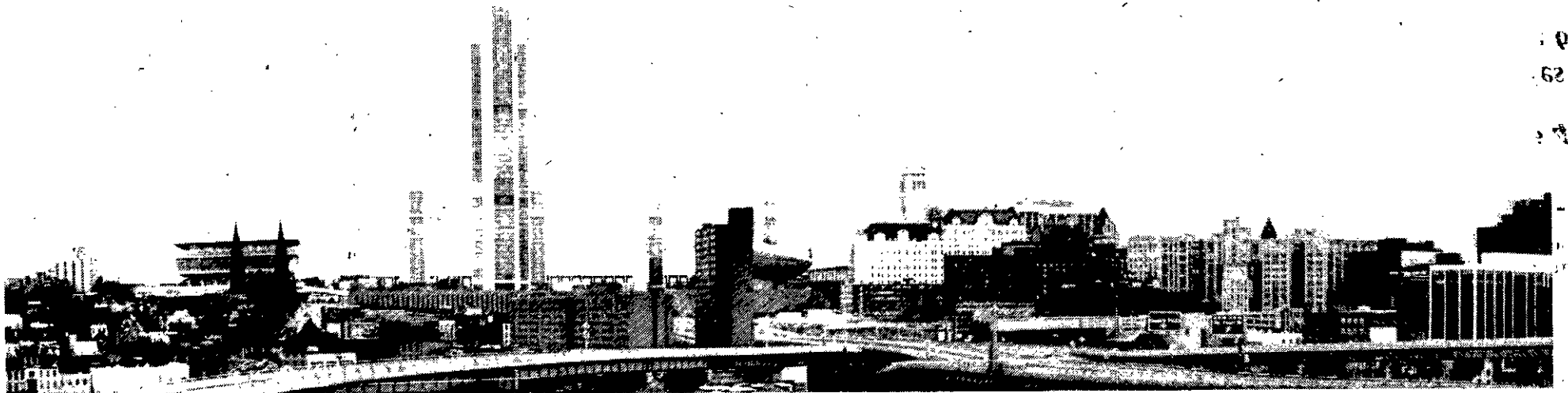


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## The changing shape of Downtown Albany



Albany's skyline, seen here from I-787, is a familiar sight, but the downtown itself long ago lost its appeal to shoppers and people looking for entertainment. Now that is changing.

By Patricia Dumas

In an office on the fourth floor of Albany City Hall there is on display a multi-colored map that rapidly is becoming outdated.

Situated in the city's Bureau of Economic Development, the map represents the changing face of Albany, being brought about by approximately \$75 to \$100 million worth of projects in various stages of construction.

The continuing inaccuracy of the map is a matter of pride to Charles Newland of Slingerlands, who heads the office, because he and his staff packaged the financing that makes the projects feasible, and they can see the day-to-day changes.

"Downtown has virtually become a construction site and will continue to be that at least into 1987," Newland said during a recent interview.

Pointing to the map on a stand near his desk, he explained that the colored areas supposedly show what is happening where in downtown Albany.

Black, purple, pink, green, and yellow/green striped areas depict completed, executive stage, planning-definite stage, planning-discussion stage, and targeted sectors.

But Newland noted that because of progress the colors in many instances no longer corre-

pond to their original reference symbols.

Another illustration of the way downtown Albany is going came last week when the Picotte family paid more than \$1 million per acre for a parcel of vacant land on Broadway, just north of Union Station. The developers said they plan to put a hotel and office building on the site.

The changing scene grows out of concepts advanced by a 42-member strategic planning committee named by Albany Mayor Thomas M. Whalen in February, 1984. Its recommendations were made financially practical because federal legislation enacted a few years earlier offers favorable tax

treatment to developers of historically eligible properties.

Approaching its tricentennial, Albany's downtown area fits into the historic category and was ready for improvement.

Newland describes it as having been "in a very dire state, with properties dilapidated, vacant, abandoned, and falling into dust."

To reverse that situation, "a public-private partnership approach" was needed, the planning committee reported, explaining that development of the capital city should involve not only the city but also the state and county governments, voluntary organizations, private citizens and businesses.

"More planners are needed, not to make plans, but to get things done," the committee further advised.

Newland and his 10-member staff are a vital part of the city's response to that advice. Appointed by Mayor Whalen to head the Bureau of Economic Development, Newland previously was deputy director of Albany's Urban Renewal Agency for eight years and was a mortgage investment officer in New York City for more than 20 years. He and his wife Alyce have resided in Slingerlands since 1971. He grew up in the Albany-Guilderland area.

One of the most difficult aspects  
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## Will balances of power change?

In both Bethlehem and New Scotland, the Democrats are saying, "this is the year." And the Republicans are urging the voters to ask, "why make a change?" The answers comes next Tuesday, Election Day. The polls are open from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.

In both towns, major changes in the status quo are possible. Bethlehem has never elected a Democrat, and no one is discounting the chance that this could be the year. The most likely spot for a change is the town board, where the supervisor and two councilmen are up for election. The New Scotland Town Board is currently composed of three Republicans and two Democrats, with two Republican incumbents and one Democratic incumbent running for reelection. A loss of one Republican seat would mean a Democratic majority for the first time ever.

Despite the stakes, this election has not been notable for a single issue or the intensity of the debate. If there is a unifying theme, it is growth — in Bethlehem, the twin questions of planning for new residential development and encouraging commercial development; and in New Scotland the need for new water sources and how the availability of water will affect development. In both towns, the Republican administrations stand on their records,

saying they have managed to keep development orderly.

But as usual, issues are only part of the story — town elections are often won on the strength of the organization and the amount of effort candidates make in reaching the voters.

In Bethlehem, registration figures still give the Republicans a clear advantage — nearly a majority of the voters, in fact. The latest figures available from the Albany County Board of Elections give the Republicans 7,938 of the

probably be the contest for the two town board seats now held by John Geurtze and Sue Ann Ritchko. Both are Republicans also running on the Conservative line, Geurtze for a third four-year term and Mrs. Ritchko for a full term after being selected to fill a vacancy last February.

They are opposed by Democrats David C.W. Sawyer, a former Albany "dissident" alderman, and political newcomer Richard White. Both also have an independent line. The two top

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One of many safe alternatives to trick-or-treating was this costume party last weekend at the Voorheesville library. Fourteen-month-old Elizabeth Dikeckmann exhibits a ballerina's grace for her mom and a devilish-looking Jessica Raricke, 2. Lyn Stapf

## Safe haunts for Halloween

Halloween doesn't have to be scary — for parents — if some common-sense precautions are taken. Three Halloween parties for area children are offered this year, so fun as well as safe alternatives exist to the traditional but occasionally dangerous trick-or-treating.

Everyone is welcome at each of these parties, and youngsters don't even have to miss going into the night in search of treats if they want to visit all three of the evening festivities.

Elsmere Fire Company's Halloween Party at the Poplar Drive firehouse will feature a haunted house, horror movies, refreshments and a magic show. The fun is continuous from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Halloween (Thursday) night.

Slingerlands Fire Department will have movies, candy, cider

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town's 16,247 registered voters. The Democrats have 3,610 and 4,455 voters are registered "blank," or independent.

It is those independent voters the Democrats are going after as they attempt to stress their own independence from the Albany Democrats. The closest race will

vote getters win.

Republican Supervisor J. Robert Hendrick, who served three years as a town councilman before being selected by his party in February to replace Tom Corrigan, is running for a full two-year term against young Demo-

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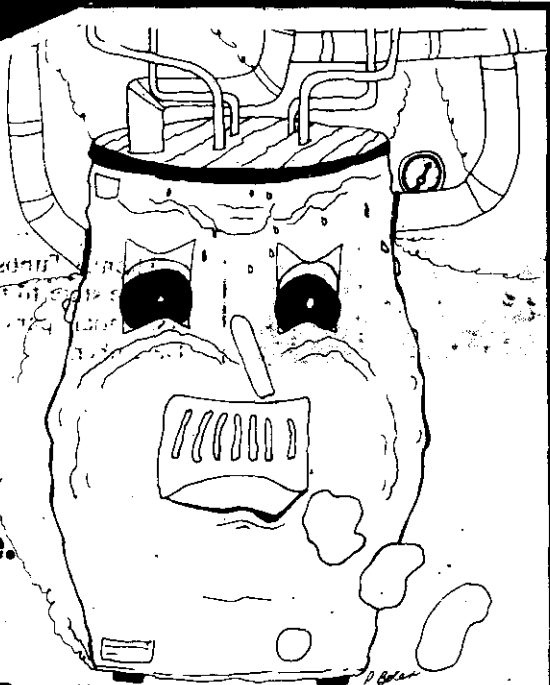
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## □ Halloween

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• A Halloween Eve (Wednesday) celebration at the Bethlehem Public Library includes a visit to a morgue, apple bobbing, fortune telling and face painting. For the little ones, there's a coloring corner and a game room. Pre-schoolers can enjoy the activities if accompanied by an adult or older sibling. Registration is required at 439-9314.

For the hundreds of children out and about tomorrow night going door to door for Halloween goodies, motorists should be on the lookout, and parents should remind trick-or-treaters about these safety rules.

• An adult or responsible older person should go with trick-or-treaters.

• The children should carry a flashlight and have reflective tape on their costumes.

• Parents should know the route trick-or-treaters will take.

• Children should use sidewalks where available, or walk on the left side of the street, facing traffic.

• Costumes should be at a safe height from the ground and parents should be sure youngsters can see clearly from behind their masks.

• Children must not accept a ride from a stranger.

• Halloweeners should steer clear of pets, which may be upset by seeing masked and costumed children.

• Treats should be checked at home before any are eaten. Fruit should be washed and cut. Unwrapped treats should be discarded. Items that may have been tampered with or otherwise look suspicious should be turned over to police.

Finally, the Dental Society of the State of New York urges that Halloween treats be healthful. Instead of candy, which promotes tooth decay, the dental society suggests that popcorn or fresh fruits such as oranges, apples and seedless grapes be given out.

Or consider giving out some of the coupons made available such as those offering free bowling games locally through The Spotlight, Delmar, or Del Lanes, Elsmere.

### Stage in her blood

Carol Hernandez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hernandez, Delmar, participated in the Vas-sar College Department of Drama presentation "An Evening of One-Acts." She was on the set and light crew for the production of two plays. Hernandez, a freshman at Vas-sar, is a June graduate of Bethlehem Central Senior High School and had leading roles in several local productions last year.

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Charles Newland, director of economic development for the City of Albany, at one of many construction sites in downtown Albany. The land-

mark Union Station building on Broadway is being converted to headquarters for Norstar Bank. Jeff Gonzales

## □ Downtown Albany

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of his job at the moment, the economic director notes, is to satisfy people who belatedly are looking for investment opportunities. Those opportunities have been spoken for, he says, predicting that by 1987 most of the downtown property will have been restored.

"The outstanding story in all of this," according to Newland, "is to have so much happening at one time. There is proliferation of investing in downtown Albany. The spirit is there, the major ingredients have been put into place, and things will happen."

Among the happenings:

- A \$18 million, 14-story corporate headquarters building for Key Corp., to be on the corner of South Pearl and Beaver Streets as the centerpiece of a complex to be called Key Corp Plaza with a cobblestoned pedestrian walkway lying between South Pearl and Green Streets.
- A 900-car, five-story parking garage to be built by the Albany Parking Authority south of that plaza facing Hudson Avenue.
- A \$1.5 million exterior renovation of the Heartland Building complex on Beaver Street.
- Renovation of the former Union Station building on Broadway to become headquarters for Norstar Bancorp by June 1986 with an 850-space garage connected with it expected to be ready later this fall for operation by the Albany Parking Authority.
- Renovation of three land-

mark hotels — the Wellington, Kenmore, and Hampton — to provide more office space. The Hampton, on the corner of State and Broadway, is being renovated into an office rental project by Hampton Associates, which includes Bethlehem real estate developers William B. Strong and Stephen B. Strong.

- A \$5½ million office building to be built at Pine and North Pearl Streets.

- A new office building across from Union Station and another one at Peter Schuyler Financial Center to provide a total of about 100,000 square feet in office spaces.

- A new park across from Union Station to be started next spring.

- Residential projects including a \$13 million rehabilitation of Clinton Avenue structures as far north as Northern Boulevard.

- Construction of 75 new homes in the Arbor Hill and South End sections of the city. That project would make Albany the first city in New York State to finance such construction under recent state legislation which allows money from tax-free bonds to be issued to developers of new housing.

In the planning-discussion stage for Albany is an urban cultural park that would include a performing and visual arts center in the vicinity of the Quackenbush complex, a hotel, and a series of historic site tour stops patterned after Boston's Freedom Trail.

Parking garages are an integral

part of the construction program in the capital city with its daily influx of state workers vying for automobile space downtown and in the surrounding residential neighborhoods.

The city plans to begin a residential parking system in December — one of the recommendations made by the strategic planners, who described the parking situation as "chaotic" and said that "progress downtown, whether it be in employment growth, cultural enhancement, or retail expansion, depends on progress in solving the parking problem."

The residential parking system will start in five downtown neighborhoods mostly around Washington Park and the Empire State Plaza. It will allow non-residents to park only 90 minutes Mondays

## What about parking?

When Albany's residential parking system goes into effect, where will state employees put their cars?

That, according to city officials, is a question the state will have to answer. But the state's Office of General Services apparently is adopting a wait-and-see attitude.

Thomas Tubbs, spokesman for the OGS, says it is "premature" for the state to try to solve the problem just yet, although the residential parking system is slated to go into effect in December.

Tubbs says the OGS "can't just pick and choose sites" without surveying various possibilities. He said the office is looking into the situation, but is not yet prepared to publicize the options.

State employees have 7,340 spaces available to them, according to Tubbs. These include: at the McCarthy and/or other peripheral sites, 1,700 spaces; Empire State Plaza under-building permit parking, 2,375 spaces, with an additional 690 unallotted slots; at Swan St. and Twin Towers, 525 spaces; and at surface lots including those at S. Pearl St. and Beaver St., 2,050 spaces.

The city's residential permit system is a pilot project which city planners will monitor during the first year in order to determine whether to continue it or even expand it.

Patricia Dumas

through Fridays between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m. Permits for unrestricted parking will be issued to residents who pay a \$10 fee for the privilege. They will be issued a colored sticker imprinted with an official designation such as the city's seal to display on their vehicles.

Richard Hedderman, an assistant city planner, said the city expects to begin processing the permit applications in November and will provide residents with a map and guide covering the rules and regulations for the designated areas. He estimated there are between 3,000 and 4,000 vehicles eligible for the stickers.

An important part of the changing Albany scene — but outside the responsibility of the city planners — is the proposed 15,000-seat county civic center. Hedderman said that its construction and operation "could cause massive parking problems, but we don't envision changing the permit system to accommodate the civic center."

Plagued by delays as its control shifted from the county's legislature to its Industrial Development Agency and back to the legislature, the center was scheduled for ground-breaking this fall.

That timetable has been changed to slate groundbreaking for January with tentative opening of the center in the fall of 1987. The most recent delays involve land. The city recently agreed to grant the county easements for portions of three streets included in the proposed center site — Hudson, William and Grand — but the county is still negotiating with the state Office of General Services for a four-acre parcel between South Pearl St. and the Empire State Plaza.

If the land negotiations are completed in time, the county legislature is expected to approve a resolution authorizing sale of bonds in November or early December to finance the county's cost of the center.

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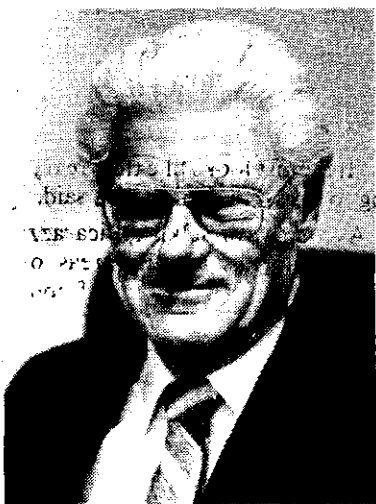
# Hendrick runs on record

By Tom McPheeters

Four years ago, J. Robert Hendrick had the smoothest introduction to politics imaginable — drafted to fill a spot on the Bethlehem Republican ticket following the unexpected death of Edward Mocker, Hendrick had a week to campaign for office. Backed by the powerful GOP organization, he easily won a seat on the town board.

This year, Hendrick's political path is more conventional, but hardly less smooth. He is replacing the popular Tom Corrigan, who stepped down as town supervisor last February. He has a nine-month record in office to defend, a program of his own, and even the beginnings of an identity with the voters.

The Republican strategy of giving a new supervisor time to get his feet wet — and to establish a political identity — has worked well in the past, and gives Hendrick a major advantage in this election. In addition, his three years on the town board and his background in state government (he is a retired senior examiner in the State Division of the Budget) insured that Hendrick would be



J. Robert Hendrick

able to master the complexities of town government with little trouble. And in fact, Hendrick did appear to hit the ground running, with few major changes from the Corrigan administration.

"What surprised me is how time-consuming the job was," Hendrick said last week. Part of that workload was because of the boom in construction activity in town, "and part of it I generated myself," he said.

Hendrick has asked for a full-

time secretary who could also serve as an administrative assistant in the 1986 budget, but included only \$13,000 for the new position.

Hendrick says he inherited a competent and very cooperative town hall staff, and has made few changes. The one place where major changes have been made is in the Police Department, where prolonged and occasionally confrontational contract negotiations with the Police Benevolent Association has prompted the Democrats to charge that morale in the department has suffered.

Hendrick said the town hired a professional negotiator to work out a new PBA contract last year because "we knew this would be a tough year." The town board was determined to put a cap on sick leave and knew that a great deal of contract language would have to be rewritten, he said.

The police, said Hendrick, "are doing their job," and he has detected no signs that overall morale has declined, although individuals may be unhappy with policies instituted by Chief Paul Currie. "We won't give away the

store," Hendrick said of the negotiations.

Hendrick is campaigning with other Republican candidates, but shows a clear preference for letting his work speak for him. While Corrigan was at ease as a campaigner, Hendrick's more reserved personality seems less suited to rough and tumble of politics.

This year, campaign style seems to have little impact. "It's been very low key," says Hendrick. The opposition, he says, "simply haven't come up with any major issues."

The Democrats may dispute that statement, but it is true that this town election has been less vocal, and the issues less personal, than the last several elections.

In fact, Hendrick quickly established his own agenda, and has since used it as his platform for reelection. This means that many of the issues raised by the Democrats — the budget, the town's Industrial Development Authority, senior citizens — are ones that he can report solid progress, Hendrick says.

When he came into office eight months ago, Hendrick listed his immediate objectives in an interview in *The Spotlight*. His statement of goals (which he repeated almost verbatim last week,) clearly defines Hendrick's cautious approach to government: "I think government has to be responsive to the people's needs, but we must be mindful not to

overburden the taxpayers," he said.

Last week, Hendrick was asked to assess progress on his original objectives:

After lengthy negotiations with the City of Albany, which owns the property, the town is developing a new park and ride lot on Delaware Ave. Hendrick said the lot should be ready for use in about two weeks, and that the Capital District Transportation Authority is putting up a shelter across the street.

The town's IDA "has done a lot" in the last eight months. A second application for tax free bonds, for the Eastern Ingredients warehouse under construction on Wemple Rd., is being processed and should be wrapped up in about three weeks, Hendrick said. The IDA has been in existence for 12 years, but had completed no projects prior to funding an expansion for a Glenmont insurance firm earlier this year.

"I think more important is progress we're making in getting industry and commerce to come into town. I'm not that concerned about how they get here," Hendrick said. Three major concerns are now actively exploring locations along Rt. 9W, and Hendrick said he is confident that there will be announcements within the next three months.

"I've been working closely with the state Commerce Department and with developers," he added.

Hendrick said he feels growth along Rt. 9W can be controlled "through zoning," noting that the three developments currently being explored would not require zoning changes. The Bethlehem Planning Board announced several months ago a new study of zoning on Rt. 9W, but Hendrick said that work is not yet completed.

Despite criticism that the town's implementation of the recommendations made by the

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store," Hendrick said of the overburdened taxpayers, he

# Picarazzi offers new plans

By Tom McPheeters

It is a measure of Rick Picarazzi's eagerness that he sought out the Democratic nomination for Bethlehem supervisor. It is a measure of the challenge that faces him that there was no opposition for the nomination.

"I've wanted to do this for a long time," says the 29-year-old Selkirk resident, who has a degree in political science from the State University at Fredonia. Picarazzi considers himself a serious candidate, and demands that he be treated as the head of the ticket. When Democratic town board candidate David Sawyer was quoted in *The Spotlight* as saying he could work with Republican Supervisor Robert Hendrick on the town budget, Picarazzi was upset — the statement seemed to write off his candidacy, he said. (Actually, Sawyer did say in the interview that he could work with either Hendrick or Picarazzi, depending on who was elected.)

For all that, Picarazzi has been the least visible of the town board candidates, attending town board meetings infrequently and issuing few press statements. He has concentrated on the issue of planning and economic development, and has roundly criticized the Republican town administration for its failure to settle a contract with the Police Benevolent Association. Picarazzi is also acutely aware of the disadvantage he faces as a Democrat running against an incumbent, even one who has only been in office nine months. "It's an uphill race," he admits. "But if I thought I didn't have a chance, I wouldn't have run."

Picarazzi says he had his campaign plans set in August, and has been working ever since. The basic strategy is door-to-door, "all over town," but since it is an obvious impossibility to ring every doorbell in Bethlehem he is concentrating on the swing districts. He is also, clearly, counting on support from his home districts in Selkirk and South Bethlehem, where the Picarazzi name is well known.

Picarazzi's major campaign position is to advocate a full-time



Richard L. Picarazzi

professional planner for the town. Presently, the town employs a part-time consultant, and his workload has expanded considerably in the last year because of the Delaware Ave. Task Force and because of proposed development projects. The past year has also seen a great deal of discussion on the development of alternate road systems and commercial and industrial development in the town.

"I think if they had a planner working ahead on all these issues a few years back, you wouldn't have all these problems now," said Picarazzi.

A professional planner, he says, is "not the ultimate authority, but he is the person who creates the framework." Having a development strategy, Picarazzi said, would allow the town to use its Industrial Development Authority "a little bit better" (the IDA has financed one project in 12 years of existence), and to "market" the Rt. 9W commercial land for appropriate development.

He also argues that the town must be more aggressive in establishing a transportation policy, rather than reacting to the growth that is predicted for the town. The town should start working now to develop some sort of Slingerlands bypass, and should not simply wait for land in the path of the Delmar bypass to be developed to extend that highway, Picarazzi said. "The town has to take an

upper hand in developing policy and not depend on developers to do it," he said.

Picarazzi said he also has some specific planning concerns:

- The new Citibank, with direct access onto Delaware Ave. almost next door to the Delaware Plaza entrance, is going to be "an incredible bottleneck" and should never have been allowed. (The Citibank property was already zoned commercial, which means that the town had site plan approval only. The curb cut was issued by the state Department of Transportation.)

- On the other hand the Bethlehem Planning Board's "nit picking" is "getting out of hand," Picarazzi said. He recently attended a planning board meeting and protested when one applicant was told to come back because he had not completed a landscaping plan for his project. "They're overstepping their bounds" in asking for size and height of trees, Picarazzi contended, adding that the planning board has earned a reputation as "very difficult to work with."

With a background in labor and labor relations, Picarazzi said "it bothers me a lot that they don't have a contract" with the police officers' union. The town and the Police Benevolent Association have been without a contract for nearly 11 months, despite the fact that the town paid a professional negotiator about \$20,000 to represent it, he said.

