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Large tax hikes in Voorheesville, RCS budgets

RCS-Bethlehem rate up 15 percent

By Patricia Mitchell

Residents in the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk School District will be asked to support a \$12 million budget next year that increases about eight percent over this year's budget.

The preliminary budget discussed by the school board Monday night comes in at \$12,862,674, an increase of about \$947,226 over this year's budget.

If approved by the district's voters in May, tax rates for the Town of Bethlehem will increase about 15 percent to \$176 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, up from this year's \$153. For the Town of New Scotland, tax rates will increase about 6 percent to \$268 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, up from \$253.

In proposing the budget,

Superintendent William Schwartz said last week that it is an educationally sound and fiscally responsible. The proposed 1987-88 budget he said, asks first what the district wants to have and then how much it will cost.

The \$12 million budget helps enhance some of the district's program offerings, adds student services and allows necessary physical plant maintenance, Schwartz said.

A public meeting will be held on the budget at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 30. Residents will vote on the 1987-88 budget on Wednesday, May 13.

The budget includes funds for a total of seven new positions, many that reflect increased enrollment and Regents Action Plan requirements, Schwartz said.

In the elementary schools, a new second grade classroom teacher is proposed at \$30,000, including benefits, due to increasing enrollment. A half-time music teacher at \$15,000 is also proposed because a part-time music teacher currently gives lessons to 108 students, Schwartz said. And a full-time librarian at Ravena Elementary School at \$30,000 is proposed because librarians from the other two elementary schools spend part of their day at Ravena. Schwartz said a full-time librarian should be available at all three schools.

At the junior high school, a full-time guidance counselor is proposed at \$30,000 that also includes fringe benefits. Schwartz said there is one guidance

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Voorheesville up 13.5 percent

By Patricia Mitchell

A \$7.55 million preliminary budget, an increase of 13.5 percent over this year's budget, will be presented to Voorheesville Central School District voters in May.

The board of education unanimously approved the preliminary spending plan Monday night. They noted, however, that district residents will have their say on it in a budget hearing on Wednesday, March 25, and it is subject to change before it goes to a vote on May 13. However, no estimates on state aid, revenue or tax rates were available Monday night.

Two new buses, the start of a capital improvements project, rebuilding a cushion that was lost this year due to a budget shortfall, and increases in textbooks, private transportation, employee

insurance, liability insurance, handicapped and occupational education tuition costs are all playing a role in the budget increase.

The preliminary budget arrived at after budget discussions Thursday and Monday totals \$7,555,317, an increase of \$902,704 over this year's budget. About \$600,000 of that increase is attributed to costs of keeping the school district running on status quo. Board member Joseph Fernandez said there are few accounts that are controllable and the small changes that are controllable are "small potatoes" compared to everything else.

The 1987-88 budget is \$944,028 or 14.3 percent over this year's

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Joe Recchia sets them up for his many friends at Brockley's. Friday, his last day after 42 years behind the bar

Tom Knight

A final 'cheers' for Joe

Like any good bartender, Joe Recchia is always in motion. Checking orders, making change, cleaning up. And always making small talk.

Last Friday at Brockley's he was on the receiving end. "This is the last day I shall be insulted by that man," says one patron happily as he slides into his familiar place. His order is on the bar before he sits down.

"Oh, geez, am I in trouble now," says Joe as another patron shows up.

After 42 years, Friday was Joe Recchia's last day tending bar at Brockley's. He started on Broadway in downtown Albany and moved with the business when it migrated to the Four Corners in Delmar in 1953. "I went from the father to the mother to the son," Recchia says. "They were wonderful people to work with."

Even on his last day, with a fresh carnation in his white shirt, with the balloons wishing him a

happy retirement, constant razzing and the threat of a cake to be cut, Recchia is a model of efficient motion. Always busy, but never a wasted step. He's asked, what does it take to be a good bartender?

"Treating people nice, the way they treat you," he says. "It's the same as any other job, if you like it."

The people who come into Brockley's, a fixture of Delmar life for more than 30 years both for its pizza and for its old-home atmosphere, haven't changed much, according to Recchia. "Good people, the kind you'd expect to see in any bar like this."

Recchia says he has no plans beyond a three-week vacation to Florida. He's likely to stop back at Brockley's after that. "Only," he says to his friendly antagonist on the other side of the bar, "Next time I'm in here, you'll be buying me a drink."

Bethlehem dispatchers join AFSCME union

Bethlehem's radio dispatchers have joined the same union now representing the town's police officers, meaning that there could soon be two sets of negotiations in progress.

The 10 full and part-time dispatchers work in the Police Department's headquarters at 445 Delaware Ave., answering calls from the public and dispatching police officers and fire units. They also operate various computer links with state law enforcement agencies. The town has been gradually increasing the numbers of dispatchers and expanding their duties in an effort to get more uniformed police officers out of the office and into squad cars.

The dispatchers are now members of Council 66 of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME), which is affiliated with the AFL-CIO, having signed cards stating they wanted to join the union, according to Supervisor J. Robert Hendrick. Hendrick said Monday the town has received a letter from the union requesting information on the salary level and benefits of the dispatchers.

"I assume they will be putting a package together soon," he said.

The dispatchers are in grade 6, which under the town's current

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Youth charged in arson

A bail hearing will be held today by an Albany County judge for a 16-year old Slingerlands boy charged with deliberately setting a fire at Bethlehem Central High School Feb. 10, Bethlehem Police said.

BC student Richard T. Cornell, 16, of Helderberg Pkwy., Slingerlands, pleaded not guilty Monday before Albany County Judge John Turner on charges of arson, a class B felony, and three counts of reckless endangerment, class D felonies. He was arrested Monday morning at his home on a sealed indictment from an Albany County grand jury by Bethlehem Police detectives John Cox and Theodore Wilson, Cox said.

Cornell allegedly started a book on fire in a boys room at the high

school at about 12:50 p.m. Feb. 10, filling the room with heavy smoke and spreading fumes throughout the building, according to police reports. Students had to be evacuated, and two fire companies were called in to extinguish the blaze.

The reckless endangerment charges stem from the danger to students and fire fighters at the school during the fire, Cox said.

The district attorney's office said Cornell is eligible for youthful offender status, but until a public hearing is held, the case will be open.

Turner ordered a psychiatric examination for Cornell, and he is being held at the Albany County Jail without bail, Cox said. Cornell is being represented by Albany attorney Mark Gray.

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On the set of Ironweed

By Ann Treadway

Even if they end up on the cutting room floor, three local residents say the experience of being extras for *Ironweed* was one they thoroughly enjoyed.

Filming of the "Gilded Cage" scene took place during three days last week, in the former Boulevard Cafeteria on Central Ave. in Albany. It's the scene where Meryl Streep, as Helen Archer, sings in a crowded nightclub to an assortment of "swells," middle class and workingclass types, and some Green Street bums.

The movie, as almost everyone knows by now, is based on the novel by local author William Kennedy and set in the South End and Arbor Hill areas of Albany in the 1930's. Kennedy and his wife were among the extras used for this scene.

John MacCulloch of Mosher Road in Delmar played a working class bar patron, seated with a group at a table and dressed in a worn flannel shirt, heavy wool pants, and a big, floppy cap.

"It was great, really exciting," he said after the three long days were over. The 72 extras were paid \$50 a day and had to be in costume, made up and ready for the cameras by 6:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 4, 5 and 6.

MacCulloch, whose wife, Cheryl, is principal of the Clarksville Elementary School, took the time off from his job as an announcer and disc jockey for radio station WMVI in Mechanicville for the chance to go big time.

All of the extras, he said, were outfitted by production workers from "racks and racks" of old clothes in a big warehouse on Albany-Shaker Road. They got 1938 haircuts (short on the sides and greased down with vaseline) at the Turf Inn barbershop. The Turf Inn is production headquarters.

MacCulloch, whose only previous acting experience was in a high school play, said the stars, Jack Nicholson and Meryl Streep, stayed in character much of the time, but he did get a chance to exchange some small talk with them. "Extremely small talk," he said.

The local extras, selected from among thousands who applied at the State University at Albany campus on Jan. 17, mostly sat around and waited in the basement of Our Lady of Angels Church across the street from the set. They were fed lunch by a California catering company at the former Our Lady of Angels School, a block away.

"On the first day, a real bum got in line for lunch with us," MacCulloch laughed. "I guess they caught the poor guy because he wasn't there the next day."

Lou Spelich, a recently-retired Bethlehem Central art teacher, was one of the few extras who never got filmed for this scene. He



John MacCulloch of Delmar, right, and John DeLuca, left, of East Greenbush, and take a break during shooting of William Kennedy's *Ironweed* in the basement of Our Lady of Angels Church across the street from the Boulevard Cafeteria on Central Ave. DeLuca was a bartender and MacCulloch plays a bum in the Gilded Cage bar scene.

was prepared to be a swell, decked out in a period suit, shirt and tie, and he's hoping now that he'll be called for a street scene that will be filmed in a few weeks.

"I really want to get on camera," said Spelich, who lives on East Fernbank Ave. in Elsmere.

He was favorably impressed by the entire movie production crew, calling them "very considerate." He said most of the Hollywood people were young, "in their twenties," while the majority of the local extras were "professional people between 40 and 60 years old."

And clothes definitely do make a difference in one's opinion of people, Spelich found from three days of close contact with both ragged bums and elegant swells. He said the local group nonetheless developed "a great comradery" and has made plans for a picnic get-together this summer.

Bill Cavin, a young state worker who lives on Bedell Avenue in Elsmere, played a middle class guy standing at the bar and chatting with those around him. "I figure I'm a reporter from the *Times-Union*," he said, noting that the real newspaper office was located near the site of Kennedy's mythical bar during the 1930's.

Cavin, who has done a lot of community theater acting, said he saw "a whole new level" of dramatic talent and dedication. He said Streep and Nicholson were "entirely supportive of each other" and "just terrific."

Film acting is difficult, Cavin said, because two or three lines at a time are filmed and the actors have to sustain the right strong emotion through many takes. Meryl Streep did one "perfect take" during this scene, Cavin said, only to be told that someone had bumped the camera, so she just shrugged and did another that was "even better."

The extras' parts for the scene were filmed in different ways, sometimes responding with enthusiasm to Meryl's singing, and sometimes not paying any attention to her. "They may use one way or both ways," Calvin said.

A native of Albany who studied to be an English teacher at State University at Albany — and did his practice teaching at Bethlehem Central — Cavin confirmed Spelich's view that the local movie extras were "treated really well" by the production people. "They tried to use everybody," he said.

Filming of *Ironweed* will continue in the Albany area for about three more months, with locations in Slingerlands and New Scotland a possibility. Author Kennedy told his fellow extras that release of the movie is scheduled for next December.



Passersby mill around the old Boulevard-Cafeteria on Central Ave. in Albany hoping to get a glimpse of the stars during filming.

□ Union

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wage scale starts at \$12,994, according to Hendrick. They received a one grade salary increase in this year's budget, he said.

The dispatchers received no opposition from the town when they decided to join the union, according to one dispatcher.

The Bethlehem Police Benevolent Association also joined AFSCME last year in hopes of getting stronger representation during contract negotiations with the town. The PBA has since been dissolved and is now the Bethlehem Police Officers Union, Local 3364 of AFSCME's Council 82, according to Officer Marvin Koonz, the president of the local.

The current round of contract negotiations between the police and the town has been under way since last fall, with no indication that a settlement is near. However, in contrast to the last set of negotiations, there appears to be little friction over the length of the talks. The two sides have agreed to a news blackout and have extended the old contract, which expired Dec. 31, until a new contract is concluded.

Old enough for court

An Albany girl will be appearing in Bethlehem Town Court Tuesday on obstruction of government administration and possession of stolen property charges after she lied about her age to Bethlehem Police last month, police said.

The girl, 17, told police she was 15 years old after she and two other Albany girls were picked up on Feb. 11, after allegedly shoplifting \$342 in merchandise from the Town Squire Shopping Center. Police said the girl was originally sent to Albany County Family Court because of her age, but after court officials investigated, they found she was 17 years old.

Police said the girl can now face charges in town court, and will be charged with obstruction of government administration for telling police a wrong age, and criminal possession of stolen property for allegedly shoplifting at the shopping center. The charges are misdemeanors.

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Board must approve field trips

By Patricia Mitchell

Reports on overnight field trips and education seminars will be given to the Bethlehem Central Board of Education at future meetings.

The district administration receives several requests a year for overnight trips for the DECA Club, athletes and music students, but Acting Superintendent Dr. Briggs McAndrews said it would be beneficial for the school board to be informed of the trips and approve them.

At last Wednesday's school board meeting, McAndrews said the administration is drafting guidelines for requests, and the board will be able to discuss them in the near future.

At its April 15 meeting, the school board will receive a presentation from teachers Nancy Mackay and Peter Rawitch on the seminars on Excellence in Education, sponsored in part by the Golub Corporation, owner of Price Chopper supermarkets.

In other BC school board business, the board decided to hold a public budget meeting on the proposed 1987-88 budget after its regular meeting on April 15. The budget will be up for voter approval on May 6.

The district and the school board are still reviewing proposals on the budget, and will discuss program and staff proposals, transportation, fringe benefits, debt service, insurance and revenue projections in a special meeting at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday (today).

Stolen at school

A Bethlehem Central High School student had his 12-speed bicycle taken from the bicycle racks at the school at about 5 p.m. Thursday, Bethlehem Police said.

Last Wednesday the BC school board also:

- Appointed Marc Greene as advisor to Sound Sensations for the second semester at \$406 and appointed Jeffrey Gallo as the unpaid advisor to Awareness of Society, Politics and Economics Council for Students.
- Approved health contracts for out-of-district students attending the St. Thomas School at a rate of about \$100 for each student. The Troy School District will be billed

at \$100, the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk district \$2,398, the Berne-Knox-Westerlo district \$1,199, the Greenville district at \$200, and the Albany City School District at \$1,299.

- Approved the 1987-88 school calendar developed by the calendar committee.

The next regular meeting of the school board will be Wednesday, March 18 at 8 p.m.



These students will be among 550 Bethlehem Central students in the Choral Festival at 8 p.m., Thursday, March 12 at the high school. "Divided We Stand," a composition by Roger Ames and commissioned by the BC music department and the BC Music Association, will be given its premiere performance. Getting ready for the concert are, from left, first row, Drew Reynolds of Hamagrael School and Amy Russell of Slingerlands School; and second row, Dan Kerness of the high school, Erin Murphy of the middle school and Betty Bergan, middle school music teacher. *Spotlight*

Incumbents to run again

Three incumbent Bethlehem Central school board members will be running for re-election this spring when their terms expire.

Barbara Coon, Velma Cousins and Sheila Fuller all said recently they plan to seek re-election to the seven-member school board.

Nominating positions to the three-year seats on the school board are now available from the district clerk. Interested candidates must file for a specific seat, and petitions must have at least 76 signatures.

The petitions must be filed with the district clerk by Friday, April 6, 30 days prior to the budget vote on Wednesday, May 6.

Terms will begin on July 1.

The district office is on Adams Pl. in Delmar.

Featured on WAMC

Several Bethlehem Central students were guest performers and featured soloists on Findlay Cockrell's radio program, "Classical Night Live" on WAMC radio recently.

Portia Wu and Mary Ann Loegering performed in the string ensemble and Meg Bragle and Jeremy Williams were the featured soloists in the Vivaldi Concerto for two violins and orchestra. Susan Loegering and Kate Lempert were members of the Woodwind Quintet. All the students are members of the Empire State Youth Orchestra.

Career day at BCBS

Career Day, a program designed to assist non-college bound high school juniors and seniors in learning about the skills needed for employment after graduation, will be held at Bethlehem Central High School on March 25, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The program is being sponsored by the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce, the Bethlehem Kiwanis Club and Bethlehem Central High School.

Author to speak

Local author Alexandra Kurland will read from her new book, *Teddies To The Rescue*, at the Clarksville and Berne-Knox schools this week. She will also introduce the children to Animal Ambassadors, an international cultural Exchange Program.

Kurland will talk to the first through third grades at Clarksville Elementary School on March 12 from 1:30 to 2:15 p.m. She'll meet with the fourth and fifth graders on Friday, March 14. Children will bring their favorite toy animals and meet Kenyon Bear, one of the heroes of Kurland's book.

Teddies To The Rescue is an adventure story set in the village of Shuttle Hill, which Delmar residents may recognize as their own village.

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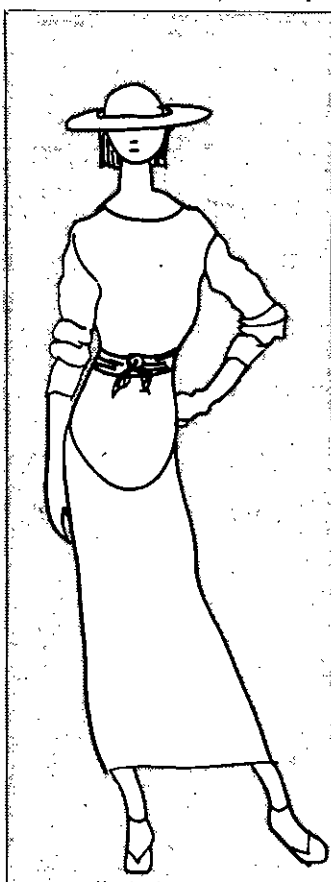
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Petitioners oppose Delmar Village

By Kevin Mullen

The Alliance Investment Group of Houston edged a little bit closer to its immediate goal of a public hearing for the proposed Delmar Village, located between Orchard St. and Delaware Ave., after the Bethlehem Planning Board picked two revised plans for the project last Tuesday evening. But getting to the hearing is likely only to raise a new set of issues — those that concern residents of the area near the project.

Jim Caton of Alliance Investment brought six plans to the meeting, three created for the north section of the property and three from the south section. The revised plans — with some modifications — have to be shown on a map for the board before a public hearing is set. The board and Caton have been sparring over whether roads in the large development should be public or private.

For the north section, the board picked the plan that Caton liked. Called "N1," Caton said the plan would "maximize the circulation" of traffic, especially in regard to emergency vehicles. Caton said that to make some roads public instead of private resulted in the shifting of roads in the two sections, but that "N1" used up the least amount of building coverage, resulting in more green space. Caton said that the plan would give more privacy to both the apartment dwellers and the people in the single family homes by creating more of a buffer area. Sixteen units would be lost from the original plan in the "N1" plan, Caton said.

The other two plans for the north had shortcomings, according to Caton. One wouldn't be as conducive to emergency vehicles because of a roundabout route and the apartment buildings would have been closer to the single family homes and the parking. The other plan "was a spinoff" of the second one. Caton said it was the most dense plan, had more pavement and a loss of green space. Board member John LaForte liked how the third plan intersected at right angles with Fisher Blvd., but Caton said that all three plans intersected at right angles with Fisher Blvd.

In the southern section, Caton began with the plan that he preferred, called "S2." He said that it would "free up a significant amount of green space" and was the "least dense." But after leaning toward the "S2" plan briefly, the board decided, with some modifications, on "S1," because board members said they preferred the road layout. In both the final plans for the north and south sections, none of the side roads for the apartment buildings link

directly with the roads for the single-family homes.

Like previous meetings on Delmar Village, this one attracted many interested citizens. John Finley of the Bethlehem Citizens For Responsible Planning, a newly formed group opposed to Delmar Village, gave the board a petition with 250 signatures. In a written statement, the group said it was concerned about the "increasing strain on town services and resources" and the proposed development's "adverse impact on the community."

William Matusak, who has been a regular at the Delmar Village meetings, asked if the main road that would split the development and is planned to be an extension of the Delmar Bypass would be a four-lane highway. Commissioner of Public Works Bruce Secor said that it would be a two-lane road.

