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THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1963

Registration Dates For Bethpage School Elections

Registration dates for Voting at Annual Meeting and Elections: Saturday, April 27, 12 Noon until 10:00 PM, Senior High School; Monday, April 29, 12 Noon until 10:00 PM, Senior High School.

Pre-Budget Hearing: Thursday, May 27 8:00 PM, Senior High School.

Annual Budget Meeting, Tuesday, May 7, 8:00 PM, Senior High School.

Election of School Board Members and Library Trustee: Wednesday, May 8, 12 Noon until 10:00 PM, Senior High School.

Last date for Candidates to file petitions for office of School Board Member and Library Trustee is April 24. Petitions to be obtained from and filed with District Clerk, Lorraine Carter.

Terms of School Board Members, Hugh Coyle and Lee Hilton; and Library Trustee, Louis A. Sisia expire June 30, 1963.

Partition has been filed by John R. Bennett, 151 Sycamore Avenue, Bethpage for office of Library Trustee.

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My Opinion

By William A. Bruno, Jr.
Hicksville School Board Member

Our schools are supposed to be the agency through which we teach our youth the basic rules of democracy and fair play. To establish these principles the teachers in our school system should be assured of freedom from intimidation, pressure or retaliation for non-compliance with dictates from school administrators or Board members. Whenever literature is permitted to be prepared and distributed through the assistance of the teaching staff, or through the printed or mimeographed brochures expressing the opinion of the then majority of a school board or the Superintendent of schools, with the attendant expense of personnel in setting up, in distribution and in mailing, without the opportunity being afforded to a contrary opinion to answer back, we have a stark example of lack of faith in our democratic processes and a repudiation of what our country stands for.

Within the current school year we were treated to triple-barreled versions of our School Administrator's comments, a so-called Board letter signed by certain members of the Board, as well as the use of teaching personnel instructing pupils to go home with certain literature and to tell their parents how to vote with respect to certain matters affecting the District.

The failure, omission and refusal to afford the presentation through the same vehicle of communication of the opportunity to answer, to explain or to justify, is a neglect of the first element of fair play, and a suppression of opinion, and the

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Appearing in the hit musical "Fiorello" the Bethpage Jewish Center Players have been received with unprecedented acclaim and will be appearing again by popular demand on Saturday evening, April 13 at 8:30 at the Broadway School, Broadway, Bethpage. L. to r. Stan Hobish, Florence Weiss, Joe Riegler, Chic Lehrman, Sy Brin. Photo by Charbonnet.

PTA Council Holds Election

On Wednesday, March 27, the Hicksville Council of P.T.A. Units, at a meeting held at the Dutch Lane School, elected its officers for the 1963 - 64 school year: President, Bernard H. Braun; Vice - president, Mrs. Anthony Raffa; Recording Secretary, Mrs. James Kudliss, Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Clifford Henderson; Treasurer, Mrs. Jacques Schwartz. The program for the meeting dealt with some aspects of the school budget with George Kung, School Board Member, Joseph Catalano, School Attorney, Anthony Gorczycki, Business Administrator, and Donald F. Abt, Superintendent of Schools participating. The next general meeting of the Council will be held at Lee Avenue School on May 22.

Teachers Play For Scholarships

The Hicksville Classroom Teachers Assn. Scholarship Fund Basketball game will be held on April 10 at 7:45 in the Senior High gymnasium, Division Avenue, Hicksville. The elementary teachers will play the Senior High teachers. The proceeds will go into the H.C.T.A. Scholarship Fund, which contributes to the support of a number of college students over a four year period.

Movie Program At Library

The Hicksville Public Library invites you to see the D. W. Griffith classic movie "Intolerance" on Wednesday, April 10 at 9 p.m. This was the forerunner of the modern movie extravaganza, and still defies comparison.

Photo Copies At Public Library

The Hicksville Public Library wishes to announce the photo-copying machine is now installed in the library for the use of the public. It is coin-operated, and for 25 cents, any document to the size of 11 x 14 may be photographed.

Hostess For Jr. Women's Club

Mrs. Winthrop Jackman, of 47 Coronet Crescent South, Bethpage, will be hostess for the Junior Woman's Club of Bethpage on April 8, at 8:30 p.m.

An Oneida silver program will be presented by Mrs. Donald Stewart, Committee chairman.

An Easter Tea for the Ladies of Jones Institute is being planned by the group. Mrs. Lester Thompson, social service chairman, will announce the date and time for the tea at this meeting.

Women Challenge Men Faculty

The women members of the Hicksville Junior High faculty have challenged the men of the faculty to a volleyball game.

The men on the faculty resent the flippant attitude of these women. Just because they trimmed us last time doesn't mean they can do it again. In fact we intend to show them up and put them in their place once and for all.

A fifty cent contribution will be collected at the door by the junior high PTA Ways and Means Committee.

The game will be on April 5th in the Hicksville Junior High gym at 7:30 PM.

Full Text School Supt's Denunciation Of Mr. Bruno's Column In Mid Island Times

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Mid Island Girl Scouting

Delivery is being made to Central Islip Hospital of assorted Tray Favors; filled Easter Baskets; and cards; 175 filled "Welcome Kits" for new patients; colorfully mounted crossword puzzles; and Bingo markers. Along with these articles will also be magazines, books, toys and games and many other varied articles both new and used, collected by the girls in the troops of the South-Central Cluster. Every troop has participated in some way on this service project. These girls are truly living their Girl Scout Promise and Laws.

A "Pulley Time" is next on the agenda for Senior

Troop 411, for the girls have arranged to have a "Taffy-Pull" at their next meeting. This should prove interesting and different, to say nothing of providing plenty of sticky entertainment.

Camp plans are also busily being made for their troops participation in Senior Week, April 16 at Camp Edey, which is being eagerly looked forward to.

Troops 51 and 276 are keeping busy finishing up the necessary requirements for the badges they hope to earn this spring. They also made 100 Easter Tray Favors for patients at C. I. Hospital and collected Golden Books for Mill Neck School for the Deaf.

Under the supervision of Kathy Billick and Barbara Firestone, who are work-

ing on conservation, the girls agreed to select, plant and care for a Japanese Cherry tree. This tree will be in front of Bloomingdale School in a few weeks for all to enjoy. Catapano Nursery on

Hicksville Road and Mr. Miller, Principal of Bloomingdale School deserve mention for their co-operation on this project.

Planning ahead the troops are looking forward to an evening cookout in April; Court of Awards and exhibit of their works for parents in May; followed by overnight camping early in June.

Pachysandra Wanted: A further ground cover of Pachysandra is needed for the area set aside at the Bethpage High School, which the Girl Scouts of South Central Cluster planted with some 630 spring flowering bulbs back in the Fall of 1960, and which each Spring rewards Bethpage with a beautiful display, and is a credit to the endeavors of our local Girl Scouts.

Anyone having a surplus of Pachysandra, which they would like to see put to good use, please contact Mrs. Walter Gross, OV 1-5825.

S. Central Girl Scouts are busily tending their Coleus' planted from seed in two to three inch pots which will be judged at the Garden Club Show held at the L.I. National Bank on May 25th. This is proving to be fascinating, as the seedlings vary so greatly in foliage design and of course each girl is hopeful that her plant will be a winner.

April birthday girls are Theresa Attrino, Mary Anne Bove, Sandra Falcone, Evelyn George, Bonnie King, Kathy Langdon, Linda La Placa, Joan Looney, Joan Montgomery, Pamela Nelson, Yvonne Strier, Suzanne Veltry, and Barbara Young. Happy Birthday!

