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Calendar of Events

Friday, June 1
St. Paul's Annual Fair, Route 107, Brookville, admission free, 7 p.m. to 12 midnight; (also on June 2 from 11 a.m. to midnight and June 3 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.)
Film, "Survival," 8 p.m., The Church at Hicksville, 17 Herzog Pl., Hicksville, free.
Grandparents Day, Burns Ave. School, 9 a.m.
Charles Wagnier American Legion, 8:15 p.m., Nicholai St., Hicksville.

Saturday, June 2
Solo Group, 8 p.m., United Methodist Church, Old Country Rd., Hicksville.

Monday, June 4
Candidates Night, 8 p.m., Cafeteria A., Hicksville Senior H.S., sponsored by the Hicksville Council of PTAs.

Tuesday, June 5
Nassau County Auxiliary Police, Hicksville Unit, 8 p.m., 181 Old Country Rd., Hicksville.
Knights of Columbus, Jos. Barry Council, 8:30 p.m., 45 Heitz Pl., Hicksville.
AARP, 1 p.m., Parkway Community Church, Stewart Ave., Hicksville.
Manetto Lodge No. 1025, F & AM, 8 p.m., 18 W. Nicholai St.

Wednesday, June 6
Voter Registration for Hicksville School District Budget Vote, 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Hicksville Kiwanis Club, 1:15 p.m., Milleridge Inn.
Fork Lane PTA, last meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday, June 7
Edward Giannelli Democratic Club, 8:30 p.m., Levittown Hall.
Mid Island Seniors, 1-4 p.m., United Methodist Church, Hicksville.
Hicksville Community Council, Annual Dinner, 8 p.m., Antun's Old Country Road.
Hicksville Rotary Club, 12:15 p.m., Maine Maid, Jericho.
Catholic Daughters, Court Queen of Angels, 8 p.m., St. Ignatius.
Hicksville BPOE, 9 p.m., 80 E. Barclay St.
Knights of Pythias, 8:30 p.m., VFW, 320 So. Broadway, Hicksville.

Hebrew School Registration

Congregation Shaarei Zedek, located at New South Rd. and Old Country Rd., in Hicksville, is having Hebrew School Registration for new students on Sunday, June 3 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Excellent terms are available. For further information call 938-0422.



Shown above (R to L) is President Ed Johnson and Joe DePaola of the Hicksville Rotary Club performing their annual community service of raising and lowering of flags in downtown Hicksville for the Memorial Day holiday. (Photo by Marty McDonnell)

Candidates Forum, June 4th

The Hicksville Council of PTA Units will hold its annual Candidates' Forum this Monday evening, June 4th, at 8:00 p.m. in Cafeteria A of the Senior High School. All the declared candidates for School Board positions have been invited to address the audience and to answer questions submitted in writing from the floor.

Each candidate will be allowed to make a three minute presentation at which time they

may state their qualifications and reasons for running. After all presentations have been made, index cards will be given out for the questions. A screening committee from Council will then make sure that no questions of a personal nature have been submitted. The candidates will have one minute in which to answer each question. In closing, the candidates will make two minute summations.

PTA Council wishes to make

clear that this will be a forum and not a debate. There will be a moderator from either Nassau District PTA or the League of Women Voters. PTA cannot support any candidate for School Board, but urges all residents to become informed of school related affairs by reading all printed material available and by attending Board of Education meetings. PTA also urges all residents to vote in the June 13th school elections.

Voter Registration June 6

Registration for voters for the forth-coming school district budget vote and election of School Board candidates will be held on Wednesday, June 6 from 3 p.m. until 8 p.m. in the seven election districts.

They are ED 1, Burns Ave. School; ED 2, East St. School; ED 3, Woodland Ave. School; ED 4, Lee Ave. School; ED 5, Fork Lane School; ED 6, Dutch Lane School; and ED 7, Old Country Rd. School.

Vacancies to be filled on the Board of Education are a three year term ending June 30, 1982, presently held by Iris Wolfson; and a three-year term ending June 30, 1982, presently held by Thomas F. Nagle. Those running

for Iris Wolfson's seat are Virginia C. Germer, Joseph S. Weiler, Frank Willard and Albert Eckstein. Running unopposed for a three year term is incumbent

Thomas Nagle.

Voting for school board candidates and the proposed budget will be held on Wed., June 13 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

GOP Club Meeting

The Ernest F. Francke Republican Club of Hicksville will hold their regular monthly meeting at 8:30 P.M. on Friday evening, June 8.

The meeting will be held at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall - Wm M. Gouse Jr. Post No. 3211, located at 320 South Broadway in Hicksville. (The hall is situated south of the Firestone Store and north of the H.I.P. Building). Refreshments will be served.

Isabel Dodd, Commissioner of the Board of Elections, will speak on the functions of the Board of Elections.

At Burns Avenue

The students of Burns Avenue School will be honoring their Grandparents on Friday, June 1st. This will be the 13th Annual Grandparent's Day at Burns Avenue School. Entertainment and refreshments are planned to begin at 9:00 A.M. after which the Grandparents will have an opportunity to visit their grandchildren's classrooms. The students and children are anticipating a lovely Grandparent's Day and many guests.

At Fork Lane

Fork Lane PTA will hold its last program and meeting of the year on June 6, at 8 p.m. in the all-purpose room of the school.

Parents are invited to view the students' artwork on display in the hallway and front foyer.

Also part of the program is the installation of officers for 1979-80 and presentation of PTA awards. Refreshments will be served.

Parents Without Partners

Parents Without Partners, Nassau Chapter No. 14, will hold an Orientation Meeting for new and prospective members on Wednesday, June 6 at 8:00 PM at the Island Trees Library, Nassau Mall, 3601 Hempstead Turnpike, Levittown. All single parents are invited to attend free.

For further information, call 516-931-2682 or 516-441-5496.



During part of their lunch break, the 7th and 8th grade girls at St. Ignatius Loyola Parochial School attend a Homemaking Class. The class is held twice a week, on Wednesdays and Fridays, and is taught by Vivian McCoy. The girls learn about nutrition and have participated in numerous projects such as, miniatures of their bedrooms, stuffed animals, aprons, decoupage plaques, centerpieces for Christmas. They also made a beautiful quilt for one of the girls in the class, Pat Dempsey's, infant sister.

In the top picture, from right to left, Ann Brudrick, Mrs. McCoy, working on an apron and Donna Machis.

In the middle picture, Lorraine Wendt and Christine McCoy catching up on some notes.

In the bottom picture, from left to right, Justine Weiman, Adelaide Torre, Kerry Friel, Debbie Arthur and Joann Westman, working on their stuffed animals. (Photos by Jean Kaminek.)



The first U.S. census, that of 1790, cost about \$44,000, or just over a penny for each person counted.

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Galileo Lodge News

By Joe Lorenzo

The Galileo Lodge is sending forth another urgent message to its membership. The Galileo Lodge is sending forth another urgent message to its membership. Help is still needed for its Bingo and Las Vegas Nights sessions. To all members of the Galileo Lodge, try to give a little to your time and efforts to your organization our activities should be a group effort.

On Friday, the 8th of June, the Galileo Lodge will hold another Member Appreciation Night and this activity is held by the Lodge in acknowledgement of the devotion, loyalty and help many members have given to it. It is your night, and the 'fab' is picked by the Lodge. Why not come down and join us? You'll surely be welcome.

Other Activities
The Galileo Lodge picnic will shortly become a reality as the site for this activity is still being sought.

More golfing sessions are in the offering, and for all those golfing 'aficionados' who relish spending Sundays on the green and in the warm summer sun, I am sure that this is good news.

For the bowling enthusiasts, it is reported that the bowling season will begin at the end of the summer. The bowling sessions, incidentally, will be for men and

women.

The Hawaiian Dance, featuring the popular polynesian specialty known as the luau, will take place in late August.

By the time this edition of the Mid-Island Herald hits the streets, the Italian Feast associated with the Galileo Lodge will be in progress. As I have stated in recent columns, if you want a night under the stars and if you relish those delicious Italian specialties, why not attend this feast which will be located in a parking facility off Broadway, Hicksville, across

from Goldman Bros., and which will last from May 30th to June 3rd.

The Galileo Lodge is still seeking new members. The advent of new members means new ideas, new vision and new insights. The Lodge has demonstrated a willingness to provide its members with many diversified activities designed primarily to offer enjoyment, interest and relaxation. Why not call the Galileo Lodge at 931-9351 and speak with officers and members about what the Galileo Lodge has to offer you.

Receives Certificate

Lillian Walters of 11 Pearl Drive, Plainview, was one of over 100 leaders who was awarded a Certificate of Appreciation by the Home Economics Division of Cooperative Extension on May 8.

As a volunteer, Lillian Walters attended the training course Drapery & Curtains taught by Cooperative Extension and shared the skills she learned with members of Plainview Chapter.

Volunteer leaders like Lillian Walters made it possible for Cooperative Extension in Nassau County to extend the resource of Cornell University to members of the community.

Veterans Earn an extra income with fringe benefits by working 16 hours a month in your local Army Reserve unit. Call your nearest unit for details. It's listed in the white pages of the phone book under "U.S. Government"



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Guest Editorial: Business Viewpoint

Profits: Good News for All Americans

By Richard M. DeVos and Jay Van Anel

The recent spate of adverse commentary associated with the Commerce Department announcement of increased after-tax earnings by corporations in the last quarter of 1978 suggests there is a lot of misunderstanding about corporate profits. Regrettably, too few people understand the importance of those profits to their daily lives. The reasons for this are many, but neither the media nor the business community have done much to remedy the lack of economic understanding which exists in our country.

Corporate profits are the funds left over after all expenses are paid. But the business person who takes those dollars and stuffs them in his or her pocket will not remain in business very long. That is where the misunderstanding exists.

The after-tax earnings of a well-run company must be reinvested in order for the business to prosper. They buy new plants and equipment. Profits produce new jobs and upgrade existing ones.

Few people realize that it costs a company, on the average, \$50,000 to create one new job in most areas of the United States. Out of corporate earnings, stockholders must receive some compensation for investing their dollars, and there is the need to encourage more such investment.

Corporate profits must also be used to replace aging equipment. If a company is not sufficiently profitable to do so, it will be unable to compete with others in its field, particularly the modern, efficient foreign businesses. That means loss of jobs, increased imports, and unfavorable balance of payments.

It is essential that more Americans understand the true significance of profits, because profits are the food which nourishes our economy. Let us hope that the next quarterly report of the Commerce Department will show another healthy increase earnings. But let us also hope that it will be greeted as good news... for all Americans.

