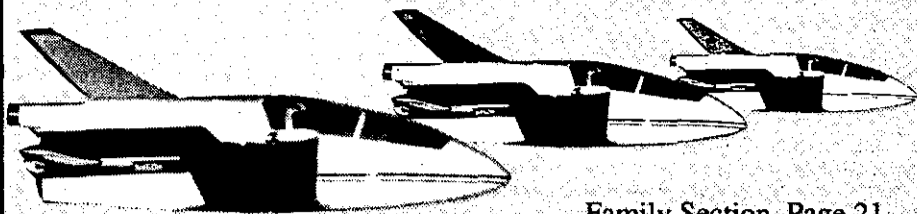


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## Petition pushed to dump ANSWERS

By Susan Wheeler

With maps and signed petitions in hand, approximately 100 Citizens Lobby for Alternative Waste Solution (CLAWS) members came to last week's Bethlehem Town Board meeting.

The recently-formed group is composed of Bethlehem and Coeymans residents who are opposed to an ANSWERS regional landfill and represented by spokesman South Bethlehem resident Richard Pulice.

They presented 2000-plus signatures on petitions to the board. The signed petitions state the residents' opposition to the ANSWERS regional landfill siting in Bethlehem and Coeymans and request Bethlehem to pull out of ANSWERS.

The landfill siting report, prepared by Malcolm Pirnie, Inc., a consulting firm in Albany, identifies nine of the 15 sites in the Town of Bethlehem and three in the Town of Coeymans.

In addition to presenting the board with signed petitions, CLAWS members distributed a map identifying the potential landfill sites by new names, which refer to geographic and town landmarks such as parks and schools.

Pulice told the board that CLAWS opposes the regional landfill sitings and insists it is no coincidence several of the sites are near the Conrail tracks. He said the proximity of the sites to the tracks would make it easier for garbage from

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## Bethlehem considers park land set asides

By Susan Wheeler

In an effort to accommodate growing demands on Bethlehem's recreational facilities, the town board has asked town planning officials to draft a local law requiring developers to set aside private park or recreational sites within their projects, or pay fees if that condition is not or cannot be met.

According to a July 2 memorandum prepared by Deputy Town Planner Ellen Kost, the park land/fee policy is most

commonly applied to new residential subdivisions. The proposed policy would cover all multi-residential projects, including apartments, condominiums and two-plus family dwellings.

Kost's report, addressed to Supervisor Ken Ringler and the town board, provides background information on state and other regulations concerning the subject.

Fees under such a law would be used

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## And the winner is...



Patrick Meany, Emily Lombardo and Jennifer Meany sit on the winners' stand Sunday at the Empire State Games and watch the swimming competition, held at Elm Avenue Park's pool. (More photos Page 13)

Elaine McLain

## BC star excels on and off court

By Susan Graves

Despite stunning successes at Bethlehem Central as a basketball player, Delmar's Anita Kaplan maintains a healthy down-to-earth perspective about her talent.

"I just know I have a lot of work to do. There's always somebody better than me," she said Monday just one day after playing for the Adirondack Women's Basketball Team in the Empire State Games. Her team won its first three games, which were played at the College of Saint Rose gymnasium, but lost the final game on Sunday to a team from New York City. "We won the first three games but lost in the gold medal round," she said, "We lost by 15 but the first half was close." Kaplan said playing in the Empire State Games was a challenge. "The girls are a lot more experienced



Anita Kaplan

and older. It's a much higher level of competition," she said.

Kaplan, who tried out for the Empire State Games team in early June, had

racked up a string of accolades this year including being named All-American by "USA Today," "Parade" and "Street and Smith" during her senior year at BC. And this September, she will begin her college career at Stanford University in California on a four-year full scholarship.

Kaplan said the Empire State Games were packed with fans. "All the seats were filled. The gym was packed," she said. "It's more encouraging to play when there are a lot of people."

The future may see Kaplan playing on an Olympic team. Kaplan has been touring with the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) so she has already played with and against some of the best basketball athletes in the country.

"He (Coach Michael Gallivan) took me all over the country. It was really great experience," she said. "If I was to

play in the Olympics, it would be in '96, she said. By then Kaplan would be 23, just about the prime age for a basketball player.

"The 6'5" center said she learned the fundamentals of the game from her father. "My dad pretty much taught me," she said. "I've always loved it — always had fun." Her "official" entry to the sport was in the sixth grade as a manager for the freshman team. From there she played four years on the varsity team at BC.

Still, with all her experience on the basketball court, Kaplan said she gets jitters before every game. "I always get nervous. I sit by myself for a while and think. I need to be quiet for a while before a game," she said.

She said the attention she received

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## Cutting horses to compete

More than 100 of the world's greatest veteran cutting horses, with some of the nation's best riders and trainers, are scheduled to compete during the third annual Saratoga Cutting Horse Spectacular Aug. 20 through 22 at the show grounds at the Henning Road entrance to the Oklahoma Training Track. Entrants will compete for

an estimated \$50,000 in prize money.

On Tuesday, Aug. 20, the activities begin with the National Cutting Horse Association's Championship Cutting competitions in all classes. The competition is made up of open and non-pro divisions consisting of two go-rounds and finals.

On Aug. 21, morning competitions under NCHA sanction are non-professional, first go-round in the amateur class. The evening will feature first go-round in the open division and a celebrity competition.

On Aug. 22 the morning will be open for non-professional, second go-round NCHA competitions with finals scheduled in the evening. Tickets are \$5 per person.

## Slingerlands student wins internship

Alison Dorman of Slingerlands has joined Sawchuk Brown Associates in Albany as a summer intern. Dorman is a senior at Simmons College in Boston, majoring in politics and fine art.

She has been an active member of the Simmons Student Government Association, serving as president of her class as well as co-founder of the college's environ-

mental awareness group. She recently returned from her junior year abroad in Florence, Italy.

Sawchuk, Brown Associates, founded in 1979, specializes in public relations and public affairs strategy, media relations, community relation, and publications.

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# Residents, board debate master plan

By Debi Boucher

The New Scotland Town Board got an earful Monday night from residents who came to a meeting designed to evaluate the progress and direction of the town's new master plan and zoning regulation drafts.

Residents packed the hearing room, bringing the diverse views Councilman John Sgarlata cited as one reason for the board's quandary. In reviewing public input to the master plan, he said, it became clear to him there are "two distinct camps," those who favor increased development and those who feel strongly about preserving the rural character of the town. "Where's the balance?" he asked. "Can we afford to do either one?"

It was Sgarlata's questioning of the master plan's goals, at the last zoning ordinance workshop between the planning and town boards July 16, that led the board to put the project on hold pending some type of assessment.

Supervisor Herbert Reilly began the discussion with a review of the history of the project. The planning board began working on the master plan in 1987, he said, when concerns about development triggered a study of the town's northeast corner. C.T. Male Associates, the Latham engineering firm selected to do the study, was subsequently asked to expand its scope to include the entire town.

In addition to geological surveys, tax maps and other technical sources, the firm, under the planning board's direction, solicited public input through a series of public meetings. The result was the Comprehensive Land Use Plan—or master plan—draft, released in December but still not formally adopted by the planning board. Planning board Chairman Raymond MacKay said the document is about 90 percent complete.

The master plan is intended to provide a blueprint for a new zoning ordinance, a legal document updating the version revised in 1981, which the town board must adopt. C.T. Male has been drafting the ordinance, as well as a new set of subdivision regulations for planning board adoption, in tandem with the master plan. The two boards began meeting in January to hash out the details of the zoning ordinance—and that's where the trouble began.

Supervisor Herbert Reilly said the meetings, which were moderated by C.T. Male consultants John Montagne and Kate Frank, had caused the project to run about \$12,000 to \$14,000 over budget so far because of consultants' fees. He estimated the town has so far spent about \$50,000 on the combined three projects, including the \$28,000 master plan. The consultants' time at the meetings, which often ran several hours, was beyond the scope of the contract

between the town and C.T. Male, Reilly explained.

Sgarlata said the boards' mistake was in letting the zoning ordinance meetings go on when the town's goals began to look fuzzy. "We were paying them to ask us questions," he said. "This conversation is long overdue—we should have had this [meeting] months ago."

In the end, the board decided to hold more meetings with the planning board on the zoning ordinance, and to call in C.T. Male only when they are further along in the process or have technical questions. The first of those meetings will be Tuesday, Aug. 20, at 7 p.m.

Robert Hampston, a member and former chairman of the planning board, refuted implications by some residents that the engineering firm shaped the master plan. "C.T. Male hasn't dictated anything on this," he said. "I personally drafted the goals and objectives" based on public input, "so when C.T. Male went to work, they focused on the goals and objectives the planning board had drafted."

But as Sgarlata observed, residents vary widely in their views of those goals. David Moreau, of Unionville, spoke out against the three, five and 10-acre lots proposed for some agriculture and forestry management districts in

□ PLAN/page 15

# Glenmont supermarket plan still on owner's drawing board

By Susan Wheeler

Negotiations for a 60,000-square-foot supermarket in Glenmont's Town Squire Shopping Center, originally planned to be completed by summer's end, are still under way.

According to Raphael Greenspan, a general partner of Country Squire Associates, owners and operators of the shopping center, the plaza owners are "still talking with a number of people" about moving into the space formerly occupied by Grand Union and CVS pharmacy. He would not release the names of the interested supermarket companies, although he said approximately three have expressed interest in occupying the space.

The Bethlehem Planning Board OK'd in late April Country Squire's

site plan, which involves an approximately 20,000-square-foot rear expansion to the former Grand Union, CVS and First American Bank of New York spaces, according to Keith Wiggand of J. Wiggand and Sons, Town Squire managers. The board had tabled the matter in early April until plans were worked out to add islands with trees to the parking lot, he said.

Greenspan said Country Squire would like to have a supermarket in the shopping center "as soon as possible." However, negotiations have been lengthy and no lease has yet been signed. "There's no indication why some of these players are driving a hard bargain," he said.

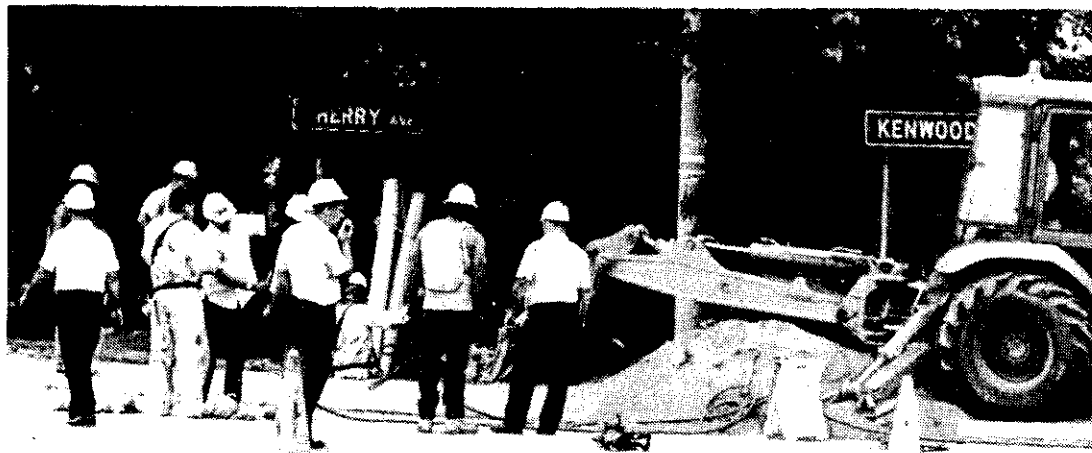
Greenspan and his partner Gene Moramarco disclosed in mid-

March Country Squire's plans for a supermarket, part of a chain, to occupy plaza space. Their news followed the announcement that Southgate Commons, a proposed Route 9W shopping center, is planning the inclusion of a Shop'n Save supermarket in its plaza.

Jack Moran, director of government relations at the Golub Corporation, Price Chopper supermarkets' headquarters, said in March said the chain was not interested in Town Squire, while Edwin Oberle, a real estate representative of Great American Food Stores, refused in April to comment on whether the market is in negotiations for the site.

Greenspan said there are no plans for the space in the Town Squire Shopping Center formerly occupied by First American.

## The main thing



Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation crews prepare to mend a broken 2-foot plastic gas main at the intersection of Cherry and Kenwood avenues Thursday. According to Nicholas J. Lyman, public relations director for NiMo, the main

broke when a Department of Transportation crew, who was installing a highway light fixture, had machinery on top of the main. No one was injured and just two customers lost their power service, he said.

Elaine McLain

# NEIGHBORS

People, places and their stories

By Mary Ahlstrom



## John H. Flanigan

When you hear the name John Flanigan you could think son, soldier, father, grandfather, homemaker, building inspector, fireman, fire chief, fire commissioner. He's all of these.

John grew up in Slingerlands, graduated from BC, married his high school sweetheart, served our country in Germany from 1957-59 and has been serving the Town of Bethlehem as building inspector and fireman for most of his life.

John has three daughters, Reenie Kleinke, Kristie Malsan, Delli Savas and five grandchildren. John's mother, is Mrs. Maurie Flanigan (former Slingerlands postmistress).

John enjoys golfing (low handicap style) and does some hunting.

The family department is where the real John Flanigan

shines. Weekends and all holidays you can find John "smiling over a hot stove" because that's what he enjoys most in life, cooking and being there for his kids. He is an all round family man, as far as John is concerned, the family comes first.

John has been a member of the New York Building Officials since 1970. He was elected president in 1988 and 1989 and recently the Building Officials acknowledged his contributions and dedicated their 62nd Annual New York State Building Officials Conference to John H. Flanigan, C.P.C.A. (Certified Professional Code Administrator)

Vigorous John Flanigan isn't thinking of retirement but, when asked if he would retire to someplace else his instant response was "never, never would I leave here, I love this town!"

# Homeowner fined \$1,000

By Susan Wheeler

A Winne Place, Delmar, homeowner recently pleaded guilty to a charge of occupying a building without a certificate of occupancy and paid a \$1,000 fine.

— According to Bethlehem Building Inspector John Flanigan, Bedros Karian of Glenmont, who owns the four-family apartment house at 28 Winne Place, rented two apartments in the building which did not meet all town building requirements. He was cited for unauthorized occupancy after he told the building inspector that no one was living in the house, Flanigan said.

During inspections of the apartment, Flanigan said he found signs of occupancy such as food in the refrigerator, clothes in the closets and personal belongings in the bathroom. He was told that a couple was just storing items in the apartment until all requirements were met, he said. The couple who had rented the apartment were not at fault, he said.

Another couple had rented an apartment in the building but had not moved into it, Flanigan said. "We stopped one couple from moving in," he said. "They thanked us for that."

Karian was ordered to appear in town court May 17, when he pleaded not guilty, Flanigan said. At his second court appearance, on July 7, Karian pleaded guilty to occupying a building without a certificate of occupancy and paid the \$1,000 fine to the Town of Bethlehem Justice Court, according to Flanigan.

"We felt good about this one because we've been fighting him for a while," Flanigan said.

Karian was cited for an unauthorized occupancy in May 1986 at 21 Kenwood Ave., Glenmont, his current home, Flanigan said. He had rented one apartment of a two-family home without a certificate of occupancy. That case was dismissed when Karian had the renters move from the apartment until it was repaired to meet town codes, according to Flanigan.

## YWCA offers day camp, childcare

Registration is still open for the second session of the Albany YWCA's Summer Fun Camp. Morning or afternoon sessions are open to children ages 3 to 10 from Aug. 5 to Aug. 22, for two or four days a week. Camp is held Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon for ages 3 to 6 and includes swimming, arts and crafts, simple group games and sing-alongs.

For ages 7 to 10, camp will be held Monday through Thursday

from 12:45 to 3:45 p.m.

An hourly childcare program is also offered by the YWCA. Summer hours are 9 to 10:15 a.m., 10:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9 a.m. to noon on Friday.

Reservations should be made 24 hours in advance and savings are offered for those who pre-pay. Pre-pay fee is \$2 per hour and drop-in fee is \$2.50 per hour. For information, call 438-6608.

# Lifesaver operation gets officers on track

By Sal Prividera Jr.

Officers from nearly a dozen law enforcement agencies took a hard look at the problems associated with railroad tracks Thursday and were encouraged to increase their patrols in these areas.

Operation Lifesaver, a general railway safety program sponsored by the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee, is designed to decrease the number of train-car accidents at railroad grade crossings.

Within that program, an "Officer on the Train Patrol" is aimed at law enforcement officers to increase their awareness about the problems created by drivers ignoring gates, trespassing on railroad property and vandalism to trains and tracks.

Several officers rode on a train from Rensselaer to Scotia to give them a first-hand view of what train engineers face.

Bethlehem Police Lt. Richard Vanderbilt, who is a member of the Operation Lifesaver Committee, said the town experiences problems typically associated with rail tracks.

Charles G. Alonge Jr., of Operation Lifesaver, told the officers "The chance of having a fatality is 40 percent greater" at a grade crossing than any other intersection. "People still play chicken and get hurt," he added. "Trains are not toys. It takes a 100-car freight train



Colonie Motorcycle Officer Dave Messmer stands watch at a grade crossing as an Amtrak train goes by during the "Officer on the Train" program Thursday. Sal Prividera Jr.

travelling at 30 miles per hour a mile to stop." He said car-train crashes can be more severe if the train is carrying hazardous materials.

Alonge also highlighted some recent troubles including people throwing rocks at trains and leaving debris on tracks. He noted all-terrain vehicle drivers, dirt bike riders and snowmobile riders use the areas around rail tracks as

playgrounds. "If we don't nip this in the bud, we're going to have a tragedy."

Mel Corbett, Amtrak's Empire District superintendent, voiced his concerns for the safety of his crews, their passengers and general public. "(People) don't know how dangerous it is. The normal track speed is 110 mph. They don't realize how fast or how quiet the trains are." He said vandalism against

Amtrak trains has increased between Albany and Scotia, the focus area of Thursday's program.

According to Vanderbilt, Bethlehem averages two grade crossing accidents a year. "Two are too many," he said. There are also problems trespassing and vandalism on Conrail and D&H tracks, he said. The track areas are also used by ATV and snowmobile riders, he added.

## Bethlehem police make DWI arrests

Bethlehem police recently arrested two motorists on misdemeanor charges of driving while intoxicated.

Maureen E. McMillan, 47, 633 Delaware Ave., Delmar, was arrested for DWI Saturday, July 20, after she was stopped for failure to keep right on Delaware Avenue, police said.

Joseph A. Cooper, 25, 356 Third St., Albany, was arrested for DWI Tuesday, July 23, after he was stopped for failure to keep right on Route 144 near the Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation plant, police said.

## Gateway leads Prospect Park tour

The Hudson Mohawk Industrial Gateway is leading a tour of Prospect Park in Troy on Saturday, Aug. 10, at 10 a.m. as part of its "Know Your Neighborhood" series.

A picnic will be offered following the tour at the park pavilion. Participants are asked to bring their own silverware and a dish to share. The picnic is free and open to the public.

The cost of the tour is \$5 for adults and \$4 for children under 13 and Gateway members.

For information, call 274-5267.

## Hospital schedules child clinic

A developmental assessment clinic is being offered Wednesday, Aug. 7, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Bellevue Hospital, Troy Road in Schenectady.

Offered in association with the Early Childhood Direction Center, the screening clinic is for anyone who has a concern about a child up to two years old.

Areas of concern include gross and fine motor development, speech and language development, feeding skills, learning/adaptive skills and social/emotional skills.

The clinics will be held at Bellevue the first Wednesday of each month following the Aug. 7 meeting.

To register, call 346-9499.

## Graduates earn scholarships

Jacqueline Martone of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Central High School and Lori Geurtze of Bethlehem Central High School were two of nine Capital District high school graduates to receive \$750 each to pursue higher education in nursing.

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A special meeting to present the results of the Town Planning Survey will be held by the Town of Bethlehem Land Use Management Advisory Committee on  
  
**Wednesday, August 7, 1991**  
**7:30 p.m.**  
**Bethlehem Town Hall**  
**445 Delaware Avenue,**  
**Delmar, N.Y.**

Copies of the report will be available for review at the Bethlehem Public Library as of August 5, 1991, or for purchase at the Town Planning Department office at Town Hall.

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### Take a break, recreate! Summer party set

The Town of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department will hold its 3rd Annual Beat the Heat Party for middle school age pupils in Bethlehem. It will be held Friday, Aug. 2 from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Elm Avenue Park pool and warming area. Activities will include DJ Jay Dubson and dancing, swimming, prizes and refreshments. Admission is free!

### Puppets to entertain

Cranberry the Clown and Sara the Puppet will offer a puppet kaleidoscope demonstration on Thursday, Aug. 1 at 7 p.m. at the Elm Avenue Park warming area. Learn all about puppet making. Admission is free!

### Town seeks activities coordinator

The Town of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department is seeking an activities coordinator to organize special events and activities for middle school students in the Town of Bethlehem. The coordinator will work with youth, parents, faculty and park staff to plan and conduct an activity approximately once a month year round.

To apply, complete an employment application form and submit it along with any other pertinent written information in the Parks and Recreation Office immediately. Forms are available at the Parks and Recreation Office and Bethlehem Town Hall.