West Side Story. In fact, half of a ballet is music. Here lies the interest or the music department. We wish to promote a greater understanding of this art form.

Laura and Raymond, two dancers from New York's Le Petit Ballet will be on hand to demonstrate the intricate steps which make up a story in music and motion, while a commentator explains what is Ballet, when and where it started and how it evolved into its present form.

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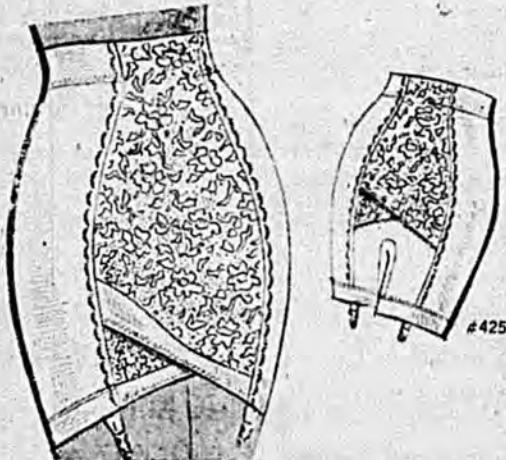
On Easter Sunday, April 14, six festival services will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church, 40 W. Nichols St., Hicksville. It has been announced by the Rev. Edward H. Stammel, Pastor.

The 5:15 a.m. service on Easter Sunday will be followed by a light breakfast served by the Walther Leaguers of the church. Other services Easter Sunday are at 7 a.m. and 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 and 11:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday services are 8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m. Holy Week services are 8:15 p.m. on Monday.

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Trinity's choir will sing at the services. The choirs consist of children's, youth, junior hi, mixed, men and boys. Prior to each service, Easter hymns and chorals will be played on the Kroemer memorial carillon by Charles F. Boehm, organist and choirmaster. Elaine Peterson is assistant organist.

Hicksville Gets Several Awards

On March 22 and 23, Hicksville High School students of the Distributive Education Leadership Conference at the Hotel Statler Hilton in New York City. Students from New York State participated in contests, state student officer elections, tours of city retail stores, meetings and conferences.

There were thirteen contests where students from all over the state competed for first, second and third place awards. Hicksville won the following awards: Merchandise Manual, William Sherburn, Second Place; Chapter of the Year, Hicksville High School, Second Place; Distribution Manual, Johanna LoGerfo, Second Place; Research Project, Hicksville High School, Second Place.

Winter Damage Being Repaired

Wintery damage to the more than 800 miles of Town highways is being repaired as fast as the frost goes out and holes are dried out. Superintendent Norman R. Wolf reported to Supervisor Thomas R. Pynchon.

Mr. Wolf said that patrol teams are out with repair materials; most of them are equipped with two-way radio and when undetected holes are reported by residents, precedence is given to quick repair. The same radio system is used for this work as for snow and ice emergency work during the winter, except that the special snow emergency phones are discontinued as an economy measure.

Two Trophies In Science Fair

Children from Our Lady of Mercy School in Hicksville, brought home two trophies in the second annual Diocesan Science Fair for the elementary schools of Nassau County.

First prize winner for the seventh and eighth grade was Thomas LaBarbera. His project entitled 'Genetics' not only won him a beautiful trophy but a bonus for the first prize winner of 36 science books for the school library.

Also bringing honor to Our Lady of Mercy was Charles Masterton. His project titled "Mercury" won second prize in the third and fourth grade division.

PBC Wins Third Prize

The Hicksville P.B.C. Nautical Cadets Drum & Bugle Corp. was awarded third prize in the St. Patrick's Parade, held in Hempstead, on March 10. The trophy was presented by an official from the Irish American Center in Mineola, on Sun., March 24.

P.O. 1/C Vincent Giannante, C.P.O. Charles Sauer, and Warrant Officer Arthur Muselman, accepted the trophy in behalf of the Drum & Bugle Corp.

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Thinking It Over

by Robert L. Morgan

While there are all sorts of campaigns under way this year regarding the school budget, we want to point out one that is strictly an appeal to the emotions.

The proponents of the budget are already speaking of what will happen if an austerity budget comes to Hicksville. They are making all sorts of dire predictions of what will happen to transportation, school lunches and text books, under an austerity budget. All of this talk is designed to stop taxpayers from thinking. They are supposed to recoil in fright from voting against the budget for fear of losing some of these vital services.

But the truth of the matter is that an austerity budget would only come if the Board of Education did not pare down the budget enough to get approval of the voters. And one vote would not decide this. Generally after a defeat a new vote is held on a scaled down budget and even if that doesn't go through a third vote could be held if new Board members, for instance were seated in July and saw the light of how to make sensible and effective cuts in the budget.

But then if an austerity budget did come along after these referendums failed, children still would not necessarily lose any of the services that the voters wanted. Transportation, free text books and other services could be submitted on separate referendum and if passed the district would have the same services in those categories as it now has.

The one trouble is that school authorities and other people circulating the austerity budget hysteria propaganda know all of this -- We wonder why the distortion? Can't the high budget be justified on facts?

My Opinion Continued

opportunity to the receiver of the literature distributed to weigh the facts and to come to an unbiased personal conclusion. At the School District level, where Board members supposedly pride themselves upon their services without compensation, the desirability of presenting all viewpoints should outweigh the urgency of "winning" regardless of principle.

When it was originally decided by the School Board that the books used in our school system should be reviewed to determine whether they contained matter which contained inaccuracies or statements derogatory to our American Heritage, or whether they were slanted towards Communistic principles, the action was not of a single Board member, but the action necessarily of a majority. When, following the attendance of most of the School Board members at the Annual Meeting of the School Board Association, the Board by vote, retracted its majority previous action. The Board saw fit to make as if it had never adopted the previous resolution and sought to "hang" a disapproval on the Board member who had not initiated the resolution originally, by characterizing such original action, in effect, as a "witch hunt". Assuming that the Board majority had a right to reconsider and to retract, the attempted transfer of responsibility for accepting the original proposal as desirable, and necessary, was neither an act of courage, nor an act worthy of example for the students under their care and guidance. The responsibility for the books used in our school system is a prime duty of the Board. Having accepted that responsibility, the Board should not have surrendered so easily its prerogative. Furthermore, it should not have precluded the presentation of the explanation of the original proposal and its reason.

As regards the use of teaching personnel to influence district voter opinion: Basically, the cardinal rule should be recognized that a teacher stands in a special relationship to his pupils. The teacher constitutes in effect, the substitute for the parent. To use the teaching staff, or to have the teaching staff use the aura of the teacher to influence the parents of a pupil, through the pupil, as to a

certain position concerning school district affairs, constitutes a violation of impersonal teaching and an unwarranted abuse of position or of office. This is but a short step to indoctrination of any special "ism", and certainly not Americanism.

An administrative and teaching staff should be engaged in educational pursuits, free of intimidation by any member of the School Board, or of the Superintendent, and secure in position. To this proposition I pledged myself and will continue to so pledge myself. To secure this principle teachers must not be used or permitted to use their position to influence school district opinion in the school room or through their expressions of opinion. This is significant when they are not residents of the district.

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LOCATION -- South side of Pickwick Drive, 219.88 ft. west and south of School House Lane, Old Bethpage.

