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'Empire Of Sun' Film Series

Steven Spielberg's film, "Empire Of The Sun," based on the novel by J. G. Ballard, is the first in a series of Friday evening films to be shown at the Bethpage Public Library, starting September 15, at 8 p.m.. The PG-rated film stars Christian Bale, John Malkovich, Miranda Richardson and Nigel Havers.

Tom Stoppard's screenplay provides the raw material for yet another Spielberg film in which a child is both a focus for the action and a lens through which others are seen. Unlike the band of children in "E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial" (1982), or the boy in "Close Encounters of the Third Kind" (1977) who are privileged beyond most adults in their insight into reality, however, the young protagonist of "Empire Of The Sun" moves from innocence to awareness under the fierce conditions of loss of parents and harsh imprisonment in time of war.

When Jim, in a scene not found in the novel (and one that is marvelously acted by the brilliant thirteen-year-old Christian Bale), painfully recognizes and is recognized by the parents he has not seen for three and a half years, it would be difficult to avoid being moved. Spielberg's handling of this scene, making full use of Bale's skill, elevates the film above the typical Hollywood adventure, evoking the pain and the wonder of Jim's grueling coming of age.

The film series, all Fridays at 8 p.m., continues with "Hope and Glory," on October 13; "Milagro Beanfield War," on November 17; and "Stand and Deliver," on December 15. Admission is free and all are welcome.

Storytime For Pre-School

Children 3 1/4-4 1/4 years old (not in kindergarten yet) are invited to join our storytime at the Children's Room of the Hicksville Public Library. There will be three sessions: 1st session: Tuesdays - 10:30-11 a.m., Oct. 3, Dec. 19 (No sessions Nov. 7 & Dec. 5). 2nd session: Tuesdays - 2:30 p.m., Oct. 3-Dec. 19 (No sessions Nov. 7 & Dec. 5). 3rd session: Wednesdays - 2-2:30 p.m., Oct. 4-Dec. 20 (No session Dec. 6). Registration starts Monday, Sept. 18. Proof of birthdate and parent's library card required.

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Hicksville School Board Reacts To Izzo Incident

By Maureen Traxler

In response to pressure from Willet Avenue School parents for enforcement of stricter district-wide security for students, the Hicksville Board of Education approved the establishment of three precautionary safety measures and a contract for a professional counseling service, at its August 30 meeting. The implementation of these items will add approximately \$250,000 to the 1989-90 school budget. The action by the Board was prompted by the arrest last May of Harran bus driver Robert Izzo on child abuse charges.

The Board's agenda included a resolution by the Nassau County Board of Supervisors for the 1989-90 tax rate. The item was tabled, and the Board agreed to take up this matter at a special meeting on Wednesday, September 6.

In the Superintendent's report to the Board, Dr. Catherine Fenton outlined the new student safety procedures as follows: Sixteen 3 1/2 hour-a-day hall monitor positions will be created for security purposes at the entrance to the eight elementary school buildings. This will incur an expense of \$112,000 for 1989-90. Only one door will be open as the entrance and exit to each building during the school day. All visitors will be given ID badges to be worn while they are in the building. Visiting personnel will also be asked to wear ID badges. The security camera systems now in the schools will be used as a backup. Offenders may face being prohibited from entering the building again.

Dr. Fenton said that the district does not wish to close off the schools to resident access. "We are not concerned with the stranger, but from experience, we are concerned with the people we know," she concluded.

Secondly, reception booths will be constructed at the entrance to each elementary school and the high school at an approximate cost of \$8,700. The middle school is already equipped with a reception station.

Trustee James Martillo asked who is constructing these booths, and was informed that the work will be done by internal staff. One resident questioned why it is going to cost "nearly \$1,000 to screw a table to the floor in each building, with maybe a couple of pieces of wood around it." Facilities Director Tom Shaw stated that "most of the cost will be in man hours" at time and a half.

Thirdly, on all bus runs where Kindergarten children will be alone on the bus, a monitor will be present. The Board approved authorization for administration to adjust transportation bids to include a bus monitor on each Kindergarten run at an approximate cost of \$80,000, subject to approval of the transportation companies, the Civil Service Commission and the State Education Department.

Since the district's contract with Harran has already been signed for 1989-90, the district expects to pick up the cost of the monitors this year. Resident Norma Goerke asked Dr. Fenton how many hours the bus monitor will be working. Dr. Fenton replied that the bus run is approximately one hour. Mrs. Goerke then questioned the \$10,000-a-year allotment for each elementary school when the monitor would be working one hour a day for the 180 days the schools are in session. Mrs. Goerke noted, "That's \$55 per hour!"

After the public session, Trustee JoAnn Miltenberg was quoted as saying that possibly the district could look into using monitors who are already in the district's employ.

Duplicate records of all employees used by the bus company will be kept, and each driver will be given a set of rules and regulations. Drivers will be required to remain with the bus during field trips; no weapons will be permitted on the person of the driver or anywhere in the vehicle. The district will also institute a complaint phone. Callers will not be required to give their name, but if they do so, they will receive a follow-up on their complaint.

Dr. Fenton urged all parents to become far more aware of the bus routes their children take. She requested that they alert the district if they notice any variations in times or stops. Children will only be picked up at home and will only be delivered to their homes. Each bus will have displayed in a prominent place the Hicksville district name, the route number and the complaint phone.

In order to meet the approximate \$250,000 incurred by the safety measures, the Board decided to effect cuts in the present budget. Superintendent Fenton suggested \$221,000 in cuts which would include leaving vacant the positions of two librarians and one guidance counselor, cutting staff conference money, eliminating some curriculum writing and some consultant fees in science, physical and arts. The remaining monies will be found in other areas.

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Bring summer to a close with laughter. The Hicksville Public Library is presenting the play "Two for the Seesaw" performed by the Other Vic Theatre Company on Friday evening, September 15, at 8:30 p.m. The long-run Broadway hit was reviewed by critics, who said... "It's a whale of a hit, a bittersweet joy ride." - N.Y. Times. "An absorbing, affectionate, and funny delight." - NY Daily News. This play is co-sponsored by the Hicksville Public Library and the Nassau County Arts Decentralization Consortium with public funds from New York State Council on the Arts Decentralization Program. The play is free and all are welcome. In photo Frank Scoblette and Alana Caracelo.



