

# Ask Town to Eliminate Defense Mfg. Buildings



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## Post Office Staff Numbers 56, Reflecting Growth In Past Decade

The growth of the community can be traced through the increased activity of the Hicksville Post Office during the past 16 years that William G. Mollitor has been postmaster. The office had a crew of eight when Mollitor took office. Today there are 56 on the

staff, including 20 men delivering the mail in Levittown. The week ground was broken on the Selligman farm on Hempstead Tpke for a branch office of Hicksville to be known as "Levittown." Postmaster Mollitor handled the controls as the steam shovel lifted

the first hump of sod. The branch is expected to be ready in September.

### Serve Miller Homes Too

At least 20 carriers, and probably more by September, will work out of the branch office which will serve the Levitt development, Island Trees and the Miller Homes south of the Old Motor Parkway.

There are today 10 carrier routes in Hicksville and new routes are being added to serve the home developments springing up in all sections.

In the meantime, the Post Office Department is seeking bids upon leasing of space as the Hicksville office for five or 10 years. The present five-year lease on quarters on Herzog Pl. expires on Mar. 1.

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## Continue Fight On Phone Boost

Continued opposition to the increase in rates for telephone service was registered this week in Hicksville as the Public Service Commission granted the New York Telephone Co. an interim eight percent boost in local charges.

The Hicksville Civic and Community Association, meeting Friday night, voted to urge Nassau County to continue its opposition to the rate increase. The Civics had previously gone on record with the PSC objecting to an interim award until the hearings on the permanent increase were concluded. The county administration had also gone on record against the boost.

Hearings will start in a few weeks on the permanent increase sought by the phone company, President Lawrence A. Roman disclosed.

## Outdoor Square Dances Saturday

An outdoor square dance will be held this Saturday night, June 11, on the multiple play area of Hicksville High School grounds, starting at 8 o'clock. Don Durlacher will be the caller and will bring his orchestra. The admission charge will be 60 cents per person to cover expenses.

With a full moon, the weather should be perfect for square dancing, the committee believes. But in case of rain the dances will be held in the school gym. The Hicksville Classroom Teachers' Association is sponsoring the square dance for the young of all ages as a post-Founders' Week celebration for the community.

The Teachers wish to thank the Board of Fire Commissioners for the use of floodlights which have been offered for the evening to illuminate the paved outdoor area.

## 75 Boys Join PBC

About 75 boys in two age groups, 10 to 13 and 13 to 15, signed up for the Hicksville Police Boys Club on Enrollment Day, Saturday, at the high school, according to Pl. Robert Reynolds. They will be divided into several age-group baseball teams for local and inter-area play. A series of track events are planned, starting the end of this month.

## Events During Coming Week

- TONIGHT (WEDNESDAY)—8:30 p.m. Card party by Rosary Society at St. Martin of Tours Parish Hall Bethpage.
- FRIDAY, June 10—10 a.m.—Cake and bake sale by Holy Trinity P-TA at Vince Braun's Meat Market, 102 Broadway, Hicksville.
- SATURDAY, June 11—8:00 p.m.—Outdoor square dance sponsored by Hicksville Classroom Teachers' Assoc. on high school grounds.
- SATURDAY, June 11—8:30 p.m.—Square and folk dancing at grand opening of North Bethpage Civic Assoc. Clubhouse on Stewart Avenue.
- MONDAY, June 13—8:30 p.m.—Installation of officers of Jericho Parents Assoc. at Jericho School.
- TUESDAY, June 14—8:30 p.m.—Annual card party by Hebrew Temple Auxiliary at Hebrew Temple, East Barclay St., Hicksville.
- TUESDAY, June 14—1:30 p.m.—Silver tea and Achievement Day by Home Bureau at Trinity Lutheran Church, W. Nicholas St., Hicksville.

(Detailed Community Calendar on Page 8)

## Bethpage Legion Plans Gala July 4th Events

Another gala three-day Independence Day celebration is being planned for Bethpage and the mid-island area by the Archie McCord American Legion Post. The celebration will take place July 2 to 4 on Stewart Ave. with two giant fireworks displays, square dancing with professional callers, games and prizes, and a television set award on the concluding evening.

The event in previous years had attracted thousands.

Cantiague Rd. property owners this week launched a new campaign to eliminate manufacturing operations in their neighborhood off John St., Hicksville, requesting Oyster Bay Town Board to order removal of Press Wireless Mfg. "war emergency" installations and buildings on the east side of the road.

The new petition, filed with Oyster Bay on Monday morning, is in addition to a previous petition filed with the town board asking the ouster of the radio transmitter station which is located on the west side of the highway.

The petitioners claim they are having their property values "melt away" by reason of the illegal and unconstitutional acts of your (Oyster Bay) variance board who are issuing permits, allowing unrestricted manufacturing in highly restricted residential areas.

Oyster Bay Town Board is now in the process of investigating the complaints in the earlier petition against the operation of the radio transmitter station. It is alleged, in the first petition presented last April, that "certain permits and variances issued are illegal." The variances date back to 1934.

### Defense Program is Over

The newest effort attacks specifically the variances granted by the Board of Appeals since 1942, charging that the permits were granted in view of the national defense program, and "that the defense program is now unnecessary and the purpose for which the variances was granted has expired."

It is further charged that the buildings are now being used for unrestricted manufacturing purposes.

Also attacked are the frame barracks on the property which were erected "for the duration," but which now are rented to the State of New York Department of Agriculture and Markets for its Golden Nematode Quarantine division.

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## Who's Who Along Cantiague Road

PRESS WIRELESS, Inc., transmits and receives press and other communications. Transmitter is on west side of Cantiague Rd. since 1931. Receiving station is in Baldwin, offices in New York.

PRESS WIRELESS Mfg. Corp., manufactured transmitters for PW and arranged services during the war. Now separate and distinct from "Inc." (the transmission station), the property and buildings on the east side of Cantiague Rd., are owned by Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co. which has leased the premises to the Mfg. Corp. for 30 years. The lease was renewed July 15, 1945. This division is said to be doing electronic manufacturing.

An application by Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co. of North Carolina for a change of zoning on this tract from Residential D to Industrial was made to the town board in March. Strongly opposed, the application was withdrawn in May. The manufacturing is now continuing under the variances granted by the town since June, 1942.

The manufacturing and the carrier operations are now divorced from each other.



CONTROL BOARD of the Press Wireless Inc. transmitter station on Cantiague Rd. In 1945, when this picture was taken, the Hicksville radio station was handling more than 100,000,000 words of radio telegraph traffic in a year, using about 30 transmitters.

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## Appeals Board Okays Kellner Gas Station

Sam J. Keller of Field Ave., Hickville, was granted permission to build a gas station at the corner of Jerusalem Ave. and Herzog Pl., Hickville, by the Zoning Board of Appeals at a meeting Thursday night in the Justice Courtroom. The case had been held over from the May 19 meeting.

Frank DeMonaco of 11 B'way, Hickville, was granted a special permit to store and sell wholesale plumbing supplies in the store on the west side of Broadway, 160 feet south of W. Nicholas St.

**Refuse Farm Stand**  
 The Board denied the request of Jennie and John Sidor of 66 Park Ave., Manhasset, for a variance to erect a farm stand for the sale of fruits, vegetables, soft drinks and cigars on Jericho Turnpike 500 feet east of the Union Ave. intersection.