CASE #63-122

APPELLANT -- Salway Realty Corp. c/o DiGenaro & Pelle, Esqs., 5240 Merrick Road, Massapequa.

SUBJECT -- Variance to allow an existing residence to remain on a plot having less rear yard than the ordinance allows.

LOCATION -- East side of Stewart Avenue, 105.81 ft. north of William St., Bethpage.

BY THE ORDER OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS Town of Oyster Bay Joseph Lipper, Sec'y Raymond Schoepflin, Chairman Oyster Bay, N.Y. April 1, 1963 1641-14-April 4

Faculty Plays Volleyball

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BOARD OF APPEALS

Regular meeting of the Board of Appeals, Town of Oyster Bay, will be held in the Town Board Hearing Room, Town Hall, Oyster Bay, on Wednesday, April 10, 1963 at

7:30 p.m.
CASE #63-110

APPELLANT -- Peter Werner, 4144 Florence Road, Bethpage.

SUBJECT -- Variance to erect an addition having one less side yard and aggregate side yards than the ordinance requires, also the encroachment of eave and gutter.

LOCATION -- West side of Florence Road, 300 ft. south of Sandra Lane, Bethpage (Plainedge).

CASE #63-121

APPELLANT -- August Diemické, 7 Pickwick Drive, Old Bethpage.

SUBJECT -- Variance to erect an addition to an attached garage on a plot having one less side yard and aggregate side yards than the ordinance re-

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Fact Or Fiction?

By Donald Abt, Supt. Hicksville Schools.

In July 1962, Mr. Bruno recommended the following motion to the Hicksville Board of Education: "Hicksville Public Schools -- To: Board Members, From: William A. Bruno, Jr. -- I move that the Superintendent of Schools be directed to see that the 1963-64 Hicksville gross school budget, now in preparation, shall not exceed 90 per cent of the 1962-63 gross school budget of \$10,327,080.62. -- Submitted by, William A. Bruno, Jr." 7/26/62

At that time it was explained to Mr. Bruno that such action was impractical and impossible since our needs had not been fully estimated. He informed the Superintendent that he was familiar with budgets and that it could be cut 10%. This would mean that the 1963-64 budget should be \$9,294,372.56. The Superintendent's budget as recommended was \$10,975,964.83. A simple matter of subtraction would mean that Mr. Bruno should be able to cut \$1,681,592.27 from the Superintendent's proposed budget. Was his motion based on wisdom or fantasy?

In his column, "My Opinion," on Thursday, February 21, Mr. Bruno said, "But it is bound (School Library Tax) to skyrocket at least another 40 cents because the 6-1 majority on the School Board wants to hike the budget over \$600,000 next year, edging expenditures toward a total budget of \$12,000,000." Now Mr. Bruno, as a Board member, had the original proposed budget of \$10,975,964.83 of the Superintendent. Why such inaccuracy? What is the purpose of talking about \$12,000,000? No one has been talking about \$12,000,000 except Mr. Bruno. He used the same type of language in his article of February 28, 1963, "If this budget passes this Saturday, it could fall anywhere between \$11,000,000 and \$12,000,000." Is it possible he hasn't read the proposed budget? Why does he continue the inaccuracies? What is his purpose? Does Mr. Bruno write fact or fiction? Fact or Fiction?

In recent weeks Mr. Bruno has made public his case outside the Board meeting room against the proposed 1963-64 school budget as it was being prepared. On Thursday, Feb. 21, 1963 and Thursday, Feb. 28, 1963, he proceeded to take Codes 2 and 3 and break them down into their component parts in newspaper press releases. He identified the code and listed the Superintendent's recommendation, the Board of Education action and amount of cut, and, finally, his recommendation and amount cut. Below each code he stated his reason for his recommended revisions. The administration has studied these press releases.

At the Board meeting of Thursday, February 21, 1963, the Superintendent of Schools asked Mr. Bruno if the newspaper article was accurate. He said yes and that he intended to read from it. This is recorded on the official tape of the meeting. He did not make the recommendations at the Board table. I would like to take this opportunity to examine Mr. Bruno's claims, in order that the people may decide whether Mr. Bruno is ignorant of phases of school budgeting, or has inaccurately reported for purposes specially known to him.

I wanted the opportunity of discussing with him, and the Board of Education, his ideas on Saturday, March 2. However, after lecturing the people of our community, again by press release, "I am giving up a day of work to be at this Board meeting, what are you doing to cut your taxes?" -- Mr. Bruno left the meeting before the Board could hear his alleged budget cuts. Is it possible that he is fearful of having his so called opinions tested and measured in official forum? Will his statements be recognized as fact or fiction?

Code 2-7 (Supt's. Salary). Mr. Bruno offered no cut. "Reason--No cut here--The Board majority 2 years ago gave a 5 year contract--\$1500 increase to \$22,000; in two years \$25,000." Fact or fiction? About a month ago Mr. Bruno demanded a copy of the Superintendent's contract. If he properly read it he would know the salary is as follows: 1961-62 -- \$19,000; 1962-63 -- \$20,500; 1963-64 -- \$22,000; 1964-65 -- \$23,000 and 1965-66 -- \$24,000. Why does he state \$25,000? Is his statement fact or fiction?

Code 2-72 (Bus. Mgr.). Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$600. Here he cuts back the Business Manager's salary. "Reason--\$800 is too much in my opinion. I recommend \$200. It is to be noted all the administrators have received raises every year." Fact or fiction? Mr. Madden, the Recreation Director, and Mr. Gorczycki, our Business Manager, have not received a raise each year. Is Mr. Bruno's statement fact or fiction?

Code 2-73 Mr. Bruno offers no cut. "Reason--New man on the job. No raise was recommended." Fact or fiction? A raise was recommended. A memorandum from Superintendent's office dated 11/30/62 listed every administrator with the 1962-63 salary and a recommended 1963-64 salary. Under code 2-73 the memo showed a present salary of \$3400 and a recommended salary of \$3000 for 1963-64. Doesn't Mr. Bruno read significant budget material and memos? Perhaps he relies on information and advices from other sources?

Code 2-75 Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$4400. "Reason--During the budget, the Superintendent of Schools was silent. In a secret memorandum he recommended this cut." Fact or fiction? This is part of the truth. The Superintendent did make this recommended cut because it represented a secretary for an Administrative Assistant in Code 2-71C. What Mr. Bruno did not tell the people is that in this same "secret memo the Superintendent recommended the very same cut of \$14,000 (2-71C) that Mr. Bruno claims he recommended. When one returns sections of material back in the full context one seems to get a different view. Fact or fiction?

Other points of interest in Mr. Bruno's recommendations are in Code 2-6. Here he cuts \$1,100. "Reason--The administration wants to print and mail the School Budget (\$15,000) (I'm sure he means copies) -- \$850 plus a \$250 increase over last year." Fact or fiction? Fact: It seems Mr. Bruno prefers to print only a few copies of the Budget brochure and place them in the library (Motion 617). He proposes this despite the fact there were about 5,000 registered voters last year. Doesn't Mr. Bruno want the people to know and have budget facts? What happened to his cry that the people must be informed! No secrets?

Code 2-9 Here Mr. Bruno claims to cut \$3125. "Reason--I recommend to cut 'in-district travel' (10¢ per mile), administration junkets, and reduce supplies expenses." Fact or fiction? Mr. Bruno knows the Superintendent has never claimed in-district travel. Does Mr. Bruno wish to cut off the Superintendent's communication with the public since this code provides the money for the Bulletin Board? Why does he want to keep the Superintendent quiet at Board meetings and now stifle him by taking away monies for publishing information? Has Mr. Bruno tried this before? Fact or fiction?