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Editor's Notebook

Good News - Crime is down in the County
Nassau County District Attorney Denis Dillon reports that the crime rate in Nassau went down in 1988, and Nassau now has one of the lowest crime rates in the New York-Metropolitan area. This is especially good news when it is considered that the statewide crime rate increased in 1988 by 6.4 percent.

These statistics are compiled by the State Division of Criminal Justice Services. The categories of crime considered include both violent and non-violent crimes. In Nassau County the crime rate per 100,000 people in 1988 was 3311.8. This figure is down from 3350.9 in 1987. Meanwhile, in Suffolk County the crime rate in 1988 per 100,000 people was 4249.4. This figure is up from 4051.5 in 1987. In Westchester the rate was 4422.9 and in Queens it was 8357.4.

DA Dillon believes the major reason for the drop in crime in Nassau involved demographics. Nassau has an aging population and studies have shown that young people in the so-called crime prone areas commit the greatest number of crimes. But he also thinks law enforcement in this county has had an impact. The District Attorney's Office and Nassau Police have conducted a number of "sting" operations in the last few years and as a result have quarantined hundreds of burglars and drug pushers behind bars.

Crime statistics released by the State show that Nassau led New York in prosecutions of Vehicular Manslaughter cases. These are laws used against drunk drivers who have killed innocent bystanders. Nassau County had eight such prosecutions in 1988 while Suffolk had none and Westchester had two.

In 1988 statistics show that the crime rate went down in Nassau County in the categories of murder, robbery, burglary and larceny. There was a slight increase in the number of reported rapes, assaults and motor vehicle thefts.

Local material of interest to readers in the area covered by this newspaper is welcome. Material "exclusive" to this newspaper should be marked. In times of space limitations only "exclusive" items can be used. Letters to the editor written for general distribution or not exclusively to the editor of this newspaper generally will not be used.

Local Man Named Partner

Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson has announced that Robert C. Schwenkel, a Hicksville resident, has been named a partner of the firm.

Mr. Schwenkel, 36, joined Fried Frank in 1982. He is a member of the firm's corporate department specializing in

mergers and acquisitions.

Mr. Schwenkel is a graduate of the University of Buffalo (B.A., cum laude, 1974), Buffalo State College (M.S., 1976) and the State University of New York at Buffalo (J.D., magna cum laude, 1982). He is admitted to practice in New York.

Letters

To The Editor:

I have just finished reading Effie Krogmann's Letter to the Editor regarding the Hicksville I.N.N. and would like to comment on this situation.

As a resident of the immediate area where the I.N.N. is located, I feel I have valid concerns about the location of a "soup kitchen" in a mostly residential area. I also feel it unfair for Mrs. Krogmann to make herself the self-appointed conscience of the people of Hicksville. Could this be the same Effie Krogmann who stood at a meeting a few months back at East St. School, with Pastor Grant at her side, and complained to Councilman Tom Clark that he had "sneaked" a soccer field in behind their Church without considering the people that lived nearby?

I feel that our Government does take care of people that TRULY need help....we have Welfare, food stamps, Medicaid, etc., for the people who are unfortunate victims of circumstance. The people the soup kitchen serves are, for the most part, self-inflicted victims of the bottle or the needle. I also find it hard to believe that those who are being served are all "Hicksville" people. Some others, besides Mrs. Krogmann, who are involved in working at the I.N.N., are also not Hicksville residents. I personally know one woman who volunteers there who is constantly talking about her community (Huntington) and all the lovely boutiques and quaint coffee houses that are located in her town. Isn't it ironic that most "do-gooders" choose to do their works of mercy far from where they live?

I have always truly believed that "God helps those who help themselves." Most of the good, middle-class people who live in Hicksville are here in their nice homes because of hard work. My husband and I have raised our family, educating them without asking for assistance from anyone. When the children were little my husband worked two jobs for a time....when they were older, I went back to work to help with college costs. The boys helped themselves with paper routes and later, part-time jobs. Both our sons graduated from private colleges without having to take even a student loan. Nobody gave them something for nothing. Why shouldn't hard working people like us, who have pride in our homes, resent having a soup kitchen (sounds like something that belongs on the Bowery) practically in our backyard?

Do I resent the Hicksville I.N.N.?...you bet I do! Does that make me a bad person....I think not.

Jane T. Botta

To The Editor:

Last week Effie Krogmann stated that the Soup Kitchen located in Redeemer Lutheran Church has been operating without any incidents. I would beg to differ with her.

On August 29 at 10 a.m., a vagrant decided to sleep at the entrance to the Kiddie Park located behind the church. The Soup Kitchen opens at noon. I spoke to several mothers who were very upset because they nearly had to walk over the man to take their children into the

park. In fact, many of them left because their children were frightened. Is our lovely park going to be taken over by the vagrants who are now wandering through the neighborhood?

On the same day, after lunch, a man left the church and stopped a motorist on New South Road. He hung on to the car and cursed him. Meanwhile four people swore at each other in the church parking lot.

On August 30, a patron of the kitchen kept walking back and forth on my block waiting for it to open. He asked a passing pedestrian for money. When the passerby refused, he was cursed at.

On August 31, I went to the L.I.R.R. to purchase two monthly tickets to New York City. I encountered several bums drinking, smoking pot and being abusive to those around them. These are the same men that walk through a residential area to the Soup Kitchen. Where do they get the money for liquor and drugs?

When they arrive at the Soup Kitchen, they are joined by approximately 25 people who travel by car everyday, one of which is from out of state. I have seen some of the vagrants urinate by the trees next to the church.

I am a 30-year resident of Hicksville and take great pride in my home and town. My husband works and my sons go to school and work. I am presently employed part-time in two jobs and volunteer numerous hours for the betterment of the entire Hicksville community.

