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Fork Students Write Book



Several students from Mrs. Greene's class - Peter Lanzetta, Jacob Mathis, James Willie, Patrick Mullen and Neal George point to their favorite fish in the tank.

The sixth-graders in Mrs. Halpern's class and the second and third graders in Mrs. Greene's class at the Fork Lane School have pulled their knowledge and resources together and have successfully written a book entitled "Fish-tales."

Fishtales is the product of a study unit on animals and the Voyage of the Mimi. The idea was originally conceived by student

teacher Joseph Zeoli who worked diligently with the children. Fishtales contains several fictional stories about fish that the second and third graders told to the older students. The sixth graders then wrote the stories into a book which the younger students illustrated.

The students greatly enjoyed this learning experience as well as the opportunity to work with students in other grade levels.

Science Project Workshop

Learn the methods that scientists use to look at the world around them. This workshop may help you to organize your own science fair project, and solve the problems you might run into as you work on it. Each age group will work together on a single project/experiment that will stay at the museum.

Remember, it's on Saturday,

January 26, at the Hicksville Gregory Museum, in the Old Heitz Place Courthouse.

Ages 6 to 7 - From 1-2 p.m.

Ages 8 to 9 - From 2 - 3 p.m.

Ages 10 to 12, from 3 - 4 p.m.

The fee for this workshop is \$1.25 for both museum members and non members. Reservations are required because of space limitations and are confirmed upon receipt of payment.

Redeemer Honors Dr. Grant

In a worship service on January 13, followed by a reception at the congregation's facility, the myriads of friends and associates bid a tearful farewell to the congregation's beloved pastor of twenty-three years. Dr. Grant has problems with his health, which will limit his ability to sustain the rigors of a congregational ministry, and he announced his retirement late in 1990.

The officiating clergyman for the meaningful worship service was the Rev. Henry J. Wuerz, pastor of First Lutheran Church in Poughkeepsie. The Rev. Wuerz is a former member of Redeemer Lutheran Church, one of Dr. Grant's so-called proteges, and one of seven people who have gone into the Lord's service from Redeemer Church. "Hank" Wuerz is married to the former Corelle Krogmann of Hicksville.

Dr. Grant, the honoree has been a strong influence in the community on behalf of the homeless and hungry. He has headed the Ecumenical Counseling Center, was a professor at Yeshiva University, the Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Hicksville I.N.N. (the local soup kitchen with headquarters at Redeemer Church), and is a well-known and recognized authority in his field. Dr. Grant is also the Chaplain for the Hicksville Fire Department. The Grant family will continue to reside in Hicksville, but he will be sorely missed at Redeemer Lutheran Church.

Following the worship service, a reception was held to further honor Pastor and Mrs. Grant. Dr. Grant was presented with a suitably inscribed gold pocket watch, gold-plated keys to the church and accolades from his flock.

Nutritionist

At Beth Library

The Bethpage Public Library, 47 Powell Avenue, will present Jill Diaz, Nutritionist, on Wed., February 6, at 7 p.m. Treat your loved ones to heart-smart cooking by modifying recipes and making healthier substitutions. Examples will be prepared and served to the audience. Call 931-3907 or stop at the Reference Desk to pre-register.

Schools Superintendent Announces Retirement

By Maureen Traxler

In a joint statement, the Hicksville Board of Education and Superintendent of Schools Dr. Catherine J. Fenton announced last weekend the Superintendent's retirement, effective August 31, 1991. Dr. Fenton agreed to aid the Board in an orderly transition and to provide assistance in matters where her knowledge will prove helpful.

Board President Carole Wolf said that it is now up to the Board to "decide how they are going to go out to inform those interested that there is the position available." She gave several options; a national search; tri-county or local advertising, particularly through the New York Times; or seeking the services of a consultant. Mrs. Wolf added that, of course, anyone in-house is welcome to apply. Decision on the next step will probably take a couple of weeks, according to Mrs. Wolf.

Dr. Fenton said that she had decided to retire "for personal reasons." She expressed a desire to be home with her two daughters, 12 year old Stobhan and three year old Mary Ellen.

The Board of Education met in executive session Friday evening, January 18, and accepted the retirement of the Superintendent, who has two years remaining on her contract. Dr. Fenton agreed to serve as a consultant for five years, and a contract settlement was resolved which includes a stipend of \$30,000 a year over the next five years and a \$250,000 life insurance policy. In the consultative capacity, she will be a resource person on matters such as pending litigation and past practices.

In a telephone interview on Tuesday, Dr. Fenton remarked that she would feel a certain thrill with the graduating class of 1991, since those students were "my first graders in the district" when she was hired as Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Education, July 1, 1979. Prior to attaining that position, Dr. Fenton had worked in other districts as a teacher, a principal and a director of personnel.

Commenting on her greatest personal achievements, Dr. Fenton cited the elementary gifted and talented program which she termed "an exciting thing to have happen;" the institution of the Latin transfer program in grades 4-6; the improvement of student achievement in math through the implementation of the Holt Math system districtwide; the International Baccalaureate program at the senior high school which began three or four years ago with 10 children and has now expanded to about 30; the elevation of the music and arts programs and the vast improvements made in the drama program; and the strides made in raising SAT scores. At the urging of residents, the district was able to raise the benchmark of education at the high school to the Regents level. The old "standard" level program will be phased out of the district with the 1992 graduating class.

"In every circumstance," Dr. Fenton said, the district has tried to challenge its students, and in every circumstance, "they have met the challenge."

Director of Instruction Robert Durso said that it is her "overall approach" that marks Dr. Fenton's tenure. "Her emphasis is goal orientation," adds Mr. Durso, and she would work at achieving her goals, particularly through increased staff development and work for students via curriculum and textbooks. He continued that the initiation of the Excellence and Accountability program reflects her attitude of setting goals and being held accountable to achieve those goals.

Two major issues brought to fruition during Dr. Fenton's tenure, noted Mr. Durso, were the full implementation of the State Education Department's Regents Action Plan increasing diploma requirements and the monitoring of the transition of the Junior High School into a Middle School and the establishment of a 4-year High School. Furthermore, the administrator credited Dr. Fenton with the initiation of the elementary in-depth study program, now known as the Academic Enrichment Program, which now has been extended to after-school workshops at the Middle School. The elementary pullout program and the Middle School workshops successfully mesh the interdisciplinary approach to education. Mr. Durso also gave high marks to the Music Program, citing the all district concept on the elementary level where a burgeoning number of students elect to become involved.

In the area of further education, Mr. Durso noted that the percentage of graduates going on to further education in 1984 was 73%, whereas Hicksville graduates have now achieved the high mark

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Editor's Notebook

It might be a good idea to begin the new year by checking your home for potential fire hazards. Each year, residential fires claim the lives of almost 5,000 Americans; tens of thousands more suffer injury from burns and smoke inhalation.

Here are a few thoughts on the subject of fire prevention:

- One leading cause of home fires is the misuse of improper installation or maintenance of heating equipment such as fireplaces, portable heaters, wood stoves, and chimneys. Portable heaters and wood or coal stoves must be located at least three feet from combustibles, including clothes, furniture and newspapers. A fireplace screen can prevent sparks and embers from leaving the fire chamber and possibly igniting home furnishings.

- More fire deaths result from the careless use of cigarettes, cigars, and pipes than any other single cause. Smokers should exercise extreme caution in the use and placement of smoking paraphernalia. Matches and lighters should always be kept out of the reach of children. A lighted cigarette can smolder unnoticed for hours in upholstered furniture before bursting into flame. Use large, securely placed ashtrays, and NEVER smoke in bed.

- Be sure that electric outlets are not overloaded. Electrical cords and plugs should be replaced if cracked or frayed, and they should never be placed under rugs or across doorways.

- The National Fire Protection Association reports that cooking fires cause more injuries than any other type of home fire. In the kitchen, keep the stove free of grease; refrain from wearing clothing with loose sleeves that could come in contact with cooking flames; and never leave cooking unattended.

- Most of all, remember that smoke detectors save lives. Detectors should be placed outside each sleeping area and on every level of the home near the living areas, where most fires start. In the basement, a detector should be placed at the bottom of the stairway or doorway. Check frequently to ensure that they are operational.

Robert L. Morgan

Flea Market/Bake Sale

The Youth Group of the Lutheran Church of St. Stephen, 270 S. Broadway, Hicksville, will hold a Flea Market/Bake Sale on Saturday, February 2, from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. with the proceeds going to the Church Building Fund. Sale will be in the lounge directly under the church. For further information, call the church office weekdays 9-12 at 931-0720.

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Musical Recital At Plainview Library

A musical recital by accomplished pianist Lawrence Schubert will be conducted at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library on Sunday, February 3, at 3 p.m., according to Oyster Bay Town Councilman Douglas J. Hynes.

The library is located at 999 Old Country Road in Plainview.

"Lawrence Schubert has appeared as a recitalist around the world, meeting with critical acclaim everywhere he goes," Town Councilman Hynes said. "After four major New York recitals, the 'New York Times' hailed him as a 'superior pianistic talent' and 'a patrician musical talent'."

Mr. Schubert has established a firm local reputation, giving approximately ninety Long Island performances, including appearances at twenty different public libraries throughout the Island. "Mr. Schubert is also known as a teacher of distinction, maintaining an extensive practice at his home in Centerport," Town Councilman Hynes added. "He is also active on the faculty at Molloy College."

Town Councilman Hynes noted that the "Distinguished Artists Concerts" series is being sponsored by the Cultural and Performing Arts (CAPA) Division of the Town's Department of Community and Youth Services and are being offered free to residents of the Town of Oyster Bay.

Support Group For Oper. Desert Storm Families

To assist families in the community with relatives in the service, a weekly support group will be held at the Mid-Island Y Jewish Community Center, 45 Manetto Hill Road in Plainview, beginning Tuesday, January 22, from 8 - 9:30 p.m. The group is being held in conjunction with the Emergency Services Division of the Nassau County Chapter of the American Red Cross of Mineola.

For more information, please call Esther Marks, M.S.W., Dir. of Family Services, at the Mid-Island Y Jewish Community Center, 822-3535, or Pam Connell, M.S.W., Dir., Emergency Services, Nassau County Chapter, American Red Cross at 747-3500, ext. 224.

NOTICE

HAVE YOU A HIDDEN TALENT that has yet to be discovered in print?

We are looking for articles, 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.

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of 85% continuing on to further educational institutions, as reported in the most recently issued Comprehensive Assessment Report (December 1990).

Calling Dr. Fenton's retirement "a big loss for the school district," Board Trustee William Bennett portrayed Dr. Fenton as "demanding," in adhering to the educational goals and structure in the district. Mr. Bennett gave her high marks in the educational area. He said that the administrative staff worked together as a team, and that Dr. Fenton always seemed "open" to parents and members of the community. "Dr. Fenton was flexible; if the Board didn't want to pursue something, she just stopped it," added Mr. Bennett. "She had a deep interest in the Board of Education conferences on the local, state and national level." Mr. Bennett was a newly elected member to the Board when Dr. Fenton was hired.

During Dr. Fenton's 12-year association with the district, Hicksville's student population was changed greatly. When Dr. Fenton was hired as Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Education, there were 6,880 students enrolled. At the time she became Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services in September 1982 the population had decreased to 5,617. In January 1983, Dr. Fenton stepped up to the Superintendent's position upon the retirement of Dr. Wilbur Hawkins. The student population in the Hicksville schools, as of January 1991 stands at 4,470, up from the district's lowest population in 1989 of 4,395.

Supervisor of Foreign Language Donato Guadagnoli notes that in the five years he has been employed at Hicksville the number of ESL (English as a Second Language) students has increased from 50 to over 220. Mr. Guadagnoli characterizes Dr. Fenton as "very sympathetic to the plight of the foreign-born families" and "a visionary in terms of where our needs should be felt."

Computer use in the classroom has mushroomed throughout the district during Dr. Fenton's tenure. At present, the computer program has expanded from the elementary to the secondary level. Computers are in use not only as an educational tool, but also as an informational network, particularly in the upper level. The district now boasts a computer ratio of one per 14 students, with a goal of one computer per ten pupils.

Dr. Fenton has also overseen the establishment of a pre-school special education program housed at Dutch Lane School.

The full text of the joint statement issued by the Board of Education and Superintendent Fenton follows:

Dr. Fenton has indicated to the Board of Education her desire to retire, effective August 31, 1991, after 12 years of service to the district. Dr. Fenton has agreed to serve in a consultative capacity to the Board of Education to ensure an orderly transition and to provide assistance in matters where her knowledge will prove helpful to the district. The Board of Education wishes to acknowledge Dr. Fenton's contributions toward achieving educational excellence and to offer her congratulations and good wishes in her contemplated retirement.

Right Around Home

By Maureen Traizer

For most youngsters, sports plays a strong supporting role in the game of life and adds to the development of a well-rounded and physically fit individual. Hicksville has always been fortunate to have volunteers to instruct, coach and encourage our young people to strive for their best game.

There was a small group of parents who, for some time, were contemplating a way to help promote athletics in general in the school district, and so, they banded together in the early fall 1990 to put their "thoughts" into "action."

The reality of austerity "magnified the need to get going," says the group's president, John Walker. It seemed the financial problems that beset the district may preclude the awarding of some time-honored and traditional awards. The highlight of the athletic career of many students is receiving their "letter" or, for seniors, the plaque which enumerates their athletic associations.

These concerned parents, many Hicksville graduates, formed the Athletic Booster Club, and they began to work closely with the district's athletic supervisor, Patrick Pizzarelli. Booster members have helped the Athletic Department collect individual donations for the various sports during sign-up periods.

The club's goal is to raise funds to support students' sporting endeavors. To this end, members sell sodas as a mini-fundraiser at games, and the group held its first full-blown fundraiser just two weeks ago, a dance for members and their friends. Other fundraising events are on the drawing board.

The club boasts 200 members to date, but nevertheless, has begun a membership drive. The nominal fee of \$10 ensures you a membership card. Requests for membership should be directed to the Athletic Booster Club, c/o the Hicksville Senior High School Athletic Department. Organization, business and corporate memberships are also available and are acknowledged through a certificate or plaque.

Youngsters in Hicksville's secondary school sports program are now in the winter schedule, but spring is not long in the offing.

Student Wins Poster Contest



Elaine Chow, a 10th grade student at Hicksville High School won the Grand Prize in a Poster Contest sponsored by the World Trade Center and by Mr. G and the CBS News Team. Miss Chow also finished in first place for her age group. As the grand prize winner, Miss Chow will have her poster printed and distributed throughout the World Trade Center. She will also have a tree planted in her name and will be awarded \$200 for first place. Her poster, adhering to an environmental theme, is a picture of the earth in the form of a jigsaw puzzle with several pieces - the sun, a flower, a bird - falling out.

Student Appears On News Program



Chris Munson

Chris Munson, a 12th-grade student at Hicksville High School, recently appeared on a government news program, hosted by Assemblyman Fred Parola on Cablevision. Mr. Munson joined two other students, seniors from Island Trees and Seaford High Schools, for the half-hour question and answer program. Topics included school budgets and state funding for education, taxes, transportation, and the environment. The students had an educational and enjoyable discussion with Mr. Parola, and were asked to return for a follow-up program sometime in April or May. The January 7 show aired on January 17 and 24 at 5:30 p.m. on Channel 10.

Birth Announcement



Andrew John Branigan

Andrew John Branigan, born January 19, 1990 celebrates his first birthday, wishes from his proud grandparents, Jean & John Quinn, of Levittown, and Maureen & Jack Branigan of Effort, Pa., formerly of Levittown. Proud parents are Jean & John Branigan also of Levittown.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice Is Hereby Given that a resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Hicksville Fire District, Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau, State of New York, on the Twentieth day January 1991 subject to a permissive referendum, as provided for by Sec. 6-G of the General Municipal Law.

An abstract of the resolution is as follows:

The Hicksville Fire District maintains a Capital Reserve Fund under Sec. 6-G of the General Municipal Law in which account there is sufficient funds to accomplish the purpose herein set forth, namely,

One Chief's car, two Fire Police Step vans, one enclosed trailer, and one "B" Truck and all vehicles are to be complete with related warning lights, instruments, radios, and all required equipment to make the vehicles service ready. Included in this resolution is all the legal and clerical fees necessary for the purchase of said vehicles as well as any inspection trips needed during

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the manufacture of said vehicles.

The resolution further provides that there be transferred from the present Capital Reserve 6-G Fund of the Hicksville Fire District not to exceed Two hundred eighty thousand dollars (\$280,000) and the District Treasurer is authorized to effect such transfer.

The resolution shall not take effect until February 25, 1991 unless in the meanwhile, a permissive referendum as provided for in Sec. 6-G of the General Municipal Law is required to be held.

Board of Fire Commissioners
Hicksville Fire District
Dated: January 20, 1991
Attest: John Knight
District Secretary
MIT 2426
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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed Bids will be received by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Hicksville Fire District, 20 East Marie Street, Hicksville, New York, until 3 p.m. prevailing time, Feb-

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ruary 22, 1991 for the following: Exercise Equipment for Station Four.

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

Board of Fire Commissioners
Hicksville Fire District
Dated: January 10, 1991
Attest: John Knight, District Secy.
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Association Honors Founding Pres.

