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HERALD REPORT

School Board Meeting

Hicksville District 17

At a meeting of the Hicksville School District 17 Board of Education held on Tuesday, January 28th under "policy items" the Board of Education approved the following policies:

Senior Citizens Privileges

"Residents of Hicksville School District who are 65 years of age or older will be issued Senior Citizen passes by the District Clerk for free admission to official student plays and shows at the Senior and Junior High Schools, and to intra-mural, inter-scholastic home sports events. The passes will be available at the Administration Building and will be issued on a non-transferable basis to qualified senior citizens appearing in person. Passes must be renewed every three years."

Tax Sheltered Annuities

The Board approved the right of teachers to participate at their own expense on tax sheltered annuity plans.

Criteria For Free Lunches

Because the State of New York Department of Education requested all school districts to do so, the Board of Education has adopted a policy on criteria for free lunches and has filed this policy with the State, as requested.

Tests On Religious Holidays

Although this has been the practice right along, the Board adopted as policy the rule that on religious holidays as indicated in the Commissioner of Education's calendar, no tests shall be given. They also ruled that no religious songs will be part of the

mandated foreign language curriculum.

Other Board Matters Acted Upon

The Board recognized the non-instructional administrative and supervisory staff Association as the bargaining agent for middle management as required by the Taylor Law.

The Board approved the use of two psychological tests in the schools... the Ayres Space Test and the South California Figure Ground Visual Perception Test.

The Board appointed John McGovern and Mary Carlinas members of the Educational Advisory Panel. Also serving on this Panel are Thomas Bannan, Frank Cunningham and Amadeo Tommaini. The Panel's duties consist of monthly meetings and a yearly report of findings, conclusions and recommendations to the Board. They deal with broad educational problems.

The Board approved monies for the Community Relations Advisory Committee to publish several newsletters this school year to help improve the understanding between the school and community. Mrs. Shirley Smith is this committee's chairman. Serving on this committee are John Beutelman, Adolph Weinstein, Virginia Flood, Charles Ullrich, Allan Maier, Helen Osbahr, Lucille Rosen, A. Allan Goldstein, Helen Goldstein, Dorothy Brown, William Lee, Amadeo Tommaini, Louis Caporale, Robert Follick, Richard Mannheimer, Rabbi Eli Skolst and Lucille Michaels.

The Board granted John Mateer tenure as Assistant Principal in East Street School.

Art Society To Meet

On Feb. 3 there will be a general meeting of the Independent Art Society of 1 Hicksville, at the Hicksville Library starting at 8 p.m. This meeting is open not only to members of the Society, but also other residents of the area who are interested.

"There will be an exhibit of painting in mixed media by Society members from Feb. 3 to 17 at the Central Federal Savings and Loan Association in Hicksville," said a spokesman for the group.



MRS. GARDINER GREGORY shows plans for expansion of The Gregory Museum to people interested in assisting the museum. The group was brought to The Gregory Museum, 207 Cottage Boulevard, Hicksville, N.Y. by the organization "Friends Of The Gregory Museum".

Left to right: Dr. Charles A. Lewis Jr., Nassau County BOCES; Mrs. Helene Flanagan; Mr. Herbert Simins, Commissioner of Public Works Nassau County; Mrs. Gardiner Gregory; Mr. Arthur Goldberg, Vice-president, "Friends Of The Gregory Museum"; Mr. Thomas J. Portela, Public Affairs Officer, First National City Bank, New York; Mr. Alfred Carpentier, President "Friends Of The Gregory Museum"; Mr. David Feldman, Director of Purchasing Nassau County, Secretary and Treasurer of "Friends Of The Gregory Museum".

Trinity Lutheran's PTF Association Hears Program Evaluation

Dr. Richard H. Engebrecht, Assistant Executive Secretary of Parish Education for the Atlantic District of the Lutheran Church-Mis-

souri Synod, explained the nationwide program of the evaluation and enrichment in the Lutheran schools to the Parent-Teacher-Friends-

Association of Trinity Lutheran School, 40 West Nicolai Street in Hicksville.

At the meeting held on January 14, Dr. Engebrecht explained to a group of over 125 parents how the evaluation called Patterns of Performance affects the local school. "This is a five-year program which begins with the fine arts to secure excellence in all areas of the school's curriculum," Dr. Engebrecht stated.



ANATOMY OF CURRICULUM: Mr. Stanley Kramer, (left) art director of Trinity Lutheran School, Hicksville, shows a wire sculpture made by his students, to Dr. Richard H. Engebrecht, (right) Assistant Executive Secretary of Parish Education of the Atlantic District. Dr. Engebrecht later explained to the members of Trinity's Parent-Teacher-Friends-Association about Patterns of Performance, a five-year project of evaluation and enrichment in Lutheran schools across the nation. This year's area of study is the Fine Arts.

Also on the program was Mr. Stanley Kramer, art director of Trinity, who used children's art work, produced during the program by selected students to represent the graphic arts of the school.

Town to Launch OB Beauty Plan

Oyster Bay town will kick off its town-wide beautification program at a special meeting on Friday night, Feb. 7 at Town Hall in Oyster Bay.

Councilman Ralph Diamond, who conceived the program to beautify the township, said Commissioner John J. Burns, of the State Office for Local Government and Charles C. Morrison, State Director of the Natural Beauty Commission, will speak to those involved in this

new program.

Diamond explained that the program calls for a three-pronged approach, with a beautification authority comprised of experts in their fields, a citizens advisory committee and 10 regional beautification councils throughout the town.

He added this will be the first time that a beautification plan will be in effect 365 days a year. The beautification authority includes seven, non-salaried

members, appointed by the town board for two-year terms and chaired by Diamond.

Its membership has been drawn from the ranks of landscape architects, civic associations, garden clubs, conservationists and business leaders.

Diamond said the authority has the basic responsibility for developing overall beautification programs and plans for the town. The authority will also conduct

studies and surveys of existing beauty resources; recommend to the town board necessary legislation for the enforcement and implementation of beautification programs and designate scenic sites for preservation.

The ten regional councils are: (1) Bayville, Locust Valley, Glen Head and Oyster Bay; (2) Bethpage and Plainville; (3) East Norwich; (4) Farmingdale; (5) Hicksville; (6) Jericho; (7)

Massapequa; (8) North Massapequa; (9) Plainville; Old Bethpage and (10) Syosset-Woodbury.

The town board has appointed seven to 12 members to each council that will recommend local programs and priorities for consideration by the town beautification authority.

The chairman of each of the regional councils will comprise the citizens advisory committee, which will report directly to the beautification authority.

Around Our Towns

David Rule of Jericho will play the part of Luther Billis in the production of "South Pacific" scheduled for Feb. 26 - March 1st, in the Little Theater, Farrell Hall on the State University Agricultural and Technical College Campus. Ticket sales will be on a reserved seat basis and may be purchased beginning Thursday morning, Feb. 6th at 9 A.M. from Mr. A. Shaver's office on the second floor of Farrell Hall. No tickets will be sold by phone or mail order.