Area merchants around Holy Trinity Episcopal Church berated I.N.N. because derelicts were loitering around their businesses. Subsequently I.N.N. moved the problem from that location a beautiful residential area.

I am totally appalled and disgusted at all those associated with the Interfaith Nutrition Network for their complete disregard for the tax paying residents of Hicksville.

Norma E. Goerke



PERFECT weather and blue skies teamed up to make this Labor Day weekend one of the best for local firemen who participated in Hicksville's largest ever Parade and Tourney. Large crowds were reported at all events scheduled.....**NOW** that school has reopened, local residents should take warning that the penalties for passing stopped school buses are going up. Motorists with a second conviction will be liable to a \$750 fine and up to six months in jail. Anyone with a third conviction faces an \$850 fine or license revocation and up to 180 days in jail.....**NASSAU** City will soon acquire ten buses for the MSBA which will operate on alternate fuel such as Methanol (wood alcohol). The buses will be jointly paid for with U.S., state and county funds. Each one will operate about 35,000 miles a year, have a wheelchair lift and seat about 47 passengers.....**LONG** Island Heart Kennel Association's 67th Annual All Breed and Obedience Dog Show will be held at C.W. Post Campus in Brookville on Sunday, October 1, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., rain or shine.....**MARK** your calendar for the 17th annual Nassau Feis which is being held Sunday, September 17. The Irish festivities will begin at 10 a.m. on the grounds of the Plainview Office Center, Old Country Road, one mile east of Route 135.....**GROUNDBREAKING** ceremony at Syosset Hospital recently begins work on the expansion of a two story wing to be constructed on the north side of the hospital.....**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. **BURGLARS** entered a residence at 26 Chadwick Rd., Syosset between Sept. 2 and 4. They damaged a storm window in gaining entrance and stole \$2000 in cash and a revolver.....**BURGLARS** broke into a residence at 14 Schoolhouse Lane, Syosset on August 31. They damaged a screen in making the entry and stole an engagement ring valued at \$5000 and another ring valued at \$800.....**BURGLARS** broke into a house at 22 Balsam Drive, Hicksville, between August 25 and 30. They damaged a screen window in making the entry and stole a VCR valued at \$500 and assorted jewelry valued at \$2,500.....**BURGLARS** broke into a residence at 4 Stillwell Lane, Woodbury between Sept. 3 and 4. They stole an "S" Chain and bracelet, a necklace with a diamond, three sets of pearl and diamond earrings and a necklace. The loss was listed at \$2700.....**BURGLARS** broke in through the front door of Innovative Concepts, 960 S. Broadway, Hicksville on Aug. 29. They stole \$150.....**BURGLARS** also entered the office of Harold Adler on the same date but no loss was reported.....**BURGLARS** broke into PG's Broadway Pizza on Aug. 31. They entered through a rear door and stole \$150.....That's all the news for now.....**G.T.**

K Storytime With Miss Barbara

Children who will be attending morning kindergarten are invited to join our storytime at the Children's Room of the Hicksville Public Library on Thursdays at

2-2:45 p.m. from Oct. 5 to Dec. 21 (no session Nov. 23). Registration starts Monday, Sept. 18. Parent's or child's library card required.

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GOP Headqtrs. Officially Opens



Town of Oyster Bay Supervisor, Angelo A. Delligatti, left, confers with Buddy Mazzara who is Chairman of the Theodore Roosevelt Republican Club Campaign Headquarters Committee in Bethpage.

This weekend, the Campaign Headquarters for Town of Oyster Bay Supervisor, Angelo A. Delligatti will be officially opened.

The Headquarters, a trailer located on Washington Street and Broadway, Bethpage, will be responsible for coordinating the election campaign for the "Delligatti Team" throughout the Town of Oyster Bay.

Supervisor Delligatti and his "Team", Councilmen Howard T. Hogan, Jr., Douglas J. Hynes, Leonard B. Symons and Town Clerk Carl L. Marcellino, will be at the Headquarters at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, September 9, and will spend the day meeting their constituents and volunteers that will be manning the facility.

"Buddy Mazzara is in charge."

said Executive Committeeman, George Yochmann. "He has already recruited volunteers to do the things necessary to elect our Republican Candidates. We will be getting the word out to all the residents of the Town of Oyster Bay to return their elected officials who work so hard for them."

The weekend festivities will continue on Monday night, Sept. 11, when the Republican Club holds its first membership meeting after the summer break. Club President, Kevin Galloway, advised that the special guest will be Assemblyman Philip B. Healey. The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall located in the LIRR parking lot, Bethpage.



Edward Andreassen of Bethpage recently celebrated 25 years of service with Grumman Corporation.

Andreassen is a manager for the Procurement Systems and Policy Department in the Corporate Services Division.

Tournament Of Bands Sept. 17

Hicksville High School Marching Band presents the First Annual Tournament of Bands Festival on September 17 at 1 p.m. at Hicksville High School, Division Ave., Hicksville. Admission is \$2. Students and Senior Citizens \$1. Children under 10 free. Refreshments sold. Rain or Shine. The Festival will feature Long Island's best competitive H.S. Marching Bands.



At recent ceremonies, Senator John Dunne presented local veterans with the Conspicuous Service Cross, which is awarded to those veterans who exhibited "Individual meritorious conduct" while serving in the armed forces.

Pictured are left to right: Carmine Verrone of Bethpage; James Bligh of Hicksville; Senator Dunne; Frank Havlicek of Wantagh and William Smith of Levittown.

Art Classes In Children's Room

On Tuesdays, from 4-5 p.m. The Children's Room of the Hicksville Public Library will hold art classes with Stanley Kramer, an art teacher at the Trinity Lutheran School and adjunct professor at Concordia College.

There will be five lessons held on September 19, 26, Oct. 3, 10, and 17. The materials fee for this course is \$5. Registration starts Monday, Sept. 11. Proof of residency or library card required.

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Spiegel To Raze Vacant House

Arthur D. Sanders, president of Spiegel Associates of Jericho, announced today that in response to concerns expressed by the Hicksville community, Spiegel Associates has volunteered to remove an old house located on the corner of West John Street and Strong Street.