For information, call Nan Hinman at 439-4131.

### Music hall seeks performers for series

The Troy Savings Bank "Music at Noon" committee is seeking talented local musicians and ensembles to participate in the monthly music series at the Troy Savings Bank Music Hall.

The series, which presents a free concert on the second Tuesday of each month from September through June, will be eclectic, according to the committee, featuring a wide range of styles such as jazz, bluegrass, folk and classical.

Applicants must submit a cassette recording of a recent performance, a resume, a list of their most recent or upcoming engagements, and biographies of each member of the ensemble to the Music at Noon Committee, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 88 Fourth Street, Troy, N.Y. 12180. Acoustic acts are preferred, and heavily amplified music will not be accepted.

For information, call 273-0038.

### Free concert slated at Bethlehem library

Recording artists Doug and Gary will present a free concert for school age children at Bethlehem Public Library on Wednesday, Aug. 7, at 2 p.m.

The duo will perform songs from their popular children's recordings, "Mega Pegga Legga Dinosaur" and "I'm a Happy Pirate." The appearance is sponsored by the Upper Hudson Library System.

The concert is the last of the Wednesday Specials series of children's programs and marks the end of this year's Summer Reading Club. For information, call 439-9314.

### Academy sponsors historic tour

The Union College Academy for Lifelong Learning, 17 South Lane in Schenectady, is sponsoring a bus trip on Friday, Oct. 11, to the Auburn home of William Seward, who was secretary of state under presidents Lincoln and Johnson.

The excursion will involve a tour

of Seward's home, a luncheon cruise, and a tour of the area, including its history.

Cost is \$39, and it includes the entire trip.

For reservations, call 370-6638 by Sept. 20.

# VCS nixes retirement plan

By Robert Webster Jr.

Budget woes plaguing the Voorheesville school district have trickled down to staffing as the board of education rejected the governor's early teacher retirement plan.

Eleven teachers in the district were eligible for the program, and three had already announced plans to retire this year, said Superintendent Alan McCartney.

"This package will not benefit us financially," he said. With a "best case scenario" the district would be ahead by approximately \$40,000. That scenario, however, would involve all 11 teachers retiring and not being eligible for a local retirement incentive offered by the district, which allows employees to receive up to \$10,000 for unused sick leave.

McCartney said that the more likely outcome would have the district losing between \$40,000 and \$100,000 over a five-year period.

Business Administrator Anthony Marturano said that all 11 teachers were aware of the incentive, but that the school board did not contact them prior to the vote to ask them how they stood be-

cause the board felt it would not have been fair to base an agreement on the teachers' responses.

"We didn't want to color our decision one way or the other," said Marturano.

He said that the breakage, or the difference between the salary of the outgoing teacher and the incoming teacher to replace that individual, was not significant enough to show a large savings if the district accepted the proposal.

"Our breakage isn't easy," said McCartney. "We only had 11 people eligible, where some districts have 30 to 50 teachers eligible. For the program to benefit a district, you need a lot of people taking advantage of it, which we don't have."

"It's unfortunate that we have so few teachers eligible," said McCartney. "We came to the conclusion that maybe we really shouldn't take a chance in these fiscally tight times."

The three teachers who already announced their retirement will not be replaced next year, said McCartney, but if any of the eight other eligible teachers choose to retire, they will be replaced.

In response to the board's rejection of the package, Voorheesville Teachers Association head Richard Mele said, "Basically, I'm disappointed. I think this proposal could have been good for teachers and maybe have saved the district a little money."

Mele said that he had spoken to several eligible teachers and they, like him, "expressed disappointment in the rejection of the package. There were a handful of teachers who were interested and very excited with the proposition."

"I'd like to see it offered again," he added. "But I don't expect it will. It looks like it was a one-shot deal from the Legislature, and we'll have to wait and see if they put it up again."

School districts were given the option to reject the retirement incentive package, which is open to teachers 55 or older with at least 10 years of service in the district, or 30 or more years in the system.

Under the package, teachers would receive three years additional credit in the system, or approximately six percent more a year in pension, the governor's report said.

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## How serious on recycling?

A letter published on this page makes a provocative and probably valid point about Bethlehem's challenge to provide effective recycling procedures for more kinds of disposable materials.

Cardboard, magazines, junk mail, food scraps are specifically mentioned by the writer as items that should be additionally segregated for recycling (and thus reducing the amount of refuse to be burned or dumped). Collection of hazardous wastes from households also would be advantageous, in the interest of safety.

Bethlehem's recycling program, the writer states, "has made a great beginning." Her emphasis in this instance is on "beginning." Ongoing review and reporting of the actual benefits could be expected to improve the public's week-to-week awareness and performance.

But the question is even more fundamental as to whether and how our community can better its recycling results. The fact is that Bethlehem is miles ahead of virtually every other suburban community, other than Colonie.

## Fads and fig leaves

American history antedates even that antique institution which calls itself the Regents of the University of the State of New York. The Regents, long known for their foot-dragging approach to new ideas, are now uncharacteristically running to catch up with the pipers leading astray those citizens who tire of reading the nation's history the way it happened.

The Regents have voted to endorse the concept of rewriting the history books. As Assemblyman John J. Faso describes it, the Regents, at the behest of Education Commissioner Thomas Sobol, "wish to cater to the demands of certain crank theorists who desire to fundamentally rewrite our history along racial and ethnic lines."

The main purpose of the so-called multiculturalism, in the Assemblyman's well-chosen words, will be to de-emphasize basic western culture and values.

## Credit where due

Triumphantly, the annual renewal of the Empire State Games was staged successfully in our area this past week. Several thousand participants honored the wonderful tradition of individual skills, preparation, training, effort, and competition in physical endeavor.

Their strivings and achievements were well documented and recognized. Appropriate attention was devoted to the many, many areas of competition. For each person taking part — win or lose — it was very much a worthwhile experience. Almost surely, many of the participants will be heard from again and again as they perfect their athletic expertise and go on to become champions in even more demanding circumstances.

But, as must be quite widely recognized, the 1991 Empire State Games came within a hair of not being held at all. The State of New York, with its pockets not so deep as before, withdrew its helping hand. The Games would

## Editorials

If recycling is such a desirable — even vitally necessary — activity by private citizens, why are not such efforts in all towns given equal priority and goals?

If the economics and logistics of reducing pollution (through incineration) and offhounding landfills' facilities are so important, why is it not mandated that all local governments act promptly and effectively (as they should have long before now)?

Do public officials with an overall statewide perspective genuinely support the recycling concept? If so, why is there not a working mechanism to assure that recycling programs will be required everywhere?

To what extent can skeptics claim that recycling is a do-good idea that some local governments have hit on to simulate action and solutions?

Recycling strategies, priorities, obligations, and results should be universal. Otherwise (to paraphrase a familiar book title) "Why do I got to do all this stuff?"

Similar points are made by Assemblyman Arnold W. Proskin, who refers to the "dangerous proposal . . . frighteningly akin to bringing a brand of '1984' history rewriting into 1991.

"While multiculturalism should not be overlooked," he argues, "neither should it be taught at the expense of traditional, accurate historical facts." He adds:

"We enter a dangerous area when we tamper with education for the wrong reasons, such as a political agenda. As our schools struggle to provide high-quality education to students, amidst drastic state aid cutbacks, they do not need new curriculum mandates which could corrupt the teaching of history."

Assemblyman Faso urges that Governor Cuomo place a restriction in his budget next year so that no funds can be used to fund the Regents' fig leaf of fictions. That seems to be a very reasonable proposal.

have died right then . . . except:

Except that volunteers took it upon themselves to step in and rescue the Games, realizing — as our public officials did not — the intrinsic value of this strictly amateur competition. Without their last-hour intervention, the Games would have gone under. Determination saved the day. A closely knit group of saviours are to be thanked by all concerned.

The principal credit, however, must be cheerfully allotted to Albert W. Lawrence, the insurance impresario who has made his name synonymous with a never-say-die spirit of creativeness and accomplishment.

The success of the 1991 Games was Al Lawrence's success, and in effect they should be dedicated to him. Fittingly, the Games were held in our area for the first time, right in Al's backyard. It's barely possible to conceive of what must have been his personal thrill as each successive event was run off.

## Words for the week

**Deja vu:** A feeling that one has been in a place or had a specific experience before. In psychology, it refers to the feeling that one has had an experience previously, though it is new.

**Mesmerize:** To hypnotize, especially to spellbind. (F.A. Mesmer, a German physician — 1734-1815 — who practiced hypnotism in connection with his theory of animal magnetism.)

## Culture by a dump site? Input any insight, please

Editor, The Spotlight:

More than 100 concerned citizens gathered on July 18 at the First Reformed Church of Bethlehem to organize an effort to respond to the ANSWERS siting document, with specific information on sites B1 — B9 and C1 — C3.

As part of that organization, I volunteered to lead a committee to investigate and document the cultural resources impacted by any of the sites in the Towns of Bethlehem and Coeymans.

As a result of some field investigation we have inventoried several buildings and graveyards with the State Office of Historic Preservation. More information, however is needed.

## Vox Pop

If any resident of the two towns has knowledge of artifacts, grave sites, cellar holes, buildings, or archeological sites within or near any of the 12 proposed dump sites in either town, please contact me at 756-6385. I will provide an inventory form to you so the information can be recorded.

The community involvement has been heartening and I urge people to lend their talents and time to this aspect of finding an alternative to ANSWERS.

Marc Hafensteiner

Citizens Lobby for

Alternative Waste Solutions

Selkirk

## Renewed recycling push is prescribed for refuse

Editor, The Spotlight:

Bethlehem Work on Waste is positive that Bethlehem *does* have a viable alternative to both a regional garbage burning plant and the ANSWERS regional landfill — responsibly deal with our waste by reduction, recycling, composting, and a new *small* landfill in Bethlehem. Avoiding disposal as much as possible is the answer — not continuation of our throw-away habits that would be perpetuated by the construction of new, large disposal facilities. Bethlehem should withdraw from ANSWERS immediately.

Our recycling program has made a great beginning. But many more recyclable items need to be pulled out, such as cardboard, magazines, junk mail, food scraps, etc. We need to begin to collect household hazardous wastes so that what is thrown out is safe to dispose. Everyone needs to work on watching their "waste."

John Thomas wonders how Bethlehem can afford to do this. Yes, new landfills are expensive — but not nearly expensive as the refuse burning plant he advocates! Landfills have the added advantage of being more useful empty, whereas incinerators must always be full to run. An aggressive recycling program coupled with a new

town landfill would also avoid the widespread release of lead, mercury, and dioxins into our town's environment.

Right now we have about 30 tons per day going from Bethlehem to ANSWERS (about 6 percent of what ANSWERS handles). Ref-Fuel wants to bring 1,500 tons a day of trash into our town. Concerned about truck traffic? And don't forget about the trucks that will haul the 500 tons of toxic ash each day from such an incinerator to a landfill (which could also end up in Bethlehem.)

Bethlehem is a leader in the region in recycling. Let's continue that leadership by handling our own wastes properly and not let Bethlehem become the regional trash capital.

Betsy Lyons

Bethlehem Work on Waste

Delmar

## 'Leadership' the issue in New Scotland race

Editor, The Spotlight:

The article in the July 17 issue of *The Spotlight* announcing the Democratic ticket for the Town of New Scotland was very interesting.

Mr. Dolin, the Democratic party chairman, states that the Town

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## One family's never-ending saga

I envy and admire my friend Fred, a diligent — not to say tireless — pursuer of fact and truth.

His eight-year pursuit of a complex number of facts that cumulatively must total in the hundreds of thousands has been completed with the issuance of a handsome, privately produced book of 214 pages. The title is, with deceptive simplicity, "Isaac and Elizabeth Branscum: Their Ancestors and Their Children."

Isaac and Elizabeth were great-grandparents of Fred's. But their own forerunners are present within his pages in ample, almost overwhelming, detail. About 40 percent of the genealogy is devoted to tracking hundreds of people from the 17th century forward up to the Oct. 1, 1857 marriage of Isaac Branscum and Elizabeth Vancleve. The couple then began living on 35 acres contributed by Elizabeth's father; the area was identified as "Crossroads, Illinois."

As I've noted, the factual items alone make for an interesting account, especially to present-day descendants (of whom I am not one). Fred is certainly one, but so far as I can discern he modestly relegates himself to a single one-line reference (other than a graceful "Author's Note," which consists largely of appreciative words to many who contributed information and recollections).

It would be a sad mistake, however, to harp on mere data, because it is the incidental side-lights and yarns that Fred has woven into the record that make for fascinating reading.

## Reading of a summer afternoon

I recall having read in these pages a week or so ago a reference to the effect that the words "summer afternoon" had been described as the most beautiful words in the language. The source of the reference was not provided.

So my attention was promptly caught when I saw that very expression on Page One of *The New York Times*. It was attributed to Henry James, and since — as my father always told me — if you read it in *The Times* it's true, I assume that this is in fact the source. A minor puzzle was thereby solved for me.

But this was only the beginning of my pleasure in reading that particular issue of *The Times*. Saturday's papers all too often receive no more than a quick once-over (and frequently that's just about what they deserve), but this issue (July 20) was a gem. I'm not sure that this column has ever discussed a daily newspaper before, but I enjoyed that day's paper so much (and for so much of a summer's afternoon) that I'd like to go over it again, this time with you.

Saturday's edition of *The Times* is in two sections only, and though the obituary and The Mets' results were in the second section, it's actually the first 20 pages that were worth most of my attention. (In fact, only about 11 of those pages were news/editorial text.)

A large portion of the information that I enjoyed learning in that newspaper were items of knowledge that I hadn't known I needed to know.

And, I must add, when combined into an account that focuses largely on midwestern and southwestern frontier and rural life, the

## Uncle Dudley

little biographies create an effective story of how America grew through the efforts of generations of brave and unassuming people.

As Fred observes in a closing note: "Neither Isaac nor his children ever achieved fame or great wealth. In the main they were law-abiding, hard-working, church-going folk who aspired to improve their lives and to promote the welfare of their children. Some of them had their peculiarities, but their virtues outweighed their faults. In short, they were like people everywhere. They are from the stock that has given America its strength."

I find it especially appropriate that these tales of the hardiness, the courage, the perseverance of dozens upon dozens of this one family are being recorded in a time when the rockribbed traditions of early America are being scorned and minimized. Many of the educators who want to rewrite the country's history would do well to study and learn from such lives and their contributions to the American spirit.

Wills play an interesting, recurring part of the whole saga. They are touching in various respects. One signed (with an X) by an ancestor in 1857 noted that she was making her last will and testa-

ment "considering the uncertainty of this frail and temporary life." She bequeathed a blue and white checkered counterpane to a daughter, and one dollar each to two other daughters and a son "for their use and benefit."

Earlier in the 19th century, a Kentucky farmer willed a son 50 acres, with two other sons to divide approximately as much after their mother's death. His daughter received a feather bed "to have and to hold as her right and dispose of as she pleases."

Another settler bequeathed a cow to his daughter, a yearling to a son, and admonished an elder son "to learn my youngest son John the hatters' trade for which I give him the hatters' tools."

Hardships and difficulties abounded: "Numerous settlers who braved the dangers of the frontier lost their land to the 'Kentucky lawyers' who waited until the danger abated, then exploited some flaw in the original claims to seize the land." That was late in the 18th century. By the early 20th century, we read of a wife who was "a good manager," but she had a husband who was "known as a good spender." During the Depression, they "sold out" in Arkansas and moved on to Oklahoma — to a place called Last Chance. In other accounts we read of the Van der Bilt family among the ancestry, and on the other hand of the Kentucky Boones (including Daniel) alternately making peace and war with the Indians.

I love these stories. One week, with Fred's permission, you'll find me back on the subject.

quit smoking and eat tofu." Said the chairman of the town selectmen: "They're intellectuals."

In Saturday's paper I found an interesting piece about a fight within a family over disposition of a billion-dollar real estate empire,

A story on Frank Rizzo's funeral contained these quotations: "He wasn't like a normal politician who lies through his teeth." And "He was always there to help the normal person." When the cathedral's doors closed at midnight after several hours of "viewing," a disappointed latecomer complained, "Frank definitely wouldn't be happy about this." Down-to-earth reporting.

In the old days at *The Times* when such perfectionists as Bob Garst and Ted Bernstein dictated style and adherence to it, headlines marched down the page in neat, precise count order. Contrast that straitjacket with this headline from "St. Ann's Bay Journal": "Sing, O Jamaican silt, of Columbus's leaky ships."

Russell Baker's column was one of his better ones that day — and when he's good he's terrific. He does very well indeed with a discussion of "heat wave," asking "Why is it called a 'heat wave'?" Obviously it is not a wave. A wave moves. The so-called heat wave does not move. It sits. It sits and it sits and it sits, and then it sits some more, the way unemployed relatives used to sit during the Great Depression...

Of course, the issue also contained all the news that was deemed fit to be printed that day.

## Riverside recollections

This Point of View contributor is a poet and author who is a Delmar resident.

By Ruth M. McDowell

It was for me clearly a case of déjà vu, a short time ago, while I was enjoying the amenities of our town park along the shores of the historic Hudson River.

## Point of View

Sunshine had beckoned scores of town residents to charcoal-broil hot dogs and hamburgers while others were sipping cooling drinks at the picnic tables placed strategically amid the shady tall trees. Welcome breezes from the river created an inviting atmosphere for a stroll through the park.

Summer sounds were everywhere: the swooping gulls above making their raucous music, giggles from tiny youngsters being pushed high on swings, singing from a large group who had gathered in the pavilion waiting for the chicken barbecue outside, the old-fashioned clang of a horseshoe making a ringer, cheers heard above it all as, a little farther down, a softball game was in progress while girlfriends and wives tried to shout their teams to victory.



Occasionally, a water-skier behind a speedboat would display enough talent to produce a shorside audience. Or a large cruiser going by would evoke envious stares and the usual comment, "Wonder how much gas that thing uses in an hour?"

More local color accented the landscape as our Capital District excursion boat passed in review: The Dutch Apple II, which was built in our own town of Bethlehem; the Captain J.P. with a luncheon gathering on board; the new Spirit of St. Joseph, with its attractive dining rooms, getting its sea legs in its initial season on the Hudson.

It was later in the day at this beautiful place, our Henry Hudson Town Park, but evening had not settled in as yet to relieve the sultry air. There we were... at the former site of the Tri-City Yacht Club, now located farther south since the town bought the property. Many was the night we had stayed at a mooring in our cruiser, The Escape. As night darkened the river, we'd watch the search lights of foreign ships encircling the entire area. We felt safe because we knew that a special Hudson River pilot had boarded in New York Harbor so that he could navigate the passage best known to him.

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Staying dockside (which was impractical at that location at that time) could never match the excitement of being on a mooring at night. A deep, bass chung-chung could be heard — it was an approaching tugboat coursing through the waters under the hull. We could catch the lonesome sound long before the tug could be seen.

One glorious night we watched the northern lights, marvelling at the impromptu showers of colors, such overwhelmingly beautiful rainbows covering the heavens, and so freely given to us as Mother Nature experimented with her palette using the sky as a perfect canvas!

Memorable moments began to infiltrate my mind as I walked on the slate path that led to the old clubhouse but now goes nowhere. The concrete slab where the gas pump stood remains as a memento of the place we would stop first before setting out on an adventurous cruise. There's only an island of dirt where Del's eating place had been (it recently was torn down), but I could almost smell the luscious aroma of slabs of ham cooking with fried onions — a combination we'd never had before (or since).

Nostalgia was really building as I remembered the day the floating palace, the Alexander Hamilton, made her last trip to Albany from New York, passing Del's where many sightseers had congregated. How thrilled we were to sail out to accompany her for a short while — to welcome her and bid her goodbye at the same time! Whistles blew, flags rippled in the breeze and we heard cheers from her white decks crowded with passengers.

Wonderful hours came to mind of riding on the incomparable dayliners. Nothing can ever take the place of the Robert Fulton, the Peter Stuyvesant, the Hendrick Hudson — but most of all the Alexander Hamilton!

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I was alone for a while as dusk was descending, with the high humidity producing a quickly rising fog over the cooling waters. I stood quietly, leaning against a tree, watching a nearby buoy being swallowed up by the mist.

For a fleeting moment I thought I saw a pristine deck inching its way in the haze, white steam rising from tall, shrouded funnels, accompanied by the distinctive sound of a feathering paddle wheel.

I knew it could not be but, mesmerized, I held on to the memory of that moment as I rode home in wonderment.

# Matters of Opinion

## All alone by a telephone gets new twist from NYT

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to add testimony to the continually growing pile of complaints about the high-handedness of the various public utilities—in this case, New York Telephone.

This is a company that always boasts about its mastery of new technologies that perfect the art of communication and make life that much better for its customers, or "consumers," as we are called. In an instant, by pressing a series of little plastic knobs, we can annoy (or be annoyed by) just about anyone anywhere. Everything is computerized to a fault. Efficiency, they insist, is their watchword.

But wait a minute—or, in this case, maybe as much as 11 hours. I recently made a request for intervention by the company to clear up a distressingly noisy interference on my telephone line.

