

## MIDWEEK EDITION \*

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## 6,000 KIDS GREET SANTA



ABOUT SIX THOUSAND boys and girls enjoyed the visit of Santa Claus to Hicksville, Saturday, and each received a gift from him on Broadway. Police estimate another couple of thousand were present when a helicopter

chartered by the Chamber of Commerce landed on the Stackler & Frank property on North Broadway, bringing Santa to Hicksville. Other pictures on Santa's spectacular arrival will appear in Friday's Herald.

## Await Court Verdict On Home Rule Appeal

**MINEOLA**—The decision of County Judge Cyril Brown on the appeal of Hicksville people from the Supervisor's decision on the right to conduct a vote on incorporation of Hicksville as a village is still being awaited. The appeal was argued before Judge Brown, here, on Nov. 17.

Judge Brown has had the appeal under consideration now for 22 days. All parties involved had agreed to an extension of time beyond the 10 days suggested in the village law. The extended period expires two weeks from today on Dec. 22.

Supervisor Charles E. Ransom, following a public hearing on Sept. 17, had turned down the home rule vote petition signed by over 6,000 property owners of Hicksville. The Home Rule Committee of home owners, led by Lawrence A. Roman, has taken the decision before the county judge for review and are asking for a reversal of Ransom's decision.

If the court upholds Ransom, the petitioners will be required to start again with a new plea. If Ransom is reversed, an election on the question will follow within a matter of days.

## Honor Poster Boy At Polio Dinner

**GARDEN CITY**—Five-year-old John J. Coonan of 511 Broadway, Bethpage, chosen as the 1954 Polio Poster Child will be among the guests of honor at the annual spring board dinner at the Garden City Hotel tomorrow (Wednesday) night, Dec. 9. Johnny, who still wears a brace on his right leg, was stricken on Sept. 22, 1950, and treated at Meadowbrook Hospital. Plans for the \$300,000 March of Dimes in January will be outlined at the affair for community leaders.

## Hillside Civics To Hear Waters

**HICKSVILLE**—Election of a vice president and treasurer will take place when the Hillside Civic Assoc. meets tomorrow (Wednesday) night, Dec. 9 at East St. School. Guest speaker of the evening will be Lewis N. Waters, supervisor-elect of the township, discussing township government.

The Assoc. is making plans for a Christmas party for children of the area and will award three baskets of cheer for the best decorated homes during the holidays.

## Levittown Hall Policy Hearing At Hempstead

**HEMPSTEAD**—A public hearing will be held in the Town Hall here, tomorrow (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock by the commissioners of the Joint Hempstead-Oyster Bay Hall and Swimming Pool District to consider "policy" regarding the use of Levittown Hall, Hicksville, when it comes under control of the commissioners on Jan. 1.

Built and owned by Levitt and Sons with policy directed by the builder, in cooperation with an "advisory council", the structure will be tax-supported starting with the new year. The commissioners are Supervisors Harold Herman and John McConnell of Hempstead and Charles E. Ransom of Oyster Bay.

A spokesman for the county administration said this week that the regulations proposed "makes it quite clear that any organization which will 'create agitation, resentment and an uproar endangering the peace and good order of the community' will not be successful as an applicant" for use of the hall. The comment was directed, it was said, at "Reds".

## Mid Week Coming Events

**TOMORROW**, Dec. 9, 8:30 P.M.—Community Carol Sing sponsored by Classroom Teachers Assoc. in Hicksville High School auditorium.

**TOMORROW**, Dec. 9, 8:30 P.M.—Open house program of Adult Education Program at Hicksville High School.

**TOMORROW**, Dec. 9, 8:30 P.M.—Meeting of Hillside Terrace Civic Assoc. at East St. School, Hicksville.

**THURSDAY**, Dec. 10, 8 P.M.—Discussion meeting for School District on future plans called by Bethpage Board of Education at Broadway School auditorium.

**THURSDAY**, Dec. 10, 8:15 P.M.—Christmas party of P.T.A. at East St. School, Hicksville.

**FRIDAY**, Dec. 11—Afternoon and evening—Christmas Fair of Rosary Altar Society at St. Ignatius School Hall, Hicksville.

## Only 15 Shopping Days Left

## Chamber Urges More Areas For Public Parking Fields

**HICKSVILLE**—With a new public parking field now under construction and another project up for consideration of the Town Board at Oyster Bay today (Tuesday), the Chamber of Commerce directors are preparing to recommend at least four more possible sites. Two are west and two are east of Broadway, all in the vicinity of Marie St.

### Car Park Hearing Today

**OYSTER BAY**—A delegation of the Hicksville Chamber of Commerce, led by President Al Schackner, is expected to be present in the Town Hall, here, this morning (Tuesday) to urge favorable action by the Town Board upon the parking fields projected for Hicksville. A public hearing will be held on the appropriation of funds for field no. 4 on property formerly owned by Griffin and Rushmore between E. Marie St. and E. Nicholai St. on the east side of the L. I. R.R. right of way. The area will hold about 50 cars.

## 2 Local Scouts Guests Of Honor

## Foreign Mail Costs 8 Cents

**NORTH HILLS**—Two Hicksville Eagle Scouts, John Sholl and Richard Gallagher, were guests at the dinner of 54 business, professional and industrial leaders of the County held at the Scout Hardiness Training Centre on Shelter Rock Rd., here, last night (Monday). Henry G. Eisemann, president of the Bank of Hicksville, was toastmaster.

Eisemann explained that the purpose of the dinner was not only to honor the assembled scouts but also to give them the opportunity of meeting Nassau's business leaders. "Nassau is not only a good place to live, it is also a grand place to work," Eisemann said. Also attending from the Mid-Island area were C. Robert Kinnel and Willard C. Weber of Farmingdale and Judge Paul J. Wilkins of Levittown.

The rate for third class mail for foreign countries is being delayed unless it carries sufficient postage, Postmaster William G. Molisor warned yesterday. The rate on first class matter is eight cents for the first ounce and four cents for each additional ounce.

The rate for third class matter, unsealed Christmas cards containing no writing within, is two cents.

The post office will be open this Saturday, Dec. 12 from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M. for the Christmas rush and will remain open for service starting on Monday, Dec. 14, from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M. An extra window will be open for stamp sales in the Post Office.

## Bank's Anniversary Recalls Half-Century Growth Of Town

**HICKSVILLE**—The Bank of Hicksville this week distributed an attractive booklet noting the 50th anniversary of the Hicksville's oldest banking institution. The book features "now and then" in a series of picture pages. The pictures and text for the most part appeared as a series of ten special advertisements recently published in the Mid-Island Herald.

The booklet as well as the advertisements are the work of C. M. Johnson of Bethpage.

The growth and prosperity of Hicksville during the half century is also reflected in the booklet. For example, comparing views of Broadway at Herzog Place over the 50-year span, the bank notes "it is now lined with a great variety of modern shops where the progressive Hicksville merchant is happy to meet every need."

The book includes a message from Henry G. Eisemann, president of the Bank since Jan. 8, 1952. The first directors met in the Grand Central Hotel on April 9, 1903. Charles E. Fassbender was president from 1903 to 1918, Henry W. Underhill from 1918 to 1926, Daniel Underhill from 1926 to 1941 and Joseph J. Ulmer from 1941 to 1951.

First premises occupied by the bank, Eisemann recalls, were rented annually for \$120.