Spiegel Associates currently holds ownership of the property and house.

"Our company, on its own volition, is reacting to appeals submitted by the Northwest Civic

Association of Hicksville, on behalf of its community, alleging potential hazards the house poses to nearby residents," stated Sanders. "Although we have no reported incidents to take this precautionary step to alleviate the residents' concerns."

Sanders noted that even though Spiegel Associates has received several offers to sell the property, specifically with the house on it, the company is reacting in the community's best interest.



Frank A. Stalano of Plainview recently celebrated 25 years of service with Grumman Corporation. Stalano is a manager for the Quality Engineering Department in the Aircraft Systems Division.

In Service

Marine Pvt. George L. Birnbach, son of William G. Birnbach of 4047 Avoca Ave., Bethpage, has completed the School of Infantry.

During the course conducted at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C., Birnbach received classroom instruction and participated in field exercises involving infantry tactics; the construction and camouflage of fighting positions; and the use of mines, demolitions, and intra-company communications equipment.

He joined the Marine Corps in January 1989.

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Plan, Specifications, Information to Bidders and Contract Forms may be obtained at the District Office, 4 Dean Street, Hicksville, New York.

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Selichot Services

At Shaarei Zedek

The program will introduce members of the Jewish community to the unique program of Shaarei Zedek, a Modern Orthodox congregation, which combines adherence to the tradition with outreach to families in the community of varying observances. Dues are very reasonable and the congregation provides a regular schedule of educational seminars and holiday social events through the year. The synagogue is located on Old Country Road and New South Road, a block off South Oyster Bay Road in Hicksville. For further information contact the spiritual leader of the congregation, Rabbi Melvin Sachs at 433-9540.

Congregation Shaarei Zedek announces its Selichot Service and Saturday Nite Introduction to the High Holiday Season, on Saturday, September 23, at 9:30 p.m.. Program will begin with havdalla - Farewell to the Sabbath with both women and men from the congregation participating. A Movie, "Secret Space," which appeared on Public Broadcasting, will be shown depicting an assimilated family, discovering their Jewish roots through the curiosity of a teenage son, followed by a panel discussion. Rabbi Herbert Amster, High Holiday cantor, will lead in melodies appropriate to the season.

Board Meets

The Hicksville Board of Education will meet publicly on Wednesday, Sept. 6, at 8:15 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

The Board Committee Meetings will meet on Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 8 p.m. in the administration building.

The next regularly scheduled public Board of Education meeting will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 27, at 8:15 p.m.

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HICKSVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT

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C" HOSE

1. St. James Wildcats
2. Hempstead Yellow Hornets
3. Hagerman Gamblers
4. New Hyde Park Termites
5. Great Neck Alerts

"B" HOSE

1. W. Hempstead Westerners
2. Roslyn Highlanders
3. Hicksville Hicks
4. Oyster Bay Teddy's Boys
5. Hempstead Yellow Hornets

"MOTOR PUMP"

1. New Hyde Park Termites
2. Roslyn Highlanders
3. Carle Place Frogs
4. W. Hempstead Westerners
5. St. James Wildcats

EFFICIENCY

1. Hempstead Flukes
2. Hagerman Gamblers
3. Westbury Turtles
4. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers
5. Hempstead Yellow Hornets

BUCKETS

1. New Hyde Park Termites
2. Hempstead Flukes
3. St. James Wildcats
4. Syosset Nightriders
5. Pt. Washington Road Runners

TOTAL POINTS

1. Hempstead Yellow Hornets
2. New Hyde Park Termites
3. W. Hempstead Westerners
4. Hempstead Flukes
5. St. James Wildcats

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1. Hempstead Yellow Hornets
2. W. Hempstead Westerners
3. East Rockaway Cold Ducks
4. Oyster Bay Teddy's Boys
5. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers

RUNNING HOOK & LADDER

1. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers
2. W. Hempstead Westerners

3. Freeport Dead End Kids
4. Hempstead Yellow Hornets
5. Hempstead Flukes

RUNNING HOSE

1. W. Hempstead Westerners
2. Central Islip Golden Arrows
3. Hicksville Hicks
4. Hempstead Flukes
5. Oyster Bay Teddy's Boys

RUNNING HOSE REPLACEMENT

1. Freeport Dead End Kids
2. Riverhead Ironmen 3 1/2
3. Central Islip Golden Arrows
4. Malverne Chipmunks
5. Rockville Centre Reliance

EFFICIENCY

1. Hempstead Flukes
2. Eaton's Neck Breakers
3. Carle Place Frogs
4. Oceanside Mariners
5. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers

EFFICIENCY REPLACEMENT

1. Freeport Dead End Kids
2. Rockville Centre Reliance
3. Hempstead Flukes
4. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers
5. Riverhead Ironmen

TWO INTO ONE

1. Freeport Dead End Kids
2. Malverne Chipmunks
3. Oyster Bay Teddy's Boys
4. Riverhead Ironmen
5. W. Hempstead Westerners

BUCKETS

1. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers
2. Freeport Dead End Kids
3. Central Islip Golden Arrows
4. Syosset Nightriders
5. W. Hempstead Westerners

TOTAL POINTS

1. Freeport Dead End Kids
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3. Point Pleasant Pea Pickers
4. Central Islip Golden Arrows
5. Hempstead Flukes

Meet The New Library Trustee



Marlese Coveney

In June voting, Marlese Coveney was elected to a five-year term on the Bethpage Library Board of Trustees. She takes the seat vacated by Peggy Lang's retirement from the Board, after 23 years of service.

Mrs. Coveney introduces herself to the library public as follows:

"I am a graduate of Manhattan's Cathedral High School and Grace Institute. I worked for several years as an executive secretary for American Standard, a large plumbing supply firm. For the past 8 years I have been working as an assistant to Mrs. Dolores Hartmann in the Bethpage School District's Gifted and Talented Program. My work with the Challenger Class takes me to all three Bethpage elementary schools.

