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Hicksville Sports

Hicksville Reaches Highest Peak Dominates Unbeaten Bellmore

Hicksville High attained a pinnacle of excellence in basketball execution, hitherto unsurpassed in its 58 year court history. Tuesday, to catapult Bellmore from the ranks of the unbeaten, 73-43.

A full house of 1400 saw a splendid 16 game undefeated streak snapped, a first place tie in the loss column gained and a new high of 18 victories in regular season achieved.

In addition, an individual high watermark in scoring for one game to six foot, five inch Hicksville center Bill Cheslock. He registered 41 points on 15 of 19 shots.

With Dan Skarka swirling all over the court—he had four steals and four rebounds in the torrid opening period—Hicksville took command.

Deft passing by Mike Magee nailed Cheslock four times underneath. Cheslock leaped high and deposited the ball in the net as Bellmore defense appeared stunned.

In a mid season 57-54 loss at Bellmore, Cheslock stood alone with 35 points. It was stamped early that he would get help this time.

A collapsing defense freed Skarka and he popped in four first period baskets.

Coach Wayne Bryan, returning from a recent illness, used his bench skillfully.

All American soccer star Dave Smyth made an imposing

entry. He swept the boards and powered in a lay up. With Cheslock, Skarka, Peter Martin it established Hicksville's board control.

Bob Russo scored just at the first period buzzer and Troy Levy continued Bellmore frustration with a second period sider that glided in.

It was over midway in the second stanza when the Comets had a 16 point lead on the scoreboard. At the periods, Hicksville led 17-12, 39-25, 54-31 and 73-43.

The scoring: Skarka, 8-0-16; Cheslock, 15-11-41; Russo, 1-0-2; Smyth, 3-0-6; Levy, 1-1-3; Martin, 1-0-2; Magee, 0-1-1; Murphy, 0-1-1; Newlands, 0-1-1, -29-15-73

The standings:

American League I

	W	L
Bellmore JFK	11	1
Hicksville	10	1
Farmingdale	7	4
Syosset	5	6
East Meadow	3	8
Berner	2	9
Massapequa	1	10

The Herald was there!!

Hicksville Fire Report

1983 Statistics

Total fire calls, 665; total rescue calls, 629; total alarms 1983, 1,294; including malicious false alarms, 104; fires causing damage, 123; mutual aid assist. calls, 13; fire fighter injuries, 11;

civilian fatal injury, 1; hazardous material incidents, 11; total estimated fire loss, \$1,369,741.00.

January 1984

Hicksville Fire Report
Total alarms, January, 117; total fire calls, 61; total

rescue calls, 51; total false alarms, 5.

Fire Loss

On Jan. 2, Hicksville firefighters responded to a house fire at 51 Tiptop Lane. A bedroom fire, caused by smoking, damaged one

room on the 2nd floor. There were no injuries.

On Feb. 2, fire destroyed a house at 85 Woodbine Lane, Hicksville. The delayed alarm (no smoke detectors)

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Calendar of Events

Saturday, Feb. 18

Valentine's Dance, 8:30 p.m., Galileo Lodge, Levittown Parkway.

Monday, Feb. 20

Hicksville Library closed all day for Washington's Birthday.

Tuesday, Feb. 21

Jerusalem Ave. Seniors, 11 a.m., Hicksville Jewish Center, Jerusalem Ave. and Magie Dr.
Hicksville Chamber of Commerce luncheon meeting, 12:30 p.m., Quaker Room, Milleridge Inn.
American Legion, 8:30 p.m., 24 E. Nicholas St., Hicksville.

Wednesday, Feb. 22

Hicksville Seniors, 11 a.m., Levittown Hall.
Hicksville Kiwanis, 12:15 p.m., Milleridge Inn.
11th Annual Hicksville Lions Club Blood Drive, 4 p.m. to 9 p.m., Hicksville United Methodist Church, Old Country Rd. and Nelson Ave. Call Lion Ted Marotti at 681-5190 for information.
Satellite Clinic from Northport VA, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., V.F.W., 320 South Broadway, Hicksville. Also Fri., Feb. 24.

Thursday, Feb. 23

Mid Island Seniors, 12 noon, Hicksville United Methodist Church, Old Country Rd. and Nelson Ave.
Hicksville Rotary, 12:15 p.m., Milleridge Inn.
Mrs. Wade's 4th grade class (Burns Ave. School) Roller Skating Party, 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., Skate Factory, Syosset. Tickets \$3.50.
Edward J. Giannelli Democratic Club, guest speaker Ms. Marge Harrison, a member of Gov. Cuomo's finding panel on Shoreham, 8 p.m., Levittown Hall.
Representative from Flower Time Nurseries will discuss tropical foliage plant care, 8:30 p.m., Hicksville Library.
Hicksville BPOE, 9 p.m., 80 E. Barclay St.

Honored

The Burns Avenue PTA was pleased to honor Mrs. Shirley Wyman and Mrs. Shirley Johnson at this year's Founders Day Dinner, held at the Crest Hollow Country Club, on Thursday evening, February 16.

Mrs. Wyman, a fourth grade teacher at Burns Avenue school, expresses total commitment, not only for her students but for Nassau County's senior citizens, world peace and safety, and countless other charities.

Mrs. Johnson is presently an officer of the Burns Avenue PTA, has chaired or served on numerous committees through the years, leads a den of cub scouts and still finds the time to participate in other community activities.

Both of these women have displayed outstanding qualities which exemplify the PTA standards on behalf of our youth. Our congratulations and our thanks to Mrs. Shirley Wyman and Mrs. Shirley Johnson.

Democratic Club Meeting

As a community service, the Edward J. Giannelli Democratic Club of Hicksville; will have as their guest speaker, Ms. Marge Harrison, a member of Governor Mario Cuomo's fact finding panel on Shoreham. Ms. Harrison will address the meeting of the many problems of LILCO and the

Shoreham problem in particular. The meeting will take place at Levittown Hall on Thursday Feb. 23, at 8:00 PM.

For information call Audrey Hagemann, 938-1035. Refreshments will be served after meeting.

Town Meeting, Too

Community Council To Hear Hicksville Water District On Air Stripping Plant

On Thursday, March 1 starting at 8 pm sharp, in the Hicksville Library Community Room, the Hicksville Community Council will hear representatives of the Hicksville Water District as they present the facts and charts concerning the construction of Long Island's first full scale air stripping plant for organic treatment of a public water supply system. Three wells in this district will be treated by this method, which is considered to be one of the most modern and cost effective approaches to the problem of potential increases in contaminants to our underground water system.

Also

Among other matters to be brought up to date at this meeting will be the possibility of community maintenance of some of the center islands of

Newbridge Road, the next step in the development of two park sites in the Hicksville Park Districts, and whatever other matters may be brought up during the "Town" meeting segment of this Community Council meeting.

Both Councilman Thomas Clark of the Town of Oyster Bay and New York State Assemblyman Fred Parola are expected to be present to answer any questions that may affect the areas of government which they cover.

As is the custom of this Council, refreshments will be available throughout the meeting.

"Come and bring a friend," a Council spokesperson urged, "The opinions of all Hicksville residents are important on the many local matters that come up for our Council's consideration."

Hicksville Community Council P.O. Box 163, Hicksville, New York 11801

Attached is my 1984 HCC Dues

☐ Individual Membership \$5.00
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☐ Organizations Membership \$10.00
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Galileo Lodge News

By Joe Lorenzo



VENERABLE SKIP MONTEFORTE'S MESSAGE: My role as Venerable of the Galileo Lodge is coming to an end, but not my love, affection, loyalty

and devotion, as they will always symbolize my deep association with it and all its members, male and female, patrons and friends. And now I wish to take this

moment to extend to all you dedicated people my thanks in acknowledgment of the support, cooperation, time and effort you have given me in making the Galileo Lodge one of the most highly-talked about and significantly-praised organizations functioning in the sphere of the Order of the Sons of Italy in America.

I saw it all here. A membership fully functional, deeply moved and motivated, and officers with great vision. Yes, I saw it all here at the Galileo Lodge. I owe you all a debt of gratitude. You have made my role as Venerable of the Galileo Lodge a memorable one. I extend to you all my heartfelt thanks.

Next Saturday, the 18th of February, the Galileo Lodge presents its St. Valentine's Day Dance. And what better way to immerse yourself in an environment of love and romance than to attend this dance?

And now for some advance publicity about another very important affair coming up in the

Spring, and, of course, I am referring to the Galileo Lodge's 12th Anniversary and Third Annual Louise E. Massiello Memorial Scholarship Dinner and Dance, scheduled for Saturday, the 28th of April. On this occasion the Galileo Lodge will honor Carmine Monteforte, Venerable from March 1982 to March 1984. Tickets are available at \$25 per person, and the ceremony will include a cocktail hour, dinner, unlimited liquor, beer, soda, coffee and cake, and dance music for your pleasure. Please note that payment of tickets must be made on or before April 18th. Joe Giordano will 'chair' this activity, ably assisted by a committee composed of Pete Massiello (938-4335), co-chairman, Joseph Morace (938-5099), Rocco Lombardo (433-7284), Pete Sarandrea (796-5693), Armand Del Cioppo (938-3052), Frank Matassa (921-2843), Frank Governale (931-5234), and Robert Grimmer (795-2232). Additional tickets may be obtained by contacting any

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Central General Hospital Issues '83 Annual Report

HOSPITAL COMPLETES \$2 MILLION EXPANSION

"Central General Hospital has had a most rewarding year," announced Robert J. Bornstein, Administrator for the 300 bed Plainview facility.

In addition to increasing its medical services to the community, the hospital has completed an ambitious development effort — a \$2 million dollar plant expansion program to meet growing demands.