George Cornwell of Regent St., Hickville, withdrew his request for a variance to erect a gas station at the northwest corner of So. Oyster Bay and Woodbury Rd., Hickville.

A request for a variance to build a breezeway and garage with less side yard than the ordinance allows on Charles St., Hickville, was held over until next Board meeting.

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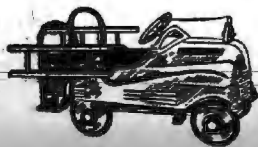
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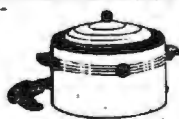
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## Legion Election Set For June 20

Election of officers of the Charles Wagner American Legion Post, Hickville, will be held Monday night, June 20. Three nominees for the executive committee were designated at the post meeting last Monday night. They are Walter Schlicting, Stanley Shore and Fred Brenzel.

Due to the increase in Post membership Hickville is entitled to six delegates to the county legion convention at Valley Stream on June 24 and 25. Additional delegate named was Henry Brenzel with Le Roy Wells as alternate.

## Finish Clubhouse, Dancing Saturday

There will be square dancing and folk dancing at the grand opening dance this Saturday night, June 11, in the newly re-decorated North Bethpage Civic Assn. clubhouse on Stewart Ave., North Bethpage. Ronald Carroll and his orchestra will play.

Two door prizes will be awarded during the evening. Mrs. Margaret Kaufmann is the chairman. The public is invited to attend and may obtain tickets at the door. Refreshments will be available.

Going Away This Summer?  
 See Page 6



By **GEORGE H. PERRY**

F. B. I.



While they were buying from within, the plotters saw with deep chagrin that all their vicious treachery was being stopped effectively. At first, they couldn't understand what checked the plot so shrewdly planned. But now they see quite clearly why... the REASON is the F. B. I.

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## Dear Jean...

Doctors tell me many of the students are absent from classes these days, the victims of measles... Don't forget to display the American flag next Tuesday, June 14—it's Flag Day, commemorating the day in 1777 when the flag, with alternating red and white stripes and a blue field with 13 stars was adopted as the emblem of the 13 colonies.

Newlyweds are among our new neighbors this week: MR. and MRS. WILLIAM KRAJICE from New York City are now living in a new home at 85 Benjamin Ave. They were married on May 28 in New York... In the new homes off Duffy Ave. are: MR. and MRS. ADAM SHERIFF and girls, 5 and 8 years, and son 10 years, from Brooklyn... MR. and MRS. HOWARD McGRADY and their daughter, 3 years and 4 1/2 year old son from Queens... MR. and MRS. ROBERT BUNO and son, 2 1/2 years, are here from Suffolk County... Making their homes in the newhouses off South Broadway are: MR. and MRS. THOMAS JOYCE and their 4-year-old daughter, from Brooklyn... MR. and MRS. GEORGE APCENSKI from Richmond Hill. He's with Karlson and Reed of Hickville... MR. and MRS. ARTHUR BRETSCH and son, 3 years, from Richmond Hill. He's with the Metropolitan Life Insurance... MR. and MRS. NICHOLAS MENSCH and their three grown sons from the Bronx... MR. and MRS. LEO CAREY and 4-year-old daughter from New York City... MR. and MRS. MYRON JENNY and 16-months daughter from New York City. Mrs. Carey and Mrs. Jenny are sisters and they think Hickville is grand. Said they like a small town for bringing up children.

If ANONYMOUS would please supply a signature for that letter dated May 25, we'll be glad to print it. We'll withhold the name but must know who wrote the letter... Memorial Day exercises in Hickville hardly seemed complete without the Choral Society participating. So accepted has the Choral become at such programs that MC FRED SUTTER introduced the school glee club as the Choral and then had to correct the slip... Five new fire alarm boxes are now serving the new home areas in Hickville, according to Fire Commissioner Chrm. VINCE BRAUN. The boxes are down Duffy Ave., Plainview Rd., So. B'way, So. Oyster Bay Rd. and Lee Ave... About 30 New Jersey vegetable growers stopped at the local HOWARD and ERNEST BOOS and A PAPA & SONS farms Saturday, during a tour of Nassau... 50,000 auto racing fans are expected at Bridgehampton out in Suffolk this Saturday when sports car road racing is revived, reminiscent of the famed Vanderbilt Cup Races. A four mile course has been marked out... Legislation to compel clean-up of vacant property and then assess the cost of the work against the landowner was nixed by GOV. DEWEY in the recent session. It was the second time the measure, introduced by Hempstead Town, had been rejected. Another attempt is planned for the 1950 session.

North Shore organizations are asking the cooperation of Oyster Bay Township in an all-out fight to eliminate ragweed. The campaign is called "Operation Pollen"... ADMIRAL CHESTER NIMITZ was a recent customer at a Honey Stand in Bayville... A reader wants to know if the flag flying at the firehouse has historical significance, commenting that it looks like it went through some battle... The television sportscaster was extolling the merits of Schaefer's beer while NICK MAVIS at the Rainbow snorted: "Where can you get it?"... The welcome mat is out at the HUB DINER, where BILL MARKS has returned, on a trial basis, after a year's interval... A marvelous improvement in Herzog Pl. parking has been noted since JACK BRANDT'S highwaymen struck the signs. Plenty of parking on W. Marie St. now, also, but we still can't figure out that "No Parking on This Side" marker on E. Marie St... Town Attorney THEODORE V. SUMMERS of Syosset has been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of the Nassau Masonic District... Did you see the SKYTYPING TEST over our community Friday evening. Seven planes took part... JOHN LAUGHER of Hickville Implement Co. is taking flying lessons at Hickville Airport... The now-famous SLAB at the high school grounds gets a community workout this Saturday evening, weather permitting. The Teachers will hold a square dance on it, using fire dept. floodlights... Is the library going to be evicted from Nicholas School this fall? Increased school enrollment, we hear, may make answer "yes"... HERMAN KASTBERG, one of the first 300 "pioneer families" to move into Levitt's houses at Island Trees, and first president of its civic association, will soon move from Long Island. HERMAN, during his tenure, had many difficult situations to handle and did an excellent job... A six-day aircraft spotter's exercise, recalling the wartime service of local volunteers, is planned by the Air Defense Command in September. Spotter posts will be organized starting June 30...



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# Democrats Try To Stir Competition

The Oyster Bay Town Board was characterized as "dull, lazy and incompetent," devoting most of its efforts to "keeping the people quiet," at the Franklin D. Roosevelt Democratic Club meeting in Hicksville Courthouse, Thursday night. The charges were hurled by Richard T. Mayes, chairman of the town Democratic committee.

"We are striving to bring a little competition into local government," he explained, "since only thru competition can we really get public service from our officials."

### Small Audience

Party leaders found the turnout for the meeting disappointing. Postal notices had been sent to about 350 enrolled party members in the four Hicksville election districts. Louis J. Reinacher presided at the first meeting of the club held since October, 1945.

However, the group is determined to continue efforts to rebuild the club, and the next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday night, July 13. A club card party will be held on Oct. 11.

A strong demand for action by the town officials to provide Hicksville with more public parking fields, was adopted by the meeting, and the Democratic Club went on record as approving the installation of parking meters.

William Duffy, some leader, charged that "the town officials do not heed the will of the people," disregarding pleas for relief from parking and traffic problems and in other matters.

