

#### Town Honors Arlene Howard



Oyster Bay Town Councilman Thomas L. Clark, second from right, presents a Certificate of Commendation to Arlene Howard, Immediate Past Post Commander of the Charles Wagner Post 421 of the American rast rost commander of the Charles wagner rost 421 of the American Legion in Hicksville, in recognition of her dedication to the organization. Sharing in the ceremony were Nassau Commander Anthony Paternostro, left, and newly elected Post Commander Richard Hockbrueckner.

#### Four Earn Golf Awards



Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Angelo A. Delligatti, left, presents golf trophies to senior citizens who have won various tournaments conducted at the Town's golf course in Syosset. Receiving the awards, left to right, were Kay Stanfield of East Norwich, Mildred Klernan of Farmingdale, Eric Roecki of Hicksville and Anthony Cerlini of Hicksville.

#### Post Office Open Vets Day

The Hicksville Post Office at 185 West John Street will be open on Veterans Day, Monday, November 12, offering limited services. The retail window in the outer lobby will provide postage sales as well as Express Mail

from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. All other Long Island Post Offices will be closed for the holiday.

There will be no regular mail delivery on Veterans Day except for Express Mail Delivery.

#### **Global Studies** At High School

Hicksville High School teacher Dr. William Lemmey presented a workshop on the topic of Teaching Global Studies at the 10th Annual Long Island Council for the Social Studies Conference. His topic dealt with methods of teaching about culture, geography and Africa.

Educators had the opportunity to also hear Albert Shanker, President of the American Federation of Teachers, AFL-CIO, discuss a hotly-debated national and state issue on 'The Chal-lenge of the Decade: E Pluribus Unum.'' Shanker opened the conference with his keynote address entitled, "A Curriculum of Inclusion...Or Exclusion?"

Following the keynote speech, educators from nearly 40 New York area schools and colleges presented 29 workshops on diverse aspects of social studies curriculum and teaching strategics.

The conference was held on October 15 at the Huntington Hilton Hotel.

## SADD Program In Middle School

The Hicksville Middle School has asked the High School S.A.D.D. (Students Against Drunk Driving) members to help them start a Junior S.A.D.D. program. Members from the Senior High group have planned a November 29th through 30th conference to meet with the students and staff at the Middle School in order to explain the meaning of S.A.D.D. and to answer any questions. Additionally, the Contracts for

Life were sent home to all High School parents in October. The Contract for Life is a signed statement by student and parent(s) that assures a safe drive home by parents at any time, no questions asked, if the child has been drinking or is with a driver who has been drinking.

#### Fire Bd. Meeting Change

The Board of Commissioners of the Hicksville Fire District wishes to announce that the regular Board Meeting will be changed for the month of December to December 4, 7:30 p.m. The reason for this change is that the District Commissioner Election will take place on December 11, and the election would conflict with the regular Board Meeting.

## **Community Council** Hears Park Proposal

#### By Maureen Traxler

For four years, the Town of Oyster Bay mulled over various suggestions for development of Giese Park, located west of Lee Avenue and just south of Old Country Road. Coincidentally, the Town's proposal to erect a community center building and parking lot came within days of the Hicksville School Board's decision to close two of its elementary school buildings, opening the possibility of available space for rent, lease, or purchase. Confused, angered, suspicious residents gathered at the Hicksville

Community Council meeting on November 1 to hear details of the Town's proposal. Some of them were unaware of the years of discussion which preceded the Town's move with regard to the parkland. Most of them against additional construction in Hicksville.

James Byrne, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, outlined the proposal for the construction of a 8,000 square foot, one-story structure, consisting of a large assembly area and six activity rooms, a structure, constanting of a trigge assembly area and an activity rooms, a klitchen, bathroom facilities inside and also accessible from outside for the convenience of parkgoers when the building is closed. The building would be available for use by Hicksville residents and groups upon request. If would be manned by Town employees. A minimum parking facility containing 50 spaces would be built, and following New York State standards, lighting would be installed. Lighting would be similar to that at the Town's golf course and would not reflect into the residential area.

The proposal would adopt the existing plans drawn for the newly-constructed community center in Syosset-Woodbury community park and work would begin in the 1991 calendar year.

Residents immediately protested the Town's proposal, citing that they wanted a "halt" on any plans for new construction pending the outcome of the school district's decision to close two buildings. Several residents mentioned Willet Avenue school as an excellent site for such a center.

Asking, "do you feel 13% of the people answering a questionnaire to be representative of the area," a resident referred to a 1989 survey sent to 60,000 homes which called for development of a community

park. "The people in Hicksville want a swimming pool, track, tennis courts," echoed Charles Cunningham, "This (building and parking lot) is going to become an eye sore...a hangout...and be destroyed by graffiti."

Tom McGovern, president of the Giese Park Civic Association, tried to put the Town's proposal in prospective. He explained that four years ago residents desired to see something done with this park. A civic association was formed to help facilitate some action. An initial survey was made by the civic association, and the results showed that residents wished to see the soccer field moved 75' into the park, a kiddie playground in the northwest corner, chess and checkers tables in the northeast, bathroom facilities, parking lot and baseball field. At that time, the Town approved a \$900,000 bond for such development in the future.

Subsequently, Supervisor Angelo Delligatti formed the Hicksville Park District Task Force and asked its members to formulate a master plan for the Hicksville parklands. Response to the Task Force survey called for "community supported programs to be administered by the Town," recalled Mr. McGovern. The #1 choice of the Task Force was to

Town," recalled Mr. McGovern. The #1 choice of the Task Force was to acquire a school building should it become available. "If a building didn't become available," Tom added, "the thought was to use Giese Park for development of the building." Some local residents urged that the "greenery" be preserved in Hicksville; others expressed concern for their tax dollars. To clarify the money issue, Town Councilman Tom Clark said that there was no time limit restricting the float of the \$900,000 bond. The transaction has not taken place to date. The cost of maintaining a community center as proposed for the exclusive use of Hicksville residents, Mr. Clark continued, "would be approximately \$5-\$5.50 a year on a home assessed at \$7,000." The funds would be administered through the Hicksville Park District. through the Hicksville Park District.

John Walker, Deputy Commissioner of Parks, agreed with resident William Kelly, who cautioned the crowd: "Don't think it (the proposal) Continued On Page 16 Letters to the Edito:

To: Trustees of the Hicksville Board of Education I would like to congratulate the

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Board on their decision to accept the recommendation of Dr. Fenton on the closing of East Street and Willet Avenue schools. I realize how difficult it was for the decision to be made in light of the long list of criteria that had to be considered. I respect the fact that the decision was made in consideration of all eight elementary schools rather than just the four originally considered.

Since East Street's acreage is the smallest, it's the oldest elementary school building in the district, it requires a significant amount of asbestos removal, and it doesn't have an elevator for handicapped students, the decision to close East Street seems consistent with Dr.Fenton's criteria. I recall East Street being considered for closing by the Board last spring But it seemed that the decision was not made at that time because of unmanageable redistricting problems which would result from just one school being closed.

With respect to the Willet Ave. school, it appears that the relatively small student popula-tion can easily be moved to Woodland with relatively little disruption to the students because they would not be split up into more than one school. Also, in reading the Nov. 1 edition of Hicksville Illustrated and in speaking with people in Hicks-ville, the closing of Willet Ave. seems to be readily accepted by most. Much has already been said to the Board by the Dutch Lane PTA in is letter delivered at the Oct. 24th meeting with respect to its well-established Special Education programs, population diver-sity, and excellent building/ grounds condition. I'd personally like to emphasize that it is truly a community school. The morale of the children is extremely high because ot its excellent teachers and the smooth blending of its various programs within the same school. Dutch Lane has and I'm sure will continue to serve as a model school for Hicksville and other districts.

Robert Hoppe

#### **Printed** by Request Members of the Board, Hicksville School District

An Open Letter Re: East Street Closing Does the School Board have the capacity for independent thought? If so, why accept Dr. Fenton's recommendations blindly and without reservation? There is no question about Dr. Fenton's educational gualifications, but

that does not necessarily give her economic, geographic or demographic expertise. To divide Hicksville into two

halves, Dr. Fenton seems to have used the North Broadway/Newbridge Road axis to arrive at three schools West of that line and five schools East of it. However, a North Broadway/Jerusalem Avenue axis, placing Fork Lane in the West half where it belongs, provides for a more equitable distribution both geographically and demographically. This is borne out by using Dr. Fenton's own school population figures, Burns, Dutch, Fork and Old Country have a student population of 1166, while East, Lee, Woodland and Willet add up to 1118 pupils. Closing two schools in the same half simply makes no sense.

Nor has the Board (or Dr. Fenton) bothered to assess the impact on transportation costs before reaching their ill-considered decision. To reach Lee Avenue school, East Street students must cross both Broadway and Old Country Road, Hicksville's two most heavily trafficked streets. Safety considerations alone demand that just about every student be bused, requiring at least seven more buses and wiping out a goodly portion of the alleged saving from closing East Street.

The purpose of the proposed school closings is to bring the budget under control. It seems to me that it is incumbent upon the Board to make a thorough investigation into which closings will result in the greatest economic benefit compatible with educational and safety considerations, something which I believe the Board has been remiss in addressing. Rather, the Board seems to have been content to supinely allow Dr. Fenton to call the shots and railroad through her personal desires.

I have no quarrel with the closing of Willet Avenue, as it lacks the facilities of the larger schools and a substantial number of its students live to the East of Bethpage Road, enabling them to reach Woodland Avenue School without having to cross any major thoroughfare.

I strongly urge the Board to recondiser their East Street decision, place the North/South Street axis where it belongs and select one of the resultant four (not three) Western half schools as the second of the two schools to be closed.

Donald G. Kloenne

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At the October 24 Hicksville School Board meeting, Catherine Fenton shocked a crowd of approximately 250 people. For the majority of the people present (Old Country Rd. School), it was that of relief and happiness. At a midnight hour decision, apparently unbeknownst to board members, our superintendent decided to close East St. School instead of Old Country Rd. School. The people from East St. that were present, were very small in numbers, as was that of Fork Lane, Lee Ave. and Burns Ave. Why? Because their schools were not those named in the local newspapers for possible closing. Is that an excuse for not attending school board meetings? No, it is not. If all our schools had had a similarly interested turnout, the school board might have tabled their decision, which would have given the people of East St. a chance to prepare to speak out as Old Country did. I do understand Old Country Road's reason for wanting a vote that night. But East Street's shock and outrage should be equally understood. This action that was taken reminds me too well of what Burns Ave, went through not long ago. Because, all too many times people are only interested in "Back Yard" issues, things like what happened to East St. can happen. I can't stress enough the importance of more involvement in community issues by joining local PTA's and civic associations and urge more interaction between both groups. The next time it may happen to you. Jo-Ann E. Broska

#### To the Editor:

We are writing to request that ur daughter's letter to the parents of children who would be affected by the Board of education's decision to redistribute students be considered for publication. Christina currently attends Woodland Avenue School's 1/2 class. She is one of Ms. Elayne Kabakoff's and Beverly Brown's second graders.

Christina decided to do something positive about the problem after she heard us discussing the issue at home. We feel, as well as her teachers, that she should be commended for choosing not to remain with her arms crossed.

Should this letter be published, it will undoubtedly reach the right parents in the most effective manner; it would also give Christina a sense of accomplishment and pride.

Sincerely, Jorge L. Liciaga Miriam V. Liciaga

#### Dear Parents:

I would like to warn you that the Board of Education decided to close Willet Avenue and East Street Schools. The children from these schools will be going to Woodland Avenue and/or Avenue School. The children that y live south of Woodbury Road will be sent to Lee Avenue School. If you disagree with this decision, please write a letter of complaint to the Superintendent and Board members.

Please ask your children to write letters also which say why they do not want to change schools. It is important for the children to voice their opinion to the people that are making decisions about our education. Thank you for your cooperation.

> Christina L. 2nd Grader

To the Editor:

We would like to share with your readers a letter which we sent to Dr. Fenton and each of the members of the Hicksville Board of Education --

We, at Dutch Lane, would like to congratulate the Board of Education and the administration for the thorough job they did in making the decision concerning the school closings in Hicksville. We know it was a difficult task. We are glad you can put it behind you and now once again focus your energies on the education of our children.

However, as rumor tells it, we are being led to believe that the Board is going to be asked to re-open for discussion the entire matter. It is most disturbing to us to think that all the time, energies, and emotional stress that went into this valid decision might possibly have been wasted. We are most distressed to think that the will of a small minority can rule you. We, the Dutch Lane commun-

ity, are relieved that the difficult task of closing schools is over and hope to never experience that trauma again. We would like to once again see Hicksville School -parents, children, faculty, Board of Education members, administration - working together. We are ready to move on to a higher level of educational excellence in this district, and are hoping you are too. Sincerely,

To the-Editor:

Mr. Zaleski, in response to your letter to me last week:

At the School Board meeting on October 24, you said I should have checked with the Board President before I wrote my letter regarding the student protest and destruction of school and personal property. For the record, I want you to know that I did check with Mrs. Miltenberg and yes there were telephone complaints about some teachers urging student to leave the school building to demonstrate but no one would give any names for fear of retaliation against the students.

I would like to add my personal thanks as a concerned resident to those already extended by Dr. Fenton, the School Board and Mr. Hogan, to those teachers who dealt with the student protest in a professional manner. I hold the teaching profession in very high regard and have great respect for teachers in general. However, 1 have a very low opinion of anyone who manipulates and uses students to further their own goals and who by their actions might possibly jeopardize the safety and well-being of those students.

I think it is really most unfortunate Mr. Zaleski that you seem to have a need to attack personally anyone who brings forth information or expresses a point of view with which you disagree.

Helen M. Lafferty

Dutch Lane PTA Executive Board

## 84th Birthday

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Bertha Kunzig, who just celebrated her 84th Birthday, receives a bouquet of flowers from Theodore Roosevelt Republican Club Executive leader George Yochmann at last month's meeting. "Bertha continues to be an active and vital member of this organization," said Vochmann. "She is an inspiration to all of us. You see Bertha at all our functions and I know she'll be at this Monday's meeting." The Bethpage Republican Club will meet on Monday, November 12, at 8 p.m., in the American Legion Hall located in the Bethpage LIRR Station parking lot.

Study Skills Program



The development of a program for the John F. Kennedy Middle School in Bethpage included the realization that our students needed instruction in "how to study" to realize increased benefit from their school experience. The evolution of the study skills program was initiated with the Middle School Task Force, and began to take form last spring when three Middle School teachers - Louis Giansante, Lisa Ann Hill and Hy Pryluck met with a study skills consultant to begin the task of establishing the program that would fit the needs of our students. These teachers then continued their work during the summer, and established a s' dy skills curriculum outline The progression of the study skills program has continued this fall with teachers attending mini-workshops with a study skills consultant. The work with the study skills consultant has been coordinated by Dr.

Regins Cohn, Dir. of Reading and Related Services. Pictured is one group of John F. Kennedy Middle School staff members during a Study Skills Mini-Workshop.

LEGAL NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Town Board did heretofore adopt Resolution #1008-90, on October 30, 1990, finalizing the Annual Budget for 1991, for the Town and the various special improvement districts therein. Revenues, as estimated from tax levies and other sources will equal and provide funds for the following expenditures:

expenditures: General Fund (Full Town) -\$45,610,884; General Fund (Part Town) - \$4,561,023; Highway Fund - \$18,586,836; Drainage District Fund -\$15,719,314; Fire Protection Fund - \$2,592,276; Lighting District Fund - \$4,704,847; Park Districts Fund \$10.197,929; Garbage Districts Fund - \$26,844,202; Public Fund - 326,844,202; Fublic Parking District Fund - 34,286,300; Sewer Districts Fund - 51,168,297; Water Districts Fund - 54,977,543; Fire Districts Fund - \$13,736,114; Solid Waste Dis-rocal District Fund posal District - \$42,876,132. posal Fund

Pursuant to provisions of the Town Law, the salaries of the following Town Officers are hereby specified as follows: Supervisor - \$57,124;

Councilmen (6) - \$40,200 (each Councilman); Town Clerk - \$62,000.

The Town Budget for the year 1991 as duly adopted by the Town Board and a summary of the enacted budget with supporting in-formation and data is available for public inspection during normal business hours, com-mencing November 1, 1990, at the Town Clerk's Office, Oyster Bay, New York. TOWN BOARD

OF THE TOWN OF OYSTER BAY Angelo A. Delligatti Supervisor

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## **Youth Council**

#### To Meet

The Hicksville Youth Council will hold its monthly Board Meeting on Tuesday, November 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the Youth Council, 175 West Old Country Road, Hicksville, New York. Everyone welcome!

#### **Art Showcase**

#### In Hicksville

Blank walls in libraries, banks and business establishments are commonplace, but the Town of 'Oyster Bay Department of Community and Youth Services, Cultural and Performing Arts Division (CAPA), is committed to adding a touch of pizass to them, according to Town Councilman Tom Hogan. "CAPA is inviting the directors of

these establishments to attend the 17th Annual Rotational Art Showcase on Wednesday, De-cember 5, 1990, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in the community room at the Hicksville Public Li-brary," Hogan said."A wide variety of works from artists, photographers and craftspeople will be on display and the business managers will have the opportunity to meet the artists in person. They can then make arrangements to have the artists' works displayed in their places of business for one or two month exhibits throughout 1991."

Hogan said the program was created with a dual purpose. "Artists are provided with the opportunity to exhibit, and the facilities involved benefit by having beautiful art work for their patrons to view throughout the year," Hogan said. "There is no cost to the exhibitor or the artists involved."

The Hicksville Public Library is located at 169 Jerusalem Avenue. For further information on the Rotational Art Exhibit Showcase please call Dorothy Blumstein, Program Coordinator at 795-5943 extension 7711.

November 11 Bill and Anne Gorney

Carmine and Virginia Barricelli

## Soccer Club Annual Dance

The Hicksville American Soccer Club recently held its Annual Dance, Friday, October 26, at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Dressed in 50's and 60's garb, with love beads, tie-died shirts, poodle skirts and saddle shoes, the revelers danced to deejay's assortment of 50's-60's music and had a fantastic array of hot and cold foods from which to choose. Prizes were awarded in various categories, among them "Best Twisters." Top prizes for Best Costumes went to Gail Wright and Roman Musyinski. Thanks to the Camarinos and Huzar families for their hard work on this fun event!