Deposits of the Bank of Hicksville which were \$114,915 in its first year, \$3,159,710 in 1928,

\$4,660,287 in 1943, are \$15,719,370 this year.

Officers of the Bank of Hicksville are Henry G. Eisemann, president; Charles E. Colthurst, vice president and cashier; George C. Karlson and Elmer H. Kroemer, vice presidents; Samuel S. Underhill, chairman of the executive committee; Directors George H. Hauser, Dr. Elwood A. Curtis, Arthur S. Underhill, Dr. Motley L. Smith, Ernest F. Janke; Charles J. Barvels and Conrad J. Heilman, assistant cashiers. Frederick E. Willits is counsel to the bank.

## Kroemer Is Bank Vice President

**HICKSVILLE**—Elmer H. Kroemer, director of the Bank of Hicksville, was elected a vice president of the Bank at a meeting of the Board of Directors on Tuesday, Nov. 24. He is also president of the congregation of the Trinity Lutheran Church.

## One In Four Eligible Girls Members Of Scouting Program

HICKSVILLE—Girl Scouts in this area number almost 25 per cent of those eligible to participate in the scouting program, it was made known in the annual report by Mrs. Robert Goodrich, organization chairman of the Girls Scouts, here.

Current figures represent a total of more than 800 registered girls with 45 leaders taking part. There are now 12 intermediate troops, 10 Brownies and one senior troop compared to nine intermediate, five Brownies and one senior troop a year ago.

Mrs. Goodrich's report showed that scouting has been complicated in some schools by double sessions. Another problem has been the consistent increase in the number of girls who move into the area and who want to participate in the scouting program.

Troop meetings are held in every

school. The latest troop to organize is the intermediate troop at the Lee Ave. School, formed last March with Frances Cotrone as the leader.

In her report, Mrs. Goodrich stressed the excellent cooperation given the Girl Scouts by the local Board of Education. She singled out Dr. Erie LeBaron and his staff for particular praise.

Election of officers will take place at the Dec. 16 meeting in the East Street School.

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## Dear Jean:

"Home Sweet Home of 1864," the Hospital Price House, will be open to the public from 10 A.M. to 9 P.M. Saturdays and Sundays and from 10 to 6 weekdays. The home is located on South Oyster Bay Rd., just north of Northern State Pkwy., Syosset. . . . 30,000 persons have already inspected their "dream home". . . . Labor disputes and work stoppage in plants which manufacture wax paper containers for milk will not cause a major problem for continued milk supply in Nassau. Most residents get their home supply delivered in glass bottles. . . . CHARLES RANSOM does not conclude his term of office as township supervisor until the last day of this month, but his successor LEW WATERS is already being introduced around and making appearances as "Supervisor". . . . The third panel in the Herald Christmas Story Coloring Contest appears in today's issue. If you missed the first two panels, a limited number of copies of these are free for the asking at the Herald office, 98 North Broadway, next to Hicksville Post Office. . . . The number of auto accidents in Plainview has increased sharply, it is noted from police reports, the result of the population increase. . . . The L. I. National Bank features a realistic moving Santa indoors. . . . Those reindeers and Santa (with sleigh) are racing upward over the Bank of Hicksville. A minor problem arose this year. The clock had been added to the bank sign during the year and Santa and his team had to aim higher. . . .

There is some discussion of a dinner-dance being sponsored by Hicksville's three service organizations—Kiwanis, Lions and Rotary—jointly the first week in February. . . . Candidates for the civil service job for Postmaster at Jericho have been filing their applications "slowly". Residents are reminded the last day for applications is Dec. 15. . . . The problem of gunners out in Plainview, particularly near the Morton Homes, has residents rightly concerned. That has long been a favorite haunt for gunners but the expansion of home building has now reached out to border the wooded areas. The Plainview Civic Assoc. is interested in getting a township ordinance enacted to prohibit such activity to protect the many small children. . . .

tion. She was president of the Baxter School P.T.A. second term.

Previously she had been with the Civil Service Administration as a purchasing consultant for the Army Quartermaster Corps.

She was a candidate for trustee of the Jones Fund on the Democratic ticket in the township election last month.

Ahron Luhmann

HICKSVILLE—Funeral services were held Sunday night, Dec. 6 for Ahron Luhmann, who died Friday, Dec. 4, at the Archie Mower Funeral Home, 15 E. Barclay Street. Interment took place yesterday (Monday) in Jerusalem Cemetery, Wantagh.

He was for many years a custodian with the Hicksville Public Schools and was more recently employed by the Long Island National Bank.

The fire department held funeral services at Mowbray Funeral Home on Sunday evening.

Mr. Luhmann, late of 210 Second St., is survived by his widow, Wilhelmina; two sons, Fred of New York City, and Henry of Hicksville; and Mrs. Kastner of Hicksville.

vile, nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Charles W. Levey

HEMPSTEAD—Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Charles Wesley Levey of 26 Botsford St., father of two Hicksville residents, Mrs. Robert Wascher and Charles W. Levey. Interment was at Greenfield Cemetery on Monday morning, Dec. 7.

Party Thursday

HICKSVILLE—A night club atmosphere will be achieved for the annual Christmas party of the East Street PTA this year to be held at 8:15 P.M. in the East Street school Thursday, Dec. 10. Husbandmen are planning to turn out to help celebrate the occasion. The refreshment committee will serve sheet cake, coffee and biscuits.

There will be no business meeting, just tables arranged around an open space to be reserved for dancing.

Co-chairmen Mrs. Vincent Hoosiek and Mrs. Joseph K. Kenyon of the program committee are planning for a record attendance.



HISTORIC POINT at the corner of W. John St. and Cantiague Road, Hicksville, was marked officially by the state of New York with a marker until a few years ago when the sign was demolished by a motorist. A group of Long Island teachers on a tour of historic sites paused for the Cantiague Woods story when this picture was taken. Local residents are seeking to have the marker restored.

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WOODWORKING, a course open to both men and women, is among the favorite activities at the Hicksville Adult Education program conducted in the high school under the direction of Elery Bean. Many of the things made in this course will be on exhibition tomorrow (Wednesday) night, Dec. 9, during the Open House Program which starts at 8 P.M. in the high school. In this group, pictured in action, are H. Grayson, A. Fuelling, G. Auer, E. Berard, Q. Hannah, J. Lynch, F. Moore, Shirley Waliner and C. Ray Adams. This is the fourth

picture in a series taken by Fred Fortach and Tony Hoda, members of the photography group.

Woodworking is offered Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and includes "all types of projects of your own choice may be construction, instruction given in use of hand tools and on the various machines including jig saw, band saw, jointer, sander, circular saw, wood lathe, mortising machine and drill press". There are more than 1100 adults enrolled in the program of adult education in Hicksville during the current fall term.

## Dancing and Music Livens Junior High P-TA Party

By ELIZABETH BAKER  
HICKSVILLE—Tap and interpretive dancing, voice and instrumental music were all on the program at the Christmas Party meeting of the Junior High School PTA Thursday night, Dec. 3, in the Hicksville High School gymnasium. Unison singing of carols added Christmas magic to the festive occasion.

Mrs. Joseph Rogow, program chairman, and Barbara Cunningham, girl's athletic director, acted as directors of the evening's events.

An appropriate opening to the fine program was provided by Barbara Jud, who with no accompaniment sang "The Lord's Prayer." Barbara, who possesses a fine soprano voice, is a member of the choir at Trinity Lutheran Church, and an eighth grader at Junior High School.