Code 2-71A (Admin. Ass't.). Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$2000 here. "Reason--I voted against a \$32250 raise, in my opinion this is too much. I recommend \$250." Fact or fiction? In July 1962 Mr. Bruno voted a salary of \$14,250 for this man for 1962-63. The proposed salary for 1963-1964 is \$15,250. Where does he get the \$2,250 raise? What are the purposes of these inaccuracies? Why the fiction?

Code 2-71B Here Mr. Bruno cuts another \$2000 for the same reason as stated in 2-71A. He simply compounds his errors. How could he make the same mistake twice?

Finally, we call attention to Mr. Bruno's accuracy with arithmetic. At the end of his comedy of errors on Code 2 he provides a finale by totaling the list he claims the Superintendent recommended. He comes to a total of \$250,090.61. If he had added his claims pertaining to the Superintendent's recommendations he would discover that the sum would be \$265,340.60. The Superintendent's proposed budget was \$250,090.60. Is this responsible reporting? The public record will prove whether his claims are fact or fiction.

Code 3

Mr. Bruno's comparison of codes for Code 3 is all the more interesting. Here he compares the budget of 1963-64 with 1959-60. Why?

Code 3-1 (Supervisors and Assistant Principals). In this code Mr. Bruno recommends a cut of \$17,740. "Reason: 12 Supervisors cost \$134,300 (1959-60 budget had 10 Supervisors at a cost of \$89,900.) I

Large Crowd At Mother's Aux.

The March open meeting of the St. Ignatius Mothers' Auxiliary attracted an unusually large crowd to hear Mr. Joseph Peterson lecture about the life and work of Padre Pio.

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After a brief outline of Padre Pio's early life, Mr. Peterson showed some very impressive slides of the priest, his stigmata and his daily life at the Capuchin Monastery of San Giovanni Rotondo. Although Padre Pio would prefer a life of seclusion, his fame as a stigmatist is world wide, Mr. Peterson explained. Not only do the faithful flock to see him but also many skeptics and tourists as well as the curious. Padre Pio, of course has been examined by many doctors who, the lecturer said, have been unable to explain the wounds. Mr. Peterson, giving an insight into Padre Pio's personality, stated that although he is in constant pain, he never shows his suffering; he is always quick to tell a joke; above all he is humble. His greatest interests lies in the promotion of a high, modern hospital, built in San Giovanni in 1956, which ministers to rich and poor alike.

A question and answer period followed this lecture.

At the conclusion of this program, there was a brief intermission followed by the regular business meeting.

LI'L ONES



"How are things otherwise?"

COUNTY COURT, NASSAU COUNTY
WHITESTONE SAVINGS AND LOAN ASS'N, Pltf.
v. FRANCISCO MONTANEZ, INEZ MONTANEZ (sometimes known as INEZ MONTANEZ), his wife, if living, and if they be dead, their respective heirs; at law, next of kin, distributees, executors, administrators, trustees, devisees, legatees, assignors, lietors, creditors and successors in interest, and generally all persons having or claiming under, by or through said defendants who may be deceased, by purchase, inheritance, lien or otherwise, of any right, title or interest in and to the premises described in the complaint herein, and the respective husbands wives or widows of them, if any, and all of whose names are unknown to the plaintiff, and others, Defts. Index No. 1796/1963 Supplemental Summons. Action to foreclose mortgage. Trial desired in Nassau County.

TO ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS
YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the amended complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the amended complaint is not served with this supplemental summons, to serve a notice of appearance on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this supplemental summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the amended complaint. Dated March 26, 1963 GEORGE J. MEADE, Attorney for Pltf. 153-17 Cross Island Parkway, Whitestone 57, N.Y.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS IN THIS ACTION:

The foregoing supplemental summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Honorable Albert A. Oppido, one of the Judges of the County Court of Nassau County, State of New York, dated March

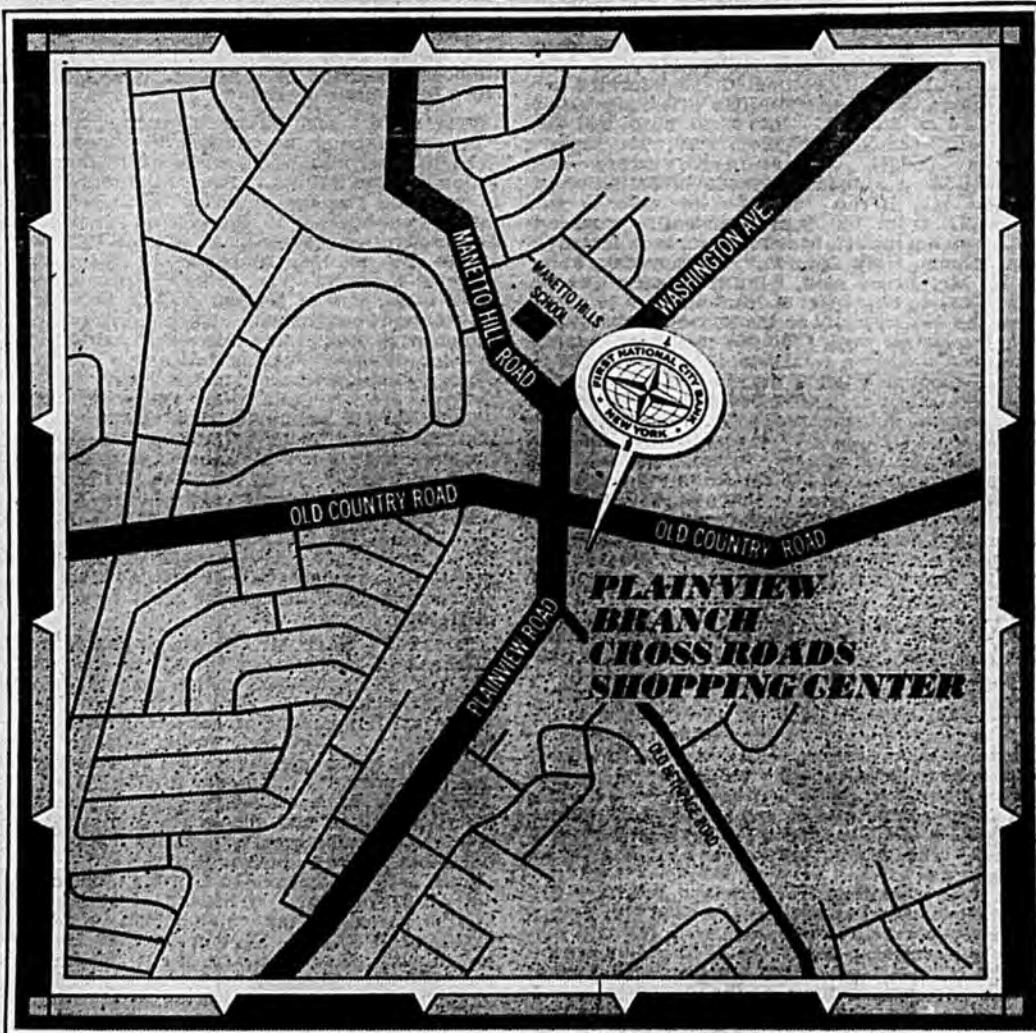
21st, 1963 and filed with the amended complaint in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau at Mineola, New York. The object of the above en-

titled action is to foreclose a mortgage in the original principal sum of \$14,500.00 and interest, now held by Whitestone Savings and Loan Associ-

ation affecting premises known as 96 East Raymond Avenue, Roosevelt, New York, being located on the south side of Raymond Avenue, 50 feet west

of Cottage Place, 196.30 x 75.36 x 189.15 x 75 feet. March 26, 1963 GEORGE J. MEADE, atty. for pltf. MT #0143-6X-April 4, 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9.