"I have also been actively involved in the Bethpage schools for many years as class mother, chaperone on school trips, hall security volunteer, monitor, PTA member, Junior Prom volunteer. I was a member of the Bethpage Little League Ladies Auxiliary, taught CCD for St. Martin of Tours, and worked as a volunteer at St. Martin of Tours recent bazaar.

"I have lived in Bethpage for about 19 years, with my husband Bob, a retired N.Y. City detective, now doing part-time work for the Bethpage School District. My son, Kevin, a 1983 graduate from Bethpage High School, obtained a graduate degree in Computer Science from Stony Brook University, and now runs his own computer business.

"In addition to reading, I enjoy solving crossword puzzles, fishing (occasional sea sickness notwithstanding), exercising, cooking and baking.

"My interest in the library was first generated by my love for reading. However, during my many years as a library patron, I have come to appreciate the library's role as a center of information, culture, recreation, and continuing education in our community. I look forward to contributing, in any way I can, to our library's continued growth and development in the coming years."

Hicksville School Board Reacts To Izzo Incident

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The final item approved by the Board as a result of the Izzo case is an arrangement with North Shore University Hospital for staff in-service training, parental guidance, student counseling and other services that may be necessary. The program will be offered to the entire district.

Dr. Fenton stressed that this will be purely a service; no records will be kept by the district or North Shore Hospital. She added that the district will begin curriculum development during the year to better prepare youngsters for potentially harmful situations.

The Board voted 4-3 to table action on the tax rate. Noting that Messrs. Cardella, MacBride, Martillo and Collins did not vote for approval of the tax rate at a savings of 81¢ to residents, bringing the estimated tax rate increase of \$1.54 down to 73¢, Trustee William Bennett accused Board President Cardella of "holding that money in abeyance for no particular reason." He called on those members to return that money to the residents.

Vice President Daniel MacBride reminded residents that the Board is facing a \$5 million+ asbestos removal cost, and that if the district does not receive that money in tax levy, it will have to borrow it.

Mr. Bennett added that money may be forthcoming from the State. "Give the people what they are entitled to. We'll handle the asbestos problem in the next budget," he pressured.

Mrs. Miltenberg suggested that the district continue to budget for asbestos removal in the next five years. If the district does not have asbestos abatement completed by 1992, it would be required to have a second management plan developed for the remaining work. Mrs. Miltenberg contends that having a second management plan drawn up could prove less expensive than the interest the district may have to pay if it borrows the over \$5 million to complete the projects. She added that she feels technology in the removal area will also improve in the coming years. "Money for asbestos should not even be brought up now," Mrs. Miltenberg declared.

Residents seemed angered by the Board majority's refusal to approve a tax rate. Mrs. Carolyn Kelly suggested that by collecting more in taxes than necessary to fulfill the voter-approved 1989-90 budget, the Board "is setting a precedent" which may backfire in future years. Mrs. Helen Lafferty said that teacher demands for more money than allocated in the approved 1989-90 budget show "insensitivity by the teachers union on what the people of this community can afford." And Mrs. Janet von Bargen stated that if passage of certain terms for the teachers are "going to jeopardize the budget and my children, then the Board should take a look at this again."

In other matters: The Board voted unanimously for Iris Wolfson as Area II Representative to the New York State School Boards Association; the Board also approved the appointment of Mrs. Rosemary Planz as Assistant Director of Special Education and Pupil Personnel Services. Mrs. Planz is a district teacher who has most recently been assigned as a resource room teacher at Fork Lane School.

As per a request to the district's legal counsel, the Board received a sample policy relating to the disclosure of information when a person who performs a service for the district has been arrested for offenses involving moral turpitude or improper conduct with a juvenile. No immediate action was taken.

Board committee chairs for the coming year were assigned as follows: Curriculum, Pat Rooney/JoAnn Miltenberg; Policy and Legislation, JoAnn Miltenberg; Finance, William Bennett/Dan MacBride; Facilities, William Collins/Dan MacBride; Personnel, Board President Cardella with Mr. Martillo and Mr. Collins as alternates.

The next regular meeting of the Board will take place on Wednesday, September 27, at 8:15 p.m. in the conference room of the Administration Building.



Hicksville's Jennifer Manduca, 14, recently received an award as the female "Future Tennis Star" at Spiegel Associates/Gene Mayer Junior Tennis Academy. This free month-long tennis program was sponsored by Spiegel Associates, one of Long Island's most prominent real estate acquisition, development and management firms. There to present Manduca with a new tennis racquet for her feats were Art Sanders, president of Spiegel Associates, center, and Gene Mayer, right, formerly the fourth-ranked tennis player in the world, who served as an instructor during the program.

17th Annual Irish Feis Takes Place On Sept. 17

By Jim Cummings

On Sunday, September 17, the sounds of Irish music will echo on the sprawling grounds of the Plainview Office Center, as the Nassau County Ancient Order of Hibernians welcome you and your family to the 17th annual Nassau Feis (a day long festival of Irish music, song, dance, piping, arts and crafts, and Irish language competition). There are games for the children, and more than 200 competitive events for the thousands of participants. Dave Henshaw, National Editor of the Hibernian Digest is this year's AOH "Man of the Year." The Dublin native, and Lynbrook resident is a past County Board President of the American Irish Congress. Ceremonies will be held at the Showmobile on the north field, as the Tara Pipes and Drums lead the dias guests across the grounds to the reception area.

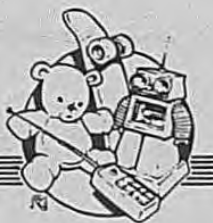
Two field Masses will be celebrated at the Showmobile at 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. notes, John (Jack) Ryan, Feis Chairman and

County Board President.

At 1 p.m. on the north field, the Sports Program "kicks-off" with another First - Camogie (hurling for women) featuring the Ladies of Munster and Ulster vs. the Ladies of Leinster and Connacht - representing the four provinces in Ireland.

