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43 YEARS OF TEACHING: January 31st was a "Red Letter Day" at East Street School. It marked the end of 43 years of teaching for Eleanor Miller. Miss Miller was feted by her class.

"We in the school family are grateful to Miss Miller for her loyalty and dedication to the children, parents and community. All our best to her in the many years ahead," said a spokesperson for the School.

Meetings At School

The Hicksville Board of Education will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday, February 15, at 8:15 p.m., in the Board Room of the Administration Building, Division Avenue, Hicksville. The public is invited to attend.

The EDUCATION GOALS AND OB-

JECTIVES COMMITTEE of the Hicksville Board of Education will meet to complete their report on Guidance in the Secondary Schools on Tuesday, February 14, at 8 P.M., in the Board Room of the Administration Building, Division Avenue, Hicksville.

The public is invited to join this committee.

Woodland PTA

To Honor Betty Wascher

At the annual PTA Founder's Day Dinner to be held on February 17th at the Woodbury Country Club, Mrs. Robert Wascher will be the Honored Guest from the Woodland Avenue School.

Mrs. Wascher began in PTA back in 1958 when her daughter started school. Among her PTA jobs were working on the telephone committee, various book fairs, volleyball games, class picture committees and winter fairs. In 1972 She was elected as Treasurer and served for two years. From 1974-75

Mrs. Wascher was President of her unit. In addition to her endless hours of PTA involvement, Mrs. Wascher found the time to be a Cub Scout den mother and a Brownie leader.

Mrs. Wascher and her husband, Bob, have three children: Susan, 24, recently married; Bobby, 22, a college student; and Richard, 13, student at Hicksville Junior High.

Woodland is pleased to honor Betty Wascher for her years of dedicated service to its children!

Community Council Hears Montana Jr. On Real Estate

By Carole Wolf

Part One of a Two-Part Series
February was Real Estate Month at the Hicksville Community Council. On February 2nd, the Council presented Charlie Montana, Jr. who discussed residential Real Estate in Hicksville and Charlie Kuegler and John Lugh, representatives of the U.S. Postal Authority, Hicksville Branch.

Mr. Montana began the meeting with the thought that residential real estate represents a retirement and principle investment to the homeowners of Hicksville. The market for residential real estate has been changing for the last 5 years and presently is active again. There used to be a time of VA mortgages and low prices, but not any more.

How do residents overprice their house on the current market? Pricing is not an exact science, but only an educated opinion. There are objective and subjective views about a house. The seller looks at a house as the place that they have lived in, had their families grow up in and have made improvements to. The price is usually set with the idea of what the seller wants to do with the money.

In many instances, people will fix their house with so many improvements that they can't recoup all the cost. A third bathroom or a second dormer gives more room to the seller but will not improve the buyers market. If you have spent \$3,000 on aluminum siding, you have not increased the price of the house by \$3,000.

If you want to sell your house, cosmetically make the house as clean and neat as possible. Young couples would like the challenge of an unfinished attic or room to expand, and they want to keep the price as low as possible.

The mortgages that are available are not GI. The banks are demanding 20% to 30% down with a monthly payment of \$240 to \$250 plus taxes. The going interest rate is 8 1/2%. It is difficult to qualify for a mortgage, for it is hoped that the buyer would have

in excess of \$10,000 cash and combined income of \$25,000.

Most of the homes in Hicksville are approaching the 30 year mark. When the homes reach the 40 to 50 year age, the bank takes a harder look at the electrical service and copper plumbing. Older houses, also, tend to be near the main road. The VA has already turned down the financing of a house because the bathroom opens into the kitchen.

Discussion then turned to 100% evaluation. With the change in assessment, it might slow down the sales of homes. The legislature is trying to rectify the situation with a homestead act. Many times a community give an incentive to business to move into the community, but Hicksville doesn't and it makes Hicksville a better place to live in. But one thing to remember about assessment - it will take 6 to 7 years to complete full evaluation.

Comparing Hicksville to the areas surrounding us, we are better off - we have lower taxes, a good, stable school district and a lot of commercial property.