On February 12, The Alzheimer Association-Nassau/Suffolk Counties Chapter will honor Mrs. Ellen Tolle, founding president of the Association. The "Ruby Royale," the Association's first annual dinner dance at the Crest Hollow Country Club in Woodbury is chaired by Princess Yasmin Aga Khan, and supported by a host of celebrities.

During her past seven years as President of the Alzheimers Association, Mrs. Tolle has worked diligently to increase public awareness of the needs of Alzheimer patients and their families on Long Island. While President, she saw the chapter grow from a handful of caregivers meeting in each other's homes in 1982, to a bi-county organization

with offices in Hicksville and Bellport. The Association serves the over 30,000 individuals diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease on Long Island and their families.

This past year, Mrs. Tolle was honored by the National Association of Social Workers as Citizen of the Year. Mrs. Tolle received the Nassau Division "Citizen of the Year" award in recognition of her outstanding commitment to providing a system of services for individuals and families suffering from Alzheimer's Disease.

Proceeds from the dinner dance will support services and programs sponsored by the Association on Long Island. For ticket information and reservations call 624-8830 or 286-8497.

K. Of C. 'Free Throw' Basketball Competition

On Sunday evening, January 13, the Joseph F. Lamb Council No. 5723 Knights of Columbus, Plainview/Hicksville, held a "Free Throw" Basketball competition. The competition, which is part of the K. of C. Council, Dist. Regional and eventually state-wide competition, was held in Our Lady of Mercy Gym in Hicksville. Fifty-nine boys and girls, from Our Lady of Mercy Parish, ages 10 through 14, took part in the competition. This competition, sponsored by the Joe Lamb Council, was to select winners in the competition who will represent the Joe Lamb Council as they compete in further eliminations.

The "Free Throw" basketball competition works as follows: Winners of the Council competition in the 10 year old class; 11 year old class; 12 year old class; 13 year old class; and the 14 year

old class - go on to further competition at the District Level. (They will compete with winners from two other Councils in the District.) Then the winners go on to compete at the regional level. Then finally the surviving winners will compete at the top New York state level.

The winners of the January 13 competition who will represent the Joe Lamb Council are as follows:

10 year old class-boys - Brian Anello; 10 year old class - girls - Susanne Keilly; 11 year old class - boys - Michael Logan; 11 year old class - girls - Laurie Blair; 12 year old class - boys - Brian Jingeleski; 12 year old class - girls - Maureen Jingeleski (brother and sister).

The winner of the 13 year old class - boys was Michael Keilly. There were no girls competing in the 13 year old girls competition.

Troop 3548 Christmas Party



Girl Scout Brownie Troop #3548 of Lee Ave. had their Christmas Party on December 17. We had a surprise visit from Santa Claus. Top left to right: Mrs. Fitzgerald, Santa Claus, Bridget Healey, Kathleen Hyde, Angela Hildenbrand, Mrs. Leary, Meghan Assante, Jennifer Bulkley, Jessica Sakz, Allison Watterson, Amanda Roche, Theresa Fitzgerald, Monica Leary, Jennifer Trahan, Alexis Gabriel, Catherine O'Brien, Kristina Lepardo, Emily Gramaglia, Meagan Picardi, Janice Finn, Markella Szakille, Johanna Rizuto and Heather Kaplan (Ooops! Try your hat on later, Heather).

The winner of the 14 year old class - boys - was Dan Marciano. No girls competed in the 14 year old girls competition.

The winners of the Lamb Council "Free Throw" competition will be presented with special "Certificates of Achievement" at the Lamb Council meeting on Thursday evening, February 21.

The Chairman for this "Free Throw" competition was one of the newest Knights of the Lamb Council - brother Pat Anello, who did an outstanding job. He was well supported with help from other brothers from the Council, including our Grand Knight, Josef Ort.

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Spanish Dance Company To Perform



The high-spirited folklore dance of regional Spain, will be performed in all its majesty and gaiety at the Hicksville Public Library on Sunday, Feb. 10, at 3 p.m., according to Oyster Bay Town Councilwoman Ann R. Ocker.

The library is located at 169 Jerusalem Ave. in Hicksville.

"Sol y Sombra presents Spain's rich mosaic of dance, music and song to its audiences, tempering dramatic expressions with sharp control and exacting technique," Town Councilwoman Ocker said. "The groups talented dancers and musicians evoke all the feelings of passion synonymous with the traditional music of Spain."

The company's repertoire en-

compasses Spanish Classical dance, energetic folk dancing and the rhythmic excitement of gypsy Flamenco dancing. "Sol y Sombra also utilizes rich traditional costuming to bring the entire event to life," Town Councilwoman Ocker added. "The troupe lets the audience experience first hand many of the vibrant and exciting aspects of Spanish Culture."

Town Councilwoman Ocker noted that the "Distinguished Artists Concerts" series is being sponsored by the Cultural and Performing Arts (CAPA) Division of the Town's Department of Community and Youth Services and are being offered FREE to residents of the Town of Oyster Bay.

Historical Society Seeks Information

The Hicksville Historical Society would like to know ... do you have a really old house? Has your family lived in Hicksville for several generations?

The newly formed Hicksville Historical Society is dedicated to investigating, preserving and chronicling information about Hicksville's beginnings and development. In that pursuit, we are asking the families of long time residents to tell us about their families' histories in Hicksville. When (and how and why) did your family first settle in Hicksville? Where in Hicksville did they live? Where did they emigrate from? What did they do? Do you have any old photos or other memorabilia that you would like to share with us? (We would make photostatic copies and return the originals immediately).

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Name of present owner.....

Date home was built.....Name of Original Owner (if known).....

Names of any other owners before you.....

Please mail information to: The Hicksville Historical Society, P.O. Box 443, Hicksville, N.Y. 11801.

Bethpage Woman Manages Forum

The American Heart Association of Suffolk County recently conducted a workshop, for area teachers under the auspices of the Grumman Partners in Education Program. Partners in Education seeks to foster and enhance educational opportunities in community schools.

The program is managed for Grumman by Roseann Smith of Bethpage.

The workshop was held in the company's headquarters theatre and was attended by 60 educators. During the conference, speakers from the Heart Association addressed lifestyle issues, such as diet, smoking and exercise, faced by today's students. Kits containing lesson

plans and suggested activities were also provided to help teachers promote a heart-healthy lifestyle.

"Grumman's support helped us to reach more teachers than otherwise would have been possible," says Maureen Fasanaro, a Suffolk County American Heart Association Specialist. "We've found most habits are established early in life and become difficult to change as time goes by. So it's important to reach school-age people and to send the right message. We received very positive comments from the teachers, and everyone at Grumman was extremely helpful making our conference a success."

Teens Needed By Youth Council

The Employment Program at the Hicksville Youth Council is looking for teens ages 14 to 16 to work in the residential community of Hicksville. The Rent-A-Kid program places teens in "odd jobs" in local homes. Jobs consist of: babysitting, lawn work, shoveling snow, plus many others. These teens are paid extremely well for their services. If you are interested in earning some extra money, call Cheryl at 822-KIDS to set up an appointment.

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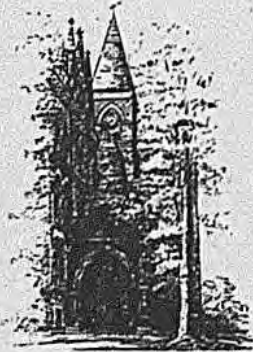
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Each athlete spoke candidly about the loss of a leg and how it affected them physically as well as mentally. Mr. Oehler was only three weeks away from signing a professional soccer contract while Mr. Schaffhauser had hopes of playing football professionally.

With an upbeat attitude, both athletes encouraged the students to keep striving towards their goals regardless of the challenges they may have to face in life. "Failing is only a stepping stone to success," stressed Mr. Oehler.

Mr. Oehler and Mr. Schaffhauser have worked extremely hard to fulfill their dreams and goals. Each athlete is currently the fastest track runner in each of their respective categories, below the knee amputees and above the knee amputees. Amazingly, they probably both run faster than the average person. For example, Mr. Oehler is only 1.8 seconds slower than Carl Lewis. "Shoot for the moon when setting your goals in life," Mr. Oehler explained. "And remember, if you miss you're still going to be among the stars."



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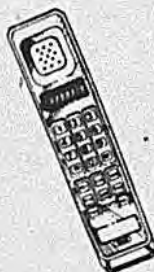
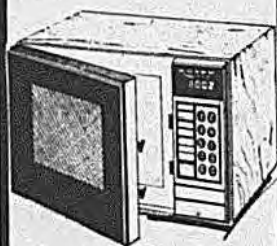
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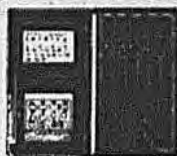
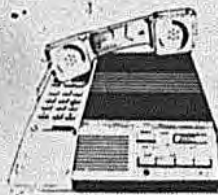
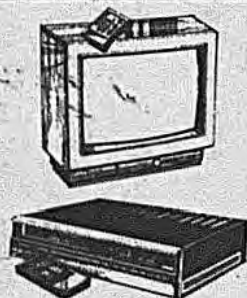
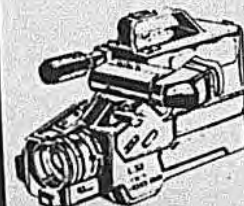
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Electronic gizmos for the office

WORKING WIZARDS

By Monica Perez

We saved for months, and when Christmas arrived, we were finally able to buy our dad that most wondrous of inventions: the pocket calculator! For \$50 (the least expensive model we could find), he could throw away his slide rule forever; in rushed the 21st century.

Hard to imagine now. Harder still when you shop the unbelievable array of technological accessories that have become available to us in the 20 years since. And every few months they let loose a few more updated models!

Take a look — this is only the beginning.

ONE PLUS, TWO PLUS

Each of us needs a calculator; do they even teach kids how to divide anymore?

Every calculator has its special bells and whistles; the questions you need to ask are what will you be using it for, and how much desk space do you have? Because you can combine several gizmos into a single package.

For instance, Sharp's Memo Master calculator (model EL-6061H) offers not only mathematics, but a memory capacity of 120 items that can be stored in the form of names, phone numbers, bank account numbers and currency conversion rates. A schedule function provides a quick reminder of events, dates and times. All this for around \$30.

If you just need math, Sharp's wallet models cost less than \$10.

For desktop mathematics, Canon's 12-digit MP22D has a display and a printout, and prints in black for positive numbers and red for negatives. More importantly, perhaps, the blue fluorescent display is designed to minimize eyestrain; a retractable stand saves your neck and shoulders.

ders.

Fancier still, Seiko Instruments' MultiPower 4 Telephone Directory/Spell Checker/Thesaurus/Calculator all but bags your lunch. This is a space- and time-saver; it automatically alphabetizes up to 50 names and phone numbers, contains word lists based on the American Heritage Dictionary for spell-checking of up to 75,000 words, holds 154,000 synonyms for 13,000 words from Roget's II: The New Thesaurus, and does your calculations.

Texas Instruments offers a calculator specifically for the financial investor, the TI Financial Investment Analyst. Its worksheets include time-value-of-money, amortization, cash flow, bonds, depreciation and statistics.

GETTING ORGANIZED

Electronic organizers are the next step up. Forget writing appointments in your paper calendar. Now you input them in your "scheduling system."

For instance, Casio's newest is model SF9500 of their B.O.S.S. line (Business Organizer Scheduling Systems). It offers a business card

library (company name, title, fax number, etc.), a separate telephone directory, a memo function, a schedule function with timetable display (hour-, day- or week-at-a-glance), schedule alarm, calendar display to the year 2099 (now that's organizing!), world time function for 219 cities, and an optional link system to hook it to your IBM PC or Macintosh computer. And it's about the size of a cigar box.

And you can add functions like memory expansion, dictionary, financial/legal and medical spell-checker.

Whew! How did you get along without it? Well, now you also need an electronic filing system. Canon now offers the first high-speed, high-capacity electronic fil-

ing system designed as a compact desktop unit. The Canonfile 250 disks can store up to 6,500 letter-size pages per disk side; a built-in scanner scans up to 40 letter-size pages or 120 checks per minute! Getting this compact will run you around \$14,500.

AND NOW THE FUN

Really, you can justify any desktop accessory as totally necessary to achieve the maximum efficiency possible for your job. Right?

Here are some more to justify. Seiko Instruments manufactures translator tools that, on first thought, seem appropriate for travelers alone. Actually, consider making a proposal to a company based in France; though you can't speak the language, you sprinkle in a few French adjectives. You've made an attempt, and it's appreciated.

The newest, the Seiko Multi-Language Translator, translates between English, French, Spanish and Japanese; the Japanese displays phonetically in the English alphabet, and Romaji, the Japanese phonetic character set.

Wordsmiths who tire of constantly looking up definitions and spellings can greatly appreciate the Texas Instruments RR-2 Thesaurus/Spell Checker. A little larger than a checkbook wallet, it has thesaurus capabilities for more than 40,000 words and returns more than 590,000 synonyms. It spell-checks more than 97,000 words. It's a wonderful little tool. If you only need a spell-checker, they manufacture a "shirt-pocket size."

You don't have to dig up phone numbers anymore, either. For example, the Dial Master 450 by Sharp stores and dials up to 450 names and numbers in three separate directories. Entries can be recalled by name or other information, such as name and type of

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HOME OFFICE TECH High-tech tools for home-based workers

By Terahia d'Elgin

The push-button convenience of the electronic age has ignited a home-based business boom. More than 25 million people work at home, according to LINK Resources, a market research firm in New York. The technology of the last 10 years has made the flexibility of having all your activities under one roof both practical and, in many cases, preferable.

Keeping pace with your workload and the outside world usually requires a well-thought-out arrangement of high-tech tools. These preserve the professionalism that can easily break down in a relaxed at-home setting.

Moreover, you won't be in danger of isolation with well-functioning electronics. You can make your own schedule, taking time to play with the kids, garden, do errands and enjoy leisure activities. Your battery of computer, printer, fax, modem and answering machines will keep business affairs in tow.

COMPUTER/PRINTER

Your computer with its accompanying printer is central to all operations. Most other office equipment feeds through its system. PCs have revolutionized word processing, accounting, order-making, inventory and data storage. They can replace the typewriter, even the file cabinets and ledgers.

If your home office has outgrown a typewriter but buying a computer seems either lavish or unnecessary, think instead about a personal word processor. You won't be able to play games, create graphics or communicate with data bases or PC users. But PWP's, as they are known, are perfect for anyone wanting simply to put words on paper.

COPIERS

If you make frequent trips to the copy shop for less than 1,000 copies a month, you should consider purchasing a desktop portable copier. Developer and drum cartridges make reproductions a snap. Or, you may be able to get around acquiring a copy machine by using a fax for producing quick, one-sheet copies.

FACSIMILE MACHINES

The fax is the premier business machine of the epoch. Printed transmissions can be made across the globe in a matter of minutes. These kinds of communications can be crucial to home-based entrepreneurs whose work requires prompt submissions and approvals.

When shopping for facsimile machines, look for speed and readable resolution. Some offer an answering machine hookup that distinguishes incoming telephone calls from incoming transmissions.

Models offering a timer/transmission poller allow the user to receive and send faxes after hours without the operator's presence. A

tax card or fax/modem card installed in your computer is also an option.

MODEMS

A modem links your computer with your telephone, allowing you to send or receive data instantly between computers. It gives you access to hundreds of on-line services — news wires, patent checks, yellow pages directories, travel reservations and investment information among them.

TELEPHONES

Phone lines provide the crucial link with your resources, customers and vendors. Fiber-optic technology has provided all manner of versatility to phone systems. Tele-

phones with more than one line, speaker, cellular and cordless phones, phones with built-in answering machines and headsets are among the many options.

Since installations can be expensive, think through your expanding communication needs. Discuss capability and cost with several different consultants before making your selection.

LEASING

If your start-up capital is limited, bankrolling these equipment purchases may be impossible. Equipment leasing, in addition to softening the initial economic blow, often is a tax-deductible expense. Check with your accountant for current tax rulings. No-money-down leases enable you to own the equipment once the lease term is expired.

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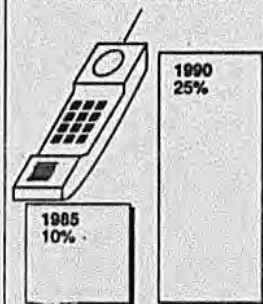
All these electronics require a virtual powerhouse of electricity. Power failures and surges can wipe out both equipment and work, so be sure to build protections into your system from the beginning.

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By Alison Ashton

Perhaps nothing has spawned more reading matter than the technological revolution. From how to fix a toaster to setting up a streamlined home computer system, there are books, magazines and computer data bases to tell you how it works and what to do with it.

And the level of information ranges from manuals for the novice to how-tos for dyed-in-the-wool techies.

PERIODICALS

If you have an interest in anything that is remotely electronic, there is a magazine for you.

For basic buying guides on everything from home appliances to finding the best VCR for your money, there is *Consumer Reports* and *Consumer Digest*.

If home entertainment accoutrements are your interest, check out *Audio*, *Car Stereo Review* or *Stereo Review*. *Video Review* and *Video* regularly review the latest VCRs, televisions and laserdisk players.

Computers have, of course, spawned a myriad of special-interest publications. These range from general trend and product information to magazines targeted for Macintosh users, for example, or those who work with computer graphics.

PC Magazine, *PC World*, *Personal Computing*, *Computer Shopper* and *Computerworld* will help you get more out of your system. *Home Office Computing* is especially helpful if you need to set up a home system to communicate with the office.

