Kleinke, assessing an impact statement prepared by Burtman before his death, suggested the board ask for more information in regard to traffic patterns, erosion and drainage at the site so that he might begin the SEQR procedure. Oakview is the first PRD to be considered by town officials since the SEQR

laws went into effect some three years ago. The planning board is the town's lead agency for the action.

After a SEQR determination is reached by Kleinke he will make a recommendation to the board. A public hearing will then be held by the planning board before it makes its formal recommendation to the town board. The town board, in turn, will hold its own public hearing before deciding whether or not to make the zoning change.

The board's next meeting is Sept. 29 at 7:30 p.m., at which time it will conduct a public hearing in regard to the proposed construction of two duplexes on Feura Bush Rd. by A.T. Zautner & Sons, Inc.

### Selkirk has flea market

On Oct. 11 the Selkirk Fire Co. No. 1 will hold its annual Harvest Flea Market with more than 40 indoor and outdoor spaces. The firehouse is located on Maple Ave., Rt. 396, in the village of Selkirk, midway between Rt. 9W and Rt. 144.

The market will include antiques, collectibles, new merchandise, plants and jewelry, and will run from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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### Board has doubts about easement

It was a cameo role, but the timing couldn't have been better.

Just after the Bethlehem Central school board, following spirited discussion, declined to give the town an easement it wants for a sewer line, a uniformed policeman walked in.

Pretending the long arm of the law was reaching for board president Bernard Harvith, who opposed the easement, Superintendent Lawrence Zinn joked, "They act quick, Bernie. I told you they wanted that easement!"

Actually, the officer had other business, and the board only tabled the town's request until its next meeting.

The 30-foot wide easement would include a corner of the Slingerlands school parking lot, and Harvith's objections centered around construction noise and hazards. He wanted assurances that the work

would not be done while school is in session.

Board member Marjory O'Brien didn't see what all the fuss was about. "What difference does it make?" she asked Harvith. "They can work two feet from your property line and you can't do anything about it."

Board member Robert Zick also had doubts about the wisdom of granting the easement because of possible future need to expand the parking lot. He wanted assurances that the school district could add to the lot, if necessary.

John Clyne reminded his colleagues that the district had failed to put in writing a supposed agreement that the playing field be preserved when the district sold the Delmar School building to the town for the new town hall, "and now the playing field is a parking lot." He urged that all understandings governing the easement be in writing.

Mrs. O'Brien was the sole



The sale of the Bethlehem Center School in Glenmont to the Bethlehem Pre-School was formalized at last week's Bethlehem Central school board meeting. From left, new owners Frederick and Eleanor Howell and Roger and Patricia Swanson watch as school board President Barnard Harvith signs the papers.

*Spotlight*

dissenter on Clyne's motion to table the matter until next meeting.

The board also delayed a decision on additional recommended energy-saving projects so board members would have a chance to examine the proposals.

Zinn reported opening day enrollment figures close to the administration's projections, with a total of 3,722 pupils, down 66 from the count a year ago.

*Caroline Terenzini*

### About conservation

You can learn about the Nature Conservancy's conservation efforts at a display on "Nature Conservancy—Protecting Unique Environments" at the Bethlehem Public Library, Oct. 1 through 31. Pick up a field trip schedule and celebrate autumn by joining the "Walks in the Woods" in local protected areas. Have fun while learning about endangered species and their unique habitats.

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**Fact finding to start**

Grace About Sterrett, mediator in the contract negotiations between the Bethlehem Central School District and its non-instructional employees, said Thursday she is in the process of scheduling a fact-finding hearing.

The Bethlehem Central

United Employees Association contract expired the end of June. The union has about 180 members, including bus drivers, custodians and clerical staff.

Charles Preska, BCUEA president, said following a Sept. 15 meeting with district negotiators: "The impression I got was that (they) didn't want to negotiate with us."

Joseph DeVincenzo, of the New York Educators Association, who is a negotiator for the BCUEA, declared, "We

would like to keep negotiating with anyone representing the school board who has authority from the board."

District Superintendent Lawrence A. Zinn, asked if the district had cut off negotiations, said simply, "No."

After the hearing, the fact-finder issues a report containing recommendations which both parties are free to accept or reject.

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**Heads safety committee**

Franz K. Zwicklbauer, school business administrator for Bethlehem Central School District, was recently elected chairman of the Statewide Safety Committee of New York State School Safety Group 491.

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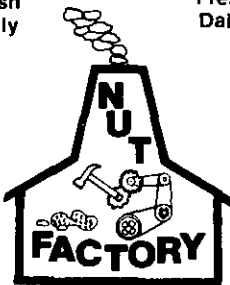
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## Conditions imposed on Selkirk truck stop

The Bethlehem Board of Appeals Wednesday formally handed down the special exception requested by Troy developers Frank Parillo and Edwin King for their proposed truck stop on Rt. 144 near the Selkirk Thruway exit.

But the board included a

list of 21 conditions and safeguards one of which is that detailed site plans must be approved by both the board of appeals and the town planning board prior to the issuance of a certificate of occupancy. The developers have five years to complete the project.

In other business, the board of appeals held two public hearings.

The first concerned a request for a variance from William Boyd, 27 Albin Rd., Delmar, so that he might build a 14 by 14 foot storage addition to his home. No one spoke in opposition to the


plan and the board informally gave Boyd the go-ahead to begin construction.

The second hearing concerned Angelo Gigliotti of 3 Karen Ct., Loudonville, who asked permission to convert an existing 40 by 26 foot storage garage located on his property on Beaver Dam Rd., Selkirk, into a barn for animals he keeps on the premises. Gigliotti had previously been granted permission to build a smaller barn some 1,000 feet from the

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roadway, but asked to use the garage due to its proximity to the main living quarters.

The board of appeals meets again Oct. 7.

### Teaching out of doors

A workshop on teaching out-of-doors will be given at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center in Delmar on Wednesday, Sept. 30, from 3:30 to 6 p.m., and repeated on Saturday, Oct. 3, from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The workshop is designed for teachers, scout leaders, parents and other youth leaders, and will cover outdoor teaching techniques, environmental education activities, and resource materials for outdoor learning. Participants must call 457-6092 to register for either session in advance.



