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## Calendar of Events

Saturday, Dec. 25  
**MERRY CHRISTMAS**  
Monday, Dec. 27  
VFW William M. Gouse Post #211, 8:30 p.m., 320 South Broadway, Hicksville.

Wednesday, Dec. 28  
Hicksville Kiwanis Club, 12:10 p.m., Milleridge Inn, Jericho.  
Board of Education Meeting, Hicksville School District, Administration Building, Newburgh Rd., Hicksville, 8:15 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 29  
Hicksville Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Milleridge Inn, Jericho.  
Hicksville B. P. O. E., No. 1931, 9 p.m., 80 E. Barclay St., Hicksville.



Santa Claus, himself, was on hand to distribute gifts to the club members at the Annual Christmas Party of the Ernest F. Francke Republican Club of Hicksville. The Party was held on Fri. evening, Dec. 10 at the V.F.W. Hall in Hicksville. A capacity crowd was in attendance to say "hello" to Santa and to enjoy an evening of fun and refreshments and also, to listen to the many varied jokes of the "m.c." - club committeeman Tom Hogan.

The photo above shows Santa arriving to perform his Christmas chores. (Note - We have it on good authority, from a special source, that the gentleman in that red Santa Suit if our own club member Murray Margolis from Hicksville.) Photo by Bob Schmeelk.

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## Community Council

by Carole Wolf

The December meeting of the Hicksville Community Council was packed full of many interesting events. The meeting opened with a showing of the slides taken by Bill Bennett and Steve Weinblatt of Operation Sail and the Firework Display at Eisenhower Park. The Operation Sail pictures were taken from the shores of Brooklyn, a Battleship on the East River and from South Seaport.

Next on the agenda, was entertainment by the Holy Family Players. Tom O'Connor, the director, and his lovely wife, Peg, the accompanist, put together a lively half-hour, including a spirited encounter with an elderly couple who sang, "Do You Love Me?" The closing numbers included the blend of the divided chorus singing "I Believe" with the "Ava Maria" in a moving and stirring performance, and the traditional "Battle Hymn of the Republic".

The next group of slides was produced by Siegfried Widder, out of the collections of Gardiner Gregory, Steve Didier, and Jack Landress. Siegfried said that he would take 40 minutes, and the showing took 39 minutes 40 seconds. Siegfried took 7 carousels of slides and reduced the number to two, without losing any of the effect. The parade was absolutely startling in color, especially when someone you knew was in the photo. The before and after pictures of the fair were very revealing, too, for the place was left absolutely spotless. To see the three Bicentennial Co-Chairmen in full costume at the Ball was a sight not soon to be forgotten. The pictures, truly, were very enjoyable.

The Council then announced that the executive Board had gotten together and attempted to choose the most outstanding voluntary participation of individuals and organizations who have shared in Hicksville's Bicentennial Year Activities. In order to honor them, we have made up Bicentennial Certificates to read, "Hicksville Community Council awards this Certificate of Participation to... in Recognition of Performance in the Bicentennial Celebration, Hicksville, U.S.A., 'For A Better Hicksville'." The art work was accomplished by Siegfried and the lettering by Bill Bennett. These



The Holy Family Players entertain those present at the December meeting of the Hicksville Community Council, for the second year. (Photo by Bill Bennett).

awards were given to Dorothy H. Magee, for leadership, to Stephen Didier, for the parade, to Millie Pino, Dr. Smith, Joan Eannucci, and Arlene Didier for the fair, to the Hicksville School District for outstanding co-operation and participation, to the Hicksville Public Library, for outstanding participation, especially for the Bicentennial Quilt, to the Gregory Museum, for outstanding co-ordination of the Ball, to the Sons of Italy, for outstanding help, the signs and the food, to Dr. Dunbar, for the beautification project, to the Mid-Island Herald and Mid-Island Times for outstanding publicity, to the Mid-Island Plaza Association and Harvey Lewis, for the flag ceremony at the plaza, to Murray Margolis, for being MC at the ceremony, to the Hicksville Fire Department for outstanding co-operation, to BSA Great Bear District for outstanding participation, to the Rotary Club of America, for initiation and 7 months of flag raising, to the American Legion No. 421, the Amvets Post No. 44 and VFW Post No. 3211 for participation at every event with color guard and at the installation of permanent lighting at the plaza, to Mary Jo MacDonald, Nancy Palahnuck and Iris Widder, for participating in costume at the ball, barge, and operation sail to represent our Community and by planning and decorating at the fair, for Ann Evers for outstanding co-operation, to Holy Family Players, Henry Gates and the Minutemen, and Rupert Myers, P.B.C. for outstanding participation at official ceremonies at the 4th of July Old Time Fair, to Hicksville American Soccer

Club's outstanding international tournament, and to Dutch Lane School and Holy Family as a representative of the outstanding job of total school participation.

Following the awards, Dr. Hill and Ken Barnes spoke briefly on the upcoming school and library referendums.

At the Hicksville Town Meeting mention was made of several things that have already passed: The Fire Commissioner elections, the Son's of Italy Christmas party for retarded children, the Hicksville Community Chorus performance of "The Messiah", The PTA Pre-School hearing screening tests, the High School Candle Sale and Variety show, and the Valley Ball Game.

The meeting, a fitting closing to the Bicentennial Year, closed with tea, coffee and homemade refreshments.

Next month, January 6th, at the Community Council, we will be having representatives of several of the local colleges, including CW Post, Nassau, Hofstra, and Adelphi, to answer questions about individual and community participation in the local centers of higher learning. We urge you to spread the word of our next meeting to all who may be interested. This meeting is scheduled for January 6th, Thursday, downstairs at the Library. As usual, the Hicksville Town Meeting will be open to anyone who wishes to make an announcement, make any comment, or offer suggestion as long as it pertains to Hicksville. See you there.

Have a safe, joyous and happy Holiday Season from all of us on the Council.

## A Message From HAD

Help-Aid-Direction (H.A.D.), a Hicksville-based youth and family counseling, drug and alcohol abuse prevention and treatment center, is sincerely grateful for the financial and moral support given it by various churches, organizations, businessmen, and local residents.

On Saturday, December 11, and Sunday, December 12, numerous volunteers and supporters of H.A.D. were permitted to sell giant story coloring books after every mass conducted at St.

Ignatius R.C. Church, in Hicksville.

H.A.D. expresses its sincere appreciation and thanks to the Reverend Frederick Harrer, Pastor of St. Ignatius Church for allowing the H.A.D. agency this opportunity to raise desperately-needed funds.

Several other members of Father Harrer's staff deserve recognition for their timely assistance last weekend. H.A.D. is grateful to have Father Hugh Cannon as an active member of

its board of directors. This dedicated, community-concerned human being is truly a gift of God to the H.A.D. organization. He is a human dynamo who possesses tremendous sensitivity and tireless energies. Father Cannon is involved with many different worthwhile organizations working hard for all of them.

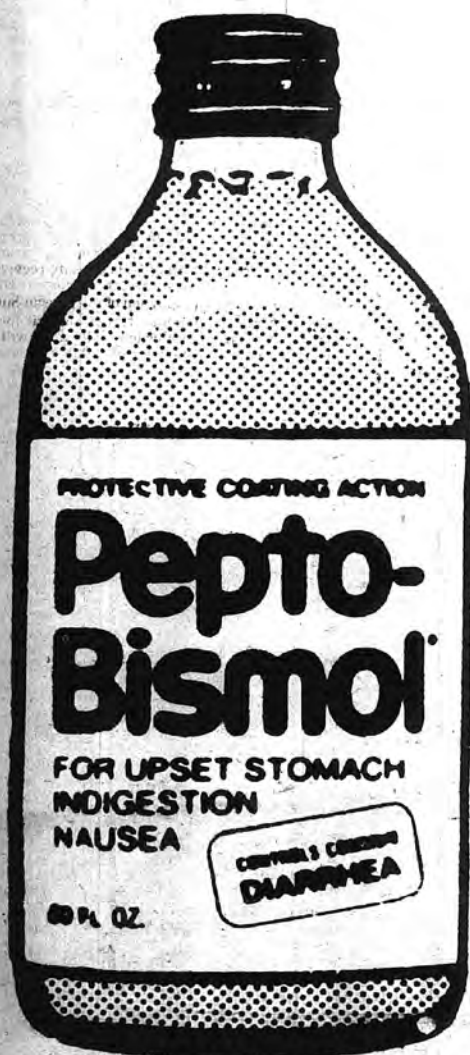
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## You Can Help

Walter Sysak, President of Save the Books Corps, appeals for financial help. "We did not have a fund raising drive in the last two years and our operational money is running out. We shipped more than two million dollars worth of books to poor schools in the United States and developing countries and should our operation come to an end the neediest children will suffer."

Save the Books Corps has been in operation for

almost fifteen years and is a tax exempt organization by the Internal Revenue. Therefore, any contributions are tax exempt.

Practically every school on Long Island has participated in donation of books to Save the Books Corps at one time or another.

If you wish to make a donation to Save the Books Corps, sent it to 302 Willis Ave., Mineola, N.Y., 11501, or phone 746-8063 for further information.



Books ready for shipment in San Diego naval base. On the right, Walter Sysak, President of Save the Books Corps, talks to Commander M.C. Tevelson of the United States Navy, Director of Project Handclasp, in San Diego. The United States Navy is the major shipper of Save the Books Corps books to the Philippines. Admiral J. A. Holloway, III, Chief of Naval Operations, says: "We are proud of Commander Tevelson's efforts and it is a privilege for the United States Navy to be able to assist you in helping the school children in the Philippines."