Larry Roman of Notre Dame

Avenue, Hicksville, phoned to complain about the low-flying planes in his area from Grumman's. Mr. Roman who is a genuinely concerned citizen of our area, doesn't seem to have accomplished much by phone calls to Grumman's or the TOB Board members. We wonder if there is a regulation as to exactly how low planes can fly over residential areas.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James (Patricia) Rodecker of 52 East Cherry St., Hicksville upon the birth of their son, James

Patrick, born on January 25th at Mercy Hospital, weighing in at 9 lbs. and 3 ozs. The Rodecker's have one other child, young Anne-Marie who is one year old.

Condolences to the family of Margaret Braun of Hicksville who passed away on Jan. 27th. Surviving are her sister, Rosa Frohnhoefer, 8 nieces and nephews. Interment will take place tomorrow at Most Holy Trinity Cemetery after a Requiem Mass at St. Ignatius RC Church.

Condolences to the family of Joseph J. Kowell, Sr. of Hicksville who passed away on Jan. 27th. Mr. Kowell will be buried in Pinelawn Memorial Park Cemetery today, after religious services by Rev. James Benson at the Wagner Funeral Home. He is survived by his wife Elizabeth, sons Joseph and Robert, sister Anna Powell and four grandchildren.

Robert Williams Chapter of the International Order of DeMolay held their Public Installation of Officers on January 27, at the Hicksville Masonic Temple.

The following are the elective and appointive officers: Guy Sabol, Master; Councilor; Bill Linke, Sr. Councilor; Raymond W. Frohnhoefer, Jr. Councilor; Steven Koch, Senior Deacon; Michael Cerlino, Junior Deacon; John Wagner, Sr. Steward; Raymond Simpson, Jr. Steward; Richard Lillie, Chaplain; William Fricsson, Marshal; Russel Zwegel, Scribe; Joseph Sutton, Standard Bearer; and Charles Brumer, Sentinel.

Guy Sabol and Raymond W. Frohnhoefer received the Representative DeMolay award from Mr. Richard Wicks, Sr., the Chapter Advisor. Various other merit awards were also presented.

Any boys between the ages of 14 and 21 who are interested in joining the Order should contact Raymond W. Frohnhoefer at WE 1-0752.

Steven H. Packman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Packman of 96 Phipps Lane, Plainview, a freshman at Kansas Wesleyan University, Salina, Kansas, has been elected President of house council the governing body within the freshman dorm.

Mr. Packman has also been selected for membership in the university chapter of Phi Beta Lambda, a national business Fraternity.

Mr. Packman is a graduate of Plainview High School.

Suzette C. Stellabotte, a Hicksville High School graduate, has

Down Memory Lane



GUESS WHO? We'll give you just a small hint...both these nice people live in Hicksville. Also, we have arranged with the Twin South Cinerama Theatre in the Mid Island Shopping Center, in Hicksville, for two free passes to this fine theatre, to the first mailed answer we receive giving this couple's name. Send your answers to us at 181 Old Country Road, Hicksville, NY 11801 and we'll announce the winner next week. (Relatives and employees of the Herald are not allowed to enter...in fact, they really should be sworn to secrecy.)

If you have clear snapshots of residents taken a decade or so ago, send them in and we'll enter them in the "Guess Who" contest.

been named to the deans list at the State University Agricultural and Technical College at Delhi.

Miss Ellen K. Watson, 3 Joyce Rd., Plainview has recently appeared in the student production of "Harvey" at Baldwin-Wallace College, where she is a freshman.

Miss Watson is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. James Watson.

Among the 175 Muskingum College students who are studying overseas during the January Interim Term is Stephen Baldwin, sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Baldwin, 3 Hay Path Road, PLAINVIEW, Sociology of the Kibbutz, in Israel.

Three Hicksville men are among ninety-five members of the Nassau Police Department who received Excellent Police Duty Awards in recognition of outstanding police work performed during the first six months of 1968. They are Detective Daniel J. Lannon and Patrolmen Arthur J. Fleming and Bernard W. Meyer.

John A. Labbate of 78 Moeller Avenue, HICKSVILLE has been named assistant secretary of the New York Bank for Savings, New York's first mutual savings

bank, it was announced recently by Alfred S. Mills, the Bank's president.

Nassau residents interested in obtaining lifeguard positions at the County's pools and Nassau Beach next summer are reminded that an examination will be held at the Westbury High School swimming pool, Post Avenue and Jericho Turnpike, Westbury, on Saturday, February 1, starting at 6:30 p.m.

Positions, ranging in salary from \$2.19 per hour for a regular lifeguard to \$3.46 per hour for supervisors, are open to both young men and young women. Applicants must have reached their 17th birthday by June 15, 1969 and must have medical certification from the Nassau County Department of Health.

Further information concerning the tests may be obtained by calling IV 9-9600, extension 250.

Rosary Society

The Rosary Altar Society of Holy Family Church, Five Fordham Avenue, Hicksville, will hold a fashion show, "69 Fashions by Charlie," on Monday, February 3, at 8:30 p.m. in the School Auditorium. Tickets are \$1.50.

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Eventually, AIRPAP will protect all subscriber cable throughout the company's Long Island Territory, including Nassau and Suffolk Counties and Brooklyn, Queens and Staten Island.

This year and next, New York Telephone plans to invest more than \$1,787,000 in the pressurization of more than 4,125 miles of its subscriber telephone cables throughout the Long Island Territory.

An Opportunity To Serve

The Motor Service of the Nassau County Chapter of the American Red Cross must be expanded to meet the needs of the Community.

Last year 71 volunteer drivers handled over 1,400 assignments, providing transportation to hospitals, clinics and blood centers, travelling approximately 124,000 miles.

More drivers . . . both men and women . . . are urgently needed. If you are a licensed driver, enjoying being on the road, and have some free time, won't you please call 747-3500, ask for Motor Service; or write to the County Chapter of the American Red Cross, 264 Old Country Road, Mineola, New York 11501.

You will find a great deal of satisfaction in this very rewarding service.

No Feb. 11 Board Meeting

The Oyster Bay Town Board announced today that there would be no Town Board meeting on

February 11 because of the annual State Association of Towns meeting in New York City.

New Pastor At St. Ignatius

In clergy changes announced on January 21st, Bishop Walter P. Kellenberg of the Rockville Center Catholic Diocese made known the appointment of Father Frederic J. Harter as pastor of St. Ignatius Parish in Hicksville to succeed The Right Rev. Monsignor George M. Bittermann, V.F. who now becomes pastor emeritus there.

Father Harter comes to St. Ignatius from Holy Spirit Church in New Hyde Park where he served as assistant pastor. He was ordained in 1945 and has served in several Long Island parishes, including St. Patrick's in Bay Shore from 1948 to 1961 and St. Dominic's in Oyster Bay where he served from 1961 to 1965.

Frank--Weiss

Temple Shaarei Zedek, Hicksville, was the setting on Jan. 11th. for the marriage of Lois Elizabeth Frank, daughter of Mrs. Esther Frank of Plainview, L.I., and the late John Frank to Marine Lieut. Peter W. Weiss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weiss of Plainview. Rabbi Julius Goldberg of the Plainview Jewish Center officiated.

The maid of honor was Miss Susan Ann Weiss, Plainview; matron of honor was Mrs. Al Levin of Syracuse; best man was Gary G. Weiss, Plainview.

