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YMCA Interests Kiwanis, Club Studies Huntington

HICKSVILLE—The Kiwanis Club is inviting a group of prominent citizens to attend an interclub luncheon meeting with Huntington Club on June 20 when it is planned to discuss the organization of a YMCA for the mid-island area.

This Saturday morning, June 20, the club will send off 26 children who will be the guests of the club at Kama, Kiwanis under a program directed by Dr. Charles Mask. The children will make the trip to camp in a bus.

Win Trophies at Lynbrook

LYNBROOK—Mid-Island fire dept racing teams won trophies at the Nassau County Firemen's Assoc. tournament here on Saturday.

The Hicks of Hicksville under Capt. George McCue won two trophies, taking third in motor hose class B and four in motor hose, Class C.

The Jericho Bachelor Boys took first place in motor pump while the Plainamen of Plainview Fire Dept captured the fifth place trophy in efficiency.

The Massapequa Indians took first place in the day's competition among 37 entries, scoring 18.5 points.

The morning parade saw the Hicksville Fire Dept ladies auxiliary parading in their new uniforms for the first time. More than 50 members of the Hicksville Dept led by Chiefs Arnold Jeanson and Asst Medard Ofenloch paraded at the head of the first division.

Call for Bids on School Jobs

HICKSVILLE—The Board of Education will open bids on Monday night, June 28, upon projects for the improvement of the high school and Nicholas St school buildings, according to District Clerk Andrew B. Heberer. At the high school, the installation of folding partitions in the gymnasium is planned, increasing the number of gym teaching stations. Work at Nicholas School will include installation of a sprinkler system, heating and electrical work and "rehabilitation and alterations".

Bidder information is available from Knappe and Johnson, school architects, at 890 East 150th St., New York City.

Award Program At Lee School

HICKSVILLE—The Lee Ave Parent-Teacher Assoc. will present its second banquet and award program Sunday, June 27. The banquet for the sixth grade class will be held at 5 P.M. The award program, at which the public is invited, will be conducted at 7 P.M.

This year the award presentation will be held at the outdoor area in front of the school. In addition to the elaborate preparations, over 700 seats will be available for those who desire to attend.

A very pleasant surprise for the sixth grade class in addition to the awards is the turkey supper prepared under the excellent supervision of Mrs. Mary Neglia and her committee.

Allan S. Carpenter, former school board member and Cub Scout leader, will be the principal speaker. The entire program will have a background of choral music sung by Lee School's 5th Grade Choir.

MAKE BROADWAY ONE-WAY?

Chamber Seeks Changes To Ease Traffic Problems

HICKSVILLE—With a new date in August set for a Public Service Commission hearing upon preparation of plans for LIRR grade crossing elimination here, efforts were being concentrated today upon improvement of traffic conditions in the community. A committee of the Chamber of Commerce is scheduled to meet with State Highway authorities at Babylon, today (Tuesday). Suggestions being offered include the possible change of Broadway traffic to one-way direction.

Michael Sullivan, chairman of the R.R. grade crossing committee, told Chamber directors at lunch yesterday that he had been advised by Assemblyman John J. Burns that the PSC hearing, probably in New York City, has been set for Aug. 18. It was originally scheduled for June 24 and then rescinded.

The Chamber traffic committee, led by Francis Anderson, has a date with the State Public Works Dept at Babylon to continue talks on local conditions. A preliminary conference with Supervisors Lewis N. Waters and Councilman Frank Chlumsky won the backing of the township. Since Broadway and Newbridge Rd are state highways, this cooperation of Babylon is now being sought, Anderson said.

Among proposals to ease traffic movement in Hicksville, which must be tried and checked before a case can be offered to the PSC to prove that R. R. grade crossings are a hazard and detriment, are those banning certain left turns, particularly into the parking field opposite the firehouse on W. Marie St.

The circular movement of autos by making a portion of Broadway and Jerusalem Ave one-way streets has also been suggested and there are indications that such a plan may be given a try-out this summer.

Patrick Buffalino, chairman of the retailers committee, told the Chamber directors that all retailers are being invited to a meeting tomorrow (Wednesday) night at 75 Broadway to make final arrangements for Dollar Days, July 15 thru 17.

OPPOSITION TO APARTMENTS:

Civics, Town May Confer June 29

By JAMES CUMMINGS
HICKSVILLE—A 25-member committee of the North West Civic Assoc. and other interested parties met Thursday evening at the home of Jerry Zettler to spark community-wide objections to proposed Garden Apartments on Princess Ave. here.

Councilman Frank Chlumsky was contacted on phone by Bernard Gill, President of the Civic Assn. that evening and agreed to present a request for the group to be heard in person at Oyster Bay, on opposition to the application. A tentative date was given by Chlumsky as

June 29, which he would verify, according to Gill. President Gill requested that Chlumsky arrange an evening meeting "so that all objectors may be heard." He advised he would check and call back after speaking with Supervisor Lewis Waters.

Gill told the committee that Chlumsky would try to have, in addition to the Supervisor, two other Town Board members present at the meeting. The Executive Board of the Association then voted to seek legal counsel for presentation of objections at the June 29 hearing.

Several local attorneys were contacted, and President Gill announced that they have engaged Mr. Doolittle to handle the legal end.

On June 15 in Oyster Bay, Zettler, Vice-President of the Assoc., asked the board to "reserve decision" on this application until the Association could have time to study it. That same evening at a special meeting the Association went on record to object to the garden apartments, "as it would be a down-grading of this section." Residents of Princess Avenue also appeared at Oyster Bay with a 149- (Continued on Page 10)

False Fire Calls Bring Warning

HICKSVILLE—An urgent plea and a warning was issued by the officials of the fire district today in an effort to curb the excessive number of false alarms of fire. There have been 25 false alarms since the beginning of this year. There were two on a single day, within a space of two hours, June 14.

Board to Engage Transport Head

HICKSVILLE—The Board of Education is planning to hire a professional educator who will be put in charge of transportation problems of the school district; it was learned following a special meeting of the Board, Wednesday night. The Board vote was split, 8 to 2, on the decision. Emil Szendy and Arthur L. Erich voted together in objecting to the stipulation that the transportation director must be "an educator".

There was growing speculation in the community this week regarding the chairmanship of the School Board when reorganization meeting is held shortly after July 1. Henry C. Brengel, the incumbent president, is retiring after 20 years service as a trustee.

He will be succeeded on the Board by Joseph F. Cawley who was elected at the annual meeting in May. Edna Kuhne Sutton, presently vice president of the board, who was re-elected for her third three-year term, is considered the strongest likely choice.