(Note: Richard M. DeVos is President and co-founder of Amway Corp., Ada, Michigan. Jay Van Anel is Chairman of the Board of Amway, and also is serving during 1979 as Chairman of the Board of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.)

Handicapped Students

To Receive BOCES Certificates

More than 125 handicapped young people from Nassau County's local school districts have completed their schooling in special education programs operated by the Nassau Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) and will receive certificates in ceremonies scheduled during the next two weeks.

The young people are trainable mentally retarded, cerebral palsied, learning disabled, or hearing impaired. They have received academic and occupational training at BOCES, and many have had work experience as part of their schooling. Some have also held part time jobs.

Now some of the young people will enter full time employment in business industry. Some will continue their academic or oc-

cupational training, and others will enter sheltered workshops.

Following is a schedule of the awards ceremonies:

Center for Community Adjustment: June 15, 10 a.m. at the Rosemary Kennedy Center, 2850 North Jerusalem Road, Wantagh.

Carman Road School: June 15, 1 p.m. at the Carman Road School, Carman Road, Massapequa Park.

Career Development Center: June 16, 10 a.m., at the Career Development Center, 100 Haskett Drive, Syosset.

Rosemary Kennedy Center: June 16, 10 a.m., at the Rosemary Kennedy Center, 2850 North Jerusalem Road, Wantagh.

Program for the Hearing Impaired: June 24, 1 p.m. at the East Meadow High School, Carman Avenue, East Meadow.



YOUTH INPUT: Congressman Norman F. Lent presented certificates of appreciation to some of this year's YOUTH INPUT Delegates. Selected by their high schools, these students meet during the school year with Rep. Lent to express their views and the views of their fellow students to the Congressman.

Students shown with Lent include: (seated l. to r.) Mark Anderson of Hicksville; Sherri Goldsmith of Wantagh and Bonnie Laynick of Westbury. Standing (l. to r.): Doug Coleman of Oceanside; John Caniff of Baldwin; Howard Axel of Wantagh; Peter Vearom of Bellmore; Sharon Press of Jericho; Jay Mandelbaum of Old Westbury; Barbara Bachmann of Bethpage; Pia Gemperli of East Meadow; Christopher Corsico of Syosset; and Joseph Pimentel of Freeport.

County Recreation

Golf

Nassau County golfers are sharpening up their games for the round of tournaments scheduled for June at courses operated by the Department of Recreation and Parks.

For more proficient golfers, a Men's 18-hole Championship co-sponsored by Newsday is slated for Eisenhower Park, Sunday, June 17, beginning at 9 a.m. (rain date, June 24.) To qualify, players 19 or over must file with the golf manager at least one week prior to play, three attested Red Course score cards of rounds in the low 80's.

A Junior Men's 18-hole Championship will be held at Eisenhower Park Tuesday, June 26, beginning at 9 a.m. (rain date, June 28.) Golfers who had not reached age 19 by January 1, 1979 are eligible and must file three attested Red or White Course score cards with the golf manager at least one week prior to the tournaments. The 65 low gross scorers will qualify for play.

For less proficient golfers,

Men's 9-hole championships will be contested at Cantiague, Christopher Morley, Bay and North Woodmere Parks on Saturday, June 16, beginning at 9 a.m. (rain date, June 23.) Golfers 19 years of age and over are eligible. Register at the park of your choice at least one week prior to play.

Pistol Tournament

An Indoor 900 Point .22 Calibre Pistol Tournament will be held at the Nassau County Range in Uniondale Saturday and Sunday, June 9 and 10 beginning at 9 a.m. both days.

Men and women sharpshooters 21 and over are eligible for the competition co-sponsored by the Nassau County Department of Recreation and Parks and the Mitchel Field Gun Club.

NRA regulations will be observed. The course of fire will be at 50 feet - slow, timed and rapid fire.

Deadline for registration is Friday, June 1. For further information, call 222-2464. The new

Nassau County Rifle and Pistol Range is located off the extension of Uniondale Ave., north of Hempstead Turnpike and west of Veterans Memorial Coliseum.

Puppeteers

Amateur puppeteers will have the chance to display their talents at the 13th Annual Puppet Festival slated for the Eisenhower Park Puppet Theatre Saturday, June 2 beginning at 10 a.m.

Spectators will be admitted free to the gala event staged by the Nassau County Department of Recreation and Parks. In addition to puppet shows, there will be workshops, puppet parades and prizes for all during the fun-filled day.

All puppeteers who wish to compete must pre-register by calling 292-4188. Awards will be made on the basis of originality as well as quality of performance. There's no entry fee.

The Puppet Theatre is located adjacent to parking field No. 6A at Eisenhower Park in East Meadow.

Supposing It Was Your Child?

Father Bruce Ritter asked this question of more than 1200 Maria Regina Diocesan High School students: Supposing it was your brother, your sister, your child this was happening to, you would want to stop it would 'nt you?

The thunderous applause gave assent to his question. For more than an hour, Father Ritter, Director of Covenant House, N.Y.C., a solitary figure on the huge Maria Regina stage, speaking quietly, matter of factly unfolded a story of horror, a story of night and day criminal sex exploitation being done to youngsters the same age as the ones he was speaking to. In matter of fact many of the exploited kids were even younger than fourteen. He was describing his priestly mission as it related to his job, Director of Covenant House, Times Square, N.Y.C.

"... It all started twelve years ago when I asked for a change of ministry, from teaching the ministry of service to the urban poor. Permission was granted by my Franciscan Superior. I moved into a tenement on East Seventh St. Almost immediately I became involved in the tragic problems of homeless drifting runaways in N.Y.C., Urban Nomads. One night six homeless kids all under 16 knocked on my door. It was 2 A.M. they asked if they could sleep on the floor of my apartment. I said yes. The next day they did not want to go away. However one kid left. He came back later in the day with four more. Literally, overnight, our family had been formed. They had been staying in an abandoned building and had been burned out the night before by junkies who wanted to exploit them sexually... I tried in vain to get help for them from the Child Welfare System... So Covenant House began that day. My family got larger and larger as word spread. More sleeping and semi-living quarters developed as junkies moved away or got busted and my kids kept moving in. Volunteers from Manhattan and Fordham College helped clean and paint everything in sight. Covenant House was in existence. We operated out side of the law, in violation of housing codes and everything else probably but we were providing a haven for homeless kids in N.Y.C. night after night.

The extra legem hassle was too much and in about four years

we became legal, got a charter and today operate 10 residences with a 135 child capacity. In addition we opened up a Crisis Center, 24 hours a day no questions asked, place where sleep, food, recreation, counseling, health care among other things were made available. It is called under 21. I have vowed never to turn away any youngster who asks for help, for food, clothing, shelter, a place to sleep... Tonight I got 70 kids sleeping in my church...."

Thus with all eyes and ears in total attention focused on him, Father Ritter held the attention of his young audience.

In his talk he described the absolute control that organized crime has over the Times Square sex industry which exploits prostitution of all ages, all sexes... how it controls major complex of porn shops, book stores, pimps, boys and girls prostitution.

The Times Square areas roughly between 40th and 50th streets running from sixth to ninth avenues, it has more than 1000 pimps there. The Notorious Minnesota Strip, ten blocks long stretches from the Port Authority Bus Terminal up to the fifties is also here. A billion and a half dollar annual sex industry exists in this Times Square Area.

Father Ritter ticked off a litany of horror stories - real grotesqueries of life happenings every night to youngsters the same age as these students he was talking to.

* A seventeen year old girl in a phone booth in the Port Authority terminal picked up by a pimp, raped several times that night escaped, runs screaming into Under 21....

* A 12 year old being sent to work the New Orleans Mardi Gras by organized crime.

* Both arms of a boy busted by a pimp for trying to escape this kind of life.

* 2 sisters, waiting for Pennsylvania bus, purses snatched, befriended by a pimp, one sister beaten up when they refused to work the streets.

* Hungry, scared, alone, homeless, no future choice: "rip off some one and go to jail... I'm so scared to go to jail I wouldn't make it through my first shower

"So I sell my tail"
* Children bought and sold via N.Y.C. organized crime... A telephone call gets you a body according to your specification; male, female, age, size, color, circumcised or not circumcised. Even discounts are available.

* There are 23000 runaways in N.Y.C. at this moment.

Under 21 has had 12,000 boys and girls come in for overnight shelter in the past two years. Over the same length of time

70,000 walk ins have come in for meals... and other on the spot help....

The sex industry continues to exist because it is protected by:

* Police who don't or can't enforce

* Prosecutors who don't prosecute

* Judges who don't sentence

* Mayors and other politicians who promise everything and do nothing

* By our own permissiveness and support... Because we permit the following to have happened.

Honorable Fred Richmond, 14th congressional district legislator N.Y.C. Crown Point and Park Slope section of Brooklyn, was caught soliciting an undercover agent for purpose of sex, April, 1978 Washington, D.C. Pledaded not guilty to a misdemeanor.

Honorable Fred Richmond broke the full story himself. He wrote to his constituents, explaining this and further telling that he had been previously soliciting a 16 year old boy. He agreed to one month of psychiatric probationary care. Honorable Fred Richmond ran for reelection and won. Richmond, a millionaire in his own right, held a fund raising \$100,000 a plate dinner at the Rainbow Grill, Rockefeller Center. Some of those whom we voted for who attended were:

V.P. Mondale, Kick, Bellamy, Shanker, Dick Gregory, Henry Fonda. IF RICHMOND HAS SOLICITED THEIR SON WOULD THEY HAVE ATTENDED?

"How can you help me, our family, your peers? During the next four years? You represent 1200 votes... Right now we need

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Dear Friends ...

A DOUBLE "THANK YOU" to those members of the Hicksville Rotary Club who put up and removed the American flags on our main thoroughfare both on Monday and Wednesday of this week.

We are sorry to have to report the passing of both Mrs. Charles Stolz and Mrs. Elsie Finnigan and we extend our condolences to the families of these well-known Hicksville residents.

The Hicksville Community Council, whose annual installation and community awards dinner is set for Thursday, June 7th at Antons, has much to report on that night not only as to what happened in our town during the past year, but what is being worked on by the leaders in our community in order to go forward as expeditiously as possible with plans "for a better Hicksville". We hope you will all be there.

Next week, as is our usual custom, this newspaper will not be printing any "Letters To The Editor" regarding school board candidates, inasmuch as they cannot be answered before the election. We will, however, cover as much information as is available regarding each candidate for the School Board.

THAT'S ALL for this week. Stay well.

SHEILA

Letter To The Editor

To the Editor:

We are all aware that "letters to the editor" manifest the citizen's rights to free speech. However, with this right comes the responsibility to substantiate the facts before making accusations. Misinformation can be as dangerous as apathy.