BOOKS

Intrigued by the the development of technology? Dip into the pages of James Burke's "Connections" (Little, Brown), which explores the history of technological development from the ancient Egyptian plow to the modern-day Xerox machine. "The Soul of a New Machine" by Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist Tracy Kidder (Avon) tells the story of modern invention, particularly among today's adventurous computer wizards.

"The Way Things Work" by David Macaulay (HMC) is a technology encyclopedia telling you how machines of all kinds work, whether it's the mechanics of a helicopter or how compact disc players play.

For a look at technology in the year 2000, read "Future Stuff" by Malcolm Abrams and Harriet Bernstein (Penguin). Desktop videos and solar-powered briefcases are just two of the things the authors forecast.

If you're shopping for electronic goods or appliances, pick up a copy of "Consumer Reports Buying Guide" (Consumer Reports) or the "Consumer Guide Buying Guide" (Consumer Guide). Both are updated annually.

Because the technological revolution is also a communications revolution, "Electronic Communications for Home & Office" by

Ronald Albright (Chilton) explores electronic and voice mail, facsimile technology and database retrieval.

If you want to get into the nitty gritty of electronics, there are plenty of books to help. "49 Easy-to-Build Electronics Projects" by Robert Brown and Tom Kneitel (Tab), "Electronics: A Self-Teaching Guide" by Harry Kybett (Wiley Press) and "Understanding Electronics" by R.H. Warring (Tab) will teach you some of the basics.

When you're ready for something more advanced, try "Gadgeteer's Goldmine: 55 Space-Age Projects" by Gordon McComb (Tab), which includes how-tos for holograms and laser light shows, or "Build Your Own Working Fiberoptic, Infrared and Laster Space-Age Projects" by Robert E. Iannini (Tab).

If you're not interested in inventing but in repairing, Tab Book has quite a few offerings, including "Troubleshooting and Repairing VCRs" by Gordon McComb and "Troubleshooting and Repairing Solid-State TVs" by Homer Davidson.

INFO SERVICES

The latest wave in the Information Age is on-line computer data bases that one day will be able to access information about anything — once a few kinks are ironed out.

One of the problems, say computer industry watchers, is that computer information services are costly and not necessarily useful to the consumer.

Chances are, however, that you are using one in your business. Mead Data Central's Lexis-Nexis provides newspaper archives. Other special-interest services provide stock and credit information.

Two computer information services for consumers are Prodigy and Compuserve.

Prodigy enables you to shop, bank and make travel arrangements via computer. It also offers up-to-the-minute sports scores and stock quotes.

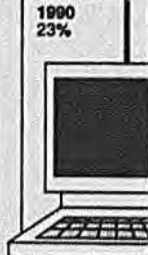
TECHFACTS

Nearly one-fourth of U.S. households have a home computer

Percent of U.S. households that own a personal computer

1985
13%

1990
23%



SOURCE: Electronics Industries Association

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CAN WE TALK?

By Sharon Achatz

Don't get hung up on the functionality of the phone. Sure, it's a necessity — census figures say 93 percent of all U.S. households have a phone — but it doesn't have to be just a phone.

It might look like a duck and quack instead of ring. Or it might travel with you in your car. Or it might "talk" to you and take dictation. The telephone-option line-up leaves your head spinning and your ears ringing.

BASIC BEAUTIES

Unfortunately, many people suffer from phone phobia, a disease whose victims will do nothing more with a phone than pick up the handset, dial and talk. They overlook that today's technology makes phones a helpmate.

Press the mute button, and Grandma at the other end of the line can't hear you tell your kids to pipe down. Use the speaker button, and Dad's voice is projected over the phone so that everyone in the room can hear him tell about his business trip — and he can hear all of his kids' reactions on his end of the line.

Mom can use the intercom, rather than shouting or running up the stairs, to tell Johnny to pick up his laundry in the basement.

Most phones feature last-number redial — simply press a button and the last number called will automatically be dialed again.

Some phones come equipped with auto-dial, which remembers frequently called numbers and dials them at the push of a single button.

Other extras on today's phones include: big buttons that make dialing easier for the handicapped or elderly; amplifiers that let you turn up the sound when a caller speaks too softly; a lighted dial for easy at-night calling; ringer shut-off so that you won't hear the phone ringing; a digital readout that displays the number dialed, the time of day or the duration of the call.

CUTTING THE CORD

No matter how feature-laden a phone may be, it suffers from one major drawback — the cord between the base and the receiver limits mobility.

The speaker phone addresses this problem somewhat. Press a button, and you can hang up the handset yet still carry on the conversation through the base of the phone as you move about the room.

Cordless phones with antennae can keep you talking up to 1,000 feet away from the base.

To get way off base, however, you'll need to cut the cord entirely and go cellular.

It's not just a few type-A businesspeople who've fallen in love with cellular technology. According to *Working Woman* magazine, there are 4 million cellular sub-



CAN WE TALK — New telephones are fanciful and functional with many built-in features. *Shown here: DeskTech telephone.*

scribers in the United States.

Cellular phones come in two basic types: mobile and transportable. Mobile phones are for use only in cars or trucks and are powered by the vehicle's battery. Transportable phones use battery packs. The packs can be a large base onto which the receiver rests, similar to a standard phone, or can be included in the newest hand-held phones, which are tiny enough to fit in briefcases — or even suit pockets.

Perhaps the most appealing new option is the hands-free phone. If you've ever seen a busy young exec racing his BMW down the freeway with one hand on the steering wheel and one on the phone, you can appreciate the value of this feature. This device most often is implanted in the visor of a car and includes an auto-dial feature for easy dialing at high speeds. Just turn down the visor, push a button and talk away — but don't gesticulate, or you defeat the purpose of the phone!

FUN PHONES

Although cellular phones are pretty much basic business blah in design, telephone design overall can be spectacular. It ranges from the elegant to the absurd.

You might select a delicate floral-pattern porcelain phone for your mother's bathroom, or a solid-oak wall phone for your country kitchen. Put a slender brass phone in the den.

For a touch of humor, instead, let a duck-shaped phone loose in the bath, pick a tomato or hot dog phone for your kitchen and pay homage to the resident hacker with a golf bag phone in the den. It comes with a full set of scaled-down clubs, including the putter!

A transparent phone becomes pop art when neon lamps flash as the phone rings. Dog phones bark; trolley phones clang, clang, clang.

THE RIGHT COMBINATION

Most folks look on the phone simply as something to pick up when it rings — or quacks or barks — and talk into. But with the right combination, your phone can do double duty.

One of the more popular types of combo phones is the answering machine/telephone. As an example, the Panasonic KXT4200 is a cordless phone with two channels to minimize interference, a memory that saves up to 10 numbers and an option that gives incoming callers as long as they want to leave a message.

If you prefer a standard phone, look at something like Panasonic's KPA114 — it's a phone/fax/answering machine that replaces an office full of equipment. The fax can hold up to five pages in its document feeder, the answering machine can record not only incoming messages, but also memos — and it screens calls. The phone's memory dialer auto dials 110 phone numbers.

For a little more fun, check out the Desktech Fun Phone by Fun Products Inc. This clear plastic phone with multicolored internal components incorporates a full-featured answering machine and eight push-button sound effects — such as laughter, a barking dog, a scream and a car horn.

Panasonic's Easa-Phone answering machine/telephone will even talk to you. A synthesized voice prompts you in accessing messages and records the time and date after each message. It even will call you at any preprogrammed number to tell you a message has been received.

Other extras include clocks, radios, intercoms and even extra phones — Sony's KSY404 cordless phone has a complete second telephone in the base. You can transfer a call from the base to the cordless, or use both for a three-way conversation.



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New Contract For Recycled Newspapers

The Oyster Bay Town Board today authorized the award of a 5-year contract that will pay the Town \$21 per ton for clean, high quality newspapers collected through the Town's S.O.R.T. program, according to Town Supervisor Angelo A. Delligatti.

"We're understandably pleased with this contract," said the Supervisor, "in that it marks the first time since the 1989 bottoming-out of the paper market began that the Town will be receiving revenue for its newspaper." The most recent price paid to recycle the Town's old newspapers was \$41 per ton. According to Supervisor Delligatti, the contract also represents another important milestone for the Town's recycling program. "This new contract provides the first ever long-term, fixed price means of profitably marketing our newspapers." All prior contracts for the Town's recycled newspaper tied plus or minus pricing to a regional market index which, for the past two years, has remained on the minus side.

Along with the new contract comes new regulations for Town residents to follow in preparing their newspaper for recycling. Residents should bundle newspapers and tie them with twine. No paper or plastic bags, or tape should be used. Bundles should contain only newspapers and Sunday newspaper inserts.

Advertising mail such as envelopes, letters, leaflets and pamphlets is recyclable only when it is bundled and tied separately from the newspapers.

Supervisor Delligatti added that, although the new regulations for newspaper recycling may be initially inconvenient, the dramatic saving to tax dollars should encourage the cooperation of Town residents. "We'll be going from paying \$41 a ton to recycle our newspapers to getting paid \$21 per ton, which represents a \$62 turn-around. This new contract is further testimony to Oyster Bay's recognized role as a recycling leader."

A Homeless Story

By Karin Frey

On pleasant summer days I often walk to the stores. One day I saw a woman sitting on the bench in the West Green Park in Levittown. Next to her stood a supermarket carriage with a few bags. The woman told me she was sleeping on the bare floor on somebody's porch. She had no money and was asking for a cup of coffee at the store. She told me that she had worked for 9 years as a nun and 20 years as a secretary. Ill health had brought her to her present situation.

I gave the woman some money, took her to the Soup Kitchen and called charities. I found a room for her and drove her to the welfare office. She received two months assistance and then was terminated. Several months later she was evicted and all her belongings were put in the street. A volunteer from St. Bernard's of Levittown then drove the woman to a hotel and to welfare and gave her a job.

Donations may be sent to the Hicksville INN at Redeemer Lutheran, Hicksville.

Heart Club Meets At Central General

Theresa Cantilli, Dietitian at Central General Hospital will speak on "Proper Eating for Heart Patients" at the Thursday, February 14 meeting of the Heart Club at Central General Hospital, 888 Old Country Road, Plainview, N. Y.

The meeting will begin at 7:45 p.m. in the Basement Lecture Room at the hospital. A free

Blood Pressure Screening is provided for all those attending, if hospital staff is available. refreshments are also provided by the hospital for the meeting.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December, 1990, the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau, New York, at a regular meeting thereof, adopted, subject to a permissive referendum, the following resolution: Meeting of December 11, 1990 - Resolution No. 1138-90

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. J. LeGren, residents of the Town of Oyster Bay at 20 Gables Drive in Hicksville, have proposed that they be permitted to purchase a strip of land owned by the Town which is adjacent to their property, said strip being described in a "Schedule A", attached hereto; and

Whereas, pursuant to such proposal, Magarida Paula Duffy, a real estate appraiser at J. E. Horan Real Estate, 116 Jackson Avenue, Syosset, New York, was appointed to appraise the above property and appraised it at \$10,000.00; and

Whereas, the town Board has found that such premises are not required for Town purposes and that it would be in the best interests of the Town to dispose of the same by sale.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Town Supervisor be and he is hereby authorized to execute any and all documents in order to effectuate the sale of the parcel described in the above-mentioned schedule; and be it further

Resolved, that this resolution be and is hereby made subject to a Permissive Referendum.

Schedule A

All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being at Hicksville, County of Oyster Bay, Town of Nassau and State of New York designated as "Walk" on Map of Hicksville Gables, revised Map 1 and 2 filed in Nassau County Clerk's office on April 30, 1948 as Map #4521 more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Old Country Road said point being distant 288.77 easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Elm Street and the northerly side of Old Country Road;

Running Thence along the westerly side of the "Walk" north 12 degrees 38 minutes 45 seconds east 123.49 feet to the southerly side of Gables Drive;

Running Thence along the southerly side of Gables Drive and along the arc of a circle bearing to the left with a radius of 110 feet a length of 10.04 feet whose chord bears south 82 degrees 09 minutes 38 seconds east 10.04 feet to the easterly sides of the "Walk";

Running Thence along the easterly side of the "Walk" south 12 degrees 38 minutes 45 seconds west 120.24 feet to the northerly side of Old Country Road;

Running Thence along the northerly side of Old Country Road south 80 degrees 12 minutes 50 seconds west 10.80 feet to the point or place of Beginning.

LEGAL NOTICE

Said premises located at Section 12, Block 277 on the Nassau County Land and Tax Map.

The foregoing resolution was declared adopted after a poll of the members of the Board; the vote being recorded as follows:

- Supervisor Delligatti Aye
- Councilman Hogan Aye
- Councilman Clark Aye
- Councilman Hynes Aye
- Councilman Venditto Aye
- Councilman Ocker Aye
- Councilman Symons Aye

By Order of the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay,

Angelo A. Delligatti
Supervisor
Carl L. Marcellino, Town Clerk
Dated: January 11, 1991
Oyster Bay, N. Y.
MIT 2423
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**LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, That pursuant to law, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room of the Town Hall, East Building, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, the 5th day of February 1991, at 10 o'clock a.m., prevailing time, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to consider amending the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Oyster Bay, New York, Chapter 4, "Animals and Fowl" by deleting "Animals and Fowl" in its entirety and add Chapter 4 "Animal Protection and Control." The purpose is to revise and improve certain regulations and nomenclature covering licensing and custody of certain animals in the Town. All interested persons shall have an opportunity to be heard upon said proposed amendment at the time and place aforesaid. The said ordinance and proposed amendments are on file and may be viewed and examined during regular business hours by any or all interested persons at the Office of the Town Clerk at Oyster Bay and Massapequa.

TOWN BOARD OF TOWN OF OYSTER BAY

Angelo A. Delligatti,
Supervisor
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Dated: January 8, 1991
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Resident Honored

One of the highlights of the January 17 meeting of the Plainview-Old Bethpage Road Runners Club was the presentation of a special award to Gerry O'Hara, the Long Island resident who was the first American finisher in the 1990 New York City Marathon.

O'Hara completed the Marathon in 2:26:15, good for 29th place overall out of more than 20,000 finishers, including most of the best marathoners in the world.

The idea for the award, a special plaque memorializing the article that was written about his accomplishment in Newsday, was generated by Tom Moore and Ken Bohan of The Athlete's Shop in Woodbury, and was presented on behalf of the entire Long Island running community at the January POBRRRC meeting, along with special Gerry O'Hara T shirts created for the occasion by The Athlete's Shop.



Gerry O'Hara, center, accepts the award from Tom Moore, left, and Ken Bohan, right.

WKWZ'S Awareness

WKWZ, Syosset's Community Radio Station, and Syosset High School's Human Awareness Club will be addressing a problem prevailing in the minds of all, especially the young.

The problem is AIDS. 3 p.m. on Friday, February 8, marks the start of WKWZ's AIDS Awareness Weekend - 52 hours of interviews and facts about the disease that has been taking doctors and patients by surprise.

It will also include the great variety of music that has been the staple of WKWZ. There will be jazz, classical, and country music. Of course it will also include great rock, the best new music, as well as contests and giveaways. All this will continue until 7 p.m. on Sunday, February 10.

AIDS Awareness Weekend will be a definitive showcase that no one should miss on 88.5 FM, Syosset's Beat From the Basement.

Birthday And Anniversary Club

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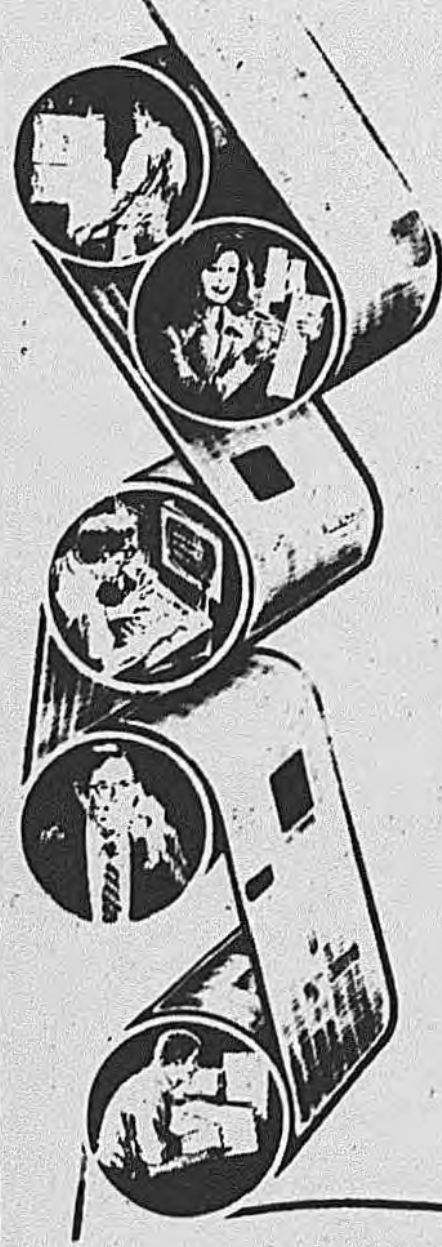
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V.F.W. Post Busy

By PFC Carmine A. Somma
The William M. Gouse Jr. Post 3211 VFW will be sending packages to Hicksville servicemen and women serving with our armed forces in the Middle East crisis. The public is asked to forward the names and addresses of known personnel in Saudi Arabia to Cmdr. Vincent Ferrara, Wm. M. Gouse Jr. Post 3211 VFW, 320 S. Broadway, Hicksville, N.Y. 11801.