Following a honeymoon in Puerto Rico and St. Thomas, the newlyweds will live in North Carolina where Lieut. Weiss will be assigned to the Second Marine Division at Camp Lejeune.

The bride is a graduate of Bridgeport University and is presently an elementary school teacher in the Plainview-Old Bethpage School District. The bridegroom, who graduated from the University of Buffalo, recently returned from a 13-month tour of duty in Vietnam where he received many citations while serving with the Third and Second Marine Corps Divisions. Among his citations are the Silver Star for gallantry in action at Khe Sanh for which his unit also received the Presidential Unit Citation. He also received the Vietnamese Star from the Government of Vietnam.

The groom's mother is a staff nurse at the Student Health Center of State University Agricultural and Technical College at Farmingdale (L.I.). His father is a Guidance Counselor in the Plainview-Old Bethpage School District.



Linda E. Schaaf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip N. Schaaf of Notre Dame Ave., Hicksville, has been engaged to marry Bruce N. Hubmeier from Glendale, New York. A July wedding is planned.

Linda is presently finishing her senior year at Concordia Teachers College in Illinois and is planning to teach in the East next year.

Her fiancé, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Hubmeier, is presently teaching in Summit, Illinois and has plans to teach in the East next year. He earned his teaching degree from Concordia Teachers College in 1968.

Blood Donors Needed

As individuals, we are seldom called upon to save a human life. However, should the need arise, few if any, would be found wanting.

Blood . . . "The River of Life" . . . is still urgently needed by the hospitals throughout the County. It cannot be manufactured - only a human body can supply it and only a human being can give it.

Won't you donate a pint of blood to save a life? It takes so little time to save a life so precious.

Blood donor sessions will be held at the Nassau County Chapter, American Red Cross, 264 Old Country Road, Mineola, on Tuesday, February 4th, from 2:30 to 7:30 p.m., and on Thursday, February 13th and 20th, from 2:00 to 7:00 P.M.

Mize-Colligan

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mize of 19 Harding Avenue, Hicksville announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Anne to Mr. William R. Colligan, Jr. of East Meadow.

Miss Mize is a graduate of the State University at Oneonta. She is now teaching fourth grade at the Pines School in Hauppauge.

Mr. Colligan is a 1968 graduate of Hartwick College in Oneonta, and is currently employed with the State Education Department in Albany.

A June wedding is planned.

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Attorneys Call MTA Bridge Proposal Unconstitutional

Attorneys for the Town of Oyster Bay today argued that the Legislature violated the State Constitution three times in creating the Metropolitan Transportation Authority and giving it the power to construct the proposed Oyster Bay-Rye bridge and its access roads.

Appearing before State Supreme Court Justice Samuel Gold, Deputy Town Attorney Charles Lynch said the bill giving the MTA power to build the bridge and roads "should have been a special bill and not an omnibus bill." He added, "This is precisely the type of logrolling which article III, section 15 of the Constitution was enacted to prevent."

Lynch, along with attorneys for the City of Rye and eleven North Shore villages, also contended that the creation of the MTA through a general law, the 1967 Mass Transportation Act, was unconstitutional. He pointed out that the MTA's predecessor, the Metropolitan Commuter

Transportation Authority, was created by a special legislative act in 1965.

In a separate argument, Lynch maintained that the State violated the Constitution's Home Rule provisions in giving the MTA the power to lay out, build or extend access roads to the bridge. He argued that no request for such action or consultation with local authorities occurred, although the construction plans had "tremendous local impact and should have come under the Home Rule provisions."

Senior Deputy Town Attorney David Weinblatt, who accompanied Lynch, said Justice Gold promised to hand down a decision within a week on the matter. Town Board Majority Leader Edmund A. Ocker said that he was hopeful that Justice Gold would stay the State's plans for further action. "I feel we have a strong case," said Ocker. "I can assure you that we intend to do all in our power to protect the Town's interests."

Receives Award



SR James Walsh

Seaman Recruit James Walsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Walsh of Hicksville, was the recipient of a unique award. The American Spirit Honor Medal was presented to him by the Citizens Committee for the Army, Navy, and Air Force upon graduation from the Great Lakes Recruit Training Program. He was one of 1600 recruits. This award is given annually. Seaman Walsh attended Hicksville Schools St. Dominic's High School.

After four years with the Peace Corps James Walsh returned from Thailand and enlisted in the Navy. His last assignment was Associate Director of Peace Corps activities in that South East Asian country. He will spend his post-recruit leave at his parents' home here. His Thai bride, the former Rachinikorn Bodhiprasart, is now on her way to join him. After the leave he will proceed to Bainbridge Maryland for further training.

Walsh is a graduate of Notre Dame. He was listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" because of his extensive activities on that campus. In the late fifties he was one of the early student leaders in the Hicksville Recreation Program. After completion of his Navy tour Walsh looks forward to continued education and resumption of service with the Peace Corps.

Ford Has A Good Thing Going

A whole new vista may be opening up for TV commercials with the pioneering of a new concept by Ford. Some will say it has been done before in other shapes and forms but not with such a cast of stars as to give it the look of an hour special. Bob Henry, who has produced some of the top network shows, was given the assignment to star-stud the show and keep it moving to tourist attractions in this vicinity. He has assembled such topnames as Donald O'Connor, Phyllis Diller, Lou Rawls, Artie Johnson and Gene Sheldon. Vocal group, The Going Thing, was matched up by Ford and its ad agency. It must rate with the most expensive commercial ever filmed, running into six figures.

Oddly enough the show won't be on the network. Ford Dealer Associations throughout the country will place the program on local stations. New York, Connecticut and Long Island Ford Dealers will sponsor the show here (on Sunday, Feb. 23 over WABC-TV from 6-7 p.m.) or (on Tues., Feb. 11 over WTIC-TV, from 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.)

Hicksville International Little League News

The Hicksville International Little League held a general meeting on Monday, January 27, in room 102 at the Hicksville High School on Division Avenue.

Registration of all boys. The Women's Auxiliary will meet on Monday, February 3, at 8:15 p.m. in Room 102 at the Hicksville High School on Division Ave.

Hadassah Auction

Kadimah Chapter of Hadassah is proud to announce its forthcoming AUCTION! It will be held on Thursday, Feb. 13, at 8:30 P.M., at the Israel Community Center on Hempstead Turnpike in Levittown (west of Henshaw's). The auctioneer will be the well-known Hoss Doret. Admission is free and everyone is invited. All proceeds will go to charity.

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1 Lt. Jack Compton (left), Commanding Officer of the Civil Air Patrol squadron in Plainview, explains the operation of a jet engine to cadets during a recent visit to Kennedy Airport.

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A 'SAFE' START. . . A 50-ton concrete vault signifies the completion of the first phase of construction on the new Dollar Savings Bank branch at the northeast corner of North Broadway and Bethpage Road in Jericho. The 12,000-foot branch, Dollar's first on Long Island, is being built by Jerry Spiegel Associates, of Hicksville. It is scheduled to open this Spring. The concrete vault, which boasts a reinforced steel base and 18-inch thick ceiling and walls, stands nearly 14 feet high, and has a depth and width of approximately 20 feet. It took a five-man construction crew three weeks to build the oversized safe.

