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## Supply, demand in the recycling game

### Towns, counties make a market

By Mark Stuart

For five cents, you can help complicate or simplify some of the solid waste problems that confront New York State, and your own town.

That's what most solid waste experts are saying when it comes to the issue of all those bottles people would rather throw out instead of return for their deposit.

Statewide landfill closings and proposed legislation requiring separation of recycleable trash has forced many towns and counties to take a long, hard look at the future of waste disposal.

In the Capital District, a Tri-County study for Albany, Rensselaer and Schenectady counties to evaluate the future of solid waste alternatives reached its halfway mark on Aug. 4. At a recent meeting at the state Department of Environmental Conservation office on Wolf Rd. in Albany, one of the hottest topics was the problem of recycleable bottles not being returned. The bottle issue appears to typify the problems of supply and demand in the push to recycle newspapers,



This pile of returned bottles and cans at the Delmar Beverage store on Delaware Ave. is ready to be hauled away by Carco Inc., an Albany-based recycling company. Despite

the state's deposit system for beverage containers, a large number of bottles and cans are never recovered and wind up in the waste stream.

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cans, plastics and just about any other form of waste that can be reused in some way.

Locally, the Bethlehem Solid Waste Committee is looking for

its own solution to cut down on the amount of deposit bottles that enter the waste stream. As with state and federal committees grappling with the same recycling

issues, questions seem to bring about more questions.

"There's no easy answers, that the one thing for sure, there's no easy answers," said Bethlehem

Public Works Commissioner Bruce Secor after the Tri-County study meeting. Secor serves on the Bethlehem Solid Waste Committee, which is currently trying to come up with a way to educate town residents as to the importance of separating recycleable bottles from the waste stream as a priority issue.

But local officials say persuasion can only go so far. At both the town and state level, the deciding factor may boil down to one specific aspect of recycling — money. Not money for implementation of recycling programs, but rather requiring deposits large enough to encourage consumers to return their empties and a to create a healthy recycling market in the private sector.

On the consumer level, convenience and effort to bring back returnables aren't hindered by any large scale problem. But looking at the situation realistically, people just aren't enthused about having to wait in line to return 50 bottles for \$2.50 when it's much easier to simply throw them away and pass the burden of recycling (and soon-to-be separation) on to the collector.

On the municipal level, town

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## Morrison out of council race, Finnigan gets extra lines

By Patricia Mitchell

Robert Morrison, chairman of an active citizens group, apparently will not run as an independent candidate for the New Scotland Town Board this fall, leaving Democratic candidate James Finnigan to run on the line instead.

Albany County Board of Elections officials said Finnigan was the only candidate who filed for the Independent line before the deadline for petitions on Aug. 23. Because a state Supreme Court judge also awarded Finnigan the right to run as the Conservative candidate, he would be listed on the Democratic and Conservative-Independent lines in November.

However, town GOP Chairman Ronne Von Ronne said his party is contesting Finnigan's Independent petitions on technical grounds.

Craig Shufelt is the Republican candidate for the town board.

November's special election will fill a vacant seat on the five-member New Scotland Town Board for one year. The board is currently split 2-2 on party lines.

Morrison, who has been highly visible as the leader of Concerned Citizens for New Scotland, Inc., a citizens group formed to fight the Larned and Sons gravel mine, sought the backing of the Democratic committee for his run for the town board, but lost to

Finnigan, who is also a member of Concerned Citizens. Morrison is a registered Republican but has filed to change his political party status to Independent.

Morrison was criticized by Democratic Chairman Thomas Dolin after he announced his candidacy for the town board as an Independent. Dolin said the move could split the Democratic vote, giving an edge to Shufelt.

Morrison said Tuesday his decision not to run means he is postponing his candidacy for the New Scotland Town Board until 1989. The town's settlement with miners Larned and Sons affected his decision, anticipating that his group's stand against it will continue for a long time, and he said he felt it was best for the community that he coordinate his group's position. He added he will continue as chairman of Concerned Citizens until March or April.

He said he also made the decision not to run because of a number of personal and professional reasons since he announced he did not run in July, and he found he did not have enough time to prepare for the race.

"The timing for me is terribly bad. I found I was not able to give it the attention this year," he said.

Finnigan said he does not know why Morrison did not file his petitions and said no deals were

made between the two candidates. The fact that his name will appear on two lines is good news, he said.

Von Ronne said only two candidates in the ring means a little harder job for his party because Morrison won't split the vote as Dolin predicted. He said Finnigan and Morrison probably agreed their positions would best be served by consolidating, and Morrison stepped aside.

No deals were necessary, Dolin said, because Morrison is a principled person, and Finnigan also worked to circulate petitions among Independents. Dolin said he does not know whether Morrison will support Finnigan.

In a related matter, a state Supreme Court judge has decided that Finnigan will be the Conservative candidate for the town board in November's election, and therefore a primary will not be necessary Sept. 15. The Conservative faction with strong ties to the Albany County Democratic Committee challenged petitions filed by Shufelt, alleging that he did not have the consent of the county Conservative Committee that Finnigan has. Some specifications on the petitions were also challenged.

Shufelt was backed by the faction that has strong ties to the county Republicans.



Bethlehem town officials are trying to decide what limitations to impose on retail food and snack sales at local gas stations to prevent the stations from becoming a convenience store.

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**'Fill it up-  
and a cup of coffee'**

By Theresa Bobear

Changing times have forced town officials to rethink their concept of a gas station. "Every gas station wants to become some sort of convenient mart," said John Flanigan, building inspector, during the Bethlehem Board of Appeals meeting last Wednesday night.

With convenience stores offering groceries and gas at one stop, many gas station operators in town have attempted to keep up with the competition by selling a variety of non-automotive products. When one station operator approached the board recently for permission to sell beverages and snacks, board members attempted to draft a proposed zoning ordinance amendment that was both responsive to the economics of the

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**Delmar woman treated after Four Corners accident**

A Delmar woman was taken to the hospital Friday after the car she was driving hit the rear of another on Kenwood Ave. near Delaware Ave., Bethlehem police said.

Donna Sollecito, 32, of Amsterdam, and Mary Scott, 43, of Delmar, were both stopped in their vehicles at the traffic light at the Four Corners at 12:30 p.m., when a car driven by Michelle Latham, 21, of Delmar approached them from the rear, police said. Latham told police she believed the other car was moving when her vehicle struck the back of Scott's vehicle.

Latham was taken to Albany Medical Center Hospital for neck pains and was later released, a hospital spokesman said.

**New home entered**

The rear porch of a home under construction on Darroch Rd., Delmar, was entered between Tuesday and Wednesday after one screen window was cut and three others kicked in, Bethlehem police said. The incident was reported by a New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands, man.

**Two bikes found**

Bethlehem police said two bicycles were found this week.

A men's 10-speed blue bicycle was found on Wellington Rd., Delmar, on Tuesday, police said, and a men's 10-speed gray bicycle was found on Murray Ave., Delmar, Monday.

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Selkirk firefighters direct water to the roof of a shed at Callanan Industries in South Bethlehem at a fire that broke out at about 11 a.m., Friday. Company officials said they believe the fire, that was contained to the building, was electrical in nature. The old

wood-frame building housed a metal fabrication shop, an old air compressor, water pump and other equipment. No one was hurt, and crews from Delmar, Ravena, and Coeymans Hollow also responded. *Patricia Mitchell*

**Carting off the goods**

Bethlehem police said they are investigating the theft of a wheelbarrow from an Elsmere hardware store Sunday.

A man backed his vehicle up to the front of A. Phillips Hardware on Delaware Ave. at about 1:15 p.m. and put the wheelbarrow, valued at about \$98, in the vehicle and left, police said.

**Bicycle auction set for Sept. 10**

The Bethlehem Police Department will auction off about 65 bicycles to the highest bidders on Saturday, Sept. 10, from 1 to 3 p.m., Det. James Corbett said.

The auction will take place in back of the police station at 447 Delaware Ave., and the bicycles can be previewed from noon to 1 p.m.

The bicycles are those that have been found and not claimed, or can't be identified.

**Red Cross offers swimming lessons**

The Albany chapter of the American Red Cross will offer adult swimming lessons at the State University at Albany from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Fridays, from Sept. 9 through Dec. 9.

To register for \$13, call the American Red Cross at 462-7461, ext. 321. Registrations will also be accepted at 9:15 a.m. on Sept. 9 at the pool. Members of the traveling teams must pay an additional fee.

For information, call Joseph Romano at 371-5170 or Richard Wallace at 273-3119.

**Hendrick back to office after weekend surgery**

Bethlehem Supervisor Robert Hendrick returned to his desk last Monday and was "tackling his usual work load" after having a pacemaker installed, according to Bethlehem Community Relations Spokesman Neal Moylan.

It was incorrectly reported last week that Hendrick was suffering from an aneurysm after he was taken to St. Peter's Hospital by the Delmar Rescue Squad on Aug. 19 after a fainting spell in his office. He had actually suffered an attack of arrhythmia, which is an irregular heartbeat condition.

After spending two days in the hospital for cardiology testing and surgery to install the pacemaker, Hendrick was released last Monday morning.

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## Labor's Day

Next Monday simultaneously marks the actual end of summer (the calendar notwithstanding) and the nation's observance of Labor Day.

### EDITORIAL

Our holiday-habituated citizenry readily seizes on whatsoever occasion for a long weekend, and the first Monday of September provides a handy excuse. But Labor Day, as such, has pretty much outlived its rationale for existence. The era of Haymarket riots, Triangle holocausts, and other excesses and cruelties are past, along with the times of Sam Gompers, Bill Green, John L. Lewis, Phil Murray, George Meany, Walter Reuther — labor's statesmen and heroes, all gone. Only the Teamsters' bosses gain much note.

Today's workers, in or out of unions, have different needs and expectations and interests. In truth, their cause is hardly indistinguishable from that of many other groups of Americans. The big issues and movements today have little to do with employment as such. Organized labor's politicians use Labor Day as the occasion for mild rhetoric that can neither damn many villains nor inflame many followers. A holiday is not really needed for their exhortations.

But we Americans are not going to surrender a Monday off, either. Why don't we find a new, good reason to dedicate a holiday meaningfully (Constitution Day, New Americans Day, Four Freedoms Day) while continuing, year-round, to pay just tribute to labor's pantheon and to recognize the directions of its emerging goals.

## Street scene

He was a gentleman of mature years, making very deliberate but steadfast progress along Delmar's main thoroughfare on his bicycle. At times, a motorist, his own progress slowed by the uncertain pace, became impatient and irritated. At the Four Corners, an arm was raised, pointing, to give notice that the cycle and its rider were going through rather than turning off.

Next seen, the cyclist was in the parking area of the Bethlehem Public Library. His errand completed inside, he walked haltingly, laboriously with a heavy walking stick back to the bike. An incoming visitor to the cycle rack obligingly gave a nudge to the kickstand.

And the doughty rider was off again, still at a speed so cautious that it almost inevitably helped to make oncoming drivers unusually cautious too. His mission: to replenish his mind from the storehouse that the town provides there off Borthwick. His gift: the example of an undaunted courage and the will to persist rather than surrender to chronology or infirmity.

## The corn is green

September is indeed upon us, and fall is just over the horizon. You can read the truth in the precise slant of the early morning sun through low-hanging maple leaves.

And heralding the change of season, even more truly than the outfitting of youngsters for school days' return, is the welcome height of the local sweet corn season.

August's last fortnight saw the year's crop redeem most of its early difficulties brought about by the 1988 summer of a thousand Julys (as Cole Porter would have it). Farmers experienced frustrating problems of getting the planted corn to germinate, and the humid heat served to diminish the natural sweetness. But the onset of cooler nights helped with the sweetness, and the rain, when it came, helped as well. And though in the fields the stalks were not as tall as usual (not yet up to a pachyderm's eye), and the ears tended to be smaller, our area's celebrated great delicacy finally came into its own — helped along, no doubt, by the cheers of its anxious, eager claque of hungry patrons.

The supersweet varieties brought to the marketplace in recent times have provided new cause for rejoicing. And this season's crop is proving to be just about as sweet as anticipated.

So eat up. After Labor Day, the supply will diminish, and we'll have to wait for August to roll around again in order to taste those succulent kernels. With exactly the right amount of melting butter, of course.

UNCLE DUDLEY

## The next vice president . . .

"Ladies and gentlemen of the convention, fellow delegates: It is with distinct pleasure that I have received the privilege of bringing to you as the nominee for Vice President the name of the distinguished governor of the great state of Nebraska, the Honorable Charles Wayland Bryan, beloved brother of the Great Commoner. He will be a fit running-mate for the next President of the United States, John W. Davis . . ."

"My friends and fellow delegates to this great convention of the Democracy: I have the honor to present to you the name of the next Vice President of the United States, the great Senator from the State of Arkansas, Joseph Taylor Robinson. He will fight side by side throughout this campaign with our noble nominee for President, the Honorable Alfred E. Smith . . ."

"Delegates to this inspiring convention of the Grand Old Party, our beloved Republican Party: I wish to introduce to you the renowned publisher of the *Chicago Daily News*, that soldier for freedom in the Spanish American War and the Great War, the Honorable Frank Knox, who will help our great candidate, for President, Governor Alf M. Landon, carry on to victory in November . . ."

"Fellow-delegates: The Honorable Charles McNary, the distinguished Senator from Oregon, will be the next Vice President of the United States . . ."

"My fellow delegates: In these terrible days when our boys are fighting in Normandy and so many other fronts around the globe, our thoughts go out to them with the hope that we can end this war and bring the boys home again quickly. To achieve victory, we have nominated the great



governor of the Empire State, the Honorable Thomas E. Dewey. And now we are able to turn to another great governor, the Honorable John W. Bricker of Ohio. I give you the next Vice President of the United States . . ."

"Ladies and gentlemen of this Republican convention, well met here in the citadel of American liberty, where Independence Hall itself inspires us, it is fitting that we at last become a party whose candidates will represent states from sea to shining sea. We will do ourselves proud by nominating as the next Vice President of the United States Governor Earl Warren of the great state of California. With our nominee for President, Governor Dewey, he will carry this ticket - on to undoubted victory . . ."

"My friends: having nominated the next President of the United States, Adlai Ewing Stevenson, it is our good fortune to be able to turn to a most distinguished Senator as his running-mate. I give you the name of the Honorable John J. Sparkman of the great state of Alabama . . ."

" . . . The next Vice President of the United States, that great patriot from the Volunteer State of Tennessee, Estes Kefauver . . ."

" . . . The next Vice President of the United States, the distinguished

United States Ambassador to the United Nations, the Honorable Henry Cabot Lodge . . ."

"The next Vice President of the United States, selected for that honor by our nominee for President, Senator Barry M. Goldwater, that beloved Representative from the State of New York, the Honorable William E. Miller . . ."

"The next Vice President . . . Senator Edmund Muskie . . ."

" . . . Senator Thomas Eagleton . . ."

"Senator Bob Dole . . ."

" . . . United States Representative Geraldine Ferraro . . ."

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Well, none of them quite made it, did they? Evidence that even some relatively well-known political figures (to say nothing of aspirants pulled out of the woodwork) aren't necessarily "the next" anything, "distinguished" though they be — despite all the convention oratory and hoopla.

In fairness, it must be conceded that in those same years, some equally "distinguished" — and unknown — men were nominated and elected. Not very well known then, some served and were soon forgotten: Charles Gates Dawes, Charles Curtis, John Nance Garner.

And still others made their reputations subsequently: Harry S. Truman, Richard M. Nixon, Lyndon Johnson; yes, and perhaps George H. W. Bush. But let us not pass over too easily the name of that other distinguished American, the dark-horse governor of the Free State of Maryland, the Honorable Spiro Agnew, sprung as a surprise by his patron, Richard M. Nixon.

Perhaps this essay should be titled, "It ain't necessarily so . . .?"

### CONSTANT READER

## On unstable leadership

In this year of presidential selection, one of the most important — and appalling — articles which bear on the presidency was published in the Aug. 21 issue of *The New York Times Magazine*.

It was written by Richard N. Goodwin, who was assistant in the White House during the Kennedy and Johnson administrations. It is to be published in September as part of a book he has written, *Remembering America, A Voice from the Sixties*.

And it is published against the background of the unnecessary blip in the campaign that forced Governor Dukakis to deny that he had ever sought psychiatric or psychological counseling. (To President Reagan's discredit, in my view, he improperly gave currency to the idle, speculative, and nasty rumors about the governor's health, presumably his mental health.)

Numerous sensible people, both within and outside the medical professions, have decried the questions about Mr. Dukakis's mental state (at some time in the past), particularly as this might relate to his justification in seeking counseling (if he had).

The gist of these informed responses is "So what?" with the added explanation that if in fact

he had reacted to stress by obtaining help in understanding his emotions, so much the better. No shame should come to an individual who is sensible (and sane) enough to recognize that he/she has a problem and is willing to turn to qualified specialists for assistance in straightening it out.