## Supervisors Slash Proposed Budget

The Nassau Board of Supervisors has slashed an additional \$4.5 million out of the proposed county budget, which will translate into a minimum tax savings of \$13.60 for the average homeowner residing within county police districts.

Hempstead Town Presiding Supervisor Francis T. Purcell said the 6-member Board's bipartisan decision to reduce the present county tax rate by a total of 19.2 cents was "in keeping with our responsibility to act as an independent legislative body responsive to the taxpayers."

The tax rate could be cut as much as 42 cents per \$100 assessed valuation for those living in special police districts, a savings exceeding \$30, per year.

Hempstead Supervisor Alfonso M. D'Amato, revealed the cuts at a special press conference Wednesday in Mineola flanked by Supervisors Hannah Komanoff of Long Beach and Vincent A. Suzzoli of Glen Cove. D'Amato said the Board was "certain that these spending reductions will not do violence to governmental services and will

in no way hamper the county's ability to cope with its contractual obligations."

"We have reviewed the budget in detail," D'Amato said, "and we believe the cuts we have made are meaningful and responsive to the current economic situation and the plight of the taxpayer."

The Supervisors indicated that the heaviest cuts — approximately \$2.5 million — were made in the area of salaries for 400 to 500 jobs which are presently unfilled, but were included in the proposed budget. Another \$1.4 million which had been allocated for equipment also was dropped.

Among the items which escaped the Supervisors' axe was a \$300,000 grant to the Library System, and an allotment to the Vocational Education and Extension Board.

D'Amato, a Republican, praised Supervisors Komanoff and Suzzoli, both Democrats, for their cooperation in the budget review, and said they were "outstanding" in their recommendations and contributions toward the total economy effort.

## Seasons Greetings



TOWN EMPLOYEES BRING CHRISTMAS TO MEDICAL CENTER: Hempstead Town Clerk Nathan L.H. Bennett joins Hempstead Town employees and Telephone Company clowns Carol McArdle (left) and Helen Crimmins of Woodbury (right) in helping Santa Claus (Richard DiResta of the Town's Engineering Department) talk to youngsters during the Town employees annual Christmas Party for youngsters at the Nassau County Medical Center. Among the youngsters in attendance are (left to right) Dawn Mulroy of Uniondale, Iola Bishop of Hempstead, Robert Smith and Michael Mulroy of Uniondale.

## Bill To Encourage Home Improvements

Aimed at providing an incentive to homeowners to improve their homes, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, Abe Seldin and New York State Assemblyman Armand D'Amato (18th A.D.) have cooperated in drafting a bill to be submitted to the Legislature in January to provide a five-year moratorium on the assessment of home improvements.

"Similar legislation submitted last year was vetoed by the Governor due to technical deficiencies," stated D'Amato. "We have carefully analyzed the Governor's veto message and have altered this new bill to meet his objections."

Optional with local government, the proposed law will have three major effects: 1) encourage homeowners to improve their property; 2) stimulate the sagging construction industry, which on Long Island is suffering over 50 per cent unemployment; 3) motivate property owners to

report improvements to the local assessor for future inclusion on the tax roll.

The bill permits a five-year moratorium for all property taxes, except school taxes, for any improvements between \$500 and \$15,000 on a residential structure. The building must be three years of age or older and remain in the same ownership during the five-year moratorium period. The exemption would be void if the property is sold. The moratorium period will not go into effect until it is adopted by the legislative body of each local taxing jurisdiction.

"A major improvement in the bill," according to Seldin, "is the increase in the maximum cost from \$10,000 - \$15,000. This was done to reflect increasing cost of construction."

"Of course I will be the sponsor of the measure," stated D'Amato. "But more than that, I intend to begin gathering bipartisan support for the bill

immediately."

Even though a similar proposal passed the Assembly and the Senate last year, there have been many changes in both houses and passage of this new proposal cannot be taken for granted. D'Amato has already received a commitment from David Richardson of the Nassau-Suffolk Building Trades Council for the moratorium bill and will be pursuing other labor and industry support.

"Although this will result in a temporary slowdown of residential improvement assessment increases," stated Seldin, "in the long run the proposal will help not only the homeowners of the county but will also strengthen the overall county tax base."

"I will push for an early adoption of the bill by the Legislature," asserted D'Amato. "This is a people bill...an effort at tax reform and economic stimulation."

## Pistol Tournament

Registration is now open for an Unclassified Smallbore Pistol Tournament set for Saturday, Jan. 22, beginning at 9 a.m. in Nassau County's Indoor Rifle Range in East Meadow off Merrick Ave., south of Hempstead Turnpike.

The competition is open to men and women age 21 and over who hold a valid County hand firearms license and is sponsored by Nassau's Department of Recreation and Parks.

All participants must bring their own firearms and related equipment and the County will supply the required targets. Although NRA rules will be followed in the tournament, a NRA classification on the part of contestants is not necessary.

Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2d, and 3d place winners. The regular Range fee of \$2 for County residents and \$3 for non-residents will be charged.

To register, call 292-4208 or stop by in person any time during Range hours until the day of the tournament.

## Holiday Phone Calls

Millions of telephone bells will ring around the nation this Christmas season, traditionally the busiest calling period in the calendar.

Long Islanders placed more than 350,000 long distance calls last Christmas while statewide, 1.6 million toll calls were made. It is expected that Christmas calling in 1976 will equal or exceed these figures.

In Nassau and Suffolk a holiday staff of more than 300 operators will be assigned to eight different offices on Christmas Day to assist callers. However, to avoid delays in getting your holiday messages through, New York Telephone recommends:

Place calls before 6 p.m. on Christmas Eve or on Christmas

afternoon, which is the slackest period during the holiday rush.

Direct dial long distance and overseas calls wherever possible to save time and money.

Obtain telephone numbers prior to the holiday season since, in some overseas countries, directory assistance operators do not work on Christmas.

Because Christmas and New Year's fall on Saturdays this year, the holiday discount on long distance calling will be in effect from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. on both Friday, December 24, and Friday, December 31 for interstate calls and calls to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. The usual night and weekend rates will apply on both Fridays after 11 p.m. and extend through both Sundays until 5 p.m.

## Good Advice

"One of the best ways to make sure you have a happy holiday is to drive soberly," Commissioner Harold Adams of the Nassau County Dept. of Drug and Alcohol Addiction cautions drivers. "Being in an alcohol-related

accident can ruin your life, not just your celebration of the season."

If you must travel after drinking, Adams urges "go as a passenger...in a cab, bus, or friend's automobile."

# Dear Friends....

In the King James Version of the Holy Bible, in the second chapter of the Gospel according to St. Luke, verses 1 through 20, we find the Word of God concerning the birth of Jesus Christ as follows:

1. And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.
2. (And this taxing was first made when Cyrenius was governor of Syria.)
3. And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.
4. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judaea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:)
5. To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.
6. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.
7. And she brought forth her first-born son, and wrapped Him in swaddling clothes, and laid Him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.
8. And there were in the same country, shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.
9. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.
10. And the angel said unto them, "Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.
11. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord.
12. And this shall be a sign unto you; He shall find the Babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."
13. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,
14. "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."
15. And it came to pass as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us."
16. And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the Babe lying in a manger.
17. And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this Child.
18. And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.
19. But Mary kept all these things and pondered them in her heart.
20. And the shepherds returned glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

And these inspired words which tell us of the first Christmas so many years ago, are a present joy to all Christians.

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# LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To The Editor:

The adoption of the Nassau County 1977 budget this week calls attention to the many fiscal problems facing the County and other local municipalities. Inflation continues to push the costs of basic County services to higher levels; personnel salary and fringe benefits have increased; and the costs of certain mandated services and programs have risen dramatically.

The County operating-budget is financed primarily by property taxes. Relief from this oppressive burden was given top priority in the County administration.

Through the efforts of the County Executive and his staff, a proposed budget was submitted to the Board of Supervisors that reflected a reduction of about 8 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation in the property tax rate. Subsequently, a bipartisan committee of the Board of Supervisors was able to achieve an additional 1 1/2-cents reduction in the tax rate.

This means that the average homeowner in Nassau County will realize an estimated \$13.60 reduction in his property taxes -- a remarkable achievement when one considers that there are relatively few areas in which cuts can be made without resulting in drastic reductions in essential government services.

A major headache that still faces the County government -- and the taxpayer -- are the mandated programs and costs that must be supported by local taxes. One of these is welfare, under which many worthwhile programs, such as health care for the elderly with limited incomes, are lumped with other social service programs that cry out for drastic reform. The spiralling costs of welfare, which is national in scope, require a broader based source of revenue such as the federal income tax to meet the increasing demands for social services.

Another area in which costs are outstripping the demand for services is transportation. It is hoped that the federal government will allow broader use of Federal Highway Trust Funds to solve mass transportation problems in a manner more in keeping with present day needs.

John W. Burke  
TOB Supervisor

# Revised OSHA Law More Rational

By Cong. Norman Lent

The federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) has been a textbook example of a good idea carried too far, but that is changing thanks to the Labor-HEW Appropriations Act (PL 94-439). OSHA was established to insure on-the-job safety for American workers. OSHA inspectors can come to your place of business and issue on-the-spot violation notices which carry heavy fines. In principle, this is a fine idea in practice, OSHA has been unduly harsh with those employers who are truly interested in the welfare of their employees.