#### **VFW** News

## By P.P.C. Carmine A. Somma Wm. M. Gouse Jr. Post 3211

V.F.W. Hicksville would like to send a package to our Armed Forces in Saudi Arabia. They ask the public for help. If any son, daughter, husband or wife from the Hicksville Area is in Saudi Arabia, please call the V.F.W. Hall at 931-7843.

#### Veteran's Day Services

On Sunday, November 11, the Wm. M. Gouse Jr. Post 3211 V.F.W. host Post and the Hicksville Combined Veterans Organization and the Ladies Auxiliary will hold traditional Veterans Day Services at the Hicksville Middle School at 10 a.m. All are welcome

## Students Send Mail To Mideast The students in Mr. Paul Vetrano's tenth grade Global Studies class have written letters

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to our service men and women assigned to duty in the Mideast -Desert Shield, as part of the students' study of the Mideast. Anyone interested in corresponding with our service people in the Army, Air Force, Marines and Navy who are presently stationed in the Mideast may address their letters to the following: (Army, Air Force and Marines), Service Person, Operation Desert Shield, APO New York 09848-0006; (Navy personnel aboard a ship), Service Person, Operation Desert Shield, FPO New York 09866-0006.

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John and Rita Liba





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Willet Ave. Pumpkin Contest



ae Elementary School, the kindergarten through third grade had a pumpkin decorating contest for Halloween. Children of the fourth, fifth and sixth grade were the judges. The categories were: prettiest, funniest and most original pumpkins. The winner for the most original pumpkin was Douglas Ruderfer, for the most beautiful pumpkin was Michelle Monti and Deanna Monti and for the funniest pumpkin, Kim Pfsender.

#### Middle School Pedestrian Safety



The Nassau County Police Department was invited to present a special assembly program on pedestrian safety to all Middle School students on October 24. Pictured above discussing the program are Mr. Pat Pizzarelli, Supervisor of Physical Education and Health, students John Flynn and

Delmis Romano, and Officer Mike Polechilo.



GE FIVE

The Boy Scouts of America, Nassau County Council, recently requested assistance in a fundraising project. The Boy Scouts provided pumpkins and asked for Bethpage High School students to paint them for a Halloween sale.

The Fine Arts students were complimented by Mrs. James Raginski, Exploring Executive, for their outstanding job. "Your pumpkins were the nicest we received and they sold out very quickly." These talented students from left to right are: Lauren Matriewich, Casa Stampfel, Craig Mulqueen, Diane Mincone, Amanda Shaw, Holly Hendrickson, Jason Santoriello, Nell Esposito, Don Derienzo, Brian Kosak, Derek Wilson and Jason Kalish.



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#### Bethpage Library Nov. Programs

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Bethpage Public Library Walt Disney Hit Film - "Napoleon and Samantha" - Sat. Nov. 10, 2 p.m. - Eleven-year-old Napoleon, his pet lion, and his friend Samantha run away to the wilderness where they meet chills and thrills at every turn - a ravenous puma on the hunt, a grizzly bear, a dangerous kidnapper - and more. An exciting Walt Disney Production, starring Jodie Foster and Michael Douglas. Color - 92 minutes. Grades K-6. Register now.

Sunday Spectacular - Jonathan Geffner, Ventriloquist, and his fascinating friends! Sunday, Nov. 11, 2 p.m. - For children of all ages and parents tool This versatile ventriloquist and his troupe of delightful companions will provide enchantment, humor, exciting fast denginitial companions with provide the participation - a feast of entertainment for adults and children. The program is co-sponsored by

Norstar Bank, Bethpage Branch, 521 Stewart Ave. Register Now. Meet World Famous Author, Franklyn M. Branley, a science writer for young people - Saturday, Nov. 17 - Dinosaurs, astronomy, lasers, computers, outer space, electricity, genetics and more! Come on over and hear the amazing Franklyn Branley, who has written over one hundred outstanding books on science subjects, that can satisfy every taste and school assignment tool

Dr. Branley has served as chairman of the American Museum-Hayden Planetarium and has been director of its Educational Services. His books have won many prizes, awarded for non-fiction for young people. Grades K-2 from 2-2:30 p.m.; Grades 3-6 from 2:45-3:30 p.m. Register from October 22.

All programs are open to youngsters (and their parents) who reside in District No. 21. Please bring your library card as your ticket of admission. For further information, please call 931-3907.

#### Playing It Safe At Fork Lane

The Kindergarten students in Mrs. Marra's Fork Lane class-room recently learned crucial advice from an expert in the "Playing It Safe" program. "Playing It Safe" program. Susan Rothman, the Director of "Playing It Safe," gave both the a.m. and p.m. students a complete lesson in all areas of safety. The children learned about strangers, fire and other hazards, drugs in the medicine cabinet, and about being im-properly touched and/or made to fell pain or discomfort. The fell pain or disconfort. The children learned the three important statements, "say no," "run away," and "tell some-one." Puppets and other visual

aids enhanced the lecture.

"This program is very vital in my classroom," said Mrs. Marra. "I have requested it for years and

shall continue to do so .... " The "Playing It Safe" Program is part of the many services offered by L.I.A.I.S.O.N. (Let's Increase And Insure Security in Our Neighborhood). For more information on the "Playing li Safe" Program and on additional services offered by L.I.A.I.S.O.N. call (516) 741-0620. Other important phone numbers to be aware of include the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, 1-800-843-5678, and the "Victims Are Survivors" Hotline, (516) 746-0035

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Fork Lane Students

#### Students See Sign Language



Students in Mrs. Halpern's and Mrs.Kenah's Fork Lane classes enthusiastically displayed their sign language greetings to a partially-deaf special guest speaker. Cathy Christy, from the Mill Neck Manor Lutheran School for the Deaf, vocally spoke as well as "signed" for the sixth-graders, while employing a beginner lesson in sign language. The students quickly learned the alphabet and numbers, and

eagerly signed their names, ages, and basic sentences. Mrs. Halpern invited Mrs. Christy to come to the school in conjunction with the interdisciplinary unit on "The Voyage of the Mimi." One of the crew members aboard the Mimi, Sally Ruth Cochran, is deaf. In understanding the Mimi's purpose, the preservation and study of whales, the students are also exposed to the social communicative skills of interaction with the hearing impaired. In Photo

Cathy Christy with Brian Gallahue and Abbey Toich.

#### Delligatti Given Jerusalem Guide



Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Angelo A. Delligatti, second from right, and Town Councilman Leonard B. Symons were on hand recently as and rown Councilman Leonard D. Symons were on and recently as the Supervisor received a walking guide of Jerusalem as a gift from teenage members of the Mid-Island "Y" in Plainview, who visited Israel this past summer. On hand for the presentation, left to right, were President of the Mid Island "Y" Dan Duchin, Leslie Moskowitz, Heather Symons and Jeffrey Glasser.

#### Holy Trinity To Hold Fair

Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Hicksville, is having its Annual Holiday Fair and Jamboree on Friday, November 16, 5-9 p.m. and on Saturday, November 17, 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Some special features at the Fair this year are: handcrafted articles, Christmas decorations, baked goods, holiday candies, fine gifts in glass, handmade wooden toys, bird houses and feeders, new and used jewelry, religious articles, cards, and much more!

communities are invited to come and browse, shop and dine. Winners of the Jamboree raffle will be announced and special prizes will be offered on the Sweepstakes Wheel after dinner each evening (6:30 p.m., \$7 per person).

"Our Town," the acclaimed play by Thornton Wilder, will be performed by the High School Drama Club on Thursday, November 29, at 7 p.m., and on Friday, November 30, and Saturday. December 1, at 8 p.m. A beautiful and touching play, it "reaches into the past of America and evokes movingly a way of life which is lost in our present turmoil." Directed by Judith Paseltiner, the play features a cast of thirty performers includ ing Lisa Entel, Joseph Feeser,

Members of the neighboring

Holy Trinity Episcopal Church is located at the corner of Jerusalem Avenue and Old Country Road in Hicksville.

'Our Town' At High School

Ralph Montero, Lorie Hassett, Joseph Williams, Stacey Heyer, Ron Castillo and Susan Gaylord.

The performances will be held in the high school auditorium. In order to cover all production costs, there will be a \$2 fee at the door for the special senior citizen performance on November 29. and a \$6 admission charge for the Friday and Saturday perform-ances. Tickets for Friday and Saturday may be purchased in advance or at the door.

## Honor A Vet Program At Burns

To bolster the significance of Veterans Day, and to give it real meaning, the Fifth Grade students in Mrs. Ruth Silverman's class will honor eighteen veterans at a dinner to be held on November 8, at the Burns Avenue School, Hicksville.

Each student will introduce a veteran to the audience consisting of parents, educators, veterans and other invited guests. The students will give a brief synopsis of the veterans' experiences while serving in the armed forces and formally thank each veteran for his/her contribution to the United States. A collection of photographs, awards, uniforms, and other memorabilia will be on display to enhance the presentations.

Following the speeches, a short talk will be given by the guest speaker, Mr. Gary Schiller, a recipient of the Military Order of the Purple Heart who has been involved with a variety of veterans groups.

For most of the veterans, this will be the first and possibly only time that anyone has cared to listen to their experiences while serving in the Armed Forces of our country. It is perhaps the only time that they will be publicly honored for their contributions and sacrifices in the service.

The "Honor A Veteran" program was designed to give students a variety of learning experiences. The children learned how to conduct an interview, and then take that interview format and convert it into a written composition. Finally, the com-position will be made into an oral presentation. The students researched the causes and effects of wars and conflicts involving the United States. Map study as well as history were integrated into a meaningful experience. The stadents therefore have gained a greater appreciation of the dangers and pain on the battleground as well as a greater understanding of the sacrifices made by veterans.

This is the sixth year that Mrs. Silverman is running this pro-gram. Previous "Honor A Veteran" programs have been unexpectably emotional for the veterans and their guests.

#### In Service

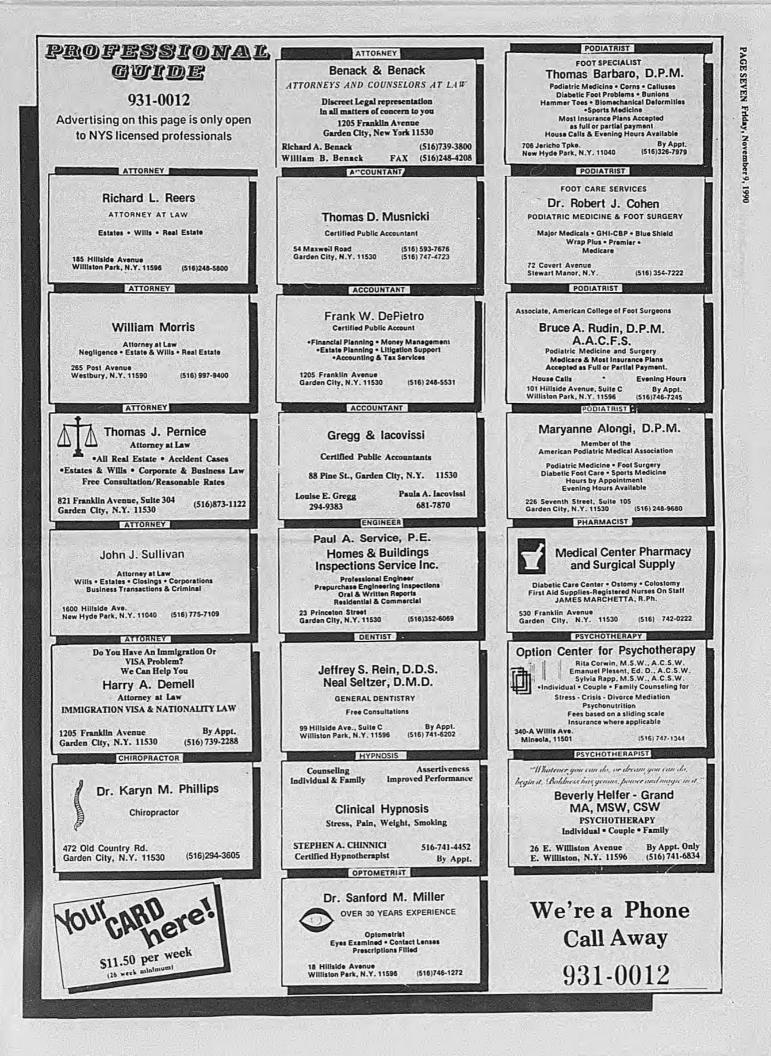
Senior Airman Christopher J. Abbate has deployed to the Middle East with American military forces participating in Operation Desert Shield.

**Operation Desert Shield is the** largest deployment of U.S. military forces since Vietnam. The operation is in response to Iraq's invasion of Kuwait and threat to Saudi Arabia.

He is the son of Carol J. Massie of 97 Grand St., Newburgh, N.Y., and Robert F. Abbate of 40 Burkhardt, Bethpage.

The airman is an apprentice pavements maintenance special-ist at Barksdale Air Force Base,

Bossier City, La. He is a 1988 graduate of Newburgh Free Academy.



#### **Marching Band On To Scranton**



The Woodwinds and Drum line team up for an outstanding performance.

#### By Marcia Gunnigle

On Saturday evening, November 3, the Hicksville High School marching band competed in the tournament of bands chapter finals held at Hofstra University. The air was filled with excitement and anticipation because the band had a real chance to win the first place trophy.

But, let's go back four years where the story really begins. Mr. William Gagnon, then supervisor of fine arts decided that Hicksville should improve its marching band program. He hired Mr. James McCroy to accomplish this task. In the first years the band had only 36 members and competed in the Class II judging category. In order to encourage a better turnout, it was decided to make marching band a requirement for participation in the Music program. Enrollment began to increase.

The 1990 marching band takes the field with 90 musicians, and 24 members in the color guard. The students have practiced every Tuesday evening since returning home from the extensive instruction at Band camp in August. Their Saturdays and Sundays have been dedicated to becoming the best marching band in their class four category. Ms. Jennifer Boltz has joined the teaching staff and has broughtwith her a vast and diversified background in marching band competition. The Band parents association has also contributed tirelessly their time to fund raise money for the competitions as well as chaperone and drive the equipment truck. All of these cooperative activities has brought Hicksville to the threshold of what

happened Saturday night. The Hicksville High School marching band took the field at 9. They were led on to the field by Drum majors, John Flynn, Kathy Rhombach and Kim Stephan. The color guard co-captained by Julie Murphy and Tricia De Filippis set out their flags under the watchful eye of their instructor, Karen Neilson. After Drum major Kim Stephan determined the band was ready and the judges signaled the go ahead the band broke into their first number, "Cumberland Gap." Solos were performed by Kieth La Spaluto, trumpet, and Debbie Tirado, Baritone Horn. As the band slid effortlessly into New World Symphony they performed some of the most intricate formations or sets. Solos in this piece were performed by Matt Anello and Jackie DePalma, French Horn, and a duet by Kieth LaSpaluto and John Christ on trumpet. The Hicksville fans were cheering wildly from the stands. All the hard work of the students and teachers was now being evidenced by a nearly flawless performance.

After the last performance, all 12 competing bands assembled on the field for the Olympic Retreat. The time had come to announce the winners in all classes of competition. The award for Class One was awarded to Levittown Division Avenue High School; the award for Class II was awarded to Lindenhurst; Class III went to Brentwood; and now the Hicksville fans held their breath... the award for the Class IV category went to Hicksville High School! Hicksville took the first place trophy with a score of 90.4 out of a possible 100 points. In addition to the first place trophy Hicksville took the award for Best Drum Major, Best Percussion, Best Woodwinds, High Visual, and High Music. Pandemonium broke out in the stands!

Now it is on to the Atlantic Coast Championships in Scranton Penn. On Saturday, November 10. All our best wishes go with the Band for continued success in all their future endeavors! Gc Hicksville!

Photos by Tina Christ



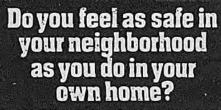
Drum Major John Flynn directing.



The mastery of the Color Guard.



One of the many difficult sets the band performed flawlessly.



Fred McGillicudy does. One reason is because his rieighbors organized a Neighborhood Watch and a volunteer escort service for Fred and other senior citizens. For more information on what you can do to help make your neighborhood safer for everybody, writeto me, McGruff the Crime Dog, PO. Box 362, Washington, D.C. 2004. And help me...Take a bite out of crime.



## East Street School: In The Beginning

Special to the Mid-Island Times By Maureen Tran'er

In September 1926, the Board of Education, Elwood A. Curtis, President, wrote in an opening letter of a prepared booklet entitled, Proposed Plans for a New Grade School Building in Hicksville, "The Board of Education greatly appreciates the fine interest and cooperation of the people during the past and begs to inform you that unless additional school rooms are available by September of next year, some of the lower grades must go on part time."

That is how it began, the initial steps toward construction of Hicksville's second lower school, East Street Grammar School. Yes, it was getting crowded at the Nicholai School with "nearly six hundred pupils, most of whom are under ten years of age." The Board "visited many schools and spent much time and thought in consideration of this problem, to determine not only the most logical location of a new building, but also the most economical type of construction," according to its letter to the "Taxpayers and Parents of Hicksville,"

"The site selected for the new grammar school building is ideally located in a rapidly growing section of our Village, with splendid drainage," the letter continues. "It consists of over four acres, half way between Plainview and Woodbury Roads, easily accessible to all the school children living east of Broadway. The Board considers the crossing

**Cynthia Gaylor** 

Kudos to Hicksville High School Senior Cynthia Gaylor who has been chosen as Student-of-

Month for October. Ms.

Gaylor has a long and impressive record at Hicksville. Currently

she is studying Economics

(Advanced Placement/Interna-

tional Baccalaureate course;,

Government and Politics (AP/IB), Calculus (AP/IB), Chemistry (AP/IB), College French (IB),

Orchestra, Theory of Knowledge,

and the required Health and Physical Education classes.

of Broadway, with its heavy auto traffic, a menace to our smaller school children and something to be avoided, if possible."

At Nicholai, the three sixth grades had already been moved to the Junior-Senior building. Space was tight there and these youngsters were occupying rooms which were badly needed for the further development of the Junior-Senior high curriculum.

Even as in the 1990's, the Board of Education of 1926 was very conscious of the taxpayer's pocketbook, but those trustees had one "plus" in short supply in recent years. The letter states: Your Board has been as economical as possible in all its expenditure. Two years ago, the tax rate of our district was \$5.35 per hundred; last year, it was \$4.86 per hundred, while this year it is but \$3.55 per hundred. The budget for the coming year is about the same as it was two years ago, in spite of the addition of ten more teachers and many more pupils. This savings is due in part to increased State Ald."