Picarazzi emphasized that he is not taking sides in the negotiations, but criticized the town



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board for "taking a confrontational point of view," citing the improper practices charge filed by the town against the union and the fact that the board recently gave raises to the three top officers in the department — "a slap in the face" to the rank and file, he said.

"It almost looks like they're trying to break the union," he said.

As a native of Selkirk, Picarazzi said he speaks for the areas of Bethlehem often left out of consideration. Land has been acquired for new town parks in both North Bethlehem and South Bethlehem, but so far there is little evidence of work being done, Picarazzi said. "You hear about them just before the election."

Picarazzi said if he is elected he will create an advisory committee made up of representatives from every area in town to bring "complaints, compliments, whatever" to the attention of the town board.

"People feel that a lot of times Delmar is the focal point of decision-making," he said.

The major issue in Selkirk is the heavy truck traffic on Rt. 396, but Picarazzi said he disagrees with several other candidates that a new road to bypass the hamlet

should be sought. The first step, he said, is strict enforcement of speed limits and to attempt to work with the companies sending their trucks along the road.

In company with other Democratic candidates, Picarazzi criticizes the way the town board has put together the 1986 budget, calling it an "outrage" that the public hearing on the spending plan has been set for Nov. 6, the day after the election. He dismissed as "nonsense" Hendrick's contention that legal requirements on legal advertising made it impossible to move the date up.

## Bake sale Tuesday

An Election Day bake sale, sponsored by the Clarksville Community Church, will be held from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 5, at the Clarksville Fire Hall. For information, call Eunice Carrio at 768-2076.

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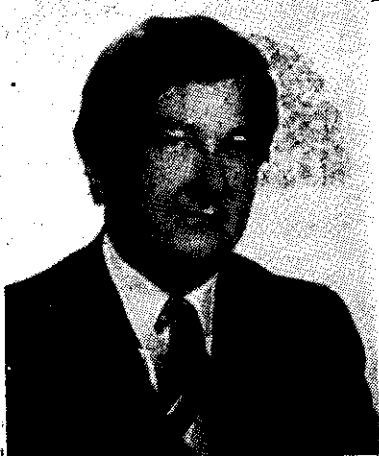
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# New Scotland candidates ready for election

## Martelle, Carson, Moak and Reilly run for 2 town board seats



Bruce P. Martelle



Anne Carson



H. Allyn Moak



Herbert Reilly, Jr.

### Bruce Martelle

Democrat Bruce Martelle, who represents his party's hopes for taking control of the New Scotland Town Board, says he is running on his record of community involvement and managerial experience.

"I believe our town needs strong and imaginative leaders to insure that the rural flavor of New Scotland is not disrupted or sacrificed in the pursuit of growth," said Martelle. "I want the citizens of the Town of New Scotland to be aware of developments before they occur — to be made more aware of environmental developments." Martelle supports requiring performance bonds as a guarantee that development goes according to the plans approved by the town.

Martelle said he would work for better water sources and maintaining clean air. With regard to the Clarksville area, Martelle said "I feel we should do everything possible to get these people water."

"I want to see the youth served with a youth recreation commission formed," said Martelle. "I think the people of the Town of New Scotland want some strong backing and representation."

With regard to new business for the town, Martelle supports public hearings that will allow the community to "know exactly what is going to happen before it happens... and give their approval or their disapproval."

Martelle said he would not

object to pay increases for public officials if the workload increased, "so long as they are well in line."

Martelle said he believes his business background and experience in managing budgets and expenditures would aid him in serving the town.

A resident of Voorheesville for the past 9 years, Martelle, 45, was born in Portland, Maine. A graduate of the Northeastern School of Business in Portland, Maine, he is currently employed as vice president of Certified Marketing Services in New Rochelle, N.Y. Previously, he was a manager for the Albany office of Equifax.

Martelle is a board member of the New Scotland Kiwanis Club and co-chairman of the Thomas F. Buckley Memorial Fund.

He is past chairman of the Jeff Clark Olympic Fund, past vice president of the Voorheesville Babe Ruth, a past board member of the Milford-Orange YMCA and a past member of the City of Milford Retirement Board, Milford, Conn.

Martelle is a recipient of the Ambassador Award, the highest honor given by the United States Jaycees.

Martelle resides in Voorheesville with his wife, Maureen, and three children.

### Anne Carson

Republican Anne Carson, running for her second term on the Town Board, says she's pleased with the state of New Scotland.

"I feel that we've been doing a

good job," said Mrs. Carson. "I'd like to stay and continue to help the people. It is vital to the GOP's 3-2 control of the town board that Mrs. Carson does stay on, since she and Supervisor Steve Wallace are the only Republicans on the board up for reelection.

In particular, Mrs. Carson said she would like to work toward establishing new water districts where they're needed and developing a town park in Feura Bush. Mrs. Carson said she appreciates the need for water, sewer and park lands in the community.

Mrs. Carson said she would also like to improve service to the senior citizens and youth of the town as money permits.

"I feel the Town of New Scotland is a nice place to live," said Mrs. Carson, adding that the Republican town government has helped make New Scotland a nice place to live.

At a recent town budget work session, Mrs. Carson objected to the size of pay increases for certain town officials. Last year she defended smaller pay increases for the town officials.

Mrs. Carson won a seat on the town board in 1981, garnering the second highest vote total in the election. Behind Herbert Reilly, Jr., She defeated John Graziano and Robert Mudge to become the first woman to be elected to the New Scotland Town Board.

Prior to serving on the board, Mrs. Carson worked as a secretary and bookkeeper in the town supervisor's office for eight years. She has worked with the Republican party for the past 15 years.

Originally from Oneida, Mrs. Carson is a graduate of Verona High School, Verona, N.Y. She is currently employed part time as a tour guide for Hart Tours, Delmar.

Mrs. Carson is a member of the Helderberg Business and Professional Women, the Genataska and the New Scotland Home Bureau. She is chairman of the Voorheesville Recreation Commission. She has served as a volunteer for the Voorheesville Girl Scouts, the American Red Cross bloodmobiles and the Voorheesville PTA.

Mrs. Carson is a 17-year resident of the Village of Voorheesville. She and her husband, Charles, have four children.

### H. Allyn Moak

A lifelong resident of the town, Republican town board candidate H. Allyn Moak says he wants to preserve "countrified living" in New Scotland.

"I think we ought to have growth in the Town of New Scotland... but it should come slow

and well-planned so that we keep our rural setting," said Moak, who has the Republican and Conservative lines. Moak said that with growth the town will need water in outlying areas. "I think if (development) should be very well regulated and planned so that this does not affect the rural and country atmosphere that we have out here," he said.

With regard to pay increases for town officials, as recently discussed by the town board, Moak said he did not believe they are an issue in this campaign.

Moak, 54, is employed as a parts manager for Smith Pontiac in Latham. He is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and a U.S. Navy veteran of the Korean War. A lifelong resident of the Town of New Scotland, he has lived in Voorheesville for the past 20 years.

Moak is a member of the Voorheesville Village Conservation Commission, the Voorheesville Fire Department and the Voorheesville American Legion Post 1493. He is a charter member of the New Scotland Elks Club.

A past member of the Voorheesville Zoning Board and a past assistant chief of the Onesquehaw Fire Department, Moak has served as a Kiwanis baseball coach and as chairman of the 1982 New Scotland Citizen of the Year Committee.

He and his wife, Doreen, have five children.

### Herbert Reilly, Jr.

Despite the fact that he is a minority member of the New Scotland Town Board, Democrat Herbert Reilly Jr. says he's accountable for his past eight years on the town board. He also offers specific ideas for working with other members of the board to improve the town during the next four years.

Only the sixth Democrat to serve on the New Scotland Town Board, Reilly was the highest vote getter in the 1981 election. With regard to the other members of the town board, Reilly said, "I try to work with them, and I try to be independent."

"We don't have any real ties with the City of Albany," said Reilly. "I've always been independent in my voting."

In running for a third term, Reilly points to specific accomplishments and goals. Reilly said he has helped convince the state Department of Transportation of the need to widen Rt. 85A between Voorheesville and New Salem, helped set realistic projections of revenues and expenses in the town budget, supported the junk car ordinance, proposed that

the board operate from a printed agenda, and supported the Environmental Management Council recommendations for the aquifer in the Village of Voorheesville.

Reilly said he supported a pocket park for Feura Bush and said that he is in favor of real pocket parks for Clarksville and Unionville. "Until recently, the emphasis has been on the northern part of the town," he said.

A supporter of water for Clarksville, Feura Bush and Swift Road, Reilly said he will support the establishment of water districts where financially feasible. "As more water resources become available, future growth is certain. It is my primary goal to pursue a coordinated water policy and a comprehensive plan for future growth," said Reilly, who added that he does not want to see the town "destroyed by unfettered development."

"I hope it's controlled by following strictly our zoning ordinance," said Reilly, noting that the zoning ordinance is a living document. Reilly said there could be good reason for changing the zoning ordinance, but that changes should be gradual. "We have to look at the whole picture and try to find out what is best for everybody," he said.

Reilly said he would like to see a better working relationship with the Village of Voorheesville with regard to water. He said the town should work toward making a coordinated regional water system to better protect and benefit the village and the town.

Reilly said he would work to establish an Industrial Development Authority to encourage "clean" business to move into properly zoned areas of the town. In particular, Reilly expressed interest in businesses that would "provide revenue, employment and services for local people and businesses that would contribute to the community."

Born in Albany, Reilly lived in Colonie before moving to the Town of New Scotland 24 years ago. A graduate of Vincennes Institute in Albany and Holy Cross College, Worcester, Mass., Reilly is a licensed funeral director and vice president of the Reilly and Son Funeral Home, Voorheesville and Colonie. A license insurance broker, Reilly is also owner of the Colonie Alban Insurance Agency.

Reilly is a member and past lieutenant governor, past president and past secretary of Kiwanis International, a member of the New Scotland Elks Lodge 261 and a member of the Knights of Columbus, Chapter, 3391. member of the Albany Track Club and the Hudson Mohawk Road Runners, he is a 10-time finisher of the Boston Marathon. Reilly has organized Voorheesville Fire Day for the past 10 years.

Reilly is a former member of the Voorheesville Fire Department and Ambulance Squad, and former Webelos leader for Cub Scout Pack 73 in Voorheesville.

He and his wife, Susan Brown Reilly, have nine children and reside in Voorheesville.

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Mudge, Wallace in town supervisor race

"Land use is probably the town's major concern," says Robert T. Mudge, the Democratic candidate for town supervisor. "We need a major plan of development that would limit development both in time and in size."

As president of the Albany County Conservation Alliance and a member of the Village of Voorheesville Conservation Advisory Council, Mudge has the kind of "nuts and bolts" knowledge needed to draft such a plan, he said.

"I don't want a lot of fast-growing problems," said Mudge. He said he would push for the establishment of an environmental advisory council as soon as possible, to contain overdevelopment and overuse of available water resources. Mudge said the town needs to look at zoning a little more closely. He said an environmental advisory commission would look at each building project and make sure that certain standards are met. Mudge also proposes that developers be required to complete a town-oriented impact statement.

In addition to considering the issue of land use and related water usage and pollution control problems, Mudge said he would like to consider the mining situation in connection with environmental concerns.

As supervisor, Mudge said he would also work to finalize the Clarksville water district and the park in Feura Bush. "I think there's been just a little bit of laxity in the past couple of years," said Mudge. "I don't think there's been a serious look at deadlines as much as there could have been."

Mudge said he would support the formation of additional water districts. Regarding an effort toward coordinated water goals for the local governments, Mudge said, "there are too many other water resources that the town can develop on their own."

A former New Scotland Democratic committeeman for 18 years, Mudge ran for town council in 1981. He has lived in the Town of

New Scotland for more than 20 years.

A graduate of RCS Senior High School and the State University College at Oswego, Mudge has done graduate work at the State University at Albany, the State University College at Ithaca and Russell Sage College. He is an occupational technology teacher for the Albany City School District.

A veteran of the Korean War, Mudge has 34 years of combined active and reserve military service, including the past 27 years as a chief instructor of engineering subjects in the U.S. Army Reserves.

He is a member of the New York State Occupational Technology Association and a member, past president and executive board member of the Capital District Industrial Arts Association. Mudge is also a member of the Governor Clinton Council Boy Scouts of America, an executive committee member and membership chairman for the Fort Orange District Boy Scouts of America, and chairman of the Albany County American Legion Boy Scouts. He is past commander of the American Legion Post 1493 in Voorheesville and the 1984-85 vice commander of the Albany County American Legion.

Mudge resides in Voorheesville with his daughter, Sandra, a student.

A veteran of municipal service, Republican Stephen P. Wallace is running for his eighth two-year term as town supervisor.

Wallace ran unopposed in 1983. A town employee for the past 26 years, he is a former town assessor, former chairman of the planning board and former building inspector.

In running for re-election, Wallace points to specific accomplishments during his years in service. Wallace said the town has developed a town park at a 58-acre parcel on Swift Road. "We've developed about a third of that. So there's plenty of room for

future development there," said Wallace. The supervisor said the town is currently developing a 20-acre parcel in Feura Bush.

During his time in office, Wallace said water districts have been formed in Feura Bush and Swift Rd., and a sewer district has been established in Heldervale. "We're on the verge of starting a water district in Clarksville with an additional \$500,000 grant," said Wallace.

"To date we've acquired one million dollars in grant money from the federal government for projects," said Wallace.

Wallace said he was involved with the highway superintendent in a road project — converting from oil and stone to paved roads.

Wallace said the town has also improved the office facilities and enlarged the town hall. "We have an attractive looking building now," said Wallace.

"I guess the thing I'm proudest of is that we've done all that and maintained a low tax rate for all the years that we've been developing," said Wallace.

With regard to the future, Wallace said the newly-formed water search and study committee, chaired by Robert Cook, will be looking for more districts and looking for more water supplies. Noting that water is one of the services needed to attract "clean" industry, Wallace said "Possibly our new water committee will be able to help us develop those things."

"We'll be monitoring our growth and making sure that we maintain our rural atmosphere out here," said Wallace.

Wallace graduated from Voor-



Robert Mudge



Stephen P. Wallace

heesville High School and attended Siena College in Loudonville. He is a member of the Albany County Planning Board and a charter member of the New Scotland Elks Club. He is a past commissioner of the Capital District Regional Planning Board.

Wallace and his wife, Joan, reside in New Scotland and have three children.

Election dance

A "Last Chance to Chat with the Candidates Dance," sponsored by the New Scotland Democratic Social Club will begin at 9 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 2, at the Voorheesville American Legion Hall.

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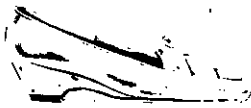
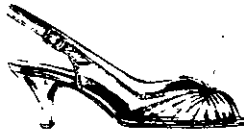
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# Bethlehem board hit on budget procedures

Openness in government became the surprise issue following a brief, quiet pre-election meeting of the Bethlehem Town Board last week.

After the board had adopted the preliminary 1986 budget with virtually no comment, a Democratic town board candidate charged that the real decisions on the budget had been made illegally, and accused the incumbent Republican board of participating in "concealed decision-making on a budget only partially reviewed by the board."

Supervisor Robert Hendrick, who is also a candidate in the election, acknowledged that most of the board's decision-making on the budget had taken place in telephone calls and one-on-one discussions over the weekend, but said legal deadlines had made it impossible for him to get the board together again formally after two lengthy work sessions the week before.

"There was full input from the board members every step of the way," said Hendrick. "On balance, I think the board had more input this year than they ever had."

The board approved a preliminary budget that calls for a 4.5 percent cut in the general town tax rate, but a 5 percent increase in highway taxes and increases of 4 and 3.5 percent in water and sewer taxes. Included are 5 percent pay hikes for most town employees. A Nov. 6 public hearing date was set by the board.

David Sawyer, the Democratic candidate, raised the only questions on the budget process at the meeting Wednesday, and later amplified his criticisms in a press release, charging that the board failed to comply with both state Town Law and the state Open Meeting Law.

Sawyer, who attended both the budget workshops, said the board had interviewed only four department heads and reviewed 19 of 60 town programs in those sessions. "Yet somehow, they determined how much the property taxes should be; approved the continuation of the multiyear, million dollar float; made changes to 20 program budgets they did not review, but refused to identify or discuss any changes at the public meeting," he said.

In response to questions on the procedure followed by the board, Robert Freeman, director of the state Committee on Open Government, said it is unlikely that the board violated the Open Meeting Law because no formal meetings took place over the weekend, when the decisions were made. However, he said, there is a possibility the board violated the sections of state law that govern how a town board prepares its budget. "Our advice has always been that a public body can't take action by a series of telephone calls," Freeman said.

"The council didn't have to evade the law to meet the deadline," Sawyer said. "If I were on the council, I would have forced a

full public discussion of the supervisor's changes, introduced my own changes and reviewed the remaining parts at the council's public meeting."

Ironically, the dispute over open meetings came as the League of Women Voters of Albany County was pressing local governments, including Bethlehem's town board, planning board and board of appeals, to support the repeal of a recent amendment to the Open Meeting Law that permits political caucuses to be conducted in private.

The league, in concert with New York State Common Cause and several other groups, contends that the amendment, passed last spring in response to legal attempts to gain access to caucuses of the state legislature, "could effectively wipe out open discussion of public business in those local legislatures which are dominated by one party."

Hendrick, as he has in the past, said Friday that no Bethlehem board would take advantage of the amendment to hold closed meetings, and that he personally would have no problem with endorsing the legislation.

Wednesday's board meeting lasted less than half an hour, enabling all present to be home in time for the fourth game of the series. The board took these actions:

- Set Nov. 13 at 7:30 p.m. as the date for the annual public hearing on the Bethlehem Sewer District assessment rolls.
- Received a recommendation from Police Chief Paul Currie to lower the speed limit on Thatcher and Hackett streets in Selkirk from 55 to 30 m.p.h. The recommendation is in response to a petition from residents of the area. A Nov. 13 public hearing will be set.
- Received another petition from 23 residents of Rockefeller Rd. asking that a traffic count be made on both Rockefeller Rd.



Danielle Biviano, 21, a psychology student from the State University at Albany, helps children as they decorate their pumpkins Friday at the Bethlehem Public Library.

and Old Delaware Ave. to determine if the speed limits should be lowered.

• Granted Jeffrey Dammeyer civil service status as a computer programmer. Dammeyer, who operates the town's only computer, passed a civil service exam to gain the appointment.

• Authorized Hendrick to sign an agreement with the Town of New Scotland to operate the 1986 summer park program at the Clarksville Elementary School. New Scotland will pay Bethlehem \$2,000 next year, up from \$1,500 this year, Hendrick said.

## Roast beef dinner

A roast beef dinner, sponsored by the Methodist Men of the Slingerlands United Methodist Church, will be held on Saturday, Nov. 9, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

For reservations call 439-1766.

## Collides with bus

A Slingerlands man was ticketed for failure to yield the right of way after an accident Friday afternoon involving a Bethlehem Central school bus. According to Bethlehem police reports, the car pulled into the path of the bus at Kenwood and Borthwick avenues in Delmar. Thirty-four students were on the bus, the report noted. No injuries were reported to police.

## Teen ticketed

A Delmar 16-year-old was ticketed for speeding after the car he was driving went off Wemple Rd. in Glenmont Friday night, according to Bethlehem police reports. Police said the car crossed the railroad tracks on Wemple Rd near Rt. 144, then left the road, went into a ditch and back out onto a nearby driveway. None of the five teenagers in the car required emergency treatment after the 8:45 p.m. accident, according to the report.

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Four Bethlehem Central High School musicians have been selected to perform in the New York State School Music Association (NYSSMA) all-state ensembles. They will go to Buffalo Dec. 1 to 4 to join other high school musicians from throughout the state. Each ensemble, such as band or orchestra, will be directed by nationally known conductors. Rehearsals will culminate in public performances for the 50th NYSSMA directors' conference Dec. 3 and 4.

Bethlehem Central's four representatives are: for band, Stanley Lee, clarinet, and Jeffrey Nickel, tenor saxophone, and for full orchestra, Susan Loegering, bassoon, and Jennifer Tweedie, violin.

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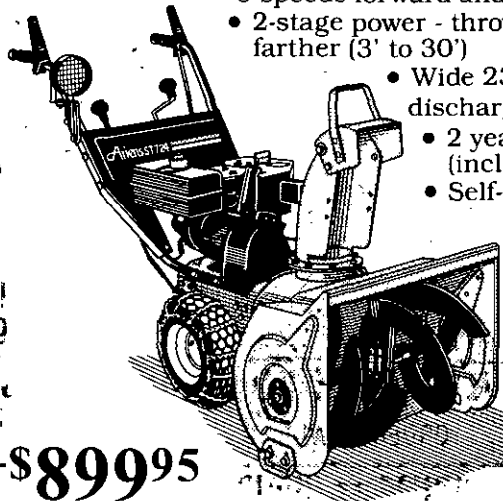
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# Citgo parking plan okayed

By Theresa Bobear

After deciding on an appropriate list of conditions, the Bethlehem Board of Appeals last week indicated that they will approve an extended parking area for the Citgo gasoline station at 90 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

Considering the application for a special exception received from Polsinello Fuels Inc., the board voted to draft a resolution allowing a parking area to accommodate approximately 10 additional cars.

Conditions of the resolution will require station operator Don Howes to maintain landscape buffers, close off access to the site from Mason Rd., store the dumpster and debris in a designated area enclosed by a stockade fence and follow the town's regular gas station restrictions. Additionally, the station operator will not be allowed to operate or dispatch limousines or taxis from the station.

The board members may vote on the resolution at their next

meeting.

The board held a public hearing to consider Douglas Bauer's application for a variance to permit an additional dwelling unit at 512 Kenwood Ave., Delmar. Three dwelling units are currently permitted.

During the hearing, Bauer said there were four units in the building when he purchased it in February of 1985. Andrew Tweedie, who lives in the building, said the fourth unit was added about 20 years ago.

No one spoke in opposition to the application.

The board held a public hearing to consider Bedros Karian's request for modification of a special exception to enlarge the land area facing Hoyt Avenue in order to erect a four-unit building at Hoyt Avenue.

The applicant proposed to take square footage from one developed lot and add it to an adjacent undeveloped lot.

Board chairman Charles Fritts asked the applicant if he understood that he was trying to reduce an already substandard lot. Board member Gary Swan noted the unusual configuration of the proposed lot. Board attorney Donald DeAngelis referred to the propo-

posal as "gerrymandering."

Two residents spoke in opposition to the plan.

The board held a public hearing for a variance to allow Howard C. Loucks to construct an addition to the garage at Loucks Body and Fender Works, 788 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

Louis Dempf, attorney representing Loucks, explained that three additional bays would allow the applicant to improve safety conditions.

Three neighbors of the immediate vicinity said they had no objection to the proposal. No one spoke in opposition to the proposal.

In other business, the board:

- Scheduled a public hearing for 8 p.m. on Nov. 20 to consider John N. Dalton's request for a variance from the allowed percentage of lot occupancy to permit construction of an addition at 12 McKinley Dr., Delmar.

- Granted a side yard variance to James J. Berry for construction of a chimney at 4 McMillen Pl., Delmar.

- Formally denied a variance requested by Drs. Myron Serling, Thomas Decker and Michael Shuttoni for modification of the vacant telephone exchange building at 23-29 Adams Place. A satellite, orthodontist office was proposed for the site.

Formally denied an application received from Arthur G. Kontogiannis for a variance to permit two additional units at 28-30 Olympian Dr., Slingerlands. The board decided to require Kontogiannis to remove any illegal apartments by Feb. 1, 1986.

