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Hicksville resident, ten year old, Renee DeStefano, a ballet student at the Ballet Centre of Long Island in Hicksville, was demonstrating her work at the barre, for her family, on Parents' Observation Day.

(Photo by Dale A. Simons)

## Irish Festival At Hicksv. Library

Sunday, March 13, The Hicksville Public Library will present an "Irish Festival." At 1:30 p.m. Bill Ochs, Master of the Irish Uilleann Pipes will give a lively one man show weaving together wit, song, pipe music, stories and piping lore.

At 3 p.m., Sister Maureen

O'Donnell will present "An Irish Tour." Sr. O'Donnell will introduce you to the people of Ireland and their culture. Her sparkling commentary will delight you.

Tickets are required and are available at the Hicksville Public Library.

## Art Auction At Trinity Luth.

Trinity Lutheran School, 40 W. Nicholai Street, Hicksville, invites you to attend a very special "Art Auction" on Friday, February 26, 1988.

The Art Auction will feature oils, water colors, graphics and sculptures, priced from below \$35 to \$2,000.

There will be a Door Prize (12" B/W TV), raffle, and free coffee

and cake included in the \$3 admission.

The Preview of the Art will be at 8 p.m., followed by the Auction at 9 p.m.

Trinity is located 2 blocks north of Old Country Road between Broadway and Jerusalem Ave. For further information or directions please call the school 931-2211.

## Board Of Ed. To Meet

The Board of Education will hold its monthly meeting on February 24, at 8:15 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Adminis-

tration Building on Division Avenue. All interested residents are invited to attend this session.

## Memorial Day Plans Underway

The Henry Biel Post #46, Masonic War Veterans will host a second meeting for the planning of the Hicksville Memorial Day Parade. This meeting will be held on the evening of Monday, March 14, at the Hicksville Masonic Temple, 18 W. Nicholai Street, at 8 p.m. Representatives from various veteran's organizations are asked to attend.

All organizations who desire to march on Memorial Day, Monday May 30, should contact the Parade Chairman, Post Commander David Henderson at 681-0512 as soon as possible.

## Guitar People At Mid Is. Y

Guitar People will present "Deb Kayman & Ethnic Routes" at the Mid-Island YM & YWHA in Plainview on February 28, at 2:30 p.m. This Sunday Matinee Performance at the Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview is part of the Y's Jewish Cultural Arts series for children and adults.

This fast paced musical performance consisting of voices, guitar, mime and percussion includes a treasury of Yiddish, Hebrew and Sephardic music to appeal to families of all ages.

Admission is \$3 for Y members and \$4 for non-members. For further information, contact Children and Youth Services at the Y 822-3535. Seating is limited, so advance purchase of tickets is recommended.

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On Sept. 9, 1973 the Post dedicated their new wing. The Post supports veteran programs and some of the members visit Northport Veterans Hospital each month. In December we bring patients from the hospital to the Post to enjoy Christmas, be entertained and receive gifts from Santa.

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Vietnam and is the recipient of

the Congressional Medal of Honor, is a member of Post 3211.

## Shoe Store Robbed At Mid Is.

Det. William Competello of the Second Squad reports the details of a robbery that occurred on Feb. 10, at 8:00 p.m. at the Mid-Island Mall, Hicksville.

A male white wearing an army jacket and a hood entered the Wild Pair of Shoes Store in the mall at 211 Broadway and approached the store manager Ellen Gallagher. He allegedly produced a small handgun and ordered that the store manager hand over some money. He escaped on foot through the mall with \$500 in U.S. Currency.

There were no injuries and the Second Squad is investigating.

## VFW Post 3211 Holds 53rd Anniversary

By Carmine A. Somma

On Saturday February 20, the Wm. M. Gouse Jr. Post 3211 V.F.W. celebrated its 53rd Anniversary, with a Dinner & Dance to be held at the V.F.W. Hall, 320 S. Broadway, Hicksville. Our chairman Joseph Messana gave a brief history of Post 3211 VFW Hicksville. Originally named the Manetto Post No. 3211 its charter was approved on February 4, 1935 and instituted on February 11, 1935. Twenty comrades comprised the post at the time of the first muster.

The First Post Officers were Commander Frank J. Holden, Sr. Vice Comdr. William M. Gouse, Jr., Jr. Vice Comdr. Frank Almirall, Quartermaster Julius A. Heberer, Post Advocate John Law, Chaplain William H. Kranz, Officer of the Day Mathew McBreen, Trustee 18 months Louis Kucken, Trustee 1 year Lupo Lapid, Trustee 6 months Joseph Elliott. By the end of 1935 the Post listed 61 members, today we have grown to over 500 members. Manetto Plains Post No. 3211 was renamed "The William M. Gouse Jr. Post No. 3211" several years later as per agreement by the comrades of the post that "whichever of our comrades dies first, the post shall be named after our deceased comrade."