Our Sr. Vice Commander Vincent Edwards has a committee that operates all year long, which is "Membership" his job is to collect your dues and bring in new members. If you are a veteran who served in the Armed Forces during WWII, Korean, Vietnam or any current conflict you are eligible to join the VFW. Woman are also eligible to join, for more information call Vincent Edwards at 796-5147.

Our meetings are held every 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at 320 S. Broadway in Hicksville. You can also call the VFW hall at 931-7843. You must show your DD-214 to join.

Our 56th Annual Dinner Dance will be held on Saturday, Feb. 23. Live Band, Buffet and unlimited liquor, all for \$20. Also many door prizes. For tickets contact Aldo Vitello or Vinnie Edwards.

On Sunday afternoon, Feb. 3, our Ladies Auxiliary will have an "Italian Festival" at the VFW Hall. For ticket information call Esther Palladino at 796-3827. The Voice of Democracy Post Awards night will be Friday, Feb. 15, from 7:30 p.m. at the Post Hall. On January 14, we held our election of officers for the Board of Directors. These new officers are Chairman of the Board Vincent Edwards; Vice Chairman George Walden; Treasurer Lester Iehle; Asst. Joseph Messana; Secretary Pat Mercurio; Trustee William Frohnhoefer and Shelly Okin. Connie Steers was the chairman for this nominating committee.

Our Chaplain's report Connie Steers: A speedy recovery is wished to comrades and sisters and their families who have been hospitalized during the month. Joe Adesso, Arthur Rettberg are in the hospital with pneumonia; Past President Ladies Auxiliary Louise Normandy, for tests and Mac Bergsohn with a broken knee. Our sincerest condolences to the families of Andy Chiappone on the passing of his father-in-law Mike Znaek's mother-in-law; Peter Pisanis and Sal DiPrimo and Past Cmdr. Mike Cialdella.

As president of the L.I. National Cemetery Memorial Organization at Pinelawn in Farmingdale, I urge anyone who has a complaint or comments regarding the maintenance of the cemetery to give me a call at 822-5938 or call the VFW Hall at 931-7843.

Congratulations to the proud grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Luis Rivera. Their son Dr. Luis Rivera, Jr. and his wife Dr. Elise Bellios became the proud parents of a son born on October 14.

Congratulations to Lee and Vinnie Edwards on their 48th Wedding Anniversary; May and Max Bergsohn on their 40th Wedding Anniversary; Jean and Ed Kondracke on their 46th Wedding Anniversary.

Happy Birthday to F. Terry Runzie on December 2.
The Comrades of the Post

welcome new member Pasquale Varamo, U.S. Army WWII who joined our Post.

Congratulations to Connie Steers, elected President of L.I. National Cemetery Memorial Organization.

The Wm. M. Gouse Jr. VFW Post 3211 and Ladies Auxiliary extends their prayers that all MIA - POW and members of the Armed Forces in Saudi Arabia return home safely.

Our next Las Vegas Night will be held February 9, at the VFW Hall from 7:30 p.m. to 12 midnight. Our games are Roulette, Black Jack, Big "6" and Beat the Dealer.

LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to law, that a public hearing will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Oyster Bay, Nassau County, New York, on Tuesday, February 5, 1991, at 10 o'clock a.m., prevailing time in the Hearing Room, Town Hall, East Building Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, New York, for the purpose of considering an application for a Special Use permit pursuant to the Building Zone Ordinance of the Town of Oyster Bay as follows: **Proposed Special Use Permit:** Petition of J.P.M. Properties, Inc., and Oyster Bay Sand & Gravel Inc., for special permission to maintain an existing Sand and Gravel operation with related public garage, retail and office uses on an approximately 39,150 sq. ft. site in a "H" Industrial District (Light Industry) on the following described premises: ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Hicksville, Town of Oyster Bay, County of Nassau and State of New York, which is bounded and described as follows:

A parallelogram having a frontage of 150' on the north side of Duffy Avenue and having side lengths of 270 feet located north of the intersection of Duffy Avenue and Combes Avenue and having a street address of 292 Duffy Avenue, lying and being situated in Hicksville, Said Nassau County. The above-mentioned petition and map which accompanies it are on file and may be viewed daily (except Saturday, Sunday or Holidays) between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4:45 p.m., prevailing time, at the Office of the Town Clerk at Oyster Bay and Massapequa. Any person interested in the subject matter of the said hearing will be given an opportunity to be heard with reference thereto at the time and place above designated.

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Writing to Read is a program for kindergarten and first grade children that involves an environment in which these young children are encouraged to write whatever they can say, and, ultimately, read what they have written. It is an exciting risk-free atmosphere for these young children to experiment with the written word.

Recently, two new Writing to Read laboratories have opened in the Bethpage Schools at the Kramer Lane School and Charles Campaigne School. They join the lab that has been in use at Central Boulevard School.

The preparation for Writing to Read has involved the piloting of the program for two years at Central Boulevard School. The success of the students with their writing and reading skills, as well as the highly motivational aspect of this computer based program at Central Boulevard, was the impetus for expanding the program to all three elementary schools in the district.

The kindergarten teachers attended training sessions to acquaint them with the philoso-

Writing To Read

phy and practical aspects of the program, teacher aides were trained, and the program began for all kindergarten children in the Bethpage Schools in

December. The Writing to Read programs are coordinated by Dr. Regina Cohn, Director of Reading & Related Services for the Bethpage Schools.



Homemakers Council Meets

The Homemakers Council of Nassau County will hold their monthly meeting on February 7 between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Community Church on Stewart

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Pepperoni & Eggs	3.50	Veal Cutlet	4.75
Sausage & Eggs	3.50	Eggplant	3.50
Potato & Eggs	3.50	Shrimp	5.25
Meat Ball & Sausage	4.00	Chicken Cutlet	4.25
		Pizza Hero	2.25

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February Fun At Library

Fun with Chocolate - a Valentine Celebration with Carol Tully, Sat., Feb. 9, at 2 p.m. - Sweet Valentine fun galore. Learn all about chocolate molding and using a variety of other delicious ingredients to craft your own special holiday treats. \$2 materials fee per child. Grades K-5. Register from January 17.

Grow a Crystal Garden with Don Curran, Curator of the Gregory Museum, Hicksville - Sat., Feb. 16, at 2 p.m. - Discover the magic secrets of crystals and find out why they form. See spectacular multi-colored crystal clusters grow and change right before your eyes in this exciting hands-on workshop. Please bring along one - one-quart plastic or glass jar (preferably plastic). Ages 8-12. Register from January 22.

Live - Hans Christian Andersen's "The Little Mermaid" - live children's theater by Happy Times Theater for Children - Tues., Feb. 9, at 2 p.m. - Live actors will perform this famous, heart-catching story of a beautiful young mermaid who falls in love with a handsome prince, and the Sea Witch who grants her dangerous wish to be changed into human form. A thrilling adventure beneath the sea - with colorful costumes, music and all the magic of the theater. Grades K-5. Register from January 22.

The Fabulous Young Amadeus with pianist Joyce Ann Liebman - Wed., Feb. 20, at 2 p.m. - A unique colorful and highly entertaining portrait of the life and music of the young Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. With demonstrations on piano and harpsichord, an introduction to opera, intriguing film - and much more! Ages 4 and up. Register from January 22. Co-sponsored by the Town of Oyster Bay, Dept. of Community Services.

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

In Service

Second Lt. Roy R. Bocina 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.

"It is the presence of dedicated military people like Bocina that brings America's principles to life and gives them strength and meaning," President George Bush said.

The lieutenant is a platoon leader at Fort Bragg, N. C. He is the son of June Bocina of 3865 Green Place, Bethpage.

Pvt. Ellen R. Banks has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

Banks is the daughter of Lucretia M. Jones of 734 S. Oyster Bay Road, Bethpage.

She is a 1981 graduate of Amityville Memorial High School.

Town Wins Court Challenge

In a court decision that affirms the Town of Oyster Bay's right to require that all solid waste and recyclables generated within the Town's solid waste disposal district be delivered to the Town's solid waste complex, State Supreme Court Justice John Lockman has dismissed a lawsuit brought last year against the Town by a consortium of private carting companies.

The court found that this requirement, in the form of a waste flow control ordinance enacted by the Town in November of 1989, is a valid and enforceable component of the Town's long range, integrated solid waste management plan.

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that are charged to other visitors.


The community is urged to take advantage of the opportunity provided by the monthly Open House.

Daniel Russell, noted Historian, will speak at the February 3 Open House at 2:30 p.m. Long Island involvement in the American Revolution will be his topic. Mr. Russell has some interesting tales to tell.

On Saturday, February 2, we will have a workshop titled "Lace Valentine." Diane Ruderfer will present this workshop. We have the ribbon and lace. Bring a picture or verse if you wish and make your special valentine - 1:30 to 3 p.m. is the time and anyone over 6 is welcome.

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Our choice was Bacalhau cooked on the grill; actually it is Codfish. The taste was superb. We have also enjoyed the way they prepare steak, served in a ceramic dish with sliced Portuguese sausage and an egg on top. The imported beer is superb. Lareira's has become a place to share with our friends. You will find the food is excellent and the prices are modest.

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Q. Sometimes when I go to a restaurant I pick melon as an appetizer. The problem is I am not always sure whether to eat it with a spoon or fork. Which is correct?

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Q. Whenever I go to a restaurant that has a salad bar I see people taking two plates and some coming up several times. Aren't these people just acting like pigs?
R.W.

A. They may be acting like pigs but the management ought to be the one to do the complaining if the dinner cost doesn't cover it. We are told by restaurant owners, though, that it evens out and that except in restaurants that specifically say the dinner includes "one trip to the salad bar" that they will not appear to notice how many trips are made and it appears that if they are "pigs" to you, the management still views them as customers.

A. If you're giving a party in a restaurant, should you await your guests in the entrance of the restaurant, or should you go to the table?

A. If the entrance is tiny, there really isn't room for you to congregate all your guests there. It's better in this case to go straight to your table.

However, remember to arrive before your guests do. It's extremely rude for the hosts to arrive after their guests!



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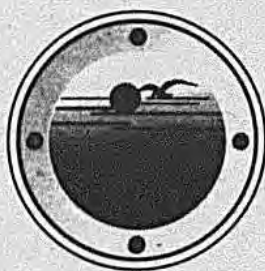
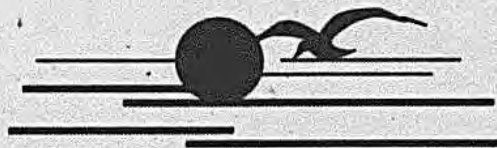
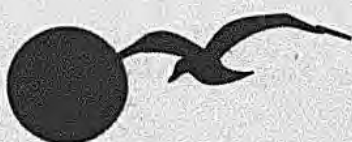
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Q. Is it allowed for a restaurant to include a tip, automatically, on the bill for food ordered? A friend and I had that happen recently and resented it because the service was very poor and we felt a tip was not in order. Please answer.

A. No. In this country the custom is not to add any tip to the bill and unless the menu stating the prices clearly says that this will be done it is not correct. Most people would not be happy with that system in the U.S. because diners have always had a flexible tip system in which they could give a better tip for better service and if this is not kept then the tip is just a fee.

Q. I am a busy professional woman who finds it difficult to entertain at home. My working hours as an attorney are long and tiring. I really don't feel like coping with guests on the weekend. Would it be all right to repay my social obligations by inviting people to dine out?

A. Certainly that would be proper. Social obligations do not have to be repaid on a strictly tit-for-tat basis. Your friends would enjoy a delicious dinner in a relaxed restaurant atmosphere more than an at-home meal served by a hostess they sense is harried and exhausted.



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ORIGINALITY. INSPIRATION

The other night we decided to go to a new restaurant and we hit upon the ad for the restaurant with the novel name. Your Place Or Mine in Williston Park. While we had never been there before it appears that many other people had heard of it before us. The small restaurant was filled to overflowing. But we were treated courteously and well.

The food at this restaurant is exceptionally good and prepared in a different modern style. It has wonderful vegetables and the entree of beef that we had was cooked with originality and inspiration. In other words this is not just an ordinary restaurant, we think it is the best. Your Place Or Mine is located in Williston Park on Hillside Ave. **M.J.**

Q. If someone asks you to dinner, shouldn't he make the reservations, tell you where to come, and pay for the meal?

A. Yes. The person who does the asking takes the responsibility for making the arrangements and for paying, unless it is clearly understood before hand that it is "dutch"

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Sour cream makes comeback

By Kit Saedaker

I discovered cooking with sour cream when I first started cooking seriously and used it without discretion. Sour cream for me then was the new ingredient on the block. My family ate it by the carton until the novelty wore off.

I never used it anymore, until recently. Now, a new, light sour cream has appeared on supermarket shelves with two-thirds less fat and one-third fewer calories than the kind I once knew. A tablespoonful of the new light variety has just 20 calories and 6 percent fat, compared to regular sour cream with 30 calories and 18 percent fat.

Several brands are available, including some from famous Land O Lakes, the butter we grew up with and then gave up.

Welcome back, I thought, took it to my kitchen and tried it out. I had forgotten how good it was on omelets or mixed with honey on top of pancakes. Mixed with brown sugar, sour cream makes a good filling for a crepe. A taco or tostada is the better for it, and this new stuff is innocent enough to top a baked potato again.

I even liked it with 1 tablespoon of good mustard stirred into a cupful as topping for steamed vegetables. Just a dollop adds *wham* to pound cake or a fresh fruit dessert.

I had to pull myself up short before I fell back into the old sinful ways using a carton or more a week. Even though it has fewer calories and less fat, it still has some cholesterol.

Still, this is the right moment for Individual Pumpkin Cheesecakes and a fresh Honey Apple Salad, both without guilt.

Yields about 12 muffin-size cheesecakes. Each has about 180 calories, 8 grams fat, 60 milligrams cholesterol and 170 milligrams sodium.

Preheat oven to 375 F. Line muffin pans with foil or paper cupcake liners. Put 1 cookie in

each liner. Combine sugar, pumpkin, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sour cream and cream cheese in bowl and beat until light and fluffy. Continue beating as you add eggs, cinnamon, nutmeg and vanilla and beat until creamy. Spoon batter into muffin cups over each cookie. Batter will look flat.

Bake for 40 to 50 minutes or until set and toothpick inserted in middle comes out clean. Let stand on rack for at least 15 minutes until cool enough to touch. Remove from pans.

For topping, place light sour cream and powdered sugar in small bowl and mix well. Spread some on each cheesecake and top with pecan half. Chill in refrigerator at least 1 hour before serving.

HONEY APPLE SALAD

1 cup light sour cream
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon cinnamon
 1 tablespoon honey
 4 cups (about 4 medium) apples, cored and coarsely chopped
 1 cup seedless red grapes
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sliced celery
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup raisins

Yields about 12 servings. Each serving has about 75 calories, 2 grams fat, 4 milligrams cholesterol and 25 milligrams sodium.

Mix sour cream, cinnamon and honey in small bowl. Stir in all chopped apples, grapes, celery and raisins. Cover and chill for an hour in refrigerator.

HEALTHY GOURMET



INDIVIDUAL PUMPKIN CHEESECAKES

12 (2-inch) gingersnaps
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sugar
 1 cup cooked pumpkin
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup light sour cream
 1 (8-ounce) package cream cheese, softened
 2 eggs
 $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon cinnamon
 $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon nutmeg
 1 teaspoon vanilla
Topping:
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup light sour cream
 1 tablespoon powdered sugar
 12 pecan halves

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Individual Pumpkin Cheesecakes

■ Calories per muffin: 180
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Honey Apple Salad

■ Calories per serving: 75
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 ■ Cholesterol per serving: 4 milligrams
 ■ Sodium per serving: 25 milligrams

FOR TEENS

By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Dr. Abraham: This letter concerns my favorite rock group, New Kids on the Block. I'm so sick of hearing dirty jokes and rumors like Danny stepped on a frog at a concert and sprained his ankle. Or Joe got stabbed in the back. I saw him in concert right after I heard that; he seemed to dance fine to me.

What can I do when people criticize New Kids? Please help! Those who don't like them should keep their opinions to themselves. — New Kids Fan

New Kids Fan: Thank you for your input on this high-interest teen topic. Your opinion is so welcome, but others may also want to offer theirs. I hope you won't mind, whether they agree with you or not.

If you think the accusations are wrong, tell the accusers so or just ignore them, and try to move to another subject to talk about. Because some people just won't listen to the ideas of others, there may be no value in arguing. They often cling to an old thought: "I've made up my mind; don't confuse me with facts."

Dr. Abraham: It was with great interest that we read your column about a teen paying tribute to a late friend.

It dealt with a 20-year-old friend who was fatally injured when his motorcycle was struck by a dump truck attempting to pass him on the right and how his friends missed him.

He enjoyed your columns so much, and they were the topic of many discussions around our dinner table.

He knew the love of so many friends in his short life span that many do not experience in a long lifetime. — His Parents

His Parents: I appreciated greatly your thoughtfulness in writing to me. This teen column rarely includes adults' letters, but yours is very special and for many reasons is too important to leave out. One, of course, is its warning to drivers to take extreme care when near a motorcyclist.

