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Learn Arithmetic



"What, they don't want to learn Arithmetic!" So exclaim the Court of the King and Queen Arithmetic at Lee Day. The students in Mrs. Pfaffenmayer's second grade class at the Lee Avenue School performed their play as part of the school's Lee Day Activities. Underlining the importance of arithmetic were the well known characters, Princess Addition (Jeanna McLoughlin), Princess Subtraction (Alexis Harrison), Princess Multiplication (Mary Blutelonia) and Princess Division (Eileen Donovan), and King and Queen Arithmetic played by John McGinn and Lisa North.

Kiwanis Club At Culinary Class

The Hicksville Kiwanis Club changed the venue of a recent regular weekly Wednesday luncheon to BOCES (Board of Cooperative Educational Services) in Westbury. The highlight of this luncheon was the lunch itself which was a sumptuous three course meal which was prepared and served by students in the Advanced Culinary Services Class.

Additionally, the club was

addressed by Joe Elmo of the Center's Guidance staff who presented an overview of the courses (mostly technical) available for study. He commented that the courses are attended by adults for reasonable fees, as well as by teenagers whose tuition is, of course, free. A complete catalog of the courses currently offered is available at the center.



The advanced Culinary Class and their instructor, Mr. Smith, receive certificate of appreciation from Kiwanis President, Patti LeCompta.

Oyster Bay To Honor Its 340th Anniversary

A salute to the Town of Oyster Bay's 340th Anniversary and its Dutch connection will highlight the Town's Independence Day celebration sponsored by the Town's Bicentennial Historical Commission. It was announced this week by Supervisor Lewis J. Yevoll.

"Along with celebrating our nation's 217th Birthday, the Town of Oyster Bay's Independence Day Program, which will be held on July 5th will also commemorate the 340th Anniversary of the founding of the Town and its Dutch connection," Supervisor Yevoll said. "A keynote speaker will discuss Henry Hudson and his discovery of the Hudson River, as well as the establishment of the Dutch Province of New Netherland. It will be an appropriate prelude to the planned visit to Oyster Bay of a replica of Henry Hudson's ship, *de Halve Maen*, in August."

The Supervisor noted that Oyster Bay received its name from the Dutch. The first known written reference to it appears in the diary of Dutch voyager, David DeVries, who wrote in 1633: "On June 4th I anchored in a commodious haven on the north of Long Island. We found fine oysters there, from which the Dutch call it Oyster Bay."

The day's activities will kick off at 10:45 a.m. on Mon. July 5th, with a parade, which will form at the Church Street municipal parking lot #4. With color guards from various organizations, the parade will wend its way down East Main Street, across South Street and onto Audrey Ave., reaching its destination at Townsend Park. There, starting at 11 a.m., residents will be treated to a program including musical selections by the Oyster Bay Community Band and including musical selections by the Oyster Bay Community Band and brief remarks by the guest speakers. Following the observance, parade units will re-form and march back to the Church Street parking field.

"The Dutch played a major role in the founding and growth of our area, as well as New York and neighboring states," Supervisor Yevoll commented. "I hope many residents will join me on July 5th as we celebrate our nation's 217th Birthday, our Town's 340th Anniversary and salute our Dutch connection."

Old Building For Sale



One of Hicksville's oldest buildings which recently housed Chateau Drugs is up for sale. The drug store, the last of several in the location closed recently. The building, which is over 100 years old, was once the site of a sportsmen's hotel, department store, the old Long Island National Bank, Whelan's, Unverhau's drug store, Sal's Pharmacy and Whale Drugs. The second floor of the building was occupied for many years by Dr. Elwood Curtis, a well known dentist.

Honor Outgoing President



Oyster Bay Town Supervisor Lewis J. Yevoll, right, and Town Councilman Leonard B. Symons, second from left, recently joined with members of the Mid Island "Y" Jewish Community Center as they honored outgoing President Lee Gordon for his commitment and dedication to the Center. Sharing the occasion was incoming President Hank Hanning.

Senior Citizens Meet



Nassau County Executive Thomas S. Gulotta, (second from right), attended a meeting of the Bethpage Senior Citizens. Joining the County Executive were: Frank Muesohke, President; Helen Bergamer; Lucille Sini; Jesse Miranda; Millie Ballustio, Director.

**LEGAL NOTICE
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC
MEETING BY THE ZONING
BOARD OF APPEALS**

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 246, Article III, Section 246-18-E of the CODE OF THE TOWN OF OYSTER BAY, notice is hereby given that the Zoning Board of Appeals has scheduled a public meeting, which will take place in the Town Hall (East Building) Meeting Room, Audrey Avenue, Oyster Bay, New York, on JUNE 30, 1993, at 7:00 P.M., to consider the following appeals:

BY ORDER OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

APPEAL NO. 93-282

JERICO MELVIN & LILLIAN BLUVER: Variance to maintain an existing, rear, raised, wooden deck, having less than the required rear yard. S/o Forest Dr., 85.50 ft. W/o Leisure St., s/k/a 186 Forest Dr., Jericho, NY

APPEAL NO. 93-283 A/B

JERICO CAMILLE WALKER: (A) Variance to maintain two (2) existing air-conditioning units, with each having less side setback and setback from street line than required for an accessory structure. (B) Variance to maintain an existing, eight (8) ft. high, wooden fence, along the rear property line, exceeding permitted height. S/o Halsey Ave., 130 ft. W/o Key Pl., s/k/a 222 Halsey Ave., Jericho, NY.