### Need 2-Party System

He also insisted that "we cannot run this country without a two-party system," and reminded

the Democrats that town and county positions are to be filled by election this fall.

Discussing the need for candidates for town positions this year, Mayes said that Democrats in the township "must pull together and show opposition to the incumbents. We should not let our fine township die of apathy."

The possible formation of a young people's club for local party members was discussed. The club by-laws permit membership of all citizens at least 18 years of age. President Reinacher said he would be interested in hearing from any young people interested in such an organization. His phone number is Hicksville 3-0297.

About a dozen attended the meeting. Present also were John McGann, secretary, and Anthony Arnone, treasurer.

# Firemen Start Tourny Plans

Arrangements for the annual Labor Day Firemen's Parade and Tournament of the Hicksville Fire Dept. have been started by a large committee headed by Fred Masters, Sr.

Joseph Hanley is vice-chairman of the committee, with Vincent Braun, secretary, assisted by Edward Schluter. George Engel is financial secretary and J. Gordon Ulmer is treasurer.

The annual affair draws thousands of volunteer firemen to Hicksville on Labor Day from all sections of Long Island.

# Plainview Civics Elect New Officers

Gerald Lichte was recently elected president of the Plainview Civic Assoc. and will be installed on Tuesday, June 21, at the Manetto Hills School. He succeeds George Byrne as president.

Other officers are: H. G. Birmingham, vice-president; Mrs. George Byrne, secretary, and Mr. German, treasurer.

### CHRISTEN DAUGHTER

Linda Lee Schleyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schleyer of 57 Heitz Pl., Hicksville, was christened at the 11 a. m. service Sunday, May 29, at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Hicksville. The godparents were Edward G. Schleyer and George Lee Pack.

A cake and baked food sale will be held this Friday, June 10, at Vince Braum's Meat Market, 102 Broadway, Hicksville. The sale, sponsored by the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church P-T A, will start at 10 a. m.

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# Swoboda Kiddie Revue Is Great Success

The 10th anniversary Kiddie Revue presented by the students of Swoboda's Dance and Music Studios, Saturday, June 4, at St. Ignatius Auditorium, Hicksville, was a great success. The auditorium was packed to capacity, the audience enjoyed the delightful show, and rewarded all the performers with hearty applause. The children in their colorful and well designed costumes, presented a beautiful picture on the stage.

The revue was arranged in five scenes, and in each scene the performers of solo and group numbers and of songs gave proof of their talent, ability and fine training.

The opening scene—Maytime—the setting being a Maypole in the center of the dark stage, with the first year tap and senior ballet class dancing, was beautifully performed, with the special Strobel light effects illuminating part of the costumes and consequently their dancing motions. Songs and difficult solo and class tap routines were well-performed by the youngsters.

Nutcracker Suite, a fair tale ballet, music by Tchaikowsky, made the highest demands on the performers' dancing ability, and the acrobats' always get a big hand on their difficult tricks smoothly performed.

The Cradle of Jazz, a musical scene, presented extremely capable acrobatic and tap dancers, and a flashy finale with Strobel light effects.


Mrs. Louis Stumm and her daughter again presided at the box office in the tenth year of the school's existence.

### TALKS ABOUT HOBBY

George R. Schneider of 6 Slo Lane, Island Trees, will tell about his hobby as a "ham" radio operator in an interview over WHLI and WHLI-FM, Hempstead, this Saturday at 2:35 p.m.

A strawberry social will be held at the Presbyterian Church of Sweet Hollow on Old Country Dr., and Sweet Hollow Rd., Melville, this Sunday, June 12, at 3 p. m., by the Ladies Aid society.

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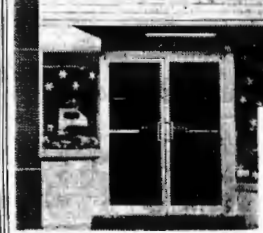
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**Another Petition  
 By Cantiague Rd.**

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The four-page petition includes a 12-point summary:

"a. That the Building Zone Ordinance of the Township of Oyster Bay prohibits any manufacturing in a Residential D District.

"b. That the Zoning Board of Appeals does not have the legal or the constitutional right to issue a permit to allow manufacturing in a Residential D District.

"c. That such action by your (Oyster Bay) Zoning Board of Appeals has substantially and permanently injured our property values.

No Hardship Shown  
 "d. That the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co. and the Press Wireless, Inc., had not stated in any of its applications that there were practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships in the way in order to obtain variances.

"e. That such variances issued by your Zoning Board of Appeals is illegal and unconstitutional.

"f. That no property owner on Cantiague Road was ever visited or notified by any Board member or by any official of the Press Wireless, Inc., or the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co. regarding any of the additions or alterations to the property.

"g. That no permit was ever issued for the erection of the temporary tar-papered barracks located adjacent to the road.

"h. That the permits issued were only for the manufacture of transmitters for the Government for the Defense Program only; and for part incidentally to the business of the Press Wireless, Inc., while engaged in the Defense Program.

"Unrestricted Manufacturing"

"i. That the Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co., thru an accessory manufacturing corporation is now engaged in unrestricted manufacturing on Cantiague Road situated between two New York State Parkways and is causing property values to depreciate in

**Press Wireless Argues With FCC**

Press Wireless, Inc. was having trouble on another front, aside from its local neighbors, this week. The Federal Communications Commission granted a stay until the end of this month of its ruling which would deny PW the right to handle Government traffic as it has been for the past seven years.

If the ruling of the FCC holds, PW will be limited to carrying American Cable and Radio Companies' (ARC) communications and press matter while the large carriers (RCA Communications and press matter) could subsidize their press rates until Press Wireless was driven out of the field, according to William J. McCambridge, president of the company.

PW, through its Hicksville transmitter, has been sending government material to Berlin and other overseas cities.

and around the vicinity of their operations.

"j. That a sign approximately 30 feet long and 3 feet high reading thereon 'Press Wireless Mfg. Corp.' has been erected on these buildings in violation of Section 7, Paragraph 4, sub-division (a) of the Zoning Regulations of the Town of Oyster Bay.

"k. That the Building Zone Ordinance of the Town of Oyster Bay was designed to protect residential property owners from incursions by industry which would tend to destroy the property values of the property owners in residential districts.

"l. That, we the petitioners, who should come under the protection of the Building Zone Ordinance, are having our property values melt away by reason of the illegal and unconstitutional acts of your variance board, who are issuing permits, allowing unrestricted manufacturing in highly restricted residential areas."

Isaac Penner of Cantiague Rd. has spearheaded the efforts to oust the radio transmitter and the manufacturing operations in his neighborhood.

The manufacturing division during the war employed upwards of 250 persons. Its present staff is believed to be less than a quarter of that number.

**Town Officials  
 On Radio Today**

Supervisor Harry Tappen will be the guest of Fred J. Noeth tonight (Wednesday) at 6 o'clock on station WKBS (1520 kc) to inaugurate a new program, "Inside Your Town Hall." Tax Receiver Frank G. Scholl will be heard this afternoon on WHLI (1100 kc) and again at 7:45 p.m. on the same station in a rebroadcast.

**War Memorial  
 Project Ends**

The Hicksville War Memorial Committee held its final meeting on Monday night at Nicholas School, just three days short of its first session held June 9, 1945. Frank Sutter presided as the affairs of the committee were concluded. A final report on its activities, funds collected and disbursed will be published in the Herald in next week's issue.