Sure, said Telephone: We'll have someone there (on a given day). Just be sure there will be someone available for our workman between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m.

That is not only unrealistic in these times when a typical household may include two adults both of whom are expected to be at their jobs throughout a workday—it is an unwarranted imposition on the helpless "consumer." Why can't they figure closer than an 11-hour span when their service representative is going to be able to turn up?

If they can perform the incredible in seconds, why is this bit of insult/injury necessary?

Delmar

*Fed-up consumer  
(Name submitted)*

### Several groups earn fashion show thanks

Editor, The Spotlight:

I want to thank all the organizations that were nice enough to have Laura Taylor present fashion shows for them this past spring. All of us at Laura Taylor feel especially grateful to have worked with the following "wild and crazy" people:

Judy Woodin and the Delmar Fire Department's ladies auxiliary; Janet Frey and DWO; Leslie Phaelen and everyone at St. Teresa's; Bonnie Noonan and the Holy Names Middle School; Denise Polsinelli and the Lynnwood school parents' organization; Marge Smith and women of the Normanside bridge club; Chris Fischer and Linda Fitzpatrick and Vanguard Showhouse; and everyone from Bethlehem Welcome Wagon.

I also want to express my gratitude to Profiles Hair Design, Joyce DeFazio, Brenda Cross, and Judy, Ginger, Gretchen, and everyone who worked so hard on these shows.

*Laura Taylor*

## Leaders

From Page 6

Supervisor was confronted with "a few financial surprises" when he took office. Did Mr. Dolin forget that this same supervisor spent the previous ten years as a Town Councilman? How is it possible that Mr. Reilly could spend ten years in town government, and just because his title changes, be surprised about anything?

In the same article the supervisor refers to the split Town Board and states, "Our hands have been tied for four years." This is becoming an old tune! The reason the supervisor can't get anything done is that he consistently comes down on the wrong side of major issues, as evidenced by the times his own party votes against him and votes with the rest of the board.

The real issue here is leadership! True leaders are able to manage dissension and opposing viewpoints, focus peoples' energy, and bring forth good decisions. This is not happening in the Town of New Scotland.

Voorheesville

*Anne Carson*

## New Scotland alleged 'out of fiscal control'

Editor, The Spotlight:

As a citizen and taxpayer attending the New Scotland Town Board meeting of July 22, I feel compelled to write this letter.

The budget proceedings and attendant discussions were humiliating and embarrassing both to Council members and attendees. It was painfully obvious that the town's budget is in serious trouble and that a projected overrun exists. The Supervisor offered that a shortfall in revenue was the chief cause of the projected deficit.

The discussion which followed clearly showed that New Scotland is and has been *out of control*. The root of the problem is *not* a shortfall in revenue but the inability to build proper safeguards into the budget *up-front*. It was apparent by the last quarter of 1990 that 1991 would be a difficult year and that protective measures should have been built in during the 1991

budget preparation process. Not having prepared for the known difficulty facing us was poor *financial management* on the part of the Supervisor.

During further discussion of possible solutions to our financial dilemma, the Supervisor displayed another example of inability to manage our town government by seeking the answer to a most fundamental question: "Do we get our CHIPS funding in the year we do the project, or the year after?" This, folks, should be of great concern to you: Our chief financial officer, the Supervisor, has to ask questions like these after almost four years in office and after more than eight years as a Council member! I, for one, feel we have a much larger problem than a State-handed shortfall. We have a financial captain directing a sinking ship. This must be stopped on Nov. 5.

*Bruce A. Houghton*

Voorheesville

### Post office crosswalk still a walker's hazard

Editor, The Spotlight:

The State Department of Motor Vehicles "Driver's Manual," issued in 1989, on page 71, Chapter 11 — "Sharing the Road for Pedestrians" in part states: "Regardless of the rules of the road or right-of-way, the law specifically requires you to exercise great care to avoid striking pedestrians."

Recently I was especially alerted to this situation upon seeing the driver of a U.S. Postal Service vehicle failing to exercise any care as pedestrians were making use of a marked crosswalk on Delaware Avenue, Delmar, in front of the U.S. post office.

Perhaps this letter may alert the USPS to impress its drivers to comply with the rules-of-the-road.

Delmar

*Alexander J. Woehrle*

## Vink views V'ville's values as pro varsity

Editor, The Spotlight:

Am I living in the Twilight Zone or do a lot of people in Voorheesville have their heads screwed on backwards? The school budget has been defeated twice (which is fine with me; I voted "no" both times, and will continue to do so however many times they try to railroad it through, but that's another story)

Included in the defeat were the propositions for the purchase of new textbooks, lab equipment, art and music programs, etc. I didn't like seeing that portion defeated, but in the interest of making a point, I could understand it.

However (ah, here's the rub!), within days of the voting, I was

approached by another resident seeking signatures on a petition to reinstate... the athletic program!

Having been a Vville resident for close to 40 years, it really shouldn't have surprised me that so many people in this town place a higher priority on referees and football helmets than on library books and computers, but it did. After my initial outburst of white hot rage at the petition bearer (for which I apologize), I am left feeling angry and ashamed at Voorheesville taxpayers for wanting to knuckle under, after having waged a good fight, rather than face a year without the stench of sweat in their nostrils.

*Barbara Hatch Vink*

Delmar

*Alexander J. Woehrle*



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Frequently, patients under stress unconsciously try to reduce tension levels by bruxing (grinding their teeth together at night). Habits like clenching, grinding or bruxing are particularly harmful to the biting surfaces of teeth because they cause unnaturally rapid wear. This in turn may bring about cusp or biting surface interference between the lower and upper jaw.

If this occurs, then the TMJ syndrome may develop secondarily to the bruxing. Should bruxing continue one the joint pain is present, the pain and muscle spasms may be very bad. A combination of treatments may be necessary including dental and medical help, chiropractic treatment, physical therapy, biofeedback and sometimes psychological counseling.

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# Delmar Masonic Temple gets new look

By Susan Graves

The Delmar Masonic Temple Association building on Kenwood Avenue and Adams Street is getting high marks for its new look, according to the head of the lodge's building committee.

Gilbert E. Houk said many neighbors have complimented the work being done on the building, which dates back to the mid-nineteenth century. The Bethlehem Board of Education bought the property in 1850. He said the building was probably constructed several years after that.

Houk said the lodge opted to have the structure re-sided after bids for both painting and re-siding were considered. A new paint job, though cheaper, would have to be done again in several years, so the lodge officers decided to have the structure re-sided.

The Masons have been considering renovation work for some time, "but we really got serious when we got the bid estimates," said Robert W. Darrow, lodge secretary. The work was awarded to contractor Earl W. McMillen of Clarksville.

The Masons agreed that the choice of siding the building with vinyl would save money in the long run. "There were a lot of breaks in the shingles. The real smart way to go is to do as we're doing," Houk said. With the vinyl siding and insulation, the lodge expects to save in heating costs. The lodge is also replacing the oil heating system with a gas furnace he said.

The columns on the front of the



Gilbert E. Houk, building committee head, looks at the new siding on the Delmar Masonic Temple.

Elaine McLain

building will be sided with teal blue aluminum and the sign replaced with the lodge's new name, Onesquethau Lodge 1096. The lodge was formerly known as the Bethlehem Lodge. The Ones-

quethau and Russell lodges merged in 1990 when the name was changed.

The building was purchased by the Masons in 1928. In 1957, it was

sided with asbestos shingles and the exterior woodwork was painted. Included in the current renovation is the covering of the building's eaves, which are made of galvanized steel. "They did a fantastic job boxing them in," Houk said. Some of the windows have also been blocked off with the siding.

With the new siding, the cost of fuel to heat the structure, which has about 6,500 square feet and stands about 35 feet high, should go down. Darrow estimates there will be a 20 percent reduction in fuel consumption as a result of the renovations.

"It takes drops to make the ocean," Darrow said, about the potential savings.

Both Darrow and Houk said "any little donation would be gratefully received" by the lodge.

## Art gallery hosts reception, exhibits

The Bridge Gallery, located on Route 66 in Malden Bridge, which is comprised of five separate galleries has scheduled five different offerings in August.

The Bridge Gallery, one of five separate galleries at the location, will hold its fifth annual invitational exhibition and a juried show by the Malden Bridge Art League on Saturday, Aug. 3 with a reception from 3 to 5 p.m., to which the public is invited. The exhibition will run through Sept. 1.

The Malden Bridge Art League will have a juried exhibition in the second gallery. The third gallery, the Downstairs Attic, will have works at reduced prices for the new collector. The fourth gallery will have reproductions or works by outstanding professional artists. The fifth gallery will be showing works by nationally known portraitist Betty Warren.

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## BC wins \$10,000 grant

The Esther A. and Joseph Klingenstein Fund of New York City has awarded a \$10,000 design grant to the Bethlehem Central School District. The money will be used to support the design phase of a laboratory high school concept to be in place by September 1992. The grant is contingent upon the district raising an additional \$5,500 from other sources.

James Nehring, social studies teacher, is leading the lab school project. The goal is to establish a laboratory setting within the district to serve as a breeding ground for new ideas.

Nehring said the lab school setting is an effort to reverse many of the assumptions upon which the traditional high school concept is based. The lab school will consist of about 80 students and five or six teachers who will work together for four years.

Instead of an elective program in an eight-period day, the lab school will concentrate on fewer subjects in greater depth with an emphasis on interdisciplinary learning, independent projects, internships and community service.

In the lab school proposal, the experimental program would be open to all students and would rely on a self-selection process for

admission.

The lab school will operate within current per pupil expenditures and attempt to improve education through the reallocation of existing resources.

Nehring hopes to have a formal plan to present to the faculty and the board of education for approval by December. The plan is contingent on raising \$5,500 by September.

Nehring is currently seeking support from local and national organizations.

### Delmar scholar honored

Josephine A. Vitillo, a Delmar native and graduating Pharm.D. candidate at Albany College of Pharmacy, is one of this year's recipients of the Hoechst-Roussel "Excellence in Clinical Pharmacy" award. Vitillo was presented the award in recognition of her outstanding skills and excellence in clinical pharmacy.

Vitillo, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Vitillo of Delmar, is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

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NEW SCOTLAND

## Clerk will miss helping residents

By Debi Boucher

Citing personal reasons for her decision not to run for re-election, New Scotland Town Clerk Edita Probst acknowledged she will miss certain aspects of the job, particularly contact with the public.

"Oh, I've had my moments," said Probst, who was elected on the Republican ticket four years ago. "But I think in general we've got a good bunch of people living in this town." The town clerk is "the most visible" fixture in town government, she said, and thus often the first one people turn to for help, advice, or with complaints about anything town-related. Although many of the complaints she fields have nothing to do with her department, Probst said it's part of her job to smooth the feathers of disgruntled residents. "You try to calm them down — you've got to be a diplomat," she said.

Among the more pleasant duties she performs are issuing marriage licenses, she said; as an added bonus, Probst can perform marriages, since she is also the town's marriage officer. That appointment was made two years ago after the state legislature passed a law enabling municipalities to authorize such positions. Probst said she has performed about a dozen marriages since taking that office.

As "the hub of town government," the clerk's office is often buzzing with applicants for hunting, dog and other licenses, and permits for games of chance, like Bingo. "Sometimes the phone rings off the hook and it's like a zoo in here," she said, "and other times it's quiet."



Edita Probst

Regardless of what weekdays are like, the clerk's position "is not a 9 to 4 job," Probst said. She frequently gets calls at home on weekends, she said, from residents who can't get to town hall during business hours. Making the extra effort to be there for residents is "just good [public relations] between the town clerk's office and the public," she said. "If you can help somebody out — you just compromise and do the best you can."

The job, which also involves making up monthly abstracts of bills for presentation to the town board, is "not so much hard as time-consuming," Probst said. The clerk has responsibility for complying with a myriad of state and county regulations, and keeping up with the changes constantly being made in them is a daily challenge. In her first year, she said, she put in "long and hard hours" learning the details of running the office's day-to-day operations.

Although a town clerk cannot influence town policy, "You have to

be on top of issues," she said.

Probst, who has publicly clashed with Democratic Supervisor Herbert Reilly more than once in recent months, has said politics have nothing to do with the recurrent conflict between the two. "I don't care what party you run on, the people have to realize they have to start electing competent people or else we're going to go down the drain," she said. "If politics were kept out of running this town, we'd be all set."

Officials and politics are both to blame for many of the town's problems, she said. "But in a way you have to blame the residents ... the residents have to start taking an interest — it's their taxpayer dollars we're talking about, nobody else's." Outspoken in her criticism of the town's fiscal state, Probst said, "The budget we have is not worth the paper it's printed on."

Although being part of town government is often "frustrating," "In a way I'm sorry not to be running again. The town has been good to my family, I've raised my children in this town ... it has been very rewarding for me." She and her husband Ellsworth, a private investigator who worked for the State Police for 24 years, have three children.

"I'm thrilled that Corrine is running again," she said, referring to Corrine Cossac, who was town clerk from 1975 to 1987. Cossac will face Democratic candidate Patricia Thorpe in the November elections.



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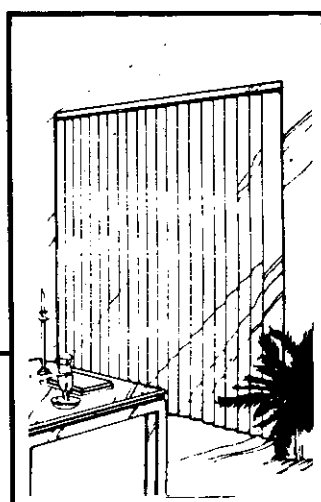
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# RCS looks at problem, finds others

By Regina Bulman

Looking into the cause of a leaky roof at Ravena Elementary School has opened the flood gates to a long list of needed and mandated repairs.

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Board of Education is currently reviewing a report outlining a number of repair options which will likely result in district officials and taxpayers facing a bond issue to meet the estimated \$2 to 3 million price tag.

Barry Jones, board member and a member of the district's buildings and grounds committee, said trouble began last year when the leaky roof caused a portion of the suspended ceiling to fall. When the district received a new roof estimate of nearly \$400,000, Jones said the board began to look into other areas of the building that needed work.

District officials say the building is structurally sound and no pupils are in danger, but a plan to repair the roof and other projects must be decided on soon to avoid major problems.

According to Jones, if the district applies to the state Education Department for building aid to offset the cost of the new roof, the department mandates that other portions of the building must be brought up to code, such as correcting the too-steep handicapped access ramp in the gym, closing off duct work not in use and replacing certain two-by-fours in the walls.

He added that if repairs exceed 50 percent of the building's worth, other mandates from the state must be met such as upgrading plumbing, upgrading the ventilation system and making exit stairways and landings comply with updated building codes.

"The building, when it was constructed, was state-of-the-art

and complied to all building codes," said Jones. "But the building has aged, and codes have significantly changed. If no repairs had to be done, the school would be grandfathered and would not have to comply with new regulations. But since we are beginning some repair work, it opens up a can of worms," he said.

Depending on whether the work is done all at once or piecemeal,

***'But since we are beginning some repair work, it opens up a can of worms.'***

Barry Jones

estimates range from \$100 to \$140 per square foot. Jones said it is also estimated that constructing a new addition or a completely new building is estimated at \$100 per square foot.

State aid reimbursement also factors into the complicated equation. If a new building is constructed and classrooms are built at the required 770 square-foot minimum, the state could reimburse up to 70 percent of the district's costs. But if the district rehabilitates the existing school, approximately 55 percent of the costs could be reimbursed because current classrooms are smaller than what is now mandated.

"It's a very complex situation, but the board will only move ahead when parent and taxpayer groups have had their input on what should be done," said Jones. "I am building manager for the state Dormitory Authority, working with building codes all the time, and I don't even know what to do. This is really going to have to take some thought and planning by parents, taxpayers and the board."

Jones said since a \$9 million bond issue for building projects at Ravena, A.W. Becker and Pieter B.

Coeymans schools was defeated by taxpayers three years ago, district officials will have to be sure to include only the "bare necessities" should a bond issue be floated to cover the needed repairs.

In other business, the board will reconsider a new educational program approved weeks ago to ensure that all is in line before school begins in the fall.

The board decided to reopen

discussion on establishing multi-level classrooms for grades 2 through 4 at Pieter B. Coeymans Elementary School when new board member Russell Sykes expressed concern over the new program.

Sykes circulated a letter to board members outlining his dismay over a "seeming lack of thorough planning and research" over the policy shift.

The board gave the go-ahead on the multi-age classroom proposal at its June 17 meeting after a group of teachers from the school explained the program. The multi-age classrooms would combine students from second and third grade together or fourth and fifth-grade students.

Sykes feels the decision to approve such an innovative program was made too hastily and the program is not developed enough to be ready by fall.

Several board members also expressed misgivings at the recent meeting and decided to ask teachers from the school to attend the board's Aug. 5 meeting to explain the program again and answer the board's questions.

# Police seek man in station robbery

A white male, in his late 20s or early 30s, robbed a Glenmont gas station of \$443 Sunday night, according to Bethlehem police.

The suspect entered the Upstate Petrol gas station on Route 9W, Glenmont, displayed a semi-automatic pistol and demanded money, according to a police report.

The robbery occurred at approximately 11:51 p.m., according to Bethlehem Police Sgt. Joseph Sleurs. The suspect was described as clean-shaven, wearing a black and white checked baseball cap and a dark long-sleeved shirt, he said. He was also described as being about 5 feet, 9 inches tall with a medium build and carried a gray plastic bag during the holdup.

A second suspect waited in the get-away car outside the station,

which is open 24 hours a day. Sleurs said there was no description of the second suspect.

According to the station manager, who did not wish to be named, Petrol was also robbed about four or five years ago. In that robbery, some money was taken, although "not that much." "Money is constantly dropped in the safe."

No one was injured during Sunday night's robbery, including the clerk on duty, a 34-year-old male, according to Sleurs.

The suspects, heading northbound on Route 9W toward Albany, fled in a light blue, late 1960s or early 1970s mid-sized four-door Chevrolet or Ford, according to a police report.

Susan Wheeler

# Local students selected to perform at SPAC

Four Delmar high school musicians were recently selected to participate in the New York State School of Orchestral Studies in Saratoga Springs.

The students are among 100 orchestra members who were selected in the spring from a large number of students who auditioned at 10 sites across New York.

The students include: Lisa Ballou, violin; Rebecca Rice, viola;


Suzanne Rice, french horn; and Shannon Woodley, trumpet.

The students will stay at Skidmore College for four weeks and study with musicians from the Philadelphia Orchestra.

Two free concerts will be presented at SPAC by the students, one on Saturday, Aug. 10, at 2 p.m. and the other on Saturday, Aug. 24, at 2 p.m. The orchestra will also perform at the Empire State Plaza at noon on Tuesday, Aug. 13.

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Pulice said CLAWS is working on a local solution to the solid waste crisis and offered the group's assistance to the town. "We believe in local determination and local accountability" for any town landfill, he said.

Supervisor Ken Ringler agreed with the group in opposing the sites in Bethlehem and Coeymans. Any future decisions on finding a solution to the solid waste dilemma will be "based on what's right for the citizens of Bethlehem," he said. "If we keep looking for a solution, I'm sure we will find it."

In other board news:

• After months of negotiations, the board approved a contract for 14 Bethlehem police dispatchers, Local 3443 of Council 66, the American Federation of Municipal and County Employees.

The three-year contract calls for the same five percent increase all other general town employees

received for 1991, according to Ringler. The second year of the contract includes no cost of living increase. However, if current fiscal conditions allow a salary increase to general town employees, the dispatchers will also receive an increase, he said.

The employees will step up one grade level. The third year of the contract includes no salary increase, although there is a wage re-opener clause in the contract if fiscal times allow for such negotiations.

In addition, the union received agency shop privileges.

The contract was approved 3-1, with one abstention.

According to Ringler, the town and union had been in negotiations since last fall. "I want to thank the telecommunications and Martin Barr and Fred Webster (the town's negotiators) for conducting negotiations at a very difficult time and at a very professional level," he said.

• Bethlehem Comptroller Philip Maher presented the Capital Improvements Committee report to the board. The committee, appointed by Ringler in May 1990,

was given the task of defining, identifying, prioritizing and funding capital projects. The committee was asked to make recommendations to the town board on projects currently being considered and to create a system that will carry into the future.

A capital project is defined as any major improvement having a useful life of greater than 10 years and/or a total estimated cost of greater than \$50,000, according to Maher, a committee member.

The committee recommended the town establish capital reserve funds and repair reserve funds for general, water and sewer funds, and establish a capital reserve fund for the Highway Department. Maher said this would set aside funds for future capital projects as a capital reserve, avoiding bonding small projects. The reserves would reduce the need to borrow and enhance the town's credit rating, he said.

The reserves would be funded annually through current year appropriations and surpluses, depending on economic conditions, he said. In addition, a capital budget would be included as part of the 1992 budget recommendations.

Although the current year's revenues are low, the committee reviewed proposed projects and made several project recommendations. Maher said the recommendations include financing by serial bonds or bond anticipation notes the sewer treatment plant improvement, bonding the reconstruction of the Elm Avenue Park tennis courts, bonding improvements to the fire training tower, making repairs to the Delmar-Elsmere Sewer District sanitary sewer mains through the capital project account and, depending on rates, turning all current bond anticipation notes into serial bonds.