APPEAL NO. 93-284

JERICO MONICA POLLACK: Variance to erect a two-story addition, having less than the required rear yard, and which exceeds the permitted building height. NW corner of Ivy Dr. & Moss Ln., s/k/a 63 Ivy Dr., Jericho, NY

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East Woods' Ocean Challenge

The fifth grade worked on a project called Ocean Challenge sponsored by Newspapers in Education. They tracked the voyage of Rich Wilson and Bill Bieweiga as they sailed a 53 foot Catamaran from San Francisco to Boston, around Cape Horn. The two man team completed this 15,000 mile journey in 70 days. Six days ahead of the record set in the mid 1800's by the clipper ship Northern Lights.

This multi-disciplinary approach to learning involved plotting the latitude and longitude position of the Great American II, discussions on weather conditions, reading the ship's log and recording pertinent information in their own information guide, as well as writing letters of encouragement to the two man crew.

According to fifth graders Sarah Johnson and Lindsay Ammarell, "This study involved the fifth grade in a great ocean adventure, letting them scan the horizon and feel the fresh winds in their hair even as they sat in the classroom."

College Notes

Mary Jean Corrisa of Syosset, a June graduate of Syosset High School, has been awarded a \$1,000 academic scholarship from Virginia Tech. Mary Jean will study interior Design in the College of Human Resources, the fourth largest college at Virginia Tech, and one of the most diverse, offering 18 courses of study.

Mary Jean is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Raymond J. Corrisa.

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Tor J. Worsoe, CAI Auctioneer as Agent sells July 8, 1993, 3 PM, at 5700 Merrick Rd., Massapequa, NY, 1988 Aero Predator KMK28-AR4D888, 1988 Continental Trailer C749777Z246; at 4 PM, at Garvies Point Rd., Glen Cove, NY, 1986 4DSD Lincoln 1LNB96F8-GY740519 RE: Wesley Werner, William S. Megill, Chemical Bank. MIT 2721 2X 4/18, 25

English Handbell Choir To Perform



The Carol Ringers of Mt. Matthew's United Methodist Church in Annandale, Va., will present a concert of English Handbells at the Woodbury United Methodist Church in Woodbury on Sunday, June 27, at 5 p.m.

The Carol Ringers are a group of 12 high school students. In the past, they have performed at the Kennedy Center concert Hall as guest artists of the Handel Festival Orchestra, at Constitution Hall with the Air Force Band, at the White House, on several community concert series in the Washington area and in local schools and churches. They will be participating in a four-day festival with 1000 other ringers at Alfred University, Alfred, N.Y., from June 29-July 3.

The Woodbury United Methodist Church is located at 577 Woodbury Road. The concert is free and open to the public.

Honorable Mention Poetry Contest



Candice Walsh, a 6th grader in Rosemary McKinley's Language Arts class at John F. Kennedy Middle School in Bethpage, won honorable mention in the Walt Whitman Birthplace Association's 7th annual Poetry Contest. She participated in an awards presentation on Sunday, June 6, at the Walt Whitman House in Huntington Station.

Art Exhibit At Syosset Hosp.

During the month of June, Syosset Community Hospital will display the oil paintings of Williston Park resident, Michael Johnson, in the main lobby.

Mr. Johnson's work has regularly appeared in many juried art shows throughout Nassau and Suffolk counties.

Art exhibits featuring the work of a different artist appear each month at Syosset Community Hospital courtesy of the Town of Oyster Bay, Department of Community Service, Cultural and Performing Arts Division.

Syosset Community Hospital is a voluntary, not-for-profit, community hospital affiliated with Long Island Jewish Medical Center and the Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York.

Blue Cross/Blue Shield and all other health insurance plans are accepted at the Hospital.

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Hicksville Youth Council Plans

The Hicksville Youth Council has a summer of fun filled recreation planned for local youth. Summer calendars are available so if you don't want to miss out on any of the fun please stop in at the Youth Council and pick one up.

July events include a Bike Ride to Jones on July 7, Horseback Riding on July 14, an overnight trip to Herabey Park on July 21 through the 22, a trip to Shea Stadium to watch the New York Mets cream the Florida Marlins on July 25.

Things will get "cooler" as the summer gets hotter as we spend a day at Jones Beach playing miniature golf, swimming and hanging out in the sun on Aug. 4. On Aug. 11 you are going to need to grab your towels and bathing suits again for a trip out to Splash Splash. Then on Aug. 18 through the 20 break out your sleeping bags and camping equipment for a Camping Trip to upstate New York. We will wind up the summer with a Barbecue at Jones Beach on Aug. 25 so don't put those swimsuits away. All summer trips will include adult supervision and transportation to and from the Hicksville Youth Council. There will be a small fee to participate in all summer trips but we take advantage of group rates and special prices whenever possible in order to keep our prices down.

Other Hicksville Youth Council events include Swim H.Y.C., Drop In Lounge, Deck Hockey Night, Softball Night and Movie Night. With the exception of Swim H.Y.C. these programs are offered to all local youth free of charge. Swim H.Y.C. will take place every Monday from 12-3 p.m. in the summer starting on July 12 and ending on Aug. 30. Swim H.Y.C. will require a \$1.25 entrance fee each time you participate. We will be swimming at the Cantiaque Park Pool (please meet at the Hicksville Youth Council, do not go directly to the pool). The Drop In Lounge will be open every afternoon from noon to 5 p.m. Come in and play pool, Foos Ball, listen to music, play Nintendo, or just hang out. Deck Hockey will take place every Tues. evening starting on July 8 and ending on Aug. 26 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on the Hicksville Middle School basketball court. Softball Night will take place on the Hicksville Middle School softball field every Thurs. night from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The Hicksville Youth Council has some Hockey and Softball equipment but it would help if you brought your own equipment. Softball night will start on July 8 and end on Aug. 26. Come on in to the Youth Council every Fri. night for Movie Night, call in advance every Fri. to find out what the movie of the week is going to be.