The Goodwin article bears on this. From a privileged position close to the President in 1964-65, he was greatly troubled by what he saw as a leader "increasingly beset by imaginary enemies." Here are some of his observations and comments:

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## Engaging students

Editor, The Spotlight:

I was heartened to read Bethlehem Central Superintendent Leslie Loomis' vision (*The Spotlight*, Aug. 24) of an educational environment, process and experience in which all of our children will feel respected, be challenged, encouraged, excited and inspired — to learn, to live, to learn to live, and to love living and learning.

Children who are respected, learn to respect — themselves and others. Children who are challenged, learn to think — for themselves and about others. Children who are listened to, learn to trust and listen — to themselves and others. Children who are encouraged, learn to explore and discover — interests, gifts, talents, leisure pursuits and constructive activities. Children who are excited about life, learning themselves and others, learn to value and preserve — themselves, life, learning and others.

It is difficult to imagine that children who are engaged in exciting, constructive and creative pursuits of mind, body and spirit, would continue to choose to spend their out-of-school leisure time using and abusing themselves with substances because "it's fun" (to get drunk) or "there's nothing else to do" but get drunk.

It is difficult to imagine that children who are respected, challenged, encouraged and excited about life and learning would continue to engage in destructive activities, rather than explore and discover constructive ones. It is difficult to imagine children turned off and turned out — to life, learning, parents, teachers, siblings and friends — in the educational environment that Dr. Loomis envisions and describes.

### Vox Pop

It seems to me that within Dr. Loomis' vision lies a considerable amount of wisdom, insight and objectivity about the pluses and minuses of our present educational experience, process and environment, and perhaps, an effective antidote to our problem of bright young minds, bodies, spirits and lives wasting and wasted.

I hope that others appreciate and share the hope that Dr. Loomis' vision offers to parents, teachers, children and all members of the community. I hope that as a community, we will accept this challenge and his invitation to effect a positive change in our children's schools and lives and provide them with a promising and exciting educational environment — at school, at home and within the community — in which they can grow strong, in body, mind, spirit and conviction.

Dr. Loomis has offered a creative, constructive, promising and exciting "alternative activity" for children, for nearly half their waking hours each day, 180 days of every 365, and for 13 of the first 18 years of their lives. It's one we haven't yet considered in our community, in our search for solutions to "what ails our children." I hope that we'll not be wary of change or "reform" — I hope we'll explore it. Perhaps, we'll discover a better way to turn children on, enhance their experience, and heighten their awareness of the good, exciting and promising things that life and learning have to offer.

Nancy Relyea

Slingerlands

## Voorheesville's mayor: caution is justified

Editor, The Spotlight:

As mayor of the Village of Voorheesville, I want to express my agreement with the *major* points in your Aug. 17 editorial "Water Troubles," — particularly your arguments in favor of a regional water system developed under a master plan for water in the Town of New Scotland. However, your conclusion that the Voorheesville Board of Trustees was "irresponsible" in deciding "not to link its water system with New Scotland's" was unfounded.

It was not the fragility of the aquifer that we cited, although that is, as you pointed out, vulnerable to pollution and drought. It was the fragility of the delivery system and the fact that we must serve all new development in the village, which is still forty percent undeveloped. Equally important is that our village is literally surrounded by vast areas of land without any water system whatever. We are constantly asked for access to our system by people living on, or hoping to live on, or trying to develop that land. We cannot, responsibly, pick a few we might be able to help, and arbitrarily refuse others. And we definitely cannot help everyone if we are going to be responsible.

Finally, you made reference to an offer I am not familiar with, a Swift Road hookup. In exchange for water "now" we were offered access to a "to be developed" system using a well on the Tall

Timbers property as a source. That was a plausible offer, although not ideal, since it would draw from a source so close to ours that they would be equally vulnerable. However, the major reason it was refused was because even those trustees who thought the offer was worth considering had no faith that it would ever be delivered. Our village has been "burned" by such agreements with the town before. Witness your own reference to "the continuing fiasco in Clarksville" — a five year effort where "coping with the inherent difficulties of government red tape may prove insurmountable".

Also, a Swift Road hookup would have many limitations. Transmission line size, pump station capacity, and other limitations that are not evident at first glance would greatly reduce its usefulness as an interconnection of a modern water system.

You defended the right of Bethlehem "to ask that long-term growth questions be answered before any new additions are made to the(ir) system." I agree, but would add — and evidence of intent and ability to carry out the plans.

Voorheesville has similar rights. The Board of Trustees' decision was a responsible one.

Edward F. Clark  
Mayor

Voorheesville

## Reordering our schools

*This Point of View is a continuation of last week's article on current challenges to education. The author, a Delmar resident, is president of the American Corporation for Education and Training. Until July 31, he was New York State executive deputy commissioner for education.*

By Robert J. Maurer

New Yorkers last year spent over \$14 billion on their public schools. On average, local tax payers pick up 60 percent of that cost. State assistance has been growing, up \$2.5 billion in five years. Not much of it reaches our area's schools. The Bethlehem district is considered high wealth under the state aid formula. New York spends a lot on education. Except for Alaska, New York per pupil expenditures are the highest in the nation — over \$6,400.

Looking at the averages, New York taxpayers get pretty good schools for their money. Considering the problems of poverty and educational deprivation for so many of New York's students, the system generally works about 75 per cent of the time.

Increasingly, however, complaints from business leaders and parents, national studies, and school critics have focused on not the averages but the specific numbers that show the blemishes. The dropout. The graduate who can not read or compute. The student — rich or poor — without values for a life of success. The critics, both in and out of the education profession, have called for an overhaul of the place we have so long known as school.

Reforms in New York generally began in 1984. The Board of Regents' "Action Plan for Improving Student Achievement" increased high school graduation requirements and elementary school curriculum standards. By requiring more math, more science, second language study, technology courses, re-emphasis on the basic skills, and an acknowledgement of the importance of values and discipline, the Regents accomplished the most extensive change in school curriculum within the last fifty years. New tests of student achievement were mandated, requirements for school building and school district accountability for student achievement were put in place, and teacher certification qualifications were increased.

Schools have sought to implement these new and dramatically different curriculum standards. Criticism persist, however, that the organization of the school remains at the root of the limits to its performance and to unacceptable student achievement.

The reformers want the school program to be run by teachers, not administrators. They want schools to be community sites for family services — parent education, health and day care services. They see the need to have schools serve business employment interests more closely. Parents should be able to choose the public school their children attend, say the critics. The reformers would have the school adjust to the ethnic, cultural and economic backgrounds of its students rather than having students adapt to an institution organized to serve a different — wealthier, white and advantaged — population.

School has the attribute of being a stable institution, having an independent revenue stream, having experienced and qualified staff,

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and having an established system of fiscal and academic measurement and accountability. Yet, for all these positive qualities, replicated in 730 school districts and more than 6,000 school buildings in New York State, schools lack the essential element the critics want — resiliency!

These are times of economic change and social challenge. Many Americans and New Yorkers are looking toward education to fill the gap — be the catalyst to produce the new work force of the post-industrial age and a civic community for the nation. Is there resiliency within the education system to adapt the school to new family structures and student abilities and attitudes? Will the public and professional educators support new organization patterns for the delivery of learning to our children?

The answers should be yes. But it is not easy to change a 150-year-old system of locally controlled, professionally led 730 independent public schools. We remain captured by vested interests — of educators, of school board members, or of citizens and taxpayers — that prevent change:

"Day care? Let'm take care of their kids the way I did and my mother did," say community residents unable to see that the two-member wage earner family is an economic necessity today.

"Medical care, parenthood clinics, provision for breakfast, social and emotional services, drug and alcohol abuse prevention. Where are their parents?" asks a business person unaware that 25 percent of our school children only have one parent at home to support them and care for their needs.

"Values are learned in the home. Spelling is the province of the school!" states a teacher uncomfortable with the responsibility of explaining moral choices for students, but unknowing that no one has established a set of values and morals with this child.

"District consolidation? Open enrollments across districts? Regional technical high schools? Our kids earned the right to have the schools we built for them. And, without any interlopers," says the district administrator or school board member, unaware that school taxes could be lower, more programs available to students, and that the exposure to children of other communities could be an enriching — not debilitating — experience.

Change and reordering of our schools has already begun. It will accelerate. Teachers will not teach in schools where managers will not listen. Children will not learn where teachers have no understanding of who they are. Parents will avoid public schools that do no educate. Taxpayers will not support costly inefficiencies easily remedied by regionalism, interdistrict cooperation, and sharing of student enrollments.

The challenge to us all is to take control of the change to our schools. To reorder — our educational system into the pattern of organization, management and delivery of services we want and we need. That is an exciting prospect.

Next week — Parents and Children.

### Senior urges more use for town park pool

Editor, The Spotlight:

As a senior citizen and a resident of Delmar I enjoy many benefits, one of which is the pool at the lovely town park that is available to the community.

It has been a pleasure to spend

the hot summer days at the park. It's well kept by willing and friendly employees. I'm proud to bring family and friends there when they come to visit.

If I may offer just one suggestion, how we can make a good thing just a little bit better. Next year, could we allow one of the lap pools for the senior

citizens. Not all the time, perhaps a certain couple of hours or a half hour a day? Seniors do like to do laps but obviously not as strenuously as the young folks do.

Rose Angerame

Delmar

### More letters page 6

VOX POP is The Spotlight's public forum. We print all letters from readers on matters of local interest. Writers are encouraged to keep their letters as brief as possible, and letters will be edited for good taste, fairness and accuracy as well as for length. No letter will be substantially changed or cut without consultation between the editor and the writer.

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Letters should be typed and double spaced if possible. The deadline for all letters is 5 p.m. of the Friday before the Wednesday of publication. All letters must be signed and must include a telephone number where the writer can be reached. With satisfactory reason, letter writers may request that their names be withheld.

# MATTERS of Opinion

## CONSTANT READER

(From Page 4)

about the time the decision was made to increase by more than 100,000 the number of American Troops in Vietnam — a decision that transformed Vietnam into an American war — I became convinced that President Johnson's always large eccentricities had taken a huge leap into unreason. . . The President's conduct during 1965 was, on occasion, markedly, almost frighteningly different from anything I had observed previously. My conclusion is that President Johnson experienced certain episodes of what I believe to have been paranoid behavior."

Mr. Goodwin elaborates: "If the

world was beginning to slip from his control, Johnson would construct a tiny inner world that he could control, barricade himself not only from disagreement but the need to acknowledge the very existence of disagreement. . .

Gradually, all meaningful discussion and decision were confined to the small, carefully chosen inner circle. . . . Meanwhile, dissent from the outside — press or Congress or public — was discounted, rejected as the malignant tissue of ignorance, political ambition, disloyalty, or even a multiplying conspiracy.

"And, for a long time, Johnson succeeded not in changing reality, but in deceiving much of the country and, perhaps, himself."

Mr. Goodwin reflects with uncertainty on whether he was correct in keeping his grave doubts pretty much to himself at the time ("misplaced loyalty or personal cowardice?"). He could not prove his judgment then or now, he notes, but suggests that the evidence of the war's escalation supports the idea that this country's posture in the war "was fueled by self-deception throughout."

If you haven't read the article, and still have a copy of that *Sunday Magazine* on hand, it's well worth the time to look it up (or at the library). Certainly, it should give us reason to reflect on the various channels that our leaders' mental health may take, immensely affecting the country's safety. And what we should permit, expect they would do in order to maintain health attitudes and judgments. One more thought: Lyndon Johnson came to his presidential responsibilities from the vice presidency.

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## Albany man charged with DWI after chase

A 25-year-old Albany man has been charged with numerous traffic violations, including driving while intoxicated, after a high speed chase ended in Albany early Saturday morning, Bethlehem police said.

The man was first spotted by police as he was headed northbound on Rt. 85, and he was clocked on radar at 135 m.p.h. Police followed the man up Rt. 85 to the Western Ave. exit, where he left Rt. 85, police said.

Albany police and state police responded to the chase, and Bethlehem police said Albany police stopped the man at Madison Ave. and West Lawrence St., where they detected a strong odor of alcohol on his breath.

The man will appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Sept. 6 on charges of driving while intoxicated, driving with .10 percent or more of alcohol in his blood, speeding and reckless driving, police said. All the charges are misdemeanors.

## Vox Pop

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### Write it right

Editor, The Spotlight:

In the interest of good journalism, if you're going to use a poetry quotation as a lead into your story, look it up and get it accurate. The quotation from Samuel Taylor Coleridge's *Rime* (the way he spelled it in Old English) of *the Ancient Mariner* should read:

"Water, water everywhere, and all the boards did shrink.

[Water, water everywhere, Nor any drop to drink.]"

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Otherwise a concise, well-developed piece of writing — keep it up!

Alan Robertson

Delmar

### Assistance appreciated

Editor, The Spotlight:

My sincere thanks to the Bethlehem police officer, my neighbor and friend Jeff Dievendorf, and Al Burke for helping me to enter my house. The Bethlehem police officer and Jeff Dievendorf worked very hard to help me as the lock on my door had broken. Mr. Burke came over later and made repairs.

I will always be thankful for their help.

Barbara Haight

Delmar

### Carroll elected

William J. Carroll of Delmar, executive director of the New York State Bar Association, has been elected president of the National Association of Bar Executives (NABE).

Carroll, a graduate of Fordham University, received his law degree from the University of Virginia School of Law.

He joined the New York State Bar Association in 1974 and has served as director of continuing legal education and assistant executive director.

### Motorcyclist charged

A 30-year-old Albany man will appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Sept. 6, on charges of driving his motorcycle while intoxicated, Bethlehem police said.

The man was stopped on Rt. 85 at about 9 p.m. Thursday, after he pulled out of the Hess station and stopped in the middle of the road. The man walked his motorcycle, and then began to drive it on Rt. 85, police said.

Police said they detected a strong odor of alcohol on the man's breath. The man was swaying, and police said when they asked him for his driver's license he dropped to his knees to get the information.

### Intruders hit two Elsmere homes

Two homes in Elsmere were broken into between Monday and Tuesday, Bethlehem police said.

A Plymouth Ave. home was broken into after its basement window was kicked in, police said.

Nearby on Delaware Ave., a home was broken into after a rear porch window was broken, police said.

### Words of the week

**Paranoid** — Characterized by suspiciousness, persecutory trends, or megalomania (feelings of personal omnipotence); or extremely fearful.

**Pantheon** — (In the sense used in these pages) a group of illustrious persons; derived from the burial place of the famous dead of a nation.

**Aquifer** — A water-bearing stratum of permeable rock, sand, or gravel.

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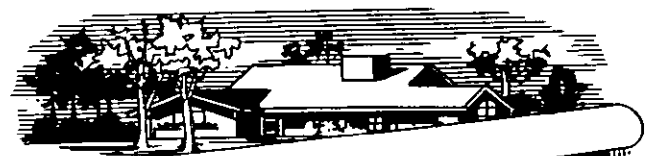
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# Gas station legislation

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situation and specific enough to control the use of facilities that were not built to be stores.

The proposed amendment, a change in the definition of a "motor fuel filling station," was forwarded to the Bethlehem Town Board for consideration.

The proposed addition to the list of items permitted for sale at gas stations includes "candy, cigarettes, coffee, soda and individually sized, packaged snack foods. No other sale of food, beverages, videos, newsprint, lottery tickets or other grocery or delicatessen products shall be allowed, and sale of soda case lots or cartons of cigarettes shall also not be allowed."

In addition to dispensing motor fuel and repairing vehicles, the ordinance currently allows filling stations to sell "oil or other lubricating substances, tires, batteries, and other motor vehicle accessories."

Consideration of an ordinance amendment resulted from an application for modification of a special exception from William Rice, operator of the ARCO station, Rt. 9W and Glenmont Rd. Rice requested permission to sell snack items and beverages. In addition to automotive items, the board tentatively decided to grant permission to sell only items allowed under the proposed amendment. The board will vote

on a formal resolution at an upcoming meeting.

The board tentatively granted Atlantic Refining and Marketing Corp. modification of a special exception to relocate the pump islands and erect a canopy with lighting over the islands at the same ARCO station.

The board tentatively granted Jay Hostetter, owner of the Sunoco station at 594 Delaware Ave., Delmar, modification of a special exception to allow the installation of a 1,000-gallon, above-ground propane tank. The board members agreed to require the installation of guard rails, fencing and screening around the tank, as well as dispensing of the fuel only by a trained attendant.

In other business, the board:

- Held a public hearing to consider an application from Gregory Uchitel of Big Apple Truck Stops for modification of a special exception to erect, renovate and maintain advertising signs and operate a bait shop at Rt. 9W and Corning Hill Rd., Glenmont.

- Held a public hearing on Anthony Caccamo's request for a variance to allow two driveways at 130 Kenwood Ave. within 23.5 feet instead of the required 28 feet.

- Held a public hearing on Andrew and Diane English's request for a variance to construct a 16-by-16 deck at 7

Brinker Circle in Glenmont. The proposed structure would be located 20.7 feet from the rear yard line instead of the required 25 feet from the line. A letter in favor of the proposal was submitted by the Village Square Homeowners Association.

- Tentatively approved Michael Conway's application for a variance to allow the construction of a driveway to serve two homes on McCormack Rd., Slingerlands. Conway said the driveway would be 24 feet wide.

## Two bikes taken

Two bicycles were reported stolen Sunday night from a Furman Place, Delmar, home, Bethlehem police said.