Ringler said the report provides a "plan and framework in which to work, but one which is not set in stone."

## NEW SCOTLAND

# Stewart's wins variance

By Debi Boucher

Stewart's Shops cleared another hurdle in the approval process for its proposed Route 443 store with a variance granted by the New Scotland Board of Appeals last week.

The variance allows the store, planned for the intersection of Route 85, to be situated 30 feet from the southern property line instead of the 50-foot setback required in the new Commercial Hamlet zone approved for the area only months ago.

Stewart's Shops initially made its proposal for the site last fall, and the planning board and town board subsequently acted favorably on the firm's request for rezoning, in light of the recently-completed master plan's recommendations for the area.

The firm has yet to win approval from the planning board for a special permit needed for the store's gasoline operation. A hearing on final approval and State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) is set for Aug. 13.

Construction Manager Brandon Meyers said the variance was needed because the site's topography made placing the building problematic. Attaining the 50-foot setback, he said, would mean disturbing the steep grade to the rear of the building to a greater than desirable degree. The slope will be "minimally disturbed," regraded and seeded to prevent erosion, he said.

Plans call for a 32-by-72-foot building, which Meyers said is standard for Stewart's Shops, a gasoline island with a canopy and parking. There will be one curb cut on Route 443 for both entrance and exits, as requested by the state Department of Transportation. The drive will be directly opposite Route 85.

Graham Franks, real estate manager for Stewart's, said Mon-

day the firm is aiming for a September starting date for construction, if all goes well with the needed approvals. In addition to the special permit and SEQR, the store still needs final approval for its sanitary system from the state Department of Environmental Conservation and the Albany County Health Department, Franks said.

A line of Scotch pines will be planted as a buffer along the southern property line, Meyers said. Jim Van Kuren, the abutter on the south side, said in his view, the additional trees aren't necessary.

Robert Markel also had the benefit of support from neighbors at his variance hearing, which was held following the Stewart's hearing July 23.

Markel's 33,000 square foot lot on Rarick Road falls far short of the area's current three-acre (approximately 125,000 square feet) zoning, but new zoning proposed under the master plan would call for lots of at least one acre, or 44,000 square feet. Board members acknowledged that many of the existing houses on the road are non-conforming.

Attorney Michael Biscione said Markel's lot, given to him by his father, Clarence Markel, would have been non-conforming as well if the subdivision planned two decades ago had been properly filed with the county clerk's office. But neither Biscione nor ZBA Attorney John Bailey have been able to find the maps on file, he said.

ZBA Chairman James Sander-son expressed concern for the degree of the variance requested, but after hearing statements from neighbors in support of Markel's request, he voted for member George Miller's motion to approve the variance. The vote was 3-0, with member Ronnie Von Ronne excusing himself from the proceedings due to a possible conflict of interest.

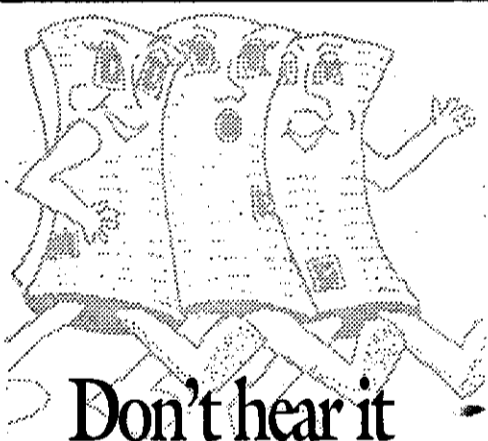
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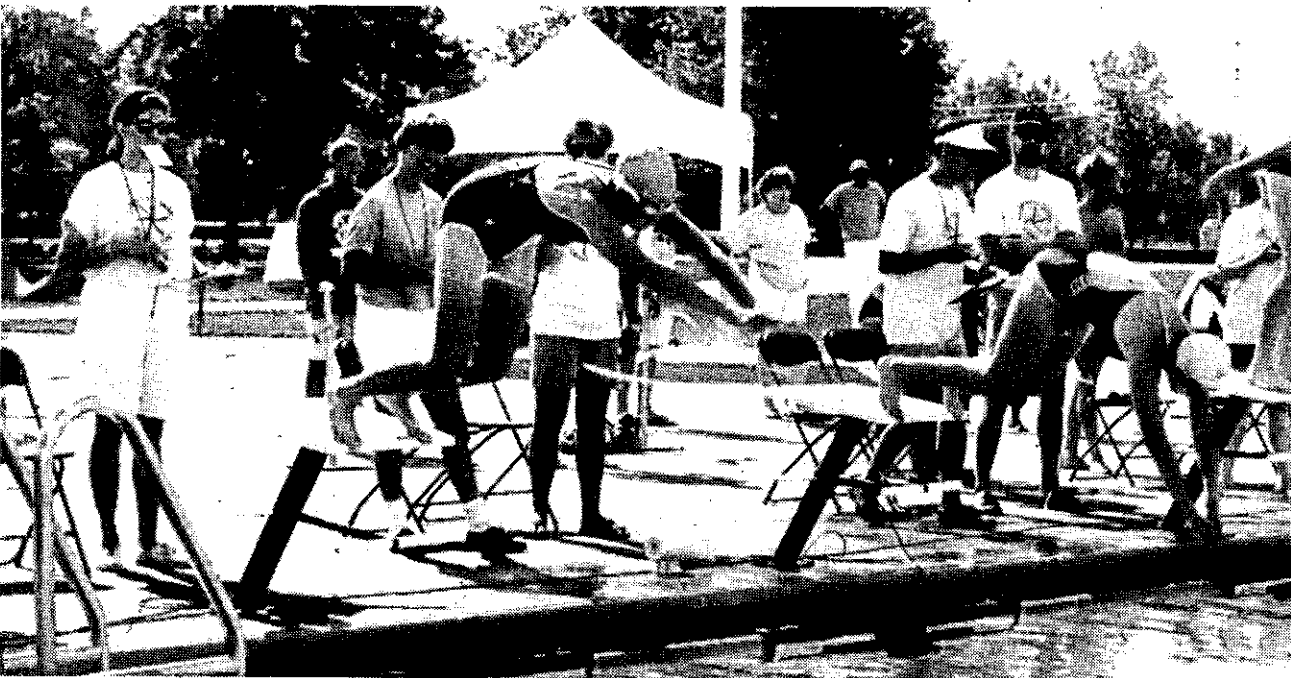
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# Let the games begin

Photos by Elaine McLain

The Empire State Games Masters Swimming was held at Elm Avenue Park, Delmar, July 26 through 28. Dan McMahon and Kathy Meany directed the meet. Many local athletes participated in the games. Clockwise from left: Mary Lou Schulz of Elsmere, swimming the 100-meter butterfly, sets a new record; Darwin Roosa and Ann Ellery clock the swimmers; Nancy Scholes of Delmar shows her newly-won medals; John Briggs checks his time; Leah and Joshua Gilham relax during the games; Bethlehem athletes who participated in the Empire State Games include, left to right, front row, Linda Simkin, Schulz, Joanne White, Eileen Daugherty and Anne Chambers; back row, Ken Lyons, Briggs and Scholes; Schulz, center, is congratulated by her son, Ken, and husband, Don; Meany and Janet Sherman dive into the 200-meter freestyle.



## Voters get 2nd chance on school sports plan

By Robert Webster Jr.

The Voorheesville Central School District will hold a second vote on the interscholastic sports proposition on Wednesday, Aug. 7, from 2 to 9:30 p.m. in the high school foyer.

A petition with 423 signatures was presented to the board of education last Wednesday, requesting that a second separate vote be held on the interscholastic sports proposition.

The proposition, which was originally defeated 637 to 561, represents a cost of \$69,040 with a tax rate increase of 1.18 percent.

Acceptance of the proposition would allow the district to continue participation in interscholastic athletics, as well as league, sectional and state competitions, including appropriations for fees, equipment, supplies, materials, officials and transportation.

The board will also meet on Monday, Aug. 5, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria to discuss further measures to prepare a

budget for the 1991-92 school year. With two budget defeats under its belt, the board of education will consider several options including putting the budget up for a third vote or adopting a contingency budget.

If a contingency budget is adopted, the transportation proposition, which was approved at a cost of \$74,800 with a 1.27 percent tax impact, would be added to it.

The proposition allows the district to transport pupils in kindergarten through grade 8 who live less than two miles from the school, and students in grades 9 through 12 who live less than three miles from the school. Students outside of those limits are required by the state to receive transportation. The proposition also allows for the appropriation of funds for field trips at a level that is 40 percent of that provided during the 1990-1991 school year.

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## Institute planning holiday tree festival

The Albany Institute of History and Art is currently seeking tree sponsors for the 9th annual Festival of Trees, which will run from Nov. 29 through Dec. 8.

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The festival will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

For information, call 463-4478.

## Voorheesville Public Library



By Christine Shields

The Young Quilters will once again be meeting to whip up a project under the direction of volunteer Linda O'Connor. Children in grades 1 and up with an interest in this uniquely American craft are invited to join the session on Thursday, Aug. 1, at 2 p.m. in the Voorheesville Public Library's community room.

Summer Reading Club continues with Doug and Gary in concert for club members on Monday, Aug. 5, at 3 p.m. Come to meet the Happy Pirates and hear them sing

about the Mega-Pega-Lega dinosaurs. Open to children in kindergarten through grade 3.

The Disney Family Film-Fest will present "Big Red" on Thursday, Aug. 8, at 2 p.m. "Big Red" is the story of a young boy who takes a job caring for a rich man's Irish setter. The movie runs 84 minutes.

Oils by Pat George of Voorheesville will be on view at the library throughout August. The paintings can be seen Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

## Agency offers driving courses

E&E Defensive Driving Associates, a public training agency of the national Safety Council, recently announced its schedule of defensive driving courses for August. Completion of the course entitles students to a four-point subtraction from the total on their driving record and a 10 percent reduction on their automobile collision and liability insurance premiums for three years.

Each course consists of six hours of classroom instruction. Sessions are set for Saturday, Aug. 10, from 8:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. at the Calvary United Methodist Church, Belle Avenue, Latham; on Saturday, Aug. 24 from 8:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. at the Midway Fire Department, 1956 Central Ave., Colonie; and on Saturday, Aug. 24 at the William K. Sanford Town Library, Albany-Shaker Road, Colonie, from 9:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

The course is also available in two three-hour sessions on Aug. 20 and Aug. 27 from 6:15 p.m. to 9:45 p.m. at the Delmar Reformed Church, Delaware Avenue, Delmar.

For information, call 459-9048.

## Arboretum hosts mushroom talk

The allure of foraging for fungi, or the elusive wild mushroom, will be the topic of discussion at the Landis Arboretum in Esperance on Saturday, Aug. 10, when Dr. Alena Polensky will speak at 10 a.m. on hunting for mushrooms.

Cost is \$2 for members, \$3 for nonmembers.

## Group sponsors movie preview

The Capital Region Association for Eating Disorders is presenting a benefit screening of Henry Jaglom's new film, "Eating," on Friday, Aug. 2 at the Spectrum Theater, 290 Delaware Ave. Albany.

Tickets for the preview are \$12 per person, and must be reserved by calling 465-9550.

## Funds available

One hundred thousand dollars in rehabilitation is available for a New York resident who has suffered a severe brain injury and cannot afford rehabilitation. The free care is being offered as part of a nationwide scholarship program sponsored by the New Medico Head Injury System.

The scholarship recipient will take part in a rehabilitation program at the New Medico Community Re-Entry Services of Cortland which specializes in the care and treatment of brain injured individuals.

Candidates must submit a application by Aug. 15. For a application, call the New Medico Head Injury System at 1-800-74-6847.

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## On the ball



Rich Van Wormer, left, president of Bethlehem Babe Ruth Baseball League, poses with Delmar resident Eric Eisenstein, center, and Babe Ruth board member Tom Kinney. Eisenstein won a football signed by the 1990 Super Bowl champions, the New York Giants, in a recent Babe Ruth fund-raiser.

Susan Wheeler

## Academy hosts tennis tournament

The 1st Annual Mixed Doubles Tennis Tournament to benefit Spencertown Academy will be held on Aug. 10. The entry fee will be \$15 per person and will include tennis balls, coffee and Danish at 8:30 a.m. and lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Participants should bring their own court-side coolers.

The tournament will take place at various private tennis courts in Spencertown; locations and match assignments will be given out at the academy at 8:30 a.m. There will be both A and B divisions, and all 4 Volvo ratings or better must go in the A Division. Players may enter as a team or as a single and have a partner drawn for them. The actual format will be determined by the number of entries.

Entry forms are available at the Spencertown Country Store and at Charron's in Chatham. Spencertown Academy is a nonprofit community arts center located on Route 203 in Spencertown between off the Taconic Parkway. Entry forms must be accompanied by a check and must be received by Aug. 5 at the Academy, PO Box 80, Spencertown, N.Y. 12165.

For information, call 828-3737.

### Support group to meet

The Capital District Parkinson Support Group will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Aug. 8, in the cafeteria at the Center for the Disabled, 314 South Manning Blvd.

For information, call 439-5872.

## Plan

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the town, saying public input to the master plan had never indicated a desire for such large-lot zoning.

Stressing the importance of the zoning maps designed to indicate what areas can support development and which can't, Reilly pointed out that one of the four lots Moreau had recently sold had been found to lack water — a common problem in New Scotland.

Rick Dryden, who is president of the Onesquethaw Preservation and Conservation Association, took issue with arguments by Moreau and others who said development is not imminent. "We can't say that we don't have development pressure," he said. "There are houses going up every day."

"Turning the whole thing off and not doing a master plan until we need one is kind of like closing the barn door after the horse has got out," said Terry Rader.

Ray Shufelt, one of those who argued that the town does not face a development threat, said instead of spending money on zoning, the town should use its funds to develop a public water system. But Town Attorney Frederick Riester said public funds cannot be used to develop a water district. "The only way to create a water district is to have people who live in the district pay for it," he said.

Riester also pointed out that "The day you bring in public water is the day you have development pressure."

Reilly responded favorably to Dryden's suggestion that the town and planning boards set up some informational public workshops on the topics of land use planning and zoning. "A lot of the apparent differences of opinion I hear could be resolved if everyone understood what zoning is about," Dryden said. He suggested seeking experts in the planning field who are willing to speak for free or at little cost.

Councilman Craig Shufelt said he felt most residents did not understand the master plan. In response to questions about the relationship between the documents, planning board member Ann Richards said, "The master plan is what the town's potential is in terms of resources. The zoning

map attempts to translate a combination of what the people want and what the land can support."

"The land use plan is a concept," said Sgarlata. "The zoning is real."

Building Inspector Paul Cantlin suggested the town board adopt certain parts of the zoning ordinance in the interim, while working toward completion. Acknowledging the differences of opinion among residents, he said, "I don't know what the answer is, but I don't think you've got to hurry like heck to get there."

Said Hampston, "There's not going to be 100 percent agreement on any plan — you're not going to get a consensus."

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## Ravena summer readers celebrate with picnic

Children who successfully complete the Ravena Library's summer reading program will be treated to a picnic at the village park pavilion on Saturday, Aug. 10. Games are planned and certificates and prizes for the most books read will be awarded. The program had a record 93 children participating.

### Seniors from six towns to have picnic

Senior Projects of Ravena will participate in a first-ever regional picnic to which seniors from six area towns have been invited to attend. The picnic is set for Tuesday, Aug. 20, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Tawasentha Park on Route 146 in Guiderland. Coeymans, Bethlehem, Guiderland, Clifton Park, Glenville and Colonie seniors will be treated to food, games, music and athletic competitions, and door prizes will also be awarded.

### News from Selkirk and South Bethlehem

Regina Bulman 475-1787



Participants must be at least 60 years of age and reside in one of the six towns. Admission is \$6. Tickets must be reserved by Friday, Aug. 9. For information, call the Ravena senior center at 756-8593.

### Grange plans for another year

Three members of the Bethlehem Grange and several other local grange officers recently attended a statewide grange conference in Cobleskill to plan and learn new programs for the coming year.

### Ski club plans reunion

The Sitzmarker's Ski Club is seeking members to attend a reunion on Sept. 28 at the Colonie Elks Club.

Any past members with information that would help to update the club's address file, or who are interested in joining the group for an evening of fun and fond memories, are urged to contact Kathryn Spinosa, P.O. Box 19, Voorheesville, N.Y. 12186

### Foster parent program offers information

An orientation session for adults interested in becoming foster or adoptive parents will be held Monday, Aug. 5, at 7 p.m. at the Parsons Child and Family Center, 60 Academy Road in Albany.

Adoptive parents are needed for children over the age of 10, and foster parents are needed to care for teenagers and other children.

For information, call 426-2600.

### Slingerlands PTA offers discount book

Slingerlands School PTA is offering the Entertainment '92 book, available for delivery in early September, for \$35. Ordering a book now entitles a purchaser to a preview directory which provides members with immediate discounts at nine restaurants not currently in the '91 edition.

For information, call 439-1857.

### RPI names graduates

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute has announced the names of students who were awarded undergraduate and graduate degrees in May. Graduates include Susan Mitchell Gertz of Delmar; Marybeth Anne Edmond, James J. Healy, Steven Michael Lynch Jr., and Michael Scicolone of Slingerlands; and Robert C. Doerr, Marian J. Mudar, and Christopher Douglas Vrooman of Voorheesville.

## Transfer station accepting glass

Residents of the Town of New Scotland can bring recyclable glass to the town transfer station on Flat Rock Road on any Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. All glass bottles should be rinsed before deposit at the transfer station. The station can be reached by taking New Salem South Road to Rock Hill Road; go to the end of Rock Hill Road to Upper Flat Rock Road; proceed left. Continue on this road approximately 400 yards.

### Quilting group to meet for instruction

The Young Quilters will meet on Thursday, Aug. 1, at 2 p.m., with Linda O'Connor giving instruction in quilting.

### Reading club hosts storytellers

The Summer Reading Club for kindergarten through third grade will meet at Voorheesville Public Library on Monday, Aug. 5, from 3 to 4 p.m. Come listen to the tales of happy pirates when Doug and Gary perform in concert. Their "Mega-Pegga-Legga" dinosaurs song will be sure to put a smile on your face.

### Delmar man named Stuyvesant CEO

Edward R. McEwan of Delmar recently joined the Swyer Companies as executive vice president and chief operating officer of Stuyvesant Plaza, Inc.

The Swyer Companies are comprised of construction, real estate development, and property management companies in the greater Capital District.

McEwan will be responsible for real estate and general operations of Stuyvesant Plaza. Prior to joining the Swyer Companies, he was employed by Norstar Bank, serving most recently as assistant to

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Susan Casler 765-2144



### Library trustees to meet

The Voorheesville Public Library Board of Trustees will hold a general meeting at the library on Monday, Aug. 5, at 7:30 p.m.

### Reading club members get cooking lesson

Summer Reading Club members in grades 4 to 6 will have a chance to learn Chinese cooking and taste the recipes they try in a class taught by James Huang today (Wednesday, July 31) from 2 to 4 p.m. at the library.

### New convenience mart open on Maple Avenue

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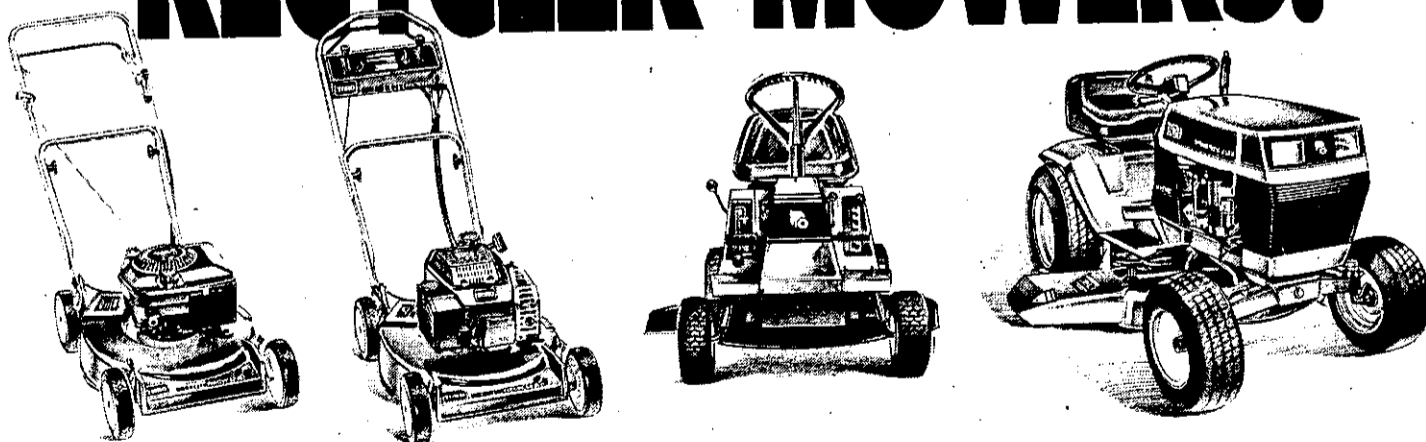
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## □ Park

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for the improvement of town-owned parks or recreational facilities, or for the acquisition of park land, according to Town Planner Jeff Lipnicky.