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## Purim Carnival Planned At Y

The Purim Carnival at the Mid-Island YM & YWHA will be

on Sunday, March 6, from 1-4 p.m.

This annual event at the Y,

45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview

will be better than ever with

clowns, food, Kiddie Karnival,

fun booths for all ages, face

painting, balloons, water rides,

prizes, entertainment and more.

Admission to the Carnival is \$6

per family or \$3 per person. Booth

tickets are 25 cents or five for \$1.

Children who come in costume

get two free booth tickets.

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Parking is free at the Y.

This year, Shalach Manot will be part of the Carnival. If you bring nuts, cookies, candies or dried fruit in a sealed package, you will receive a free booth ticket. These treats will be made into gift packages which will be delivered to patients in local hospitals and nursing homes.

The Holiday of Purim commemorates the rescue of the Jews by Queen Esther from a plot to kill them during the Persian Empire.

## Editor's Notebook

There has been a cutback in mail service and everyone from the window clerk to the postmaster is being blamed. The truth in the matter is that Congress mandated as part of the Gramm-Rudman law that the U.S. Post Office cut costs by some \$1.2 billion over the next 21 months without increasing rates.

The plan in the post office is that if windows are closed in one post office that a neighboring post office will be open. The problem in the idea is that it only appears that there will not be added cost to the consumer in closing windows and limiting service. If you have to spend your time and transportation money in finding a post office that is open it would be better to have rates adjusted where they are necessary.

In our opinion the Postal Service could start with the special rate being given to unwanted third class mail which is thought of in most households as "junk mail" because it is deposited in the waste can as soon as received. The wrong thing about "junk mail" is that the post office regulations allow a good amount of it to be sent piggy back by mailers who thereby avoid the piece rate and only pay by the pound for the "junk" to come in. It is our contention that this mail is being delivered at a loss. Through some expert lobbying by large mailing companies the Postal Service has been influenced to allow this type of mailing with the belief that volume will make it pay. But we believe the cost is being absorbed by the entire postal system. The mailers are already given a special rate for routing and using a Zip plus on the address which may be cost effective to the Postal Service. But the piggy back which started as a few inserts, is well out of hand. A new rate structure is overdue.

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Robert L. Morgan



Oyster Bay Town Councilman Thomas L. Clark, second from right, presents a special town certificate of merit to Joanne Rivera, first place winner in the high school division of the Voice of Democracy contest sponsored by William M. Gause, Jr. V.F.W. Post in Hicksville. Contest chairman Anthony Ferrara presents an award to Steven Rubin, second place winner in the high school division. Also on hand for the awards ceremony was contest chairlady Carmela Vitello. Rivera and Rubin are both students at Hicksville High School.

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## Letter

To The Editor:

During the holidays I visited a nursing home and handed out postcards. Everybody was thankful. The postcards of Jones Beach were the most popular. Soon the winter months will be over and we can again enjoy a walk at Jones Beach.

If you have some spare time, why not visit a nursing home? You will make lots of new friends.

Sincerely yours,  
Karin Frey

## College Note

Teresa Viviano, of 634 Broadway, Bethpage, has been named to the Dean's Honor List for the 1987 Fall semester at Emerson College.

To be placed on the Dean's List a student must maintain at least a 3.30 Grade Point Average and receive no grade lower than a 'C' minus.

Viviano is a member of the class of 1989 at Emerson.

## Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kern of 74 Cliff Drive, Hicksville, announce the arrival of Stephanie Frances Kern, their first grandchild, born on February 13 at Winthrop University Hospital, Mineola. She weighed in at 6 lbs. 2 oz., 19 inches long. Her parents are Deborah and Gary Kern of Levittown.

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of Hicksville Union Free School District of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York (in accordance with Section 103 of Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law) hereby invites the submission of sealed bids on:

**General Classroom Supplies 1988/89:1 - March 4, 1988**

**General Office Supplies 1988/89:2 - March 4, 1988**

for use in the Schools of the District. Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on the date specified, in the Purchasing Office at the Administration Building on Division Avenue at 6th Street, Hicksville, New York, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened.

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

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids and to award the contract to other than the lowest bidder for any reason deemed in the best interest of the District. Any bid submitted will be binding for ninety (90) days subsequent to the date of bid opening.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