In discussing the price range of homes, Mr. Montana mentioned that price range is usually according to section and comparable sales is the whole key. In Hicksville, the rate of increase of the cost of homes is not as great, but is still going up. There is not enough listing for demand, but qualified buyers are the problem.

If you need a written appraisal of a home, the cost is generally within the \$75 to \$150 range. Oral appraisals can be given gratis with the understanding that when you sell, the house will be listed with that particular real estate.

Should you pay off your old mortgage? The banks would love it, for money is very tight on refinancing. But when you realize that you are paying with old interest rates and cheap money, you would see that it is not so good of an idea.

A house that was built 25 to 30 years ago will outlast a house built 5 years ago. This is an item that is important to a husband but not with the wife. The materials used in construction are different

than the materials used many years ago.

The pressure comes in when you are selling a house and using the money to buy another. There are delays and postponements but with patience and confidence, they will all work out. Sometimes, there may be a chain of 10 houses, with each owner selling one and buying another. Real Estates do not buy homes any more.

Buyers are looking for: 2 baths, laundry area on the main floor, a fireplace, family room, attached garage, an over-all neat appearance, and a house at the lower end of the tax bracket. The buyer thinks that corner property is out of fashion, and they would rather have a back yard. A finished basement adds to the salability but not to the price, and recently, more emphasis is being placed on a dining room.

When we are looking at the average selling price, more houses are selling from the mid to upper 40's. The average selling price raises the prices of the houses at the lower end of the range and decreases the prices of the upper range. Broker's fees come off the selling price.

One important expense is the discount points of the GI & FHA mortgage that the seller would have to pay. It is still being done, but there are not many government buyers in Hicksville. In order to qualify for a \$43,000 mortgage, you must prove that you can support monthly payments, dependents and utilities.

Landscaping adds to the appeal and may add to the price, but the more elaborate, the less return. People want nice shrubs, sidewalk and driveway. Buyers may love a pool, but might not like the price. If you have a parcel of land next to your house, a developer might pay top dollar for it. The buyer would want it, but can't afford it. And Charlie Montana concluded by saying that with the advent of sewers, it might stop the question. "What is a cesspool?"

Next week: The Post Office and Real Estate

Rotary Art Auction

The Rotary Club of Hicksville is sponsoring an Art Auction to be held on Saturday, February 25th at the Camrose Art Warehouse, 150 Dupont Street, Plainview. The doors will open at 8:00 PM. Refreshments will be served throughout the evening and door prizes

will be awarded to holders of winning raffle tickets. Admission is free, but raffle tickets, if desired, may be purchased at the door. Raffle tickets will also be good for credit towards purchases made that night.

The proceeds will go

exclusively to charities, needy families, underprivileged children and the elderly in the Hicksville/Jericho communities. You are cordially invited to participate in an evening of fun and excitement and perhaps even win a free trip to London England!

DAR Honors Area Students

The Oyster Bay Chapter D.A.R. will hold its 23rd Annual Candlelight Tea on February 13th at Raynham Hall at 8:30 PM. Seniors from four area high schools will be honored as the GOOD CITIZEN of 1978 representing their respec-

tive schools. Mrs. Mainard Chittenden, chairlady of the committee has announced the names of the winners to be honored: Aileen A. Colvin, Oyster Bay High School; Paul Notaras, Syosset High School; Philip Lamoureux,

Hicksville High School
Timothy Ressmeyer,
L.I. Lutheran High School.

These four students were selected, judged and tested by their school faculties, and their qualifications were submitted to the DAR chairlady.

News From The Gregory Museum

During the month of February the Gregory Museum's historical room is featuring a special exhibit honoring the Boy Scouts of America on their Sixty-eighth Birthday. Scout troops and cub packs and their leaders should enjoy viewing the fine collection of scouting objects and American

Indian crafts and lore comprising the museum's Irving Southworth Collection.