**CUT WEST POINTER'S HAIR**

Among the graduates from West Point yesterday (Tuesday) was B. Wade Dickinson III of Sharon, Pa. John Yenick of Hicksville recalls he cut Wade's hair in Sharon while the youngster attended Hickory High School. Yenick keeps in touch with his old home town through the Sharon's newspapers.

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**131 Receive First  
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A class of 131 received First Holy Communion at St. Ignatius Loyola Church, Hicksville, on Memorial Day at the 8:15 a. m. Mass. The Rev. George M. Bittarman, pastor, said the Mass.

Veronica Willant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sig Willant, of 25 Centre St., Hicksville, received her first Holy Communion at Nassau Hospital, Mineola. She was confined to the hospital for an appendectomy and received the holy sacrament from the Rev. Lawrence Ballweg on the previous Tuesday morning.

**Last Communicants**

The young Communicants were: Stephen Abramowski, John Anderson, Philip Anzalone, Lester Ore, Joseph Baggett, Otto Bahr, George Blyman, Everett Boccio, Nicholas Brigandi, Frank Cannizzarro, Joseph Cannizzarro, Daniel Carroll, John Cialer, Dennis Cramer, George Curth, Francis DeCandia, Robert Dietrich, James Dwyer.

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# Quartius Made Model Of 'Monitor'

The late John Quartius, grandfather of Mrs. Henry G. Eisenmann of Field Ave., Hicksville, had a hand in an event which historians agree was a turning point in the Civil War and helped retain the union of states. A skilled metal worker, he made a model in tin of the famous "Monitor" for Capt. Ericsson, while in the employ of Philip Teets in New York.

Mr. Quartius, as the result of serious illness, came to Hicksville in 1854 from Teets' employ. At that time Hicksville was the terminus of the Long Island Rail Road and had only three houses.

### 40-Year-Old Story

Many interesting facts about Mr. Quartius were published 40

years ago in "The Metal Worker," a trade magazine, photostats of which have been loaned the Herald by C. O. Maston of Kenmore, N. Y. The article was published just as he retired from the trade after 60 years of active employment, a half-century spent in Hicksville as the proprietor of his own business.

He was born in Neamburg, Hanover, on Feb. 17, 1827, and came to the United States with his parents in 1832. His father was a goldbeater by trade. After the great fire which destroyed the lower part of New York City in the late thirties, the family, whose home had been wiped out, returned to Germany.

### Seven-Week Ocean Trip

At the age of 14, John was apprenticed to the tin-smithing trade and worked at it for almost three years in his native town. In 1844, when he was 17, the family again crossed the ocean, taking seven weeks for the voyage on a small sailing vessel. As a childhood experience, he remembered the old canal, which gave New York's Canal Street its name, being filled in.

Until he was 21 years of age, he worked at various tin shops in the city, when wages were \$5.50 to \$6 a week. Becoming of age, he started off as a traveling journeyman, and in the next ten years

covered the Central, Southern, and Southwestern States. Returning to New York, he went to work for Teets, and it was here that he made the model of the "Monitor," the pillbox on a raft which met and stopped the ironclad "Merrimac" in the Civil War.

He married Frederika Zauner in 1860 and had six children, three sons and three daughters. The sons were William, George and Alfred.

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## Publish Poetry Book By Parochial Principal

"Little Soul-Songs," a book of poems by Mother M. Adelaide, O. P. of St. Ignatius Parochial School, Hicksville, was recently published. (70 pages, \$2.50, available at Dominican Convent, W. Cherry St., Hicksville.)

Mother Adelaide came to the Hicksville Parochial School from Amityville last September. She replaced Sister M. Rosaria, who has been transferred to Brooklyn, as principal of St. Ignatius.

## Kiwanians Invite Lions To Meeting

Election of officers of the Hicksville Lions Club for 1949-50 will take place tonight (Wednesday), when the club meets for dinner at the Near You Cafe, South Oyster Bay and Plainview Rds. Roland Heberer is unopposed nominee for president to succeed Fred C. Birk.

The club will also receive the invitation of the Hicksville Kiwanis to meet with them at the Hicksville Inn on Wednesday, June 15, at 12:10, for an inter-club meeting. The invitation has been extended by Kiwanis President Fred Eberhardt. Plans are also being considered for a ladies night to mark the installation of newly elected officers, probably in July.

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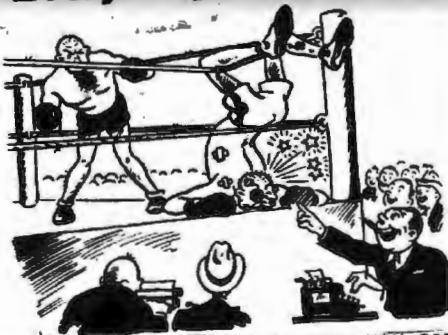
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**Miss Moskowitz Becomes Bride Of Jack Abrams**

Miss Marquita Moskowitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ely Moskowitz of Shamokin, Pa., became the bride of Jack L. Abrams, son of Max Abrams of Washington, D. C., on Sunday afternoon, June 5, at Shamokin, Pa. The groom is the pharmacist at J. J. Smith, N. Broadway, Hicksville. After a wedding trip the newlyweds will reside at 35 Broadway, Hicksville.

The bride wore a gown of white satin styled with a sweetheart neckline, long sleeves and a slim, princess style skirt. Her fingertip veil fell from a satin tiara and she carried white roses with lily-of-the-valley.

Miss Cleo Moskowitz, sister of the bride, wore a pale green organza gown and a large, Nile green picture hat. She carried a bouquet of tea roses.

The bridesmaids were Miss Libby Wassenburg of New Brunswick, N. J., in pink; Miss Lorraine Cavoretta of Philadelphia, in aqua, and Miss Davida Stern of Scranton, Pa., in yellow. They wore daisy headpieces and carried bouquets of daisies.

Lieut. Norman Abrams, brother of the groom, was the best man. The ushers were Roland and Myron Moskowitz, brothers of the bride, and Lester Smith of Hicksville.

Joy Pollock of Bellerose, a niece of the groom, was the flower girl. She wore a blue gown and carried a basket of roses. The bride is a graduate of the

**Confirmation Services At St. Ignatius Sunday.**

Confirmation services will be held at St. Ignatius Church, Hicksville, this Sunday afternoon, June 12, at 4 p. m. Auxiliary Bishop Raymond A. Kearney will officiate.

The 4th Degree Color Guard of the Cardinal Mercier Assembly under the leadership of Captain Martin V. Merritt will be in attendance at the services.

A card party was held May 26 at the parish hall of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Hicksville, by the Women's Auxiliary. Mrs. Homire was the high scorer in pinochle, Mrs. Yurchuck in buncos and Anne Bowles was the first non-player. Mrs. Copeland won a cake as a special prize.

A radio was awarded to Dolores Goodwin of Williston Park during a card party Friday night at the firehouse sponsored by the Hicksville Fire Auxiliary. Mrs. Mary Stirrat won a cash door prize.

High scores were: Mrs. Alvina Koehler, bridge; Miss Clara Navrot, pinochle; and Jene Costa, buncos. Mrs. William Cislser was the first non-player. Mrs. Dyckman, chairman, wishes to thank all those who helped make the affair a success.