### HICKSVILLE UNION FREE

### SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## THE OFFICE CAT



By Gabby Tabby

THE COUNTY still insists on keeping its surcharge on the sales tax in spite of a record \$98.6 million surplus with \$64.7 million of that in the general fund. Reducing taxes is still the lowest political priority.....POLICE Commissioner Samuel Rozzi has reiterated his ban on police or any organizations associated with the Nassau Police Dept. soliciting funds. If you receive a phony call for funds telephone 535-7818.....JERICHO resident Walter Greenspan points out that Channel 12's monitoring of traffic on Broadway and the LIE is at Jericho not Hicksville as reported last week. Sorry Walter but when you have been around as long as we have you might get mixed up a little bit too.....THE SNOW has gone but the sand will remain until the next time the streets are cleaned. Please do not hold your breath.....THE DEMOCRATS are running a straw Presidential Candidate poll on February 25 at a party in Westbury. Tickets to the event are \$10 including a right to cast a ballot....THE CRIME REPORT is published each week as a public service to alert residents of where crime is taking place in the area and as an aid in the Neighborhood Watch program. Anyone seeing suspicious activity should phone 911: INSPECTION stickers and cash were stolen from the Gulf Station at 497 Stewart Avenue, Bethpage. Burglars broke in through a rear wall on February 7.....COINS from the laundromat machines at "Wash and Dry" 104 Benkert Street, Bethpage, were stolen on February 9. Burglars entered through the open front door.....BURGLARS broke into Berretta Research, 16 E. Old Country Road, Hicksville on February 12. They came in through a front window and stole office equipment.....A TV was stolen from the car, rental office at 14 E. Old Country Road, Hicksville on February 12. Entry was through a rear window.....BURGLARS broke into BOCES on Richard Court, Plainview, on February 12. A computer was taken.....BURGLARS broke into the Kenigsberg residence, 43 Strong Street, Hicksville on February 10. An am/fm cassette was stolen. A rear window was used to gain entry.....NO LOSS was reported at the Friedman residence, 10 St. Lawrence Place, Jericho. Entry was through a rear door on February 12.....ASSORTED jewelry was stolen from the Galt residence, 12 Waren Lane, Jericho on February 12. Entry was through a sliding door.....THE LOSS is unknown at the Holdshin residence, 26 Maxine Avenue, Plainview. Burglars entered on February 14 through a rear window.....BURGLARS broke into the Chiv residence, 7 Pine Street, Plainview on February 14. Assorted jewelry was stolen. Entry was through a rear window.....That's all the news for now...G.T.



Nassau County Executive Thomas S. Gullotta, left, attended the retirement luncheon for Raymond Ruland of Bethpage, who is retiring from the Nassau County Police Department's Bomb Squad. The luncheon was recently held at C.K. Oliver's Restaurant in Williston Park.

## H.H.S. P.T.S.A. Honors Three

The Hicksville High School P.T.S.A. proudly announces its honored guests at this year's Hicksville Council of P.T.A.s Founder's Day Dinner on Feb. 25. They are Mr. Tony Johnson, District Coordinator, Curriculum Materials Center; Joyce Guerriere, currently Council Delegate for the Senior High School P.T.S.A.; and Jean Tobin, Corresponding Secretary, Senior High School P.T.S.A.

Mr. Johnson joined the Hicksville Senior High School staff seven years ago. He is responsible for providing service in the area of educational media to all district teachers. He has been extremely supportive of the Senior High School P.T.S.A., particularly each spring, when it hosts a dance recital, requiring stage lighting and audio. This event is the major fundraiser for the Senior High School P.T.S.A. Scholarship Fund.

"It's a pleasure to work in Hicksville and I sincerely mean that," said Mr. Johnson. "This is probably the greatest honor of my life - to be recognized by an organization that you enjoy working with and for."

Joyce Guerriere is no stranger to Hicksville P.T.A. She started 16 years ago where many P.T.A. volunteers first begin: Pre-school. She chaired that committee at Burns Avenue as well as several others, including many fundraising events. She served as a Council Delegate and Recording Secretary at Burns. Joyce was also a Council Delegate from the Hicksville Junior High School P.T.S.A. and is currently the Council Delegate for the Senior High P.T.S.A.

As a Council member, she has chaired several committees, including by-laws and the Founder's Day Dinner. Joyce was involved in P.T.A. legislation and

attended several New York State P.T.A. Conventions.

Says Joyce, "Through the years, I've developed friendships with many people who have the same goal - we believe in creating a better environment for our children."

Jean Tobin has also been a child advocate for many years, serving in many capacities. She was Recording and Corresponding Secretary at Woodland Avenue P.T.A., moved up to the Junior High School P.T.S.A. board, where she also served as Recording Secretary and continued on to the Senior High School P.T.S.A., again serving as Recording and Corresponding Secretary. Jean also held the same office with SEPTA, the Special Education P.T.A. She was also the unit's membership chair and a Council Delegate. In between these important tasks, Jean was an active member of the District's Gifted and Talented Committee and the Cultural Arts Committee.

Jean has been a teacher aide at Woodland Avenue School for 7 years and is a member of the Executive Board of the Teacher Aide Union.

"I have gained great satisfaction working with the special children at Woodland Avenue," says Jean. "But, without the support of my husband, John, a teacher for 30 years at Jericho High School, and my daughters, Jean, a freshman at Plattsburgh College, and Margaret, a senior at Hicksville High, I could not have accomplished all these deeds. I feel I am a better person because of what I have done."