A second game is at 2:30 p.m., and at 4 p.m., in Junior Men's Gaelic Football, Long Island's own Eire Og goes "up the field" against the Brooklyn Shamrocks. Noel Kingston's very popular dance band plays at the Showmobile from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. for your dancing pleasure. The magnificent sight and sound of the Massed Pipe Bands is on the south field at 5 p.m. to conclude festivities that have attracted more than 15,000 visitors from the tri-state area. Admission is \$4 per person - under 16 years of age with family FREE! Ample free parking. Take parkways or Expressway to Hicksville, then Old Country Road, one mile east of Route 135 to "Hibernian Blvd"

Our Children



By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Booklet teaches safety to latchkey kids

Dear Readers: A few months ago I told you about a valuable booklet available to parents. It is called "What If I'm Home Alone? Your Family's Guide to Home and Personal Safety Skills."

The reason for bringing it to your attention again is because it is now available in Spanish as well as English. Sharing it with you during the summer seems like a good idea, to provide time to plan toward the school days ahead.

Its purpose is to give children confidence and skills in caring for themselves or siblings while their parents are away from home. Because 5 to 6 million children, aged 5 to 12 years old, come to an empty home each day, this is a huge national issue.

An entertaining "What if?" format teaches these topics:

- How to get home from school safely.
- How to use the telephone to get help in an emergency.
- How to escape from a fire.
- How to deal with strangers who knock on the door or call on the telephone.
- How to prepare snacks safely in the kitchen.
- How to treat minor cuts, burns and nosebleeds.
- How to put time alone to best use.
- How to handle arguments with brothers and sisters.
- How to baby-sit responsibly for younger children.

The booklet also features a variety of activities to help children learn safety skills. A "See How Much You've Learned!" quiz at the end shows children and parents

how well they understood the booklet's safety tips.

This publication includes information for parents on steps to take to make their home more safe, and a form for emergency and other telephone numbers to be posted near the telephone.

For a single copy of either the English or Spanish version (specify which), you can send a \$1 check for postage and handling to: "What If I'm Home Alone?" Corporation for Public Broadcasting, P.O. Box 33039-LK, Washington, DC 20033.

Q. We have two children who are so fat that they are almost "little blimps." What surprises and disturbs us even more is that this has never happened in either of our families, or to us two parents either (I weigh about 120, m/ husband 150).

Could you give us some ideas for controlling their weight? They really look terrible, but their health is what we are mainly concerned about.

A. You have plenty of company, but that probably isn't any real consolation.

A fairly recent Harvard study indicates that the number of children in this country who are

overweight has increased tremendously in the last 20 years.

A booklet that is becoming rather widely used is titled "If My Child Is Too Fat, What Should I Do About It?" and can be obtained from ANR Publications, University of California, 6701 San Pablo Ave., Oakland, CA 94608-1239. A check for \$1 made out to UC Regents should go with your request.

Other recommended publications, in book form, are "How to Get Your Child to Eat ... But Not Too Much" and "Child of Mine: Feeding with Love and Good Sense," both written by Ellyn Satter, and probably available through libraries or bookstores.

Your family physician is, of course, an important contact for you to consider.

Q. When my husband is out with our 3-year-old daughter and she has to "go," he takes her into the men's room.

If she sees a lot of men facing urinals and then asks him what they are doing there, what can he answer? When I asked him he said he tells her the truth without going into any detail.

I've told him that I'd rather have him ask some nice-looking woman going into the ladies' room to take our little girl in with her.

Don't you think my idea is better than his?

A. His approach sounds reasonable, including answering a child's question with an accurate answer and not making a big deal out of it.

I really think that what he does and might say is better than letting a strange person take over.

How about you other readers? What do you think?

Q. I have a feeling I know what to do about my problem. But I'd appreciate your input anyway.

Am I the only father who feels like an outsider in his own family? My wife and three children seem to be such a closely knit unit, while I'm out in space as a family member.

My work takes me away from home a great deal, so that I'm there only a few days at a time several times during each month. I go home tired and have reports to prepare, and there is very little time for my family.

I'd like to know whether your suggestion will coincide with my possible solution.

A. It will if yours includes the realization that it is the quality not the amount of time you spend with your family that is important, and if it also includes the essential factor of discussing with all of them, in terms they can understand, where you have been and what you have done. Telephone calls and letters or notes (if you're away for long periods) might also be considered.

Many children are totally uninformed about their parents' work involvements. Sharing with them at least a few details about parental jobs can be of value. It probably shouldn't consist of lengthy explanations because they can sometimes become so boring that they might turn off rather than stimulate the children's interest.

If you thought I'd suggest some change in your work schedule, forget it. Whatever changes you might consider should relate mainly to that precious brief time you have available at home and the family contacts you maintain while you are away.

Dear Readers: Some startling, and terrible, figures and facts recently appeared in print. They probably don't relate to you and your family, but they should be a constant headline pertaining to "our children."

• Nearly 40,000 babies die every year as a result of inadequate prenatal and infant care.

• The United States has the worst infant mortality rate among 19 industrial nations.

• Of the survivors, one in five lives in poverty.

• More than 2 million reports of child abuse and neglect are made annually to state agencies.

• Reports of child abuse and neglect continue to climb among all economic groups. It definitely isn't a problem limited to the poor.

• Deaths from child maltreatment have risen 23 percent in a single recent year.

One conclusion drawn is that "strengthening the family is the best hope for preventing child abuse and neglect."

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Free School Milk/Lunch Program

Hicksville Union Free School District has announced a free price meal policy (free milk) for East Street Elementary School, Fork Lane Elementary School, Old Country Road Elementary School, Woodland Avenue Elementary School, Hicksville Middle School and Hicksville Senior High School children.