The Bethlehem Lions Club electric light bulb campaign got under way last week as Town Supervisor Tom Corrigan, left, made the first purchase from club president Pat Waters, right, as Sy Bower and Fay Walworth look on. The Lions will be out in force this weekend and next weekend selling bulbs to raise money for their community projects. *Spotlight*

### Seeking members of BC '51

Bill Gordon is spearheading a 30-year reunion event for the Bethlehem Central High School class of 1951, to be held Nov. 28 at the Normanside Country Club. Organizers are now looking for names and addresses of class members. Information regarding the whereabouts of class members and requests for reservations should be sent to Connie and George Tilroe, 40 Gladwish Rd., or phoned in at 439-7571.

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### Teen's burger bash

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event for Bethlehem Central students in grades 9-12 will feature a tub pack, "bod-toss," volleyball and unlimited hamburgers. Cost is \$2, and all are welcome.

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Sue Ann Ritchko reports:

## Albany County Legislature



Residents of the Town of Bethlehem and New Scotland, as well as all others in Albany County, will pay an unexpected extra one percent sales tax on home heating fuels for the months of September, October and November, because of an "oversight" by County Attorney Robert Lyman.

In August, the County Legislature agreed to decrease the sales tax on home heating fuels from two percent to one percent, starting Sept. 1. But Lyman acknowledged last week that he had overlooked the 30-day notice required to be given the state Tax Commission, so the September effective date of the local law could not be met.

The legislature at its September session this week approved another local law, providing that the reduction of one percent goes into effect Dec. 1.

The legislature took what

we hope will be a big forward step in the control of the ever-increasing losses from arson in Albany County by creating a permanent advisory task force to guide and coordinate arson prevention and control. The Albany County Arson Control Plan was prepared under a grant from the state Office of Fire Prevention and Control. The resolution approving this plan was introduced by the Civil Defense Committee, of which I am a member.

The question of child abuse in Albany County, which has resulted in at least three frightfully cruel deaths of infants this year, is one of deepest interest to scores of citizens. I introduced a resolution to create a special bipartisan investigative committee to study the entire situation in regard to child abuse in Albany County and to make recommendation for improvement in the handling

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of such cases by public agencies, specifically the Albany County Child Protective Services.

I wanted a special bipartisan committee, but my resolution was referred "not inappropriately" to the Social Services Committee.

I say "not inappropriately," but the present committee system has a built-in weakness. Committees met only at the call and will of the chairman, who may or may not be interested in pushing a particular issue. My resolution called for the special investigating committee to report to the legislature within 60 days. It may well be if the matter is thoroughly investigated that we could find changes in state law essential.

Another and much happier subject is the coming observance of the 300th birthday of Albany County on Nov. 1, 1983. This offers a great opportunity for international as well as national participation and can become one of the great events in the lives of our children and grandchildren. The possibilities are limitless for the history of Albany County is exciting, colorful and important in the nation and indeed to a large part of the world.

We authorized County Executive James Coyne to employ an assistant for the Tricentennial Commission at a salary of \$14,000 a year. This county is blessed with many able historians and I hope an imaginative, creative and knowledgeable assistant is selected.

I think the Audit and Control Committee showed commendable foresight in getting an early start on such an important and delightful task.

### Help for uncertain writers

Writing is a complex and difficult skill. Good writing requires motivation and self discipline. The purpose of the Bethlehem Public Library's new independent writing center is to help students improve their written expression, not do their assignments or make polished authors.

The center helps individual students complete as assigned written presentation so that it is logical, comprehensive, straightforward and free of major flaws in structure and mechanics. On an individual tutorial basis, the student may need help at any one of the several stages of a written assignment. Perhaps the student needs to analyze the context of the assignment, assess the audience and purpose, plan the piece or make an outline or draft. Perhaps the assignment needs to be edited, or just proofread.

Whatever the individual need, the center's volunteer will help produce a written piece that is responsive to the assignment and is presented in simple, direct prose.

Center volunteers will be available by appointment on Sundays, from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Oct. 4, 18 and 25; Nov. 8, 15 and 29; and Dec. 6. Appointments are one-half hour in length and can be made by calling the Bethlehem Public

Library at 439-9314. Ask for the new "Independent Writing Center."

### Leos attend conference

This year's officers of the Bethlehem Leo Club recently attended a statewide three-day training conference at the Empire State Speech and Hearing Camp at Spencer, N.Y.

President Shelly Ball, Vice President Margie Kelly, Secretary Caitie Dinnel, Treasurer Michael Quinn and Board of Directors member Chris Edwards attended, accompanied by Maynard E.

Goyer, their advisor from the parent Bethlehem Lions Club.

Eighty-five young people from all over the state came for leadership training and fellowship. The Leos is a service club, working on community projects. The name stands for "Leadership, Experience, Opportunity."

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## Voorheesville News Notes

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765-4301, or Maryann Malark, 765-4392.

PTSA calendars are now on sale. The calendars, one of the major fund-raising items for the Voorheesville Parent Teacher Student Association, includes holidays and activities as well as other useful information. Calendars are being sold door to door for \$1.

On Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 7:30 p.m., the Voorheesville Public Library will begin the first in a series of programs on various aspects of parenting. These programs are free and

open to everyone in the community. Parents of preschool children will find them especially helpful. Bertha Campbell, supervisor of early childhood education, state education department, will speak on "Parenting — You can Do It! A Common Sense Approach To Raising Children."

Among the other programs already scheduled are "The ABC'S of Medicating Children," on Oct. 21 and "Helping Children Deal With Crises" on Oct. 28. For more information call the library at 765-2791.

On Sunday, Oct. 3, from 1 to 3 p.m. the Voorheesville Fire Department will sponsor its annual open house in conjunction with Fire Prevention Week. Featured will be fire safety displays, demonstrations and fire truck rides for children. Cider and donuts will be available.

The Voorheesville Fire Department's annual fund drive is now in progress. Firemen will be contacting village residents on Tuesday evenings over the next few weeks to take chances on its Annual Harvest Ball Raffle. The prizes include a first prize

of \$100.00, second prize of \$50.00 and a third prize of \$25.00. Chief Dick Berger will pick the winning prize tickets at the 14th annual Harvest Ball on Oct. 10. Prize winners need not be present to win. If village residents miss the opportunity to purchase a raffle ticket, they may do so in front of the Grand Union on Wednesday or Friday evenings or contact Ted Avgerinos at 765-4555. Dance tickets to the Harvest Ball are sold out.