And so, on the 10th day of September, 1926, the "Inhabi-tants of Union Free School District 17" gathered to vote on the duel constitution the dual proposition: 1. to authorize and direct the erection of a new grade school building and to furnish and equip such new building and to expend for such purposes a sum not to exceed \$195,000 which sum shall be raised by tax and collected in installments, and 2. to authorize and direct to use so much of the

#### High School Student Of The Month

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the National Music Honor Society, the Hicksville High String Ensemble, the Long Island Strin, Festival Orchestra, and the All County Symphonic Orchestra to name just a few.

She participated in the New York Girls State convention, the Mock Trial Tournament, and won awards in Town of Oyster Bay Poster and Essay contest.

In Science, Ms. Gaylor has received a Bausch and Lomb Award, two merit awards in the Long Island Science Congress, and is a member of the Pre-Med Club to name just a few accomplishments.

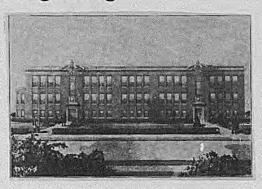
Additionally, she is a member of the following: National Honor Society, the French Honor Society, the French Club, the Comet Newspaper, and has participated on various athletic clubs.

Her future plans include participating in the National History Day Contest, and the Oratorical Contest sponsored by the American Legion. She plans Ms. Gaylor has a long list of on attending a four year college accomplishments in the Music after graduation in 1991 in order Department. She is a member of to pursue future career goals.

unexpended balance in its hands not to exceed the sum of \$10,000 for the purpose of equipping the new grade school.

The rest is history - 63 years of history this week, in fact, with the dedication ceremonies taking

place on November 10, 1927. In urging residents to come out to vote, the board trustees' letter sews a thread through time which is as important today as it was in 1926: "You owe it to yourself and your children to do your part. The Hicksville of tomorrow will be made by the school children of today. They deserve the best there is."



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DEDICATORY EXERCISES THURSDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 101H. 1927 FIGHT FIFTEEN DR. ELWOOD A. CURTIS PRESIDENT BOARD OF EDUCATION, PRESIDING 0000000000000000 (A) "STUDENTS MARCH" SELECTION-(8) "OVER THE WAVES WALTZ" HIGH DIRECTED BY HISS VIOLET JOHNSON, SUPERVISOR OF M HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA INVOCATION REV. GORDON THOMPSON ADDRESS-AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK" E. A. VAN SLYKE (A) "VENETIAN SERENADE" VOCAL SOLO-(.) "LINDY LOU" MISS VIOLET JOHNSON -L. STRICKLAND DR VAN DEN BERG PRINCIPAL OF THE NEW PALTE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL DEDICATORY ADDRESS -NOVELETTE ORCHESTRA-FOX (.) "FLAG DAY MARCH" 00000000000000000 INSPECTION OF BUILDING FROM 7-6 P. M., AND IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE DEDICATORY EXERCISES

#### INTERESTING FACTS CONCERNING THE NEW EAST STREET GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The new East Street Grammar School is located on a site of nearly five arres.

When all grading and landscape work is finished the grounds will compare favorably with the Jr. Sr. High School grounds.

The building in design, is of modern Renaissance and has been planned that extension at the rear can be made in the future, if required.

The building has been thoroughly equipped electrically. There are electric clocks, bells and telephones in each class room, controlled from the principal's offsec. Each class room is wired for an electric lantern for slides to be used in class room instruction. There is a complete fire alarm system, with gongs and break glass stations accessibly located, and hose tacks and hose at both ends of halls on all floors. The lighting fixtures are of the enclosed dust proof type on the interior and the exterior fixtures conform to the architecture of the building.

The heating and ventilating is the direct-indirect type, with radiators and unit ventilators in each class room, thermo-staticly controlled to assure a uniform temperature and air distribution. The heating system is what is known as a modified vapor system.

#### GENERAL.

The exterior walls are faced with Ohio shale brick.

All stairways, corridors, class room floors and partitions are fire proof construction throughout. Stairways are steel with Alberrate stone platforms and treads and rails to prevent children from falling. Corridors are reinforced concrete slabs, Class floors are of steel heans, with concrete over. Partitions are of terra routa tile. Corridors are covered with rubberstone tile, class rooms and anditorium floors are of maple. Plannbing fixtures are automatic. Toilet rooms for boys and girls on each floor and in the basement. These rooms are vontilated by means of exhauters, electrically operated. The building is piped throughout for vacuum cleaning equipment to facilitate sanitation and cleanliness.

Roams in the building consist of auditorium and gymnisium, two locker rooms, bicycle room, hanch room, clinic, builter room, coal room, machine room, two tuilet rooms, transformer vanh, stock room, all in the basement. First floor--Five class rooms, kindergaten, principal's office, tracher's room, stock room, moving picture booth, two toilet rooms. Scenad floor--Library, supervisor's office, two tuilet rooms, seven class rooms.

#### Reprint from the Dedication Program, November 10, 1927. Local History Collection, Hicksville Public Library.





## Budget Comm. Honors Board

The Hicksville Union Free School District has received a Good Government Award with High Merit for its operating procedures and a Good Government Award With Merit for its capital procedures, from the Nassau Citizens Budget Committee (NCBC).

The NCBC noted that Hicksville operating procedures come closer to meeting NCBC's highest standards. The NCBC pointed out that the budget issue of the Bulletin Board presents good summaries by program and is clear and easy to read. Furthermore, the budget calendar is nicely detailed. Overall, Hicksville's presentation of the budget was found to provide "clarity and usefulness of the verifical columns...Information is provid-ed programmatically, which we think is essential for sound planning."

The NCBC further acknowledged that capital planning of a relatively high level does take place in Hicksville. "...there is a comprehensive request form; a relatively complete fixed asset inventory, updated regularly; and repair and major maintenance schedules are adhered to," the NCBC wrote. "There is a capital budget consisting of a list of projects for the coming year and their costs. There is also a summary of capital projects actual expenditures for the past three years; projected for the coming five years; and average per year."

Hicksville will be hopored for their fiscal prudence at the NCBC's Sixth Annual Awards Luncheon in November.

Fork Lane Students Walk For Disabled

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Fork Lane students are participating in a winners walk to raise funds for the United States organization for disabled athletes. To kickoff the event on Wednesday, October 17, Ralph Marchese, a disabled representative of the winners walk spoke at Fork Lane School. Grades 1-6 watched a film on coping with disabilities. Mr. Marchese lost his right arm as an adult and demonstrated to the children how he overcome his disability. He stressed helieving in

children how he overcame his disability. He stressed believing in yourself and the importance of having goals.

The children at Fork have gotten sponsors and will walk during their physical education classes the week of November 5.



Steven Hupfer Grade 5 attempts using a walking stick with his eyes closed.

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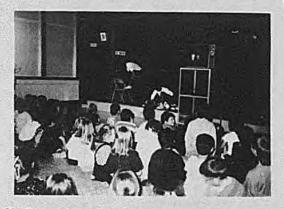
not exceeding 3,000 words or less than 1,500 words, on local topics, opinions, ideas, nice places to visit on Long Island, and even fiction. In our magazine section, we will try

to "Discover" one new feature length article and writer per week. Each writer will be reimbursed a stipend of \$25.00.

If you want to be published and be part of an issue of Discovery, you may submit your article to: Litmor Publications, 81 East Barclay Street, Hicksville, N.Y. 11801.



Mrs. Carol Weber introduces Mr. Marchese to the children.



Mr. Marchese challenges Chris Schaeffer to a race in tying his shoe with one hand.



## If you don't keep their names alive, who will?

An invitation to place the name of a member of your family who immigrated to America in the only national museum created to honor them.

Whether your ancestors first set foot on American soil at Ellis Island, or entered through another gateway, here is a unique opportunity to show your gratitude. And to present your family with a gift that will be meaningful now and for generations to come.

When you make a \$100 contribution to restore Ellis Island, the name you designate will be permanently placed on the newly created American Immigrant Wall of Honor. You can choose the name of an ancestor or just your own family name. And you'll receive an Official Certificate of Registration. To register additional names, list each name and country of origin on a separate sheet. And remember, there is a minimum gift of \$100 for each.

Please send your contribution today. By acting now you assure that the Ellis Island Immigration Museum will be a place to honor your own heritage, as well as a monument to the great American traditions of freedom, hope and opportunity.

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## **Right Around Home** By Maureen Trailer

Fighting substance abuse is no easy task, but the Syosset Council of PTAs has come out fighting.

The Council's substance abuse committee this year kicked off their education awareness program with a basketball game. But not just any basketball game. When the ball was tossed in the air before an SRO crowd at the high school gym on Friday night, October 26, the parents and faculty members of the Syosset team were pit against the Harlem Wizards.

You could feel the electricity in the air as the Wizards jived out onto the floor, bouncing the ball with ease, rolling it across their bodies, passing it with such accuracy. The crowd cheered; the kids laughed, parents oooo-ed and ahhhh-ed.

parents ocoo-ed and ahnh-ed. Then all fell silent for the traditional national anthem and the game began - Syosset in its red and white uniforms, the Wizards, average height 6'9''! The saying goes, "Nobody beats the Wiz," but with a little practice, the Syosset team could be formidable. "It was a fun thing to do and really brought everyone together," says Lana Ajemian, PTA Council Substance Abuse Committee Co-chair. It was also another step toward raising funds to help fight whetene abuse in the community.

substance abuse in the community. The PTA Council began its substance abuse committee some five years ago. Its awareness program is geared for parents, although they have sponsored programs and workshops for parents and children together. With the children, the stress is on keeping themselves healthy and promoting adolescent self-esteem. Workshops may also deal with problems that develop within the family as a result of an abusing member.

The Council often draws their presenters from counsellors and social workers within the district, such as the local-based SCAN (Syosset Concern About Its Neighbors).

Other workshops have been conducted by Apple, a group for recovering young people based in Hauppauge and the North Shore Child and Family Guidance Center.

The Council has put together a well-planned booklet called, "Resource Guide for Substance Abuse." In the guide, the committee has compiled a list of services that can provide direction in matters of drug and alcohol abuse and other at risk situations that can affect both children and adults.

The booklet includes a list of common drugs, their street names, methods of use, symptoms and hazards of use. It educates parents on "binge drinking" by teenagers; provides party tips when teens are throwing the party or going to the party; suggests "do's" and "don't" if a problem arises; and warning signs to watch for. There is also a list of school psychologists, social workers and guidance counsellors at each of the district's seven public elementary schools, two middle schools and high school.

The problem is a serious one, especially for today's youth. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 3,500 teenagers died in alcohol related crashes in 1986; 21% of high school girls and 18% of high school boys smoke. And think about this alarming statistic from the University of Michigan Institute for Social Research, Nov. 1987, regarding high school seniors: 23.4% tried marijuana, 6.2% tried cocaine, 5.5% tried stimulants, 2.5% tried hallucinogens, 2.1% tried tranquilizers and 2% tried heroin.

In conjunction with the well-received game with the Harlem In conjunction with the well-received game with the Harlem Wizards, the Council sponsored a poster contest for elementary students. Fourteen very proud youngsters received trophies on the night of the game, and many had their work displayed around the gymnasium. Each child won a ribbon, and there were 2 grand winners from each school, one on the K-2 level and one from grades 3 to 5. The Inchy contest winners were as follows: From Baylis: Kerri Bergman and Kerri Bauer; Berry Hill: Chris Renki and Evi Simon; Village: Chris Swann and Viraj Gadkar; South Grove: Amir Dam and Kristin Hanus; Whitman: Karen Marks and Lindsey Rich; Willets: Lisa DeGregoris and Chad D'Amico, and Robbins Lane: Lindsey Cohen and Brian Scherr.

The members of the Syosset team were: From the faculty: JoAnne Haben, Tom Damers, Rosemarie Bellow, Don Harris, Michael Gross, Maria Taplin, Stephanie Latman and Doug Schumacher; From the parents: Kirk Gellen, Mike Savitsky, Kevin Mannix, Rich Kandel, Martin Tamana, Dr. Batter Narmana, Dr. Harrehal Bird, Dr. Horwitz Marty Towarce, Dr. Peter Neumann, Dr. Herschal Bird, Dr. Horowitz, Stephen Bernstein and Danny Kaplan. Mrs. Ajemian's co-chair on the substance abuse committee is Sarita Stuhler.



The Harlem Wizards show off their stuff.



The Syosset team watches the competition and contemplates strategy



New Kiwanis Member

The Kiwanis Club of Hicksville is proud to accept a new member into its ranks. Ms. Bertha Larrea is the manager of the Bank of New York, Hicksville Office. She was inducted as a new member of the club on October 31.

Pictured above are Ms. Bertha Larrea, Mrs. Donna Jean Schroeder and Dr. Edward Pierce, N.Y. District Govern

(Photo by Joseph A. Lupo, D.C.)

Kiwanis Holds

## Golf Outing

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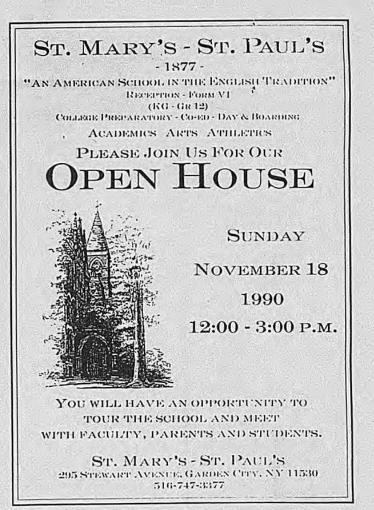
The Kiwanis Club of Hicksville held its first annual golf outing on Sept. 17. It was a huge success with 125 golfers attending. The outing was held at the beautiful Town of Oyster Bay golf course at

Woodbury, Several celebrities were in attendance including Roberto Turado from Channel 12 news and former Jets wide receiver Wesley Walker were there to lend their support for this charitable event.

The effort raised over \$5,000 which was donated to the Nassau Chapter of The American Red Cross. The funds were a welcome largess that were used to replenish the coffers depleted by the Avianca crash earlier this vear.

## Library Meeting Date Changed

The Hicksville Public Library Board of Trustees meeting has been changed from November 21 to Wednesday, November 14 at 8 p.m.





#### The Happiest Halloween



The children in Mrs. Scott's second grade class at Fork Lane School presented a very special play, "The Happiest Halloween." Narrated by Erik Nerdalen and Jason Chinsano, witches, cats, pumpkins and a vampire sang songs and stewed up a witches brew in this delightful little play.

#### **Rummage Sale At Thrift Shop**

In celebration of the opening or their "Pretty New Too Thrift Shop" Central Nassau Guidance and Counseling Services will hold a very special One-Dollar Rummage Sale at the shop located at 11 Herzog Place, Hicksville on Saturday, November 17, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

"Homebaked goods will be for sale as well as a tremendous variety of household and clothing items. Each item offered at the Rummage Sale will be sold for just one dollar," reported Barbara Bartell, Chairperson for the event and Program Director of Central Nassau's Community Program.

The success of our first Thrift Shop, located in Farmingdale, encouraged us to expand. We are delighted that our new location is in the heart of Hicksville," stated

Neal Millman, Executive Director of Central Nassau.

Any questions regarding donations to the Thrift Shop or about Substance Abuse Programs, call 822-4060. For information regarding Mental Health Programs, call 822-6111.

Central Nassau is funded by the Nassau County Department of Mental Health, Department of Drug and Alcohol Addiction, New York State Division of Substance Abuse Services, and is a United Way Agency.

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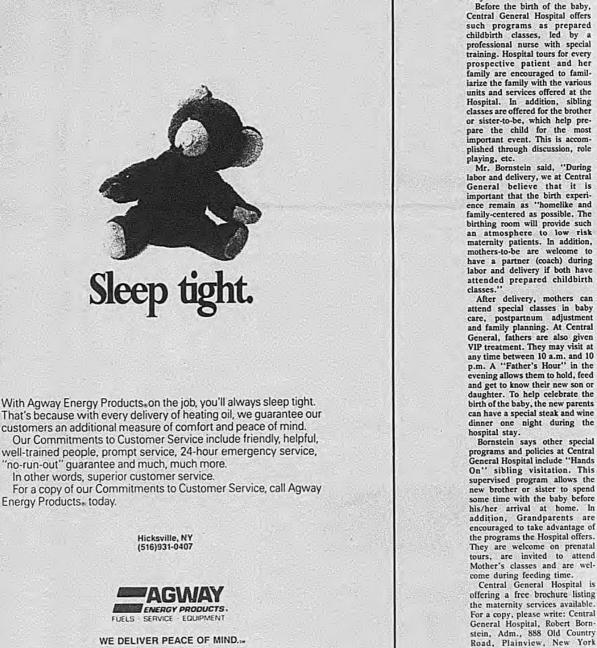


#### At Hospital

Central General Hospital in Plainview has announced a wide variety of maternity services designed to meet the needs of the entire family. Whether you're a parent-to-be, sibling or grandparent, Central General Hospital has developed a number of innovative programs to make the arrival of newborns a memorable experience.

According to Robert Bornstein, Administrator of Central General. "Over the years we have listened to the suggestions of our patients and staff on ways to improve our maternity services. As a result we have adopted policies, special services and programs to assist the mother-to-be and her family during the pregnancy, labor, delivery and those important first days following the birth of the baby.

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#### Old Country Rd. Celebrates Autumn

grade class at Old Country Road School enjoyed the autumn by celebrating "Fall season Day." Pumpkins were painted,

The children in Mrs. Mones first , applesauce was made, and construction paper cats were, decorated. The children delighted in the many joys of the season



L-R: Mrs. Pobst, Katyryna Mutlos, Michael Rielly, Sachoon Lee, Jamie Callari.



L-R: Kevin Pobst, Ian Fields, Samantha Graziose, Chris Kolb.

## Mexican Art At Beth Library

A major exhibition of Mexican Art with more than 400 works opened at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in October. The panoramic selection of paintings, sculpture and decorative arts covers the Pre-Columbian period to the 20th century. Before making the trip to the museum to see the exhibit, you might like to come to the Bethpage Public Library, 47 Powell Avenue, to see and hear a slide/talk on the Arts of Mexico, presented by Elliot Rabner, on Friday, November 30 at 8 p.m. While Mr. Rabner's lecture is complete in itself, it offers an informative background to those who plan to visit the monumental art show at the museum on their own, or...Join the library bus trip to the Metroplitan Museum of Art on Thursday, January 10, 1991. For further information, call the

library at 931-3907. The Bethpage Library is located two blocks west of exit 8 (Powell Avenue) on the Seaford-Oyster Bay Expressway (Rtc. 135).