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Reg Fleming To Conduct TOB Clinics

New York Ranger Reg Fleming will conduct a series of ice hockey clinics during February in cooperation with the Oyster Bay Town Department of Recreation.

Majority Leader Edmund A. Ocker said Fleming, an outstanding player with the New York Rangers for several years, will instruct the youths on various ice hockey skills and game fundamentals.

The free clinics, open to all town residents, will be held at the Syosset-Woodbury, Bethpage and Marjorie R. Post, Massapequa community parks' ice rinks.

The clinics will involve peewees (6-10); juniors (10-14) and seniors (15-18). The schedule and time as follows:

February 3, Syosset, 7-9 p.m.
February 6, Bethpage, 6-7:30 p.m. (pee-wees)

February 10, Bethpage, 7-9 p.m.

February 17, Massapequa, 7-9 p.m.

February 27, Syosset, 6-7:30 p.m. (pee-wees).

For further information, those interested should contact the department of recreation at 921-5875.

Memorial Gifts Program

It was announced today by Bernard Rubin, County Heart Fund Memorial Gifts Chairman, that the Thomas Dalton Funeral Home, Inc. is a participant in the Heart Association's Memorial Gifts program. For the convenience of those wishing to make a memorial gift in the memory of a friend, relative, or associate, the Thomas Dalton Funeral Homes has available memorial gifts information. For immediate service, call PI 1-5522.

Our Armed Forces

Airman First Class Anthony J. Polidora, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Polidora of 33 Surrey Lane, PLAINVIEW, has arrived for duty at Schierstein, Germany.

Airman Polidora, an administrative specialist, is assigned to a unit of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe. He previously served at MacDill AFB, Fla.

The airman is a graduate of Plainview High School.

Airman James M. Hynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Hynes of 69 Elm St., HICKSVILLE, has been graduated from a U.S. Air Force technical school at Chanute AFB, Ill.

He was trained as an aircraft mechanic and has been assigned to a unit of the Military Airlift Command at McGuire AFB, N.J.

The airman attended Hicksville Senior High School.

Army Private First Class Felice Torquato, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Torquato, 12 Milton St., HICKSVILLE, was assigned Dec. 30 to the 2 Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tex., as a clerk.

Army Private First Class Vincent M. Bereche, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent E. Bereche, 14 Gleaner Lane, LEVITTOWN, was assigned Jan. 10 to the U.S. Army Combat Developments Command Experimentation Command at Ft. Ord, Calif., as an infantryman.

Stephen W. Francis, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Francis, 346 W. Nicholas St., Hicksville, has been promoted to airman first class in

the U. S. Air Force. The airman, a 1966 graduate of Hicksville Senior High School, attended Nassau Community College, Garden City, N.Y.

Cadet Fourth Class David Z. Leizer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Leizer of 10 E. Park Drive, OLD BETHPAGE, marched in the 1969 Inaugural Parade in Washington, D. C. along with nearly 750 other members of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy's Corps of Cadets.

He is a member of the Academy's Fourth Class and is scheduled to receive his bachelor of science degree and commission as an Ensign in the Coast Guard in June 1972.

There is one Army badge that front-line soldiers wear proudly—the Combat INFANTRYMAN Badge. It was awarded to Sergeant Daniel Hawkhurst, 22, in Fleiku, Vietnam, Jan. 8.

Sgt. Hawkhurst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkhurst, 20 Laurel St., HICKSVILLE, is assigned as a squad leader in Company D, 1st Battalion, 35th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division.

The CIB has been awarded since late in World War II for sustained ground contact against an enemy.

In honor of its singular meaning, the badge is worn above all other awards and decorations, over the left breast. It is a blue rectangle with a silver rifle mounted on it superimposed over a curved wreath. Subsequent awards are represented by stars at the top center of the wreath.

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SPORTS

By

Howard J. Finnegan



Hicksville High's basketball team took a small, if unconvincing, step back, Tuesday night, by beating Mac Arthur 61-47. It was win number 8 on the season against 4 losses. The league mark is 4 and 2.

Holding only a 32-31 lead after three periods, Hicksville fell back on four consecutive foul shots by Don Massey to start a spurt.

Bill Wiffen hit twice from the corner and Massey hit the back board for a 42-31 lead. Bob Rogers from the foul line and Rich Wohney from the Key added 3 more points and the issue was decided.

Hicksville was staggered as Clark High scored a 50-48 overtime victory on the Comets home court. Close to 1,000 sat in as the Orange roared in front 18-6 and then slid downhill.

The Rams did the unusual in overtaking the Orange. They deliberately stalled the ball for minutes at a time. Their successful shots were followed by immediate Comet turnovers as the pressure mounted. It took a long one hander by Rich Dohoney to get the home forces a 46-46 regulation tie.

Hicksville grabbed the extra period tap off but a hurried shot gave possession to Clark. They held for one minute and fifty seconds before scoring. Bob Rogers hit from the key with 57 seconds left but the victors waited until 7 seconds were left and applied the clincher.

Hicksville's playoff chances rest on the two upcoming contests. The Comets must travel to Plainedge (in North Massapequa, straight south on Broadway) on Friday night and return home to meet Herricks at Hicksville, Tuesday afternoon. The odds are that Hicksville will go to a 7 and 1 record on the road and 2 and 4 at home.

Our Predictions:
Hicksville 61 Plainedge 57
Herricks 59 Hicksville 54

Hicksville High, keggers are currently in third place in the Section One Bowling race. Mike Carmar and Lou Ciarelli have the high averages hitting near the 180 average.

On the Junior Varsity level the Orange and Black is out in front in the race. Ed White has the high average and is pacing the team.

Dependable Ralph Macey won three first place awards as the Hicksville Gymnastics team scored a 78 1/2 to 52 1/2 victory over Oyster Bay.

Macey was adjudged best in the rings, sidehorse and free exercise. In the Orange's first three meets he has pulled down first place honors seven times.

As he was piling up the margin points for coach Dick Hogan, Hicksville had other solid supporting performances.

Gary Madden scored first in

the high bar and parallel bars and scored a second in the rope climb.

His teammate, Richard Del Rosso, was first in the rope climb and had second in the rings.

Dave Spindel with a second in the side horse and Peter Berstein in the free exercise also contributed valuable points in the win.

Hicksville has a 1969 record of 2 wins and 1 loss.

Unhappily we were not at this post during the fall but for those fans who inquired about the lack of Hicksville High Soccer news we supply this short review.

For the first time in many, many years Coach Renn's club did not make the playoffs. Of all the fall sports soccer suffered the most by the month's delay in starting due to the delay caused by austerity.

Two weeks of league play had already been entered in the log before the Orange was able to even hold its first practice.

Despite this overwhelming handicap the Orange managed a respectable record of 4 wins, 4 ties and 4 losses. It earned a third place tie in the conference standings.

Hicksville never developed a scoring punch over the season although its defensive work held merit.

Goalie Bob Gianaputo had no less than five shutouts on the campaign. Mark Hortian won all North Shore honors in the all-scholastic rankings and Ed Camara was selected for the second team.

157 pound Junior Richard Kowalchuck won his tenth straight wrestling match, Tuesday, as Hicksville outdistanced Mac Arthur, 32-11.