The sensitivity also in the earlier letter from your son's "close friend" made a deep impression on me, and I'm sure it did on many teen readers, too.

Dr. Abraham: I'm a teen 17 years old who needs to earn money, and so far I haven't been successful. Each part-time job I've had (supermarket, delivery, hamburger places) pays low wages, and they are so darned boring.

Because I think I'm ambitious and kind of creative, they are not enough

for me, or for what I need to save up for college. My folks will help me, but not much because they just don't earn enough.

School is very important to me, and so are my future career goals. But right now I'd really like to do something on my own. So what to do? Any practical ideas? — Unemployed

Unemployed: How did you guess that I recently saw something that may be right up your alley? But, all kidding aside, it could be on target for you as well as for other teens like you.

It is a book called "The Teenage Entrepreneur's Guide," with this attractive subtitle, "50 money-making business ideas."

Each part-time business presented aims to do the following:

- Be flexible enough to schedule around one's total school program.

- Provide at least a minimum wage.

- Give a steady part-time income.

- Teach valuable business skills that can help in future business activities or lead to successful full-time careers.

- Can be handled at home.

- Requires no or little expert knowledge, money or transportation.

- The 50 suggestions include outside and inside work, school-based activities, ones that may require special skills or training, personal computer use, transportation ventures, mail order and holiday ideas.

The guidelines to help teens get started also appear to be practical. How to set up a simple business plan, estimate income and expenses, and understand tax responsibilities are all handled with words that will be clear to you and most other teens, both boys and girls.

The book includes a brief introduction that is important for teens to share with their parents.

The author, Sarah L. Riehm, should know what she is talking about. Her earnings started when she was 8 years old (\$15 a week as town organist). Later, in college, she helped set up several student-run businesses, including the student bookstore, two restaurants, a bus system, a record shop and a legal service.

More information about this book can be obtained from its publisher: Surrey Books, 230 E. Ohio St. (Suite 120), Chicago, IL 60611. Perhaps your local bookstore or library has it available.

Please let me know whether it is helpful to you and if so, in what way. Its practical value for teens is the bottom line, of course.

Q. Whatever happened to kitchen carpet? My kitchen opens right into our small family/dining room, and I'd like to carpet the entire area. Since I'm having trouble locating any made-for-the-kitchen carpet like there used to be, what can I use that will work the business and "dressy" sides? — K.C.

A. What happened to kitchen carpets per se was oversell: We were all oversold on the idea that carpet equaled no upkeep, which is totally unrealistic in any room, much less a hardworking kitchen. Eventually even the least fastidious housekeeper had it with yesterday's crumb-laden, spotty and sticky kitchen carpet and banished it from the house before the Board of Health came around.

If, however, you are willing to give your kitchen floor the attention it needs, carpeting is still an option, say the experts. I put the question to Trudi Novina, a knowledgeable spokeswoman for Allied Fibers, who suggests guidelines for carpeting heavily trafficked areas such as kitchen, family rooms and hallways:

- Choose a tight level-loop finish that can stand up to wear and frequent cleanings.

- Look for commercial-grade or residential carpeting that can also be used in commercial locations (such as an office, waiting room or retail store).

- Be sure the carpet has a built-in soil and stain repellent (Novina is naturally partial to Allied's Worry Free system that guards the Milliken carpeting we show in the photo here).

- Act fast when spills and stains occur. You wouldn't let a splat of ketchup sit around on your vinyl or wood floor. Nor would your ex-

By Rose Bennett Gilbert

pect to go weeks without sweeping/vacuuming/mopping. Give any carpet regular care and you'll live more happily with it for a long time to come.

Q. I have an entire wall of floor-to-ceiling windows that looks onto the little courtyard of our condo. Nobody can see in (the courtyard is fenced in), but this is Florida and the sun will fade my living room carpet and upholstery. The trouble is, the heating duct runs under the windows. We don't use heat often, but I hate to cover it. Any suggestions? — D.C.

A. Vertical blinds would be a good bet, since they'd block the sun without blocking the heat register. You can find verticals in a variety of materials, or you could even have them laminated to match your upholstery, combining the soft look of fabric with the efficiency of blinds.

Another idea: sheer curtains with full-length stationary tie-backs on each side. Hang the sheers so they draw away from the door to the courtyard, and you have your sunscreen and egress, too. For an even dressier look, drape a series of swags over the window and let the ends trail down to puddle on the floor.

Q. I want something different for the foyer of the house we're renovating. I love the look of black-and-white checks in marble, but that may be out of my budget range. Do you have any ideas? — O.B.

Decor Score

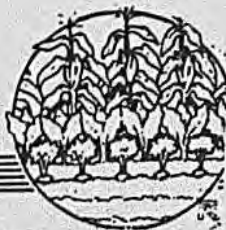
A. Several. Take a look at some of the new solid color vinyl floors available. They can be laid in checks just like traditional mar-



PRACTICAL KITCHEN — Kitchen carpet is alive and well in tight, level-loop patterns that stand up to the wear and tear of a busy kitchen.

ble. Then there are hardwood parquet squares that also come in dark, dark browns and whites, so you can achieve the same look. Porcelain and ceramic tiles offer yet other options, but don't give up on the marble. Pre-engineered into thin-but-durable tiles, it's now priced to suit relatively slender budgets, too.

Backyard Gardener



By Patrick Denton

Scanning the list of flowers designated for each month, I see an alternate to the snowdrop as January's flower. It's carnation, a well-loved flower that can be seeded this month.

Carnations dwell within the sometimes confusing genus *Dianthus*, a colorfully puzzling cluster of annuals that perform as perennials, perennials that are commonly grown as annuals, and biennials that bloom the first year from seed and/or establish as perennials.

Add to this the alarming alacrity with which they interbreed, and you see the potential for perplexity.

Let's begin to sort our way out of the maze, and to see where the carnation fits into the puzzle.

The name *Dianthus* bears looking at to start with. It comes from the Greek *dios*, meaning a god or divine, and *anthos*, a flower. *Dianthus*, the divine flower, is the name originally given to the car-

nation alone. Only later was the name adopted for the whole clan.

The flower that is most likely to be called "*Dianthus*" by the average gardener is the garden pink, of which there are many kinds, annual and perennial. In mild winter climates the annual types usually winter over to act as perennials. An example is *Telstar Picotee*, a 1989 All-America Selections winner with red flowers and serrated petals neatly edged in white.

These types of pink that are grown commonly as annuals are mostly Chinese pinks (*Dianthus chinensis*). They flower the first year from seed, giving prolific bloom all summer until frost in the fall. Some popular Chinese pinks are the Princess Series and Snowfire.

Pinks grown commonly as perennials include several species such as *Dianthus deltoides* or the maiden pink, and *Dianthus plumarius* — cottage pinks among which are the prized old laced

pinks with spicy-fragrant, frilled flowers. *Dianthus knappii* is a yellow-flowered species.

Sweet Williams are another popular *Dianthus* (*D. barbatus*). Though these are mostly biennial (plant one year, have bloom the next), varieties such as the miniature *Wee Willie* bloom the first year from seed.

The carnation is *Dianthus caryophyllus* (kar-e-o-FILL-us), meaning with a clovelike scent. In centuries past it was known as clove pink, or clove carnation. This is a flower affectionately rooted in human history.

The Roman historian Pliny, writing in the first century, noted that the clove carnation was discovered in Spain in the age of Augustus Caesar, and that the Spaniards used it to give a spicy tang to beverages. This use persisted down the centuries and gave the flower one of its old English names, *Sops-in-Wine*. So valued were carnation flowers for their scent and beauty that the name carnation actually is derived from its common use in garlands or coronae.

Carnation varieties available today offer a versatile range in plant size and use. Most survive from year to year in mild winter climates as long as their site drains quickly in excess winter wet. In catalogs, the early varieties are often classed as annuals

because they are easily grown as annuals. *Enfant de Nice*, a carnation that I grew for years, is listed as an annual in the Stokes Seeds catalog while some other firms include this variety with their perennial carnations.

Enfant de Nice is a rather apt name. *Nice*, on France's Mediterranean coast, is a major producer of cut flower carnations. This variety yields large, heavily fringed double blooms on strong 14-inch stems. The plants are neat and compact. *Enfant de Nice* is excellent as a garden plant and as a producer of fine cut carnations. Stokes offers eight separate colors and two blends of this French hybrid variety.

Scarlet Luminette is an outstanding brilliant red carnation, 15 inches tall. It's both an All-America Selections and a European Fleuroselect winning flower. The Knight carnations are early, and compact at 12 inches. The stems are sturdy and long enough for cutting, and the plants are fine for both pots and the garden.

Shorter and bushier than the Knights are the Lilliput carnations. These 8-inch plants can be kept just about perpetually flowering given a cool spot and supplemental lighting in winter. One plant requires a pot just 4 inches wide. Or set three in a shallow azalea-type pot 6 inches wide.

By Desiree Vivea



Hearty chowder a cold weather favorite

Soup is one of the great comfort foods — homey, nourishing, warming — especially welcome during the chill months of winter. And one of the best soups for the winter months is a hearty, stick-to-the-ribs chowder.

The word chowder derives from *la chaudiere*, French for a large kettle or caldron. The first chowders were probably cooked up with what was left of the catch of the day after fishermen had sold all they could. They combined the remainder in big caldrons to simmer over an open fire right on the beach and with a loaf of crusty bread made this their supper.

Cloppino — meaning "chip in" — is a fish stew with a similar history. First concocted by Italian and Portuguese fishermen in San Francisco, it contained dozens of varieties of fish and shellfish because each returning boat "chipped in" some of its catch.

New England's famed clam chowder is as popular now as it was in colonial times. Rich and thick with cream and potatoes, it must have seemed comfort food indeed to settlers of the region. The Manhattan variation containing tomatoes (a New World discovery that many had at first thought poisonous) so incensed early New Englanders that they once considered outlawing the combination of clams and tomatoes.

To many people, chowder automatically means seafood, but while the first chowders probably were seafood-based, nowadays the soup may contain any number of ingredients. The one thing most chowders have in common is a thick, stewlike consistency (excepting the renegade Manhattan variety) — and they generally contain onions and potatoes. Many chowders also contain bacon or salt pork, vegetables such as corn, carrots or celery, and some feature cheese.

If yours is a soup-loving family, it's a good idea to keep a variety of canned, condensed soups (cream of potato is a good choice) in the pantry. In a pinch, you can use these as the base for a quick microwaved chowder, embellishing with added ingredients such as sauteed onion, canned shellfish, cubed cheese, canned corn, fresh snipped herbs, etc.

Baby, it's cold outside, but you'll warm up to these chowder recipes. Serve topped with crisp oyster crackers, toasted buttered bread cubes, shredded cheese or a spoonful of heavy cream and a light sprinkling of chopped herbs.

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

MICRO-TIP OF THE WEEK

You can use a microwave temperature probe when reheating

soup. Use only a probe designed for microwave use and approved by your oven's manufacturer; position near center of container. Most people prefer soup at around 150 F.

HEARTY CLAM CHOWDER

- 3 slices bacon, chopped
- 1 cup peeled red potatoes, diced
- 1 small onion, diced
- 1 small stalk celery, diced
- 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 2 (6½-ounce) cans minced clams, drained (reserve ½ cup liquid)
- 1 cup milk
- ½ cup chicken broth or ½ bouillon cube dissolved in ½ cup hot tap water
- ¼ teaspoon celery salt
- ¼ teaspoon white pepper
- 1 cup half-and-half

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 10 to 15 minutes.

Cooking time: 12 to 19 minutes (plus 3 minutes standing time).

Oven setting: HIGH (100 percent power); MEDIUM-HIGH (70 percent power).

Place bacon in a 2½-quart microwave-safe casserole. Cover with paper towel and microwave at HIGH setting 3 to 4 minutes, stirring once, until bacon is crisp. Remove bacon with slotted spoon and set aside to drain on double thickness of paper towel.

To bacon fat add potatoes, onion and celery. Cover and microwave 4 to 7 minutes, or until potatoes are just tender, stirring twice.

Blend in flour, then stir in reserved clam juice, milk, chicken broth and seasonings. Microwave, uncovered, at HIGH setting 3 to 5 minutes, or until soup is thickened, stirring halfway through cooking time.

Blend in half-and-half, minced clams and reserved bacon. Microwave at MEDIUM-HIGH setting 2 to 3 minutes, or until heated through. Let stand, covered, 3 minutes before serving.

CHEDDAR CHOWDER

- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 medium onion, diced
- 1 cup water
- 1 large potato, shredded
- 1 medium carrot, grated
- 1 large stalk celery, diced
- 1 cup hot tap water
- 2 teaspoons chicken bouillon (or 2 bouillon cubes)
- ¼ teaspoon each pepper and dried crushed basil
- Dash of salt
- ½ cup half-and-half
- 1½ cups shredded cheddar cheese (about 6 ounces)

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 15 to 20 minutes.

Cooking time: 12 to 20 minutes (plus 5 minutes standing time).

Oven setting: HIGH (100 percent power); MEDIUM-HIGH (70 percent power).

Combine butter and onion in 2½-quart microwave-safe casserole; cover and microwave at HIGH setting 1 to 2 minutes, or until butter is melted and onion is soft.

Stir in water, potato, carrot and celery. Cover and microwave at

HIGH setting 7 to 11 minutes, stirring halfway through cooking time, or until vegetables are tender.

Dissolve chicken bouillon in hot water. Add to vegetable mixture with seasonings and half-and-half. Stir. Cover and microwave at MEDIUM-HIGH setting until heated through, 4 to 7 minutes.

Fold in cheese, stirring until melted. Let stand, covered, 5 minutes before serving.

Our Children



'My Talking Storybook' a grabber of a toy

By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Q. My wife and I need a lot of help in cutting through the large number of toys now available for young children. Ours are 3 and 5 years old, a boy and a girl.

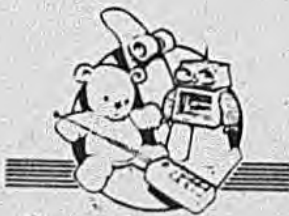
During the holidays we felt both overwhelmed and frustrated by the avalanche of color, noise, size, and the tremendous appeal that many of them had for little kids.

Because I'm an attorney and my wife has a home economics background we are obviously not experts in the early childhood field, although I'll admit that we are gradually feeling that we may be getting there with our "on-the-job" training.

I'm sure that we haven't seen all the new and old toys on the market, and because there are so many we certainly couldn't ask you to fill us in. So let me ask you only this: Has anything come to your attention lately that has been a kind of "grabber" for you? If you can, tell us a little about it.

A. You're right, it is an "avalanche." And neither space nor time gives me a chance to provide you with anything like a complete rundown. So thanks for giving me an out that I can handle, perhaps based on one "grabber." Even that wasn't easy to narrow down to, but here goes.

(First, a suggestion: Identify one excellent children's store and check out their recommendations.)



Our Children

One of the unique child products I've seen is called "My Talking Storybook," developed for 3- to 7-year-olds. It is an electronic toy (not at all complicated to use) that encourages youngsters to interact with storybook characters and events. At this time six colorful little books are available.

Different human voices, themes and illustration styles can probably contribute to an exciting experience for little children. They can change the story line and sequence of events, or create conversations. The child becomes the author, deciding what is going to happen next, and each time one of the books is used the story can be different.

A major emphasis of this innovative product is to teach simple reading skills through enjoyable play activities.

"My Talking Storybook" was created by Stephen Gass. One of his goals is to help develop an early love for reading through what he calls "literary building blocks" that consist of attractive stories and games in which the youngsters participate. Creative thinking and problem-solving skills are also part of the "blocks."

Those objectives may sound like a heavy load for little kids, but tying them to fun and play may be helpful in getting their reading skills started.

If you want more information regarding prices and availability you might write to Tiger Electronics, 980 Woodlands Parkway, Vernon Hills, IL 60061; telephone, (708) 913-8100. Or if you've found a local children's store that keeps up with the latest in toys, go on down and ask for a demonstration. You might want to take your youngsters along for what may be a fascinating experience.

Cooking Corner



Celebrate the year of the sheep

By Charles Britton

The Chinese arrange years in cycles of 12, each with its animal sign: the year of the horse, now ending, will be replaced by the year of the sheep.

The ancient Chinese lunar calendar marks the new year, beginning Feb. 15, as the year 4689. Anyone born during the years 1906, 1919, 1931, 1943, 1955, 1967, 1979 and 1991 qualifies as a sheep, considered one of the more fortunate signs, according to Chinese lore.

One astrological handbook says that sheep people are tranquil sorts — they should be good to have around in these days of uncertainty about conditions in the Middle East. They are truly Good Samaritans and you can recognize them by their gentle and compassionate ways. They are shy, sincere and supersensitive, and can react badly to personal criticism. As easy as they are to hurt, however, they are just as quick to forgive.

The Chinese need little encouragement to celebrate at any time, but festivities take on a special note at New Year's. It's a time for family and close associates to gather together and wish for the good luck and prosperity that all too often have been denied the Chinese people.

Eating always plays a central role in anything connected with Chinese culture, and given the gentle qualities of the year of the sheep, there seems to be an extra encouragement to tie on the feed-bag in honor of 4689.

Traditional New Year's dishes abound, often because the name of the ingredient in Chinese — a language full of puns and poetic allusions — sounds like something beneficial. Citrus fruits are in season, and everyone enjoys tangerines; the skins are seen as red, the propitious color, and the name sounds the same as "good fortune."