"There are no plans for a four-lane road," he said. Turning lanes are planned, he said.

Dr. Thomas Bailey of New Scotland Rd. said that the large development would increase dramatically the amount of cars on Fisher Blvd. "How can we handle that?" he asked.

"The numbers are there, you can't hide from the numbers," Secor said. But, he explained, it would be possible to "create other

roads." He said the town could "create a hierarchy of roads" and decide "where the desired paths will be."

Other questions were asked about how Delmar Village would impact on Cherry Ave. and Orchard St., how it would affect the "country character" of Orchard St., and its effect on the Slingerlands school.

John Smolinsky of Orchard St., who has also been a regular at the Delmar Village meetings, questioned whether the developers were abiding by the 50 foot buffer zone in the zoning ordinance.

"It's very clear from the zoning ordinance that a fifty foot buffer zone should be a clear area," he said.

In other business, the planning board:

- Tabled after a lengthy discussion the proposed Brookhill Village, a complex of mixed units and retail stores located on Krumkill and Blessing roads. Paul Hite, local surveyor, was asked to bring to the next meeting some revised drawings. The developers are seeking a zoning change of 30 acres from A residential to a Planned Commercial District.

- Asked the developers of Village Green in Glenmont, Morache-Keneally Development Group, located on Wemple Rd., for

revised drawings. The developers made some changes to their original plan, moving the community building and moving some roads after converting them from private to public. A name change is being considered from Village Green to Village Square because Village Green is already being used by an apartment complex in the town.

Travels to Nicaragua

Maribeth Lynn of Delmar will travel to Nicaragua as a member of the third annual Witness For Peace International Women's Day Delegation.

From March 5 to 19, Lynn and the delegation will live and work with the Nicaraguan people and try to find out how their lives have been affected by the Sandinista revolution and the Contra fight.

Witness For Peace is a non-violent biblically based community of U.S. citizens that has maintained a continuous presence in Nicaraguan war zones since October of 1983.

BOU meeting

All are welcome to attend the next meeting of Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited (March 11) at Bethlehem Town Hall. The meeting will begin at 3:30 p.m. For information call 439-6885.

Student discipline

Parents, community members, staff members and students of the Bethlehem Central School District may join in discussing the revision, restructuring or implementation of student discipline, off-campus passes, punctuality and attendance, suspensions, substance abuse, student smoking, and parent and staff supervision and support during meetings at Bethlehem Central High School on March 16 and 23. The meetings will begin at 8 p.m.

Grandmothers meet

The National Federation of Grandmother Clubs, Albany Chapter 865, will hold a monthly meeting at the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post in Elsmere on Thursday, March 19, beginning at 7:30 p.m. New members are welcome. For information call 434-2715.

Seedling sale

The Albany County Soil and Water Conservation District is planning a spring tree seedling sale.

The available species are the Douglas fir, balsam fir, fraser black hills spruce, Colorado blue spruce, white spruce, Norway spruce and Scotch pine. Tree may be ordered in lots of 10, 50, 100, 500 and 1,000.

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Blue Circle plan reviewed

□ RCS budget

By Patricia Mitchell

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Board of Education may be concerned about plans by Blue Circle Atlantic Cement Co., across the road from the high school campus, to burn waste solvents, but for now will make no policy statement on the plan.

Instead, the board decided last week to receive a report from Sara Hunter, vice president of the board, on the project after sending her to an informational meeting Tuesday (yesterday). The board will also send a letter of concern to the company, asking for information on the plan.

Blue Circle, on Rt. 9W, is proposing to burn waste-derived fuels in cement kilns. The company has not applied for a permit to burn, but is expected to apply sometime in April.

It is too early yet for the school board to come out with a policy statement on the plan, and instead

the board should gather more information to help make a decision, said Board President Anthony Williams at last Monday's meeting. The general well-being and safety of students is a concern of the school board, he said.

The community will be looking to the RCS school board for its position, said board member Louis Neri, adding he would like to see the board take a strong position against the plan. The district is in a transitional stage with a lot of new building going on; the plan probably won't benefit anyone but Blue Circle, which just had its assessment decreased and will be making money from the plan; and the district can not get a 100 percent guarantee that the operation will be safe, he said.

Burning waste-derived fuels has to be done, said Hunter, but not across from a school campus. She said she was concerned that

loading, unloading and hauling of materials to be burned will be done directly across the road from two school buildings that may not be able to be used for several years if an accident occurs.

Board members said they were also concerned about the uncertainty of the process, and about evacuation of the schools if there is an accident.

The proposal to burn waste-derived fuels at the cement plant has sparked a great deal of community interest, and the informational meeting was expected to be well attended.

In other RCS school board business, the board learned that 20 RCS students are recipients of Regents scholarships this year. Superintendent William Schwartz said this is over 10 percent of the senior class.

The board also decided to meet with the coaching staff before its next meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 16. With several new coaches this year, board members said they would like to be able to meet and talk about general ideas and concerns.

(From page 1)

counselor, who also serves as department chair, overseeing 600 students at the junior high.

A full-time guidance counselor is also proposed for the high school, at \$30,000, because there are now two covering 800 students. Schwartz said he is also proposing a full-time math and science combination teacher at \$30,000, because currently some teachers are giving the courses outside of their fields. This will also allow the district to add extra classes for the Action Plan and Advanced Placement, he said. And a half time music teacher at \$15,000 is proposed to increase vocal instruction.

District-wide, Schwartz said he is proposing a full-time social worker to help identify learning and social problems earlier. The cost is set at \$30,000, but the position is eligible for state aid. The budget also earmarks \$2,200 to fund department chairmen in music, art and health, and an elementary science coordinator.

In special propositions, voters will be asked to approve bonds for six buses at \$220,000 and the continuation of the roof replace-

ment program at \$150,000 for the senior high school. Voters are used to funding buses, he said, because a few are purchased each year and RCS has a good fleet that is a source of community pride. The school board has never asked for large bond issues for buses and capital improvements because RCS finances them on a continuing basis, he said.

Other highlights of the 1987-88 proposed budget include:

- Tax rates for The Town of Coeymans will increase about four percent to \$213 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation from this year's \$204, and for the Town of New Baltimore will increase about 16 percent to \$172 per \$1,000 from this year's \$148.
- Total revenue is estimated at \$6,082,865, an increase of about three percent over this year's \$5,903,042. However, state aid is predicted to increase only about 3.7 percent to \$5,800,654 over this year's \$5,592,866 under Gov. Cuomo's proposed education funding plan. The final state budget, due April 1, often contains changes in the state aid formula.
- An increase of \$17,000 for umbrella, student accident and liability insurance. That is almost half of this year's bill of \$32,750, bringing next year's costs to \$49,750.
- An increase of electrical costs of \$25,000.
- Funds for five microcomputers at \$23,000 for science and industrial arts programs.

Stolen from K-Mart

Bethlehem Police said they have charged two Glenmont boys with possession of stolen property after they allegedly stole some merchandise from the K-Mart Store in the Town Squire Shopping Center.

Reported missing from the store on Jan. 12, were a radar detector and an equalizer, totaling \$248.

The boys, 17 years and 19 years old, were arrested by police Tuesday. Police said they are eligible for youthful offender status, and will be appearing in Bethlehem Town Court on the charges on April 7. They were released to their parents' custody.

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NEWS FROM SELKIRK AND SOUTH BETHLEHEM

Barbara Pickup



Visit to past

Some people remember the days before refrigerators when homes had ice boxes to keep food cold, and the ice man delivered blocks of ice in the summer from door to door. In those days harvesting ice from ponds and rivers was a winter livelihood, as well as a thriving business. Many men were employed in cutting and storing ice in buildings which lined the banks of the river to be shipped by barge later to cities, or used in localities near by. On Thursday, March 19, the public is invited to the Bethlehem Historical Association Schoolhouse Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., Selkirk, at 8 p.m., to view two Bethlehem Heritage programs on video tape. Introduced and produced by Lois Dillon for the Bethlehem Channel Cable TV, the programs will cover Henry Meyer's recollections of his harvesting ice on the Hudson River and a visit to an 1881 house at Cedar Hill, which was built by George Best, the owner of an ice business on the Hudson. The house has been restored by its present owners Vincent and Sheila Giordano, associate members.

Submarine sale

Youth of the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church will conduct a submarine sandwich sale on Sunday, March 15, at the Church on Willowbrook Ave., South Bethlehem, following the morning service. Orders may be placed for \$3.50 by calling 767-9953 on the evening of March 14. The youth, under the leadership of Rev. Gary Dickson and Roberta Osborn, will contribute the proceeds from the sale to the Mission Fund.

Chowder time

Every Friday from now until Easter the Faith Lutheran Church of Glenmont will sell Manhattan clam chowder. Prepared by men of the church, the clam chowder will be available for \$3.75 a quart, or \$2 a pint. Orders may be placed by calling Chuck Herrick at 439-3368, Walter Kositzka at 439-5989 or Thomas Little at 439-4019, by Tuesday. The clam chowder can be picked up after noon at 37 Cherry Avenue, Delmar.

Anniversary celebration

The Bethlehem Grange members and friends will celebrate their 113th Anniversary this Saturday, March 14, with a covered dish supper at the Grange Hall, Rt. 396, Beckers' Corners, Selkirk, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Mission fair

All are invited to attend the Mission Fair on Sunday, March 22, at the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, Willowbrook Ave., South Bethlehem, from 9:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. Featured will be games, booths and displays outlining the works of the mission programs. Dr. J. Steele will speak

at the 11 a.m. service. A covered dish dinner will begin at 1 p.m. Finally, a slide presentation and discussion on missions in Africa by medical missionary Marge Nellis at 1:45 p.m.

Amateur talent show

On Saturday, March 21, Perry's Dance Studio will present an amateur talent show at Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Senior High School. The show, which will feature vocal, novelty, dance and instrumental performances, will benefit the RCS girls track team. The show will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Admission is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students and children.

Church dinner planned

Friends and members of the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church are asked to remember that a ham dinner will be served at the church on Saturday, March 28, beginning at 5 p.m., with continuous servings until 7 p.m. Everyone is invited, admission is \$5.75 for adults, \$3.50 for children and \$1 for pre-schoolers. Reservations may be made by calling Jessie Leigh at 767-9087, before March 25.

FHA information

The Albany County Rural Housing Alliance will sponsor an informational meeting on the Farmers Home Administration Program at 9:30 a.m. on March 16 at the William Rice Cooperative Extension building in Voorheesville.

Information will be provided on the Albany and Schoharie county programs for people with low incomes who do not have the available cash for a conventional bank mortgage.

For information call Dottie Flansburg, home counselor, at 765-3535.



Liz Ferraro, leader of Girl Scout Troop 653 of Bethlehem, and Girl Scout Jill Ferraro, work on their display commemorating the 75th anniversary

of the Girl Scouts, which is now up at the Bethlehem Public Library. *Spotlight*

Girl Scout promise

Lila Kawas and Sarah Nathan of Delmar are alternates for the 75th anniversary celebration of the Girl Scouts on March 12 in Washington, D.C.

The celebration is part of the Promise Circle, an international Girl Scout event. National Girl Scout President Betty F. Pillsbury will begin the circle at 2:30 p.m. by leading the 2,700 girls present in reciting the Girl Scout promise. Girl Scouts throughout the world will repeat the promise in their respective time zones. President and Mrs. Reagan are expected to be present.


The local girls will stay at the 4H dormitory in Chevy Chase, Md. They will enjoy a tour of Washington and a visit to the zoo.

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Clarksville water on way

By Patricia Mitchell

With the water supply report almost finished, consultants for the Clarksville Water District believe residents should be able to turn on their taps by late spring of next year.

The Town of New Scotland hopes to be able to put three different parts of the project out to bid sometime this year. Ronald LaBerge Jr., of LaBerge Engineering, said construction will probably be in two phases, one this year and one next year. He said he hopes to have most residents of the hamlet serviced by the end of this year.

"We'll certainly try," LaBerge said.

Dunn Geoscience of Latham is finalizing the water supply report for the Weisenburn farm site, located about two miles south of Clarksville, and LaBerge said it could be completed this week. The water report will pinpoint the best area for the placement of the wells, and LaBerge said three wells have already been dug and a fourth is planned.

After the water report is received, the Department of

Environmental Conservation and the Albany County Health Department will need to review it, LaBerge said. New Scotland will need a water supply application from DEC, which will review the supply and make sure it is an acceptable public water supply. DEC review is a lengthy process, and will take at least 45 days. LaBerge said the town has been working with DEC on the Weisenburn farm site, and he is confident of approval.

Albany County will also have to review the water supply report and give its okay. LaBerge said New Scotland will need approval from the state Department of Transportation because preliminary plans have transmission lines running along Rt. 32 and Rt. 443.

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) will also need to approve the water report because it is picking up the tab on a large amount of the project, LaBerge said. Approval will be needed from FmHA, DEC and Albany County on transmission lines and holding tanks in the hamlet.

The distribution system within

the hamlet is mostly designed, LaBerge said, and will be completed as soon as the map for the transmission system between the farm and the hamlet is finalized.

Then the town can go out to bid on development of the Weisenburn farm site, distribution and transmission lines and water holding tanks.

Clarksville residents first voiced a desire to establish a water district in 1982. Water for the hamlet is supplied through a series of individual domestic wells.

The project is expected to cost \$1,815,500. The town has received \$1.339 million in grants from FmHA and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The town expects to borrow \$500,000 from FmHA and receive a district loan, making up the long-term debts of the project.

In the first year of the district's operation, the owner of an average district property assessed at \$2,433 would be billed \$166 for the loan repayment and \$55 for water use. In the last year of the repayment period, the homeowner would be charged \$45 and \$66 for water use.

Hit in parking lot

A Bethlehem Central High School student was struck by a car Wednesday as he was crossing the parking lot of the school, Bethlehem Police reported.

The 18-year-old student was struck by another 18-year-old student at about 8:30 a.m. when he was crossing the lot to enter the school, police said. The driver told police he entered the parking lot, and tried to get close to the pedestrian without hitting him. However, he struck the pedestrian, knocking him to the ground.

The student pedestrian was reportedly taken to an area hospital for treatment of bruises and pains in his leg, police said. No charges were filed.

What's in a name



This sign marks the beginning of County Rt. 102 from Rt. 32 in Feura Bush. Residents would like to see a South Rd. street sign also marking at the corner.

Spotlight

A rose may be as sweet by any other name, but some County Rt. 102 residents would like to call South Rd. home sweet home.

Rt. 102, which crosses New Scotland-Bethlehem-Coeymans town lines, has been known as South Rd., Quarry Rd. and Feura Bush Aqueduct Rd. This has led to some confusion and about 29 residents along the road have petitioned both Bethlehem and New Scotland to name it South Rd.

Because of the confusion over the names, residents are having trouble getting mail and newspaper deliveries, and having utilities turned on, said Judith Wing, president of the Feura Bush Neighborhood Association, which circulated the petition.

"Nobody seemed to know where they are," Wing said. About four houses along the road are in New Scotland, and the remaining 27 are in Bethlehem.

The neighborhood association contacted Albany County requesting a new street sign, and was told one would be provided, if a name is agreed on, they said in a petition to the New Scotland Town Board.

However, both towns will need to agree on a name for the road. New Scotland Town Board members decided Wednesday to talk to its neighbor Bethlehem and to the county, and then meet with the residents. The Bethlehem Town Board has turned it over to Public Works Commissioner Bruce Secor for further study.

One problem for naming County Rt. 102 as South Rd. is the popularity of the name. New Scotland has two South Roads in Clarksville and New Salem, and Bethlehem has a South Albany Rd. between South Albany and South Bethlehem.

"We're trying to encourage the two towns to work with the residents," Wing said. "We will keep pursuing it."

Patricia Mitchell

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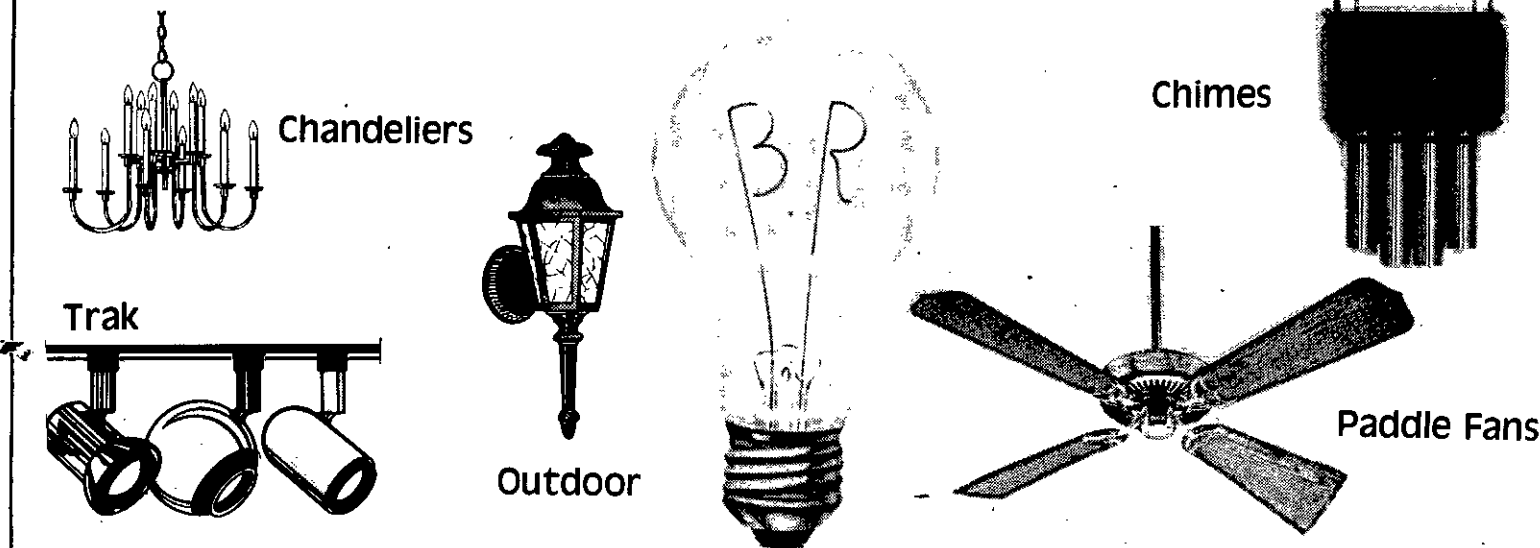
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Orchard St. accident

A chain collision due to icy roads on Orchard St. sent a Delmar woman to the hospital Monday, March 2, Bethlehem Police said.

Joan Maxon, 69, of Orchard St. in Delmar, was taken to Albany Medical Center Hospital after the accident. A hospital spokesman said she was admitted for treatment of chest pains and released Tuesday.

Maxon was driving northeast on Orchard St. near Fisher Blvd. when she lost control of her car on an ice-covered hill and struck the rear of a state Department of Environmental Conservation truck that had earlier slid on the same ice patch and gone off the road. Police said the collision knocked the truck sideways into a guide rail post. The driver of the truck was not hurt, police said.

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Industrial rezoning eyed

By Patricia Mitchell

An Environmental Impact Statement will be prepared on the proposed rezoning of land near the railroad tracks in Feura Bush to light industrial.

The New Scotland Planning Board on Feb. 24 also requested more information from two land owners on their plans for the rezoning.

The environmental statement will be prepared on an 1800-foot deep strip of land to the northwest of Rt. 32 behind the Feura Bush post office to the present industrial zone that is owned by Tony Mauro of Schenectady. Mauro also owns adjacent property in the Town of Bethlehem where it is zoned heavy industrial, and he and Henry Digeser of Flach Development and Realty, Inc., would like to lease the Feura Bush land to park trucks for industrial use.

The land is now zoned Residential-Hamlet that does not

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allow an industrial use for truck storage.