Scout leaders may call the Museum for tour reservations at 822-7505, weekdays from 9-5 and Sunday from 1-5. The Gregory Museum is located at Heitz Place, Hicksville in the Old Heitz

Place Courthouse, a building distinguished enough to be listed in the registry of America's National Historic Places.

The museum's major exhibits are related to the earth sciences and comprise an outstanding collection of rock and mineral specimens, fossils, and a large array of butterfly and moths.

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LEGAL NOTICE 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, Nassau County, New York, on the 28th day of February, 1978, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to consider amending Local Law No. 2 of the Year 1976, "A Local Law Relating to Purchasing Procedures" so as to authorize the Commissioner of General Services or his designee to have all the powers and perform all the duties necessary to direct and supervise the operations of the Purchasing Division of the Department of General Services under Section

LEGAL NOTICE
 20 "Purchasing Division"
 All persons interested shall have an opportunity to be heard upon the said proposed local law amendment at the time and place aforesaid.

The existing local law 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
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 Ann R. Ocker
 Town Clerk

Joseph Colby
 Supervisor
 Dated: January 31, 1978
 Oyster Bay, New York
 D-4158-2 9-Mid.

LEGAL NOTICE
 SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NASSAU, THE NEW YORK BANK FOR SAVINGS Plaintiff, against ALFRED M. CIRILLO and MARJORIE L. CIRILLO, if living and if they be dead, their respective executors, administrators, heirs at law, next of kin, distributees, legatees, devisees, assignees, judgment-creditors, receivers, trustees, committees, lienors and successors in interest and their husbands, wives, or widows, executors, administrators, heirs at law, next of kin, distributees, legatees, devisees, grantees, assignees, judgment-creditors, receivers, trustees in bankruptcy, trustees, committees, lienors and successors in interest, if any, and all persons claiming by, through or under any of them, if any, all of whom and whose names are unknown to plaintiff, and GREGORY CIRILLO, MICHAEL CIRILLO, MARJORIE LIBRIZZI, a k a MARGARET LIBRIZZI, the latter three defendants believed to be heirs of ALFRED M. CIRILLO and MARJORIE L. CIRILLO, THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE OR NASSAU COUNTY OF NASSAU PUBLIC WELFARE DISTRICT, Defendants. Plaintiff designates Nassau County as the place of trial.

SUMMONS
 TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action, or to serve a notice of appearance if the complaint is not served with this summons within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of

service, or within thirty (30) days after service is complete if this summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint. The basis of the venue designated is the location of property within County. Dated: Wantagh, New York September 27, 1977 A.

EDWARD MAJOR Attorney for Plaintiff Office and P.O. Address 3366 Park Avenue Wantagh, New York 11793 516-221-6066

NOTICE - To ALFRED M. CIRILLO and MARJORIE L. CIRILLO, etc. et al, Defendants. The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to the order of Hon. Bernard Tomson, a Justice of the Supreme Court, State of New York, dated January 3, 1978, and filed with the supporting papers in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau, Mineola, New York. The

LEGAL NOTICE
 object of this action is that the defendants be excluded from vested or contingent interest in or lien upon the specific real property at Hicksville, Town of Hempstead, County of Nassau, State of New York known and designated as Lot No. 4 in Block Number 192 on a certain map entitled, "Sections 'Q' and 'R'", Subdivision Map of Property known as Levittown owned by Bethpage Realty Corp. located at Hicksville, Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, May 1948 survey and map by C.A. Monroe, P.E. and L.S. 9357" and filed in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau on June 24, 1948 as and by Map Number 4555 situate on the easterly side of Flint Lane 200.19 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Sturup Lane and the easterly side of Flint Lane being approximately 60' x 100' A. EDWARD MAJOR, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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LEGAL NOTICE
 SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
 COUNTY OF NASSAU

In the Matter of
 the Town of Oyster Bay acquiring the fee title to certain parcels of real property for Highway purposes at:
 HICKSVILLE
 in the vicinity of MILLER PLACE, in the Unincorporated Area of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, duly selected by the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay for Highway purposes, according to law.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE APPLICATION TO CONDEMN.
 Index No. 20233-1977