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This integrated approach to parent-child relations has been developed by Mrs. Phillips during many years spent in educational work and has been highly praised by educators across the country. The humor and sympathy with which she discusses human and spiritual values has led to enthusiastic receptions by over a million school children and their teachers and parents.

Educated in English schools and the College of Neuchatel, Switzerland, Mrs. Phillips is now an American citizen. She is author of the book "Dear

Mrs. Bender" and frequent contributor to educational magazines. Her puppet character is featured regularly in the children's magazine, "Highlights For Children".

**Twenty Members
For Honor Soc.**

On March 15, 1963 the Bethpage chapter of the National Honor Society had its annual induction under the direction of its sponsor, Mr. George F. Grattan. Twenty new members were inducted before the assembled students, faculty, administration, and guests of Bethpage High School; of these inductees six were seniors and fourteen were juniors.

Performing the induction ceremony were the six members who were inducted last year: Robert Ennis, Robert Jagger, Barry Doll, James Crawford, Walter Wilkening, and Richard Steinberg.

The guest speaker for the occasion was Mr. Donald R. Collins, Dean of the Program of General Studies at Adelphi College. He stressed the importance of higher education for all citizens today, and he challenged the old and new Honor Society members to meet the many responsibilities that accompany membership.



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To merit membership in the National Honor Society, a student must first qualify in scholarship; that is, obtain an academic average of at least 88 percent. Fulfilling this requirement, he is fully screened by the high school faculty and the standing members of the Honor Society. This procedure insures high standards of leadership, character, and service from all members.

Plans and projects of this year's National Honor Society are several. As part of their responsibilities, Honor Society members tutor students who require extra help; these students may obtain such aid by requesting it through the guidance office. Also this year, the society will sponsor a banquet for all Honor Society members, past and present, of Bethpage High School, since 1956. It is hoped that this event will become an annual affair.

The National Honor Society at Bethpage promises a profitable year for both its members and the school under the Honor Society ideals of Scholarship, Leadership, Character, and Service.

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I understand that he wants to eliminate another psychologist at \$11,600 -- but where is he cutting the other \$6140? Where does he get this amount of money -- no salary listed in this code has a figure other than zero in the second digit. Is the cut a "secret" one? Why did he suddenly change his mind on this code? He voted "Yes" on the budget review (Motion #690). Is the \$6140 fact or fiction? Does he receive his instructions from other sources and do these sources influence his opinion?

Code 3-3 (Principals' Salaries). When this question of principals' salaries was reviewed by the Board, Mr. Bruno voted for the Code 3-3. Fact or fiction? Fact: Motion #691 records his "aye" vote.

Code 3-4 (Salaries of Clerical and other help). Here Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$3,800. "Reason: \$3800 could be reduced in this section if a future vacancy were not filled and reduced the overtime by \$800. (\$7,900 in this section is an increase in salary scale for 48 clerks). \$4,600 remained here for overtime and part-time help. This section is requesting a raise. (1959-60 - 40 clerks cost \$129,308.33.)"

Here we see Mr. Bruno changing his mind again, after his vote. Mr. Bruno voted "no" on a motion made by Mr. Kunz to cut \$800. for overtime. Fact or fiction? Fact: Motion #962. Mr. Bruno then seconded a motion to leave the \$800 amount in this code. Fact or fiction? Fact: Motion #963. Now he is changing his mind and wants the \$800. out of Code 3-4. Why?

Code 3-11 (Supplies Used in Instruction). Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$15,157.75. "Reason: Too many personal magazines requested by the teachers and administrators. A general reduction of expenditures \$5,157.75. In a 'Privileged and Confidential' memorandum the Superintendent suggested \$10,000 reduction in the supply area." Fact or fiction? The section dealing with a recommended cut of \$10,000 from the Superintendent is fact. The bit about the magazines for \$5157.75 is fiction. There are no professional magazines in this code. They are in Code 9. I can understand Mr. Bruno's confusion since children's current events periodicals are in this code. When we check the amount, however, we see \$2157.75. Now just where did Mr. Bruno get \$5157.75? What did he cut? Is it a secret?

Code 3-12 (Other Expenses of Instruction). Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$11,132.80. "Reason: This area includes reduced expenditure for purchase and rental of films and postage \$2,000. Eliminate junior high School diplomas (\$2,032). Attempt to reduce expenditures of summer school by \$2,000. by either large class size or increase the fee. The summer band costs \$4,000. I do not feel so many taxpayers should pay for so few participants. This program should pay for itself. Summer textbooks and supplies (\$11,000) should be drawn from the regular supplies." Fact or fiction? Fiction! Here he cuts \$11,350 for summer school textbooks and supplies when the budget only contained \$650 for such expenditure. Where did Mr. Bruno find the \$10,350 for his cut of \$11,000? Why the inaccuracies? What is the purpose of inaccuracy?

Code 3-91 (Teachers' Salaries K-6) Mr. Bruno claims a cut of \$92,000. "Reason: This is for salaries for teachers from Kindergarten to 6th Grades. These teachers are applying for a raise over the last raise they just received. The board, if it approves this raise, could roughly cost us \$200,000 to \$250,000 increase in the budget. The Superintendent wants at least one guidance counselor in every elementary school. I do not see the need for guidance counselors in elementary schools and request the elimination in all but the Junior High School and High School. (Estimate: 5 guidance counselors at \$8,000 equals \$40,000). Reduce the summer school curriculum work (\$5,000) by \$2,000. What amazes me, at our expense, all the summer jobs that are recommended which we pay for. In a 'Privileged and Confidential' memorandum, the Superintendent suggests a possible \$40,000 additional saving." Fact or Fiction? Since when does \$40,000 + \$40,000 = \$2,000 add up to \$92,000?

The recommendation of the Superintendent was for a counselor in each elementary school servicing K-6. It was not for all elementary schools (Nicholai and Willet would be excluded since they are primary schools). Now isn't this correct? It was amazing to me to learn that after printing his opinion about elementary guidance counselors in February 28 that he sought professional advice on the question on March 21.

Code 4

In the past I have tried to understand Mr. Bruno's articles "My Opinion." I have also attempted to show the people the "errors" in Mr. Bruno's reporting. I'm still undecided why Mr. Bruno takes this medium of inaccurate reporting rather than at the Board table. I shall continue to point out the realities of the budget with facts rather than opinion.

Code 4 represents costs of Operation of School Plant. The Board has placed \$630,707.25 in this entire Code 4. -- Yet when Mr. Bruno speaks of a sub-code -- Code 4-5, it sounds as though this sub-code has \$631,000 as he "reports." It is also interesting to note that he labels Code 4-5 as Custodial Supplies (Fact for a change) but then speaks of salaries which he claims increased \$20,000. Now he should know, if he really studied and helped make the budgets, that Code 4-1 (not 4-5) represents custodial salaries and in... he placed an additional \$9,100 in this code for a new salary scale effective January 1964. Is Mr. Bruno's \$20,000 fact or fiction? His adding of supplies and custodians is a simple violation of elementary arithmetic. -- You can not add apples + oranges and get apples or oranges as an answer.