The environmental impact statement and an application to the planning board and eventually the town board for the rezoning of Mauro's property will be prepared by Delmar land surveyor Paul Hite.

Because Mauro has reached an agreement with Nathaniel Mattice of Feura Bush to use a small section of his property near the town line for a driveway, the planning board also requested a letter from Mattice on his plans for rezoning. At their Feb. 10, meeting, the board realized the property would need a zoning change for the proposed use, but it was not included with the original application.

In other business, the planning board granted a special use permit

to Theresa Raeder of Onesquethaw Creek Rd. in Feura Bush for a hobby kennel. The permit will not be transferrable when it is sold, Raeder will only be able to keep 10 or fewer adult Irish wolfhounds on the property, and no grooming, sales or commercial activity will be allowed.

Violinist to speak

Susan St. Amour, the principal violinist with the Albany Symphony Orchestra, will speak at the Bethlehem Public Library on Friday, March 20, at 1 p.m. St. Amour will speak about Berlioz's "Harold in Italy," which she will perform as soloist in an upcoming concert.

St. Amour, a graduate of the Oberlin Conservatory and Indiana University, has studied with Walter Trampler. She is also principal violinist with the Berkshire Symphony.

All are welcome to attend the free program.



James Hladun at work on a personal computer.

Hladun in training

James Hladun of Voorheesville, a teacher in the Voorheesville Central School District, was one of 250 teachers who participated in a recent technology education in-service project at the State University College at Oswego.

The program was sponsored by the State Education Department to provide industrial arts teachers with the skills and understanding necessary to deliver the new Regents-mandated technology education curriculum.

Town funds Volunteer Center

By Patricia Mitchell

The Town of New Scotland will pay for its share of the Volunteer Center of Albany's community sentencing program.

The town board decided last Wednesday to fund the program for \$634, the town's share of using the program. The request from the center was tabled last month until more information could be gathered.

In the past three to four years, said Supervisor Stephan Wallace, the town has used eight to 12 town youths who work in the town park as part of their alternative sentencing. The youths all work pretty hard, and have blisters on their hands like everyone else, he said. The town also partially supports Hope House, another community service program for drug and alcohol abuse, Wallace said.

Justice Cynthia LaFave uses the community sentencing program from the Volunteer Center of Albany in alternative sentencing for young offenders.

In other business, the New Scotland Town Board agreed to repay \$5,250 to Albany County because of delays in the Onesquethaw Creek bridge project. Three or four years ago, Wallace said, the county agreed to replace the bridge and the town agreed to pay for the engineer and approaches to the bridge.

The board also learned that the planning board may recommend that site plan review requirements be added to the town's zoning

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ordinance. Robert Cook, planning board consultant, said he feels the board is moving in that direction because there are several proposed projects that the zoning ordinance wouldn't give much control over since they are not subdivisions.

The town board also:

- Learned that plans for a group home at 30 East Rd. in New Salem for seven mildly retarded adults are still in the feasibility study stage by the Albany County

Chapter of the state Association of Retarded Children.

- Received a letter of appreciation from the New Scotland Soccer Club for \$600 in support. The funds will be used for official fees and insurance.

- Agreed to pay Steven Winkley, a hydrology intern who worked with the town's water resource commission last summer, for 40 hours of work in the fall completing a preliminary town-wide water resources study.

- Set 7:45 p.m. Wednesday, April 1, before their next meeting, for a public hearing on flood ordinance amendments to the zoning code.

Audubon meeting

Chad Covey of the Sherburne office of the state Department of Environmental Conservation will speak about the impact of forest management practices on bird populations at the March 19 meeting of the Albany County Audubon Society. The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar.

Republican dinner

The New Scotland Republican Committee dinner will be held at the Crossgate Banquet House on Friday, March 20, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Tickets are available at \$15 from Republican Committee members.

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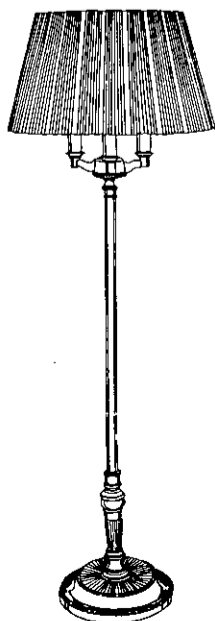
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No opposition in election

By Patricia Mitchell

Two incumbent Voorheesville village trustees are running unopposed in next Wednesday's village election.

Voters will be approving the re-election of Richard Langford and Edward Donohue running on the Village Party ticket to their four-year seats on the five member village board.

Voting will take place from noon to 9 p.m. Wednesday, March 18, at the Voorheesville Firehouse on Altamont Ave.

Donohue and Langford were last elected in March, 1985. The terms have since been made four years.

Donohue was first appointed to the board in November, 1984, to fill the seat vacated by the resignation of Joseph L. Deidrick. In his years as trustee liaison to the sewer commission, the village took over the Salem Hills Sewer District and has started construction on the Pleasant St. Sewer District. Donohue is also trustee liaison to the Voorheesville Volunteer Ambulance Squad and the dog warden.

"I have enjoyed the public service. It gives a chance to get things done," Donohue said, adding that the board is a good group to work with.

He works as a computer consultant and programmer for Unisys, and presently Donohue is working with state universities on



Edward Donohue

their computer systems. Donohue has received degrees from the Empire State College and Hudson Valley Community College, and has taken classes at Syracuse University and the State University of New York at Albany.

A native of Albany, Donohue lived in Syracuse for three years before moving to Voorheesville 15 years ago. He is chairman of the Voorheesville Public Library Board of Trustees, a trustee and past exalted ruler of the New Scotland Elks Lodge, and a member of the American Legion.

He and his wife, JoAnn, have four children, Ed, Tom, Carey and Kelly, and they live on Swift Rd.

When he was first elected in

1979, Langford was the youngest person ever elected to the board. Over his past eight years in office, Langford has served as trustee liaison to the building department, which now employs a full-time building inspector with new zoning regulations, the youth and recreation committee and the village historian. He recently chaired a committee that revised building permit fees, and is now chairing a long-range planning committee for community projects intended to preserve and enhance aesthetic qualities of the village.

Langford said he sees the ultimate goal of the village for the next 10 years to protect and preserve or enhance the quality of life, rather than allowing sprawling development that could clog roads, services and the schools.

Langford is a sales representative for insulation for D. A. Bennett. A graduate of Voorheesville Central Schools and a former state track star, he attended the University of Florida, SUNY Albany and the College of St. Rose.

A 28-year resident of the village, Langford and his wife, Debbie, and their children, Courtney, Darcey, Erinn and Joey live on Maple Ave.

Finance seminar

A financial services seminar, featuring a discussion of banking products, brokerage services, insurance/annuities and individual retirement accounts, to be held at the Voorheesville office of Northeast Savings has been rescheduled for March 19, beginning at 7 p.m.

Voorheesville budget

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estimated actual expenditures.

Teacher salaries still have to be negotiated, and Superintendent Louise Gonan has said she would like to bring salaries up so they are competitive with other districts. The budget shows holds an increase of about 14 percent in teacher salaries, with \$2,538,321, up from this year's \$2,230,200.

The district is also trying to rebuild a surplus that could be lost because of an estimated revenue shortage of about \$100,000 to \$125,000, which will eat into this year's surplus. Contributing to the problem are shortfalls in state aid, cyclical buying that was not included after the end of last year and was done in this year's budget, paying back money to the unemployment reserve that was transferred out last year, and about \$200,000 in taxes that were not collected because tax rates were slightly less than what the school board predicted for the budget. Gonan has said, however, that the district will not be running at a deficit.

After Thursday night's budget session, the preliminary budget was pared down about \$117,000 because some board members with the increase hard to deal with. They asked Gonan to sit down again with the office and administrative staff, and to add a few missing numbers so they would know Monday night what the final figures were.

Also on Thursday night, board members were concerned about the large chunk that Committee

on Special Education expenses were taking up. They said they were concerned that the district may be dealing with uncontrollable and open-ended programs, and wanted to know if other districts are facing the same problems and staff increases.

The preliminary budget for including salaries, equipment and supplies and tuition, is at \$544,124, an increase of 25 percent over this year's budgeted \$435,100. The largest increase, about 30 percent, is \$266,200 for Board of Cooperative Educational Services special programs over this year's \$204,000.

The budget proposes a new secretarial position at the elementary school for CSE that will be partly shared by the school, and a part-time social worker for evaluation and followups, because the social worker hired by the district last year spends about half the time on CSE. Gonan said the two positions will be used to get the social worker back to school work.

Gonan explained that there is a lot of work involved with the CSE, because each of the 30 placements have to be constantly visited, and then a report on the placements have to be made yearly with the committee for replacement. She said, though, that CSE costs are state aidable.

"Committee on Special Education keeps on sucking up more and more," said Board President John McKenna. "It is a simple couple of words — state mandated."

Other highlights of the 1987-88 budget include:

- Two new positions for custodians, a half-time gifted and talented worker at the elementary school, a new bus driver anticipated for an extra route, a part-time alternative education position at the high school, and three part-time positions for curriculum development at the elementary school under the Regents Action Plan.
- Increase of about 48 percent in liability insurance to \$71,200 from this year's budgeted \$48,200. The district estimates it will pay \$59,194 in premiums this year.

• An increase of about 40 percent for BOCES occupational education tuition to \$166,500 from \$119,000. The actual cost of occupational education tuition this year was \$152,112.

• The start of a five-year capital improvement and bus purchase plan. Two buses will be purchased in the budget at \$90,000 and capital improvements will be started at \$100,000. Voters will also get a chance to approve a proposition to sell bonds to purchase three more buses at \$135,000.

• Private transportation costs are budgeted at \$192,000, an increase of about 13 percent over this year's budgeted \$169,800. The district estimates it will actually spend \$151,780.

• Large increases in employee social security and health and dental security costs. Social security is budgeted at \$309,670, an increase of about 23 percent over this year's budgeted \$250,000. Health and dental insurance will increase about 48 percent to \$331,000 from this year's \$223,000. The district estimates it will spend \$257,525 for social security and \$256,531 for employee insurance this year.

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Music in our schools

March is Music in Our Schools month; and, in honor of the occasion, the Clayton A. Bouton Senior High School music groups will present their pops concert on Wednesday, March 18, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Featured will be the high school band performance of "Bircusse and Newly on Broadway" as well as a medley of Richard Rodgers favorites. The stage band, also under the direction of Frank McDermott, will play "Shiny Stockings" and "Count Me In."

The chorus, which is directed by Maraget Dorgan, will present a medley of Frank Sinatra tunes as well as "Every Breath You Take." Counterpoint, a vocal ensemble, will perform "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy" and "It Don't Mean a Thing If It Ain't Got That Swing."

All are welcome to enjoy this free evening of entertainment.

The elementary school students are also enjoying music during the month of March. Students in grades K through 4 were treated to a performance of the sixth grade band last week, under the direction of Lydia Tobler. On Monday local folksinger, Bill Spence gave a dulcimer demonstration.

Tomorrow (March 12) area performer Peter Fisch will entertain students with his guitar and present a song writing demonstration.

On Wednesday, March 18, students in the upper grades will attend a performance of the Berkshire Ballet at Siena College.

Finally, on Thursday, March 19, the entire school will take part in The World's Largest Concert by singing several American Songs along with children from all over the country in a simulcast.

Other music month projects include a poster contest for grades 5 and 6, as well as morning announcement music presented by students in grades 5 and 6.

Key Club dance marathon

Music will certainly be an important part of this Friday's dance marathon to benefit Cystic Fibrosis. Sponsored by the high school Key Club, the event will be held this Friday (March 13), from 3 to 11 p.m., at the high school gym.

Anyone interested in sponsoring a student may call the Key Club at 765-3314.

Girl Scouts celebrate

Voorheesville Girl Scouts will be joining with other scouts around the world tomorrow (March 12) in celebrating the 75th birthday of Girl Scouting.

Daisies, Brownies and Girl Scouts from Voorheesville troops will participate in a sing-in to be held after school at Voorheesville Elementary School. After joining together in song, the scouts will join in a worldwide promise circle at 4 p.m.

Garden club meets

The Helderview Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, March 12, at the First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville, beginning at 7 p.m. After a brief business meeting, a workshop on decorating baskets and wreaths with dried flowers will be presented by Anne Kodra.

Guests and new members are welcome.

Gardening course offered

With spring just around the corner, several mini-courses in gardening are being offered through the continuing education program of the Voorheesville Central School District. Courses to be offered by Paul Jeffers, master gardener at Jeffers Nursery, who will conduct these courses: home and lawn care, Tuesday, March 17; general landscaping, Tuesday, March 24, and pruning shrubs and trees, Tuesday, March 31.

To register for \$5 per class call the high school at 765-3314.

Legion Auxiliary meeting

The Auxiliary of the Voorheesville American Legion Post 1493, will hold its monthly meeting at the Legion Hall on Thursday, March 12, beginning at 8 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Men's club recruiting

The Kiwanis Club of New Scotland will hold a membership round-up at the New Scotland Presbyterian Church on Thursday, March 19, at 7 p.m. New Scotland residents who are interested in joining the local men's service organization or learning more about the group are invited to attend the dinner meeting.

For reservations call Mike Lancor at 765-4883.

Pee Wee Wrestling

On the subject of Kiwanis Club activities, the Pee Wee Wrestling program is now underway every Wednesday and Thursday evening at the high school.

Students in grades 1 through 3 participate from 6:30 to 7:20 p.m. Pupils in grades 4, 5 and 6 wrestle from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The program is coordinated by Dick Leach, high school wrestling coach, with assistance from members of the junior and senior high wrestling teams. Parent volunteers are welcome.

ATV training course

Owners of all-terrain vehicles are encouraged to register for a safety course being taught by Donald Otterness, the science coordinator at Voorheesville Elementary School and a qualified ATV instructor. The course will be held on Tuesday, March 24, from 5 to 8:30 p.m., at the grade school. The program is being sponsored by the parks and recreation department.

To register call the grade school at 765-2382 or Otterness at 355-5722.

Country western night

March 18 is the deadline for making reservations to attend the Country Western Night, sponsored by the Auxiliary of the New Scotland Elks Club, on Saturday, March 28, from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m., at the American Legion Hall. For \$10 reservations call Shirley Perrault at 439-4011.

Kindergarten data

A meeting for parents whose children will be entering the Voorheesville Central School District 1987-88 kindergarten class will be held on Wednesday, March 18, at 7:30 p.m. School administrators and faculty will meet with parents at Voorheesville Elementary School to present information on the kindergarten program.

Parents of children who will be five on or before Dec. 1, 1987, may call the grade school at 765-2382.

Cake show planned

A cake show, sponsored by the Food Arts Club, will be held at the Clifton Country Mall, Rt. 146, Clifton Park, on Saturday, April 11, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Within the divisions based on the entrant's level of decorating experience will be categories for special occasions cakes, novelty cakes, tiered cakes, gingerbread and candy molding.

For information write to Studio 6, 1618 Rt. 9, Clifton Park, N.Y. 12065, or call 371-4478.

Ten Eyck will not seek reelection

Hoping to spend more time at his Indian Ladder Farms, Peter G. Ten Eyck II has announced he will not be seeking re-election to the Voorheesville Central Board of Education this year.

That means a new face will be elected to the five-year seat on the seven-member board during the annual budget vote on May 13.

Even though the population is stable, Ten Eyck said, the school district is growing and the school board should be able to grow and evolve with fresh ideas and fresh people.

A 15-year member of the school board, Ten Eyck said he ran for his third term because there were a lot of new faces on the board. Now, he said, there are seasoned people on the board.

Ten Eyck said there is so much evolution in education going on now, but he sees the district keeping pace with others and even gaining ground.

"This is a first-class school system," he said.

Ten Eyck said he was pleased when the district was searching for a new superintendent last year and more than 100 applications were received, about 20 percent of them already superintendents at other districts.

"We had so many over 100," Ten Eyck said.

Ten Eyck runs the Indian Ladder Farms outside Voorheesville and Ten Eyck Insurance in



Peter G. Ten Eyck II

Albany. He is a director of Key Corp, is active in several state agriculture organizations and the Albany Chamber of Commerce board.

Petitions for nominations to the school board are available in the district office at the Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School. They must be filed by Monday, April 13, 30 days before the budget vote, and be signed by 25 residents.

The school board budget vote and election will be held on Wednesday, May 13.

Legion Auxiliary meets

A covered dish supper and meeting of members of the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Unit 1040, American Legion Auxiliary, will be held on Tuesday, March 17, at 7 p.m.

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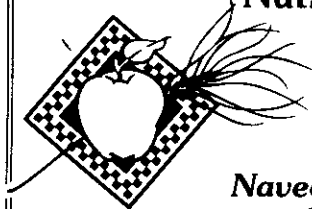
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Town of New Scotland, Town Board meets first Wednesday at 8 p.m., Planning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m., Board of Appeals meets when necessary, usually Fridays at 7 p.m. Town Hall, Rt. 85.

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 at 7:30 p.m. at the district offices in the high school, Rt. 85A, Voorheesville.

THE SPOTLIGHT CALENDAR

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

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

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

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

Bethlehem Landfill open 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.

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

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.

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

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

WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH

Bethlehem Elks Auxiliary, 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.

New Scotland Senior Citizens, every Wednesday, old schoolhouse, New Salem. Information, Martha Navilia at 439-4039.

Normansville Community Church, Bible study and prayer meeting, 10 Rockefeller Rd., Elmsere. Information, 439-7864.

Bible Study, "Father Forgive Them; They Know Not What They Do," Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 9:30 a.m.

Adult Education Program, "Church and Empire: Crisis in the Third Century," look at early Christian church in conflict with Roman Empire, three sessions, St. Thomas School, Delmar, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Information, 439-3945.

Lecture, Maureen Casey will discuss Nicaragua, St. Matthew's Church, Voorheesville, 7:30 p.m.

Informational Seminar, discussing financial services, Key Bank Delmar Office, 343 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Reservations, 447-3428.

Second Mile, association of Tri-Village retirees, slide presentation on Irish travelers, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, noon.

Meeting, Multiple Sclerosis Support Group of Albany-Rensselaer Counties, Bethlehem Public Library, 2 p.m. Information, 453-1631.

Lenten Service, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited, meeting, everyone welcome, Bethlehem Town Hall, 3:30 p.m. Information, 439-6885.

THURSDAY 12 MARCH

New Scotland Kiwanis Club, Thursdays, 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.

New Scotland Democratic Social Club, second Thursday, 8 p.m.

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

Bethlehem Memorial V.F.W. Post 3185, meets second Thursday of each month, post rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Information, 439-9836.

Elsmere Fire Company Auxiliary, meets second Thursday of each month at firehouse, Poplar Dr., Elmsere, 8 p.m.

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

Silver Bullets Square Dance Club, mainstream class, 7 p.m., workshop, 9 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Delmar. Information, 439-3689.

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

Homecare Program, "Sewing with a Serger," workshop and slide program, William Rice Extension Center, Martin Rd., Voorheesville, \$1.50, 7-9 p.m. Registration, 765-3550.

Feura Bush Funsters, 4-H group for youths between 8 and 19 years, meet every Thursday, Jerusalem Church, Feura Bush, 7-8 p.m.

Film Series, "Family Under Fire," emphasizing traditional values in parenting of young children through adolescents and strengthening family ties, St. Thomas School Auditorium, \$1, 7:30-9 p.m.

Helderviel Garden Club, workshop on dried flower baskets and wreaths, Voorheesville United Methodist Church, all welcome, 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Bible Study, 10 a.m. Information, 439-4328.

FRIDAY 13 MARCH

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

Youth Group Meetings, United Pentecostal Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 7 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

Q.U.I.L.T. Quilters United in Learning Together, meeting, United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 9:30 a.m. Information, 477-9705.