All Hicksville Youth Council programs are adult supervised or chaperoned by our staff.

The Hicksville Youth Council is located at 175 West Old Country Road between Route 106 and 107. If you have any questions please call 822-KIDS and ask for Gail or Mike.

Young Adults Summer Reading

Join the fun this year starting Thursday, June 10, at the library when sign-up begins for the Summer Reading Club for Young Adults. Read a minimum of 5 books and win a special prize. The more you read, the more you win! The fun will culminate with a Gala party on Thursday, August 26, at 7 p.m. with Pizza, ices, soda and hand-writing analysis with Anne Pascale, noted handwriting analyst. In between there are a number of fun programs planned - fliers are available at the library or call 931-3907 for more information. Also for your summer reading enjoyment, the library has added a great collection of your favorite series books in paperback. So make the library one of your stops this summer.

The library is located at 47 Powell Avenue, two blocks west of Exit #8 on the Seaford-Oyster Bay Expressway (Route #135), phone 931-3907.

Defensive Driving Course Offered

Registration for a defensive driving course to be offered at the Hicksville Public Library will begin on July 7, at 9 a.m. The class dates are Monday and Tuesday, July 19 and 20 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

A check for \$35 made out to Drive Safety Program is required at registration, which will close when 35 people have registered.

Completion of this course may enable drivers to save 10% on their automobile insurance and remove four points from their driving records.

LEGAL NOTICE SUPREME COURT COUNTY OF NASSAU

OLD STONE CREDIT CORPORATION OF NY Plaintiff against William Kafka et al Defendant(s). Pursuant to a judgement of foreclosure and sale entered herein and dated April 13, 1993, I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction on the north front steps of the Nassau County Courthouse, 262 Old Country Road, Mineola, NY on the 13th day of July, 1993 at 10:00 AM premises BEGINNING at a point on the easterly side of Wilfred Boulevard distant 240 feet southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Wilfred Boulevard with the southerly side of Davind Avenue, being a plot 100 feet by 53 feet by 100 feet by 53 feet, said premises known as 7 Wilfred Boulevard, Hicksville, New York. Approximate amount of lien \$82,988.64 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment, Index Number 9117/92. Dated: June 10, 1993. Louis Tassan, Referee, Michael Z. Rindenow Attorney(s) for Plaintiff, 1576 Front Street, East Meadow, NY 11554. MIT 2717 4 X 6/11.18.25.7/2

Turn Hobby Into Career

Are you ready for a career change? Perhaps you're a victim of the economy, or just feeling unchallenged at your present job.

Come and meet Susan Scheck, the Friends of the Library's Notable Neighbor for the month of June, on Tuesday, June 29, 7:30 p.m., and learn how you can turn your part-time job or hobby into a second career. Ms. Scheck is the publisher/editor of the *People Who Care* newsletter. She will show you how to uncover your hidden employment potential through activities with which you are already familiar. In addition, the lecture will be followed by a workshop and question and answer period.

Creative thinking can give you a second chance at a more personally satisfying career! Admission is Free and all are welcome.

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Nutrition In The '90's

Nutrition in the '90's will be discussed by CHP - The Medical Group at the Hicksville Public Library on Thursday, July 29, at 7:30 p.m.

'Look What I Made In Math'



East Street School students proudly display "Spring Art Designs" they made in Math class. The fifth graders in Mr. Steven Tomalin's class created the designs and identified geometric shapes as a culminating activity. Pictured, front row Jamie Kobin, Dino Konstantatos, Katherine Kalergis, and Andrea Mancuso. Standing, Toby Estevez, Jennifer Cox, Ryan Walker and Ryan Singer.

Ready To Move Up!



Pre-school program participants at East Street School are ready to move up to Kindergarten in their new schools. The students celebrated with song, dance and goodies. They are pictured with East Street School Principal, Donato Quadagno, and their teacher, Mrs. Mavroudis.

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Faces And Places

By Richard E. Evers
June Fills His
Legion Calendar

The busiest five weeks in the year for the Charles Wagner Post 421 of the American Legion commences with the Memorial Day Parade and services, and ends with the Fourth of July's placing of the national colors on Hicksville's Broadway. Filling the calendar between the holiday observances are a host of American Legion children and youth programs involving our schools.

Post Americanism Officer and Schools Affairs Chairman, Richard Evers, never stops moving. June is the month for distributing American Legion School Award medals and certificates to Hicksville Elementary Schools for presentation to graduates who excel in American History and all-around good school citizenship. Legion Boys State candidates from the Hicksville and Holy Trinity junior class are seen off for the prestigious week-long program in political science at Alfred University, and two Charles Wagner Memorial Scholarships are presented to worthy, needy young scholars.

July 4th will find the Post 421 members mustering at 7:30, at the Hicksville Fire House, for the annual honor of placing the nation's flag along Hicksville's Broadway. Independence Day also sees the Color Guard, colors and officers of the Charles Wagner Post up at Oyster Bay, taking part in the annual TOBAY July 4th Parade and always colorful commemorative services, at the Town Hall bandstand.

This busiest month in the Hicksville veterans posts' year closes for the American Legion with the sundown retrieval of Old Glory from Broadway, where it has flown brightly and symbolically of Hicksville's patriotism and reverence for national traditions.