Francis DeCabis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carmen DeCabis of Centle St., Hicksville, celebrated his First Holy Communion with a party at his home on Decoration Day for friends and relatives.

Jewish Hospital for Nurses in Philadelphia. The groom is a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy.

**Miss Ruth Waldeck Becomes Bride At Trinity Lutheran**

Miss Ruth Waldeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Waldeck of 193 Old Country Ed., Hicksville, became the bride of Louis Amoroso, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Amoroso of West Virginia, Sunday, June 5, at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Hicksville, at 4:30 p. m.

The bride wore a white marquisette gown and a fingertip veil held in place with a crown of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Ruth Waldeck, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and her only attendant. She wore a pale green marquisette gown and a large picture hat. She carried yellow roses.

John Lund of Mineola was the best man. A reception was held at the Blue Terrace, East Hempstead. After a wedding trip the newlyweds will reside in Hempstead.

**ENGAGEMENT TOLD**  
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mouldenhauer of Bergen, Norway, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elsa, to Andrew Gossett, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gossett of Jericho. The wedding will take place this month at the Little Norwegian Church, Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kantor of Duffy Lane, Hicksville, will observe their 40th (ruby) wedding anniversary tomorrow (Thursday).

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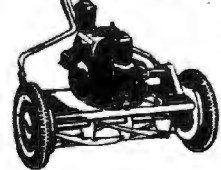
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### Home Bureau Work On Display Tuesday

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Samples of work completed by the members during the year will be on display. Local Bureau work projects during the year have included leather gloves, re-covering of lamp shades, shell jewelry, canning, dresses and hassocks.

It's a courtesy to your out-of-town guests to mention their visit in the social notes. Phone Hicksville 3-1400.

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To Joseph Navratil a/k/a Joseph Navratil

SEND GREETINGS: Upon the petition of Barbara Navratil residing at RFD #2 Hempstead Turnpike, Hicksville, County of Nassau, State of New York, as distributee of the estate of Joseph Navratil, Jr. late of same address, Nassau County Deceased,

You and each of you are hereby cited to show cause before our Surrogate of the County of Nassau, at the Surrogate's Court of said County, held at the County Court House, at Mineola, in the County of Nassau, on the 15th day of June 1949, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why this court should not establish the value of the estate of said Joseph Navratil, Jr. deceased, as of the time of his death, why this court should not establish petitioner's right of inheritance in the real property owned by said Joseph Navratil, Jr. deceased, and the respective rights, if any, of any other heirs of said Joseph Navratil, Jr. deceased.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court of our said County of Nassau to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, HON. LEONE D. HOWELL, Surrogate of our said County of Nassau, at the Surrogate's Office, at Mineola, in the said County, the 28th day of April one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

J. Henry Dreyer, Deputy Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

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TO JOSEF NAVRATIL a/k/a JOSEPH NAVRATIL

The foregoing supplemental citation is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Leone D. Howell, Surrogate of Nassau County dated 29 April 1949 and filed with the petition in the office of the Clerk of the Surrogate's Court at the County Court House at Mineola, County of Nassau and State of New York.

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MR. AND MRS. SAMMON

Newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. William Sammon, greet guests at a reception held at the home of the bride's parents after their marriage on May 7 at St. Ignatius Church, Hicksville. The bride is the former Miss Franca Esposito, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Esposito of 29 Ninth St., Hicksville. The groom is the son of Mrs. Kathryn Sammon of Pa. The couple are now living at 29 Ninth St., Hicksville. (Boeritzel Photo)

### Catholic Daughters Hold Installation

Mrs. Joseph Ofenloch and her staff of officers of the Catholic Daughters of Hicksville were installed Thursday night, June 2, at the K. of C. Clubhouse. Miss Florence Costello, district deputy, was the installing officer.

Mrs. Ofenloch presented a little gift to the following retiring officers: Mrs. William Way, Mrs. John Dooley, Mrs. Vincent McGunnie and Mrs. Caroline Klevanosky.

Officers installed were: Miss Louise Wetterauer, vice-grand regent; Mrs. Helene Klevanosky, prophetess; Mrs. Dorothy Kent, lecturer; Mrs. Philip Schlosser, historian; Miss Evelyn McCabe, financial secretary; Mrs. Stephen Smatlak, treasurer; Miss Dorothy Rettberg, monitor; Mrs. Florence Danhardt, sentinel; Mrs. Lawrence Roman, organist; and the Rev. George M. Bittermann, chaplain.

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### Florence Spiezo Becomes Bride Of George Remy

Miss Florence Spiezo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Spiezo of 163 Woodbury Rd., Hicksville, became the bride of George Remy, Sunday, June 5, at St. Ignatius Church, Hicksville, at 4 p. m. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Remy of 75 Bethpage Rd., Hicksville.

The bride was gowned in white slipper satin styled with a high neckline and long sleeves. The fitted bodice had a wide sash at the hipline which tied into a bustle in back and the full skirt ended in a train. Her fingertip veil fell from a queen's crown of seed pearls and rhine stones. She carried gardenias and white roses.

Miss Rose Martarello of Hicksville was the maid of honor. She wore a Nile green taffeta gown and a Nile green tiara with a shoulder-length veil. She carried a basket of pink roses.

The three bridesmaids were Miss Patricia Marrs and Miss Jessie DeMonaco, both of Hicksville, and Miss Gertrude Wansor of Glen Cove. They wore lavender taffeta gowns and tiaras in lavender with shoulder-length veils. They carried baskets of yellow roses.

Louis Remy, brother of the groom, was the best man. Peter Maestri of Brooklyn, Clifford Raush and Angelo Martarello, both of Hicksville, ushered.

A reception for about 500 guests was held at the Dell Asunta Hall, Westbury, at 7 p. m. After a honeymoon, the newlyweds will reside on Prospect Ave., Westbury.

### PLAN CHURCH PICNIC

A picnic on the parsonage grounds of St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, Hicksville, will be held by the Ladies' Aid on July 20 at 1:30 p. m. Plans for the picnic were discussed at a meeting Wednesday evening, June 1. In case of rain, the affair will be held in the church. Mrs. Howard Rogers, Mrs. Henry Boos and Mrs. Eugene Kreider are in charge of arrangements.

A rummage sale will be held on September 14, 15 and 16 in some store on Broadway. The society will not meet during the summer months.

Mrs. August Nouel of 115 Park Ave., Hicksville, was hostess at a House of Regent party Tuesday evening, May 31, at her home. Mrs. Mildred Hartig of Hicksville was the demonstrator.

Guests included: Mrs. Henry Christiansen, Mrs. W. Soldwedel, Mrs. Irving Jessor, Mrs. F. E. Youngs, Mrs. M. J. Halleran, Mrs. Everal Halleran, Mrs. A. Lanziera, Mrs. Zuest, Mrs. B. Cornulada and Mrs. D. Giese.

A card party will be held tonight (Wednesday) at the parish hall of St. Martin of Tours Church, Bethpage, by the Rosary Society. Cards start at 8:30 p. m.

The Hicksville Woman's Club will make a historical tour of Long Island this Saturday, June 11. The women will meet at the high school and Second St., at 10 a. m.

Miss Audrey M. Place, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Place of West John St., Hicksville, will wed Helmuth Louis Karstadt of Williston Park this Sunday, June 12, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Williston Park.