Tickets for the Council's 35th Annual Founder's Day Dinner can be purchased from Peggy Gill, P.T.A. Founders Day Chairperson, 433-8607. The cost is \$27. The event will be held at the Woodbury Country Club.

## Fork Lane Performs 'Freedom Star'



Pictured left to right, kneeling: Michael McInerney, Justin Smith. Standing: Jennifer Murray, Merry Senn, Scott Schubert and David Nelsen.

In conjunction with their study of the Civil War, a reading group in Mr. Pisani's fifth grade class at Fork Lane School, put on a play entitled "Freedom Star." The story is about Harriet Tubman

and how she helped many slaves to gain their freedom.

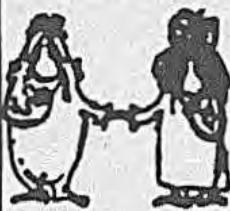
The costumes and scenery were provided by the students. Their performance was first rate. Many thanks for a job well done.

## Homemakers Meet March 3

The Homemakers Council of Nassau County will hold their monthly meeting on March 3, between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., at the Community Church on Stewart Avenue in Hicksville.

This will be a regular business meeting and program planning.

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## U.M.C. Youth Collect Food For Needy



Members of the Hicksville United Methodist Church Youth Fellowship recently collected over 20 cases of food for the needy. The youth collected the food outside of Grand Union store on Jerusalem Avenue on Saturday, January 30. The following Saturday, it was delivered to the Long Island Council of Churches Food Bank in Hempstead. The L.I.C.C. Food Bank distributes non-perishable food to families and senior citizens who express need.

Pictured, left to right, are Phillip Coniglio, Mr. Mark Villazon, advisor; Jennifer Alexander and Christine Selms, loading up the food for delivery. Our thanks to the many Hicksville residents and to the management of the Grand Union store for their support.

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MID ISLAND TIMES

## Dr. Kaminester Retires In Florida

Dr. Chester Kaminester, of Hicksville, retired a few months ago and his patients, friends, staff and family had a farewell party at Anton's in his honor.

Approximately 200 people attended, and a great time was had by all. Dr. Kaminester was presented with a check towards a golf cart as he and his wife Marilyn will be retiring in Florida. He will be surely missed

since he's been a Hicksville for the past 30 years.

Everyone wishes them a happy and joyous retirement.

**GRANDPARENTS** - Send us your grandchildren's photos and enter our "World's Most Beautiful Grandchildren" contest. See the Notice column in the Classified Section for more information or call 931-0012.

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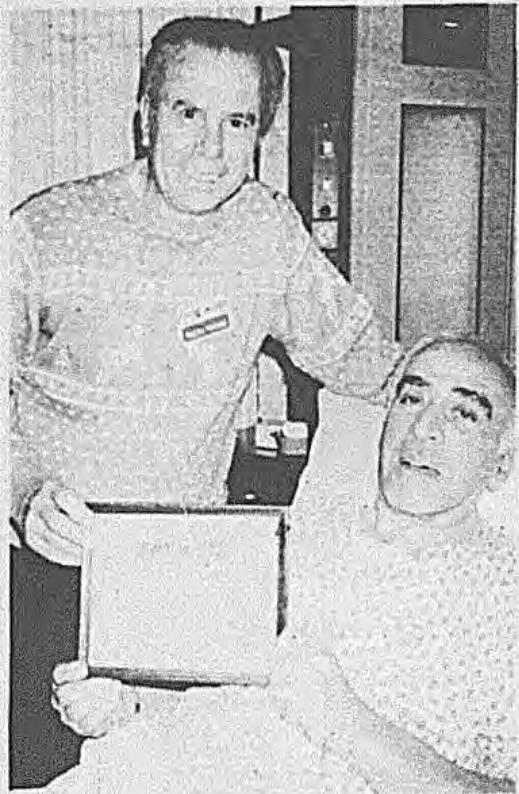
The lab offers the most state-of-the-art ultrasound and plethysmographic (study of volume change) equipment and technology. A nationally certified vascular technologist performs all of the tests. All reports are computer generated and subsequently sent to your physician.



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E. James Petrucci of Bethpage, a recent cardiac patient at St. Francis Hospital, Roslyn, is happy to receive his "Brave Heart" award for having undergone successful open heart surgery at The Heart Center. The award gains him membership in the Brave Hearts organization, a supportive group to help those who are considering, as well as those who have had, cardiac surgery.

Presenting the award to James and representing the Brave Hearts of St. Francis Hospital, is Ralph Furino, 1st Vice President of the Brave Hearts from Amityville.

Pioneering open heart surgery for children in the 1950s, St. Francis Hospital today performs more open heart surgery on infants, children and adults than any other hospital in New York State. The State's only designated cardiac specialty hospital, St. Francis serves as a referral center for Long Island's community hospitals. For further information on the Brave Heart organization, please call 627-5047, 5084.