I was amazed however that after all Mr. Bruno's gibberish about holding the salary scales he did not comment on Code 4-1, the code which actually does reflect the cost of a new salary scale. Why the deletion? -- Or is it just another error?

Now let us look at Mr. Bruno's fantastic cut of \$311,000 for all of Code 4. The Board of Education cut Code 4-5 by \$8000 due to inventories. The Board also cut 4-11 by \$500. If Mr. Bruno had attended the budget meetings he would have known this. Thus, of Mr. Bruno's claimed cut of \$11,000, we find \$8500 had been taken out of budget by the Board of Education -- at the Saturday meeting Mr. Bruno refused to attend in the afternoon. Thus out of \$630,707.25 Mr. Bruno's recommended cut amounts to \$2500 for telephone calls of a personal nature. How he arrived at this sum would be of interest. As a board member, he must know that every school has pay phones (except Nicholai and the new Willet Avenue School). He must also know that outgoing calls from the regular phones go through the switchboard operator. If the call is of a personal nature, the person making the call is charged for the call. Is it fact or fiction that Mr. Bruno checked the reasonableness of his proposed cut by checking with the Business Offices of the District. -- Fiction -- Does he have a secret source suggesting that employees are making \$2500 worth of phone calls at the expense of the District? Last year the District received \$241.90 for personal calls made through the switchboard. The District collected \$662.09 in commission from the telephone company for the pay phones in our schools. The final figures are provided by the accounting department of the telephone company. The location of the booth and the frequency of the collections also enter into the calculation. Why didn't Mr. Bruno inquire? Why was he so certain of his opinion that he recommends a \$2500 cut for this purpose? Is his "opinion" fact or fiction?

Code 5

Mr. Bruno talks of the Superintendent's recommendation for total Code 5 as \$208,275. If he had looked at the budget he would know the Superintendent recommended \$210,181.34 for the entire code. The Board of Education, however, cut this figure to \$208,275. In Code 5-1 (\$75,100). Mr. Bruno recommends a cut of \$2,000. He says "Reduce this figure (\$75,100) by \$2,000 (approximately a 20% reduction) by sheer economy, maximum work effort and reduction of overtime allowance." Now 20% of \$75,100 is \$15,020. Fact or fiction? If it is fact, then Mr. Bruno's \$2,000 must be fiction. Why did Mr. Bruno change his mind when he voted "yes" on \$75,000 for this code on January 19, 1963 (Motion #723)?

In Code 5-2 it appears that Mr. Bruno took an arbitrary 10% off supplies. Is his logic and arith-

Round-Up Girls At Meetings

Cadette troop #549 of Hicksville has had the honor of having Hicksville Round-Up girls to their meeting. On March 20, Irene Sakel and Ann Ellen Swartz come to the meeting. On March 27th, Lorraine Moeham and Cathy Mill came. We can understand why Council is proud of these girls, troop leaders Mrs. Schroeder and DeFendis said. They are the warmest and well liked girls we have ever met. The girls and ourselves just loved having them and to tell you our feelings we would need two pages or more. So Leaders invite them to your meeting and enjoy them as much as we have, as you will love them too!!

Hicksville Pros Hold Tryouts

The Hicksville Pros Baseball Club are holding tryouts at the Dutch Lane School on Sundays, at 1:30 p.m., Levittown Parkway and Hempstead Ave. Players 18 years and over. The Hicksville Pros. are entered in the Nassau County Alliance League.

Contact Frank Campisi, WE 1-5488.



Pipeline of Life



Trustee Kunz Gives Views

By George W. Kunz.

History has proven time and time again that some people, if given enough rope, will hang themselves.

Our so-called minority member, William A. Bruno, Jr., personifies this philosophy to a tee.

Most of us have been aware that for some months now Mr. Bruno has been skirting the edge of prevarication. But those of us who have been looking for some bright spot in his personality - reaching for some straw of understanding - were really taken back by the

outrageous lie reported in his newspaper column yesterday (Mar. 28).

A week ago - at this same Board table - with all Board members in attendance - the recommendation to purchase a parcel of land at Willet Ave. was discussed and REJECTED by a 5 to 2 vote. Mr. Bruno was one of those who voted - with the majority - to turn the proposal down.

And yet, with an amazing dexterity for twisting the truth, Mr. Bruno turns around and writes an article condemning the Board for voting FOR the proposal. He accuses the Board, and I use his words, of having a psychotic compulsion to spend money and with his

warped reasoning blames the Board for something it didn't even do.

It's really amazing and would be FUNNY if it wasn't so SERIOUS. A Board member is certainly entitled to his opinions, but there should be SOME semblance of truth to them. I can only hope that Mr. Bruno realized his serious error and if he has a shred of decency in him, he will apologize - not only to the Board - but also to the people of Hicksville in his column next week.

If an apology is not forthcoming I intend to move that the Board at its next regular meeting formally censure Mr. Bruno for what is obviously a flagrant lie he is attempting to perpetrate on the people of this District.

Copy of Motion -
Special meeting of Board of Education, March 22, 1963.

No. 1049 Mr. Johnson moved, seconded by Mr. Kunz, that based upon the McCormick Report the

Board place on the May 8th annual meeting ballot a proposition to acquire additional property at Willet Ave. school site at a cost not to exceed \$65,000.

Voting aye - Mr. Johnson, Mr. McCormick.
Voting no - Mr. Jackson, Mr. Sabatella, Mr. Bruno, Mr. Kunz, Mr. Zettler.
Motion lost.

commence immediately, and that the results of this survey would be turned over to the Star Bus Lines who presently operate in other areas in Plainview, as well as to the Department of Franchise of the County of Nassau with whom the Chamber has been in constant consultation regarding this problem.

Mr. D'Auria, who is also Chairman of the Traffic and Transportation Committee of the Chamber, stated that the survey has been conducted at the request of Star Bus Lines who desire to obtain information as to possible use of bus service in this area to help alleviate any possible traffic jam that may be presently existing in the Industrial Park area, as well as to render more efficient bus service throughout Plainview. The results of the survey to be conducted will be available to the general public, and may be obtained upon request by writing to the Chamber of Commerce after May 1st of this year.

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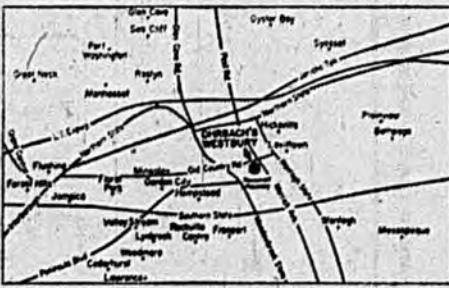
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Lee Ave PTA Names slate

The Lee Avenue School of Hicksville, at its regular monthly meeting of the P.T.A. on Thursday, April 4th at 8:15 p.m. will present a film and hold its annual election of officers for the coming year. The slate is as follows: President, Ida Dell Hughes; Vice-President, Mr. Larry Graziose; Treasurer, Betty Beutelman; Council Delegate, Dorothy Terebesi; Recording Secretary, Jean Lanzilotta; Corresponding Secretary, Hilda Hutchins. Further nominations will be accepted from the floor.

Students Visit Lincoln Center

Approximately 500 music students from the Hicksville Junior and Senior High Schools will be going into New York City on the 26th and 28th of March to hear Andre Kostelanetz conduct the New York Philharmonic Orchestra at Philharmonic Hall in Lincoln Center.