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER OF THIS COURT TO DETERMINE COMPENSATION TO BE MADE TO THE OWNERS OF THE REAL PROPERTY TO WHICH THE FEE TITLES ARE TO BE ACQUIRED AND TO THE VESTING OF TITLE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention to apply to the Supreme Court, Nassau County, at a Special Term for Condemnation Proceedings at the Nassau County Supreme Court Building, Mineola, New York, on the 8th day of February, 1978, at 10:00 a.m. for an order to condemn real property to be acquired for the Widening of Miller Place, Located at Hicksville, Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York" dated August, 1977 and as partially revised November, 1977.

The compensation to be made to the persons interested will be determined by the Court without a jury.

The map was prepared by order of the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay after a public hearing and filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Nassau County on January 6, 1978.

That the Town of Oyster Bay shall become vested with the titles sought to be acquired in this proceeding upon the entry of the Order in the Office of the County Clerk of Nassau County granting the application to condemn.

The proceeding affects the parcels on the map designated as follows:

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Name of Reputed Owner	Section	Block	Lot
Frank J. Parker and Dorothy E. Parker	12	321	17
Marguerite L. Montana	12	305	35
Mary Manelski	12	170	49

Dated: January 10, 1978
 Oyster Bay, New York

JOHN F. BOGUT
 Town Attorney for the Town of Oyster Bay
 Office & Post Office Address:
 Town Hall, Audrey Avenue
 Oyster Bay, New York 11721

Au Revoir To Anne and Gardiner Gregory

By Richard Evers

Hicksville is about to lose two of its most active and well known community leaders. Anne and Gardiner Gregory are retiring shortly to Maine's Castine Peninsula, his boyhood home.

The civic-minded couple will leave a niche most difficult to fill. Fortunately, a monument to their many years of constant leadership and service to Hicksville will remain, a legacy of which they may be proud. The Gregory Museum, or Long Island Earth Science Center, will stand as a lasting testimonial to their zeal for public service and their love of nature and beauty.

It is difficult to capture in words the impact of this remarkable husband and wife team upon Hicksville in the fifteen years they have spent their prodigious energies among us. Many years of association with Gardiner and Anne on numerous educational, local history, Bicentennial and museum projects perhaps qualifies this writer to react publicly to this ungracious gentleman and his gracious, devoted wife.

Kenneth Barnes, Hicksville Library Director, who has observed and, no doubt, evaluated many contemporary Hicksvillians and the deceased notables of the last twenty years, has called Gardiner Gregory a Renaissance Man. This is a distinguished tribute and an astute observation by Mr. Barnes. For Gardiner Gregory does embody much that was typical of the Renaissance Man: audacity,

an individualistic spirit, an unconventional outlook and a gift for craftsmanship and myriad expression of personality.

In his work as a Hicksville educator and museum director, Mr. Gregory's considerable talents had splendid outlet - to Hicksville's gain. He has been a naturalist and geologist of knowledge and perception, a writer of scientific articles, a craftsman with gems and a master photographer, a gifted teacher and talented administrator and a patriot and civic-minded leader.

Aiding Gardiner Gregory in all his endeavors has been his loving, talented and unstinting spouse, Anne. To Gardiner's vision and industry in establishing a rock, mineral and butterfly museum to meet an expressed educational need of Hicksville's children and teachers, in their home at 207 Cottage Boulevard, in 1963, Anne gave generous enthusiasm and self-sacrifice. In the great adventure undertaken by the Gregory's in 1970, of moving their, by then, overtaxed domestic museum to larger quarters in the Old Heitz Place Courthouse, Anne helped beyond measure in mobilizing the Hicksville community's resources for the undertaking.

Hundreds of people - patrons and volunteers, trustees and journalists - have felt the warmth and charm of Anne Gregory's personality. A gem of gems among the rare and lovely attractions of the museum, she has made possible so many of the

audacious museum plans and avocational interests of her husband.