Repeated, serious violations should be dealt with harshly. However, since OSHA was created, many employers have been fined for things which are arbitrary rather than dangerous, or cited because the employer did not know he had violated OSHA is one example. The main problem with this law is that employers had no way of finding out whether they were in compliance without risking fines for unintentional violations they would correct if asked.

On Long Island, when local governments enforce such regulations as building codes, a violator is given reasonable time to correct shortcomings before fines are assessed. This enables people who want to comply with the law to do so without penalty.

To be sure, those who have life threatening violations, or who persistently ignore the code are still punished.

Until the recent change in federal law, OSHA has not pursued this rational course. Under the new law, OSHA may not assess penalties unless violations are numerous, serious or repeated. This common sense approach to the problem of job safety removes the assumption that all employers are busy creating sweat shops.

Most employers want to run safe businesses. Safety is good business. It's good for employees, good for production, lowers insurance costs, and has other positive benefits. Most businessmen are willing to work with regulators to achieve job safety.

Those who refuse to cooperate in providing the desired job safety conditions should, and still can be fined heavily and forced to comply with the law, but many companies will comply voluntarily if given half a chance. Permitting most businessmen to comply voluntarily when violations are found, will enable OSHA to concentrate its resources on major, repeat violators. That concentrated effort will have more impact on job safety in the long run and result in better working conditions for American Laborers.



Two Hicksville residents, Laurel Widmyer and Jean Ann Mahoney, seated from left, made their annual holiday visit to the Association for the Help of Retarded Children's Brookville School.

# Our Armed Forces

Ronald J. Schley, son of Mrs. Irene Schley, who reside at 10 Fordham Avenue, HICKSVILLE, has entered the United States Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program according to Technical Sergeant Cypher, the local Air Force Representative. Airman Schley will be in the Air Force Reserve until he enters active duty in July. At that time Airman Schley will begin six weeks of basic orientation at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas.

Sergeant Cypher added that the Delayed Enlistment Program is available to all qualified young men and women. It gives them an opportunity to get the best available job with the Air Force and still have sufficient time to either finish high school or other activities in which they might get involved. He offered further information at no obligation to those who stop by his office at 3000 Hempstead Turnpike, Levittown, or call him at 735-8228.

Kurt H. Schaaf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schaaf, who reside at 21

Elmira Street, HICKSVILLE, has entered the United States Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program according to Technical Sergeant Cypher, the local Air Force Representative. Airman Schaaft will be in the Air Force Reserve until he enters active duty in July. At that time Airman Schaaft will begin six weeks of basic orientation at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas.

Staff sergeant Clyde E. King Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. King Sr. of 14713 S.W. Potomac St., Cresaptown, Md., has graduated with honors from the Tactical Air Command Non-commissioned Officer Leadership School at MacDill AFB, Fla.

The Sergeant received the Commandant Award for outstanding noncommissioned officer qualities. The sergeant, who was trained in military management and supervision, is an aircraft maintenance analysis technician at MacDill. Sergeant King is a 1967

graduate of Allegany High School. His wife, Deborah, is the daughter of Mrs. Lois Chapin, 7 Brittle Land, HICKSVILLE.

AA John P. Harrison, 132-50-2477, presently stationed aboard the USS Nimitz, somewhere in the Mediterranean Sea, was as of December 1, 1976 promoted to the rank of Airman Third Class. Airman John Harrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Harrison, of 94 Old Bethpage Road, Hicksville. John Enlisted in the US Navy in November 1975. Airman Harrison has been assigned duties aboard this aircraft carrier since July 1976 and is not due home until June 1977. Congratulations!

Navy Ensign Fred B. Horne, whose wife Nancy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Graham R. Freer of 1581 Round Swamp Road, Plainview, was graduated from the Navy's Aviation Induction Course (AIC). He is a 1976 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

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# AMIA: "No-Fault Insurance Law Changes Needed

Automobile insurance could become an expensive luxury for many of New York State's nine million licensed drivers unless the present No-Fault law is changed to discourage padded medical bills and eliminate unnecessary lawsuits, the American Mutual Insurance Alliance (AMIA) said here today.

AMIA is a national association of insurance companies, many of whose members provide auto insurance in New York State. The group pointed to the following statistics to illustrate the dimensions of the No-Fault problem:

In 1973, the last year before No-Fault went into effect, the average auto insurance claim in New York City was \$1,621 and about five out of every 100 insured drivers was putting in a claim.

By the end of 1975, after the completion of two years of No-Fault experience the average auto personal injury claim had increased 110 percent to \$3,400.

The number of drivers submitting personal injury claims jumped 80 percent between 1973 and 1975.

Of the \$3,400 which made up the average claim in 1975, \$2,769 or 81 percent, was paid out to accident victims for "pain and suffering" which usually involves lawsuits and lawyers. The remainder was paid out for No-Fault medical expenses and wage loss.

The average medical bill submitted by claimants was \$508 - just over the amount necessary to begin a lawsuit and still collect No-Fault benefits.

The national trade group said that the No-Fault experience for the rest of New York State "tracked close to that of New York City." They warned that "the lethal combination of more people collecting auto insurance benefits with many of them then going on to sue for even more money was producing higher and higher insurance rates for everybody and threatened to put coverage out of the reach of some low and moderate-income drivers."

Between July 1975 and July

1976 auto insurance premiums increased substantially in New York State with increases for No-Fault personal injury insurance rising steadily. Under New York's compulsory insurance law, everyone must buy auto insurance as a condition of operating their cars in the state.

The AMIA offered the following remedial proposals to the New York State Senate Insurance Committee which held hearings today on the subject of reforming the No-Fault auto insurance law:

The \$500 threshold in the present law should be replaced with a verbal threshold allowing lawsuits only for cases involving carefully defined serious injury or death. At present, lawsuits for "pain and suffering" are permitted if medical expenses are \$500 or more. The result has been that too many lawsuits are still being filed despite the availability of No-Fault benefits of \$50,000 without resorting to a lawsuit.

Auto insurance should be subject to a medical fee schedule as we now have for workers' compensation. These schedules are reviewed to make sure they are adequate and up-to-date. There is presently no limit on what a hospital may charge auto accident victims. Surveys have shown that No-Fault insurers are paying 40 percent more for medical services for injuries than they would have paid had the injuries been a workers' compensation claim. In one case an auto accident victim as charged \$31,000 for a case two-month hospital stay. Under a medical fee system, the hospital would have received \$14,000.

Penalties should be imposed for health care providers who deliberately overcharge No-Fault victims for their services.

The No-Fault arbitration system must be improved. At present, a panel of arbitrators in a disputed case will award a claimant \$500 - which entitles him to sue for more - and award the claimant's lawyer legal fees of \$1,000. The consumer ends up paying higher premiums for a system which was intended to discourage excess legal costs.

In addition to reform of the No-Fault law, AMIA recommended that auto insurance rates be made subject to a competitive rating law which is more responsive to changes in the marketplace and which could help solve the auto insurance price and availability problems in New York State. The trade group said that such a law worked well from 1970-1974 and should be reinstated.

Two other recommendations made by the insurance industry representatives to the state legislature were:

Stricter enforcement of the new law regulating repair shops in order to hold down auto repair costs and ultimately the auto insurance premiums which pay for these repairs.

Strengthening the licensing requirements for operation of motor vehicles to the extent that anti-social and incompetent drivers be removed from the highways along with a program of periodic re-testing (both written and practical) for revalidation of drivers' licenses.

The AMIA warned that "scrapping the present Auto Insurance Plan (Assigned Risk) and replacing it with a reinsurance facility, a device which forces companies to insure high risk drivers at standard rates, would aggravate the price and availability problem. This has happened in the four states that have switched from an Auto Insurance Plan to a Reinsurance Facility. Last year drivers in the Plan averaged a loss of \$161 per car and a Reinsurance Facility would force all drivers to make up the entire loss."

According to AMIA, making Blue Cross-Blue Shield the primary payer for auto insurance accidents "would not reduce No-Fault insurance costs significantly, and would increase No-Fault premiums since each auto insurance claim would have to be investigated to determine if any other insurance benefits existed. Such a proposal would also force drivers to exhaust their Blue Cross-Blue Shield benefits - benefits which may be sorely needed later for non-auto accident related sickness or injuries."



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## AROUND TOWN

by Lynda Noeth Scotti

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Get well wishes go to Joseph Marcus of HICKSVILLE, who is presently a patient in Syosset Hospital. He worked very hard this past year on three books dealing with soccer. We hope he is up and around very soon.

Birthday greetings go to Karen Sonneborn, High St., HICKSVILLE. She

celebrated her 15th on Dec. 22.

Happy Birthday to David Comou, Amherst Lane, HICKSVILLE. He celebrated his birthday on Dec. 26.

We're happy to report that Louis Dalotto of PLAINVIEW is now at home after spending some time in the hospital.

## Winter Motoring

North, south, east or west-bound, you can't drive anywhere if you're snowbound. But with the right equipment, says the Automobile Club of New York, you can go in a moderate amount of snow and ice.

According to the local AAA affiliate, the all-important items that winter motorists should carry in their trunk are:

- o a flat-bladed shovel.
- o a large bag or bucket of sand to provide traction on ice or hard

packed snow. Be sure to keep the sand dry or it will freeze solid and be of no value.)

o Traction mats (oblong wire mats) which are also useful for getting out of slippery locations.

o A combination ice-scraper and snow-brush for clearing windows.

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## Cross Country Skiing

A novel approach to Cross Country Skiing has been implemented by the Nassau County Department of Recreation and Parks at Christopher Morley Park in Roslyn-North Hills.