SATURDAY 14 MARCH

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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.

THEATRE

"Yours, Anne," musical play of "The Diary of Anne Frank," Cohoes Music Hall, 58 Remsen St., Cohoes, through March 15. Tickets and times, 235-7969.

"The Dresser," Albany Civic Theatre, Albany, March 11-22. Information, 462-1297.

"A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum," Schenectady Light Opera House, 826 State St., Schenectady, March, 13-15. Tickets and times, 355-1699.

"Angel Street," Schenectady Civic Playhouse, 12 Church St., Schenectady, March 17 and 19. Information, 479-3504.

"Madame Butterfly," Proctor's Theatre, Schenectady, March 14, 8 p.m. Information, 346-6204.

Neil Simon comedy, "Plaza Suite," St. Andrew's Dinner Theatre, March, 13-15 and 20-22, Friday, 7 p.m., Saturday, 5 p.m. Reservations, 463-2586.

"Merely Players: The Men and Women of William Shakespeare," one-man show, College of St. Rose, Twickenham Playhouse, March 14, 8 p.m.; March 15, 7 p.m. Information, 454-5102.

"Jupiter and Elsewhere," Market Theatre, 111 North Pearl St., Albany, March 14-April 12. Tickets and show times, 462-4534.

MUSIC

Free Organ Concert, featuring organist Mary Bon, St. Peter's Church, State and Lodge streets, Albany, every Friday, 12:05 p.m.

Suburban Council concert featuring students from Bethlehem Central School District, Convention Center, Empire State Plaza, March 15, 2 p.m.

Schuyler String Quartet in concert, Recital Hall, State University of New York at Albany Performing Arts Center, 1400 Washington Ave., March 15, \$4, 7 p.m. Information, 442-3995.

The McLean Mix, electronic music concert, Rensselaer County Council for the Arts, 189 Second St., Troy, March 15, \$7, 2 and 4 p.m. Information, 273-0552.

Young Concert Artist Series, Maurice Sklar, violinist, Lake Placid Center for the Arts, Lake Placid, March 14, \$7, 8 p.m. Tickets, 523-2512.

Organ Recital, James R. Fry of First United Church of Coxsackie, First United Church of Coxsackie, March 15, 7 p.m. Information, 731-6858.

Albany Symphony Orchestra, performance of, "Via Crucis," and "Lauda Sion," Cathedral of All Saints, 62 South Swan St., Albany, March 13, 8 p.m. Information, 445-3291.

Lenten noontime recital, Woodwind Quintet, First Church of Albany, 56 Orange St., March 17, noon. Information, 463-4449.

Albany Pro Musica will perform Mozart's "Requiem," Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, Troy, March 14, \$10, 8 p.m. Information, 442-4167.

Eastman Wind Ensemble, Proctor's Theatre, Schenectady, March 12, 8 p.m. Information, 346-6204.

FOLK

Traditional and contemporary British ballads with Jaqui and Birdie, Cafe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, March 13-15, 8:30 p.m. Information, 583-0022.

JAZZ

Benefit concert, The Lee Shaw Trio and saxophonist Nick Brignola, Arts Center, Holy Names Campus, 1069 New Scotland Rd., Albany, March 12, 7:45 p.m. Tickets, 438-6472.

Faculty Jazz Concert, St. Joseph's Auditorium, College of St. Rose, 985 Madison Ave., Albany, March 16, 7:30 p.m. Information, 454-5195.

OPERA

Simon Estes, internationally known opera star, Foy Campus Center, Siena College, Loudonville, March 11, 8 p.m. Information, 783-2431.

ART

Patricia Johanson will show slides, paintings and plans of her life-size sculptures, The Albany Academy Gallery, Academy Road, Albany, through March 20, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Information and appointment, 465-1461.

"The Humor Show," 85-piece exhibit, College of Saint Rose Picotte Gallery, 324 State St., Albany, through March 29, Monday-Friday, 11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sunday, 1-4 p.m. Information, 454-5185 or 454-5189.

"Sculpture and Photographs," Harmanus Bleecker Center, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, through April 21. Information, 463-4478.

Oil paintings of Arline Shulman, Hudson Valley Community College Gallery, Troy, through March 31. Information, 283-1100.

"The Innocent Eye," Hudson River Valley, past and present, Greene County Council on the Arts, 398 Main St., Catskill, March 8-April 11, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, noon-5 p.m. Information, 943-3400.

"Savory Suppers and Fashionable Feasts: Dining in Victorian America," Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, through April 5. Information, 463-4478.

"Fiber," The Rice Gallery, 135 Washington Ave., Albany, through April 11, Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Appointments, 463-4478.

Figurative paintings of Jeanne Staples and Diana Smolenski, Rensselaer County Council for the Arts, 189 Second St., Troy, March 13-April 12, Tuesday-Sunday, 1-5 p.m. Information, 273-0552.

Exhibit of Soviet Union, Main Gallery, Rensselaer County Junior Museum, 282 Fifth Ave., Troy, through July. Information and hours, 235-2120.

Schoharie County Photographers and Woodworkers Exhibit, Schoharie County Council Arts Council, Union St., Cobleskill, through April 24, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Appointment, 234-7380.

FILM

"Art at the Plaza," film series highlighting many contributions of black artists during 1900's, Concourse level, Empire State Museum, through March 24, Sundays, 1 p.m.; Tuesdays, 12:10 p.m. Information, 473-7521.

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Delmar Progress Club, trip to opera, "Madame Butterfly," bus leaves from town parking lot, Kenwood Ave. next to Applebee's, 6:45 p.m.

Book Sale, used books, records, puzzles, and maps, Bethlehem Public Library, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

Grand Reopening, Tudor House Gift Shop, hand crafted gifts, 353 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Information, 439-6420.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Bible Study, 7:45-9 a.m. Information, 439-4328.

Lenten Service, Rev. Brenda Briggs of First Presbyterian Church will speak, Bethlehem United Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m. Information, 434-3502.

SUNDAY 15
MARCH

Delmar Presbyterian Church, Church and Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Family Worship and Communion, first Sunday of each month, 10:30 a.m.; Adult Education, 9:15 a.m.; Senior High Fellowship, 4:30 p.m.; Junior High Fellowship, call 439-3052. Information, 439-9252.

United Pentecostal Church, Sunday School and worship service, 10 a.m.; choir rehearsal, 5 p.m.; evening service, 6:45 p.m.; Rt. 85, New Salem. Information, 765-4410.

Delmar Reformed Church, church school and worship, nursery provided during worship, 386 Delaware Ave., 10 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

First United Methodist Church of Delmar, nursery care provided for pre-school children, church school and worship, 10 a.m.; adult education, 11:20 a.m.; Junior Youth Fellowship, 3:30 p.m.; Senior Youth Fellowship, 5:30 p.m. Information, 439-9976 or 439-2689.

Normansville Community Church, Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., 10 Rockefeller Rd., Elsmere. Information, 439-7864.

Bethlehem Community Church, Sunday School, 9 a.m.; morning worship service, 10:30 a.m.; 3-5th grade program, 6:15 p.m.; evening fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

"Turn Your Heart Toward Home," film series, for Berean Baptist Church, "The Family Under Fire," New Salem Reformed Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 6 p.m. Information, 765-4184.

Book Sale, used books, records, puzzles, and maps, Bethlehem Public Library, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Sunday School and Bible Classes, 9:15 a.m.; Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m. Information, 439-4328.

MONDAY 16
MARCH

Delmar Kiwanis, meet Mondays at Starlite Restaurant, 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.

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

Bethlehem Memorial Auxiliary Post 3185, VFW, third Monday, Post rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

Quartet Rehearsal, United Pentecostal Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 7:15 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

Library Book Sale, used books, maps, records and magazines, Bethlehem Public Library, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

Meeting, for parents and students interested in discussing student discipline, smoking, off campus passes, attendance and substance abuse at Bethlehem Central, Bethlehem Central High School, Room 46, 8 p.m. Information, 439-4921.

Meeting, information on Farmers Home Administration Program, Co-operative Extension Building, Martin Rd., Voorheesville, 9:30 a.m. Information, 765-3535.

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

Book Discussion Group, review of Barbara Pym's "Excellent Woman," Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

"**Death and Dying**," three-session course with Rev. James Daley, St. Thomas Rectory, lower level, 7:30-9 p.m. Information, 439-3945.

Meeting, Bethlehem Women's Club, Town Historian James Morgan will speak about Bethlehem and historical Bicentennial in 1993, Delmar Presbyterian Church, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2284.

AARP, Spring Luncheon, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, \$9.95, noon. Information, 439-3305.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Confirmation Class, 6:30 p.m.; Crossways Bible Class, 8 p.m. Information, 439-4328.

Blood Pressure Clinic, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and 7-8 p.m.

TUESDAY 17
MARCH

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

New Scotland Democratic Social Club, all welcome, meets third Tuesdays at Meads Corners, Rt. 32, 8 p.m.

Legion Auxiliary, Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Tuesday, 8 p.m.

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

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

WEDNESDAY 18
MARCH

Glenmont Homemakers, third Wednesday, Selkirk Firehouse No. 2, Glenmont Rd., 8 p.m.

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

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.

Delmar Fire District, regular meetings third Wednesdays, Delmar Fire Station, 7:30 p.m.

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SUNDAY EVENING 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY EVENING 6:30 p.m.

New Scotland Senior Citizens, every Wednesday, old schoolhouse, New Salem. Information, Martha Navilia at 439-4039.

Normansville Community Church, Bible study and prayer meeting, 10 Rockefeller Rd., Elsmere. Information, 439-7864.

Adult Education Program, "The Shaker-Catholic Connection," review of Shaker religious practices and its similarities to Catholicism, St. Thomas Church, Delmar, 7:30-9 p.m. Information, 439-3945.

Delmar Progress Club, Antique Study Group will present program on mirrors by Marilyn Spalding, Bethlehem Public Library Community Room, 1 p.m.

Financial Planner, David Vigoda will speak on investments and the new tax law, Bethlehem Public Library, 7 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

Bible Study, "Woman, Behold Your Son! Behold Your Mother!" Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 9:30 a.m.

Meeting, Bethlehem Public Library Board of Trustees, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m.

Pops Concert, Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School, free, 7:30 p.m.

Embroiderers' Guild of America, monthly meeting, Marion Spanjerdt of Toronto on "The Magic of Color," Delmar United Methodist Church, 10 a.m. Information, 477-4511.

Lenten Service, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

Public Hearing, on application of Robert and Teresa Hoffmeister for variance under Article XII of Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance for premises, 27 Western Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.; on application of James R. Sherin for amendment to previous variance under Article VIII of Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance for premises, 58 Burhans Place, Delmar, Bethlehem Town Hall, 8:15 p.m.

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American Legion Luncheons, for members, guests and applicants for membership. Post Rooms, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Thursday, noon.

Food Stamp Form Aid, third Thursday of odd-numbered months, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 9:15 a.m.-noon. Appointments required, 439-4955.

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

Silver Bullets Square Dance Club, mainstream class, 7 p.m., workshop, 9 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Delmar. Information, 439-3689.

Meeting, National Federation of Grandmother Clubs, Chapt. 865, Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post, Elsmere, 7:30 p.m. Information, 434-2715.

Albany County Audubon Society, meeting, Chad Covet will discuss impact of forest management practices on bird populations, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 8 p.m. Information, 457-6092.

Mid-March Madness, Annual Mad Hatter's Tea Party for preschoolers between three and five, Bethlehem Public Library, 1:30 p.m. Registration, 439-9314.

Financial Services Seminar, "Thinking About Investing?," discussing banking products, brokerage services, insurance, annuities, IRA's and tax reform, Northeast Savings, Voorheesville Office, Maple Ave., 7 p.m. Reservations, 1-800-462-3500.

Historical Association Program, "Ice Harvesting and Palace of Ice," Bethlehem Heritage Series by Lois Dillon, Bethlehem Historical Association Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd., Selkirk, 8 p.m.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Bible Study, 10 a.m.; Creator's Crusaders, 6:30 p.m.; Senior Choir, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4328.

"A Breath of Spring", fashion show and celebration of Glenmont School's 30th anniversary, presented by Glenmont faculty and PTA, Glenmont Elementary School, 7:30 p.m. Information, 463-1154 or 439-1155.

SATURDAY 21
MARCH

Tri-Village Squares, dance first and third Saturdays, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

Late Winter Walk, explore unique adaptations of the state's hawks and owls, "Predation is a Way of Life," slide lecture and outdoor study, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 10 a.m. Information, 457-6092.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Bible Study, 7:45-9 a.m. Information, 439-4328.

Amateur Talent Show, benefit RCS girls track team, RCS Senior High School, Rt. 9W, Ravena, 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY 22
MARCH

Delmar Presbyterian Church, Church and Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Family Worship and Communion, first Sunday of each month, 10:30 a.m.; Adult Education, 9:15 a.m.; Senior High Fellowship, 4:30 p.m.; Junior High Fellowship, call 439-3052. Information, 439-9252.

United Pentecostal Church, Sunday School and worship service, 10 a.m.; choir rehearsal, 5 p.m.; evening service, 6:45 p.m.; Rt. 85, New Salem. Information, 765-4410.

Delmar Reformed Church, church school and worship, nursery provided during worship, 386 Delaware Ave., 10 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

First United Methodist Church of Delmar, nursery care provided for preschool children, church school and worship, 10 a.m.; adult education, 11:20 a.m.; Junior Youth Fellowship, 3:30 p.m.; Senior Youth Fellowship, 5:30 p.m. Information, 439-9976 or 439-2689.

Normansville Community Church, Sunday school, 9:45 a.m., Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., 10 Rockefeller Rd., Elsmere. Information, 439-7864.

Bethlehem Community Church, Sunday School, 9 a.m.; morning worship service, 10:30 a.m.; 3-5th grade program, 6:15 p.m.; evening fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

Hudson-Mohawk Bonsai Association, meets fourth Sundays at Albany County Cooperative Extension, Martin Rd., Voorheesville.

AREA EVENTS & OCCASIONS
Events in Nearby Areas

WEDNESDAY 11
MARCH

Meeting, support for patients with Crohn's disease, Cusak Auditorium, St. Peter's Hospital, New Scotland Ave., Albany, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 458-2517.

Toughlove, support group offering parents solutions to coping with kids in trouble at school, with substances, family and law, Bishop Gibbons High School. Information, 393-4253.

Great Discussion Talk, "South Africa," Hale House, Union College, Schenectady, 7:30-9 p.m. Information, 370-6172.

"How to Show Grown-Ups the Museum", workshop for children and parents, introduction to museum as tool for increasing family interaction, State Museum, Albany, 7-9 p.m. Registration, 474-5801.

Business Day Show, exhibition of state-of-the-art business services and office related products, Ramada Inn, Schenectady, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Information, 372-5656.

Volunteer Administrators Association of the Capital Region to meet, Italian American Community Center, Washington Ave. Extension, Albany, noon-2 p.m. Information, 442-5683.

Nutrition Program, Joe Poon, restaurant owner, will present, "Garnishing with an Oriental Flair," Russell Sage College, 140 New Scotland Ave., Albany, 12:30 p.m. Information, 270-2396.

"Is It Spring Yet?," luncheon featuring flower planting tips and other gardening hints, Ramada Inn, 1228 Western Ave., Albany, \$7.25, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Reservations, 374-8036.

National Kidney Month, program on organ donations, kidney disease and dialysis, Concourse, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Lenten Service, Rev. Brenda Briggs of First Presbyterian Church will speak, St. Peter's Church, State and Lodge Sts., Albany, noon. Information, 434-3502.

THURSDAY 12
MARCH

Concerned Friends of Hope House, support group for parents of substance abusers, rear of Christ Lutheran Church, 1500 Western Ave., Albany, 7:30-10 p.m. Information, 465-2441.

Reach Out, support group for parents and friends of suicide attempters, The Samaritans, 200 Central Ave., Albany. Information, 463-0861.

Fund-Raising Concert, for Children's Fund of Northern Ireland, with The Wolf Tones, Convention Center, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$15, 6:30 p.m. Information, 463-5511.

Capital District Auto Show, \$3 million worth of new vehicles on display, Concourse, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Information, 438-0548.

Baseball Card Convention, 50 dealers dating from 1880 to present, Polish Community Center, Washington Ave. Extension, Albany, 5-9:30 p.m. Information, 377-0219.

Lenten Service, Rev. David Foulk of Latham Community Baptist Church will speak, St. Peter's Church, State and Lodge Sts., Albany, noon. Information, 434-3502.

FRIDAY 13
MARCH

Christian Singles Over 25, covered dish supper and program, "Interactive Christian Living," Loudonville Community Church, 6:30 p.m. Information, 797-3740 or 355-3921.

Substance Abuse Workshop, designed for parents and workers in helping professions, two sessions, Science Hall, College of Saint Rose, 432 Western Ave., Albany, \$35, 6-9 p.m. Information, 454-5144.

"Dreams: The Doorway to the Subconscious," lecture, sponsored by Albany Soroptimist Club, Tom Sawyer Motor Inn, 1444 Western Ave., Albany, \$4, 7:30 p.m. Information, 382-7583.

Capital District Auto Show, \$3 million worth of new vehicles on display, Concourse, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Information, 438-0548.

Albany Amateur Radio Association, meeting, Red Cross Center, Hackett Blvd. and Clara Barton Dr., Albany, 8 p.m.

Lenten Service, Rev. James H. Snedeker, executive director of the Capital Area Council of Churches will speak, St. Peter's Church, State and Lodge Sts., Albany, noon. Information, 434-3502.

"Diabolique," to be shown, Roger Bacon Hall 202, Siena College, Loudonville, 7:30 p.m. Information, 783-2431.

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MARCH

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Contra Dance, live music, Emmanuel Baptist Church, 275 State St., Albany, \$4, 8:30 p.m. Information, 434-1703.

SATURDAY **14**
MARCH

Comic Book Auction and Extravaganza, dealers from 10 states and Canada, Holiday Inn, Central Ave., Colonie, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 372-6612 or 452-0801.

Substance Abuse Workshop, designed for parents and workers in helping professions, two sessions, Science Hall, College of Saint Rose, 432 Western Ave., Albany, \$35, 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Register, 454-5144.

"How to Show Grown-Ups the Museum," workshop for children and parents, introduction to museum as tool for increasing family interaction, State Museum, Albany, 10 a.m.-noon. Registration, 474-5801.

Capital District Auto Show, \$3 million worth of new vehicles on display, Concourse, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Information, 438-0548.

Purim Dance Party, dancing, food and prizes, Temple Israel, 600 New Scotland Ave., Albany, \$12.50, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Information, 438-7858.

Seminar, for water instructors, provide current information and refresher skills for instructors and instructor trainers, Skidmore College, Saratoga, \$10, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Registration, 462-7461.

Assertiveness Training Workshop, learn and participate in skills and techniques needed to act assertively in business and social relationships, Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Registration, 449-3380.

Open House, Hawthorne Valley School, puppet show presentation by grades 1-3, class exhibits by grades 1-12, Hawthorne Valley School, Hartemville Rd., Ghent, 1:30-4:30 p.m. Information, 672-7092.

SUNDAY **15**
MARCH

Purim Art Festival, famous Judaic art, children's art and festivals, Temple Israel, 600 New Scotland Ave., Albany, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Information, 438-7858.

Bloodmobile, Regional Blood Center, Hackett Blvd. and Clara Barton Drive, Albany, 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Antique Radio Club of Schenectady, meeting, Schenectady Museum, Nott Terrace Heights, 2 p.m. Information, 459-7407.

St. Patrick's Day Race, three and six mile runs, Physical Education Building, State University of New York at Albany, \$2, 1 p.m. Information, 438-3035.