**MOMMY... DON'T**

Don't take drugs unless your doctor, who knows you're pregnant, prescribes them. And... get early and regular prenatal care.

March of Dimes

## Campagne PTA Has Book Fair



Students enjoy selecting their books.

On February 4, the Charles Campagne School PTA held its annual Book Fair. This year they sponsored two projects to spark student interest in reading and the Book Fair -- a student book jacket display and a trivia contest. A variety of wholesome and

inexpensive reading material, geared for elementary level readers, was available for purchase. Children enjoyed visiting the fair and choosing their books from the large variety offered for sale.



Children enjoy entering the Trivia Contest.

### LEGAL NOTICE

Substance of Certificate of Limited Partnership filed in Nassau County Clerk's Office 2/4/88 of **BALDWIN MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATES**, principal office 333 Jericho Turnpike, Jericho, N.Y. Business: act as general partner of R and L Baldwin Associates. Term: 60 years. General Partner (GP): Grand Baldwin Management Corp., 333 Jericho Tpke., Jericho, N.Y. Limited Partners (LPs): Florence Rosen, Robert A. Rosen, each of 333 Jericho Tpke., Jericho, N.Y., capital contribution \$425.00 each, percentage interest 42.5% each; No LP obligated to (but may) make additional contributions. LPs' contributions returned upon termination/dissolution of Partnership per Agmt. No LP may assign interest without prior written consent of GP. Additional LPs admitted with consent of GP. No priority among LPs as to contributions or compensation by way of income. No LP may demand or receive property other than cash in return for contribution.

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## Pool Fees Stay At 1986 Prices

Oyster Bay Town residents will be able to enjoy the Town's four community park pools this summer at 1986 prices, according to Town Councilman Douglas J. Hynes.

"The Town Board has approved a fee schedule for membership at the four community park pools - Bethpage, Marjorie R. Post (Massapequa), Plainview-Old Bethpage and Syosset-Woodbury...which reflects no increase over the last two years," Hynes stated. "With a pool membership entitling the holder to not only use the pool but all other facilities in the park and take part in the many summer programs offered by the Town, it is an exceptionally good value for your vacation dollar."

Hynes noted that the pool season will begin on Saturday, June 18, and end on Monday, September 5 (Labor Day). Registration for pool membership at all parks will begin on Saturday, May 28.

### 1988 Community Park Pool Fees

Park District Resident Fees:	
Family Membership	\$125.00
Individual Membership	\$90.00
Senior Citizen Couple	\$65.00
Senior Citizen Indiv.	\$45.00
Non-Park District Resident Fees:	
Family Membership	\$155.00
Individual Membership	\$110.00
Senior Citizen Couple	\$85.00
Senior Citizen Indiv.	\$55.00
Photo Permit. Pass for each Member	\$2.50

All Community Park Pools Special Fees:	
Daily Admission: Child (36 mos. to 15 yrs.)	\$4.00
Adult (16 yrs. and older)	\$6.00
Senior Citizen (62 yrs. and older)	\$4.00
Guest Book: one book of 10 admissions	\$30.00
(Available to pool members only after July 4, 1988)	

### LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SEALED BIDS will be received by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the HICKSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT, 20 East Marie Street, Hicksville, New York, until 3:00 p.m. prevailing time, April 6, 1988, for the following:

Hicksville Fire District Municipal Fire Alarm System and the General Electrical Maintenance of District Facilities. This contract shall be in effect until January 31, 1989.

A Bid Bond of \$2,500.00 or a certified check of \$2,500.00 shall accompany each bid. Bid bond or certified check shall be returned after the Board of Fire Commissioners awards the bid.

Certificates of non-collusion must accompany each bid.

Complete specifications for the above items may be obtained at the office of the Dispatcher, Hicksville Fire House, 20 East Marie Street, Hicksville, New York.

### BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS HICKSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT

Dated: February 14, 1988  
Attest: John Knight, District Secretary  
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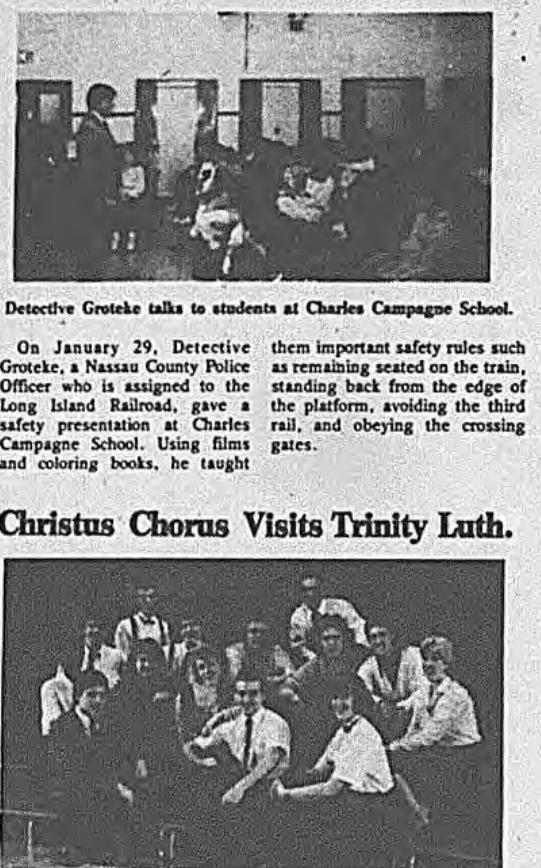
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Detective Groteke talks to students at Charles Campagne School.