As a team, the Gregorays have enriched Long Island with their Earth Science Museum - so relevant in an age of ecology and reawakened conservation concern - but in the larger sense, they leave Hicksville and Oyster Bay an experience and a memory of community cooperation all too rare. Their vision and presence has been brief in the lifetime of a village, but how very many are those - prominent or humble in community life - who have been touched by the inspirational company of Anne and Gardiner Gregory.

Marino Nixes Auto Inspection

One of the first orders of business for the Legislature, according to State Senator Ralph J. Marino, is to junk a state requirement that automobiles must be physically inspected before an insurance company insures the vehicle for damages. The requirement is part of a new auto insurance reform law that took effect December 1.

Marino, who voted against the law in the Legislature last year, is sponsoring bill to strike the inspection process. "There must be some reasonable means to guard against insurance fraud without putting all the state's motorists through an onerous process that requires all new cars to be inspected within two days of purchase.

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Dear Friends:

We'd like to say a sincere word of praise for the local residents, both paid and volunteers, who have been working around the clock against great odds, in the storms we have all had to endure. The local radio reports are full of deeds of great help and kindness to those in emergency need and distress. Our volunteer firemen, our paid police and sanitation departments and many unknown volunteers have helped immeasurably. Thank you is hardly adequate.

SHEILA NOETH

A Message From Supervisor Colby

Last week I hosted a meeting of Supervisors and their representatives from Nassau County's Towns and those of western Suffolk to discuss our mutually shared problem of solid waste management, and to explore the feasibility of adopting a unified regional approach as a means of providing a solution.

Two of the more important achievements of this meeting were the opening of a direct line of communication between the Towns and the agreement of Town officials that a continuing dialogue would benefit all concerned. The Towns of Oyster Bay, North Hempstead and Smithtown have agreed to participate in future meetings designed to cooperatively examine the solid waste management issue, and the Town of Brookhaven as well as other municipalities may be joining us.

As each of us shared our experiences and thoughts last week, it was clear that landfills are certainly not the ultimate answer to

Long Island's waste disposal problem, and that effective management of waste through resource recovery was an avenue that each of us had been exploring.

The most beneficial means to implement resource recovery, from a cost-effectiveness standpoint, is clearly a regional approach whereby a number of Towns would participate in either privately or publicly financed construction of a facility designed to meet their needs.

The many options that remain open to Long Island Towns will be the focus of our future meetings and, hopefully, a regional approach can evolve from this dialogue. The Town of Oyster Bay is, meanwhile, proceeding toward development of a resource recovery system request for proposals, that will ask prospective contractors to address themselves to the possibilities of a regional approach to the solid waste management needs of Long Island Towns.

Dance Marathon

In conjunction with Adelphi University Dance Marathon for Leukemia on March 3 through 5th, Students Against Leukemia, a group of students from various Long Island high schools, is sponsoring a Dance-a-thon for the Leukemia Society of America on February 24, 1978 from 12 noon until 12 midnight at the

Knights of Columbus, Marcus Avenue, New Hyde Park.

Dancers must be age 16 to 18. If you love to dance and want to help in the fight against this leading disease killer of children, call the Leukemia Society of America, Inc. at (516) 938-3900.

Examinations Set For Postal Clerk-Carrier

Manager / Postmaster Anthony M. Murello of the Hicksville sectional center of the The United States Postal Service has announced an examination for future clerk-carrier positions.

Applications will be issued and accepted from Monday, February 17, 1978 at the local Post Office.

Applications will not be

mailed: They must be obtained in person and returned to post offices between the dates mentioned above. The general age requirement is 18 years for high school graduates. No experience is required. All applicants will be required to take a written examination designed to test aptitude for learning and performing the duties of the positions. A physical examination will be required before appointment. All applicants must be citizens of or owe allegiance to the United States of America or have been accorded permanent resident Alien Status in the United States. Registers

will be established in order of rating on the written test and will be used to fill future vacant positions. Most Current Clerk-Carrier registers will expire, therefore eligibles on those registers are encouraged to apply for the new test. Starting pay is \$6.17 per hour, plus cost of living adjustment and it is anticipated that approximately 150 positions will be filled from the new register over the next 2 years.