Kids' Fare, "Aladdin and the Lamp," tale of magic lamp that causes battle between two men, ballroom, Albany Hilton, State and Lodge Sts., Albany, \$4, 2 and 4 p.m. Information, 483-2826.

TUESDAY **17**
MARCH

Compassionate Friends, self-help support group for parents whose children have died, Westminster Presbyterian Church, 85 Chestnut St., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 438-7316.

Meeting, members, prospective members and guests invited, National Society Daughters of the American Colonists, Tom Sawyer Motor Inn Restaurant, Western Ave., Albany, 11:30 a.m.

WEDNESDAY **18**
MARCH

Information Session, learn about programs and degrees offered at Empire State College, Fitzgibbon Hall, Hudson Valley Community College, Troy, noon. Information, 587-2100.



Russ Jolly, seated, Doug Wert, right, Nesha Crenshaw and Arch Johnson will star in the Capital Repertory Company production of *Jupiter and Elsewhere*, Gram Slaton's play about a Midwestern family and two brother's coming of age in the mid-1960's. The play premieres at Capital Rep from March 14 through April 12.

Toughlove, support group offering parents solutions to coping with kids in trouble at school, with substances, family and law, Bishop Gibbons High School. Information, 393-4253.

Women's Press Club of New York State, meeting and discussion, "Managing the Roles Men and Women Play in the Workplace," Ramada Inn, 1228 Western Ave., Albany, \$12, 6 p.m. Reservations, 457-7463.

Defensive Driving Program, point and insurance reduction, Albany Jewish Community Center, Washington Ave. Extension, \$28, 6:15-9:30 p.m. Information, 765-4011.

Poetry Reading, "Poems, Piano, Drums," by poets Jean Anaportte-Easton and Barbara Blatner, Rensselaer County Council for the Arts, 189 Second St., Troy, 7:30 p.m. Information, 273-0552.

At Lincoln Center

A composition written by Albert Ahlstrom, nephew of *Spotlight* publisher Richard Ahlstrom of Delmar, was recently performed at the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts in New York City.

Of his *Symphony for Organ* Composer Albert Ahlstrom wrote, "In this work the title 'Symphony' refers to the idea of writing for the organ in an orchestral manner, rather than to the principle of sonata/allegro composition as embodied in Beethoven."

Albert Ahlstrom was born and raised in New York City. He has degrees in organ and composition. He is presently enrolled in the Juilliard doctoral program as a student of Leonard Raver. His compositions include numerous works for orchestra, chamber groups, voice and electronic music.

Dancers sought

Jim Staats of South Bethlehem, who manages Mirinda and the American Country Show, is seeking dancers for the Freihof Cross Country Dancers.

Staats is looking for teen and pre-teen dancers with training in tap and jazz. Older teens will be trained as replacements for upcoming vacancies and pre-teens will be auditioned for a new younger group to perform at festivals, benefits, hospitals and nursing homes.

In 1986 the Cross Country Dancers performed live for more than 100,000 people at various local fairs and festivals, including many of the Albany Tri-Centennial activities.

"It's an excellent opportunity for those students who are serious about their dancing," said Staats. He can be reached at 767-2744 or write to Entertainment Productions Co., Box 387, South Bethlehem, 12161.

Tiny Tots concerts

Vanguard-Albany Symphony Inc. announces its 1987 series of Tiny Tots concerts for children aged three to seven, which will be held at Temple Beth Emet, Academy Rd., Albany.

Concerts will be repeated at 9:15 and 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 13, on Wednesday, May 20, and, if demands requires, on Wednesday, May 27. Admission is \$2 per child and \$2.50 for adults. The deadline for reservations is April 1.

This year's theme is "A Musical Menagerie." Albany Symphony instrumentalists conducted by Julius Hegyi with narration by Anne Turner will introduce youngsters to such symphonic music as "On the Trail" from Grofe's *Grand Canyon Suite*, Poulenc's *Babar the Elephant*, Mancini's *Pink Panther* and Rimsky-Korsakov's *Flight of the Bumblebee*. Children will be encouraged to bring a favorite stuffed animal friend or a class mascot.

Tiny Tots concerts have been successfully sponsored by Vanguard, the Albany Symphony's volunteer support group, for more than 20 years and reaches an audience of more than 1,000 in groups of about 250 per concert. For information call Patricia Brown at 439-9147.

Embroidery guild

Marion Spanjerdt of Toronto, Canada, will speak about "The Magic of Color" at the March 18 meeting of the Embroiderers' Guild of America. The meeting will be held at the First United Methodist Church, Delmar, beginning at 10 a.m. For information call 477-4511.

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A teacher I have known

The auditorium swelled with noisy applause. The man we applauded smiled and looked down with characteristic humility. Reserved but comfortable with his audience, our speaker stepped from behind the podium and bowed slightly, dressed in his favorite tweeds — professorial, quietly dignified.

The audience ranged in age from pre-school children to senior citizens and included many high school students. The variety of attire suggested a wide range of personalities: formal tea length dresses and blue jeans, gray suits and overalls. There were button down collars and flannel plaids, sneakers and oxfords, Izod, Lacoste and tie dyed tee shirts.

We had gathered to hear a poet reading from his recently published book, his first major work in twenty years. How many poets can fill a room, let alone an auditorium?

With him we traversed a poetic landscape that ranged from a primeval forest in Portugal to the brown broad Mississippi to the wood pile in the backyard. We encountered a cast of characters both inquiring (a medieval friar discovering the individual in 1050 A.D.) and shallow (a group of American tourists guffawing at the splendor of a gothic cathedral). And we considered ideas intellectual and abstract, earthy and modest. With this poet's verse we retraced the steps — faltering, backstepping, ambling, and striding — of the earthly travels of one penetrating and sensitive mind.

The poet is a public school teacher with whom I have had the good fortune to work. His presence in a public school confirms the belief that public education has been able to attract

IN THE CLASSROOM

Jim Nehring



truly first rate talent. His mind is of the highest caliber, his passion for education remains undiminished despite over twenty years in the schools and his compassion with young people is forcefully evident in the many admiring young faces at his reading.

While my poet friend is exceptional, he is not alone; I have known a lot of talented people in public education, among them authors, artists, scholars, athletes, activists, astronauts, and most importantly superb pedagogues.

The talent that resides in any school faculty, though it does not receive much press, is surely there, enlivening the school, the community, and the minds of students. To be sure there is mediocrity as well. In a system where incentives for money, power, and recognition draw good people out of the classroom while neglecting those who remain, there is bound to be mediocrity. But I've observed a good deal of mediocrity in higher education, and the legal and medical professions, not to mention private industry where the incentives are theoretically structured for high performance. While the system of public education discourages talent and originality, it is to their credit that many veteran teachers remain creative and vigorous. The kind of intrinsic motivation that many teachers demonstrate, if turned loose in private industry, could utterly transform the declining

productivity of the private sector.

But I've been carried away from my subject. As someone relatively new to the education business, I am continually astonished by persons such as my poet friend, people who have been at the business of education for ten, twenty, thirty years, still creating, still enlivening their students, and doing so with the collected wisdom of long experience. It's been said that teaching is the only profession in which you perform essentially the same routine on the last day of your career as you did on the first. I would add that it is the only profession in which you find so many people who beat the odds and manage to thrive intellectually despite a potentially overwhelming routine.

Shrager in Who's Who

Robin M. Shrager of 46 Cranbury Ct., Voorheesville, a student at the School of Management at the State University at Binghamton, is in the 1987 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Shrager, daughter of Gerald and Muriel Shrager, is a senior majoring in marketing. She is a campus tour guide, belongs to the American Marketing Association and the Public Relations Society of the Southern Tier.

Award for Curtin

Mary Elizabeth Curtin, a student the State University at Binghamton, has been awarded a New York State Challenger Award for students who are enrolled in graduate studies leading to a degree in teaching. Curtin is studying biology and education.

Hanlon at Pratt

James K. Hanlon of Delmar was named a finalist in the 1987 Pratt Institute Art and Design National Talent Search. He is a senior at Bethlehem Central High School and the son of James F. Hanlon.

Hanlon was chosen on the basis of slides he submitted of his artwork, which were judged by the chairpersons of Pratt's School of Art and Design. Hanlon competed against nearly 700 entrants from across the country.

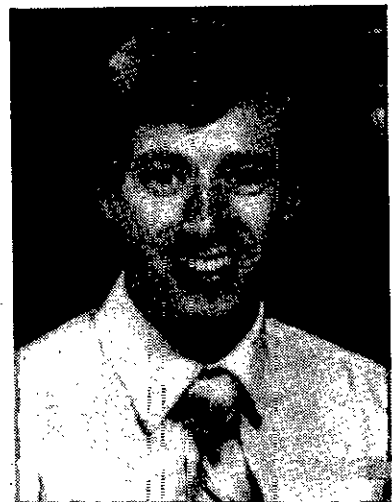
In March, three original works by each finalist will be judged by an awards jury. Seven top winners will each receive four-year, full-tuition scholarships to Pratt Institute's School of Art and Design.

Students earn honors

Area students earning highest honors for the second quarter marking period at The Albany Academy were Raymond Endres and John Scicchitano of Feura Bush, Matthew Fleming of Slingerlands and Michael Cohn of Glenmont.

Students earning high honors included Mark Fasser, Gregory McQuide, Christopher Tobin, Kevin Allen, Samuel Pickands, Craig Fasser and Quimby McCaskill, all of Delmar; Eric Martin, Charles Mason, Eric Oberheim and Peter Pelletier, all of Slingerlands, and William Mosher of Voorheesville.

Students earning honors included John-Erik Amundsen, Benjamin Rosenberg, Stein Amundsen and Luke McKneally, all of Delmar; James Wood of New Scotland, and Robert Griffin and Joseph Grogan of Slingerlands.



Paul A. Dye

Teacher honored

Paul A. Dye, son of Billie and Ernest Dye of Delmar, has been chosen Arizona Teacher of the year by the Arizona Council of Engineering and Scientific Association.

This is the second time Dye was chosen for the award, and he has also received his third citation for a Presidential Citation for Excellence in Teaching.

Dye has been teaching math for six years at Sunnyside High School in Tucson. He started the school's soccer program, and coached the varsity and the junior varsity team for five years. He also plays soccer on an amateur team in Arizona.

Dye received his Bachelor's degree in math from the State University of New York at Geneseo. He first taught math and coached soccer in the Taconic Hills School District, and then went on to do graduate work in physical education at Springfield College in Springfield, Mass.

Dye and his wife Christine, a teacher of mainstreamed deaf students, have a two-year old son, Craig, and they live in Tucson.

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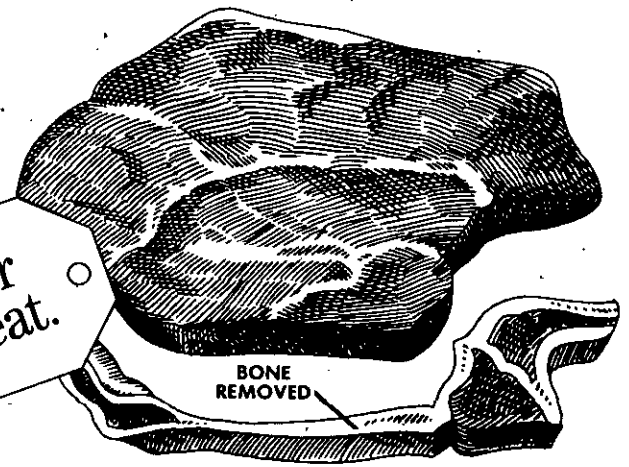
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ON THE
SERVICES**

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class John H. Jones, whose wife, Zoetia, is the daughter of Zoe Bowie of Selkirk, is currently on a Western Pacific cruise aboard the destroyer tender USS Prairie, which is homeported in Long Beach, Calif.

During the cruise the Prairie will repair ships of the Seventh Fleet in the Philippines and Japan and make port calls to the Orient.

Marine Pvt. Rodger T. Downing, son of William J. and Matilda C. Drause of Clarksville, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot Parris Island, SC.

Air Force Airman 1st Class Joseph D. Truttman, son of Barbara Kaherl and stepson of Herman E. Kaherl of 44 Thatcher St., Selkirk, has arrived for duty with the 67th Tactical Reconnaissance Wing, Bergstrom Air Force Base, Texas.

Truttman is a tactical aircraft maintenance specialist.

Dennis J. VanAlstyne, the son of Alfred and Sandra VanAlstyne of Selkirk, has been appointed a sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

VanAlstyne completed training in management, leadership, human relations and non-commissioned officer responsibilities before being awarded this status.

He is a jet engine mechanic at Tinker Air Force Base, Okla., with the 552nd Aircraft Generation Squadron.

A 1982 graduate of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School, VanAlstyne resides with his wife Pamela.

Airman 1st Class Edward J. Curran, the son of Peg and Thomas Curran of Glenmont, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force aircraft electrical repair course at Chanute Air Force Base, ILL.

During the course, Curran learned to inspect, repair and maintain electrical systems and components in aircraft and related equipment. He also earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force. Curran is a 1986 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

Pvt. Marc T. Bohnet, the son of Eric A. and Mary A. Bohnet of Glenmont, has graduated from the U.S. Army utilities equipment repair course at Fort Belvoir, VA.

Bohnet learned maintenance, test and repair procedures for servicing gas turbine engines, heating, refrigeration and air conditioning equipment.

Air Force Senior Airman William E. Kohinke III, the son of William E. Kohinke of Voorheesville and Ruth Davis of South Burlington, VT., has arrived for duty with the 608th Aerial Port Squadron, West Germany.

Kohinke is an air cargo specialist. He is a 1980 graduate of Clayton A. Bouton High School in Voorheesville.

Navy Seaman Recruit Kevin T. Coons of Voorheesville has completed recruit training at the Recruit Training Command in San Diego, Calif. During the eight-week program, Coon studied seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid.

Coon is a graduate of Clayton A. Bouton High School.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Lawrence P. Shipp, the son of Letitia P. Shipp of Slingerlands, has completed the 10-week advanced electronic technician course at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

A 1982 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, Shipp joined the Navy in July of 1985.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class John T. Geel, son of Barend G. and Alice M. Geel of Scutt Road, Feura Bush, was recently awarded the Battle Efficiency "E" Award.

He received the decoration while serving aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Reeves, homeported in Yokosuka, Japan, for the 1986 fiscal year. A 1980 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, he joined the Navy in May 1984.

Airman Jay F. Woolford, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Woolford of 33 E. Wiggand Drive, Glenmont, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force munitions maintenance course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

He is a 1986 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

Marine Lance Cpl. Michael R. Galusha, son of Robert S. and Joann B. Galusha of Voorheesville, recently departed on a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean.

Galusha will be a participant of 26th Marine Amphibious Unit aboard ships of Amphibious Squadron Four, homeported in Norfolk, VA., as part of the Landing Force Sixth Fleet.

Tech. Sgt. Ronald G. Kriete, son of Gerald and Margerette Kriete of Selkirk, has been decorated with the Air Force Achievement Medal at Shaw Air Force Base, SC.

The Achievement Medal is awarded to airmen for meritorious service, acts of courage, or other accomplishments.

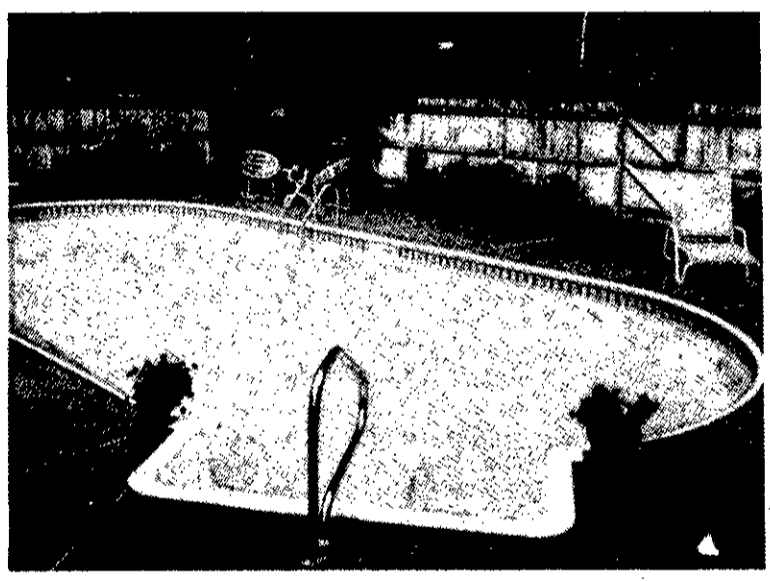
Kriete is a pneudraulic shop supervisor with the 363rd Component Repair Squadron. He is a 1975 graduate of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School.

Navy Ensign Mark A. Barnao, son of Anthony F. and Dorothy E. Arnao of 22 Lavery Drive, Delmar, has completed the Basic Surface Warfare Officer's Course.

During the 18-week course conducted with Surface Warfare Officers School Command Detachment, Coronado, Calif., Barnao was taught how to perform as a watch and division officer aboard Navy ships.

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I just took a long walk down through the village of Delmar. I told myself I had to go to the store for some items, but I really just wanted an excuse to enjoy the early spring sunshine. It was a delightful walk, but, in addition to the smell of spring, I was also reminded of another early spring sight, the dirty gray snow. I can recall just a few weeks ago when that beautiful white snow blanketed the village. The trees wore ermine robes, house lights shone with white halos and all the earth had an aura of new driven snow in purity. And now look at it. Just crusty piles of dirt, soot, debris and mud is about all that is left. What happens to it?

Of course, even in its purest stage we know that the snow was dirty. We have all seen the grade school science experiment of melting a pan of such pure white snow and finding that the water is really full of dirt. Some of the added dirt was put there on purpose as we paid men to spread dirt and salt on the roads so that we could drive more safely during the winter. Other parts of it is senseless and careless pollution, fast food containers, hubcaps, candy wrappers, empty soda bottles and the rest of the sad collection. Each item was valuable and useful at the time but now is just litter, left in the wrong place.

Is there a Lenten parable here for us? Almost every major faith carries some aspect of the message of forgiveness, repentance, renewal, cleansing and newness of life. Within the Christian family we find that the season of Lent is the time most appropriate for that message.

Even the best of us find that there are times when we look at the landscape of our hearts and discover that it has turned to dirty gray snow. We have been able to ask God's forgiveness, we have felt new surges of purity, we have walked away from old practices, turned over new leaves in our lives, journeyed out on faith with hearts refreshed, restored, renewed. It is an exhilarating experience. The landscape has been clean and pure. Or at least it seemed that way. And then, almost unknown, it has turned gray and soiled. Sometimes when we have been the happiest, the most carefree, when things looked the best and the very

flowers of joy were waiting to burst forth into life, sometimes when people were saying the nicest things about us, we have walked more slowly and taken another look, and the white had turned to gray.

What happened? Maybe the soiled specks were there all the time. Maybe the hard wear and tear of life added to the soil. Maybe careless pollution only made the matter worse. Maybe we just got careless. In any event, it did happen. In other words, forgiveness and cleansing is not a once-in-a-lifetime event but rather an ongoing process of our lives.

Lent is a time to say that, at least to ourselves. Others may have such lofty opinions of us. We know ourselves, and we know that the white snow turns to gray so easily, and so often. And so we begin Lent with a symbol of repentance, Ash Wednesday. And so we remind ourselves, whatever our faith and however that is expressed, that there is mercy with God and there is the understanding of our frailty and our weaknesses. We are so hard on ourselves. We look for perfection and put up the facade of innocence. Fortunately, God neither asks for this nor looks for it. Rather, the One who has created us asks only that we be honest, that we turn, that we repent, that we seek for renewal and rebirth. Lent is the time to say this. Lent is the time to be ever so realistic. That realism acknowledges our sin, our guilt, and it also is realistic to acknowledge the merciful readiness of God to forgive, to cleanse, to make us whole again.