Admissions in 1983 totaled 13,434; 1,278 were younger than 19 years, 9,070 between the ages of twenty and sixty-four years and 3,086 were above the 64 years of age. Also, there were 6,017 operations performed of which 4,255 were considered to be major and 1,762 minor operations.

The emergency department treated 35,109 patients during the year. Many of these were brought by Police and Fire Department rescue vehicles and a large number resulted from accidents on the network of major roadways surrounding the hospital.

Statistics show that the hospital treated the highest number of residents through its obstetrical and surgical departments.

"Volunteers are an integral part of the hospital," Bornstein said, and in 1983 residents from surrounding communities generously donated more than 26,000 hours of their time.

Encompassing a broad spectrum of areas of development, the following construction was recently completed:

- A new laboratory that triples the size of the previous facility;
- Expansion of the surgical intensive care unit and operating room suites doubling their prior sizes;
- Modernization and expansion of the X-Ray department and of storage areas.

Bornstein congratulated those involved in the successful completion of the 15 month construction program which was started in September 1983.

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Kindergartners In Spotlight At Fork Lane

Children in Mrs. Daven's kindergarten class at Fork Lane School have begun an interesting experience. Each week, a different child in the a.m./p.m. session is "spotlighted".

For five days, the child may bring in, to share with his fellow students, anything that interests him. Children have been bringing in pets, favorite stuffed animals, books, records, dolls, etc. In addition, if a parent has an interesting profession, he or she is also welcome to come and talk to the youngsters. In other words, the sky's the limit!

Additionally, each child completes a "Marvelous Me" poster, with clippings from newspapers or magazines pertaining to the likes of the spotlighted child. Also, at the beginning of the week, the child brings in photos from home, chronicling various stages of development in the life of the particular youngster. At week's end, the child is presented with a flower made by his or her fellow classmates.

Thanks to "Spotlight", each Fork Lane kindergartner has an opportunity to be special.



FEATURED GUEST...Glenn Romano, expert cake decorator of nearly a decade, teaches kindergartners at Fork Lane how to dress up cupcakes. Mrs. Romano was invited to be on "spotlight" by one of Mrs. Daven's students during her special week at school. (photo by K. Bliker).

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Purcell Stresses Road Maintenance

"If you want to know what maintaining the infrastructure means," Nassau County Executive Francis T. Purcell said recently, "drive across the county line into Queens and fall into a pothole. The difference is that we maintain our roads as an investment in our future, while the city has let its roads deteriorate."

Keeping county roads in good shape does not come cheap, Purcell said. The county will be spending about \$17 million this year to sweep, clean and patch its roads and bridges, clear away snow, maintain traffic signals and traffic markings and operate the public works department's machinery, vehicles and plants.

Three million a year out of the \$17 million is for a new, 10-year overlay program, which Purcell ordered in 1982, and which resurfaces about 150 lane miles of county roads with asphalt each year. The overlay toughens the road surface against potholing in the freeze-and-thaw cycle that has wreaked havoc on New York City's roads. This spring, the county will begin overlaying most of the Long Island Expressway's service roads.

Purcell said that 75 per cent of the potholes since the overlay program began have occurred in areas not yet resurfaced.

Filling one pothole takes three men working ten minutes and using 35 pounds of asphalt. This year, each pothole cost \$9.30. In January, the public works department's road maintenance division filled 9,765 potholes, and expects to fill between 60,000 and 65,000 by the end of winter. The number is down from previous years because of the overlay program, Purcell said. In 1982, the department filled 72,756 potholes at a cost of \$8.76 each; in 1983, 70,221 at \$9 each.

This year, too, the department is using a new kind of fibrous patch, which costs more than the old patch — \$50 a ton compared to \$30 — but which is holding up much better than any material it has used in the past.

Purcell said that filling potholes and keeping roads in good condition is not glamorous and does not make headlines, but that it is one of the top priorities of his administration.

"We can see the evidence of neglect right next door," said Purcell. "I am determined that will not happen in Nassau County as long as I am county executive."

There are 4,141 miles of roads within Nassau County, of which 550 miles are county roads. Since these are the county's main roads and principal arteries, most are multi-laned. All told, the county maintains 1,916 lane miles of roadway, plus 1,500 traffic signals and 42 bridges. There are also 2,035 miles of town roads, 1,175 miles of village roads, 129 miles of city roads (Glen Cove and Long Beach) and 253 miles of state roads.

Of course, the infrastructure is not limited to roads, Pur-



WHERE WORLDS COLLIDE. The two white lines down the center of Hook Creek Boulevard in Valley Stream are the border between Nassau and Queens. Nassau is on the left, Nassau County and the Town of Hempstead each maintain portions of the Nassau side.

cell noted. The county also has 72 publicly-owned buildings — including the hospital and the jail, four sewage treatment plants, 3,000 miles of lateral sewer lines and 5,598 acres of

county parks; the latter includes 15 preserves, 16 museums and 42 recreational facilities. Keeping them all in tip-top shape for the enjoyment of county residents, present and future, is a year-round job, Purcell said.

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WHO WILL CARRY THE OLYMPIC TORCH?

On March 4, the Nassau Farmers
Market will select one youth...

age 8 to 17, to run 1 kilometer, representing Long
Island in the Olympic Torch Relay from New York to
Los Angeles for the 1984 Summer Olympics.

Participants will be required to run 1 km in less than 7 minutes around the
Nassau Farmers Market in Bethpage, which is sponsoring one kilometer in
the cross-country Olympic Torch Relay. The course will be measured by Jack
Dowling, President of the Long Island Road Runners Club, Inc., which is
administering the time trials.

Registration for qualifying heats at the Farmers Market will take place on
Friday, February 17 and 24, or Saturday, February 18 and 25, between 11:00
A.M. and 8:00 P.M. at Olympic Booth #313, Aisle B. There is a \$1 registration
fee, and parents must sign the registration form.

The names of all runners who qualify will be entered in a drawing to be held
on Sunday, March 4, at 4:30 P.M. at the Farmers Market. Bruce MacDonald,
former manager of the U.S. Olympic Track and Field Team (1972, 1976), will
draw the name of Long Island's torch relay runner. Contestants must be
present to win.

In addition to carrying a personalized torch in the official cross-
country Olympic Torch Relay, the runner will receive the torch
itself, a uniform, a certificate, and a \$100 gift certificate for
purchases at the Nassau Farmers Market. The Farmers Market
will also donate \$500 to the student's school athletic department.
Two other youngsters will be chosen to receive \$50 gift
certificates.

The Long Island Olympic Torch Relay Runner will accompany the official
Olympic torchbearer for the 1 km run.

For more information, contact the Nassau Farmers Market, Hicksville Rd. (Rte.
107), opp. Grumman Aircraft, Bethpage, L.I., N.Y. (516) 931-8400.

The Cultural Arts Center - A Unique Learning Environment

To make the most of their
talents, public high school
students seeking a career in
the arts need a very special-
ized school environment.
This is why the Board of
Cooperative Educational
Services of Nassau County
established the Cultural
Arts Center, which offers
professional-level training
to such teenagers as a sup-
plement to their normal
course of study.

Since 1973, the center's
half-day program has
allowed Long Island stu-
dents to develop their talents
in the areas of dance, vocal
music, instrumental music,
drama, playwriting and art.
Instructors are respected
professionals in their fields,
with credentials ranging
from Broadway, film and
television credits to teaching
positions at colleges, univer-
sities and repertory compa-
nies around the world. The
faculty understands well the
pressures and realities that
will greet the center's gradu-
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lives. These teachers know
that without discipline, ded-
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scholastic background, tal-
ent won't take their students
very far.

Academics are heavily
emphasized at the Cultural
Arts Center, located on Ket-
chams Road in SYOSSET.
Many of its programs are

accredited at the college
level. Students are advised
to take advantage of the
additional four years of
training that college offers
them, so that they can
develop the maturity to
make decisions, gain a
broad base of knowledge
and acquire professional
techniques. As a result of
this encouragement, 96 per-
cent of the center's gradu-
ates go on to high-ranking
colleges, universities and
conservatories, many with
scholarships.

Students attend the Cul-
tural Arts Center for half of
each school day and spend
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home high schools in Nas-
sau and Suffolk Counties.
Each benefits from a curric-
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his or her needs. Enrichment
is provided through lectures
and demonstrations by top-
level guest artists and by
field trips to theaters, con-
certs, galleries and muse-
ums. In addition, students
are given extensive training
in audition techniques or the
preparation of portfolios.

In order to have the best
chance to succeed in brutally
competitive professions,
these youngsters benefit
greatly from the expertise
offered at the Cultural Arts
Center, in addition to the
support of their home
schools.

Dear Friends:

As "Alice In Wonderland" commented ... things get curi-ous and curi-ouser! And they certainly do when in Hicks-ville the majority of the Board of Education has now even changed the date of their annual budget vote, at which time candidates for this august body are elected.

It is sad to see adults play games. Why not face the issue of what to do about the challenge to the NY State approved "Moment of Silence"? A referendum on this issue would solve the matter in a democratic way. This could be done without additional expense to the district by adding this proposition onto the ballot when our annual vote is held.

And whether this be in May or in June, does this board majority really think that Hicksville residents will forget about this issue in such a short time? We don't.

And if the question does not appear on the ballot, certainly the names of those running for office will. So the matter can and will be settled one way or the other.

We are against any procedure that denies the voting public the right to make their wishes known. A referendum could easily settle this, whichever way it is decided.

Let the people speak.

SHEILA NOETH

Fire Marshal's Bulletin

We are submitting the following information concerning possible defective smoke detectors:

"An estimated 770,000 battery-operated residential smoke detectors are being recalled by their manufacturer, Honeywell, Inc.