In last week's local papers, Jean Cavallo made some unpleasant and unfounded accusations against Virginia Germer, one of our School Board candidates, and by association, against nearly one hundred members of the Hicksville Parents for Education. Quite frankly, we are indignant. With our growing families we are as financially hard pressed as anyone else in town. The charge that we have "so ignobly suggested" higher taxes is ridiculous and untrue. What we want is to be sure that the dollars we are already paying are used to best advantage.

The Hicksville Parents for Education is not pro-teacher, not pro-Board, but PRO-EDUCATION. Yes, under Virginia Germer's leadership, we circulated a petition imploring BOTH the Board and the teachers to avert a crisis situation. For sixteen months they had made no progress, and we felt that some action must replace the apathy in Hicksville. Mrs. Cavallo found the petition offensive. The two thousand citizens who signed it found it very impartial. The P.T.A. Council, which took a neutral stance throughout the Board-Teacher controversy, found it unobjectionable. We wonder if Mrs. Cavallo read it.

Petition
We, the undersigned parents, residents, and taxpayers of Hicksville School District No. 17 hereby petition the Board of

Education and the Hicksville Congress of Teachers to do their utmost to avoid the threatened school strike in our community.

It is our belief that a strike would seriously disrupt our children's education, and in its aftermath, as demonstrated in a neighboring community, lower property values and leave long-lasting disunity.

We urge you to come to a fair contract settlement as soon as possible so that our schools will remain open.

Concerning the woman who indicated at the May 9th Board Meeting that she was willing to pay higher taxes for better education (referred to by Mrs. Cavallo as one of Virginia Germer's "supporters"), the lady's identity is not known either to Mrs. Germer or the parents group Mrs. Cavallo has been misinformed.

The goal of the Hicksville Parents for Education, as publicly stated in previous letters, is to increase community awareness regarding educational policy in the school district. Our school system has suffered a severe setback. Let's pick up the pieces and get both sides back to the business of educating our children. That is the reason why we are all paying school taxes. Virginia Germer gets things DONE. We feel that as a Board member she would be a great asset to Hicksville's educational system.

Pat Lambaunas
Member of Hicksville
Parents for Education

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Letters To The Editor

To the Editor:

When the letter from "Elderly Hicksville Property Owner" concerning the less than 50% reduction in town taxes for eligible Hicksville senior citizens appeared in last week's paper, my immediate reaction was, "This can't be so." On page three was a news release on pending legislation to raise the eligibility level to \$8000 annual income and indicating that in Nassau County, a 50% real property tax exemption is allowed on school, county, town and highway taxes.

After several phone calls to the County Assessor, the Senior Citizen Department, and the Town of Oyster Bay, I was even more distressed to find that they couldn't agree on the figures. Nearby communities have a 50% across the board exemption - Why does Hicksville have the full 50% reduction, only on the school tax? Let's find out. Our senior citizens have a right to know.

They should know too, that if they qualify for the real property exemption, they may also be entitled to as much as a \$200 rebate from New York State in addition to their exemption.

The Hicksville Parents for Education will gladly act as liaison or information center for any senior citizens who are unsure of their position. I have a personal concern with this particular problem since my mother has just turned 65 and is an eligible Hicksville homeowner. I do not feel that "the old are expendable."

Sincerely
Virginia C. Germer

To the Editor:

Mrs. Virginia Germer is one of the candidates who had a letter in the May 24th issue of the HERALD. The issues she mentioned are very sound and make the most sense. Mrs. Germer is one of the few people who realize that there definitely is a drug and alcohol problem in the schools. I, personally, have seen many disturbing things regarding drugs, including in the elementary schools. Obviously, to most taxpayers, the biggest worry is money. Mrs. Germer is absolutely right when she says her objective is to try to keep taxes down, but maintain the current programs. The residents of Hicksville need someone of Mrs. Germer's sincerity, willingness to work and learn and general concern for the district's well-being.

I hope the residents of Hicksville take these factors into consideration when it's time to vote.

Very truly yours,
Carrie L. Clark
Hicksville Student

To The Editor:
Albert Eckstein, candidate for Hicksville School Board has the following platform.

1. Peace and harmony between taxpayers, residents, parents, students and teachers.
2. Good education at reasonable costs.
3. Due to lower enrollment there will be 47 less teachers, but our school taxes are still rising. Why??? How can we operate more efficiently?
4. Purchase only needed supplies.
5. Increase purchasing power by combining with other school districts to take advantage of volume discounts.
6. With a lower enrollment, there should be no need for any more administrators.
7. More economical use of utilities - electricity, gas, fuel and telephone; as we do in our own homes.
8. The school board attorney should be bound by a contract

stating a definite fee for all his services.

6. Competitive bidding on all purchases over \$500.00.

7. Check insurance companies for the best coverage at the least cost. Deductible clauses should be included for more savings.

8. School bus routes to be checked for possible mileage savings, due to duplicate routing.

9. If there is a necessary convention, I will try to keep any cost to a minimum.

10. Compare per student costs of other educationally sound school districts. If others can do it for less, we will try to do the same.

A twenty-nine million dollar school budget is big business, and I will try to spend it wisely without having the children suffer.

I am 58 years old, educated in Germany and Switzerland, and have been successful in my own business.

If you believe me as I do, vote for me on Wed. June 13.

Sincerely,
Albert G. Eckstein

To the Residents of Hicksville.

The Hicksville Parents for Education are announcing their endorsement of Virginia C. Germer, candidate for the Trustee position on the Board of Education. We feel that Mrs. Germer's actions on the Board will reflect the concern of the taxpayers of Hicksville, to deliver quality education within a sound financial framework. Mrs. Germer's concern for quality education stems from the fact that she has children enrolled in the Hicksville primary schools. We feel that this will be an asset in future educational policies throughout the Hicksville Public School system.

The Hicksville Parents for Education is sponsoring a "Meet the Candidates" forum at the Hicksville Public Library Community Room on June 11, at 8:00 P.M. The public is urged to attend this last opportunity to hear each candidate's platform before the election on June 13.

Sincerely,
Janet R. Schaub
Hicksville Parents
for Education

To the Editor:

As a concerned parent, I am interested in maintaining a high standard of education in the Hicksville School System.

It is imperative that we elect school board members who are committed to this goal. Virginia Germer will assure that the educational standards are maintained. The continuation of full enriched programs for our children is a major plank of her platform.

I urge that your readers support Mrs. Germer at the polls on June 14, 1979.

Very truly yours,
S. Iona Garnets

To the Editor:

Reading newspapers these days will have a chilling effect upon the enthusiasm and optimism of any school board candidate if what the candidate reads about schools is correct. If it is, then drug abuse, alcoholism, sexual activism, and vandalism has reached uncontrollably into Hicksville schools, contaminated the children, made teaching unbearable for teachers, and above all made learning most difficult for children. Of course that extreme is as untrue as it would be to say that the opposite is true - that there are no addicts, alcoholics, sexual activists, and vandals in our schools.

Recognizing that there are such problems is a must, if solutions to the problems are to

be found. However, it is difficult for me to believe that Hicksville's problems are more severe than those in any other like-type school system, or that those in our school system are greater than in the Hicksville community as a whole. Further, the root causes of these problems cannot be easily understood unless you consider: the growth and expansion of the drug counter-culture combined with the general breakdown of morality in our society; the effect of the supreme court's decisions on prayer in the schools, on the school system itself, and on the family structure; the introduction of sex education into schools, the loss of respect for teachers by students; and the failure of parents to exercise sufficient influence upon and control over their children.

When elected, I will bring to the Hicksville School Board a recognition of the problem; an awareness of the causes, and an unwavering commitment to search for solutions. Obviously there are no pat answers BUT finding solutions is another major concern of my candidacy.

Sincerely,
FRANK H. WILLARD

To the Editor:

Parents and Taxpayers of Hicksville (PATH) is a new organization formed to find a PATHway between parents who want the best education for their children no matter what the price, and taxpayers who want to keep the lid on taxes or even reduce them, no matter what the cost to the children.

We believe both extremes are wrong. We believe there is a middle way where prudent judgment should prevail. The need for discretion will become clearer next year when the school board starts to exercise the management rights it won back from the teachers' union.

Because all of the problems that will come up cannot be predicted at this time, we feel that the people elected to the board on June 13th should have a strong professional background in management in an operation the size of our own \$28 million school district. They should also have the time to spend on the problems. And lastly they should be able to work with the other members of the board and not be handicapped by past controversy.

Joe Weiler's qualifications fit on all counts. Joe is a recently retired administrator from the East Meadow school district. For 25 years he was Chairman of the Business Education Department at Clark and East Meadow High Schools. He is also a parent. He knows what goes on inside schools. He knows school budgets and he knows school law. He also knows about the tendency to hide unpleasant facts from the administration and from the public.

For these reasons PATH endorses Joe Weiler. We invite others from each school area who feel the same way to join us. We sincerely want the best for Hicksville. You may call 581-0989 for details as to how you can help.


Phyllis Hundertmark
President, PATH

To The Residents of Hicksville:

So that the issue is clear and there is no misunderstanding, I, Thomas F. Nagle, will seek re-election this year for my own vacated seat on the Board of Education and will seek your support, your approval and your vote.

Why should you vote for me? The same reason that you would vote for any candidate.

1. Do you agree with my educational philosophy?
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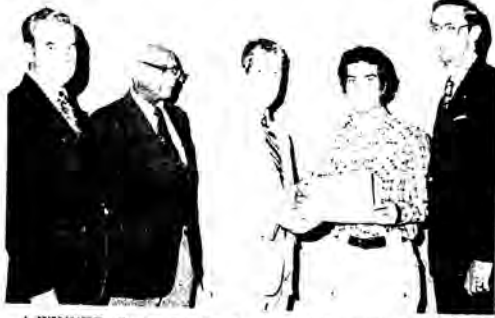
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Obituaries

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A WINNER: Oyster Bay Town Councilman Thomas L. Clark (center) was on hand to present a certificate of appreciation to David Franchina of Plainview for his entry in the Diocesan Union Holy Name Society Essay Contest. Also present for the

presentation were (left to right) essay contest chairman Francis J. White, Diocesan Union president Frank Applewhite and Otto Schmidtman, president of the Hicksville Holy Name Society which sponsored David.

Our Armed Forces

Navy Seaman Recruit Joseph Urda, Jr., son of Joseph and Marie Urda of Farmers Ave in PLAINVIEW, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

He joined the Navy in February 1979.

James P. Mills Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Mills of Princess St. in HICKSVILLE, has been promoted to staff sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

The sergeant, an imagery interpreter specialist at Langley

AFB, Va., serves with a Unit of the Tactical Air Command.