A spirited reading of "The Night Before Christmas," was given by Peggy O'Leary, also a Junior High student.

Another student, Carol Nagler, displayed considerable talent in an interpretive dance entitled "Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer." Carol wore a little lipstick on the tip of her nose and a black dancing costume.

Everyone had fun during the next number, the spectators and the participants in a Balloon Dance. The women tied balloons to their ankles and each couple tried to break the balloons possessed by the others. Since, as is customary at most PTA meetings, there was a dearth of fathers present, the winners were two women, Mrs. Herman (Charlotte) Miller and Mrs. Imogene (Clara) Siegel. They

received a prize for their prowess at balloon breaking.

A tap dance by Sandra Rogow, accompanied on the piano by her father, Joseph, drew prolonged applause from those present, as did a piano accordion number by Cary Schaffer. Both are Junior High students.

The next entertainer was a student in the senior high school, Jacqueline Dempsey, soprano and one of the stars in the recent operetta at the school. She sang a number of carols including "O Come Let Us Adore Him," and "O Holy Night" and also "Ave Maria."

The professional touch, although not lacking in the amateur numbers was emphasized by the appearance of Michael Tolomeo, and Melvin Gerger, who played a duet on the violin and viola. They were accompanied by Eric Pischmott. All were members of the Nassau School of Music. Their selections included "Hungarian Dance No. 5" by Brahms.

**GAY DECORATIONS**  
The decorations included a gaily decorated Christmas tree, student-painted murals of Christmas scenes and lighted candles on the tables. Another festive touch was provided by Yuletide corsages, presented at the door to each woman

## 200 Attend Fete For Supervisor

SYOSSET—Two hundred public officials and political figures attended the testimonial dinner at the Stockholm Restaurant, here, Thursday night, honoring Township Supervisor Charles E. Ransom. He retires from public office on the last day of December.

Ransom was sworn in as Town Clerk on Nov. 11, 1925. He served in that position until Jan. 1, 1935 when he became County Clerk. He first entered public life in 1914 as a county court attendant.

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## Community Christmas Tree

The Plainview Civic Association have in mind a Christmas tree-decorating contest with \$50 for the best doorway. Participants are limited to an expenditure of \$50 for materials to be eligible for consideration, according to David Weltz, chairman of the committee. Those interested in having their entry considered are invited to contact Peter McIntosh at HI 4-0692. Judging will take place between Christmas and New Year's.

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## Local Groups Erect First Community Christmas Tree

PLAINVIEW—The first community Christmas Tree for Plainview has been erected and is now on display in front of the Mannetto Hill School for public enjoyment.

The beautiful 30-foot tree, which was cut down, moved and erected by members of the Fire Dept. and Civic Assoc. under the supervision of Al Stauber, is a gift of Morton Bros. on whose property it was growing.

The lighting of the tree by Ed Ocker is being financed jointly by the Plainview Volunteer Fire Dept., the Plainview Civic Assoc., Inc., Amvets Post, Legion Post, Republican Club and Democratic Club.

An interesting and sentimental aspect of the project has been the revelation that Mr. Stauber, who directed the relocation of the tree, planted it as a seedling 25 years ago.

## In People's Corner

Written in the interest of better local government . . .

BY ALLEN S. CARPENTER

There are good and bad Democrats. There are good and bad Republicans. But the only good Democrats and the only good Republicans, are those who without hesitation place the welfare of their country far above the interests of their party. They are the Americans who make up the flesh and bone of our great country.

To prove that you are utterly loyal to your party leaders, will not prove that you are a good Republican or a good Democrat, quite to the contrary—it may only prove that you are not a GOOD AMERICAN.

The same goes for newspapers, One which has proved that it is completely loyal to a party machine, has lost its right to be a part of the great American newspaper fraternity. It has sold its birthright for a mess of pottage. It has deserted the code and the creed—the tradition of the free American Press. It has betrayed its fundamental duty to its reading public.

A good party man, may oppose his leaders, for the good of his country. And it will resound to the glory of his party. To support leaders when they are wrong, will hurt their party—may even lead to its destruction.

The same applies to a newspaper. When its readers know it puts party above justice, personal gain above integrity, they begin to distrust its editorials and to suspect the slant of its news stories. When this happens it becomes of no use to anyone. Only by being free can the American Press be of service. Only with honesty, can its usefulness be preserved.

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DEAR SANTA CLAUS

## Promises and Pleas Flood Mails

HICKSVILLE—Santa's mail thru the local Post Office this year is full of promises to "be good" and declarations of goodness. One little girl who is certainly honest writes to Santa that she has not been too good but EX-GOLLY she's going to be "AT LEAST UNTIL CHRISTMAS." Another little boy who wants a two wheel bike writes:

"Dear Santa: Did you do it?" (what we don't know) "I want a two wheel bike. I promise true that I won't be a bad boy anymore believe me and I'll show you etc. etc." Dominick D'Angelo authored this epistle. Along with all the "etc's" he sends "lots of love and kisses."

Gary Schlessinger of 64 Twin Lawns Ave. besides a chemistry set, a remote control auto, and a microscope set, wants a ten or fifteen cent package of stamps.

A youngster who signs himself Phillip J. Bacalo includes in his list "a toy spider, a walking talking set, and a cash register," among the 20 items listed but urges Santa to "gut what you can."

Jane Baker wants a walking doll, a new sled and game and she hopes that Santa is not too busy.

Peter Steve Begley of 2 Arbor Lane has a drawing of what might be "a man from Mars" that he wants. He asks if Santa can make them and shows the position of the switch control on the robot. It may be a "space suit" because he wants it in "size 4."

Jimmy who lives at 69 Elm St. goes right to the point. He wants: "trains, bike, truck, car, horn, books and crayons."

Susan, who is Jimmy's sister, notes down the same things as her brother but adds, "chair and dishes."

Duncan writes a short list but begins: "Dear Santa: I went to the seashore. Love Duncan. P.S. I'll leave you a piece of cake. Please don't forget my fire engine. My brother wants a spinning top."

Raymond Clarkson of 4 April Lane lists: "a space fort, plumber, wallet; Jerry Mahoney doll, space helmet, American Bricks and an army gun."

Kathryn Clair wants a family of dolls: "A doll with an evening gown, a bride doll, a Toni doll, a Roxana doll and a Mary Hatline doll." She also notes that "one of each" will be OK with her.

Tommy and Carolyn Bijou, both of 7 Plover Lane, used gold sized shiny gold stars for postage on their letter to the North Pole. Tommy wants electric train, and a new suit, and Carolyn wants a candy land game, a bunk bed, walk-

ing doll, a party dress and a sister doll.

Danny Lee of 187 Cottage Blvd. notes that he always tries to be a good boy and intends to keep on trying. In a long list he includes: "Toss your aim on the crow game, a helicopter, a golden trumpet, a police car and a finger button accordion." His younger brother, Raymond also has a long list which includes: a big new farm set with barn and silo—I now have over 100 pieces; a pirate ship, English soldiers, and something he calls "a popular priced Trio"—built to last, a simple one-piece hand control, operates mouth and body."

After "hoping that you are, feeling well" Tommy M. Kinsella tells Santa: "Please bring me two switches. I would like a crane car too. Please bring me a two color light that is revolving, the colors that are green and red."