### Legion Auxiliary Selects Local Girl For Girl's State

A Hicksville girl will attend Girls' State at Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, under the auspices of the Charles Wagner Legion Auxiliary, it was announced at a meeting of the auxiliary Friday night. The girl will be selected for her scholarship, leadership and sportsmanship. She must be a junior in high school and between the ages of 14 and 17 years. She will attend Girls' State from June 24 to July 2.

The first card party to be held in the newly redecorated clubhouse will be held on Friday, June 24. Mrs. Catherine Ballenger is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Henry C. Brengel, chairman of the cancer dressing committee, reported that the auxiliary will continue to make the dressings on the second and fourth Thursday afternoon of each month. The committee is temporarily meeting at Mrs. Brengel's home.

Mrs. William Kerbs will attend the 10 district conference on June 18 at Uniondale. Mrs. Kerbs and President Mrs. J. J. Jabour will attend a luncheon of the Nassau County Committee on July 9 at the Freeport Elks Club.

### TO WEDNESDAY

Miss Inge Mieth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mieth of West Ave., Hicksville, has completed plans for her marriage to John A. Doht, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Doht of Roosevelt, on Sunday, June 12. The ceremony will take place at 4 p. m. in the Trinity Lutheran Church, West Nicholas St., Hicksville.

Mrs. Bernard Mieth, sister-in-law of the bride-elect, will be the matron of honor. The bridesmaids will be Miss Marion Brown, Miss Patricia Simmons, Mrs. Norma Blessee and Miss Gloria Fowler. Barbara Wik will be the flower girl.

Among other parties held for First Holy Communion on Decoration Day were those of Ann Empting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Empting of W. Nicholas St., and Jeanne Roman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Roman of Notre Dame Ave., Hicksville.

The dramatic group of the Bethpage Methodist Church Fellowship is now rehearsing "Room 83," a farce, to be presented at the church on June 23 following church services.

Social items may be phoned in. Call Hicksville 3-1400.

List your fall club affairs in the Herald Community Calendar to avoid conflicting dates. Phone Hicksville 3-1400.

### GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise party was held for Mrs. John Kasten of Hicksville in honor of her birthday Saturday, June 4, at the home of Mrs. William Metzger, 25 Charles St., Hicksville. Cards were played and refreshments were served.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Barnwater of New Hyde Park, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gordon of Oyster Bay, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Raynor of Wantagh, Henry Feldman of Lindenhurst, Mr. and Mrs. William Metzger, Mrs. Robert Swain, Miss Anna Chomyk, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luhnmann, Mrs. Helen Hennessy, Mrs. C. Homeyer, Mrs. Mina Korfitzen and Mr. and Mrs. John Kasten, all of Hicksville.

### Civics Dine On June 29

A dinner-dance marking the installation of officers of the Hicksville Civic and Community Assoc. is planned for Wednesday evening, June 29, at the South Shore Terrace, Merrick. William L. Geyer is chairman of arrangements.

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### Miss Eleanor Weyer Weds August Heuer

Miss Eleanor Weyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Weyer of 11 West John St., Hicksville, became the bride of August Heuer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heuer of 110 Halsey Ave., Hicksville, Sunday afternoon, June 5. The ceremony took place at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Hicksville, at 3 p. m.

The bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with a floral applique, off-the-shoulder effect bodice. The full skirt folded into a train. Her fingertip veil was held in place with a seed pearl crown. She carried gardenias and white gladioli.

Miss Irene Weyer, sister of the bride, was the main of honor and only attendant. She wore a pale pink taffeta gown and a tiara of pale pink roses.

Louis Dettloff of Hicksville was the best man. The ushers were Dillard Weyer, brother of the bride, and Gerald Becan of Hicksville.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Following a honeymoon up state, the young couple will make their home on Fifth St., Bethpage.

### Little Theatre Group In 'Dear Ruth' Tonight

The Little Theatre Workshop will present "Dear Ruth" tonight (Wednesday) under the auspices of the Hempstead-Elks Club in the Elks auditorium at 8:30 p. m. Proceeds go to the Elks Charity and Welfare funds.

Dr. Philip Rubenstein of Hicksville is director of the group. Mrs. Irene Hartman, also of Hicksville, will play the part of the mother.

### Girls Enjoy Plane Ride

Two Hicksville girls enjoyed an airplane ride over the mid-island area this week, taking advantage of flights offered by the Hicksville Airpark at the recent youth dance of the Robert L. Bacon Republican Club. The girls were Barbara Sager, 54 Willoughby Ave. and Ariene Fox, 202 Duffy Ave.

### Children's Day Service At First Reformed Church

A Children's Day exercises sponsored by the Sunday School will be held at the First Reformed Church, Hicksville, this Sunday morning, June 12, at 11 a. m. John E. Christ is in charge of arrangements. A special address, "The First Children's Day," will be made by Dr. Gosselink.

The last meeting of the season of the Wisdom Lane P-TA, Levittown, will be held Tuesday, June 14, at the school at 8:30 p. m. Mrs. C. Meredith Springer, L. I. P-TA director, will install Mrs. Irma Bacharach and her staff of newly elected officers.

Mrs. Paul Diefenbach, music director of the school, will present a music program. The glee club will entertain and Lynn Canaday and Claude Parker will render several piano selections.

### CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darling of 5 Bethpage Rd., Hicksville, were the guests of honor at a party held Monday night, June 6, in honor of their 40th (ruby) wedding anniversary. The affair was given by their family and friends and held at the home of Mr. and Elmer Kroemer, 130 West Marie St., Hicksville. The rooms were beautifully decorated and the honored guests received many gifts and messages of congratulations.

## Movie Time Table

HUNTINGTON THEATRE	
Wed., June 8	Stratton Story, 12:50 3:00 5:15 7:30 9:50
Thurs., June 9	Blanche Fury, 1:00 4:00 7:10 10:20
Northwest Stampede, 2:40 5:50 8:55	
Sun. to Tues., June 12 to 14	Barkley's of Broadway, 12:50 3:05 5:25 7:45 10:05
Fri., June 10	Champion, 12:50 4:00 7:10 10:25
Plunderers, 2:35 5:45 9:00	
Sat., June 11	Champion, 12:45 4:00 7:25 10:50
Plunderers, 2:35 5:55 9:20	
AMITYVILLE THEATRE	
Wed., June 8	The Fan, 2:54 7:39 9:39
Thurs., Fri., June 9, 10	El Paso, 2:30 8:47
Alias Nick Beal, 4:13 7:00 10:30 9:45	
Sat., June 11	El Paso, 3:00 6:15 9:45
Alias Nick Beal, 4:44 8:00	
HICKSVILLE PLAYHOUSE	
Wed., June 8	Submarine, 2:00 5:14 8:20
Count of Monte Cristo, 3:20 6:30 9:45	
Thurs. to Sat., June 9 to 11	Let's Live a Little, 2:15 5:20 8:20
He Walked by Night, 3:40 6:40 9:45	
Sun. to Tues., June 12 to 14	Impact 3:50 7:40
My Dear Secretary, 2:00 5:45 9:30	
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Kiss In The Dark, 2:40 5:45 9:00	
South Of St. Louis, 1:00 4:00 7:20 10:35	

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### Legal Advertisement

COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 26 OF THE TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD NEW YORK

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL DISTRICT MEETING

June 15, 1949

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Trustees adopted May 12, 1949, a special district meeting of the qualified voters of Common School District No. 26 of the Town of Hempstead will be held at the School House, Hempstead Turnpike, Island Trees, Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, in said School District, on June 15, 1949, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. (D.S.T.), for the purpose of voting upon the proposition stated below. The voting will be by ballot as provided by the Education Law and the polls will remain open from 8:00 o'clock P.M. (D.S.T.) until 10:00 o'clock P.M. (D.S.T.) and as much longer as may be necessary to enable the voters then present to cast their ballots:

**Proposition**  
**RESOLVED:**  
(a) That the Board of Trustees of Common School District No. 26 of the Town of Hempstead, County of Nassau, New York, is hereby authorized:

Children's Day at Levittown Community Church will be held this Sunday, June 12, at 10 a. m. Mrs. John J. Reiberg will conduct the service.