### Big day for Voorheesville

The quiet village of Voorheesville will erupt into excitement Saturday, Oct. 3, when the Voorheesville Auction-Bazaar opens its gates on the grounds of the First Methodist Church on Maple Ave.

As it has for over a quarter century, this "super garage sale" will attract hundreds of bargain seekers, gift buyers and auction buffs. Activities for the kids include the pony rides, the Moonwalk, the clowns and many games. This gives parents the opportunity to scan the items—from clothing to books to baked goods that will be displayed in a score of booths and rooms.

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New Scotland Democrats kicked off their 1981 campaign at a clam steam at the Voorheesville Rod and Gun Club Sunday. The local candidates were busy, notably Marty Zaloga, left, running for tax collector but here helping to serve hot dogs to JoAnn Donohue, candidate for town clerk, and William Moak and Robert Mudge, nominees for highway superintendent and town councilman respectively.

**Testimonial tickets ready**

Tickets for the annual New Scotland Citizen of the Year testimonial dinner went on sale this week at the Voorheesville Pharmacy, Ricci's Market and the American Legion Hall in Voorheesville. The dinner this year, honoring Kenneth Tice, will be held at the Polish Community Center, Albany, Saturday, Oct. 17, at 7 p.m., preceded by cocktails at 6. Tickets at \$10 also may be reserved by calling 765-2554. Tice, a retired Voorheesville businessman, is a member of the New Scotland town board, and is a former Democratic town chairman.

**Incorrect vote total**

In the New Scotland Conservative primary results reported last week's *Spotlight*, a typographical error resulted

in the wrong vote total for Herbert Reilly. Reilly received nine votes, which put him in third place among the candidates for town board.

**Wool growers gather**

The members of the Eastern New York State Sheep and Wool Growers Cooperative will hold their annual picnic on Sunday, Sept. 27, at the Altamont Fair Grounds. Reservations can be made by contacting Myra Dorman at 797-3296.

**GOP outing Sunday**

New Scotland Republicans will host their annual gathering at Picard's Grove, New Salem, at 1 p.m. Sunday, with raw clams at 2 and steak or barbecued chicken at 5:30. Tickets are available from committee members and at the door.

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## SERVICEMEN In The NEWS

Marine Cpl. Kevin M. Hunter, son of Mary and John H. Hunter of Rt. 301, Selkirk, is participating in "Operation Ocean Venture 81."

He is a member of Marine Amphibious Unit Service Support Group 38, 38th Marine Amphibious Unit, Camp Lejeune, N.C. "Operation Ocean Venture 81" is the largest maritime exercise in recent years involving U.S. Armed Forces.

John F. Nyilis, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Nyilis of 10 Clair Dr., Delmar, underwent training at sea this summer.

He is a member of the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC) unit at Cornell University. This summer, he has been assigned to the dock landing ship USS Hermitage, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

Airman Jeffrey S. Drautz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Drautz of 80 Brookview Ave., delmar, has been assigned to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

Drautz is a 1980 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

Donald J. Hendrickson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Hendrickson, Sr., of 4783 Delaware Turnpike, Clarksville, recently enlisted in the air Air Force delayed enlisted program, according to Tech. Sgt. Tom Geren, Air Force Recruiter in Albany.

Hendrickson, a June graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, is scheduled to leave for basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, Spet. 25.

Robert C. Daley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Daley of Box 102, Feura Bush, recently entered the Air Force delayed enlisted program, according to Tech. Sgt.

Tom Geren, Air Force recruiter in Albany, New York.

Daley, a 1980 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School is scheduled to leave for basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 21.

George D. Lecakes, son of Co. and Mrs. Nicholas G. Lecakes of 19 Fairway Ave., Delmar, received practical work in military leadership this summer at the Army ROTC Advanced Camp at Fort Bragg, N.C.

The six-week training includes instruction in first aid, communications, marksmanship, orienting, weapons, weapons systems, defensive and offensive tactics, reconnaissance techniques and other areas.

Eric W. Loetterle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loetterle of 12 Equinox Ct., Delmar, has enlisted in the Air Force.

Airman Basic Loetterle, a 1975 graduate of Christian Brothers Academy, selected a position in the electronics career field and departed for basic training July 6.

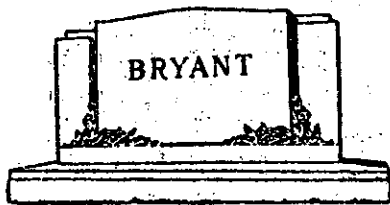
### Exam for Inspector

A promotional examination for inspector in the Bethlehem Police Dept. will be held Oct. 17 by the Albany County Civil Service Commission. The pay range for the second highest uniformed position in the department is \$20,000 to \$23,000. There is one vacancy in the department.

### Auxiliary to meet

The Albany County Committee of the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of New York, will have its monthly meeting Sept. 29 at 8 p.m. at the Scambelluri Carlino Valek Legion Post. County Chairman Gertrude Case will preside and give out awards from the department convention held in July.

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Two members of the St. Thomas Altar Rosary Society prepare for the society's first membership tea Wednesday Embroidering baptismal stoles are Kathy Sullivan, left, and Miriam Campbell.

**Local history lectures**

The dates and speakers for the annual fall lecture series sponsored by the Greene County Historical Society in cooperation with the Columbia-Greene Community College have been announced. The lectures, which feature unusual aspects of the Hudson Valley-Catskill Mountain heritage, will be held on five Tuesdays beginning on Sept. 29 in the Catskill High School at 7:30 p.m.

The speakers will be Paul Jeheber, naturalist and con-

servationist, whose subject will be Shawangunk, Place of the White Rocks; John Messick, architectural historian, who will talk about Old World Buildings in the New World; C.R. Jones, curator of the N.Y. State Historical Association, whose title is Caring for Things You Care About; Paul Huey of the state Parks and Recreation Department, who will speak on Fort Orange Rediscovered; and the author Donald Ringwald, who will talk about Steamboat Days on the Hudson.