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Avenue, having a frontage of 84.77 feet, a width at the rear of 13.33 feet, by a depth on the northerly side of 200 feet, and a depth on the southerly side of 212.38 feet, and more particularly described in said judgment.

Dated: March 13, 1963.
I. STANLEY ROSENTHAL, ESQ., Referee. SULLIVAN & THORP, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 41 Front Street, Rockville Centre, N.Y.
MT #0141-6X-March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 18, 25

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NOTICE OF SALE

SUPREME COURT: NASSAU COUNTY
FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK, Plaintiff, v.
RALPH ALLEN ESTES, et al., Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made and entered in the above entitled action, dated the 25th day of February, 1963, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the front steps of the Village Hall, Front Street, Massapequa Park, Nassau County, New York, on the 3rd day of May, 1963, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold, situate in Bethpage, Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau and State of New York, being lot Number 3, Block 18, on map of "Central Park Estates, situated at Bethpage, Nassau County, N.Y., property of The Greater City Homes Co., surveyed September 1907 by Charles U. Powell, C.E.", and filed in the Nassau County Clerk's Office on June 4, 1908 as Map No. 4, Case No. 27, located on the easterly side of Spruce Avenue distant 100 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of said side of Spruce Avenue with the southerly side of Cypress

ABT cont.

metric as sound here as it is in Code 5-1? Why has he changed his mind again? On January 19, 1963 he voted "Aye" on the amount of \$55,450 (Motion #724).

In Code 5-3 Mr. Bruno says the Superintendent recommended \$38,850. The Superintendent's recommendation was \$35,500. Where did Mr. Bruno find the other \$3,350. What budget is Mr. Bruno looking at?

In this Code 5-3 Mr. Bruno's saving and reasoning goes like this: "(I recommend a reduction of \$11,350.) Reduce this section by not hiring additional help, reduction of overtime and of stock piling surplus." He probably means supplies. Now if we do as he suggests and do not hire another plumber, which we need, we would save \$4,400.

We could take out the \$1000 for overtime for plumbers and electricians. If Mr. Bruno could guarantee that all emergencies would only occur when these men were on duty. Thus we would have saved \$5400. But Mr. Bruno claims a saving of \$11,350 -- therefore \$5950 must be taken from plumbing and electrical supplies. The budget contains only \$3000 for these supplies. If we deduct \$5950 from \$8000 worth of supplies, we would have \$2050 for supplies for \$20,000,000 worth of plant. Economy? Common sense? Why the change of opinion again? He voted "aye" for Code 5-3 in the amount of \$35,500 on January 19, 1963 (Motion #726). By the way, Mr. Bruno, you offered the motion #726. Why the change? Secret?

Mr. Bruno recommends a cut of \$13,377 in Code 5-4. His cuts are basically aimed at instrumental music and audio-visual aids. These monies represent repairs and replacement of capital equipment, not new equipment. The Administration simply believes we must keep our equipment in repair.

In Code 5-11 Mr. Bruno cuts \$874 but doesn't explain whether he wants to cut out the in-service workshops for custodians, or from the emergency fund. It is difficult to tell how Mr. Bruno would have voted on this code since the action was on February 2, 1963 and Mr. Bruno absented himself again. Fact or fiction Mr. Bruno?

Why is it that Mr. Bruno in July of 1962 offered the motion to direct the Superintendent to see that the 1963-64 budget not exceed 90% of the 1962-63 budget and now his literature states of the 1962-63 budget: "I would return to the near level of the 1962-63 budget - on which the school district operated successfully." From flyer dated 3-12-63 from William A. Bruno, Jr. Fact or Fiction? Has Mr. Bruno changed his mind again?

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ded.

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Mr. Ohrbach acknowl-

edged that the success of the Westbury operation is "spurring our thinking about further expansion of Ohrbach's suburban activities in Metropolitan New York."

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By Edward J. Van Allen

IS CHILD BEARING A BAR TO PUBLIC EDUCATION? -- If a high school girl in her early teens becomes pregnant without benefit of matrimony, leaves school to have her baby, and then wants to return, should she be allowed to do so?

That is the problem reportedly confronting the Syosset School District.

Under the compulsory education law, there is no question that this student has the legal right to return to school. Morality or the lack of it is not one of the yardsticks for determining who shall or shall not go to school. Nor is the school district the arbiter of the morals of its charges.

A local citizens group is said to be studying the matter. Why? No local group of citizens can give anyone rights that are NOT legally his, nor can it take away any rights that ARE Legally his.

Yet, I must make this concession: The Buttinskies are always with us.

Oddments and Endments

SPEAKING of honesty, the School Board has turned down a request of the Hicksville Committee for Honesty in Public Education to meet in the schools. Why? Because no member of the honesty group was present at last week's Board Jamboree.

Apparently notarized statements as to the nature and character of the Honesty Committee were not enough for the Board, which, incidentally, has never adopted a code of ethics.

I've said it before and it bears repeating: The very name of that Honesty Committee scares the bejabbers out of the Board.

HICKSVILLE school super Donald F. Abt has been defending his budget which will raise the school tax to about \$6 for each \$100 of assessed valuation.

Where does Abt defend it? As usual, before the PTA which can be depended upon to do almost anything the school administration wants, without regard to the pocketbooks of the taxpayers.

Recently a reader asked me why I'm so irreverent toward the P.T.A. Said I: "I don't believe any organization in this country should get sacred-cow treatment. I like cows, mind you; I just don't think there are any sacred ones this side of India."

Fire Dept.

Ladies Aux.

The Ladies Auxiliary held a meeting on March 20 at 8:30 p.m. at the Fire House with President Josephine Bokrosh presiding. The Fire Dept. Blood Bank will be on April 29 from 6 to 8 p.m. Chairman Dorothy Hance

and her committee will serve hot refreshments to all donors.

The Ladies Auxiliary donated plastic Fireman Hats to Our Lady of the Angels Home in Syosset.

Elsie Ludwig Jr. one of our esteemed members gave an interesting demonstration on fried marbles and what you can make out of them.

Plans for a fashion show

At Random

SUPREME COURT JUSTICE JOSEPH SUOZZI reserved decision Friday after hearing arguments in the case of George Martin and others against the Hicksville Library and School Boards. The case attacks the legality of the purchase by the Library Board last year of a \$24,000 piece of property without a referendum. When a vote was held last December, months after the initial purchase, the voters turned the proposition down.

Arguing the matter before Judge Suozzi were attorney Harry Goebel for the plaintiffs, Joseph Catalano for the defendant School Board, and Kendrick Smith for attorneys Robinson, Sheeps & Doolittle, attorneys for the Library Board.

Two library trustees have quit since the action was started.

LAUGH OF THE WEEK -- Teachers at Sewanhaka High School are belly-aching over guidance counselors sitting in judgment on their competence.

That knowledge practically makes me chortle, for many teachers have opposed my efforts to keep public school authorities honest by requiring them to show school records to parents and to get parental consent before they brainpick school children.

Now the shoe is on the other foot down Sewanhaka way, at least. And the teachers are screaming to the heavens. Could it be that some of their own sins are coming home to roost?

These teachers probably don't know how much heat can be put on them by guidance counselors, psychologists, and other verminous forms of psychesnoop. They likely don't know that there is at least one psychological test in existence which evaluates teachers. (Peculiarly enough, there don't seem to be any for evaluating psychologists.)