The reason: They might not sound an alarm when smoke is present. The recall involves Model TC89B and

TC89C detectors produced in 1977 and 1978. The model numbers are found inside the detector on a piece of gray cardboard along with a date code ranging from 7601 to 7820. The detectors can be tested by checking the battery, then blowing out a candle nearby to create smoke. If the alarm does not sound, call Honeywell toll free at (800) 328-8194 for a replacement."

Rotary Donates To Gift Of Life

The Rotary Club of Hicksville announced it has given an additional \$1,000.00 donation to the Gift of Life. This brings the Club's donations to a total of more than \$2,700.00 for the Rotary year, according to Augie Cassella, the Club's Gift of Life Chairman.

The program recently gained national attention when Nancy Reagan brought two Korean children back to the United States with her and the President on Air Force One. The children were successfully operated on and have returned to Korea. Mrs. Reagan will also be the guest of honor at a Rotary fund raising ball to be held at the Waldorf Astoria on February 21, 1984.

The Gift of Life program was started by the Manhasset Rotary Club in 1975 and has developed into a

District-wide project. In cooperation with St. Francis Hospital in Roslyn and doctors who donate their services, the program arranges for open-heart surgery for children. More than 200 children have received treatment as a result of the funds raised by Rotarians in this area.

In addition to Gift of Life, Mr. Cassella indicated that Hicksville Rotary also gives scholarships to four local high schools and distributes Christmas baskets to the needy, as well as participating in other community service projects in the Hicksville and Jericho area. The Club meets every Thursday at 12:15 p.m. at the Milleridge Inn in Hicksville. Anyone interested in joining can contact the President of the Hicksville Club, Harry Peltz at 433-2000.

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Dear Sheila,

Just received the Mid Island Herald for week 2/3. The letters to the editor were very interesting on the subject of "A MOMENT OF MEDITATION". Please let me advise the community the following:

1. In 1961-1963 the supreme court did NOT state that prayer in the public schools was "unconstitutional". The court said that "Mandated prayer was wrong". At that time the prayer used in Hicksville schools and through out the state was a prayer set down by the regents board. When the court ruled on this issue, as a result of a suit by an agnostic from Baltimore, the court ruled that "mandated prayer was unconstitutional".

When this came out in the media, (radio and press) at a regular meeting of the Union free school district 17 board of education, I as a member of the board, made the motion to permit a moment of meditation at the opening of every school day. This was duly seconded and PASSED UNANIMOUSLY by the board then empowered.

This action of the board was put on the associated press wireless circuit by the editor of the Midland HERALD, by my very dear friend Fred Noeth. As a result, I received over a hundred letters from all over the United States endorsing the position taken by the Hicksville Board. At least 75 phone calls from far and wide supported this position.

TO THE PRESENT BOARD OF EDUCATION, STAND UP AND BE COUNTED. AS LONG AS THIS POLICY HAS WITHSTOOD OVER TWENTY YEARS OF CHALLENGE, AND YOU BELIEVE IT TO BE A GOOD POLICY, DON'T NEGATE IT BECAUSE OF "we can't afford the costs of litigation". In my nine years on the board, EVERY BOARD MEETING STARTED WITH A PRAYER FOR GUIDANCE.

There is no group of people that doesn't have a Supreme Being of some kind. This includes catholic, protestant, hebrew, agnostic, or atheist. There is a "mighty Person" to them all, whether they call it "GOD", "JEHOVA", "ALLAH", "BUDDA", "MOSES", or whatever. Or even Satan.

I sincerely urge the board to continue the endorsement of the policy set by the board in the early sixties. It is a sound policy, endorsed by the people then and now, and worthy of the continuance of the present board, regardless of any personal commitment to any conviction in religious life.

STAND UP AND BE COUNTED.

Respectfully,

Herbert H. Johnson

Dear Members of the Board:

I support the moment of silence in our schools. I hope you will reconsider your

Letters To The Editor

vote and accept the challenge.

I attended the meeting on Feb. 8th and thank you all for your patience and honest expression of your personal reflections on this important issue.

There were many, and in some cases, serious, compassionate feelings given by our residents. I object to the Board allowing an "out-sider" being recognized to offer his ideas. I think it would have been just as improper for someone from the Moral Majority of the Diocese of Rockville Center to speak too.

I would like to address yourselves to your policy or feelings about this at the next meeting. If you wish, you can write me a response.

I know this is a highly emotional and serious issue. But I feel that the majority want the "moment" to remain. Please consider a referendum as one possible solution. I certainly do not like the idea of one person/- since it is a 4-3 vote against making the difference in this issue.

I hope many of the residents write you their feelings and attend the final meeting on Feb. 29th to support their feelings.

Sincerely,
Charles P. Cunningham

To The Editor:

My name is Runhild Wessell. I am a retired HHS teacher and began teaching here in 1936 and retired in 1973. I taught a total of 42 years and have lived in H. for 48 years. For the past 8 years of my retirement I have been working as a volunteer tutor in the Nassau County Jail.

I understand parents' concerns about religious training for their children, but I am opposed to silent prayer and meditation in our schools. It is illegal. Calling it meditation is merely glossing over the issue. Prayer is prayer, silent or oral. How can we teach children to obey the law when Board members flout it? The separation of Church and State is guaranteed in the Bill of Rights to the benefit of both. No Board member can take this away from us. Religion is too important to be trusted to the State. All the Supreme Court has said is that the State may not tell you how and when to pray. That is the province of the church and home; thus religion is actually strengthened by this ruling.

I was appalled by some of the ideas expressed in letters to the editor in the last issue of our local paper. I have four points to make and a conclusion.

1. This issue is not a matter of one parent taking any rights away from us. This is a matter of one or two parents calling our attention to the laws that should be obeyed and are not. This is a matter of making sure that the religious rights of all are respected, that is, kept separate from the state. Barring prayer from the schools is not a restraint in the practice of religion. People can

still practice religion as they choose but cannot impose their beliefs or practices on others.

2. The question was raised, "Should we also do away with all mention of God or religion in our history textbooks?" The writers must be joking. History is full of the important part religion has played in our history. Besides the many religious wars over the centuries down to the present struggles in Ireland and the Mid East, we teach the positive influence of the church in keeping learning alive in the Dark Ages. In American history we teach the part that religion played in getting education for all so that people could read the Bible. Eliminate all of this and you eliminate much history.

3. Another person wrote, "I believe what is needed are school boards who recognize that the decay of morality in America has a very strong relationship with a concomitant banishment of God from the school life of students." I thought God was supposed to be everywhere all the time and in us. How can we banish Him?

4. Another person wrote, "The recent decision of the Hicksville School Board to end a morning moment of silent meditation is at best a sorry concession to the ongoing trend of Godless education in America." This is an insult to the many fine teachers in Hicksville and in many other cities across the nation. I do not say this lightly because I was active in the classroom teacher association movement since the end of World War II and am still active among retired teachers. One thing I have always been proud of is being a teacher. I have known many hundreds of very fine teachers on the local, county, state, national and international level. Is the writer saying teachers have no influence? Come on! Silent meditation or prayer in the classroom has become a dreary, repetitious routine rather than the meaningful time it is in houses of worship or around the table before meals.

Perhaps the point is the meaning of the word religion, and along with it the meaning of citizenship and spiritual enrichment, mentioned in another letter. If these terms mean only praying, then I say your religion is in your mouth. Religion also means how you live your life and how you treat your fellow-man. Service is a prayer too. Does any one think that teachers don't

perform this daily by example and by talking to students? When I was teaching, I called parents up frequently when there was a problem and almost always received the great cooperation from them. I respect the parents of Hicksville. This is religion too, if not organized religion.

Now for my final point. I have a suggestion that will keep all of us within the law and satisfy differing points of view. Pray or meditate with your children at home at breakfast time before they go to school. Then you give the day a good start and by your example reinforce them in their religious faith, encourage them by your religious training and provide them with religious worship.

—Runhild E. Wessell

Dear Sheila,

The public outcry over the elimination of our "Silent Prayer and Meditation" policy continues to build in our community, as was clearly demonstrated at our February 8th Board meeting.

During that meeting, the board majority made up of Mr. Ayres, Mrs. Singer, Mrs. Rudin and Mr. Wolfson, astonished us all by voting to have our annual budget and school elections on June 13th rather than May 2nd, without consulting the Superintendent, her staff, or their fellow board members-WHY?

By their action they have placed in jeopardy the educational needs of the students under their care. In the past, Mr. Ayres, Mrs. Singer, Mrs. Rudin and Mr. Wolfson all purported being advocates for education, but for what ever reason, they have derailed a very sound carefully prepared educational plan for 1984-85, that was undertaken by the Superintendent, her staff, the board and its committees. Now we are faced with the uncertainties of purchasing much needed textbooks, supplies, and materials in time for the start of school next September.

By their hastily conceived plan to hold the election on June 13th, they will cause great hardship and confusion in the selection of staff for the next year by compressing the time factor in notifying staff of any changes.

By their act they have placed in jeopardy our summer school program by only allowing two weeks time in preparing programs and properly staffing the needed subject areas.

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Second Precinct Police Report

Pum Gas Station, Jerusalem Ave., Hicksville, was burglarized between Feb. 11 and 12. Entry was gained by breaking the glass in the front door. Cash and a radio were reported stolen.

Johnson Electric, Duffy Ave., Hicksville, was burglarized between Feb. 11 and 13. A clock was reported stolen.

A residence on Willets Ave., Hicksville, was burglarized on Feb. 7. Entry was gained by breaking the glass in the rear door. Jewelry and cash were reported stolen.

A residence on Summit St., Plainview, was burglarized on Feb. 6. Entry was gained by prying open the rear door. Jewelry was

reported stolen.

A residence on Fulton Ave., Hicksville, was burglarized on Feb. 8. Entry was gained through an unlocked front door. A man's suit was reported stolen.

A residence on Patricia St., Plainview, was burglarized on Feb. 9. Jewelry was reported stolen.