GRANDPARENTS - Send in your grandchildren's photos and enter our "World's Most Beautiful Grandchildren" Beautiful Grandchildren" contest. Just send a photo and a brief description of the child (or children) along with your name and address to: Litmor Publications, Beautiful Grandchildren Contest, 81 East Barelay St., Hicksville, N.Y. 11801. We'll do the rest! By the way if you want your photo returned, just write your name

#### **Dutch Lane Fall Day**

On October 22, Miss Masterson third grade class celebrated Fall Fun Day, It was a day that consisted of a walk to Happy Farm Stands to pick out pumpkins, painting pumpkins, preparing pizza bagels, making fresh fruit salad and finally serving the fruit salad over ice cream and

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enjoying. It was fun for the children to follow simple recipes and enjoying their own cooking experience.



Here Mrs. Zollo, Scott Rothbard, Shaun Lyons, Howard Sham, Allison Seliger, Michael Benic and moms, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Kramer show off their pumpkins.



Mrs. Zollo with daughter Rosemary and a group of girls paint faces on their pumpkins.



Timothy Kramer with his mom and a group of students show off their pumpkin face designs.



Chris Amoroso, Scott Rothbard, Howard Sham, Michael Behr and Shaun Lyons finishing up their pumpkin faces.

**Distinguished Kiwanian** 

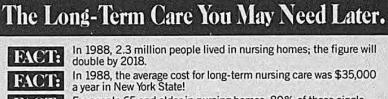


The Kiwanis Club of Hicksville ho mored Mr. Sieg Widder, one of its active Senior members with a "Distinguished Kiwanian" award on October 31. The award is given to those members who participate in Kiwanis projects and are active in the community. Mr. Widder has been a member of the Kiwanis Club of Hicksville for more than 12 years. He is a past president of the club and has served as its publicity representative for more than 10 years

Flotured in the photo are Dr. Edward Peirce, Kiwanis Lieutenant Governor and Mr. Sieg Widder.

(Photo by Joseph Lupo, D.C.)

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In 1988, the average cost for long-term nursing care was \$35,000

For people 65 and older in nursing homes, 80% of those single and 55% of those married become impoverished within one year. These figures rise to 90% for each group after two years. Medicare pays less than 2% of all nursing home costs. Medicaid



pays about half the expenses, BUT only for those who are impoverished.

Source: Consumer Reports, 5/88, Health Insurance Association of America, Benefit Research Institute, U.S. House of Representatives Select Committee on Aging.

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#### **Community Council Hears Park Proposal**

is cut and dry." Mr. Walker said, "The Town would welcome input from everybody." Council President Joe DePompa encouraged residents to write to Town representatives to express their views. Prior to the discussion on Giese Park, residents were treated to a

candidates forum. Candidates seeking office for judicial, congressional and State senate and assembly seats were present and gave their views on a wide variety of topics.

The next meeting of the Hicksville Community Council will be Thursday, December 6, at 7:30 p.m., in the community room of the Hicksville Public Library.

#### In Service

#### Spec. Charles W. Bashwiner administrative environment. has completed a U.S. Army The soldier is a com primary leadership course.

supervisor in a technical or

Students received training in supervisory skills, leadership principles, and small unit training techniques essential to a first-line

The soldier is a combat engineer at Fort Devens, Mass. Bashwiner is the son of Warren and Lelia Bashwiner of 19 Arch Lane, Hicksville.

He is a 1987 graduate of Hicksville High School.

#### Local Student Wins Award

Tanya Korostyshevsky, a senior at Bethpage High School, has been named the school's top Shell Century Three Leader, according to Dr. MacLeod, Principal.

The seventeen year old student is now eligible to compete with winners from around the state for of two \$1,500 college scholarships and an all-expense paid trip to the Shell Century Three Leaders National Meeting March 21-25, 1991, in Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia. State delegates will compete for the national winner's prize of an additional \$10,000 scholarship.

The Shell Century Three Leaders Program is designed to recognize leaders who show strong leadership abilities and an interest in the future of America. Tanya Korostyshevsky was judged on the basis of leadership skills, academic success, school and community involvement and

a current events examination. Runners-up in the competition at Bethpage High School were Tellalian and Lauren Craig Arcuri.

This is the 15th year of the Shell Century Three Leaders Program which annually awards more than \$250,000 in scholarships to student leaders. Shell Century Three Leaders is funded by the Shell Oil Company Foundation and administered by the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

The Williamsburg meeting will be highlighted by major speakers and seminars, along with discussions among students and leaders from business, education, and government. Speakers at past conferences have included former President Gerald Ford, Chief Justice Warren Burger, newsman Tom Brokaw, Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, and futurist Buckminster Fuller.



Notice of preparation of Registration Rolls for the Election of Commissioner of the Hicksville Fire District. Please be advised that the

Board of Election of the Hicksville Fire District shall meet on the 20th day of November 1990 between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. at the Hicksville Fire House for the purpose of preparing the rolls of registered voters of the Hicksville Fire District. The annual election of the Hicksville Fire District will be held on the 11th day of December between the hours of 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. at 20 E. Marie Street at the Hicksville Fire House.

Please note that only those persons who have registered with the County Board of Elections on or before the 18th day before the Fire District Election shall be eligible to vote.

Attest: John Knight **District Secretary** Hicksville Fire District Dated: November 6, 1990 MIT 2403 1X11/9

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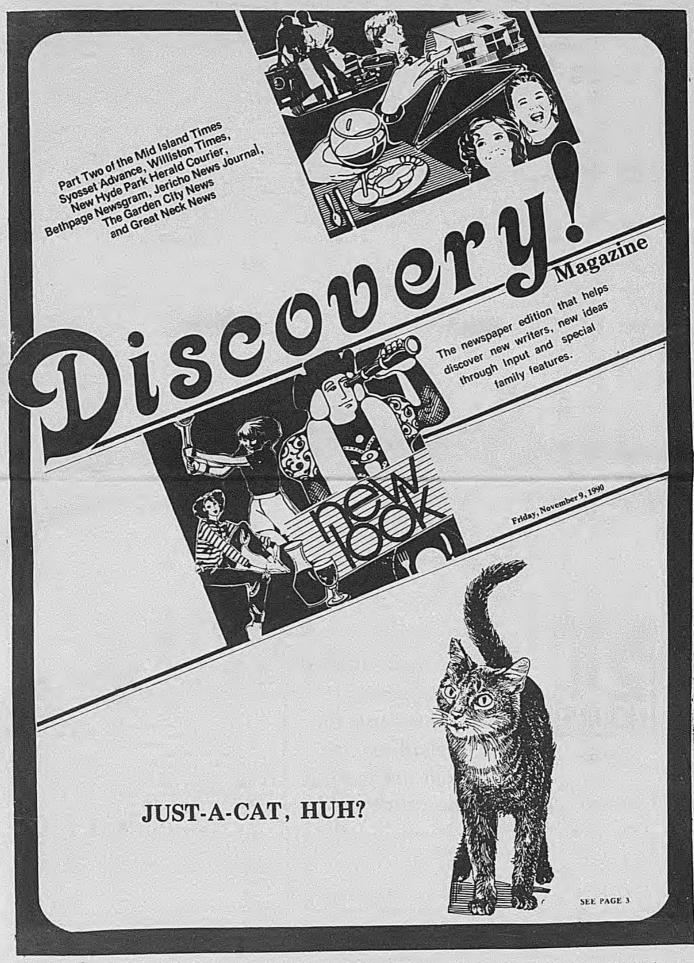
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## **Callers Think Pres. Bush Wrong On Taxes**

Most Input callers believe that President Bush has hurt himself politically by changing his position on the tax increase in answer to this question: "Do you think that President Bush has hurt himself permanently by cooperating with the tax increase?" Here are some of the answers

#### NOT BELIEVED

NOT BELIEVED I think that Pres. Bush has ruined his chances of ever being believed by the voters because of his "Read my lips" caper. How can he run again on any platform after so emphatically telling voters that there would be no tax increase? He should not have said that he was not going to stand by. I personally do not think that a tax increase will solve anything without a cut in spending and maybe if there was a cut we would not need the new taxes. K.F.

#### LACK OF ENTHUSIASM

I think the voting this week reflects the lack of enthusiasm of the voters for the Republican party and it is justified. Pres. Bush has come off as a fake. He should not have made a promise and then gone back on it. I do not think that Pres. Reagan would have done something like that. I have now very little confidence in Pres. Bush.

#### WILL GET OVER IT

I think the voters will get over the fact that Bush told us one thing and then did another. The reason they will get over it is because they have no one else to turn to. The Democrats are in favor of more taxes and seem almost petitified of cutting any spending programs. So then where else will the conservative voters go? They have to vote for the Republicans. The only thing left is to get spending caps on state and local governments so that they cannot spend while the majority of the people want conservative approaches to things. So many of the programs that we spend on are not what we say they ought to be. For instance the school lunch program subsidizes lunch for middle and wealthy school children, but the minute we talk about cutting that program you hear that the Republicans and conservatives want to take a lunch program away from the needy children. That is not at all the case because you could cut the program and still give the needy a lunch. This is true of so many of the programs including senior citizens. No one is against giving needy seniors things they need. But the programs always subsidize the needy as well as the many who are quite well off. We could cut taxes but politicians do not want to do it. M.F.

#### LOWER INTEREST

I will continue to support Pres. Bush. I think he realized that he could I will continue to support rres, bush i time in craited that no como not hold the line on taxes with the budget so unbalanced. He believes that the interest should be lowered and that it would stimulate the economy. Unfortunately not much has happened and the set of new taxes was a mess. But Prs. Bush is not responsible for that. Congress is the second D V. the culprit. D.V.

#### SLOW CHANGE

Pres. Bush will be forgiven slowly for the tax debacle. A great deal rides on the war problems in the middle east and the possibility that we will have a recession. If those problems stabilize then Bush will be off the hook. He should not have said "Read my lips" and I would have felt better if he had been a little closer to reality. L.K.

#### ROOSEVELT DID IT

Politicians can get away with saying one thing and doing another. Pres. Roosevelt said he would not draft your boys for a war. In less than a year he favored doing just that. The U.S. forgave him for that and he was re-elected and considered a great President. G.F.

#### BUSH WON'T FORGET

I believe that President Bush was sincere when he vowed not to increase taxes in his campaign speeches. However, I guess he must be faulted for going out on a limb withouth giving due consideration to the consequences which such an unconditional promise would involve. The unfortunate part is that those in Congress who oppose him politically are the most vociferous in reminding the voting public of his impossible promise having themselves been responsible to a large degreee for the buildup of our negative financial position during their own terms in office prior to the Bush regime. As to the remedies which have been set forth to improve our extremely negative financial posture, obviously it has to come about through severe cutbacks in spending as well as has to come about through severe cutbacks in spending as well as increased taxation. The latter being very disagreeable even to those organizations and individuals who can well afford it but who feel impelled to make their Washington political representatives squirm in turn winding up in the President's lap as an "error in judgement". Nevertheless, I don't see how anyone can inflict his unfulfilled "promise" alive for the balance of his term - this only places their own intertioned and the balance of his term - this only places their own motivation under suspicion. Without belaboring the point, I feel that the Bush "cause celebre" was actually a "lapsis linguae" which he will never allow himself to forget and which those genuinely interested in improving the national economy will do what they have to do to bring it about.P.G.S.

#### Other Issues

The attack on the homeless recently was absolutely shocking. It reached a new low. There is no respect for human kind among these youths. I feel it is the home situation. They are brought up without a father. It is very depressing. Life means nothing to them similar to the Central Park incident. Perhaps something can be done when they are at a young age in Nursery school and help these people to become more human. Mrs. R.



#### By Daniel L. Llonel

"You're just-a-cat--you don't need chicken." "You're just-a-cat--stay off the couch."

"You're just-a-cat--you're to sleep in the garage."

Thus spoke my wife but just-a-cat gets chicken, diced yet! She nightly relaxes on the green silk couch and when the wind whistles

under the garage door, she gets to sleep in the house. Also, just-a-cat must always be hungrier than I am because she's first in the pecking order in our family. The toast has popped or the soup has been ladied when her sultry self glides into the kitchen and gives with her little bugle call. Then just-a-cat gets the quick service one expects at a diner's lunch counter. "I hope she eats the kitty salmon," says my wife. "She liked it yesterday but she usually won't eat it two days in a row."

Anything I say at such times is held against me not only by my wife and just a cat but by any other member of the family who might be around at the time. What if the soup isn't hot and the cold toast tastes like wheaties? There in a corner, away from drafts just-a-cat is smacking voluptuously over her smelly kitty salmon and all's well with my wife's world. And should the kitty salmon have proven unacceptable, then out would come the diced chicken breast! Then one day came the painter who discovered that he and just-a-cat then one day came the painter who discovered that he and just-a-cat

had something in common. They both turned out to be Esthonians, he by birth and she, by virtue of her name (she really has one) - Mockie. "Mookie," according to our painter, is the Esthonian equivalent for a act what "Nellie" is in these parts for a horse. Despite their common ancestral ground, Mookie could always be found at the farthest point in the house from him during his five weeks of "residence."

When he was in the cellar, mixing his paints, we could spot Mookie's green eyes peeking out from beneath a corner of the bedspread upstairs. When he was scraping and papering in the bedroom, Mookie's long haired black form could be distinguished on the second shelf in the basement storage closet.

The painter was at a loss to explain her aversion. He professed to love animals. What he didn't realize was that we couldn't wait to get rid of him and his mess and that Mookie was just a bit less restrained in expressing her feelings.

What concerned my wife were alarming indications that Mookie's nervous system was disintegrating. Even after the painter had gone for the day, Mookie, normally a most placid cat, would jump and hide at the slightest sound. When I came home at night she would take one look and flee, as if I were the painter. She no longer seemed to take an interest in watching television or helping us with telephoning. We were spoiled, I guess. First it seemed like a sort of nuisance to

have Mookie leap up at the first spin of the dial and park her furry self on the phone. She generally managed to cover not only the dial with her body but the phone directory with her bushy tail. This led to erratic dialing, but it became a way of life...just as her helping me with the mail.

My evening ritual consists of mixing a martini and going through my mail while waiting for dinner. Now visualize Mookie leaping up to sit on the mail as I approach the library table. I push her off to extract a letter and set my martini down to open it. Then Mookie sticks her furry face into the cocktail glass. When I take my drink up again she's back on the mail again.

There are, by necessity, certain off limits which even a spoiled cat like Mookie must respect. High on this list is Scrabble. What Mookie can do to a Scrabble game with one sweep of her paw spells C-H-A-O-S. So, comes a winter evening with a fire blazing in the hearth and the hi-fi giving with say a Mozart Quartet and my wife and I are in the midst of a savage game of Scrabble. I knit my brow in quest of a strategic spot for a 'Z' when suddenly I see another spot, a black one. This one comes from below the little game table and its attached to Mookie.

Knowing that a frontal assault on the Scrabble board might snap the sliver cord that binds her to my wife, she gets into the game nonetheless by bringing a paw up from below. This type of participation evokes from my wife only little coos. "Isn't that sweet!" she says. So just-a-cat can play Scrabble now and that too is O.K. with you know who.

When our daughter Chris came home from school for the Christmas holidays, we prepared a suitable welcome with her favorite roast duck and other goodies. Also I'd sent her a fattish check covering her plane fare plus plenty of extras. We were all at the door when the cab stopped. As she burst into the house she said in a single sustained outpouring, "Hello-everybody - where's Mookie?"

Just-a-cat? That's what you think!

## JUST-A-CAT, HUH?

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DISCOVERY



Dan Lionel lives in Syosset. He has been in the newspaper business for many years and has been classified ad director at several major newspapers.



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Q. Our house was built in the 1930s in what I'm told is called the "Colonial Revival" style. It has a nice enclosed porch on one side with arched windows all around.

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**JOME DECOR** 

My furniture is a mixture, mostly antiques with some new seating pieces, but I'm definitely not interested in traditional curtains or draperies. Blinds would be practical — the porch gets the afternoon sun — but I'm afraid they would look too cold. What do you suggest? — P.I.

A. Blinds are classic for traditional rooms. You might be surprised to see them — made of wood — in many of the restored house in Colonial Williamsburg, Va. However, the wood might be too dark for your porch. An imaginative solution is sug-

An imaginative solution is suggested by the photo we show here of a vintage porch designed by a pair of clever decorators, Lucretia Robertson and Donna Lang (Lang/Robertson Ltd. of Montclair, N.J.).

The porch itself is highly traditional with your kind of arched windows and interesting architectural features (it is in a centuryold house that served as a designer show house for the Junior League of Montclair-Newark).

The Lang/Robertson duo used simple white venetian blinds to control light and privacy, then added a stroke of genius over them: diaphanous curtains made of cotton netting and edged with narrow trim. Caught to decorative brass hold-backs, the curtains add a soft — and regal — touch to the windows without blocking the light that makes the room so appealing.

Q. I need an idea for an inexpensive rug to put in the family room. We have lovely natural slate floors, but they are too cold in this weather. I've seen stencil-painted sisal rugs and would like to try

#### By Rose Bennett Gilbert one myself. Can you tell me what

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one myself. Can you tell me what kind of paint to use? — M.P. A. Checking with several stencil

artists confirms my guess that acrylic paint is your best bet. Work out your pattern and chall guidelines on the sisal before you start painting through the stencils. I understand that an atomizer works better on sisal than a brush because the fiber really drinks in the paint.

Q. When we first moved into our house, I picked out a great-looking wallpaper for the dining room and had the dining chair seats covered to match. The pattern is all-over flowers in a lot of colors against a black background.

Two years later, it's beginning to get on my nerves. The wall-towall carpet, which is beige, needs replacing. What color would help calm down the wallpaper — which I can't replace just now? — S.O. A. Go dark — not black, of

A. Go dark — not black, of course, but if you match the carpet to one of the paper's dominant, darker hues, it will take the spotlight off the wall. That sharp contrast in color between the black background and the beige carpet is what disturbs your eye. I'd also suggest that you change

I'd also suggest that you change your chair seat covers, a moderate financial sacrifice, and choose a small geometric print that complements the wallpaper's colors, but has a light background. The same colors in a larger overall geometric would work at the windows. Save the fabric from the chair seats to make curtain tiebacks or throw pillows for a window seat — you should repeat the



#### **By Patrick Denton**

The flower of the month for November is the chrysanthemum, national flower of Japan and longstanding symbol of a life of ease and joviality in China.