As a matter of fact, there are several psychological tests which ask the STUDENT to tab the teacher. Science Research Associates Youth Inventory, a personality test used to pick the brains of some 75,000 school kids in the U.S. each year, contains these and other indirect questions on teachers:

"My teachers give me no encouragement."

"My teachers make fun of me."

"My teachers don't make assignments clear."

"My teachers are not interested in me."

"My teachers play favorites."

"Class periods are not well organized."

Actually, all teachers aren't quite so dense as to the "headshrinker" threat posed to their own jobs. A number have signed the psychological petition asking for laws to curb psychological testing abuses in this state.

WHAT Hicksville woman has been killing two birds with one stone by going house to house collecting funds for cancer and spreading the word that Hicksville School Trustee William A. Bruno, Jr. is a bad, bad boy?

Wonder why this woman hasn't courage enough to make the statements out in public?

Also wonder whether the cancer group for which she's collecting subscribes to this kind of shenanigans.

A YOUNG Americans for Freedom group is having trouble getting a hall in which to hold meetings on the South Shore.

Not only is "Americanism" in disrepute these days (and you can ascribe that state of affairs to the cleverness of the left wing), but the word "Freedom" actually makes some citizens cower.

It takes courage to be of and for America nowadays. The one-worldists would have you believe that America should be an obedient satellite of that grand and glorious debating society, the United Nations, doing the bidding of a single world government.

Piffle! America should remain America -- the home of the once brave and the land of the still free. It should lead, not follow.

That isn't to say that the UN should be abolished. On the contrary, it has value. It is an excellent training ground for would-be orators. And it may continue to be of slight help in maintaining and uncertain peace.

I prefer to think though, that in the last 18 years the mere existence of the atom and then the hydrogen bombs have had more to do with keeping world peace than has the United Nations.

by: Sadie Benintendi,
Louise DeWitt and Harriet Doyle.

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Members of the senior division Kings were Ricky Leek, Richie Simon, Tony Moretti, Andy Steigmeier and Dick Novack, and members of the Bucks were I. Sokal, B. Cook, L. Jaeger, G. Chinszki and C. Novack.

Ricky Leek of the winning senior division Kings finished with a strong 554 series (208, 218) which edged him over the 180 mark in average, high for the league. His high series of 605 also took honors in that division. High games for the season were posted by Leek (249) and Tom Lynch with a 247.

Junior Division honors for high average went to C. Novack with a 137 average, high series to R. Zevens with a 507 and high game to D. Brandt with a 204.

On Saturday, April 6th, the Bethpage PBC will enter tournament teams in the senior and junior divisions in the Nassau County PBC Tournament to be held at Roosevelt Field Bowlerama. Representing the Seniors will be R. Leek (180), T. Lynch (173), K. Bengal (167), R. Simon (160), T. Moretti, (160) and M. Pappa (154). The Juniors will be represented by D. Wolfe, L. DelVecchio, J. Steigmeier, B. Kitchen, J. Baier-Horn and T. Slevin.

Legal Advertisement
SUPREME COURT-NASSAU COUNTY: RICHMOND HILL SAVINGS BANK, Plaintiff, against BERNARD MARKMAN, et al., Defendants. Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale dated the 11th day of June, 1962 and duly entered in the above entitled action, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the North front steps of the Nassau County Court House, Old Country Road, Mineola, County of Nassau and State of New York on the 17th day of August, 1962 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon the premises described in said judgment situate at Plainedge, Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau and State of New York, known as and by Lot 13 in Block 391 as shown and designated on a certain map entitled "Map

of the real estate situated at Plainedge, Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau, N. Y. December 4, 1951, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau on Feb. 19, 1952 under File Number 5391.

TOGETHER with all the right, title and interest of the mortgagors, if any, in and to the land lying in the streets and roads in front of and adjoining said premises to the center line thereof.

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The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Tuesday, the 18th day of Sept. 1962, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the north front steps of the Nassau County Court House, Old Country Road, Mineola, New York; Max Wildman, Referee, Dated January 15, 1963.

The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Tuesday, the 18th day of Sept. 1962, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the north front steps of the Nassau County Court House, Old Country Road, Mineola, New York; Max Wildman, Referee, Dated February 11th, 1963.

The foregoing sale is hereby adjourned to Tuesday, the 18th day of Sept. 1962, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the north front steps of the Nassau County Court House, Old Country Road, Mineola, New York; Max Wildman, Referee, Dated April 1st, 1963.

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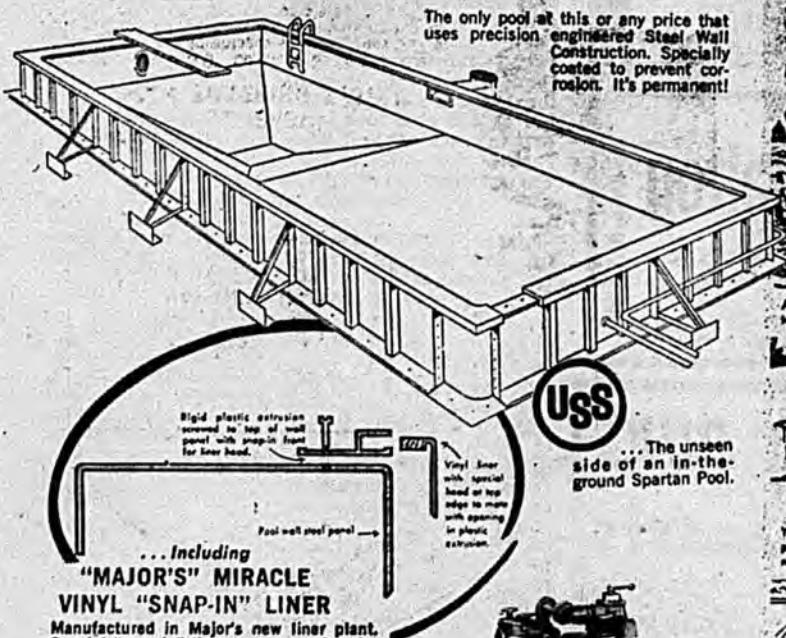
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(INSTALLATION AVAILABLE)

STEEL WALL CONSTRUCTION

The only pool at this or any price that uses precision engineered Steel-Wall Construction. Specially coated to prevent corrosion. It's permanent!



...Including "MAJOR'S" MIRACLE VINYL "SNAP-IN" LINER

Manufactured in Major's new liner plant. Special "snap-in" liner assures perfect installation every time. Liner seated in ten minutes and made ready for water by vacuum method!

...with "COMPACT" FILTERING SYSTEM

Revolutionary "A & G" Compact Sand and Gravel Filter has all the advantages of larger types BUT at one-half the bulk and weight. Controls on top for ease of operation. Can be completely or partially placed below ground.



SPARTAN POOL SIZES

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| 8½' x 17' - 3'4" flat depth
11½' x 27½' - 3'4" to 7'0" deep
16' x 32' - 3'4" to 7'3" deep
18' x 36' - 3'4" to 7'6" deep
20' x 40' - 3'4" to 8'0" deep
20' x 45½' - 3'4" to 8'0" deep
24½' x 50' - 3'4" to 8'6" deep |
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IT'S EASY TO INSTALL!

Nothing so specialized equipment necessary. Only very household tools are actually do the job—no concrete work, metal plumbing or electrical needed.

Here's How:



SEE A FULL WORKING MODEL ON OUR PREMISES AT OUR HICKSVILLE LOCATION