The next meeting of the board is scheduled for 8 p.m. on Nov. 6.

## Family swim starts

Sunday afternoon family-recreational swimming sessions will be held from Nov. 3 to Dec. 15 at the Bethlehem Middle School pool. The sessions are conducted by the Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department.

The swim periods will run from 1 to 4 p.m. and children under 8 years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult. Fee for all sessions will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for children. Children under 8 will not be charged.

## Cyclist discharged

An Albany woman was discharged Friday from Memorial Hospital in Albany after she had been treated for injuries suffered when her bicycle was struck by a car last Wednesday on Delaware Ave. near Hudson Ave. According to Bethlehem police reports, Tracey J. Lauridsen, 24, of Albany was struck by a car being driven by a Schenectady woman. No charges were filed in the 5:25 p.m. accident.

## Norman's Gate hearing set

The Bethlehem Planning Board rescheduled a public hearing for the proposed Norman's Gate subdivision of approximately 36 lots on the northeastern side of Euclid Ave. in Elsmere for 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 3.

The parcel is proposed for development by the Van Euclid Company. The plan, which was rejected by the planning board in 1982, comes before the planners again after nearly two years of litigation.

The public hearing, originally scheduled for Oct. 15, was postponed at the request of the developer.

A public hearing for discussion of the proposed Section 3 of the Chadwick Square Planned Residence District was set for Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

David Butler, of C.T. Male Associates, representing developers James, Michael and Jerry Rosen, said 49 town houses are planned for the 10.8-acre site. Some 59 units were originally proposed for the site. Butler said the revised plan "follows quite closely the original concept map."

The board tabled Mr. and Mrs. Henry Keys's request for amendment of the Lyndhurst subdivision to allow installation of an in-ground pool at 70 Surrey Mall.

Paul Hite, surveyor representing Rudolph Paulsen, presented a pre-preliminary proposal for a 27-lot subdivision located off Boylston Dr.

Hite showed one possible scenario for development of adjacent lands to demonstrate that the proposed development would not leave adjacent properties landlocked.

Hite may present a formal proposal at a future meeting.

Finally, the board scheduled a public hearing for 8 p.m. on Nov. 19 to consider a one-lot subdivision of land belonging to George Harder to be conveyed to Victor and Carole Ballato.

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# Search process planned

During the October meeting of the Voorheesville Board of Education, Board President John McKenna reported that the board met with Dr. Custer Quick, assistant superintendent of the Albany-Schoharie-Schenectady County Board of Cooperative Services, and planned a superintendent search process.

McKenna said three or four informal meetings with the public will be held to obtain input about the important issues facing the district and the characteristics that the district should look for in a new superintendent. McKenna said a specific schedule will be released by early or mid-November.

The board approved the expenditure of approximately \$1,000 for a Blue Cross Health Management Plan. District employees who participate in the health improvement program will be

## VOORHEESVILLE

Rodger Lewis, district business administrator, reported that he has been working with the school principals to establish a formal

procedure for chaperones and bus drivers to follow when students do not return to the district vehicle on a field trip. The district representative will not leave the scene while a child is missing.

of the board will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 12, in the board offices at Clayton A. Bouton Senior High School, Rt. 85A, Voorheesville.

## More can serve summons

Following a public hearing, the Voorheesville Village Board last week passed a local law permitting the village building inspector and dog warden to serve summonses. Previously, the village officials were only allowed to issue summonses.

The board announced that village records will be microfilmed at

the Albany County Hall of Records.

The board is attempting to get the state Department of Transportation to make the Rt. 85A railroad underpass safer for pedestrians and bicyclists. The underpass is located near the former Grand Union store.

Village officials also met with officials from the Albany County Health Department and the state Department of Environmental Conservation in a continuing effort to find a cost effective solution to the Pleasant St. sewage disposal problem.

## New Kiwanis officers

Peter Douglas of Voorheesville was elected president of the New Scotland Kiwanis Club during a recent meeting at the Heavenly Inn, Slingerlands. The gavel was passed from Dr. Richard Goliber to Douglas.

Other officers elected were: Michael Malark of Voorheesville, first vice president; Michael Lancer of Voorheesville, second vice president, and Richard Ramsey of Voorheesville, treasurer.

James Hladun of Voorheesville, club secretary, was awarded the club's outstanding service award.



Donald A. Gelenthien, left, lieutenant governor of the Latham Kiwanis Club, congratulates Stephen M. Pardee, newly-elected president of the Delmar Kiwanis Club, as former president John Shipherd and Mrs. Sheryle Pardee look on.

## RCS okays early retirement plan

By Theresa Bobear

An early retirement incentive for eligible employees of the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Central School District was approved by the district's board of education last week.

Under the approved plan, any district employee who is at least 55 years of age and has served the district for a minimum of 10 years may retire during a window period from July 1, 1986 to Aug. 31, 1986.

The retirement plan was approved unanimously by the board, and the board's decision was approved by more than 40 members of the RCS Teachers Association who were present at the meeting. A hearty round of applause followed the board's vote.

Prior to the vote, RCSTA spokesman Donald Prockup said the plan would be beneficial to senior staff members, to the district and to the district's children.

Approximately 13 people will be eligible for early retirement under the plan.

"We will miss many people with many years of fine experience with the school district," said board president Anthony Williams.

After learning that the state Department of Education will consider the district's solar project the same as any building project in determining whether or not it is eligible for state aid, the board voted in favor of presenting the proposed solar project as a special proposition to voters in May.

Architect Benjamin Mendel will be instructed to plan public information meetings prior to the vote.

"At this point it's costing us no additional funds to get additional information to make a proper decision," said Williams.

Superintendent Milton Chodack said the board has expended \$20,000 from last year's budget on researching the project. The state will consider final approval of aid for the project after it is approved by the voters.

The board passed a resolution allowing district buses to cross over the recently completed Rt. 9W Normanskill Bridge.

Because RCSTA fact finding is scheduled for Nov. 4, the Board of Education will hold its Nov. 4 meeting in the library at RCS Senior High School.

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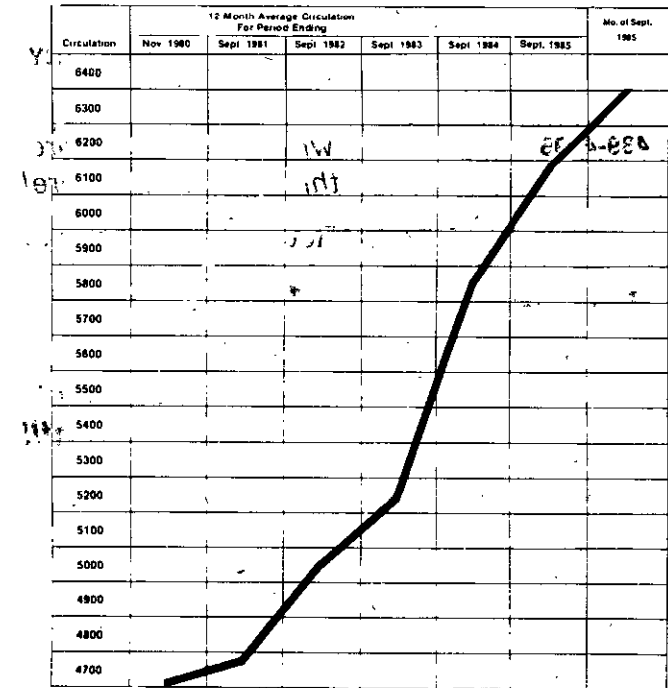
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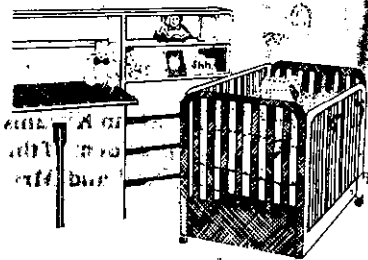
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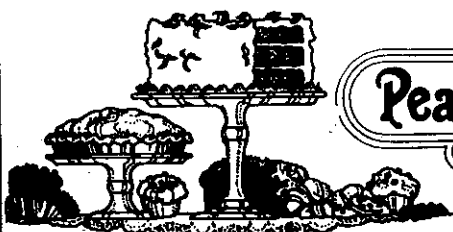
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**Town of New Scotland**, Town Board meets first Wednesday at 8 p.m., Planning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m., Board of Appeals meets when necessary, usually Fridays at 7 p.m. Town Hall, Rt. 85.

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

**Bethlehem Board of Education** meets first and third Wednesdays of each month at 8 p.m. at the Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Pl., Delmar.

**Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Board of Education** meets the first and third Mondays of each month at 8 p.m. at the board offices, Thatcher St., Selkirk.

**Voorheesville Board of Education** meets second Monday of each month, 7:30 p.m. at the district offices in the high school, Rt. 85A, Voorheesville.

**Bethlehem Landfill** open at 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Saturday, closed Sundays and holidays. Resident permit required; permits available at town hall, Elm Ave. Park office and town garage, Elm Ave. East.

**New Scotland Landfill** open 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays only. Resident permit required; permits available at town hall.

**Project Hope**, preventive program for adolescents and their families, satellite offices for Bethlehem-Coeymans, 767-2445.

# THE SPOTLIGHT CALENDAR

Events in Bethlehem and New Scotland

**Bethlehem Recycling**, town garage, 119 Adams St. Papers should be tied, cans flattened, bottles cleaned with metal and plastic foam removed. Tuesday and Wednesday 8 a.m.-noon; Thursday and Friday noon-4 p.m.; Saturday 8 a.m.-noon.

**League of Women Voters**, Bethlehem unit, meets monthly at the Bethlehem Public Library, 9:15 a.m. Babysitting available. For information, call Linda Marshall at 756-6421.

**Project Equinox**, Delmar Satellite office, professional counseling for substance abuse problems, all contact confidential. By appointment, call 434-6135.

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**Bethlehem Youth Employment Service**, Bethlehem Town Hall, Monday through Friday, 1:00-4:30 p.m. Call 439-2238.

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

**LaLeche League of Delmar**, meets one Thursday each month to share breast-feeding experiences, 8 p.m. For meeting schedule and breast-feeding information call 439-1774.

**American Legion**, meets first Mondays at Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, 8 p.m.

**Welcome Wagon**, newcomers and mothers of infants, call 785-9640 for a Welcome Wagon visit. Mon.-Sat. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Food Pantry**, Selkirk and South Bethlehem area. Bethlehem Reformed Church, Rt. 9W, Selkirk, call 767-2243, 436-8289 or 767-2977.

Methodist Church, 421 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 3-6:30 p.m. Information, 439-1450.

**Halloween Eve Celebration**, all welcome, Bethlehem Public Library, 6:30 p.m.

**Bethlehem Channel Cablecast**, Storytelling with Gramma Ena, 10:30 a.m.; Readings for the Visually Impaired, 4-7 p.m.; Astrology with Judith Longley, 7:30 p.m.

**Delmar Dolphin Swim Club Registration**, for winter program, children 6 years and older, Bethlehem Central High School, 6:30-8 p.m. Information, 439-3052 or 439-9628.

**Prayer Gathering**, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4328.

days, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

**Bethlehem Senior Citizens**, meet every Thursday at Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

**Bethlehem Archaeology Group**, provides regular volunteers with excavation and laboratory experience at Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday meetings. Call 439-4258 for more information.

**Overeaters Anonymous**, meeting every Thursday at First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY  
NOVEMBER 1

**Farmers' Market**, every Friday through October, St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Delmar, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

**Bethlehem Channel Cablecast**, A Children's Storytime, 10:30 a.m.; Real George's Special: Meeting of the Musical Minds, 7:30 p.m.

**Square Dance**, with Ed Joyner, Slingerlands Methodist Church, 1499 New Scotland Rd., 8 p.m.

**World Community Day**, Trinity Methodist Church, Coeymans Hollow, 1 p.m.

**Mothers' Morning Out**, child-parent play and exercise program presented by Jeanette Koch, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Information, 439-7160.

**Recovery, Inc.**, self-help for former mental patients and those with chronic nervous symptoms. First United Methodist, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, Weekly at 12:30 p.m.

**Elmwood Park Fire District**, first Fridays, North Bethlehem firehouse, 307 Schoolhouse Rd., 7:30 p.m.

**Free Legal Clinic**, for Bethlehem senior citizens, first Fridays, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Appointment required, 439-4955.

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## 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.

### THEATER

"Playboy of the Western World," by John Millington-Syngé, Capital Repertory Theatre, Albany, through Nov. 10 (opening night, 8 p.m.; Tues.-Fri., 8 p.m.; Sat., 4:30 and 9 p.m.; Sunday, 2:30 p.m.). Tickets, 462-4531.

"Twice Around the Park," presented by Riverview Productions, St. Andrew's Dinner Theater, 10 North Main Ave., Albany, Nov. 1-3 (Fri., 7 p.m.; Sat. and Sun., 5 p.m.). Tickets, 463-2586.

"They're Playing Our Song," presented by Schenectady Light Opera Company, 826 State St., Schenectady, Nov. 1-3. Tickets, 393-5732.

"Rag Dolly, the Raggedy Ann Musical," The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, Oct. 31, Nov. 1, 8 p.m.; Oct. 31, 10 a.m. Tickets, 473-3750.

"Key Exchange," one-act play by Kevin Wade, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, Oct. 31-Nov. 2. Free; reservations 584-5000, ext. 2347.

"Cabaret," presented by Columbia Civic Players, Kozel's Restaurant, Ghent, Nov. 1, 2, 8 and 9, following 7 p.m. dinner. Reservations, 828-3326.

### MUSIC

Noon organ concert, Neil Keen and Mary Bon will continue their survey of music by J.S. Bach, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 107 State St., Albany, Nov. 1.

"Don Giovanni," opera by Mozart presented by Western Opera Theater, Proctor's Theatre, Schenectady, Nov. 3, 7 p.m. Tickets, 346-6204.

Vienna Symphony Orchestra, with Wolfgang Sawallisch conducting, Proctor's Theatre, Schenectady, Oct. 31, 8 p.m. Tickets, 346-6204.

Morey Hall, piano recital, Julia Howard Bush Memorial Center, Russell Sage College, Troy, Nov. 3, 3:30 p.m.

Cornell University Glee Club, Siena College, Loudonville, Nov. 2, 8 p.m. Tickets, 783-2527.

Dorean Wind Quintet, Emma Willard School, Troy, Nov. 5, 8 p.m. Tickets, 273-9137.

Gary Schocket, flutist, Performing Arts Center, State University at Albany, Nov. 6, 8 p.m. Tickets, 442-3997.

Yale Russian Chorus, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, Nov. 3, 3 p.m. Tickets, 273-0038.

Robert Ashley, presents multi-media sound-text pieces, Union College, Schenectady, Nov. 1, 8 p.m. Information, 465-4755.

Alan Feinberg, contemporary pianist, and Cecil Taylor, Performing Arts Center, SUNYA, Nov. 1, 8 p.m. Information, 465-4755.

Robert Dick, flutist, and Jane Ira Bloom, saxophonist, Page Auditorium, SUNYA, Nov. 2, 3 p.m. Information, 465-4755.

Art Ensemble of Chicago, presenting mime, jazz and more, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, Nov. 3, 7:30 p.m. Information, 465-4755.

"Acis and Galatea," Handel's work presented by Capitol Hill Choral Society, Phillip Schuyler School, North Lake Ave., Albany, Nov. 1, 8 p.m. Community box office.

Leon Redbone, concert of jazz, blues and country Ballads, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, Nov. 2, 8 p.m. Tickets, 273-0038.

Paul Evoskevich, assistant professor of music, will present saxophone recital, St. Joseph's Auditorium, College of Saint Rose, Albany, Nov. 4, 8 p.m. Free; information, 454-5178.

Roy Harris, sings British ballads, Eighth Step Coffee House, 362 State St., Albany, Oct. 30. Information, 434-1703.

Steve Gillette presents program of folk music, Caffe Lena, Saratoga Springs, Nov. 1 and 2, 8:30 p.m. Information, 583-0022.

### ART

"The Voyage of Life," series of allegorical paintings by Thomas Cole, Munson Williams Proctor Institute, Utica, through Dec. 15. Information, 1-315-797-0000.

"Inner Light: The Shaker Legacy," black-and-white photographs

by Linda Butler, documenting Shaker vision, Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, through Nov. 3. "The First Hundred Years of Forever: A Forest Preserve Centennial," State Museum, Empire State Plaza, Albany, through Nov. 3. "Maine-ly Tin," exhibit of painted tinware produced during early

1800's in Stevens Plains, Maine, Museum of Historical Society of Early American Decoration, 19 Dove St., Albany, through December.

"The Chapel," paintings by Cynthia Norton, Justice Building Lobby, Empire State Plaza, Albany, Nov. 6 through Jan. 2. Information, 473-5527.

Faculty exhibition, Harmanus Bleeker Center, Albany, through Nov. 12.

"Interplay," exhibit of works by regional artists, Albany Institute of History and Art, through Nov. 16.

Exhibit of photos by David Lebe, Russell Sage College, Schacht Fine Arts Center, through Nov. 10.

"Baby Pictures," exhibit of Mark McCarty's photos, The Albany Academy, through Nov. 27.

Exhibit of artwork by Susan Schmaker, Junior College of Albany, through Nov. 20.

Exhibit of photo collages by David Hockney and photos from SUNYA collection, University Art Gallery, SUNYA, through Nov. 24.

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**Ham Supper**, Bethlehem Grange, Rt. 396, Selkirk, \$3 and \$6 admission, servings start at 4 p.m.

**Bible Study**, Book of Genesis, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:45-9 a.m. Information, 439-4328.

**Dinner Dance**, with music of 50's and 60's St. Matthew's Church, Pleasant St., Voorheesville, 7 p.m. \$10 reservations, 765-4199.

**Garage Sale and Bake Sale**, to benefit Tri-Village Nursery School, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

**New Scotland Democratic Social Club**, presents "last Chance to Chat with Candidates Dance," with music by Country Casuals, Voorheesville American Legion Hall, Voorheesville, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. \$7 tickets available at Houghtaling's Market.

**Prayer Vigil for Peace**, all welcome, St. Thomas Church parking lot, noon.

**Voting Center Van**, from Channel 13, sponsored and staffed by League of Women Voters, meet candidates at Bethlehem Town Hall parking lot, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

**Nature Walk**, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 2 p.m. Information, 457-6092.

## SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3

**Pancake and Sausage Breakfast**, sponsored by Delmar Peace Breakfast, to benefit Tools for Peace program of Oxfam America, Blanchard American Legion Post, Poplar St., Elsmere, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Information, 439-7031.

**Sunday School**, for high school students and adults, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 9:15 a.m.; family worship, 10:30 a.m. Information, 438-4328.

**Country Store**, sponsored by Ladies of Bethlehem Elks Lodge 2233, Rt. 144, Selkirk, noon-5 p.m.

**Adult Religious Education**, Delmar Presbyterian Church, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

**Dinner**, Clarksville Firehouse, 2-6:30 p.m. Information, 768-2802.

**Worship Service**, all welcome, Bethlehem Community Church, 201 Elm Ave., Delmar, 9:15 a.m.

**Run for Easter Seals**, 3.5-mile race for adults and 1-mile race for children, Hamagrael Elementary School, McGuffey La., Delmar, \$3.50 and \$2 registration, 8 a.m. Information, 434-4103.

## MONDAY NOVEMBER 4

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

**Book Fair**, Glenmont Elementary School, through Nov. 8.

**"Integrated Good Health: Mind, Body, Inner Being,"** led by Nancy Handwerker, Nov. 4, 11, 18 and 25, 5-6 p.m. \$20 registration, 439-5027.

**Voorheesville PTSA**, meeting at Voorheesville Elementary School, 7 p.m.

**Upper Delaware Ave. Assn.** of Delmar, membership meeting, persons living in vicinity of Delaware Ave. between Old Town Hall and Cherry Ave. welcome, Bethlehem Town Hall, room 204, 8:30 p.m.

**Delmar Kiwanis**, meet Mondays at the Starlite Lounge, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

**Al-Anon Group**, support for relatives of alcoholics, meets Mondays at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 8:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 439-4581.

**Temple Chapter 5 RAM**, first and third Mondays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

**Mothers Time Out**, Christian support group for mothers of pre-schoolers will view tape about discipline as part of parenting, group meets Mondays at Delmar Reformed Church, Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10-11:30 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

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

## TUESDAY NOVEMBER 5

**Election Day**, vote at your designated polling place.

**Book Sale**, Bethlehem Public Library, 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

**Election Day Bake Sale**, sponsored by Slingerlands Elementary School PTA, Slingerlands Elementary School, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

**Election Day Bake Sale**, sponsored by Clarksville Community Church, Clarksville Firehouse, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

**Mothers Time Out**, second showing of tape about discipline as part of parenting, Delmar Reformed Church, 10-11:30 a.m. Child care provided; information, 439-9929.

**Election Day Bake Sale**, to benefit Albany County Burn Unit, Voorheesville Fire Department, 8 a.m.-noon.

**Book Fair**, sponsored by Voorheesville PTSA, Voorheesville Elementary School, 5-9 p.m.

**Book Fair and Bake Sale**, sponsored by Glenmont PTA, Glenmont Elementary School, 1-8 p.m.

**Delmar Rotary**, meets Tuesdays at Starlite Inn, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6 p.m.

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

**Bethlehem Lodge 1096 F&AM** first and third Tuesdays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

**Medicare Form Aid**, sponsored by AARP, first and third Tuesdays, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Appointments required, 439-2160.

## WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 6

**Capital District Farmers' Market**, Wednesdays through summer, First United Methodist Church, 421 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 3-6:30 p.m. Information, 439-1450.

**Public Hearings**, before Bethlehem Board of Appeals, Bethlehem Town Hall, on application of HMC Associates, 163 Delaware Ave., Delmar, for variance to permit 30 fewer parking spaces than required by ordinance at John Hancock Building, Delaware Ave., and Normanskill Blvd., Delmar, 8 p.m.; on application of Richard and Carolyn Wickham, for variance from allowed percentage of lot occupancy to permit accessory building at 476 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 8:30 p.m.

**Delmar Progress Club**, creative art group will present a program about art of tatting, Bethlehem Public Library, 10 a.m. Reservations, 439-9152.

**Pops Concert**, Bethlehem Central High School, 8 p.m.

**Book Fair**, sponsored by Voorheesville PTSA, Voorheesville Elementary School, 5-9 p.m.

**United Methodist Women**, meeting at South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, Willowbrook Ave., 8 p.m.

**Bethlehem Lions Club**, meets first and third Wednesday of month, Starlite Restaurant III, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 7 p.m.

**Bethlehem Business Women's Club** meets first Wednesday of month, Albany Motor Inn, Rt. 9W, Albany, 6 p.m. social hour.

**Bethlehem Elks Lodge 2233** meets at lodge, Rt. 144 Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. first and third Wednesdays.

**Onesquethaw Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star**, first and third Wednesdays at Masonic Temple, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.

## THURSDAY NOVEMBER 7

**Book Fair**, sponsored by Voorheesville PTSA, Voorheesville Elementary School, 5-9 p.m.

**Computer Workshop**, learn to use Apple Spreadsheet program, Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m.

**Bethlehem Senior Citizens**, meet every Thursday at Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

**New Scotland Kiwanis Club**, Thursdays, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

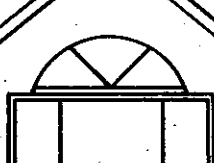
**Overeaters Anonymous**, meeting every Thursday at First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7 p.m.