Local school officials have adopted the following family eligibility criteria to assist them in determining eligibility:

Income Eligibility Guidelines for Free Milk and Lunch
Effective from July 1, 1989 through June 30, 1990

Family Size	Yearly	Monthly	Weekly
One	\$ 7,774	\$ 648	\$ 150
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Three	13,078	1,090	252
Four	15,730	1,311	303
Five	18,382	1,532	354
Six	21,034	1,753	405
Seven	23,686	1,974	456
Eight	26,338	2,195	507
For each additional family member add	+\$2,652	+\$221	+\$51

Food Stamp/AFDC/ADC Households: Households which currently include children who receive Food Stamps or benefits under "Aid to Families with Dependent Children" or "Aid to Dependent Children" for your child, you only have to list the child's name and food stamp or AFDC or ADC case number, print their name and address and sign the application. Separate applications must be filed for those children within that household who do not receive food stamp, AFDC or ADC benefits. Eligibility determination for these children must be based upon the same criteria as for "All Other Households," as outlined below.

Other Households: With incomes at or below the amount of money listed above for their family size may be eligible for and are urged to apply for free milk and lunch. They may do so by filling in the application forms sent home with a letter to parents. Additional copies are available at the principal's office in each school. Applications may be submitted any time during the school year to the Building Principal. If a family member becomes unemployed, if the family size decreases, or if your family income increases by more than \$50 per month or \$600 per year, the family must contact the school to file a new application. The form requests information needed to determine economic need based on the income and number of persons in the family. The information provided on the application will be confidential and will be used only for the purpose of determining eligibility.

The school district does, however, have the right to verify at any time during the school year the information on the application. If a parent does not give the school this information, the child/children will no longer be able to receive free milk and lunch.

In certain cases, foster children are also eligible for these benefits. A family may wish to apply for milk and lunch for them and should contact the school.

Under the provisions of the policy, the designated official, he/she may make a request either orally or in writing for a hearing to appeal the decision. The Director of Special Education and Pupil Personnel Services, whose address is Division Avenue at Sixth Street, Hicksville, has been designated as the Hearing Official. Hearing procedures are outlined in the policy. However, prior to initiating the hearing procedure, the parent of School Food Authority may request a conference to provide an opportunity for the parent and official to discuss the situation, present information, and obtain an explanation of the data submitted in the application, or the decisions rendered. The request for a conference shall not in any way prejudice or diminish the right to a fair hearing.

All questions on the application must be answered completely for the application to be considered by the school district for approval. This includes complete and accurate information regarding: The Food Stamp/AFDC or ADC case number; the names of all household members; the social security numbers of all adult household members or an indication that an adult does not have one; and the amount and source of income received by each household member. In addition, the parent or guardian must sign the application form, certifying the information is true and correct.

In the operation of Child Nutrition Programs, no child shall be discriminated against because of his race, sex, color, national origin, age, or handicap. If any member of a household believes they have been discriminated against, they should write to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

A complete copy of this policy is on file in the Principal's Office in each of the schools and in the office of the School Food Authority District Administrator where it may be reviewed by any interested persons.



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Credit repair clinics can't always deliver

By Marye Palliser

Credit is a way of life for 160 million consumers in the United States. But by simply forgetting to pay a few bills on time, a consumer can be plagued with credit problems for years.

When a consumer is turned down for credit based on information contained in their credit bureau report, they may easily stumble upon fraudulent "credit-repair" clinics, who claim, "We can erase bad credit information from bureau reports no matter what."

Experts estimate that the national cost of credit-repair scams has tilted over \$100 million annually. These profit-making companies charge their clients as much as \$2,000 to remove derogatory information from a credit report, then disappear leaving customers with empty promises and a leaner pocketbook.

Consumers have the right to fix their files themselves at no charge, but the continued growth of the clinics indicates that there are many people who continue to seek help.

Credit problems can begin the first time a consumer misses a payment or pays the bill late. If a pattern develops, the consumer may be turned down for credit.

Although creditors usually consider a number of factors before granting credit, most of them rely heavily on the bureau's report. Essentially, a bureau is a clearinghouse of consumer credit information. Its job is to compile statements from public records, merchants and other creditors with whom the consumer has done business.

Inside a report is the consumer's identification, employment data, payment history, creditor inquiries made within the past six months and public record information such as bankruptcies, foreclosures or tax liens. Negative information can, by law, stay on a report up to seven years, a bankruptcy for 10 years.

Consumers denied credit within the past 30 days can obtain a copy

of their report free of charge; otherwise, there's a fee ranging from \$5 to \$15. Some financial advisers suggest that all consumers review their report every three to four years to check for inaccuracies, especially if they plan on making a major purchase.

Consumers can verify errors at no cost by simply requesting that their local bureau double-check the item. According to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the reinvestigation must be completed within a "reasonable period of time," which the industry has interpreted as 30 days, unless it believes the dispute is frivolous.

Credit-repair clinics claiming they can remove derogatory information often use the Act's "reasonable period of time" clause as a way to beat the system. They tell their clients to challenge virtually everything in the record in hopes that the data will not be verified within approximately 30 days, in which case the bureau, by law, must remove it from the record.

But here's the catch: It may go back on the report when the store sends their accounts receivable computer tapes to the bureau for their next reporting period, said Diane Terry, spokeswoman for Trans Union Credit Information Co., a nation-wide credit bureau.

Terry said that more than 300,000 file disclosures are made each year from Trans Union's Western Region office in Fullerton, Calif., with approximately 15 percent of the consumers requesting reverification.

"Of the disputed information, approximately 0.01 percent was in fact inaccurate," Terry said.

If a disputed item is found correct according to the creditor's record, and the consumer still believes it's wrong, the Fair Credit Reporting Act allows them to file a 100-word statement explaining their side of the dispute.

Summer Finale For Senior Citizens



Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Angelo A. Delligatti, front row center, and Town Councilman Leonard B. Symons, front row fourth from left, join Town seniors as they attended the "Summer Finale" held at Nassau Beach. The Summer Finale was sponsored by the Town's Senior Citizen Services Division of the Department of Community and Youth Services.

In Service

Navy Ensign William M. Haas, son of Carol Haas of 49 Field Avenue, Hicksville, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at Naval Aviation Schools, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla.

A 1981 graduate of Hicksville High School, and a graduate of New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, N.Y., with a Bachelor of Science degree, he joined the Navy in March 1989.