Sergeant Mills, a 1972 graduate of Hicksville High School, attended Nassau Community college, Garden City, N.Y. His wife, Julie, is the daughter of retired U.S. Air Force Major and Mrs. Paul G. Donner of 12500 Dunlop, Houston, Tex.

Marine Private Robert S. Burns, son of Audrey Burns of Kenneth Court in HICKSVILLE, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

Camp Fire Girls

Hicksville Camp Fire Girls would like to thank the community for their tremendous support during a recent Booster Campaign. Thanks to everyone, the community sold the highest amount of Boosters in Nassau County.

Cynthia Baldwin was the grand winner having sold 365 Boosters. Michele, Coleen and Christine Dwyer were runnersup, each having sold 100 Boosters. Camp Fire Girls who sold more than 30 Boosters were presented with a Certificate of Appreciation, a sales patch to be worn on their

uniforms and a charm.

At a recent Mother-Daughter Dinner held at the Ground Round Restaurant, the girls were presented with their prizes. Mrs. Margo Cone, President of the Nassau County Camp Fire Girls, presented Cynthia with her prize of a 12" television set and the Dwyer sisters were presented with a charm necklace. Melane Basketl won the drawing among the girls who sold 30 Boosters.

Everyone wishes to thank the girls and their parents for their combined efforts to help nourish and encourage these girls.

Plainview Man Cited



Nassau County Executive Francis T. Purcell (right) presented the "Nassau County Senior Citizen of the Year Award" to Cornelius F. Ryan (center), 77, of Plainview at the Nassau County Department of Senior Citizen Affairs Fifth Annual Senior Citizen Month Luncheon-Conference held at Salisbury Restaurant in Eisenhower Park, East Meadow.

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ANNE D. STOLZ

Anne D. (nee Darling) Stolz, a long-time Hicksville resident, died on May 25. She was the wife of the late Charles E.; mother of Walter, Charles, Norman Stolz, Virginia Mulliken, Patricia Holden and the late Harry C. Stolz; sister of Evelyn Janke and Ruth Hartmaier. She is also survived by 14 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

She reposed at the Henry J. Stock Funeral Home, Newbridge Rd., Hicksville. Funeral services were held on Wed., May 30, at the United Methodist Church, the Rev. James J. Benson officiated. Interment was held in Northport Rural Cemetery.

ELSIE FINNEGAN

A life time Hicksville resident, Elsie (nee Fuvogel) Finnegan, died on May 24. She was the mother of Howard. She is also survived by nieces and nephews.

She reposed at the Henry J. Stock Funeral Home, Newbridge Rd., Hicksville. The Rev. Charles Forehlich officiated at religious services. Interment was held in Plain Lawn Cemetery.

C. GLENN LATHAM

C. Glenn Latham of Hicksville died suddenly on May 23. He was the husband of the late Eunice; father of Judith DeVaul and Glenn Jr. He is also survived by seven grandchildren and two nieces.

The Rev. John Krahn officiated at religious services held at the Vernon C. Wagner Funeral Home, Old Country Rd., Hicksville. Interment was held in Plain Lawn Cemetery.

EMMA E. FINNEGAN
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Confirmation At St. Ignatius

The Most Rev. James J. Daly, auxiliary bishop of the Catholic diocese of Rockville Centre and vicar for Nassau County will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to 11 teen-agers on Tuesday, June 12, at St. Ignatius Loyola Church, Hicksville, during a celebration scheduled to begin at 8 p.m.

The Rev. Frederick J. Herrer is the pastor of St. Ignatius Loyola Church.

Survival

"Survival" an adventure film will be presented by The Church at Hicksville, 17 Herzog Place on Friday, June 1 at 8:00 P.M. This film is an exciting adventure of a family who learns the vanity of trusting one's own resources and possessions rather than God. While in a small airplane, the family is forced down on a high desert mesa. Physical survival becomes their number one concern. They become desperate and uncertain as they attempt escape. Without food, water and radio communication, their own resources fail. Everyone involved in this life-changing desert saga has the same goal... SURVIVAL. As they face death, they find life.

Don't miss this exciting adventure.

Admission free. For further information call 931-3693, 931-3281, or 935-1510.

Plainview died on May 22. She was the wife of Thomas; mother of Doreen Patricia and Thomas James Finnegan and the late Linda Finnegan Grassi; sister of Katie Graber and Abie Schubert. She reposed at the Thomas F. Dalton Funeral Home, Jerusalem Ave., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was at Our Lady of Mercy R.C. Church and interment was held in Holy Hood Cemetery.

RUTH MEEHAN

Ruth (nee Dickson) Meehan of Plainview died on May 26. She was the wife of Dennis J.; mother of Kevin Carey Meehan, sister of Virginia J. Johnson, Dorothy I. Dickson, and Ellen V. Dickson.

She reposed at the Thomas F. Dalton Funeral Home, Jerusalem Ave., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was at St. Pius X. R.C. Church and interment was held in Holy Hood Cemetery.

MARY C. MURPHY

Mary C. Murphy died on May 27. She was the mother of Thomas L.; sister of Florence Wipf, Valentine Zito and Mary A. Gailligan. Three grandchildren also survive.

She reposed at the Vernon C. Wagner Funeral Home, Old Country Rd., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was at St. Ignatius R.C. Church and interment followed in Calvary Cemetery.

Thomas F.

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GUEST OF HONOR: Oyster Bay Councilman, Thomas L. Clark (2nd from right) was the guest of honor at the Hicksville Baseball Association Diamond Jubilee Dinner, along with his wife, Corinne (third from left). Here, Association President Tom Nealon thanks the Hicksville Councilman for his support and work on behalf of the Association.

Joining in the tribute are Vice Presidents Bill and Marilyn Allgeier (left) and Pat Morris (right), and Treasurer Gale Teney.

Hicksville Baseball Assoc.

By Donna Rehman

Weekly Standings as of May 27

BOYS MAJORS	
McDonald Ford	6-2
Wagner Funeral Home	6-3
Empire Storage	6-3
Parkway Deli	6-4
Ferlise Photographers	2-7
Northern 5410c Stores	1-8
Miller	
GIRLS MAJORS	
H.B.A. Green Ponytails	8-0
H.B.A. Purple Ponytails	4-4
H.B.A. Blue Ponytails	3-5
H.B.A. Red Ponytails	1-7
Offensive stars wre	Rena Fiorello with a double and triple
Defensive stars were	Donna Eicholz with a double and triple
GIRLS MINORS	
Meenan Oil	1-1
Hicksville Voltswagon	0-0
Harbor Dist.	1-2
V.F.W. Post 3211	2-4
Cavor Carpet	0-2
BOYS INSTRUCTIONAL	
H.B.A. Green Hornets	4-0
Marty's Raiders	1-2
H.B.A. Blue Jays	1-3

In our Major Home Run Derby, it is a run away for Harvey Chin with four and Scott Russo with one.

In our Major Home Run Derby, it is a run away for Harvey Chin with four and Scott Russo with one.

In this league we have a tie for first place for the first half of the season and they will have a playoff game to decide the current standing. The stars in this league this week are Rocky Lombardo, Dominic Nataro, John Senise, Eddie Rothchild, Anthony Sgaraglio, and Greg Nettles. Their pitching, hitting, and fielding was outstanding and made for very exciting games. Keep up the good work guys!

1st Grade Standings

W	L
Yankees, Allied Landscaping	4 2
Mariners, M.D. Cesspool	4 2
Mets	2 2
Cardinals	2 2
Pirates	2 3
Giants, Montana Agency	2 4

Our Pony season opened this week and our teams played one game. It was a pitchers weekend. For Hicksville - Lions Club and L.I. Hockey and Sports Arthur Berman and Peter Nealon pitched 2 hitters. Dennis Rustom for Beverageland U.S.A. pitched a 1 hitter and Anthony Sullo for Seaman Eisemann Insurance a 3 hitter. Our offensive star was Peter Nealon with the only double of the weekend and Wynne Soeduldum got 2 hits. We need a director for this league how about YOU its certainly a worthy cause. Colts

5th & 6th Grade Standings

W	L
Carlson Roofing & Siding	5 0
Long's Chinese Restaurant	5 1
Rollins Rapid Repro	4 2
Ancient Order of Hibernians (Ladies Aux)	3 3
Sonny's Auto Repairs	2 3
Henry J. Stock Funeral Home	2 4
Harbor Distributing	1 4
Yankees	0 5

Carlson Roofing & Siding remained undefeated by beating Sonny's Auto Repairs 9-7. Solid hitting by Peter Vega and Bobby Moore contributed to the win. Strong pitching was supplied by Darren Difiorio. James Kreyling pitched well for the losers.

Henry J. Stock Funeral Home defeated the winless Yankees 4-0. It was a good game highlighted by solid pitching and good fielding. Brian Hamel and F.J. Cowan pitched well for the winners. They gave up only 1 hit. For the Yankees, Herb Nowak pitched for 3 innings allowing no runs to score. The Yankees are coming alive.

Senior League Standings

Minor Division	W	L
Goldmann Bros.	5	0
Zara Const	3	2
Team No. 4	2	2
Malvese	0	6
Major Division		
City Bank	4	0
Beacon Savings Bank	3	1
Dry Dock Savings Bank	3	3
Hamburg Savings Bank	0	6

Due to the weather, there were no Senior League games played last week.

St. Ignatius CYO Baseball

By Laura Brand

Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd Grade League

Bird Division	W	L
Cardinals	4	0
Jabirds	3	3
Pigeons	2	3
Robins	2	4
Hawks	0	5
Fish Division		
Bass	4	1

The Jaybirds beat the Robins 13-10. It was an exciting game breaking the tie for 3rd place in their division. Sluggers for the Jaybirds were Peter Coen and Chris Moore who both went 3 for 3 and Harold Moore who went 3 for 4. Several good defensive plays were made by John Giuttari. For the Robins, Ryan McCann and Chris Kanuck hit 3 for 3.

The Sharks beat the Pigeons 7-1. For the Sharks, Sean Towers made some good defensive plays. Jimmy Blind hit a triple and Bobby Russo had 3 hits to contribute to the Sharks win. Joe Garry and Chris Hogan both had 3 hits each for the losing Pigeons.

In a close game, the last place Dolphins upset the first place Bass by the score of 11-10. The Dolphins handed the Bass their first loss. Wat to go buys. In the field, Mike Valente and Chuck Montana made some fine defensive plays. Both Chuck Monatan and Lous Parillo hit well. Chuck Monatan chipped in with a triple. David Kreyling was the game's hitting star by driving in the winning run. Bass hitters Karl Schiefeistein and Michael O'Grady went 3 for 3, but in a losing cause.