There are actually many different types of chrysanthemum, but the best-known and top favorite among home gardeners is the florists' chrysanthemum, C. morifolium.

Florists' chrysanthemums are commonly available as rooted cuttings in the spring or potted plants to enjoy just about year round. They come in every color except blue, and range in flower shape from neat pompons and anemonelike flowers to big.double blooms with curled, spidery, quilled and spoon-shaped petals. To be at their best these plants meed bright light, lots of water and a fertile, well-drained soil.

Though florists' chrysanthemums are traditionally prized for autumn color when grown in the garden, their time of bloom depends largely on what we do with them. Left to their own devices, most will flower during the summer. But for stocky, bushy plants that are full of flowers from mid-September onward, the secret is to nip off the growing tips on each shoot every two or three weeks until early July. Then let the stems grow and develop flower buds.

Florists' chrysanthemum plants grown in pots sunk in the garden offer the option of bringing a plant or two indoors, or onto the patio or deck, to enjoy in bloom during the autumn. This is a way in which home gardeners in short-season, cold-winter areas can enjoy these mums.

Special care is needed, however, to ensure the soil does not dry out and that the plants are fertilized every two weeks until the buds show color. To renew chrysanthemum plants, or to increase their numbers, use the first spring shoots from garden plants (or potted plants wintered frost-free) wallpaper print somewhere within eyeshot; otherwise, it may look like a mistake.

Decor Score





SHEER INSPIRATION — Designers Donna Lang and Lucretia Robertson lavish cotton netting over no-nonsense blinds, swagging the curtains from decorative brass holdbacks.



as cuttings. Or slice small, young pieces from the outer edges of older plants.

Another popular perennial chrysanthemum is C. maximum, the shasta daisy. These are the familiar leathery-leaved plants with white daisy flowers in summer. Commonly available as plants, shasta daisies are also easy to grow from seed. Single, double and shaggy-flowered forms are available, in plant sizes from the regular 2- to 3-foot-tall to dwarf types such as Little Miss Muffet and Snow Lady. A longstanding popular fully double shasta daisy is Esther Read, valued for its long period of bloom.

Chrysanthemum frutescens is a short-lived perennial that we grow as an annual in the flower garden and large planters. This is the well-known marguerite, or Paris daisy, a multibranched, tireless producer of daisylike flowers in white, yellow or pink. Marguerites bloom all summer and stay most shapely when they are pruned lightly once or twice. Keep these plants going from cuttings taken in late summer, or buy new ones in the spring.

Chrysanthemum coccineum is the painted daisy, or pyrethrum, a bushy, heat-loving perennial with long-stemmed single or double daisylike flowers in red, pink, white and cream. The plants combine nicely in the garden with bearded irises, lupins and delphiniums, and provide excellent cut flowers.

Usually listed in catalogs as matricaria, Chrysanthemum parthenium (feverfew) is a short-lived perennial that is easy to grow from seed and enjoy as an annual. Several varieties are available in plants 6 to 24 inches tall, with small white or yellow flowers. The taller types are good for cutting, while the smaller plants are excellent for edging beds and growing in pots.

A new pariety called Santana forms low mounds with small, double buttonlike white flowers. It blooms fast and lasts long in flower.

Chrysanthemum balsamita is a sweet-scented perennial herb that is commonly called Bible leaf, or costmary. The leaves on this plant are very decorative — gray-green, oval, delicately scalloped and freshly fragrant. I use them as aromatic book marks.

Chrysanthemum carinatum is the annual summer or tricolor chrysanthemum, a delightful oldfashioned flower that often shows up in mixtures. The blooms are distinctive for their showy single purple, bronze, rust, pink, crimson, bright yellow and white colors arranged in contrasting bands around a dark center.

## microwave magic



## Is Thanksgiving `corny'? You bet!

No Thanksgiving celebration would be complete without at least one corn dish. Corn is the only cereal grain of American origin. A staple food of many Native American tribes, it was also the single most important crop for the early European settlers who colonized our New World frontiers.

Gertrude Harris, in her book "Manna: Foods of the Frontier" (San Francisco: 101 Productions, 1972), explains, "It would be impossible to overestimate the importance of corn in the settlement of America. 'Plenty of food' meant plenty of corn...."

According to Harris, corn could be grown in fertile or rocky soil, and she notes that corn often survived when other crops failed because, among other reasons, it "grew tall enough to be out of the reach of turkeys and raccoons."

In the early years of settlement, corn was so vital to colonists' survival that laws were made governing its cultivation. The Jamestown Legislature, writes Harris, "passed a law making it mandatory for each planter to set aside a certain number of acres for the growing of corn — to stave off starvation, to feed horses and cattle, as well as for making whiskey!"

The old Anglo-Saxon word "corn" means "small particles" and in Europe, this word refers to small grains such as wheat. Early American settlers at first planted the familiar "corn" (meaning wheat) they had grown in the Old World. But when these crops failed, they began successfully cultivating the new plant the Indians had introduced to them — and in time, they began referring to this plant as corn. This is still the name we Americans use for our most popular vegetable.

The people of the frontiers referred to cornmeal as "Injun meal," and this staple sustained many a settler, going into such traditional dishes as hush puppies, johnnycakes and cornmeal mush, or Hasty Pudding (from which the famous and select "Hasty Pudding Club" of Harvard takes its name).



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Harris records one of the earliest recipes for Hasty Pudding: "Stir up Injun meal and water with a snack of salt and boyle it in a pot."

The following recipes are a far cry from this simple concoction -



but it's also, like most vegetables, an excellent choice for microwaving. You'll carry on an old American tradition when you grace your Thanksgiving table with a corn

Thanksgiving table with a corn dish — and besides, it's great with turkey. So have a happy, and "corny" Thanksgiving!

(Recipes in this column are tested in 625- to 700-watt microwave ovens.)

MICRO-TIP OF THE WEEK

Microwaving is the best method yet for corn, whether it's frozen, fresh or "on the cob," which can be microwaved right in the husk: 15 to 20 minutes on HIGH (100 percent power) setting for four ears. Rearrange several times during microwaving. When done, remove husk and silk and serve. Simple and delicious.

SCALLOPED CORN 1 (17-ounce) can cream-style corn

1/2 cup milk

1 egg, lightly beaten

2 tablespoons minced onion

% teaspoon pepper

¼ cup fine dry bread

crumbs 4 cup shredded mild cheddar cheese

Yields 4 to 6 servings. Preparation time: 10 minutes. Cooking time: 10 to 15 minutes. Oven setting: MEDIUM (50 per-

cent power). Combine corn, milk, egg, onion and pepper in 1-quart microwavesafe casserole. Stir to combine.

Sprinkle bread crumbs evenly over top, then sprinkle with shredded cheese. Cover loosely with waxed paper and microwave 10 to 15 minutes, rotating dish ¼ turn every 5 minutes with helfs incorted of 5 min-

utes, until knife inserted near center comes out clean. Let stand, covered, 5 minutes before serving.

HOLIDAY CORN RELISH 5 cups frozen corn

1/2 cup water

% cup diced red and green peppers

% cup chopped onion

1/2 cup chopped celery 1 cup water

¾ cup cider vinegar

1/2 cup granulated sugar

1 tablespoon dry mustard

1 teaspoon pepper 1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon ground oregano

Yields 10 servings. Preparation time: 10 to 15 min-

utes. Cooking time: 8 to 13 minutes. Oven setting: HIGH (100 percent

power). Place corn and ½ cup water in 2½- to 3-quart microwave-safe casserole. Cover and microwave 5 to 9 minutes, stirring every 3 minutes, just until corn is tender. Drain well. Turn into large bowl and stir in chopped peppers, onion and celery. Set aside.

Combine all remaining ingredients in same microwave-safe casserole; stir well. Cover and microwave until mixture comes to boil, 3 to 4 minutes. Stir in drained corn mixture, then let stand until cool.

Cover and refrigerate overnight to let flavors blend, stirring once or twice. Serve chilled.

CORNY CORN BREAD 1 cup frozen corn kernels 1 cup all-purpose flour <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup yellow cornmeal

14 teaspoons baking powder 4 teaspoon salt 1 cup milk or buttermilk 4 cup corn oil 2 eggs

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup shredded cheddar cheese Yields 6 servings. Preparation time: 10 to 15 minutes.

Cooking time: 7 to 10 minutes (plus 5 minutes standing time). Oven setting: HIGH (100 percent

power). Measure frozen corn into small microwave-safe mixing bowl. Microwave about 1 minute, stirring after 30 seconds, to defrost. Set aside

In medium mixing bowl combine flour, cornmeal, baking powder and salt; stir. Beat in milk, oll and eggs, then fold in cheese and corn kerněls:

Turn batter into microwavesafe 1%-quart ring mold or 9-inch glass pie plate with inverted custard cup set in center. Microwave, uncovered, 6 to 9 minutes, rotating ¼ turn every 2 minutes, until toothpick inserted near center comes out clean. Let stand at least 5 minutes before serving.

Jur Children

## Parents should be partners with school

By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Q. My husband has the idea that a child's education, once he or she is 5 or 6 years old, is exclusively the responsibility of the schools. That sounds wrong to me.

I've kept up at least somewhat with materials that have been published about young children (like 3 or 4 years old), and they often stress close cooperation of parents and teachers. The implication certainly comes through that such cooperation should continue on into a child's later education.

If you agree, maybe my husband will go along with me on this point of view (at least a little bit — he's so stubborn!). I really need your support. Our children are now 2 years

Our children are now 2 years old and an infant.

A. You're right on target, and support for your attitude comes from reputable sources.

They include one called the National Educational Longitudinal Survey of 1988, prepared for the U.S. Department of Education.

The department of Education. The department's assistant secretary for research, Christopher Cross, was quoted in a recent Wall Street Journal article as saying:

"You have got to have parents understand that they do make a difference, and you've got to get the teachers and the principals to understand the importance of parental involvement."

Educators agree with that, believing that children of parents who are involved with the schools often do better there and get more out of their educational opportunities.

Respected professionals like David Elkind and T. Berry Brazelton stress the significance of early

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parent/school "partnerships." Their books can be real eyeopeners for people like your husband. So can numerous similar publications about the education of older children written by equally qualified educators.

Q. Some time ago you told your readers about a public radio series of programs for young listeners. It was specifically prepared for young people, and was on the theme of prejudice. I made a note of your sugges-

I made a note of your suggestion, and asked our two teens to listen to them with my husband and me. Fortunately we have a public radio station in our town.

We all heard several of the programs, and are so glad we did. They certainly gave us some important things to think about.

Please continue to tell us about other programs aimed at teens that come to your attention. We appreciate your sharing information like this.

A. Thank you very much for your pleasant letter. Mail like that encourages me to continue providing whatever information and suggestions that may be of value to parents like you and your children.



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Cooking Corner

## Tea and honey add up to cozy afternoon break

By Linda Susan Dudley

How civilized the image:

Afternoon tea. Polished silver. Fine china cups held with pinky finger crooked just so. Crustless sandwiches so diminutive you could lose sight of one between the plate and the lips.

But, in truth, is there anything more cozy or comforting than a warming cup of tea with some sweet, but hearty, baked goods? For this, the setting is not a grand hotel lobby but your home, seated comfortably on the sofa or casually around the kitchen table. Talk about the pause that refreshes. And it matters not if you're solo or in the company of drop-in friends or a neighbor.

This is your time, whether you follow the ritual of brewing a "proper" pot of tea (see below) or just dunk a fragrant tea bag in hot water.

To accompany your tea, prepare some baked goods that use a very complementary honey as their primary sweetener. Honey experts say baked goods made with honey absorb and retain moisture, so they don't dry out as quickly as those made with other sweeteners. They say less fat or oil is also required in honey-baked goods for the same reason.

There are more than 300 types of honey available, each originating from a different flower. The color and flavor of honey differs depending on the type of blossoms visited by the honey bee. As a gen-eral rule, light-colored honey is milder in taste, while dark-colored honey is stronger.

To honey fans, one of the treats of traveling is coming home with unusual honey flavors - such as cranberry from the East Coast or avocado from Southern California. But the most popular are the floral honeys.



Some of the most common floral honey sources are:

· Acacia: Pale yellow, with a delicate taste.

· Alfalfa: Light-colored, with a pleasing mild flavor and aroma.

· Basswood: A strong "biting" flavor

· Buckwheat: Dark and full-bodied, with a strong, distinctive taste.

· Clover: The most common honey, with a pleasing mild taste. · Eucalyptus: Stronger-flavored,

varying in color. •Orange blossom: Light and

mild with a fresh scent. · Sourwood: Light-colored,

heavy-bodied but mild. • Tulip Poplar: Dark amber, milder in flavor than most dark

honeys. • Tupelo: White, heavy-bodied with a distinctive, pleasant taste.

Here are the steps for brewing

tea at home, if you want to follow the ritual.

· Bring freshly drawn, cool tap water to a rolling boil.

it with hot water.

 Put one tea bag or 1 teaspoon of loose tea per cup into the pot.

bags or leaves using 5 to 6 ounces of water per serving.

· Cover the pot and let brew three to five minutes. Before serving, remove tea bags or strain loose tea.

Now, whether it's a midday break or a quiet respite on the weekend, sit back and enjoy. After all, in this fast-paced world, didn't you earn it?

Here are some recipes.

HONEY SPICED TEA Simmer whole allspice, fresh lemon peel, cinnamon sticks and your favorite variety of honey in water. Then steep your favorite tea in the heated mixture to create your own unique blend.

> HONEY CLOVERLEAF ROLLS

1 (16-ounce) package hot roll

- mix 6 tablespoons honey, divided use
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1 teaspoon grated lemon peel
- 1 cup sliced almonds

Yields 12 rolls. Prepare dough according to package directions, adding 2 tablespoons of honey to liquid. Cover kneaded dough with bowl and let rest 5 minutes.

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Melt butter and remaining honey; stir in lemon peel. Roll dough into 36 balls (about 1 to 11/2 inches in diameter). Form clusters of 3 balls, dip each in honey mixture then in almonds. Place each cluster in well-greased muffin cup

Let rise 30 minutes or until doubled in bulk. Bake in 350 F oven 15 to 20 minutes or until lightly browned. Brush with honey mixture, if desired.

Variation: Dough may be dipped in honey mixture then in chopped parsley, rosemary or other fresh, chopped herbs.

#### HONEY **ZUCCHINI BREAD**

#### 1 egg

1/4 cup honey 3 tablespoons vegetable oil

1 teaspoon vanilla

2½ cups all-purpose flour

- 11/2 teaspoons baking powder 1 teaspoon shredded orange
- peel
- 1/2 teaspoon each baking soda and ground ginger ¼ teaspoon salt

11/2 cups shredded zucchini 1/2 cup sunflower seeds

#### Yields 12 to 16 slices.

Beat egg slightly in large bowl. Add honey, oil and vanilla; mix well. Combine flour, baking powder, peel, soda, ginger and salt. Add flour mixture, zucchini and sunflower seeds to honey mixture. Mix until well blended.

Spoon batter into well-greased 9x5x3-inch loaf pan. Bake in 325 F oven about 1 hour or until wooden pick inserted near center comes out clean.

Cool 10 minutes in pan; remove from pan and cool completely.

#### APRICOT BUTTER

1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened

1/4 cup honey 1/4 cup finely chopped, dried

apricots 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon

peel

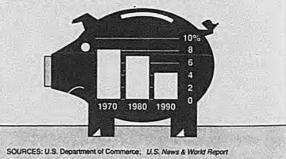
Yields about ¾ cup. Whip butter until fluffy; add remaining ingredients and mix well.

#### SMART MONEY

#### Personal savings rate is down

The American public doesn't seem to want to save any more than the federal government does.

Savings as a percent of disposable personal income





- HONEY OATMEAL COOKIES 1/2 cup hot tea
- 1 cup raisins
  - 2 cups all-purpose flour 11/2 cups quick-cooking
  - rolled oats 1 teaspoon each baking soda
  - and ground cinnamon 1/2 teaspoon each salt and
  - ground nutmeg 1/2 cup each shortening and
  - butter or margarine 1/4 cup honey

1 egg

- 1 teaspoon vanilla 1/2 to 1 cup chopped walnuts
- (6-ounce) package choco-late chips (optional)
- Yields 6 to 7 dozen.

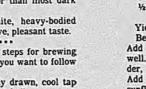
Pour tea over raisins; let stand at least 15 minutes. Combine flour, oats, baking soda, cinnamon, salt and nutmeg. Mix thoroughly; set aside.

Cream shortening and butter, gradually add honey until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Drain raisins; reserve ¼ cup liquid. Alternately add flour mixture and reserved raisin liquid. Stir in nuts, raisins and chocolate chips (if desired).

Drop by rounded teaspoonfuls 2 inches apart on ungreased baking sheets. Bake in 350 F oven about 12 minutes or until browned. Let stand 1 minute on cookie sheet; remove and cool on rack. Store in airtight container.







· Preheat your teapot by rinsing

· Pour boiling water over the



## Cubed steaks — uptown or down-home

#### By Melanie Barnard and Brooke Dojny

Cubed steaks, which actually are beef round steaks that have been commercially pounded to tenderness, are a boon for cooks on a time schedule since they need no trimming and cook in a flash.

Readily available, relatively inexpensive and lower in fat than most cuts of beef, these neat little steaks are truly tasty and extremely versatile as well!

Cubed Steaks au Poivre is uptown enough to serve to company, especially if you substitute some woodsy wild mushrooms for the domestic variety. Wild mushrooms are increasingly available in the supermarket, and nearly any kind you find will work well. Serve the steaks with rice pilaf

Serve the steaks with rice pilat or sauteed potatoes and a steamed green vegetable such as broccoli spears or slender whole string beans. Add some crusty French bread and end the meal with coffee ice cream topped with dark chocolate sauce for an elegant, yet very easy dinner.

Cubed Swiss Steak has made our families very happy indeed. Swiss steak was a favorite supper that had been relegated to weekends and special occasions because it took a couple of hours to cook. Now, with this cubed steak version, it has been moved back into the regularly requested weekday repertoire.

We originally made Swiss steak with round steak that we painstakingly pounded and tenderized with a mallet — we can't imagine how it took us so long to realize that commercial cubing did all that work for us!