Three interlocking courses of varying difficulty have been marked through the wooded terrain north of the parking lot, ready for the first snow of the winter and the inevitable rush of Nassau's Cross-Country enthusiasts.

The easiest of the courses, which total approximately 3 1/2 miles, is geared toward the beginner and designed to provide all the fundamental movements involved. The second course is for the advanced novice and includes subtle up-grades and down-grades, as well as a final downhill run. More steep surfaces are covered in the third and most difficult course, planned for skiers of intermediate ability. Rest areas for picnic snacks are provided along the way.

Ski-touring, or Cross Country Skiing, is about 4,000 years old and originated in the Scandinavian countries as a practical means of winter travel. It has recently, however, grown enormously in popularity with people who enjoy snow and skiing, but are not interested in the speed of regular skiing. Another plus is the relatively inexpensive equipment required.

As a precautionary measure, skiers at Morley, as at other Cross-Country facilities, must sign in at the beginning of the course and sign out upon completion of their run. Layered clothing is suggested as a matter

of comfort. For further information, call the park at 621-9110 or the Department's Outdoor Recreation Unit at 292-4288.

Morley park is located on Seeringtown Road, north of Exit 36 of the Long Island Expressway.

## Varsity Basketball

By Brian Boschert

Hicksville's Varsity Basketball Team is looking forward to a successful campaign. In the first game of the season the Hicksville Comets out-distanced Jericho by a score of 90-69. The well-balanced Comet attack was led by Ray Cesare and John Bergen with 20 points each and Tony Colamussi who chipped in with 19 points. Craig Ruhs and Bob Bradley scored some big baskets for Hicksville. A big factor in the Comet's victory was their 22-24 shooting at the foul line.

Hicksville, coached by Mr. Buddy Bryan and assisted by Mr. Nick Monfredo, has adopted a running game this year to help compensate for a lack of height. Coaches Bryan and Monfredo, along with the rest of the team, feel they can bring home a winning season for Hicksville. I hope the team will receive strong support from the student body as well as Hicksville residents. PLEASE COME OUT AND SUPPORT YOUR TEAM.

### 1976-77 SCHEDULE

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4 Farmingdale	H	8:00	
11 Syosset	A	8:00	
14 Herricks	H	8:00	
18 MacArthur	H	8:00	
21 Plainedge	H	8:00	
25 Port Washington	A	4:15	
28 Farmingdale	A	8:00	

### FEB.

4 Syosset	H	8:00
8 Herricks	A	4:30
11 MacArthur	A	8:00
15 Plainedge	A	7:30
18 Port Washington	H	8:00

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### HICKSVILLE VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

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Hicksville Lion Frank Simone displays poster for Lions Club Annual Blood Drive to be held

January 12th at Hicksville Methodist Church. Lion Frank is Chairman of the drive and can be reached at 249-4792 for further information.

Dear Friend and Neighbor:

Help us and yourself and also serve your community at the same time. The Hicksville Lions Club is sponsoring a blood drive for the residents of the Hicksville area. Each blood donor will be assured that an unlimited supply of blood will be available for one year from the date of donation

## A Letter To All

for himself, his spouse, children under the age of nineteen, parents and grandparents on both sides of the family.

In addition to providing blood for themselves, donors will have the knowledge that blood not needed for their use will be used for the benefit of Lawrence Blaszowsky, a young Hicksville hemophiliac, and other

hemophiliacs in our area.

You will have the opportunity to donate blood on Wednesday January 12th, 1977, in the Social Hall of the United Methodist Church of Hicksville, Old Country Road at Nelson Avenue. Donations will be accepted between 4 and 9 P.M.

Please phone our chairman Frank Simone at 249-4792 and register. Thank you.

## Rotary Helps Needy Families

As has been the case for many years in the past, the Hicksville Rotary Club once again has come to the aid of many needy local families in time for Christmas.

Known as the Christmas Basket Project, \$1,280.00

worth of food certificates have been issued depending on individual need and the size of the family.

Certificates will be used in local supermarkets for food and beverages (excluding tobacco and alcoholic beverages).

Mark (Squat) Madden, a Hicksville Rotarian has been chairman of this worthy community project since the program began.

## Christmas Gifts

Christmas shoppers should keep their local post offices in mind as a source of inexpensive gifts.

Six new topical stamp collecting kits are among a number of philatelic items now on sale at about 10,000 post offices throughout the country, the announcement noted. The subjects of the new collecting kits are United States (2nd Edition), 50 Stamps from 20 Countries, Diamonds & Triangles, Travel Through the Ages, Flowers, and Flags, Maps and Coats of Arms. They are \$2.00 each.

Also on sale is the 1976 Mint Set of 21 commemorative stamps featuring all the commemorative stamps featuring all the commemorative stamps featuring all the commemorative issues of 1976.

## Japanese Visit Hicksville

A Japanese Group Study Exchange team visited the Hicksville and surrounding area for several days recently. An educational activity of The International Rotary Foundation the team of visitors was hosted by the Hicksville Rotary Club.

The group consisted of a Rotarian and five business and professional men from Rotary District 352, which is the Iwate and Miyagi area of Japan. They

came to study the institutions and way of life of their Hicksville Rotary hosts and to develop personal acquaintances. A Group Study Exchange team from this area paid a similar visit to Japan last year. While here the Japanese team visited the Grumman Aerospace Corp. Restoration Village, the Milleridge Inn and other areas. The team leaves this week for their return trip to Japan.



Visiting Japanese Team hosted by Hicksville Rotary Club at Milleridge Inn. Standing (l to r) Shinichi Ishikawa, Chemist, Ikuzo Sato, Real Estate Planner, Joe DePaola, family host and Rotary area coordinator, Takashi Kimura, Hotel Manager, Hiroshi Oikawa, (Team Leader) Grocery Retail (Seated L to R) Takashi Mugashima, TV Newscaster and Yoshinobu Sasaki, Steel Engineer. (In the upper picture)

In the lower picture, shown exchanging area Rotary Club banners. Hicksville Rotary Club President Fred Stanwise (left) and Group Study Exchange team member from Japan Takashi Kimura. (Photos by Joe DePaola)

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Jennifer Gibbons climbs the ropes as part of Trinity Lutheran School's fine physical education program. Located at 10 W. Nicholai Street in Hicksville Trinity has a Nursery through Grade 8 program which serves the entire community.

**ART EXHIBITS**

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For further information call PE5-4133.

Sculpture by Elfriede Reizman-Hicksville Library, 169 Jerusalem Ave., Hicksville. For further information call WE1-1417.

Oil Paintings by Leslie Sussman-Prudential Savings Bank, 200 Birch Hill Rd., Locust Valley. For further information call 671-9300.

Acrylic Paintings by Lynne Tarakan-Plannedge Library, 1000 Hicksville Rd., No. Massapequa. For further information call 735-4133.

Oils and Pastels by Jeffrey R. Webb-Syosset-Woodbury Community Park Center, 7800 Jericho Tpke., Woodbury. For further information call 921-5944.

String Art by Charles Winslow-Oyster Bay Library, E. Main St., Oyster Bay. For further information call 922-4121.

**Receives Promotion**

Morgan Guaranty Trust Company has announced the appointment of Harold J. Herder, of Cherry Drive, PLAINVIEW, as an assistant treasurer in the operations division of the bank.

Mr. Herder joined the bank in 1947. Until his new assignment, he was associated with Morgan Guaranty's commercial credits department.

**Receives Contract**

Government contracts totaling \$192,442 have been awarded Amperex Electronic Corp. in Hicksville, by the Defense Supply Agency's Defense Electronics Supply Center, Dayton, Ohio. They provide for manufacture of 14,409 electron tubes of various types and unit costs.

The Defense Electronics Supply Center procures, manages and supplies common electronic parts used by the armed services and various other government agencies.

**In Spelling Bee**

The winner of the 1976, Diocese of Rockville Centre, Zone 9 Spelling Bee which was held at St. Plus X School, Plainview is Timothy Devlin of St. Ignatius Loyola School.  
Runner-up is Lisa Firenze of St. Brigid's School.

**At Nathans**

The Nathan's Famous Children's Theatre, 1401 Mid-Island Shopping Center, Hicksville, L.I., will continue to present free children's shows every Sunday afternoon at 1:00 P.M. throughout 1977.

The free one hour shows, which include puppets, marionettes, magicians and clowns, are presented by Nathan's as a public service. Families are invited to attend and further program information can be obtained by calling (516) 822-2177.

**CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT LIST JANUARY, 1977**

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Sunday, Jan. 9 - "Le Cirque Rosie Herbert", a circus pantomime show with clowns, music, mime, magic and juggling.

Sunday, Jan. 16 - "Laws, The Magic Clown" with a show of comedy magic, fun and games and audience participation.

Sunday, Jan. 23 - Klein Puppet Productions will present "A Puppet Musical Revue".

Sunday, Jan. 30 - "Norman, The Magician" will present a show of magic, balloon animals and audience participation.

**Happy Birthday**

Birthday greetings are extended to Jennifer Giannelli, Bay Ave., HICKSVILLE and William Dodge, Arrow Lane, HICKSVILLE. Jennifer celebrates on Dec. 29 and William on Dec. 30.