Two 10-speed boys' bicycles belonging to a Marlboro Rd. boy and a Pinedale Ave. boy were taken between 11 and 11:30 p.m., police said.

## Stenciling course offered to children

Sharon's Crafts of Main Square, Delmar, is offering a free stenciling workshop for kids ages 6 and up every Sunday afternoon.

At the workshop children will be taught the technique of stenciling on paper with paint-sticks. Classes will be held at 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., and 4 p.m.

For more information call 439-9360.

## Fun night scheduled for Tri-Village Squares

The Tri-Village Squares is holding an old fashioned fun night on Monday, Sept. 12, at 7:30 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar. Participants are encouraged to bring a partner.

For more information call 439-0490.

## Church to hold annual picnic

On Sunday, Sept. 11, from 1 to 7 p.m., the 18th annual St. Thomas Family Picnic will be held at the Elm Ave. Park in Delmar.

Featured at the picnic will be Skip Parsons Riverboat Jazz Band, a magic show, a clown and other family activities. There will also be door prizes and a raffle.

## Glenmont church sponsors barbecue

The Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, will be sponsoring a chicken barbecue on Saturday, Sept. 10, from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Tickets may be purchased at the door, and cost \$7 per adult and \$4 for children under 12.

To make a reservation call 465-3836.

## Center to conduct holiday services

The Chabad Center of Delmar, 109 Elsmere Ave., will conduct High Holiday Services on Sunday

Evening, Sept. 11, Monday, Sept. 12 and Tuesday, Sept. 13.

Portions of the service will be read in English and there will be a discussion of the meanings of the prayers. A special program for children will be led by Clara Simon on Monday and Tuesday mornings.

For more information call 439-8280.

## America to be seen in slide show

A slide show, entitled "All About America," will be held at the Bethlehem Public Library on Tuesday, Sept. 13 at 4 p.m.

The show celebrates American scenes, events, wildlife and nature from all over the United States. Special guest will be Mildred Murray, who will narrate and answer questions.

For more information call 439-9314.

## Second Milers start 25th year

The Second Milers, a retired men's association, will be starting their 25th year, on Wednesday, Sept. 14.

On this anniversary, a luncheon meeting will be held at 12:30 p.m., featuring Kevin Shea, a lieutenant in Elsmere Fire Department and a building inspector for Bethlehem. The subject of the meeting will be "Your Personal Security."

Visitors and guests are welcome, and more information can be obtained by calling 439-6003.

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# Supply and demand

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officials wonder how they can set up and finance recycling programs when the state is unable to come up with guidelines for recycling that may later affect the success or failure of such programs. Yet both Bethlehem and New Scotland rely on the Albany ANSWERS project and the city landfill, where the clock is winding down because of state restrictions.

One overall fact remains true on all levels of the recycling issue: the future of recycling on a widespread basis will depend upon the demand for the recycled product and the management of the product market.

Creating a market for recyclable goods sounds rather easy, but requires much more than a business looking to make money off of recyclable goods. It appears that until decisions are made by the state legislature as to what benefits should be offered and what guideline should be set regarding recycling, towns like New Scotland and Bethlehem will be unable to commit themselves to any recycling program where they can store recyclable material, according to Pickett Simpson,

solid waste advisor to the state Department of Environmental Conservation.

Firms that accept recyclable goods are acting as commodity brokers in a market where, like any good business, success comes from taking advantage of the supply and demand tendencies.

The recycling firm buys the product from the hauling firm at a set price, one that rarely varies but is considerably lower than the price he plans to sell the product for.

As a corporation, more storage space is available and the product is stored until the market price is profitable to the dealer. Furthermore, the corporation is usually more flexible financially than a municipality because of less bureaucracy and political intervention in the decision-making process.

According to Simpson, "the market price of recyclable goods may fluctuate, but (recycling firms) rarely go out of business."

Simpson pointed out that the passage of the deposit bottle bill has created a strong plastics

recycling market. Locally, companies such as Star Plastics in Albany and Carco Recycling in Menands act as recycling commodity brokers.

The commodity broker approach to business is easy to apply to a corporation, but harder to apply to a municipality that has limited storage space and budget constraints. Thus, it is more difficult for a town to allow its capital (or scrap) to be tied up in an investment waiting for a market price to mature.

According to some of the officials at the tri-county study meeting (since that meeting, the study has expanded to include Saratoga County), a municipality has only one alternative: set up a program with neighboring municipalities that allows the unified control of the market. In other words, the municipalities must put themselves in a position of strength in relation to the market demand by controlling a larger portion of the supply. In short, they become a quasi-broker in the market.

Locally, Consolidated Fibres, the recycling firm at the Port of

## State legislation proposed

In trying to solve the state's solid waste problems, state Assemblyman Maurice D. Hinchey (D-Kingston), chairman of the Legislative Commission on Solid Waste Management, has proposed the Waste Reduction and Recycling Act of 1988.

Currently the bill is stalled in the Assembly's Ways and Means Committee because a Senate sponsor could not be found. A spokesman for Hinchey said the bill received Senate criticism over

the financial implications of the bill.

Among the provisions of the bill are:

- A tax incentive program to encourage the use of recyclable packaging.

- Tax credits would be made available for in-state manufacturers who increase their use of recyclable or reusable materials.

- A ban on the use of polyvinyl

chloride (the same durable plastic used to make credit cards) in food packaging.

- The development of a program for the use and reuse of waste tires. A 50-cent fee would be assessed on every new tire sold in the state to help finance a grant and loan program for municipal tire recovery programs and a Department of Transportation pilot program that uses rubberized asphalt in making new roads.

## SORT is now town-wide

With town-wide pickup of newspapers now in full swing in Bethlehem, the newspaper drop-off bin at the town hall has been discontinued.

As of Aug. 1, the Bethlehem newspaper recycling program, Save Our Recyclable Trash (SORT), was expanded to include the entire town, according to Councilman Dennis Corrigan.

Corrigan, who serves as chairman of the Bethlehem Solid Waste Task Force, said the newspaper recovery program collected approximately 20 tons a month during the three-month test. He expects to collect approximately 80 to 100 tons a month in town-wide collection.

Dry newspapers in bags will be picked up with garbage collections or by private trash collectors on regular days. They may also be deposited at the town's landfill on Rupert Rd. in South Bethlehem.

Albany that buys separated newspaper for recycling from haulers in Bethlehem, was recently bought out by the Denver-based U.S. Recycling, which has begun a plastic recovery program. That means Bethlehem and New Scotland can now take advantage of a newly opened channel to a limited portion of the plastic recycling market, which would require a separation process much like that used in the Save Our Recyclable Trash (SORT) newspaper recovery program in Bethlehem, further reducing the amount of landfill or incinerated wastes.

The importance of such a program isn't that the town and private hauler are able to make a killing in the recycling market, but rather that they are able to reduce the growing amount of waste produced by a disposable society.

Under the 1986 State Environmental Bond Act, money will be made available to municipalities for their recycling programs. Steve Feeney of the Albany County Planning Board, who serves as the county representative in the Tri-County study, told local representatives at the meeting that the intended use of that money is "quite vague." Of the \$300,000 available to Albany County, 15 percent could be used for the county Conservation Management Council or the Conservation Advisory Council, and the rest would be used for public education about recycling, he said.

"We can never go anywhere unless there is a regional or county plan," said Peter Morini, a solid waste consultant for DEC.

However, the joint efforts of the four counties will end at the completion of this study, according

to the acting executive director of the Tri-County Solid Waste Study, Diane M. Hinchcliff.

Addressing town and city officials from the Albany, Schenectady and Rensselaer counties at the Aug. 4 presentation, she said that there are currently no plans to continue the cooperative efforts between the counties after the study is completed. As it stands, the counties and municipalities will take their information and strike out on their own to solve their problem in whatever way they can, she said.

The spectre of continued disunity raised the ire of Schenectady Mayor Karen Johnson, who said that the problem with solving the solid waste crisis isn't always technical as much as it is political.

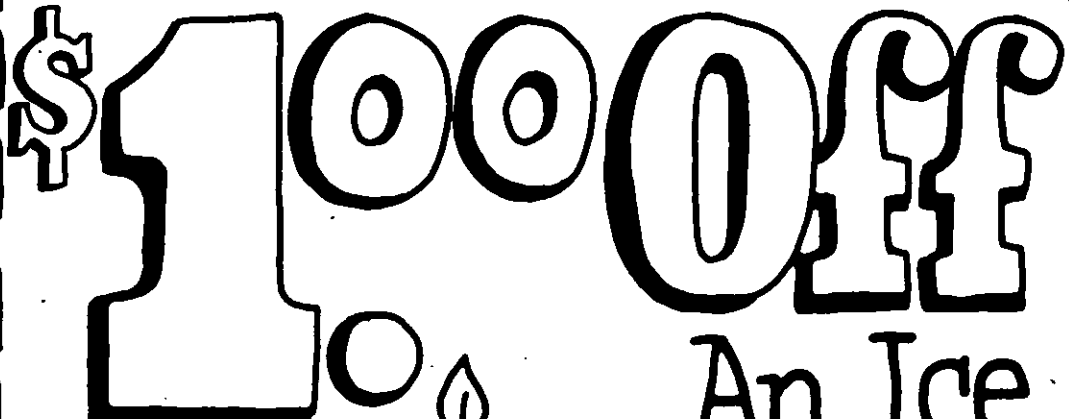
Several options would be open to the towns and counties if they were to create an institutional mechanism, according to Morini. Such a facility could be anything from a composting facility to a separation and shredding plant such as the ANSWERS plant.

He said the options include a county operating as a county, a county operating as a district, a state authority or a municipality operating as a financing agent.

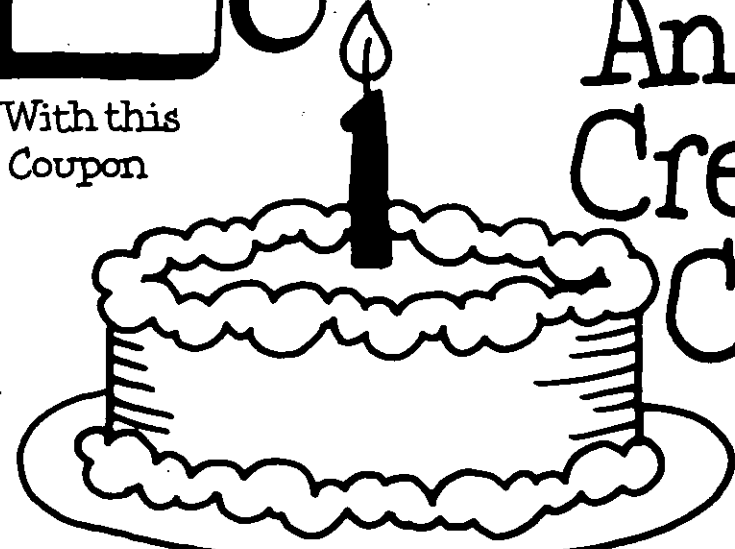
On Long Island, the Town of Huntington is trying to establish a resource recovery facility, operated by a private firm.

The problem is in deciding who will provide the risk protection for the bond issue if the facility can't meet DEC requirements, which currently have not been set, he said.

In the Huntington case, the town and the private vendor have both been listed as joint permittees for the facility. In the practical sense, it's an example of how



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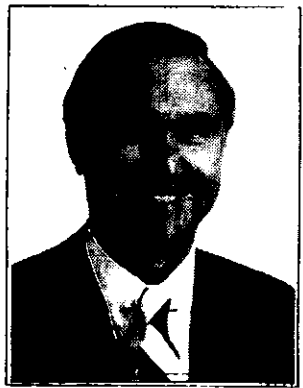
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private industry and a municipality can each meet their needs without compromising the integrity of the municipality, Morini said. It also allows hands-on supervision by the town but eliminates a good portion of red tape for private industry.

Nevertheless, the problem of unifying the efforts of the three counties toward solving the waste problem regionally still remains an issue. Simpson said no new information or conclusions have been revealed in the study and that his people are simply collecting data on waste output and geographic evaluation in the four-county area.

There is some hope that the impetus of the study will carry over, according to Feeney.

"I foresee some sort of authority being set up, but what it will be I couldn't say right now," Feeney said.

### Wendth president of Albany Association

Marcia Wendth of Delmar has been named president of the Ladies of Charity of the Diocese of Albany Association.

The Ladies of Charity Association has over 400 members and acts as a central bureau assisting existing service programs and establishing others where needed.

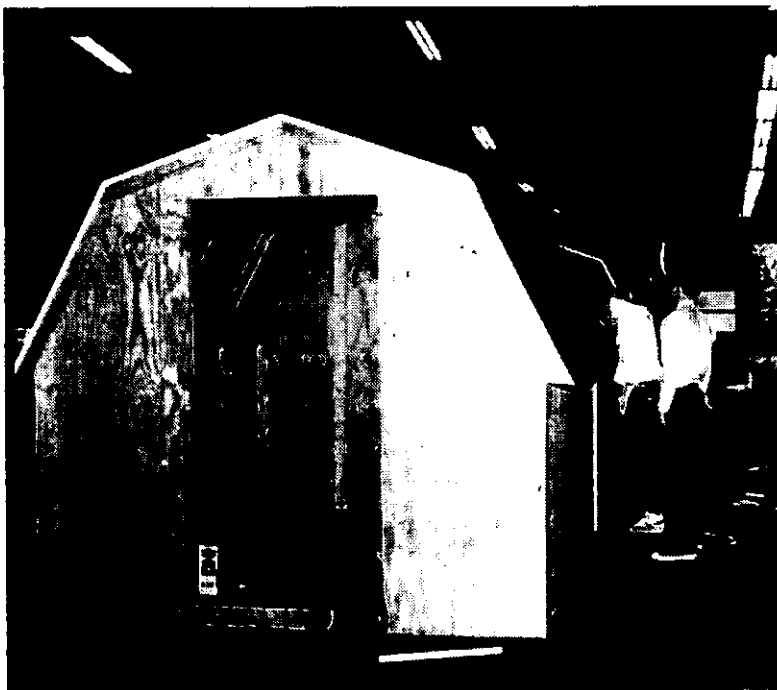
The Association was formed in 1970 and established vicariates in Schenectady, Gloversville and Saratoga in 1980.

### Blackmore named to honor roll

Mrs. May Blackmore of Delmar has been named to the honor roll of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Blackmore served as president of the Delmar Progress Club from 1982 to 1984 and immediate past director of the federation's Third District.

She is a former English teacher and guidance counselor at Bethlehem Central High School. As a citizen of both the United States and Canada, she has contributed thousands of hours to volunteer work over the years.



Craig Shufelt nails roofing material onto a shed that will be used by the Town of New Scotland for recycling centers as Zack Kendall watches. They are both members of Voorheesville Boy Scout Troop 73 in Voorheesville, and Shufelt is coordinating the sheds for his Eagle Badge. The sheds, built at the highway garage with help from town crews, are expected to be placed in hamlets this week.

Patricia Mitchell

## Recycling sheds to go up around New Scotland

By Patricia Mitchell

Sheds where residents can drop off newspapers to be recycled will be placed in New Scotland's hamlets this week.

Residents will be asked to begin dropping off their newspapers at the sheds in September to be recycled instead of disposed at the City of Albany's ANSWERS plant, Supervisor Herbert Reilly said.

Beginning Oct. 1, ANSWERS will no longer accept newspapers to be landfilled and any municipality that doesn't comply will not be able to use the facility, Reilly said.

Brochures will be sent to residents in the next few weeks detailing the recycling, but the general rule is that if it comes in a newspaper, it can be recycled at

the centers in New Salem, Unionville, Clarksville and Feura Bush.

The shed at the back of the town hall on New Scotland Ave. has been open for a month in a test program, and Reilly said the town's first load of newspapers for recycling was taken from there.

"It is working," Reilly said. "They (the residents) want to do it — they want to do their fair share."

At a meeting on Monday with municipal officials, Department of Environmental Conservation officials recommended that newspapers should be picked up at the curbside, but Reilly said he believes that won't work in New Scotland.

Reilly said he can remember dropping off cans to be recycled on his way to the movies during World War II.

"It only makes sense," Reilly

said on recycling.

The town will next begin mulching recycling, and Reilly said details of that plan are still being worked on.

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# Bethlehem board okays sewer work

By Theresa Bobear

Progress on the proposed replacement of a section of trunk sewer in the Delmar-Elsmere sewer district was authorized by the Bethlehem Town Board last Wednesday night.

The board authorized Bruce Secor, commissioner of public works, to prepare for a bond resolution and a public hearing on the project, which will cost an estimated \$315,000. The hearing date will be announced at a future meeting.

According to Secor, some 2,100 feet of 21-inch polyvinyl chloride pipe will be installed parallel to the existing line with no taking of property. Secor said the proposed replacement would prevent ground water from infiltrating the sewer system.

Secor suggested that the project be bonded over a 20-year period and charged only to residents of the sewer district.

According to Secor, a portion of the old Delmar-Elsmere district was replaced when the Rockefeller Road treatment plant was replaced during the 1970s by a pumping station and force main to a new treatment plant in Cedar Hill. "It is now necessary that we replace the remaining portion," said Secor.