**Bethlehem Archaeology Group**, provides regular volunteers with excavation and laboratory experience at Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday meetings. Call 439-4258 for more information.

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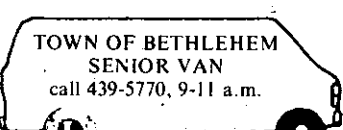
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Oct. 31,	Halloween celebration, costume party and contest, Bethlehem Town Hall. Information, 439-4955.
Nov. 1,	Free legal clinic, Bethlehem Town Hall, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Appointment required.
Nov. 4	Bowling for senior women, Del Lanes, 1 p.m.
Nov. 7,	Senior citizen business meeting, Bethlehem Town Hall, 12:30 p.m.
Nov. 12,	Senior van shopping trip to local mall. Reservations required.



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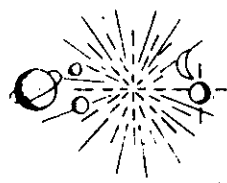
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NOVEMBER 8

**Recovery, Inc.**, self-help for former mental patients and those with chronic nervous symptoms. First United Methodist, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar. Weekly at 12:30 p.m.

**Farmers' Market**, every Friday through October, St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Delmar, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

SATURDAY  
NOVEMBER 9

**Bethlehem Art Assn. Exhibit**, opens at Bethlehem Public Library, Nov. 9 through Dec. 5.

**Dinner**, all welcome, sponsored by Methodist Men of Slingerlands Community United Methodist Church, New Scotland Rd., \$4 and \$6 admission, servings 4:30-7:30 p.m. Tickets, 439-1766.

SUNDAY  
NOVEMBER 10

**Adult Religious Education**, Delmar Presbyterian Church, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

MONDAY  
NOVEMBER 11

**Bloodmobile**, sponsored by American Red Cross and Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, noon-6 p.m. Information, 439-4328.

**Delmar Kiwanis**, meet Mondays at the Starlite Lounge, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

**Al-Anon Group**, support for relatives of alcoholics, meets Mondays at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 8:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 439-4581.

**Mothers Time Out**, Christian support group for mothers of pre-schoolers, meets Mondays at Delmar Reformed Church, Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10:11:30 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

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

TUESDAY  
NOVEMBER 12

**Nature Sketching Workshop**, presented by Wayne Trimm, Conservationist art director, Bethlehem Public

Library, 7:30 p.m. Free; registration, 439-9314.

**New Scotland Historical Assn.**, meeting with Robert Arnold speaking about "Albany County Records: What Shall We Do With History?" at Old Salem Schoolhouse, 8 p.m.

**Dana Natural History Society**, program about Bristlecone Pine, Albany Public Library, 2 p.m. Information, 439-1580.

**Clarksville PTA**, meeting at Clarksville Elementary School, 7 p.m.

**Elsmere School/Community Org. PTA**, meeting at Elsmere Elementary School, 7:30 p.m.

**Delmar Progress Club**, literature group, will present program about Edith Wharton, Bethlehem Public Library, 1:30 p.m.

**Slingerlands Crafty Companions**, second Tuesday of each month, Delmar Reformed Church, 7:30 p.m.

**Delmar Rotary**, meets Tuesdays at Starlite Inn, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6 p.m.

**Slingerlands Fire District**, second Tuesday at Slingerlands Fire House, 8 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY  
NOVEMBER 13

**Delmar Progress Club**, evening group will present program about microwave cooking, Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m. Reservations by Nov. 7, 439-9605.

**Village Stage**, meeting with Eleanor Klobenz discussing role of critic, Bethlehem Central High School auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

**Word Processing Workshop**, with demonstration on Apple IIe, Bethlehem Public Library, Nov. 13 and Nov. 20. Registration by Nov. 8, 439-9314.

**Book Fair**, Slingerlands Elementary School, 3:30-7:30 p.m.

**Red Men**, second Wednesday, St. Stephen's Church, Elsmere, 7:30 p.m.

**New Scotland Democratic Social Club**, all welcome, meets second Wednesdays at Meads Corners, Rt. 32, 8 p.m.

**Bethlehem Elks Auxillary**, meets at lodge, Rt. 144, Cedar Hill, second Wednesday of month.

**New Scotland Elks Lodge**, meets second and fourth Wednesdays, Voorheesville Post Office, 8 p.m.

**Capital District Farmers' Market**, Wednesdays through summer, First United Methodist Church, 421 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 3-6:30 p.m. Information, 439-1450.

# AREA EVENTS & OCCASIONS

## Events in Nearby Areas

WEDNESDAY  
OCTOBER 30

**Book Review**, Jack VanDerhoof will review *Burr*, by Gore Vidal, Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., 2 p.m. Free; registration, 449-3380.

**Lecture**, entitled "The Freer the Press, the Freer the Society," presented by Howard Simmons, curator of Harvard University's Nieman Foundation Program for Journalists and former managing editor of *Washington Post*, Union College, Schenectady, 12:30 a.m. Free; information, 370-6101.

**"Contemporary Cardiac Care"**, program for registered nurses, sponsored by American Heart Assn. Century House Restaurant, Rt. 9, Latham. Registration, 869-1961.

**Art Seminar**, entitled "New Work, New York City," participants will experience new works in art, Oct. 30-Nov. 2. Registration, 442-4240.

**Cooperative Extension Assn. of Albany County**, meeting and election, at Urban Teaching Center, 230 Green St., Albany, open house, 5 p.m.; meeting, 7 p.m.

THURSDAY  
OCTOBER 31

**"Trick or Treat Off the Street"**, at Colonial Center stores, entertainment by Jim Snack, magician, beginning at 6 p.m.

**Religious Program**, Carleton Whitehead will speak about "The Pursuit of Happiness" at meeting of Capital District Church of Religious Science, Tom Sawyer Motor Inn, 1444 Western Ave., Albany, 8 p.m.

**SHARE**, support group of parents who have experienced death of newborn, miscarriage or stillbirth, St. Peter's Hospital, 315 So. Manning Blvd., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 454-1602.



Jean McNally plays the role of Pegeen Mike, the spirited Irish girl who falls in love with *The Playboy of the Western World*. Capital Repertory Company's season opener continues through Nov. 10 at the Market Theatre in downtown Albany. For tickets call 462-4534.

**Concerned Friends of Hope House**, self-help support group for parents of substance abuser, meets every Thursday at Capital District Psychiatric Center, 75 New Scotland Ave., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 465-2441.

**Farmers Market**, Pine Street, downtown Albany, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 732-2991.

FRIDAY  
NOVEMBER 1

**Altamont Station Squares**, dance at Gunderland Elementary School, Rt. 20, 8-11 p.m. Information, 872-1646.

**Shoe Making Demonstration**, presented by Aubrey Whitworth, master cobbler, Spector's, Central Ave., Nov. 1 and 2.

**Snow Expo**, ski show with exhibits from ski resorts, sporting goods stores and travel organizations, Convention Center and meeting rooms 5 and 6, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$2.50 and \$1.50 admission, Nov. 1, 5-10 p.m.; Nov. 2, 2-10 p.m.; Nov. 3, 1-6 p.m. Information, 783-1333.

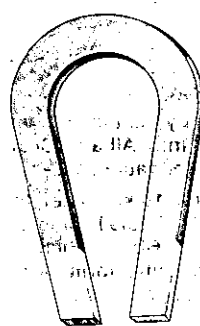
**Benefit Concert**, with John Calvi, proceeds will go to AIDS Council of Northeastern New York, Channing Hall, 405 Washington Ave., Albany, 8 p.m. \$5 tickets, 434-4686.

**Lecture**, about "Meaning of Education from the Christian and Humanistic Point of View," presented by Rev. Ladislav Orsy, College of Saint Rose, Saint Joseph's Hall, 985 Madison Ave., Albany, \$3 admission. Information, 454-5102.

SATURDAY  
NOVEMBER 2

**Cornell University Glee Club**, performing at Siena College, Loudonville, 8 p.m. Tickets, 783-2527.

**"Mineral Industries of the Adirondacks"**, discussion led by Dr. William Kelly of NYS Geological Survey, State Upper Hudson Assn. of Phi Beta Kappa, program about challenges and dilemmas of medical technology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, 5:45 p.m. Information, 439-4854.



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**"Hardwood Management in the Woodlot,"** workshop presented by Gary Goff of Cornell University and Mike Gersten of International Paper Company, Knox Town Hall, 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. \$5 registration, 765-3635.

**Lecture,** about historic works on paper, Ten Broeck Mansion, Albany, 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Information, 434-4791.

**A/C Sparkplugs,** modern western square dance at Helderberg Reformed Church, Rt. 146, Guiderland Center, 8 p.m. Information, 765-4122.

## SUNDAY 3 NOVEMBER

**Open House,** and 5th anniversary celebration at Mariners House, 473 South Pearl St., Albany, noon-5 p.m. Information, 463-8899.

**Coin and Stamp Show,** sponsored by Capital District Coin Dealers Assn., Polish Community Center, Washington Ave. Ext., Albany, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 346-2584.

**Mended Hearts,** support group for heart disease patients and their families meeting with Dr. Jonathan J. Desantis, cardiologist, Albany Medical Center Hospital, 2 p.m.

**"Problems and Opportunities of Hispanic Youth,"** program presented by Dr. Iris Martinez-Arroyo, all welcome, SUNYA, biology lounge 248, 3 p.m.

**Scottish Country Dancing,** beginners welcome, Unitarian Church, 405 Washington Ave., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 377-8792.

**Pancake Breakfast,** sponsored by Our Lady of Angels Outreach Center, Our Lady of Angels School, 400 Sheridan Ave., \$3 and \$1.50 admission, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

**Open House,** College of Saint Rose, Western Ave., Albany, 12:30-5 p.m. Information, 454-5150.

**Greater Albany Professional Singles,** demonstration of gourmet cooking presented by Luther Jones, chef, Americana Inn, Albany Shaker Rd., 6:30 p.m. Information, 436-0602.

**Harvest Run,** 10-kilometer road race sponsored by Circle K Club, to benefit Albany Arbor House, Siena College, Loudonville, entry forms available at local sporting goods stores, 10 a.m.

## MONDAY 4 NOVEMBER

**"Balancing Work and Family Life,"** time and stress management seminar for working parents, sponsored by Mercy Health and Education Corporation of St. Peter's Hospital, Americana Inn, Albany, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Information, 454-1173.

**Textile Care and Conservation Workshop,** sponsored by Massachusetts Council on the Arts and Humanities, Federation of Historical Services, 189 Second St., Troy, Registration, 273-3400.

**Hawk Street Farmer's Market,** located across from State Capitol, Albany,

every Monday, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 732-2991.

**Christian Music Ministries Rehearsal,** for Christmas concert, persons interested in joining may attend, Loudonville Community Church, 374 Loudon Rd., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4986.

**Science Lecture,** entitled "Forbidden Knowledge: The Moral Limits of Scientific Research," presented by Dr. Nicholas Rescher, Russell Sage College, Troy, 7:30 p.m. Free.

## TUESDAY 5 NOVEMBER

**Nature Lecture,** entitled "The Coyote in New York State," presented by Ben Tullar, DEC biologist, SUNYA lecture center 7, 8 p.m. Free; information, 457-6092.

**Former Smokers,** support group sponsored by American Lung Assn., meet first and third Tuesdays at American Lung Assn., 8 Mountain View Ave., Albany, 7-8 p.m. Information, 459-4197.

**Farmer's Market,** parking area of St. Vincent DePaul Church, Albany, 11 a.m.

**Fraktur and Primitive Watercolor Painting,** course presented by Linda Lefko,

Museum of the Historical Society of Early American Decoration, Dove St. and Washington Ave., Albany, Nov. 5-7, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Registration, 462-1676.

**Small Business Program,** breakfast and small business seminar, presented by Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce, Americana Inn, 660 Albany-Shaker Rd., Albany, 7:30 a.m. Reservations, 434-1214.

## WEDNESDAY 6 NOVEMBER

**Epilepsy Association** of Capital District, Capital District Mental Health Players will present program about coping with Epilepsy, First Presbyterian Church, State and Willett Sts., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-8085.

**Financial Planning Workshop,** David Vigoda will address International Consumer Credit Assn. of Albany, and Altrusa Club, Quarters Pine Hills Restaurant, Albany, 6:45 p.m.

**"Utility Rate Setting,"** workshop for service providers and consumer affairs professionals, Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany, 9:30 a.m.-noon. Free; information, 765-3635.

**Women and Business Conference,** with Patricia Adduci, state Dept. of Motor Vehicles Commissioner, speaking about "Women and Leadership in New York State," sponsored by ALERT (Alliance for Lobbying, Evaluation, Research and Training), Americana Inn, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Registration, 463-2661.

**Auditions,** for Albany Civic Theater production of Maxwell Anderson's "Knickerbocker Holiday," Albany Civic Theater, 235 Second Ave., Albany, Nov. 6 and 7, 7:30 p.m. Information, 462-1297.

**Lecture,** about Pierre Auguste Renoir, presented by Julie Wyatt, art critic, Schenectady Museum, 7:30 p.m. Reservations, 382-7890.

**Lecture,** about Eskimos and Athabaskan Indians, Union College, Schenectady, 11:30 a.m. Free; Information, 370-6101.

**Religious Discussion,** led by Rev. Walter Laskos, Christ the King School, 7:30 p.m. Information, 456-7820.

**Printing House Trade Show,** featuring latest technology in printing, advertising and graphic arts, sponsored by Mid-Hudson Club Printing House Craftsman, Mid-Hudson Civic Center, Poughkeepsie, Nov. 6, noon-8 p.m.; Nov. 7, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Information, 1-914-778-5555.

**Drama Reading,** informal reading of new play, Studio Theatre, The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 7:30 p.m. Free.

**Freedom From Smoking Program,** offered by American Lung Assn., 8 Mountain View Ave., Colonie, beginning Nov. 6. Registration, 489-5864.

**Fund for Modern Courts Forum,** with Anthony Cardona, Joseph Coccozza and David Singer, speaking about troubled youth cases, Marriott Hotel, Computer Drive West, Colonie, 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Reservations, 439-4848.

**Career Day,** at Culinary Institute of America, Hyde Park, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 1-914-452-9600.

**Christmas Workshop,** entitled "Decorating for Christmas in the Nineteenth Century Manner," Boscobef's Mansion, Garrison-on-Hudson, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Reservations, 1-914-265-3638.

**Lecture,** about Halley's Comet, presented by Dr. Sidney Ross, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Folsom Library, Troy, noon.

**Assn. of Education of Young Children,** all welcome, meeting with program entitled "Insurance for Day Care, Nursery Schools and Parent Cooperatives," Park Avenue Nursery School, Union Presbyterian Church, 1068 Park Ave., Schenectady, 7-9 p.m.



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# A Brand of songs, laughter

By Linda Anne Burtis

In light-hearted fashion, Bethlehem elementary and middle school children were treated to a musical learning adventure last week with internationally renowned folk singer Oscar Brand.

During three days of concerts, presented by the Bethlehem Student Theater Organization, Brand sang, joked, snored and talked his way through American classics ranging from Woodie Guthrie's "This Land Is Your Land" to the spiritual, "John Brown's Body." First graders and eighth graders alike responded to this master folksinger's performances by clapping and cheering throughout the three shows.

The six and seven year old audience roared with laughter when Brand taught them how to make up songs to familiar melodies, such as, "I won't go to Macy's any more, more, more, 'cause there's a big fat policeman at the door, door, door." School-wise ten and eleven year old children appeared ready to turn Brand into a Pied Piper when he sang



Oscar Brand

half a dozen different versions of "Glory Glory Hallelujah, teacher hit me with a ruler." In addition to the well known variation, "I hit her on the bean with a rotten tangerine," the Canadian-born folk singer added, "I met her at the bank with a U.S. Army tank," and "the ruler turned red and the teacher dropped dead."

"I liked the concert," said fifth grader Kristen Van Duzee from

Elsmere Elementary School, adding that she and her classmates loved singing the teacher songs on the bus after the show.

Middle school students were treated to Brand's version of the history of American music from the Revolution to rock and roll. The children needed little encouragement to join in on the choruses of most of the songs. One of the teachers noted that "the kids got more involved the closer the songs got to their era."

According to Sherry Einhorn, one of the concert's organizers, tickets to an Oscar Brand concert cost \$12. The children paid \$1.66 for this performance, which is one-third of their \$5 Bethlehem Student Theatre Organization fee. The organization is self-supporting from these fees, requiring no financial support from the school district. The district provides transportation of the children to and from the concerts.

## Boat motor stolen

Bethlehem police are looking for whoever took an outboard motor off a sailboat that was out in front of a house on Krumkill Rd. in Bethlehem, Thursday. According to police reports, the \$400 motor had been locked to the boat and the lock was cut apart by the thief or thieves. The boat had carried a "For Sale" sign.

In Voorheesville The Spotlight is sold at Voorheesville Pharmacy and Stewart's

# Hendrick

(From page 4)

Delaware Ave. Task Force has come too slowly, Hendrick said he feels the process he adopted has been orderly and workable. "We've opened it up for more citizen participation, and hopefully that will speed up the process," he said. Both the neighborhood organizations and the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce have been asked to make comments on the latest proposal, for new zoning along Delaware Ave., before the town board and planning board tackle the subject.

Hendrick said he does not agree that the neighborhood organizations have developed the power to "veto" zoning changes and variances by the force of their opposition, but he repeated his aim — first expressed when he took office in February — of finding ways to involve "the silent majority" in more of those issues. He has not been specific on how he would do that.

Another goal expressed last February was to establish an emergency preparedness plan for Bethlehem to deal with natural and man-made disasters. Hendrick announced earlier this month that he had met with local fire chiefs and that he will soon appoint a committee to draft a plan.

Hendrick said plans for dealing with the question of housing for the town's senior citizens are also moving forward under the leadership of Councilman Sue Ann Ritchko. Mrs. Ritchko, who is

also running for a full term on the board, announced last week that she is forming an "ad hoc" committee to evaluate the needs of seniors in Bethlehem.

Hendrick said he has improved the "economy and efficiency" of town government through the budget process. As they have in past years, the Democrats have been most critical of the town's budget process, although changes implemented last year and this year have drawn some praise. Generally, the criticism this year has centered around the lack of questioning of department heads, and the lack of rigorous review by the town board.

Hendrick said the changes may not have been visible, but they have been effective. The new supervisor said he started the budget process earlier than ever this year, and challenged all his department heads to "go through a thought process" similar to the "zero based" budget process, in which all appropriations are questioned, not just those that show an increase over the previous year. The result, he said, was that the town board had to do far less pruning this year (roughly \$200,000 was cut by the board when it approved its preliminary budget last week).

Hendrick said mandates from the state are a continuing source of concern for him and other local officials, and that he intends to work with the state Association of Towns in the coming year to lobby for changes, or at least funds to match the mandates.

## Housing committee formed

Councilwoman Sue Ann Ritchko, who is campaigning for a full four-year term on the Bethlehem Town Board, called last week for the formation of an ad hoc committee to evaluate the needs of the town's senior citizens.

Mrs. Ritchko, who recently attended a conference on affordable housing, said the committee's first task would be a "needs assessment" for senior citizen housing in Bethlehem. She said any solution would have to consider the town's unique characteristics.

"Housing is an area of immediate concern," Mrs. Ritchko said in a press release. "As a town board member, I have heard several developers say their proposed apartment projects would primarily serve senior citizens. We need

to be assured that people on fixed incomes can afford to live in these proposed apartments. The location of senior citizen housing is important too," she said.

Mrs. Ritchko told the town board Wednesday that she hopes to enlist a builder and various professional people to serve on the committee, and that it should be ready to start work in about a month.

Anyone interested in serving on the committee should contact her, Mrs. Ritchko said. "I envision this committee as having several open public meetings with senior citizens, perhaps utilizing some confidential questionnaires to help evaluate the needs of this group of citizens who have given so much to our community," she said.

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So, your invitation begins "If you are separated or alienated from the community" or "If you have no Church affiliation" or "If you'd like to know more about your neighbor down the street" then...

Come to our Sunday Worship on November 3 at 7:30, 9:00  
10:30 a.m. or 12:00 Noon; or Saturday November 2 at 5:00 p.m.

Come to Evening Prayer on Thursday evening, November 7 at 7:30 p.m.;

Come to a Church tour on Monday, November 4 at 7:30 p.m.  
or on Wednesday, November 6 at 3:30 p.m.

Come to a Small Scripture Sharing Group. Groups meet once a week,  
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give you a host or hostess's name and they'll contact you.

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## Voorheesville News Notes

Lyn Stapf 765-2451



### Book fair coming

The Voorheesville PTSA will meet Monday, Nov. 4, at 7 p.m. in the elementary school faculty room to make final plans for the upcoming book fair. The event will be Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 5 through 7, in the grade school media resources center.

The annual sale will be held from 5 until 9 p.m. each day, offering books for everyone from preschoolers through adults. The PTSA suggests the fair might be a good time to do a little early holiday shopping, as well as a way to show support for the organization. The PTSA provides scholarships for high school students and sponsors a variety of other programs such as Parents as Reading Partners for the elementary school students.

### Bake sale planned

The auxiliary of the Voorheesville Fire Department will have an Election Day bake sale on Tues-

day, Nov. 5, from 8 a.m. until noon at the firehouse on School Rd. Proceeds from the event will be donated to Albany County burn center at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

### Adults day care eyed

The Social Concerns Committee of the First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville seeks to determine the degree of interest and need locally for an adult day care center. Anyone in the Town of New Scotland who is interested is asked to call the church office at 765-2895 between 9 a.m. and noon Monday through Friday.

### Dance to vintage rock

The Men's Association of St. Matthew's Church invites all those who remember Elvis, Chubby Checker and all the other popular music idols of the 'fifties and 'sixties to attend "Rock and Roll Remembered" on Saturday, Nov. 2, at the old church on Pleasant St. The dinner-dance will begin at 7 p.m. with a social hour,

followed by a buffet at 8 p.m. and then music of "the golden era" beginning at 9 p.m. with area DJ's Tom Krajewski and Hank Piquette. Dress of that era is suggested, and a variety of contests are planned, including trivia and dances such as The Limbo, jitterbug and twist.

Parking at the new church on Mountainview Rd. is suggested. Shuttle service will be provided.

Tickets are \$10 a person and may be obtained by calling Bill St. Denis at 765-4748, Tom Krajewski at 765-4199 or Bob Dougherty at 439-9951. All are welcome.

### Records of the past

The New Scotland Historical Association will have its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 12, beginning at 8 p.m. at the New Salem School House Museum. This month's speaker will be Robert W. Arnold, chief records officer for the city and county of Albany, who will discuss "The Albany County Records Program: What Shall We Do With History?" The public is invited.

This is a change from the regular meeting date due to Election Day.

### "Roast" to boost fund

The Kiwanis Club of New Scotland and the Voorheesville American Legion invite area residents to mark their calendars for Saturday, Nov. 16, when the two area men's groups will jointly sponsor a dinner to "roast" Ken Tice and Wyman Osterhout. All are invited to attend the event at the American Legion Hall. The "roast" will be from 7 to 8 p.m. with a spaghetti dinner served at 8 p.m.

Tickets for the fun-filled evening are \$10 a person, with the proceeds going to the Thomas Buckley Memorial Fund. For tickets contact the American Legion at 765-4712 after 3 p.m. or Mike Malark at 765-4392. Tickets sales

will be limited to 150 with the deadline Saturday, Nov. 9.