**Plan Ahead**

If you are in a club or organization that would like to picnic at Eisenhower Park during the spring, summer or fall, plans should be made well in advance. The Nassau County Department of Recreation and Parks will be accepting reser-

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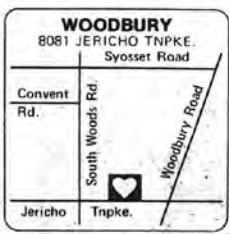
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**RECOGNIZE ANY** of your favorite cartoon characters in the above photo? Now featured in the Historical Room of The Gregory Museum, Heitz Place, Hicksville, is a delightful exhibit of dolls, on loan from Mrs. Joan Amundsen of Hicksville. Stop by and see how many "Personalities On Parade" you can identify. Wonderful replicas of television stars, movie actors & actresses, sports figures, politicians, comic strip characters, etc. will delight young & old. (Remember the Beatles?) This display will be on loan from the month of December & January. Call 822-7505 for any additional information.

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## DEVOTIONS

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By Rev. J. H. Krahn

**THE STABLE MESSAGE:**  
 Our Lord Jesus was born in a stable, a real stable... not a bright, airy barn which Christian artists have depicted over the centuries, as if ashamed that their God should have lain in poverty and dirt. It was not the modern Christmas Eve "Holy Stable" either, made of fine china; with little fragile, candle-like statuettes. Not a clean and beautifully painted stable with a neat tidy manger, an ecstatic ass, a contrite ox, and angels fluttering their wings over the roof. This is not the stable where Jesus was born.

A real stable is the home of working animals. The poor, old stable of Christ's old, poor country is only four rough walls, a dirty pavement, a roof of beams and slate. It is dark and reeking. The only clean thing about it is the manger where the owner piles the hay and fodder. That's why Mary, His Mother, put Him there wrapped in pieces of her own clothing. This is the real stable where Jesus was born. One of the filthiest places in the world was the first room of the only pure Son ever born of woman. In this earthly pig sty, where no decorations or perfumes could hide the odor of filth, Jesus ap-

peared one night, born of a stainless Virgin, innocent and forlorn.

As far as we know His mother said very little at His birth other than the cries of childbirth. This is understandable, for the deepest feelings always show themselves in silence.

Yet that holy night Heaven touched earth and God became

man. Peace arrived when the infant's cry shattered the quietness of a Bethlehem night as animals stirred nervously because of unwelcomed guests.

And with the infant's cry came God's message to mankind. A simple message in simple surroundings. The stable message: God saying to each of us, "I love you." As we

remember again God's love through a manger-resting babe, we know that He now comes to us where we live; He loves us where we are, and our hearts also become His birthplace and our lives His home.

This Christmas Trinity's worship services will be among the finest we have ever had. They will be an expression of our love and thanks to God for His gift of Jesus Christ. We invite you to join us for our celebration on Christmas Eve we have a Family Service at 6:00 p.m. followed by Candlelight Services at 7:30, 9:00, and 11:30 p.m. On Christmas Day we have a Family Service at 9:45 a.m. We are located at 40 West Nicholas Street in Hicksville. A most blessed and wonderful Christmas to all of you.

## United Methodist Women

The United Methodist Women, of the United Methodist Church of Hicksville, will start the new year, under the direction of their newly installed president Grace Gorham, with the theme and goal for the coming year "On Being a Good Neighbor."

You can start the new year by attending our first meeting - January 5th, 1977. A Week of

Prayer and Self-Denial Service, in the chapel. Start the year by being a good neighbor to some one in need. Program starts at 8:00 and will be led by Carol Kerwin.

Refreshments will be served in the Ladies Parlor after the service.

Come and bring a friend and start the New Year with God.

## Rotational Art Exhibits

The 1977 Rotating Art Exhibits sponsored by the Cultural and Performing Arts (CAPA) Division of the Town of Oyster Bay Department of Community Services will begin their tour of Town banks and libraries in January.

Now in its third year, the rotational art program features 42 local artists proficient in a variety of art forms including oil painting, watercolor, sculpture, pottery, graphics and photography. To date, the exhibits have been booked in 135

locations throughout the Town. The schedule of exhibits and locations for the month of January is as follows:

Oils by Patricia Abosh-Prudential Savings Bank, 333 Glen Cove Ave., Sea Cliff. For further information call 759-0636.

Watercolors by Evelyn Abrams-Prudential Savings Bank, 200 Birch Hill Rd., Locust Valley. For further information call 671-9300.

Photography by Robert Berkowitz-Oyster Bay Library, E. Main St., Oyster Bay. For

further information call 922-1212. Japanese Bunka Embroidery, by Loretta Kandies-Prudential Savings Bank, 6311 Northern Blvd., East Norwich. For further information call 922-1200.

Wall Hangings by Dyan Palmer-Syosset-Woodbury Community Park Center, 7800 Jericho Tpke., Woodbury. For further information call 921-5944.

Wood Sculpture by Derek Perkins-Plainedge Library, 1060 Hicksville Rd., No. Massapequa.

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## Obituary

R.C. Church, Funeral followed. **GEORGE PANCIROLI**  
 George Pancirolti of Hicksville died on Dec. 19. He was the brother of Charles, Sam, Primo, John, William Pancirolti, Eva and Anna Petrucci.  
 He reposed at the Henry

Stock Funeral Home, Newbridge Rd., Hicksville. The Funeral was on Wed., Dec. 22 at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, with a Mass of the Resurrection at 9:30 a.m., the Rev. Dominic Ciannella officiated. Interment followed in Plain Lawn Cemetery.

**FLORENCE E. NELSON**  
 Florence E. Nelson of Hicksville died on Dec. 14. She was the mother of C. Raymond and the late T. Kenneth Nelson. Grandmother of K. Brooke and Raymond A. Nelson; sister of Arthur C. Schabel. She is also survived by three great-grandchildren.

She reposed at the Vernon C. Wagner Funeral Home, Old Country Rd., Hicksville. Rev. James J. Benson officiated at services held there on Fri., Dec. 17. Interment was held on Sat., Dec. 18 at Lutheran Cemetery, Middle Village, Queens.

**ARTHUR J. NICKEL**  
 Arthur J. Nickel of Hicksville died on Dec. 14. He was the husband of Mary (nee Sucharski); father of Edmund and Linda Nickel; son of Emma Nickel; brother of Lillian Stevens, Esther Michinski, Ruth Endersen and Helen Gabrielsen.

He reposed at the Henry J. Stock Funeral Home, Newbridge Rd., Hicksville. Religious services were held on Thurs., Dec. 16 at 8 p.m., Rev. Irving Steven officiated. The Funeral was held on Fri., Dec. 17 at 1 p.m.

**ELEANOR MORIN**  
 Eleanor Morin of Hicksville died on Dec. 15. She was the mother of Lorraine Scuderi, Anita Indelicato and Paul Morin. She is also survived by nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

She reposed at the Thomas F. Dalton Funeral Home, Jerusalem Ave., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was Monday, Dec. 20 at St. Ignatius

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PUBLIC NOTICE
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE That, pursuant to law, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room of the Town Hall, East Building, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, New York, on Tuesday, the 11th of January 1977 at 10 o'clock a.m., prevailing time, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to consider the following amendment to Chapter 7 "Electrical Code" of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Oyster Bay, New York, as amended:

DELETE subsection (e) of Section 7-5 Persons and activities not subject to the provisions of this chapter which permits a homeowner to perform electrical work in his home without obtaining permits or licenses and in its place ADD a new subsection (e) as follows:

(e) A resident of the Town of Oyster Bay shall not be subject to the requirements of this Chapter when temporarily performing electrical work in a one-family dwelling which he owns and wherein he actually resides, except that he shall comply with the following:

1. An affidavit shall be submitted to the Superintendent of the Division of Building stating that the homeowner both resides in and owns the premises and will actually perform the electrical work in his one-family dwelling.

2. The homeowner shall complete the application required by the New York Board of Fire Underwriters which application shall accompany the aforesaid affidavit.

3. An oral examination shall be taken by the homeowner to ascertain his qualifications and ability to perform the electrical work described in the New York Board of Fire Underwriters application.

4. The aforesaid oral examination which shall be passed successfully by the homeowner shall be conducted either by a member of the Examining Board of Electricians or an Inspector of the New York Board of Fire Underwriters or the Superintendent of the Division of Building or his designee.

5. The electrical work to be performed by the homeowner, as well as the materials to be used shall comply with all of the provisions of this chapter.

6. The homeowner shall comply with any additional requirements established by the Superintendent of the Division of Building as he deems necessary for the administration of this section.

AMEND Section 7-9 entitled Installation Standards Adopted; Construction with other laws, by renumbering the present paragraph to subsection 7-9(a) and ADD a new subsection 7-9(b) as follows:

(b) "The minimum wire size for all electrical circuits shall be number fourteen (14) American wire gauge copper wire. The use of aluminum wire or wire utilizing aluminum in combination with other materials where the principal metallic component of such wire is aluminum, including but not limited to nickel clad and copper clad, and where the gauge is American wire gauge number four (4) or smaller is prohibited. Aluminum wire or wire utilizing aluminum in combination with other materials may be used where the principal metallic component of such wire is

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aluminum, and where the gauge is American wire gauge number two (2) or larger, only when termination and splicing of such wire is by New York Board of Fire Underwriters approved compression connectors." ADD new subsections 7-9(c) (d) and (e) to the aforesaid Section 7-9 as follows:

(c) "The use of exposed plastic covered wire or non-metallic covered wire shall be prohibited in all commercial and industrial buildings."

(d) "All bedrooms in residential units shall have at least one independent three (3) wire 110 volt 200 volt grounded circuit within two feet of a window capable of containing an air conditioning unit. This requirement is not necessary if a central air conditioning system is installed within the residential building."