Local Recipient Bishop Ryan Award



Hillary Cunningham, a resident of Hicksville, graduated from Kellenberg Memorial High School on Sat., June 19. In addition to her diploma, she was presented with the Bishop Ryan Award given to that Senior who has demonstrated outstanding service to the school and community. Hillary served as President of the Leaders Club at Kellenberg Memorial while also playing three varsity sports. She will be attending Loyola Colleges in September.



Making his rounds, delivering the always-treasured American Legion School Awards, is Dick Evers, Americanism Chairman, Post 421, with principal Dr. Manus Clancy of Woodland Avenue School, a long-time friend and school district colleague.



Nassau County's American Legion Boys State candidates pose for group photo at last week's Orientation Meeting, Hempstead Legion Post. In the 3rd row, behind Nassau Commander Willibe Wilson (right), and past-N.Y. State Legion Commander Frank Ward, Boys State Chairman are: Hicksville High's Bill Harvey (left, end) and Holy Trinity High's Eric O'Connor (3rd, from right). Both outstanding youths are sponsored by the Charles Wagner Post 421.



St. Ignatius Loyola clergy and parishioners enjoying a "farewell" reception for Associate Pastor, Reverend Bob Giuntini, who served Hicksville for 5 years and has taken up new priestly duties at St. Patrick's, Bayshore. The staunch liturgist and gifted homilist is seen at upper left greeting many well-wishers.



At the Hicksville American Legion Clubhouse, West Nicholas St., new Post 421 Commander, Albert Cinotti, conducts Monday's meeting. Cinotti, a World War II veteran of the Army Corps of Engineers, has served well as Legion Vice-Commander, Rehabilitation Officer, and Children and Youth Chairman.



At the "goodbye" party for St. Ignatius Loyola Church's recently transferred Father Bob Giuntini are the well-liked honoree, associate pastor, and two of his many friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Rita Hanifan.



An inspiring sight at the recent Court of Honor for new Eagle Scouts Christopher J. Lynn and Stephen M. Belner, Jr. Many of Hicksville's Scout Troop, 64 Eagles, present in audience, give the Scout Oath in unison with new Eagles (right, foreground).

All photos by R. Evers, Gregory Museum

Do You Remember?



Hicksville's East Street School, in a happier time for the handsome, solidly-built school, educated thousands of the east community's children since 1927. It is Arbor Day time, April 22, 1970, and a "Tree of Heaven" is being planted, courtesy of Hicksville Gregory Museum. Taking a joyous part are, left to right, unidentified lady, museum trustees-officers Val Conover, Mary Cordier, Anne and Gardner Gregory (museum founders), Principal Dr. John McGovern, School District Assistant Superintendent Dr. Fred Hill, and Asst. Principal John Mateer. The little fellow in front is not identified.

The photo reveals the long and close "alliance for education" of the Gregory Museum and the Hicksville public and parochial schools.

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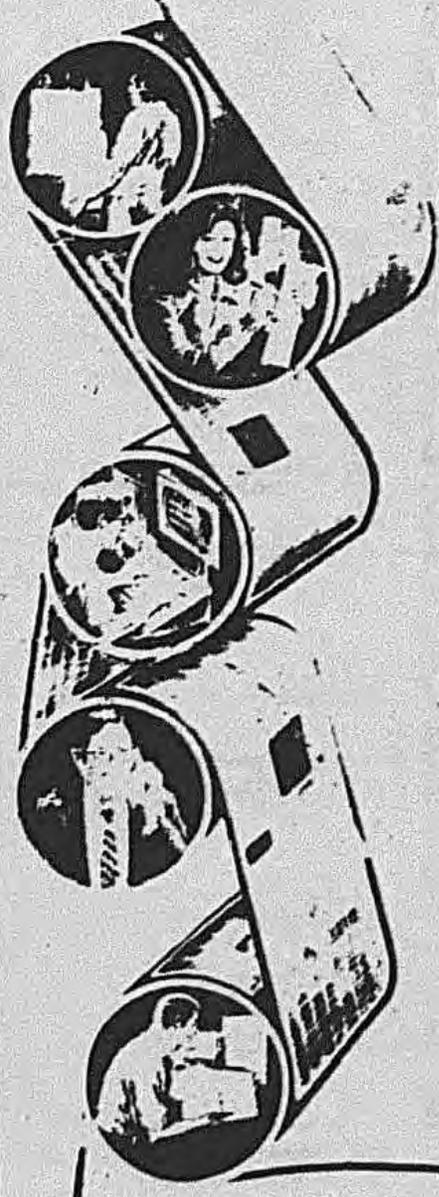
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Jottings From Yesteryear

By Bill Clark

Reading a 1929 Canadian paper advertisement, a 4-door Chevrolet was \$820 at factory. Even then there were extras - the taxes, bumpers and spare tire, all at additional cost. Those days you needed a spare, sometimes they carried two and I don't mean the driver with one.

In the early 1813, Jericho Turnpike was referred to as the Plank road due to the boards put down as the road bed. The road extended from 212 Street, Queens Village, at the junction with Hempstead Turnpike, to the Village of Jericho about 12 miles, with toll gates, one at Bellrose, the second at Jericho just east of Union Ave. and

Cantigue Rock Road. How I remember as a kid going to or from the grandparents, as soon as we got on the then modern concrete road you would get the "plump, plump" as you passed over each section. I believe the distances were shorter between joints, plus cars rode harder.