Roycroft exhibit

A collection of books and other items produced at the Roycroft Colony is currently on exhibit at the Bethlehem Public Library.

The Roycroft Colony was founded at East Aurora (near Buffalo) in 1895 by Elbert Hubbard. The colony continued to produce handmade books, furniture, leather goods and metal work until 1938, when the Depression forced its closing.

The exhibit of items from the collection of William F. Howard and Paulette Morgan will be on display through March.



Rev. Richard Neal

Leads Bible study

Rev. Richard Neal of the First United Methodist Church in Delmar will speak on the topic, "Woman, behold your son! Behold your mother!" at the March 18 session of the Ecumenical Lenten Bible Study at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

The theme of the six-session Bible study is "The Seven Last Words of Christ." Child care will be provided for pre-school children. Refreshments will be provided by the Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Lenten speakers

The St. Peter's Episcopal Church Noonday Lenten Series continues this week with preachers from the Albany Area Council of Churches.

This week's speakers are the following: Rev. Brenda Briggs, associate pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, March 11; Rev. David Foulk, pastor of the Latham Community Baptist Church, March 12, and Rev. James H. Snedeker Jr., executive director of the Capital Area Council of Churches, March 13.

The services of hymns, prayers and sermons begin at noon. St. Peter's Church is located at State and Lodge Sts., Albany. For information call 434-3502.

Alcove church moves to Glenmont

Moriah means vision. And when the Alcove Full Gospel Church completes its move to Glenmont in about a year, the assembly church will be known as the Mt. Moriah Assembly of God.

Rev. Stephen Giles is pastor of the Alcove Full Gospel Church in Alcove, located across from the Alcove Reservoir on Rt. 111, about seven miles from Ravena and two miles from Coeymans Hollow. The church, affiliated with the Assemblies of God, has been servicing the people of Ravena, Greenville, Coxsackie and other areas for 34 years.

"Up until about eight or ten years ago," Giles said, "Alcove was the only Full Gospel church between here and Albany." Now the communities of Ravena, Greenville and Coxsackie have their own Full Gospel churches and the Alcove church suffered a decline in membership. It currently has a membership of between 150-175 members, according to Giles. The reduction in members over the past decade was one of the reasons for the decision to move to Glenmont, Giles said. But Giles, who moved to Alcove five years ago from Bangor, Maine, with his wife, said that several weeks after his arrival "the Lord spoke to my heart" about moving the church.

"Through the divine leadership of the Lord," Giles and the church purchased land on the east side of Rt. 9W near the Delmar Bypass in Glenmont.

"I believe that it (attendance) will increase," Giles said. "I don't know how fast. We're here to meet the community needs. The people are our concern."

Ground breaking should begin in early fall and the new church, approximately five times the size of the present church, could begin serving the people of Glenmont and surrounding communities by next spring. The Alcove Christian School, which has been housed in the Alcove church for nine years will also be moving to the new location.

In Genesis, Moriah is a mountainous region in South Palestine where Abraham prepared to sacrifice Isaac. In II Chronicles, it's a site usually identified with Zion, where Solomon built the Temple. For his church, Giles said, "to move is a vision."

Kevin Mullen

Sewing workshop

A workshop about points to look for when selecting a serger or overlock sewing machine will be offered at the William Rice Resource Center, Voorheesville, on March 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. Participants may bring a sewing project to try on the popular machine.

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Arthur Yates, vice president and manager of the Key Bank Delmar office, presents the office's 50th anniversary drawing grand prize to Katherine Hodges, a former resident of Delmar. Hodges won a one-week expense-paid trip for two to Hawaii.

Produces tape

Bernie Schallehn, M.S., in association with The American Video Company, Delmar, has produced a videotape about "Clinical Hypnosis for Stress and

Anxiety-Reduction."

Copies of the tape are available by writing to The American Video Company, 5 Clarkson Rd., Delmar, 12054, or by calling 381-7177.

BUSINESS

Sentron Associates mail messages



Verne E. Kenney

Kenney elected

Verne E. Kenney, executive vice president and chief officer of the Farm Family Life and Mutual Insurance Companies of Glenmont, has been elected to a three-year term on the board of governors of the National Association of Independent Insurers.

Under Kenney's leadership the Farm Family Life and Mutual Insurance Companies premium income has increased more than 250 percent. The number of employees at the Glenmont headquarters has increased 50 percent and a building expansion program has been set in motion to accommodate the growing companies.

Kenney resides with his wife, Marion, in Delmar. They have one son and one daughter.

By Lorraine C. Smith

Carlyn R. Millea thinks many companies, and even private individuals, could use some help with their mailings, and she's betting Sentron is their answer.

Millea, a Delmar resident, has established Sentron Associates, from "send" plus the hi-tech "tron," as the local answer to bulk mailing. Ninety-five percent of her mailing has been local. With her Delmar-based workshop, Millea promises that she will only take on jobs she can handle to clientele satisfaction.

Sentron Associates, with up to 25 employees on call, will insert items, address envelopes, seal, mail, sort zip codes, collate packets, perform anything to do with mailing. Pick-up and delivery service is available and specialized mailing lists can also be obtained.

Charging by quantity, Millea provides standard prices for standard functions, with some rates negotiable based on specialty items such as heavy catalogs or large envelopes. Hers is the only personalized bulk mailing service

Opens body shop

Elinor Gruss, co-owner of the H.W. Gruss Machine Shop, Kruger and Miller Rds., Selkirk, for the past 25 years, has opened Gruss Auto Body and Sales at the same locations. The business is an authorized New York State auto repair shop.

Most of the used cars for sale at the site are 1980s models. The staff asserts that guaranteed cars are offered at reasonable prices. The shop's auto body repairmen and mechanics offer free estimates on any work, including detailing, auto body, class replacement or repairs.

Business Manager Tim Gruss says most services may be offered at a lower price because of low overhead.

The businesses are open from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m. daily, and on Saturday and Sunday by appointment. For information call 767-3323.

in the Capital District with pricing competitive with the larger mail houses in the area, she says. Millea offers the use of her bulk rate permit without additional charge, and she says that the money saved on regular postage virtually pays her fees.

Because of her stand-by help, Millea can handle unlimited quantities within acceptable time limits. The largest job she has completed so far has been a 20,000 item mail out, and although the smallest quantity acceptable for bulk rate is 200 pieces, she has also provided first class mailing for wedding invitations.

With a sales and marketing background, Millea spent several years with a temporary help agency where she saw a pattern of requests for mailing jobs. After the birth of her child, Millea wanted a business that would allow her to remain at home and still provide the potential for an expanded business in the future.

She moved to Delmar from Clifton Park a year ago with her husband Brian and daughter Lauren, now two years old.

Tudor House reopens

The grand reopening of the Tudor House Craft Shoppe, 353 Delaware Ave., Delmar, will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, March 14. The shop, which was recently closed because of flooding, will continue to offer handcrafted gifts and crafts.

Video on business

Empire of America Savings Bank has made "Minding Everybody's Business," a 13-part series of videotaped programs on financial topics, available to the public. The 30-minute programs each focus on a single topic and are designed to give consumers information and insight on a wide range of financial matters.

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Bad checks: what businessman can do

By Patricia Mitchell

Bad checks passed in Bethlehem are probably no worse or no better than the problem in other communities, says Bethlehem Police Officer Joseph Mosca, the department's specialist in the so-called white collar crime.

"It happens all over. Bethlehem is not unique to any place else," Mosca said. "Chances are, if you've got one in Bethlehem, you've got one somewhere else."

While there are several steps that business people can take to avoid bad checks, the problem cannot be eliminated 100 percent, he said.

"The best thing a business person can do is pretty much know the person. If you do not know the person, ask — and do not be afraid to ask — for identification," Mosca said. The manager of a large supermarket cannot know each customer in the store, he pointed out.

Proper identification includes a current photo driver's license, motor vehicle registration or a major credit card. All names and signatures should match. When taking a check with identification, Mosca said, the clerk should write the motorist identification number, found on the license, on the back of the check.

The check should also be dated correctly, and Mosca also advised to look for the perforation where the personal check or the payroll check was torn off. All checks, except government payroll checks, will have that perforation.

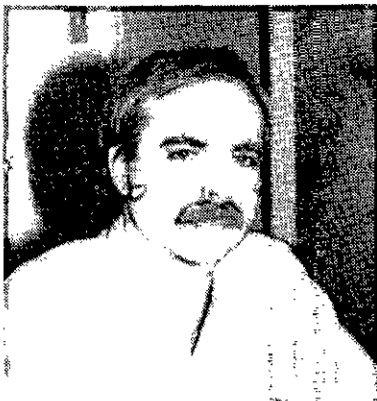
If something doesn't seem right, do not be afraid to say no," he said.

Writing a bad check, Mosca said, involves two crimes: writing a check that is known to be bad, and (usually) larceny. A bad check from one penny to \$1,000 is petit larceny, a misdemeanor, and above \$1,000 is grand larceny, a felony. Until the law changed on Nov. 1, 1986, and petit larceny used to be up to \$249.99; however, a bad check for \$270 passed in October, 1986, will still be considered a grand larceny because the old laws are grandfathered.

For those who have personal checks or payroll checks lost or stolen, Mosca said the bank where the checks are from and the police department should be notified immediately.

Mosca said a business should make every possible effort to collect before turning over a bad check to the police department for action. That includes three attempts to contact on the telephone and a letter advising that the check is bad and criminal prosecution may be considered against the maker. A reasonable time for the maker to respond, about 10 to 15 days, should be allowed.

A lot of businesses are able to collect on bad checks this way, and when the matter does get turned over to the Bethlehem Police, Mosca said, the checks are about one to two months old. At that point, a criminal complaint has been made and a crime has been reported. Usually, he said, he will try to collect restitution on the bad check, and if the amount is collected he wants the business reporting the bad check to press charges, and go through with criminal prosecution.



Officer Joseph Mosca

"I'm not a collection agency, I'm a criminal investigator," Mosca said. If he finds the passer and the business is reluctant to press charges, "I've wasted my time and effort."

The Bethlehem Police Department has a 97 to 98 percent success rate on finding passers of bad checks, Mosca said.

Businesses can also go through civil court proceedings in town court if a business does not want to go to the police department, especially if only a few checks are involved. However if a small business has 15 to 20 bad checks, Mosca said, the additional time spent trying to collect may not be worth it.

Sometimes bad check writers are difficult to trace because they move and leave no forwarding address. But even if someone moves out of state, Mosca said, don't think that is the end of it, because the bad check will not just disappear. He won't go to California to extradite someone who wrote a bad check back to New York, Mosca said, but if they come back to the state that warrant will still be there and it will have to be acted upon.



William R. Bush Jr.
Engineer promoted

William R. Bush Jr. of Glenmont has been promoted to senior associate with Einhorn Yaffee Prescott, Architecture and Engineering.

A graduate of Ohio State University, Bush has 12 years of experience in electrical systems design. Since joining Einhorn Yaffee Prescott two years ago, Bush has served as project engineer and designer for several projects, including the Albany Veterans Administration Hospital and Norstar Bancorp's Union Station rehabilitation.

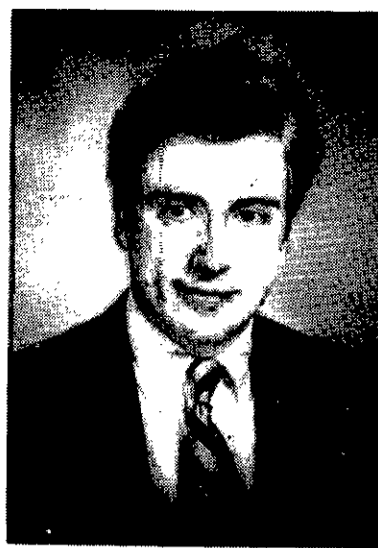
Vigoda to speak

Investments and the new tax law will be the subject of a presentation by David Vigoda at the Bethlehem Public Library on Wednesday, March 18, beginning at 7 p.m.

Vigoda is a certified financial planner and a chartered financial analyst. He is a founder of Associated Investment Management.

For information call the library at 439-9314.

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Matthew G. Waschull
Promoted at Norstar

Matthew G. Waschull of Delmar has been promoted to assistant trust officer at the Norstar Trust Company.

Waschull, who earned a bachelor's degree in accounting from the College of Saint Rose, joined the Norstar Trust Company in 1983. He has completed programs at the New York State Bankers Association trust and estate administration schools.

Waschull is a member of the Estate Planning Council of Eastern New York and the St. Andrew's Society in Albany.



Paul W. Taylor
Taylor appointed

Paul W. Taylor has been appointed accounting officer/financial analyst at Key Bank N.A.

Taylor, who is a graduate of Mount Greylock High School in Massachusetts and the State University College at Oneonta, has taken accounting courses at Siena College. He is a member of the American Institute of Banking and the Albany Personal Computer Users Group.

He resides with his wife in Glenmont.

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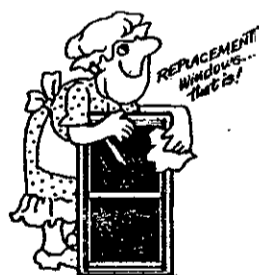


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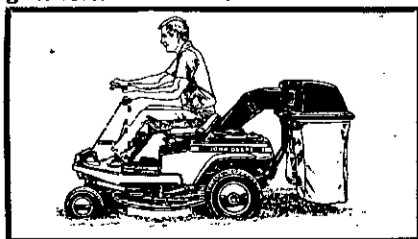
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Ravena's Fran Losee, 10, gets a whistle from the official for the foul committed by a Glens Falls player. *R.H. Davis*



Ravena's Terri Baker, 14, goes up for two against a tough Glens Falls defense in the Class B girls basketball finals on Friday. *Bart Gottesman*

Ravena girls finish second

By Paul Curley

The clock ran out on the Ravena girls basketball team Friday night, as they lost to Glens Falls in the Class B Sectional championship game at Rensselaer, 52-49. They closed out what coach Betty Faxon termed a "remarkable year" with a 19-4 record.

Faced with a distinct height disadvantage, the Indians started out snaky, falling behind 14-7 in the first quarter. They began to settle down by the second quarter and used their quickness against Glens Falls' height to slowly gain

ground, until they came to within one with 53 seconds left in the game. The score stood at 48-47. But the season came to an end when Glens Falls' 6 foot center Laura Bennett followed up a missed shot by her guard to seal the victory.

Two obvious reasons for the loss were a pathetic one-for-nine performance from the foul line and the unfortunate height disadvantage. Glens Falls had one six-footer and two 5-foot-10 players, while Ravena's tallest, Terri Baker, is 5-foot-8. Despite this problem, the Indians managed to out rebound Glens Falls, 27-26.

This shows the intensity with which Ravena played, especially in the second half, when they came back from a nine-point deficit. Senior guard Jackie Mulligan had one of her best games of the year, scoring 18 points, 10 of them in the 4th quarter. Eaker added 12, Tracey Tucker had 10, Lisa Holsapple 5 and Fran Losee 4.

"The clock ran out," Coach Faxon lamented, but added that the team "should be very proud" considering the Indians lost to Glens Falls in the championship game last year by 27 points. This was the fifth time in the last 10 years that Ravena played in the Sectional finals.



Baker works the ball in a crowd. *R.H. Davis*

Thacher in Mexico

Thomas Thacher of Delmar, a sophomore at Carleton College in Northfield, Minn., is studying the Spanish language in Morelia, Mexico.

While in Mexico, Thacher will attend classes in Spanish and Latin American theater, and visit Mexico City, Oaxaca and the Yucatan.

Thacher, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenelm R. Thacher of Delmar.

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BC volleyball team wins division crown

By Charles Henrikson

The Bethlehem Central boys volleyball team beat two of the top teams in the league last week, clinching the Suburban Council Blue Division crown.

Last Wednesday for a night game at home against Shaker the team was missing two starters and one of the first two off the bench. BC was unable to find its rhythm early and dropped the first game 15-10.

But in the second game, led by team captains Doug Pratt and Pete Russo, BC turned it around by the score of 15-7. Then came the final game. Shaker took the early lead, 5-0, and it looked as though BC had given up. But the Eagles answered with ten straight points to make it 10-5. Shaker caught back up and the two teams traded points until BC finally put it away, 15-13.

The heroes of this game were Paul Evangelista and Justin Hopson, the subs who were called on to play almost the entire match. Greg Jazcko also filled in and played well.

Friday was the game the team had been waiting for. Niskayuna was the only team the Eagles lost to in the first half of the season, and so revenge was on the minds of the BC players. One of BC's starters was still out, but Ken Malsan filled in admirably. BC came out strong in the first game, hitting Nisky hard by the score of 15-5. The second game was not as easy, but BC still took it, 15-13.

This victory should be credited to Coach Ray Sliter. After the loss to Nisky, Sliter knew that team's strengths and weaknesses, and so for the week before Friday's game he had his team practice what was necessary for the win.

The regular season ends this week as BC played away games against Scotia on Monday and Columbia on Tuesday. Both of these are just warm-ups for the Sectionals, which are Thursday and Friday.

BC is seeded a close second in the Sectionals to Shenendehowa. BC won it last year, and has no plans to give it up.



BC's Ken Malsan, 22, and Pete Russo, 14, go to the net in Friday's game against Shenendehowa.

Tom Knight

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Bowling honors for the week of February 1, at Del Lanes in Delmar go to:

Sr. Cit. Men — Les Johnson-230, Art Smith-557.

Sr. Cit. Women — Gerri McMillen-183-497.

Men — Eric Race-300, Al Voss-682. (4 Game Series) Russ Hunter-1034.

Women — Teri Sue Moss-242, Debbie Storm-585. (4 Game Series) Teri Sue Moss-808.

Major Boys — Steve Myers-202-534, Mike Graves-574.

Major Girls — Kelly Myers-223, Kim Dale-221-543, Amy Aylward-203-560.

Jr. Boys — Jim O'Brien-192-521, Matt Kallner-614, Jason

Scott-210, Brett Seybroth-179, Pat Lennon-176.

Jr. Girls — Julie DiNapoli-175-502, Suzanne Brown-516.

Prep Boys — Lee Aiezza-197-439, Mike Aylward-222-607, Al Crewell-176-428, Ben Comtois-177.

Prep Girls — Traci Layman-175-438.

Bantam Boys — Jeremy Deyo-99, Brett Vincent-120-292, Jim McLaughan-129, August Cardona-19.

Bantam Girls — Kelly Dunnells-103-248.

Ross, Kears pace local team

By Dave DeCecco

Section II's girls indoor track contingent scored just one point in the state meet at Cornell University last weekend, and if Bethlehem's Kelly Ross had not shown up, that total would have been zero.

The junior made Capitaland's lone point with a sixth place finish in the high jump at 5 foot 4 inches. She narrowly missed her third try at 5 foot 6, which would have put her much higher in the points behind the winning jump of 6-1, a new state record.

Anne Carey was seeded 10th in the 600, the event in which she placed third as a sophomore, and also finished 10th with a time of 1:36.7. Her time was barely off her time of two years ago, illustrating the deeper competition in this year's meet.

The boy's Section II team scored 30 points to place seventh, thanks in part to Columbia runner Zac Shea's winning effort in the 1600, which marks his second indoor title in as many years. Bethlehem's Brendan Kears, a junior, led off for Section II's

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Intersectional Relay, which finished just out of the points in seventh place. Kears ran the 1000-meter leg, and was clocked in 2:42.3, slightly off his best. Because of the large pack and the tight turns on the track, he was boxed in most of the time and was not able to find the time to utilize the devastating

kick which he sprung last week at the State Qualifiers to earn his spot on the team.

Bethlehem's indoor season is over now, and next week the same basic team will begin practicing for the outdoor season. Third year coach Ron Cameron will serve as head coach this spring, moving into the position which John Furey vacated after last year. Cameron hopes that the successful indoor season at Bethlehem will carry over and produce a strong spring squad also.