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, Religion, color, national origin, Sex, Political Affiliation, or any other non-merit factor.

TOB Obtains Favorable Rate on Long-Term Bond

The sale of just under \$6 million of long-term serial bonds at a net interest rate of 5.745 percent was announced by Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Joseph Colby.

"This is considered to be a very favorable rate in today's market as it matches the present bond index," Colby said. He noted that the Town would usually accept as much as 10 points above the bond index as a favorable bid.

"This is also the first time in three years that the Town did not insure the principal and interest payments on the bonds, and we

still maintained our A-1 credit rating by Moody's Investors Service," Colby added. "I attribute our position in the bond market to the sound fiscal management we have practiced."

The bond sale award, composed of a consolidation of 11 capital improvement projects totalling \$5,980,000 was made to a consortium headed by the National Bank of North America. Details of the sale were handled by Fiscal Advisors, Inc. of Hicksville.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned, Conservator, of the property of Lydia Hutcheson, a Conservatee, is offering for sale the interest of the Conservatee in certain premises situate at 63 Brittle Lane, Hicksville, New York, which premises consist of a parcel of real property, approximately 60' x 125' with a single-family, residential house thereon, and which premises are more fully described on the Land and Tax Map of Nassau County as Section 45, Block 279, Lot 5.

James McAllister,
Conservator
67 Brittle Lane
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that Sealed Proposals for the purchase of Two (2) 1978 Ford Pickups with trade in of Two (2) 1969 Ford Pickups by the HICKSVILLE WATER DISTRICT will be received and considered by the Board of Commissioners of the HICKSVILLE WATER DISTRICT at the office of the Board at 4 Dean Street, Hicksville, New York, at 8:00 P.M. on Tuesday, February 14, 1978, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

Each proposal submitted must be accompanied by a Certified Check or bid bond, payable to the HICKSVILLE WATER DISTRICT, in a sum equivalent to five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid.

Specifications, information to Bidders and Proposal Forms may be obtained at the Office of the District.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive any informalities, and to accept such bid as, in its opinion, is in the best interest of the HICKSVILLE WATER DISTRICT.

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Speed Skating Contest

A speed skating contest for boys and girls ages 6 through 16 will be held Sunday, February 19 at the Cantiague Park Ice Rink beginning at 11:15 a.m.

Sponsored by the Nassau County Department of Recreation and Parks the competition will be set up on a regulation speed skating course. There will be separate age groupings for boys and girls in the following age categories: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, and 14-15.

All applicants must

To Compile Art Directory

In order to facilitate better communication between arts groups, the Town of Oyster Bay Council on the Arts is compiling a Cultural Resources Directory.

Town Councilman Salvatore R. Mosca announced that applications are now available to groups and individuals who wish to be included in the directory. Forms, and further information, may be obtained by contacting the Cultural and Performing Arts (CAPA) Division at 922-5800 ext. 250. They must be returned no later than Monday, February 27, 1978 to: Town of Oyster Bay Council on the Arts, Town Hall, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, New York 11771, attention: Cultural Resources Directory.

"This directory is being compiled with the goal of providing a comprehensive summary of the many and varied arts organizations and individual artists that contribute so much to the cultural quality of life in Oyster Bay," Mosca commented.

To Fight Leukemia

Kevin McCarthy, Celebrity Chairman of The Leukemia Society's 1978 Radiothon, announced that more than 40 key figures in the sports, entertainment and political arenas have joined his effort on the Celebrity Committee to Fight Leukemia.

The Radiothon will be held February 25th and February 26th at The New York Sheraton Hotel and broadcast live for 21 straight hours over WOR-AM Radio.