The plea was made in an effort to obtain the cooperation of parents. They are urged to warn their children of the hazards to life and property involved in giving a false notice of fire or emergency.

The warning was promised that persons found giving false alarms will be severely dealt with as the law provides.

Volunteer firemen were called to West Ave and Malone St for a false alarm at 11:21 Monday morning, June 14. At 1:45 P.M. the same day, they were called out for a second false alarm at Alexander and Volte Aves.

Firemen also answered three silent alarms during the week. There was a grass fire next to the R.R. off Burns Ave on June 12 and another grass fire at 8:50 Saturday, June 19, off New South Rd near Field Ave. An oil burner caused concern for the family at the Roselle residence at 58 Summer Lane and called out the vamps at 11:56 A.M., Friday.

OYSTER BAY—Mid-Island fire departments will be represented this Saturday, June 26, when the Southern New York Volunteer Firemen's parade and tournament is held here.



NO MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT is used in the running of an efficiency contest scheduled between the five companies of Hicksville Fire Dept for two o'clock this Sunday afternoon, June 27, on McAllester Ave, off Old Country Rd. Eight men on a team, upon a given signal, drag three

lengths of hose, coupling them on the way, and aim a stream of water at a target 125 feet from the hydrant. Here are members of Emergency Co 5 in their recent contest with the Hook and Ladder Co.—Dragging the hose, reading from left, are Roger Brown, 2nd Lt Anthony Cannizzaro,

1st Lt Andrew Claus, John McGranahan, Walter Werthessen, Andrew Yatras, Clifford Doering and Robert Wathey. Photo by Dick Mallett was taken just as the signal to go was given. In Competition this Sunday afternoon, the five companies will run the course twice.

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LOCUST GROVE—Work on the third expansion of Oyster Bay Town's incinerator here will get under way as soon as plans and specifications are drawn up by Consulting Engineer William Raisch of Garden City, who was appointed to the post this week by Supervisor Lewis N. Waters.

The incinerator was first constructed in 1936, with a 50-ton capacity, but rapid growth of the Township made it necessary to increase it to a 300-ton capacity three years ago. Continued growth taxed the incinerator to capacity almost as soon as it was finished.

Now, Supervisor Waters said, it will not only be necessary to increase the capacity by another 150 tons, but it will become necessary to make plans for another incinerator of similar capacity in another part of the Township. The Supervisor is now in the process of obtaining land for the new incinerator and it is expected that he will make an announcement about this in a few days.

Supervisor Waters said that while he anticipates that the in-

cinerator here will not be able to function at full capacity during its expansion and improvement, no garbage will be dumped in open pits while part of the incinerator is not in operation. Arrangements have been made, he said, to burn excess garbage in the Town of Hempstead's incinerator at Merrick, through the cooperation of Supervisor Hermann.

Consulting Engineer Raisch, an expert in his field, has served as an executive and engineer in large construction companies and has acted as consultant on public works projects in most of the Eastern states, the City of Chicago, Venezuela in South America, and in a number of Long Island communities. These projects have included incinerators, sewage disposal plants, drainage works, zoning and other municipal and state functions. He is the holder of more than 20 patents on furnaces for incinerators.

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Dear Jean:

GEORGE NEDER, Sr., former fire chief and one of the oldest active firemen in the community, has gone on the list of honorary firemen of co. no. 2. . . . After **HAWKIE** sold his wife that he had a "lifetime subscription" to the Herald, he got a bill for the same in almost the next day's mail. . . . Final details are still to be arranged, but it looks like that efficiency contest between the Plainview racing team and Co. 5 of Hicksville may take place on Sunday afternoon, July 4. Sharpening interest in the event is the fact that brother-in-law are officers in the competing units. . . . Labor Day tournament this year is being planned again for Levittown Parkway, Hicksville.

LAURITZ MELCHIOR is among the stars of the Jones Beach musical extravaganza "Arabian Nights", scheduled to visit the Hicksville Bohack store at the Centre Shops at 2 o'clock this Saturday afternoon, June 26. Also present to help Bohacks celebrate its 67th anniversary will be band leader **GUY LOMBARDO**. . . . Applications are being accepted this week until June 26 at Nassau County Police Headquarters, Mineola, from 1 to 4:30 daily from women who will be assigned to school crossing duty. Applicants must be 21 to 40 years of age, at least 5 feet two inches tall. Preference will be given to married women, mothers of school age children. They will be paid \$6 to \$9 a day.

Although the weather has been warm and pleasant for several weeks, summer became official yesterday (Monday), the first day of the season. . . .

Efforts to get some stop signs for Willford Blvd, Vincent Rd, Fulton Ave and Crescent Ave in Woodbury Gardens, Hicksville, found a civic leader going around and around this week. An appeal to the county police hq found the applicant referred to the precinct commander who referred the civic leader to the town highway dept which referred the same fellow to the town board. . . . Hicksville School Board has had a look at the preliminary plans for the four new school additions. . . .

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Opposition to Pompa Variance

OYSTER BAY—Residents of Miller Rd and Twinlawn Ave, Hicksville, are planning to present a petition of opposition when the Zoning Board of Appeals holds a hearing here on Thursday night, July 1, upon the application of Oriat L. Pompa. He seeks a variance to use property at 110 Miller Rd to store dump truck and a cement mixer. The petition of opposition states "we feel that the granting of this variance would degrade the surrounding residential property and that the storage of such heavy-duty industrial equipment on this property would destroy the intent of our residential zoning."

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The students of Mrs. Spatola's fourth grade at Old Country Rd. School in Hicksville participated in the contest sponsored by local merchants to select the "greatest dad". Entries of the 4th graders were among those cited by judges of the contest for special mention. John H. Christ of 172 Lee Ave., Hicksville, won the title of "greatest dad" in the community upon the basis of the entry by his daughter, Doty.

Billy LoDato of 7 Mead Ave., also of Hicksville, and a student of Mrs.

Spatola's class, was cited for "exceptional merit" on the basis of his entry.

Among the other outstanding entrants were: Allan Service, 62 East End Ave.; Richard Osborne, 129 Acra Lane; Alpha Coiro, 40 Apollo Lane; Irwin Carpenter, 11 Loretta Lane; Richard Embelton, 11 Burns Ave.; Richard and Russell Gillette, 80 Park Ave.; Joan Komar, 136 Dean St.

Also, Agnes Marie Minihan, 23 Mead Ave.; Fred Kunz, 17 Spruce St.; John Aloysius Matern Jr., 146 Nevada St.; Michael Cotsonas, 14 Gables Pk.; Gerald Abrams, 91 Underhill Ave.; John Furst, 44 Underhill Ave.; Larry Landow, 20 Bobwhite Lane.