Those days Old Country Road had no streetlights between Holy Rood Cemetery in Westbury to Carmen Avenue in Hicksville. It was also a two-lane road.

This was a beautiful week especially under my trees in my yard, cool and relaxing as others headed for a pool or air-conditioner. Trees are disappearing too fast - the rustle of



Broadway, north from W. Nicholas to W. Marie St. Dr. Rave's Drug Store and residence.



Later data, same area, Peter & Wendy's - Edwards Men - 77 - Firestone - Razal Drug - Pignataro Fruit & Veg. - Esslingers - Braun Meat - & Huettner Dept. Store on corner.

Photo by Harold Kelly

July Art Exhibits At The Library

Showings by three Long Island artists whose works were selected at the Town of Oyster Bay Rotational Art Exhibit in December can be seen at the Hicksville Public Library starting July 2 and throughout the month. In the Kenneth S. Barnea Community Room will be the oil paintings of Ann Davis and Irene C. Greenhalgh, while Kenneth Schirmer's photographs will be exhibited in the fiction room display case.

Ann Davis' paintings have been displayed at the Lever House in Manhattan, C.W. Post, St. Marks Church in Rockville Centre, Chelsea Center in East Norwich, the Village Hall in Floral Park and the Nassau County Museum of Art Annex in Roslyn, among other sites.

She is the recipient of numerous awards, and is Past President of the Floral Park Art League.

Irene C. Greenhalgh, states that she is "fascinated by the visual drama of everyday events" and that her goal in her paintings is "to celebrate the interplay of color, light and form in our surroundings." A registered nurse, her painting, "The Walker Family, 1890," won Favorite of Show in the Annual South Oakes Hospital Employee Art Exhibit held last December.

Kenneth Schirmer's photographic exhibit - his eighth - portrays both carefully structured indoor sets and his vision of outdoor Long Island. Some multiple exposures are included.

Connie Mack At St. Ignatius

On June 15, St. Ignatius played Franklin Square in an away game. Anthony Santoro pitched a strong game. There was clutch hitting by George Garczynski and Steve Talento. Both had 2 hits and 2 RBI's. Hicksville won 11-3.

On June 20, the team gave all their fathers, a Father's Day present by sweeping a double header over the hard-hitting Island Trees team. Game 1 had Shennen Maceo pitch a complete game with 10 K's. Home runs were hit by Mike Zollo and Greg Latini. Also Dan Paul was 3 for 3, Anthony Giamondi 2 for 3, and Ken Engelhardt caught an excellent game and also went 2 for 3. Hicksville won 15-8.

Game two featured excellent hitting by Frank Caporino 2 for 3, 2 RBI's; Jason Andrews 1 hit, 2 RBI's, and Jeff Magliano 2 key RBI's. Anthony Ciaccio pitched a complete game and had 8 K's and gave up 2 earned runs. Hicksville won 11 to 4.

This team really wants to play hard for Manager Joe Andrews and Coach Bob Patterson. Everyone loves team mother Audrey Andrews who does an excellent job of keeping everything organized. Keep up the good work, CYO.

Cooking With Herbs

Her herb garden was the inspiration for a host of scrumptious dishes that Kerry Kegney will demonstrate at the Hicksville Public Library on Tuesday, July 13, at 7:30 p.m. She will prepare a complete dinner using her own garden-grown herbs and will decorate the dishes with edible flowers. There will be tasting, and recipes to take home.

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NASSAU COUNTY
THE DIME SAVINGS
BANK OF NEW YORK,
FSB, Plt. vs. CHRISTOS
KAPOLONIS, et al. Defs.,
Index #24018/91.**

Pursuant to Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale dated May 4, 1993, I will sell at public auction on the north front steps of the Nassau County Courthouse, 262 Old Country Road, Mineola, N.Y., on July 6, 1993, at 9:00 A.M., Premises known as 21 First Street, Syosset, N.Y., being on the westerly side of First Street distant 484.61 feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of First Street with the northerly side of Muttontown Road s/w/s East Woods Road, being a parcel 105.28 feet by 50.008 feet by 106.04 feet by 50 feet.

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H.H.S. Valedictorian Salutatorian



Linda Thomas - Valedictorian, Salvatore Mugavero - Supt. of Schools, Adam Firester - Salutatorian.

The Hicksville Public Schools announces Hicksville High School Class of '93 Valedictorian Linda Thomas and Salutatorian, Adam Firester.

Linda Thomas graduates with a grade point average of 102.1. Linda plans to attend Cornell University to pursue an interest in the field of science. In addition to her active involvement in many school activities including Key Club, National Honor Society, National Spanish and Latin Honor Societies and the Peer Counseling Group, Linda has participated in the prestigious Science Honors Program at Columbia University on Saturdays. She is the recipient of the

Samuel A. Goldberg Foreign Language Memorial Scholarship and the High School PTSA Scholarship.

Adam Firester has been named Salutatorian with a grade point average of 102. Adam has been selected to receive a four year, full-tuition scholarship to the prestigious Cooper Union. In addition, Adam is a recipient of the Madeline Wickes Scholarship and has received honors for outstanding accomplishments in the area of service and mathematics, among them the distinguished University of Rochester math Recognition award. Adam plans to attend Cooper Union to pursue a career in robotic engineering.