Among the celebrities participating are E.G. Marshall, Jack O'Brian, George Plimpton, Kitty Carlisle Hart, Lauren Bacall, Kurt Vonnegut, Jill Krementz, Hume Cronyn, Jessica Tandy, Peter Duchin, Jack Gilford, Liz Smith, Joe Papp, Harold Prince, John V. Lindsay, Mary Lindsay, Arthur Schlesinger, Mario Cuomo and the list goes on.

The Committee has formed to insure the success of The Sixth Annual Radiothon which will raise funds on these two days across the nation to support the research needed to find a cure for this disease which has been called the "window" to the treatment and cure of other types of cancer.

Mr. McCarthy has invited the public to come to The New York Sheraton to watch the show on February 25th and 26th and to tune in to WOR, 710 on the dial, to make a pledge in support of this cause.

For further information, contact Jo Cassidy at the Long Island Chapter, 938-3900.

register at the rink by Saturday, February 18. A leisure pass will be required for contestants 10 years and older. For further information, call the ice rink at 935-3501. Cantiague Park is located on West John Street in Hicksville.

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Airman Misita is serving at Plattsburgh AFB, N.Y., as an administrative specialist.

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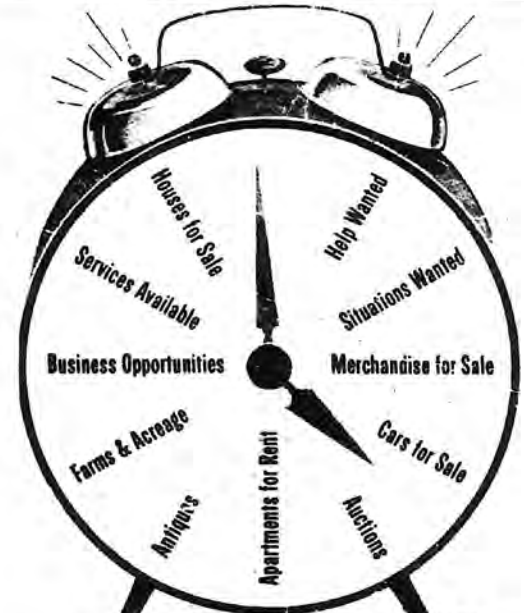
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PROPOSED SPECIAL USE PERMIT: Petition of MID ISLAND SHOPPING PLAZA CO for special permission to construct, maintain and operate an addition to a building known as "Nathan's" restaurant with a permitted occupancy of more than 200 persons and to operate and maintain additional dining facilities and a family amusement center, therein consisting of mechanical and electrical devices and games activated by the insertion of coins located within the "Mid Island Shoppin Plaza" described as follows:

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The above mentioned petition and map which accompanies it are on file and may be viewed daily (except Saturday, Sunday or Holidays) between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4:45 p.m., prevailing time, at the office of the Town Clerk.

Any person interested in the subject matter of the said hearing will be given an opportunity to be heard with reference thereto at the time and place above designated.

BY ORDER OF

Rectial

The training Orchestra and the Hicksville Library announce the recital of Janet Alcorn, Soprano.

This performance will take place on Sunday, February 12, in the recital room of the Hicksville library at 3:00 PM.

Ms. Alcorn, a former resident of Port Washington, is well known to New York audiences for performances with the New York City Opera and the Metropolitan Opera Studio. She has also won national and international acclaim for performances with the Dallas Opera, Philadelphia Lyric Opera, the Handel and Haydn Societies of Boston, the Cleveland Orchestra and the Frankfurt State Opera in Germany. This is a return engagement at the Hicksville Library for Ms. Alcorn.

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"Forgive Yourself, God Does" is the topic of the main speaker, Paul McArdle, counselor Connie McArdle, soprano, will be the soloist.

Make reservations or cancellations with Elizabeth Morgan 742-2568 or Mary Lou Palmison MA 6-3432.

GOING PLACES

(Continued from Page 7) with the Nassau County Veterans Memorial Coliseum and the New York Islanders. A hydraulic lift bus will leave the Special Activities Center in Eisenhower Park at 6:45 p.m. for the Coliseum.