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Church, Baird win at New Hartford meet

Jonathan Church, a member of the Delmar Dolphins Swim Club, was awarded the individual high point plaque for the boys eight and under group competing at last Sunday's New Hartford Knights swim meet.

And Justin Baird, a sophomore on Bethlehem Central's Section Two champion swim team, smashed a meet record enroute to a first in the 500 yard freestyle.

Church, who was one of 17 Delmar Dolphins competing at the meet, won first place in the 100 and 50-yard freestyle, the 25-yard backstroke and the 25-yard butterfly.

Baird, swimming for the Albany Starfish in the senior boys division, posted a time of 4:59.02 in the 500, obliterating a record set in 1985. He also took a second in the 200-yard freestyle. Jessica Baird, a Hamagrael third grader, took second in the 100 yard free in her division.

Other Dolphins to place included Billy Leary, who was fifth in the 100-yard freestyle in the boys eight and under group.

Marc Kanuk, who competed in the boys 10 and under category, took fourth in the 200-yard freestyle and sixth in the 100-yard freestyle. Brad Mattox placed third in the 200 free, and David Seegal came in sixth in the 50-yard backstroke.

Pat Fish placed fourth in the 500-yard freestyle and sixth in the 100-yard butterfly for the 13 and 14 boys group.

In the senior girls category, Lisa Ogawa placed fourth in both the 100-yard backstroke and butterfly, and fifth in both the 200 and 50 free. Katy Fish took third in the 500-yard freestyle, fifth in the 100 breaststroke and sixth in the 200-yard freestyle.

The 10 and under boys relay team of Kanuk, Seegal, Leary and Church placed second. The girls relay team of Hitomi Kubo, Meg Teresi, Melanie Veazey and Cailin Brennan placed fifth.

Strong performances were also turned in by Kimberly Lenhardt, Emily Church, Nina Teresi, Brian Lenhardt and Craig Mattox.

Summer courses offered at Albany Academy

Summer courses at Albany Academy for high school and elementary students have been set for 1987. New courses in photo and electron microscopy and in study skills are among the offerings.

For high schoolers, courses are available in computer graphics, mind games, robotics, communication, literature, word processing, and creative writing. Advanced courses in math, history and English are also available that will allow students to fulfill full-year credit during the six-week summer program.

For elementary students, the Academy again offers the Learning Enrichment Activities Program. Mornings are devoted to classes and afternoons to recreational activities. The popular driver education program is also available. For more information, call the Albany Academy at 465-1461.



Bethlehem Central band director George Smith leads the seventh and eighth grade Suburban Council band through their pieces in preparation of the Suburban Council Junior High Music Festival scheduled for 2 p.m., Sunday, March 15, at the

Empire State Plaza's Convention Center. They will be playing four selections, including *Mancini Medley*. BC will be joining about 10 other schools for the festival and will also send an orchestra, a choir and a ninth grade band. *Spotlight*

Completes course

Andrew G. Johnson of Delmar is a December graduate of a four-month training school for police officers. Johnson, who has been on the force of the Guilderland Police since last August, now assumes the title of police officer-paramedic.

Johnson has been employed as a paramedic for three years and was a dispatcher with the Bethlehem Police.

A graduate of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Senior High School and the Junior College of Albany, Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of South Bethlehem.

MacCormick in play

John Gunnar MacCormick, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, performed in the

Vassar College Philatheis Society production of "Working," a play based on a book written by Studs Terkel.

MacCormick, a freshman at Vassar, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCormick of Delmar.

Scholarships offered

The Women's Press Club of New York State, Inc. is seeking applicants for its annual scholarship award from among those who want to resume studies in communication but can't find financial support.

The application deadline for the \$750 scholarship, named the Beryl Spector Memorial Scholarship, is March 17. Forms are available by writing Ruth Facher Mandel, vice president, Women's Press Club, Box 13493, Albany, NY 12212-3493.

Class of '86



Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy — Stephanie Ann Czirr, Voorheesville, Karen Lucille Rothaupt, Feura Bush, and Mary Clarkson Phillips of Delmar, master of science degrees.

University of Delaware — Duncan Erroll Hay, Delmar, Ph.D.

Honor students

Among area students named to the high honor roll at the Albany Academy for Girls were Eva Zeller of Delmar and Stacie Griffin of Slingerlands.

Named to the honor roll were Dandra Galib and Karen O'Keefe, Delmar; Jill Donovan, Glenmont; Edith Wagoner, Selkirk, and Milissa Schwartz, Courtney Wilson and Elyse Wilson, Voorheesville.

Delta initiations

Kathryn P. Dempf, daughter of Louis and Stella Dempf of Delmar, and Heather L. Cykoski, daughter of David and Kathleen Cykoski of Glenmont, have been initiated into the sisterhood of Delta Delta Delta at Syracuse University. Both are sophomores. Dempf is an elementary educator major and Cykoski a psychology major.

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By Tom Kuck
Broker Manager

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St. Michael's College, Winooski, Vt. — Lisa M. Byer and Mark C. Davitt, Delmar.

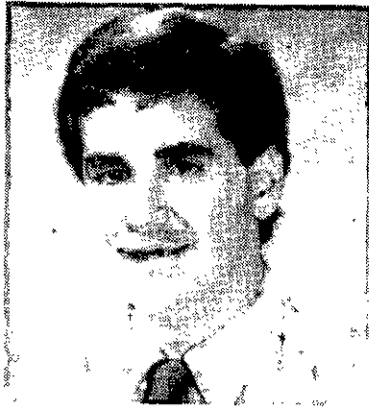
Norwich University in Northfield, Vt. — Carol A. McCormick, Delmar.

Colgate University — Christopher Oberheim, Slingerlands.

Wheaton College, Norton, Mass. — Susan Elizabeth Pulfer, Delmar.

Cazenovia College, Cazenovia, N.Y. — Brenda Newkirk, Selkirk.

Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill — Theodore V. Harro, Delmar.



Paul C. DeLeo

Studies in Rome

Paul C. DeLeo of Delmar, a junior mechanical engineering major at Marquette University, is study at the Loyola University of Chicago's Rome campus.

DeLeo is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Bernard C. DeLeo of Delmar.

Blood pressure clinic

A free blood pressure clinic, supervised by town board member Ruth Bickel, will be held at Bethlehem Town Hall on Tuesday,

March 17, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. and from 7 to 8 p.m.

Johnson graduates

Jacqueline Johnson, 21, a member of the Glenmont Job Corps, recently graduated from the Albany Occupational Center's practical nurse program.

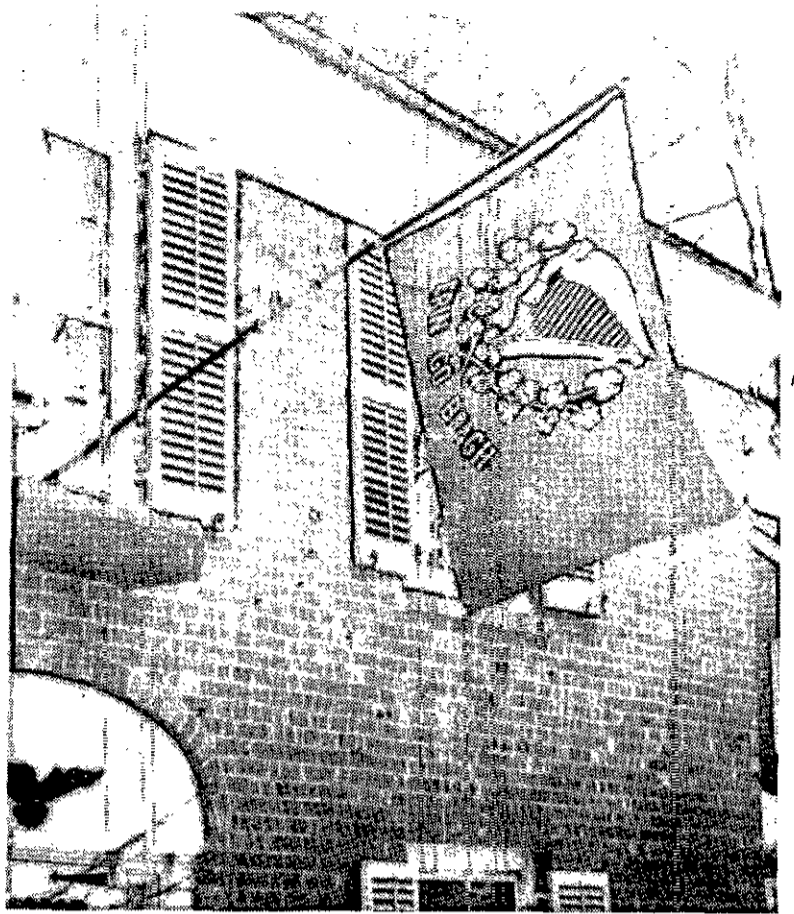
While at the Glenmont Job Corps, Johnson completed EKG technician and medical assistant training and culinary arts training. In addition to winning numerous interstate food competition awards, Johnson has won a part-time job with the SAGA food service. She is also an aide in the recreation program.

Johnson plans to earn a bachelor's degree in nursing.

Scholar rewarded

Brendan O'Brien, an eighth grade student at Saint Gregory's School in Loudonville, has been awarded a scholarship to the La Salle Institute in Troy. The scholarship was based on an exam given in December.

Brendan is the son of Dr. and Mrs. James P. O'Brien of Delmar.



A Civil War buff displays the Irish Brigades Flag for St. Patrick's Day.

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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, NY on the 25th day of March, 1987 at 7:30 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 Limit, paragraph (c) Thirty (30) miles per hour is hereby established as the maximum speed at which vehicles may proceed on or along the following highway in the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, NY by adding the following new section as follows: 86. West Yard Road - from Route 32 east to the new Honda Warehouse. and

By amending ARTICLE VI, YIELD INTERSECTIONS by adding Section 10 to read as follows:

Section 10. Axbridge Road is hereby designated as a through highway and Yield Signs shall be erected at the following entrances thereto:

1. Huntersfield Road (from both directions).

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
TOWN CLERK

Dated: February 25, 1987
(March 11, 1987)

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF EXTENDING WATER DISTRICT NO. 1 OF THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM, ALBANY COUNTY, NEW YORK, PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 12-A OF THE TOWN LAW

ORDER-SET HEARING PROPOSED BENDER LANE WATER EXTENSION

WHEREAS, a map and report have been prepared by J. Kenneth Frasser and Associates, P.C., engineers, duly licensed by the State of New York, and filed in the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Bethlehem in such manner and detail as is hereby approved by the Town Board, relating to a proposed extension of Water District No. 1 of said Town, and showing the boundaries of the proposed extension, with a general plan of the proposed water system and a report of the proposed method of operations; and

WHEREAS, the boundaries of the proposed extension to the district are as follows:

Beginning at a point in a northerly boundary line of the Glenmont Extension to Water District No. 1, said point also being the southeast corner of the Colonial Acres Extension to Water District No. 1, thence in a northerly direction along the easterly boundary line of said Colonial Acres Extension, 550 feet, more or less, to the northeasterly corner of said Colonial Acres Extension; thence in a westerly direction along then northerly boundary line of said Colonial Acres Extension, 593.19 feet, to a point; thence northwesterly

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along the said northerly boundary of the Colonial Acres Extension, 719.59 feet, to a point, said point being the northeast corner of the Elm Avenue/Feura Bush Road Extension, 922.17 feet to a point, said point being on the easterly boundary line of Water District No. 1; thence in a northeasterly direction along the said boundary line of Water District No. 1, 50 feet, more or less, to a point; thence in a northerly direction along the said boundary line of Water District No. 1, 1,950 feet, more or less, to a point; thence in an easterly direction along the said boundary line Water District No. 1, 1,300 feet, more or less, to a point; thence in a southeasterly direction and along a line perpendicular to the southerly boundary line of the Delmar Bypass, 400 feet, more or less, to a point on the southerly boundary line of the Delmar Bypass; thence in a northeasterly direction and along the said southerly boundary line of the Delmar Bypass, 3,180 feet, more or less, to a point, said point being in the westerly boundary line of the Glenmont Extension to Water District No. 1; thence in a southeasterly direction along the said boundary line of said Glenmont Extension, 1,125 feet, more or less, to a point; thence in an easterly direction along the said boundary line of the said Glenmont Extension, 1,325 feet, more or less, to a point; thence in a southerly direction along the said boundary line of the said Glenmont Extension, 2,900 feet, more or less, to a point in the northerly boundary of said Glenmont Extension, said point being 1,000 feet northerly of the centerline of Feura Bush Road; thence in a westerly direction along the said northerly boundary line of the said Glenmont Extension, 3,550 feet, more or less, to the point and place of beginning, containing 41.5 acres, more or less.

The above described area being more fully shown on a map entitled "Water District No. 1, Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York, Proposed Bender Lane Extension," dated March 1986, and made by J. Kenneth Frasser and Associates, P.C., Consulting Engineers, Rensselaer, New York.

WHEREAS, the total cost of all of said improvements and the maximum amount proposed to be expended therefore is \$300,000, which will be borne by the owners of Real Property within said proposed extension and

WHEREAS, the improvements proposed to be made consist of the construction of a new water supply system, and the maximum amount to be expended therefore is \$300,000, which is to be raised by the issuance of bonds issued by the Town of Bethlehem, and

WHEREAS, it is proposed that the cost of making such improvements shall be assessed, levied and collected by the Town Board from the several lots and parcels of land within the extension in the same manner and at the same time as other charges and,

WHEREAS, said map, plan and report describing said improvements are on file in the Bethlehem Town Clerk's Office for public inspection. Now, on motion of Mrs. Ruth O. Bickel and seconded by Frederick C. Webster, it is hereby

ORDERED, that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem shall meet and hold a public hearing at the

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Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, New York, on the 25th day of March at 8:00 p.m. on that day to consider said map, plan and report and to hear all persons interested in the subject thereof concerning the same, and to take such action thereon as is required or authorized by law, and it is further

ORDERED, that the Town Clerk be and she hereby is directed to publish and post certified copies of this order at the time and in the manner provided by law.

The adoption of the foregoing order was put to a vote and upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Ayes: Mr. Hendrick, Mrs. Bickel, Mr. Webster.

Noes: None.

Absent: Mr. Geurtze, Mrs. Ritchko.

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

Dated: February 25, 1987
(March 11, 1987)

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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, March 18, 1987, at 8:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York, to take action on application of Robert and Teresa Hoffmeister, 27 Western Avenue, Delmar, New York for Variance under Article XII of the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance, to permit seven (7) foot side yard at premises, 27 Western Avenue, Delmar, New York.

Charles B. Fritts
Chairman
Board of Appeals
(March 11, 1987)

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, March 18, 1987, at 8:15 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of James R. Sherin, 58 Burhans Place, Delmar, New York for Amendment to previous Variance under Article VIII of the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance to permit the building of a second story on the already approved one story addition at premises, 58 Burhans Place, Delmar, New York.

Charles B. Fritts
Chairman
Board of Appeals
(March 11, 1987)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Transportation requests for students attending private schools in 1987-88 must be submitted on or before April 1, 1987 to the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Central School District Offices, 26 Thatcher Street, Selkirk, NY 12158.

Forms are available at either the

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District offices or the Bus Garage. Questions should be directed to Mr. Albright at 756-2155.

Signed
Robert Albright
Transportation Supervisor
(March 11, 1987)

LEGAL NOTICE A NEW YORK LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the persons herein named have formed a Limited Partnership for the transaction of business in the State of New York and elsewhere and have filed a Certificate of Limited Partnership in the Clerk's Office of the County of Albany, of which the substance is as follows: 1. The name of the partnership is TOWN CENTER COMPANY; 2. The character of the partnership's business is to acquire for investment certain real property located in the Town of Guilderland, County of Albany, and State of New York, together with buildings and improvements to be erected on said real property and to own, manage, mortgage, lease, exchange, sell or otherwise transfer or dispose of such property and such other property as the Partnership shall acquire; 3. The principal place of business of the Partnership shall be at 10 McKown Road, Albany, New York 12203; 4. The name and place of residence of each member is as follows: Vincent M. Wolanin, General Partner, P.O. Box 1515, Sanibel Island, Florida 33957; Gregory M. Wolanin, Limited Partner, P.O. Box 1515, Sanibel Island, Florida 33957; 5. The term for which the Partnership is to exist is from the 30th of June, 1986, and shall terminate upon the occurrence of any of the following: adjudication of bankruptcy of the General Partner; the filing of a voluntary petition in bankruptcy or Chapter XI petition of the General Partner; the final disposition of all of the Partnership Property; or the 30th of June, 2016; 6. The capital of the Partnership shall be contributed as follows: Limited Partner.....\$500.00; 7. The Limited Partners shall receive the following in return for their capital contributions: (a) Commencing in the calendar year following the year in which full payment is made of the Limited Partner subscription, the excess of cash receipts over cash disbursements of the Partnership, annually shall be distributed 25% to the Limited Partner and 75% to the General Partner. (b) In the event of a sale, refinancing or condemnation, the proceeds thereof shall be distributed 25% to the Limited Partner and 75% to the General Partner. (c) Depreciation expense shall be allocated 25% to the Limited Partner and 75% to the General Partner. (d) Mortgage amortization shall be allocated 25% to the Limited Partner and 75% to the General Partner. The above is subject to such further amplification and/or modification in accordance with an Agreement of Limited Partnership executed by the undersigned simultaneously herewith. 8. The assignability of interests of the General and/or Limited Partner, and the admission of additional General and/or Limited Partner shall be governed by the aforesaid Agreement of Limited Partnership. 9. The death, retirement or insanity of a Limited Partner shall not constitute a dissolution of the Partnership and the

remaining General Partner or Partners shall have the right to continue the Partnership business; 10. The certificate referred to above has been acknowledged and sworn by all the General and Limited Partners named herein.

Kevin A. Luibrand, Esq.
Tobin and Dempf
100 State Street
Albany, New York 12207
(March 11, 1987)

LEGAL NOTICE VOORHEESVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the qualified voters of Voorheesville Central School District, County of Albany, State of New York will be held in the auditorium of the Clayton A. Bouton High School in said district on Tuesday, May 12, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time for the purpose of announcing and presenting candidates for the Board of Education and for the consideration of a budget for the school year 1987-1988 and for the transaction of such other business as is authorized by the Education Law.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that at the conclusion of the transaction of business on May 12, 1987 the Annual Meeting will be adjourned until 2 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13, 1987, at which time the meeting will be reconvened at the Clayton A. Bouton High School and the pool will be open and voting will proceed until 9:30 p.m. on the following:

1. To elect 1 member of the Board of Education for a 5 year term to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of the term of Peter G. TenEyck, II.

2. To vote on the Annual School Budget and the appropriation of the necessary funds to meet the estimate of expenditures, and to authorize the levy of taxes for this purpose.

3. To vote on the following proposition:

Proposition: Shall the following resolution be adopted, to wit:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of Voorheesville Central School District, Albany County, New York is hereby authorized to secure bonds to purchase three (3) diesel powered school buses for use by the District, at a total maximum estimated cost of \$135,000, and that such sum, or so much thereof, as may be necessary, shall be repaid within a maximum time period of two years.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes, exclusive of public money, may be obtained by any taxpayer in the district during the seven days immediately preceding the annual meeting, except Saturday, Sunday or holiday, at the following schoolhouse in which school is maintained during the hours designated: Clayton A. Bouton High School-schoolhouse, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education must be filed with the clerk of the district not later than the 30th day preceding the school meeting. Each petition must be directed to the clerk of the district, must be signed by

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AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes, exclusive of public money, may be obtained by any taxpayer in the district during the seven days immediately preceding the annual meeting, except Saturday, Sunday or holiday, at the following schoolhouse in which school is maintained during the hours designated: Clayton A. Bouton High School-schoolhouse, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education must be filed with the clerk of the district not later than the 30th day preceding the school meeting. Each petition must be directed to the clerk of the district, must be signed by

Peter G. Tea Eyck, II
District Clerk
Dated: February 9, 1987
(March 11, 1987)

LEGAL NOTICE

at least twenty-five qualified voters of the district, must state the name and residence of the candidate and must describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated including at least the length of the term of office and the name of the last incumbent.