## Signs considered

Following a public hearing, the board approved stop signs for Sheffield Drive on both sides of its intersection with Boylston Drive. The traffic safety committee previously decided the signs were needed to determine right of way. After explaining that he was against the use of stop signs for controlling speed, board member Frederick Webster made a motion to approve the signs for determining right of way at the intersection. The motion was unanimously approved.

The board decided to ask the traffic safety committee to consider moving a "no truck route" sign up one block to Kenwood and Delaware Aves. The traffic safety committee had recommended against a request for "no truck route" signs at several intersections in the area. The committee cited a traffic count indicating low truck traffic in the area, the accident history of the area and the state's vehicle and traffic law, which allows trucks for local pickup and delivery.

## Town looks at waste

The board granted permission for three town representatives to attend the BioCycle Conference on Recycling and Composting in Albany from Sept. 14 through 16.

Board member Dennis Corrigan reported that members of the committee for solid waste disposal recently visited a composting facility in Connecticut. According to Corrigan, the committee will be looking at the possibility of getting into composting, the issue of voluntary versus mandatory program participation, the initiation of a public education program and the materials other than newspapers that might be recycled, publicly or privately. According to Corrigan, market forces, specifically the rising cost of waste disposal, may make efforts to find alternate uses for waste more worthwhile.

Secor reminded residents that newspapers are no longer being accepted at Bethlehem Town Hall on Saturdays.

## Three brothers attend Berklee

Berklee College of Music, a prestigious music school in Boston, has history-making students from Delmar enrolled for the fall semester. The attendance of Jonathan, Adrian and Jordan Cohen in September will mark the first time Berklee has had three siblings enrolled at the same time.

All three Cohens have won scholarships and grants from the school. They are working toward bachelor's degrees in music education, film scoring and performance.

Area audiences may be familiar with the Cohens' musical history, which includes such bands as Strange Anatomy, Pericocast, Whippo Modmen and Iwa. The

In other business, the board:

- Held a public hearing on the proposed extension of the Font Grove Road water district. The \$22,000 project would be billed to residents of the proposed district extension. No one spoke for or against the proposed extension.

- Appointed Scott Anson to serve as a police officer. Anson is an Albany County deputy sheriff who has also worked part-time as a dispatcher in Bethlehem. Prior to becoming a sheriff's deputy, Anson was Bethlehem's animal control officer.

- Appointed Brian Sleurs and Berit McKenna as part-time telecommunications personnel for the town.

- Authorized David Austin, administrator of the parks and

recreation department, to appoint seasonal personnel.

- Authorized the disposal at auction of two trucks operated by public works department personnel. According to Secor, both vehicles have high mileage and repairs are not economically feasible.

- Accepted 11 deeds for highways and easements in planned residence district 3, section 6. The board also accepted deeds for five new streets in the Indian Hills subdivision.

- Accepted the resignation of Robert H. Sweitzer, school crossing guard, effective Aug. 22. The board appointed Gino Arduini of Selkirk to serve as a school crossing guard.



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

Siena College — Damian Switzer, Glenmont.

Keene State College, Keene, N.H. — Lisen C. Roberts, Delmar.

College of Saint Rose — Maria Vitillo, Delmar.

Ithaca College — Jennifer L. Ramsey, Voorheesville; Christina M. Shuff, Slingerlands.

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute — Garth R. Wright, Ravena.

Union College — Chadlee D. Hall and Mark G. Richter, Delmar; Kevin C. Honikel, Slingerlands.

Ithaca College — Christine A. Martin, Voorheesville.

## Tricycle taken

A tricycle, valued at \$30, was taken from the area of the Elsmere Grade School at about 12:30 p.m. Sunday, Bethlehem police said. The tricycle was reported stolen by a Bartlett Lane, Elsmere, man.



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## Spotlight ON THE SERVICES

Bruce D. Blodgett, son of Donald E. and Janice M. Blodgett of Delmar, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of technical sergeant.

Blodgett is a law enforcement instructor with the 3280th Technical Training Group at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

A graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, Blodgett earned an associate's degree from the Community College of the Air Force.

Robert M. Fogle, son of Robert C. Fogle of Fair Haven, N.J., and Helen M. Fogle of Selkirk, received practical work in military leadership at the U.S. Army ROTC advanced camp, Fort Bragg, N.C.

The six-week camp includes instruction in communications, management and survival training.

Fogle is a student at Salem State College, Mass.

Army National Guard Pvt. Steven E. Mattfeld, son of George and Ann Mattfeld of Voorheesville, has completed a helicopter repair course at the U.S. Army Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Va.

He is a graduate of Clayton A. Bouton Senior High School.

Vincent J. Perry Jr. recently graduated from the U.S. Navy's Broadened Opportunity for Officer Selection and Training (BOOST) Program at the Naval Training Center in San Diego, Calif.

A 1983 graduate of the Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School in Voorheesville, Perry has been in the Navy since September of 1983. He will leave active service in September to enter Maine Maritime Academy on a full NROTC scholarship.

Marine Cpl. Steven E. Lawrence, son of Bonnie C. and Steven E. Lawrence Sr. of Clarksville, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at Marine Corps Air

Station, El Toro, Calif.

A 1985 graduate of BCHS, he joined the Marine Corps in January of 1986.

The 512th MAW nominee for the Reserve Officer Association's (ROA) "Reserve Junior Officer of the Year" is 1st Lt. Robert E. Mauro.

He has served as a C-5 Aircraft Commander to the mission of the 709th Military Airlift Squadron, the 512th MAW and Military Airlift Command. He was upgraded to a C-5 Aircraft Commander while still a first lieutenant.

Originally from Delmar, Mauro enlisted in the Air Force in 1976 and became a fighter crew chief at Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., while working on F-4s and F-15s. At the 709th Military Aircraft Squadron under Palace Chase in 1979 he trained as a flight engineer. The lieutenant attended Salem College, Va., where he was awarded a bachelor of science degree in aviation science in 1981.

He is qualified as a C-5 flight engineer. He was hired by American Airlines in 1985. He is now a DC-10 co-pilot, flying out of Dallas, Texas, where he and his wife Dorayne reside with their two-year-old son, David.

James Cathcart Seagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Seagle, Delmar, is attending a six-week training camp in Fort Bragg, N.C. Camp All-American is designed to prepare Army ROTC cadets for what will be expected of them next year as commissioned second lieutenants. Seagle is a student at Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa.

Cadet Debora L. Blodgett, daughter of William E. and Maureen E. Wright of Delmar, received practical work in military

leadership at the U.S. Army ROTC advanced camp, Fort Bragg, N.C.

Blodgett is a student at Siena College, Loudonville.

Second Lt. Thomas B. Vichot II, son of George T. and Theresa M. Vichot of Glenmont, has graduated from U.S. Air Force pilot training and has received silver wings at Reese Air Force Base, Texas.

The lieutenant is a 1983 graduate of BCHS and a 1987 graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Cadet Jennifer E. Hammer, daughter of Donald E. and Linda S. Hammer of Delmar, has received a parachutist badge upon completion of the three-week course at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

Hammer participated in a rigorous physical training program, received instruction in the theory of parachuting, jumped from 34-foot and 250-foot towers, and made five staticline parachute jumps, including one night jump.

Hammer is a 1986 graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

Cadet R. Scott Spellmeyer, son of Robert R. Spellmeyer of Glenmont and Susan G. Spellmeyer of Slingerlands, has received the parachutist badge upon completion of the three-week course at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

Spellmeyer is a 1986 graduate of Doane Stuart High School, Albany.

Air Force Sgt. Linda M. Hutton, daughter of Gloria Len of Selkirk, has arrived for duty at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii. The sergeant is a 1980 graduate of RCS.



Lt. Colin Clark, right, received a check for \$5,281.91 for the Bethlehem Police Department to purchase a police dog Thursday from Victoria Tomsons, of the Albany Savings Bank Delaware Plaza Branch, and Doug Brownell, president of the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce. The Police Dog Fund was sponsored by the chamber and kept at the bank. *Sal Prividera Jr.*

## Fall arrival slated

The Bethlehem Police Department may have its newest canine officer by "mid-fall" after receiving funding for the German shepherd through public donations.

The department will be purchasing the dog from the sheriff of Yates County, which is located near Rochester, said Bethlehem Police Lt. Colin Clark.

"I'll go there in the beginning of September and get the dog ordered the, hopefully." The animal will be a German shepherd from Germany, he said.

"If everything works out (the availability of a dog), by mid-fall the dog will be in service."

The dog's handler will be chosen from eight Bethlehem Police Officers who have displayed an interest in becoming a handler. The officer will be selected through interviews and a review of qualifications by the end of September, Clark said.

The money raised through public donation will pay for the purchase of the dog and all the equipment needed for the dog and its handler. The department budget will cover food and veterinary expenses.

Donors to the fund since July 22 are Edward and Ellen Figel, Mary Elaine Palmer, Paul E. Currie, Johnson Stationers, Inc., Bethlehem Central School District, Winifred Gibson, Driftwood Arts and Crafts, Lyle and Dorothy Oliver, Janet Vogel, Carol and Vincent Padul, John and Jean Buno, Marie Wiedeman, Muriel Morehouse, Gladys Sibbald and Ralph Mead.

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## ALBANY

AUDITION, for Albany Civic Theatre production, Second Ave. and Sand St., Albany, 7 p.m. Information, 462-1297.

## BETHLEHEM

BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS, meet every Thursday at Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

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

PARENT SUPPORT GROUP, sponsored by Project Hope and Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited, meets Thursdays, First United Methodist Church, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 767-2445.

SILVER BULLETS SQUARE DANCE CLUB, mainstream class, 7 p.m., workshop, 9 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Delmar. Information, 439-3689.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, Thursdays, Bible study, 10 a.m., creator's crusaders, 6:30 p.m., senior choir, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4328.

BOWLING, sponsored by Bethlehem Support Group for Parents of Handicapped Students, Del Lanes, Elsmere, 4-5:30 p.m. Information, 439-7880.

## NEW SCOTLAND

NEW SCOTLAND KWANIS CLUB, Thursdays, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

## ALBANY

VEHICLE AUCTION, Governor W. Averell Harriman State Office Building Campus, 10 a.m. Information, 457-6335.

SHARE MEETING, support group for parents who have experienced the death of a newborn, a stillbirth or miscarriage, Board Room, St. Peter's Hospital, S. Manning Blvd. Entrance, 7:30 p.m. Information, 454-1602.

ALBANY BUSINESS COLLEGE FALL REGISTRATION, for day, evening, and Saturday classes, 130 Washington Ave. noon-7 p.m. Information, 449-7163.

HANDIVAN WORKSHOP, "Electrical Repairs," Albany County Extension's Office, 230 Green St., 7-9 p.m. Registration, 463-4267.

MEETING, Concerned Friends of Hope House, support group for families of substance abusers, Child's Nursing Home, 25 Hackett Blvd., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 465-2441.

REGISTRATION, for six-week active coping techniques program, sponsored by Capital District chapter of National Multiple Sclerosis Society, 421 New Karner Rd., Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information, 452-1631.

LECTURE, "Reminiscences of a Mineral Collector," presented by Elmer Rowley at meeting of Capital District Mineral Club, State Museum, Albany, 7 p.m.

## CAPITAL DISTRICT

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE, Leonard Hospital, 74 New Turnpike Rd., Troy, Sept. 1 and 8, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 233-0797.

## BETHLEHEM

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

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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. when agenda warrants, 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-COYMAN'S-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.

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.

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.

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

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

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

TOWN OF BETHLEHEM YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, hours for youths interested in part-time work, Bethlehem Town Hall, 9 a.m.-noon, Monday through Friday, information, 439-2238.

## 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

"Nonsense," Cohoes Music Hall, through September. Tickets, 235-7969.

"Sugar Babies," Mac-Hadyn Theatre, Chatham, through Sept. 4, Tickets, 392-9292. "Anything Goes," Mac-Hadyn Theatre,

Chatham, Sept. 7-18, Tickets, 392-9292.

"The Miss Firecracker Contest," performed by Twickenham Players, Twickenham Playhouse, College of St. Rose, Albany, Sept. 3 and 4, 8 p.m. Information, 454-5102.

"Jack and the Beanstalk," Mac-Hadyn Theatre, Chatham, Sept. 2 and 3, 11 a.m. Tickets, 392-9292.

### MUSIC

OSTI Carillonist Richard Strauss, Albany City Hall, Monday through Friday, 12:10-12:30 p.m.

### FOLK

Tony Bird, Caffe Lena, 45 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, Sept. 2 and 3, 8:30 p.m. Information, 583-0022.

### DANCE

Kei Takei, founder of Moving Earth Dance Co., New Lex Theatre, Art Awareness, Rt. 42, Lexington, Sept. 3, 8 p.m. Information, 989-6433.

### ART

"The World is Round," contemporary panoramas, Albany Institute Galleries, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, through Sept. 18. Information, 463-4478.

Exhibit, "Art/Furniture," Rathbone Gallery, 140 New Scotland Ave., Albany, Sept. 6-30, Information, 270-2246.

Exhibit, "A New Spring to the City: Albany Medical College 1839-1988," Albany Institute of History of Art, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 3-April 2, Information, 463-4478.

"Time Past, Time Yet to Come," color prints of Adirondacks by Nathan Farb, State Museum, Albany, through Oct. 23. Information, 474-5877.

"Still Lives and Landscapes," oil paintings by former U.S. Army Sgt. Clarence King, New York State Vietnam Memorial Gallery, Albany, through Sept. 14.

"Recent Works," mixed media on canvas by Virginia Huerfeld, Things of Beauty Art Gallery, 247 Lark St., Albany, through Sept. 17, Information, 449-1233.

"Curious Arts: 19th Century English Ornamentation," Museum of the Historical Society of the Early American Decoration, 19 Dove St., Albany, through October. Information, 462-1676.

Furniture exhibit from Federal Period, State Museum, Albany, through October. Information 474-5877.

Ethel Schwabacher, "A Retrospective Exhibition," University Art Gallery, University at Albany, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 6-Oct 16, Information, 442-4035.

"Living Gods, Hindu Faces," photographs by Christopher Sholes, University Art Gallery, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 6-Oct. 18, Information, 442-4035.

Chinese Contemporary Works on Paper, The College Gallery, College of Saint Rose, 342 State St., Albany, Aug. 31-Sept. 25.

### FILM

"Treasure Island," Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 1, 2 p.m. Information, 449-3380.

"Dumbo," Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 2, 2 p.m. Information, 449-3380.

"Artist Was a Woman," Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 1, 6:30 p.m. Information, 463-4478.

"M," Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 6, 2 and 7:30 p.m. Information, 449-3380.

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FARMERS' MARKET, St. Thomas Church, Delaware Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-noon.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS, United Pentecostal Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 7 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

**ALBANY**

CHEMENON, self-help group for adolescents using drugs and/or alcohol, 1500 Western Ave., Albany, 7-8 p.m. information, 869-1172.

**SAT SEPT 3**

**BETHLEHEM**

TRI-VILLAGE SQUARES, dance first and third Saturdays, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

CHABAD CENTER, services followed by kiddush, 109 Elsmere Ave., Delmar, 9:30 a.m. Information, 439-8280.

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**SUN SEPT 4**

**BETHLEHEM**

DELMAR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Worship 9:30 a.m., lemonade after service, information on adult education and youth fellowship, 439-9252.

SOUTH BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; followed by coffee hour; Willowbrook Ave., South Bethlehem. Information, 767-9953.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, service and Sunday school, 11 a.m., child care provided, 555 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Information, 439-2512.

GLENMONT REFORMED CHURCH, worship, 11 a.m. nursery care provided. Information, 436-7710.

SLINGERLANDS COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, worship service and nursery care, 10 a.m., 1499 New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands. Information, 439-1766.

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Eucharist with breakfast, 8 a.m. Family service, 10 a.m., with Sunday school and nursery, coffee hour following service, Poplar and Elsmere Aves., Delmar. Information, 439-3265.

UNITY OF FAITH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CHURCH, Sunday School and Worship, 10 a.m., 436 Krumkill Rd., Delmar. Information, 438-7740.

STENCILLING COURSE FOR KIDS, Sharon's Crafts, Main Square, Delmar, 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., and 4 p.m. Information, 439-9360.

BETHLEHEM COMMUNITY CHURCH, morning worship service, 9:30 a.m., baby care provided, evening fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Information, 439-3135.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, breakfast, 8:30 a.m., worship, 9:30 a.m., babysitting available. Information, 439-4328.

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, 9 a.m., worship and summer church school, "Charlie Churchmouse," 9:30 a.m., coffee following service. 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.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

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.

ONESQUETHAW CHURCH, Worship, 9:30 a.m., 10:45 a.m., Sunday School.

CLARKSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH, Sunday School, 9:15 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m. Coffee following service, nursery care provided. Information, 768-2916.

**ALBANY**

BLOOD MOBILE, Regional Blood Center, Hackett Blvd., 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Information, 462-7461.