According to the report, the proposal would provide a means of ensuring that new residential developments share proportionately in providing for future recreational needs. It also would provide guidelines by which the town can determine the suitability of land to be dedicated for recreational purposes as a result of new residential developments. In addition, the policy would allow the collection of a fee where suitable land area in new residential developments is not available.

Lipnicky recently presented the park land/fees policy report to the board. The proposed schedules for land set-asides and fees are based upon the density of development and land values for both subdivisions and building projects.

Under Section 277 of New York State Town Law, the planning board is given the authority to enact a set-aside park land or a fee-in-lieu of park land policy, which would be reviewed and updated at least every five years.

Section 277 does not state the amount of land to be set aside, but states it must be "reasonable," according to the report. The set-aside parcel, which should relate to the need generated by the subdivision, would be based on a density formula. The formula indicates that the lower the density of the land, the smaller the set-aside would be.

According to the plan, land with less than .33 lots per acre would be required to set aside 1 percent of its land, while land with .34 to one lot per acre would need to set aside 2.5 percent, Lipnicky said. Parcels of land with 1.1 to 2 lots per acre would need set aside 5 percent of the land, while lots with 2.1 to 2.9 lots per acre should set 7.5 percent of the parcel.

The maximum percentage of land to be set aside, 10 percent, is

for three or more lots per acre, he said. The proposed land set-aside for apartments, condominiums and multi-family developments, which most likely would be three or more lots per acre in density, is 10 percent.

Any fee, to be imposed if suitable land in the new development is not available, would be determined by the town board. According to the report, the fee would be "roughly equal to the value of the land that would otherwise be donated."

Land values in Bethlehem vary according to the size of the parcels sold, with smaller lots costing more per square foot than larger lots. Land with less than .33 lots per acre would have a \$280 fee per lot, while land with .34 lots to 1 lot per acre would have a \$600 fee per lot. Parcels of land with 1.1 to 2 lots per acre would carry a \$850 fee per lot, while land with 2 to 2.9 lots per acre would carry a \$1,450 fee per lot. Three or more lots per acre has a \$2,500 fee per lot.

The proposed fee per unit for all apartments, condominiums and two-plus family houses is \$1,150 for one bedroom units, \$1,600 for two bedroom units and \$2,385 for three bedroom units, Lipnicky said.

He said certain criteria would govern what land is acceptable as park land. These requirements might include the size and shape of the land and whether it can practically contain a park or other recreation area, the usability of the land in terms of any features that could limit its use or make it more suitable for passive recreational use, and the land's location. Access to the land would be important, as well as the character of the proposed development and the

surrounding area.

If both a town and parks and recreation master plan are in effect, it was pointed out, the land might need to conform to any existing plans.

Governing criteria for building project approvals are the same as those for subdivisions. Lipnicky said on-site recreational facilities are favored because they would ease the demand on town-owned facilities. In addition, since small parcels of land throughout the town are difficult to maintain, private on-site facilities would be encouraged.

It is proposed that credit of up to 50 percent of the required fee would be allowed for the construction of facilities such as a swimming pool or tennis courts. "We don't want a (municipal) park in every neighborhood because they would be difficult to maintain," Lipnicky said.

In addition, he suggested that prior to the planning board's decision on the suitability of proposed set-aside land, the board submit any proposal by a developer or subdivisor for the dedication of park land to the director of parks and recreation for recommendation.

According to a Aug. 17, 1990, memo by planning board Chairman Martin Barr, the majority of the board is against imposing the payment of a fee in lieu of setting aside park land.

The memo states that the payment in lieu of land set-aside is "less a planning issue and more a question of how the town should finance parks and recreation." In addition, the memo states that the majority of the board believes that "if more parks are needed, the

burden should not fall on new residents but rather should be the responsibility of all the taxpayers in the town."

Barr disagrees with the majority of the board, according to the memo. It states that he believes it is "not inappropriate to finance new park land, in part, through the imposition of payments or fees on new subdivisions."

Ringler said that this legislation, allowed by the state, is "very, very important." It provides the mechanism to continue to implement facilities, he said. "I think the new facilities that are required by new growth should be paid for by new growth."

The dedication of the park land to the town, or the payment of the fee, should take place before the final subdivision map is filed with the planning board, or before a building permit is granted for a site plan, according to the report. Dedication of park land or fee payment for Planned Residential Districts should be made before the final subdivision map is filed with the town board.

The proposed local law also would include information on types of credit available for developers of affordable housing projects, Lipnicky said.

### Dems hold fund-raiser

The New Scotland Democratic Committee is holding a summer fun fund-raising event on Tuesday, Aug. 13, from 6 to 8 p.m. at John and Virginia Egan's home on Krumkill Road in North Bethlehem.

Cost is \$10 per person.

## □ Star

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did not affect her family life. "My brother (David) is probably the most proud of me of any person in the whole world," she said. Kaplan is the daughter of Allen and Helen Kaplan and also has a sister, Nancy.

In addition to her involvement with the Empire State Games this summer, Kaplan said she trains for about six to eight hours a day. She runs, swims, bikes and works out at Nautilus, in addition to playing "pick up games, mostly with the guys." Although she said competition is not related to male or female athletes, she admits that "nobody likes to be embarrassed by a girl."

She has some sound advice for up-and-coming athletes: "Work hard and keep things in perspective. There will always be people who will put you down. Ignore them!"

After college, she said might try to play for a women's team overseas where women's leagues are more prevalent. "I love basketball. I hope that doesn't change."

### Retirement center hosts ice cream social

Beverwyck, a retirement community located at 264 Krumkill Road, North Bethlehem, will host an old-fashioned ice cream social on Tuesday, Aug. 6, from 1 to 4 p.m.

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## Senior Babe Ruth evens its record at 4-4 with recent win

Bethlehem's Senior Babe Ruth team evened its record at 4-4 by beating Schenectady/Belmont 15-5.

Bethlehem's offense was led by Dan Soronen's two-out three-run double during an eight-run onslaught in the seventh inning. One batter later, Mike Banks plated Soronen with a two-run homer to center field, ending the scoring and securing the victory. Scott Gilchrist and Chris Hansen both

contributed to the 12-hit attack by chipping in with five hits between them. Gilchrist had two doubles and a single driving in the game-winning run in the sixth. Hansen had two singles.

Bill Karins came on to relieve Mike Hallisey in the fifth after Schenectady took a brief 5-4 lead. The win was Karins' second straight relief appearance and victory in four days. Hallisey and Karins both struck out five batters.

## RCS sets school sports schedule

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School reminds athletes that in order to participate in school sports, they must have a physical exam. Physicals will be held at the junior high school Thursday, Aug. 15, Friday, Aug. 16, Monday, Aug. 19, Tuesday, Aug. 20, and Tuesday, Sept. 3. Times are as follows: 8 a.m. for seniors/modified, 9 a.m. for juniors/modified, 10 a.m. for sophomores/modified and 11 a.m. for freshmen/modified.

Physical forms are available in the high school and junior high school offices and at the pool in Mosher Park.

Practice times are as follows: varsity and junior varsity football, Monday, Aug. 19, 8 a.m.; varsity

and junior varsity girls soccer, Tues. Aug. 20, 9 a.m.; cross country, Tuesday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m.; golf (at Sycamore Country Club), Tuesday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m.; junior varsity boys soccer, Thursday, Aug. 22, 9 a.m.; girls tennis, Monday, Aug. 26, 10 a.m.; varsity and junior varsity cheerleading, Monday, Aug. 19, 9 a.m.; modified football, Tuesday, Sept. 3, 9 a.m.; modified boys soccer, Tuesday, Sept. 3, 9 a.m. at the junior high school; and modified girls soccer, Tuesday, Sept. 3, 9 a.m. at the junior high school.

Athletes are to report for practice at the senior high school, unless otherwise noted. Practice will be held rain or shine except for tennis.

## Red Cross honors volunteer for service in Delmar

The Albany Area Chapter of the American Red Cross has selected Donald W. Geurtze of Delmar as the June Volunteer of the Month.

Geurtze is employed as the fleet manager of Great Upstate New York Blood Services and has been a Water Safety volunteer since June 1968 for the Albany Area Chapter. As both an instructor and instructor trainer of water safety and life-guarding, Geurtze has volunteered

over 4,500 hours and issued 1,170 certificates. He has accepted many leadership roles, including coordinator of Bethlehem Learn-to-Swim, dean of National Aquatic School and assistant instructor of Bethlehem Lifeguard courses.

He has also participated in many of the chapter's fund-raising events, such as the annual wine and cheese and the annual garage sale gala.

## Softball standings

Church softball league standings as of July 25 are as follows:

• Wynantskill	11-2	Onesquethaw	8-6
• Presbyterian	11-3	Westerlo	7-7
• St. Thomas II	11-3	Delmar Reformed	3-10
• St. Thomas I	9-3	Methodist	4-9
• Clarksville	10-4	Voorheesville	3-10
• Bethany I	9-5	St. Andrews	2-12
• Bethany II	9-5	Bethlehem com.	1-12
• Glenmont com.	9-5	Bethlehem Lutheran	1-12

## Tri-Village's 10-year-olds gain tourney experience

The Tri-Village Little League's 10-year-old All-Star team saw action in the District 13 All-Star Tournament held at Westland Hills on July 14 and 17.

In the first game, Tri-Village defeated Westland Hills Little League 7-3. Pitcher Matt Elfeldt recorded the win with strong relief provided by Greg DeMarco. Tri-Village lost a close game to Colonie Little League in the single-elimination tournament by a 6-4

score despite the three-hit pitching efforts of Elfeldt, DeMarco and Rick Rabideau.

Tri-Village All-Star team members are Jared Alston, Matt Bratrud, Greg DeMarco, Matt Elfeldt, Adam Fryer, Brian Hahn, Pat Hughes, Steve Kidera, Evan McQuide, Travis Ostroff, Rick Rabideau, and Chris Williams. The team was managed by Jim McQuide with coaches Mark Bratrud and Dave Kidera.

## Pop Warner practice season to start

Bethlehem Pop Warner will soon start its practice season at Hamagraal School's fields on McGuffey Lane in Delmar.

Practice will take place Mondays through Thursdays from 5:30 to 7:45 p.m. beginning Thursday, Aug. 1.

Boys and girls ages 8 through 14 can still register for the football

teams. Registration is \$50 for players, with an \$80 maximum registration fee per family. Cheerleading teams are full.

The practice schedule will change the week of Sept. 9 to three nights a week; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. It will run from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Call Theresa Deyoe for information at 768-2544.

## Annual triathlon set for Sept. 8

The 4th annual Hudson Historical Triathlon will be held at Lake Taghkanic State Park on Sunday, Sept. 8, with registration beginning at 7 a.m.

The race is sanctioned by TriFed, and will include a half-mile

swim, 26-mile bicycle marathon and 6-mile run.

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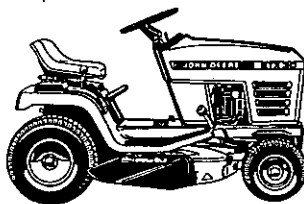
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## Dolphins swim club sponsors carwash

The Delmar Dolphins Swim Club will sponsor a carwash, for \$2 per car, Saturday, Aug. 3, between 9 a.m. and noon at Main Square, 318 Delaware Ave.

Proceeds from the carwash will help support the Dolphins' 1991 Dog Days Invitational Swim Meet, to be held the following weekend at the Elm Avenue Park Olympic-sized pool. The club hopes to attract as many as 300 swimmers to the meet, which last year drew participants from as far away as Long Island and eastern Massachusetts.

The meet will take place Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 10 and 11, with events starting each day at 8 a.m. The meet, co-sponsored by the Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department, will offer spectators an opportunity to see a U.S. swimming meet held in one of the area's only outdoor Olympic 50-meter pools, and to support local swimmers.

## Race to benefit local MS Society

The 9th Annual Race Against MS will take place tomorrow (Thursday, Aug. 1) at the Saratoga Race Track in Saratoga Springs.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the Capital District Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society, which supports a national research program to find a cure for MS.

The day will begin at 11 a.m. with a handicappers seminar and will be followed up with a buffet luncheon and an art auction.

Tickets for the race are \$65 each, and a table for 10 can be purchased for \$550. Tickets include admission to the track, the Paddock Tent and the clubhouse, and lunch.

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### Mr. and Mrs. Brian Edward Bestler *Malone, Bestler wed*

Mary Caroline Malone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred D. Malone of Elsmere, and Brian Edward Bestler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Bestler of Elsmere, were married June 15.

The bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, Junior College of Albany and the State University of New York at Cobleskill. She is employed by the Lawrence Group.

The groom is a graduate of Hudson Valley Community College and Bethlehem Central High School. He is employed as a network operator at Performance Systems International in Troy.

### MS support group sets meeting date

The Multiple Sclerosis Self Help Group of Albany County will meet at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 20, at the Bethlehem Public Library on Delaware Avenue, Delmar.

Multiple sclerosis is a chronic disease of the central nervous system which is often, but not always, progressive. It is a disease of young adults, striking those between the ages of 15 and 50.

The Albany County Self Help Group provides an opportunity for education, sharing and socialization for those with MS, their families and friends.

For information, call 452-1631.

### Appleby, Alexander to wed

Robert and Judy Appleby of Clarksville have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann Appleby, to Ronald Alexander, son of Glenn and Patricia Alexander of Baldwinsville.

Appleby is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and Cornell University. She is a stock manager at Lamb Farm in Oakfield.

Alexander is a graduate of State University of New York at Morrisville. He is employed as an auto technician for Northtown Dodge in Buffalo.

An August wedding is planned.

### Stokoe, Wade to wed

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Stokoe of Slingerlands have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lynda L. Stokoe, to William J. Wade Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Wade Sr. of Lewiston, Me.

Stokoe is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, Herkimer County Community College and C.W. Post College. She is an account executive with radio station WZOZ in Oneonta.

Wade is a graduate of Lewiston High School and attended the University of Southern Maine. He is general manager of West Nesbitt Feed Company in Oneonta.

An October wedding is planned. Gateway sponsors tour

The Hudson-Mohawk Industrial Gateway is sponsoring a tour of the Hinckle Brewery and other Albany breweries on Wednesday, Aug. 7, at 10 a.m.

Cost of the tour is \$10. For reservations, call 274-5267.

The Rev. James D. Daley performed the ceremony at St. Thomas the Apostle church in Delmar.

Theresa Anne Malone was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Tica Simpson, Jean Malone and Christine Malone.

The best man was Christopher Andriano. Ushers were Robert T. Bestler, Andrew T. Malone and Paul R. Malone.

James Foster was junior usher and Jill Foster was junior bridesmaid. Robert Bestler Jr. was ring bearer and Kelly Shea was flower girl.

After a wedding trip to Aruba, the couple lives in Delmar.



Mrs. David E. Haman

### Carnell, Haman wed

Theresa L. Carnell, daughter of Prentiss and Frieda Carnell, formerly of Delmar, and David E. Haman of Colonie, son of Eugene and Mary Haman of Monroe, Mich., were married June 15.

The Rev. Andrew Hammersley and the Rev. Barbara Humphrey conducted the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Salvatore Mistretta in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Albany.

Matron of honor was Sharon Taylor. Elisa Polsinello and Karen Link were bridesmaids.

Stephen Haman was best man.

Kent Carnell and Theodore Tate were groomsmen, Thomas Haman and David McNeil were ushers.

The bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and Rochester Institute of Technology. She is employed by AT&T in Albany.

The groom is a graduate of Monroe County Community College. He is employed by the Albany Association for Retarded Citizens, in Slingerlands.

After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple resides in Colonie.

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### Community Corner

#### Library hosts free children's concert

Bethlehem Public Library will host the last of this year's Wednesday Specials series of children's programs at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 7, with a free concert for youngsters.

The concert, which also marks the end of this year's Summer Reading Club, will feature recording artists Doug and Gary. They will perform songs from "Mega Pegga Legga Dinosaur" and "I'm a Happy Pirate." The appearance is sponsored by the Upper Hudson Library System.

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# Obituaries

## Elisabeth Hessberg

Elisabeth Gould Hessberg, 73, of New Scotland Road in Slingerlands, died Saturday, July 27, at her residence.

Mrs. Hessberg was born in Rochester and had lived in Albany County most of her life. She was a graduate of the Albany Academy for Girls and attended Connecticut College in New London, Conn.

She was a former nursery school teacher.

An active member of the Albany community for many years, Mrs. Hessberg was a founding member and past president of the Albany Medical Center Hospital Auxiliary, president of the Albany Academy for Girls Mothers' Association and past president of the Mothers' Association at the Albany Academy, where she served a term on its board of trustees.

She was a former member of the Red Cross Motor Corps and the Women's Council of the Albany Institute of History and Art. She was a member of the Albany Country Club and the Friends of Tanglewood. She also was a trustee and an honorary trustee of the Albany Academy for Girls.

Mrs. Hessberg also was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Albany.

Survivors include her husband, Albert Hessberg II; a daughter, Caroline E. Smedvig of Boston; two sons, Albert Hessberg III of Delmar and Philip G. Hessberg of Atlanta; and three grandchildren.

A memorial service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at the First Presbyterian Church on State and Willett streets. Burial was in Albany Rural Cemetery, Menands.

Contributions may be made to the Albany Academy for Girls for the purpose of establishing a scholarship in memory of Mrs. Hessberg.

Arrangements were by the Tebbutt Funeral Home in Albany.

## Beatrice Hanson

Beatrice Hanson, 75, of Elsmere, died Monday, July 22, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Miss Hanson was born in Al-

bany and had lived in Elsmere most of her life.

Before her retirement in 1974, she had worked as a clerk for the state Department of Criminal Justice Services in Albany for 13 years.

She was a member of Congregation Beth Abraham Jacob in Albany.

Survivors include a sister, Martha Hanken of Elsmere; and three brothers, Charles Hanson of Albany, Edward Hanson of Menands and Alfred Hanson of Elsmere.

A service and burial were in Beth Abraham Jacob Cemetery in Guilderland.

Contributions may be made to Abigail 3 United Order of True Sisters, P.O. Box 8410, Albany 12208.

## Dr. Francis Stephens

Dr. Francis A. Stephens, 80, of East Bayberry Road in Glenmont died Wednesday, July 24, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born in Albany, he graduated from Christian Brothers Academy in 1928, Union College in Schenectady in 1932 and Albany Medical College in 1935.

Dr. Stephens had a private practice in Albany for many years as an internist. From 1972 to 1981, he was the civilian medical officer at the Watervliet Arsenal. He then worked as a volunteer staff physician with St. Peter's Hospital South End Community Health Center before his retirement in 1990.

Dr. Stephens was currently serving as president of Colonial Golf Inc. at Colonial Acres. He was past president of Albany County Medical Society, past president of Third District Delegation of Medical Society of New York, past president of University Club in Albany and communicant of St. Mary's Church in Albany.

In 1974, Dr. Stephens was indoctrinated with the Brothers of the Christian Schools religious order.

Survivors include his wife, Alice E. Fisher Stephens; a daughter, Mary Alice McLaughlin of New Bedford, Mass.; a brother, James

N. Stephens of Colonie; and six grandchildren.

Services were from McVeigh Funeral Home, and St. Mary's Church in Albany.

Burial was in St. Agnes Cemetery in Menands.

Contributions may be made to Christian Brothers Academy Memorial Fund, 1 DeLaSalle Road, Albany 12208.

## Fred R. Feuss

Fred R. Feuss of Delmar, a former executive for W.R. Grace & Co., died Monday, July 22, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Mr. Feuss was born in New York City and resided in Manhasset, Nassau County, for many years before moving to the Capital District in 1990.

For more than 45 years, he worked for W.R. Grace & Co., serving as head of various accounting departments before becoming chief accountant in 1940. He was named assistant treasurer in 1942, assistant vice president in 1953, and was appointed controller in 1955, a position he held until his retirement in 1968.

He was a graduate of New York University, where he was a member of Delta Mu Delta, an honorary business fraternity.

Mr. Feuss was a member of the Financial Executives Institute and the Wall Street Club, both of Manhattan. He also was a member of the Sands Point Golf Club in Sands Point, Nassau County.

Mr. Feuss was husband of the late Dorothy Englehardt Feuss.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Fenton Feuss; a daughter, Beverly F. Heineman of Delmar; two sons, Donald F. Feuss of Liverpool, Onondaga County, and Roger H. Feuss of Port Washington, Nassau County; three stepdaughters; and five grandchildren.

Services were from the Philip J. Frederick Funeral Home.

Burial was in Pinelawn Memorial Park, Farmingdale, Nassau County.

Contributions may be made to the Visiting Nurse Association of Long Island, 225 Community Drive, Great Neck 11020.

# Board may rezone 135-acre parcel

By Susan Wheeler

The Bethlehem Town Board recently discussed another zone change proposal for undeveloped land located between McCormack Road and Hudson Avenue.