Our new and updated Swiss steak recipe tastes much fresher since the vegetables cook only until tender to retain their flavor and bright color. As always, we think a Swiss steak dinner isn't complete without mashed potatoes to make good use of all that nice, tomatoey gravy.

TIPS

• Cubed steaks should be cooked quickly over high heat in order to brown and sear the exterior while leaving a juicy, flavorful interior.

• Do not crowd the pan when sauteing cubed steaks (or any meat or fowl) or the result will be steam-table gray instead of rich brown.

• Never discard those flavorful brown bits clinging to the skillet after a saute. Even if you don't plan to make a sauce, add a little water, broth or wine to the pan and stir over heat for a minute or two, then pour the juices over the meat.

CUBED STEAKS AU POIVRE 1 pound cubed steaks Salt 2 teaspoons cracked black peppercorns

2 tablespoons butter, divided 1 tablespoon vegetable oil

- 1/4 cup thinly sliced shallots
- 2 cups (8 ounces) sliced mushrooms (cultivated or
- wild or a combination) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> teaspoon dried tarragon
- 2 tablespoons cognac or

brandy 4 cup white wine

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation and cooking time: 15 minutes.

Sprinkle both sides of meat with salt, then use your fingers to press in peppercorns. Heat 1 tablespoon of butter and

Heat 1 tablespoon of butter and oil in large skillet. Saute meat over high heat for 2 minutes per side until browned with mediumrare interior. Remove to plate. (Depending on size of skillet, you may need to do this in 2 batches to avoid overcrowding pan.) Add remaining 1 tablespoon

Add remaining 1 tablespoon butter to skillet and saute shallots over medium heat for 1 minute. Add mushrooms and saute over medium-low heat, stirring often, for about 5 minutes until softened. Stir in tarragon, then add cognac and wine, stirring to dislodge flavorful brown bits in bottom of skillet. Simmer 1 minute, then return meat to pan and simmer, spooning mushrooms over meat for 1 to 2 minutes until meat is heated through.

CUBED SWISS STEAK

- 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper 1 pound cubed steaks
- 3 tablespoons vegetable oil, divided
- 2 slender carrots, thinly sliced
- 1 large onion, thinly sliced 1 large green bell pepper,
- thinly sliced 1 large rib celery, thinly sliced
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 teaspoon dried thyme
- 1 (16-ounce) can sliced stewed tomatoes with juices
- 1/4 to 1/2 cup water or wine, if needed

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 15 minutes. Cooking time: 20 minutes. Combine flour, salt and pepper

on plate. Lightly coat both sides of meat with flour mixture. Reserve any extra flour mixture.

Heat 2 tablespoons oil in large skillet. Cook meat over high heat for 1 to 2 minutes per side until browned.

## KITCHEN HINTS

#### Radishes were lost in the refrigerator They are dull and limp.

#### Here's how to revive them:

 Wash, trim and slice the radishes. Put them in a bowl and cover with cold water. In a hurry? Add an ice cube.
Retrigerate an hour or so and they will return to their original crispness.

3. Whole radishes will revive a bit, not as completely.

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## HEALTH WATCH

#### The 12-minute fitness test

Keep track of how fit you are by periodically walking or jogging for . 12 minutes, then use this chart to gauge the distance that you could cover.

DISTANCE	FITNESS
Less than 3/4 mile	Poor
3/4 mile to 1 mile	Fair
1 mile to 1 1/4 miles	Good
1 1/4 miles to 1 1/2 miles	Very good
1 1/2 miles to 1 3/4 miles	Excellent
More than 1 3/4 miles	Superior

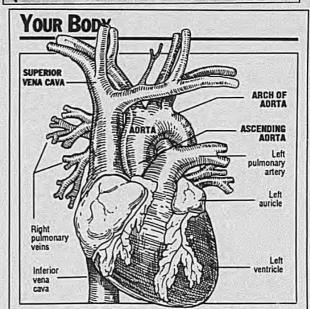
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#### **SUPERIOR VENA CAVA**

- WHAT: The superior vena cava sounds like a place for bats and giant stalactites, but it's one of the three great vessels of the heart. Superior vena cava (VEE-na KAY-va) is Latin for "big hollow vein." The trunk of this important vein is only about three inches long.
- WHERE: This vein starts just below the cartilage of the first rib near the sternum, or breastbone, goes through the outer heart muscle called the pericardium, and ends in the

upper portion of the right auricle, which is part of the right atrium, one of the four chambers of the heart.

- FUNCTIONS: The superior vena cava receives blood going from the entire upper half of the body to the heart. Then the blood is pumped from the right atrium to the right ventricle. From there it travels to the lungs.
- In the lungs, carbon dioxide in the blood is released and oxygen takes its place. This process allows oxygenated blood to be sent back through the heart to the rest of the body except the lungs.

## Here's How



## By Gene Gary Covering paneling requires patience

Q. I would like to wallpaper over a bathroom that has wood paneling that was installed at the time the house was built more

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than 20 years ago. How do I go about doing this? I have had a range of advice from stores telling me how to do this. Now I am confused.

A. You can apply wall covering over wood paneling and plywood. In addition to sizing wood paneling or plywood, the grooves of the paneling (or spaces between standard plywood sheets) should be filled with spackling compound or similar material and sanded smooth.

In some cases, paper can be successfully applied over wood paneling, even without filling the grooves; it usually depends on the depth and width of the grooves. The wider and deeper the grooves, the less chance there is for success

There is another option. Several manufacturers market products designed to cover walls with major defects - such as holes, major cracks, tears in wallboard, the roughness and unevenness of cement block and even the grooves of wood paneling - without prior spackling and wall re-

pair. In standard wallpapers, these defects would show through. A number of the cover-up products can even be painted over afterward if a painted surface is desired. Or you can use them as an underlayment for a more standard wallpaper.

Whether you decide to fill the paneling grooves or use a coverup paper as an underlayer for standard wallpaper, be sure that the product you select for the final finish is suited to the bathroom environment.

Vinyl papers are washable and can withstand moisture found in baths and kitchens. For durability, I prefer a product that is fabricbacked instead of paper-backed. These are harder to find and

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somewhat more expensive, but last longer.

For the products described here, I recommend you deal with a large, reputable wallpaper supplier. The products you want will be more expensive than some of the standard ones found in stores that carry limited stock or feature discount pricing.

If your paneling is a plastic laminate, not wood, be sure to consult your wallpaper dealer about the type of paste or glue required for successful adherence.

Q. Two years ago, I put down approximately 120 feet of usedbrick walkway in my back yard. I now find that because of moss and other foreign coverage, the brick, in areas of foliage or in shade, has become very slippery.

This condition has become dangerous. How can I cleanse the brick without using acid or other solutions harmful to adjacent foliage or structures?

A. Copper sulfate, also called bluestone or blue vitriol, is a chemical you can use to get rid of moss with a minimum chance of harming grass or garden plants nearby.

Sold at feed stores and some nurseries, it is available in powdered and crystal form. The powder is the easier to dissolve in water: mix one pound of it in 20 gallons of water and spray over the mossy areas. Copper sulfate

may appear to stain your walkways, but the color is easily hosed off.

For future protection, apply a good masonry sealer over the sur-face when it has thoroughly dried. It is best to leave the application of any sealers until you have several months of dry weather ahead.

Q. We have a small statue that was purchased in India. It is made of part marble and mostly alabaster.

I wish to clean it, but I do not know what to use. I do not want to damage it. Can you give me any advice?

A. To clean alabaster, rub the surface with a fine sand and water, until smooth. Then, for high polish, rub well with water and putty powder (oxide of tin) applied with a damp felt pad.

This requires considerable pa-tience and elbow grease but the results should be worth it.



#### By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Dr. Abraham: Your comments to a misguided girl from Baltimore who wrote in saying she had involve-ments with many "black guys" were wrong. Her father disapproved and she feit he was too prejudiced. Did you consider that the

father may not want his daughter to have the kind of relationship she mentioned with black, white, yellow or any other color person?

You did not address her problem, but condoned her actions by not addressing her promiscuity and opened it up to all your teen-age readers as a ra-cial problem. - Bili.

Bill: You raise a good point, and I'm glad to share it with other readers.

In her letter to me she said, "I don't judge them by their color, but my dad does." That comment related directly to race, and it was what I reacted to. It may be that her father also had other thoughts in mind. but her letter gave me no indication that he did.

Dr. Abraham: First, this is in response to a letter you received from Wendy of Stockton, Calif. She wanted to know what some favorites are of other teens. Well, I'm 16 years old, and my favorite mov-

ies are "Steel Magnolias" and "The Princess Bride." My favorite actress is Julia Roberts, and my favorite actor is Jim Belushi. Now I have a question. What do you think of long-distance relationships?

My boyfriend lives 45 minutes away, but I don't have a car. We saw each other quite a bit last summer, but during the school year it's only about once a month.

Sometimes I get frustrated because of the distance between us, but other times I'm glad I don't have a boyfriend around all the time to pressure me.

What do you think? -Kat

Kat: Long-distance rela-tionships can be satisfying and pleasant for some people, but frustrating and hard to accept for others.

Although you seem to be doing all right with yours, how is he handling it? If he is among the satisfied ones and manages to accept the situation, as you appear to be doing, perhaps matters can stay as they are.

If you or he wants to work out either more or less time together, then it might be worth having a discussion of how to manage that arrangement.

It's a bit hard for me to understand how you can retain a sound relationship with less time together

than once a month. Solving the issue of having more time may be handled by exploring some transportation possibilities; 45 minutes' distance may not be an impossible problem to handle.

Dr. Abraham: Thank you for responding to my letter about high school freshman girls' initiations.

The initiation this fall went ahead as planned, with the truckloads of boys and young men all turned out to watch. But this year was different. Only five girls participated because the parents wouldn't give their permission for the others to go through this awful experience.

Your help is so appreciated. - Freshman Girl.

Freshman Girl: It was good to hear from you again. I wondered what happened this time to the incoming freshman girls.

The kind of degrading, barbarous and sexist hazing you wrote about in your first letter described actions that are now well controlled or totally eliminated on most high school and college campuses.

They can be dangerous both physically and emotionally.

It is encouraging that parents have stepped in to stop this unpleasant scenario.

I hope that the freshman

girls' jumping jacks, jelly, honey, ketchup smears, scary truck rides, cold showers and toilet dunking, with senior boys hooting and whistling, are all in the past and in time completely forgotten.

Dr. Abraham: I'm so tired of seeing how careless people are with their old newspapers and food cans. Adults, I mean they're the ones who don't understand how this world of ours is in trouble.

In my own neighborhood I see big garbage cans down at the street where people who live in that house take them for the garbage service to pick up. They are often piled high with newspapers and aluminum cans.

I called the garbage company and found out that they dump all that stuff. It's like they never heard of recycling.

The company is wrong, but so are the people who are too lazy or too thoughtless to take such materials to where they can be recycled.

My own parents were just as dumb about all this until I told them what to do with it all. Now my dad and I take most of it to the collection boxes not far from home.

He and I feel pretty good about doing our share, and I've been able to get six friends of mine to do the same with their parents. It's not easy, but it's so important - and even fun, too, as a family project.

So, you other teens who haven't gotten with it, get. going before it's too late. Please don't wait. If we all move fast, and each get five or 10 families to join us, maybe we can roully help this be a better v id. - Jerry

Jerry: You can bet on its being a better world if the others you're appealing to "get going." It is teens like you on which our communities, country and planet depend.

Thanks for writing such a fine letter. Through the efforts of you and other concerned teens, we can make sure the future will provide the kind of environment you deserve.

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P/T SECRETARY NEEDED to job share. I'm a part time working mom who is a reliable self-starter. I take dictation, type do all general office duties in a busy uptown Manhattan Contracting office. Hours are flexible. Salary commensurate with experience. Call me at 516-248-2379. wn2

#### Help Wanted

LOVING RESPONSIBLE babysitter for 5 & 7 year olds in my home. Weekdays, late afternoons and evenings, and Saturday night. Own transportation, call 621-4232. wn3

LEGAL SECRETARY Four Attorney Firm, Garden City area, experienced, wordperfect, salary negotiable. Call Kathy at 747-1653. gcN2

CHILD CARE WANTED: Loving, responsible person for 21/2 year old girl and 61/2 year old sister. Two or three, flexible days per week. Some light housekeep-ing. Excellent salary. Top references necessary. 747-6443. gcN2

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ATTENTION VACATIONERS would you like to go away and know that your dog or cat is well taken care of? Mature woman who loves animals will give your pet lots of TLC. Fenced in yard. 352-9113. GCD4 GCD4

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transportation. Recent reference. Live out only. Would prefer Garden City, New Hyde Park or surrounding areas. 488-7368. gen3

HOUSECLEANER AVAILABLE Reference, own transportation, honest. Leave message (516) 334-2041. gcN5 gcN5

HOUSECLEANING EXCELLENT experience, hard worker, references. 481-0702. wn3

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#### Situations Wanted

HOUSECLEANING experience, references and own transportation. Available Monday to Saturday. 485-3511. gen4 RELIABLE HONEST woman seeks position as domestic experience and references. 546-4628. gcn4

HOUSESITTING SERVICE available: Young professional interested in housesitting in Garden City area. Seasonal or year round. References available. 746-0523. gcN1

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE available to care for your loved ones. Experienced with many Garden City references. 796-4034 gen3

NURSES AIDE WITH REFERence, wishes P/T work. Four hours mornings. Have car will do light chores. Call after 6 p.m., also will work weekends, 484-4321. wn5

ACCOUNTANT/FULL CHARGE bookkeeper. Experienced in all types of accounting and book keeping, payroll taxes. AR/AP, personal income taxes and Lotus 123. Need per diem work. Mon., Tues., Sat. Call Tom 352-3345. geN5

HOUSECLEANING AVAILABLE four days a week. Experienced and references. 481-7355. gcN5

HOUSEKEEPER TO CLEAN your house. References, experienced and own transportation. Call 248-5125. wn4

LOVING GRANDMA WILL babysit your preschool child in my Williston Park home, full or part time. References available. 747-6726. wn4

YOUNG LADY SEEKS LIVE-IN job. Mon.-Fri. References available. Housekeeping and babysitting. 718-774-6469 or, 718 282-8086. gcn4

MATURE FEMALE SEEKS live-in job doing babysitting/ companion. For more information call 718-919-2535 after 5 p.m. een4

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CLEANING LADY LOOKING to clean house in the morning or in the afternoon every day. Honest, experienced, have references. Please call 485-950 any time. gcn4

HOUSECLEANING AVAILABLE good references, own transportation. 352-8392. gcn4

HOUSECLEANING AVAILABLE Days, honest with own transportation, good references. Please call 483-4721, ask for Miriam. gcN2

AIDE TO CARE FOR ELDERLY Will cook, clean & shop. Own transportation. 354-6207. gcN2

FREE WINTER HOUSE SITTING Professional Engineer will watch your house free while you are away during winter. In return, he would like occasionally to stay overnight in your house during bad weather. 535-4383 (days). gcN2

#### Situations Wanted

HOUSECLEANING/HOUSE sitting available. Call 747-8439 for estimate. Good reference. Own transportation, own materials provided. gcN2

HOUSEKEEPING JOB WANTed for Fri. & Sat. References -transportation. 741-7750. gcN2

HOUSECLEANING POSITION wanted. Experience. Own transportation. Any day 538-9317.gcN2 NURSE'S AIDE FULLY EXPERI-

enced in hospital, nursing home and private duty, willing to take a long term case. Work hours 11 p.m. - 7 a.m. 510 an hour. References. 546-2521. gcJa1 LOVING MOTHER, EXPERI-

enced teacher will care for your child in my Williston Park home. 747-2183. wn2

EXPERIENCED HOUSE cleaner comes with references. For free estimates call Pat. 781-6017 after 3 p.m. hn3

HOUSECLEANING AVAILABLE 5 days a week. 2 years experience. Call Helen any time. 876-9725. gcn3

IRISH CERTIFIED NURSE'S aide available to care for sick or elderly days or nights. Call 334-3007 or leave message. gcn3

16 YEAR OLD HIGH SCHOOL Student with background of fine woodworking seeks work on Saturdays as a carpenter's helper. Have working papers & experience in roofing. I'm a really good worker. Just need someone to teach me while I work hard for you. Call Adam (516) 747-4861. gcn3

RELIABLE & LOVING mother will provide child care in my home full time or part time. Nutrious meals, references. 775-7440. gcn4

BABYSITTER: YOUNG Jewish grandma loves children. Responsible, experienced with references. Your home, Monday-Friday. Call evenings, 741-7673. gen4

SEEKING COMPANIONSHIP position with elderly - live out. Experience & reference. (718) 468-0141. gcN5

MOTHER'S HELPER Responsible 12-year old seeks weekend position as mother's Responsible 12 year old seeks weekend position as mother's helper/babysitter. Experienced with toddlers. Call 741-6705 eves. gcN5

SEEKING HOUSECLEANING position - any day. References and experience. 481-4896. gcN5

NURSE'S ASSISTANT with references. Light cooking and cleaning. Prefer 9-5. 292-3310 or 565-1817. gcN5

NURSE'S AIDE WITH qualified hospital experience will take care of your sick or loved ones. Nights preferably. 565-0558. gcN5

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#### **Real Estate For Sale**

GARDEN CITY ESTATES full ranch on exclusive Whitehall Blvd., 3 BRs, 2 baths, den, gas hot water heat, 5 min. walk RR, large plot, 746-1121 5425,000. gcn3

WOODBURY / SYOSSET School District. Expandable farm ranch on exquisite parklike acre. Good area for professional with ample parking. 4 BR with new heat, CAC, Central vac., elec., appliances, plumbing, sewers, sun room, decorating and more. St49,000, 367-4528 hN2

STEWART MANOR NORTH Prime location custom built Ranch 60 x 100 landscaped plot, attached garage, spacious rms throughout, 3 BRs (King Master) 2 baths, formal LR/fpl, fam. DR, ElK, plaster walls, hardwood floors, sprinklers. Walk to RR 5295,000. Exclusive broker. 775-2327. gcN2

REDUCED \$100,000 - OXFORD Bivd. Spacious Dutch Colonial, 5 BRs, 4% baths, entrance foyer, LR/fpl, fam. rm., office/nursery, FDR, huge mod. EIK, full basement, attached 2 car garage, large brick patio & more. Beautifully landscaped 1/3 acre in Garden City's prime location. Walk to both RR lines & all schools. \$895,000. Seller financing for qualified buyer. By appointment only. Owner/broker 248-2450. gcN1