A residence on Wycoff St., Hicksville, was burglarized on Feb. 9. A gold chain, cash and porcelain jar were reported stolen.

A residence on Stevens St., Plainview, was burglarized on Feb. 10. Entry was gained by kicking in the rear door. Cash and a ring were reported stolen.

Oyster Bay Adopts Ordinance To Give Local Water Districts Increased Control

The Oyster Bay Town Board has approved the adoption of a new ordinance which will permit local water districts to discontinue water services to those who have been found by a court to be violating New York State Environmental Conservation Laws.

Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Joseph Colby said that "after a public hearing held on the proposed ordinance on February 7, 1984, the Town Board voted to

approve its adoption. At the hearing," Colby continued, "representatives from several of the Town's water districts spoke in favor of the ordinance which would permit the locally elected Commissioners of the water districts to take violators to court, which they previously did not have the authority to do."

The amendment to the Town's Code of Ordinances provided that any water district in the Town of Oyster

Bay would be empowered to terminate or discontinue water services and supplies to any domestic, commercial, industrial, agricultural or other non-municipal enterprise after it had been found by the governing authorities of the water district and the courts to be discharging pollutants in violation of New York State Environmental Conservation Laws.

Colby added that "by adopting the ordinance, the Board has given the water districts more control in their effort to present the discharge of pollutants into the water disposal systems or on any property in the Town which could at some future time cause possible contamination to public water supply wells for which the water districts are responsible."

Eighth Precinct Police Report

By Police Officer Kenneth Box

A residence on Jefferson Ave., Hicksville, was burglarized on Feb. 6. Entry was gained by breaking a rear window. \$200 cash was reported stolen.

A residence on John Dr., Old Bethpage, was burglar-

ized on Feb. 11. Entry was gained by forcing open the rear door. \$150 cash was reported stolen.

Twilco Textiles, Sweet Hollow Rd., Old Bethpage, was burglarized sometime between Feb. 11 and 12. No loss was reported.



The prestigious Paul Harris sustaining Membership award (named after the Rotary International founder) was presented to three Hicksville club past presidents in a special ceremony held at the club's weekly luncheon meeting. This coveted award is given in recognition of distinguished rotary service rendered to the club.

The three recipients are (1) Joseph Trebits, Arthur Pettorino and Paul Martin (r). Current club president William Howarth (2nd from right) made the presentation. (Photo by Joe DePaola)



A Hicksville firm -- Malvese Ditch Witch -- has been cited for its outstanding sales performance in 1983.

A "quota buster" plaque was presented to Thom Drescher, representing the firm, during the annual marketing conference of Ditch Witch dealers from throughout the world January 22-25 in Tulsa, OK.

The plaques went only to Ditch Witch dealers who exceeded factory-set sales goals during the past year. The Ditch Witch line of underground construction equipment is manufactured by the Charles Machine Works, Inc., in Perry, OK.

Malvese Ditch Witch is located at 530 Old Country Road, Hicksville.

Shown in attached photo, left to right: Paul Rogers, national sales manager for CMW; Thom Drescher; and Ellison Beasley, Eastern region manager for CMW.

LEGIONNAIRE'S

and coming next month on the 6th of March is the 3rd Division Caucus at our Post and as you know, we are in this division ... (There being 3 divisions of the Legion in Nassau County) ... We will be electing delegates to this caucus probably at the next meeting, or at the latest, at the March 5th meeting ... These delegates & alternates will also serve in the same capacity at the county convention in June of the Nassau County ... Our own Dick Hochbrueckner, who is the present 3rd Division Commander, has set his goal at this convention as the office of Membership Officer of the county Legion ... He will have competition for this position from a member of the 2nd Division ... And along the trail that leads to a new Commander and Officers for next year stands the Nominating Committee, poised for the coming deliberations that will determine the guidance and destiny of the future of Legion programs at Hicksville ... Or in other words, this is where it all begins ... We are one of

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the grass roots of the American Legion and from each Post stems the strength for the backing of the Legion programs, stems the birth of new programs, to supplant our mod programs, to keep the pot boiling as we seek the right road for the betterment of all Americans ... How about you??? Have you any ideas??? Aren't tired of staying out of the action??? Now is the time to get active and show what you are made of ... You don't think the officers are doing a good job, and that you could do much better, well come on down and show us!!! ... Next meeting is Tuesday, February 21st, see you all there ... Keep in mind, and make plans to be at our March 17th Awards and Ceremonial Nite. After the short ceremonies there will be dancing ... You are wanted there whether or not you are scheduled for an award and of course that means bring your lady, and have a ball ... More on this later ... How about the Blood Insurance program??? Wot, say?



Mr. Robert A. Dubin, Metro New York Manager of Calvert Distillers Co. was the guest speaker at the February 8 meeting of the Hicksville Kiwanis Club.

Mr. Dubin spoke about the ingredients, processes, and procedures involved in making Irish whiskey available in the United States. He also brought along a sample of his company's product for the members to taste if they cared to.

After the discussion and sampling, Mr. Dubin raffled off the remainder of the generous sample. He also brought along a mirrored clock advertising his product for another raffle. This was won by Kiwanis Past President Siegfried Widder who is shown in the photo, on the right, accepting the clock from Mr. Dubin.

REAL ESTATE REPORT

by
ERWIN SOROKA

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Today, after finding a home to purchase, and going to contract, a homebuyer now faces a question most previous buyers did not have to consider.

Should they take out a conventional fixed mortgage loan? Or should they take out an adjustable? You may be surprised to learn that according to the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, in 1983, fifty-five per cent of all mortgages were adjustable. Most of the area's banks are packaging two-tier mortgage programs that accommodate both types of loans.

The fixed-rate mortgage, which has a set interest rate over the term of the loan, offers security to the homebuyer, but at a price. Today one can "lock in" for approximately 13 to 14 per cent.

There is some risk with an adjustable. The rates in the first year always beat the rates on fixed loans. Some banks set maximum increases for a year or for the life of a loan. Consumers can now obtain three-year and five-year adjustables on which the interest rate remains unchanged for 36 and 60 months, respectively. Adjustables have been fairly stable over the last year. Adjustables are also important to homebuyers who would not qualify (because of income) for a conventional mortgage loan.

Prospective buyers should shop around and select a mortgage they are comfortable with, both emotionally and financially.

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Elkis-Greener

Deborah Lynn Elkins, daughter of Dolores R. Elkins and the late Henry A. Elkins, 30 Bobwhite Lane, Hicksville, became the bride of Daniel Allen Greener, son of John and Margaret Greener, 38 Lenox Ave., Hicksville, at a 1:30 p.m. ceremony held on Jan. 22 at the Huntington Town House. Rabbi Ehrlich and the Rev. D. Ciannella officiated.

The bride wore a white bridal gown, featuring a high neck, long sleeves and

cathedral train. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and white roses.

Wendy Elkins, the bride's sister was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids included Mildred Greener, the groom's sister and Mary Ferretti, a friend.

Arthur Piper was the best man and Alan Slawata and Michael Mafri were ushers.

A reception for family

and friends followed the ceremony.

The bride is a 1984 graduate of the Fashion Institute of Technology.

The groom is a graduate of Island Drafting and Technical Institute, where he is employed as an Admissions Counselor.

Following a wedding trip in Jamaica, the couple have made their home in Syosset.

Wives Of New York Islanders To Model In Fashion Show

Members of the New York Islanders Hockey Team will put away their skates as they watch their wives model, for the third successive year, in a Fashion Show and Dinner to benefit the Long Island Chapter of the American Diabetes Association.

The fashion show will be held at the Crest Hollow

Country Club in Woodbury, Long Island on Thursday, March 15th. Festivities get underway at 7 P.M.

Tickets go quickly, so contact the Long Island Chapter office in Melville to reserve your seats now! Call the American Diabetes Association at (516) 752-1752 for ticket information.

American Legion Auxiliary News

The next meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary of the Charles Wagner Post, Unit #421, Hicksville, will be held on Friday, March 2 at 8:30 p.m. at the Post, located at 24 E. Nicholas St.

A dinner honoring our Department President, Ms. Hilda Davis will be held on Thurs., March 15, at the Royal Lancer in Woodbury.

at 6 p.m. Reservations must be made by Feb. 29th. The cost is \$12.00 per person. Please call G. Seitz at 796-9411 for your reservations.

Our 300 Club Cocktail Party was held on Sat., Feb. 4 and Ed Reynolds, Al Cinotti and Tecla Gunther were the lucky winners. Our Valentine's Dance was held on Sat., Feb. 11

Chamber Of Commerce Meeting

The next luncheon meeting of the Hicksville Chamber of Commerce will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 21 at 12:30 p.m. in the Quaker Room of the Milleridge Inn.

Martin Cantor, Aid to Assemblyman Fred Parola

will be the guest. The Chamber will discuss with him some of their concerns, namely G-1 Zoning.

Holy Family Basketball

Holy Family's once-beaten fifth grade traveling CYO basketball team defeated St. Raphael, 30-19, last Sunday in East Meadow.

Coach Jim Bradley's high flying Eagles have reeled off five straight victories and now lead their division with an impressive 10-1 record with one game remaining.

Holy Family never trailed in defeating St. Raphael as David Cohen opened the scoring with a three-point play. Cohen finished with 15 points and Peter Osback added eight. Victor Cornelius, Paul Rom, Mike Mur-

ray, and Anthony Laviola also scored.

In other recent games, the Eagles nipped St. Bernard, 27-26, to gain sole possession of first place. Rom converted two key foul shots and Osback added a basket and a foul late in the fourth period as Holy Family held on to win it. Danny Fujimoto was high man with 10 points, while Cohen added seven.