### Salute to squads

The Voorheesville Sports Booster Club plans to toast its guests at the annual football dinner Tuesday, Nov. 16, when this year's varsity and JV football teams and cheerleaders will be honored. Tickets will be on sale on Wednesday, Nov. 6, from 11:30 a.m. until noon at the high school for team members and their families. Others who wish to attend may purchase tickets on Thursday, Nov. 7, at the same place and time. Interested persons may contact Diane Deelfy at 765-2488 or Norma Maligrada at 765-3157. All are invited to support the teams by attending the dinner at 7 p.m. at Crossgates Banquet House, Washington Ave. Extension.

### Key Club maps cleanup

The Voorheesville Key Club is busy as usual, with several projects in the works. In celebration of Key Club Week, Nov. 3 through 9, the group will be working on both a community and divisional project, with an international project around the corner.

On Sunday, Nov. 3, from 9 a.m. until noon members of the Voorheesville Key Club will join others in the area in cleaning up litter along the Northway. Wearing bright orange T-shirts or safety vests and hard hats, the youngsters will help rid the scenic highway of trash and debris, a job which costs taxpayers some \$6 million a year. Highway maintenance supervisors will oversee the project.

With the holidays just around the corner, the group is also working on adopting a family through St. Matthew's Human Concerns Group. The Key Club plans on providing an area family with food baskets at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Also working to benefit the Thomas Buckley Fund, the Kiwanis-connected high school group has raised more than \$600 at weekend football games.

With all this hard work, the Key Club will take time out to relax today, Oct. 30, at a Halloween party at which Kiwanis members will judge the costumes.

### Last Dip

This week is the last chance to take advantage of the double dip campaign sponsored by Stewarts in support of the Thomas Buckley Memorial Fund. Contributions made between now and Monday, Nov. 4, at the Voorheesville store will be matched by Stewarts and donated towards the goal of the fund.

### Crash hurts three

Three people were taken to Albany hospitals after an accident last Tuesday afternoon on Kenwood Ave. at Orchard St., according to Bethlehem police reports. Nancy Binley and Alice Binley, both of Delmar, were treated at St. Peter's Hospital and released, and Frances Crounse, also of Delmar, was treated at Albany Medical Center Hospital and released, hospital spokesmen said.

According to the police report, the Binley auto swerved to avoid a bicyclist and struck the rear of the Crounse auto, which had been halted to make a turn. No charges were filed in the 2:30 p.m. accident. All the injured were taken to the hospital by the Delmar Fire Department Rescue Squad.

### Term in drug sale

William R. Boughton, 28, of Delmar was sentenced Oct. 22 in County Court to an indeterminate term of six to 18 years in prison after his conviction by a jury on a felony charge of third degree criminal sale of a controlled substance, according to a spokesman for the Albany County district attorney's office.

Boughton was accused of selling cocaine to a police informant in the parking lot of a Rt. 9W motel, authorities said. The \$300 sale was monitored by Bethlehem police.

Boughton is free on \$40,000 bail pending appeal of his conviction.

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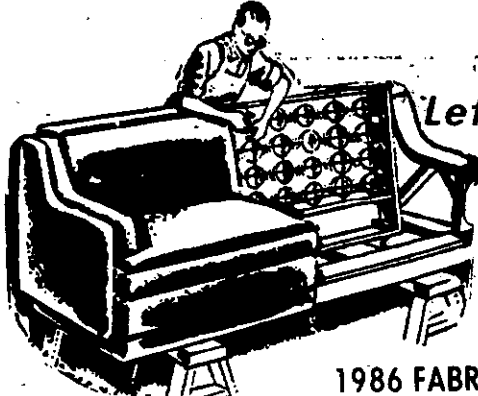
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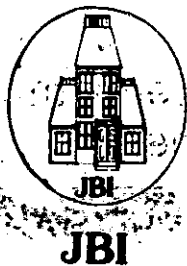
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# ACTIONS? EXPERIENCE? A GOOD JOB? REALLY?

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## Shopping center still delayed

By MICHAEL MUSKAL

GLENMONT—Almost five years after it was first announced, plans for a 72-store shopping center to be located on Route 9-W near Bender Lane is still delayed by poor economic conditions, according to the developer.

"The project is still going

ahead," said Leonard B. Shore, vice president of the Pan American Development Corp. of Philadelphia, builders of the proposed 114-acre shopping center to be named Southgate. "But," he continued, "plans have been temporarily delayed." Citing a tight borrowers' market and a difficult economy, Shore said

spring would be the earliest construction could begin on the multi-million dollar complex.

Shore, whose company also developed Mohawk Mall on Route 5 in Niskayuna, said there were no problems over commitments from the larger stores whose leases anchor

a shopping center and whose popularity draws customers for smaller businesses.

The land, formerly the site of the Normanskill Dairy Co., was zoned residential "B" until 1970, when the Bethlehem town board changed its status to allow commercial usage.

SOUTHGATE was originally to be built by a local developer in less than 18 months and to cost between \$2 and \$2.5 million. It was hailed "as a gateway to Metroland" for Bethlehem by its developers.

But, by 1972, it had grown into a regional shopping center, designed to draw consumers from a 15-mile radius and house two Montgomery Ward stores, a Pantry Pride and a J. M. Fields. Plans, approved by Bethlehem and the state Department of Transportation, called for the widening of Route 9-W to accommodate four lanes of traffic.

"It's very upsetting," said Shore, talking about the development's delay, "my stomach does flipflops but that is the nature of business. A lot of ingredients go into planning a project like this and plans require timing." The opening of the 560,000 square foot shopping center was delayed to 1975 during the winter.

Bethlehem has installed sewage lines and a pumping station because of the projected shopping center and the development of the nearby sections of Glenmont. Sewage costs throughout the town are paid by property owners through a sewer district assessment. The town raised the assessment on the formerly vacant land.

Bethlehem is better off than they have ever been," said Shore. "They're getting more money; we're the ones who are hurting. I can't give any date positively (for the opening)," he continued, "I don't have a crystal ball in front of me."

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This candidate for Councilman would hold Bethlehem residents responsible for pollution which isn't even within our jurisdiction (and which the State Department of Environmental Conservation says doesn't even exist). He also complains that taxes are too high, but also doesn't pay any.

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## News from Selkirk and South Bethlehem

Barbara Pickup



### 4 Attend parley

Michelle Bloom, Josephine Prozik, Judy Lawton and Barbara Ryan of the RCS Central School faculty recently attended the 68th annual meeting of the New York State Association of Foreign Language Teachers at the Concord Hotel at Kiamesha Lake, N.Y. The theme of the conference was "Developing Communicative Proficiency."

Panels and workshops were presented on a variety of topics: curriculum and culture, research and development, immersion and early language experience, art and humanities, and learning styles and teaching strategies.

Anthony DeNapoli of the Wamtagh Public Schools chaired the event, which more than 900 teachers and administrators attended.

### Ham tops Grange menu

This Saturday, Nov. 2, the Bethlehem Grange will sponsor another family-style dinner, beginning at 4 p.m. and continuing until all have been served. The menu consists of juice, salad, baked ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, carrots, beverage and dessert. The cost is \$6 for adults

and \$3 for children under 12. Tickets are available at the door.

The Women's Activities Committee will be conducting a This 'n That Sale during the evening. The Bethlehem Grange Hall is on Rt. 396, Beckers Corners, Selkirk.

### 'Harvest of blessings'

World Community Day will be celebrated at the Trinity Methodist Church in Coeymans Hollow on Friday, Nov. 1, at 1 p.m. Local churches will join together to participate in the celebration, which is observed by Church Women United throughout the world.

A national ecumenical movement of Christian women, Church Women United has from its beginning been committed to peace with justice in the world. This year's theme for the observance is "Harvest of Blessing." The program will be presented by members of the First Reformed Church of Bethlehem in Selkirk. All women of the area are invited. Refreshments will be served.

### Parents' turn at school

Nov. 5 is a superintendent's day in the RCS school district. The day has been set aside for parent conferences in the junior and

senior high school. For students in the senior high, parents may sign up for 15-minute conferences in the main lobby of the school from 8 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. This replaces the conference night usually held in October, and parents are encouraged to attend.

In the junior high school, teams have made the following arrangements, and will be available from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. with a one-hour break at 11:30 for lunch. 6 Green Team: Morning, pre-arranged conferences; afternoon, come one, come all. 6 Yellow team: 10-minute intervals — call main office for appointment, Room 200. 7 Blue Team: Individual pre-arranged appointments, Room 125. 7 Red Team: Individual pre-arranged conferences, Room 117. 8 Tan Team: pre-arranged 15-minute conferences. Call office for appointment, Room 215. 8 White Team: pre-arranged 15-minute conferences. Call for appointment, Room 130. Mr. LaPierre and Mrs. Schimmel will be available for conferences. Parents who have not called for a conference or who would like to meet with their child's team at another time, should call Mrs. Bartosik, guidance counselor, at 756-2155, ext. 158.

### With a ho-ho-ho

Santa is coming to town. He'll be arriving in Selkirk this Sunday, Nov. 3. Receiving a special invitation from the Ladies of Bethlehem Elks Lodge No. 2233, Santa will

be attending the annual Country Store the women are sponsoring this weekend. From 1 to 3 p.m. Santa Claus will greet young friends and present them a small gift.

The CountryStore will be open from noon until 5 p.m. at the lodge, Rt. 144 and Winnie Rd. in Selkirk. The public is invited to come and browse. Admission is free. The "store" will feature booths offering refreshments, "white elephant" items, gifts and decorations, dollhouses, wooden toys, jewelry, hand crafts, cheeses, baked goods, flowers, dolls and much more. There will be raffles, and clowns and Santa Claus for the children's enjoyment.

### Thrift shop vacation due

The United Methodist Women of South Bethlehem have a number of events scheduled during the coming week. On Election Day they will have a bake sale at Selkirk Firehouse No. 3 in South Bethlehem. Election Day also marks the closing of their thrift shop for the winter. From 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. they will be offering extra-special bargains on all the goods at the shop, located in a separate building behind the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church on Willowbrook Ave. Along with the sale of books, toys, kitchen utensils, small appliances, and curtains will be a "bag sale" on all clothing. Men's, women's and children's next-to-new clothing will be sold at \$1.50 a bag.

### Invitation issued

All women in the community are invited to join the United

Methodist Women at their next meeting, Wednesday, Nov. 6, at the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church. Speaker will be the Rev. Lawrence of the Hudson Correctional Facility. Devotions for the 8 p.m. program will be led by Carolyn Savery. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting, with Nina Archibald and Carol Ownes as hostesses.

Material for Barbara Pickup's column can be sent to her at P.O. Box 172, RD 1, Selkirk, N.Y. 12158. For questions or late items call The Spotlight at 439-4949.

### Fire fighters train

More than a dozen volunteer fire fighters from the Delmar and neighboring departments received training in high-angle rescue techniques over the weekend. During three days of instruction, participants practiced ladder rescue techniques, low-angle rescues and rappelling. Training took place both at the fire training tower near the Delmar Bypass and also in a 150-foot gorge in Troy, according to David Harrington, a Delmar fire fighter who participated.

The "rescue training" was provided by Emergency Systems, Inc., of Latham, which plans to offer an advanced course in November, Harrington said.

### Off-road restrictions

Bethlehem police and City of Albany officials would like to remind residents that operation of any motorized vehicle on the City of Albany water line is prohibited. School district property and property owned by the Town of Bethlehem also are closed to the operation of motorized recreational vehicles. Such vehicles also may not be operated on the shoulder, the median or any highway in the Town of Bethlehem.

Permission is required from the land owner in order to ride on private property.

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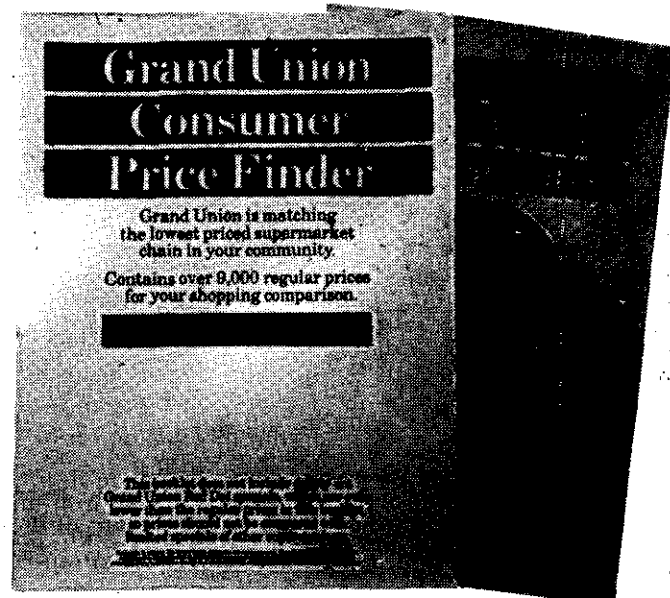
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Perdue - Grade 'A' Fresh  
Lb.

**Ground Turkey** **1.69**  
Turkey Store - Fresh  
Lb.

**Seedless Grapes** **99¢**  
California - White  
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**Pillsbury Frosting** **1.29**  
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# Have bats in your belfrey?

This summer on Lake Champlain I was witness to an awesome ritual of nature that would have popped the cork of my composure had I not had a personal encounter some years ago to prepare me for the experience.

It was in the midst of dusk, about 8:30 p.m. My son and I were canoeing back to camp from fishing the reeds up the shoreline. We had landed a few perch and rock bass, nothing to write home about, and were simply enjoying the quietude surrounding the sunset shadows emerging from the darkening horizon. Our paddles dipped in and out of the gentle ripples of the water as we made our way toward the point that formed the northern end of our cove.

As a small wound is sometimes noticed not until long after the moment it was inflicted, I began to sense motion in the still air, but there was no wind. A subliminal awareness of flapping sounds emerged between the drips of water off our canoe paddles, but there was no noise. The high-pitched chirp of an evening bird was over there, then here, then back over there, but all the birds were at nest by now.

Visions of Champ, the fabled monster of Lake Champlain,

## Family MATTERS

Norman G. Cohen



formulated in the same portion of my brain that earlier had provided visions of the humongous lake trout I was going to catch, but it was just a vision.

Then, suddenly and simultaneously, my son and I gasped our realization that we were in the midst of an attack horde of bats swooping off the shore to skim the lake surface for their evening

The bats come out at sundown for about two hours to feed. Then they return to their perches in the trees along the shore." Nice to know this matter of fact. Would have been nicer to know a few hours earlier, but since we were unscathed, I supposed the whole thing was exciting.

I was much more "excited" years ago during a personal encounter with a lone bat in my house. In reality, I was plain scared. Ignorance can be bliss, but it can also arouse fears of the unknown, and I simply didn't know if bats can indeed get tangled up in your hair or if they

***I had never seen a bat up close. It was ugly and reminiscent of Friday night fright shows.***

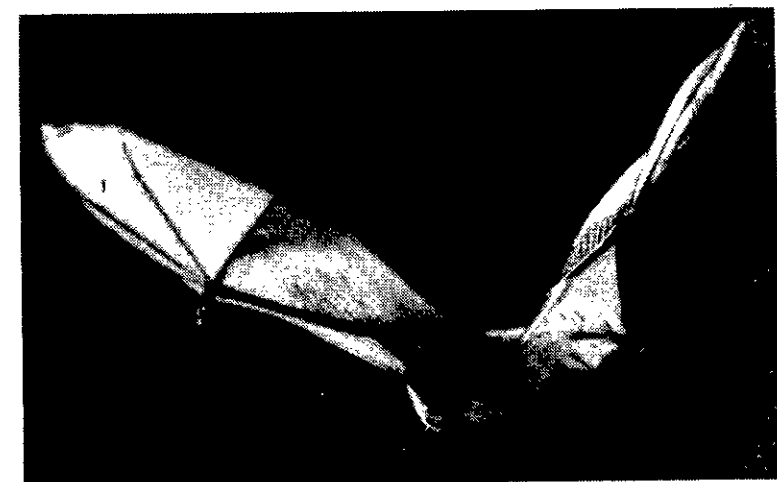
breakfast of bugs. There had to be thousands of the winged beasts coming at us, darting diving, changing direction at right angles and at 50 miles an hour. We froze briefly at the overwhelming magnitude of the event. Biblical locust plagues came to mind.

Later, around the bonfire on the beach, some of the seasoned campers informed us, "Oh, yeah.

carry infestations and rabies passed on by a single scratch.

I was awakened from a deep slumber at five in the morning by our cat. She was a hunter extraordinaire and made distinguishable prowling noises as she stalked her quarry. Such were the sounds that awoke me, and in the twilight of my arousal, I saw an amorphous shape fly out of my bedroom into the upstairs hallway.

There was a brief scuffle at the top of the stairway and, as I rounded the corner tying the sash of my half-bathrobe, I could barely make out the cat descending the stairs with a mouthful of fluttering and peeping. A bird? I followed her into the kitchen where she predictably made her way to her feeding dish, and stopped.



I flicked on the light switch and there sprawled out on the floor in front of my kitty cat was a menacing creature of the night, a bat. I had never seen one up close, at least outside a zoo cage. It was ugly and reminiscent of all the Friday night fright shows of my boyhood. I marveled at the bravery of our cat, but then, as suddenly as she had captured it, she unexplainably let it go. The bat grasped its freedom and took to the air in a burst of twisting, blinding speed. I ducked and tasted a rush of adrenalin as I ran upstairs to my room.

Collecting my wits, I reminded myself that I was a relatively mature adult person and that I had to do something to protect my family from the intruder. I had to catch the beast in case it had bitten or scratched our cat or, perhaps, one of us in our sleep.

Just to be safe, I put on a pair of gloves, my sandals and the hood of one of the kids' rain slickers. I didn't want any rodent attached to my scalp hairs. I carefully inched my way back downstairs and took a glass jar out of the cupboard, knowing the bat would have to be analyzed by some lab to test for rabies. On the back porch I found a long, not-so-slender piece of firewood, my weapon to fight the

flying rodent. And the hunt began.

I remembered that bats sleep during daytime, so I stealthily made my way from room to room until the entire downstairs was fully lit. Imagine anyone in the neighborhood up at that hour looking into my house and seeing some idiot dressed up like a freak with a club and a glass jar sneaking about.

The bat must have sensed the drama, because it seemed to be stalking me as I stalked it. Finally, as it perched on the ceiling molding in the living room, I whacked at it, gouging some plaster in the process. But the deed had been done.

I returned to bed quivering, and gradually, fell back asleep. No one had awakened. No one knew of the battle waged in the dead of the night.

I awoke suddenly the next morning when my wife screamed upon opening the refrigerator to see a dead bat in a jar next to the coffee creamer. We all laugh about it now, but I can vividly recall the feelings of the event, and I am positive that at least once in my life I had bats in my belfrey.

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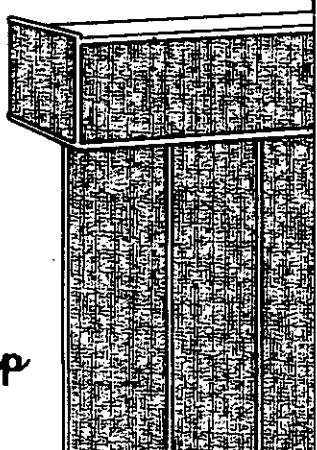
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# Gift to med center honors Dr. Powers

The Albany Medical Center has received a \$50,000 gift for the establishment of The Samuel R. Powers, M.D. Fellowship at Albany Medical College.

The late Dr. Powers of Delmar was chairman and distinguished professor of physiology at Albany Medical College, surgeon-in-chief at Albany Medical Center Hospital, and an internationally renowned authority on the treatment of severely injured patients. Dr. Powers died on March 27, 1980.

Dr. Powers founded the medical center's world-famous trauma unit in 1968, and headed it until his death. It is one of the oldest units in the United States, continually funded by the National Institutes of Health and is regarded by many experts as one of the country's most productive.

The gift, from the family of Dr. Powers, will honor and perpetuate his significant contributions to the Albany Medical College and serve as a daily reminder to students, faculty and friends of his deep concern for medical education and research at the college.

Dr. Powers' children include three daughters, Mrs. Jean Powers of Chicago; Mrs. Susan Powers, Knight of Cambridge, Mass.; Mrs. Ruth Powers Silverburg of Queens; and a son, Eric Powers, M.D. of Briarcliff. Dr. Powers is also survived by his widow, Margrethe Powers of 54 Grosbeck Pl., Delmar, and two brothers, Merrill E. Powers of Glens Falls and Philip N. Powers of New York City. Mrs. Powers is a local attorney and a member of the board of trustees of the Albany Medical College.

The purpose of the Samuel R.

## Albany Institute plans fund-raising campaign

The Albany Institute of History & Art officially launched its first sustaining fund campaign at its annual meeting held recently.

The campaign, which will help the institute meet its \$1.4 million budget for 1985-86, was organized to augment income from membership, corporations, the Women's Council, public funds and endowment, according to Prentiss Carnell III, president of the board of directors.

The goal of the campaign is \$170,000. The development committee includes chairman Thomas Moreen, Glenmont, and John Byron, Nancy Mack and Mrs. William Minnock of Delmar.

The Institute at 125 Washington Ave., Albany, is the oldest museum in New York and one of the oldest in the United States.

## Search for wildlife

A search for wildlife will be held at Fiver Rivers Environmental Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, on Saturday, Nov. 2, at 2 p.m.

Participants will walk the North Loop Trail. For information about the free program call 457-6092.

## Drawing from nature

A free program on nature sketching will be presented by Wayne Trimm, art director for the *Conservationist*, on Tuesday, Nov. 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Public Library.

To register call 439-9314.



Dr. Samuel R. Powers

Powers, M.D. Fellowship will be to encourage and allow medical students to take time after their second or third year of the medical curriculum or a similarly significant block of time to conduct basic science research. Preference for the fellowship will be given to students pursuing the college's degree of Doctor of Medicine with Distinction in Research.

"I can think of no more fitting tribute to the memory of Dr. Powers than the establishment of this fellowship, which will encourage young medical students in the pursuit of scientific research to which he was so dedicated," said Dr. Robert L. Friedlander, president and dean of the college. He expressed the hope that other potential benefactors of the college, especially friends and colleagues of the late Dr. Powers, would be moved to make contributions to the fellowship program.



Dr. R. Michael Range

## Leads math gathering

Dr. Michael Range, of Delmar, professor of mathematics at State University of New York at Albany, has been awarded a \$25,000 grant by the National Science Foundation to organize and direct an International Conference on Partial Differential Equations in Complex Analysis.

The five-day conference held last week was attended by over 80 mathematicians from the United States, Canada and Europe as well as Japan, Taiwan and the People's Republic of China. The program featured principal lectures by speakers from Bonn, Budapest, Kyoto, Paris, Princeton and Yale.

## Spreadsheet program

The Spreadsheet program, which turns the Apple microcomputer into an automated calculator, will be demonstrated at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 7, at the Bethlehem Public Library.

To register for the workshop by Nov. 4, call 439-9314.



Kelly Hoskins of Rochester, a graduate student at the State University at Albany, was the first woman finisher in Sunday's South Bethlehem 14.2-mile road race, which began and ended at the South Bethlehem Firehouse. Top men's finishers were Pat Glover of Clifton Park and Mark Sullivan of Cobleskill. Nancy Gerstenberger of Colonie set a record for women over 55.

## Treats from the IRS

The Internal Revenue Service is in the Halloween spirit with a trick-or-treat of its own. The treat is \$175,900 of tax refunds for 452 individuals in Northeastern New York.

The trick is that when these checks were mailed, they were returned to the IRS as undeliverable. The checks range in amount from \$1 to \$4,555.

The following area individuals are due refunds: John N. Collen, Delmar; Elaine S. Manley, Glenmont; Michael S. Fleming, Voorheesville.