So does "chicken" in Mandarin. The word for "fish" is like "surplus," so this food, always appreciated, takes on special savor. Tofu is a good choice, because *fu* also means "riches." Noodle dishes are always appropriate; the strands of pasta symbolize longevity.

A special New Year's delicacy may appall the uninitiated. The name in English doesn't inspire much confidence either: It's sometimes called hair vegetable, sometimes black moss, and it does indeed look like both descriptions. Actually, it's an algae that grows in streams. It has an interesting taste and texture, and, most appropriate to the season, its name sounds like part of the traditional New Year's greeting, *Gung hay fat choy* — or something like that.

Transliterations vary widely.

Unlike New Year's in the United States, the Chinese celebration is a special time for children, who can expect extra indulgence and special treats. For their elders, the occasion brings some burdens: Debts are supposed to be paid before the old year is out, and unsatisfactory employees are to be dismissed. The boss joins his workers for a festive meal. If he takes the first piece of chicken for himself, everyone breathes easier, if he gives it to an employee, that's the same as saying, "You're fired."

Happier New Year's customs involve preparing flat cakes of steamed bread, topped by eight jujubes or Chinese dates; the roundness of the loaf symbolizes wholeness, while the topping recalls the eight trigrams of Chinese philosophy.

Sweet dumplings are much relished, as are egg rolls, symbolic of togetherness because family members gather to prepare them.

For our selection of Chinese dishes, we begin with a helping of "surplus" in this delicate but zesty dish.

JADE WHITE SLICED FISH

- 8 ounces whitefish fillets
- 1 egg white, well beaten
- 3 tablespoons cornstarch
- Oil for frying (see note)
- Sauce:
- 6 thin slices fresh ginger
- 1 hot red pepper, fresh or canned
- 2 green onions, white parts only
- 1 clove garlic
- 2 to 3 lettuce leaves
- ½ cup fish stock or bottled clam juice
- 2 teaspoons cornstarch
- 1 teaspoon rice wine or dry sherry
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- Salt, white pepper

Yields 4 servings.
Cut fish into thin slices and place in bowl with egg white. Mix well, then coat each slice lightly on both sides with cornstarch.

Heat oil in wok or very large frying pan to very hot. Fry fish, a few pieces at a time, over moderate heat until just cooked through and still white. Drain well.

To prepare sauce, cut ginger into decorative shapes, slice chili and onions diagonally and chop garlic. Chop lettuce leaves into 1-inch squares. Mix together fish stock, cornstarch, wine, sugar, salt and pepper. (If using clam juice, omit salt; it is already salty.)

Drain oil from wok and wipe it out. Add about 2 tablespoons oil and stir-fry ginger, chili, onions and garlic for 1 minute over mod-

erate heat. Stir stock mixture to make sure cornstarch is dissolved. Pour into wok, and, stirring, cook for about 1 minute, until sauce thickens and becomes clear. Add fish and lettuce. Heat through. Serve immediately.

Note: To make this dish in true Chinese style, cook the fish in about 2 cups of oil, heated to smoking point.

Here's "good fortune" with green onions. Ingredients like sesame oil and oyster sauce are now widely available at Asian and standard markets.

GREEN ONION CHICKEN

- 1 pound chicken thighs
- 3 stalks green onion, green tops included
- 1 slice fresh ginger, minced
- 1 large clove garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon rice wine or dry sherry
- Cooking oil
- Marinade:
- ½ teaspoon sesame oil
- 2 tablespoons oyster sauce
- 1½ teaspoons soy sauce
- Sauce:
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons cornstarch
- ¼ cup water

Yields 4 Western servings, 8 if part of a Chinese meal.

Cut chicken meat from thighs in bite-size chunks. Cut green onion into 2-inch lengths. Have minced ginger, garlic and rice wine measured-out.

Marinate chicken in sesame oil, oyster sauce and soy sauce. Separately, mix sugar, salt and cornstarch with water.

Heat oil in wok or very large frying pan. Stir-fry ginger, garlic and green onion for about 30 seconds. Then add chicken (reserving excess marinade) and stir-fry over medium heat until done through, about 5 minutes. Add cornstarch mixture and reserved marinade. Stir-fry until sauce is thickened and ingredients are covered with it. Serve immediately.

Here beef is flavored with the good-luck fruit, the tangerine.

TANGERINE GINGER BEEF

- ¾ pound beef sirloin or flank steak, thinly sliced across grain
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil

- 5 thin slices ginger
- 1 teaspoon cornstarch mixed with 2 teaspoons water
- Tangerine segments for garnish
- Marinade:
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon rice wine or dry sherry
- 2 teaspoons cornstarch
- 2 teaspoons vegetable oil
- Tangerine sauce:
- ¼ cup fresh tangerine juice or ¼ cup concentrated tangerine or orange juice
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 tablespoon soy sauce

Yields 4 servings.

Combine marinade ingredients in medium bowl. Add beef and stir to coat.

Set aside for 30 minutes.

Combine tangerine sauce ingredients in a small bowl and set aside.

Place wok or wide frying pan over high heat until hot. Add 2 tablespoons oil, swirling to coat sides. Add ginger slices and cook, stirring, until fragrant, about 5 seconds. Add beef and stir-fry for 2 minutes or until barely pink. Add tangerine sauce and stir-fry for 30 seconds. Add cornstarch solution and cook, stirring, until sauce boils and thickens.

Garnish with orange slices.

Here's a Chinese-style dish that combines both Eastern and Western influences. We'll use it as an Occidental salute to the year of the sheep.

You could select many different types of mushrooms, fresh or dried. We are suggesting the large black Chinese type, available in Asian markets and some supermarkets, as well as standard fresh white mushrooms and oyster mushrooms. The latter may be most readily found at the better-stocked produce departments.

Dairy products are rarely used in Chinese cooking but go well with the mushrooms.

TRIPLE MUSHROOM SOUP

- 8 dried black mushrooms (about 1 ounce)
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 small onion, finely chopped

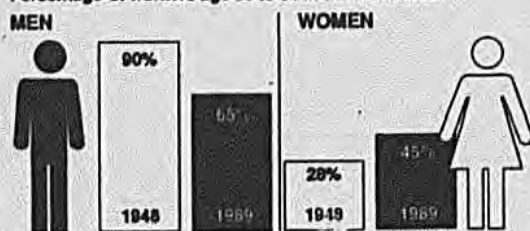
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SMART MONEY

Men are retiring earlier — but women stay in work force

Male workers are retiring earlier, while female counterparts stay working longer than workers did 40 years ago.

Percentage of workers age 55 to 64 in the work force



NOTE: Includes people available for work or looking for a job.
SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor



Apres-ski supper

By Melanie Barnard
and Brooke Dojay

In our part of the country, this is prime ski season. These days, while neither of us is likely to win any prizes on the downhill slopes, we both love the idea of being outdoors on a brisk, sunny day in the mountains of New England.

Invigorating as this is, what we really like best is the "apres-ski" supper — a hearty, warming meal served in the glow of a roaring fire while enjoying the company of family and good friends.

We like this idea so much that we are likely to plan such a supper even if the preceding hours have been spent reading a good book, taking a nap or shoveling snow from the driveway.

The menu evokes happy memories of one winter family vacation spent in the Austrian and French Alps. Choucroute Garni, which translates to garnished cabbage, is a classic Alsatian winter dish of seasoned sauerkraut simmered with sausages and smoked meats.

Because our version uses only fully cooked meat and prepared sauerkraut, the preparation and cooking time are short and almost effortless. While the choucroute is cooking, scramble some eggs and sprinkle them with a sharp Alpine cheese such as Gruyere.

Add in a spinach or other sturdy green salad, some chewy black bread from a bakery and finish the meal with a purchased fruit tart or Black Forest cake for a meal that is worthy of "apres-ski" anywhere, but is just as tasty "apres-work."

TIPS

• Scramble eggs over very low heat for best results. High heat toughens eggs.

• Be sure to rinse and drain sauerkraut before using to remove excess salt.



After Work Gourmet

CHOUCROUTE GARNI PLATTER

- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 1 tart apple, peeled, cored and sliced
- 3 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 pound sauerkraut, rinsed and drained

- ¼ teaspoon dried thyme
- ¼ teaspoon caraway seeds
- 3 crushed juniper berries or 1 tablespoon gin
- 1 bay leaf, broken in half
- ½ cup white wine
- 4 thin smoked pork chops (about 5 ounces each)
- 12 ounces good-quality cooked German or Polish sausage links, such as bratwurst, weisswurst or kielbasa (or a combination)

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 15 minutes.

Cooking time: 30 minutes.

Saute onion and apple in oil in large skillet over medium-low heat for about 5 minutes until onion is softened. Stir in sauerkraut, thyme, caraway seeds, juniper berries, bay leaf and wine.

Push pork chops and sausage links into sauerkraut mixture and spoon a little sauerkraut over them.

Cover skillet and simmer over low heat (or bake in 325 F oven) for 25 to 30 minutes until apple is soft and meats are thoroughly heated. Remove bay leaf.

(Choucroute can be made a day ahead and reheated in the oven or on stove top for about 20 minutes until hot. It also can be reheated in a microwave.)

Serve from skillet or large platter.

SCRAMBLED EGGS WITH GRUYERE

- 8 eggs
- 2 teaspoons grainy mustard
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- ¼ cup milk
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 4 ounces grated Gruyere or Swiss cheese
- 4 tablespoons thinly sliced scallions, including green tops

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation and cooking time: 10 minutes.

Lightly beat eggs with mustard, pepper and milk.

Heat butter in large skillet and pour in eggs. Cook over very low heat, stirring almost constantly, until eggs are softly set, 5 to 8 minutes.

Sprinkle eggs with cheese and scallions. Serve directly from skillet (or spoon onto warm platter before sprinkling with cheese and scallions).

Melanie Barnard and Brooke Dojay write about food and are authors of "Sunday Suppers" and "Let's Eat In" (Prentice Hall Press).

HEALTH WATCH

How healthy is your state?

These states were rated most healthy and least healthy based on the following categories:

DISABILITY

Limitations due to chronic and acute ill health

DISEASE

Prevalence of heart disease, cancer, AIDS, tuberculosis and hepatitis.

MORTALITY

Total mortality rate and infant mortality rate.

LIFESTYLE

Lack of exercise, prevalence of smoking, etc.

ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE

MOST HEALTHY	LEAST HEALTHY
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1. Utah	50. Alaska
1. Minnesota	49. West Virginia
3. New Hampshire	47. Mississippi
4. Hawaii	47. Nevada
5. Nebraska	45. Louisiana
5. Connecticut	45. New Mexico
7. Massachusetts	44. Florida
7. Wisconsin	43. Oregon
10. Kansas	39. South Carolina
10. Colorado	39. Arizona
	39. Arkansas
	39. Alabama



(duplicate numbers indicate ties)

SOURCE: Northwestern National Life Insurance Company

KITCHEN HINTS

You'd like a rich dessert

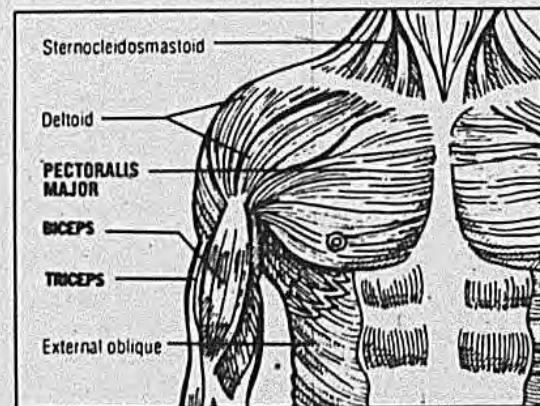
But you're watching calories and fat.

Here's a frappe that fills the bill:

1. Place in a blender or food processor: ½ medium banana, 1 cup skimmed milk, ¼ teaspoon vanilla, ¼ tablespoon carob powder and 4 ice cubes.
2. Hold down lid and process until the mixture is thick and frothy, about three minutes. Pour into tall glasses. To your good health.



YOUR BODY



THE TRICEPS

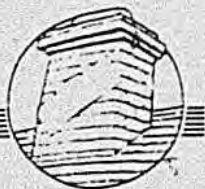
WHAT: You've heard tales of two-headed dragons. This is the story of a three-headed muscle, the triceps (TRY-seps). The name comes from the Latin *caput*, meaning head, and *tri*, meaning three.

WHERE: The three heads of the triceps — the long, the lateral and the medial — all meet at the elbow at the end of the

ulna, the larger bone in the forearm. The long head starts at the shoulderblade, and the lateral and medial heads start at parts of the humerus (the bone of the upper arm).

FUNCTIONS: The triceps allow you to extend your arm and forearm.

Here's How



By Gene Gary

Q. We are having trouble with our fireplace filling the room with smoke. We have checked to see that the damper opens adequately and that there are no obstructions in the flue.

This is a recent problem, because we have been using this wood-burning fireplace for years. Do you have any thoughts on what might be causing this problem?

A. Since it is a recent situation, it is doubtful that the problem is with the basic construction of the fireplace and chimney.

If you have recently weather-stripped and caulked around doors and windows, this could create the problem you are having. Restricting the flow of air from the outside (even through small cracks around windows and doors), can cause outside air to rush down the flue into the house.

Sometimes, even cracking a window, open near the fireplace can solve the problem. Another remedy is to install vents to bring outside air into the hearth area.

It is also possible that the problem is caused by external condi-

tions — conditions that did not exist before, such as the construction of new buildings next to yours or even the growth of trees adjacent to the house.

Such new developments can deflect wind down the flue, which would prevent smoke from rising. Your chimney needs to be at least two feet higher than the tallest obstruction within 10 feet of the chimney top.

The remedy is to increase the height of the chimney with a metal extension, or install a rotating chimney cap that keeps the flue opening out of the wind.

Take careful measurements of the chimney top and flue opening so your fireplace dealer can recommend the right size in chimney caps or metal extensions and provide you with instructions on proper installation.

It is also a good idea to have your chimney checked and cleaned annually by a professional chimney sweep. A professional, conducting an on-site inspection, would be better able to assess the nature of your problem.

Q. I have some nice, reasonably priced dining room furniture that I picked up at a garage sale.

When I got the table and buffet home, and in better light, I discovered that there are several scratches and small dents marring the finish on these pieces. Is there any way to camouflage these flaws without entirely refinishing the wood?

A. There are several methods that will help cover the scratches and fill in dents without completely stripping and refinishing wood.

For the scratches, select a wax or liquid shoe polish (not a dye) that matches the color of the wood. Apply with a cotton swab.

You may want to add several coats or mix several colors to obtain the best match. Buff the entire area after the application has dried.

Another method of covering scratches is to rub the area with raw linseed oil, or use a commercial crayonlike stick shellac of the proper hue (available at paint and hardware stores).

There are repair kits on the market designed to help disguise nicks and scratches in wood. One such product is the Wood Repair and Touch-Up Kit from Woodcraft Supply Corp. (P.O. Box 4000, Woburn, MA 01888).

This kit contains instructions and all needed materials, including five dyes that you can blend to

match any finish.

For the dented areas you described, try melting a crayon that matches the color of the wood. To melt the crayon, use a soldering iron or tie a nail to a pencil, then heat the nail over a candle flame and hold the nail to the crayon positioned over the dented area. Overfill the dent and let the wax cool 30 minutes, then shave off the excess with a credit card, leaving a smooth surface.

If you don't like the color, reverse the process by liquefying the wax with a heated nail and blotting it out with a dry cloth.

Another method of repairing dents is to steam them out. Don't attempt this if the finish is shellac or if the wood has a veneer surface.

First, use a small amount of paint remover to take off the finish covering the dent. Dampen a lint-free cloth, place it over the dent and hold a hot iron against the cloth.

Check every 30 seconds or so to see if the wood has swelled. When the dent has disappeared as much as it's going to, let the spot dry. Restain if necessary and seal with oil or varnish.

KITCHEN KIDS



When do I begin?

By Rena Covle

The question I am most often asked by parents is, "When can I bring my child into the kitchen?"

The answer is simple. A child will tell you when he or she is ready, and that age is around 2½ to 3 years old.

Usually that answer will get a gasp or two, but parents already realize that at this age a child wants to be in the kitchen with them and is already tugging about the knees shouting, "Let me help, let me help!" When that happens, you know your child is ready to cook.

At this time, bring chairs up to the sink or put your children right on the counter and give them a task to do. Let them start out helping you prepare a recipe. These children are ready to perform a few simple tasks.

For example, give your children the duty of tearing up the lettuce or pulling stems off cherry tomatoes for a salad. If you are busy in the kitchen with dinner, then you want to give them a task that is repetitious and simple. Your children will take that duty with great seriousness and you have just bought time in order to prepare the rest of your dinner.

You also can make a very special dessert with your preschoolers for a special occasion. Remember not to burden yourself with a recipe too involved, but

your children can be good assistants when it comes to adding ingredients, mixing and a lot of bowl licking.

You will be the director, showing your children just how to pour the milk into the mixing bowl or helping them crack an egg for the first time. You will also be needed to help them hold the spoon while stirring the batter smooth; sometimes their hands wear out before the lumps.

When taking on an entire recipe, give yourself plenty of time. Some of the steps, including hand-washing, are time-consuming. Whether you take the challenge of an entire recipe or just let your kids help with a step or two, the end results of taking this time with your children will be filled with very special rewards.