The "conditional zoning" for lands owned by Greenshade Consortium, Inc. calls for development of the 135-acre parcel under AA requirements. However, if it is not built as proposed, the entire parcel will fall under AAA requirements, according to Supervisor Ken Ringler. The board set a public hearing on the property for Wednesday, Aug. 28, at 7:30 p.m. at town hall.

The property owners in May sought board approval of a plan to rezone part of the area from a Planned Residence District (PRD) to Residence A. The parcel is currently zoned under both PRD and Residence A standards. The PRD zone, which allows for higher density building, does not permit building within 50 feet of its boundaries, which would interfere with the group's former plan to build the 62-lot Hunter's Ridge subdivision. The board tabled the matter after considering marking it off under the more stringent AA or AAA requirements.

Residence AA standards allow more units per smaller lot size than, while AAA standards allow larger lots.

Representing Greenshade, Nancy Alexander of C.T. Male Associates, P.C. of Latham recently asked the board to zone the entire parcel under AA standards. She said the fifth plan for development of the property, calling for 64 lots, will be presented at the public hearing.

Alexander said up to 24 lots

would have difficulty meeting AAA requirements. According to Jeff Lipnick, town planner, the land meets density requirements for AA standards, but certain lots do not meet AAA width standards.

According to Town Attorney Bernard Kaplowitz, the board is "breaking new ground" with such conditional zoning.

A 35-acre section of the PRD, the site of a proposed 130-unit townhouse/condominium project called Hudson Glen, is owned by another developer. The planning board, which reviewed Greenshade's request at its Dec. 18 and March 19 meetings, has recommended changing the entire district, including the portion not owned by Greenshade, from PRD to one of the residential zones. According to planning board Chairman Martin Barr, the owners of the 35-acre parcel are opposed to the zone change.

Three members of the planning board think the property should be rezoned residence AA, which allows more units per acre, and three think it should be changed to AAA, which calls for larger lots.

In other recent town board news:

• Kaplowitz informed the board that the town has no authority to add a 15 percent handling and processing fee to residents' water bills which were not paid before they went to Albany County for the relevy process.

The board considered the fee as an incentive for those late water-bill payers, approximately 200 of 11,000 customers, to pay their bills on time. Kaplowitz said the town has the authority to turn off the water of late water-bill payers. The board unanimously rejected this alternative.

## Arts council sponsors party in Leeds

The Greene County Council on the Arts is sponsoring its annual Garden Party in the Colonial-Greek revival hacienda gardens surrounding Ruben Garcia's home on Sandy Plains Road in Leeds at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 18.

The party, which will benefit the Greene County Council on the Arts, is open to all members of the community interested in an after-

noon of conversation, music and food.

Donation for the party is \$10 per person for GCCA members and \$12.50 for nonmembers.

Registration is required by Aug. 9 by calling 943-3208 or 943-3400.

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us know of your interest. We are currently looking for additional members of our advisory committee, scheduled to meet quarterly (Thursdays, Oct. 24, Jan. 9, March 19, and June 4, 1992) to review current Bethlehem Networks Projects programs, as well as to brainstorm new projects.

We look forward to hearing from you!

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## Flight '91 to feature military hardware

By Erin Sullivan

When the soldiers of Operation Desert Storm are honored, the "hardware heros" like missiles are sometimes overlooked. At the Northeast Flight '91 Airshow on Aug. 3 and 4, there will be such an addition to the recipients of applause.

The United States Army Missile and Space Intelligence Center at Redstone Arsenal in Alabama has loaned a Patriot missile and Iraqi Scud missile, obtained from the Persian Gulf War, to the air show for spectator viewing.

"It's a golden opportunity," said Airshow Director Bob Schuhl. "People at the show will be given the chance to see the two major systems that dominated the news throughout the Persian Gulf War."

The show will take place at the Schenectady County Airport off Route 50 in Glenville. Gates will open at 9 a.m. The pre-show events start at 10:30 a.m. The actual air show schedule will begin at 1 p.m. and run until 4 p.m. Those planning on attending are urged to arrive early and take advantage of the free parking.

Early arrivals will experience the various static displays ranging from fighter planes to catching a glimpse of the inner mechanics of the airplanes or perhaps having a casual chat with a pilot.

With no military jet team scheduled for the show, Schuhl said he had been uncertain about the outcome of the event. "When I first heard that we would have no jet team, my initial reaction was that this (planning of events) would be tough. However, I realized that we would have a great show. It worked out well."

The usual military jet team will be re-

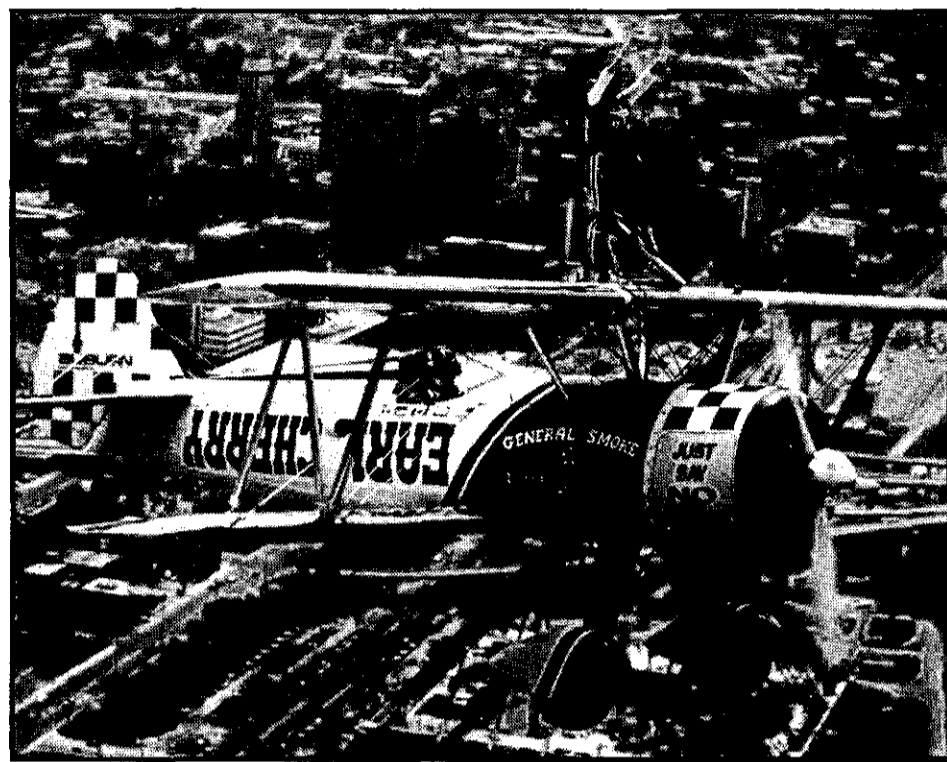
placed by several other spectacular features.

The "Holiday Inn" Aerobatics Team, a precision flying team, will perform in four bright green Pitts Special S-2 biplanes on both Saturday and Sunday.

Two Marine Corps AV-8B Harrier fighters will demonstrate their vertical take-off and landing capability plus high speed and slow flight.

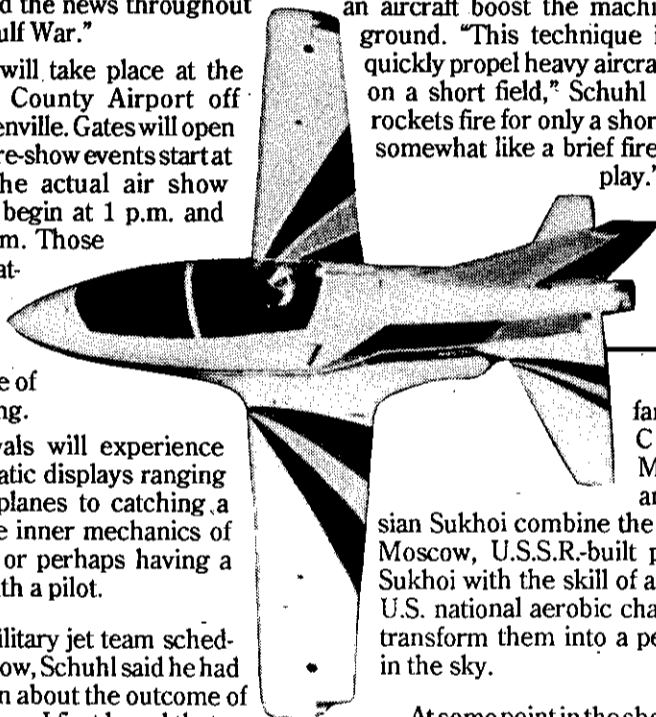
A Canadian sub-hunting helicopter will fly in from Nova Scotia. This is an addition that Schuhl said he is "looking forward to."

The 109th Air Guard from Stratton Air Guard base at the county airport will execute a JATO (Jet Assisted Take Off). In this demonstration, rockets attached to the side of an aircraft boost the machine off the ground. "This technique is used to quickly propel heavy aircraft airborne on a short field," Schuhl said. "The rockets fire for only a short time. It is somewhat like a brief fireworks display."



skim the sky with his Red Tail Aviation glider act. His aerobatic "Salto II Glider" will flirt with the audience as smoke trails along the looping and dipping path.

Schenectady County Airport and served as the airport's first manager. He was also the man who greeted famed flyer Charles Lindbergh at the airport on Lindbergh's tour of major American cities after his flight



The BD-5 J aircraft, upper and lower left, touted as the smallest man-carrying jet aircraft in the world, will be on hand at the Northeast Flight '91 Airshow, along with the acrobatics of the Holiday Inn Aerobatics Team, above.

Air show fans will see Clint McHenry and his Russian Sukhoi combine the power of a Moscow, U.S.S.R.-built prop-driven Sukhoi with the skill of a three-time U.S. national aerobic champion and transform them into a performance in the sky.

At some point in the show, the U.S. Army Golden Knights team will parachute down, plunging out of the blue, while the wing-walking skills of Earl Cherry will leave his audience in suspense.

John Mahony from Clifton Park will

For those whose necks begin to ache, more than a mile of flight line will be on exhibition on the ground. Featured will be the B-17 Memphis Belle, the plane used in the movie "Memphis Belle." Model airplanes, aviation souvenirs, musical entertainment, parachute packing demonstrations and an antique car display will also be on hand.

History of the Schenectady Airport and the air show itself will be found in the 1991 program book. Schenectady Historian Larry Hart will contribute background information.

A special appearance will be made by Victor Rickard as he receives the Pioneer Aviation Award. Rickard was the first person to land a plane at

to Paris. "We are honored to have Mr. Rickard at our show," Schuhl commented.

The main air festival is estimated to last about three and one-half hours.

Flight '91 Airshow is a fund-raiser benefiting two non-profit organizations, the American Red Cross and the Empire State Aerosciences Museum.

Cost of the tickets is \$9 for adults, \$4 for children six to 12 and under five are free. Advance tickets may be purchased at all Price Chopper and Cumberland Farms stores, all local credit unions or at the Northeast Airshow headquarters in Mohawk Mall. Advance discount prices are \$7 for adults and \$3 for children.

For information on the air show, call 382-0041.

## Aug. 4 is kids' day at Empire State Plaza

By Debi Boucher

Just when you've run out of ideas on what to do with the kids during those long summer afternoons, the state Office of General Services announces its annual Children's Day at Empire State Plaza.

Set for Sunday, Aug. 4, from 1 to 5 p.m., this year's event features a star entertainer, nationally-known folk singer Tom Chapin. While the recording artist has wide appeal, he has released three collections of songs geared to audiences between 4 and 11 years old. Kathy Nolan, promotion and public affairs assistant with the OGS, said Chapin performed last winter at the Egg at Empire State Plaza. "The kids loved him," she said, "so we decided to have him back." Chapin will give performances at 1 and 3 p.m. on the Main Stage. In the event of rain, Nolan said, all activities will take place in the Concourse.

Chapin's appearance is a first for Children's Day, which OGS has put on for

about 10 successive summers, she said. The event, which is free and open to the public, will also feature "strolling performers," including local musicians Paul Strausman, Ed Degenhart and Randy Mauger. Also on hand to greet children will be Looney Tune characters Bugs Bunny, Daffy Duck and Sylvester, and Freddie Frihofer will be giving away chocolate chip cookies courtesy of Frihofer Baking Company, one of the event's sponsors. Other sponsors are Norstar Bank and Capital Cablevision.

Activities for children include "Mr. Bouncety Bounce," a popular children's activity summed up by its name, and face-painting. Children can have their faces painted by clowns, or they can try "do-it-yourself" face painting, with help and supervision from volunteers.

The Yankee Doodle Circus will be on hand with tropical birds, a magic show and an illusionist, and will also stage sea

lion shows at 1 and 3 p.m., Nolan said.

The Scotia-Glenville Children's Museum will offer hands-on activities, including mobile making, and young students of Albany's DC Gymnastics will be giving demonstrations throughout the day, Nolan said. The Schenectady County Stop DWI Puppet Show will feature Students Against Drunk Driving (SADD) from Mohonasen High School providing entertainment and lessons for children about the dangers of alcohol.

Along with plenty of clowns, there will be balloons for children, and concessionaires will offer hot dogs, soda, cotton candy, ice cream and other refreshments.

Community groups will have informational tables, and more activities may be added, Nolan said. If attendance in previous years is any indication, she said, Children's Day will draw some 5,000 people.



Tom Chapin

# ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

## THEATER

### CAROUSEL

Spotlight Players, Inc., Rodgers & Hammerstein musical, Columbia High School, East Greenbush. Aug. 2-3, 8 p.m. Information, 477-2290.

### TEN LITTLE INDIANS

Agatha Christie's most thrilling whodunit, The Theater Barn, Inc., New Lebanon. Through Aug. 4, Thurs., Fri. 8 p.m.; Sat. 5 and 8:30 p.m.; Sun. 2 and 7 p.m. Information, 794-8989.

### 42ND STREET

The Mac-Haydn Theatre, Inc., Chatham. Through Aug. 11; Wed., Thurs. Fri. 8 p.m.; Sat. 5 and 8:30 p.m.; Sun. 2 and 7 p.m. Information, 922-9292.

### TALLEY'S FOLLY

Pullitzer Prize winner by Lanford Wilson, Woodstock Festival '91, Woodstock. Through Aug. 4. Information, (914) 679-2100.

### MY FAIR LADY

Park Playhouse Inc., Washington Park. Through Aug. 18, Wed.-Sun. 8 p.m. Information, 434-2035.

### GUYS AND DOLLS

musical comedy, The Theater Barn, Inc., New Lebanon. Aug. 8-25, Thurs., Fri. 8 p.m.; Sat. 5 and 8:30 p.m.; Sun. 2 and 7 p.m. Information, 794-8989.

## MUSIC

### SKIP PARSONS RIVERBOAT JAZZ BAND

performing, Friends of Pruyn House, Newtonville. Aug. 7, 7:30 p.m., information, 783-12435.

### HARMONY INTERNATIONAL, INC.

River Valley Chapter, barber-shop, four-part harmony style, Altamont Village green. Aug. 7, 7 p.m. Information, 861-7239.

## MUSICAL CHAIRS

ten-member ensemble, Spencertown Academy. Aug. 7, 8 p.m. Information, 392-3693.

### DIXIECRATS

performing in West Capitol Park, Albany. July 31, 11:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

### THE SHORELINERS

performing, West Capitol Park, Albany. Aug. 1, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

### JOHNNY RABB'S ROCK HOUSE

performing, West Capitol Park, Albany. Aug. 2, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

### CC & ME

performing, West Capitol Park, Albany. Aug. 6, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

### THE COUNT BASIE ORCHESTRA

performing, Main Stage, Albany. Aug. 6, 8 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

### COLLEGE OF ST. ROSE JAZZ ENSEMBLE

performing, West Capitol Park, Albany. Aug. 7, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

### HUEY LEWIS

and the News performing, SPAC, Saratoga. Aug. 2, 8:15 p.m. Information, 584-9330.

### LYNYRD SKYNYRD

with guest Junkyard, SPAC, Saratoga. Aug. 4, 8:15 p.m. Information, 584-9330.

### PAT BENATAR AND DARYL HALL AND JOHN OATES

with guest Vinnie James, SPAC, Saratoga. August 5, 8:15 p.m. Information, 584-9330.

### BUGS BUNNY SALUTES

CARTOONS And Classics, with 50-piece orchestra, SPAC, Saratoga. July 30, 8:15 p.m. Information, 584-9330.

## CINDY MANGSEN AND STEVE GILLETTE

family entertainment, Spencertown Academy. July 31, 8 p.m. Information, 392-3693.

## CHAMBER MUSIC

### CONFERENCE AND COMPOSERS'

Forum of the East Faculty Concert, Bennington College. Aug. 3 and 7, 8 p.m. Information, (802)442-5401.

### PETER, PAUL AND MARY

folk music, SPAC, Saratoga. July 31, 8:15 p.m. Information, 687-3330.

### KENNY BURRELL

Jazz guitarist, with Jack DeJohnette and Dave Holland Art Awareness, Lexington. Aug. 3, 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. Information, 989-6433.

### SARATOGA CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL

SPA Little Theatre. Aug., 3-4, 11-12, 18-19. Information, 587-3330.

## WORKSHOPS

### SUMMERSTAGE '91 FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

offered by the Theatre Institute's Theatre Arts School, Albany. Through Aug. 9, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Information, 442-5395.

### TIME TUNNEL:

Summer Fun for Young People, State Museum, Through Aug. 9, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Information, 474-5801.

## DANCE

### BERKSHIRE BALLET SUMMER SESSION

director Madeline Cantarella Culpo, studio at 25 Monroe St., Albany. Through Aug. 16. Information, 426-0660.

## RHYTHM LITES DANCERS

performing, West Capitol Park, Albany. Aug. 5, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

## CLASSES

### MUSEUM TEACHER

volunteer Rensselaer County Historical Society teacher. Tues.-Fri. a.m. Information, 272-7232.

### THEME WEEKS

activities for Kids, The Junior Museum, Troy. Aug. 5, 12, 1-5 p.m. Information, 235-2120.

## FILM

### DRIVE-IN AT THE EGG

summer film series, "Rebel Without a Cause," Aug. 6; "Woodstock," Aug. 13; "Dune," Aug. 20; "The Wall," Aug. 27. The Empire Center, Albany. Information, 473-1845.

## AUDITIONS

THE RIVER VALLEY CHORUS a women's four-part harmony chorus, recruiting new members, Clifton Park. Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 355-4264.

## FESTIVAL

CHILDREN'S DAY Main Plaza, Albany. Aug. 4, 1-5 p.m. Information, 473-0559.

3RD ANNUAL HUDSON RIVER FESTIVAL afternoon of free family fun, Riverfront Park, Troy. Aug. 3, noon-5 p.m. Information, 235-2120.

NATIONAL POLKA FESTIVAL starring Jimmy Sturr, Hunter Mountain. Aug. 1-4. Information, 263-3800.

## ACTIVITIES

### MUSIC MOBILE

music and creative arts program for all ages. Through Aug. 15, 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays in Wilke Park, Albany.

Wednesdays in Livingston Park, Albany; Thursday at corner of Walter and Broadway, Albany. 2 p.m.; Tuesdays at corner of Knox and Dana, Albany.

Wednesdays at Ten Broeck Mansion, Albany; Thursdays at Lincoln Park Pool, Albany. Information, 462-8714.

## VISUAL ARTS

### WILLIAM G. MULLER

original oils, limited edition lithographs, Spencertown Academy. Aug. 2-24, Mon.-Fri. 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Information, 392-3693.

### 4TH ANNUAL INVITATIONAL ART EXHIBIT

at The Bridge Gallery, professional artists and a juried exhibit, Malden Bridge Arts Center. Aug. 3-Sept. 1, Fri., Sat. Sun. noon-5 p.m. Information, 766-3616.

### ART AWARENESS

Mary Frank, Yoshi Wada, and Christopher Doyle exhibit in the Lexington House, Lexington. Now through Sept. 1. Information, 989-6433.

### CHILDREN'S MUSEUM AT SARATOGA

hands-on exhibits and learning areas for children, Saratoga. July-August, Sat.-Sun. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 584-5540.

### ILLUSTRATORS AS ARTISTS

art exhibition, William K. Sanford Town Library, Colonie. Through Aug. 30, Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 783-9556.

## THE FIGHTING SIXTY-NINTH

exhibition, World War I artifacts, Irish American Heritage Museum, East Durham. Through Aug. 11. Information, 634-7497.

### TRUMBULL PORTRAIT

temporary loan, Schuyler Mansion. Through Jan. 24. Information, 434-0834.

### ARTISTS OF THE MOHAWK HUDSON REGION

exhibition, University Art Gallery, University at Albany, State University of New York. Through Sept. 8. Information, 442-4035.

### BETTY WARREN AND LILLIAN LONGLEY

original works, Malden Bridge Arts Center. Reception, Aug. 3, 3-5:30 p.m. Information, 436-4042.

### IRVING STETTNER

exhibition, watercolor art, Galeria Grupo Arte, 247 Lark Street, Albany. Through Aug. 11. Information, 449-1233.