These people should call the IRS at (toll-free) 1-800-424-1040, or write to the IRS, ATTN: C-TX,

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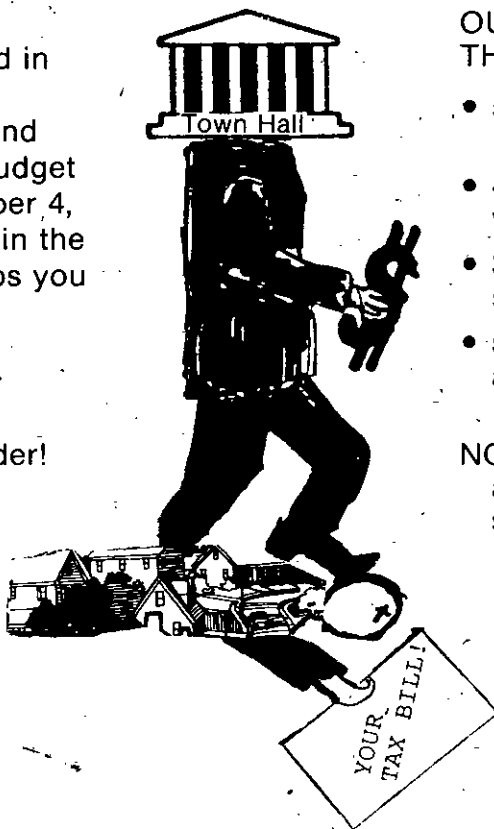
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# An '85 Election Summer on the Hudson

Even though years have fled swiftly, there are still some of the former summer sojourners in the Hudson River mansions around Selkirk and Cedar Hill who can recall those days with fond memories. These people of substance in the early 1900's lived in town in the area now known as Center Square, a rather self-sufficient little community within itself, with grocery and drug stores, and boys' and girls' academies within walking distance of their homes, as were the offices and businesses of the gentlemen who resided there.

However, soon after the boardwalks were taken up in Washington Park each spring, things began to happen in those town houses. The maids began tying white slipcovers on the furniture in the Albany houses, while the housekeepers began uncovering the furniture in the country houses; silver was sent to the Albany Safe Deposit Co., and by the end of May or the beginning of June nearly everyone had moved out to their country homes, most of which were located within a 20-mile radius of Albany.

The Hudson River summer places had much in common other than their wealthy owners. The houses were usually quite large and had spacious verandahs with spectacular views of the river. The large lawns were often planted with imported specimen trees and adorned with grape or rose arbors and perhaps a pretty little gazebo overlooking a picturesque vista. There were swimming pools and tennis courts and riding horses out in the barns, with someone other than the owner to take care of it all. It is sad to say that there is very little trace of these things left today.

From Cedar Hill southward, the ridge dropped away to broad fields that adjoined the river and



were worked by tenant farmers. The Vanderzee and Baker places were farms although their main houses were imposing. Some of the summer houses that were not farms seem to have had a better fate than those that had farm land attached to them, such as the Van Wies Point houses. These houses have been made into year-round homes and their grounds are kept in control. But the farms, even when the houses on them have been kept up, have suffered a

summer home built by John DeWitt Peltz, a son-in-law of Judge Learned. This house was built to resemble an old Dutch house, with gambrel roof. It was built about 1900, at the height of the Colonial Revival period. These houses were often a combination of various Colonial styles and contemporary elements and were not historically accurate. One of the grandchildren remembers that the house was full of two things: old ladies who were relatives of Grandmother Peltz and who came for long visits in the summer; and stuffed birds. The living room was lined with glass cases and glass domes stood on the tables, filled with lifeless song birds. This house is now a permanent residence on a private road.

## Some of these once ostentatious properties have a rather desolate air of faded glory.

different fate. Often it is no longer possible to keep up the fences, fields and farm buildings when the land is not being cultivated. Some of these once ostentatious properties have a rather desolate air of faded glory.

William Law Learned was a judge of the State Supreme Court. About 1870 he purchased a large piece of land in Selkirk that extended from Rt. 144 to the river, and he converted an early house on the property into a summer home. He had three daughters and one of them, Mrs. Grace Patterson, built a lovely mansion for her use as a summer residence in 1901 on 15 acres of the land. This house will be the subject of another article, so we will pass over it at this time.

Adjoining the Patterson property on the north was another

Judge Learned's grandson, William Law Learned Peltz, inherited the original property and enlarged his grandfather's house to accommodate his own family and servants. The family maintained an apartment in the city and came to Selkirk in early May, staying until after Election Day. As his daughter Polly Peltz Schultz stated: "Father always had to vote in the Town of Bethlehem." The Peltzes had a family of four children and they thoroughly enjoyed their annual sojourns in the country. A lawn party was held each year for their friends from Albany and elsewhere. The maids and cook prepared a delicious repast and local boys were hired to park the cars of the guests. The orphans from the Albany Home for Children were not forgotten, as the Peltzes held a lawn party for them each summer.



Judge William Law Learned, who purchased land in Selkirk for a summer estate in 1870.

One of Mr. Peltz's many interests was the volunteer fire department in the village. Each fall he would take a few days away from his law practice to travel to the Adirondacks for a deer-hunting expedition. The firemen were always treated to a grand venison dinner when he came back with a kill. If no one got a deer, turkey had to be substituted because the dinner was an eagerly anticipated event.

The third floor of the mansion had been finished and floored and Mrs. Peltz had always hoped to have the attic for her own use, but it was not to be. At Christmas time the children of the firemen were treated to a Christmas party in that same attic. In those days all children learned a "recitation" to speak or a song to sing at the school Christmas exercises. The Peltzes enjoyed having each child do the same song or recitation at the party. After the recitations came Christmas carols, cake and ice cream. Then Santa burst into the room with a gift for everyone present. That same attic was used during World War II by local women and members of the Peltz family as a place for rolling bandages to send to the Red Cross for

the wounded soldiers. One summer day a birthday party was held on the spacious lawn for one of the Peltz grandchildren. A circus had come to town in Ravena that week and the elephant was hired to come up to Selkirk and entertain the children at the party. Neighbors were invited, too.

The Peltz house had a gatehouse at the entrance to its drive, the occupant of which took care of the estate's lawn and furnaces and vegetable gardens and driving to the post office and meeting trains. The train came through Selkirk and this was the accepted way for the Peltz children to travel to school in Albany. House guests came by train and Mr. Peltz often took the train to town; even though the family had cars and a driver. There was also another house on the property, a little Greek Revival farmhouse that preceded the mansions by many years. This house was lived in by a farmer and his family, who rented their land from Mr. Peltz. That farmer did not work for the estate, but for himself, growing his fields of fruits and vegetables, harvesting them and driving them to the market on Hudson Ave. in Albany early in the morning on market days. This farmer was Philip White and he was especially noted for the mouth-watering

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The farmhouse of the Philip White family formerly stood on the Peltz estate. The house, which was moved to its present location several years ago, is now the residence of the Thomas Kundel family.

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muskmelons that he raised on the Peltz farm. He also kept a herd of cows and sold the milk to Dedrick's Dairy in Albany. All of this farmwork was accomplished by Mr. White with the aid of two hired men. The spring plowing was always done with horses as there were no mechanical devices on the farm. Over the years, scores of Indian arrowheads were turned up by the plow on those river flatlands. Mr. Peltz would pay the White boys for each arrowhead found, giving a larger amount of money if they found one of the rare ones made of white quartz. He also had a hobby of collecting antique hinges and even today, although the property has changed hands several times, those old hinges endure on the outbuildings of the gatehouse and farm barns.

The Peltzes were always fond of children and never had any objections when on winter days large groups of children, all friends of the White's 10 children, would go down to the farm from the village to sled on the steep hills. You could start on the hill behind the farmhouse and ride nearly a mile down to the river if

everything went right with the sled and the snow. In the spring, it was an annual ritual for the girls in town to congregate at the farm to pick large bouquets of purple and white violets that grew in profusion in the woods.

The financial and social picture has changed over the years and the days of maids and gardeners are largely gone; electrical appliances and power lawnmowers fulfill a

part of their duties. Some of the mansions have been cut up into apartments for occupants who have a lifestyle different from the leisurely one of days long gone. The auto and plane have made far-away summer retreats more accessible and suburbia has taken over the rural Bethlehem countryside, but the aura of other days is still remembered by older residents along the Hudson River.



The former gatehouse of the Peltz estate at Peltz Road and Rt. 144. Now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mulligan. The side porch reveals Gothic architectural details of the period 1840-1860.

## □ Balances of power

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crat Rick Picarazzi. Hendrick has the Conservative line and Picarazzi an independent line.

For town justice, Republican-Conservative Roger Fritts is running for his third four-year term opposed by Democrat Margrethe Powers, a Delmar attorney. Town Clerk Carolyn Lyons, appointed in February, is running for her first two-year term as a Republican-Conservative, opposed by Democrat B. Joan Uhrik. And Highway Superintendent Martin Cross, also Republican-Conservative, is running for an 11th two-year term against Democrat David O'Brien.

With some 1,520 registered Democrats, 2,072 registered Republicans and 1,677 registered independents in New Scotland as of April, the race for a political majority on the town board is not easy to call.

Republican incumbent Stephen Wallace, who has been supervisor the past 14 years, ran unopposed in the last election. This year Democrat Robert Mudge is challenging Wallace for his seat in the supervisor's office.

Democrat-Conservative incumbent Councilman Herbert Reilly, who was the highest vote-getter in

the 1981 election, is running again this year. Republican incumbent Anne Carson, who first won election to the board in 1981, is also running for reelection.

Challengers for the town board seats are Democrat Bruce Martelle and Republican-Conservative H. Allyn Moak.

Long-time Republican Town Justice Donald Chase is being challenged again this year by Democrat Alan P. Joseph. Republican Highway Superintendent Peter Van Zetten is opposed by Democrat Donald Duncan. Republican Tax Collector Edita Probst is opposed by Democrat JoAnn Donohue. And Town Clerk Corinne Cossac, who has the Republican and Conservative lines, is unopposed.

## Sweepstakes at bank

The new Delmar branch of Citibank recently began a "100 Nights on the Town" Sweepstakes with prizes for 100 winners to include tickets to the theater, sports events, musical performances and dinners for two at area restaurants.

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# An 'off year' election still has its issues

## POLITICS

In this "off-year" election, several state and county posts are to be filled, but only two are contested. County Clerk Guy Paquin, Democrat-Conservative who has held the job since 1976, is being challenged by Republican David P. Marinucci, while county coroner William E. Loetterle, with Democratic and Conservative backing for a third term, faces a challenge from Republican Samuel L. Ouimet.

A number of propositions are on the ballot, but so far these have failed to stir much public debate.

Sol Greenberg, Albany County district attorney for 10 years, is unopposed for re-election, with Democratic and Conservative endorsement, and Sheriff George L. Infante also has no challenger in seeking re-election to a third term. Infante has both Democratic and Conservative backing. The county posts, previously for three years, now have four-year terms.

Two State Supreme Court judgeships are to be filled, with William F. McDermott and Harold J. Hughes, incumbent, unopposed for the 14-year terms. Each has both Republican and Democratic backing.

Strung across the top of the ballot are five statewide proposals and one from Albany County. The county proposal asks authorization for a public utility service that would acquire electric energy at a reduced rate from the Power Authority of the State of New York and resell it to utilities operating in the county. Recent state legislation has made such an arrangement possible. A spokesman for the county attorney's office said its purpose is to slow the rate of increase in the cost of electricity to residential consumers.

Statewide, voters are being asked to raise the Job Development Authority's (JDA) debt ceiling to \$600 million and to increase its loan limit to 60 percent of the cost of a project. JDA supporters say jobs and tax revenue have resulted from the authority's efforts, while opponents say the state should not be in the banking business.

A second state proposition would allow state and local tax laws to refer to a provision of federal law, rather than incorporating that provision verbatim. Those in favor say the measure would simplify state tax laws,

while opponents fear reference could perpetuate misinterpretation of the intent of federal legislation.

Proposal No. 3 would add a paragraph to the state constitution enlarging the jurisdiction of the Court of Appeals, the state's highest court. If approved, this amendment would allow the Court of Appeals to determine unresolved questions of state law that bear on cases in federal courts or before courts in other states. Proponents say the proposal would fill a judicial void, while opponents fear more work for the Court of Appeals and longer court delays.

The fourth state proposal before voters would allow municipalities and school districts to issue sinking fund bonds as well as serial bonds, with a maximum of 50 years rather than the current 40 years for the debt. Supporters say the measure would increase flexibility, while those opposed first want the procedures for management of the sinking funds by the state comptroller clearly spelled out.

The fifth proposed amendment would remove the real property tax ceiling for small city (less than 125,000 population) school districts. Proponents say the current limitation is arbitrary and that all school districts should be treated the same. Those opposed want more study of the issue.

*Material above concerning the statewide propositions came from a League of Women Voters of New York State publication, Facts for Voters 1985.*

## Clarksville dinner

A "Spoon Dinner" will be held at the Clarksville Fire Hall on Sunday, Nov. 3, from 2 until 6:30 p.m.

Guests will be charged 25 cents for each spoonful of food. For information call 768-2802.

## Charged with DWI

A Glenmont man, 42, faces a misdemeanor charge of driving while intoxicated after he was stopped Sunday on Delaware Ave., according to Bethlehem police reports.

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# Blackbirds need win or tie

They're all there, the marbles, for the picking up. The championship of the Southern Division of the Capital Football Conference is squarely on the line when Voorheesville and Watervliet meet head-on at Watervliet Saturday.

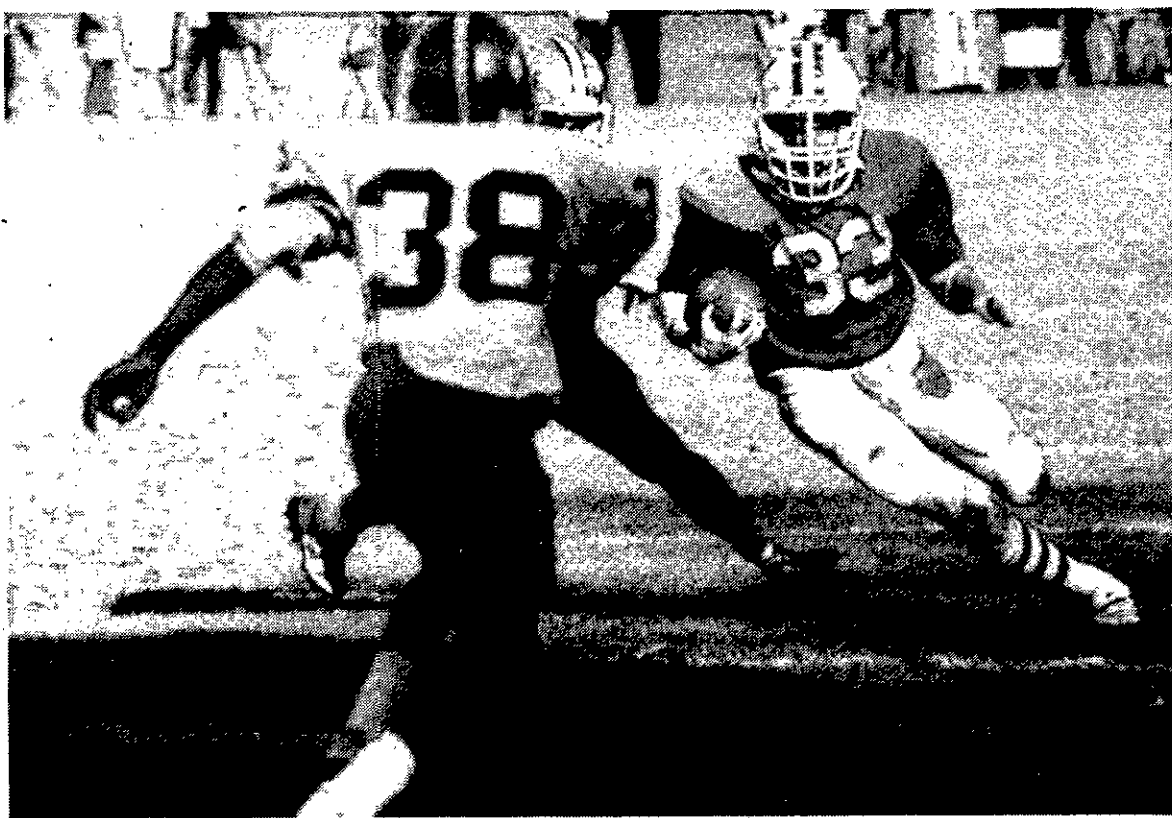
It's a 2 p.m. kickoff (college entrance exam day) for the first-place Blackbirds (4-0-1) and the second-place Cannoneers (4-1-0), half a game back. The Blackbirds can take the crown with a win or tie; anything else would be fatal.

But with the championship trophy comes a dubious bonus. The winner gets to entertain mighty Hudson, for several years the league's dominant power, in the ninth-game crossover match-up of divisional champions.

For that game to be played in Voorheesville, the Blackbirds will have to sharpen their passing game and keep their meal ticket, running back Bill Kelly, healthy this Saturday at Watervliet. In addition, the defense, which has kept the Blackbirds in the catbird seat these past weeks, will have to contain Brian Fuscio, the guy who does everything — run, pass, kick and tackle — for 'Vliet.

Last Saturday at home, Voorheesville stuck to a familiar format and outlasted a stubborn LaSalle team, 14-12. For the third week in a row, the Blackbird defense wrestled the ball from the opposition in the first few minutes, set up a quick touchdown, then hung on to win a heart-stopper. They did that against Ravena (15-15), Mohonasen (16-12) and now LaSalle.

"LaSalle didn't play like an 0-7 team," observed Pete Douglas, Voorheesville's resident strategist. "They're a good team, and they've



Voorheesville's Jamie Cohen (33) heads for a collision with a LaSalle tackler after picking up seven yards on a left sweep. The Blackbirds won a narrow

victory, 14-12, to stay unbeaten in the Capital Conference. R. H. Davis

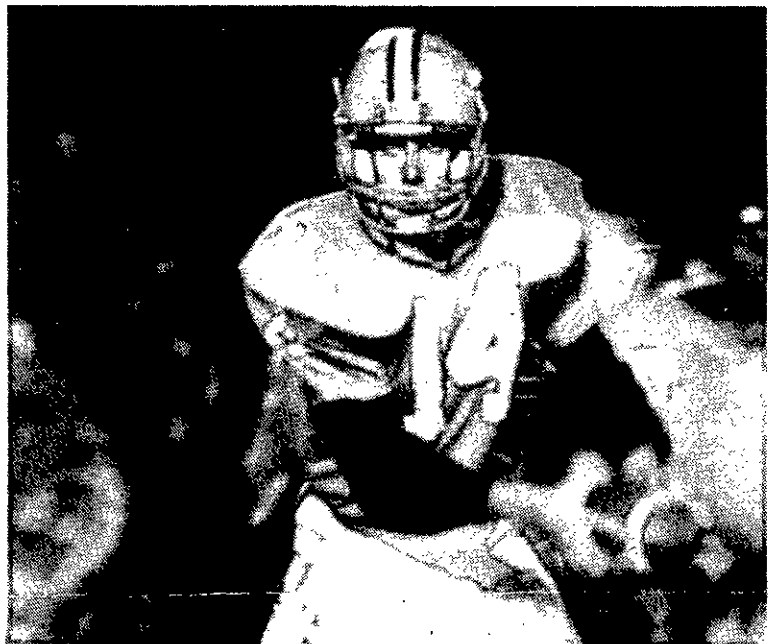
lost a lot of close games. We had our hands full. We didn't play that bad. We moved the ball, but penalties hurt us, and we made mental mistakes."

They also have lost Mike DeLorenzo, a 170-pound senior tackle who has been a mainstay of the offensive line. He came up with a blood clot in the right shin, and the medicos sidelined him last Friday.

Douglas didn't play Kelly, the bread-and-butter man, on offense in the first half to prevent further

damage to his ailing leg. But the burly senior co-captain got the ball in the second half and sparked a fourth-period drive for the winning touchdown.

It was 7-6 Voorheesville late in the third when that drive started from the Voorheesville 29. The Blackbirds were struggling, and it looked bad when they lined up to



Quarterback Vinnie Foley of Voorheesville brings the ball up to the 3-yard line on a keeper just prior to the Blackbirds' second touchdown. Bill Kelly's fourth-period plunge was the game-winner. R. H. Davis

punt at fourth-and-11 on their own 39, but a roughing-the-kicker call kept the drive alive.

Vinnie Foley threw to Jamie Cohen for 19 yards for a first down on the LaSalle 20, Kelly carried four times, Foley once, and Kelly took it in from the 3. Jim Hensel kicked his second conversion and it was 14-6.

Those two boots made the difference as LaSalle struck back with a late drive, helped by a spectacular catch of a deflected pass, before the final whistle. Even at that, Cohen had to make a game-saving interception with two minutes left.

There was something familiar about the cast as the game opened the same old way — kickoff, stop the enemy, grab a fumble, and score from short field position. This time there was one exchange of punts before Mark Gillenwalters (who else) hit the LaSalle quarterback, shook the ball loose and Glenn Zautner wrapped himself around it on the 24-yard line.

This time the routine wasn't quite as artistic as in the two previous games, but it got the job done. The Blackbirds appeared stalled with a fourth-and-seven on the 8-yard line, and Douglas dispatched Hensel for a field goal. When a LaSalle penalty moved the ball to the three, Foley ran the option to the right and went into the end zone for six points instead of three.

Brian DeDe, filling in for Kelly in the first half, gained 49 yards in 13 carries. Kelly added 73 on 15 trips in the second half. Foley connected only twice in 10 passing attempts for 32 yards and one interception. The Blackbirds' total offense was 202 yards, lowest of the season, but that sort of thing is academic when you win and reside in first place.

## Pop Warner's Midgets topple the Warriors, 14-0

Bethlehem's Midget Eagles got back to their winning form as they trounced the Twin Town Warriors, 14-0, in Pop Warner football Sunday. Craig Weinert ran in the first touchdown with the help of critical blocks by David Klein and Josh Rutnick. The extra point came from Steve Calhoun. Tim Napierski scored the second TD and Boe Acquario the extra point in the last seconds of the game to seal the victory. Michael Bailey "snagged" an interception and Peter Coons had a fumble recovery.

The Bethlehem Falcons were shut out by powerhouse Colonie, 6-0, in a hard defensive battle. Defensive standouts were Mike Pratt, Tim Mooney, Josh Lanni and Mark Herzog. Mooney also had an interception and Pratt a fumble recovery.

Next week both teams end their seasons at home, the Falcons with Twin Town and the Eagles with East Greenbush.

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# Ravena edges Academy, 14-13

**By Dan Tidd**

A blocked kick with less than three minutes left gave Ravena an upset win over Albany Academy and the chance of a finish no worse than second in the Southern Division of the Capital Football Conference.

Coach Gary VanDerzee's team can clinch either outright possession of second place or a tie for runner-up position with a victory Friday night over LaSalle at Hudson Valley Community College. Kickoff is 7:30 p.m.

Saturday's Voorheesville-Watervliet game will determine where the Indians finish. A Voorheesville win will give the Blackbirds the title and the Indians second place. A tie or a Watervliet victory will leave the Indians in a second-place deadlock, but the league's tiebreak formula would put RCS in the No. 3 spot for the Nov. 8-9 crossover games.

But all that will be academic if the Indians fail to beat LaSalle, a rugged foe that narrowly lost at Voorheesville, 14-12, last week.