(e) "All heat-producing units, boilers and equipment shall be wired with armored cable pipe or conduit."

All persons interested shall have an opportunity to be heard upon the said proposed amendment at the time and place aforesaid.

The ordinance is on file in the Office of the Town Clerk and may be examined during regular business hours by any or all interested persons.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF OYSTER BAY Ann R. Ocker, Town Clerk

Supervisor John W. Burke Dated: December 21, 1978 Oyster Bay, New York D-3831-IT 12 23 MID

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

HICKSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT
Notice is hereby given that SEALED PROPOSALS for the purchase of one 1977 81X-passenger station wagon 400 cubic inch V-8 painted white, with accessories and optional equipment included in the specifications on file with the Dispatcher of the Hicksville Fire District, which may be obtained from him, will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Hicksville Fire District, at the Commissioner's Room of the Hicksville Fire District, East Marie Street Fire House, Hicksville, Nassau County, New York, until 8:00 P.M. prevailing time on the 11th day of January 1977, at which time and place they will be publically opened and read.

Each Proposal submitted must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond, payable to the Hicksville Fire District, in a sum equivalent to five percent of the total amount of the bid, and a commitment by the Bidder that, if his bid is accepted he will enter into a contract to deliver the vehicle contracted for.

The Board of Commissioners of the Hicksville Fire District reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informalities therein and to accept the bid which, in its opinion, is in the best interests of the Fire District.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HICKSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT Attest: George Frey, Secy. D3829 - IT 12/23

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 12, Section Z-3.0. of the Building Zone Ordinance, NOTICE is hereby given that the BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS of the Town of Hempstead will

Winter Affects Your Car's Battery

Winter is a thief when it comes to your car's battery.

According to the Automobile Club of New York, zero degree weather steals 60 per cent of a battery's strength. Even with the mercury at 32 degrees, your battery operates 35 per cent less effectively than it does on an 80 degree summer day.

There are, however, certain steps motorists can take to minimize the power robbing

effects of winter. The local AAA affiliate offers these suggestions for cold-morning starts:

• Be sure the shift selector or gear shift is in neutral.

• Make sure all electrical accessories (radio, windshield wipers, headlights, etc.) are turned off before using the starter.

• Push the gas pedal all the way down to the floor once, then hold it half-way down as the

starter is engaged. Avoid pumping the gas pedal; this can cause flooding.

• Turn the ignition key to "start," but don't hold the key in the start position for more than 10 seconds at a time. If the engine doesn't catch the first time, stop a minute or so to give the battery time to recharge itself.

• Depress the gas pedal slightly to keep the engine running if the engine starts and then dies several times.

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hold a public hearing in the Town Meeting Pavilion, Town Hall Plaza, Main Street Hempstead, New York on January 12, 1977 at 9:30 A.M., 10:00 A.M. & 2:00 P.M. to consider the following applications and appeals: THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE CALLED AT 9:30 A.M.

27 NR BELLEROSE - Evelyn A. Schert, maintain two family dwelling, 93-40 246th St.

28 WEST HEMPSTEAD - Keith J. & Arline J. Schroeder, maintain two family dwelling, N s Oak St. 184.55 ft. W o Morton Ave.

29 WANTAGH - Richard R. & Jean A. Coningsby, maintain two family dwelling, S W cor Johnson Pl. & Bellag Ave.

30 WANTAGH - William J. & Ella L. Nagy, maintain two family dwelling, 3465 Park Ave.

31 WEST HEMPSTEAD - Joseph M. Toomey, maintain used car lot, N s Fulton Ave. immediately E o L.I.R.R.

32 BALDWIN - Espedito & Antonette Sigillo, maintain two family dwelling, 673 New York Ave.

33 SEAFORD - Frank Bruno, maintain two family dwelling, S s Bay St 150 ft. W o Southard Ave.

34 SEAFORD - South Seas Yacht Club, Inc. maintain business office bldg. & use of premises for dock space, storage, repair & servicing pleasure boats, approx. 452 ft. S o southerly end of Saltspur Rd.

THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE CALLED AT 10:00 A.M.

35 SEAFORD - Robert E. & Sheila Blackman, maintain buildings, office, sales of marina supplies, coast guard meeting room, storage & repairing engines & boats, gas & ice & snack bar, building launching ramp, add six more docks, and store equipment to maintain marina & boats, S end Marina Park Dr. 991.53 ft. S o Seamans Neck Rd.

37 ELMONT - Bruno Torre & Son Const. Corp., variances, front yard average setback, encroachment, lot area, front width, side yard, subdivision of lot, maintain dwelling, rear yard maintain detached garage, E s Evans Ave. 65 ft. N o Theodora St.

38 ELMONT - Bruno Torre & Son Const. Corp., variances, rear yard, lot area, front width, subdivision of lot, construct 1-family dwelling, garage, E s Evans Ave. 111 ft. N o Theodora St.

39 ELMONT - Bruno Torre & Son Const. Corp., variances, rear yard, lot area, front width, subdivision of lot, construct 1-family dwelling, garage, E s Evans Ave. 153 ft. N o Theodora St.

40 WANTAGH - Elizabeth R. Mansell, variances, front width, subdivision of lot, construct dwelling, garage, E s Cornelius Ave. 41.65 ft. N o Lawrence Pl.

41 WANTAGH - Elizabeth R. Mansell, variances, front yard average setback, subdivision of lot, maintain dwelling, E s Cornelius Ave. 86.55 ft. N o Lawrence Pl.

42 NR LYNBROOK - E. Steven & Ruth Ross, variance, rear yard, maintain addition to garage, S W cor. Franklin Ave.

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& Edward St. 43-44 LAKEVIEW - Lakeview Lumber & Supply Corp., use premises for wholesale & retail sales, and storage of lumber; variance, rear yard, construct storage shed, E s Woodfield Rd. 240 ft. N o Eagle Ave.

THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE CALLED AT 2:00 P.M.

45 LEVITTOWN - Loews Nassau Cinema Assoc., erect one double faced, illuminated detached sign, 30 x 13' overall size 780 sq. ft., height 25 ft., setback 10 ft., N s Hempstead Tpke. 808.89 ft. W o Orville Rd.

46 INWOOD - Estate of Minnette Abrams, variances, front yard setback, maintain open porch, rear yard, subdivision of lot, maintain dwelling, S W cor Elizabeth Ave. & Lord Ave.

47-49 INWOOD - Estate of Minnette Abrams, variances, side yard, side yard aggregate, lot area, front width, subdivision of lot, maintain dwelling, attached garage, variances, side & rear yards, less than habitable space, maintain apartment over detached garage, variances, front yard, side & rear yards, height, maintain detached garage, S s Elizabeth Ave. 82.29 ft. W o Lord Ave.

50 LEVITTOWN - Ronald B. & Theresa M. Oringer, variance, side yards aggregate, convert garage into living area, E s Orchid Rd. 293.68 ft. N o Heather Ln.

51 ELMONT - Anthony & Giuseppina DeVito, variance, lot area, convert from 1 to 2-family dwelling, N W cor Landau Ave. & Hempstead Tpke.

52-53. BELLMORE - Joel Rubin, variance, front yard setback, construct building, use premises for animal hospital, S W cor. Merrick Rd. & So. St. Marks Ave.

54-55 LEVITTOWN - Bruno Brigandi, use store on premises for place of public assembly & amusement (coin-operated machines - game room); variance in off-street parking & permission to park in front setback area, undersized parking stalls, W s Gardiners Ave. 1261.74 ft. S o Hempstead Tpke. Interested parties should appear at the above time and place. By order of the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Armand A. Granito, Chairman Ed Sutherland, Secretary D-3831 - IT 12 23 MID

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Union Free School District No. 17 of the Town of Oyster Bay, Hicksville, Nassau County, New York (in accordance with Section 103 of Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law) hereby invites the submission of sealed bids on

Grass, Seed & Fertilizer - 1976 77-46 Renovation of PA Systems - High School - Re-Bid - 1976 77-47 for use in the Schools of the District. Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the 7th day of January, 1977, in the Purchasing Office at the Administration Building on Division Avenue at 6th Street, Hicksville, New York, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened.

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Specification and bid form may be obtained at the Purchasing Office, Administration Building, Division Avenue at 6th Street, Hicksville, New York.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids and to award the contract to other than the lowest bidder for any reason deemed in the best interest of the District. Any bid submitted will be binding for forty-five (45) days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

BOARD OF EDUCATION UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17 of the Town of Oyster Bay, Hicksville, Nassau County, New York Marie C. Egan District Clerk

Dated: 12 - 17 - 76 D-3838-IT 12 23 MID

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the provisions of the Town Law of the State of New York and the Nassau County Civil Divisions Act, the Town Boards of the Town of Hempstead and Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, will conduct a public hearing at a joint meeting of said Boards to be held at the Town Hall Annex of the Town of Oyster Bay, 65 Broadway, Hicksville, New York, on the 11th day of January, 1977, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at which time and place the said Town Boards will hear all persons interested in the proposed expenditure of \$385,000.00 in authorized funds for the improvement of the facilities of the Hicksville Water District by the construction of two (2) 1400 G.P.M. gravel packed deep wells, approximately 650 to 700 feet in depth, each with 20 inch outer casing, 12 inch stainless steel screen and submersible electric deep well mulriage pumps. The proposed sites of these two new wells are at Plant No. 3 on Jerusalem Avenue, and Plant No. 8 on Dean Street, in said Hicksville Water District, Hicksville, New York; said improvement to be paid from available funds of said District, with no bond issue required, all as shown in the report of Holzman, McLendon & Murrell, Consulting Engineers for said District, a copy of which report is dated November 4, 1976 and is annexed to the petition of the Commissioners of said Water District, all on file in the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Hempstead and the Town Clerk of the Town of Oyster Bay, where they may be examined during regular business hours by any person interested.