Hicksville Schools Commencement

Commencement Activities in the Hicksville Public Schools will take place as follows:

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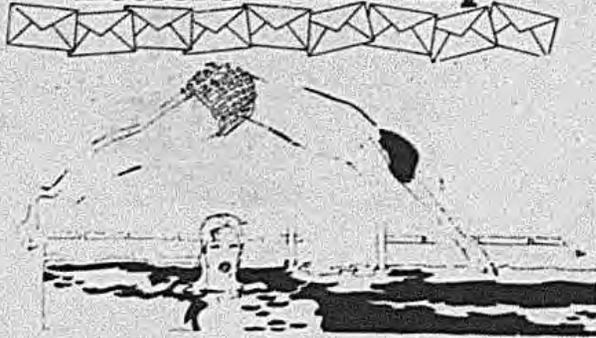
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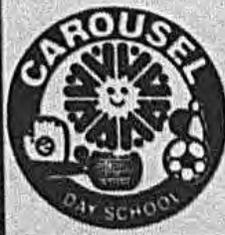
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Job search and resume-

writing meetings for various groups are expected to be held monthly at the Hicksville Public Library, the first library chosen for this Department of Labor service.

The Library also offers free career counseling on an individual basis to those who schedule an appointment with the reference department.

College Notes

Harry H. Wellington, Dean of The New York Law School announced today that Robert J. Goerke, a resident of Hicksville, has graduated from The New York Law School with the degree of Juris Doctor.

Reading Day At Kramer Lane

Tie Into Reading Day at Kramer Lane Elementary School in Bethpage was celebrated on Thurs., May 25. Children and adults came to the school wearing ties, many of which were cleverly decorated. The halls were decorated with posters and ties. Time was set aside during the day for both teachers and students to read. Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, the Reading Specialist, coordinated the event. She read poems and stories to each class that day. There was a lottery in each class. Thanks to the Kramer Lane PTA the winners received a gift certificate for a local bookstore. The winners were: Kindergarten: Michael Ryan, Lindsay Comodore, Joanna Connors. Grade 1: Nick DePrimo, Jimmy Kontomanolis, Willie Griffith. Grade 2: Christopher Haws, Chris McDonnell, Jennifer Lee. Grade 3: Charlie Rode, Jennifer Stephan. Grade 4: Matthew Patarino, Elynn Greenblatt, Bradley Jerson. Grade 5: Pamela Spataro, Shana Goldstein.

"Stroke" Of Luck Times 3

A hole-in-one, especially if it is achieved on a championship, par-72 golf course like the Town of Oyster Bay's in Woodbury, is generally considered a tremendous stroke of luck. But, the improbable feat turned out to be par-for-the-course on Fri., June 11, when three Town residents in a period of 12 minutes sunk their shots with one swing of the club.

Oyster Bay Town Councilman Leonard Kunsig, who helped conceptualize and coordinate the T.O.B. golf course, said the odds of hitting the lottery were better than three holes-in-one in such a short period of time. "It's an amazing story," said the Councilman. "Most people play golf their entire lives without hitting a hole-in-one."

The unlikely scenario took place on the 12th hole... a 120-yard drive for the men and 100 yards for the women. Incredibly, two women from the same foursome hit their holes-in-one back to back. Ann Romano of Hicksville was the first, followed by Syosset's Elaine Light. Several minutes later, Harold Katzman of Plainview duplicated the women's accomplishment.

"Even more mind boggling," said Councilman Kunsig, "is the fact that two of the three golfers hit previous holes-in-one on the Woodbury course. Light hit a hole-in-one on the 6th hole in 1989 and Katzman sunk a ball in one stroke on the 12th hole in 1991.

"I think it's time to throw a few more hazards onto the course," the Councilman quipped. "Maybe a few more lakes and trees will slow down some of these hot-shot golfers. We can't have holes-in-one becoming commonplace."

College Notes

Boston University awarded academic degrees to 4,363 students during commencement exercises on Sun., May 16.

Among the graduates was Bethpage resident Maraha S. Schuckman, who received a BSBA in Business Administration and Management.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an order entered by the Supreme Court, Nassau County, on the 21st day of June, 1993, bearing index number 16388/93, a copy of which may be examined at the office of the Clerk, located at the Nassau County Clerk's Office, located at 240 Old Country Road, in room number XXX, grants me the right, effective on the 28th day of July, 1993, to assume the name of GIDEON HU DUNN. My present address is 17 Adelphi Road, Hicksville, N.Y.; the date of my birth is June 2, 1975; the place of my birth is Brooklyn, N.Y.; my present name is GIDEON EVAN GREENWALD. MIT 2722 1x/25

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HBA Weekly Sports Update

Hickville Baseball Association's 1993 season is sadly coming to an end. The weather seemed to be with us this year except for a few storms. It was so quick its hard to believe we will be starting playoffs next week. Good Luck to all teams who play! Here are some highlights of the last couple of weeks games.

Boys Instructional Division

On Fri, May 28, the Instructional League team #8 Pirates, sponsored by County Sports met the Yankees team #4, sponsored by Aquacade Swimming Pool for their instructional night spotlight game. The Pirates hitting attack was led by Michael Di Maria, Ryan Worrell, Dustin Hildebrandt, and Kevin Macuska who all went 5/5. Following those perfect at bats were Chris Kuscik 5/6, Thomas Gandolfo 4/5, and George Koutsoumbellis hitting 4/6. The Pirates held on for a 18-13 win with good fielding plays by James Robison, Michael DiMaria, Robert Funk and Chris Kuscik. After having played 8 games and seeing steady improvement at practices, it's nice to see a group of individuals coming together and playing as a team. Manager Mike Funk and coach Bob Kuscik couldn't be prouder.