This fellow really has a lot of people to obey, Bobby Burman of 26 Cable Lane, who declares in his letter: "I am a very good boy. I obey my mother and daddy and grandma, and Ray. And I obey Larry. Will you please bring me a typewriter for Christmas? If you are in the neighborhood before Christmas Eve you may drop it off then."

Doreen Dauros of 81 Eighth St., Hicksville, writes: "Please bring me a cuddle doll, the large one dressed in pink and also some dishes. Thank you."

Ann Samory of 61 West Marie St. wants "some more clothes for my doll, Frances, a Roy Rogers watch with a picture of Roy Rogers on the front of his name on the back."

Jackie, Phyllis, Linda and Billy Lasser of Round Swamp Rd., Old Bethpage, had their mother write their letter. Linda wants a doll and carriage. Billy, who is nearly 2, would like a nice toy he can take to bed with him and maybe an extra one you may have. Phyllis, 11 would like a pencil case and some games and Jack 6, would like an engine for his train set and a transformer. They admit too that their behavior has not been perfect but they are going to try and make it better, "at least until Christmas."

John Marton in a neatly typed letter advises Santa that he has been a good boy this year. He says:

"I am getting trains from my daddy and grandma, but would also like a set of walkie-talkie telephone and a junior lineman tool belt. If you can spare a few games so that I may have something to play with when the weather is bad, it would make me happy too."

Ricky Zahorsz, 2½, and his sister, Joan, 7½ of 78 Myers Ave. writes a most explicit letter. After listing "a fire engine and a tractor" for Ricky and "ice skates, Cinderella wrist watch, and a baton" for Joan, they tell Santa to look in the Sears Roebuck catalogue and name the exact pages where each toy can be found.

Bruce Patoka of 91 Spindle Rd., Hicksville, writes that he would like some cars, tractors and a paint set."

### Civics to Elect

HICKSVILLE—Election of officers of the Twin Lawns Civic Assoc. will take place at a meeting tonight (Tuesday) at 81 Twainawne. Plans for the annual Christmas eve visit of Santa Claus will be completed at the same time.

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Among 27 Long Islanders aboard the transport "General Pope" which sailed to San Francisco Wednesday, Dec. 3, were two Hicksville young men, home from the

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## CURRENT COMMENT:

# Simple Justice And Pressure

By Fred J. Noeth

**THIS WILL PROBABLY** be one of the last times we'll have the opportunity of beefing about that legislative monstrosity known officially as the "Oyster Bay - Hempstead Joint Hall and Swimming Pool District."

The district comes into being on the first day of January, but the "commissioners" of this fantastic municipal agency will hold one of its initial business sessions tomorrow (Wednesday) morning.

To get the full significance of this "special district" it should be known that township boundary lines date back more than 280 years—they are older than the government of the United States. They have weathered all kinds of changing times and conditions until the year 1953 when the strongest kind of pressure imaginable was put to work.

The pressure was so strong that it forced Oyster Bay Town Board, which after official deliberation and consideration following a public hearing, had decided against handing over a section of Hicksville to the control of Hempstead Township—reversed itself and did just that.

The pressure was so great, in fact, that the Oyster Bay Town Board was forced to bow to the demands of Hempstead Township and set up the Hall District even after the people had voted three to one against such a move when their opinion was solicited via the ballot box.

The hearing tomorrow will be held in Hempstead Town Hall, probably the unkindest cut of all. The Hall built by Levitt & Sons stands in Hicksville, in the Township of Oyster Bay. But the hearing is in Hempstead Township, miles from the area concerned.

But so it has been right along. First word that the joint district would be created came out of Hempstead Town Hall (although Oyster Bay officials denied all knowledge of it at the time). The public hearing on the actual creation of the district was held in Hempstead Town Hall and our Oyster Bay Town Board had to bustle over there to be on time for the meeting. Hempstead Township enjoys a two-to-one control of the so-called commissioners which govern the joint district (two Hempstead supervisors and one Oyster Bay supervisor).

The most shocking aspect of this entire business, however, is the pious air of righteousness Oyster Bay officials seek to maintain.

The Hicksville petition for a vote on incorporation (a vote, mind you, not the actual incorporation of the village) was flatly rejected by Supervisor Ransom on highly technical grounds. But the joint district, which set up a municipal agency unmatched anywhere else in the entire State of New York and which the Town Board itself had rejected (not to mention the little matter of a public vote), went gliding through the intricate machinery in Albany as though it was a mere formality.

Is it any wonder the voting public takes such a cynical view of the pompous utterings of officials who themselves tear down the very traditions which they claim they seek to preserve.

## 10 Win Turkeys At Theatre

**HICKSVILLE**—The winners of 10 big turkeys at the Hicksville Theatre recently were: W. H. Sackmann, 22 Cornwall Lane; Mrs. M. Marinuzzi, 71 Head Ave., Bethpage. The turkeys averaged between 18 and 20 pounds and were awarded in cooperation with George and Chiff's Meat Market of East Marie St., opposite the theatre.

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## More Parking

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mittee in cooperation with the township authorities.

A report on the efforts to obtain grade crossing elimination was made by Michael Sullivan as chairman of this committee. Hopes for appropriation of state funds to have the work begun in 1955 was expressed.

Secretary William Payoski announced that Santa Claus will answer telephone calls at Hicksville 3-7170 every Wednesday between 2 and 4 P.M. starting tomorrow (Dec. 9). Parents are invited to phone and let their children talk to Santa.

Patrick J. Buffalino, chairman of the retail trades committee, gave a detailed report on the Christmas program including arrangements to bring Santa to Hicksville by helicopter on Dec. 5 and lighting of the business section in cooperation with local retailers. He invited Chamber officials to be present to form a reception committee at the helicopter landing.

## Church Directory

**HICKSVILLE** — ST. IGNATIUS ROMAN CATHOLIC—Very Rev. George M. Bittermann, pastor. Broadway, 8. (H 3-0056). Services: 8 A.M. and 12 noon in School Hall 9:30 and 10:15, and 11 A.M. and 12:15 P.M.

HOLY FAMILY ROMAN CATHOLIC—Rev. Martin O'Dea, pastor. Fordham Rd. off Broadway, Mass. 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 A.M. and 12 noon.

ST. GREGORY THE GREAT—Rev. Howard Rogers, pastor. The Rev. Wm. Duddle, assistant pastor. 27 Broadway, (H 3-0710). Services: 8 A.M. (for Presby. Dept.) and 10 A.M. Bible School: 9:15, 10, 11 A.M. Church nursery.

FIRST BAPTIST—Rev. Edward G. Broome, pastor. 57 N. Broadway (L 8-3552). Sunday Services: 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Bible School 9:45 A.M.

ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX—Rev. Andrew Kuschak, pastor. Frederick Pl. (H 7-7204). Sunday Services: 8:45 A.M. liturgy and Sunday School.

CONGREGATION SHAARAI ZEDEK—Rabbi Irving Grossman, E. Barclay St. (H 3-1347). Services: Friday at 8:30 P.M.; Saturday at 10 A.M. Bethel School: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 3:30-4:30; 6:30 P.M. Sunday School 10 A.M.

HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL—Rev. Donald G. Duncombe, pastor. Old Country Rd. and Jerusalem Ave. (H 18-1820). Sunday services: 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 A.M. Family services: 4:45 A.M. morning prayer: Sunday school 9:30, 10:20 and 11 A.M.