Members of the Elks organizations throughout Nassau County, were recently honored at a ceremony at the Lakeside Theatre in Eisenhower Park where Nassau County Executive Thomas S. Gulotta, left, proclaimed "Elk Day" in recognition of the many contributions that Elk organizations have made to the community. The event was sponsored by the Canon USA, Inc. and Seamen's Bank for Savings. County Executive Gulotta is shown greeting Exalted Ruler Kenneth Grosser, of the Hicksville Lodge #1931, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

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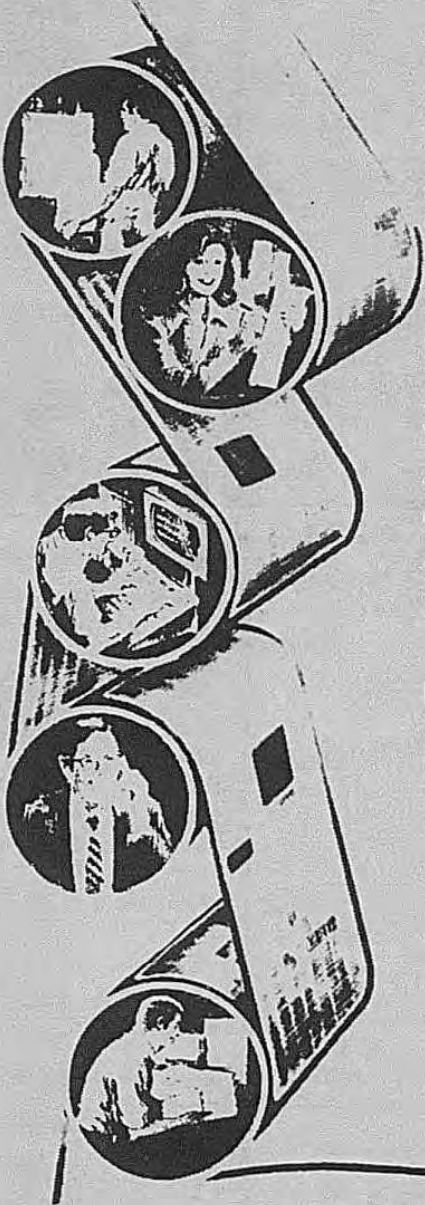
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Singles Programs

Monday - New Beginnings/Widow/Widowers - Starting Sept. 11, this program includes lectures, raps, dance lessons, etc.. A variety of programs to add pleasure to the lives of many. 8-10:30 p.m. at the Mid-Island Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview, NY. Cost: M\$4, NM \$6, age 35+. **Monday - Loss of a Loved One** - Bereavement affects the lives of many. This group will help those people deal with loss of a loved one. Pre-registration is required. 8-9:30 p.m. at the Mid-Island Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview, NY, 822-3535. Cost: M \$6, NM \$8. An open-ended ongoing group.

Monday - Recent Bereavement I - For those who have lost a spouse, this group has been designed to assist individuals through the

grieving process. This group is led by a professional bereavement counselor. Groups will run continuously throughout the year. Pre-registration is required. 8-9:30 p.m. at the Mid-Island Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview, NY, 822-3535. We have openings for the fall registration.

Tuesday - Business & Professional Singles - "BAPS" presents an interesting variety of programs. A great place to meet new friends and enjoy the company of those who clearly mark the calendar to return weekly. 8-10:30 p.m. at the Mid-Island Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview, NY, 822-3535. Cost: M \$4, NM \$6, Age group 30+, starting Sept. 11.

Wednesday - Mid-Singles Connections - This new group has been formed to meet the needs of the Mid-between singles. Bring your ideas and become part of the input of the new group twice a month, 1st & 3rd Wednesday, starting Sept. 20. **Proof of Age will be required** - 30-45. 8-10:30 p.m. at the Mid-Island Y, 45 Manetto Hill Road, Plainview, NY, 822-3535. Cost: M \$4, NM \$6.

Officials Attend Charity Ballgame



Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Angelo A. Delligatti, standing fifth from left, holds the ceremonial first ball at the Charity Boys Baseball and Girls Softball Tournament, sponsored by the Hicksville Baseball Association, Hicksville Activity League and the St. Ignatius Catholic Youth Organization of Hicksville. Also joining Supervisor Delligatti were Town Councilman Leonard B. Symons, third from right, Nassau County Executive Thomas S. Gulotta, fifth from right, and Coordinator Al Clacelo, right. Proceeds from these games were donated to the Association for the Help of Retarded Children.

Art Instructor To Speak

Art Instructor Cynthia Appold was invited to speak on a panel this summer - "Technology in K-12 Education: Theory and Practice" - to highlight the curriculum offered at Hicksville Senior High School involving computer graphics that she wrote. The nationally known conference was sponsored by the National Computer Graphics Association and hosted by CADRE (Computers in Art and Design, Research and Education) in Silicon Valley, California. This was her third conference presentation this year about Hicksville's program.

In addition, Cynthia Appold was 1 of 25 to win an educator's conference grant, allowing her to attend Siggraph '89 (Special Interest Group in Graphics), held in Boston this summer. She was one of two high school educators amongst over 100 college educator applicants to be awarded for her work in promoting computer graphics. This grant allowed Cynthia to attend two full days of courses, four days of panels, as well as receive video tapes, slides, and course notes. The value of the grant was approximately \$1,500 and the conference estimates its attendance between 30,000 to 35,000 participants arriving from all over the world.

Finally, Cynthia will be instructing a computer graphics inservice course offered through BOCES at the High School this fall.

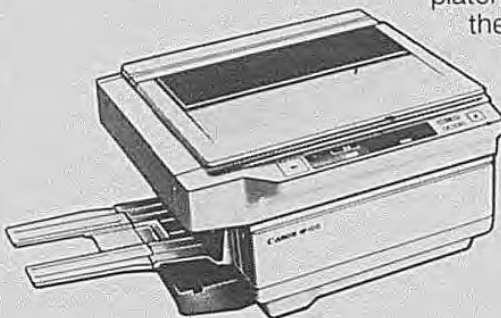
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