On January 29, Detective Groteke, a Nassau County Police Officer who is assigned to the Long Island Railroad, gave a safety presentation at Charles Campagne School. Using films and coloring books, he taught them important safety rules such as remaining seated on the train, standing back from the edge of the platform, avoiding the third rail, and obeying the crossing gates.

## Christus Chorus Visits Trinity Luth.



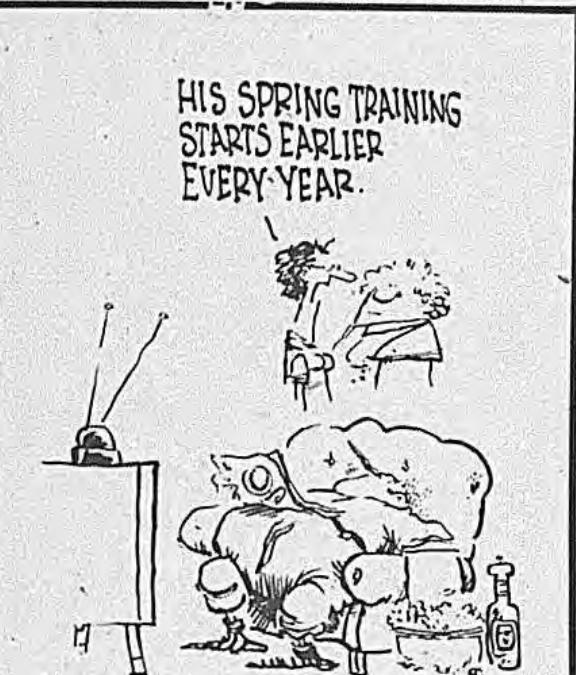
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## YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

By William M. Acosta

### Retirement check doesn't count against SS earnings

**Q:** My mother, who is 65, is receiving a monthly Social Security retirement benefit. She also receives \$175 a month retirement check from her former employer. She was told by a friend that the \$175 will count against the annual maximum she can earn. Is that correct? — T.J.

**A:** The annual exempt amount for 1988 is \$8,400 for people 65 through 69 and \$6,120 for people under 65. If earnings go over the annual exempt amount, we withhold \$1 in benefits for each \$2 of earnings above the limit.

Only your earnings from employment or self-employment count. Income from savings, investments, pensions or insurance does not count.

**Q:** Is it possible to get detailed earnings information including periods of employment, as well as names and addresses of my former employers? — B.C.

**A:** Yes, detailed earnings information is available. However, we usually charge a fee for detailed information. In most cases, this information is used for purposes not directly related to Social Security, such as for a private pension plan or personal injury suit. Your local Social Security office can provide additional information.

**Q:** If you delay receiving your Social Security benefits, how much more do you receive? — P.F.

**A:** For each month you delay receiving retirement benefits, beginning with the month you are 65, and ending with the month you are 70, you will receive an extra amount in benefits when you do retire. Currently, for people who reach 65 in 1989, their monthly benefit will be increased by 3 percent for each year (1/4 of 1 percent for each month) that they do not receive a benefit. Starting for people who reach 65 in 1990 and later, the credit will be gradually increased until it reaches 8 percent in 2009.

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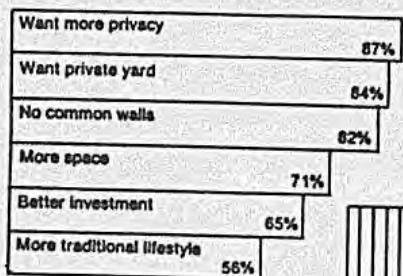
**Q:** I am 75 years old. I do not have Social Security because I never worked outside of my home enough to build it up. Would it be possible for me to enroll in either or both parts of Medicare by paying? — D.M.

**A:** People 65 and over who have not worked long enough to be eligible for hospital insurance can have this protection by enrolling and paying a monthly premium. The basic premium is \$234 a month through December 1988. People who buy Medicare hospital insurance also must enroll in medical insurance. The monthly premium for 1988 is \$24.80.

## SMART MONEY

### Why buyers want a single-family home

Results of a *Builder* magazine survey of home buyers.