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WATERFORD FLIGHT CRUISE, sponsored by Hudson Mohawk Industrial Gateway, boards at the State Boat Launching Site, beyond Lock 6 and Guard Gate No. 2, Waterford Flight Rd., \$12, 12:30 p.m. Reservations, 274-5267.

**MON SEPT 5**

**BETHLEHEM**

DELMAR KIWANIS, meet Mondays at the Sidewheeler 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.

TEMPLE CHAPTER 5 RAM, first and third Mondays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA, rehearsal Mondays, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4628.

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**TUE SEPT 6**

**NEW SCOTLAND**

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

**BETHLEHEM**

GENERAL ELECTRIC TOUR, for residents over 18, General Electric of Selkirk. Reservations, 475-5238.

DELMAR ROTARY, meets Tuesdays at Albany Motor Inn Sidewheeler Restaurant, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

BETHLEHEM LODGE 1096 F&AM, first and third Tuesdays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

MEDICARE FORM AID, sponsored by AARP, first and third Tuesdays, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Appointments required, 439-2160.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

VOORHEESVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY, executive board meeting, lower level of library, public invited, 7:30 p.m.

ORIENTATION, for new students and seventh graders, Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School, 7 p.m.

BETHLEHEM SPORTSMEN'S CLUB, first Tuesdays, Dunbar Hollow Rd., Clarksville, 7:30 p.m. Guests welcome.

**ALBANY**

MEETING, Albany Subarea Advisory Council, HSA/NENY office, Pine West Plaza, Washington Ave. Extension, 5:30 p.m. Information, 452-3300.

ALBANY PRO MUSICA CHORUS AUDITIONS, Room B-04, Performing Arts Center, SUNY at Albany, 7-9 p.m. Information, 438-2855.

PLAY AUDITIONS, for "Quiet Crises," a presentation of the Suicide Prevention Theater, 200 Central Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 463-0861.

FARMERS' MARKET, St. Vincent DePaul's Church, 900 Madison Ave., Albany, 11-3 p.m.

EMPLOYEE OWNERSHIP PROJECT OPEN HOUSE, 39 Phillip St., 3 p.m. Information, 783-2431.

ALBANY BUSINESS COLLEGE FALL REGISTRATION, for day, evening, and Saturday classes, 130 Washington Ave. noon-7 p.m. Information, 449-7163.

HANDIVAN WORKSHOP, "Electrical Repairs," Albany County Extension's Office, 230 Green St., 7-9 p.m. Registration, 463-4267.

BETHLEHEM BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB, meets first Wednesday of month, Albany Motor Inn, Rt. 9W, Albany, 6 p.m. social hour.

BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233, meets at lodge, Rt. 144 Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. first and third Wednesdays.

ONESQUETHAW CHAPTER, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR, first and third Wednesdays at Masonic Temple, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.

FARMER'S MARKET, Delmar United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., 3-6 p.m.

TESTIMONY MEETING, First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

NORMANSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH, Bible study and prayer meeting, 10 Rockefeller Rd., Elsmere. Information, 439-7864.

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**NEW SCOTLAND**

NEW SCOTLAND SENIOR CITIZENS, every Wednesday, old schoolhouse, New Salem. Information, Lois Crouse at 765-2109.

**ALBANY**

DOC SCANLON'S RHYTHM BOYS, State Plaza, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

**THU SEPT 8**

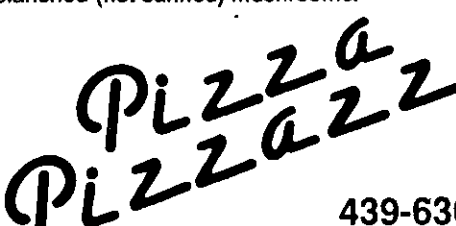
**BETHLEHEM**

SLIDE LECTURE, "Indian Kaleidoscope," presented by Dr. Harold Howes, Bethlehem Public Library, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.


2ND CAREERS INFORMATIONAL MEETING, Bethlehem Public Library, Delmar, 1-3 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

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**FRI  
SEPT 9**

**BETHLEHEM**

PRESCHOOL FILMS, "Five Chinese Brothers," "Goldilocks and the Three Bears," "Just One Me" Bethlehem Public Library, Delmar, 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

FARMERS' MARKET, St. Thomas Church, Delaware Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-noon.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

SPIRIT WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL CELEBRATION, Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School, Voorheesville, 7 p.m.

**SAT  
SEPT 10**

**BETHLEHEM**

CHICKEN BARBECUE, sponsored by Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, 7, 4:30-6 p.m. Information, 465-3836.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

GARAGE SALE, Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Turnpike, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Information, 439-1617.

BLOCK DANCE, sponsored by Voorheesville Fire House, Voorheesville Fire Dept., Voorheesville, 8 p.m.-midnight.

**CAPITAL DISTRICT**

BENEFIT DANCE, for friends of Lisa Wagoner, Plankroaders Clubhouse, Rt. 146, Township, \$10, Information, 872-0544.

**SUN  
SEPT 11**

**BETHLEHEM**

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM, Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m. Information, 439-8280.

ST. THOMAS FAMILY PICNIC, featuring, Skip Parsons Riverboat Jazz Band, magic show, and other family activities, Elm Ave. Park, Delmar, 1-7 p.m.

HIGH HOLIDAY SERVICES, Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Information, 439-8280.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

DEMOCRATIC FAMILY BUFFET PICNIC, Camp Nassau, Guilderland, \$19.50, 1-8 p.m. Information, 768-2101.

**ALBANY**

PARENTS AND FRIENDS OF LESBIANS AND GAYS, flag meeting, every 2nd Sunday, 2-4 p.m. Call for more information, 462-6138.

**MON  
SEPT 12**

**BETHLEHEM**

TRI-VILLAGE SQUARES, dance for couples, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m.-10 p.m. Information, 439-0490.

HIGH HOLIDAY SERVICES, Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Information, 439-8280.

**TUE  
SEPT 13**

**BETHLEHEM**

SLIDE SHOW, "All About America," special guest, Mildred Murray, Bethlehem Public Library, Delmar, 4 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING, room 106, Town Hall, 1-3 p.m.

HIGH HOLIDAY SERVICES, Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m. Information, 439-8280.

SECONDMILER'S LUNCHEON MEETING, "Your Personal Security," First United Methodist Church, Delmar, noon. Information, 439-6003.

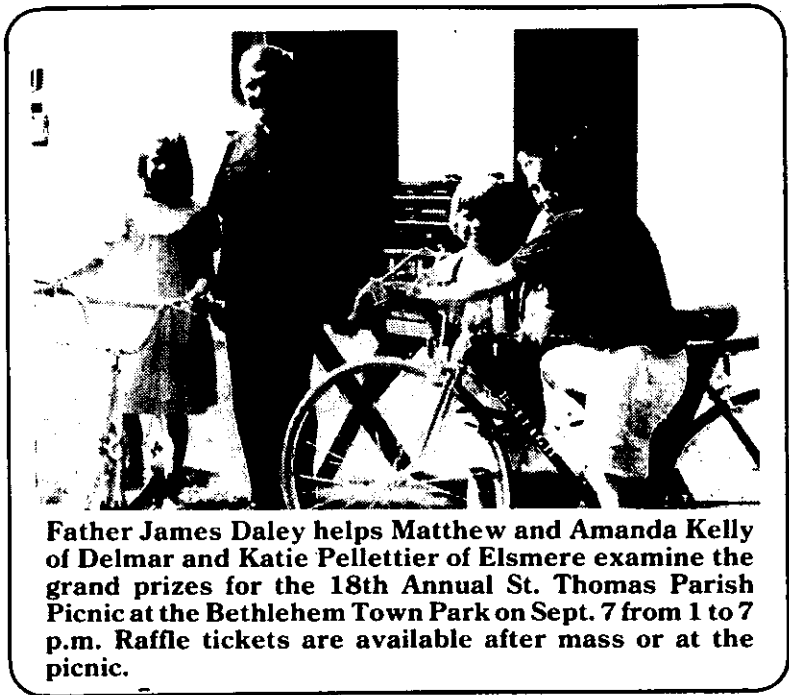
**Craft club members honored**

Three Delmar Craft Club members won honors at the Altamont Fair. Mildred Cortright, past president, Dorothy Haker and Doris Stephany won a first prize ribbon and a best-of-fair ribbon for their "Golden Harvest Buffet" table setting.

Other club members who contributed their handiwork were Betsy Andress, Joan Daniels, Jane Felgentreff, Marge Fournier, Madeleine Futia, Shirley Lloyd, Edrie Pregent, Cherrie Siewart and Mary Vitillo.

Anyone interested in joining the club may call Betsy Andress, president, at 765-2334.

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Father James Daley helps Matthew and Amanda Kelly of Delmar and Katie Pellettier of Elsmere examine the grand prizes for the 18th Annual St. Thomas Parish Picnic at the Bethlehem Town Park on Sept. 7 from 1 to 7 p.m. Raffle tickets are available after mass or at the picnic.

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# News from Selkirk and South Bethlehem

Cheryl Clary

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## Sunshine seniors meet

The Sunshine Seniors are planning a late summer covered dish picnic for Sept. 12. The monthly meeting will begin at noon at the Henry Hudson Park. All area senior citizens are invited. For information call 767-9503.

## Toll roads to be reviewed

The Bethlehem Historical Association will offer a look back at the toll roads and turnpikes of yesteryear at the School House Museum, Route 144 and Clapper Rd., Selkirk, on Thursday, Sept. 15, beginning at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

Lois Dillon and Allison Bennett, both association members, will present a program on the origin and development of plank roads and toll gates. They will also show slides of the recent moving of the 1851 Bethlehem Center Tollgate Carriage House building to the museum grounds.

## District to share plans

The Pieter B. Coeymans PTO and the A.W. Becker PTA will host open meetings on Oct. 4 and 11.

During the meetings, William Schwartz, superintendent of the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk School

District, Rodger Lewis, business manager, and the district's school principals will have an opportunity to speak about the district's upcoming building bond issue. Ben Mendel, whose architectural firm is working on the proposed design, will also be present. The meetings will be held at Pieter B. Coeymans Elementary School on Oct. 4 and at A.W. Becker Elementary School on Oct. 11. The times of the meetings have not yet been announced.

## New teachers welcomed

Two teachers have joined the faculty of A.W. Becker Elementary School. Ben Rau, a graduate of Indiana University, has been hired as a music teacher. He has done graduate work at both the State University at Albany and the College of Saint Rose. Michelle Wood, a Russell Sage graduate, has accepted an offer to teach third grade students. She is pursuing a graduate degree in reading at Russell Sage College.

## Faculty receives training

A one-week training program on the "Whole Language" approach to reading and writing was recently attended by Joyce Hunt, Mary Ann Maiorana, Jan Palmer, Lucy Scuderi, David Selover, Mary Neylan, Julie Nardone and

Michelle Wood, all teachers at A.W. Becker Elementary School, and Al Keating, principal. The "Whole Language" approach was introduced in kindergarten classes last year.

## Church announces schedule

The First Reformed Church will resume 11 a.m. services and weekly church school sessions on Sunday, Sept. 11. This year's theme for the young students will be "Jesus, Others and Me."

## Education continues

RCS continuing education classes will begin on Monday, Sept. 1. Registration will be held at Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Junior High School on Thursday, Sept. 15, from 6 until 8 p.m.

Most courses will run from 6 to 10 weeks with \$15 to \$25 fees. Day trips Boston and New York City will also be offered. A copy of the course offerings may be obtained by calling the board of education offices.

## Child care available

ASAP Inc., the after-school program of child care for afternoon kindergarten through fifth grade students, still has openings at the Becker building. The program runs from afternoon dismissal until 5:30 p.m. and follows the RCS school calendar. To register your child(ren) call 756-3933.

## District needs volunteers

Area residents interested in offering their time and skills to help the school children of our area are invited to attend a meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 20, at the RCS business office, Thatcher St., Selkirk, beginning at 10 a.m.

A volunteer coordinator will assist volunteers in discovering how their talents may benefit the students. All are welcome.

## Correction

Mrs. Pat Palmer has assumed responsibilities as a guidance secretary at RCS Senior High School. She has left her post as a secretary at A.W. Becker Elementary School. She will not be joining Voorheesville Central School District as an editing error led readers to believe.



## Teachers learn

About 40 teachers, administrators and visitors attended the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Central School District's summer workshop, "Revitalizing the Reading Program: An Introduction to Whole Language," from Aug. 22 to 26. Dr. Rebecca Harlin of SUNY Geneseo shows participants the value of the whole language approach, a method of teaching to read, write, communicate emphasizing the natural ways children learn.

## Village Stage begins season

The Village Stage Inc. will open for a fifth season on Sept. 17 with a production of "The Belle of Amhurst." The play will be presented at 8 p.m. at the Arts Center of the Holy Names Academy on New Scotland Road.

Proceeds from the show will benefit the Village Stage scholarship fund. Admission is \$10 and includes a reception following the

show. For tickets, call Liz Blaber at 439-4898.

"The Belle of Amhurst" is the first of three performances slated for the 1988-89 season. During October and November, Woody Allen's "Don't Drink The Water" will be performed at the Bethlehem Town Hall. A musical will be featured next spring, but has not yet been selected.

## Registration revoked in Selkirk

The state Department of Motor Vehicles has revoked the dealer registration of Cheryl Bloch of Corral Classic Cars, RD 2, Box 272, Selkirk, according to Commissioner Patricia B. Adduci.

In addition, Bloch was also fined \$1,000. After a hearing, the state found that Bloch was in violation of the Vehicle and

Traffic Law and Commissioner's Regulations in connection with "having no place of business within the meaning of the law," according to officials at the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

Bloch did not appeal the revocation to the Administrative Appeals Board.

## After-school care program opens

A non-profit, after-school enrichment program for children in kindergarten through grade six is being offered at the Third Reformed Church, 20 Ten Eyck Ave., Albany. Arts and crafts

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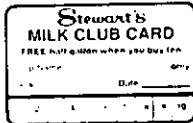
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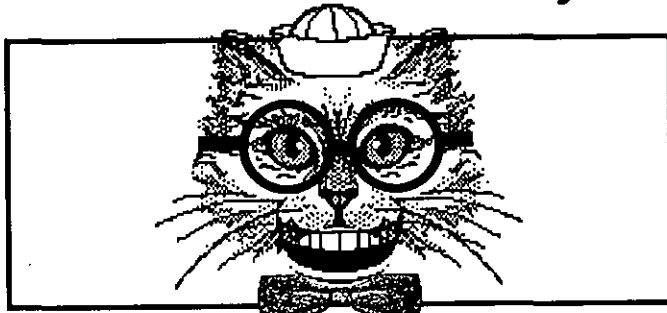
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Patricia Mitchell

# Larned mine

## Decision is due Sept. 13

By Patricia Mitchell

The New Scotland Planning Board will decide at its Tuesday, Sept. 13, meeting whether to allow William M. Larned and Sons to continue mining on a portion of the Tall Timbers Country Club.

The first part of the public hearing on the special use permit was scheduled to be held Tuesday (yesterday) night, and is expected to continue Wednesday (tonight) and Thursday if needed.

The hearings will begin at 7:30 p.m. and are expected to end at 10 p.m.

Larned and Sons are seeking permission to mine 27 acres they own on the former club. The Rotterdam miners briefly mined the land last summer until litigation halted work.

According to a settlement agreed to by the miners and the town, the planning board will be considering the special use permit under terms of the 1986 zoning ordinance when mining was a special use in Industrial and Low Density Residential zones. In May of that year, the planning board suspended a hearing after more than four hours of testimony was given. That hearing was never reopened.

Larned and Sons gave an informal briefing of their plans to

the planning board at their regular meeting last Tuesday. Public comment was not taken by the board and that caused some concern among residents and members of Concerned Citizens for New Scotland, Inc., a citizens group against the mine.

Karen Magrum of Concerned Citizens said while the meeting was productive, she asked when the residents would get the same chance.

Planning board Chairman Robert Hampston said members of the public will have their opportunity to speak at this week's public hearings, and noted that applicants always appear before the planning board discussing the facts before a hearing on special use permits.

In a related matter, the New Scotland Town Board has agreed to Councilman John Sgarlata's and Concerned Citizens' request for permission to drop a lawsuit against Supervisor Herbert Reilly that would bar him from signing the settlement with Larned and Sons. Reilly said the town board made the action at a Aug. 19 special meeting, with Sgarlata abstaining.

That means there are no pending or current litigation on the mine going into this week's public hearings, said James Linnan, attorney for Concerned Citizens, on Friday.

### Variance recommended for Indian Ledge home

The New Scotland Planning Board will recommend that the zoning board of appeals approve an area variance for an addition to a home on Indian Ledge Rd.

The planning board made the recommendation at its meeting last Tuesday and sent the variance application onto the appeals board for its action.

Louis Greco is applying for the variance to build a two-story addition onto his home in the Residential-Forestry zone. Under the zoning ordinance buildings cannot be any closer than 10 feet, but with the addition, his home and garage will be three feet apart.

The next meeting of the New Scotland Planning Board is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13.

### Volunteers needed at state museum

The state museum in Albany needs volunteers to staff the Museum Shop from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, weekends and holidays throughout the year. Volunteers are needed immediately and will receive individual training.