Also, Candeta Cancellieri, 14 Bamboo Lane; Arlene Williams, 17 Mead Ave.; Raymond Saeger, 26 Alpine Lane; Davis Brown, 54 Arcadia Lane; Jill Gibbons, 1 Blueberry Lane; Peter Pasquasi, 177 Acra Lane; Jerry Heiss, 25 Bobwhite Lane; Marie Tussitto, 33 Arrow Lane; Kathy Dwyer, 2 Bobwhite Lane; John Korothy, 66 Bride Lane; Constance Williams, 201 9th St.

Also, Jeanette-Kordal, 17 Bamboo Lane; Johnny Metzger, 90 Blueberry Lane; Robert Knight, 179 Acra Lane; Gary Strobel, 125 East St.; Vivian Silkeld, 39 Bride Lane; Carol -Butter, 227 Duffy Ave.; Carmine Lindo, 20 Utica St.; Marilyn Rudloff, 20 Clarissa Dr.; John Edelman, 11 Bamboo Lane; and Karen Pluckiger, 8 Laurel St., all of Hicksville.

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Child Injured In School Yard

HICKSVILLE — Charles Treubas, age 8, of 21 Clarissa Dr., here, was taken to Meadowbrook Hospital on Friday evening, June 18, suffering a possible fracture of the right foot. Police report the child was hurt while playing on a slide in the rear of the Old Country Rd School.

Nicholai School Special Awards

HICKSVILLE — Principal Robbins announced that Nicholai St. School held its regular, year-end Special Awards Assembly on Tuesday, June 15. The high light of the program was the presentation of the Lions Club Award to the student who demonstrated excellence in Citizenship, Scholarship, and Fellowship. This award was given by L. C. McCaffrey of the Education Committee of the Lions to Margaret Mable of Mrs. Omelianoff's sixth grade.

Music Festival medals were awarded to John Trauth, John Eklund, Fred Hardeen and Gilbert Swick. Judith Yanof received honorable mention.

Special Merit Certificates were awarded to the following members of Mr. Walker's Safety Patrol: Manfred Klempel, Thomas Higgins, Volens Henningsen, Gilbert Swick, Rosalind Blue, Eileen Schneider, Mary Ann Wallace, Lynn Hamilton, Patricia Hiscoc, Bruce Kline, John Trauth, Mary D'Amato, Judith Benstock, Margaret Nabie, Lynn Yeeks, Francine Pave, William Wolfe, Fred Eichhorn, Peter Henneberger, Gerard Van Wart, William Ramos.

Ivara Bemberis, Captain of the Safety Patrol, received the Distinguished Service Certificate for his work during the year.

Both the Nicholai Band and the Nicholai Chorus under the direction of Myra Martini, performed during the assembly. The Bible reading and prayer were given by Diane Sculetts, and the Flag Honors were delivered by Clinton McGrath and Joseph Celantano.

FORM NEW P.T.A.
HICKSVILLE — Parents were invited to attend a meeting on the formation of a Parent-Teacher Assoc for the new Woodland Ave School last night (Monday), according to Principal James H. Walters.



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So. African Bishop Presides At Confraternity Graduation

HICKSVILLE—The Most Rev. John Riegler M.F.S.C. Bishop of Lydenburg, South Africa, presided over the Second Annual Confraternity Graduation of St. Ignatius, Loyola, here, on Monday, May 31st. The Mass was offered by Rev. Lawrence Ballweg, Moderator of the Confraternity. After the Mass the Graduates were addressed by

Rev. John Stolz of the Cathedral College of the Immaculate Conception. Fr. Stolz reminded the graduates of the privilege of the Catholic heritage that is theirs. He encouraged them to develop their faith by continued study and Catholic Action.

Bishop Riegler then presented Confraternity diplomas to the 30 graduates assisted by Fr. Ballweg. Special awards of honor were given to Marie Amodeo and Marie Krebs for their general excellence in religion.

Bishop Riegler also presented the 90 Honor Students of the Confraternity with Honor Awards and Gifts. A Communion breakfast which was attended by the graduates and parents, the 7th and 8th Grade Confraternity teachers and the Executive Board of the St. Ignatius Parish followed the ceremony.

Over 2,000 children attend Confraternity classes in St. Ignatius Parish. Sixty teachers instruct these children using the latest Audio-Visual aids. The children of the Confraternity have contributed over \$750.00 to the Propagation of the Faith during the past year. Rev. George M. Bittermann V.F. is the pastor of the Parish.

The following children received Confraternity Diplomas: Marie Amodeo, Martin Brouillon, Matthew

Callaghan, Marjori Dagna, John Dianna, Patricia Fallon, Patricia Felker, Jace Fiederlehn, Robert Gillette, John Holder, Jane Inglis, Jeffrey Kovite, Marie Krebs, John Lawson, Leon Maufroy, Frederick Mayer, Eric Nastri.

Also, Helen O'Bracank, Thomas Waskawics, Kay Watkins, Judy Gregorish, Thomas Leuchenko, Elsa Muller and Dominic Evangelista.

Cerebral Palsy Short of Quota

HICKSVILLE—At a meeting of the Cerebral Palsy Auxiliary here results of the recent fund drive were discussed.

Although \$800.00 short of its quota it is hoped that upon completion of the drive the goal will be achieved. President Rose Leahy wishes to extend her thanks to all the workers who are helping canvas the village and a special thanks was given to the Teen-Age group.

If you were not at home when the workers called and if you desire to make a contribution please send it to Mrs. Leahy, 60 Nassau Ave., or to Charles Montana, Local Chairman at 118 N. B'way.

Are you interested in becoming a member of the Hicksville Cerebral Auxiliary? Would you like to drive Cerebral Palsy children to their Summer Day Camp at Rosenevelt? Call Mrs. Leahy at HI 4-8132.

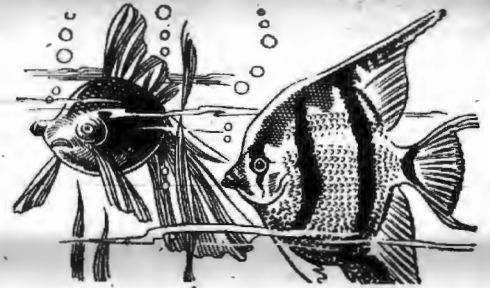
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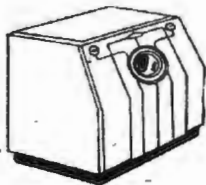
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S/Sgt. Siskinger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siskinger, 1 Linden Boulevard, Hicksville.