Kowalchuck quickly disposed of his rival with a pin in a lightning 58 seconds.

It was the highlight of the teams fifth win as against the same number of losses.
Bruce Hirschfeld started with a

TOB Incinerator No. 2 To Be Ready By Spring

Oyster Bay Town Board Majority Leader Edmund A. Ocker said today that he expected the Town's second incinerator to be operative by this May or June.

"I have been told," said Ocker, "that the technical difficulties that have delayed the full-time operation of Incinerator Number Two in Old Bethpage have been identified and reports detailing the necessary connections have been forwarded to our Department of Public Works. DPW Commissioner (H. John) Plock has told me that he will make his recommendations based on the

reports shortly. Mr. Plock said it looked as if the plant would be fully operable in late spring, perhaps May or June."

Ocker said the reports, by William Cosulich and Morse Boulger, Inc., Consulting Engineers, were commissioned to rectify overheating in the incinerator and to bring the plant up to new air-pollution standards passed by Nassau County last year, after the plant was completed.

"We found that the affluent society caught up with the incinerator business and posed problems it had never before faced," said Ocker. Plock said that the large amount of cans, bottles and plastic containers now used by Town residents was extremely difficult to burn and caused unusually high temperatures that caused the plant's machinery to jam or malfunction.

"It was a new phenomenon that even the most sophisticated sanitary engineers and com-

panies had never had to cope with," said Plock. "We found only a short while ago that there was a strong thermal reaction when we burned aluminum and iron alloy cans such as coca cola containers. When the furnace hit 1600 degrees in temperature, the reaction on the alloy caused a temperature of 3,000 degrees, and the grates in the incinerator were designed to handle only 2,000 degrees. As a result, they fused and jammed."

Ocker said the board has already approved a \$183,000 bid submitted by the Clayburn Contracting Corporation of Long Island City, Queens, for new grates. He said the board was considering other recommendations in the studies to update and improve the Town's 12-year-old Incinerator Plant Number One, also located at Sweet Hollow and Winding Roads in Old Bethpage. "I am pleased that this difficult and bothersome problem is on the road to solution," said Ocker.

G.O.P. Ladies to Hear Judge Berman

The regular monthly meeting of the Nassau County Federation of Republican Women will be held 1 P.M. Thursday, January 30th at the East Meadow Republican Clubhouse, Newbridge Road and 8th Avenue. Executive Committeewoman Henry Kneuer has kindly donated the use of the Clubhouse for the meeting.

The guest speaker for the day will be Presiding Judge of the Family Court Alexander Berman. An old-time songfest, led by Len Berni and George Kestner, will provide the entertainment for the day.

Refreshments will be served and the public is cordially invited to attend.

pin in 3:37. John Mackin had a 9-4 win while Tony Defendis pinned in 5:46. Bruce Rosenweig worked industriously for a 12-2 score and Greg Reilly scored 4-0.

Tom Diehl posted a 5-3 verdict and Tony Camaragallo won 7-2. In the 178-pound final Tom McAllister fought to a 1-1 draw for Coach Steve Tomani's club.

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Boy Scout Cavalcade

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This outstanding bi-annual event will be held at the Roosevelt Raceway, February 14th, 15th, and 16th.

Scout Units signed up from our community and their subjects are listed below:

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Calendar, Organizational and Community News - WE 8-1965
Insertion Deadline: - Sunday Noon - Material Can Be Dropped At Editor's Residence - 13 Millpond Street, Jericho, WE 8-1965

FROM THE EDITOR:

On Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings last week, many members of our community surveyed the sorry result of the latest youth "sport" - the overturning of filled garbage cans or the placing of the cans in the street to form an obstacle course for motorists. This most recent outbreak of vandalism occurred each night before a scheduled garbage collection day. The time of happening was placed somewhere around midnight on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Because so many complaints were received, the mischievousness was not restricted to one particular section of East Birchwood - it was

decided to contact the 2nd Police Precinct on Broadway and report the situation. When it was pointed out to Inspector Morgan that the vandalism might possibly be the work of youths from outside our area, he ruled out this thought and indicated that past investigations of cases, similar to this, have generally proved the vandalism to be caused by local youngsters.

Inspector Morgan, therefore, believes it is up to the parents of our community to check and be certain that their offspring are not responsible. Also, all homeowners should be on the alert for any tampering with garbage cans and should immediately report such oc-

currences to the police.

All police cars patrolling the community on the night shift as well as those cars making unscheduled sweeps of the area will be instructed to be on the lookout for roving bands of youths who might be the perpetrators. Inspector Morgan then bought out that while our neighborhood is being "hit" by garbage can vandalism, other sections are being subjected to property and automobile damage during night time forays. The main thing, he concluded, is to nip in the bud the strewing of garbage on the streets so that the vandalism does not spread in a more serious direction to damage homes and property.

Ten Pin Talk

by Henry Dockswell

Of the 14 men who swept the boards for a better than 200 game two of them did it twice. Sid Simon cracked a 213 and a 223 for a 630 series and Milt Hoffman threw a 206 and a 204. Both men, captains of their respective teams, did some teeth gritting as they watched themselves go down to 8-3 defeats.

In Simon's case it was Nat Warren and Ralph Diamon who countered Sid's blows. Nat threw a 210 and Ralph fired a 201 to pull out the 8-3 win.

In Hoffman's case it was Cap't Leo Geyer who came in with a matching 203 and the rest of Geyer's teammates added some clutch help to take that third

game from Milt's "7-11's."

Hi Game of the night was thrown by Eddie Roseman who helped turn a rout into a respectable loss for his teammates, the Mary Kahns. The Murray Kowlowitz had taken the first two games from the Kahns and if it weren't for Eddie's powerful 224 in that third game the score would have been 11-0 instead of 6-5. Cap't Murray did his bit when he threw a 202 in the second game.

Herb Brody started the night off just right for his "Black Panthers." He opened up with a 213 and thus set the pace for a shutout win over Bill Kellerman's "Gurus." He didn't create any more heroics but even though the opposing captain, Bill Kellerman, fired a 201 in the second game, the "Panthers" were not to be denied.

Ivy Shapiro and Stan Brizel almost did a brother act for Shapiro's "Hy Hopes." And a timely act it was. The "Hy Hopes" had just lost the first game to Ivy Simes' "Spoilers" so Stan decided to open the act. He rolled a 201 to clinch the second game and then cap't Hy closed it out with a 202 in the third to grab an 8-3 decision. This moved the "Hy Hopes" into a tie for 2nd place.

The other 2nd place tenant is Murray Gittelman's crew of Saturated Swizzlers. Murray himself led the way to an 8-3 victory over the Sy Bruckners when he opened with a 218. This was Murray's second good one in as many weeks.

Only one other team achieved a shutout, the Norm Neys. The Neys haven't been doing to well this year. They finished the First Half in 16th place and after the first week of this segment they found themselves in 12th place. Suddenly Hal Goldenberg, who mentioned to us last week that he seemed to be getting old, donned his unused mantle of youth and shot a 201 to lead the way to the win and a rise to 4th place.

At this moment the Sid Holtzman's, who beat Sid Sachs' "chargers" 7-4, are in 1st place.