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At preliminary meetings for the Parish Leadership Team Families for Prayer representative, Fr. John Gurley and Fr. James Brassil of Our Lady of

Mercy outlined the basic procedures of the program and the thrust of its message. The first week will be concerned with the family and its growth in love and understanding. The second week will consider prayer as an encounter with God, self and others. Following weeks will be devoted to family prayer as a response to Christ in the family, then the vocation and mission of the family in bringing Christ to the World, and finally, commitment to daily family prayer as a permanent objective.

This program is a parish wide project, and because of its spiritual character,

every member of the parish has been asked to cooperate fully. Homilies on the topic of family prayer will be preached on Sunday during the first five weeks of Lent. Two booklets on family prayer will be distributed to every family.

Families for Prayer is a worldwide organization whose headquarters are at Albany, N.Y. Founded by Fr. Patrick Peyton, C.S.C., famed inventor of the slogan, "The family that prays together stays together," the organization is conducting similar programs in parishes throughout the country.

DEVOTIONS

By The Rev. John H. Krahn

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GOD MADE ME, AND GOD DOESN'T MAKE ANY JUNK

There are times in every person's life when they suffer from feelings of inadequacy. Sometimes we even move from inadequacy to feelings of worthlessness. We are not attractive enough or intelligent enough or as lucky as others. Success as we dreamed of attaining it has not happened to us. As we get older, childhood dreams of being someone important begin to vanish. Entering our middle forties, we begin to realize that our current position in life will not increase substantially.

The trappings of success are also elusive. We work so hard to have the good things in life and often find ourselves with little time or energy to enjoy them. There is no way to extend the 168 hours each week. The husband works fifty or more hours a week, and the wife works so the kids can go to college, and in the process of trying to enhance the collective life of the family, less and less time is left to spend together

sharing one another's love and happiness. There is little wonder that we are so often "up tight" and feel junky.

But God's good Word is that He made us, and He doesn't make junk. In the Bible we read that we were created in the image of God. We were molded in the image of our Maker. Like God we can reason, we have a mind, a memory and a will. God even put us in charge of the animals and all His creation. And, as with the rest of His creation, God was pleased with His workmanship of man and said, "It is good." He made nothing more special or more beautiful than you. Made in the image of God, we have the ability to control much of our destiny.

We should not think of ourselves as less than God thought of us. Look at your hands. They're hands very similar to the hands Jesus had. And Jesus was no junky. There should be no more junky John or junky Mary or junky Kathy than junky Jesus. Jesus was a man, and like us in every way with the exception of sin. And that is the difference.

For you see sin is the chief purveyor of junk in our lives. It was Adam and Eve's sin of trying to be as God that tarnished the fullness of their image of God. It made them less than what God had wanted for them. Sin brought with it pain and death. It pushed them away from God.

Yes, God made each of us, and He doesn't make junk. We produce the junk in our lives when we let temptation get the best of us, when we try to attain unattainable goals and then labor under feelings of failure, when we get our priorities all mixed up, when we walk life's way apart from God.

Let's get it together before we live one more day of our precious lives in a manner less than God desires. We confess our sins before the Almighty. We welcome Jesus' entrance into our lives with all the power of the Holy Spirit. We pray, "Lord, lead me onto beautiful paths of meaningful life." And we boldly proclaim to ourselves and before the world, "God made me, and God doesn't make any junk."

News From Dutch Lane PTA

February 14.

Time -- 8:00 P.M.

Place -- All Purpose Room, Dutch Lane School, Stewart Ave. & Levittown Pky.

Fathers and Mothers are

cordially invited to an open discussion of questions and problems regarding the Sex Education of our children.

Come join us. Refreshments will be served.



Miss New York State Darlene Javits is pictured with her representative in the New York State Senate, Senator Owen H. Johnson (R-4, Suffolk / Nassau).

Senator Johnson sponsored a resolution in the Senate, congratulating Miss Javits on her achievement. Needless to say, it passed overwhelmingly.

Miss Javits lives in Plainview and is a pre-law student at Hofstra, the Senator's alma mater.

Date -- Tuesday,