KITCHEN KIDS



Here are two recipes that you might like to try with your children.

The first is a fruit salad served

in a melon shell that has been made to look like a sports car.

The second recipe is for a chocolate cake that serves as a simple dessert; top it with ice cream for a special occasion.

SPORTS CAR FRUIT SALAD

- 1 cantaloupe
- 1 small bunch seedless grapes
- 1 banana
- ½ cup orange juice
- ¼ cup shredded coconut

Utensils: Cutting board, sharp knife, soup spoon, melon baller, mixing bowl, 1¼-inch cookie cutter, toothpicks, paper towels, measuring cups, wooden spoon.

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 20 minutes.

Place cantaloupe on cutting board. With sharp knife, cut 2-inch-thick slice from top of melon; then cut ½-inch-thick slice from bottom so melon can stand without falling over. Scrape seeds out of melon with soup spoon. Using melon baller, scoop out small melon balls and place them in mixing bowl. Don't cut through bottom of melon shell. It is going to become the bowl for the fruit salad.

Using cookie cutter, cut 4 circles from thick slice of melon. Attach circles to bottom of melon using toothpicks so they look like wheels.

Rinse grapes, pick off stems, and add to mixing bowl.

Peel banana, place it on cutting board and with butter knife, cut it into slices. Add banana to mixing bowl.

Add orange juice and coconut to mixing bowl and mix gently with wooden spoon. Spoon fruit salad into melon shell. Place melon

sports car on platter and serve.

PARTY CAKE

- 1 cup (2 sticks), plus 2 teaspoons butter
- 2½ cups, plus 2 tablespoons flour
- ¼ cup cocoa powder
- 2 teaspoons baking soda
- 2 cups granulated sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup hot water
- 2 cups ice cream (optional)

Utensils: Paper towels, 9x13x2-inch cake pan, measuring cups and spoons, 2 mixing bowls, electric mixer, rubber scraper, oven mitts.

Yields 12 servings.

Preparation time: 30 minutes.

Baking time: 1 hour, 30 minutes.

Preheat oven to 300 F.

Dab 2 teaspoons of butter with paper towel and rub evenly over sides and bottom of baking pan. Sprinkle pan with 2 tablespoons flour and shake pan so that flour evenly coats sides and bottom of pan. Set pan aside.

In mixing bowl, add remaining flour, cocoa powder and baking soda. With a fork, stir flour mixture until it is well blended. Set bowl aside.

Put butter and sugar in remaining mixing bowl and with electric mixer on high, beat together until they become smooth and fluffy. Stop mixer once and scrape down sides of bowl.

Add eggs, and with mixer on low speed, mix until blended.

Add half the flour mixture to bowl and blend. Then add half the milk to bowl and blend.

Add remaining flour mixture



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affordable, European, live-in child care - 12 months legal program, weekly, average \$165. Call today for our next monthly arrival. 1-800-333-6056. hm5

NURSE'S AIDE OR HOME HELP
aide job wanted. Private case, day or night. Experienced & good references. Ask for Mimose (718)776-8543. gcJ4

EXPERIENCED, LOVING
grandmother, who is non-smoker, will babysit your child in my home full time. Call 747-6726. References available. W-J-4

COMPANION/AIDE WITH
experience available part time/full time. Please call 491-7454. wf1

EXPERIENCED, LOVING MOM
will care for your child in my Garden City home. References available. Please call 248-8755. gcF2

Situations Wanted

BABYSITTING - GOT SOME-
where to go and no one to watch the kids? Now you do...Call me 867-7161 \$8 per hour. Week-nights, weekends, day or night. gcF3

COMPASSIONATE NURSE'S
aide looking for position to take care of elderly or children. Hospital and nursing home experience. References. Please call 378-6764. gcF1

RESPONSIBLE YOUNG
woman seeking live out, Mon. - Fri. employment starting Jan. 21. Great with children, housekeeping, etc. New school schedule interferes with present job. Please call Donna, 358-0246. gcF1

FUN LOVING MOM WANTS TO
care for your child in my Garden City home. Mon. - Fri. Call 741-3859. gcF1

NURSE'S AIDE - DAY OR
night. Have good references & hospital experience. Light cooking & light cleaning. (516) 565-1817. gcF1

RELIABLE CLEANING WOMAN
honest, hard working looking for daily housecleaning position. \$50 a day. 489-2788. gcF1

COMPANION/AIDE WITH
experience available P/T/FT. Please call 491-7454. W-F-1

IRISH GIRL - NURSE'S AIDE
and Housecleaning available to work day or nights. Experience and references available. Call (718) 470-6275. gcF2

G.C. RESIDENT 24 YRS. OLD
available to babysit, pet sit or house sit. Non-smoker with excellent references. Call Kimberly, 747-3457. gcF2

AUSTRALIAN RN, CURRENT
N.Y. license. Available for home care. I am also midwife & mother. Experienced with baby care. Would be available for help & advice if you have a new born. References available. Hours flexible. Call 358-4630. gcF2

MATURE, RESPONSIBLE LADY
looking for sleep-in housekeeping job. Experience & good recommendations. Call after 6 p.m. Ask for Sylvia 223-4438. gcF2

HOUSEKEEPER POSITION FOR
mature, reliable, Mineola area woman. Flexible hours. Will provide own transportation. Available immediately. Price based on hourly rate. References on request. Call 747-2673 or leave message. WJ2

Situations Wanted

NO BENEFITS NEEDED
Early retiree looking for full time receptionist/diversified general office work. Garden City area. Phone (516)742-2813. gcf1

DOCTOR WAITING FOR
residency starting 7/1/91 needs full time position in medicine or any kind of work. Any offer considered. (516)873-8723. gcf1

POLISH HOUSEKEEPER FOR
housecleaning job for Saturdays. Call 292-6029. Ask for Ursula. gcf1

NURSE'S AIDE FOR ELDERLY
or children available. 9.5 week-days. Experience. 379-4677. gcf2

HOUSECLEANING AVAILABLE
I houseclean - good experience and references. I also have my own transportation. Call anytime. (516)486-6187. gcf1

HOUSECLEANING AVAILABLE
Experienced & References. Own transportation. 292-7736. gcf1

HOUSEKEEPER/BABYSITTER
available Mon. through Sat. Dependable, reliable service. Own transportation. Reasonable fee. Reference available upon request. Call (516)379-1055. gcf1

POLISH HOUSEKEEPER
available. References available. Ask for Donna. 741-5145. gcf1

CERTIFIED NURSES AIDE
with Garden City references wishes work with sick or elderly 8 hrs./day. Prefer Garden City, Williston or New Hyde Park area. Please leave message. (516)484-4321 W-F-1

IRISH WOMAN AVAILABLE
for housecleaning or nurses aide. Honest and reliable good references. 5 days. Please call Kathleen 579-2979. Leave message. hf1

EXPERIENCED & CERTIFIED
Aide seeks home care position. Will work nights. Call (516)378-8771 Marge. gcf2

YOUNG LADY SEEKS LIVE-IN
job babysitting and cleaning. References available. (718)574-7234. gcf2

NURSE'S AIDE-COMPANION
with good references and experience - Certified. Looking for job to work with sick or elderly. Call anytime from 9 a.m. to midnight. (718)868-0130. hf3

HOUSECLEANER, EXPERIENCED,
good references. own transportation. Call any time. 731-3618 or 483-8617. gcf3

HOUSECLEANING POSITION
for Mineola Mom with empty nest syndrome. Flexible days & hours. Own transportation. Reasonable. Also cooking & dinner party catering available. Call 747-2673. wf3

NURSE'S AIDE FULLY EXPERIENCED
in hospital, nursing home and private duty, willing to take a long term case. Work hours 11 p.m. - 7 a.m. \$10 an hour. References. 546-2521.

Real Estate For Sale

GARDEN CITY ESTATES
Elegant, beautifully decorated and renovated Dutch Colonial. Center Hall, 5 Bedrooms, 3 1/2 Baths, Living Room with fireplace with authentic Dutch tiles, formal Dining Room, Sun Room, Finished Basement. Brass light fixtures. Laura Ashley curtains and wallpaper throughout. Hardwood floors, new cat-in-kitchen with cherrywood cabinets and top of the line appliances, two car garage. New furnace and water heater. House surrounded by dozens of azaleas. Excellent location, within half mile from Mineola and Hempstead train lines. Tullamore Park, Homestead and Stratford Schools just around the corner. By owner. \$495,000. 742-4271. gcf1

GARDEN CITY ESTATES
English Colonial, 3 BRs, plus maid's rm/walk-in cedar closet & 2 full baths on 2nd floor, 1 BR/full bath on 3rd. Large, mod. EIK/deck, LR/marble fl., FDR/corner hutch, original English wood paneled library. Mouldings, brass sconces. Fin. bsmt/laundry. New windows & oak floors throughout. Slate roof, 2 car garage with loft, park-like yard on beautiful street. Walk to RR. \$515,000. Principals only 746-6893, after 5:30 p.m. gcf4

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

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 & RR. Low \$400's. Owner 747-3882. gcf2

GARDEN CITY - SAVE \$400,000!
Price reduction plus 8.5% mortgage by owner saves \$1,000 per month in mortgage payments! It's less expensive than you think to trade up to this 5 BR Colonial on Oxford Blvd. Owner/Broker 248-2450. gcf4

GARDEN CITY: 4 BR RANCH
Mother/daughter of professional offices. Country Kitchen, 2 fpls, all amenities. \$650,000. Principals only. 747-7328. gcf2

GARDEN CITY, MAGNIFICENT
English Tudor completely refurbished. Every comfort. \$3,600,000. 741-3089. Afternoons/weekends. gcf3

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. gcf1

WATERFRONT - MATITUCK
Completely renovated 7 room "oldie" on 1 acre. 4 BR, 2 1/2 baths. 50' on Mattituck Inlet. Asking \$295,000. O.T.O. Bookmillers Realty - 722-4423. gcf2

Real Estate For Sale

MINEOLA 3 BR COLONIAL ON
50 x 100 in "The Park" section with LR, FDR, EIK, gas heat, central AC \$225,000. Call Valentine Agency, 746-7200. wf1

WATERWAYS AT BAY POINTE
in Moriches. Waterfront Commodore. Verticals, vacuum system, many other extras. Walk pool, tennis, clubhouse. Greatly reduced. Call 741-8247. Leave message. gcf1

TUDOR - EAST WILLISTON
Completely redone, new designer kit., park-like grounds, 3 BRs, 1 1/2 baths, fin. bsmt, 2 car garage. Asking high \$300's. Call days, 212-309-3125. gcf3

ONE BDRM CO-OP GARDEN
Apt. with scenic view. 20 minutes to NYC. Near North Shore Towers. E.I.K. Low maintenance. Reduced to \$61,500. Call 747-0535. wf3

PRIME REYDON CT.
Southold, N.Y.: Two one-acre 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. gcm3

GARDEN CITY - 4 BRs,
3 baths, LR/fpl, DR, EIK, den, basement w/fpl, large fenced yard. Many extras. By owner \$329,000. 248-5244. gcf3

NORTH FORK CUSTOM
built Contemporary. Sedately set on wooded plot offering 2,500 sq. ft. of luxurious living space. 8 truly spacious rms., 3/4 BRs, 2 tiled baths, skylights, bsmt., garage, deck. Boat rights on deep water creek. Under priced at \$167,000. See ASAP. Large selection of choice building lots from Calverton to Orient. Some wooded 1 acres. \$49,900. Water views, bay creek & sound fronts. Call for new free list. *Cruisers & Big Sails Haven.* Snug 3 BRs, 2 bath updated Mariner's home on 1/2 acre plot. 140 ft. front on deep water creek to bay. Double garage, 40 ft. floating dock. Just reduced \$25,000 to \$399,000. Bookmillers Real Estate 722-4423. gcf4

NASSAU POINT/CUTCHOGUE
Private community with beach and mooring across the street. 3 BR Ranch, 2 baths, large kitchen, LR/FPL, 2 car attached garage. Full attic & basement plus 2 story barn with workshop area and extras. 734-5725. \$250,000. gcf1

HAMLET OF LAUREL - 5 BR
1 bath, year round home. Fpl, deck, one house away from the beach with deeded beach rights. Great for children. Principals only. \$175,000. 488-5018. gcf1

GARDEN CITY - TIRED OF
shoveling snow, raking leaves, mowing grass? Come in from the cold to Stewart House! Sunny & spacious 2 BR, 2 baths, new windows, remodeled kitchen & bath, new appliances. Convenient central location. 294-0585. gcf1

Real Estate For Sale

GARDEN CITY ESTATES.
Starter house. 3 BRs, kit, LR, FDR, 1 1/2 baths, fin. attic & bsmt., a/c & fans, 1 1/2 car garage. Automatic sprinkler system. Low taxes. Mid \$200's. 248-6512. gcf1

GARDEN CITY PRIME
Estates Area - 4 BR, center hall brick Colonial, 3 1/2 baths, LR/fpl, FDR, EIK, all appliances, full bsmt., 2 car garage. Excellent condition. Owner. 294-8025, \$549,000. gcf1

CAMELBACK, PA. TOWN-
house. Best mountain top location. Ski on/ski off. Fully furnished 4 BRs, 4 baths, 2 kits., deck, wood stove, skylight, greatroom. Clubhouse with heated pool, indoor tennis & sauna. \$139,000. Sale/Rent. 747-7019. gcf1

KEUSEY'S EXCLUSIVES
Rambling 5 BR Center Hall expanded Ranch. Den & rec. rm, 4 baths, cac, 1/2 acre on prestigious street. Walk village. All only \$575,000. In the Grand Style - Benchmark Estates Colonial, fpl, EIK, den, 6 BRs, 3 1/2 baths, 2 car, vacant. Must see situation. \$519,000. Move right in to this spacious, gracious, lovingly cared for Western Colonial. 4 BR, 2 1/2 baths, EIK, large garden rm., full DR, LR/fpl, rec. rm., convenient to all. Offered at \$379,000. Estates Center hall Colonial. Modern & spacious EIK, 4 BRs, 2 1/2 baths, fpl, rec. rm., 2 car, walk all \$345,000. Expansive living area in this 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath Contemporary. Large property. EIK, fam. rm., Asking \$345,000. Put a little Mott in your life. Center hall Colonial, LR/fpl, DR, kit, Florida rm., 2 BRs, 1 1/2 baths. Priced to sell \$325,000. English Colonial - 60x145 property needs TLC. 4 BRs, 1 1/2 baths, LR/fpl, full DR, kit, heated sun room & garage plus low, low taxes. Reduced to \$289,000. Contemporary Colonial on 85 x 130 lot. 3 BRs, 1 1/2 baths, den, 2 car with electric eye. Asks \$265,000. Doll House - Great starter. Completely renovated, full of charm. New EIK & den, 3 BRs, low taxes. Vacant. Won't last. Make offer \$199,000. Why Rent? Affordable 1 BR Co-op, heart of village, private entrance & garage too. Walk all. Only \$69,500. Edwin M. Keusey 747-1300. gcf4

MINEOLA 3 BR COLONIAL ON
50 x 100 in "The Park" section with LR, FDR, EIK, gas heat, central AC \$225,000. Call Valentine Agency, 746-7200. wf4

BOCA RATON, FLORIDA
2 yr. old 3 large BRs, 3 baths, single family home. Security neighborhood, full facilities in complex. Mile and a half from beach. \$198,000. Ken Kerr (305) 427-8686 days, (305) 781-5377 eves. gcf2

GARDEN CITY - REDUCTION
3 BRs, 1 1/2 baths Colonial, LR, FDR (16x13), EIK, new appliances, lovely fenced in yard, bsmt & attic. Open porch, semi attached, low taxes. \$169,900. 741-2780. gcf2

Real Estate For Sale

WEST HEMPSTEAD/GARDEN
City. Owner selling 4 BR Cape. Fin. bsmt, oversized garage, vinyl siding, replacement windows. Low taxes. \$160,000. Call for details & appointment. 775-1192 or 481-8942. gcf2

GARDEN CITY ESTATES
Colonial north of Stewart Ave. LR/fpl, den, FDR, EIK, 4 BRs, 3 baths, fin. bsmt. Maintenance free. New windows, 2 car garage, low taxes. \$415,000. Principals only. 747-2794. gcf3

SOUTHOLD - CHARMING 2 BR
year round cottage in desirable area. LR/fpl, large EIK, full cellar, screened porch overlooking pvt. yard. Near village & great bay beach (Owner/Broker). A negotiable \$135,000. Southold - Walk to everything from this charming 2 BR, 2 bath Cape in heart of village on lovely lane. LR/fpl, DR, EIK, screened porch. Fin. attic, 2 car garage. Now reduced to \$155,000. Madelyn Baker Real Estate 765-2310. gcf4

TIME SHARE FOR SALE
- Guernsey's Inn, Montauk. Ocean front on the beach. All amenities included. Last week in February. Reduced to \$6,500. Call owner 221-4825. gcf1

GARDEN CITY ESTATES
Large Center Hall Colonial with extended back 100 x 150. Oversized rooms. 4 BRs, 3 tiled baths, 2 fpls. Quality home, hardwood flooring, plaster throughout, high ceilings, Tree lined private yard for entertaining & play. Principals only. Worth \$700,000. 437-0079. Leave message. gcf1