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all persons, interested in the subject matter above referred to, will be given an opportunity to be heard at the time and place aforesaid.

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF OYSTER BAY Ann R. Ocker Town Clerk Supervisor John W. Burke Dated: December 21, 1978 Oyster Bay, New York D-3834 IT 12 23 MID



From the control booth, network executive V.P. Frank Hackett (Robert Duvall) and network news division president Max Schumacher (William Holden) watch a newscast in MGM's "NETWORK" now showing exclusively on Long Island at Century's PLAINVIEW Theatre. It also stars Faye Dunaway and Peter Finch.

## Express Mail Service

Postmaster Sectional Center Manager Anthony M. Murello informs us that as in previous years, mailers of parcels and Christmas cards sometimes wait till the last minute before mailing these items. The usual question asked of many postal service people at this time of year is "How can I get this article to this address the next day?" in the past, the postal service found itself with an almost impossible task in many instances.

Postmaster Murello is pleased to announce to those people that the express mail service can, in many instances, serve as the answer to their problem. It is advised by the postmaster that the following offices in Nassau and Suffolk can provide express mail service to the general public:

Bethpage, NY 11714, Hicksville, NY 11802, Brentwood, NY 11717, Holtsville, NY 11742, Farmingdale, NY 11735, Huntington Sta., NY 11746, Freeport, NY 11520, Levittown, NY 11756, Garden City, NY 11530, Lynbrook, NY 11563, Glen Head, NY 11545, Patchogue, NY 11772, Hempstead, NY 11550, and Valley Stream, NY 11580.

The Postmaster Sectional Center Manager suggests that if further information is necessary regarding express mail service that they contact any of the offices listed above for specific information. He also takes this opportunity to wish a happy holiday to all.



ROTARY PRAISED: Shown on a recent visit to the Hicksville Rotary Club is 725 District Governor Tom Dent who rated the Hicksville service club as one of the finest in the district. Also shown is Club President Fred Stanwise. (Photo by Joe DePaola)

## Library News

The Hicksville Public Library has a display of bisque dolls from the collection of Mrs. Mary Freeman in the lobby show case for the holiday season.

Mrs. Freeman has been adding to her collection through the years and has examples of bisque, French Bisque, colonial bisque as well as china and china head dolls, papier mache, celluloid, composition, magic skin, rubber, vinyl and stuffed cotton babies. Each doll has been re clothed by Mrs. Freeman who

makes all the costumes by hand using old lace, eyelet and other materials no longer in production for clothing. The charming illustrations that are used as background for these beautiful dolls were drawn by Elizabeth Heyman, Mrs. Freeman's daughter.

It is worth a trip to the library with all the little girls that you know (whether they be 5 or 55) to see these rare playthings of long and not so long ago.

Happy Holiday to all.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The undersigned Receiver of Taxes for the Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau, State of New York, hereby gives notice that he has received the Tax Roll and Warrant attached thereto, and that he will be in attendance to receive taxes at TOWN HALL, AUDREY AVE., OYSTER BAY, N. Y. 11771 beginning Monday, January 3, 1977 and each weekday thereafter, from 9:00 AM to 4:45 PM (Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays excepted.)

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**PENALTIES:**  
The following scale of penalties is hereby prescribed for neglect to pay Armory & Court Expense, County, Town and Highway and Special District taxes after they have become due and payable: If the first half is not paid on or before February 10, 1977 penalty will be added at the rate of one per centum per month from

### LEGAL NOTICE

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Penalty on the second half will be added after August 10, 1977 at the rate of one per centum per month from July 1, 1977 calculated to the end of the month during which payment is made

**DISCOUNTS:**  
If the full year's tax is paid on or before February 10, 1977 discount will be allowed on the second half of the tax at the rate of one per centum of the second half. No discount allowed on payments made after February 10, 1977

Taxes are payable by Cash, Certified Checks or Post Office Money Orders. Uncertified checks will be accepted subject to collection only.

When sending for tax bills, please state the School District location, Section, Block and Lot numbers in accordance with the Nassau County Tax Map. After August 31st, 1977 the 1977 tax roll will be turned over to the County Treasurer, Mineola, N.Y. and all payments after that date should be made at the Office of the County Treasurer.

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## L.I. Youth Orchestra

The Long Island Youth Orchestra is proud to announce the seventh annual presentation of its Holiday Festival Orchestra, conducted by Martin Dreiwitz of Sea Cliff. The concert will take place on Thursday evening, December 30th, at Harry G. Thompson Junior High School, Syosset, at 8 p.m.

The Long Island Holiday Festival Orchestra is comprised of over 80 alumni of the Long Island Youth Orchestra presently attending colleges, universities, and music conservatories around the country. Some have achieved professional status.

The program will consist of Wagner Overture to Rienzi, Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 3,

Roy Harris Symphony No. 3 Soloist in the Beethoven work will be the Israeli-American pianist, Joseph Seiger of Sea Cliff. Mr. Seiger, formerly accompanist of violinist Misha Ellman and presently accompanying the violinist Erick Friedman and Aaron Rosand, is chairman of the Chamber Music Department at the Manhattan School of Music.

No advance ticket sales will be made for this concert, but tickets will be available at the box office 1 1/2 hours before performance at \$3.00 for adult and \$1.00 for student and Senior Citizen.

All proceeds will benefit the Long Island Youth Orchestra Scholarship Fund.

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ADDRESSING MEMBERS of the Hicksville Rotary Club at a recent luncheon meeting at the Milleridge Inn is Mr. W. John Johnson, of the Dale Carnegie Institute who spoke on the free enterprise system (Photo by Joe De Paola)

## Senior Directory Available

A newly-revised edition of the "Directory of Services Available to Senior Citizens" has just been published by the Nassau County Department of Senior Citizen Affairs.

Printed in large face type, the

Directory is an up-to-the minute, complete guide to existing programs, services and agencies serving the elderly in Nassau County.

The "Directory of Services Available to Senior Citizens" has

been painstakingly researched for accuracy, is cross-indexed for completeness and provides the answers to questions on Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid, Supplemental Security Income, food stamps, insurance and drug plans, veterans pensions, property tax reductions, discounts, recreation, senior citizen clubs and centers, travel, transportation, education, volunteer services, employment, home health care, emergency procedures, nursing and therapy services, sickroom equipment, hospitals, clinics, mental health counseling, nutrition, legal services, consumer information, tenant-landlord problems, pre-retirement workshops, etc. Over 50,000 copies of the first edition of the Directory were distributed to individuals, as well as to public and private agencies, libraries and professionals throughout the country.

The "Directory of Services Available to Senior Citizens" may be obtained free of charge upon written request to the Nassau County Department of Senior Citizen Affairs, One Old Country Road, Carle Place, N.Y. 11514. Those wishing multiple copies are asked to order in advance and to pick them up at the above address.

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WELL-DESERVED: Fellow Hibernians congratulate Patrick W. Dowling, guest of honor (center), during a pause in the festivities at the 18th Annual Testimonial Dinner-Dance hosted by the Commodore John Barry Division Eleven, Ancient Order of Hibernians, last Saturday evening, at the Joseph Barry Council, Knights of Columbus, Heitz Place, in Hicksville. Sharing the happy occasion with Pat are, from left to right: John Steele, Financial Secretary and Chairman of the J. Vincent Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund; John W. Duffy, National Secretary of this distinguished Order; Noel Kingston, popular orchestra leader for the occasion and John Campbell, Financial Secretary of the Nassau County Board. The evening was one of the most entertaining and joyous occasions in the long history of the Division of the "Green Berets" of Hicksville.

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## Athletic Events

During this past Fall Season, the Hicksville Athletic program under the direction of Richard Hogan had a very exciting season with some highly successful teams and an enthusiastic participation of approximately 600 youngsters.

Some of the major team accomplishments were as follows:

Varsity Soccer, Divisional Champs, Jr. Var. Soccer, Won 10 - Lost 4; 9th Gr. Soccer, Won 11 - Lost 1; 7th and 8th Gr. Soccer, Won 10 - Lost 0. Football Varsity, Won 6 - Lost 1 - Tied 1, 2nd Place, Jr. Var., Won 7 - Lost 1; Jr. High (White), Won 4 - Lost 2; Jr. High (Blue), Won 2 - Lost 4.

Cross-Country: Varsity, Won 6 - Lost 1, 2nd Place; Jr. High, Won 6 - Lost 1.

Tennis, Varsity (Boys), Won 6 - Lost 4, Conference Champs.

Also highlighted this fall season were many individual performances and awards which were won by several of the Hicksville athletes in various sports:

Football: John Bergen, All County and All new Team, Robert McAuley, Kevin Miller, Paul Kelly, and Michael Palahnauk, All Division.

Soccer: George Fitzgibbons, All North Shore, John Shannon and Michael Garger, All Division.

Cross Country: Pat Quinn, All County, rated as one of the Top Seven Runners in Nassau County, Goussios, All North Shore, Bob Corrado, All Division.

Tennis: Lee McGunnigle, William Schwartz, and Alex Jordan, All Division.

The girls athletic program, while not as successful in winning

percentages, did experience excellent participation and enthusiasm on the part of those students involved.