### CONTEMPORARY HUDSON VALLEY LANDSCAPES

exhibition featuring oils, pastels, and watercolors. Museum of the Hudson Highlands, the Boulevard, Cornwall-on-Hudson. Through Sept. 5. Information, (914) 534-7781.

### BRUNO LA VERDIERE

exhibition, Albany Center Galleries, corner of Chapel and Monroe, Albany. Through Aug. 30, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Information, 462-4775.

### THE CIRCUS IS COMING!

circus posters and advertising art, State Museum, Albany. Through Sept. 3. Information, 474-5877.

### WALTER LAUNT PALMER

highlighted works, Albany Institute of History & Art, Albany. Through Nov. 3. Information, 463-4478.

CITY NEIGHBORS: AN ALBANY COMMUNITY ALBUM "The Jewish Experience in Albany," Albany Jewish Community Center. Through Sept. 4. Information, 438-6651.

### ART AWARENESS

opening for 16th summer season, Art Awareness, Inc., Lexington. Through August. Information, 989-6433.

### NATIONAL MUSEUM OF DANCE

opening with four new exhibits, Saratoga. Through Sept. 1. Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sun. noon-4 p.m. Information, 584-2225.

### CHESTERWOOD

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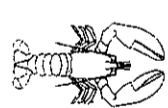
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## AROUND THE AREA

Wednesday  
July 31

### ALBANY COUNTY

**CONCERTS IN THE BARN**  
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207 Old Nyskayuna Rd.,  
Newtonville, 7:30 p.m.  
Information, 783-1435.

#### BABYSITTING

Albany Jewish Community  
Center, 340 Whitehall Rd.,  
Albany, 5:30-8 p.m. Information,  
438-6651.

### RENSSELAER COUNTY

**CHORUS REHEARSAL**  
Sponsored by Capitaland  
Chorus, Woodward St., Troy,  
7:30 p.m. Information, 383-8051.

#### SQUARE DANCE

St. Michael's Community  
Center, Linden St., Cohoes, 7:30  
p.m. Information, 664-6767.

### SCHENECTADY COUNTY

**RIVER VALLEY CHORUS  
MEETING**  
Glen Worden School, 34  
Worden Rd., Scotia, 7:30 p.m.  
Information, 355-4264.

Thursday  
August 1

### ALBANY COUNTY

**CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**  
St. Peter's Hospital, So. Manning  
Blvd., Albany, 5:30 p.m.  
Information, 454-1547.

**BEREAVED PARENTS SUPPORT**  
group meeting, St. Peter's  
Hospital, So. Manning Blvd.,  
Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information,  
454-1602.

#### BABYSITTING

Albany Jewish Community  
Center, 340 Whitehall Rd.,  
Albany, 5:30-8 p.m. Information,  
438-6651.

#### SENIORS LUNCHES

Jewish Community Center, 340  
Whitehall Road, Albany, 12:30  
p.m. Information, 438-6651.

#### CONCERNED FRIENDS OF HOPE HOUSE

meeting, support group for  
families of substance abusers,  
Child's Nursing Home  
auditorium, 25 Hackett Blvd.,  
Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information,  
465-2441.

Friday  
August 2

### ALBANY COUNTY

**REMARriage SUPPORT**  
group meeting, the Pastoral  
Center, No. Main Ave., Albany,  
7:30-9:30 a.m. Information, 459-  
4965.

#### MOTHERS DROP IN

sponsored by the Capital  
District Mothers' center, First  
Congregational Church, Quail  
St., Albany, 9:30 a.m.-noon.  
Information, 482-4508.

#### SENIORS LUNCHES

Jewish Community Center,  
Whitehall Road, Albany, 12:30  
p.m. Information, 438-6651.

### SCHENECTADY COUNTY

#### RECOVERY, INC.

self-help group for former  
mental patients and former  
nervous patients, Salvation  
Army, 222 Lafayette St., Hillard  
Rm., Schenectady, 10 a.m.  
Information, 346-8595.

### RENSSELAER COUNTY

#### CAREER WORKSHOP

free for displaced homemakers,  
Hudson Valley Community  
College, Vandenberg Ave.,  
Troy, 9 a.m. Information, 434-  
3103.

Saturday  
August 3

### ALBANY COUNTY

**ROAST BEEF DINNER**  
St. Paul's Lutheran Church,  
Route 443, Berne, 4 p.m.  
Information, 872-0390.

Sunday  
August 4

### ALBANY COUNTY

**SCOTTISH DANCING**  
Unitarian Church, Washington  
Ave., Albany, 7-10 p.m.  
Information, 377-8792.

Monday  
August 5

### ALBANY COUNTY

**MENOPAUSE SUPPORT**  
group meeting, Woman's  
HealthCare Plus, Western Ave.,  
Guilderland, 7 p.m. Information,  
452-3455.

**EARLY PREGNANCY CLASS**  
Woman's HealthCare Plus,  
Western Ave., Guilderland, 7  
p.m. Information, 452-3455.

#### BABYSITTING

Albany Jewish Community  
Center, 340 Whitehall Rd.,  
Albany, 5:30-8 p.m. Information,  
438-6651.

#### SENIORS LUNCHES

Jewish Community Center,  
Whitehall Road, Albany, 4:45  
p.m. Information, 438-6651.

#### RECOVERY, INC.

self-help group for former  
mental and nervous patients,  
Unitarian Church of Albany, 405  
Washington Ave., Albany, 7:30  
p.m. Information, 346-8595.

### SCHENECTADY COUNTY

#### SCOTTISH DANCING

Salvation Army, Smith St.,  
Schenectady, 8-10 p.m.  
Information, 783-6477.

#### RECOVERY, INC.

self-help group for  
mental and nervous patients,  
Unitarian House, 1248 Wendall  
Ave., Schenectady, 7:30 p.m.  
Information, 346-8595.

Tuesday  
August 6

### ALBANY COUNTY

#### BINGO

Albany Jewish Community  
Center, Whitehall Rd., Albany,  
7:30 p.m. Information, 438-6651.

**SINGLE PARENTS MEETING**  
sponsored by Parents Without  
Partners Chapter 380, Colonie  
Community Center, Central  
Ave., Albany, 7 p.m.  
Information, 869-0870.

#### BABYSITTING

Albany Jewish Community  
Center, 340 Whitehall Rd.,  
Albany, 5:30-8 p.m. Information,  
438-6651.

**SAMARITANS SUPPORT GROUP**  
for suicide survivors, 160 Central  
Ave., Albany, 7:30 p.m.  
Information, 463-2323.

#### SENIORS LUNCHES

Jewish Community Center,  
Whitehall Road, Albany, 12:30  
p.m. Information, 438-6651.

#### SAFE PLACE

support group for those who  
have lost a loved one to  
suicide, St. John's Lutheran  
Church, 160 Central Ave.,  
Albany, 7:30 p.m. Information,  
463-2323.

#### CIVIL AIR PATROL

Albany Senior Squadron,  
Albany Airport, 7 p.m.  
Information, 869-4406.

### SCHENECTADY

**SECULAR SOBRIETY GROUP**  
group for recovering alcoholics,  
Temple Gates of Heaven,  
corner of Ashmore Ave. and  
Eastern Parkway, Schenectady,  
7:30 p.m. Information, 346-5569.

**EATING DISORDERS GROUP**  
Union College, fourth floor  
campus center, Schenectady,  
7:30-9:00 p.m. Information, 465-  
9550.

Wednesday  
August 7

### ALBANY COUNTY

#### BABYSITTING

Albany Jewish Community  
Center, 340 Whitehall Rd.,  
Albany, 5:30-8 p.m. Information,  
438-6651.

#### SENIORS LUNCHES

Jewish Community Center,  
Whitehall Road, Albany, 12:30  
p.m. Information, 438-6651.

#### APPLE COMPUTERS USERS CLUB

Farmworth Middle School, State  
Farm Rd., Guilderland, 7 p.m.  
Information, 482-2609.

### RENSSELAER COUNTY

#### SQUARE DANCE

St. Michael's Community  
Center, Linden St., Cohoes, 7:30  
p.m. Information, 664-6767.

#### CHORUS REHEARSAL

sponsored by Capitaland  
Chorus, Woodward St., Troy,  
7:30 p.m. Information, 383-8051.

### SCHENECTADY COUNTY

#### RIVER VALLEY CHORUS MEETING

Glen Worden School, 34  
Worden Rd., Scotia, 7:30 p.m.  
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## SPOTLIGHT

By Martin P. Kelly

### Joy Is The Word For MacHaydn's Production of 42nd Street

Jennifer Joy is an aptly named young actress given the spontaneity, lovely voice, exquisite dancing and overall fine acting she displays in MacHaydn Theater's exuberant production of 42nd Street. The show in Chatham continues through Aug. 11.

Joy plays the young small town girl who gets a chorus role in a Broadway show and then takes over the lead 36 hours before opening. It's a wildly implausible plot that just seems possible when this company sinks its teeth into it.



Martin P. Kelly

Director Dennis Edenfield hones the company's excellent ensemble talents in this fun-filled show. 42nd Street, a stage version of the 1933 movie, has a delightful score by Harry Warren and Al Dubin, including the title song, "Lullaby of Broadway," "Shuffle Off To Buffalo" and "About A Quarter To Nine."

The large cast of fine singers and adept tap dancers makes full use of the small arena stage with Edenfield's innovative choreography.

Craig Benham is strong though severe as the hard-driving producer/director and Richard Schwartz has some good turns as the lead dancer. Leslie Hendricks is also a winsome, clever street-wise dancer. Roslyn Cohn gains the imperiousness of the star everybody wants to hate.

Jimm Halliday's costumes are stunning, the more so when you consider he put them together in three weeks.

When she finishes this show, Joy wings to Tokyo to join the big musical show at Japan's Disneyland. For further info call 392-0202.

### Italian American Reconciliation Looks Like Another Cher Film Possibility at Dorset

Playwright John Patrick Shanley wrote Moonstruck which won an Academy Award for Cher. Now, he has another quirky romantic comedy, Italian American Reconciliation, dealing with similar characters in New York's Little Italy that could be another winning vehicle for the actress.

In the Dorset Theatre Festival production in Vermont, this offbeat comedy of a man trying to win back the love of his divorced wife who shot his dog as the final act of their marriage, is an engaging concept. It also has some fine romantic moments as Shanley deals deftly with misunderstood relationships.

The five-member cast directed by Mark S. Ramont is excellent, particularly Jim Bracchitta as Aldo, the play's narrator and catalyst who attempts to help his buddy, Huey, win back his wife.

Charlotte d'Amboise appears as the wife, a role which Cher should option immediately. The actress plays the hard-hearted woman with verve and makes her scene with Andrew Polk (Huey) a beautifully played off-centered love scene.

Nancy Ann Chatty is the other woman caught up in the romantic triangle and Judith Granite plays the old aunt wise enough to stay out of the way.

Wm. John Aupperlee's set is a marvel as scenes evolve while the action flows. The comedy runs through Saturday night. For further info call (802) 867-5777.

### Agatha Christie Up To Her Old Tricks In Ten Little Indians at Theatre Barn

Take 10 characters, put them on an island and reveal that one of them is the unknown killer bent upon murdering the other nine and you have the plot of Ten Little Indians, one of Agatha Christie's most enduring mysteries.

After a slow-moving, talky first act, the action under Michael Perreca's direction gets moving briskly as bodies fall dead right and left in this witty murder mystery.

The cast at the Theatre Barn plays the plot seriously enough if not always with sufficient vocal intonation to heighten the suspense. Still, the production, with its clean-cut drawing room set, is fun for Christie fans and a good primer for those who have not experienced her work. The production runs through Sunday. For further info call 794-8989.

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Wednesday  
July 31

## BETHLEHEM

### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Parks and Recreation Office, Delmar, 2-4 p.m. Information, 439-0503.

### CHILDREN'S TALENT SHOWCASE

part of "Evening on the Green" series, Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

### STORIES FOR PRESCHOOLERS

through Aug. 16, Elsmere School, 247 Delaware Ave., Elsmere, Wednesdays, 10 a.m. Information, 439-9314.

### PIT OPEN

for Bethlehem Central students grades 6-9, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 7-10 p.m. through Aug. 28. Information, 439-6885, 439-5066.

### BETHLEHEM ARCHAEOLOGY GROUP

provides volunteers with excavation and laboratory experience Monday and Wednesday mornings, archaeology lab, Rt. 32 South, Information, 439-6391.

### SOLID ROCK CHURCH

1 Kenwood Ave., Glenmont, evening prayer and Bible study, 7-9 p.m. Information, 439-4314.

## WELCOME WAGON

new comers, engaged women and new mothers, call for a Welcome Wagon visit, Mon.-Sat. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Information, 785-9640.

### TESTIMONY MEETING

First Church of Christ Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

### NORMANSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

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

## NEW SCOTLAND

### NEW SCOTLAND SENIOR CITIZENS

every Wednesday, Wyman Osterhout Community Center, New Salem, 6:30 p.m. Information, 765-2109.

### MOUNTAINVIEW EVANGELICAL CHURCH

evening service, 7:30 p.m.; Bible study and prayer, Rt. 155, Voorheesville, Information, 765-3390.

Thursday  
August 1

## BETHLEHEM

### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Parks and Recreation Office, Delmar, 9:30 a.m.-noon. Information, 439-0503.

## SUMMER SUN FUN

summertime stories, children ages 22 mo. to 3 yrs., bring towels for a picnic, Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, Information, 439-9314.

### OIL AND PASTEL EXHIBITION

Uly Szell-Korenko, Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

### STORIES FOR ALL AGES

Elm Avenue Park, through Aug. 16, 1:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

### KABBALAH CLASS

in Jewish mysticism, Delmar Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-8280.

### BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS

meeting, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

### WELCOME WAGON

new comers, engaged women and new mothers, call for a Welcome Wagon visit, Mon.-Sat. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Information, 785-9640.

### OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

meeting, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7 p.m. Information, 439-9976.

### PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

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

### BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

Bible study, 10 a.m.; Creator's Crusaders, 6:30 p.m.; senior choir, 7:30 p.m., 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 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

### FEURA BUSH FUNSTERS

4-H group for youths ages 8-19, Jerusalem Church, Feura Bush, 7-8 p.m.

Friday  
August 2

## BETHLEHEM

### RECOVERY, INC.

self-help for those with chronic nervous symptoms, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m. Information, 439-9976.

### WELCOME WAGON

new comers, engaged women and new mothers, call for a Welcome Wagon visit, Mon.-Sat. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Information, 785-9640.

## FREE LEGAL CLINIC

for Bethlehem senior citizens, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Appointment required, 439-4955.

### ELMWOOD PARK FIRE DISTRICT

North Bethlehem firehouse, 307 Schoolhouse Rd., 8 p.m.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

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

### STORY HOUR

Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 10:30 a.m. Information, 765-2791.

Saturday  
August 3

## BETHLEHEM

### PIT OPEN

for Bethlehem Central students grades 7-9, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 7-10 p.m. through Aug. 31.

### CAR WASH

Bethlehem Wind Ensemble, Key Bank, 343 Delmar Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Information, 439-6091.

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new comers, engaged women and new mothers, call for a Welcome Wagon visit, Mon.-Sat. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Information, 785-9640.

### CHABAD CENTER

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

Sunday  
August 4

## BETHLEHEM

### BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday worship service, 10:15 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; Tuesday Bible study, 7:15 p.m. Meetings held at the Auberge Suisse Restaurant, New Scotland Road, Slingerlands, Information, 475-9086.

### BETHLEHEM COMMUNITY CHURCH

Morning worship service, nursery provided, 9:30 a.m. Evening fellowship, 6 p.m., 201 Elm Ave., Delmar, Information 439-3135.

### BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

continental breakfast, 8:30 a.m.; family worship, 9:30 a.m.; nursery care available during worship services, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, Information, 439-4328.

### DELMAR REFORMED CHURCH

Sunday school, ages 3-7, and worship, nursery provided, 10 a.m. 386 Delaware Ave. Information, 439-9929.

### DELMAR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

worship, church school, nursery care, 10 a.m.; coffee hour and fellowship, 11 a.m.; adult education programs, 11:15 a.m.; family communion service, first Sundays, 585 Delaware Ave., Delmar, Information, 439-9252.

### SOLID ROCK CHURCH

1 Kenwood Ave., Glenmont, morning worship 11 a.m. Information, 439-4314.

## EMMANUEL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

worship, Sunday school and nursery care, 10 a.m., followed by a time of fellowship, Retreat House Rd., Glenmont, Information, 463-6465.

### FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

service and Sunday school, 10 a.m.; child care provided, 555 Delaware Ave., Delmar, Information, 439-2512.

### FIRST REFORMED CHURCH OF BETHLEHEM

church school, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; youth group, 6 p.m. Rt. 9W Selkirk, Information, 436-7710.

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF DELMAR

worship, 9:30 a.m.; church school, 9:45 a.m.; youth and adult classes, 11 a.m.; nursery care, 9 a.m.-noon, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, Information, 439-9976.

### GLENMONT REFORMED CHURCH

worship, 11 a.m.; nursery care provided, Sunday School, 10 a.m., 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, Information, 436-7710.

### NORMANSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday service, 11 a.m., 10 Rockefeller Rd., Elsmere, Information, 439-7864.

### ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Eucharist followed by breakfast, 8 and 10:30 a.m., followed by coffee hour, nursery care provided, Poplar and Elsmere Ave., Delmar, Information, 439-3265.

### SLINGERLANDS COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

worship service, church school, 10 a.m.; fellowship hour and adult education programs, nursery care provided, 1499 New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands, Information, 439-1766.

### 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.

### UNITY OF FAITH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CHURCH

Sunday school and worship, 10 a.m., 436 Krumkill Rd., Delmar, Information, 438-7740.

### BETHLEHEM HISTORICAL SCHOOLHOUSE MUSEUM

Rt. 144, Selkirk, 2-5 p.m. Local artists exhibits. Information, 436-8289.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### CLARKSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.; coffee hour following service, nursery care provided, Clarksville, Information, 768-2916.

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF VOORHEESVILLE

worship 10 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; church school, Information, 765-2895.

### MOUNTAIN VIEW EVANGELICAL CHURCH

worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday evening service, 7 p.m.; nursery care provided for Sunday services, Rt. 155, Voorheesville, Information, 765-3390.

## NEW SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

worship service, 11 a.m.; nursery care provided, Rt. 85 and Rt. 85A, New Salem, Information, 439-6179.

### ONESQUETHAW CHURCH

worship, 9:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.; Sunday school, Tarrytown Rd., Feura Bush, Information, 768-2133.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN NEW SCOTLAND

worship, 10 a.m.; church school, 11:15 a.m.; nursery care provided, Rt. 85, New Scotland, Information, 439-6454.

### UNIONVILLE REFORMED CHURCH

worship, 9:30 a.m.; followed by fellowship time, children's story hour, 11 a.m., Delaware Trpk., Delmar, Information, 439-5303.

### UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

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

Monday  
August 5

## BETHLEHEM

### MOTHER'S TIME OUT

Christian support group for mothers of preschool children, Bethlehem Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10-11:30 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

### WELCOME WAGON

new comers, engaged women and new mothers, call for a Welcome Wagon visit, Mon.-Sat. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Information, 785-9640.

### BLANCHARD POST MEETING

8 p.m., Poplar Drive, Elsmere, Information, 439-9819.

### DELMAR KIWANIS

meets Mondays at Sidewheeler Restaurant, Days Inn, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m. Information, 439-5560.

### AL-ANON GROUP

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

### DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

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

### BETHLEHEM ARCHAEOLOGY GROUP

provides volunteers with excavation and laboratory experience Monday and Wednesday mornings, archaeology lab, Rt. 32 South, Information, 439-6391.

### TEMPLE CHAPTER 5 RAM

first and third Mondays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### 4-H CLUB

meets first and third Mondays, 7:30 p.m., home of Marilyn Miles, Clarksville, Information, 768-2186.

### QUARTET REHEARSAL

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



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**BETHLEHEM**

**TALES TOLD UNDER THE RED  
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every Tuesday until August 8,  
9:30-11:30 a.m., Children's  
Room of Bethlehem Public  
Library, 451 Delaware Ave.  
Information, 439-9314.

**FARMERS' MARKET**

rain or shine, every Tuesday until  
October, 3-6 p.m., First United  
Methodist Church, 421  
Kenwood Ave. Information, 732-  
2991.

**YOUTH EMPLOYMENT  
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Parks and Recreation Office,  
Delmar, 2-4 p.m. Information,  
439-0503.

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2160.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

**BETHLEHEM SPORTSMEN'S  
CLUB**

membership meeting, first  
Tuesdays, clubhouse, Dunbar  
Hollow Rd., Clarksville, 8 p.m.  
Guests welcome.

**STORY HOUR**

Voorheesville Public Library, 51  
School Road, 10 a.m.  
Information, 765-2791.

**Wednesday  
August 7**

**BETHLEHEM**

**YOUTH EMPLOYMENT  
SERVICES**

Parks and Recreation Office,  
Delmar, 2-4 p.m. Information,  
439-0503.

**PIT OPEN**

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439-5066.

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old time music, bring a blanket  
or lawn chair, Bethlehem Public  
Library, 451 Delaware Ave.,  
Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information,  
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experience Monday and  
Wednesday mornings,  
archaeology lab, Rt. 32 South.  
Information, 439-6391.