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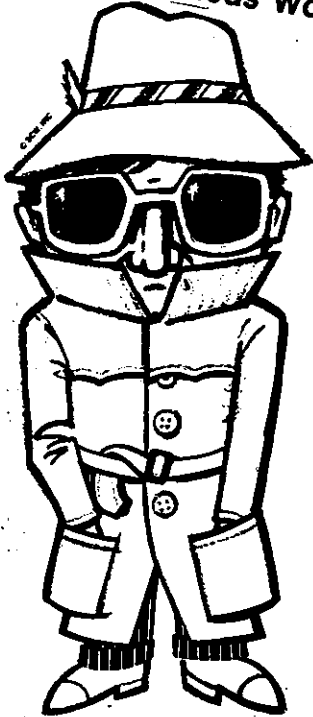


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For further information or to make an appointment, call the Bethlehem Public Library's Career Resource Center at 439-9314.

### Attends conference

Elizabeth A. Kraus of Delmar, a local World Book-Childcraft manager, recently attended the company's annual conference in Washington, D.C. Nearly 1,500 World Book salespeople attended the meeting at the Washington Sheraton Hotel.

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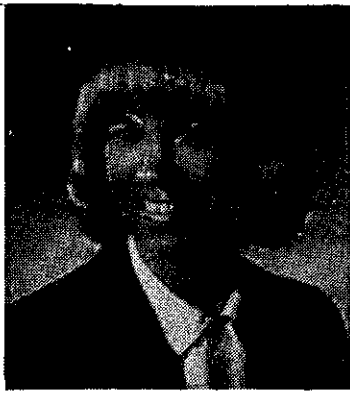
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**Employe workshop offered**

Patricia A. Bull Associates of Glenmont will present a 3½-hour workshop on productivity and employe alienation at The College of Saint Rose Oct. 9. The workshop is sponsored by The College of Saint Rose Graduate Program in Management, and is open to the public.

Registration for the workshop is \$35 (\$30 per person for groups of three or more from the same organization or agency), and includes all workshop materials and refreshments. Pre-registration is required by Oct. 1. For more information call The College of Saint Rose, 454-5136.

**Award for Dr. Congemi**

Delmar resident Dr. Robert Congemi, professor of literature at Empire State College, recently received an "excellence for student advisement" award from the Empire State College Foundation.

Dr. Congemi was nominated for the award by the Empire State College Alumni/Student Association for "providing outstanding services to students." He works at Empire State College's Public Affairs Center office in the Empire State Plaza where he is in charge of the Learning Unit in the Office of General Services.

**DAR to have workshop**

A Daughters of the American Revolution District III workshop and luncheon will be held Oct. 10 at the Albany Motor Inn on Rt. 9W at Exit 23 of the Thruway.

This program is open to all members of all chapters in District III and also is open to any members in District IV who are interested in attending. The program will begin at 9 a.m. with registration and a get-acquainted coffee hour running from 9 to 9:30 a.m.

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### FOOTBALL

## Turnovers fatal in Eagles' debut

As a professional optimist, Bethlehem's Gene FitzPatrick found a number of bright spots in Saturday's 32-8 loss at Scotia in the season's scholastic football inaugural. Notably: the Eagles showed a passing attack, they executed several sustained drives, and two spectacular catches by Scotia made the score larger than it might have been.

But there's no hiding the debits: three fumbles, three interceptions, and BC tackles being victimized by traps on the inside. Another concern: a confrontation with Saratoga, a heavy team with power running, on Friday night.

"We weren't as bad as the score shows," said the coach after reviewing the films over the weekend. "The defense was disappointing when you consider a couple of costly breakdowns and those amazing catches, but we adjusted in the second half. I was very encouraged by the passing. We'll make some adjustments this week and we'll surprise somebody one of these days."

Steve Radzysinski connected on eight of 17 throws for 138 yards, including a 35-yard gainer to Tom Dexter

late in the game and a 15-yard touchdown play in the second quarter. Bruce Szelest caught the short flip on the 10 and broke two tackles in muscling into the end zone. With Scotia leading by 16-0, the Eagles had to go for two, and Dexter through his only pass of the day to Andy Smith for the conversion.

The score capped a 65-yard drive that featured a nice mix of Dexter's running and Radzysinski's passes. The aeriels went to Dexter for 11, Smith for 15 and Szelest for 13 before the scoring flip.

The Eagles had another long march in the second half, some 70 yards before a fumble frustrated it on the Scotia 5. Dexter, the senior halfback, had a busy day, carrying for 64 yards, adding another 58 as a receiver and scoring many hits at safety. Brian Peek turned in another fine job in the secondary. Szelest drew praise from the coaches for his linebacking.

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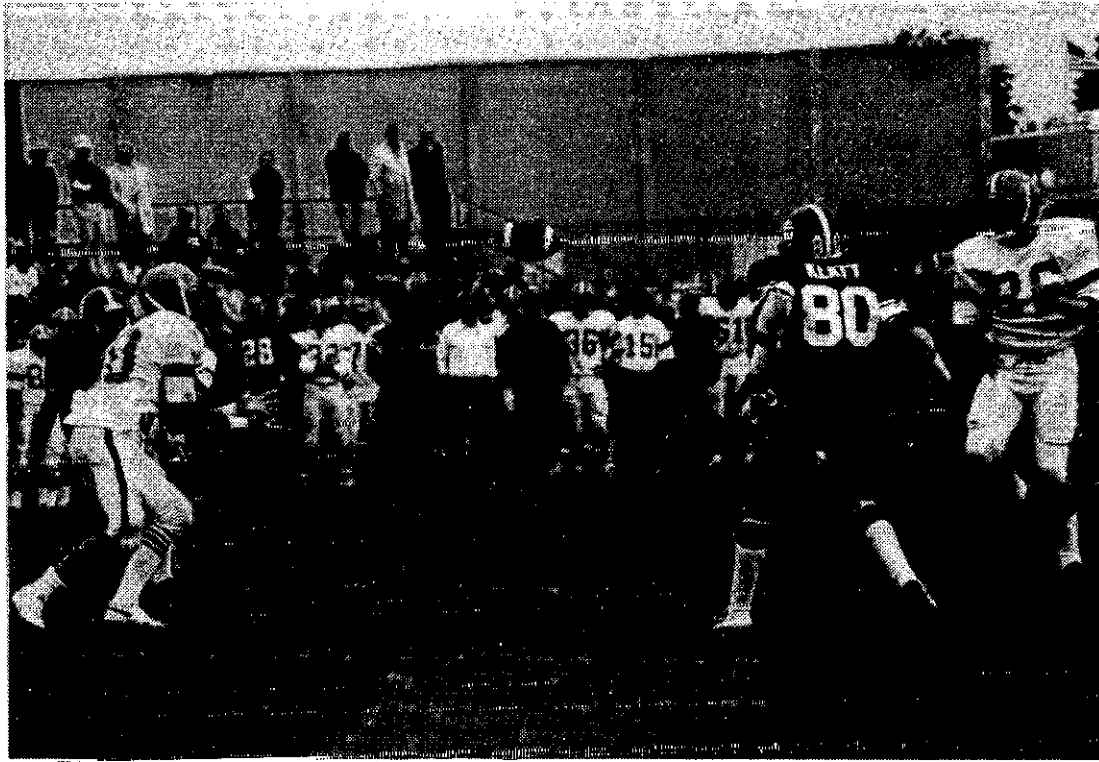
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### Home volunteers honored