Ecetera

by Nadine Klein and Mitchell Klein (Jericho High School)

Jericho High School was honored by a visit from the Town Supervisor, Michael Pettito. The honor society invited Mr. Pettito to speak at our school last month, but due to his busy schedule, could not come till last week. His speech dealt with the Welfare Clients in Nassau County. He discussed how and where they live, and what Nassau County is doing to make them working members of society. After his speech there was a question and answer period with the students.

The Jericho High School Orchestra presented its Winter Concert on January 16. Antonio Vivaldi's, The Four Seasons, was performed with poetry being read to it by the drama teacher, Burton H. Wolfe. Gary Greene was the violin soloist and Jacqueline Holtzman was the solo cellist. The orchestra was conducted by Alan Arnold.

The previous evening, the Senior High School Band and Chorus presented their Winter Concert. The highlight of the evening was the jazz recital performed by Bruce Schulman on the piano, Kenneth Kopelman on the bass, and Mitchell Senk on the drums, with the melodious voices of the chorus.

Last Friday night, January 24, Jericho, beat Floral Park Basketball by the close score of 57-53. It was a very close game from the beginning and it remained so until Barry Cohen hit a shot with a few seconds left and clinched the victory. Cohen displayed his great basketball ability by scoring almost half of his team's total points, 28 to be exact. Jericho remains tied for first place with Carle Place and Oyster Bay in league play.

JJC Sisterhood Brunch Meeting

The Jericho Jewish Center Sisterhood will hold their Brunch Meeting on Tuesday, February 4th, at 11:30 A.M.

Heading the program will be Mr. Ronald Koenig who will speak on the role of the parent in the education of children. Baby sitting is available.

Car Pool Corner

Our readers will be interested to learn that, through articles in this paper, the East Birchwood car pool was able to secure its much sought-after rider. THE VILLAGER is pleased to have provided this community service.

Now, another car pool has requested assistance in locating an additional rider. This car pool has requested assistance in locating an additional rider. This car pool departs from East

Birchwood at 7:15 A.M. each weekday and travels either to Shea Stadium (the Willets Point Station of the Flushing Line) or to the 179th Street & Hillside Avenue Station of the Independent Line, depending on daily traffic and weather conditions. Departure for the return trip home is 8:15 P.M.

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BCA Election Night Dance Set For Saturday, May 3

The night of Saturday, May 3rd, has been selected for the Election Night Dance of the Birchwood Civic Association. This date was approved by the Board of Directors at its monthly meeting held on Tuesday, January 21st.

The Board also selected six members of the Association to serve on the nine-member Nominating Committee which will bring in a slate of candidates

to be voted upon by the BCA at large at the Election Night Dance. Three additional members will be chosen before the first meeting of the Committee next month.

Board members serving on the nominating committee are Bernice Bauman, Irwin Bauman, Sam Saltz and Art Rosenthal. Temporary Chairman, Nominating Committee members are Henry Dockswell and Ivy Shapiro

All civic minded persons are requested to inform any of the Nominating Committee of their desire and availability to serve on the Board. As in any organization, new blood is constantly needed, so don't be hesitant and "don't let George do it" - step forward and volunteer your services.

More information about openings on the Board will be printed in future editions of this paper.

Additional Day For Pony League Registration

The regular registration period for the 1969 Jericho Little League, which was concluded last Saturday, saw a record enrollment of 463 boys, according to League president, Samuel Levine. However, as there are still openings in the newly organized Pony League, Levine announced that an additional day has been set aside for registration of boys in that classification.

In order to qualify for the Pony League, a boy must reach 13 years of age before August 31st of this year and not be older than 15 years by that date.

Parents of boys, who have not been registered as yet and who fall into that category, are urged to sign them up on Saturday, February 1st, between 12 noon and 2 P.M. at President Levine's

residence, 9 Ulster Drive. Remember, this will be the final day for registration of boys.

in the Pony League; registration lists for the regular Jericho Little League have been closed.

"Support Israel" Rally Slated For February 6

"Support Israel" will be the theme of a rally to be held at the Jericho Jewish Center on Thursday night, February 6th, starting at 8:30 P.M. Many local organizations are sponsoring and supporting the event.

Congressman Lester Wolff, Town Supervisor Michael Pettito and Town Councilman Ralph Diamon are scheduled to speak

at this assemblage.

Rabbi Stanley Steinhart of the Jericho Jewish Center and Rabbi Herbert Rose of Temple Or-Elohim will also participate.

All members of the community are invited to attend this affair which is of great importance because of the seriousness of the current Near East situation.



The family of newly elected County Court Judge, Alexander Vitale, watches approvingly as he is sworn in by Supreme Court Justice Suezzi. From left to right are Alex Jr., Nina, Julia, Judge Vitale, Mrs. Vitale, and Robert Vitale. Judge Vitale and family live in Woodbury.

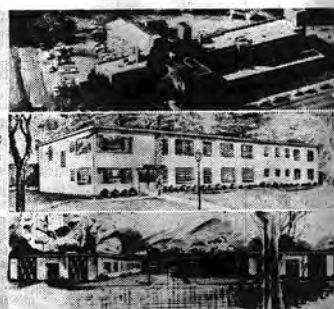
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Appeal For Volunteers

An urgent appeal for volunteers to serve as drivers for cancer patients in their communities for the South Oyster Bay Unit of the American Cancer Society, Nassau Division was made today by Mrs. James W. Walch, 12 Adriene Drive, OLD BETHPAGE, Unit Transportation Chairman. Mrs. Walch explained that interested individuals would only be called upon when the need exists and normally this would amount to no more than one trip a week.

Patients are transported from their homes to hospitals within the Unit area which comprises

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE of PUBLIC HEARING by the BOARD OF APPEALS - Pursuant to the provisions of Art. XVI Section 3 of the Building Zone Ordinance, NOTICE is hereby given that the BOARD OF APPEALS will hold a Public Hearing in the Town Board Hearing Room, on Thursday evening, February 6, 1969 at 8:00 p.m. to consider the following cases:
HICKVILLE:
62-42-Edward O'Reilly: Addition continuing existing side yards and creating less rear yard -S's Spindle Rd., 292.48' E/o Gull Rd., 69-43-Hector O'Campo: Attached garage with less average front, one side yard and encroachments -S's Harkin La., 539.80' W/o Salem Rd.
OYSTER BAY, NEW YORK
January 27, 1969

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Town of Oyster Bay
Raymond H. Schoepflin, Chairman

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Bethpage, Farmingdale, Hicksville, Massapequa, Massapequa Park, North Massapequa, Old Bethpage and Plainview. For life-saving treatment. The average trip requires approximately one to two hours. Mrs. Walch emphasized that volunteers will not be called on to drive every week but rather when the need exists.
Volunteers in the South Oyster Bay Unit area who wish to help save a life may contact Mrs. Walch at 293-9226.



DR. ALBERT DONOR of Hicksville, chairman of the Division of Sciences at Nassau Community College, spoke recently at the International College and University Conference and Exposition in New York City. His topic was "Solving Academic Personnel Problems in the Junior College."