3rd Grade Standings

W	L
Yankees, Allied Landscaping	4 2
Mariners, M.D. Cesspool	4 2
Mets	2 2
Cardinals	2 2
Pirates	2 3
Giants, Montana Agency	2 4

We would like to wish a get well to Robert Walsh.

In a close and exciting game, the Giants edged the Yankees 7-6. With this loss, the standings are very close. Carl Fritz, the hitting star of the game, hit a triple which brought in the tying run. He then scored from third and crossed the plate to score the winning run. Vinny D'Angelis also chipped in with a double.

4th Grade Standings

W	L
Angels	3 1
Brewers	4 3
Padres	3 3
Orioles	2 3
Phillies	2 4

The Orioles romped the Phillies 18-5. Jarred Went pitched 3 spectacular innings, striking out 9 batters. In the field, John Garger saved some runs by catching a hard line drive.

The brewers nipped the padres 9-8. Billy Moran was the winning pitcher for the Brewers. Steve Falleta had a hot bat with 3 hits and 4 RBI's.

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Decline Of Jones Beach

Assemblyman Fred Parola will appear Tuesday June 5th between 6:30 and 7:00 pm on Channel 4, NBC's "Topic A: A Suburban Journal." Assemblyman Parola's efforts on behalf of the protection, and preservation of Jones Beach State Park will be the subject of this T.V. analysis and interview.

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By G. Stieveling
Panthers

The Panthers (U-16), coached by L. Akl and sponsored by the Hicksville VFW, and the Settlers (U-14), coached by S. Gourlay, went upstate over the Memorial Day Weekend to participate in the East Fishkill Invitational Tournament. It was the first time club hosted an event such as this, and what a success it was. Tournament chairman Rudy Schupp had everything under perfect control. Plenty of help was available to make everything run smoothly. While Hicksville did not run home with top honors, they did provide a lot of excitement. Such as winning three games in succession, not an easy task for a "B" team in a mostly "A" tournament. But most important, the boys returned with a renewed "team spirit," and, new friends that were made while being billeted by the Poughkeepsie Soccer Club. On June 30 they meet again, when the P.K. boys are billeted in Hicksville homes. The forging of these new friendships is just one

Hicksville Am Little League

"A" Division
by Joe Maggio

A first inning double by Tommy Ryan driving in two runs and a second inning triple by Lenny Scolaro driving in 3 runs was a great effort but in a losing cause as Ewald Ins. lost to Goldman Bros. 13-6. Pitching for Ewald was Tommy Ryan Frank Humphreys and Warren Ewald. As a reminder will A league managers please get their write-ups in.

AA Division

A combined pitching performance by Ronald Caputo and Chip Clark enabled BPOE to beat FHOP by a score of 6 to 1. Ronald Caputo and Chip Clark combined to strike out 11 batters, while allowing only 1 run between them. Carrying the hit bats for BPOE were Dieter Bloem who knocked in 2 runs with a double. Anthony Langone had a good day going 3 for 3 with a double. Richard Auffant, Ronald Caputo, Jason Cirillo and Mike Marinovich all had 1 RRF each. In the field Dieter Bloem and Anthony Langone made 7 of the 18 put outs. Robert Linge and Jim Logoskiy made good fielding plays in the outfield to keep 2 runs from scoring.

In another exciting game Gilison Knitwear beat LI Bank by a score of 7 to 3 on a well pitched game by Matt Knapp giving up no runs and 1 hit while striking out 6. Sue Roman pitched the last 3 innings giving up only 2 hits while striking out 2 batters. At the plate Steven Corrado singled to drive in a run. Robert Sotting and Sue Roman both singled to drive in 2 runs each. Tom McMichael walked and scored. Marc Goldfarb and Richard Stashe both walked to force in a run each and Mike Kiernan reached base 4 times. In the first inning Billy Neway made a leaping catch off a line drive and John Moret made a good throw home to keep a runner from scoring.

Minor League

DaCosta Auto lost a close game to VFW this week by a score of 8 to 7.

Mike Hogan and Brian Mitkowsky pitched well for DaCosta Auto striking out 5, but in a losing cause.

At the plate Mike Hoigan went 3 for 3 with 1 RBI. Steve Huttner went 2 for 2 with 2 RBIs, Tony Labodoro went 1 for 2 with 1 RBI and Brian Otten and Joey DiLegame each had a hit. The DaCosta Auto infield played errorless ball and the outfield played equally well.

Hicksville American Soccer Club

of the reasons why soccer is becoming the No. 1 sport in the US

Thanks to the East Fishkill and Poughkeepsie Soccer Clubs, it was a weekend well spent.

BIG RED - Under 11

Big Red, sponsored by the Joseph Barry Council of the Hicksville, Knights of Columbus, successfully defeated Island Trees in the second round of the Long Island Cup last Wednesday, on our home field Grumman, by a score of 6-1. The conditions were very wet but this did not dampen the spirits and energy of these boys. The defense did a great job of keeping the ball in play up the field. D. Donisky, R. Youngs, R. Humann and L. Majia fed the ball to the mid fielders and wings, A. Brill, M. Baccafolo, J. Neto, C. Bently, D. Weinberg, P. Christiano and S. Hertz. The centers were then able to attack the Island Trees goal. The offense really continued to hammer at their defense. P. Ziembici, K. McCann, D. Messimo, with the help of teammates. R. Humann

scored on a beautiful corner kick. K. McCann (2), A. Brill, D. Messimo and D. Donisky are the other goals scored. These boys meet Lindenhurst this week in the third round of the Long Island Cup. Coaches Jack McCann and Vinney Christiano are working hard to bring them closer to winning each round. Good Luck.

Hicksville Rowdies

The Rowdies proudly represented the Hicksville Americans this past weekend at the Springfield Memorial Day Soccer Festival in Virginia, completing the weekend with a 2 and 1 record.

In game one against the Chantilly Cosmos, the boys took their only loss, 4-2. Our goals were scored by Tony Conigliaro, and Jim Reardon on an assist from Kevin Hamel.

The second game, against the highly regarded Springfield Virginia Tigers, a well played seasaw match with the Rowdies coming out on top 5-4. Goals were scored by Gerrard McNamee, Clifford Heller, Jim Reardon, Philip Greenspan, and Tony Conigliaro.

The final game against the Herndon, Virginia Strikers saw a highly motivated Hicksville team decisively defeat their opponents 6-3. Goals were scored by

Gerrard McNamee, Tony Conigliaro, Sean Smith, two by Cliff Heller on assists from Greg Tropea and Dan Middleman. The final score was from Steve Olive.

Noteworthy was fine defensive play in all the games by the backstop combo of Greg Skupinsky, Joe Hanna, and Todd Roth.

The Rowdies and their families enjoyed having taken part in a highly successful soccer festival weekend in Virginia and look forward to future soccer competitions.

girls U-12

The Hicksville Hemlocks coached by Sheila O'Leary and sponsored by the Stack O'Barley traveled South to Virginia over the Memorial Day Weekend. They played two games on Saturday and one on Sunday. They lost their first game to Sterling 2-0. They played Vienna, who won their division last year and are now tied with Springfield for second place, and beat them 2-1. Laura Reinhardt scored the first goal, and Christine Sierra scored the second. They played Springfield, the team with whom they billeted, on Sunday. Christine Sierra scored the first goal and Amy Flannery the second. Springfield scored two goals. The game ended in a 2-2

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Plainview Library

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"MURDER ... ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS" will be shown at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Library, Friday, June 8 at 8 PM. Detective Hercule Poirot interviews a parade of suspects including Sean Connery, Vanessa Redgrave, Lauren Bacall, and Richard Widmark in a movie short on suspense and long on color and entertainment.

Free. Tickets are not required. The Library is located on Old Country Road in Plainview (opposite the Murlon Village Shopping Center). Telephone 938-0077 for directions and information.

AFTER SCHOOL CRAFTS

During the month of June, the Children's Department of the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library will present an After School Crafts Program on four consecutive Mondays. This program is geared to children grades 3-7.

June 4 - 50 cents material fee, Chenille twist pictures, fee includes a special tool, which you can take home for more fun.

June 11 - 25 cents material fee Yarn flowers.

June 18 - 25 cents material fee, Disco color light show mobile.

June 25 - 25 cents material fee, Patchwork U.S. map puzzle.

You may attend all four sessions or any one. Registration is necessary. Limit 20 each session. Samples will be on display from June 1-18 in the Display Case.

STORYTIME

Storytime at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library will be on Tuesday, June 12 for children ages 3, 4, and 5 years old. Groups will meet for one-half hour and 11:00 AM for picture books, finger plays, action songs and "show and tell".

PRE-SCHOOL CRAFTS

On Thursday, June 21, from 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, the Children's Department of the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library will have a craft program for preschoolers and their parents. Register in the Children's Room of the Library for this fun program.

CLASSIFIED ADS
GET TENDS

In other minor league action, Circle Texaco bounced by DaCosta Auto 9-2.

Excellent control pitching by Davey Winter who struck out 8, held DaCosta Auto to only 2 runs on 5 hits.

Mike Lasher went 3 to 3 with two singles and a double. Chris Russell kept his hitting streak alive with another hit and Mike DeRoche and Tom Morgan also had hot bats with a couple of hits each.

The fielding play of the game was in the 4th inning. A long drive to right - center was run down by Kelly Halstead, who threw into Tom Morgan who relayed to Mike Lasher who threw to Kawabe Takeshi who put the tag on the man trying to score.

Pitchers for DaCosta Auto were Jack Auffant and Mike Hogan who combined to strike out 8.

DaCosta Auto's 5 hit are credited to Brian Otten, Tommy Goettelman, Brian Mitkowsky, Steven Huttner and Tony Labodoro.

Tommy Goettelman made a beautiful catch in right field and Brian Mitkowsky made one at 3rd base to end a rally. Brian Otten had 2 assists and Timmy DaCosta had 3 put outs at 1st base. Tony Labodoro played excellent behind the plate.

Senior League

Only one game was played due to the heavy rain and soggy field conditions. In that game, Marden Shell defeated Robert Chevrolet 9 to 1. The pitched for Marden was sharp Billy Vullono pitched 6 innings, allowing only 1 hit, 1 run and 3 walks while striking out 11. Joe Brown pitched 1 inning allowing no runs, no hits, with 1 strikeout.

The batting stars were John Autolino with 2 hits and 3 RBIs Bobby Tarone with 1 hit, 1 RBI 3 walks, 5 stolen bases and 3 runs scored, Billy Vullono with 1 hit, 3 walks and 3 runs scored, and Jimmy Williams with a hit, a RBI, and a run scored. The entire team played well defensively. This was the team's first game with Manager Mike Langley and Coach Tom Christie, at the helm and an important win for the team. Congratulations Mike and Tom.