Before entering the Air Force in April 1951, Sgt. Siskinger was employed by the Levittown Home Improvement Inc. as a salesman.

Before coming to Grandview Air Force Base he was stationed in Japan and at Guam as an administrative clerk with the office of special investigations. At Grandview AFB he is assigned to the Adjutant's section.



CAPT. EDWARD T. MOLLOY, 29, whose wife, Billie, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Molloy, live at 68 Linden Blvd., Hicksville, recently arrived at the Bremerhaven Port of Embarkation in Germany. The captain is with the port's petroleum products supply section. A veteran of more than 11 years' Army duty, Molloy was previously assigned as commanding officer of the New Orleans Port of Embarkation.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The Bureau of Naval Personnel here has announced an advancement in rating to aviation electronics technician third class, USN, for Leland F. Baumach, son of Mrs. Eleonora E. Baumach, of 31 William St., Hicksville, while serving with Fleet Aircraft Service Squadron 106 in the Atlantic Fleet.



GILBERT EUGENE MCCARTHY, son of George McCarthy of 123 Bethpage Rd., Hicksville, now serving in Korea as an interpreter at the port of entry in Pousan, has been promoted from private first class to corporal.

CAMP DRUM, N. Y.—Corporal Oswald V. Melito, 611 Broadway, Hicksville, has been transferred from Fort Devens, Mass., to Camp Drum, N. Y., with his unit, the 2d Battalion of the 278th Regimental Combat Team, one of the oldest Army units, dating back to 1774.

During the summer months, before the 278th returns to its home station in Massachusetts, Corporal Melito and his infantry comrades will assist in training 60,000 Army Reservists and National Guardsmen who annually undergo two weeks rugged field training at this sprawling installation on the Canadian border near the heart of the Thousand Islands.

Corporal Melito serves as a squad leader at Company "A" with the battalion. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Melito reside at the Broadway address.

American Legion

News and Views

By ALLEN S. CARPENTER
AL and his wife (The American Legion Auxiliary) have spent better than 100,000,000 (that's one hundred million) dollars since 1925 in taking care of the children of veterans. This is called the Child Welfare program and it gives aid and service to the children of veterans where the dad is sick, disabled or has answered final Taps.

And believe it or not, AL takes the lead in many other activities designed to make the community, state and nation a better place in which to live. AL is a respected leader in his community because of his unselfish service to his hometown.

Now you ask what stand does AL take on Communism in America? The answer is that The American Legion since the very beginning of the organization has taken the lead in combating Communism and all other kinds of foreign-inspired propaganda. AL fought the Reds before a lot of people in America believed that Joe Stalin, and now Malenkov, had agents working here in our country, and you can bank on AL continuing that fight.

Right there in your home town AL does many things for community betterment. Check into what's

being done and it's ten to one you'll want to be a member of the outfit doing that kind of a job.

Many distinguished citizens are Legionnaires. The list includes the President and Vice President of the U. S., the Chief Justice, members of the Cabinet, 60 U.S. Senators and 224 U. S. Representatives.

It's a good bet that by now you're saying "That's a lot of serious work. Doesn't AL ever have any fun?" Well, there's fun and plenty of it in The American Legion. It's fun down at the Legion Club. There's fun and real comradeship to be found in any Legion Post because the guys speak the same kind of language—the language of the veteran. Then there are dances, picnics, conventions, outfit reunions, parades, glee clubs and quartets, bands, drum corps and drill teams. AL has a lot of fun as he goes about the serious business of the organization. You can't think of a better way to make good and lasting friendships.

Our next regular meeting of *Charles Wagner Post, 421 of Hicksville*, will be Monday night, July 5th.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Education of Union Free School District No. 11 of the Town of Oyster Bay, Hicksville, Nassau County, New York, (in accordance with Section 103 of the General Municipal Law) hereby invites the submission of sealed bids on:
(1) Library Furniture, bids opened 2 P.M.
(2) Arts & Crafts, bids opened 2:30 P.M.
(3) Backstops, bids opened at 3:00 P.M. (E.D.S.T.) on the 29th day of June, 1954, for use in the schools of the district. Bids will be publicly opened at the office of the Business Manager, East Street Elementary School, East Street, Hicksville, New York. Specifications and bid form may be obtained at the same office. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids and to award the contract to other than the lowest bidder for any reason deemed in the best interest of the District. Any bid submitted will be binding for 45 days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

BOARD OF EDUCATION UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT #11 of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York
ANDREW B. HESBERER
District Clerk
DATED: June 22, 1954
D403-ex 6/22

LEGAL NOTICE

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
Regular meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals, Town of Oyster Bay, will be held in the Justice Court Room, Oyster Bay, July 1, 1954 at 7:30 P.M.
CASE #3791
APPELLANT—Joseph Gervasio, 7 Greenbriar Ln., Hicksville.
SUBJECT—Variance to use attached garage with less side yard and yards than Ordinance allows.
LOCATION—3 1/2 Greenbriar Ln., 168-58 E/O May Ave., Hicksville.
CASE #3794
APPELLANT—Mrs. L. Pompea, 110 Miller Pl., Hicksville.
SUBJECT—Variance to use property for the storage of two 2 axle dump trucks, cement mixer and tractor.
LOCATION—W/o Miller Pl., 218, 96 W/o Woodbury Rd., Hicksville.
OYSTER BAY, NEW YORK
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BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
Town of Oyster Bay
Daniel Hohenarth, Secretary
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"NOTICE TO BIDDERS"
SEALED BIDS, in duplicate, will be publicly opened and read by the Department of Purchase at its office, Room 121, Old County Court House, Franklin Ave., Mineola, New York, at 11:00 a.m. (E.D.S.T.) on July 2, 1954, for furnishing Voting Machines. All bids must be made on Department of Purchase bidding sheets, subject to all County terms,

Fun With Music Starts June 29

HICKSVILLE—Encouraged by the success of last year's session, the Nassau School of Music is again offering "Fun With Music," its summer activity for youngsters. The course is based on the belief that music, properly brought to a

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The Department of Purchase reserves the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part, to waive any informality in bids, and to accept the bid deemed most favorable to the interest of the County of Nassau.
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LEGAL NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals will be received for the installation of water mains and appurtenances in GREAT MIDWAY SHOPPING CENTRE at the office of the Board of Water Commissioners, Plainview Water District, until 8:00 P.M., July 13, 1954 and then publicly opened and read aloud, in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Sidney B. Bowne & Son, Engineers, Mineola, New York.

All inquiries must be addressed to the Engineer.
The successful bidder will negotiate a contract with the District for the performance of the work that may be awarded to him or them for the total estimated amount of the awarded contract price.