A supper by the combined societies of the church will be held this Saturday, June 11, at the church at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Charles Gleason is chairman.

Boys and girls of Levittown are reminded to register by June 26 for the Vacation Bible School which will start on July 5 at the Levittown Community Church.

### Legal Advertisement

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received for the installation of water mains and appurtenances by the Board of Water Commissioners of the Hicksville Water District, Nassau County, New York, at the office of the Water Commissioners, 85 Bethpage Road, Hicksville, N. Y., until 7:30 P.M. Daylight Saving Time, June 16, 1949, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

Any bid received after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids will be returned to the bidder unopened. The information to Bidders, Bid Form, Contract Form, Plans and Specifications may be examined and obtained at the office of Sidney B. Bowne, Engineer, 222 Front Street, Mineola, N. Y.

All inquiries must be addressed to the Engineer. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond made payable and in the amount set forth in the information to Bidders.

Attention of Bidders is called to the Schedule of Prevailing Wages as set forth in the information to Bidders and made a part of the Specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish performance bond as the information to Bidders provides.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality in any bid and to accept such bid or bids as to the Board appears for the best interest of the District.

Dated May 26, 1949.  
Board of Water Commissioners  
Hicksville Water District.  
Harry Borley, Chairman  
Laurence W. Ewan  
Charles E. Colthurst., (6-1/8)

(1) To acquire by purchase or condemnation as the site of a new elementary school building hereinafter referred to.

ALL that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Bethpage, Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the northerly side of Farmegee Road opposite a monument which marks the boundary line between land now or formerly of Rowell and land of Wojtyniak; running thence North 2 degrees 2 minutes 3 seconds East 545 feet along the boundary line referred to above to a point; running thence South 87 degrees 57 minutes 57 seconds East 1125.92 feet along other land of Wojtyniak to a point on the westerly side of Farmegee Road; running thence along the westerly and northerly side of Farmegee Road the following several courses and distances: South 26 degrees 5 minutes 10 seconds West 63.94 feet to a point; thence South 47 degrees 34 minutes 00 seconds West 699.82 feet to a point; thence North 87 degrees 37 minutes 14 seconds West 600.07 feet to a point; thence North 87 degrees 19 minutes 22 seconds West 0.38 feet to the point or place of beginning; containing an area within said bounds of 11.0345 acres.

and to expend for such acquisition, including preliminary costs of surveys and costs incidental to such acquisition, a sum not to exceed \$23,500.00.

(2) to construct on the site hereinabove referred to a new elementary school building, to purchase the necessary original furnishings, equipments, machinery or apparatus required for such building, to grade and improve such site, and to expend for such object or purpose, including preliminary costs and costs incidental, a sum not to exceed \$575,000.00.

(b) That a tax is hereby voted for the foregoing objects or purposes in the amount of \$398,500.00 to be levied and collected in installments in such years and in such amounts as may be determined by the Board of Trustees;

(c) That, in anticipation of the collection of said tax, bonds of the District are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount of not exceeding \$398,500.00 and that a tax is hereby voted to pay the interest on the said bonds when due.

OSCAR STREESEMAN  
District Clerk

By order of the Board of Trustees  
Dated: May 12, 1949

BOY SCOUTS of Troop 91, Hicksville, receive instructions in the use of the respirator during a recent visit to the firehouse. Fire fighting methods and equipment were demonstrated by Chief Daniel Munch. Fireman E. Kessler applies the respirator mask to Scout H. Stark while Chief Munch (kneeling) operates the machine. Others watching, l to r, are Scouts P. Delay, R. Norman and V. Cramer. Michael Fusello is scoutmaster of the troop. (Photo by James G. Carter, Hicksville S.C.)

### Permit Businesses On Hempstead Tpke.

Oyster Bay Town Board has approved the change of zoning in three properties on Hempstead tpke., Bethpage, from Residential D to Business G, prescribing a 25-foot front setback in each case.

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The property of Central Park Holding Corp., with 189 feet on the south side of the tpke. is near Nibbe Ave. The land of John M. Retzler, Jr., runs west 121 feet from the corner of Union Ave. on the south side of the tpke., and the third parcel is owned by Helen L. Kappstatter on the north side with a frontage of 271 feet on the Tpke.

Resolutions approving the change of zone were adopted on May 24.

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By HOWARD FINNEGAN

At the last meeting of the Mid-Island Herald Softball League all seven teams represented voted to reopen the player rosters and allow three adjustments per entry.

Personally we disapprove of such a practice, but the clubs wanted it that way and so it should be. However, when the games loom more and more important towards the finish, you can expect to hear a good deal of lamenting.

Already we have heard the blues being played in more than one quarter. And our only objection to that is the hypocritical tune being rendered.

It is like the child who goes to the circus and is exceedingly happy if the prize in the grab bag is good, but angry if it is not. Only in this case everyone knew beforehand just what was going to be their and the other fellows' prize as well.

The New York State Department of Conservation has delivered 200 pheasant chicks to the Hicksville Sportsmen Club which are now being raised on the Bostwick Estate in Old Westbury.

When the pheasants are eight weeks old they will be released on unposted land somewhere in Nassau County. The Sportsmen are also expecting 25 pair of quail and a shipment of cock pheasants. The fowl are raised at the expense of the Hicksville Club.

A spokesman for the Sportsmen wants us to relay a message from the Game Wardens of Mid-Island area to our readers. All bound owners are reminded that they cannot run or train their hunting dogs afield from the period between April 1st and September 1st. Anyone doing so during the breeding period of the smaller animals will be subjected to a fine if caught.

It was four years ago this week that Ed Coleman gave the greatest exhibition of shot putting scholastic circles in this State has ever seen. It was at the 1945 Sectional Championships at Hofstra College that he made his blistering assault on the record books.

The then existing mark of 54 feet 11 inches was held by Win Wright of Freeport. These, in their order, were Coleman's heaves: 54 feet 6 1/2 inches, 55 feet 3 1/2 inches, 55 feet 2 1/2 inches, 55 feet 6 inches, 56 feet 4 1/2 inches (present record) and 54 feet 9 1/2 inches.

In the Minor League trading this week, Dick Matschut, Hicksville infielder, who, after completing his work for the O&B, later played with the East Meadow Boosters, Bethpage A.A. and Hempstead Cubs, has been sent from the Clarksville (Tenn.) club of the Class D Kitty League to Matton (Ill.) of the Class D Mississippi-Ohio Valley League.

Many Hicksville High track followers were surprised that the O&B broad jumping record was under 22 feet. Many of them insist that it was and won't be shaken. To be frank, we thought it was too.