Standings

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Sands Textile	2	1
GGG Construction	2	2
Marden Shell	2	2
Robert Chevrolet	1	2
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Luncheon

Nassau North Shore Christian Women's Club invites Friends to Lunch at Salisbury Restaurant, Eisenhower Park, Tuesday, June 5, promptly at 11:30 A.M. - \$6.25.

The Feature, "Planning a Vacation?" by Spinaker Travel will give Travel Tips to help you along. "Singing We Go" by soloist, Elizabeth Palmado. Lois Ewald will speak on Navigational Tips from the Head Pilot.

Reservations and cancellations are necessary and may be made with Elizabeth Morgan 742-3568 and Mary Lou Palmison MA 6-3432.

Crafts Show

The Woodbury Craftsmans Gallery show and Strawberry Festival and snack bar will be offered on Saturday, June 23, (show rain date: June 30) at the Woodbury United Methodist Church, Woodbury Road, in Woodbury.

Crafts specialists include silver, pewter, iron, glass, wood, painting, oils, and weaving.

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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 TO FILE CLAIMS INDEX NO. 20233-77

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Application to Condemn was granted by Order of the Supreme Court, Nassau County, dated March 1, 1978 and filed in the Nassau County Clerk's Office on March 1, 1978. The property so acquired is shown on a certain map entitled "Map Showing 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, which map was filed in the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Oyster Bay on December 20, 1977 and filed in the Nassau County Clerk's Office on January 6, 1978.

The properties affected by this proceeding are as follows:
Name of Reputed Owner - Frank J. Parker and Dorothy E. Parker, Section 12, Block 323, Lot 17. Name of Reputed Owner - Marguerite L. Montana, Section 12, Block 306, Lot 35. Name of Reputed Owner - Mary Manelski, Section 12, Block 170, Lot 49.

Each and every owner of property affected by this proceeding or having any interest is required to file a verified claim or demand in the Nassau County Clerk's Office, Nassau County Office Building, Old Country Road, Mineola, New York, and a copy of the verified claim with the Town Attorney's Office, Town Hall-East Building, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, N.Y. 11771, on or before the 3rd day of July, 1979 and to appear before the Town Attorney or his designated Deputy to prove title in the real property affected with proof of liens or encumbrances, if any, in the Town Attorney's Office, Town Hall-East Building, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, N.Y. 11771 on or before July 11, 1979.
Dated: Oyster Bay, N.Y. May 23, 1979

JOHN P. BOGUT
Town Attorney
TOWN OF OYSTER BAY

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Town Hall, East Bldg.
Audrey Avenue
Oyster Bay, N.Y. 11771
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY THE BOARD OF APPEALS Pursuant to the provision of Art. I - Div. 3, Section 67 of the Building Zone Ordinance. Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing in the Town Hall, East Building Meeting Room, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, New York on Thursday evening, June 7, 1979 at 8:00 p.m. to consider the following cases:

HICKSVILLE:
79-130 - MATTHEW COFFEY. Variance to erect a second floor addition with less than the required side yard and the encroachment of eave & gutter - S. S. Indiana St., 100 ft. E. o Kuhl Ave

79-131 - JOSEPH ROTTMAN. Variance to erect a carport with less than the required side yard - S. E. S Fox Pl., 451.54 ft W. o Winding La

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS
Town of Oyster Bay
OYSTER BAY, NEW YORK
May 28, 1979
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PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the provisions of the Town Law, the Highway Law, the Nassau County Administrative Code and the several amendments to said laws, and pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by the Town Board on the 8th day of May, 1979, a map entitled "Map Showing Real Property to be Acquired for the Widening and Improvement of Central Park Road from Southern Parkway Southerly 1,785 feet more or less (in Nassau County Contract Area 1002-3-INT. 18), Plainview, Nassau County, N.Y.", dated August, 1978, and prepared by Sidney B. Bowne & Son, Consulting Engineers, Mineola, New York, by direction of the Town Board, is now on file in the Office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, East Building, Oyster Bay, New York PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a hearing will be held in respect to said map in the Hearing Room, Town Hall, East Building, Oyster Bay, New York, on the 12th day of June, 1979, at 10 o'clock a.m., prevailing time, at which hearing the Town Board will afford a reasonable opportunity to all interested persons to make objections thereto or suggest changes therein. BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF OYSTER BAY, Joseph Colby, Supervisor, Ann R. Ocker, Town Clerk, Dated: May 8, 1979 Oyster Bay, New York. D-4508-3T 5 28 PL

NOTICE OF (ANNUAL) DISTRICT ELECTION
HICKSVILLE UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
HICKSVILLE, NEW YORK
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the resolution of the Board of Education of Hicksville Union Free School District, Hicksville, New York, adopted March 28, 1979, the (Annual) District Election of the qualified voters of this School District will be held on June 13, 1979, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. (D.S.T.) and 10:00 o'clock P.M. (D.S.T.) in the seven Election Districts, stated below, for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition(s):

PROPOSITION NO. 1
Shall the Budget approved by the Board of Education pursuant to Section 1716, be approved, and a tax on the taxable property of the District in the amount of such

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Budget, less State and Federal Aid and revenues from other sources belevied?

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that nominating petitions for the office of member of the Board of Education must be filed with the Clerk of the School District no later than thirty (30) days before the (annual) Meeting, said date being Monday, May 14, 1979 between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. A separate petition shall be required to nominate a candidate to each separate office. Each petition shall be directed to the Clerk of the School District, shall be signed by at least 91 qualified voters of the District (the same being two percent (2%) of the number of voters who voted in the previous Annual Meeting, shall state the residence of each signer, the name and residence of the candidate, and describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated, which description shall include at least the length of the term of the office and name of the last incumbent. Forms of petitions for School Board Members may be obtained from the Clerk of the School District.

The following vacancies are to be filled on the Board of Education:

3 year term ending June 30th, 1982
Last Incumbent: Iris Wolfson
3 year term ending June 30th, 1982
Last Incumbent: Thomas F. Nagle

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that Personal Registration and Election Districts have been established in the School District, that no person shall be entitled to vote at the (Annual) District Election whose name does not appear on the register of the School District, unless such person is registered under the provisions of Section 362 of the Election Law as amended by Chapter 629 of the Laws of 1975, and that those qualified to register and vote shall do so in the School Election District in which they reside.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that copies of the statement of estimated expenses for the school year 1979 - 1980 may be obtained by any taxpayer in the District at each school house in the District daily except Saturday and Sunday, on and after June 6, 1979, between 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. and that any other propositions to be voted upon are available for inspection by any taxpayer in the District at each school house in the District daily except Saturday and Sunday on and after June 6, 1979, between 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that a public hearing shall be held on Thursday, May 31, 1979, at the Senior High School for the purpose of discussion of the expenditure of funds and the budgeting thereof.

NOTICE IF FURTHER GIVEN that the Board of Registrars shall meet in the seven (7) Election Districts described below on: Wednesday, June 6, 1979 from 3 P.M. until 8 P.M. (D.S.T.)

Any person shall be entitled to have his name placed upon such register provided that at such meeting of the Board of Registrars he proves to the satisfaction of such Board of Registrars to be then or thereafter entitled to vote at the school meeting or election for which such register is prepared. Said register will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the District on June 7, 1979, and will be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. on any week day from June 7, 1979 up to and including June 13, 1979. Residents who voted at an Annual or Special Meeting of the District within two

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years from the date of the current (Annual) Meeting, or who registered within that time need not register to be eligible to vote at the (Annual) Meeting. Residents otherwise qualified to vote who are registered under the provisions of Section 363 of the Election Law as amended by Chapter 629 of the Laws of 1975 need not register to be eligible to vote at the Meeting.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that during the voting hours on June 13, 1979, The Board of Registration will meet in the various election districts to receive registration for the ensuing year.

SCHOOL ELECTION DISTRICTS

The boundaries of the school election districts, as adopted by resolution of the Board of Education and the place in each election district for registration and voting shall be as follows:

Election District No. 1
Burns Avenue School
On the East: Broadway, from the District's North Line, to the intersection Jerusalem Avenue and Broadway, continuing South along Jerusalem Avenue to the intersection of Jerusalem Avenue and the Long Island Railroad.

On the South: The Long Island Railroad, from Jerusalem Avenue to the District's West line.
On the West: The District's West line from the Long Island Railroad to the District's North Line.

On the North: The District's North line from the District's West line to Broadway.

ELECTION DISTRICT No. 2
East Street School

On the East and North: Miller Road as projected to the District's North line, South along said Miller Road to Ronald Avenue, then East along Ronald Avenue to Woodbury Road, then Northeast along Woodbury Road to Ardsley Gate, then Southeast through Ardsley Gate to Dartmouth Drive, then Southwest and South through Dartmouth Drive to its intersection with Haverford Road, then East to the intersection of Haverford Road and Berkshire Road, then East along Berkshire Road to its intersection with Columbia Road, then East along Columbia Road to the District's East line, then South along the District's East line to the Long Island Railroad.

On the South and Southwest: along the Long Island Railroad, from the District's East line southerly point, to the intersection of the Long Island Railroad and Jerusalem Avenue.

On the West: Broadway from Jerusalem Avenue to the District's North line.

On the North: The District's North line from Broadway to Miller Road, as projected to said line.

Election District No. 3
Woodland Avenue School

On the North, Northeast and East along the District's North line, from Miller Road, as projected to the District's North line, to the District's East line.

On the East: South along the District's East line, from the District's North line, to Columbia Road.

On the South and West: Columbia Road, from the District's East line West to Berkshire Road, then West along Berkshire Road into Haverford Road, and continuing West from Haverford to Dartmouth Drive then North and Northeast along Dartmouth Drive to Ardsley Gate, then Northwest through Ardsley Gate to Woodbury Road, then Southwest along Woodbury Road to Ronald Avenue, then West along Ronald Avenue to Miller Road, then North along Miller Road and continuing thereon as it is projected, to the District's North line.

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Election District No. 4
Lee Avenue School

On the East-Northeast, the Long Island Railroad, from its intersection with Old Country Road, to the Southerly point of the District's East line.

On the South, the District's South line, from the Long Island Railroad, Southwesterly into Michigan Drive, then South along said District line to the Hempstead Township line, then Northwesterly along the District's South line to Jerusalem Avenue.

On the West and North, along Jerusalem Avenue, from the District's South line, to Salem Gate, then West along Salem Gate to Salem Road, then North to Harkin Lane, then Northwest along Harkin Lane to Division Avenue, then North along Division Avenue to Glenbrook Road, then Northwest along Glenbrook Road to Newbridge Road, then Northwest along Newbridge Road to Old Country Road, then East along Old Country Road to the Long Island Railroad.