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## In the running

Assemblyman John Faso, on right, met recently with U.S. Senate Republican candidate Robert McMillen and Albany County Vice Chairman Mary Bardwell. Faso has announced his support for McMillen, a Nassau County corporate attorney and former Avon Products vice president who is running against Democratic Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan.

## Facing Oct. 1 deadline

# Recycle options mulled

By Sal Prividera Jr.

The Voorheesville Village Board of Trustees began last week to look at ways to get a newspaper recycling program into place for all residents before the Oct. 1 deadline.

Mayor Ed Clark said the plan is to have the village's regular vendor pick up newspapers on a regular basis "without us (the village) getting into purchasing equipment." The village will contact vendors and listen to their proposals for temporary removal of newspapers. Clark said the village's regular vendor, John O'Marra was "interested" in providing the service and that it will be put out to bid "maybe in six months."

He said the trustees were looking for a solution without having to spend a large amount of money because "we don't know

what else we're going to have to do or what we are going to need."

The Oct. 1 deadline is the "last date (the City of Albany ANSWERS program) will accept paper in regular trash," he said, citing information from the Albany Department of Public Works.

Clark said the village "can't get a clear picture of what we're going to have to do. We don't want to get into a program and then have to abandon it. Clearly, we're going to have to recycle more in the future."

He said the program will serve residents without the village buying equipment, but "that may have to be changed in six months."

After the Oct. 1 deadline, newspapers must be separated from other trash since they will no longer be accepted at ANSWERS.

The fire department will continue to pick up papers under the voluntary system in place in the village until the new plan begins and separation becomes mandatory, Clark said.

In other business, the trustees:

- Denied an application for annexation of lands into the village made by developer Peter Baltis.

- Rejected a bid for a 6-ton truck to replace a truck currently in village service.

- Set a 5 ton weight limit for Swift Rd. and Crow Ridge Rd. to cut down on heavy truck traffic.

- Suspended a hearing on a proposed new sign law until the next meeting.

The board of trustees next meeting date was changed to Tuesday, Sept. 20. at 8 p.m.

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### Community General Hospital

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### St. Peter's Hospital

Girl, Emily Ann, to Eileen and Bruce Lombardo, Delmar, July 2.

### Bellevue Hospital

Boy, Evan Griffith, to Joanne and Robert Munderville, Slingerlands, Aug. 11.

## Photography contest opens

Area photographers are invited to enter the Arthritis Foundation's photography contest. Prizes of \$300, \$200 and \$100 will be awarded for the top three entries.

Photographs submitted will be used (with credit given) to publicize Arthritis Foundation efforts.

Photographs may be submitted in a variety of categories,

including research and laboratory situations, health professionals in their work setting, inspirations to convey hope and positive attitudes toward life, children or adults observing or participating in everyday activities, and family members working or playing together.

For information call 459-5082.

## Workshop to focus on electrical repairs

A Handivan Workshop on Electrical Repairs will be held on Thursday, Sept. 1, and on Tuesday, Sept. 6, from 7 to 9 p.m., at the Albany County Cooperative Extension's Office, 230 Green St., Albany.

The instructor will be John Kohler, and the workshop will include an overview of plumbing

systems and demonstrations on the repair and replacement of faucets and toilets. Educational handouts and information will be available.

There is no charge for the workshop, however, pre-registration is necessary. To register, call 463-4267.

## Foley nominated HESC president

Dr. Cornelius J. Foley of Slingerlands has been nominated by Governor Mario M. Cuomo to serve as president of the state Higher Education Services Corporation.

Foley has served in the Cuomo Administration since January of 1983 and has been deputy secretary to the governor for education, local government and

arts since October of 1985.

The Higher Education Services Corporation administers 20 government-sponsored student financial aid programs that provide \$1.2 billion to approximately 700,000 students.

Dr. Foley's nomination is subject to State Senate confirmation.

## Administrative volunteers meet

The Volunteer Administrators of the Capital District will meet for lunch on Sept. 14 at the Italian American Center, Washington Ave. Ext., Albany.

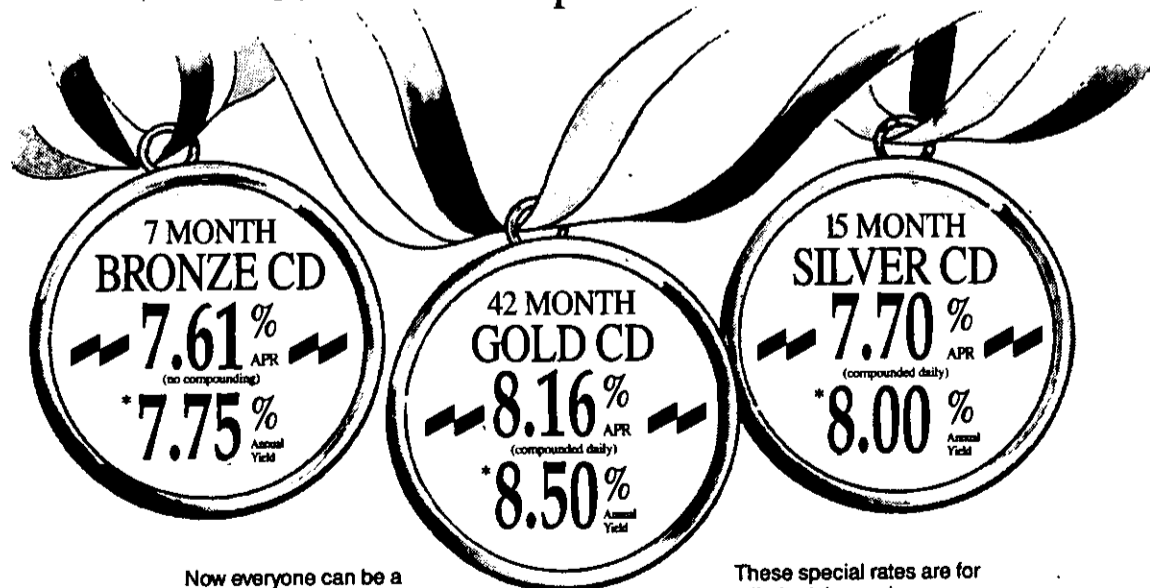
Robert E. Bullock, the director

of marketing and communications for Samaritan Hospital, will be the featured speaker.

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# Summer vacation coming to an end

Summer vacation is almost over for students in the Voorheesville Central School District. Both Voorheesville Elementary School and Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School will begin the 1988-89 school year on Wednesday, Sept. 7 with a full day of classes. Bus schedules and other information may be found in the *Helderbarker*. District residents may obtain a copy by calling 765-3314.

## Orientation scheduled

To acquaint seventh graders and other new junior-senior high school students to their academic surroundings, an orientation meeting will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 6, at 7 p.m. Students and their parents will receive information from Principal Peter Griffin, Guidance Director Robert Quackenbush and other staff members.

Students and their parents will tour the building, visit homerooms, review the daily schedule, and receive locker assignments and student handbooks.

For information call 765-3314.

## SPiRiT builds in community

Special People Involved Rebuild

## Voorheesville News Notes

Lyn Stapf 765-2451



Interest Together (SPiRiT), a new community group, is planning a welcome back to school celebration for the entire community on Friday, Sept. 9, beginning at 7 p.m. For information call Derris Tidd at 765-4277.

## Parents' nights planned

Parents will also be returning to school this fall for the parents' night open houses.

According to John Tobiasson, acting principal, parents' night programs at Voorheesville Elementary School will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 27, for kindergarten, resource room, learning lab, gifted and talented, music, physical education and speech.

On Wednesday, Sept. 28, parents of second, fourth and fifth grade students, as well as art students, are invited. On Thursday, Sept. 29, open houses for parents

of first, third and sixth grade students will be held.

The junior high open house will be held on Oct. 19. The senior high open house will be held on Oct. 13.

## Library board meeting

The executive board of the Voorheesville Public Library will hold a meeting at the library on Tuesday, Sept. 6, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting, which is usually held on the first Monday of the month, was rescheduled for Tuesday because of the Labor Day holiday. All are welcome.

## Calendar full at library

Librarian Nancy Hutchinson advises parents to mark their calendars on the dates on some upcoming programs at the Voorheesville Public Library.

Beginning on Sept. 10, the library will once again be open on Saturdays from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

On Monday, Sept. 19, Officer Russ Carson from the Guelderland Police Department will offer a "Sitting Safely: Babysitting Workshop" at the library. Anyone 11

years or older is welcome. To register call 765-2791.

Fall preschool story hours will begin on Monday, Sept. 12, and will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Mondays and Tuesdays, and at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. on Fridays.

Two children's films, "Puff the Magic Dragon" and "Winnie the Pooh," will be shown on Friday, Sept. 9, beginning at 10:30 p.m.

## Sex education offered

Two sex education programs will be conducted by a Planned Parenthood educator at the Voorheesville Public Library on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 27 and 28, beginning at 7 p.m.

"Fathers and Sons Growing Together," a program geared for boys 10 through 12 years, will be held on Sept. 27. "Mothers and Daughters Growing Together," a program for girls 9 through 11 years, will be held on Sept. 28. Films, discussions and activities will give families a chance to learn about human sexuality in a non-threatening atmosphere.

To register for \$3, visit the library before Sept. 23.

## Students honored

High school students who received recognition for their academic achievements were: Michele Doto, Chan Yol Park, Martin Gordiner and Justin DeFazio, art; Lisa Semenick, Jeannette Kiegle, Tiffany Rinalli and Jane Ginter, business; Matthew Bates, driver education; Tom Genovesi, Cathrine Reilly, Diane Kissell, William Kerr, Craig Schreivogel and David Larabee, English; Jennifer Schwartz, creative writing; Kevin Taylor, Tracy Stevens and Amy Tesch, French; Michelle Paraso, William Kerr and Susan Carhart, Spanish; Kevin Jarvis and Carla Perry, home economics; Sean Foley, Charles Collins, Andrew Rockmore, Michael Race and Maria Helena Stam, technology; David Lancor, Tammy Loewy, Kevin Taylor, William Kerr, Tracey Stevens, and Natalia Bausback, mathematics; David Lancor, Ellen Barber, David Larbee and Staci Loewy, science, and Leah Collins, William Kerr, Tracy Stevens, Natalia Bausback and Kathleen Glastetter, social studies.

# SPiRiT seeks to gain interest in schools

By Lyn Stapf

## What is SPiRiT?

"SPiRiT is something within us, a gift of such, a gift that we all need to share," according to Derris Tidd of Voorheesville.

Special People Involved Rebuild Interest Together (SPiRiT) is also a new community group spearheaded by Tidd that "would like to see a rebuilding of interest in each and every school activity, credit where credit is due — for everyone."

And who are these "special people involved?" "You are, all of you — the entire community, whether you're young or old, parent or non-parent, teacher or student, 'elected' volunteer or maybe just a wee one in diapers," Tidd replies. "You are the special person that makes Voorheesville the special community it is."

Sparked by all the negative attention that Voorheesville has received over the past year, Tidd felt that it was time for some positive energy to be directed at making good things happen.

"We all have to realize that by getting together and working together what we give to the kids in this community will come back to us twofold," she explains.

"Academics are important but other interests such as music, sports and humanities can only help students grow more and increase their self esteem," Tidd says. Thinking back with fond memories of her high school years at Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk, Tidd remembers that it was those extra activities that made her high school years some of the best in her life. Although her two children, Beth and Mark, are still small, she would like to help build an interest and enthusiasm in the district for students now and in the future.

Tidd has met with Superintendent Louise Gonan, faculty members Linda Wolkenbreit, Frank Faber and Lydia Tobler, PTSA co-presidents Deb Baron and Elaine Burns, and school publicity person Ruth Mendel, to

Tidd said SPiRiT would assist other school and community groups with their needs. She hopes to see the group emphasize the relationship between groups by distributing a community calendar of the year's activities for both school and community groups.

Other ideas include a community homecoming dance, a 50th birthday party for the district in 1991, and appreciation days for community groups, such as the American Legion, the Elks and the Kiwanis.

Tidd has even met with Dave Burnham, the new varsity football coach, to discuss rearranging the seating at home football games to provide more space for community members interested in cheering the team on.

The group's first major event will be the community "Welcome Back to School Celebration" on Friday, Sept. 9, at the Clayton A. establish a place for SPiRiT in the school and community.

Bouton Junior-Senior High School, beginning at 7 p.m.

"It's important to get the kids involved to let them know that they have a voice — that their ideas are important. It's also valuable to have older members of the community give their input since they have a lot to offer — a great knowledge that we can all learn from."

In addition to a membership drive, an organizational meeting with an opportunity to offer ideas will be held in the fall. Anyone interested in assisting with the details of the Sept. 9 event may call Tidd at 765-4277.

"Let's get together to make SPiRiT a true community effort. We can make it happen," said Tidd.

## New Scotland democrats to picnic

A Democratic All Day Buffet, sponsored by the New Scotland Democratic Party, will be held at Camp Nassau, Guelderland, on Sunday, Sept. 11, from 1 to 8 p.m.

The cost of the picnic is \$19.50 per adult and \$9.75 for children 6-12.

Featured will be all day music, dancing, door prizes and a drawing for a VCR.

For more information call 768-2101.

## Flag taken from pool

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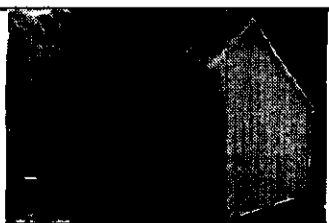
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# Burnham continues Voorheesville legacy

*But quarterback uncertainty, media attention new to Birds*

By Nat Boynton

There's a touch of irony — along with several other elements — in Voorheesville's current football scenario. The man who developed a succession of outstanding quarterbacks for the Blackbirds has fulfilled his dream of becoming head coach, but there really isn't an established quarterback in sight.

Charlie Russo, who started for the jayvees last year until he got hurt in mid-season, appears to be the probable starter for the Blackbirds this season. What's so ironic is that Russo got the nod from head coach Dave Burnham last Friday after Craig Schreivogl, who replaced Russo and finished the schedule last season, twisted his knee in practice.

Then there's Paul Moyous, a 6-foot senior out for football for the first time, and there may be others among the 25 varsity hopefuls Burnham is working into shape as another autumn approaches in the lee of the Helderbergs.

None of the above has the Burnham mold, as did John Fredette, Craig Hawkins, Greg Picard, and the two Meachams, Jim and John. The legendary Tom Buckley and his successor, Pete Douglas, have had winning teams and a trophy case full of titles for more than a decade, and Burnham has been the quarterback coach right along.

Now Burnham, starting his 14th year on the coaching staff in Voorheesville, is the varsity honcho, replacing Douglas, who has fulfilled a dream of his own as golf coach. Gone with Pete are the 17 seniors who came within a single game of playing for the Buckley Cup.

Burnham inherits a strange situation on Rt. 85A. He has a media event in Jennifer Elliott, a senior who may be the only girl playing high school varsity football in New York State. He has enough bulk and experience to field strong front lines on both offense and defense, but few — if

any — proven operatives who can throw, catch or run with the ball.

That, of course, will change as the season moves along, starting with a three-way scrimmage with Shaker and Johnstown in Latham this Saturday. There also will be a passing scrimmage with Cobleskill on Tuesday, five days before the league opener at Tamarac.

As for quarterback, the key to Voorheesville's run-and-shoot option format, all candidates will get their shots. Russo, at 6-0 and 176, is the biggest QB the Blackbirds have had in recent history. Both Russo and Schreivogl throw well, both can run the option and they're juniors. Moyous, 6-1 and 155, is a thin, wiry but tough senior who did well at the summer football camp at Albany Academy.

Burnham has an open mind. "It'll be a shootout between the three of them," he has been saying. "We'll throw a lot more than we did last year, and we'll be using time patterns. The ball will be in the air when they (receivers) make their cuts."

At the moment Burnham is more comfortable talking about his defense, which has the potential to be one of the best around. He has two of the best interior linemen in the Capital District in Jimmy Gianatasio and Harold Gosling, both all-conference tackles in 1987. They are big enough to push a lot of people around, Gianatasio at 234 and Gosling at 6-2 and 226. If Chip Adalian, who has slimmed down from 220 to 203, develops as expected, the interior line should be about as solid as any team in the section.

Also slated for plenty of trench warfare are Danny Jackson, a starter last year at offensive tackle who will play defense this year at 238 pounds, Bob Galusha and James Balsamo, juniors up from the JV, and a newcomer to football, Matt Fairbank, 6-0 and 228 who attracted some attention at the Academy camp.

At defensive end Craig Lapinsky,



Voorheesville head coach Dave Burnham with co-captains Craig Lapinski, left, and Shaun Joyce. R. H. Davis

200-pounder who played monster for the jayvees. "A very tough kid," says Burnham.

For the moment, the starter at monster appears to be Ted Houghton, who packs a deceptive 137 pounds on a 5-7 frame. "Don't let the size fool you," cautions Burnham. "Pound for pound he's one of the hardest hitters we've got, and he loves contact. He's got to be in there."

On the corners Burnham can choose from Shaun Joyce, a co-captain, and seniors Dan DeAngelis, Leach and Mike Manss, plus Moyous and Schreivogl. There is also Elliott, who played primarily defensive halfback on the JV last year, but she may be used more as wide receiver this season.