Girls Badminton: Erin Baldwin and Maria Hartnett, Selected to League III Tournament Team.

Girls Track: Eileen Thomas, Pamela Kaufman, Eileen Rogers and Patricia Rogers, Qualified for County Meet.

## Boating Courses

Flotilla 13-8, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary will conduct the following courses at Seaford High School, Seaman's Neck Road, Seaford, N.Y., starting January 18, at 8:00 P.M.

1 12 lesson Boating Safety and Seamanship

2 4 lesson N.Y. State Young Boatman (Ages 10-16)

Registration dates for these courses are January 10, 11 and 12

### Awarded Degree

Barry S. Newman of Cambridge Dr., HICKSVILLE, was awarded a B.S. degree in

Psychology from the University of Michigan during its recent commencement exercises.



SEASONS'S GREETINGS FROM WILLET AVENUE SCHOOL: The children and staff of the Willet Avenue School wish their friends of all faiths a most Joyous Holiday Season. The School windows have been painted by the 6th Graders, under the direction of Willet's part time Art Teacher, Mrs. Marie Schneider. 1976 is the thirteenth year in succession that Willet Avenue children have chosen this means of wishing good cheer to all.

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## Local Artist To Exhibit

Adeline H. Lamb of Hicksville will exhibit her realistic and semi-impressionistic paintings at the Lincoln Savings Bank on South Oyster Bay and Woodbury Roads for one month beginning January 10.

The artist works within the oil, watercolor and tissue collage media and her subjects are varied including snowscapes, landscapes, cityscapes, ships, animals and children.

Her works have appeared in many exhibits throughout the country including art galleries and museums. She has received awards from the Gregory Museum and Woodall-Williams Art Shows. Various collections, including Shell Oil Company and R.C.A. display her

### La Leche League

The Plainview Group of La Leche League for Nursing Mothers will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Richard Otto, 44 Stephen Drive, Plainview. Her telephone is 433-8761.

The Discussion Leader is Mrs. J. Strober.

Ms. Lamb is a member of the Cultural and Performing Arts and the Long Island Art Society. She is also Exhibit Chairperson for the Long Island Independent Art Society.

Her exhibit at the Lincoln will be open to the public daily during normal banking hours.

## Construction Near \$2 Million

Oyster Bay Town Councilman Gregory W. Carman announced that the value of construction permits issued by the Town's Building Division during the month of November approached \$2 million.

Among the permits let in November were 9 for new one-family dwellings value at \$419,108; 7 for commercial construction valued at \$390,560; 64 for residential alterations and additions valued at \$446,955.

In addition, 22 permits for other than residential alterations and additions were issued valued at \$95,273 and one industrial permit valued at \$130,420.

## Snow Time Is Here

As the snow season approaches, Nassau residents were advised by Public Works Commissioner H. John Plock Jr. to keep two telephone numbers handy.

"IV 5-422 is the number to call to find out if an official snow emergency has been declared", Plock said. "IV 3-6208 is for reporting the location of a major snow accumulation, dangerous icing, downed trees or other dangerous highway conditions."

Plock reminded motorists that during official snow emergencies parking on roads marked with red-and-white snow emergency signs is prohibited and violators' cars may be towed away at the owners' expense.

"The purpose of the parking restrictions is to allow our snow removal equipment to plow without encountering obstructions", he said.

Councilman Carman, Chairman of the Town Board's Standing Committee on Commerce and Industry, said that the total dollar value of all permits issued for the month of November was \$1,960,942.



The Dutch Lane Student Council, made up of elected representatives and alternates from Grades 4, 5, and 6, meets on a regular basis during the Recreation period of the lunch hour, to discuss and recommend school enhancement. Suggestions are gathered from Suggestion Boxes in each classroom. Robert Whearty, principal, serves as consultant to the body. Council advisor is Mrs. Sara Corash.

Dutch Lane Student Council Members for 1976-77:  
 Front Row: Robin Orientale, Lisa Sutherland, Martin Schnieder, Lori Ann Giovinco, Debbie Leitgeb  
 Second Row: Andy Goldstein, Beth Rudin, Melissa Donato, Mark Maduras, James Haupt  
 Third Row: Steven Caccioppo, John Rubins, Christine Freyisen, Kenneth Hettner, Stacey Genzale, Alicia Novotny  
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# Fire Report

By Ex-Capt. Owen Magee

### Holidays and Fires

It seems that destructive fires and the holiday season are as American as Mom and apple pie. As the holidays approach we read in the daily papers about another fire that destroyed a house, and in all too many cases a life. The we go on the read other news with the feeling it can't happen here, but it can and it does.

On December 15, Hicksville firemen responded to a house fire at 20 Rondald Ave. the 8:42 alarm produced heavy smoke as firemen fought their way up the attic stairs. The fire damage was confined to the attic but the rest

of the house suffered smoke and water damage. Two pet dogs were rescued by vamps. One survived. They said it couldn't happen but it did. This house was more than a house - it was a home, which now can't be used for the upcoming holidays.

In many cases fires can be prevented. We urge all residents to double the guard against fire this holiday season. We hope you will take time to follow some safety tips.

- o Be extra careful with matches and smoking.
- o Don't overload electrical circuits with Christmas lighting.

o Don't block exits or stairways with Christmas trees.

o Don't leave children home alone. Fires take a tragic toll in lives.

o Before retiring each night make an extra check to be sure all is safe. Don't empty ash trays into garbage. Store ashes and butts in a can or pot and dispose of them the next day. A hot butt can cause a fire to flare up after you retire.

o If you have a live tree keep it watered.

o If you have a metal tree, do not use electrical lights on it. A bare wire could spell tragedy.

o Buy and install a smoke detector. No matter how careful you are a fire could start through no fault of your own.

The folks at No. 80 Bobwhite La., Hicksville bought one and

they are glad they did. A fire developed in their oil burner and the detector rang out and the fire was discovered by the occupants before it could spread. These units are lifesavers. Please - have yourself a very merry Christmas from all of us to all of you - protect yourself and your loved ones - buy a smoke detector.

### Fire Report

During the period December 7 thru December 20, Hicksville Firemen responded to 44 alarms. There were 18 rescue calls, 19 fire calls and 7 false alarms. The M.F.A.'s came from boxes at Division and 10th St., Fork La., and Meeting La., No. 23 Kramer St. Fox Pl. and Elwood Ave., Sr. High School, 2 from Holy H.S.

In other news fire chiefs Roy Schaaf, William Ferber, James Huttie, John Keyer were elected

by members for a 2nd term of office, to start January 1st 1977. Members of Ladder Co. No. 1 and Engine Co. No. 7 went to Hempstead on Sunday, Dec. 19 to visit ex-chief Henry Gebhardt 86, Hicksville's oldest active fireman. Gebby, as he is known to his friends, is recovering from the affects of a long illness. Gebby was presented gifts by the members.

## Puppet Show

A Sesame Street Puppet Show, "Ernie's Gloworm" will be presented on Wednesday, December 29, at 1:00 and 2:30 p.m. in the Social Hall of the United Methodist Church on Old Country Road at Nelson Avenue, Hicksville.

The Puppet Show, performed by the Trio Puppeteers, is sponsored by the Hicksville Cooperative Nursery School, and is appropriate for 3 to 6 year old children. Tickets are \$1.00 per child. No charge for one accompanying adult.

For ticket information call V. Berde - 935-6322.

## Decorate Station

Again this year, the Camp Fire Girls have decorated the Hicksville Railroad Station.

The decorations were made by the girls and the groups went to the railroad station on Sat. Dec. 12, and transformed the station into a beautiful holiday scene.

## Regents Scholarships

The following names of HHS students were inadvertently omitted from the list of those who made the alternate list receiving Regents Scholarships:

- Richard D. Mackin, Eugene E. Matthews, Erin Mary McConnell, John M. McIlwee, Peter F. Monahan, Michael F. Mullen, James V. O'Keefe, Robert J. Pannell, James F. Powers, John E. Quinn, Marianne E. Reidy, Karyn A. Ritegno, Catherine M. Urbach, Lisa M. Wackerman, Kathleen L. Walsh, Laurie E. Weiss; C.D. Wolin.

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Reverend William Karvelis, Assistant Pastor, St. Ignatius Church, H.A.D. thanks him and the other St. Ignatius priests for their help in making the sale of its coloring books as successful as it turned out.

H.A.D. also recognizes those individuals who aided in the sale of coloring books at St. Ignatius last weekend. Their dedication was especially inspirational considering the fact that the weather was very nasty, cold, and wet. The following H.A.D. board members were in attendance at this successful fund-raising endeavor: Mrs. Jean Gould, Mr. John Budnick, Mr. Jan Mendelsohn, Mrs. Kay Goodman, Father Hugh Cannon, and Mr. Ken Rudin. Other volunteers present and aiding in this project were: Mrs. Peggy Sicari, Mrs. Anne C. Maniec, Mr. Steve Weinblatt, Miss Terry Klein, Mr. John Green, Mr. Alan Goodman and Mr. John Maniec. To all of these board members and volunteers, the H.A.D. organization is deeply and sincerely grateful.

Help-Aid-Direction is also fortunate to have the active support and assistance of another board member, Miss Runhild Wessell. Miss Wessell is a highly respected Hicksvillian who recently retired after teaching in the Hicksville High School for many years. She has been an enormous asset to the H.A.D. organization. Through her efforts, many giant coloring books were sold on H.A.D.'s behalf at Ginger's Hair Stylists, 183 Broadway, Hicksville.

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