Election District No. 5
Fork Lane School

On the East: Jerusalem Avenue from Salem Gate, to the District's South line.

On the North: Salem Gate West from Jerusalem Avenue, to Salem Road, then North along Salem Road to Harkin Lane, then Northwest along Harkin Lane to Division Avenue, then Northwesterly along Division Avenue to Glenbrook Road then West along Glenbrook Road to Newbridge Road.

On the West: Newbridge Road, from Glenbrook Road on the North, to the District's South line.

On the South: the District's South line, from Newbridge Road, on the West, to Jerusalem Avenue on the East.

Election District No. 6
Dutch Lane School

On the East: Newbridge Road, from Elmira Street, to the District's South line.

On the South: the District's South line, from Newbridge Road, on the East, to the District's West line.

On the West: the District's West line, from the District's South line to Arrow Lane, as said Lane is projected West to the District's West line.

On the North: from Arrow Lane, as projected to the District's West line, East and along said Arrow Lane, to Levittown Parkway, then South along Levittown Parkway to Beech Lane, then East along Beech Lane to Blueberry Lane, then South along Blueberry Lane to Elmira Street, then East along Elmira Street to Newbridge Road.

Election District No. 7
Old Country Road School

On the North and Northeast: the Long Island Railroad from the District's West line to the intersection of the Railroad with Old Country Road.

On the South and East: Old Country Road from its intersection with the Long Island Railroad, Westerly to Newbridge Road, then Southwest along Newbridge Road to Elmira Street, then West along Elmira Street to Blueberry Lane, then North along Blueberry Lane to Beech Lane, then West along Beech Lane to Levittown Parkway, then North along Levittown Parkway to Arrow Lane, then West along Arrow Lane, and as projected to the District's West line.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Hicksville Union Free School District
Hicksville, Town of Oyster Bay, N.Y.

Marie C. Egan
District Clerk
D4514-4T 5/31 MIA

Letters To The Editor

(Continued from Page 4)

2. What is my past performance record? Attendance, voting, active participation in my present position and what have I contributed to the community in the past?

3. Have I, as an individual, fulfilled the duties and responsibilities of my office with a degree of competency, without consideration of one's self, prejudice, vested interest or self-gain?

4. Have I, as a Trustee, voted and acted with prudence for the common good of all?

Please study the questions and the issues of the campaign and vote on the budget and for the candidates which will guide and direct the district for the next three years.

Thank you,
Thomas F. Nagle

Dear Editor:
We would be remiss if we did not come forth and let the community know why we intend to support Tom Nagle for another term as School Board Trustee.

Mr. Nagle has clearly demonstrated leadership ability in the performance of his responsibilities as President of the School Board, as well as a trustee. By his determination and steadfastness to principle, he kept the Board united in meeting the arbitration action brought on by the Hicksville Congress of Teachers that turned a potential \$550,000 loss to the taxpayers into a \$70,000 award in favor of our district. Under his leadership and direction, we collectively sought out and hired a new superintendent and are now embarking on a re-organization plan to make Hicksville a leader in education and administrative efficiency.

One of the most important concerns of Mr. Nagle is the educational programs that have been established over the years. By his determination and leadership, he has maintained all these programs and, at the same time, reduced staff to meet declining enrollment. It is evident to all of us that the welfare and high educational achievement by the students of this district is his main concern and goal as a Board member.

Mr. Nagle's greatest attribute is his untiring energy in meeting with people and finding solutions to the problems that confront our school district.

By nature, Tom is a kind, unassuming individual willing to compromise on difficult issues. This was clearly demonstrated by the countless hours he spent negotiating for a settlement with the Hicksville Congress of Teachers. Many of you are unaware that he has put in thousands of hours of his time without compensation or complaint in obtaining for you, the residents of Hicksville, a settlement that regained for the Board and our district control of

its policy-making functions.

We who know Tom and have worked with him behind the scenes now give testimony on his behalf, for he has our never-ending respect and loyalty. We now appeal to you, the community, to recognize that we have a Board member in Tom Nagle who is not afraid to put in those long hours for the cause of education and our community.

Please repay Tom with your vote of confidence this coming June 13th.

Sincerely,
Hicksville School District
Board of Education

Dear Editor:
In her letter to the Mid Island Herald of May 14th Mrs. Germer stated and I quote: "I am aware of the plight of Sr. Citizens, having a mother on a fixed income residing in Hicksville."

Mrs. Germer does not state whether her mother is a property owner in Hicksville, nor does she say anything about her mother living with her or she and her family living with her mother thereby sharing expenses. Nothing is said about her mother's financial situation.

The term "FIXED INCOME" covers a broad spectrum. The elderly who receive maximum social security and large pensions or annuities are indeed the fortunate ones who as

a rule leave Hicksville after retirement. They are the elite of the elderly. They are the ones who could afford higher taxes, but are fed up with Nassau County and its high taxes. Those who can ill afford are now fighting to retain their homes, not because they wouldn't like to help the children of Hickville receive a good education. I believe that the recent teacher's strike was for the benefit of the teachers' pocketbooks not a better education, but because the elderly are now fighting for their very existence, going without medical and dental checkups, stinting on their meals to be able to pay higher rates for Fire insurance, repairs on their old homes, fuel and taxes. And last but not least, trying to survive catastrophic illness by their spouses which took their savings.

Mrs. Germer, first walk in your neighbor's shoes and then proclaim you know all about our plight.

Signed,
One who knows

To the Editor,
During the period of turmoil before the Hicksville Congress of Teachers ratified a contract I felt as probably did most of you, helpless. Although I wanted to obtain the facts, keep informed and encourage negotiations, I found it impossible to accomplish any of this. Then I heard about Hicksville Parents for Education.

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The taxpayers in this organization were very well informed. They not only had facts but also positive ideas. They took affirmative actions such as circulating petitions encouraging negotiations and holding encounter meetings.

The organizer of Hicksville Parents for Education was Virginia C. Germer. She is currently seeking a position on the Board of Education. Mrs. Germer has become concerned about Hicksville education not only because she presently has children in our elementary schools but also because she earnestly cares to maintain quality education. Through her own initiative she has developed an intimate awareness of how the Board of Education policies are put to practice in the schools and has made efforts to keep others informed of what transpires in our schools.

Speaking as a parent with children in the Hicksville School System, I feel it is imperative that at least one of the members

of the Board of Education be a mother like myself. We need a School Board member who, has expressed the ability and desire to keep parents like myself informed of all the day-to-day effects of the policies adopted by the school board. Only then can we judge whether these policies are what we truly want for our schools and our children. Please help elect Virginia C. Germer to the Board of Education.

Sincerely,
Laura Scavo,
Hicksville

Dear Editor:
It is becoming increasingly clear that my candidacy in this year's school board election is the only one offering the balanced, common-sense thinking we need here in Hicksville today.

One of my opponents speaks to just a single issue - money. He says virtually nothing of having to balance the need to hold down costs with the legitimate

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If, after reading this, you feel that you cannot safely store gasoline without violating any of the above guidelines, it is unsafe for you to attempt to do so.

Police Property Auction

The Nassau County Police Department will hold its annual property auction of bicycles and other unclaimed items on Saturday, June 2nd, in the Exhibition Hall of the Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum in Uniondale.

In announcing the auction Police Commissioner Samuel J. Rozzi stated, "I would like to inform prospective bidders that they may view the property beginning at 8:30 a.m. on June 2nd. The auction itself will commence at 10:00 a.m. and will continue until everything has been disposed of or no further buyers remain."

Items to be sold will include 1 automobile, 234 bicycles, 7 small

boats, 3 outboard motors, 7 automatic transmissions, 3 snow blowers and other assorted items.

Doors will open promptly at 8:30 a.m. and parking will be free.

Homemakers Meeting

Nassau County Homemakers Council, Uniondale Evening Chapter, invites you to attend the 32nd Anniversary Achievement Night at the Walnut Street School, Uniondale, on June 6th at 7:30 P.M.

There will be demonstrations of items made during the year, entertainment, raffle, and refreshments. Admission Free.

Purcell: "Mandated Welfare Costs And Other Services Make Lower Taxes Unlikely"

Nassau County Executive Francis T. Purcell told the Downtown L.I. Breakfast at the Hofstra University Club that, while lowering taxes would make homes here more marketable and living more affordable, mandated services such as welfare and residents' demands for the best in services and facilities make the lowering of taxes extremely difficult.

He said that the locally funded percentage of welfare costs in N.

Y State is far higher than in most states, the Nassau homeowner paying an average of \$120 per year for its support while in Cook County (Chicago) homeowner pays one cent. And, with N.Y. having the highest benefits of any state, habitual welfare people from other areas are attracted to come here. He said that 34% of the County budget goes to mandated welfare support.

Purcell noted that the number of malingering welfare cases has

been dropping steadily, the County payroll has been reduced by more than 900 jobs through attrition since he took office, and that the tax rate on the County General Fund has been lowered in each of the last 5 years.

He indicated a strong interest in the revitalization of Hempstead's downtown and predicted a positive turn-around, though warning that it "can't happen overnight."

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towels, sheets, underwear, tooth brushes, food, jeans, your assurance of prayers."

After the talk Father Ritter left Maria Regina for another speaking engagement. His newly formed high school team stayed behind, visiting all the religious classes in Maria Regina that day. They are a volunteer group pulling down room and board plus \$10.00 a week. They pray 3 hours every day, celebrate the Eucharist daily, fast one time a week. In 2 months they have contacted 20 schools in this student follow up work. The student response was excellent. Covenant House Clubs have been founded. Fund raising, basketball marathons, dances, correspondence, liaison contact between schools and Covenant House.

Student Response
Father Ritter and his high school support team have visited

three of the diocesan high schools in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. Directly and indirectly his message will be carried into nearly ninety towns and villages here on the Island by students of these schools. Maria Regina students besides raising money and clothing and creating a prayer group are making plans for a door to door visitation publicizing what Father Ritter is doing. This campaign is being planned to visit every town which Maria Regina High School serves.

Holy Trinity students held a soup and bread lunch at their cafeteria instead of their usual meal. This was followed up by a collection from the eaters. Minimum contribution was to be 21 cents relating to the "Under 21" group which Covenant House has established. Holy Trinity students are forming an "Under 21" Club. This club will concern itself with some of the needs of these "Under 21" youngsters ...

Marathon; walkathon; clothes drive...

St. John the Baptist, West Islip students held a marathon dance April 22 at St. Lukes Parish. Brentwood to publicize the needs of Covenant House and the money

raised at the dance to be given to Covenant House.

For further information on these student activities at these diocesan high schools contact:

Maria Regina:
Sr. Miriam Joseph, Moderator & teacher
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John Flynn, student

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educational needs of our students.