Boys Farm Division

Jim Cockren's team #9 Mets, sponsored by Lions Club played team #6, Rangers sponsored by Big Apple Quick Print and won with a score of 23-8. Both teams were a little aborthanded due to holiday weekend and injuries. The Mets came out hitting today and continued smacking the ball throughout the game. Matt Ecomomou and Ryan Smith each had a hit. Matt Dyle had 2 hits and pitched well. Darin Dolezal, Ricky Smith, and Thomas Bell had 3 hits apiece. Doug Pinelli had 4 hits and Chris Cockren had 5 hits today. The Slugger of the game was Danny Brymer with 3 homeruns. Danny also pitched great today and started a double play at 1st base then threw to Chris Cockren who caught a short hop and tagged a runner out at 3rd base. Anthony Minervini played great at 2nd base and shortstop even though has been hurt for the last week or more. Keep up the good work Mets!

The Yankees sponsored by Wagner Funeral Home played against the Red Sox sponsored by Partytown USA and won, 15-12. Robert Mackey and Robert Connelly made some outstanding defensive plays. Mike Kalos and Mike Triolo had key hits in the victory. They played the Rangers (Lions Club) next and experienced their first loss of the season. The Rangers received exceptional pitching. For the Yankees James Connelly and Peter Noce had key hits. Eric DiKenner was also a key contributor in the defeat. Yankees vs Pirates was another win for the Yankees 12-4. Gray Krayski pitched 3 strong innings striking out 9 and allowing no runs. Joe Diffendale had 3 hits including a home run and 2 triples with 5 RBI's. Major contributors to the victory was

Mike Triolo and Pete Noce, Mike Mutch, Kevin Fitzpatrick and Jimmy Connelly.

Against the Angels, another defeat for the Yankees. Scott Mutch pitched 2 strong innings. The hitting stars were Tom Emmel, Mike Kalos, Pete Noce along with Scott Mutch. Outstanding defensive work was turned in by Greg Krayski. Chris Rooney was exceptional pitching 3 innings for the Angels.

This next game for the Yankees was a victory against the Mets sponsored by the Lions Club. Greg Krayski knocked in Tom Emmel, Joe Ahern hit the winning run. Scott and Michael Mutch were hitting stars, while Peter Noce was strong on the mound.

Boys Major Division

On May 29, the Yankees and the Athletics met at Major Field for the game of the Week. The fans in attendance were treated to quite a match, with both teams playing some good old baseball. Joey Restivo for the Yankees, pitched brilliantly with 13 K's, 3 hits and one earned run in 6 innings of work. Athletic pitchers Brian Burkett and Robbie Normile had a combined 11 K's and also one earned run in 6 innings. Jake Danzi did his usual fine job behind the plate, as did Danny Ciaccio at 3rd base. Dave Ruderfer and Voley Martin also lent a hand with some nice defensive plays for the Yankees. The pitchers really did take control of this game through, making base runners scarce for both teams. The Athletics did eventually take the game 3-1 despite an extremely fine effort from the Yankees who just can't seem to get that one needed break to put them over the top. Hang in there Yanks, your to be commended for your spirit and sportsmanship. Sponsors for the Game Of The Week: Parkway Farms, 197 Newbridge Gulf, NY Coin Exchange, Two brothers Pizzeria, Newbar Service Center, Green Point Bank, Discount Liquors & Wines and County Sports.

Boys Senior Division

Wow! It was a great win for the Royals on May 29. Pitcher John Neglia did a super job on the mound, going the entire seven innings. He also slammed a double during the fourth inning. An important catch was made in left field by Troy Cabrere-Griffin and terrific fielding plays by Tom Wilson and Brian Tower helped to keep the maroon team scoreless until well into the game. Keep it up Royals 6-3.

The Royals sponsored by Solomon Insurance suffered a disappointing loss to the Orange team on June 5. They took the lead early and held it until the last inning. Pitcher John Neglia certainly did his part as did catcher Mat Pinelli and several batters. Of particular note were a strong double hit by Joey Demarest, a terrific triple by Tom Wilson and a double just short of a homerun, hit by John Neglia. We're still routing for you Royals.

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WHAT TO DO IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD IS ON DRUGS.

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So the first thing to accept is that drugs, while indeed dangerous, are one more problem for youngsters to handle. And they'll do it better and faster if you're aware, involved, and don't stick your head in the sand.

THE AWARE PARENT IS THE GOOD PARENT.

Part of awareness and a major deterrent to experimentation is to talk to your kids about drugs.

But even with a lot of parental involvement, there are no guarantees. So it's important to know the symptoms of drug use and to take action if you see your youngster displaying them.

THE WARNING SIGNALS.

There are no symptoms that are absolutely reliable. But there are clues (see box).

Most of these symptoms tend to be gradual which is why parental awareness is so important.

But don't jump to conclusions.

Many of the warning signs for drug use are the same as those for depression or for the ups and downs of being a teenager. There's also the possibility it's a physical or emotional problem.

But whatever the problem, we're talking about a child who needs help. Right now.

The Telltale Signs

Chronic eye redness, sore throat or dry cough.

Chronic lying, especially about whereabouts.

Wholesale changes in friends.

Stealing.

Deteriorating relationships with family members.

Wild mood swings, hostility, or abusive behavior.

Chronic fatigue, withdrawal, carelessness about personal grooming.

Major changes in eating or sleeping patterns.

Loss of interest in favorite activities, hobbies, sports.

School problems - slipping grades, absenteeism.

First, you'll need an evaluation from a health professional skilled in diagnosing adolescents with alcohol or drug problems.

You may want to get involved with an intervention program to learn techniques that will help convince a drug user to accept help.