WELLS 1-1400

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THE GIRLS

By Franklin Folger



"So I took my groceries to the cashier and do you know, Ruth, she let me stand there for ages while she gabbed with one of the clerks."

Drippings From A Poet's Pen

What Is The Medal of Honor

Dedicated to 1st Lt. Stephen Karopcyz of Bethpage. Congressional Medal of Honor. In our country today where there are those who ask for every thing ad give nothing, Lt. Karopcyz asked for nothing and gave all. It would have been a pleasure to have known him and in knowing him I would have been a better man.

What is the Medal of Honor
Not many have really known,
And award for heroism
A badge of courage shown.

An Eagle holds the blue ribbon
As it clutches the Valor Bar,
And in return seen holding

The beautiful five pointed star.
Not many who've won this medal
Lived long to hold it in hand,
Its the saying of What Price
Glory
Their life in place for their land.

A Private perhaps in the Infantry
A Sailor in a Naval Band,
An Airman that's way up yonder
A Marine in a distant land.

Yes, all for the love of country
For gallantry hold up your head.
To some its the cloak of honor
And others the shroud of the
dead.

Jimmy Cooley

Concert Set For Sunday At Hicksville Library

On Sunday, Feb. 2nd at 3:00 p.m. the Hicksville Public Library will present a concert of woodwind chamber music. The concert will be performed by a group of dynamic young musicians called "The Long Island Ind Quintet"

The Long Island Wind Quintet is composed of professional musicians from the Long Island and New York areas. They have all done extensive work in musical organizations both on Long Island and the metropolitan area. Mr. Eugene Kavaddo, the clarinetist, holds a B.A. from Indiana University and an M.M. in Clarinet from Queens College. He is presently on the music faculty of the Manhasset Public Schools. Mr. Steve Richman who plays the French horn, holds a B.A. in English from Hofstra University and is currently working toward a Masters Degree at the Manhattan School of Music. He is a member of the National Orchestral Association. Miss Alicia Fanelli, the flutist is completing work toward a music degree at the Manhattan School of Music. She is the first flutist with the resident orchestra the new college at Westbury. Mr. Allen Steurer who is the

bassoonist, is a member of the National Orchestral Association and is completing a degree at the Manhattan School of Music. Mr. Bruce Weinstein, the oboist, is a scholarship student at the Manhattan School of Music.

Further information regarding this interesting and talented group may be obtained from Mr. Eugene Kavaddo at WE 5-7621.

The public is invited to enjoy this concert on Sunday Feb. 2nd at 3:00 P.M. at the library which is on Jerusalem Ave. one block south of Old Country Road. It is free.

Hicksville Resident Appointed Manager

Daniel J. Bicker has been appointed manager of the Vis-A-Coolers and Carton Displays for the Sales Equipment Department of Pepsi-Cola Company, it was announced today by Henry E. McGovern, vice president of distribution and sales equipment. He succeeds the late Bruce Granholm.

Mr. Bicker joined Pepsi-Cola Company in 1953. Prior to his new assignment he had been Director of Grocery Sales for the Eastern Division.

Library Notes

The Hicksville Public Library bookmobile is one of the most efficient and worthwhile ventures undertaken by the Hicksville Public Library. The bookmobile costs represent only 6 percent of our total budget, but it is responsible for 20 per cent of our book circulation. Although some people were apprehensive about the service when it was first started, it has turned out to be one of the wisest investments the library has made.

Hicksville brings the bookmobile to the schools. Not only does the bookmobile make school stops which directly benefits the school children, but it stops at other points in our far-flung community. This enables mothers with toddlers to make use of our library on wheels as well as older people who also find it a hardship to arrange for a library visit.

At the morning stops the teachers bring classes of children onto the bookmobile where the

youngsters may make application for library cards, withdraw and return books. Several of the afternoon school stops are at the time school dismisses and the students may make a visit to the bookmobile on the way home.

Other stops made by our bookmobile are the Jones Institute, a meeting place of a senior citizen group, and Castlague Park. A few of our severely handicapped patrons are also serviced personally by the bookmobile. The senior citizens group and several of the handicapped persons make use of the large print books which are carried in the main library as well as the bookmobile.

There are three staff members involved directly with the bookmobile. Each day the driver and one staff member goes out on the bookmobile. The other staff member stays in the library where a number of clerical tasks are performed, such

as typing the cards for each bookmobile book, putting plastic protective cover on them, preparing overdue notices for books not returned on time, gathering materials requested by patrons, and compiling bookmobile statistics. The bookmobile operates Tuesday through Saturday, making 21 stops a week.

We feel that the bookmobile service provided by the Hicksville Public Library is a necessary and appreciated one. We know it is economical because an expenditure of 6 percent of our budget results in 20 percent of our book circulation. That is a good bargain.

East St. PTA

East St. P. T. A. will hold its annual Founders Day program on Feb. 6th at 8:15 p.m. Guest speaker will be Horace Z. Kramer, Vice Chairman of the Board of Assessors. He will speak on "Property Taxes Good or Evil?" assessments etc. Refreshments will follow.



DRAINAGE PROJECT - Oyster Bay Town Councilman A. Carl Grunewald, with construction helmet, discusses Hicksville drainage construction project with engineering consultant Chet Kelsey as part of a capital construction project calling for the upgrading of all highways within the town during the next six years. The storm drainage project now underway involves curb paving and restoration of New South Road and Mineola Avenue through Gerald Avenue, Hicksville and is expected to be completed this September.

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Ramblin' Rose

by Rosemary Walsh

Well, we had a really busy week 'round Hicksville Recreation. It was necessary to call off our Ski Trip due to the weather conditions, and that makes things jump -- Staff to notify, buses, not the least of all the skiers. Yours truly flew out to see "my son the Peace Corps" now "my son the sailor" graduate. While awaiting him in the Recreation Hall (I kid you not) I had the delightful surprise of spotting one of our own Hicksville boys, Bill Trapp, of Hicksville Baseball Association and Midget Football League. We had a big hug and short chat about the old home town. It was his graduation day, too, and he should be home on leave this coming week.

Our bantam basketballers are battling through the elementary tournament. This week-end Fork takes on the seeded holiday champion -- Woodland. Burns plays Lee, Old Country, Dutch and East move to the consolation bracket. Three games will be played on Saturday starting at the Sr. High Girls Gym at 12:30. The public is invited to watch these 1974 varsity champions.

Under the tutelage of Al Lawn, a Hicksville teacher and rowing coach of international reputation,

two local oarsmen will be honored by the New York Rowing Association and the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen. William Bennett, Al Medole, and Peter Petrone scored heavily in the World Youth Championship in Holland last August. Much credit goes to Mr. Lawn, a patient and dedicated mentor of the oarsmen. When olympic champions emerge from Hicksville it is our prediction that they will be the result of Mr. Lawn's tireless efforts. Congratulations to the athletes and thanks to Al Lawn.

The New York State Association of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation held its annual conference late last week. Mrs. Estelle Carter, Mr. Amadeo Tomasi, and Mr. Billy Myers (all of the Hicksville staff) were seen at various sessions and in the exhibit area. They were sharpening up their professional skills in order to produce a better program in our town.

Getting back to the slopes, we plan an overnight February 13 and 14 to Davos. We will be taking only 1 bus so it'll be as always first come, first goes.