TRINITY PROTESTANT LUTHERAN—Rev. Dr. Bernhard W. Nichols, Jr. (H 2-1249). Sunday services: 8:30 and 11 A.M. Sunday School: 9:30 and 11 A.M. Services at 10:30 A.M.

METHODIST—Rev. Constantine Clayton, pastor. Old Country Rd. at Nelson St. (H 3-9873). The Rev. Nicholas Nappi, assistant. Sunday school 10:30 A.M. and 11 A.M. Family services: 4:45 P.M. beloved Son: In These I Am Well Pleased—Youth Fellowship—Intermediate 8:30 A.M. and 10:30 A.M.

PARKVIEW COMMUNITY—Rev. Martin G. Cossette and Rev. Douglas R. MacDonald, pastors. Hempstead Ave. (H 3-7763). Sunday services: 9 and 11 A.M. Sunday School: 9:45 A.M. and 11 A.M.

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WESLEYAN METHODIST—Dr. Theodore C. Jackson, acting pastor. The Rev. Edgar S. Jackson, associate. Old Country Rd. (H 7-7004). Bible School 9:45 A.M. Sunday Service 11 A.M.

OUR LADY OF MERCY ROMAN CATHOLIC—Rev. Louis J. Schmitt, pastor. Legion Avenue, 100 Old Country Rd. and South Oyster Bay Rd. Sunday Masses: 7:30, 8:30 and 9:30 A.M. and 11:30 A.M.

JESUS ON THE GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN—Rev. John C. Hinrich, pastor. Central Pk. Dr. (H 3-0848). Sunday services: 9:30 and 11 A.M. Sunday School: 9:45 A.M.

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ST. MARTIN'S ROMAN CATHOLIC—Rev. Michael J. O'Farrell, pastor. Franklin Ave. (H 3-0187). Masses: 9:15 a.m. church for children in hall for adults) 10, 11 and 12 noon.

## Christmas Story Coloring Contest



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The Bank of Hicksville, in cooperation with the Mid-Island Herald, will award three cash prizes for the best entries in the Christmas Story Coloring Contest submitted by children 11 years of age or younger. First award is \$10.00, second prize \$7.50 and third prize \$5.

## THE SOUTH HICKSVILLE

# Sentinel

By Craig Walsh

## Marking Time

With the holiday season upon us and the county court decision affecting the future of our community delayed for the present marking time seems to be the order of the day. At the time of this writing, little can be done concerning the incorporation vote other than just wait for Judge Cyril Brown's decision.

## Date Changed

Because of the conflict with other events on Dec. 5, the date of the Home Rule Committee's benefit dance was changed to Jan. 8 at Hicksville Legion Hall. The purpose of the dance is, of course, to raise funds to pay some of the expenses of appealing to the courts. You can contribute in a material way by being present or donating toward the drawing of a television set to be awarded to some lucky person.

## Incorporation In South Hempstead

Despite the Hempstead Town Board's rejection of their petition for annexation to the Incorporated Village of Rockville Center, the residents of the Birchwood section in unincorporated South Hempstead are starting over again. Although they had more than the required number of signatures, Hempstead Town Board ruled they were "legally insufficient". The reason given was that many signatures were not on the same sheet of paper on which the petition was stated. Many of us in Hicksville understand what the Birchwood residents are up against, and we certainly wish them the best of success in their efforts to improve their community.

## Village Boards Meet At Night

It has been very interesting to note in the county daily press during the last few days that the various village boards in the incorporated villages of Nassau County were meeting in their own communities in the evening. There were quite a few of them. They included such communities as Westbury, Garden City, New Hyde Park, Hemisford, East Williston, Floral Park, and so on.

People in those villages can attend the meetings of their locally elected officials and put in their two-cents worth if they so desire. We can't do that in Hicksville. If we want to see our elected (but not locally elected) officials in action, we have to take the day off and journey to Oyster Bay. Maybe someday, after we become incorporated, we can also be first class citizens and enjoy the privileges now part of the lives of our neighbors in the incorporated villages.

## Manor Civics To Elect Officers

**HICKSVILLE** — Nomination of officers was the order of the day at the meeting of the Woodbury Manor Civic Assoc. held Dec. 2 in the East St. School. Elections will take place Wednesday, Jan. 6, the date of the next regular meeting. A proposal that the annual dues be reduced will also be discussed at the meeting.

The following were nominated for president: Frank Chiararsi, Murray Margolis, Bill Barbieri; for vice president: Jack Onken, Edward McAnn, Bill Barbieri; for secretary, Lee Silverman, Bill Barbieri; for financial secretary, Mrs. McNamara, Tom Frey; for treasurer, Evelyn Bloomberg and for the board of governors: Joseph Klotz, Edward McAnn, Sid Rock, Murray Margolis, Tom Frey, Bill McKeon, Jack Rotmer, Edward Kolin, and Frank Chiarassi.

## HOLY DAY MITZVAH

### For L. Feierstein

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Feierstein of 86 Benjamin Ave., Hicksville, celebrated Saturday evening, Nov. 20, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah Day of their son, Leonard. The occasion marked the attainment of the age of 13 by Leonard.

The celebration began in the morning with services in Shaar Zedek synagogue with Rabbi Irving Groisman presiding. A collation was provided for the congregation following the service.

During the evening, more than 100 guests attended a party in Masonic Temple in Leonard's honor. A supper was served by a caterer. All the tables were pretty with bouquets of fall flowers and aglow with candlelight.

An orchestra provided music for dancing.

### Merry Members Arrange Shower

The Merry Menders gave a shower recently for Rita Younghans at the home of Edith Grady of 32 Garden Blvd., Hicksville. To provide the proper atmosphere for the occasion, the club members arranged a sprinkling can over the dining room table to which were attached long streamers with a doily tied to one.

The hostess was assisted in serving by Betty Tabler and Mellie Felder.

Others present were: Connie Cassaro, Emily Goodman, Gertrude Poser, Louise Thomas, Rose Younghans, Anne Erhardt, Dorothy DiSanto and Louise Salvato.

Unable to be present but contributing to the successful party were Constance Clarke, Mrs. Peterson and Anne Moyer.

Pat Duffy of Hicksville, member of the Wreath and Foil Society at Hofstra College, recently took part in the committee's work of brightening up the alumni offices in Holland House with a new coat of paint.

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## JUDY'S JOETINGS:

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By JUDY JOETINGS  
Hicksville 4-1813

Congratulations to Clara Appelino of 92 Benjamin Ave. who claims she was "21 plus" on Nov. 24.

On Sunday, Nov. 28, George Joseph Glembocki of 93 Benjamin Ave. made his debut, at St. Ignatius Church here in town. A small party was held in his honor, at the home of his parents.

His God parents were Mrs. Martin Nagel, and Edward Manuszak. His list of guests included his

grandmother, Mrs. Glembocki; his aunt, Mrs. Gollins; Mrs. Victor Marak, Wesley Linda, Arthur Nagel, Ralph Fiore, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Maukski, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blais, Mr. and Mrs. James Marinaro, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hughes, and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Drescher.

The Medarda Ofenloch of 80 Benjamin Ave., held a small celebration in the newly finished room in their basement Saturday, Nov. 21. Their guests included the Art Scheriffs, the Charles Grahams, Bill Krajcik, Bob Watterson, Fred Mann, and yours truly and spouse.