Saturday's 14-13 win over Academy at home was the Indians' first-ever over the Cadets. Academy was leading by 13-6 late in the fourth period when Mike Keel, Rich Losee and Craig Kenah ganged up to block a Cadet punt. Losee recovered the ball on the 4-yard line. Tim Baranska bulled through for the touchdown that cut Academy's lead to 13-12 with barely two minutes on the clock.

VanDerzee, who always plays for a win rather than a tie in these situations, sent Brent Shook for the two-point conversion, but a motion penalty set the ball back five yards. Needing a big play, VanDerzee figured the Cadets would again key on Shook inside, so he called for a trick play, a reverse with tight end Jim Rafferty carrying. It worked. Rafferty cut to the outside and made it into the end zone.

"That was a big play, no doubt about it," VanDerzee said. "If we don't block the punt, then we have to drive a long way for the winning



Jim Rafferty, Ravena tight end, picked up 12 yards on this reception of an aerial from Tony Williams in Saturday's game against Albany Academy. Rafferty later scored the game-winning two-point conversion on an end-around reverse in the final two minutes.

Jeff Gonzales



Ravena's Brent Shook (33), one of the area's most dangerous breakaway backs, got good yardage on this carry against Albany Academy in a Capital Conference battle at Ravena. Shook later got loose for a 45-yard touchdown jaunt. Jeff Gonzales

TD with only two minutes left, and that would have been tough."

Academy jumped out to an early lead when Chuck Matthews sneaked over from the two-yard line. Shook got loose for one of his patented breakaways, this one a 45-yard sprint, to tie it at 6-6, but Matthews scored again on a picturesque 25-yard run and the Cadets converted for a 13-6 advantage.

Shook ended the day with 102 yards on 12 carries. The Indians' Tony Williams completed nine of 17 passes for 165 yards with one interception.

"We outplayed them and we hung in there when we had to," said VanDerzee. "We knew we had to shut down Matthews, and the defense did a super job on him. They also got five turnovers and set up the winning touchdown with the blocked kick."

## Race for Easter Seals

A 3.5-mile race and a 1-mile children's race will be held at 9 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 3, at the Hamagrael School, McGuffey La., Delmar. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Easter Seal Society.

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# Eagles double the pleasure

Whatever happens in the season's third Bethlehem-Guilderland soccer collision tonight (Wednesday), that marathon shootout with Burnt Hills in a Section 2 quarterfinal will long be remembered by Eagle soccer fans.

Coach Gene Lewis's team, which had given Burnt Hills the Gold Division championship by upsetting Guilderland last Wednesday, knocked their Schenectady County rivals out of the Sectionals by winning a double-overtime, double-shootout struggle Saturday.

The Eagles, seeded sixth in the post-season eliminations, now face Guilderland once more, this time tonight (Wednesday) under the lights at 7 p.m. at Bleecker Stadium in Albany. The winner will be paired with the Schenectady-Troy winner for all the marbles.

In regular season play Bethlehem lost twice to Burnt Hills and split with the Dutchmen, losing the first at home by 2-0 and winning the rematch at Guilderland, 2-1, thus depriving the Dutchmen of the division crown. Guilderland, which had gone undefeated into the final week of the schedule, was bounced out of first place by losing to BC in the finale after a bitter 1-0 loss to mighty Shenendehowa, the Suburban Council's top seed.

All those heroics paled in light of Saturday's belligerency under a

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cloudless sky at Burnt Hills. The home team, spurred by a large crowd, missed a penalty shot in the first half, but 8:37 into the second half converted a second penalty shot.

That 1-0 score lasted less than two minutes. BC's Eric Oberheim, who had been flagged on a handball call to set up the penalty shot, evened the count by pushing in a goal on a corner kick from Toby Dunmore.

It was still 1-1 when the rivals faced off in overtime, and 20 minutes of hard soccer failed to unravel the knot. That set up a 20-minute sudden death overtime, and when Bethlehem's Mat Dunmore was red-carded for disputing an official's call, the Eagles had to play the last 11 minutes one man short. They did just that without bending.

Under scholastic rules, 120 minutes of head-to-head combat is enough, and the officials turned to a shootout where each coach picks five players in sequence for one-on-one shots at the keeper. BC won the toss for last at-bats.

It was tense when Burnt Hills took a 1-0 lead in the tie-breaker, but Toby Dunmore, leading off for the Eagles, slammed a shot into the twine. BC's Aaron Halsdorf stopped Burnt Hills No. 2, and the Eagles went one up when Paul Stracke scored.

The Eagles survived a penalty shot on a foul at No. 3, but the hosts evened on the fourth match-up. The teams went into the second-round of five, this time a sudden death setup, knotted at 2-apiece in the tiebreak.

The No. 6 shooters left it that way, and when Bethlehem's Rick Ramsby, No. 7, booted a shot home, BC was in.

"Our kids played very well against a typical high-pressure team," said an ecstatic Lewis after his heartbeat count had returned to normal. "They (Burnt Hills) were bigger, but we seemed to be more fit. Maybe now we will get some respect in the league, and we



Toby Dunmore

certainly want another shot at Shenendehowa."

Burnt Hills had the better of the stats. They outshot the Eagles by 35-31 over the first 120 minutes, and had 15 saves to BC's 13, 11 corner kicks to BC's 10, and were 3-0 in penalty kicks.

To get that shot at Shenendehowa, who won easily at Delmar two weeks ago (5-0), the Eagles must get past tonight's semifinal with Guilderland, smarting from last week's 2-1 loss to BC that took them out of the division title. In that one the Dutchmen took a 1-0 lead in the first half when BC missed a headball, but the Eagles squared it after intermission when a Stracke shot bounced off the crossbar into Toby Dunmore, who had been spilled in front of the cage. Somehow the BC star scrambled the ball into the net, and with 15 minutes left, Chris Boyd, a sophomore halfback, converted a rebound on the bounce.

Earlier in the week the Eagles looked like worldbeaters in a 2-0 win over Scotia at home, pounding the goal with 61 shots. Only two went in, however, as the Scotia keeper registered an astounding 40 saves. Oberheim and Boyd got the goals.

## Race results

The No. 1, 2 and 3 finishers in the Oct. 17 cross-country race at Bethlehem's Hamagrael Elementary School were: fifth grade boys — Kyle McCarthy, Brian Davies, Carl McCoy; fifth grade girls — Jan Isenberg, Deb Stewart, Eden Terenzini; fourth grade boys — Michael Fritts, Terry Dwyer, Ryan Lillis; fourth grade girls — Elizabeth LaBarge, Nicole Mizener, Rachel Byron.

# Birds face Cats in semifinal

By Tanya Severino

They finished the schedule with a 13-5 overall record, their best in 13 years, yet the season wasn't over for the Voorheesville varsity soccer team.

Saturday in the first round of the Class CC Sectionals, the Blackbirds were victorious over Watervliet, 2-1. The Birds took an early lead on a goal by co-captain Jon Chapman.

In the second half Watervliet came out early with a goal to tie it

up. With 16 minutes left, the Blackbirds were awarded a penalty kick due to a jumping-in foul. Co-captain Justin Corcoran converted the kick to give Voorheesville a lead they held to the end.

The Birds had 29 shots on goal and held their opponents to 12 shots. Goalie Jerry Borg contributed nine saves.

Voorheesville will face Catskill today (Wednesday) at 1:30 p.m. at Schalmont in a semifinal matchup.

# RCS tie breaks losing streak

By Tim Penk

The RCS soccer team technically broke their losing streak of 17 last week with a tie against Mechanicville.

The Indians started the week by dominating a game against Mechanicville. Paul Pape scored early in the first half to put the Indians ahead, 1-0. The lead stood until Mechanicville's Mark Verdille scored with six minutes remaining to tie that game at 1-1. After two scoreless overtimes, the Indians had to settle with a tie although they outplayed Mechanicville as Dave Thomas and Luther Legg took leadership roles.

The last game of the season was a typical RCS loss with Lansingburgh winning, 5-0. The Indians played well in the first half, allowing one goal in the last 60 seconds, but fell apart in the second half. RCS was outshot, 40-8, with 30 attempts coming in the second half. Mark Seymore had another good game at goalie, making 22 saves.

The boys' soccer program is weak but improving every year. Coach Kenneth Tyrell says that "the team has improved tremendously and is still very young with a lot of freshmen and sophomores."

and has high hopes for future years. "The new modified soccer program will really help build our soccer team," says Tyrell. He thinks that in a couple of years RCS could be a power to reckon with.

# Better than their record

By Bart Gottesman

The 1985 RCS girls varsity soccer team ended a dismal season with a loss in their final outing. The loss dropped the team's record to 5-10 and ended one of the worst seasons in coach Betty Faxon's reign.

Tammy Samsel's second-half goal didn't provide enough offense for the mistake-prone Indians as Schenectady (Mont Pleasant-Linton High School) opened the contest with two quick scores, taking advantage of Ravena's defensive lapses. Samsel was Ravena's most potent offensive threat during the season as she was the team's leading scorer.

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# BC mismatch ends 39-0

There wasn't much anyone could do or say about Bethlehem Central's annual football mismatch with Shenendehowa. The score this year was officially 39-0, which is meaningless in a scenario that the Plainsmen can write any way they want to.

"There wasn't a whole lot we could do," said Coach John Sodergren. "We don't have their power or their depth, and we couldn't contend with their speed. We moved the ball some, but in that situation it's hard to do anything with consistency."

By a cruel twist of the schedule, BC's next game is with Burnt Hills, a small-school division team that is the only team in the Suburban Council to beat Shenendehowa this season. Nevertheless, Sodergren is expected to install some razzle-dazzle plays and formations this week to provide fun for his players in the midst of adversity. Kickoff is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Friday under the new lights, so now they are still glowing on credit.

Rather than talk about the debacle at Clifton Park, Sodergren provided a diversionary comment. The BC freshman team beat Shaker, 9-6, for their third win in five outings, giving them the distinction of being the first Bethlehem football team in seven years to boast a winning record this late in the season.

Not only that, but they did it with three field goals, a rare occurrence in high school football, let alone in freshman football. The perpetrator was one Lance Sprinkle, who also is the frosh quarterback. This young upstart not only missed a fourth field goal when his kick hit an upright, but he booted a 38-yarder (repeat, 38-yarder) for the winning points with 27 seconds showing on the clock.

Back to the varsity for the coaches' weekly citations. The MVP bouquet went to Scott McAndrews, a tireless workhorse in the front line. "He had another



Bethlehem Central quarterback Ed Perry faked a handoff and ran for two yards on this play under the lights at Shenendehowa in a Suburban Council game Friday.  
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steady game offensively and defensively, as he has done all year," said Sodergren. "He is our leading tackler week after week."

Other nominations: offensive back, Brian McGarrahan; offensive lineman, Paul Evangelista; defensive back, Steve Rosenblatt; defensive lineman, McAndrews, and the specialist and bench awards, Doug Pratt.

## Correction

The Voorheesville tennis team placed first, second and third in singles and doubles in the Colonial Council tournament, not the Sectionals, as *The Spotlight* reported in last week's issue.

Also, within the 9-1 record, the single loss was in the Class C finals, a 3-2 loss to Catskill High.

# Close games, tough defeats

By Dave DeCecco

With a win and a loss last week, the Bethlehem girls soccer team closed out a season full of close games and tough defeats.

The Lady Eagles took a powerful Scotia squad to overtime until the Tartans squeaked out a 1-0 victory with just 2:88 left in the extra period. Coach Kelly Keller credited the strong Eagle defense for keeping their favored rivals close for such a long time. Sophomore goalie Allison Dorman posted 22 saves in the contest.

Later in the week Bethlehem finished their season on a good note, downing Columbia, 2-1, in Delmar. Senior Jennifer Fritts scored first for BC, while sophomore Lynette Stracke netted the other Eagle goal.

The girls finished up with a deceptive 5-9-1 Suburban Council record and an overall tally of 7-9-1. This could have been drastically turned around, for six of their games were lost by a single goal, and BC dropped three of the season's four overtime games.

Underclassmen were responsible for most of Bethlehem's scoring attack this fall. Leading the varsity was sophomore Liz Keens with four goals. Close behind was Cindy Riegal, another sopho-

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more, who knocked in three for BC.

Many of BC's leading lady booters are only sophomores, and Keller hopes that those talented youngsters will bring success in the years to come.

## BC golfers take 2nd

Bethlehem Central golfers ended the season with a strong showing in the sectional tournament and a record of 13-5 that places them second behind Guilderland. In the sectionals, the young Eagles finished fourth. Low scorers in the tournament were Matt Young, Mike Durrant and Mike Roberts.

With the return of the full squad in 1986, the eagles could be the team to beat in the Gold Division of the Suburban Council. This year for the first time, Bethlehem fielded a JV golf team, which compiled a 7-4-1 record.

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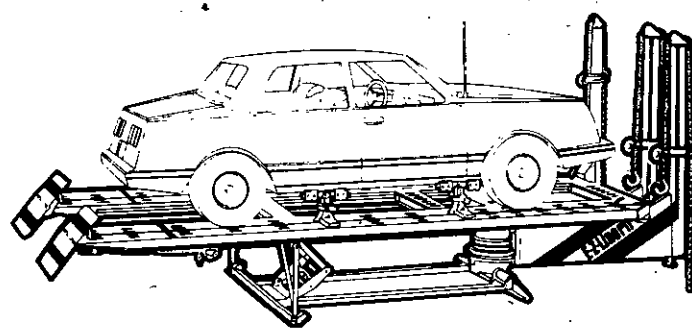
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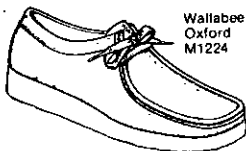
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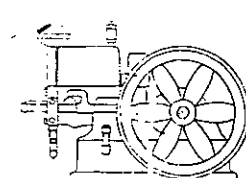
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# BC harriers out after Shens

By Charles Henrikson

After a narrow defeat by Shenendehowa, the Bethlehem Central boys cross-country team is looking for revenge in the sectionals on Saturday.

The boys took second place in the Suburban Council championships on Saturday, losing to Shen, 61-78. The race was much closer than the score.

With 300 yards to go, BC was ahead by about eight places. On the final downhill stretch Mark LeBeau, who was in fifth place, stepped in a hole and injured his knee and could not finish. He could not straighten his knee for 30 minutes, but it turned out not to be serious, so LeBeau will be able to run in the Sectionals.

BC beat third-place Saratoga by 31 points. Pete Winkler finished fifth, Tom Nyilis ninth and Craig Isenberg 14th, all running their "best race all season," according to Coach John Nyilis. Brendan Kears finished 23rd and Charlie Seagle 28th to round out the effort.

The girls squad finished second to powerhouse Colonie in the



Bethlehem Central's girls cross country team has beaten everyone in the Suburban Council but Colonie in a banner season under veteran coach John Nyilis. From left are: front row, Tricia Shultes, Heather Wolfe and Jennie Hammer; rear, Laura Kleinke, Tania Stasiuk, Kathy Saba and Katie Dorwaldt.

Council championships. Colonie is currently ranked in the top 10 in the state, and is out of reach of any team in Section 2. BC finished with 77, as opposed to Colonie's 37. Third-place Niskayuna had 124. Jen Hammer finished fifth

and Tania Stasiuk 12th to lead the team. Tricia Shultes was 17th, Cathy Saba 20th and Heather Wolfe 23rd. This finish was as expected, with BC way out in front of the third-place team.

# Fired-up Blackbirds get what they want

By Rick Leach

"Revenge" was what the Voorheesville cross country team was looking for at the Colonial Council Invitational last week, and revenge was what they got. The week before, Cohoes had stunned the Blackbirds by one point to capture the Colonial Council's regular season championship. This time, that was not the case.

Led by Chuck Rogers and Len Mertens, a fired-up group of Blackbird runners came away with a 46-50 victory. "It was a great win," coach Ken Kirik noted. "Cohoes ran very well, but we ran well enough to win."

Rogers came in first with a meet record of 15:51, with Mertens placing fourth with a time of 16:36. Mertens, who has had a disappointing season battling injury and illness, was elated over his finish. "I'm back," the sophomore runner said of his impressive time. John DeCatur, Pat Lentile and Ben Greenberg finished ninth, 14th and 18th respectively.

On the girls' side, Sonja Phinney led the parade in 10th with Carey Donohue adding an impressive 12th place finish. The 10 ended up in excellent fourth place, with Lansingburgh winning the meet.

The harriers had another meet

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on Saturday in Troy. The Blackbirds squeaked out an impressive 46-47 victory over second-place Johnstown. This was another revenge meet as Johnstown had beaten Voorheesville earlier in the year by a single point. Rogers came in first with Mertens finishing in sixth, DeCatur 10th, Greenberg 14th and Lentile 15th.

The squad had a meet yesterday (Tuesday) against rival Bethlehem. This is a very strong Eagle team as they placed second in the tough Suburban Council Invitational. After this race Voorheesville travels to Saratoga State Park for the Class C Sectionals. This should be a very tough meet for the Blackbirds, as their top contenders will be Hoosick Valley, Schuylerville, Mayfield and Fort Plain. They beat all of these teams at one time or another, but have also lost to them at one time or another. "This race should be nip-and-tuck all the way," Kirik noted. "We must run well to win."

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## Upset eludes RCS

By Bart Gottesman

The RCS cross country team did not finish as well as coach Ron Racey expected in the 1985 Colonial Council championships. The girls team, competing for the first time ever in the Council meet, finished a surprising second.

The girls were led by Theresa Darlington, an eighth grader who consistently led the team throughout the season. Darlington finished second, followed by Tami Stalker, who placed sixth. Tracey Carroll and Stephanie Wheeler placed 17th and 19th, while Sheri Stalker finished 23rd.

Racey had much praise for Sheri Stalker, who was ill prior to the race and only ran so her team could have enough members to qualify for a score.

Before the meet, Racey was

expecting an upset of Cohoes and Watervliet and a finish for the boys in the top two. Ravena not only failed to pull off an upset, but placed fourth as Albany Academy squeezed in ahead of the Indians. While disappointed with the team's overall performance, he noted that all the boys had personal best times. Brian Perry led the squad as he had throughout the season with a fifth-place finish. Perry was closely followed by his co-captains Lance Tucker and Paul Curley, who finished eighth and 13th respectively. Mark Albright and Jim Ritter rounded off Ravena's scoring as they placed 26th and 29th.

This Wednesday the boys face their toughest contest of the season as they compete in the first round of the Sectionals.

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# Shaker vs. Eagles is toughest one yet

Bethlehem Central's pool powerhouse goes on the road today (Wednesday) for the sternest test of its Aqua League campaign. The Eagles, undefeated in the league, have their final dual meet in Latham with Shaker, regarded as their strongest challenger.

"They have a well balanced team and they have some good divers," said BC coach Buzz Jones. "It could be more interesting than we would like."

After that the Eagle girls will have a week to prepare for the Sectionals. They have lost only to Newburgh, a state-ranked power, in a non-league matchup.

In their only meet last week, the Bethlehem machine rolled over Shenendehowa, sweeping all 11 first places and taking 1-2 in six of them. Kris Mallery turned in her best time of the season in the 200 freestyle, winning in 2:04.5 with Lisa Ogawa second. In the 200 IM it was eighth grader Jennie Mos-

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ley and Pat Henahan, and Christina Rudofsky, another eighth grader with a bright future, won the 50 free.

Kelly Ross won the diving and the cakewalk continued. Susan Mallery and Kirsten Wehmann went 1-2 in the butterfly, Kris Mallery and Rudofsky ditto in the 100 free, and Sue Mallery took the backstroke. In the breaststroke it was young Mosley again, with Jill Cleveland, a freshman, second.

Lynn Apicelli, the senior leader, and Ogawa had an easy 1-2 in the 500.

Jones opened the meet with a strong medley relay quartet, Sue Mallery, Henahan, Apicelli and Mosley, and was able to mix up his final foursome in the freestyle relay without danger.

# Run-a-thon raises \$8,000

More than 200 Bethlehem students participated in a run-a-thon Sunday, with \$8,436 pledged by friends, neighbors and other community residents. The promised proceeds represent an increase of \$2,000 over last year's event, according to Ray Sliter, Bethlehem athletic director.

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(Oct. 30)

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, November 6, 1985 at 8:00 p.m. at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of HMC Associates, 163 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York for Variance under Article V, Schedule B-Offstreet parking to allow 30 less parking spaces as required by the ordinance at premises, Intersection of Delaware Avenue and Normaskill Boulevard, Delmar, Town of Bethlehem.

CHARLES B. FRITTS  
Chairman, Board of Appeals  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

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CHARLES B. FRITTS  
Chairman, Board of Appeals  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE TRAFFIC ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem at the Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York on the 13th day of November, 1985 at 8:00 p.m. to consider amending the Traffic Ordinance of the Town of Bethlehem in the following respect:

1. By Amending ARTICLE II, Section 1, Maximum Speed Limits, paragraph (C) Thirty (30) miles per hour is hereby established as the maximum speed at which vehicles may proceed on or along the following highways in the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York by adding the following new sections as follows:  
72. Hackett Street — for its entire length.  
73. Thatcher Street — for its entire length.

All interested persons and citizens will have an opportunity to be heard at the said hearing.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD  
TOWN OF BETHLEHEM  
CAROLYN M. LYONS

## LEGAL NOTICE

Town Clerk  
Dated: October 23, 1985  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

## NOTICE OF HEARING UPON PRELIMINARY BUDGET

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Preliminary Budget of the Town of Bethlehem, including the intended use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1986 has been completed and filed in the office of the Town Clerk at the Town Hall, Delmar, New York, where it is available for inspection by any interested person during office hours.

Further notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem will meet and review said Preliminary Budget, including the intended use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds, as presented in the budget, and hold a public hearing thereon, at the Town Hall at 7:30 p.m. on the 6th day of November, 1985, and at such hearing any person may be heard in favor of or against the Preliminary Budget and intended use of Federal Revenue Sharing Funds, as compiled, or for or against any item or items therein contained.

In order to comply with Public Participation Requirements of the Federal Revenue Sharing Regulations, the following is a summary of the proposed budget for 1985:

CATEGORY	TOTAL
General Road Repair	\$80,000.
Social Services, Admin.	20,000.
Parks	25,000.
Federal Revenue Sharing-Total	\$125,000.
Federal Revenue Sharing-Estimated Revenue	\$125,000
RESOLVED that pursuant to Section 108 of the Town Law, the proposed salaries of the following officers are hereby specified as follows:	
Supervisor	\$39,727.00
Councilmen (each)	6,115.00
Town Clerk	22,213.00
Superintendent of Highways	32,996.00

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD  
TOWN OF BETHLEHEM  
CAROLYN M. LYONS  
Town Clerk  
Dated: Oct. 23, 1985  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 202-a of the Town Law, as amended, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has prepared and filed assessment rolls of the

## LEGAL NOTICE

Bethlehem Sewer District showing the name or names of the reputed owners of lots or parcels of land listed thereon and the aggregate amount of assessment levied upon such lots or parcels of land, and said Town Board will hold a public hearing thereon, the 13th day of November, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD  
CAROLYN M. LYONS  
Town Clerk, Town of Bethlehem  
Dated: Oct. 23, 1985  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR GRANT

BUS AND TAXI operators are hereby notified that Bethlehem Senior Citizens, Inc., 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, N.Y. 12054, is applying for a grant, under Section 16(b)(2) of the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964, as amended, to acquire a vehicle to expand a demand-responsive service within the Town of Bethlehem and destinations within a twenty-mile radius of Bethlehem Town Hall.