PRIME REYDON CT., Southold, N.Y.: Two one acree lots, deeded and association approved, private beach plus boat slips and community marina, road and power completed, all approvals. Ready to build. Call 437-8520. gcN3

GARDEN CITY: SPECIAL Contemporary - Formal LR and DR, large EIK, party size family room, 3 BR, 2 full baths, 2 car. Walk RR. \$325,000. Owner 488-4583. gcn3 GARDEN CITY ESTATES 3 BR side hall Colonial. New EIK, 2 full baths, fin. bsmt., large LR & FDR. Taxes \$2600. Asking \$325,000. 248-2009. gcn3

WEST HEMPSTEAD - PRIVATE Entrance through English garden to lovely Studio. A full tiled bath, walk to all. Ideal for mature single. \$535. Days (2)2) 483-0824, Mr. Albert. Eves. (516) 538-0824, gcN2

WILL TRADE 10 ACRES, FRUIT trees, creeks, fixable house in North Carolina near Research Triangle Park, for home in upstate N.Y., New England, Rocky Mis., anywhere. Serious calls only. 919-542-5750. wN1

MALVERNE SCHOOL DIST 13 5 BRs, 2½ baths, Colonial, 25 years young. Mint condition, inground pool. 5290's. Owner 593-7021. gcn4 IF YOU ARE A PROFESSIONAL Check out the Professional Guide In this newspaper. For a low price of just \$10.50 per week you can get your message across to readers of all eight weekly newspapers we publish. Call today for more details. 931-0012

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GARDEN CITY SPLIT low taxes, convenient location, 3 Brs, 2 Baths, LR, DR, den, EIK, CAC, patio & 2 car. Community pool, extras. \$300's. Serious buyers only, Principals. 741-1686. gcn4

GARDEN CITY VICINITY Luxury townhouse located at the Atrium Plaza just 5 blocks from the Garden City Hotel. 3 BRs, 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> baths, EIK, DR, LR, fin. bsmt., laundry rm, outdoor patio, garage parking, CAC, security system, appliances. Owner has relocated and is pricing this townhouse for an immediate sale at \$219,000. Call us today at 717-296-2673 to discuss possibilities of financing, rental with purchase option, immediate possession, etc. Owner. gcN4

NEW HYDE PARK/STEWART Manor; Charming center hall Colonial, 3 BR, 1½ baths, new EIK, LR, DR, new heat and CAC. Walk to all \$249,000. 775-6193. gcN1

GARDEN CITY SOUTH Spectacular Brick Ranch customized 3 BR 1½ baths, fpl, night club fin, bsmt, \$259,000 by owner. 489-5640. gcn4

SHELTER ISLAND REDUCED \$55,000. Must sell. Bright, lovely, 7 room ranch. Quality throughout many extra features include stone fireplace, central air conditioning, skylight, professional landscaping. Excellent area. Peace & privacy. Low \$200's. All serious offers considered. Attractive owner financing possible. gen3 CARDEN CETX. 4 DR DAVECT

GARDEN CITY: 4 BR RANCH Mother/daughter of professional offices. Country Kitchen, 2 fpls, all amenities. 5650,000. Principals only. 747-7328. gen5

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NASSAU POINT - LOVELY Dutch Colonial - 3 BRs, 3 baths, LR/fpl, sun room, DR, Country kit., IGP, secluded i plus acre, beach rights. \$369,000. Southold-Meticulous Contemp - 3 BRs, 2 baths. LR/fpl, dining area, EIK, decks, boat rights \$219,000. Cutchogue Waterfront - Estate -Great, light & airy 4 BR, 3 baths Contemp. LR/fpl, large kit., lavish landscaping. Ideal for boating \$450,000. Marilyn Lang Realty 734-6690 or 734-6472. gcN2

NORTH FORK FREE LIST. Just printed greatly reduced prices on vacation & permanent homes - waterview, waterfront. Also lots & acreages. Just call Bookmiller Realty 722-4423. gcN2

\$10,000 DOWN/8¾% FINANCing/5 years. Southold - Wooded waterview acre. Borders wildlife filled nature preserve. Best offer over \$87,500. Real Estate Auction North Fork Properties. Call for list. Dempsey Associates Real Estate Auctioneers 734-6058. gcN2

GARDEN CITY MOTT Center Hall Colonial, 4 BRs, 1½ baths, LR/fpl, DR, new kit., den, plus fam. rm, with cathedral ceiling, Fin. bsmt., 2 car garage, oversized park-like plot. Mint. Principals only. \$475,000. 746-7507. gcn4

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GARDEN CITY WESTERN Maintenance free Fieldstone/ Brick 4 BR Cape. LR/FPL, Country kitchen, 3 full baths, finished basement/den. Large property, quiet street, inground sprinklers, private yard. Drastically reduced to \$339,000, 358-2749 gcN2

MATTITUCK - YEAR ROUND 2 BR Cottage, with deck & 2 car garage. Separate building lot included. Walk to private deeded bay beach. \$115,000, also for rent. Jin Gray Realty - 1-800-287. GRAY. WN2

ALBERTSON HERRICKS School District. 4 BR, den, 3 baths, EIK, finished basement, aluminum siding. Owner asking 3320,000. 621-3723. hn5

EAST WILLISTON STARTER 2 BR, LR, DR, 1½ baths, new windows, roof, Wheatley SD, low taxes. Move-in condition. Low \$200's. Owner 248-2379. wn3

GARDEN CITY ESTATES Brick Center Hall Colonial. 3 BR, 3 baths, LR/fpl, FDR, den bsmt rec.rm, screened porch, attached 2 car garage. \$400's. Owner 248-8425. gcn4

MUTTONTOWN: LAVISHLY redone, everything new, outstanding 4 BR Colonial on 2 former estate acres. Den/fpl, 20'x45' great room/stone fpl, in ground pool, cabana. Must be seen. \$849,000, 921-7675. gcn3

OLD WORLD CHARM: 3 BR Colonial. LR, DR, fin. bsmt., skylights, new gas heat, walk to RR. Low taxes. Principals only. Leave message. 248-1523, 5289,900. gcN2

GARDEN CITY COLONIAL: Charming 3 BR, 1½ baths, FDR, LR, mod. EIK, fam. rm with skylights & fpl. Low taxes, walk to RR. Principals. \$289,000. 742-4430. gcN3

MATTITUCK - YEAR ROUND 2 BR cottage, with deck & 2 car garage. Separate building lot included. Walk to private deeded bay beach. \$115,000; also for rent. Jim Gray Realty 1-800-287 GRAY. wN2

GARDEN CITY AREA: Cathedral Gardens, second floor Studio Co-op. Living/Bedroom combo, kitchenette, full bath, garage & laundry available, extras. By owner. Asking 545,000 481-5383. gcN5

GARDEN CITY ESTATES Tudor. Must be seen. First floor-LR/fpl, large FDR, 3 other rooms. Second floor- 4 BRs, 2 baths. Third floor- 2 BRs & bath. Double lot \$595,000. 248-7397. gcNS

GARDEN CITY FIRST SHOWing. Charming Dutch Colonial. Mint condition. LR/fp1, FDR, EIK, sun porch, 3 + BR, 1½ baths, low taxes, principals only. \$295,000. 294-8799. gcN5

ORIENT - FIRST OFFERING Historic registered 1701 residence. LR with bay window, FDR, country kit., plus storage rm., study, turreted hallway, 3 BRs. Large yard. Low taxes. \$195,000. Hahn Realty 477-0551. gcN2

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#### **Real Estate For Sale**

SOUTHOLD - GRACIOUS formality exists in this picture-sque 3 BR, 2 bath Cape, open fam.rm/kit, LR/fpl, lovely sitting area in loft plus 2 large BRs & bath, 2 car attached garage, 1/2 plus acre of trees & evergreens. Our exclusive \$235,000. Peconic -Spacious 5 yr. young Ranch in excellent condition on shy acre features Country kit/dining area, LR/fpl, fam. rm/wood stove. 3 BRs, 21/2 baths & large deck. Asking \$275,000. Nassau Point Waterfront - Magnificent wooded acre overlooking Peconic Bay - 3 BRs, 2 baths Contemp. Great rm/fpl, fin. bsmt. Asking \$350,000. Southold - Well maintained 2 BR Ranch on 1/2 acre in quiet area. Large enclosed porch, LR/fpl, EIK & attached garage. Realistically priced at \$142,500. Southold - Turn of the century 5 BR Colonial. Generous space for large family. Ideally located close to churches, school & town. Just reduced to \$186,000. Marion King Realty 734-5657. gcN2

GARDEN CITY & VICINITY: Estates - drastically reduced 3/4 BR C.H. Col., 3 baths, EIK, first floor den, fin. bsmt., 2 car attached. \$435,000. Young 3 BR "Spint, 277 baths; updated kit., fin. bsmt., den, covered patio. \$339,000. 60 x 126 4 BR Colonial, 2 baths, EIK, first floor BR suite \$299,000. 85 x 130 2 BR Colonial, EIK, attached 2 car. \$269,000. Cathedral Gardens/Hempstead: 115' x 115' landscaped lot, 4 BR Brick Cedar Split, 4 baths, 21' DR, skylite kit., den/fpl, fam, rm. office, central vac. \$325,000.3 BR Brick Colonial, 3 baths, CAC, EIK, fpl, gas heat, fin bsmt. \$275,000, 75 x 160 beautiful plot, 3 BR Brick Center Hall Col., 11/2 baths, fpl, fin. bsmt., sprinklers \$219,000. COUNTRY CLUB ESTATES: RELOCATION SPECIAL, COMPANY PAYS COMMISSION. 1/3 acre, plus 24 x 44 pool, 3 BR Slate roof Colonial, 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> baths, den, fpl, breakfast rm., 2 car walk all. (For Tudor Lovers) 4 BR turreted slate roof French Tudor, 21/2 baths, granite fpl., sunken LR, great wood details. Walk all. 2 car. \$259,500. 4 BR English Tudor, two plus two half baths, new EIK, den, fpl, Florida rm., skylights, new roof, all new windows, transferring owner. \$229,000. Handyman's Special 3 BR Colonial, 2 baths, fpl, 2 car, walk all. \$139,000. Elaine J. Nolan 485-7054 or 292-9749. wN2

NORTH FORK BAYFRONT Price reduced to \$249,900. Summer cottage on 3/4 acre with beautiful sandy beach & views galore. 4 rms & porch (can be expanded) at this below market price. See ASAP. Bookmiller Realty 722-4423. gcN2

GARDEN CITY SOUTH beautiful bargain contemporary, 7 rooms plus finished basement with bath, family room/fpl, modern EIK, 2 car. Maintenance free. Low \$300's. Edwin M. Keusey 747-1300. gen3

GARDEN CITY ESTATES Section - Side hall Col., 4 BR, LR/fpl, 3 i baths, EIK, FDR, den & sun room, fin. bsmt. Walk to train \$480,000. Principals only, 422-4575. gcn3

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MUST BE SEEN MUST BE SEEN all gas home, custom ranch, 100'x160' overlooking Garden City Golf Club, 'Pristine and private 4 BR, 2½ new baths, modern EIK, IR, FDR, den, basement designed for entertaining. 15' wet bar, pool table, grand fireplace, oversized 2 car garage, many extras. By owner (in the \$600's). 248-9246. gcn4 gcn4

HYPOLUXO FLORIDA between Boynton Beach & Lantana. Beautiful 1250 sq. ft. 2/2 villa. 18'x30' fenced patio, central A & H, appliances, cable, private community, walk to Intra Coastal Waterway + marinas, large heated pool, tennis, shuffle board, clubhouse. Low maintenance & no town taxes. Several re-sales available. An absolute steal for under \$65K. Children and small pets okay. Not ready to move yet? Okay too! Some units with good leases. We manage, no fee in year of sale. Oh yes, we live here too. For details, floor plan and information: H. Grett & Assoc. Lic. RE Broker, 513 SE 6th Ave., Boynton Beach, FL 33435. Phone: 407 364-0669. No collect

MATTITUCK - WINTERIZED starter house or summer retreat. 150 x 150 plot 1 story cottage with bunk house. 3 BRS, LR/fpl, new heating system, screened porch. 5 min. from L.I. Sound &/or Mattituck inlet \$120,000. Reply to R.J. Nelson, Box 524, Mineola, gcN2 NY 11501.

GARDEN CITY, N. "Desperate - Own 2 homes" N.E. Move in condition, Split level, 3BR, 2bath, cent. a/c, Alum. siding, patio, den. Best buy in town - \$299,000 (516)746-7281. gen5

GARDEN CITY VICINITY The atrium - 1 BR Condo, CAC, Washer/Dryer, large yard, free indoor parking. Maintenance \$110. Steal at \$107,000. 538-8380. gen2

**OWNER LOOKING FOR BUYER** 4 BR, hardwood floors, fin. bsmt., oversized garage. Very clean. Move-in condition. Low taxes. Call for appointment. \$167,000. 775-1192 or 481-8942. gcN2 gcN2

GARDEN CITY WEST spacious Colonial, 3 BRs, 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> baths, LR/fpl, FDR, spectacular kitchen/family room, bus service all schools, offers welcomed by owner. 488-5875. gcn3 gcn3

POCONOS TOWN OF Mountainhome. 30 minutes to Delaware Water Gap. Lovely 2 BR, maintenance free year round home. 10'X16' enclosed porch, prime residential area, near schools, stores and all recreation. \$380 taxes. Ideal starter or retirement home. \$65,000 negotiable. Have pictures. Call 354-5201. gcn4

GARDEN CITY PRIME Estates Section Split, 3 BRs, 2 baths, LR/fpl, FDR, EIK, paneled playroom & lower basement. Oversized 1 car garage, patio, 2 zone gas heat. Walk to schools & RRs. Low \$400's. Owner 747gcN4 3882. .....

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GARDEN CITY NORTHEAST Split - 3 BRs, 2 baths, new EIK, deck, LR/fpl, oversized property. Near shopping \$340,000. 741-7429. gcN5

HUNTING LAND IN COLUMBIA County, NY. Good for rod & gun club. 80 acres, year round stream, open & wooded. Limited access off state highway. \$150,000. 746-3406. wn2

OYSTER BAY - MACRE 4 BR Colonial. Great location, privacy, patio & yard. Bright, spacious rms. Must sell. Low \$300's. Mr. Grasso. 775-6035. gen4

MINEOLA - PARK SECTION: Legal two family. 4 over 5, fpl, carpeted, fin, bsmt., full attic, detached garage. 50' by 100'. Low taxes, good rental income. \$269,990. Principals. 746-3141. wn4

GARDEN CITY ESTATES 4 BR Colonial (North of Stewart Ave.) Brick with new vinyl siding, new windows & roof, CAC, gas heat, updated kit — baths, fin. bsmt., 2 car garge. Taxes \$4,500. Asking \$435,000. Principals ouly. 747-2794. gcn4

NEW HYDE PARK VILLAGE Custom 3 BR Colonial. Low taxes, walk to RR and stores. Large LR with fpl., large EIK, deck with hot tub, new windows and siding, new plumbing and electric throughout house. Many extras. Must see! \$225,000, owner 488-1318. wN2

..... GARDEN CITY MOTT Colonial - All new throughout. 3 Brs, 1 1/2 baths, large EIK, family room/FPL, LR/FPL, DR, 2 car garage \$395,000 (516) 746-5654 eves & weekends (212) 903-8862 days. gcn3

GARDEN CITY/HEMPSTEAD/ Condo. Best buy. Atrium - Plaza -200 Hilton private entrance, 2 BR, Galby kitchen, dining area, sunken LR, 1 bath, all appliances, includes washer/dryer, C/A/C, fully carpeted, indoor private parking. Owner 354-6502. gcn3

## OPEN HOUSE

OPEN HOUSE BY OWNER: Sat., Nov. 10 & Sun., Nov 11, 10-4 at the Atrium Plaza, 200 Hilton Ave., Hempstead - Unit #16. See details under For Sale and For Rent Garden City Vicinity -Luxury townhouse located at the Atrium Plaza. gcN2

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GARDEN CITY - NO MONEY Down 2 BR Co-Op, many extras. Central Loc/Spc. End unit 1st fl. -Modern kitchen w/appl. Lease. optin to buy at \$1,200 month with rent applied to purchase price. Move in before winter and get 80% tax break! Call owner 742-0359. gcn3

MINEOLA, HORTON HOUSE 1 BR, new bath, a/c, walk-in closet, low maintenance, live-in super. Walk to RR, courts, hospital. Owner \$99,000. gcN2 294-0924

GARDEN CITY CO-OP - 2 BR second floor unit. Center of Village. One block to LIRR & all shopping. Refinished floors, new windows. Owner \$149,000. 873gcn3 9469, leave message.

GARDEN CITY CHERRY Valley Co-op: Mint condition, 1 BR. first floor, new kit & bath, ceiling fan, wall to wall, walk to stores, LIRR, \$98,000. 294-7889. gcn5

GARDEN CITY CHERRY Valley 2 BR, first floor, garage, quiet scenic corner. Mint condition, 3 exposures, new ElK, washer/dryer, a/c, ceiling fans, dishwasher. Asking \$119,500. 746-1758. gcn3

2 BR CO-OP ON SEVENTH ST., Garden City. Best location in town. Low maintenance. Asking \$159,000. 294-9318. gcN2

GARDEN CITY: 3 BR CO-OP ON Seventh St. Oversized LR & DR, fpl, country EIK, 2 full baths, foyer, washer/dryer, a/c, new windows. Walk to RR, shops, Mint schools. condition. \$249,000. Call 742-1268. gcn3

GARDEN CITY 7th STREET co-op, renovated 1 BR, LR, new kitchen & TV room, 1 car electric door garage, \$120,000. 248-6512. gcn3

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MINEOLA - 2 BR, 2 BATH corner apartment. Oak floors throughout, 6 closets (2 walk-in). 2 parking spaces. \$98,000. Immdeiate occupancy. 80% deductible. 328-7068 or 747-7430. gcn4

GARDEN CITY - CHERRY Valley: First floor, 1 BR, private entrance, new kit, dishwasher, oak floors, walk to RR. Courtyard view. Maintenance 80% deductible. Reduced to \$96,000. Must sell. Make offer. 294-8066. gcN2

GARDEN CITY'S BEST 1 BR Co-op. New LR/DR, kit, bath, foyer, CAC, W/D, W/W baseboards, etc. Best 1st floor courtyard location. Prime for retiree/single/newlywed. Come see at your convenience. Asking \$104K. Principals only 742-3065. gcn2

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BEAUTIFUL 1 BR CHERRY Valley. New kitchen, newly renovated bath, best offer. Asking \$88,000. Owner, agent. first showing. 294-5121. gcn4 MINEOLA CO-OP GARDEN Plaza, 2 BR, 2 baths, fully renovated. 60% tax deductible, clean apt with extras. Walk to LIRR. \$139,000. Principals only. 746-5646. gcn4

MINEOLA: HORTON HOUSE 1 BR, large LR, secure building. Convenient to RR, hospital, stores. Must sell. \$89,000. By owner, 747-8711. gen3

#### **Real Estate For Rent**

**GARDEN CITY AREA - LUXURY** Apt. building. Large, 'bright-rooms. 1 BR apartment & den \$800. No fec 481-7745 or gcN2 489-3010.