Congratulations to the Marc Muccioli of 86 Benjamin Ave. Dot gave birth to a bouncing boy on Nov. 21, at Morey Hospital. Francis Charles weighed in at 7 lbs. 12 ozs.

Ide Appollino of 92 Benjamin Ave. celebrated her 4th birthday on Dec. 4, with a party for her little friends. There were presents for all who attended.

The kids all had a grand time. There was ice cream and cake for all. Her playmates were Kathy Krajcik, Steven Graham, Charles Graham, and Nick Musaro, and Pauline Miretello.

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STATE OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, etc. I do hereby certify that a certificate of dissolution of Post Bakery, Inc. has been filed in this department on the 1st day of January, 1950, that such corporation has complied with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

Given in duplicate under my hand and official seal of the Department of State, at the City of Albany, this first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

THOMAS J. CURRAN,  
Secretary of State.

C-242, ex-12-15

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the STATE COMPTROLLER has caused examinations to be made of the ACCOUNTS & FINANCIAL AFFAIRS of Union Free School District #17, Town of Oyster Bay-Nasau County; and the Hicksville Free Public Library for the period beginning on July 1, 1950 and ending June 30, 1952. The reports of such examinations have been filed in my office where they are PUBLIC RECORDS, available for inspection by all interested persons.

ANDREW B. HEBERER,  
DISTRICT CLERK.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE LONG ISLAND NATIONAL BANK OF HICKSVILLE, HICKSVILLE, L. I.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Long Island National Bank of Hicksville will be held in the banking room, Herzog Place and Broadway, Hicksville, L. I., N. Y. on Tuesday, January 12, 1954 at 10:30 A.M.

WILLIAM E. KOUTENSKY  
PRESIDENT

December 8, 1953  
C-244, ex-12-8-53

## Change Of Date For Lady Juggler

HICKSVILLE — The Junior High School is preparing for its annual Christmas presentation which will be an adaptation of Anatole France's story, "Our Lady's Juggler."

Members of the cast include:

Barbara Jud, Craig MacIntosh, Harold Schoenell, Don Belle, Burton Kletz and Louis Lannard.

The event was first announced for Dec. 17 but was postponed because of a conflict, and is now scheduled for Monday, Dec. 21. Presentation will occur at one o'clock in the school auditorium.

The Junior High Band and Glee Club will also take part in the performance. In charge of the technical end are Irene Lanneau and Betty Sabettella.

An evening performance will be given for parents the evening of the 21st at 8:15 P.M.

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ALONG WOODBURY ROAD

## Teen Problem In Neighborhood

By MAY MALIBAN  
Hicksville 3-4416

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Executive Committee of the Woodbury Gardens Civic Assoc. will meet tomorrow (Wednesday) night instead of Tuesday (tonight) as was originally scheduled.

Several people have spoken to us about the condition that prevails in our community. We have hesitated so far in taking any recourse in this matter as it is a delicate subject. Our street lights have been broken continuously by the teen age group of our neighborhood. This does not involve the older teen-agers but the ones in the younger group. The destruction takes place in an isolated area as they obviously prefer operating near home. However, we have over approached over and over again by various residents, asking help in clearing this situation up.

The other evening a young woman came into our house practical-

ly in tears. While attempting to make a phone call from the phone booth she had broken the target for the children's rifles. I do not know anything about firearms, but I do know that several of the children have rifles and have made no secret of it. The shot used in the guns is powerful enough to put approximately 100 holes in the phone booth.

This is an unnerving experience for anyone trying to make a phone call, which may or may not have been an emergency. However, the street light had been shot out and there she was in the dark, for all she knew being shot at by one of the "mad men" we are constantly reading about in the papers. "Something should be done," was what she kept saying over and over. The sad part of it is that we know as do residents of Woodbury Gardens, who the children are who are involved. A petition was being circulated around to be given to the parents, but we thought that such action would not be necessary and asked the petitioners to refrain from such action.

### SIGN LEFT IN ROAD

The street sign, which is made of steel and had been put into the ground, was dug up and left across the road for a couple of weeks. Rock throwing is a common form of recreation for them.

detectives from the Telephone co.

have been down several times. I hope this will be cleared up in a nice way. Several other incidents have occurred that will not be mentioned now, and I hope it will not be necessary to bring them up at all.

### ASK ABOUT CLUBS

Several readers have asked us about various organizations out here. Being from the city and leaving old friends behind, it is often lonely for the new home owner. This need not be with the wonderful clubs etc. Comment is: "We don't know which one to join or whether or not we would like their type of work and program."

I think a civic organization is always a good bet because it is one way of knowing your immediate neighbors. However when the word "civic" is mentioned, people think it is a political group, which is not always the case. We have been contacting various clubs out here to

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in them off. We also have several question and answer columns interesting in the variety of opinion of our readers. Please keep them in print real soon. This column is for you. We will take all them as soon as possible.

Several recipes are on hand, sent to us by readers. Please don't think we have forgotten them. We'll get



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# Amvets Alley

**"OUT OF THE POLEHOLE"** ... The campaign to make the post membership 54... is gaining speed. On Friday evening meeting, Dec. 4, new members to Join AMVETS were Walter Wells and Tom Marzola.

those old members and bring in those new ones. Our membership officer . . . Mike Purish says this year will top all other previous years and though the other membership officers had done a swell job, he expects to make the best record of them all. In-

Our renewals . . . Johnny Lososki, Pete Fochi, George Strembel and Tom Hogan. Fellows, we are out for that Trophy which National will present for membership . . . it will look nice in our trophy case. Get after evidently there were close to 40 members present at the meeting.

**THINGS WE DIDN'T KNOW:** Our Adjutant, Fred Kastner was an Officer with the 38th Cavalry Div. in World War II. Big Bill Rumens was injured on the job a couple of weeks ago . . . sorry we didn't hear about it till the other day, buddy. Mrs. Ulmer, mother of our Standard Bearer, has been ill for the past few weeks.

**IMPORTANT EVENTS:** Post Officers and members will travel to Cleary Oral School at Lake Ronkonkoma where they will distribute books and toys to the children there. On Saturday Dec. 19 afternoon at the post club, Chairman Bill Danda will have plenty of help from the post and the Auxiliary when the children of the St. Mary's Orphanage visit with us to see Santa Claus and re-



**St. Mary St., Hicksville**  
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cake, gifts, books, ice cream and cake and the enjoy moving pictures of Mickey Mouse and other animated comics. Bill . . . let me say once again . . . "You've done one swell job!"

Sunday afternoon, Dec. 20, AMVETS play host to at least 200 children of the post members. In the evening, starting at 7:30 p.m., members and their wives or lady friends will meet at the club for a little dancing and food. AMVETS which backed the United Nations since its beginning, has sent a list of names which cries against the admission of Communist China to the UN. If they are admitted . . . I for one . . . will do my utmost to notify National Headquarters that AMVETS Post 44 will not be sticking our necks out for any more UN ideas.

The County AMVETS Welfare Ball which will be presented at the Hempstead Armory on Jan. 23, will no doubt be the biggest ball staged by AMVETS yet. The tickets are available at this time and can be purchased from any post officer of #44, or from Chairman of the Post Committee, Jim Surles. Get those tickets early. Last year 200 people or more had to be turned from the door due to no more tables or space. Mal Gertzen headed the Barn Dance affair and deserves more than a big hand . . . it was a terrific job and it will go down in the history of the post as a job that no one can ever beat.