The Good Samaritan Nursing Home, Delmar honored its 159 community volunteers with a hawaiian luau Sept. 17.

Erich Krugman, president of the board of directors, Richard Gall, chaplain, and Donna Cook, activities di-

rector, presented certificates of appreciation.

The seven volunteers who contributed in excess of 100 hours during the year are Mrs. Dorothy Way, William Stoffels, Mrs. Betty Nettleton, A. Richard Reissig, Mrs. Florence Allen, John Clark and Nathan Tabachneck.

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### Youth hockey program

The Academy Youth Hockey Association will begin its second season as a new member of the Amateur Hockey Association of the United States starting the week of Nov. 16, at the Albany Academy field house.

The program, made up of a Mite division, ages six, seven and eight; a Squirt division, ages nine and ten; and a Pee Wee division, ages 11 and 12, provides basic instruction for boys and girls in ice skating and hockey skills on a regulation size ice rink.

The coaching staff is headed by David Rider, Varsity Hockey Coach and a member of the physical education staff at the Albany Academy For Boys.

Final registration will be held at the Academy field house Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon. For further information contact Rider at 465-1461 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

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## FOOTBALL

### Blackbirds learn a bitter lesson

In the books it goes down as an upset, but the score doesn't show the frustration of one team seemingly in command and the weaker team winning the game.

That's what happened to Voorheesville in its football opener at Coxsackie, losing by 7-6 on the scoreboard but winning all the important statistics on the battlefield. Coach Tom Buckley was philosophical: "We pretty much controlled the ball game. We moved the ball well, but something always happened, a fumble, an interception. The offensive line did a super job, and we shut their offense down almost totally."

The home team scored first, and it came on the Voorhees-

ville offense in the form of a 55-yard runback of an intercepted pass. The conversion kick carried the day. The Blackbirds got the touch-down back about four minutes later after forcing a Coxsackie fumble by a stunting on the C-A 16. Mark Tuzzulo burst to the one on a tailback dive, and after a Coxsackie penalty, quarterback Jim Meacham scored on a sneak.

Voorheesville had the ball most of the second half, but couldn't hit pay dirt. With eight seconds left, Rich Davis tried a 45-yard field goal, but the heart-stopper was inches shy on a hook to the left.

The Blackbirds have a chance to get even on Saturday when they open at home at 1:30 p.m. against Rensselaer.

### See the Caribbean

The Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor a travelogue on San Juan, Puerto Rico; Caracas, Venezuela, Grenada, Barbados, St. Lucia and St. Thomas at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 29, at the Bethlehem Town Hall.

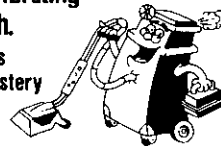
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**Warners' bad day**

For Bethlehem's three Pop Warner teams, there is no place to go but up this Sunday. All three lost last Sunday, the Midget Eagles taking a 37-0 lumping on the road at the hands of Inner City, the Junior Midget Hawks losing to South Troy, 19-6, and the PeeWee Falcons dropping a 20-0 verdict to South Troy at Hamagrael.

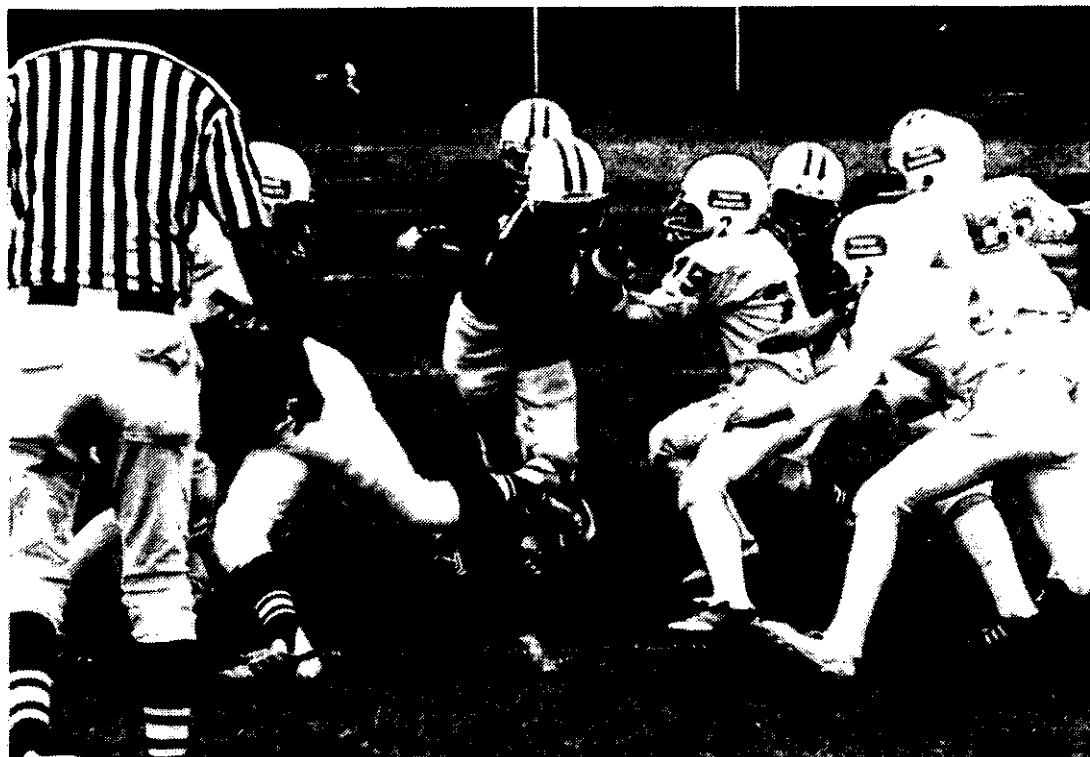
The Eagles will play at home this week, taking on Twin Towns at 2 p.m. Sunday at Hamagrael.