ROOM FOR RENT: W. HEMP. lovely, cheerful room in excellent area for non-smoking, quiet student or working female. Share bath, kitchen privileges. \$59 per week. 292-0582. gcn3 gen3

GARDEN CITY/SUNNY 1/3 BR Apt. with Fpl, hardwood floors overlooking Stewart Ave. Excellent condition, \$1,050 plus utilities. Days (212) 713-3490 Eyes. gcN5 (203) 655-9587.

ROMMATE WANTED Garden City Apt. to share. Spacious & luxurious 2 BR. Prefer female, near RR, Rent \$600. Call gcN5 Lisa 742-2991. 

GARDEN CITY - HEMPSTEAD 2 BR Cathedral Gardens, renovated EIK, new windows Walk to all. Available immediately.Rent \$900.Option to buy. Call geN5 627-1019.

NO. LYNBROOK COLONIAL - 4 BRs, 2 baths, breakfast rm., mirrored wall, DR, gas heat, 75 x 150 fenced yard, garage, walk RR. \$1250 mo, Elaine J. Noain 485-7054 or 292-9749. WN2

MANHASSET BUSINESS OR professional office available for immediate occupancy. First floor 90 sq. ft. \$300 includes utilities & on premises reserved parking. 11/2 short blocks to Manhasset LIRR. Phone 627-6609. WN2

MINEOLA AREA - LARGE 5 RM Apt. 2 BRs, 1 bath, EIK, LR. Walk to RR & all. References. Immediate occupancy. 626-2762 or 928-7394. \$895 per month. WN5

FRANKLIN SQUARE - NORTH of Hempstead Tpke. 2 RM Studio Apt. with bath. Very clean. Separate entrance. Near transportation. \$550 per month. 354-9272. gcN5

GARDEN CITY STEWART Franklin building - Spacious 2 BR Co-op. LR/fpl, ElK, a/c. Walk to LIRR & stores. \$1,100 a month. Owner. 294-5696. gcN5

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PAGE **BELLEROSE VICINITY: 4 ROOM** apt. second floor, in private 2 family house. Young business 1990 couple preferred. References. \$650. Principals only. 718-November 9, 776-7475. gcn3 **GARDEN CITY 222 SEVENTH** St. 2 BR condo, completely renovated, new kit., new marble bath, wall to wall. \$1,550 per month. 742-8337. gcn3

TWO BRIGHT SUNNY furnished rooms. Complete LR, complete BR, private bath, no sharing. Walk to LIRR & bus. Non-smoker, business person preferred. Call 742-0520. wN5

GARDEN CITY: BRIGHT, spacious rm. with private full bathroom, private entrance. Two blocks to LIRR & stores. Parking on premises. Non-smoker. Female only apply. Call after 5 p.m. 354-8360. gcN2

FLORAL PARK FIRST FLOOR 4 rooms, newly painted, driveway walk to all. \$825 including heat & hot water. 741-4198. gcn3

GARDEN CITY - LOVELY, quiet, furnished rm. Private entrance, bath. Mature, non-smoker preferred. References. 746-0018. gcN2

'CARPETED, SUNNY ROOM Share bath. Kit/laundry priv-ileges. Cathedral Ave. Student or employed female, non-smoker. \$400 per month. 565-5068. gcN2

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WEST HEMPSTEAD: PRIVATE effitance through English garden to lovely studio. Full tiled bath, walk to all. Ideal for mature single. \$535. Days 212 483-0824 Mr. Albert. Eves 538-0225. gcn3

GARDEN CITY ROOM TO share - Kitchen, laundry, LR & Dining areas. Near RR. Professional business person preferred. References. 747-6420. gcn4 gcn4

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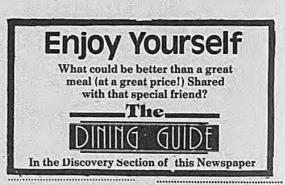


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Each of us has a personal path to the future, but for most Americans the path to and through the retirement years is totally uncharted.

Years ago, when the average longevity was 47 to 50 years, retirement was not a concern for most people. The then industrialized society retired workers at age 65 to an assumed time of rest - two years on average - before dying.

Today, though, a person at age 50 may expect to live another 30 or 35 years. If retiring at 65, an individual should look forward to at least 15 to 20 more years of life.

What we do with these years will depend on how well we have prepared for time, how well we keep ourselves healthy, and how we plan and provide financially for that future.

In my book, "Life Begins at 50: A Handbook for Creative Retirement Planning," I challenge readers to consider retirement as a new opportunity, something to move "to," as opposed to using retirement only to get away from daily employment.

The book's message and concept present how individuals can design, shape, plan for and effect their own future; because there is no master plan or program that fits everyone.

Personal considerations include desired changes in lifestyle, residence, career (even second and third careers), travel and recreation, relationships, hobbies and sports, and health. Charts are offered for consideration and design of individual retirement years. These are then used for reference in financial planning.

Another approach to retirement planning centers primarily on financial concerns, a concept advanced by New York-based financial planner Lawrence J. Kaplan, Ph.D., in the new, third edition of his book, "Retire Right Planning for Your Successful Retirement." This author/consultant recommends personal retirement planning should start as early as age 35 but for sure by 55.

His recommended process for retirement planning includes advice about pensions, investments, savings, home equities, insurance, Social Security, Medicare, tax law and estate planning. Kaplan holds his doctorate in

Kaplan holds his doctorate in economics from Columbia University and taught the subject at the City University of New York. He has served as an officer of the Welfare Fund, a pension fund for 15,000 New York City employees.

Kaplan applies formulas for financial considerations — the percentage of investment types (high risk to no risk), percentage of retirement income necessary (based on earlier earning levels), and the financial considerations of annuity, insurance and other prepaid programs. He offers charts and comparison recommendations on the range of financial concerns.

Author and newsletter journalist Peter A. Dickinsion takes yet a different path to retirement planning. He identifies and criticizes government actions that induce inflation, eroding the value of income from and the principal value of fixed investments. "Washington can turn your

"Washington can turn your \$250,000 nest egg into zero in less than seven years when combining the rate of inflation, increasing tax rates, and the possible reduction or removal of Social Security cost-of-living increases."

In The Retirement Letter, his monthly newsletter, Dickinson addresses retirement planning to include personal desires and directions, financial instruments and planning, and update observations on the financial and government concerns and overall personal/consumer defense methods

His books focus on where to retire in the nation and the world, personal wealth building, and discounts for seniors.

Reading for personal retirement planning may be likened to a new college education in scope in order to learn, adapt and implement the information and methods that best fit your personal desire, situation and direction.

Here is how to acquire the above publications:

 "Life Begins at 50: A Handbook for Creative Retirement Planning" by Leonard J. Hansen, is published by Barron's. Paperback, \$11.95 (ISBN 0-8120-4329-4), available through bookstores and libraries.

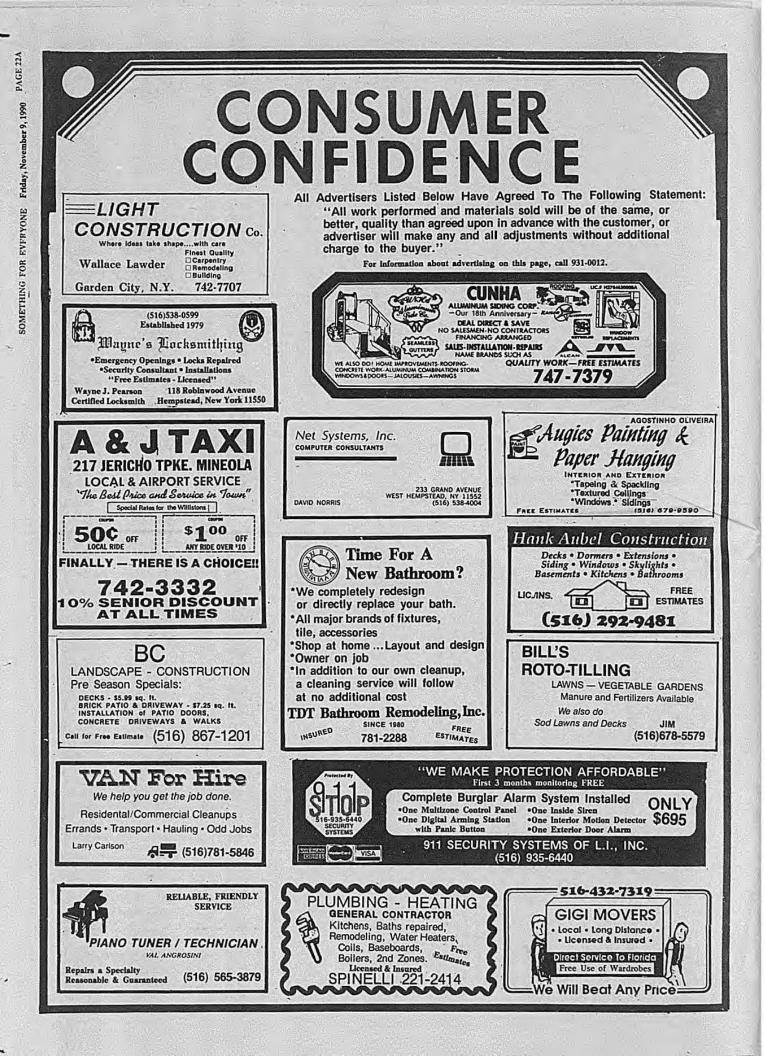
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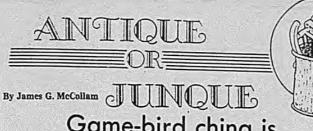
• The Retirement Letter, monthly newsletter by Peter A. Dickinson, is published by Phillips Publishing Co., 7811 Montrose Road, Potomac, MD 20854. Annual subscription rate for 12 issues, four special issues, and a bonus book, is \$49, payable on order to the publisher.

Your path to retirement is one of individual choice and direction. Reading of these and many other published resources may help you consider and create your own road map to your best retirement years.

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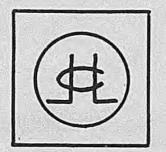
## Game-bird china is big with collectors

Q. Enclosed is a picture of a shallow bowl; it is 11 inches in diameter. On the bottom is "Coronet - Limoges, France." Does this have any value?



A. All china with pictures of game birds is collectible. Your bowl was imported by George Borgfeldt & Co. in New York about 1900. It would probably sell for about \$125 to \$135.

Q. I am familiar with most Limoges china, but the enclosed mark has me stumped. Can you identify the maker and give me some idea what a 45-piece service for eight would be worth?



A. This mark was used by Le-Grand & Co. The company was established in Limoges, France, in 1924 and was still in business a few years ago.

A 45-piece service for eight would probably sell for \$365 to \$385 complete.

Q. I have a cookie jar that features a black mammy and is decorated in orange, blue and green. It has a wicker handle.

Can you tell me when this was made and if it has any value?

A. This is classified as black memorabilia and was made during the bigotry of the early 1900s. It is collected as a part of black history and the struggle for equal-

ity. Your cookie jar would probable sell for \$300 to \$400.

Q. Can you tell me something about the vintage and value of a hen-cover milk glass dish marked "Westmoreland"?

It is diamond basket weave and is 8 inches long and 5 inches wide.

A. The Westmoreland Glass Co. was founded in Grapeville, Pa., in 1899. They are famous for their milk glass.

Your dish was probably made in the 1920s and might sell in the \$50 to \$75 range.

 Q. You have written about old calendar plates being valuable. What about just plain calendars? I have a 1904 calendar with 12 pictures of beautiful young

women painted by Charles Dana Gibson. A. Any early art by Charles

A. Any early art by charles Dana Gibson is collectible. A calendar such as you describe would probably sell for about \$300 in really good condition.

#### BOOK REVIEW:

"The Authorized Guide to Dick Tracy Collectibles" by William Crouch and Lawrence Doucet, Chilton Book Co., Radnor, PA 19089, \$17.95 plus \$2 postage, or at your local bookstore.

This will probably become the preferred guide book to Dick Tracy collectibles, but it also is fascinating reading to those who just want to browse through the history of the comic world's most invincible detective.

Send your questions about antiques with picture(s), a detailed description, a stamped, self-addressed epvelope and \$1 per item to James G. McCollam,





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#### By R.G. Elmore, D.V.M.

Q. Our 8-year-old dog's teeth are greatly discolored and his breath is usually foul-smelling.

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Is there anything we can do to prevent further teeth discoloration and bad breath?

A. Discolored teeth are usually caused by deposition of a substance called plaque on the enam-el surface of the teeth.

Plaque, which usually forms first at the gum margins, is produced by the combined action of bacteria, saliva, putrefying foodstuffs and digestive enzymes.

Once plaque is established, mineral salts are deposited on it from saliva. This produces calculus or tartar. The longer the condition is left untreated, the thicker the tartar becomes.

The most common cause of bad breath in dogs is the accumulation , of plaque and tartar. Plaque and tartar also lead to separation of the teeth from the gums and eventually tooth decay.

Although very important to the health of the dog, routine teeth care is often overlooked by many owners. Most teeth and mouth disorders can be prevented by yearly prophylactic dental cleaning.

Regular cleaning of the teeth with toothpaste, powder, mouthwash or antiseptic gel will help prevent tooth disease. How-ever, this is a chore that many dogs will not tolerate and many owners cannot discipline themselves to do regularly. The chewing of targe bones

seems to decrease the amount of plaque and tartar buildup. Dogs should be allowed to chew only on large leg bones. Small bones splinter easily and produce sharp pieces that can injure the mouth and digestive system.

Dogs chewing large bones too vigorously occasionally fracture teeth. Therefore, the dog should be observed frequently while chewing on bones. If chewing becomes too vigorous, the bone should be taken away from the dog. Most teeth and mouth problems

can be prevented by feeding proper diets and by regular prophylactic teeth care. Your veterinarian can give you additional advice regarding your particular dog's problem.

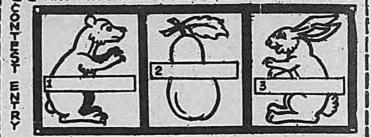
Q. Why do dogs with chronic congestive heart failure cough frequently?

Our 12-year-old poodle is on medication for heart failure. It seems to help her a lot.

A. The heart is not able to pump blood efficiently in dogs with chronic congestive heart failure because of changes in the valves between the chambers of the heart. The valves are no longer able to close completely. When this happens, the heart attempts to compensate by enlarging and pumping faster.

Dogs with chronic congestive heart failure retain fluids in their bodies. Excessive fluids accumulate deep in the lungs causing the dog to cough excessively.





## Aunt Tilly's Corner

Last week I told you about going to a farm to get pumpkins for Halloween. After Halloween was over and the pumpkins were getting soft we cut them open and took out all the seeds. They were slippery

and covered with orange strings of pumpkin. After washing and drying the seeds we put them in the oven to bake. Pumpkin seeds are crunchy and have a sort of nutty flavor. They are a good snack and are better for you than things like potato chips. Your friend.

Aunt Tilly P.S. This week's coloring contest winner is Patrick Casey.

RULES BOYS AND GIRLS

Here is your chance to win One Dollar. (\$1.00) - to spend or to save.

Here's all you have to do: 1. Costest is open to children 4 to 12 years of age. 2. Entries must be received by

Friday, November 16, 1990 3. Paint, watercolors and cray must be used on the above. 4. Decision of the judges will be final.

Mail your entry (just clip our cartoon) to this newspaper at: 105 Hillaide Avenue

Williston Park, N.Y. 11596

The World's Most Beautiful Grandchildren



This is our beautiful grandson John Michael Delahunty IV on his first birthday. He has brought so much joy to our lives. His parents are John and Dariene Delahunty of Middle Island. His proud grandparents are John and Cathy Delahunty of Williston Pari and Bill and Mary Ann Heffron of Ozone Park. YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

## Some children are eligible for SSI

#### By William M. Acosta

Q. I thought that the Supplemental Security Income program was for old people. Is it true that young children can also be eligi-ble? - S.W.

A. Yes. Children under age 18 who are disabled or blind may be eligible for SSI monthly cash pay-ments if they and their parents have limited income and resources.

Most children who receive SSI are developmentally disabled or have a serious birth defect. Children with AIDS, or children who are born with a drug addiction may also qualify for SSI. Call Social Security for infor-

mation regarding eligibility.

Q. I sometimes have difficulty expressing myself; I would like to have someone act on my behalf. Can I have anyone act as my representative or must the person be an attorney? - H.K. A. You can appoint any quali-

fied individual, and we will work with your representative to bring about a speedy decision on your claim.

You cannot appoint a firm, corporation or organization to represent you. You also cannot appoint a person who has been suspended or prohibited from representing Social Security claimants or who is otherwise prohibited by law from acting as a representative.

Q. If my mother decided to take reduced Social Security retirement benefits at age 62, wouldn't she be ahead a number of years? -MSB

A. Election of retirement benefits at age 62 permanently reduces the benefit amount by 20 percent. However, if your mother waited until she was 65 to get the full monthly benefit, it would take 12 to 14 years to make up the difference in payments that she didn't receive between ages 62 and 65.

Q. Is it possible that my wife, who needs kidney dialysis, might be eligible for Medicare? - F.O.

A. If you, your spouse, or your dependent child needs kidney dial-ysis or a kidney transplant, con-tact Social Security to apply for Medicare.

If she is eligible for Medicare, her protection will start with the third month after the month she actually begins maintenance dialysis treatments. Call Social Security for addi-

tional information.



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