Holy Family defeated St. Dominic, 38-30, for its eighth victory. With Cohen scoring in 10 points and Fujimoto adding six, Holy Family took a 23-10 lead at the half. Cohen led all scorers with 16 points and Fujimoto chipped in with 10.

Osback, Rom, and John Coyle also contributed to the scoring.

The Eagles also defeated St. James, 30-24, as seven players scored. Cohen scored 10 of his game high 16 points in the first half when Holy Family jumped out to a 14-4 margin. Paul Maresca, Ted Knoop, Barry Mannion, Jarrett Roth, Rom, Coyle, Osback, and Murray all played well.

Holy Family's next home game will be on Sunday, February 26 when the Eagles host St. Dominic at 12:30 p.m.

DEVOTIONS

By The Rev. Dr. J. H. Krahn
Trinity Lutheran Church

NO OBITUARIES IN HEAVEN

A little girl was blind from birth. Her mother would sit with her at the window and describe what she saw. In the spring she spoke of the tulips pushing out of the ground, the budding trees, the greening grass. In the summer she described the fullness of the vegetation, the squirrels playing in the trees. The fall, the changing colors of the leaves, the wispy clouds. The winter, the drifting snows, the frost on the window pane.

The little girl had an operation on her eyes, and she could see. When her mother came into the room she said, "Mother, why didn't you tell me it was so beautiful?" Her mother answered, "Honey, I tried, but I guess my words just weren't up to it."

When we lose someone close to us there are really no

brilliant words which can do justice to the occasion. Our words just aren't up to it. As we mourn our loss, it is difficult for us to see beyond the moment. Death clouds our vision. It takes time for acceptance to begin and for hope to be restored. We grieve because we have loved. Our grief is simply an expression of our love.

For the Christian physical death is merely the grand pause in life. We see our loved one moving from earthly life to heavenly life. In time we are even able to view heaven through the visionary eyes of Saint John.

John sees the saints sitting around the throne of God. They are happy. And God himself descends from his throne and wipes away every tear from their eyes proclaiming as he does that there is no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying, nor pain. All of that has gone forever.

And now, looking very hard, we see him. We see her. Our loved one who has gone before. And we see it. There on her head sits the crown-the crown of everlasting life; for there are no obituaries in heaven-only life with God forever.

"Premiere 1984" Car Show

The second annual "Premiere 1984" Car Show sponsored by Long Island Cars will be held Sat., March 3rd, from 10am to 11pm and

Sunday March 4th, from 10am to 9pm at Colonial Hill Convention Center, Motor Pkwy., Hauppauge (I.I.E. exit 57N). This show is the premiere show for auto collectors in the tri-state area, featuring over 120 exhibitors who will display every type automobile from the 30's, 40's, 50's, 60's and later years' special interest cars. Experts will offer restoration tips as well as memorabilia, prints and literature for sale.

In addition, there will be a wide range of difficult to find auto parts to complete your restoration. For further information call (516) 928-9817.

ACS Mini Vacation

A one-day mini-vacation trip to the Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City on Tuesday, February 21st, is being sponsored by the Plainview/Hicksville Unit of the American Cancer Society.

The express bus leaves Morton Village Shopping Center at 9:30 A.M.

To reserve your place, please send \$15, tax deductible check, to American Cancer Society, 1225 Round Swamp Road, Old Bethpage, NY 11804.

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For further information, call: 293-7770 or 420-1111. Ext. 505.

Obituaries

JANE M. LUER

Jane M. Luer, a long time Hicksville resident, died on Feb. 5. She was the daughter of the late Fritz and Gertrude Luer; sister of George Luer and aunt of Kenneth and Gene Luer.

Religious services were held at the Henry J. Stock Funeral Home, Newbridge Rd., Hicksville. Interment took place in Holy Rood Cemetery.

HENRY C. REESE

Henry C. Reese of Old Bethpage died on Feb. 11. He was the husband of Maria; father of William and Sandra; brother of Hinni and William; grandfather of three.

He reposed at the Plainview Funeral Home, Old Country Rd. Mass of

the Christian Burial was at St. Pius X R.C. Church and interment followed in St. Charles Cemetery.

DAISY T. ABELES
Daisy T. Abeles of Hicksville died on Feb. 8. She was the wife of Richard H.

Services were held at the Fairchild Chapel, Garden City. Interment took place in Pinelawn Memorial Park.

SCOTT W. DEVITA

Scott W. DeVita of Hicksville died on Feb. 9. He was the son of Dorothy and William; brother of Susan Richter and Dennis.

He reposed at the Vernon C. Wagner Funeral Home, Old Country Rd., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was at Holy Family R. C.

Church and interment followed in Calverton National Cemetery.

CATHERINE GAFFNEY

Catherine Gaffney of Hicksville died on Feb. 9. She was the wife of the late John; mother of Peter, Alfred and Thomas Gaffney, Kathleen Fiechsbauer, Edward and the late Patricia Gaffney; mother-in-law of Janice and Ron. She is also survived by three grandchildren.

She reposed at the Thomas F. Dalton Funeral Home, Jerusalem Ave., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was at St. Ignatius R. C. Church and interment followed in St. Charles Cemetery.

ANNA T. LUTZ

Anna T. Lutz of Plainview died on Feb. 13. She was the wife of Francis; mother of Gloria Popiowski and Francis Jr.; sister of Margaret Clandrow. She is also survived by nine grandchildren.

She reposed at the Vernon C. Wagner Funeral Home, Old Country Rd., Hicksville. Mass of the Christian Burial was at Holy Name of Jesus Church and interment was held in Holy Rood Cemetery.

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Hicksville Sports

Troy Levy Triggers Win At Syosset

By Howard Finnegan

Knotted, 41-41, as the last period at Syosset started, Hicksville broke away on basket by Bill Cheslock. Dan Skarka and an aggressive three-point play by Troy Levy.

The flurry enabled the Comets to record a double 1984 victory over its long-time opponent, 58-49.

Victories in this highly competitive series are prized

in the Hicksville camp.

Coach Wayne Bryan could not be on hand for the satisfaction due to illness.

Coach Ron Quartrini, assisted by Ed Moller took the reigns and following Bryan's precepts, guided the Orange and Black to the win.

In the 17-8 fourth quarter bludge, Cheslock and Skarka were insistent as

they built 23 and 21 point games respectively.

Vital contributions by Levy (5) and Bob Russo (6) held Hicksville in during the first half. Mike Magee (1) and John McAleese (2) played fine floor games.

The victory was Hicksville's and Bryan's 16th of the season. This is the high watermark for the coach in his 17 years at Hicksville.

Roller Skating Party

By popular demand, Mrs. Wade's fourth grade class at Burns Avenue School is once again having a Roller Skating Party on Thursday, February 23rd at the Skate Factory in Syosset. It will be held from 6:00 to 9:00 in the evening and all who love to roller skate are invited.

The price of each ticket is \$3.50 and it includes admission, rental of skates, a drink, and free raffles. Proceeds will be used towards a trip to Washington D.C. by Mrs. Wade and her class.

Tickets are available from any of the fourth grade students and also at the door of the Skate Factory on Feb. 23rd.

Remember, you do not have to attend Burns Avenue School to attend this party. Come alone or get a group together and join the fun!

Annual Health Week

Robert J. Bornstein, Administrator, announced that the Central General Hospital will conduct its Fourth Annual Health Week from February 20-24 with the theme "Good Health Is The Cats Meow." Special health education screening and professional counseling activities have been scheduled, free of charge, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM in the lobby of the hospital.

Bornstein said, "the event

is held to increase the community's awareness of the relationships between behavior and health as well as to encourage the adoption of a healthy life style."

The event will include testing for Hypertension, Diabetes, Eye Acuity, Counseling on Nutrition, Respiratory Care, Immunizations, Drug Antibiotic Use and Exercise Therapy.

For further information, call Central General Hospital at 681-8900 ext. 2304.

Our Lady of Mercy

Fund Raiser

The month of March brings us in touch with the magic of Irish songs, dance and St. Patrick's Entertainment. Long Island residents have the opportunity of attending a very special event at Our Lady of Mercy

Returns Make Good

Copies Of Old Tax Records

Copies of federal income tax returns from prior years not only serve as good financial records, but they can serve as guides for filling out future returns as well, the Internal Revenue Service said.

A good deal of information may be utilized from old copies, especially for those taxpayers whose financial situations stay almost the same from year to year, according to the IRS.

Being able to refer to completed returns could also be helpful to taxpayers who might later wish to amend their returns, income average or who are called in for a tax examination. Taxpayers claiming the energy credit might also find copies of completed returns useful in figuring the amount of unused credit which they can carry over to later tax years.

Parish. The songs and music of popular Tommy Mulvihill and Company create a spectacular Irish musical play entitled, "Keep the Tradition Alive." A two act play woven with Irish ballads and the lure of mandolin promise an evening of great fun and excitement.

Mark your calendar for March 2, at 8 p.m. at Our Lady of Mercy Auditorium, 520 So. Oyster Bay Road, Hicksville. Admission is \$8.00 per person. Dancing and Drinks available after Show.

Extra Service From Post Office

For Washington's Birthday

For the first time the Hicksville Post Office will be open to sell Express Mail only.

The office is going to be open for this purpose from

In addition, the Marching Comets have performed at half-time at all the home football games. At the special request of Fordham

Happy Birthday

Birthday wishes are in order for Lois Bomberger of Fox Pl., Hicksville. She celebrated on Feb. 16. Her husband, David, son, Kurt and daughter, Ann, helped her celebrate her special day.

For further information, call 516-433-7040.

Tickets are on sale now! Treat yourself and your family to a truly Irish Tradition.

News From HHS Marching Comets

Our sincere thanks to those Hicksville alumni who have 'caught the spirit' and generously donated to the support of the Hicksville High School Marching Comets.