**Bicycle thefts**

Sept. 17 — Village Dr., Delmar, registered. A ten-speed was recovered behind Verstandig's and Delaware Ave., and owner notified.

Sept. 18 — Winding Rd., Elsmere, unregistered.

Sept. 19 — Kenwood Ave., Delmar, unregistered; Paxwood Dr., Delmar, unregistered.



John Waddington (15) of the Pop Warner Hawks crosses the goal line for the only Bethlehem score against South Troy. *On the cover:* The forlorn face of fan Monica Maier at the Hawks' game reflects the frustration of a lost weekend in local football as all three Warner teams and BC's. *R.H. Davis*

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## SOCCKER

### Booters find scoring punch

It's too early to tell how Bethlehem Central's soccer team will fare in the heavy going of the Suburban Council race, but it is apparent after only two games that they will have a lot to say about the outcome.

They will have a major test on Saturday when Mohanassen, an upset victor over Shaker last Saturday, comes to Delmar for a 10 a.m. faceoff. The Eagles have games at Scotia Tuesday and Saratoga at home Thursday, neither of which is an accurate measure, but in this league anything can happen.

Two momentary lapses were costly in a 2-1 loss to Guilderland in the season opener last week. Despite fielding only a few experienced players, Bethlehem clearly outplayed the Dutchmen in the first half, and lost in the second half when, as Coach Gene Lewis puts it, the boys ran out of adrenalin.

"I think they (Guilderland) were surprised at how well we played," commented Lewis. "Our passing was better than theirs. It was good soccer."

Guilderland, defending sectional champions who went to

the state tournament last fall, took advantage of Bethlehem's letdowns, scoring the first goal in the second period on a loose ball, and getting the winner on an interception when BC failed to clear the ball crisply near the nets. Randy Dean's first varsity goal knotted the score momentarily in the second period.

The Eagles looked a lot better two days later against Columbia, winning by 5-1, but the Blue Devils are not in a class with Guilderland. Bethlehem showed mid-season form in passing and controlled the game. Chris Congemi got the first goal on a feed from Jeff Guinn, then returned the favor by setting up Guinn for a 2-1 lead two minutes into the second quarter. Peter Bell scored No. 3 with an assist from Alan Marwill, Guinn rammed a near-perfect free kick into the upper left corner of the cords, and Jason Tilroe, a sophomore halfback, took a pass from Bell for the final goal.

### BC grad stars

Mike Lewis of Delmar, son of Bethlehem Central soccer coach Gene Lewis and a former BCHS standout, scored the only goal of the game as Union College defeated St. Lawrence, 1-0, in soccer Saturday in Schenectady.



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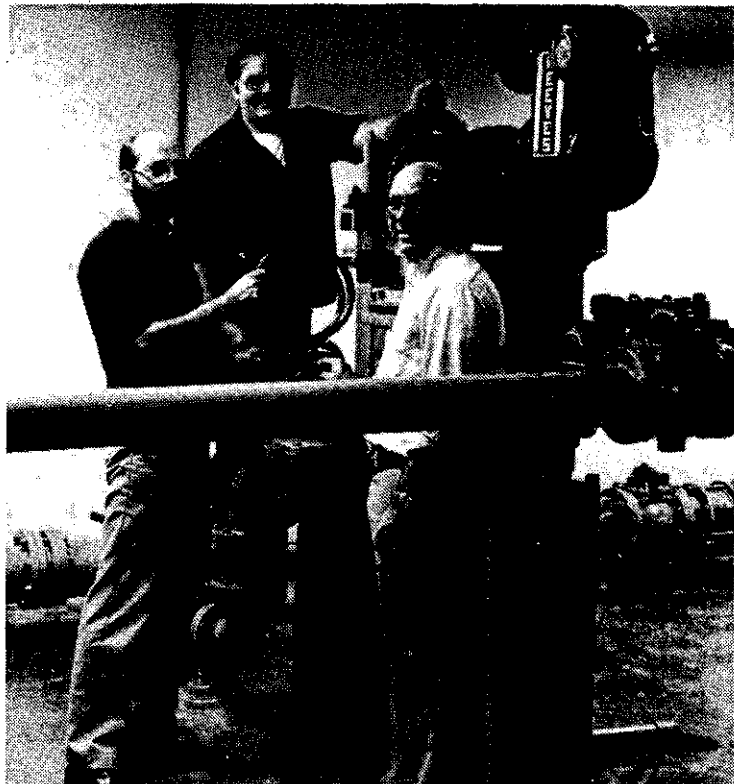
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**TENNIS**

**Partners square off in BTA finals**

The doubles team of Jere Buch and Jim Schaeffer did so well in the Bethlehem Tennis Association's Fall Open they wound up in both the A doubles and singles finals last weekend.

In the singles, needless to say, only one partner could win, and Buch, the tourna-

ment's third seed, prevailed 6-4, 7-5.

Buch and Schaeffer ran up against the top local duo of Phil Ackerman and Craig Jones in the doubles and went down 6-2, 6-3.

In the women's A singles, Linda Rubino, one of the top-ranked women in the Capital

District, had no trouble with Lenore Bosica, winning 6-3, 6-2. Pat Bowman and Kathi Yeats defeated Aussie Shayegani and Ann Weber, 6-4, 7-5 to take the women's A doubles.

And Dave Denny and Tina Rutnik took the mixed A doubles title by defeating Phil and Nancy Ackerman, 6-4, 7-5.

In the B flights, Edward Stiefel beat Doug Mitchell, 6-1, 6-4 for the men's title, while Lynn Luther downed Aryan Shayegani, 6-1, 6-2 to win the women's crown.

Stiefel and Larry Slattery won the men's doubles, 6-0, 6-3, over Richard Hoult and Chris Hummel. Laurie Gould and Leanne Corey went three sets (7-5, 4-6, 6-1) to defeat Jodi Jones and Sheila Gould for the women's doubles title.