"Jennifer is a very competitive young lady," Burnham said last week. "She's not afraid to hit. She got her bell rung a few times last year, but she always comes back for more. The important thing is that the team respects her and supports her."

Any of the seven defensive halfbacks can play safety, along with Ryan Brennan, who had the JV safety job last year.

On the offense the line will be strong and experienced. The prime question, which may not be answered for several weeks into the season, is what's behind them. Danny Jackson, an all-conference defensive tackle, moves to the offense this season to join Gosling, Gianatasio and Colfer. The coaches are counting on Adalian at center. Galusha and Rooney are the interior backups. Balsamo can play guard or tight end.

Burnham has beefed up his line by bringing up two sophomores, 6-3, 215-pound Chad Hotaling and Scott Renker. They obviously have made an impression on Burnham, considering he had said at the beginning of August that he wouldn't have any sophomores on the squad.

There are plenty of split ends — DeAngelis, Elliott, Joyce, Leach and Manss, but only a few tight ends, Lapinsky and Balsamo. The coaches have been moving these people around trying to find the best combinations.

Burnham will run the I-formation and continue to rely on the option to spring the big gainers or make critical first downs. The tailback will do most of the running, with occasional help from the fullback. Seniors Houghton and McMillen, and Brennan, last year's JV tailback, will see early action. At fullback Burnham has been working with Benoit, Hooks and Washburn, but may go with Rooney, a JV lineman last year and a conversion prospect this year because of his 200 pounds. The problem is that Houghton is the only one of this bunch who has any varsity experience.

The sorting-out process has prevailed since practice started two weeks ago, and this report could be obsolete before it goes to press. The capsule summary for the 1988 Blackbirds should read: strong line, strong defense, very few experienced players, offense a large question mark.

The coaches know they will (Turn to Page 23)

## Voorheesville

# BLACKBIRDS



## Varsity Football Schedule

September 3	a-10 am
Three-Way Scrim. at Shaker High	
September 10	a-1:30 pm
Tamarack	
September 17	H-1:30 PM
Watervliet	
September 24	a-1:30 pm
Albany Academy	
October 1	H-1:30 PM
Schalmont	
October 8	a-1:30 pm
Ravena	
October 15	H-1:30 PM
Mohonasen	
October 22	H-1:30 PM
Lansingburgh	
October 29	a-1:30 pm
Cohoes	
November 5	a-7:30 pm
Buckley Cup	

a senior co-captain, is the only holdover. Kevin Jarvis, a 190-pound junior, and Russo have moved up from the JV.

The Blackbirds will stay with two linebackers behind a five-man front, but Burnham wants to change to a zone defense in the secondary. Gone are two all-league linebackers, John Traudt and Gerry Gordinier, leaving Jim

Colfer, 5-11 and 168, as the only experienced linebacker. John Benoit and Jim Hooks saw some action last year, and two other seniors, Mark McMillen and Gary Washburn, could develop as linebackers or strong safeties, a position Blackbird coaches call monster-back.

The coaches also look for good things from Christian Rooney, a

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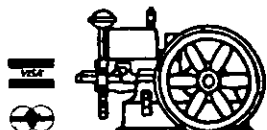
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# Speed, teamwork key to RCS football

## VanDerzee hopes to overcome size deficit

By Mark Stuart

Forget about last year. The new Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk varsity football team is about to make a new impression in the way to win football.

You'll find no stars to speak of, not yet at least, and no miracle-bound playbook.

What you will find is a new-look team, a team looking to pick itself up and leave behind their 3-5 record from last season.

"We're really a close team this year," said quarterback and free safety Kurt VanDerzee, "there are no (stand-out) individuals like last year, we're a team, you know, both on and off the field."

That's not a bad attitude to have in any situation, but this year's Indians have a definite size problem that Head Coach Gary VanDerzee hopes to overcome by utilizing his player's speed and quickness coupled with their intense desire to win.

"We're probably the small team compared to rest of the league," he said, "if they're bigger than us, we'll have to use our speed; if

they're bigger than us and quicker than us, we're in trouble."

Offensively, he plans to use the pass more than last year. "We're going to put the ball in the air much more than last year," he said.

His son, Kurt, and George White, both seniors, will platoon at quarterback as they did last year. He said that both quarterbacks will be used in any situation and will not be sent in for any specific type of play.

With the loss of last year's two starting running backs to graduation, VanDerzee expects to spearhead his running game with tailback Bobby O'Neill, a 6-foot-1 190 pound senior, from the Slot-I and Power-I backfield.

VanDerzee also expects a lot from his defense this year. "There's no doubt, our defense will have to keep us in it (the Colonial Conference race) this year," he said.

The Indians have been practicing with both a 5-2 and 4-4 defensive alignment. The kingpins in the 5-

2 will be their defensive ends, White, O'Neill and Bob Misuraca.

Despite their diminutive size, VanDerzee is confident in the spirit and aggressiveness of his linebackers, namely juniors Joe Dillberg and Mike Losee, and Chris Mogul and Eric Recene.

Kurt VanDerzee, who led the team in interceptions last year with five, will start at free safety.

Coach VanDerzee expects strong competition from all around the Colonial Conference. "(Albany) Academy and Watervliet will be the toughest ones, Mohonasen and Lansingburgh both had strong jayvee teams last year, Voorheesville has a strong line, and Schalmont has improved a lot" he said. "I don't expect there to be any soft touches at any week (in the season.)"

The team will open their season against Hudson at home Sept. 10 at 1:30 p.m., a game that will let the team know what quickness is all about. "They're (Hudson) going to be real strong and real quick, it's going to be a real jump in the fire for us."

## Glenmont angler wins Mepps Master

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## Youth hockey registration opens

The Troy-Academy Youth Hockey Association will hold registration, for new and experienced skaters 4 to 16 years, at the Albany Academy, Manning Blvd, Albany, on Friday, Sept. 16, from 7 to 9 p.m., and on Saturday, Sept. 17, from 9 a.m. to noon. Registration will also be at the Frear Park Rink in Troy on Friday, Sept. 23, between 7 and 9 p.m. and on Saturday, Sept. 24, between 9 a.m. and noon.

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## Dexter named assistant coach

Thomas Dexter, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and a former high school varsity football, basketball and baseball player, has earned a master's degree in physical education from the State University College at Cortland.

While at Cortland, Dexter was a member of the basketball team and the varsity football team. He also served as a graduate assistant football coach.

Dexter has accepted a position as an assistant football coach at Cornell University in Ithaca.

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## RCS modified sports begin practice

Four modified sports will begin their practices tomorrow (Thursday).

Modified football, modified cross country and modified boys' soccer will begin at 9 a.m. Modified girls' soccer will begin practice at 10 a.m.

## Dempf wins Guilderland Classic

Stella Dempf of Delmar won the top prize, a golf bag, at the Regional Food Bank Golf Classic in Guilderland on Aug. 19.

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The fifth golf classic had a field of 125 golfers and helped raise \$12,000 for the Regional Food Bank.



Gary VanDerzee

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### Varsity Football Schedule

<b>September 3</b>	BCHS 7:pm
Four-Way Scrim.	
<b>September 10</b>	<b>H-1:30 PM</b>
Hudson	
<b>September 16</b>	a-7:30 pm
Mohonasen	
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<b>November 5</b>	a-2:00 pm
Cross Conference Playoff	

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# Eagles optimistic about repeating

*Largest turnout since '78*

By John Bellizzi

This time last year, the question on everybody's mind was "Are the Eagles really back?" In the weeks that followed, Bethlehem Central's varsity football team proved to the skeptics that they were back in the Suburban Council to stay by defeating five league rivals to capture first place in the Gold Division. Spirits are still high from last year's 6-3 championship season, and all indications are that 1988 will be even more successful for BC.

One good sign is the large turnout for football. With 33 players, this year's varsity could prove to be the largest squad since the championship season of 1978. Fifteen returning lettermen, eight of them starters, from last year's varsity make up the nucleus of the team, along with many of last year's junior varsity players. Seniors John Reagan, Bob Dillon, Pete Coccozza and Lance Sprinkle, all starters in their junior year, are this year's captains.

John Sodergren is back at the helm of the Bethlehem Central football program, beginning his fifth year as head coach. Ken Hodge and John Furey are the assistant varsity coaches. "Things are looking very upbeat," said Coach Sodergren. "Our numbers (of players) are up, and we have a lot of quality people to work with."

Bethlehem's nine game schedule includes all of the traditional Suburban Council opponents as well as non-league games against independent Niskayuna and Albany High of the Big Ten.

"Like last year, we will be able to play competitively with everybody on our schedule," Sodergren said.

Sodergren also thinks that the Eagles are in position to go for the Gold Division title again. "It is certainly a realistic goal. We've got the belief that we can do it, and that's a big part of the battle."

Bethlehem not only has the wish to win, but also the means to make that wish a reality once again. "We have a lot of position, filled by quality players and good depth," Sodergren said.

Bethlehem Central's offense should be especially strong this fall. "Most of our experience starting the season is on the offensive side of the ball," explained Sodergren. Eight of BC's returners were starters last year on offense; six of them started in every game.

One of the "quality players" who had a chance to display his skill on last year's varsity is quarterback Lance Sprinkle, who started at QB in Bethlehem's first three games last year and continued to deliver strong performances throughout the season. Another senior quarterback



Bethlehem co-captains, standing, from left, Peter Coccozza, Lance Sprinkle and John Reagan. Beside head coach John Sodergren is John Reagan. R. H. Davis

Sodergren commented. Juniors Sott Hodge and Craig Weinert are available as backup quarterbacks.

In addition to quarterbacking duties, Sprinkle continues to shine as one of the area's best placekickers. As last year, Sprinkle can be counted on for points anywhere within the 25 or 30 yard line.

The running game is a crucial part of Bethlehem's wishbone offense, and this year's running backs seem ready to take on their challenges. Speed in the BC backfield has come to be associated with Bob Dillon, a senior who will start at halfback again this year after a spectacular '87 season.

The other starting halfback is yet to be named. "There's a lot of competition for that spot," Sodergren explained. Contenders include seniors Steve Connolly and Neil Fitzpatrick, halfbacks on last year's varsity, along with John Bobo and Boe Acquario, who started on last year's junior varsity team.

Bethlehem will have a formidable passing game this year as well. Split end is a very "solid position," according to Sodergren. Pete Coccozza will start there again this year. "Pete is one of the top wide receivers in the area — he was one of the best last year, too," said Sodergren. Coccozza will be joined at split end by Chris Aloisi, a senior who saw a little varsity action last year. Sodergren and Weinert will also spend some time at split end this year.

For a while, at least, the tight end position looked like a problem. "There are always a few positions that you are trying to fill, and I was very concerned about tight end," Sodergren said. Two of last year's jayvee players, Hodge and John Hoffman, will be handling most of the tight end duties.

Led by John Reagan, who Sodergren calls "the best offensive lineman in the Capital District area," BC's offensive line will be hitting the opposition hard this year. Reagan is back for his third year as a varsity guard, and he is joined on the line by several of last year's varsity starters. Center Chris Pratt, guard Tom Zolezzi and tackle Brian Taylor were all starters last year, and combined with guard Eric Joachim and tackles Paul Vichot and Dan Moriarty, all seniors and varsity veterans, and Stu Newman, last year's jayvee center, should provide a good offensive foundation.

Strong defensive play was one of the keys to capturing the Gold Division Championship last year. "Defensively, we're going to be strong up front, anchored by Reagan at tackle," Sodergren predicts. Juniors Klein and Greenhalgh are competing for starting linebacker spots with Joachim and Vichot. With Reagan, Pratt, Moriarty and Hoffman to work with at defensive tackle and Bragaw, Taylor and Zolezzi at defensive end, the front six looks promising.

Another of Bethlehem's defensive strong points is the fact that all of last year's starting defensive backs have returned. BC's secondary of Coccozza, Sodergren and Dillon will put their experience to good use this season. In addition, Sprinkle, Aloisi and Hodge will be seeing action in the secondary.

BC will get its first real test of the season this weekend, as it takes on Ravena, Redhook,

## Bethlehem Central EAGLES



### Varsity Football Schedule

September 9	H-7:30 PM
Shaker	
September 17	a- 2 pm
Colonie	
September 23	H-7:30 PM
Saratoga	
October 1	a-2 pm
Niskayuna	
October 7	H-7:30 PM
Albany	
October 14	a-7:30 pm
Guilderland	
October 21	a-7:30 pm
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October 28	H-7:30 PM
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who should see plenty of action this year is David Sodergren, who was a backup QB for last year's varsity. "Both Lance and David are looking really good at a backup QB for last year's quarterback so far," Coach

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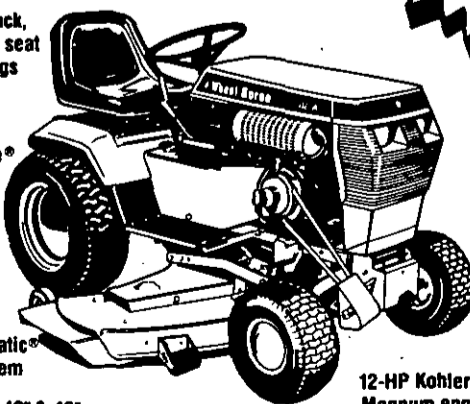
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Mechanicville and Taconic Hills in a pre-season scrimmage. The regular season begins at Eagle Field 7:30 next Friday night, Sept. 9, as the Eagles try to avenge their loss to the Shaker Bisons in last year's season opener.

"Every week it's going to be a battle," Sodergren said. "As we look at the grueling schedule, we see that week in and week out, we can compete."

Bethlehem may be able to compete with all of these teams, but against some of them they will have to work especially hard. Sodergren feels that the level of play in the Suburban Council is up. He has heard good things about Albany High, the opponent for Bethlehem's Oct. 7 Homecoming Game, which is looking to be a big contender in the Big Ten.

"Overall, we have a good product here," Sodergren said. "We have a very exciting team, with a lot of potential for this season. We have no control over what the other teams have, but I know that we'll be playing to the best of our ability."

Returning to coach at the junior varsity level are Chris Rutschmann and Mark Chmielinski, the coaches who led last year's 19-man jayvee squad to a 6-3 season, the best jayvee season in years. This year, the jayvee team has more players to work with, numbering close to 30.

After scrimmaging Redhook, Ravena, Taconic Hills and Mechanicville this weekend, the jayvees will open the regular season at Shaker next Saturday. The first jayvee home game is the night of Sept. 16.

John DeMeo is back as head freshman coach, assisted by former BCHS football player Chris Jadick. The first frosh game will be Sept. 26 at Saratoga, with the first freshman home game Sept. 30 under the lights.



Ramona Malossi



Travis Ostroff

## Tae Kwon Do medalists at Junior Olympics

By Mark Stuart

In what Head Instructor Mike Friello termed "the best competition in three years," seven area athletes brought home 11 medals from the Tae Kwon Do competition of the National Junior Olympics in Lawrence, Kansas last week.

Gold medals were won by seven-year-old Travis Ostroff, who placed first in a field of 48 in the form competition, and 13-year-old Ramona Malossi, who placed first in form competition.

Malossi also won a silver medal in sparring. Overall, the team finished with two gold, two silver medals and one bronze.

There are two events in each division, sparring and form, the latter being a judged event. Medals were also presented for fourth, fifth and sixth place. There were 11 total medal awarded to the seven athletes.

"This year's team did a fantastic job," Friello said, "Although last year's team captured 13 medals (overall), this year's competition was by far the

best I've seen in my three years with the Junior Olympic program."

Over 540 students competed this year's competition; 90 percent were state champions, according to Friello.

Rounding out the squad were Bill McCarthy, Advanced (red belt) Division, 16- to 17-year-old boys, bronze medal in form competition; John Schaller, Intermediate Division, 13- and 14-year-old boys, second place on form, fifth place in sparring; Ron Onyon Jr., Boys' Black Belt Division, 14- and 15-year-old boys, fifth place in both sparring and form; Mike Lynch, Intermediate Division, 14- to 15-year-old boys, fourth place in form; and Sean Nixon, Intermediate Division, 16- to 17-year-old boys.

All of the Friello's athletes are members of his Hudson Valley Tae Kwon Do school in Delmar.

Friello has already made plans to attend next year's Olympiad in San Antonio, Texas and expects to begin raising funds for the trip as soon as next month.



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August 20	Bethlehem Ambulance	Auto Accident
August 20	Selkirk Fire Department	Auto Accident
August 20	Delmar Rescue Squad	Standby
August 20	Delmar Fire Department	Structure Fire
August 21	Elsmere Fire Department	Car Fire
August 21	Delmar Rescue Squad	Personal Injury
August 21	Delmar Rescue Squad	Heart Attack
August 22	Bethlehem Ambulance	Medical Emergency
August 22	Delmar Rescue Squad	Personal Injury
August 22	Delmar Rescue Squad	Medical Emergency
August 22	Selkirk Fire Department	Car Fire
August 23	Elsmere Fire Department	Brush Fire
August 23	Delmar Rescue Squad	Medical Emergency
August 24	Slingerlands Fire Dept.	Auto Accident
August 24	Selkirk Fire Department	Auto Accident
August 24	Delmar Rescue Squad	Personal Injury

The Voorheesville Volunteer Fire Dept. will be saying thanks to the community on Sept. 10 at 8 p.m. with a dance behind the firehouse. The dance is to thank the community for its support of the fund raisers that were held before last year's convention.