For those alumni who have not yet heard of the new spirit in our marching band, we are proud to say that the Hicksville High School Marching Comets encompasses many phases of high school activity; Band musicians, Flights, Coquettes and also members of the 9th Grade Junior High School Band.

Starting from scratch in 1982, the Comets became an award-winning marching unit by attaining the 1982 Division II Long Island Championship in the Tournament of Bands Competition in November, they won second place in the Division II Long Island Championship.

In addition, the Marching Comets have performed at half-time at all the home football games. At the special request of Fordham

University, the Comets entertained at half-time at the October Fordham-Weber football game. They have also performed at various Hicksville soccer games at Hofstra. They marched in the 1983 St. Patrick's Day Parade and hope to repeat their participation in 1984. The Marching Comets are scheduled to march in the Hicksville Memorial Day Parade.

These 105 hardworking and dedicated students are a credit to themselves, their school and a source of great pride to the Hicksville community. "Catch The Spirit" and support your Hicksville High School Marching Comets.

Help Sought In Grid Mysteries

By Howard Finnegan

We have also had requests to continue our stories of Coach E. Parker Yutzler. It would be appreciated if any of his former players would recall incidents.

Information and references can be forwarded to Howard Finnegan, Mid Island Herald, 1 Jonathan Ave., Hicksville 11801. They will be acknowledged.

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At The Hicksville Library

The Hicksville Public Library will be closed on Monday, February 20th, in observance of Washington's Birthday.

A program of interest to indoor gardeners will be presented at the Hicksville Public Library on Wednesday, February 23rd at 8:00 PM in the Community Room of the library. A representative from Flower Time Nurseries will discuss all aspects of tropical foliage plant care including light,

water and fertilizers requirements, repotting, and insect ID and control. Questions will be answered, time permitting.

Free Income Tax assistance will be available at the Hicksville Public Library beginning February 6th (Monday) and continuing until April 11th. Someone will be in the library on almost every day of the week and at convenient hours for most everyone. Either call the library (931-1417) or

stop in and pick up a flyer with the days and hours listed. Service is provided by the AARP (American Association of Retired People) for Senior Citizens only. VITA volunteers from various local colleges will assist everyone. The library also has on hand a large variety of forms, Federal and State, in addition to instruction booklets. Every form printed is retained by the library and can be copied at 10¢ per copy. Inquire at the Circulation Desk about forms.

Ant Farmers At Dutch Lane



The children in Denise Yannone's fourth-fifth grade class at the Dutch Lane School are observing and studying worker ants in an ant farm colony they

have set up in their classroom. The students have learned that ants work very hard, but they also like to sleep and play. Did you know that ants like to play baseball? They will roll one tiny birdseed back and forth and they also like to pass the seed to each other. Ants like to have wrestling matches too. Ants from the same colony rarely have real

fight, but they like to spar with each other. Ants like to have meetings, and sometimes they all gather together for a "party."

Each ant has its own special job in the community. Some ants dig tunnels, others gather food. Ants are very strong for their size, and some workers can carry loads that weigh hundreds of times more than they do.

The children observed that ants survive well because they all work together. The community as a whole can prosper when each member does its job and each contributes his or her own fair share. The students are learning some good lessons in democracy by observing the ants. They respect each other's rights and they are always ready to help each other. The students are also learning to respect and safeguard life in the animal kingdom - no matter how small it is. Each student has a turn to give food and water to the ant colony. The class has learned that ants can be very interesting and educational.

At The Plainview Library

TAX RETURN ASSISTANCE

Tax Return Assistance is available at the library on Sundays from 1:30 - 3:30 pm and Tuesdays, from 6:30 - 8:30 pm for all residents. Also, available is assistance for residents 55+ on Tuesdays, from 10 am - 2 pm. Please bring your last year's tax return and 1983 tax materials. Free; no appointments.

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Come to the library on Thursday, February 23 at 8 pm to see this French movie with English subtitles.

No tickets are required for the film. First come are first served.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING

On Saturday, February 25 from 9 am - 5:30 pm, the Library will offer an 8-hour Defensive Driving Course for \$28 per person. Register at the Circulation Desk of the library.

MUSIC OF THE 50's

Susan Wagner, song stylist, along with piano accompanist Laurie Hawkins will bring you down

memory lane with songs from the 1950's. Ms. Wagner will be at the Library on Sunday, February 26 at 3pm. They will bring you songs from shows including *Music Man*, *Brigadoon*, *My Fair Lady*, *Annie Get Your Gun*, *South Pacific*, and many more. Come, enjoy, and have a great time. No tickets needed. First come, first served.

BOARD MEETING

The Board of Trustees of the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library will hold a regular business meeting on Wednesday, February 29, at 7:30 pm in the Staff Room of the Library.

YOGA

Join Mildred Solow in a YOGA COURSE on Tuesdays from 10 to 11:30 am beginning March 6. The fee is \$24 for 12 sessions. The course is limited to 12 people. Register at the Circulation Desk.

BROADWAY SHOW

Don't miss The Rink starring Liza Minnelli and Chita Rivera. Join the library on Wednesday, April 4 for a 2 pm matinee. The fee of \$50 per person includes a front mezzanine seat and transportation. Register at the Circulation Desk.

The library is located at 999 Old Country Road in Plainview, opposite the Morton Village Shopping Center (938-0077).

MINI-STORYTIME FOR 2 YEAR OLDS

AND PARENTS

Mini-Storytime for 2 Year Olds and Parents will be held at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library on Wednesday, February 29th from 10:00 - 10:30 a.m. Toddlers will enjoy picture books, finger plays and songs. Please register for only one session per month at the Family Center desk.

FILMS FOR TOTS

Films for Tots may be seen at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library on Wednesday, February 22nd, from 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. There will be a showing of the films: *A Pocket For Corduroy*, *Don Freeman's teddy bear has a new adventure*, *Alligators All Around*, *alphabet fun*; and *Are You My Mother?*, a little bird has some surprises finding his mother. Parents are asked to remain with children. Books on which films are based can be found in Early Childhood Corner of the Family Center.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME - AGES 3, 4, 5

Preschool Storytime at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library will be held on Wednesdays February 22nd and 29th for children ages 3, 4 and 5 years old. Storytime on February 22nd will be at 11 am only. On February 29th, the group will meet at 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. and 2:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Legionnaire's Log

BY ARTIE RUTZ



Say, you should have been at the AUXILIARY'S annual Valentine Dance last Saturday night ... It was an interesting evening of music, food and a Mock Wedding ... The bridal couple were Harold and Vi Bramswig and the wedding party consisted of Harry Christo, as Best Man; Mac Sheppard as Mother-In-Law (and Bag Lady); Ethel Habenicht as the Matron of Honor; Cynthia Hochbrueckner as the Flower Girl (complete with potted flower), and hubby, Dick, as the Ring Bearer, in short pants! Jack Reichlen gave away the bride even though Pete Maiorino's "objection" raised a momentary howl of laughter as an identity crisis development

... You shoulda bin dere ... And would have seen and heard our Adjutant West-Tietjen as he donned the robes and served as the marrying official ... Liz Molinari caught the bridal bouquet, and the one and only Fred Blackley caught the bride's garter ... A reminder that our next meeting will be Tuesday, February 21st due to the legal holiday on Monday ... Be there, we have things coming up ... If you have not yet honored the mandated Request of Assessment, please do so by return mail as every member is bound by this mandate to send his check to the treasurer regardless whether you are a life member or paid up member or you are totally a

laggard and have not yet even paid your Dues ... The first meeting of the Memorial Day Committee held an organizational meeting last Tuesday under the chairmanship of our Adjutant West-Tietjen ... More on this committee in the coming weeks but it will suffice to know that this year it is The American Legion's year to chair this annual town affair and Charles Wagner Post will do its moral duty to make Hicksville aware of this day of Remembrance ... The County organization is thinking of conducting a '500' Club as a means of overcoming a financial problem ... Memberships would go for \$20 per ... Up (Continued on Page 5)

LEGAL NOTICE

Oxford Resources Group E
Substance of a Certificate of Limited Partnership filed with the Nassau County Clerk's Office on January 25, 1984. Name and principal office of the Partnership: Oxford Resources Group E, 175 Crossways Park West, Woodbury, New York 11797. Business of Partnership: Purchasing, leasing, financing and selling of automobiles and other motor vehicles. The General Partner and Contribution: Oxford Resources Group, Epsilon, Inc., 175 Crossways Park West, Woodbury, New York 11797, \$9,091. Limited Partner and Contribution: Eagle Electric Manufacturing Co. Inc., 45-31 Court Square, Long Island City, New York 11101, aggregate of \$900,000, \$75,000 paid on January 25, 1984 and the balance in installments from February 1, 1984 through December 1, 1984 subject to acceleration as provided in the Limited Partnership Agreement. Term of Partnership: January 25, 1984 to December 31, 1997, unless sooner terminated by (a) the termination of all vehicles leases of the Partnership and the disposition by the Partnership of substantially all of its vehicles or (b) the retirement, dissolution, insolvency or bankruptcy of

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the General Partner where the Limited Partners do not elect to continue the business of the Partnership. The Limited Partners are to receive 99% of the profits or income in each year. It is agreed that, subject to the business needs of the Partnership, there shall be distributed to the Limited Partners, beginning within 90 days after the beginning of the 5th fiscal year of the Partnership, the lesser of (a) 50% of the income of the Partnership as reported for Federal income tax purposes and (b) all of the unserved cash of the Partnership as of the last day of the prior fiscal year. There is no priority in distribution among Limited Partners; there is no right of a Limited Partner to substitute an assignee as contributor in its place and no Limited Partner has the right to demand or receive property other than cash in return for its contribution. No additional substitute Limited Partner will be admitted except with the prior consent of the General Partner and the execution of required documents. In the event of dissolution, retirement, bankruptcy or insolvency of a General Partner, all of the Limited Partners may agree to continue the Partnership business. P-4738 - 6T 3/13 PI.