In mixed doubles, Cissy Stasiuk and John Zambrano defeated Judy Grey and John Vadney, 6-4, 6-4.

The tournamnet drew 299 entrants over two weekends. Karen Cole and Claire Silletti were co-directors.

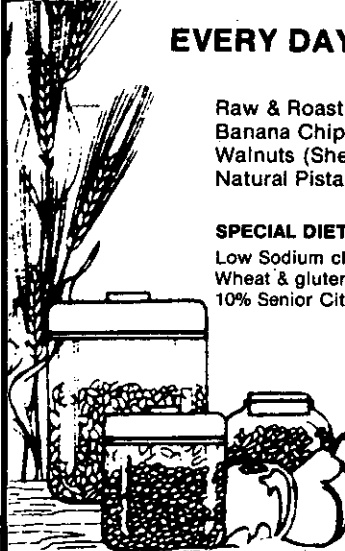
**BTA directors meet**

The board of directors of the Bethlehem Tennis Association will meet at 8 p.m., Monday, Oct. 5, at the Bethlehem Town Hall. Members are welcome to attend.

Also, BTA President Aussie Shayegani has reminded members that the membership year runs from April 1 through March 31. Former members who have not renewed their 1981-82 memberships by the Oct. 5 board meeting will not be included in the membership roster, which is scheduled for inclusion in the next BTA newsletter.

Memberships are \$5 for a family and \$3 for an individual. Persons wishing to join or renew their BTA memberships should send a check, made out to Bethlehem Tennis Association, to Box 403, Delmar.

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## TENNIS

### An early test for BC netters

Bethlehem Central's bid for a third straight undefeated season in girls' varsity tennis will face its critical test next week after only four Suburban Council matches.

Two victories last week extended BC's unbeaten string to 31 straight team matches since a 1978 defeat at Burnt Hills. Matches at Shaker Wednesday and Colonie today (Thursday) are on this week's docket, then the head-on collision with talent-rich Niskayuna on Sept. 28 at the Delmar nets.

The girls dusted off Scotia, 7-2, and Shenendehowa, 8-1, despite losing both the No. 1 and No. 2 singles at Scotia. "Scotia gave us a tougher time than expected," said Coach Grace Franze. "We learned a lesson in how a young team can improve."

In contrast to Scotia's young array, BC has six seniors, but the Eagles also have five sophomores in the starting lineup. Ann Weber and Kathy Bragaw have been playing the first two singles respectively, but that could change with a challenge match this week. Judy Van Woert, also a senior, is playing in the third slot, with Laura Treadway, a sophomore, at No. 4, senior Jean Marie Franze No. 5 and Eileen Berry, a sophomore, at No. 6.

Sophomore Ayran Shayegani has been moved up from No. 3 doubles last year to first doubles with Sheila Gould, a senior holdover who played first doubles in 1980. At second doubles is a 10th grade tandem, Leanne Cory and Laurie Gould, a transfer from Mercy High. Seniors Karen Rose and Tracy Spadero have been playing third doubles, but at least three other pairs are challenging and could get some assignments as the schedule unfolds.

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### Voorheesville has depth, seeks form

Phil Ackerman, who was no stranger to winning tennis while a coach and player at Bethlehem Central, likes his situation at Voorheesville. This year, for the first time, he'll coach both the boys' and girls' teams. And the girls, who start their season this week, show both depth and promise.

Fifteen girls are out for the team this year, "which means our courts are very full," says Ackerman. "The encouraging thing for me as coach is that a lot of these girls will be back next year, which means that we can work on their strokes and their form and see it pay off."

Last year, Ackerman's first year as coach, the girl's team

went 4-8. This year, they're in the Colonial Council, which should provide the kind of competition they need to improve.

The team has four matches this week — Colonie Monday, Cobleskill Tuesday and Watervliet Wednesday (all away), and a home match against Schoharie Thursday.

Tracy Petre, a junior, is number one singles player again this year. "She figures to do well again this year," says Ackerman.

Mary Beth Paradise, a junior, is in the number two slot, followed by Colleen Pearce, the only senior in the starting line-up and the team captain this year. Karen Treiber and Sue Childs, both juniors, have the fourth and fifth singles slots.

Senior Linda Lennon and

Elaine Bartley, a sophomore, are trying to break into that line-up; Ackerman calls them "a couple of hot prospects."

Two juniors, Jodi Decker and Mary Traudt, hold down the number one doubles slot, and freshman Heather Dolin and sophomore Cortney Brennan are the number two team. They're being challenged by Adrienne Fitzgerald and two seniors, Melanie Mitchell and Debie York.

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### New Scotland's hills Sunday's course

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The event, co-sponsored by the town and the Hudson-Mohawk Road Runners Club, features races of seven and 12 miles, with trophies for the top five male finishers in each race and for the top three female finishers. There will be ribbons and apples for all finishers, says Ron White, who is meet director with Mike Lancor.

Registration begins at 9:30

a.m. at the New Scotland Town Park on Swift Rd., just south of Voorheesville. Both races start at the park at 10:30 a.m., split at the three-mile point and end back at the park. Registration is \$1 for members of the Road Runners, \$1.50 for non-members.

### Smashing beginning

Jack Whipple, well-known in aquatic circles, made a splash at the Sporthaven Lanes during the first night of the Masonic Thursday night league. Whipple, who coaches the BC swim team, bowled a 206-245-245 for a 696 set.

### Merit scholars named

Nine Bethlehem Central seniors and one from Voorheesville High School are listed among the more than 15,000 semifinalists in the annual National Merit Scholarship Corp. competition. The students, who represent the top one half of one percent of each state's high school graduating class, were among

the one million students nationwide who entered the competition for some 5,000 merit scholarships.

Semifinalists include Debra E. Mead of Voorheesville and Marc Goldstein, Jeffrey M. Goodman, Eric A. Hudson, Robert S. Keeble, Elizabeth T. Propp, Jonathan J. Propp, Danial Skerritt, James E. Talbot and Stefan G. Thomas of Bethlehem Central.

### Walk into fall

A guided walk on the fall season and its changes in the environment will be led at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Road, Delmar, Saturday, Oct. 3, at 2 p.m. This 1½-hour walk will focus on the fall season, noting the developments in plant and animal activity as winter approaches.

### Tools stolen

A garage on Maple Ave., Selkirk, was entered Tuesday and a box with \$175 worth of tools was stolen, according to Bethlehem police.