My position, on the other hand, is that extremes on either side must be avoided: we must not inflate our tax burden with half-baked educational fads and gimmicks - yet we must not deprive our children of a decent education just to save a buck.

My second opponent in the school board elections claims to share my concern on another issue - drug trafficking in and around our schools. She wants our schools to utilize existing, government-funded drug counseling programs. Indeed, I too have called for these programs, for their use in private schools in and around the Hicksville area has shown them to be effective in rehabilitating drug abusers and in educating children on the dangers of drugs.

This is really as far as my opponent goes, but I think most parents will agree with me that she hasn't gone far enough. By all means, let us help rehabilitate those who have strayed. But our most important priority by far must be to protect the innocent majority of our students from the pushers and the students who have already fallen.

Firm, intelligent discipline policies must be established if such protection is to be possible. What measures shall be used to apprehend pushers? What legal redress or penalties will we seek? How do we handle pushers who are students? Pushers who are not students? These are points

that cry out for a clear policy. As we seek answers to the above questions, two further issues I am campaigning on come to mind:

1. We need to turn more seriously to our teachers for their professional insights when we establish policies and programs for our schools.

2. The know-it-all arrogance of former boards must be replaced by a more open, responsive attitude that invites sincerely the input of parents, residents, and even students when policies and programs are considered. We need to be reminded that we are dealing with the community's school, not the Board's. Let all participate, then, in solving the drug problem.

And who more than teachers, can help us learn where, when and how the pushers operate? Who understands better the size and nature of the problem we want to deal with? Perhaps it's high time we turn most sincerely to the teacher as professional and request his advice. It's my guess that our teachers will be glad to oblige, and we would be wise to listen to what they have to say on this and any other educational problem.

My point in this letter is that I am a candidate who speaks to all issues concerning the good of our school district. If elected, I am prepared to deal with all issues with intelligently balanced values, fair but firm policies, and a good measure of common-sense.

Sincerely,
Joseph S. Weiler

On the Campus

Bradley James Ernst of HICKSVILLE, has been named to the Dean's List at the University of Arkansas.

Drew J. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Justin Collins of Croyden Lane, HICKSVILLE, has received a Bachelor of Arts from Oberlin College.

CUMMINGS 'N GOINGS

By Jim Cummings

ANNIVERSARY: Reverend Leo J. Goggin will celebrate 40 years of priestly service this Sunday, June 3. Father Goggin, who previously served for many years at St. Ignatius Loyola Parish, will always be remembered by the parishioners for his organizational activities and "firsts" for St. Ignatius, including: the famous "St. Ignatius Men's Glee Club," the "Barry Tones" of Joseph Barry Council, Knights of Columbus, and especially his work on the annual bazaar held on the school grounds - many of the parishioners reading these notes will recall the great committee, the joy in accomplishment and that special way that he touched us with his love of God and man - on behalf of all at St. Ignatius we wish you a happy and holy day.

RIGHT TO LIFE: There were more than 200 paid supporters at the 1st annual Dinner-Dance of the Right To Life, Inc., recently held at the Monsignor Bittermann Hall of the Joseph Barry Council, Knights of Columbus. Highlight of the evening were remarks by Mary Jane Tobin and Ellen McCormack, former party candidates for Governor and Lt. Governor according to Mary E. Carton, Chairperson - Oyster Bay Town Councilman Thomas L. Clark also spoke to the group.

DID'YA KNOW: Viola Roby, a member of the Ladies Auxiliary was the raffle winner at the recent "rubber maid" party hosted by Past President Peggy Donovan - Kay Roemer, Auxiliary President announced that Mrs. Donovan will chair the "Ceile Dance" this fall among social events on the calendar. Peter McMahon, Sr., a very active Hicksville Hibernian is re-

cuperating following a very serious illness - we chatted with him by phone this past weekend - he sounds as strong as ever, especially when we talked about the problems in Northern Ireland - keep "Your Irish Up" - hope you're well enough to attend the AOH family picnic on July 7 - God Bless. **NOW HEAR THIS:** James E. Carroll, Grand Knight of the Joseph Barry Council, Knights of Columbus will complete his term of office next month - truly a year of exemplary service to the Council, its membership and the community - he has shown the way by example - many "firsts" were set: the hosting of the NY State Bowling Tourney at the Council - a 15-minute Cablevision TV program and a repeat spot to host a visit by the St. John Bosco club which included another TV program - he will now join the rank of "Past Grand Knight," a title he richly deserves of service to his council and fellow officers.

HEARD AROUND: Reverend Frederick Harrer, pastor of St. Ignatius Loyola has just returned from a Florida vacation - welcome home. Speaking of vacations, when we fly to California (on American Airlines) all travel arrangements will be handled by my daughter Valerie McCarney of Travel Organizers, Inc., of Saratoga, California - also my granddaughter Stacey will be flying American from San Jose, California in June to visit with us - traveling solo, too. Saturday, June 16 is a "very special" day for the Frank Larkin's, Joe and Kathleen Hecker and the Dr. Charles Milano's of Hicksville - it's their 34th wedding anniversary, congrats... State Senator Ralph J. Marino

(Republican-Syosset) honored guest of the Nassau Division of the NY State Podiatry Society - quite a gentleman - a leader in the Senate for his constituents these past 10 years... Lt. Thomas McCormack of Hicksville, a past president of the Hicksville AOH and the writer recently attended a cultural seminar on Irish History... A bill has been signed into Law in Albany this week on veterans who receive property tax exemptions to retain an equal break after full-value reassessment - extension is mandatory in communities where full-value reassessment is court ordered and optional where it is voluntary.



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Around Our Towns

Over 20 Fork Lane PTA Executive Board members and friends honored Linda Strongin at a surprise dinner party last week at Beefsteak Charlie's in Levittown.

Linda was honored for her dedication and service as President of the unit for the past three years. The guests presented Linda with a gold chain and gavel in appreciation

for the time and effort she expended.

Congratulations to Jeffrey Braunstein, son of Judy and Irving Braunstein of HICKSVILLE, who made his Bar Mitzvah on May 26.

Congratulations to the following PLAINVIEW residents who have received awards for

volunteers services at Central General Hospital: Grace Rodona, 1,000 hours; Marge Agresti, 2,200 hours; and Peggy Doheny, 3,500 hours.

Happy birthday to Mr. and Mrs. Moyer of HICKSVILLE. They celebrated their birthday last weekend. Mary Ann was 26 on May 26 and Bill was 27 on May 27.

For the second time this year, Doris and Bill Muller of HICKSVILLE, have become grandparents. This time it was through the courtesy of their daughter and son-in-law, Carol and Bob Swierupski. Carol gave birth to their second son, James Richard on May 21 in Nassau Hospital. He weighed in at 7 lb. 15 ounces. Congratulations and best wishes.

Washington, D. C. was the destination of Ann and Bob Rennert of HICKSVILLE. The Rennert's 30th wedding anniversary was May 7, and that day they left for the Capitol to enjoy a few days vacation. The day before they left on their trip, an anniversary brunch was held in The Wickes which was attended by Ann's mother, Mrs. Bardenhagen, Bob's parents, Sally and Bob Rennert of California; and the Rennert's children, daughter, Terri; son, Jimmy and his wife, Maureen. It was a happy occasion for this memorable event. Congratulations, folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Baldwin Jr. of Edward Ave., HICKSVILLE were the guests of honor at a 25th wedding anniversary party, held at their home on May 18.

Seventy-five relatives and friends were on hand to help them celebrate.

Their sons, FTD2 Brian T. Baldwin, USN, and QM2 (DVSS) Kevin W. Baldwin, USN, were also present. They serve aboard the U.S.S. Jack (submarine SSM605), whose home port is New London, Conn. Congratulations and happy anniversary.

Happy Birthday to Augie Barone of HICKSVILLE. Augie celebrated his birthday on May 21. Augie will be the Past Commander of the Hicksville VFW in June.

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On The Campus

Nearly 100 graduating students out of more than 3000 in the Class of '79 at Nassau Community College, received awards, scholarships and departmental citations on May 20 at the 19th commencement ceremonies. Among them were: HICKSVILLE residents, Matthew J. Capelli, Michael G. Caruso, Vincent Fallacara, Joanne Russo and Thomas J. Schumacher. Also PLAINVIEW residents, Eileen Jaffe, Helen Miklas and Leslie A. Tiffany.

Jay Klein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander F. Klein, now of Kings Park, formerly long-time PLAINVIEW residents, has graduated from Colorado State University with a B.A. degree in Social Science. For the past four years, he has been Community Services Director of the campus volunteer clearing house. He has served as Vice-President of the Larimer Assoc. for Retarded Council of the Handicapped. He is a member of the National Assoc. for the Retarded Citizens on Minority Affairs and Environmental Influences. In the fall of 1978 he was unanimously voted by the faculty for the "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities". Jay was voted as the "Outstanding graduating student in the Social Work Dept." He will be doing his Masters at the University of Wisconsin.

Richard Elio of PLAINVIEW and Mark Spede of PLAINVIEW have been inducted into the National Honor Society. They are students at Holy Family Diocesan High School.

Bob Reimels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Reimels of 7th St., HICKSVILLE, graduated from St. John's University on May 20. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration.

Leslie M. Walsh of Kings Ct., PLAINVIEW, has been named a Top Scholar at the University of Delaware.

Gary R. Vorwald has the top summa cum laude graduate at the State University of New York College at Cortland. While maintaining a 3.98 cumulative average on a scale of 4.0 as straight "A" work, he was the editor of the college yearbook, co-president of the Geology Club, historian for the DeGroat Residence Hall, and played also sax with the Cortland Jazz Rock Ensemble and the Symphonic Wind Ensemble. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Alan G. Vorwald and a resident of PLAINVIEW.

Karen W. Frances of HICKSVILLE, has been inducted into Kappa Delta Pi at the State University College at Fredonia.

Margaret Derrico of Ridge Dr., PLAINVIEW, has received a degree from Villanova University.

Diane Elizabeth Scarola of Boulevard Dr., HICKSVILLE, has received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Niagara University.

Richard John Flynn of PLAINVIEW, has received a Bachelor of Arts degree from the College of William and Mary.

Mark S. Stoehler was among 550 students graduated from Wagner College on 20 May 1979.

Staehele received the Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a major in Accounting.

As an undergraduate at Wagner, he was the recipient of the Aid Association for Lutherans Scholarships for 1977-78 and 1978-79. He also was employed as student manager of the Student Union while on campus.

Mark was accepted a position with the Irving Trust Company in New York.

The former Hicksville High School graduate is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Staehele, of Rave Street, HICKSVILLE.

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