SOURCE: *Builder* magazine



## Fashion Show By Columbiettes

The Columbiettes of Rev. Michael J. Hartigan Council, Bethpage, will be holding their Annual Dinner Fashion Show, on Monday, March 14, at 8 p.m., at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 521 Central Avenue, Bethpage. Tickets are \$14 per person (Senior Citizens \$13). Complete Roast Beef Dinner.

For tickets and information call Clara Maffetone, 935-7954 or Nancy Verderosa 935-3529. Fashions will be presented by Korinne.

## Local Residents Urged To Enter Run

Sponsors of the Lerner Cup Championship 10-Kilometer Run have announced that applications are now available for the 11th annual running of that race on Saturday morning, April 9 at 10 a.m.

All proceeds from the event will be donated to the Sloan Kettering/Hospital for Special Surgery Children's Prosthetic and Rehabilitation Foundation, to fund an innovative program aimed at helping young amputees re-enter the world of sports.

Runners from the Syosset area have always played a part in the annual race. The list of trophy winners from the 1987 race includes Geza Feld who finished 5th in the men 50-54 year old group; Burt Jablon who took first place in the men's 60 plus category and Jerry Miller who finished 3rd in the men's 30-34 year old group.

The program which is called ASPIRE -- A Sarcoma Patient's Intense Rehabilitation with Exercise -- provides young amputees with the prosthetic devices, rehabilitation and therapy they need to participate in athletics. The program is under the direction of Paddy Rossbach, herself a leg amputee who has overcome her handicap to become the first female amputee to successfully complete the New York City Marathon.

The entry fee for the 10K run is \$10 for those who pre-register, \$12 on the day of the run. The fee for the pre-race "fun run" is \$4 for pre-registration, \$5 on the day of the race.

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## Bethpage Career Day

On Wednesday, February 3, Nassau Technological Center, a division of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services of Nassau County (BOCES), presented an Occupational Career Awareness Program in the Bethpage High School lobby. Bethpage High School students attending Nassau Tech for half of each school day demonstrated some of Nassau Tech's forty different career learning opportunities, such as Aviation.

Computer Repair, Electronics, Dental Assisting, Practical Nursing and Baking.

Practical nursing students Faith Young and Michael Greco provided free blood pressure screenings for faculty and students. During lunch, students were invited to sample a cake decorated like a football field iced in Bethpage Eagle colors. The cake was baked and decorated by students attending the Nassau Tech Baking program.



Gina Valenti and Jeanna Lombardo demonstrate Dental Assisting techniques.



Dr. John McCarthy, Assistant Principal for Guidance, and Vincent J. LaSala, Executive Administrator of Nassau Tech, hold a cake cutting ceremony to kick off the Career Awareness Program.



Robert Mazzarella, Aviation Instructor; Rita Bishop, Nassau Tech; and students Steven Andrews and Kevin Bonner display Aviation projects.

## Town Hearing Date Change

Please be advised that a public hearing scheduled for Tuesday, February 23, has been changed to Tuesday, March 29.

The petitioners, Alan B. Hare and Amelia P. Hare, are seeking a change in zone from "D"

residence to "R-O" residence office to allow the operation of a chiropractic office. The property is located on the west side of Pine Hollow Road (Rte. 106) at the corner of Gilbert Court, East Norwich.

## Kindergarteners Study China



Mrs. Kaiser, center, helps Christine Ho and Cassandra Riviera with their chopsticks.

At Charles Campagne School, Mrs. Kaiser's morning and afternoon kindergarten sessions just completed a Social Studies unit about China and celebrated with a "Chinese New Year" feast. Mrs. Kaiser, who had traveled to Singapore and mainland China last summer, showed her students "Big Bird Visits China", an entertaining videotape. She taught them to write Chinese characters and read them Chinese children's literature. The children enjoyed making their

own pandas and passports in Art class.

Mr. Ho, Christine's father, prepared the morning session's Chinese feast of steamed rice, Chinese roast beef, juice and fortune cookies. Mr. and Mrs. Kaiser circulated around the children showing them how to eat the Chinese way--with chopsticks!

The boys and girls enjoyed learning about a different culture and experiencing the taste of international cuisine.



Left to right: Jerry Zerbini, Justin Wallenton and Daniel Rothberg display Chinese characters, dolls and artifacts.

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By Rosalind Renouard



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## Probation Director Visits Beth. GOP

How much fun can a talk of probation be? Well, it can be a great deal of fun when Robert J. Bennett, Director of Probation for Nassau County, is doing the talking.

Kevin Galloway, President of the Theodore Roosevelt Republican Club of Bethpage, hastened through the opening ceremonies of last week's meeting so he could introduce Mr. Bennett to the anxiously waiting crowd that filled the American Legion Hall. Noting the amount of people to come out on a cold February night, he could only attribute it to the light, lively and informative conversation that could be forthcoming from Bob Bennett.