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**VOORHEESVILLE  
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A strong showing in the annual Great Dane cross country meet for Class C-D-E schools at Albany State has convinced Coach Ken Kirik that this year's Voorheesville team could be the best he's ever had.

That's saying something, for Kirik is one of the most successful of the area's running coaches, and he has had a flock of league and Sectional winners and is a familiar figure in the state meets.

His latest edition finished second among 16 schools in both the boys and the girls races and first in the freshman and junior varsity meets at SUNYA Saturday. The Blackbirds finished behind Schuylerville, state champions in 1979, in both varsity runs, but Kirik feels his team "will give them a real run for their money" before the season ends. The Blackbirds will see Schuylerville several more times, starting with the Grout classic in Schenectady Oct. 3. "Although we ran well, a lot of our kids could have run better. They know they can, and so do I," Kirik said.

Kirik was hesitant to say who his best runner is. On Saturday it was Brian Hickey, a junior who placed sixth out of 105 entrants. Tom Rissberger, usually the best of the Blackbirds, was ninth, Mike Quay 13th, Doug Flint 14th and Dave Reilly 16th. Tom Dolin, a junior in his first year of cross country, was 30th.

Kirsten Ford, a sophomore, finished fourth in the girls' race, with Vicki Ross, a freshman, 13th. In the JV race, the Blackbirds placed four in the top 10: Tim Mastromarchi (4), Randy Warnken (5), Jim Smith (6) and Garrett Ross (10). In the freshman race, Adam Schaille was second and Jerry McNamara fourth.

**Hike in the Pine Bush**

Several hundred hikers and joggers will explore the Albany Pine Bush in the Kidney Foundation of Northeast New York Hike-A-Thon Oct. 4 at 9 a.m. The hike will begin at 6 Mile Park on Fuller Rd. and will return to the Park at 3 p.m.

Participants gather pledges based on the number of miles they hike or jog, with all proceeds to benefit the Kidney Foundation. There will be

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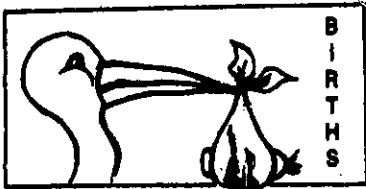
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On Thursday, Oct. 1, United Methodist Women of the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, will begin the fall season with a slide presentation, "Hands Across the Sea" by Mrs. Leon M. Adkins, Jr. on the exchange trip to Haxby and Newton-Aycliffe, England, taken by members of the Delmar Methodist congregation last spring.

Next May the First United Methodist Church will be hosts to members of the Haxby and Newton-Aycliffe congregations to complete the exchange.

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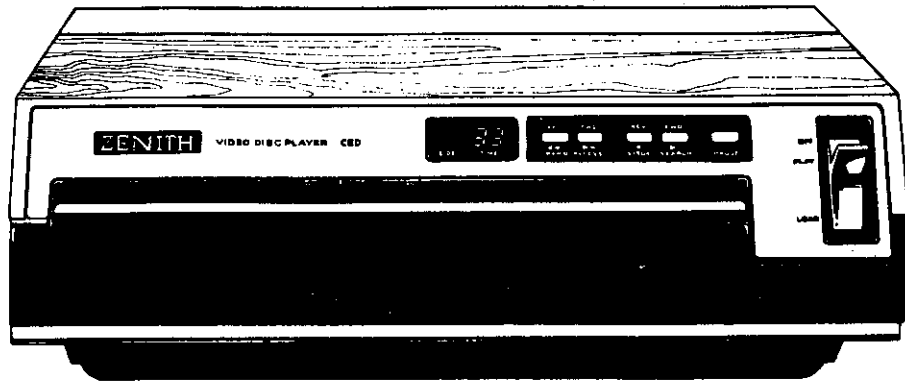
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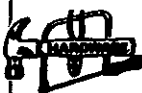
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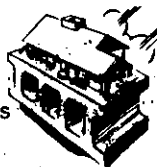
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### Editor, The Spotlight:

The New York State Legislature will unleash the destructive power of "100 percent full value property tax assessment," with its doubling or tripling of property tax bills and home foreclosures, with its new bill, S7000.

Contained in this 6,000-work "Frankenstein Bill" are mandates given to the State Board of Equalization, who are vocal opponents of full value assessment, to reassess your property and double or triple your tax bill. The bill's complicated legal language so confuses even lawyers that

copies of it will not be distributed to "grass roots" homeowners, and no public hearings will be conducted.

New York homeowners, farmers and tenants, who are also affected — Wake Up! Call your state senator and assemblyman and ask him to stop this bill before it stops you from owning your home.

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They are colors of action. They inspire a new beginning.

To me this is more like a new year than in January. So what if the cold weather comes!

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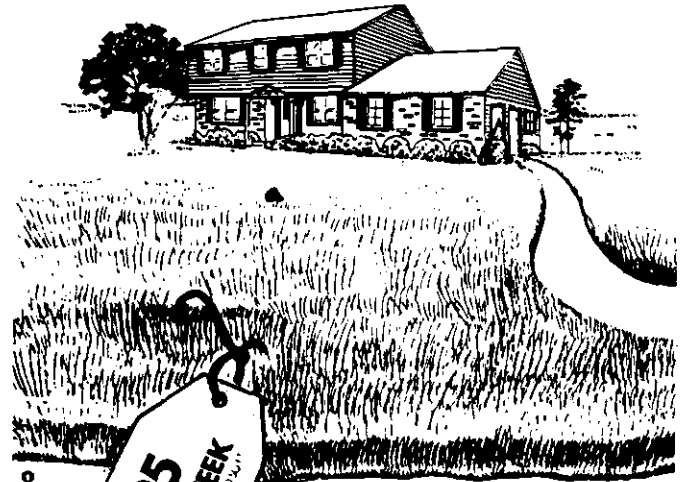
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## Community Corner

### It's Fall Bazaar Time

There's always fun as well as good shopping and good food at church bazaars. This Saturday two of the most popular events of the fall season are taking place...the Village mart at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Delmar, and the Flea Market and Auction at the New Salem Reformed Church on Rt. 85.

Then next Saturday (Oct. 3) the Voorheesville Methodist Church is having its annual "super garage sale." Join the fun at one or all three, and you'll see many of your friends and neighbors.



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