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child, becomes the basis for creative play, development of coordination, and can prepare the child for serious study of a musical instrument, not as a chore, but as a satisfying experience. The activities will be divided into three phases: Fun with song-expression through songs and instruments; fun with rhythm-dance, rhythm, rhythmic instruments; relaxation, fruit, cookies, cold drinks and quiet games.

The season will run from June 29 to August 28, on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, of each week from 9:45 to 12:15. There are six classes divided according to age groups from 3 to 9 years of age. Enrollment may be for one or two classes per week. Registration will be June 22, 23, 24, 25, and the first week of the season. Between the hours of 9 A.M. and 1 P.M.

The classes will be under the guidance of Lial Braun, Melvin Berger, and Michael Tolomeo. Mrs. Braun has taught and directed youngsters in Europe, India and in the U.S. She is presently teaching music for elementary teachers at City College of N. Y. and is a member of the faculty of Henry St. Music School and Children's Colony.

Berger, who holds an M.A. from Teachers College, Columbia University, was in charge and directed the music program at the East Meadow Cooperative Nursery this past year. He is also on the faculty of City College and Turtle Bay High School.

Tolomeo received an M.A. from Eastman School of Music and has taught in the preparatory department of this same college. He has worked with children in elementary musicianship and music appreciation. At present he is on the faculty of City College and Hofstra.

Mrs. Joyce McLaughlin entertained at a party at her home, Sunset Ave., Hicksville, on Friday evening.

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THE SOUTH HICKSVILLE Sentinel

By CRAIG WALSH

Pool Guards Vigilant

It's good to see that the life guards at the swimming pools are watching the goings-on with an eagle eye. During a visit to the West Village Green pool in Hicksville over the weekend, one guard was perched on his elevated seat at the deep end to watch the divers and better swimmers, and a second guard was watching the little youngsters at the shallow end. Their frequent whistles and calls indicated they were on the job. In addition, another attendant was sampling the water for chemical tests. And the gate attendant was making a close check on the tags, even so far as to take the number. It's certainly quite a change from previous years.

To Be Expected

The improvements which are so obvious at the pools was certainly to be expected when they were taken over by the municipal authorities. Anything less would be a disappointment. But is it any better than could be given by a South Hicksville Swimming Pool District, or perhaps more accurately, an Oyster Bay Swimming Pool District? Of course not! What do we gain by the complications of the Joint Oyster Bay-Hempstead Swimming Pool and Community Hall District? It is the only such district in all of New York State and it was set up by politicians to please Builder Levitt even though it was contrary to the recorded will of the people most closely concerned. The answer, of course, is none at all. And what is the cost. The answer to that is that it is the ultimate step in the costly, crazy quilt pattern of overlapping special service districts in Nassau County. Instead of simplifying our local government, there seems to be a strong continuous trend to making it more and more complicated without apparent reason.

Next Time You Wonder About Taxes

The next time you think about the taxes you pay on your home and wonder why they are so high, so much higher than those paid by some friends or relatives in some other area, just think about the crazy-quilt pattern of these Nassau County special districts, including prize of them all, affectionately called the Pool Hall District. You might get some idea as to why the cost of our government is so high.

New Record Tax Collection

MINEOLA—A perfect 100 per cent score in the collection of school taxes for Old Bethpage School District no. 20, was missed by the sum of \$2.75. It was disclosed today by County Treasurer H. Bogart Seaman.

A one hundred percent collection was described here by a county spokesman as "a collection millennium." Tax collections, county-wide, reached an all-time high of 97.23 per cent. Where tax payments are not made by mid-October, liens are listed for sale on the first Monday in December.

Lions Installation Tomorrow

MERRICK—Clifford Freitag will be installed as president of the Hicksville Lions Club, succeeding J. Gordon Ulmer, at the 7th annual installation dinner of the Club tomorrow (Wednesday) night at the South Shore Terrace, here. Henry A. Gebhardt is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

Doctor Jones Says

By PAUL B. BROOKS, M. D.

Mental Health Week, this year, opened on Sunday, May second. Remember? That day the New York Times had an article on the plight of the mentally ill and the problems involved in caring for them. It was moving and informative.

It spoke, again, of the progressive increase in mental illness. In New York State, it said the capacity of the State mental institutions is 86,000, their actual population 112,000. It referred to some figures indicating that the "average stay of a patient in a mental hospital is eight years." And it called attention to the fact that next Fall, in New York State, we'll be voting on a \$350,000,000 bond issue for new State hospital construction.

But some of these facts and figures, significant as they are, are confusing and could be misleading. Like the reports of progressive increase, in recent years, in mental illness. Mental illness isn't reportable. The only reliable figures I know of are on admissions to mental institutions. Those're surely increasing. But isn't much, if not all of that increase due to change in attitude of the public?

They're learning that the quality of care and treatment is constantly improving; that there's no more disgrace in going to a hospital with a mental illness than in going with an infected gall bladder. They're losing their fear of mental hospitals—going more willingly, even voluntarily.

And that 8-year average stay: that might give the impression a new patient must expect to stay eight years. That high average— isn't it due to the relatively large proportion of chronic cases that're committed? But, with the development of new kinds of treatment, increasing numbers of patients are being cured and discharged very much more quickly. There'd be more of 'em if the hospitals were adequately equipped and staffed so these curable patients could have the individual attention they need.

And, that's just one of many reasons why, when that new construction proposition comes up on the voting machine next Fall, every voter should vote YES! Remember: those mentally ill folks—we're "all a little queer" and it might be us.

Frances Latino Becomes Bride

Miss Frances Latino, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Latino of Brooklyn, became the bride recently of Horace Parisi, son of Mrs. Joseph Parisi and the late Mr. Parisi of First St. Bethpage.

The ceremony was performed at St. Mary, Mother of Jesus, Catholic Church in Brooklyn and a reception followed at the Hamilton House, Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Parisi are on a two month wedding trip to Europe and upon their return will reside in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vai of Fairfield Ave., Carle Place, are the proud parents of a daughter, Pamela Teresa, born on June 18 at Nassau Hospital. The Vais also have a son. Mr. Vai is employed at Walters' Liquor store in Hicksville.

4 Get Degrees

GARDEN CITY—Four Hicksville residents were among the 856 receiving degrees at the 56th annual commencement ceremonies of Adelphi College, here on June 18. Bachelor of Science degree in nursing went to Florence Kutzing

of 4 Thimble Lane, Hicksville.

Master of Social Service degree was received by Mary Cranston of 125 Blueberry Lane and Howard Hastings of 8 Burbank Lane, both Hicksville.

Doctor of Philosophy degree went to Joseph J. Parnickay of 15 Rover Lane, Hicksville.