On Monday we were invited by some 40 or more students from Cortland State Teachers College. They were all Juniors

and Seniors majoring in Recreation and were brought to Hicksville to learn about School Community Recreation. We had a lively interesting seminar for over an hour and a half (their schedule being the limitation, for the question period would have gone on and on with their enthusiasm). The group was greeted by Dr. Gerald Murphy, our Assistant Superintendent, and addressed by some of the Recreation Staff, two of whom were Cortland graduates, Mr. B. Bryan, Mr. M. Gensler. In addition they heard from Mr. C. Grouse, Mr. D. Hogan, Mr. K. Kingsley, and of course our Recreation Director, Joe Madden. (Your reporter always has something to ramble about, too.) Our local program was described in detail, each of the leaders covering their particular area and Mr. Madden and myself the relationship to the Board of Education and of course you the community itself. It was fun for all and we were proud to host them. We invite them back next year if God wills.

I think that says it for this week. I am excitedly looking forward to greeting my new Thai daughter-in-law from Bangkok on Saturday so I'll ramble off now -- See ya.



MARK RUDOFF won the Lee Avenue School's spelling contest. He is seen here hard at work studying for the Hicksville School's spellingdown.



SPELLING CHAMPION of Old Country Road School, Cindy Glade, is congratulated by her English teacher James Baker.

Water Safety Instructor Course

Henry Hartmann, Director of Safety Programs, Nassau County Chapter, American Red Cross, announced that a Water Safety Instructor Course will be held at Jericho High School.

The course, consisting of twelve sessions, will start on February 11th, and continue each Tuesday thereafter, from 7:00 to 10:00 P.M.

Applicants must be 18 years of age or older; be in good physical condition, and hold a valid Senior Life Saving Certificate. They must pass a preliminary test consisting of a standing front dive; swimming 440 yards continuously; surface driving, minimum 8 feet; swimming 2 body lengths under water; treading water one minute and floating motionless for one minute. Each student must provide own suit, sweat shirt or sweater and a towel.

Harry Berglund will be the instructor. The course is free, but a pool fee (not a Red Cross charge) of \$12.00 must be paid. One textbook is required and may be purchased for 75¢ at the first session.

Enrollment is limited. Registration may be made by calling OV 1-4100, extension 56.

Louis Hoebel

Louis Hoebel, a native of Hicksville, passed away suddenly at Central General Hospital at the age of 80 on January 20th. Mr. Hoebel's parents owned and operated a farm in Hicksville eighty years ago. The farmhouse and barns are still in existence and are located inside the point formed by Old Country Road and Plainview Road at the Oyster Bay Road intersection. Mr. Hoebel attended Nicholas Street school and was confirmed at the Old Trinity Lutheran Church by the Reverend Matschat. During World War I he served with Company I of the 308th Infantry and was honorably discharged from the army, during World War II he served his country at Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corporation and later entered the painting business.

He was a member of the V.F.W. Wm. Gouse Jr. Post #3211 and of the Sportsmens Club of Hicksville. Reverend Edward H. Stammel conducted services at Stock's Funeral Home, followed by a service by the members of the V.F.W. Wm. Gouse Jr. Post #3211. Interment took place at Plainview Cemetery, Hicksville. Mr. Hoebel is survived by his wife, Olga, nee Laumann, and a sister, Louise Frazee, of Ramsey, New Jersey, also four nephews and five nieces.

Walter C. Zabel

Old time Hicksville resident, Walter C. Zabel, 63, passed away on January 25 in his home at Hollywood, Florida after a prolonged illness. Interment took place on January 29 in Hollywood Memorial Gardens. Mr. Zabel, who worked for the Hicksville School District #17 for 42 years, retired in August 1962. He moved to Florida in March 1963.

Mr. Zabel has many friends in Hicksville of whom the late Fred N. Noeth was a very dear one. He opened each one of the Hicksville Schools except the Willets Avenue School for many years.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Christina, his daughters: Eleanor Norman - Farmingdale, N.Y.; Joan LaMarca, Hicksville, N.Y.; Alice Mitchell, Honolulu, Hawaii, and a son: William Mitchell, Long Beach, N.Y. and six grandsons and one granddaughter.

Also surviving are brothers: Paul - Hollywood, Florida; Ernest - East Patchogue, N.Y.; William - Floral Park, N.Y. and Lawrence - Copiague, N.Y. Sisters: Emma Raymond, Hempstead, N.Y.; Elizabeth Mroz, Flushing, N.Y.; Gertrude Blomberg, Astoria, N.Y.; Elsie Daly, Oakdale, N.Y.; Loretta Gallagher, Hicksville, N.Y.; and Margaret Erb, Lebanon, Connecticut.

Attends Seminar

Dr. Lowell D. Glatt of 32 Salem Road, Hicksville returned today from a postgraduate seminar held Thursday, January 23rd, at the Island Inn for optometrists of the Long Island area who are clinical associates of the Optometric Extension Program. Presiding at the conference was Dr. A. M. Skeffington of St. Louis, Missouri, author, lecturer, teacher and research authority in the vision care field.

"Urban living and over - protection of our children are resulting in a generation of poor readers," stated Dr. Skeffington. "Educators are being blamed unjustly for faulty methods of teaching when, all too often, the real core of the trouble in Johnny's inability to read is an existing visual problem. Such a problem may easily stem from the fact that during the early developmental years Johnny was never given the chance to run and leap and climb or to do those things for himself that are such a necessary part of the development of those visual skills required for learning to read."



NASSAU COMMUNITY COLLEGE: The business of students lending an active hand to the Nassau Community College administration is put on a sound basis as this subcommittee of the Business Division's steering Committee meets to discuss transfer policy.

Left to right are Andee Better of North Bellmore, vice-president of the college's Business Society; Richard Lentner, an instructor, of Hempstead; Vicki Fusillo of West Hempstead, vice-president of the Future Secretaries at the college; Cathy Costa of North Merrick and Dr. Melvin Morgenstein of Plainview, chairman of the Business Division who was instrumental in setting up the policy-making student-faculty Steering Committee.



YOUNG MATH WIZARDS AT HICKSVILLE JUNIOR HIGH: Hicksville Junior High School's Math Club is sporting a fine record for this season. Competing in the Nassau Country Junior Mathematics League, they stand 1st in their section and 3rd in the county. Sixty schools make up this league.

The twenty members of the club attend a weekly meeting at which they practice solving problems under the supervision of their sponsor, Mrs. Doris Smith.

Mrs. Smith is seen here with her "champs," John Santamaria, Stephen Gottlieb, and Steven Gruenwald. Other club members take time off from a practice session to face the camera!

Court Queen of Angels News

The next regular meeting of Court Queen of Angels 869, C.D. of A. will be held on Thursday Feb. 6, at 8:30 PM in the St. Ignatius cafeteria, Nicholai Street bldg.

A book fair is scheduled for Thursday Feb. 6, 9:00 to noon, and Friday Feb. 7, 9:00 to 1:00, and Sunday after all the Masses in the cafeteria off Nicholai St. All books are paper backs for all ages. All are welcome.

Plans are underway for the Madeline McGumigle Scholarship card party to be held after Easter.