Peter G. Tea Eyck, II
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AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that at the Annual School District Meeting the Public Library budget for the year 1987-1988 will be considered and such other business transacted as is authorized by law.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that at the conclusion of the transaction of business on May 12, 1987, the Annual Meeting will be adjourned until 2 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13, 1987, at which time the meeting will be reconvened at the Clayton A. Bouton High School and the polls will be open and voting will proceed until 9:30 p.m. on the following:

1. To elect a member of the Library Board for a 5 year term to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of the term of Mary Jane Ewar.

2. To vote on the Public Library budget and the appropriation of the necessary funds to meet the estimate of expenditures, and to authorize the levy of taxes for this purpose.

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AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the petitions nominating candidates for the office of the Library Board must be filed with the clerk of the Library Board not later than the 30th day preceding the school meeting. Each petition must be directed to the clerk of the Library Board, must be signed by at least twenty-five qualified voters of the district, must state the name and residence of the candidates and must describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated including at least the length of the term of office and the name of the last incumbent.

Jane Salvatore
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OBITUARIES

Russell Miller

Russell S. Miller, 94, of Delmar, a former teacher and administrator at Albany Business College, died Sunday, March 1, in Gloversville.

Born in Illinois, he was a resident of Delmar for many years.

He was associated with the Albany Business College for 44 years.

He was a member of the Men's Garden Club of Albany, the Phi Theta Pi business fraternity and the Capital District Garden Association, and he was a volunteer with the American Red Cross.

He was the husband of the late Blanche Angleton Miller.

Survivors include a son, Phillip Miller of Edinburg, and a daughter-in-law, Nancy Miller of Edinburg.

Arrangements were by the Marshall W. Tebbutt's Sons Funeral Home of Delmar.

Contributions can be made to the American Red Cross of Albany.

Albert Shutter

Albert J. Shutter, 81, of Maple Ave., Slingerlands, a native of Slingerlands, died Thursday, March 5, at Albany Medical Center Hospital after a long illness.

He retired in 1970 after 43 years with the Niagara Mohawk Power Corp. in Albany.

He was a member of the Slingerlands Fire Department and the Bethlehem Masonic Lodge, and he was also a ham radio operator with the call letters K2AYH. He was also a member of the Slingerlands Community United Methodist Church.

His survivors include his wife, Frances E. Shutter; a nephew, Millard Woodland Jr. of Albany; a niece, Ruth Hogan of Schenectady; and three grand-nieces.

Spring burial will be in Bethlehem Cemetery. Arrangements were by the Applebee Funeral Home of Delmar.

Dr. Everett Long

Dr. Everett C. Long of Heldervale, Slingerlands, a retired dentist, died Sunday, March 1,

after a brief illness at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

He was a resident of Slingerlands for the past 45 years, and he was born in Mohawk.

He retired last year after being a dentist in private practice in Albany for 55 years.

He was a life member of the American Dental Association. He was also a member and a former trustee of the Delmar United Methodist Church.

His survivors include his wife; Dorothy Newcomb Long; a daughter, Judith O'Brien of LaCanada, Calif.; a sister, Irma VanLaer of Albany; and two grandchildren.

Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery and arrangements were by the Marshall W. Tebbutt's Sons Funeral Home.

Contributions may be made to the Delmar United Methodist Church.

Pauline Dorman

Pauline Greenway Dorman, 66, of Brockley Dr., Delmar, a retired stenographer, died Wednesday, March 4, at St. Peter's Hospice after a long illness.

She was a resident of Delmar most of her life. She was born in Albany, and also lived in Watervliet from 1928 to 1937.

She graduated as valedictorian

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in 1936 from Watervliet High School. She retired in 1976 as a principal stenographer after 15 years with the state Department of Mental Hygiene.

She was a member of the United Fourth Presbyterian Church in Albany.

She is survived by her husband, John L. Dorman; two daughters, Carol Haverly of Wilmington, Del., and Paula Christenson of Iliion; a sister, Mary McRorie of Norfolk, Va.; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery in Berne. Arrangements were by the Philip J. Frederick Funeral Home of Albany.

Contributions can be made to St. Peter's Hospital Foundation for Hospice.

County bar elects

Thomas W. Jeram of Delmar has been elected president of the Albany County Bar Association for 1987.

Other area residents elected by the association are Margrethe R. Powers, Delmar, first vice president; and Michael J. Hutter, Jr., Delmar, and Robert K. Ruslander, Delmar, board of directors. Continuing as a member of the board of directors is John T. Mitchell, Delmar.

Car rolls, woman hurt

A Selkirk woman was admitted into Albany Medical Center Hospital for injuries suffered when her car flipped over Thursday.

Jane Fox, 21, of Elm Ave., was released from the hospital Saturday. She had been admitted for treatment of a head abrasion, a hospital spokesman said.

According to Bethlehem Police reports, Fox was driving south on Rt. 32 at Rt. 9W at about 6:40 p.m. when she said a vehicle in front of her made a sudden stop. Fox's car skidded and she turned to the right to avoid a collision. Her car then went off the shoulder of the road, and hit a snowbank that sent the car into a roll. After an unknown number of rolls, Fox's car came to rest on the shoulder of Rt. 32.

Police said they ticketed Fox for speeding.

Felony DWI charged

Bethlehem Police said they have charged a Greenville man with felony driving while intoxicated.

Howard T. Curless, 56, of Greenville, admitted driving a car and parking it on a sidewalk on Groesbeck Pl. in Elsmere at about 2 p.m., Wednesday. Police said they found him parked half in the road, apparently thinking he was in a parking zone.

Town historian speaks

James E. Morgan, Bethlehem's town historian, will speak at the March 17 meeting of the Bethlehem Women's Republican Club. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Delmar Presbyterian Church, Cherry and Delaware Aves., Delmar. All are welcome.

AARP luncheon

The Bethlehem Tri-Village Chapter 1598 of the American Association of Retired Persons will hold a noon spring luncheon at the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, on Tuesday, March 17. For \$9.95 reservations call 439-3305.

Lessons for living

Sister Jean Roche, chaplain of St. Peter's Hospital, will speak about "Lessons for the Living, Taught by the Dying" Wednesday (today) at the Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., Delmar, beginning at 7:30 p.m. All are welcome.

Found in Elsmere

A boy's 26-inch bicycle was found in woods in back of a Rural Pl., Elsmere, home on Thursday, Bethlehem Police reported. The owner of the bicycle can claim it at the police station at 447 Delaware Ave.

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Date	Time	Department or Unit	Event or Type Call
Feb. 26	11:33 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart attack
Feb. 26	11:48 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart attack
Feb. 26	4:36 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Auto accident
Feb. 27	9:20 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Personal injury
Feb. 27	9:22 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Violence/Mental illness
Feb. 27	6:15 p.m.	N. Beth. Fire Dept.	Structure fire
Feb. 28	12:02 a.m.	Onesquethaw Fire Dept.	Structure fire
Feb. 28	12:02 a.m.	Onesquethaw Ambulance	Standby
Feb. 28	8:41 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Respiratory distress
Feb. 28	10:23 a.m.	Delmar Fire Dept.	Alarm drop
Feb. 28	10:23 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Standby
Mar. 1	6:46 a.m.	Bethlehem Ambulance	Personal injury
March 1	6:51 a.m.	Selkirk Fire Dept.	Hazardous material
Mar. 1	7:05 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Standby
Mar. 1	7:05 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad II	Transport
Mar. 1	2:42 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Unresponsive patient
Mar. 1	5:38 p.m.	Selkirk Fire Dept.	Standby
Mar. 1	5:24 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Medical emergency
Mar. 2	2:50 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart attack
Mar. 2	7:44 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart attack
Mar. 2	7:55 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad II	Medical emergency
Mar. 2	9:17 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Auto accident
Mar. 2	2:51 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart attack
Mar. 3	6:52 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Maternity
Mar. 3	1:30 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Respiratory distress
Mar. 3	6:45 p.m.	Onesquethaw Ambulance	Medical emergency
Mar. 3	9:06 p.m.	Delmar Fire Dept.	Structure fire
Mar. 3	9:06 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Standby
Mar. 4	11:50 a.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Respiratory distress
Mar. 4		Delmar Rescue Squad	Personal injury
Mar. 4	3:05 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart attack
Mar. 4	10:55 p.m.	Delmar Rescue Squad	Overdose/poisoning

On Monday, March 2, the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post awarded Fireman of the Year Awards for the following town fire departments: Slingerlands Fire Dept., The Jack Flagler Family; Delmar Fire Dept., Dave Rice; Elsmere Fire Dept., Chief Anthony Morrell; Selkirk Fire Dept., entire membership, and North Bethlehem Fire Dept., Philip Schweppenhauser.

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Pets find prey

Editor, The Spotlight:

On February 25, 1987 two dogs came through our property near Font Grove Road and Krumkill Road and attacked and killed three of our pet ducks. One of these dogs was a German Shepard and the other was a medium-sized hound dog. These pets were a delight to the children in our family, who enjoyed watching them swim in our pond and therapy to an aging grandmother who sat for hours in peaceful contentment enjoying their antics.

We are very saddened by this event and somewhat fearful also, since it is reported by a neighbor that a while back these same two dogs ran through her property with a leg of a deer in their mouth. These dogs are not wild creatures who were hunting for food. They are domestic pets that are being cared for by someone. I know it's so much easier to open the door and let your dogs out in the morning and let them play and be outside for awhile, or all day for that matter. For those of you who do that, I'm sure you are unaware of some of the trouble your pets are causing.

There's a leash law in our town.

It's meant for all of us, not just some. We do not intend to sit back while our animals are brutally attacked. Would these animals go after children too? Perhaps in reading this, some one of you will decide to keep your animals under control. And if just one of you by doing that helps the rest of us to keep our pets and children safe, perhaps our lost little lives won't have been in vain.

Gloria Ozimek

Slingerlands

Bridge to safety

Editor, The Spotlight:

The Selkirk Fire District wishes to go on record in support of the reconstruction and reopening of the Jericho Bridge over the railroad yards at Selkirk. The Selkirk Fire District is responsible for protection of approximately 26 square miles of the Town of Bethlehem and maintains three firehouses to accomplish this task. No.1 Firehouse is located on Maple Avenue in Selkirk, New York; No.2 Firehouse is located on Glenmont Road in Glenmont; and No.3 Firehouse is located on Bridge Street in South Bethlehem.

One of the district's three Class "A" mainline pumpers is located in each of the aforementioned fire houses. Response to every fire is made from all three fire houses.

Prior to the closing of the Jericho Bridge, it was used by Selkirk Fire Companies 1 and 2, to respond to emergencies in that area by the use of the Mosher Bridge. This indirect route over Route 396 to South Bethlehem and then over the South Albany Road adds many minutes to the response time of those companies.

Since there is no public water located in South Bethlehem, the 1,500 gallons of water on the fire trucks stationed at Firehouse No.3 in South Bethlehem can be expended within 10 minutes. It is therefore crucial that the other two trucks get to the scene of the fire as soon as possible in order to supply water. The additional time necessary for the trucks from Nos. 1 and 2 to arrive at the fire is life and structure threatening to the railroad yard and the small community adjoining it. Selkirk Fire District is concerned with the health, safety and welfare of the persons and property located in that area.

In addition to the water requirements, it is noted that there is an extreme danger because of the time it would take to get the district's chemical truck to the scene of the Selkirk railroad yard. Many toxic, explosive and a dangerous industrial products are shipped through the Selkirk railroad yard daily. To extinguish fires involving such products, it would be necessary to also use the district's chemical truck. The truck is housed at Selkirk Firehouse 2, because of its proximity to major oil storage facilities. Selkirk Fire District played a major part in fighting the tremendous oil tank fire in the Port of Albany on September 7, 1980.

The Selkirk railroad yard is the site of the Conrail Northeast Regional Office Building constructed recently at the south side of the Jericho Bridge. There is also a freight car repair shop, diesel repair shop, refueling area for locomotives and a caboose yard, all of which are only safely accessible from the south side of the Jericho Bridge. No one can imagine the danger involved with a fire in a railroad yard of this dimension, with its buildings and the types of products which are in the yard daily. The reconstruction

of the bridge will help prevent potential death and destruction caused by the present delay in response time.

Conversely, in order for the first response by apparatus out of Selkirk Firehouse No. 3 to areas immediately north of the Jericho Bridge, which include a small community, Selkirk Airport, a new mill work building, a huge new automobile delivery yard and expected expansion, it is necessary for No. 3 Firehouse apparatus to go over the Mosher Bridge, thus increasing its response time. This time would be cut drastically by being able to go directly over the Jericho Bridge. It is crucial that No.3 respond as fast as possible, because of the distance the trucks from No.1 and 2 must travel.

In addition to the Fire District response, the Bethlehem Ambulance is also housed in the Selkirk Firehouse No. 3 every third week throughout the year, and its lifesaving response is greatly hampered by having to use the Mosher Bridge to get to that area.

In conclusion, the Selkirk Fire District feels that the lives and possessions of the South Bethlehem community on the south side of the railroad yard, the railroad yard and the community and businesses on the north side of the railroad yard should not be jeopardized by the continued closing of the Jericho Bridge. The fire district, in the interest of the health, safety and welfare of that area, urges that the bridge be reconstructed and reopened as soon as possible.

Charles B. Fritts, Chairman
Board of Fire Commissioners
Selkirk Fire District

Bridge an issue

Editor, The Spotlight:

On Feb. 25 1987, there was a meeting at the South Bethlehem Firehouse (Selkirk No. 3) concerning the status of the Jericho Bridge which has been closed now for one year. You apparently felt that this was not a newsworthy item since your newspaper did not cover it.

I would like to bring to your attention some of the people who did attend: approximately 150-200 concerned citizens from the Selkirk/South Bethlehem area, Elm Ave. Estates and Dowerskill Village; Assemblyman John Faso (102nd District); Charles Fritts, Chairman of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Selkirk Fire District and Neal Moylan,

representing Town Supervisor J. Robert Hendrick (who was unable to attend due to a Bethlehem Town Board meeting). Also in attendance were Robert Hoffmeister and James Ross, county legislators from our district, along with members of the town police department, Selkirk Fire Department and volunteer ambulance crews. Local television and radio stations were also represented.

Many different discussions were held concerning the closing of this bridge, mainly the health and safety of men, women and children living in the Selkirk Fire District.

Up until now your coverage of the Jericho Bridge closing has been great and well appreciated. I am hoping that your missed coverage was just an oversight and that you will continue covering our concerns as before.

Benjamin P. Giovannetti

Selkirk

Thank you, 4-H girls

Editor, The Spotlight:

The Bethlehem Senior Citizens were surprised with a dessert luncheon recently at their meeting room. It was a pleasant party put on by the Delmar 4-H girls. Thank you, girls.

Marge Morlock

Vanguard's Showcase

The Albany area's only annually scheduled decorators' showcase will be presented by Vanguard of the Albany Symphony from April 27 to May 17 at the Michaels Group's Weatherfield Estates in Voorheesville.

A showcase '87 preview party on April 26 from noon to 3 p.m. at the Albany Country Club, will feature a champagne brunch, followed by a showcase tour.

Preview party donations are \$30. Daily showcase admissions are \$5. Showcase viewing hours will be from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mondays through Saturdays and from 1 to 5 p.m. on Sundays. Luncheons, including fashion shows, will be available Mondays through Saturdays for \$7; separate sittings are at 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Groups of ten or more may reserve a showcase tour plus luncheon and fashion show for \$10 on Mondays and Tuesdays. Reservations are necessary for the preview party and group tours and are suggested for luncheons. Call the Albany Symphony Office at 465-4755 for reservations.

Showcase '87 will be Vanguard's 7th annual decorator's showhouse. The first showhouse, in 1980, was held at the Albany Institute of History and Art.

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Girl, Megan Lynn, to Kim M. and Harold W. Houghtaling III, South Bethlehem, Feb. 13.

Girl, Jessica Rae, to Linda Marie and Andrew Edward Toga, Delmar, Feb. 13.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Tracey

Wed in Clarksville

Cynthia A. Kinns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis R. Kinns of Clarksville, and Frank E. Tracey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Tracey of Clarksville, were married on Feb. 14 at the Clarksville Community Church. The Rev. Bruce Wierks officiated.

The bride is a graduate of Bethlehem-Central High School

Little Notch alumnae

The Hudson Valley Girl Scout Council is seeking names of girls who attended the council's resident camp between 1939 and 1980.

Plans are being made for a reunion of Camp Little Notch alumnae and council records are incomplete in some cases.

Little Notch, located in the Adirondacks in the Town of Fort Ann, includes 3,000 wooded acres and a mile-long lake. A total of 665 girls, scouts and non-scouts alike, attended Little Notch last summer.

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Briscoes celebrate 25th

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The couple returned home to a surprise party planned by friends and their two sons, Garth and Greg.

Glenmont fashion show

"A Breath of Spring," a fashion show and celebration of Glenmont Elementary School's 30th anniversary, will be presented by the Glenmont faculty and PTA on Friday, March 20, at 7:30 p.m.

Fashions from the Clothes Circuit of Glenmont and Gingersnips of Delmar will be modeled by the Glenmont staff and their children. Entertainment will be provided by the Friendship Singers.

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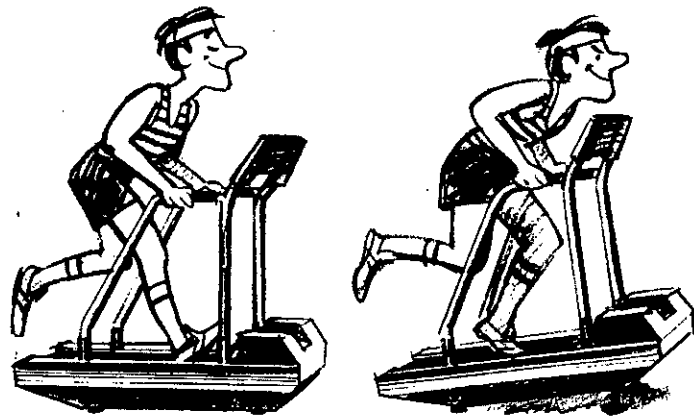
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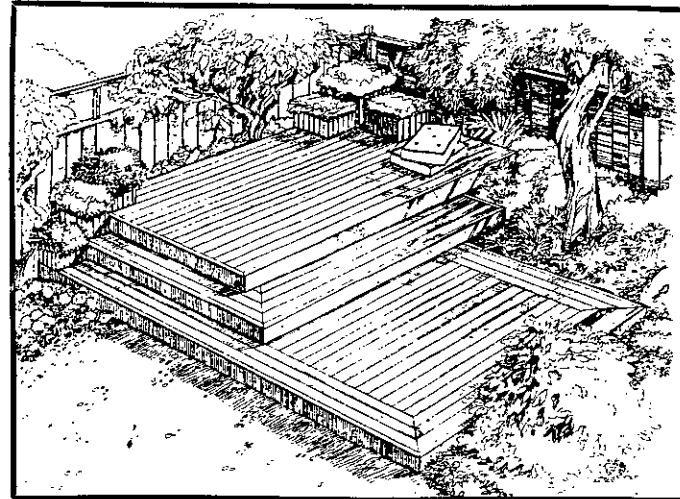


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