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3 Car Crash Early Sunday

HICKSVILLE — Mildred Polesny of 60 Arcadia Lane, president of the Old Country Rd. P-T A, was injured in a three-car collision at the corner of Old Country and Newbridge Rds. at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, police reported. The car was driving was involved in a crash with an auto and trailer driving by a Miami man and a pick-up truck. Mrs. Polesny suffered a bruised left knee and right hand. Joseph F. Holland, was driver of the 1941 Cadillac hauling a trailer, and Edward Ostrosky of Hempstead was operating the pick-up truck.

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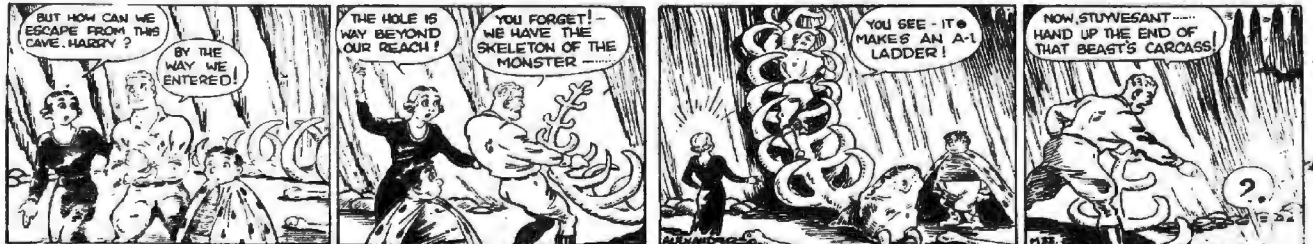
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High School P-TA Organizes

Charter meeting of the Bethpage High School P-T.A. was held Thursday, June 10 in the cafeteria of the Broadway School. Mrs. Lee Mordhorst, Chairman opened the meeting with a pledge to the organization. Mrs. T. Hyer, then read the by-laws to be used by this organization for approval. A motion was made and carried that the P-T.A. be recognized as the High School P-T.A. but that the 7th and 8th grades be included in the programs since they come under the High School administration.

Dues are to be \$1. per single person and \$1.50 per family. Eighteen families and 46 single persons will become Charter Members of this organization. Meetings are to be held on the 4th

Thursday of every month.

Mrs. E. Kranz, nomination chairman, presented her slate of officers as follows: President Mrs. Loraine Carter, Vice President Mrs. T. Hyer, 2nd Vice President Mr. Ernest Sechrest, Recording Secretary Mr. Joe Stanionus, Corresponding Secretary, Joan Bjondo, Treasurer, Robert Fuentes, Mrs. Martin Asorian, Asst Director of the Western Long Island District of the N.C.P.T.A. duly installed these members.

Arthur Bunce, President ex-officio of the Bethpage P-T.A. presented the H.S.P.T.A. with a check for \$25.00 to cover initial expenses for organizational work. Mrs. Loraine Carter, President elect then expressed confidence in officially taking the duties of office, moved to close the meeting and refreshments were served by Mrs. Rena Tallman and her committee.

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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Pursuant to the Laws of the State of New York, Union Free School District No. 21, Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, will receive bids for transportation of the children of the School District to and from schools for the school year beginning July 1, 1954 and ending June 30, 1955, which bids will be opened at a meeting of the Board of Education of said district to be held on the 29th day of June 1954 at 8:30 P.M. in the Board Room of the Bethpage Public School, Broadway, Bethpage, New York. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids for any reason deemed in the best interests of the District.

Information concerning routes, etc., can be obtained at the office of the principal of said school between the hours of 9 A.M. and 3 P.M. E.D.S.T. on any school day.
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Dated: May 28, 1954
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The information to bidders may be examined and obtained at the office of the Principal at the School House Bethpage, New York, Monday through Friday inclusive, between the hours of 9 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. (E.D.S.T.).

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Rehearsals have indicated that an entertaining evening will be assured. A bright spot in the program will feature May and Jack Strong in a skit that will take you back to the "good old days" when the couple were featured at the Palace Theater in the "hey day" of vaudeville.

Fractures Finger

BETHPAGE — Ronald True, 15, of 132 Maple Ave., here, suffered a compound fracture of the right hand ring finger while playing baseball at the Grumman community field, here on Thursday evening, June 17. He was taken to Manhasset Medical Centre for treatment in a private car by William Borica of 8 Pearl St.

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Finds 'Fear Groups' Wanting

By CHARLES H. DESHAU
To The Editor:

IT SEEMS TO ME, that our neighbors in Westbury are to be congratulated for having twice defeated "Fear Groups" in their community. Now their School Board is going to review the plans and plan a more economical program.

Our hats are off to Westbury! The proposed program was for a mere nine hundred thousand odd dollars, and yet the people decided they wouldn't be getting what they paid for, and so "Poof. No dice!" This is the kind of spirit our forefathers had which gave this Country its independence from Great Britain. It's all too long that his "Spirit" has lain dormant, and now that it has broken through the avers of indifference again it is as refreshing as "a-morn after a summer rain."

We in this District would do well to emulate Westbury. Now is the time to show the "Fear Groups" in our District that we too have awakened, and that our "Spirit of Independence" still lives.

The main notable difference between Westbury and ourselves is that their Board offered a Building program under \$1,000,000 and they rejected it. Our Board offered one in excess of 2,000,000 and we accepted it.

I hear that the State Education Dept. has finally become alarmed over the increasing costs of School Construction and is now conducting courses for School Boards to show them how to build more economically without sacrificing the necessities for our children's education. This has come about because of the constant increasing demands for

more State Aid. There is an old saying that goes, "The cow can be milked dry," and this is the way the State is beginning to look at the matter.

When it is considered that there are thousands of School Districts in the State all of whom are asking for more State Aid, it is easy to realize that the State cannot pay the entire cost of new School construction in every District, as the pressure groups try to lead the people to believe. Just how far can money be stretched? For the State to assume the construction costs of all Districts, a sum of money almost as great as that needed to run our Federal government would be necessary. Most people don't consider this and assume that their District is the only one constructing schools. Just consider the amount of new taxes the State would have to levy to pay for all the construction going on.

We should above all things remember that we don't always get what we pay for, but we always pay for what we get.

The "Fear Group" in our District are always using the Columbia Survey as their authority, but never reveal that this Survey in three distinct places caution against "overbuilding", and "building to the peak". The forward of the Survey calls for "good judge-

ment and common sense" in developing an adequate school plant at "Reasonable cost, with no prospect of long term overbuilding". Page 25 of the Survey states that "peak figures will probably be quite temporary" and warns against "overbuilding", advising temporary adjustments in class size and grade assignments to care for this peak period. Then on page 52 it states "Hicksville should not attempt to overbuild for peak enrollments when temporary adaptations and adjustments may suffice".