The purpose of this notice is to advise all interested private for-profit transit and paratransit (bus & taxi) operators of service being planned within the area described above, and to insure that such a program would not represent a duplication of current of proposed services provided by existing private bus and taxi operators in the area.

In addition, all interested private for-profit bus and taxi operators are invited to participate in the development of the proposed transportation program and in the provision of the elderly and handicapped transportation services. Vehicles acquired by private non-profit organizations through this federal program may be leased by the organization to private for-profit bus and taxi companies for the provision of special transportation for elderly and handicapped persons. Any company interested in participating in the program through a lease arrangement or other means should obtain a copy of the service proposal from Karen Pelletier, Coordinator, Senior Citizens Services (518) 439-5955 and submit its own proposal for the service, including an itemized budget for the cost of its proposal, to the applicant and to Mr. Dale Myers, Transit Division, New York State Department of Transportation, Room 120, Building 4, State Campus, Albany, New York, 12232, within 30 days of this advertisement.

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Men — Jim Margiasso - 264, Russ Hunter - 288.

Women — Carm De Marco - 232, Joanne Brunner - 552.

Major Boys — Kevin O'Brien - 207, 515, Dave Harrington - 193, 552.

Jr. Boys — Mike Mali - 193, 506.

Jr. Girls — Kim Dale - 191, Tammy Oliver - 502, 459.

Prep Boys — Tom Preska - 203, 452, Chris Daniels - 170, 465.

Prep Girls — Jenifer Matuszek - 147, 382.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

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## DELMAR FIRE DISTRICT

Please be advised that the Board of Elections of the Delmar Fire District shall meet on the 20th day of November between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. at the Delmar Fire House for the purpose of preparing the rolls of registered voters of the Delmar Fire District. The annual election of the Delmar Fire District will be held on the 10th day of December between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. at the Delmar Fire House.

Please note that in 1985 and thereafter only those persons who have registered with the County Board of Elections on or before the fire district election day shall be eligible to vote. In 1985, such registration must take place on or before Monday, November 18th.

JOHN ANGERAME, Secretary  
Delmar Fire District  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, November 19, 1985, at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, N.Y., at 8 p.m., to take action on the application of Victor & Carole Ballato, R.D. #1, Box 541, Albany, N.Y. 12203, for approval by said Planning Board of a proposed 1 lot subdivision to be located on the northeastern side of Clarkson Rd., as shown on map entitled "Map of Lands to be conveyed by GEORGE W. HARDER to Victor and Carole Ballato, Town: Bethlehem, County: Albany, State: New York", dated Sept. 24, 1985, Revised 10/17/85 and made by Edward W. Boutelle & Son, Delmar, N.Y., on file with the Planning Board.

JOHN A. WILLIAMSON  
Chairman, Planning Board  
(Oct. 30, 1985)

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Survivors include his wife, Helen M. Brockley; four daughters, Susan Ann Brockley and Judith Steiner of Delmar, Cathy A. Brockley of New Britain, Conn., and Patricia Ann Brockley of Rochester; four sons, Thomas E. Brockley and James L. Brockley of Delmar, Richard J. Brockley of Baltimore and Robert G. Brockley of Harrisburg, Pa.; a brother, Leo Brockley of Albany, and six sisters, Elizabeth Scoons of Delmar, Evelyn Dolan of North Bellmore, Helen Leonard of Hawaii, Anna Raymond and Dorothy Stimpson of Oneida, and Adeliade Powers of Tufton, Calif. He is also survived by five granddaughters.

Arrangements were by the Applebee Funeral Home, Delmar. Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery, Delmar.

## Dr. John Pike

Dr. John R. Pike, 82, of Delmar, long active in Albany and Delmar civic affairs, died Oct. 23 at home.

Born in Utica, he graduated from the Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1925. He moved to Delmar 50 years ago, and he practiced in Albany for 50 years.

He was a life member of the American Osteopathic Society and a past president and past secretary-treasurer of the Hudson River Osteopathic Society. A former member of the State Board of Medical Examiners, he was included in the *International Biography* and *Who's Who* in the East.

He was a member of the Albany Torch Club, the Albany County Advisory Committee of the Year Round Head Start, the Albany Interracial Council, the Glen Square Neighborhood Association, the University Club, the Ancient Temple Lodge 14 F. and A.M. in Albany and the planning committee of the Bethlehem Central School District. He had also served as president of the Grand Chapter of Phi Sigma Gamma and director of the Albany Boys Club.

He was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church in Albany.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia Cowell Pike; four sons, Dr. Robert E. Pike of Delmar, Dr. Nelson C. Pike of San Clemente,

Calif., Howard C. Pike of Chatham and John R. Pike Jr.; and two brothers, Dr. George H. Pike of Wilmington, N.C., and Howard E. Pike of New Hartford, N.Y. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were by the Marshall W. Tebbutt's Sons, Delmar. Burial was in Graceland Cemetery, Albany.

## Frank Donato Sr.

Frank D. Donato Sr., 58, of Voorheesville died Oct. 25 at his home.

A native of the Albany area, he worked as a carpenter for the Klersy Building Corp., Delmar, for 16 years.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Oddy Donato; his mother, Lucy Ravidia Donato of Voorheesville; three sons, Kenny Donato of Voorheesville, Michael Donato of Averill Park and Frank Donato Jr. of East Greenbush; seven daughters, Tammy Donato and Maria Donato of Voorheesville, Vicki Haxford, Bonnie Cameron and Angel McGovern of Stephentown, Cindy Schneider of Oceanside, Calif., and Christine Fannon of New Lebanon; two sisters, Ann Bovitz of Albany and

Rose Blander of Guilderland, and two brothers, Louis Donato of Voorheesville and Charles Donato of Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He is also survived by 16 grandchildren.

Arrangements were by the Philip J. Frederick Funeral Home, Albany. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Glenmont.

## Robert Carpenter

Robert Watson Carpenter, 75, of Altamont died Oct. 20 at St. Peter's Hospital, Albany, after a long illness.

Born in Gouverneur, Jefferson County, N.Y., he moved to the Town of New Scotland 2 years ago. He was formerly employed as a metallurgist consultant for the Hanna Furnace Company in Buffalo and as a chief metallurgist for the New York Airbrake Company in Watertown.

He is survived by his daughter, Judy Terraciano of Altamont, and four grandchildren, Laura, Michael and John Terraciano of Altamont and Martha McDowell of Charlottesville, Va.

Arrangements were by Brunk-Meyers Funeral Home, Voorheesville. Burial was in Watertown.

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## Henry Cloyes

Henry S. Cloyes, 81, of Delmar, a retired New York Telephone executive, died Oct. 26 at the Eden Park Nursing Home, Albany.

He lived in Albany before moving to Delmar 15 years ago. He graduated from Stevens College, Hoboken, N.J., and was employed as upstate director of personnel for New York Telephone Company when he retired in 1964.

He was a member of the University Club and a past president of the Telephone Pioneers and the Engineering Society.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Garrett Cloyes, and a niece, Mrs. Richard (Mary Ann) Phelan of Delmar. He is also survived by several grandnieces and grandnephews.

Arrangements were by Meyers Funeral Home, Delmar.

## Johanna Werner

Johanna Gertrude Werner, 89, of Glenmont, a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, died Oct. 27 in East Greenbush.

Born in Germany, she was a longtime resident of Glenmont. She was a homemaker and the wife of the late Kurt R. Werner.

Survivors include a grandson, Thomas E. Werner of Albany; a

granddaughter, Diane Werner Gionet of East Greenbush, and several great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were by Meyers Funeral Home, Delmar.

## Dora Wizinski

Dora Evans Wizinski of Selkirk died Oct. 21 at St. Peter's Hospital, Albany, after a long illness.

Born in Greenville, she was a secretary for the state Department of Identification before retiring several years ago.

Survivors include a sister, Millicent Lasher of Pennsylvania, and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements were by the McVeigh Funeral Home, Albany. Burial was in Greenville Cemetery, Greenville.

## Alma O'Brien

Alma Terrell O'Brien of Delmar died Oct. 26 at home.

Born in Albany, she retired from the state Department of Higher Education in 1980. She was a communicant of St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Delmar.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Kevin (Ann) McCullough of Bethesda, Md., and Mrs. John (Jeanne) Ruid of Ballston Lake; four sons, Thomas O'Brien

of South Easton, Mass., R. Terry O'Brien of Kennebunkport, Maine., Kevin O'Brien of Saratoga Springs, and Pieter O'Brien of Manhattan, and a cousin, Marjorie Terrell of Delmar. She is also survived by seven grandchildren.

Arrangements were by the Applebee Funeral Home, Delmar.

## Look out for deer

A sharp increase in car-deer accidents has been reported by Bethlehem police. This week five motorists reported to police that they had struck deer that had dashed into the path of their vehicles. In one case, the deer ran into the side of a car. All the incidents took place in the hours of darkness at locations including Blessing Rd., Rt. 9W and the Delaware Tnpk. No personal injuries were reported by the drivers.

Statistics compiled by the state Department of Environmental Conservation show that most car-deer accidents occur in November, followed by December and then October. Nearly 7,000 deer were reported killed by motor vehicles during 1984, department officials said, noting that numerous others are hit but not recovered or not claimed by the driver.

## Home looted

Bethlehem police are investigating a burglary on Elm Ave. that was reported Thursday. According to police reports, stereo equipment, a television set, a video cassette recorder, office equipment and appliances were taken from the house. There was no immediate estimate of the value of the stolen items. A rear door appeared to have been pried open with a sharp instrument, the report noted.

## Business news index on line at public library

The Bethlehem Public Library has installed a computerized index to help people find periodicals more quickly. Called the Business Index, it provides in-depth coverage of 818 business periodicals, as well as the *Wall Street Journal*, *Barron's* and the business and financial sections of *The New York Times*. The index provides an alphabetical listing of subjects; titles and authors on a video screen.

Elizabeth Levy, head of reference, said the new reference tool will be at the library for 60 days while a decision is made about whether to subscribe to the service.

## Collision on Rt. 9W

An Albany woman was taken to St. Peter's Hospital by the Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance Service after an auto accident Saturday afternoon on Rt. 9W near Bender Lane, according to Bethlehem police reports. A hospital spokesman said Alice M. Sano, 75, of Albany was treated and released after the accident at 1:50 p.m. Police said a West Sand Lake woman had swerved her car to avoid a car stopped in traffic and had collided with the Sano auto. No charges were filed.

## Car strikes teen

Christine Keezer of Delmar was injured Friday morning when she was struck by a car as she was crossing Elm Ave. at Longwood Dr., according to Bethlehem police reports. She was treated at Albany Medical Center Hospital and released, a hospital spokesman said. No charges were filed against the driver of the car, a 17-year-old from Glenmont, according to the police report. The injured teenager was taken to the hospital by the Delmar Fire Department Rescue Squad after the 7:20 a.m. accident.

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**Let there be light**  
Editor, The Spotlight:

On behalf of the athletes, band members, students and community, I would like to thank those who have supported the purchase and installation of lights at Central Athletic field at Bethlehem High School.

We are currently at 40 percent of our \$30,000 goal and without the financial and community support evidenced thus far, would not have been able to erect the lights this year. We need to achieve our goal in order to pay for the services and materials supplied to us, and we ask for the financial support of those who have not yet contributed. These lights are not solely for use by the football program. We anticipate that track, marching band and other activities will be able to use them at times that will permit fuller student and community participation and attendance.

I would especially like to thank Doug Lee and the Concord Tree Service, who donated their time and expertise to fine tune the positioning of the lights to insure proper light distribution over the field. Without community-minded individuals such as Mr. Lee, our costs would have been prohibitive and the students and the community would not be able to enjoy nighttime events at the athletic field.

*Ben McFerran*  
Light Bethlehem Committee

**Thanks from Elsmere**

Editor, The Spotlight:  
Once again, the generosity of the residents of the Elsmere Fire District has been overwhelming during our annual fund drive. On behalf of the officers and members of the Elsmere Fire Company "A," Inc., I would like to thank

everyone who donated so unselfishly on the drive that took place on Oct. 6.

With the many hours that our members put into training and firefighting, it is reassuring to see that it does not go unnoticed by the residents of the Elsmere Fire District. The Elsmere Fire Company continues to receive the highest rating that a volunteer fire company can receive each year, resulting in the lowest rates for fire protection on their insurance rates for the residents of our fire district.

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*Stephen Wright*  
President

**What's right with town**

Editor, The Spotlight:  
It's not hard to tell that Election Day is near. The opposition candidates seem to be trying to outdo each other, telling the public what's wrong with the Town of Bethlehem. All of these deficiencies seem to pop up about five weeks before election and then all is quiet again until the next election, two years later.

I have an opportunity to meet numerous residents who also have lived in quaint locations as well as our Town of Bethlehem, as they frequently come to my counter to obtain tax payment confirmation forms used in the closing procedures as they sell their homes due to company transfers. They tell me they dislike leaving Bethlehem as we provide services other communities our size do not. They like our water system, the effective but fair police coverage, park and recreation programs, senior citizen services, our terrific volunteer fire and rescue departments; they like living in a safe and progressive community and generally the quality of living in the Town of Bethlehem.

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**An opportunity**

Editor, The Spotlight:  
As campaign '85 wends its way into history, we are indebted to *The Spotlight* for the full coverage given to candidates. There is one fact that has not been brought up in some time. I refer to a July story about the composition of the Bethlehem electorate as found in enrollment data being compiled by the Albany County Board of Elections.

As of election time, 1984, the latest available data, Bethlehem had 3,610 Democrats, about 23 percent of those registered. It also had 4,455 Independents, about 27 percent, who expressed no party preference. There remained 7,938 Republicans, some 49 percent of the voters.

This year, unique opportunities exist to bring balance to our town board. By electing Dave Sawyer on the Bethlehem-Independent line, you have a 25 percent Independent board. By electing Rich White on the Democratic line, you have a 25 percent Democratic board. The remaining two seats, 50 percent, are already in Republican hands. How about it, Bethlehem?

*William E. Burkhard*  
Chairman, Bethlehem  
Democratic Committee

**Clarification**

Editor, The Spotlight:  
Though I was more than pleased with the positive and energetic assessment of my campaign efforts, three areas of our very cordial interview remain to be clarified.

One, I am no longer a student at the State University of New York at Albany, but a recent magna cum laude graduate. Second, I was an amateur boxer, record a well kept secret. Third, I am not just now a politician, for I have always been one, much to the delight of some, but always to chagrin of others.

*Richard White*  
Candidate for  
Bethlehem Town Board

**Reversion in the law**

Editor, The Spotlight:  
As a former member of the zoning board, I must correct some inaccuracies in a recent *Spotlight* ad by Mr. Sawyer, a candidate for the Bethlehem Town Board. It calls for the elimination of the non-conforming use provision in the zoning law after a property is vacant for a year (reversion amendment). However, what is

suggested is currently part of Bethlehem's zoning law.

Many neighbors remember Al's By-Pass Garage near the high school. The garage was vacant for over a year and the zoning law required that the owner reapply for his lapsed non-conforming use permit. The garage is still vacant. The zoning Board of Appeals did not grant a continuance for non-conforming use.

*James C. Ross*  
Delmar  
James Ross is a Republican county legislator and former member of the Bethlehem Board of Appeals. Ed.

**Art exhibit set**

The annual exhibit of the Bethlehem Art Association will be shown from Nov. 9 through Dec. 5 at the Bethlehem Public Library.

Each member of the group may submit a maximum of two entries at the library on Saturday, Nov. 9, between 10 a.m. and noon.

The show will be reviewed during the group's regular meeting at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 14, at the library.

For information call 439-7039.

**Exercise for mothers**

Mother's Morning Out at the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, will feature a program about exercises for mothers and their children on Friday, Nov. 1, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

The program is open to mothers and pre-school children. For information call 439-9976.

**Leadership for women**

Patricia Adduci, Commissioner of the state Department of Motor Vehicles, will speak about "Women and Leadership in New York State" at the Nov. 6 Women and Business Conference. Sponsored by the Alliance for Lobbying, Evaluation, Research and Training, the statewide conference will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Americana Inn.

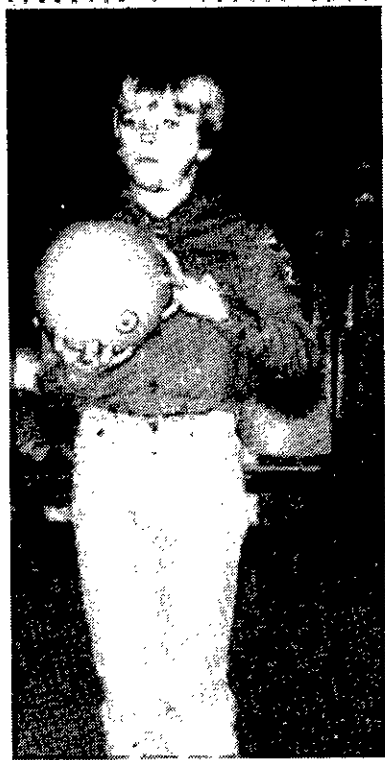
To register call 463-2661.

**Holiday for some**

Election Day is Tuesday, Nov. 5. The polls will be open from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.

Regular business will not be conducted at Bethlehem Town Hall, New Scotland Town Hall or Voorheesville Village Hall.

The Bethlehem Public Library will be open. Many area banks will be closed.



Matthew Merrill, 10, of Elsmere Cub Scout Pack 258, practices for the troupe's Nov. 11 bowlathon. The fund raiser will be held at Del Lanes, from 8 a.m. until noon.

**Cover chimneys**

Area residents are urged to cap their chimneys now to avoid unwelcome intrusions in the early spring, when raccoon mothers-to-be are seeking a haven. A grating, correctly installed, will keep out unwelcome guests, according to Scott Anson, Bethlehem animal control officer.

**Square dance set**

The Tri-Village Squares will dance on Saturday, Nov. 2, from 8 to 11 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

Jim Ryans will call mainstream dancing with a plus tip. For information, dancers may call 439-3289.

**Computer workshop**

A two-part word processing workshop will be held on Nov. 13 and Nov. 20 at the Bethlehem Public Library.

Using the Apple Writer program, participants will learn to enter and edit text on Nov. 13. Formatting and printing will be demonstrated on Nov. 20.

To register call 439-9314.

**Book fair planned**

"Program Yourself Into Reading" is the theme of this year's Slingerlands Elementary School book fair. The fair is scheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 13, from 3:30 to 7:30 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Steven W. Smith

## Cynthia Caswell married

Cynthia E. Caswell, daughter of Anna Caswell of Delmar and Stearns Caswell of Delmar, and Steven W. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith of Valhalla, N.Y., were married Sept. 7 at Trinity Episcopal Church in Rensselaerville.

The bride is a graduate of the

State University at Buffalo. The bridegroom is also a graduate of the State University at Buffalo. He is employed as an engineer for Charles H. Sells Inc.

The couple has settled in Ridgefield, Conn.

## Parenting tape shown

As part of a "Joy in Parenting" series, a videotape about discipline will be shown at the Nov. 4 meeting of Mother's Time Out. The group meeting from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the Delmar Reformed Church.

The tape will be shown again on Tuesday, Nov. 5, from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

For information call Mary Ann Wierks at 439-9929.

## Sale in Glenmont

An Election Day bake sale and book fair, sponsored by the Glenmont Parent Teacher Association, will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 5, from 1 to 8 p.m., at the Glenmont Elementary School.

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Mr. and Mrs. Morris Anderson

## Carolyn Chetney wed


Carolyn Chetney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Joseph Chetney of Delmar, and Morris Roy Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon J. Anderson of Englewood, Colo., were married Sept. 15 at the Jefferson County Nature Center on Lookout Mountain in Golden, Colo. Fr. Joseph Raffa, cousin of the groom, officiated.

Catharine Chetney, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Vernon Anderson, father of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Jay Chetney, brother of the bride, Paul Richard and Sydney Brown, brothers-in-law of the groom.

## Bloodmobile coming

Nine Bethlehem area churches are sponsoring an American Red Cross bloodmobile on Monday, Nov. 11, from noon until 6 p.m., at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar.

Healthy individuals who are 17 years or older and weigh at least 110 pounds may call 439-4328 for an appointment. Child care will be provided.

  
Love, Mom, Dad & Todd

## BIRTHS



### St. Peter's Hospital

Boy, Ethan, to Cynthia and Richard Warsh, Delmar, Oct. 5.

Boy, Kyle, to Janice and Andrew Batchelor, Delmar, Oct. 5.

### Albany Medical Center Hospital

Girl, Amanda Susan, to Susan and Joseph Thomas, Selkirk, Sept. 27.

Boy, Walter Vincent, III, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter DiStefano, Slingerlands, Oct. 2.

Boy, Gregory John, to Linda and Robert Hedderman, Delmar, Oct. 2.

Girl, Beckie Mae, to Brenda and Steven Nowak, S. Bethlehem, Oct. 4.

Girl, Jennifer Lynne, to Debbie and Ron Greenfield, Selkirk, Oct. 7.

Boy, Jason Allen, to Jeffrey and Elizabeth Countryman, Voorheesville, Oct. 9.

## BCHS '75 to gather

The Bethlehem Central High School Class of '75 is planning its tenth reunion for Nov. 30 at 8 p.m. at the Normanside Country Club. Many classmates have not yet been contacted for lack of their correct addresses.

For a list of these graduates and further information, contact Jennifer Drew Gebharch at 439-5805 or Debra Cohn 869-1032.



## Community Corner

### Nursery School Benefit

More than 100 area families have donated baked good and merchandise for a sale to benefit the Tri-Village Nursery School. The garage sale and bake sale will be held on Saturday, Nov. 2, at the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

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- \* Practices law in all New York State courts, federal courts, and U.S. Supreme Court

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- \* Kiwanis former member
- \* Family court law guardian

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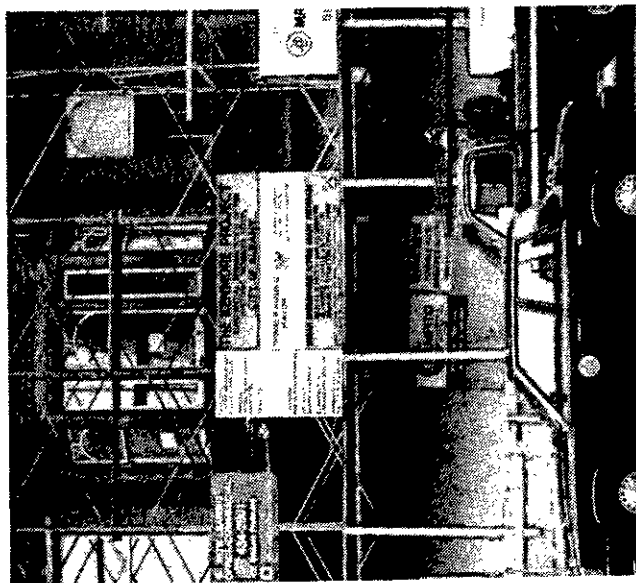
Thank you,

*Alan P. Joseph*

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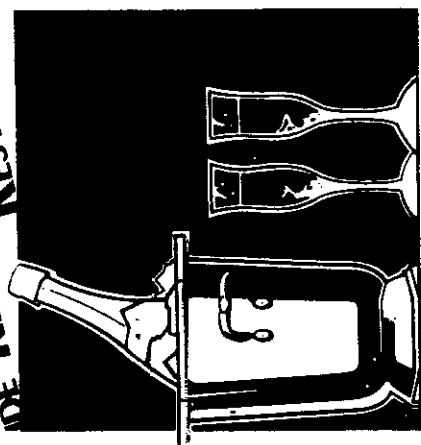
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