The Town Fire Officers Association will begin their meetings on Sept. 8.

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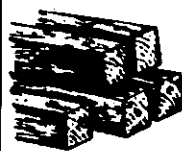
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## Blackbirds

(From page 20)

have to keep the veterans healthy to compensate for thin reserves, but the Blackbird program has a winning tradition as one of the best in the section. They love hard-hitting in Voorheesville, and they have always stressed conditioning.

By nature Burnham is highly competitive and aggressive. "We're going after 'em," he said last week. "We want to control the line of scrimmage. The guys who sit back and wait end up watching. My style is go-get-em."

Rounding out the coaching staff are John Sittig, offensive coordinator and line coach, and Chuck Farley, defensive coordinator who also handles the receivers. Burnham will concentrate on the offensive backs and linebackers. Jim Duncan will coach the jayvees, assisted by Jim Sapienza and Carl Burnham (no relation).

The Blackbirds open on the road at Tamarac on Saturday, Sept. 9, and come home the following week against Watervliet. There are no night games this year. Cohoes is the only newcomer on the slate.

## Church Softball Championship

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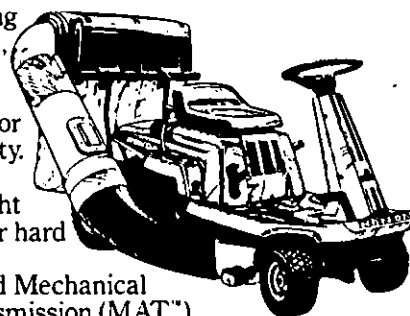
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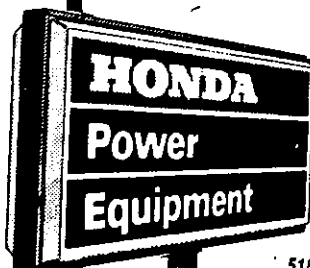
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**Weber receives diploma**

George R. Weber of Delmar has received a diploma and accreditation as an insurance advisor from the Insurance Institute of America. He is an account executive with Austin and Company Inc., Albany. Weber, a graduate of the University of Buffalo, is a chartered property casualty underwriter. He is a member of the board of directors of the Sales and Marketing Executives of Eastern New York.

**Two Madrigal Singers named**

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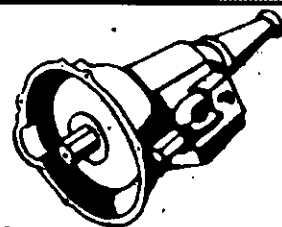


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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
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Charles B. Fritts  
 Chairman  
 Board of Appeals  
 (August 31, 1988)

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given of the filing by Adams-Russell Cable Services-New York, Inc. of an application for renewal of its cable television franchise for the Village of Voorheesville, New York.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

Article V, Permitted Uses, of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for modification to previous Special Exception for permission to build four (4) car garages on lots 6, 13, 15 Tice Lane and 30 Paterson Drive and to change four (4) car garage under building to a two (2) car garage under building and an attached two (2) car garage 7 Paterson Drive, Glenmont, New York 12077.

Charles B. Fritts  
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**NOTICE**

At a regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, NY, held at the Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY on the 24th day of August, 1988.  
 PRESENT: Mrs. Ritchko, Mr. Webster, Mr. Corrigan, Mr. Burns. ABSENT: Mr. Hendrick.  
 The Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York does hereby amend the Traffic Ordinance adopted on the 17th day of July, 1968, and last amended on the 27th day of July, 1988 as follows:

1. Amend ARTICLE I, STOP INTERSECTIONS, by adding a new paragraph (sss) to read as follows:  
 (sss) The intersection of Boylston Drive and Sheffield Drive is hereby designated as a Stop Intersection with Stop Signs to be erected on Sheffield Drive on both sides of its intersection with Boylston Drive.  
 The foregoing amendment to the Traffic Ordinance will take

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effect ten days after publication. The foregoing amendment to the Traffic Ordinance was presented for adoption by Mr. Webster and was seconded by Mr. Burns and was duly adopted by the following vote: Ayes: Mrs. Ritchko, Mr. Webster, Mr. Corrigan, Mr. Burns. Noes: None.  
 Absent: Mr. Hendrick.  
 Dated: August 24, 1988.  
 (August 31, 1988)

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON ESTABLISHMENT OF AN EXTENSION TO THE SOUTH BETHLEHEM AMBULANCE DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, Article 12-A, as amended, of the New York State Town Law, authorizes the establishment of special improvement districts upon motion of the Town Board; and  
 WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 490 of the Laws of 1982, Article 12-A was amended to include in the definition of a special improvement district an ambulance district in the Town of Bethlehem; and  
 WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem established an ambulance district on September 12, 1984; and  
 WHEREAS, a map and description have been prepared relating to the proposed establishment of an extension of said ambulance district to render rescue and ambulance service throughout that territory within the Town of Bethlehem hereinafter described; and

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WHEREAS, such map and description have been duly filed in the Office of the Bethlehem Town Clerk; and  
 WHEREAS, said extension is to be serviced pursuant to a contract to be entered into with a volunteer ambulance service; and  
 WHEREAS, there are no improvements proposed; and  
 WHEREAS, the boundaries of the proposed extension of the ambulance district will comprise the Area Within the Following Boundaries:

BEGINNING at the Northwest Corner of the Town of Bethlehem boundary with the boundary of the Town of New Scotland lying on west and the Town of Guiderland lying on the north;

THENCE in an Easterly direction along the Town of Bethlehem and the Town of Guiderland boundary line to the center-line of the Krumkill (Creek);

THENCE in a general South-easterly direction along the center-line of the Krumkill (Creek), also being the Town of Bethlehem and City of Albany boundary line to an angle point in said boundary lying within the Right-of-Way of Krumkill Road;

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NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED that this Town Board shall meet and hold and conduct a public hearing at the Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, in the Town of Bethlehem, New York, on the 14th day of Sept., 1988, at 7:30 o'clock P.M. on that day to consider the said description and to hear all persons interested concerning the same and the proposed establishment of the said ambulance district, and to take such action thereon as is required or authorized by law.

The foregoing order was duly adopted by the affirmative vote of all Board Members present

The foregoing resolution was presented for adoption by Mrs. Ritchko, Mr. Webster, Mr. Corrigan, Mr. Burns

Ayes: Mr. Hendrick, Mrs. Ritchko, Mr. Webster, Mr. Corrigan, Mr. Burns  
 Noes: None.  
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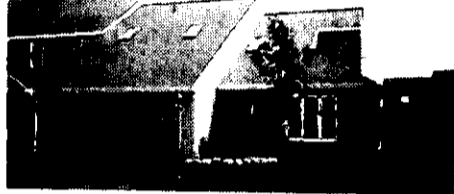


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## Patricia Grady marries

Patricia Grady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Grady of Glenmont, and Peter J. Birdsinger were married July 22 at The Doane Stuart School Chapel.

Kathleen Grady was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Donna Johns, Christa Unright, Marjorie Nevens and Nancy (Day) Yurschak. Matthew Smith was best man, and ushers were Gene Kelly, John Tyler, Edward Sharp and

Brian Grady.

The bride, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and the College of Saint Rose, is an elementary school teacher. The bridegroom, a graduate of Greenwich High School, is a physical education student. He is employed as a sales representative for J and D Supply Company.

After a wedding trip to Europe, the couple will reside in Troy.



Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith

## Smiths celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith of Glenmont celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 25. A reception and dinner for family and friends was hosted by their daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and Frank Ornoski.

The Smiths were married at

the Coeymans Methodist Church. They have one daughter and two grandchildren.

Mr. Smith was employed for 22 years by the H.J. Henry Company and for 21 years by the Bethlehem Central School District at Glenmont Elementary School.

Medical Center Hospital after a brief illness. He was 52.

He was born in Sacramento, Calif., and moved to the Albany area in 1985 when he was appointed senior director of toxicology at the Sterling-Winthrop Research Institute, a division of Sterling Drug Inc.

He was educated in pharmacy at the University of California at Davis and received his pharmacy degree from Idaho State University in 1958. He earned both his master's and doctorate degrees in pharmacology at the University of Iowa.

From 1972 to 1984, he lived in Raleigh, N.C., where he worked at the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences as chief of the Laboratory of Environmental Toxicology and later as chief of the Laboratory of Reproductive and Developmental Toxicology.

He received the Society of Toxicology Achievement Award in 1962 and the National Institute of Health's Directors' Award in 1977. He published more than 60 scientific papers. He served as president of the Society of Toxicology from 1981 to 1982.

He is survived by his wife, Marilyn Roth Dixon; a son, David R. Dixon of Durham, N.C.; two daughters, Wendy Robertson of Cary, N.C., and Diane F. Dixon of Raleigh, N.C.; his mother, Frances Dixon of Sacramento, Calif., and two brothers, Wilbur Dixon Jr. of Susanville, Calif., and James Dixon of Walnut Grove, Calif. He also leaves four nieces and one nephew.

Services will begin today (Wednesday) at 10:30 a.m. at the Philip J. Frederick Funeral Home, 16 Manning Square, and continue at 11 a.m. at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 10 Western Ave., Albany. Interment will be at a later date in Sacramento, Calif.

Contributions may be made to the Fund for 2121 (building fund), Albany Medical Center Hospital, New Scotland Ave., Albany, N.Y., 12208, or the Memorial Fund at St. Paul's Evangelical Church, 475 State St., Albany, N.Y. 12203.

# OBITUARIES

### Anna Humphrey

Anna Tallman Humphrey, a member of the Delmar Fire Department's Ladies Auxiliary since 1937, died Thursday at Albany Medical Center Hospital after a brief illness. She was 77.

She was born in Medusa and was a longtime resident of Feura Bush Road in Delmar. She was also a resident of the Good Samaritan Home in Delmar.

She was a member of the Delmar Reformed Church.

She was the wife of the late Kenneth F. Humphrey.

She is survived by three sons, Raymond Humphrey of Delmar, Donald Humphrey of Phoenix, Ariz., and Stephen Humphrey of Slingerlands; a sister, Martha VanAlstyne of New Scotland; a brother, Ernest Tallman of East Berne; nine grandchildren and a great-grandson.

Arrangements were made by the Applebee Funeral Home, Delmar. Burial will be in the Bethlehem Cemetery. Contributions may be made to the Delmar Rescue Squad or the Delmar Reformed Church Endowment Fund.

### Thomas DeWitte

Thomas W. DeWitte, 87, of South Bethlehem, a retired maintenance worker for Key Bank in Albany, died Friday at his home after a long illness.

He was born in Kentucky and was a longtime resident of South Bethlehem.

He was the husband of the late Eleanor L. McGarry.

He is survived by a daughter, Anne Lambert of Selkirk, and one granddaughter.

Arrangements were made by the Babcock Funeral Home,

Ravena. Burial was in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, South Bethlehem. Contributions may be made to the Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance Squad.

### Ingvald Kvinlaug

Ingvald Kvinglaug of Selkirk, a self-employed carpenter, died Aug. 23 at his daughter's residence in Troy after a long illness. He was 83.

He was born in Kvinlog, Norway, and moved to New York City in 1924. He moved to the Capital District five years later.

He specialized in hardwood floor installation and worked with his two sons.

He was a member of the Voorheesville Rod and Gun Club.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Skants Kvinlaug; two sons, Martin Kvinlaug of Albany and Ole Kvinlaug of Troy; two daughters, Karine Lombardo of Troy and Clara Viele of Saratoga Springs, and two brothers, Kore and Karl Kvinlaug, both of Norway. He also leaves 12 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were made by Armer Funeral Home, Ballston Spa. Burial was in the Powell-Wiswall Cemetery in Ballston Spa. Contributions may be made to St. Peter's Hospice in Albany.

### Robert Dixon

Robert L. Dixon, Ph.D., of Slingerlands, vice president of drug safety at the Sterling-Winthrop Research Institute in East Greenbush and former advisor to the Carter Administration for the Office of Science and Technology from 1978 to 1979, died Sunday at Albany

### Examination requested

Richard M. Kessel, executive director of the State Consumer Protection Board, recently asked officials at the State Public Service Commission to institute a proceeding to examine New York State's major electric companies.

"The recent six weeks of extreme heat and humidity across New York State have severely tested the limits of the state's electric transmission and distribution system," said Kessel. "While all of the utilities worked to keep power flowing their residential and business customers, some customers experienced significant service interruptions. We must be certain that the state's utilities are prepared to respond to future heat waves and to the potential of extreme cold weather this coming winter."

### Zimmerman to speak in Dublin

Deidre A. Zimmerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Zimmerman of Elsmere, will speak to government officials in Dublin, Ireland, about financial controls and accountability.

As a senior budget examiner with the state Division of the Budget, Zimmerman is responsible for assisting in the development and implementation of a new system of financial control and accountability mandated by the New York State Legislature.

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## SENIOR CITIZENS



Bethlehem Senior Services announces a new program, TAC or Tape a Chat. Through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. J. Irish of the Capital District Physical Therapy, P.C., two tape recorders were able to be purchased for use by senior citizens, either in our office or in their homes. Rev. Clark Callender, pastor of Community United Methodist Church in Slingerlands, assisted in researching the various recorders available.

Many seniors have expressed a desire to record and/or play tapes with family members and friends who have moved away. For many seniors it is difficult to write or read communications, and a tape can be more personal. Some senior citizens have borrowed the recorders to listen to inspirational messages, church sermons or tapes from the library. In one instance, a woman has decided how valuable it is and is inquiring into obtaining her own after realizing how easy they are to operate.

A reminder for those visually handicapped; there are other agencies and services available as well.

Tapes and mailers can be obtained by seniors on their own and recorders can be borrowed by calling 439-4955, Ext 77.

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Mr. and Mrs. Garth D. Briscoe



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond B. Blaisdell

### Married in Clarksville

Patricia Ann Prince, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan W. Prince of Glens Falls, and Garth David Briscoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Briscoe of Feura Bush, were married May 14 at the Clarksville Community Church.

Susan Wynkoop was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Nancy Roemer, Sandra Schmitt and Stacy Flaherty. Greg Briscoe, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man, and ushers were Mike Prince, brother of the bride,

Ron Shelmerdine and Mark Sausville.

The bride, a graduate of Queensbury High School, is employed at the Fort Orange Club in Albany. The bridegroom, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and the Motorcycle Mechanics Institute of Arizona, is employed as a salesman at New York Tri-Star.

After a wedding trip to Orlando, Fla., the couple will reside in North Greenbush.

### Raymond Blaisdell marries

Tina Marie Maynard, daughter of Mrs. Tonia J. Maynard of Schenectady, and Raymond Byron Blaisdell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Blaisdell of Selkirk, were married July 16 at the Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church in Glenmont. The Rev. John S. Macholz officiated.

Kathy Hannman was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Barbara Russell, Mrs. Barbara Sullivan and Mrs. Donna Vail. Andrea Blaisdell and Stephanie Blaisdell were flower girls. Gordon W. Blaisdell served as best man, and ushers were Thomas Dooley, James Harbeck and Richard Luck.

The bride is a graduate of Clayton A. Bouton Senior High School and the Stratford Business School, Albany. The bridegroom attended Ravena-Coeymans-Sel-

kirk Senior High School. He is employed as a supervisor for V.P. Winter Inc., Selkirk.

After a wedding trip to Old Orchard Beach, Maine, the couple will reside in Slingerlands.

### Genealogical series offered

The Bethlehem Public Library's media and local history department will sponsor a free, three-part series on the basics of genealogical research on Sept. 20, Oct. 19 and Nov. 30, beginning at 7:30 p.m..

The Sept. 20 program is entitled "Beginning Genealogy with Diane Snyder Ptak." Ptak is a certified American lineage specialist and past vice president of the Capital District Genealogical Society. She teaches genealogical research at Hudson Valley

Community College.

The Oct. 19 program will feature representatives from the Albany County Hall of Records, the New York State Library and the Albany Institute of History and Art, who will discuss "Genealogical Resources in the Capital District."

The Nov. 30 program will feature a discussion with Loren Fay on the L.D.S. Family History Center in Loudonville.

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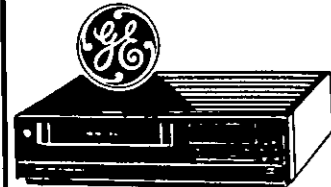


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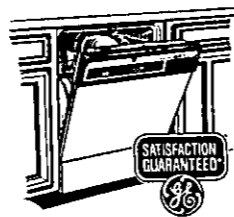
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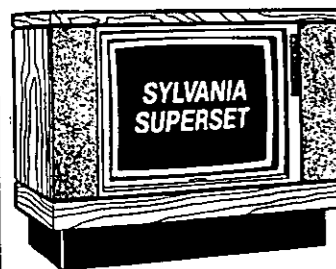
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