Knowing that few people will take the time to study the "Survey" the "Fear Group" in our Community make the broad statement "The Columbia Survey advises us to keep building new schools".

IT SEEMS TO ME, in conclusion, therefore, that the "Fear Group" having been weighed in the balance and found "wanting" should be ignored completely despite their clamor. In view of the advice contained in their own "Bible", the Columbia Survey; and the actions of our Westbury neighbors, let us assert our independence, and show our valor by refusing to be led along the road to ruin any longer. We should use the "good judgement and common sense" called for in the Survey. Brittle Lane, Hicksville, N. Y.

Garden Apts

(Continued from Page 1)
...application opposing the application because "of this type of dwelling's intrusion into a community of small homes which were purchased to provide quiet, private suburban living for themselves and their families and as an escape from any association with apartments and their accompanying adult-social and child-play problems", it said in part.

Several residents have told the writer they will be faced with a brick wall for a back yard fence and resent this type of "city-lying" of a residential area. Other objections to this application will be presented by the lawyer for the Assoc. on Tuesday, June 29 at Oyster Bay. The Committee "urges all residents and interested parties in the North West section to write or phone their objections to Town Board".

Eirichs Going to Kentucky

HICKVILLE — Mr. and Mrs. L. Eirich, of Hicksville, N. Y., are leaving on June 30 for a three-week trip to Kentucky for a reunion of Mrs. Eirich's family and the wedding of her brother. Eirich is a member of the Board of Education.

North West Notes

Miss Judy Gregory, daughter of Harold and Maxella Gregory of 73 Gardner Ave., was selected Flower Queen at a prom held by the Teen Canteen at Burns Avenue School last Monday evening, June 14. James Oliveri of 33 Kansas St. was Miss Gregory's choice as King.

The very charming Queen received a beautiful corsage from her escort, and wore a formal pink net dress with matching pink slippers. The hall was gaily decorated for the prom and music real mellow as provided by the Hicksville Music Co. All the chaperons and members of committee especially Mr. and Mrs. Kist deserve a great deal of credit for the planning of this affair and many other programs for our teen-agers.

The St. Stephen's Lutheran Church Men's Club is sponsoring an evening of theatre, consisting of three one act plays, by the Flatview Theatre Guild. This will be held on Friday and Saturday June 25 and 26, at 8:30 P.M. at the Church, Broadway and 2nd St., Hicksville.

ANNOUNCES SERVICES
Robert Deniker wishes to announce that Gaspee Services will be held at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Clubhouse, on Nibbie Lane, for the coming two weeks. Starting on Sunday, June 20, they will continue on Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday of each week at 8 P.M. Henry Moore will assist Mr. Deniker. Services are undenominational and all are invited.

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The sum of \$115,915 has been subscribed to date during the Campaign now being conducted for funds for a new church and catechetical center for Our Lady of Mercy's Parish in the Hicksville-Plainview area.

The Rev. Louis J. Schwab, pastor and honorary chairman, announced, "Our highly successful campaign, in the answer to our Holy Redeemer and His Blessed Mother. Throughout the entire drive, myself, our workers, our parishioners and our children, have been beseeching heaven with their prayers for the success of the drive. The sum that has been raised so far is a tribute to the spirit of generosity and sense of obligation and sacrifice of every parishioner."

The Business and Friends Committees will start their solicitations next week of local business and friends of Our Lady of Mercy's parish to give them the opportunity of sharing in this wonderful endeavor to provide the parish with a new church and catechetical center-auditorium. The Second Report Meeting of the workers of the Fair Share Committee will be held in the Church tonight (Tuesday, June 22) at 8:30 P.M. This committee has been under the leadership of Donald Dugan, general chairman of the campaign.

3-Way Tie for First Position In PBC Intermediate League

HICKSVILLE—Three teams are tied for first place in the intermediate division of the Police Boys Club baseball league here. The Hicksville Lions and Levittown Cobras have each won three games and lost none while the Hicksville Rotary has won two and lost none. In the Senior Division, the Plainview team defeated Hempstead 5-1 on Saturday, June 12, with only two hits but one hit was with bases loaded.

Hempstead got only two hits but ten bases on balls made it close.

Results of games in the Intermediate division play were:

The Rotary met the Aces on June 14 and the Rotary made it two in a row with a 9-2 win. Rotary got only six hits but were aided by 6 Aces errors. Van Cise was leading batter for the Rotary, going 2 for 3 and driving in three runs.

The unbeaten Hicksville Lions made it three straight by winning 6-0 over the Plainview Redwings on June 16. Carl Schulz came within one hit of his second no-hitter of the season, Schulz struck out 16 Redwing batters. The leading batter for the game was Lester Areson with two safe hits and three RBIs.

Wednesday, June 16, The Levittown Cobras kept even with the Lions by defeating the Plainview Dueses 5-4. The Dueses played a very loose defensive game and deserved a much better fate than they received. The Dueses out-hit the Cobras 10 to 6 but the Cobras defense was excellent.

The Hicksville Aces tried and

got their first win of the season by defeating the winless Plainview Royals 7-6 on June 17. The Aces had 8 hits while the Royals had 6. The winning run was scored in the bottom of the last inning by the winning pitcher Randy Muller on a walk a sacrifice and a stolen base and a wild throw by the Plainview Catcher.

Standings:

INTERMEDIATE		
	Won	Lost
Hicksville Lions	3	0
Levittown Cobras	3	0
Hicksville Rotary	2	0
Hicksville Cards	1	1
Plainview Redwings	1	2
Hicksville Aces	1	2
Plainview Dueses	0	3
Plainview Royals	0	3

SENIOR DIVISION		
	Won	Lost
Farmingdale	2	0
Plainview	1	0
Bethpage	1	1
Hicksville	0	1
Hempstead	0	2

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Obituaries Ignacy Ozaniak

HICKSVILLE—Ignacy Ozaniak of 197 Cottage Blvd., here, died on Thursday, June 17. He is survived by two daughters, Mary Evans and Annie Cyr; three sons, Charles, John and Mario. He was the brother of Pelagia Wapniaski and Casimira Pavlak. He is also survived by five grandchildren.

A requiem Mass was sung yesterday, (Monday) at 9:30 a.m. at St. Mary's R. C. Church, Roslyn Harbor, and interment followed at the Holy Rood Cemetery, Westbury.

The Roslyn Heights Funeral Home, Roslyn Heights, was in charge of arrangements.