**NOW TO CLOSE:** Again the same subject is "Membership". All members who have not renewed as yet . . . GET IT IN. Not a prediction . . . but an actual fact the membership will be doubled and may even be tripled. Remember our slogan . . . "200 More For '54".

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## Top Ranking In Scholarship

HICKSVILLE—The well worn phrase "Local Boy Makes Good" would certainly apply to Burton Weidman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weidman of 170 West Main St., proprietors of the Peter and Wendy Children's Shop, at 122 Broadway. He is the top-ranking candidate of the 14 non-city candidates receiving a dental scholarship from the four-year Regents Scholarship, awarded each year on a 50-50 basis in medicine and dentistry, one-half going to New York City residents and one-half to non-city residents.

Burton, who has been a major in dentistry at the Columbia University Medical Center since September of this year, was graduated in '53 from New York University. He is also a graduate of Franklin K. Lane High School in Forest Hills.

The Weidmans have been local residents for the past four years.

It may be true that time waits for no man—yet it manages to get him in the end.

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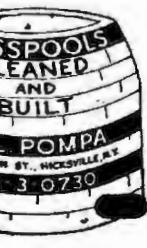
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## HICKSVILLE GABLES

### Decorating Contest Takes Shape

By CONSTANCE GIBSON  
Hicksville 4-1482

We are very happy to be able to report that the Hicksville Gable Decorating Contest is in full swing. All those so far approached by the committee members have responded with enthusiasm. The contest itself is to take place on Dec. 28 when the Gable homes will be judged for religious theme, general appeal and lighting by Frank Mallett, Herald photographer of Plainview Rd., H. Kimmel of Hicksville House Upholstery Co. and Blanche Christensen of the Independent Art League of Hicksville.

Three first prizes and three second prizes, to be announced later will be awarded. Blue ribbons will be stapled to the doors of first prize winners, yellow for second and pink for third. Mrs. William DiBello of South Elm St., Mrs. Ed Sneedenberg of Gables Rd., and Mrs. Wilson also of Gables Rd. have been working hard for the contest.

We would like to offer our best wishes to Bernadette McCoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. McCoy, who entered Mitchel Field Hospital Wednesday, Dec. 2. The McCoy's reside at 8 Gables Drive. ATTENTION, St. Dominic students. As St. Dominic's representative on the teen-age editorial board of the national Catholic magazine Extension: I would like to take this opportunity to call your attention to the fact that the magazine is at present running a contest open to all students. The contest is divided into three parts. 1-A thumbnail sketch of 500 words on a leading Catholic figure, giving his steps to his present position.

**LEGAL NOTICE**

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS  
Regular meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals of Town of Oyster Bay, will be held in the Justice Court Room, Oyster Bay, December 17, 1953, at 7:30 P.M.

CASE #2421  
APPELLANT Gerard Baudry, 60 Selden Rd., Hicksville, SUBJECT Variance to erect attached garage with less rear yard than Ordinance allows.  
LOCATION—S of Fox Pl. 481.44 w/o Winding La., Hicksville.

CASE #3426  
APPELLANT Rosecoftone, 11 Rockwood Rd., Hicksville, SUBJECT Variance to erect attached garage and breezeway with less rear yard and yards than Ordinance allows.  
LOCATION—S of Rockwood Rd. 481.44 w/o Winding La., Hicksville.

CASE #3428  
APPELLANT Joseph Salek, Jr., 78 Wellmeyer Ln., Hicksville, SUBJECT—Variance to erect attached garage with less side yards than Ordinance allows.  
LOCATION—W of Wellmeyer Ln. 481.44 w/o Woodbine Dr., Hicksville.

CASE #3429  
APPELLANT Ernest Berard, 6 Fernside Dr., Hicksville, SUBJECT—Variance to erect an attached garage with less side yards than Ordinance allows.  
LOCATION—W of Fernside Dr. 481.44 w/o Woodbine Dr., Hicksville.

BY ORDER OF THE  
BOARD OF APPEALS  
Town of Oyster Bay  
Daniel Mohrhardt,  
Secretary

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and advised to teenagers; 2-A series of pictures telling a story of school or general interest; (These two merit a \$100 award); 3-A sketch or idea to be worked out by Extension for a cover. This also merits a \$100 award.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cerone of 271 Plainview Rd. set a record for entertaining during the holiday, having 17 guests at dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cerone and children Robert and Bruce of Larch Street, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Monahan, Robert, Regina and Kevin Monahan of Bridgewater, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Monahan of Syosset, Mr. and Mrs. James Whirt of 2 Spruce St., plus the Cerone's four children: Bronwyn, Mark, Debra and Darren. It was the first time that Mr. and Mrs. Monahan of Syosset had the pleasure of having all their grandchildren together.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Arlet of 30 Gables Rd. spent the holiday at a birthday and Thanksgiving party at the Brooklyn home of Mr. and Mrs. Seiling. It was Mrs. Seiling's birthday. Cecilia Arlet had dinner with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Siksay in New York after which she went ice skating in Central Park.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D'Amura of 15 South Elm St. held a toy demonstration in their home Dec. 1. Eighteen residents of South Elm St. attended. Mr. Hoe of South Elm St. will visit the children of his friends on Christmas morning with a toy for each child. The parents are contributing towards Santa's suit.

Mr. and Mrs. Oates of 20 South Elm St. have a new Willys car. It is a lovely black with white side-wall tires.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernandez of 9 South Elm St., Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Giannelli of 11 South Elm St. and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver of 6 South Elm St. had dinner at Geide's Inn in Centerport with Mr. and Mrs. Giannelli of 50 Lennox Ave. and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lynch of Fifth St. The couples have formed a small club, saving their money collectively and then having a night out.

We would like to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wolfe of 16 First St. on the birth of a daughter, Dec. 3 at Brunswick Hospital.

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## Staten Is. Scores Late To Beat Field Club

HICKSVILLE—With less than thirty-five paid admissions looking on, Staten Island Tigers scored their 16th straight win, Sunday, when a late Field Club fumble set up the winning touchdown on the ten yard line. The score was 14-7.

The anxiety to prolong the dreary football campaign was not shared by all the Black and White players and many gaps were filled by players from this year's high school team.

Neither team exhibited great offensive ability, but the play was spirited and a half dozen fights broke out necessitating four ejections.

The Tigers, who will entertain the Field Club in a return match at Staten Island this coming Sunday, scored with just 28 seconds left in the first half on a short buck following two pass completions.

Hicksville quickly squared it at 7-7 in the third period when Dan Colletti smashed in to break a Tiger punt. The fourth plunge from inside the five by Dan Desmond recorded the equalizer.

Quarterback Elias Stets circled the right end on a keep play for

the extra point.

It appeared that the deadlock would be maintained until the finish but Stats missed Hilly Bookor with a lateral in the fourth period and the Tigers recovered.

Three ground attempts failed but a fourth down pass that FC defender, Julie Swotcha, batted into the arms of the Tiger end turned the trick.

### Still Receiving Grass Fire Calls

HICKSVILLE—Despite the lateness of the season volunteer firemen continue to be called to grass fires.

A grass fire was extinguished Thursday, Dec. 3, at 1:35 P. M. on Miller Rd., and one on Dec. 5 at 1:21 P. M. at Newbridge Rd., and Hudson St.

Dec. 2 at 2:46 P. M. a silent was received for an oil burner fire at 26 Areadia Lane at the home of Nicholas Lombardi.