Many members present, remembered Mr. Bennett's visit of a few years ago and could not wait for his jokes and anecdotes which he intertwines with the more serious business of probation. He did not disappoint them.

Mr. Bennett explained that in 1950 there were 48 employees in his department and now there are 508 with a budget of \$24 million. Probation, as Mr. Bennett sees it, is that the individual will never commit another crime. Probation is responsible for making pre-sentencing background checks on convicted people. Did this person have any prior arrests, is he or she a follower or a leader? This report will enable the judge to impose a fair sentence.

Many changes have come about over recent years that have made a large impact on Mr. Bennett's department. While probation is still carrying out intensive supervision of those individuals who have been placed on probation instead of put in jail, the introduction of electronic detection, computer crimes and the new awareness of driving while intoxicated has changed things considerably.

"Electronic home detection is an innovative way to keep tabs on people without putting them behind bars," Mr. Bennett went on to explain. "We place an electronic device on the person in question and they are free to roam about their house. As long as they stay within 150 feet of their telephone, which acts as a transmitter, they are okay. If they should leave the house without prior approval and go beyond the range of the device a signal is

sent to the central microcomputer in the Probation Department and the appropriate action is taken. Of the 100 people that were placed in the home detection program," Director Bennett went on, "only 4 violations occurred, including the guy who had to see his girlfriend, a very costly date. He and the other 3 violators went to prison to complete their sentences."

Because of efforts of groups such as Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), driving while intoxicated has gone from a \$50 fine and a suspension of your drivers license to a serious offense in which jail sentences are handed out. Last year, 1800 DWI offenses were investigated by the Probation Department of which 1600 were placed on probation from between 3 and 5 years causing the case load to escalate tremendously. But the probation department has changed along

with the crimes of our society. An Alcohol Treatment Unit has been created where counselors meet with offenders to deal with DWI. And now their investigators are handling crimes involving computers and home operators that invade private computer files of the government, hospitals, schools etc.

Mr. Bennett ended his talk in the usual manner - he left them laughing. As he left the floor to the rousing applause of the membership, George Yochmann, Executive Leader of the club, stood to thank Bob for coming to the meeting. "Bob is a good friend whom I've known over the years," said Mr. Yochmann, "and for doing such a good job, I'd like to present him with this basket of fruit." In the spirit of the evening, Mr. Bennett greatly accepted.

Mr. Yochmann went on to advise the membership that the club's committeemen have obtained all the necessary petition signatures for the upcom-

ing convention and that the Nassau Republican delegation would be supporting Vice President George Bush.

In addition, President Galloway appointed First Vice President, Buddy Mazzara, to head the club's membership drive and voter registration program.

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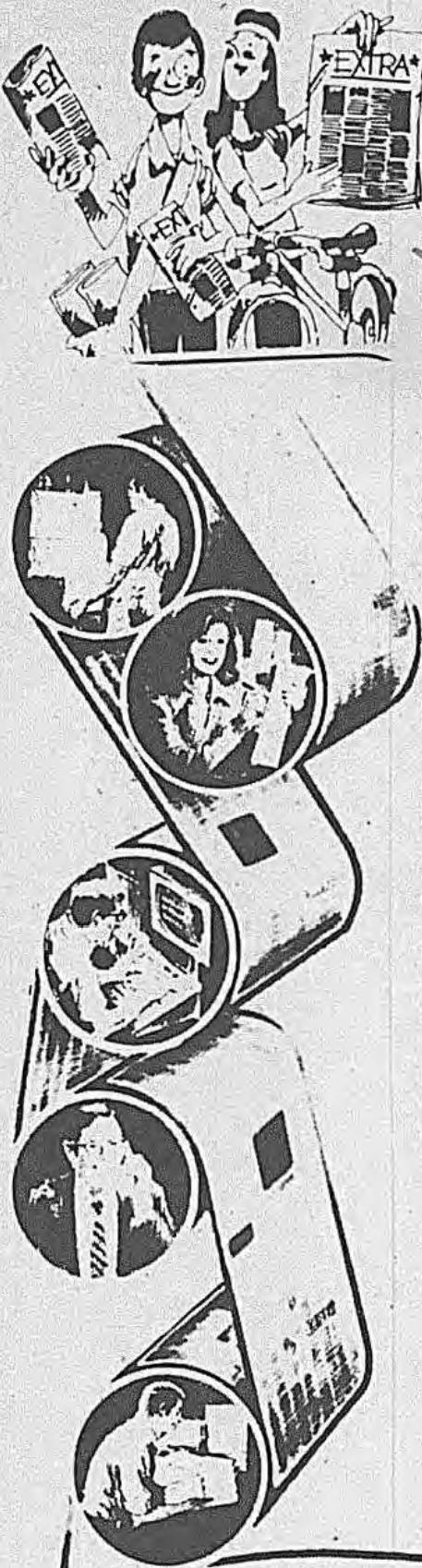
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