Gala Opening For Drive-In

A Hollywood style gala premiere complete with Klieg lights, film, radio and TV stars and a live broadcast of the event tomorrow (Wednesday evening), will mark the opening of the world's largest Drive-In Theatre, the Westbury Drive-In. The entire proceeds of opening night will be shared jointly by two recent additions to Long Island—the Long Island Jewish Hospital of Glen Oaks and the North Shore Hospital of Manhasset.

WOR radio, "Come Rain or Come Shine" will salute this newest addition to the Drive-In Industry, with a broadcast from 9:05 to 9:30 P.M. direct from the stage of the theatre.

The new Westbury drive-in, said to be the largest on the Eastern Seaboard, covers a 27 acre tract with a 2,000 car capacity representing a potential 9,000 people. Just off exit 34 on the Northern State Parkway, the entrance is on Jericho Turnpike.

Night of Fun This Sunday

HICKSVILLE—The Mid-Nassau Community Center is planning a "Night of Fun" with a gay square dance to highlight the events, to be held at Levittown Hall, here this Sunday, June 27 at 8 P.M.

Squares will be called by Frank Konopasek, leader of the Levittown Country Dancers. In addition, artist Jack Findlater, will be on hand to do his incisive caricatures. To add to the hilarity, games of skill, door prizes and dance games will round out the evening.

Change Made In Library Hours

HICKSVILLE—The new schedule of hours at the Public Library, Jerusalem Ave. and 2nd St., in effect now is as follows:

Adult Building open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 to 6; Wednesday, 10 to 5. Children's building open Monday 10-6, Tuesday 10-9, Wednesday 10-5, Thursday and Friday, 10-6. This building is closed from 1 to 2, according to Kenneth S. Bernes, librarian.

READ IT FIRST IN THE HERALD

Exhibit Art Until June 30

HICKSVILLE—The Center Art and Prints at Newbridge and Old Country Rd. is featuring an exhibition of the prize winning paintings of the students of Mrs. Olga Hoebel, 30 Terrace Place. Their ages range from 9 to 17. The art work comprises oil and water color paintings and crayon drawings. The exhibit will close June 30.

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Property Owners Meet Thursday

By DOROTHY E. BROWN
Hicksville 4-9123

The final meeting of the Millwood Gate P. O. Assn. for the summer will be held this Thursday, June 24, at the Lee Ave. School. The time is 8 P. M. as there is a surprise social for all those attending to be held after the regular business is taken care of.

One item which has caused much discussion among different members is garbage and rubbish collection. Should we petition the town to collect our refuse and have it taken out in taxes? Note that under the present system we had an increase starting this month, June, of 50 cents per month making the total \$2 per month, or \$24 per year. This may be increased at any time by the collector.

Under the tax system in the Hicksville garbage areas for 1953, it ranged from 30 cents to 50 cents per \$100 valuation. Taking the average assessment as \$4,000 (actually ours are a little more than that), this figure will make our rate range from \$12 to \$24 per year. Another point to consider is the fact that the town signed new contracts with the collectors in 1954 and these might make the rates higher. Our present collector is one who has several of the town contacts at the present time. We need a good representation at the meeting to give this problem a complete hearing from all our members.

There are several social events coming up which will be of interest to most everyone in the group. Saturday, June 26, is the Ice Cream social for the children to be held in back of Shady Maple at noon. Tickets will be provided for the children of our development. We are indebted to Frank Szymanski and his committee who have secured many donations to make this party possible. These will all be acknowledged as a group in the next column.

The next event will be a block party held on Greenbriar Lane on the evening of July 4. Tickets will be \$1 per person including refreshments. If you were at the last dance, I am sure you will be at this party; and if you missed the dance, you will want to enjoy the fun at this party. If rain appears watch this column for a new date. July 11 is the family picnic, further details of this will be announced at the meeting. Mr. Eugene Mages is chairman of the picnic committee.

FIELD DAY

What is a "Ham"? No, I do not refer to the cut of meat. If you are interested in amateur radio and have an amateur's operating license, you can qualify as a "Ham".

(This is the slang term usually used by amateurs in talking to one another.) This item will discuss Hams and some of their activities.

This past weekend many "hams" all over the country and Canada met outside to test emergency radio equipment under emergency conditions and see how many contacts around various parts of the country they could make. This is called an Amateur's Field Day. They usually sleep outside for the night in tents or just under the stars in this area. Many may have an outdoor fire going continuously to keep warm by and also to keep coffee hot. Often if it wasn't for plenty of coffee the small groups might fall asleep.

Some of you may have seen the tents and trucks and all the wires and antennae strung up in the field behind Bethpage High School, and wondered what was going on. This was the Lake Success Radio Club consisting of workers from Speer Gyro-Scope who live on all parts of the island. These men set up the equipment during the day on Saturday and start operating on the different frequencies or bands, as the layman would say, around 5 P.M. our time. They work in shifts of varying lengths in order that there may be someone on the air to send or receive continuously from 5 P.M. on Saturday to 5 P.M. on Sunday, the end of the competition. Since this particular club is very large they were able to have several tents each equipped with a complete receiver and transmitter for a different frequency. Some were sending and receiving via code and others by voice. The fellows all look forward to this event and seem to have a grand time regardless of the fate of bad weather.

that of how many contacts they made.

Many "Hams" participate on an individual basis from their own set or rig as a complete transmitter and receiver may be called. Mr. Raymond Reilly of 6 Greenbriar Lane worked (contacted) many of these clubs and some individuals on Sunday from his own rig at home. Mr. Reilly is one of several "Hams" in our development.

This week we would like to wish several of our members many happy returns of the day. These include Richard Manus of Ferndale Dr. who became 11 years old on Monday June 15. Miss Dorothy Travers of Greenbriar Lane who was eight on June 17. Dorothy received a lovely two-wheel bicycle for one of her presents. On Friday, Raymond Reilly, Jr. of Greenbriar Lane was two years old. He had his cousins and many of the neighbors' children over for cake, ice cream and candy. He received many nice gifts but a small ball attracted most. On Saturday Little Joanne Cordaro of Woodbine Dr. celebrated her first birthday.

As the first item of news from a new section which will be covered by this column from now on: Miss Susan D'Anate of 63 Linden Blvd. had a very nice party to celebrate her seventh birthday on Saturday June 19. Several of her neighbors were guests.

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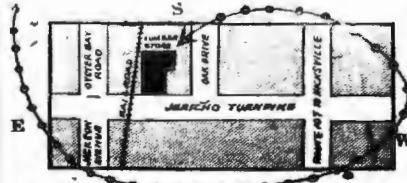
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