Enter Herald Christmas Story Coloring Contest

### SURE ON LINE:

## Port Rebuffs Hicksville 68-49

HICKSVILLE—Defending North Shore Athletic League champion, Port Washington, had a difficult time running with Chet Jaworski's youthful Comets, here Friday night in the bandbox, but won a decided 68-49 non-league victory standing still.

The veteran Port five, stabilized by the poised Ernie Jackson, could only work the small confounds for 19 field goals, just three more than the losers netted.

Victory, however, was assured from the foul line where Port deposited 30 of 41 free throws. Hicksville had 85 chances but converted only 17.

This failure from the charity stripe—particularly in the early stages when 12 of 17 missed the mark—blocked what started as a good bid by the Comets to overcome the many advantages held by the visitors.

It was 14-10 at the quarter but, with the winners hitting with 13 of 15 foul tosses the bludgeon grew to 34-24 at halftime.

Both clubs used a pressing zone and the Comets moved quickly to close the gap to 37-31 in the fifth minute of the third period when Joe Pepe pushed three straight goals in.

From there Port had a romp as the personal fouls mounted and Hicksville did not have the replacements with which to match Lou Costello's boys who are listed in the early season book as a Finch to repeat with the title.

The lineup.

	G	F	P
Burgay	6	2	12
Bartoccioli	6	2	12
Moschino	6	2	12
Hall	1	0	2
Meter	1	0	2
Conlon	0	0	0
Scherzerhorn	1	0	2
Palaski	0	0	0
Wiles	0	0	0
Gilbert	0	0	0
Nuzzolese	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>65</b>

	G	F	P
Hicksville (49)			
Scott	2	4	10
Tatton	2	5	12
Peg Williams	0	0	0
DeLay	0	2	4
Mailed	0	2	4
Chuk	1	0	2
Knifing	0	0	0
Katz	0	0	0
Bartoda	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>49</b>

	G	F	P
Port Washington	14	28	63
Hicksville	10	34	49
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### Girls Scouts Present Program

PLAINVIEW—Girl Scouts here will present on Sunday, Dec. 13 at 7 P. M. a Festival of Lights celebrating Chanukah and Christmas in the Manetto Hill School. Parents and friends of the scouts are invited. Mrs. Grace Gorr is in charge.

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NWLL PENNANT winners in the Farm Group for 1953 were the Rangers. Ed Saunders, second from left in rear row, is manager of the team. The North West Little League has been renamed the Central Nassau Little League for 1954 and its area of membership expanded.

THE PROFESSIONALS, pennant winners in the North West Little League Major League group for 1953 as they appeared during the presentation of awards and trophies at Levittown Hall, Hicksville, recently. Lee Samberg, manager of the team is second from left in the rear row.

### HICKSVILLE VS LEVITTOWN:

## 'Natural' Series Soon Reality

HICKSVILLE—The Mid-Island Herald has learned that a major schedule change will take place and that interscholastic athletic rota-

tions with Hicksville's newest and closest community, Levittown, is but a few weeks from becoming a reality.

Regarded as a natural, the series will get underway Dec. 22 at the Panthers' home basketball court with a bonus and home series arranged for the coming years.

In order for this year's game to take place St. Mary's of Manhasset, in its first year of competition, has agreed to release Hicksville from one of its two dates already scheduled.

Also in the mill is a contract for football games between Hicksville and Levittown for the seasons of 1954 and 1955. Dates have already been assigned and only the formalities of contract signing remain before the gridiron series is realized.

The addition of Levittown which acquitted itself admirably last season in the South Shore Athletic League gives Hicksville one of the outstanding slates of opponents in

Nassau County.

Eastern Division basketball has provided more County champions than any loon in the County and Port Washington, Garden City, and St. Dominic's continually rate high in court standings.

Manhasset and St. Mary's will not provide any breathers from the League card of Westbury, Sea Cliff, Farmingdale, Oyster Bay and Roslyn.

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**Round Roast** lb. 77¢

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**Top-Sirloin****Cross Rib Roast** lb. 77¢

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**Porterhouse Steak** lb. 77¢

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**Sirloin Steak** lb. 77¢

SUGAR CURED

**Smoked Tongues** lb. 39¢

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**Ground Beef** lb. 35¢

3 lbs. \$1.00

## Dairy Products

FARMER'S PRIDE	
BUTTER	1 lb. block 69¢
KRAFT NATURAL SLICED	
SWISS CHEESE	1/2 lb. pkg. 39¢
KRAFT	
CHEEZ WHIZ	8 oz. jar 29¢
KRAFT	Nippy - Garlic - Bacon - Smokell - Swiss
KRAFT LINKS	6 oz. pkg. 23¢
KRAFT	1 1/4 oz. container
GRATED PARMESAN	15¢
KRAFT	3 oz. container
GRATED PARMESAN	27¢

## VEGETABLES

YELLOW RIPE BANANAS	lb. 12¢
L. I. #1 POTATOES	10 lb. bag 29¢
FLORIDA JUICY ORANGES	5 lb. bag 29¢

ASSOCIATED	MAYONNAISE	pint jar	33¢
LOTUS BRAND	WHITE MEAT TUNA	Without Oil	
DEL MONTE	8 oz. cans	29¢	
STOKELY'S	TOMATO SAUCE	3 for	20¢
CORN-ON-THE-COB	(4 ears in large can)	35¢	
SUNSWEET	PRUNE JUICE	quart bottle	31¢
FAMILY BRAND	GREEN BEANS	16 oz. can	2 for 29¢
EHLERS	INSTANT COFFEE	2 oz. jar	55¢
EHLERS	INSTANT COFFEE	5 oz. jar	\$1.29
DEL MONTE	SWEET CHERRIES	16 oz. jar	31¢
STOKELY'S	BARTLETT PEARS	largest can	35¢
EL-C	ORANGEADE	no. 5 can	23¢
	ELECTRA-SOL	26 oz. pkg.	33¢
MARCAL ASSORTED COLORS	TOILET TISSUE	1000 sheet rolls	"Why Take Less?"
	1 CENT SALE — SERVIT SPOONLIFT TEA BAGS	50 for 29¢	2 for 23¢
	plus Servit Hot Chocolate — 1 package, value 10¢ — for 1¢. All above in one package.		
	ADOLPH'S MEAT TENDERIZER — Seasoned	4 oz. jar 45¢	
	ADOLPH'S MEAT TENDERIZER — Non-Seasoned	4 oz. jar 45¢	
	(MAKES ALL MEAT TENDER)		
	LADDIE BOY HORSEMEAT, ground	1 lb. can 20¢	
	LADDIE BOY BEEF, ground	1 lb. can 21¢	
	SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS	1 lb. pkg. 25¢	
	ASSOCIATED	6 oz. cans	
	ORANGE JUICE	2 for 33¢	
	BIRDSEYE PEAS	10 oz. pkg.	2 for 29¢
	SLICED STRAWBERRIES	10 oz. pkg.	24¢
	BIRDSEYE FRENCH FRIED POTATOES	9 oz. pkg.	2 for 33¢
	CHEEF'S BREADED SHRIMP-IN-BASKET	16 oz. pkg.	69¢
	LAURA'S EGG PLANT PARMIGIANA	1 lb. pkg.	69¢
	Tasty! New! Different! (Cooked with Cheese and Tomato Sauce)		

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