LEGAL NOTICE

SUPREME COURT - COUNTY OF NASSAU
Fidelity Bond and Mortgage Company, Plaintiff against Clara Castro, et al Defendant(s). Pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale entered herein and dated October 11th, 1983, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction on the north front steps of the Nassau County Court House, 262 Old Country Road, Mineola, N.Y., on the 15th day of March, 1984, at 9:00 A.M. premises on the northwest side of Lent Drive, 49.30 feet northeast

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of Hay Path Road, being a plot 100.70 feet x 70.33 feet x 100.71 feet x 70.33 feet and known as 3 Lent Drive, Town of Oyster Bay, Plainview, N.Y. Approximate amount of lien \$78,320.57 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment, Index Number 4837/83

Matthew Brady, Referee Dated February 3rd, 1984
Walter L. & Robert M. Post, Attorney(s) for Plaintiff, 23 West John Street, Hicksville, N.Y. 11803
P-4755 4T 3/9 PL

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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME
Notice is hereby given that an Order entered by the Supreme Court, Nassau County, on Feb. 3, 1984, bearing Index #1796/84, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the Clerk, located at Mineola, N.Y., grants me the right, effective on Mar. 12, 1984 to assume the name of ARI KEITH LEWIS. My present address is 45 Shelter Hill Rd., Plainview, N.Y.; the date of my birth is Dec. 29, 1960; my present name is LARRY KEITH LEWIS. P-4754 1T 2/17 PL

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118. NR. WESTBURY - The Southland Corp., erect one illuminated double faced, 2-part detached sign (overall size 64 sq. ft.), setback 5'5" & 6'5" from property lines. 20 ft. in height. S/E cor. Old Country Rd. & Westbury Dr.
119. EAST MEADOW - Norman & Karin Kirshner, variances, side yards aggregate, lot area occupied, maintain redwood deck. S/S Garfield Rd. 185.11 ft. W/o Pierce Pl.
120-121. OCEANSIDE - John R. & Johanna Bedell, Variance, side yards aggregate, construct outside staircase. Mother-daughter res. (2nd kitchen). N/S Harrison Ave. 258.83 ft. W/o Long Beach Rd.
122. WANTAGH - Harry J. & Geraldine M. Strole, variances, side yard, side yards aggregate, construct 2nd story addition, E/S Oakland Ave. 45 ft. S/o Locust St. Interested parties should appear at the above time and place. By order of the Board of Zoning Appeals.
Henry W. Rose, Chairman
Ed Sutherland, Secretary
(F16) 59

Feb. 1984.

JOHN DINOTO CLERK OF THE SURROGATE'S COURT DEHNEY & SPERENDI Attorney for Petitioner, Office & P.O. Address: 1001 Franklin Avenue Garden City, New York 11530 (516) 746-4044

This citation is served upon you as required by law. You are not obliged to appear in person. If you fail to appear, it will be assumed that you consent to the proceedings, unless you file written verified objections thereto. You have a right to have an attorney-at-law appear for you. (F16,23,M1,8)H

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS Pursuant to the provisions of Article 12, Section 2-3.0 of the Building Zone Ordinance, NOTICE is hereby given that the BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS of the Town of Hempstead will hold a public hearing in the Town Meeting Pavilion,

Town Hall Plaza, Main Street, Hempstead, New York on March 7, 1984 at 9:30 A.M. & 2:00 P.M. to consider the following applications and appeals: THE FOLLOWING CASES WILL BE CALLED AT 9:30 A.M.

108. NO. BELLMORE - Lawrence H. & Karen Heitefuss and Patricia Dickson, mother-daughter res. (2nd kitchen). N/S Eyre Pl. 350.80 ft. W/o Broad St.
109. ELMONT - The Southland Corp., erect one illuminated, double faced, 2-part detached sign (overall size 64 sq. ft.), setback 1 ft. & 5 ft. from property lines, 20 ft. in height, S/E cor. Hempstead Tpke. & Belmont Blvd.
110. FRANKLINS SQUARE - Bruno Torre & Son Const. Corp., variances, lot front area occupied, front width, front yard average setback, subdivision of lot, maintain dwelling, rear & side yards variances, maintain detached garage. N/S Washington St. 115.99 ft. E/o New Hyde Park Rd.
111. FRANKLINS SQUARE - Bruno Torre & Son Const. Corp., variances, front width, subdivision of lot,

construct dwelling w/garage, N/S Washington St. 155.99 ft. E/o New Hyde Park Rd.
112. BALDWIN - James E. & June Brady, variance, rear yard construct 2-story addition & deck w/open space below. S/S Mervin Ct. 76 ft. E/o Grand Ave.
113. EAST MEADOW - Marriott Corp., construct drive-thru window (Roy Rogers). N/S Hempstead Tpke. 83.60 ft. W/o Bailey Ave.
114-115. EAST MEADOW - Y.H. Park Realty Corp. Place of public assembly & amusement - martial arts school & health club. Variance in off-street parking, insufficient ingress & egress & back-up space. N/S Hempstead Tpke. 365.56 ft. W/o Avis Dr.
116. ELMONT - Joseph J. Mannino, rear yard variance construct 2-car attached garage w/addition above. S/S N. Ascan St. 249.74 ft. E/o Home St.
117. HEWLETT - Jerry & Laurie Lucks, variances, side yard, side yards aggregate, construct addition, E/S Court Pl. 89.28 ft. S/o Moffitt Ave.
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ADAPTION OF ORDER

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, adopted at a meeting held on February 7, 1984, the order published herewith, such order being subject to permissive referendum.

Dated: Oyster Bay, New York.

February 7, 1984.

RESOLUTION NO. - 174

1984

At a regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, held at the Town Hall, in Oyster Bay, New York, in said Town, on February 7, 1984, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., Prevaling Time.

PRESENT:

Joseph Colby
Supervisor
Salvatore R. Mosca
Councilman
Howard T. Hogan, Jr.
Councilman
Kenneth S. Diamond
Councilman
Thomas L. Clark
Councilman
Douglas J. Hynes
Councilman
John Venditto
Councilman

In the Matter of

the increase in the maximum amount proposed to be expended for the Nassau Shores Park District in the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York pursuant to Section 209-h of the Town Law.

WHEREAS, pursuant to proceedings heretofore had and taken in accordance with the provisions of Article 12-A of the Town Law, the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, has established the Nassau Shores Park District in said Town and has authorized the acquisition of land, with improvements, if any, thereon, at a maximum estimated cost of \$315,000; and

WHEREAS, it now appears that such maximum

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estimated cost of \$315,000 must be increased by \$150,000 to a new maximum estimated cost of \$465,000 pursuant to section 209-h of the Town Law; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay duly adopted an order on January 3, 1984 calling a public hearing on the question of increasing the maximum amount to be expended on behalf of Nassau Shores Park District in said Town from \$315,000 to \$465,000, such public hearing being called for February 7, 1984, at the Town Hall, Audrey Avenue, in Oyster Bay, New York, in said Town, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., Prevaling Time; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay made an application to the Comptroller of the State of New York for an order consenting to such increase; and

WHEREAS, an order consenting to such increase was granted by the Comptroller of the State of New York in which the State Comptroller, after due deliberation, found and determined:

- 1) That the public interest will be served by the proposed increase in the maximum amount to be expended for said Nassau Shores Park District in said Town;
- 2) That the additional amount to be expended for such purpose will not be an undue burden upon the property of the District; and

WHEREAS, notice of said public hearing was duly posted and published as required by law and proof of such publication and posting has been presented to this Town Board; and

WHEREAS, said public hearing was duly held at the place and time aforesaid at which all persons desiring to be heard were duly heard; and

WHEREAS, said Town Board has duly considered such matter and the evidence given at said public hearing; NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED, by the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby found and determined, upon the evidence given at said public hearing, that it is in the public interest and necessary to increase the maximum amount proposed to be expended for the acquisition of land, with improvements, if any, thereon, for and on



On Thursday, February 6, Mr. Goldsmith's sixth grade class, as the culmination of a Seattle-Berkley Science Unit, dissected several calves' hearts.

After being instructed by Dr. Joseph Moreno in how to dissect and what to look for inside the heart, the children, using dissecting knives and probes, actually opened the hearts and saw the four chambers the valves, and the aorta.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Helen Hatalasky, School-Nurse Teacher, Mr. Goldsmith and Dr. Moreno, the children enjoyed a true learning experience.

Several parents came to East Street School to watch their children participate. Everyone agreed that it was a great way to learn about the heart.

In the top picture (left to right) Mrs. Reinhardt, Mrs. Hatalasky, S.N.T., Drigo Morin, Neil Goldfarb and Christine DeFazio.

In the center picture (left to right) Becky Hubert, Gus Beys, Dr. Joseph Moreno and Robert Allen.

In the lower picture, (left to right) Dr. Moreno, Frank Haden, Robert Tillman, John Goldsmith, Robert Allen and Mrs. Beiner.

Galileo (Continued from Page 2)

member of the committee mentioned above. As is the custom with this dance, a souvenir journal will also be featured. So for a night of unusual relaxation and pleasure, why not attend this auspicious occasion with all of us, on our birthday, so to speak?

A little earlier on our calendar of events is another activity of note, one also embellished with characteristics of fun and relaxation. Of course I refer here to the Galileo Lodge's St. Joseph's Dance, scheduled for Saturday, the 17th of March. Tickets for this dance will sell at \$12.50 per person, and

in the offering will be a dinner with all the trimmings, beer, soda, coffee, and cake, setups, and music for your listening and dancing pleasure. Please note that a "bring-your-own-liquor" policy will be in effect that night and that possibly "zeppoli", a cake delicacy associated with St. Joseph's Day, will be served. No committee has been named as yet, but will be revealed in next week's column.