GARDEN CITY CHARMING
English Tudor just reduced, prime location, tree lined street, walk to village, RR, schools, 3 BRs, 1 1/2 baths, LR/fpl, FDR, den EIK, full bsmt, walk up & expandable attic. Screened porch, 2 car garage, oversize property, move right in \$359,000 by owner 248-7862. Leave message. hf2

GARDEN CITY MOTT
Center Hall Colonial, 4 BRs, 1 1/2 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. gcf3

FLORAL PARK VILLAGE
Legal 2 family, 3 1/2 over 4 1/2 rooms. Unfin. attic & basement. \$18,500 income. A1 condition. Walk to all. Owner \$239,500. 741-4198. No brokers. gcf2

GARDEN CITY - DRASTICALLY
reduced 4 BR, 2 baths CH Cape. Northeast section. Owner/agent \$325,000. 742-3629. gcf2

GARDEN CITY - HAMILTON
Gardens. Best location. Walk to everything. Large 1 BR apartment, front to back, quiet top floor, heated garage. No money down. \$97,000. Immediate occupancy. 747-2422. gcf4

Real Estate For Sale

SOUTHOLD - GRACIOUS & spacious Country Cape in most prestigious area. 4 BRs, 3 1/2 baths, FD, patio, full bsmt. & 2 zone OHW heat. Priced to sell at \$227,000. **Catchogue** - Better than new 4 BR, 3 bath, 2 story on 1 acre, 2 zone OHW heat, deck, attached 2 car garage. Perfect family home \$179,500. **Southold** - Nicely renovated 3 BR year round vacation get-a-way with new kit & bath. LR/fpl, screened porch, deck, gas heat. Very private yard, deeded beach & boating rights. \$159,000. **Greenport** - 200' deep waterfront. Dutch Colonial features 4/5 BRs, 2 1/2 baths, LR/stove, FDR, EIK, deck & 2 car garage. Just reduced to \$425,000. **Southold** - Super location! Well maintained 4 BR, 2 1/2 bath Colonial in private bay beach & boating community. LR/fpl, FDR, EIK, fam. rm. w/sliders to deck. Attached 2 car garage. Value packed offering \$225,000. **Marion King Realty** 734-5657. gcJ4

GARDEN CITY & VICINITY. "The early bird gets the bargain!" On numbered street 113 x 262 beautiful plot, 5 BRs, slate roof. **English Tudor.** 4 1/2 baths, brkfst. rm., butler's pantry \$850,000. 4 BR **Classic turretted Tudor** on 1/3 acre, 3 1/2 baths, random-pegged floors, central air, 3 car garage \$750,000. **Western Section 3 BR Ranch.** 2 baths, skylight kit, LR, fpl, full fin. bsmt., 2 car, 80 x 100, beautifully landscaped plot \$375,000. **Young 3 BR Split.** 2 1/2 baths, updated kit \$339,000. 4 BR **Colonial.** 2 baths, EIK, new 1st floor fam. rm., new windows, skylights \$199,000. **Garden City South.** 3 BR Brick Split. 2 1/2 baths, central air, fin. bsmt., sprinklers, 2 car. \$295,000. **Garden City Park.** 4 BR Tudor. 2 1/2 baths, EIK, 2 car, walk Merillon RR, \$265,000. Adjoining bldg. plot 60 x 100 \$120,000. **Hempstead Cathedral Gardens.** On Garden City Line. One glorious acre! Fabulous Great Gatsby central hall colonial. 6 BRs, 4 and two 1/2 baths, walnut-paneled library, fam., rm., 2 fpls, country kit, columned screened porches, 500 sq. ft. wrap-around deck. Just reduced to \$399,000. **Charming 3 BR Center Hall Colonial.** EIK, porch, patio, 75 x 100 \$219,000. **Country Club Estates.** Company pays commission on 1/3 acre, 3 BR slate roof Colonial, 2 1/2 baths, den fpl, brkfst. rm., 24 x 44 pool \$226,000. **Overlooking Golf Course 5 BR Colonial.** 2 1/2 baths, fpl, 20 x 18 den, new decor, possible MD \$199,000. 3 BR **Dutch Colonial.** 2 1/2 new baths, jacuzzi, new windows, fpl, den 80 x 125, walk RR, 2 car garage \$189,000. 3 BR **Quaint Colonial.** 2 1/2 baths, EIK, master BR/fpl, LR/fpl. Walk all, 2 car garage \$169,900. **Elaine J. Nolan** 485-7054, 292-9749. wJ4

GARDEN CITY BEAUTIFUL 1 BR. 1 bath Cherry Valley. All new. Move in condition. Best location in complex. \$98,000. Excellent financing available. 248-1878. gcJ4

GARDEN CITY - SUNNY 2 BR Co-op in Stewart/Franklin building. Renovated kit & bath, low maintenance. Asking \$159,000 by owner. 294-9318. gcF1

MINEOLA: HORTON HOUSE 1 BR, large LR, secure building. Convenient to RR, hospital, stores. Must sell. \$89,000. By owner, 747-8711. gcF2

HOUSE FOR SALE. MINEOLA Blvd. area. Totally mint Colonial. 4 BRs, 3 1/2 baths, many amenities too numerous to list. Must be seen! **Open House Sunday, Feb. 4, 1 to 4 p.m.** Asking \$399,000. For information call **Anne Hartigan, Smith & DeGroot,** 248-1468. wf1

Real Estate For Sale

GARDEN CITY PRINCIPALS only. Newer Estates Center Hall Colonial. LR/fpl, FDR, new spacious EIK, 4 BRs, 2 1/2 baths, rec. rm., brick & vinyl maintenance free exterior, 2 car garage, gas heat. Walk to RR & stores. Mint condition. Realistically priced \$329,000. Call evenings for appointment. 742-2712. gcF3

GARDEN CITY ESTATES reduced for immediate sale! 3 BR Colonial, new EIK, 2 full baths, fin. bsmt. Large LR/fpl, FDR, taxes \$2,600. Asking \$305,000. 248-2009. gcF3

GARDEN CITY TUDOR Gardens. 1 BR Condo, mod. EIK & bath, A/C, walk to all. Low maintenance with heat \$169. By owner \$170's. 742-8342. gcF3

NEW SUFFOLK BAYFRONT Lovely 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath cottage on sandy beach. LR, den, DR, Kit, large porch. Asking \$499,000. **Mattituck** - Business zoned, 10 rms, 2 story, built-in pool, garage. Ideal location. \$239,000. **Catchogue** - Country Cape on 1/2 acre. 2 BRs, 2 baths. Very large LR/fpl, DR, EIK, hardwood floors. Walk to beach & boating \$169,900. **Riverhead Exclusive** - 2 story. Ideal for professional. LR/fpl, DR, breakfast rm, sun rm, 3 BRs, 1 plus baths, sprinkler system, garage. \$199,900. **Marlyns Lang Realty,** 734-6690, 734-6472. gcJ4

STEWART MANOR NORTH Large Custom Ranch 60 x 100 landscaped plot, attached garage, spacious LR, fpl, FDR, EIK, 3 BRs (King Master), 2 baths. Prime area. Sacrifice \$279,000. Exclusive broker. 775-2327. gcJ4

PARK SECTION MINEOLA Legal 2 family, 5 1/2 & 4 1/2 rm. apartments. Gas heat, full attic, fin. bsmt. 50 x 100 ft. lot. Low taxes. Mid \$200's. Call 746-3141. wf3



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MINEOLA: HORTON HOUSE 1 BR, large LR, secure building. Convenient to RR, hospital, stores. Must sell. \$89,000. By owner, 747-8711. gcF2

Real Estate For Sale

GARDEN CITY - NO MONEY down. 2 BR Co-op end unit, first floor w/lg. mod. kit/appl/king size Master BR. Lease & option \$1200 month. May apply to purchase. 80% tax break! By Owner. Appt call 742-0359. gcF1

GARDEN CITY - SEVENTH ST. Co-op: Second floor, totally renovated kit., BR, LR + TV rm. Renfinished floors, new windows, 1 car garage. Low \$100's. Owner. 248-6512. gcF1

MINEOLA 2 BR, 2 BATH corner apartment. Oak floors throughout, 6 closets (2 walk-in), 2 parking spaces. \$98,000. Immediate occupancy. 80% deductible. 328-7068 or 747-7430. gcJ4

MINEOLA - THE REGENCY Very large and sunny 1 BR CO-OP. Maintenance 75% deductible. Lowest price. \$74,000 plus 2 months free maintenance. By owner 873-8839. gc Feb1

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. 873-9469, leave message. gcF1

Real Estate For Rent

GARDEN CITY 1 BR, 1 BATH Apt. Immed. occupancy, small EIK, new windows, parking & heat included \$850. Call 747-4045. hf2

NEW HYDE PARK 1 BR APT, bath, kit, LR, upstairs, separate entrance. Walk RR. All included. \$575/month. 741-2217. wf2

FLORAL PARK CREST STUDIO Apartment. Private entrance, full bath and kitchen. Non-smoker, references. Call (516) 775-0792 after 6 p.m.. gcF2

CORNER STORE FOR RENT 1500 square feet, 310 Hillside Ave., Williston Park. 746-1075. Owner. wf1

MINEOLA 3 ROOM FIRST floor apartment. Near all, zoned commercial. Available immediately. \$650/mo. Call 248-0674 or ans. mach. 248-6976. wf1

GARDEN CITY VICINITY ON Hilton Ave. - 2 BR apartment with garage, kit with breakfast bar, large LR/DR combo \$875 per month. References required. 486-3549. gcF1

FLORAL PARK - WEST END area. 3 room apartment second floor. 2 1/2 blocks to LIRR. Use of yard \$650 plus utilities. Call owner after 7:30 p.m. 488-5481. gcF1

Real Estate For Rent

FRANKLIN SQUARE/GARDEN City area - 2 BR apartment, large LR, large EIK, near all. \$875 per month, utilities included. Please call after 6 p.m. (516)358-6223. gcJa4

GARDEN CITY FOR RENT or Sale - 222 Seventh Street, Garden City. Beautiful, new 2 BR condo. Walk to all. Apply full year's rent towards purchase price. \$1,500 a month or \$190,000. (516) 742-8337 gcJa4

HEMPSTEAD/GARDEN CITY Border - Co-Op Studio Apartment for rent on prestigious Cathedral Avenue. Kitchen, bath, w/w, laundry in building. Owner \$600. 486-7024. gcJa4

GARDEN CITY - DOUBLE LOFT apartment. Private entrance, parking, furnished, utilities included. Principals only. 747-7328. gcF2

ROOM FOR RENT - CATHE- dral Ave. Carpeted, sunny room, share bath, kit, laundry privileges. Prefer student or employed non-smoker. \$400 per month. 565-5068. gcF1

GARDEN CITY COLONIAL Walk to LIRR & stores. 4 BRs, 2 full baths, LR, FDR, den, new EIK, all appliances included, fin. bsmt. \$1,600. Call owner 437-3825. gcF1

HEMPSTEAD/GARDEN CITY Mulford Place. Large 1 BR in charming building. Freshly painted, LR/fpl, DR adjacent salarium. Furnished \$950. Unfurnished \$850. 741-5923. gcF1

NORTH MASSAPEQUA - 3 RMS, LR 20 x 40, EIK 15 x 25, 1 BR \$685/mo plus security. Utilities included. Private entrance, wall to wall carpeting. Non-smoker, no pets, no children. Working couple. Call weekdays after 6 p.m. 293-5109. gcF1

CATHEDRAL GARDENS/G.C. border. 3 room apartment located on a quiet cul-de-sac block near RR and shopping. Close to Adelphi/Hofstra. Separate entrance. Gas & Utilities included. Available Jan. 1. \$600. 486-0625 or 292-0484. gcJ4

FRANKLIN SQUARE - 1 BR Apartment, full bath, EIK, utility room with washer/dryer, A/C, wall to wall carpeting, good closet space, private entrance, parking. Walk to RR & stores. Near park. Nice quiet neighborhood. All amenities. Must see. \$750. 775-1475. gcF3

WEST HEMPSTEAD - BRIGHT, spacious Studio. Private entrance, new European kit & full tiled bath. Single, non-smoker. \$535 includes all. Eves 538-0225. gcF1

NEW HYDE PARK NEWLY decorated furnished studio basement apartment. Private entrance. Mature working person. \$550/month. Utilities included. 328-8613. wf1

Real Estate For Rent

GARDEN CITY: 3 BR, 1 BATH Townhouse. Small yard, near RR, basement. \$1075/month. 212-447-1263. gcJ4

GARDEN CITY FURNISHED room available for rent. Private entrance, private bath, parking. Convenient to all. No kit. 741-3791. gcF1

ELMONT BASEMENT APT 1 BR, LR, full bath, efficiency kit., plenty of closet space. Private entrance, \$550 a month including utilities. Mature business person, no children, no pets. 437-4456. gcF2

OFFICES FOR RENT Mincola - Willis Ave. location. Choice of 125 sq. ft. or 980 sq. ft. Use space for office or store. Ground floor level. Good parking. Call owner. 746-8023. wf1

OFFICES FOR RENT Two Manhasset offices for rent with private, assigned parking spaces, heat & electric included. 2 blocks from LIRR. First floor office \$195; second floor office \$250; garage \$140. Immediate occupancy. Devlin, 365-9010. Wtfn

ELMONT ROOM FOR RENT IN private home. Separate entrance, share bathroom. Mature, working female. References required. 437-6173. gcF1

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1980 DODGE OMNI 024 SILVER
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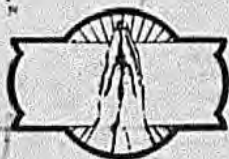
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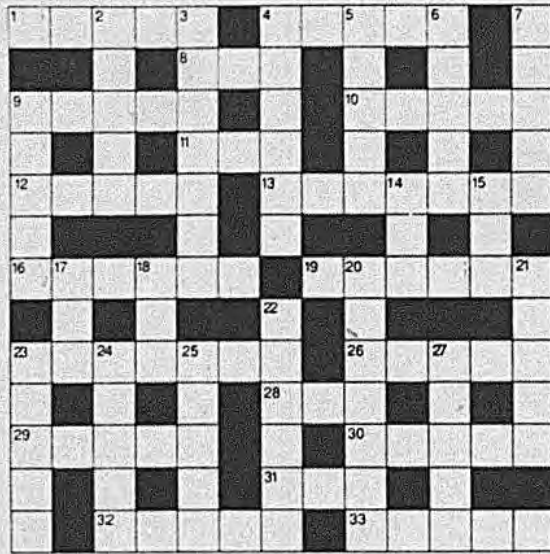
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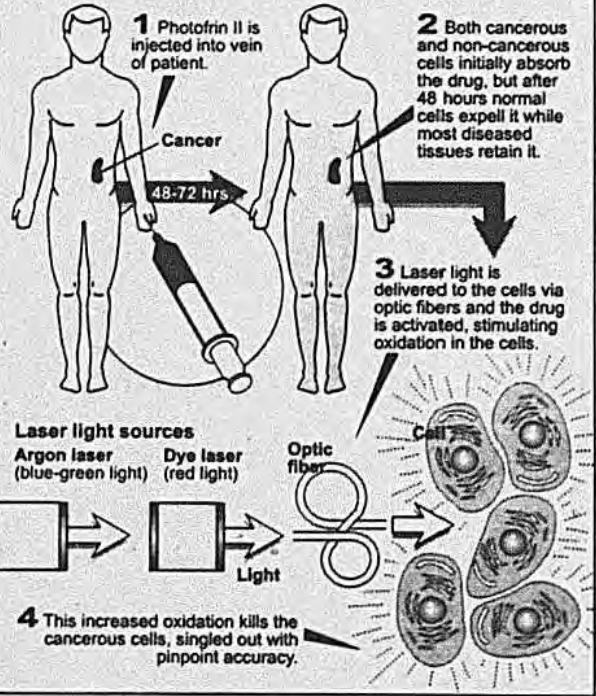
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SNOLLTOS

DISCOVERY

Cancer in the limelight

Doctors are hopeful that a light-sensitive drug will herald a new era in the fight against cancer. The drug, Photofrin II, is the main component of a procedure called photodynamic therapy (PDT).



Body facts

- Lungs use about 12,500 quarts of air a day.
- It takes your eyes about 1/6 of a second to blink.
- Your eyes are constantly moving, even when you stare at something. The tiny muscles in your eye move about 100,000 times a day.
- The type of hair you have is determined by the shape of your hair follicles.
- Follicles are the holes from which your hairs grow out. People with round follicles have straight hair. People with oval follicles have curly hair. And, people with slit-shaped follicles have wavy hair.
- An average adult liver weighs about 3 1/2 pounds; it is the heaviest organ in the body.
- Eyelashes 'live' about 150 days.

JANUARY MESSAGE

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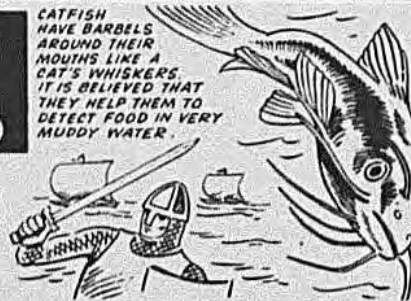
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DID YOU KNOW?

by AL 366

IN 1066 WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR INVADDED ENGLAND FROM FRANCE AND IT IS FROM THAT DATE THAT THE CHANNEL ISLANDS HAVE BELONGED TO BRITAIN.

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