### DeVine No-Hits Roslyn In Finale

The four-year Hicksville High pitcher Billy De Vine came to an end with sheer brilliance when the 19-year-old graduating senior climaxed his notable efforts in behalf of the Orange and Black with a 1-0, no-hit win over Roslyn.

For the most part De Vine's pitching has been submerged in the inept play of the Comets, but at times, of its own strength, it has achieved outstanding results. None were greater than the last.

The dark-haired left-hander did not allow a hit, struck out 12

batters and walked only one man. His mates committed two harmless errors in his support.

And it was a stern test. Eddie Miller doubled in the first inning for the only Hicksville hit of the day and the game worked along until the game Miller scored the winning run in the last of the seventh.

He walked, stole second and came flying home on an infield error.

The Comets closed down their season with a 4-2 loss to the divisional champion, Farmingdale.

### Mid-Island Herald Community Softball League — Round Three Standings

Team	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.
Breen's All Stars	2	0	0	4
Long Island Nationals	2	0	0	4
Lions	2	1	0	4
Grinders	1	0	0	2
Botto Bros	1	0	0	2
Russlers	1	2	0	2
Jericho FD	1	1	0	2
Farmers	0	2	0	0
Locust Grove	0	1	0	0
Post Office	0	3	0	0

### This Week's Schedule Of Games

Wednesday (Tonight)—Farmers vs. Jericho.  
 Thursday—Grinders vs. LI Nationals.  
 Friday—Locust Grove vs. Farmers.  
 Monday—Lions vs. Botto Bros.  
 Tuesday—Post Office vs. Breen's All Stars.

## Nationals Advance In Softball Loop

Generated by a home run off the bat of Tommy O'Brien, the Long Island Nationals opened their Mid-Island Herald Softball League campaign with wins over the Lions and the Post Office, last week, to pick up four quick points and become a hot favorite for a playoff berth in August.

Following the surprise defeat, the Lions came back against the

Russlers and unloaded their big guns for a 13-8 win to stay in a first place tie. Breen's All Stars kept pace with the leaders by rolling over Locust Grove 9-1.

Although the responsibility rests elsewhere, the scorebook charges Bill Bordiuk and Teddy Spith with the defeats at the hands of the Nationals. That is a

trick most of the better teams in the County would like to be able to turn in one week.

Bordiuk extended his hitless inning streak to 12 before the Nationals touched him for a single in the fifth. At that time he was winning 2-0, thanks to a home run by himself and a single which resulted in a score by Paul Olynik.

In the sixth, a walk and an error by Pete Zeiber put two men on for the Nationals. O'Brien then stepped up and belted a three-run homer into rightfield to win the ball game. Ed Warnke singled and scored later in the inning to make it 4-2.

Ted Smith, a recent transfer from Botto Bros., found that the Post Office could give him little support and he lost, 4-2. George Cheslock handled the mound chores for Don Grecco and gave up just three hits in the late innings.

### Loyolas Lose At Jones Beach

Only the hope that history repeats itself consoles the Hicksville Loyolas now.

Two years ago the Blue dropped a 3-2 Jones Beach Elimination game to Teddy Smith and the Republic Racers, but were later accepted into the loop.

Sunday the Loyolas lost 6-1 to the same outfit under the same circumstances and stand only an outside chance of a 1949 bid.

An invitation by the selection

committee would seem to rest on Bill Bordiuk's mound reputation, three snappy infield double plays and a tremendous game of fielding by Billy Byrnes at first base.

### SEA CLIFF STAYS UNBEATEN

Sea Cliff's powerful baseball combine remained unbeaten Sunday and killed off any lofty ambitions of the Hicksville A.A. by winning a 9-3 decision at Hicks-

## Let's Go Fishing

With LeRoy Parr

From all sections of the United sportsmen are coming to live in Nassau. To you, who have settled recently on Long Island, I wish to introduce our marine wildlife. Our fresh water fishing is nothing to boast about, although we do have a few good trout streams and a few bass lakes, unfortunately these are mostly privately owned. Each year the State Conservation Dept. stocks large numbers of trout in lakes and ponds and streams. Most of the streams we have are usually near and feed into bays and inlets and at high tide the water becomes brackish.

But to you fresh water fisherman, a good substitute for trout is the weakfish, sometimes called the sea trout. If you're a bass fisherman you'll find the sea bass and the blackfish will match similar characteristics to the Large and Small-mouthed bass. If you're the kind that just goes out to catch some fish for the table, you'll have little trouble catching a few pairs of flounders, porgies or blowfish.

### LOCAL FISHING RESULTS

Peconic Bay  
 Numerous party boats going out of the ports over Memorial Day weekend found good fishing Saturday and Sunday, and fair fishing Monday. The weakfish were caught mostly on weightless drifting lines. Worms seemed to be the best bait, although squid was fairly successful.

In the Great Peconic, the best grounds at the present are Middle Grounds during the running tides and Jessups Neck during the slack tide.

May 29, a short but dangerous squall hit Long Island. In Peconic it took the lives of four people when their small rowboat overturned. Any large body of water can be dangerous, and certain safety measures should be taken. No more than two people to a rowboat, and if a storm hits, the oars should be laid flat in the boat and the persons lay flat in the middle part of the boat and brace themselves to keep from rolling and let the boat drift.

Long Island Sound  
 In the Sound, the flounders are running well and it looks like a good year for tautog or blackfish. Atlantic Ocean

On the ocean mackerel and porgies are being caught by boats leaving Freeport. In the Great South Bay, fluke and weakfish are starting to run. Flounders are letting off.

### Botto Bros Wins In Suffolk 12-5

Botto Bros. ripped into the major softball picture with 12 runs and 13 hits at Huntington Friday night to whip the All Stars of that village, 12-5.

Manager Joe Smith pitched the first eight innings for his club and had little trouble while the decision was forming. When he turned over the last inning to his brother Teddy, Hicksville was in front 12-3.

Joe blasted a big home run and a double, and his other brothers, John and Stan, contributed doubles. They were the only extra base blows Botto's made, but the winners got good mileage out of their singles.

### AA Host Sunday

Great Neck visits Hicksville, Sunday, for a Long Island Baseball League game at the High School field. There is a possibility that the fast-moving A.A. will face Carl Braun and retort with its own ace, George Lehmann, in what is expected to be a tight mound duel.

### Levitt Is County Broad Jump King

Establishing a new record of 21 feet 5 1/2 inches, Milton Levitt of Hicksville High won the Broad Jump title at the Nassau County NYSPHSAA Track and Field championships held at Sewanhaka Saturday.

In beating out Ed Pasquaia of Garden City by a foot, Levitt erased from the books the old mark created by Mel Riddick of Valley Stream in 1936.

Levitt's eight points enabled the Orange and Black to land in a triple tie for eighth place in the

meet with Port Washington and Manhasset.

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### Syosset Tangles With Hicksville

Behind the two-hit hurling of Pitcher Boyle, Mineola's PBC tamed Syosset PBC 7-2 at Syosset, Saturday. Breaking loose in the 6th inning with 4 hits, coupled with two costly local miscues, they nailed the ball game down with five big runs, to sew up what had been a tight pitchers' duel up to that point.

Hicksville and Syosset tangle this Saturday at Syosset in what should be a hard played game, considering the local rivalry.

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