LODGE TIDBITS: March 22nd is the date for the installation of new officers... A golf outing is scheduled in May and a fishing trip is set for April 15th... The Galileo Lodge recreational facility has progressed rapidly as a ceiling has been put up, heat has been installed and air-conditioning will soon follow... A summer picnic is also being discussed... A beautiful "thank you" to Joe Lo Presti for his tremendous work done on our roof under frigid conditions, and all work was electrical and at no charge to the Lodge.

LEGAL NOTICE

behalf of the Nassau Shores Park District in the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, as aforesaid, from \$315,000 to \$465,000, pursuant to Section 209-h of the Town Law. Section 2. This order is adopted subject to permissive referendum. M 4752-IT 2/17 MID

See Your Way Through Winter

Motorists need more than a "porthole" to navigate safely through wintry weather, warns the Automobile Club of New York.

With icy roads and snowy drifts magnifying driving hazards, you need to know what's up ahead - in time to do something about it.

To keep the windshield and side and back windows completely clear of ice and snow, motorists should always carry a combination scraper-snow brush, a few rags, and a can of spray de-icer.

Clearing the windshield and other windows is only part of the job, the local AAA affiliate notes. Snow should also be removed from the hood and roof, so that it will not blow into your line of vision.

Don't neglect the headlights, taillights and side-view mirror, and make sure the windshield wipers and defroster are in good working order. Also, check the fluid level of the windshield washer, and make sure it is filled with winter solvent.

Letters (Continued from Page 9)

SCHOOL BOARD DOES!

The board seemed unaffected by the urging of many to take this emotional issue to the community for a vote. Their main objection to this issue seemed to be the fear of being involved in a court case and the expense such a court case would involve, and the fear of losing the case. Yet, I ask, where does the money to run our school district come from - the very people who are fighting to keep this in - the tax-payers of Hicksville.

And if avoiding a court case is the main objective - perhaps the school board should ask themselves this question - Would they rather fight the American Civil Liberties union or the enraged people of this community who may decide to take their own school board to court. Many communities have been forced to do just this, when a school board chose to "dictate" rather than represent their community.

To avoid such a calamity

in Hicksville, our only hope seems to be to try and reach the hearts and minds of those board members who voted to take silent prayer out. For those of you who favor prayer or silent meditation in our schools, I urge you to remember the power of prayer and the many miracles it has wrought. And I urge that we all join together and pray that the hearts and minds of these 4 board members will be softened, and that they will search within their hearts and honestly ask themselves this question: "Am I voting for what I want, or for what those in my community want." Remember, we only need one more vote to get silent meditation back into our schools.

So, don't give up. Write letters to the newspapers and school board, talk to your friends and neighbors, attend the next Feb 29th School Board meeting, but most important of all, "Don't Forget to Pray!"

Phyllis Hundertmark

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Explore Your Talents

On Thursday evenings from 7 - 9 P.M., the Hicksville Youth Council offers a free crafts workshop. Leatherwork, macrame, drawing, and painting are among the many ideas you can explore.

This workshop is offered for all young people ages 12 - 21 in the Hicksville area. The Hicksville Youth Council is located on 181 West Old Country Road, Hicksville. For further information,

call Renee at 822-7594. See you there!

The Hicksville Youth Council is funded by the Nassau County Youth Board, State Division for youth, and the Town of Oyster Bay.



When Something Needs To Be Done

People who like to do things themselves know the sense of accomplishment that comes with completing a job. And today, they're finding that there's more to preplanning a funeral than buying a cemetery lot or life insurance. Preplanning a funeral is easy. You just

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HHS Varsity Show Sparkles With Originality

A sparse but energetic Hicksville High School variety ensemble delighted audiences in a three night stand, in the School's Mabel R. Farley Memorial auditorium.

Obviously enjoying, the troupe was long on inside spoofs that centered on school life.

Robert Dircks, Kenneth Dircks, John Rubins and Tim O'Connor romped in a quiz show takeoff entitled "Fix Your Schedule."

The same engaging flair was apparent in a presentation called "The Amazing Santini Brothers," by Andres Slokenbergs and Darren O'Neill.

Linda Strack and Stacey Spence had a sprightly

dance routine.

Carolyn McQuade, Felicia Monteforte, June Fulton and Marie Rodriguez interspersed the well-paced Act I with pleasant singing numbers. Frank Walker supported Miss Monteforte. Uniform appreciative applause greeted all performers.

Performers in the skits, dance and musical acts included: Stacey Spence, Frank Walker, John Caffan, Michael Lomotan, Sophia Monia, Niki Monia, Fred Rodriguez, Anne Way, Joni Mitchell, June Fulton, Brian Malone, Tim O'Connor, Debbie Roberts, Tricia Bonner, Linda Diehl, Brian Malone, Jeff Schumacher, Paul Jensen, Tricia Losci-

ale, Patricia Banner, Nick Kouroupakis, Lou Irizarry, Gus Koutsoubis, and Dan Kennedy.

Student Production Staff: Stage Manager, Linda Diehl; Construction/Paint Crew, James Anglin, Josine Calavetta, Edna Clary, Kevin White, Tina Sachs, Andris Slokenbergs*; Props, Irene Nash*, Lighting, Robert Hawhurst, James Anglin, Kevin White;

Sound, Walter Polan*, Michael Hansen, Brian Monroe; Publicity, Jane Woods, Carolyn Bommarito, Debbie Roberts, Andris Slokenbergs*, Patrick Haller, Lisa Dahse*, Charles Bund.

Hicksville Fire Report (Continued from Page One - Hicksville)

came in by alarm box at 2:06 a.m. Sub-freezing weather froze up nearby fire hydrants and firefighters were hampered by low water supply in the early stages. First Chiefs on the scene minutes after the box alarm reported fire out 1st floor windows spreading to the roof and 2nd floor. All occupants, somehow, evacuated safely.

The fire tied up all Hicksville engines at the scene. Bethpage supplied a back-up engine at the scene while Jericho stood by at Fire Headquarters. The loss was estimated at \$100,000.00.

Later that morning, a general alarm fire at the Auto Mat Factory at 225A No. Park Ave. kept Vamps busy. An overheated boiler set fire to the roof of the boiler room. Fire damage was confined to the boiler room with minor smoke damage in the plant.

On Feb. 5, fire, caused by a leaking flue pipe caused an estimated \$5,000 damage to a home at 19 Libby Ave. That home had a smoke detector with no battery. Damage was confined to the kitchen and flue pipe area. Chief Owen Magee was in charge at the above alarms.

Smoke Detectors-- A Necessity

Time and again in the media, and in our annual letters to our residents, we have stressed the need for smoke detectors. In Hicksville, a life was lost in July due in large part to the absence of a smoke alarm. Fire destroyed a home in February because the fire gained considerable headway because there was no smoke alarm. In Belmore, an entire family of SEVEN died because they did not heed safety rules. They left kerosene heaters operating unattended and had no smoke alarms.

What will it take to wake the public at large? One would think death would open people's eyes, but it hasn't. Hicksville Chief Owen Magee will propose to State lawmakers an ordinance mandating smoke alarms in all dwellings. We force public buildings, hotels, motels and landlords to provide detectors; why not the single family homeowner? In essence, he is the landlord.

Enforcement will not be easy—but not impossible. There will be no door to door inspections. When you have a fire and it is found

that there are no smoke alarms, you will be fined. Against your Constitutional rights you say!! What about the innocent victims—the children—children suffer the most. By and large, the adults escape—the kids die.

It is time to stop the slaughter of innocent victims. If the 7 family members in Belmore died in a motel with no smoke alarms, the owners would have been brought to trial. It is a two way street—you own a dwelling where others sleep—you provide a working smoke alarm. It might be good to get the insurance industry involved--no detectors--you don't collect your damages.

It is obvious at this stage, the general public has to be force fed fire safety, because innocent lives are being lost. Firefighters suffer also. Once you pull a dead child from a burning building, you never forget it. You take the horror and the hurt to your grave. It's like the old motto--Lead, follow or get out of the way--but DO SOMETHING.

This law, if enacted, will DO SOMETHING.

News From Commuter Lodge 833 Knights of Pythias

By Elliott Silverman

At our last executive board meeting, it was very encouraging to hear from our Dinner Dance Chairman that we have fulfilled our commitment. This affair, which will be held at the Huntington Town House on March 17, 1984 is a tribute to five of Commuter Lodge's outstanding Brothers. It is being held in the honor of: Brothers Al Karo, Julie Kaitin, Harvey Mass, Tony Schirripa and Mike Vitale. Just as Cary Grant won an oscar for his role in the movie "An Affair To Remember", I'm sure our Committee Chairman will win a similar award for "A Night To Remember". We have a few tables left, so

don't procrastinate, make your reservations now.

I wish to send on behalf of all the members of Commuter Lodge, a very HAPPY VALENTINES DAY to the Editor and all of the hard working staff of the Plainview Herald and once again say THANK YOU for the support they have extended to our organization.

February closes with some happy events which always is a pleasant part of this column. Among those are: Happy Anniversary to Elliott & Harriet Silverman, Happy Birthday to our Terrific Dinner Dance Chairman, and special birthday wishes to Barbara Schirripa and Elaine Niessen. I am

also proud to announce that my son Eric Silverman has made the High School Honor Roll for the second straight time. Eric collects \$3.00 from his Grandpa Harry & Grandma Mitzi everytime they see his name in the paper. (For Honor Roll Of Course!)

The next regular meeting of our Lodge will be February 27th. I don't know about you, but I am happy to say, that in attending the meetings for the last few months, I've made some wonderful friends and Commuter Lodge has helped to enrich my life. Now that the weather is nice, try and come to our next meeting and share some of your ideas with your brothers.

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