**TESTIMONY MEETING**

First Church of Christ Scientist,  
555 Delaware Ave., Delmar,  
7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

**NORMANSVILLE COMMUNITY  
CHURCH**

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

**BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB**

meets first and third  
Wednesdays, Normanside  
Country Club, Salisbury Rd.,  
Delmar, 7 p.m. Information, 439-  
4857.

**BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233**

meets at lodge, Rt. 144, Cedar  
Hill, 8 p.m. first and third  
Wednesdays. Information, 767-  
2886.

**SOLID ROCK CHURCH**

1 Kenwood Ave., Glenmont,  
evening prayer and bible study,  
7-9 p.m. Information, 439-4314.

**ONESQUETHAW CHAPTER,  
ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR**

first and third Wednesdays at  
Masonic Temple, Kenwood  
Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.  
Information, 439-2181.

**NEW SCOTLAND**

**CRAFT DAY**

New Scotland Senior Citizens, 10  
a.m., Wyman Osterhout  
Community center, Route 85,  
New Salem. Information, 765-  
2109.

**NEW SCOTLAND SENIOR  
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Osterhout Community Center,  
New Salem. Information, 765-  
2109.

**MOUNTAINVIEW  
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evening service, 7:30 p.m., Bible  
study and prayer, Rt. 155,  
Voorheesville. Information, 765-  
3390.

**Academy hosts tennis tournament**

The 1st Annual Mixed Doubles Tennis  
Tournament to benefit Spencertown  
Academy will be held on Aug. 10. The  
entry fee will be \$15 per person and will  
include tennis balls, coffee and danish at  
8:30 a.m. and lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30  
p.m. Participants should bring their own  
courtside coolers.

Entry forms are available at the  
Spencertown Country Store and at

Charron's in Chatham. Spencertown  
Academy is a nonprofit community arts  
center located on Route 203 in Spencer-  
town between off the Taconic Parkway.  
Entry forms must be accompanied by a  
check and must be received by Aug. 5 at  
the Academy, PO Box 80, Spencertown,  
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For information, call 828-3737.

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**SPOTLIGHT  
TEENSCENE**

By Juliette Braun

Whether you realize it or not now,  
family is one of the most important  
things in your life. At this point you are  
probably more interested in going out  
with friends than visiting Grandma, but  
you should remember that while friend-  
ship is often a transitory thing, family  
ties are forever. Cut your parents some  
slack when you think they are being un-  
reasonable. They only want what is best  
for you. Try to think about where they  
are coming from, but if they are being  
unreasonable, explain your side of  
things with respect to their feelings.  
Last, take some time to share with sib-  
lings because when things look black-  
est, they can be the best friends you've  
ever had.

What is the Hot Summer Youth Blast?  
It is only the most exciting concert event  
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open your horizons attend the Concert  
and Ice Cream Social being sponsored  
by the Village of Colonie Youth Council  
and Senior Citizen's groups of Colonie.  
This is a great opportunity to meet get  
to know people with whom you might  
not have much contact, the seniors of  
your community. You may find that  
older people have a lot to offer and a  
much broader perspective on life. The  
program is scheduled to take place Aug.  
5, from 6 to 8 p.m. in Cook Park, Lincoln  
Avenue, Village of Colonie.

If you have an item exclusively for  
area teens, send it to TEENSCENE,  
Spotlight Newspapers, 125 Adams St.,  
Delmar, N.Y. 12054.

**Use your Mastercard or Visa  
to phone in your classified ad  
439-4949  
Deadline 4pm Friday**

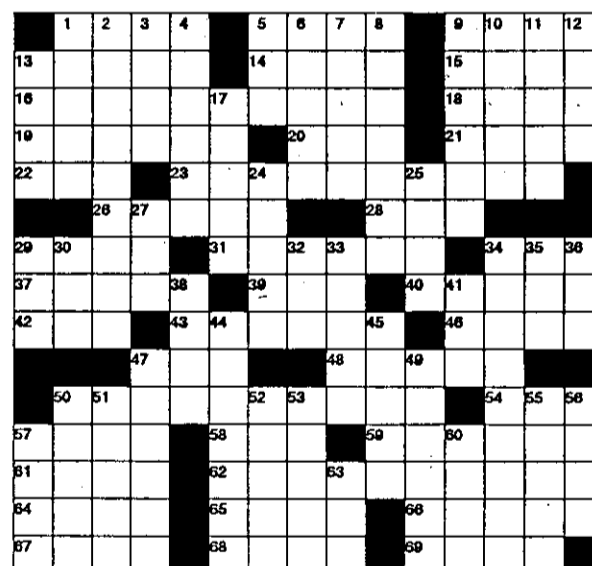
**Weekly Crossword**

"THE KEYSTONE STATE"

By Gerry Frey

**ACROSS**

- 1 Waste from melting  
ore
- 5 Long in the tooth
- 9 Baths
- 13 Frighten
- 14 Adore
- 15 Word with duct or  
scotch
- 16 PENNSYLVANIA  
DUTCH  
RELIGIOUS  
GROUP
- 18 PENNSYLVANIA'S  
GREAT LAKE
- 19 Further perfor-  
mance
- 20 Mr. Onassis
- 21 To remain unsettled
- 22 Timetable abbrev.
- 23 PENNSYLVANIA  
ADDRESS?
- 26 Stockholm resident
- 28 Lid
- 29 Pocket bread
- 31 Strain
- 34 Part of a refrain
- 37 Affirms
- 39 Common mkt. countries
- 40 It's \_\_\_\_\_ you could  
try an egg...
- 42 Suffix with win or can
- 43 Rigatoni and spaghetti
- 46 Network of veins
- 47 47 down abbreviation
- 48 Squaw's house
- 50 PENNSYLVANIA COL-  
LEGE
- 54 Military address
- 57 PENN STATE NITTANY  
MASCOT
- 58 United Arab Emirates
- 59 Drinking container
- 61 Son of Seth
- 62 PENNSYLVANIA WELL  
SITE
- 64 Ms. Thompson
- 65 Summers in Nice
- 66 Notions in Nice
- 67 \_\_\_\_\_ Boom Bah!
- 68 Upswing
- 69 Back talk
- DOWN



- 4 Mr. Bush
- 5 Formerly Cassius Clay
- 6 "\_\_\_\_\_ the heart of  
the problem
- 7 Each
- 8 Stops
- 9 Increase the tempo: 2  
wds
- 10 Potato peeler
- 11 Imitating
- 12 Sow
- 13 Peter Pan's Pirate
- 17 Necessities
- 24 Heads in Nice
- 25 Chief
- 27 Battle
- 29 Bad review
- 30 Common contraction
- 32 Groove
- 33 Muse of love poetry
- 34 PENNSYLVANIA  
ELEVEN
- 35 Spoil
- 36 Dined
- 38 Box
- 41 Pay dirt
- 44 More shrewd
- 45 Feudal slaves
- 47 Dorothy's State
- 49 Cavity formed by hip-  
bones
- 50 Egyptian peninsula

- 51 PENNSYLVANIA =  
PENN'S
- 52 Caribbean Island
- 53 Allots
- 55 Residents of Warsaw
- 56 Individuals
- 57 Fewer
- 60 Verdi Opera
- 63 Employ

**Solution to "Pro & Con"**

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To list  
an item  
of community  
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send all  
pertinent  
information—  
who, what,  
where, why,  
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to the  
**The  
Spotlight**  
125 Adams St.  
Delmar, NY 12054

State Museum plans exhibits, tours

The New York State Museum has planned a number of programs for August.

Aug. 16 is the opening date for "Keyboards," an exhibit featuring a variety of musical instruments from the museum's collections, including pianos, melodeons, and organs dating back to 1820.

The museum's sailplane exhibition will begin Aug. 31. The exhibit will showcase the Schweizer Company I-19 show plane developed in 1946, and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute's new sailplane, the RP-2, among others.

"The Circus is Coming: Circus Posters and Advertising Art" will be on exhibit through Sept. 3. The exhibit features 160 broadsides and posters dating from the 1790's through the present. The quantity of business generated by circus promotion enabled printers to experiment with new techniques resulting in woodcuts and lithographs otherwise unseen during that time period.

A trip to the Shelbourne Museum of American Arts, Architecture and Artifacts will depart from the museum at 7 a.m. on Aug. 3. The \$59 fee includes transportation, admissions, guides and a box dinner.

An Aug. 11 trip to Cooperstown to view "Il Re Pastore," a retrospective tribute to the work of Mozart, will leave the museum at 9:45 a.m. The \$75 fee includes transportation, brunch and tickets.

Another trip to Cooperstown, to view the Beethoven opera "Fidelio," will depart from the museum Aug. 18 at 9:45 a.m. The fee is \$75 and includes transportation, brunch and ticket.

For information, call 474-5801.

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Notice of Special Meeting of the Qualified Voters of Voorheesville Central School District, Towns of New Scotland, Guilderland and Berne, Albany County, New York

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Meeting of the qualified voters of the Voorheesville Central School District will be held on Wednesday, August 7, 1991 between the hours of 2:00 p.m. and 9:30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Savings Time, at the Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School, Route 85A, Voorheesville, New York for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition and for no other purpose:

Proposition: Interscholastic Athletics: RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Voorheesville Central School District be authorized to expend an amount not to exceed \$69,040 necessary for the District's continued participation in interscholastic athletics including, but not limited to, appropriations for fees, equipment, supplies, materials, officials, and transportation and to authorize the levy of taxes therefor.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that further detailed information may be obtained from the Voorheesville District office located at the Clayton A. Bouton High School, Route 85A, Voorheesville, New York by any taxpayer in the district during the seven days immediately preceding the Special Meeting, except Saturday, Sunday or holiday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. concerning the foregoing proposition.

Dated: July 24, 1991 Mary VanRyn District Clerk Voorheesville Central School District (July 31, 1991)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, August 7, 1991, at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of William L. Spinosa, Route 9W, Glenmont, New York 12077 for Variances under Article XVI, Front Yard; Article XVII, Side Yard; and Article XVIII, Rear Yards, of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem to maintain an existing six (6) foot

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Town Law of the State of New York, a special election for qualified voters of the Selkirk Fire District, Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, State of New York, will be held on August 12, 1991 between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. at Selkirk Fire House No. 1, Maple Avenue, Selkirk, New York, for the purpose of voting YES or NO on the following resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Selkirk Fire District on July 15, 1991:

"Shall the Selkirk Fire District purchase 122 Maple Avenue, Selkirk, New York from Salvatore J. Trianni and Madeline B. Trianni for the sum of \$79,000.00"

Dated: July 15, 1991 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SELKIRK FIRE DISTRICT, TOWN OF BETHLEHEM By: Frank A. With, Secretary (July 31, 1991)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids will be received at the Voorheesville Central School District office located in the Clayton A. Bouton Jr.-Sr. High School Building, Route 85A Voorheesville, New York until 9 a.m. Friday, August 9, 1991.

MILK Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the District Office on or after 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 31, 1991. Contracts will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidders. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, also to reject any bid which fails to meet specifications. DATED: July 17, 1991 Mary VanRyn District Clerk (July 31, 1991)

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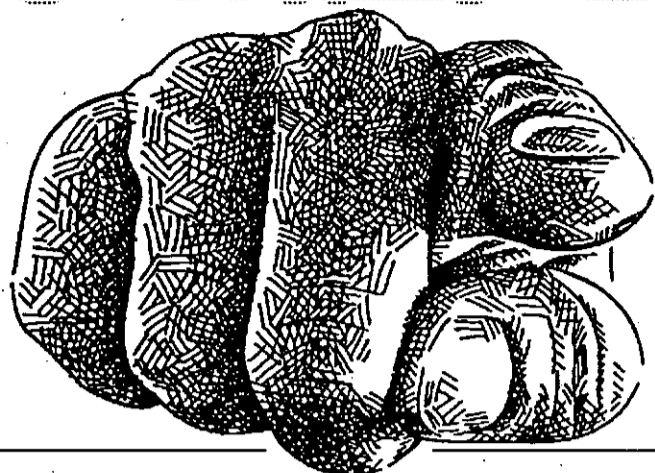
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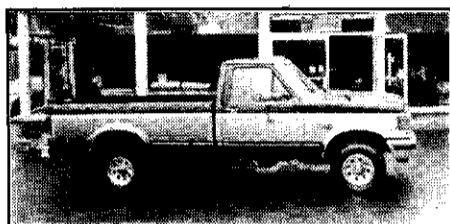
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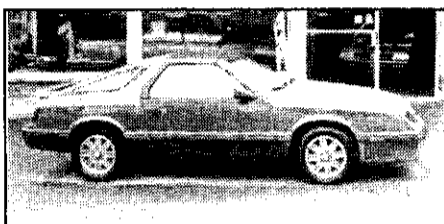


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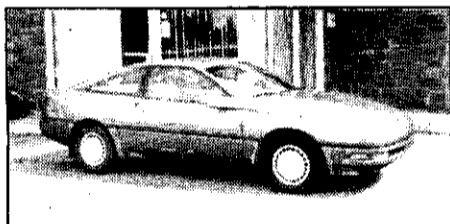


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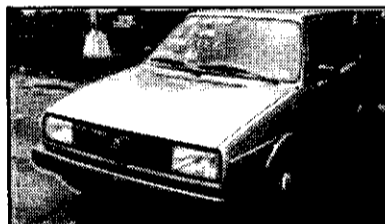


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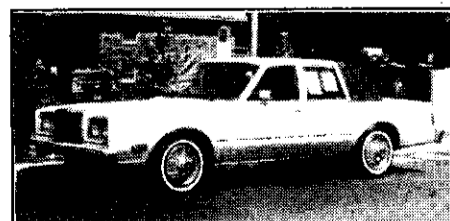


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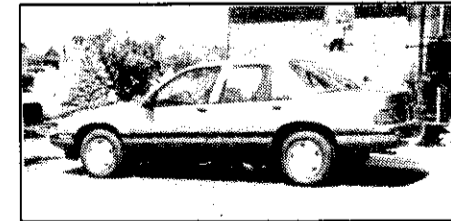


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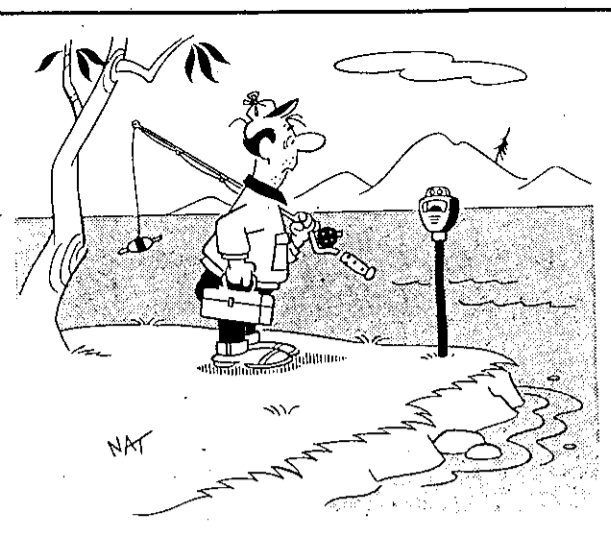
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The U.S. Department of Transportation has approved New York State's procedures for administering written test to commercial drivers converting their existing licenses to new commercial driver licenses (CDLs), according to Motor Vehicles Commissioner Patricia B. Adduci. The new licenses are mandated by federal law. Approval of the tests allows New York to complete the license conversion process for some 300,000 drivers who passed the written commercial driver license knowledge test last fall.

"We are pleased that New York's commercial drivers will now be able to secure the driving privileges on which their jobs depend," Commissioner Adduci said.

Commercial drivers who have received interim license extensions may now visit motor vehicle offices to get their new CDLs. Others who passed the test and are not required to pass a skills test should apply when their licenses are normally due for renewal. CDL privilege cards will be mailed in December to qualified drivers whose licenses expire April 1, 1992. They need not visit motor vehicle offices until renewal time.

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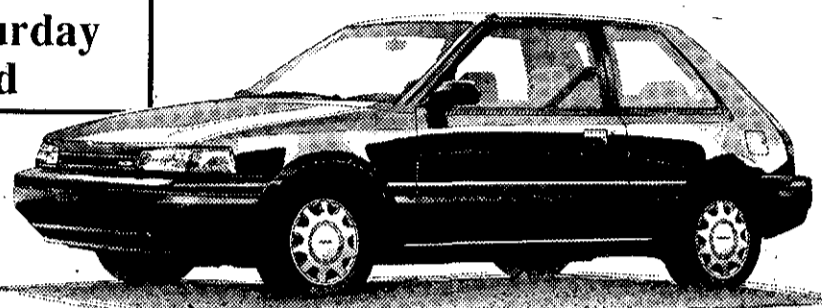
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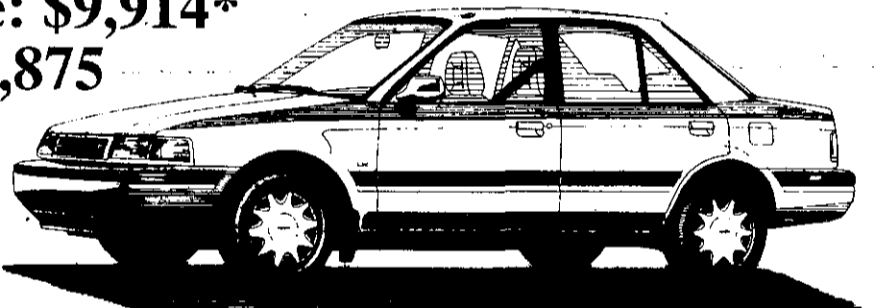
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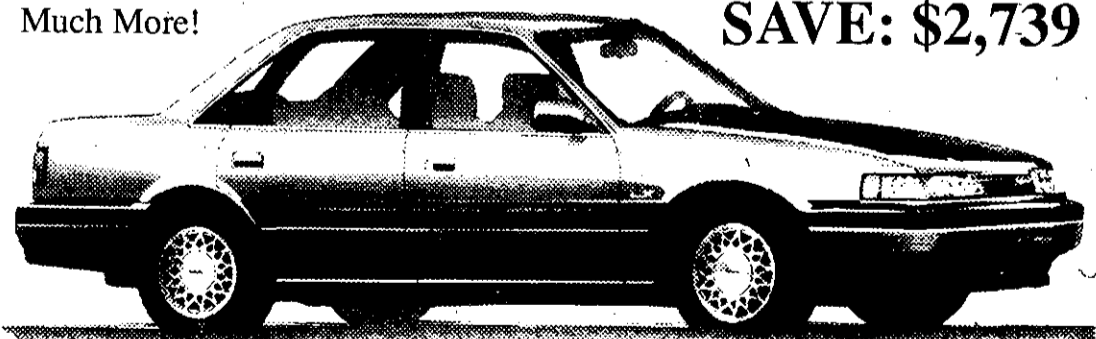
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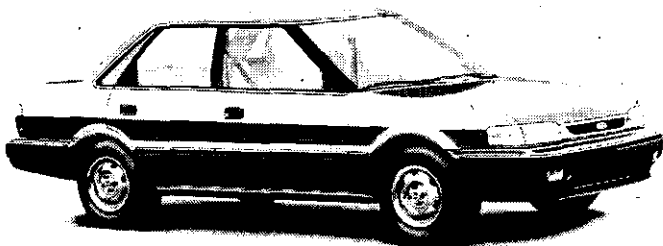
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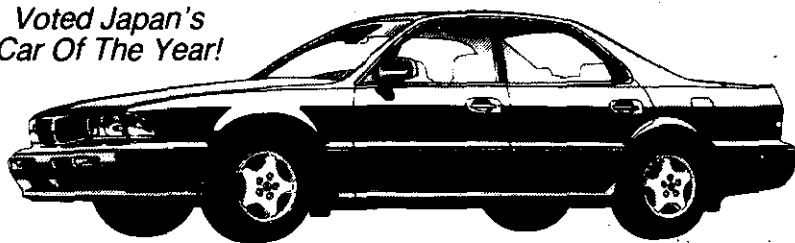
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Alloy Wheels	Standard	Standard	Standard	Standard	Standard	Standard
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Woodgrain Accents	Standard	Standard	Standard	Not Available	Not Available	Standard
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Visual Audio Stereo System	Standard	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Steering Wheel Mounted Audio Controls	Standard	Standard	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Automatic Climate Control Air Conditioner	Standard	Standard	Not Available	Standard	Not Available	Not Available
Power Glass Sunroof	Optional	Standard	Optional	Standard	Optional	Optional
Anti-Theft Alarm System	Standard	Standard	Standard	Standard	Optional	Optional
TOTAL STANDARD FEATURES	17	14	8	11	4	8
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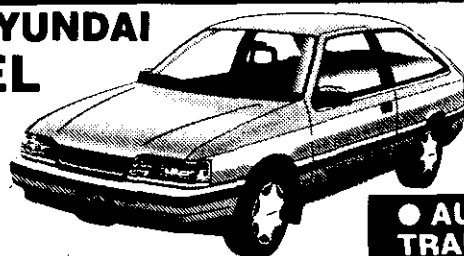
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