For the user, there are self-help, outpatient, day care, residency, and 24-hour hospitalization programs.

The right program depends entirely on the circumstances and the degree of drug involvement. Here, you'll need professional help to make an informed choice.

Another point: If a program is to succeed, the family needs to be part of it. This can mean personal or family counseling. It may also involve participating in a support group where you learn about co-dependency and how not to play into the problems that might prompt further drug use.

If you don't know about drug programs in your area, call your family doctor, local hospital or county mental health society or school counselor for a referral. You can also call the national helpline - 800-662-HELP - for advice and a referral.

WHATEVER YOU DO, DON'T GIVE UP.

That child who upsets you so much is the same little boy or girl who, only yesterday, gave you such joy. They're in way over their heads, and they never needed you quite as much as they need you now. No matter what they say.

For more information on how to talk with your kids about drugs, ask for a free copy of "A Parent's Guide to Prevention." Call 1-800-624-0100.

START WITHIN THE FAMILY.

Nothing beats the power of love and family support. That has to start with a frank discussion.

Don't make it an attack. And don't try to talk with your child if he or she seems under the influence.

Wait for a calm moment and then explain that you're worried about certain behavior (be specific) and give your child every opportunity to explain. That means really listening, not doing all the talking.

At the same time, it's important to speak frankly about the possibility of drugs. And it's particularly important to talk about your values and why you're dead set against drugs.

If your youngster seems evasive or if his or her explanations are not convincing, you may want to consult your doctor to rule out illness and to ask for advice.

You may also want to have your child visit a mental health professional to see if there are emotional problems.

FURTHER ACTION MAY BE NECESSARY.

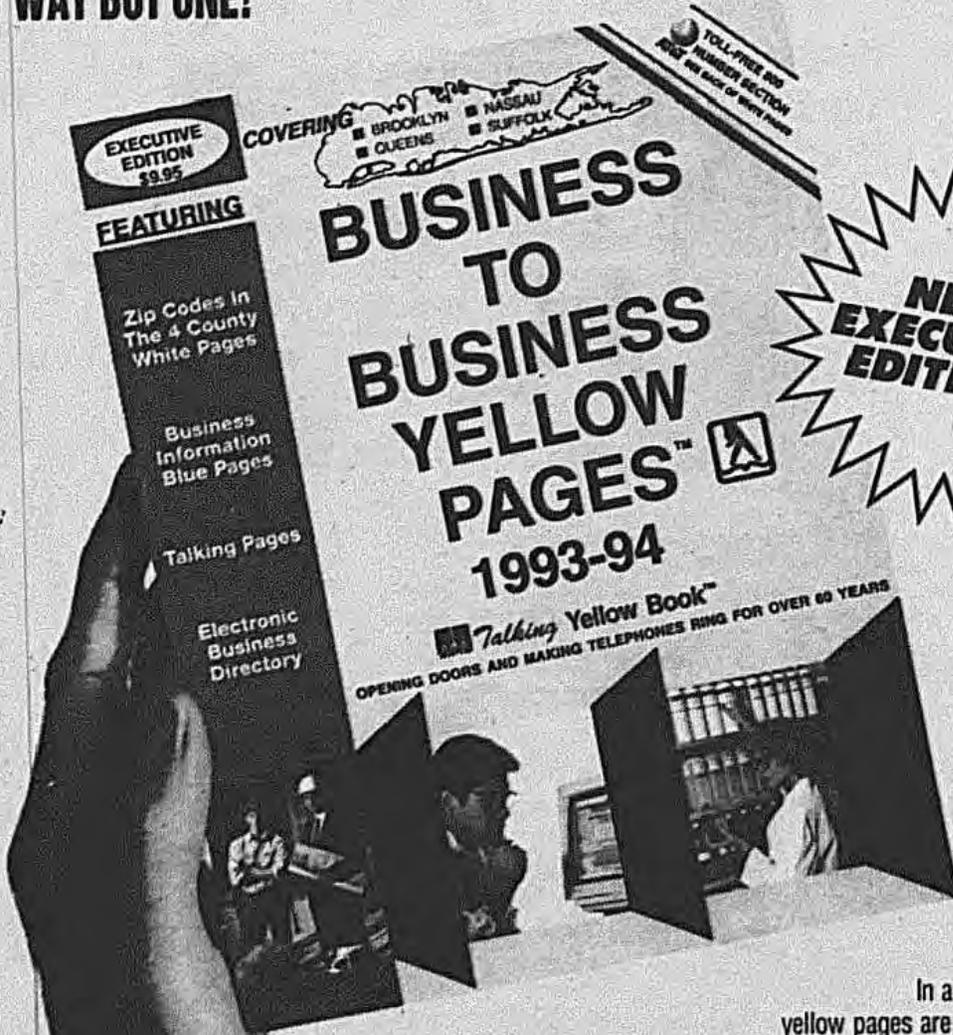
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Schools March In Memorial Day Parade



South Woods Middle School played a big part in the Syosset Memorial Day Parade, by playing the lively "Anchors Aweigh." They also provided the music for the PAL twirlers. Matthew Dragunat on drums and Frank Casali on trumpet walked the whole distance without missing a beat.



Supporting the South Woods Middle School banner at the Syosset Memorial Day parade were Skye Suttie, Gina Prestipino, teacher-Karen White, and Kristina Grehan.



Jeffrey Zavatsky on trumpet and Eric Chesin on cymbals marched together in the parade.



Substitute drummers, Mike Malala and Kenny William (usually on bassoon, clarinet, and saxophone), accompanied Amol Maddhwar, the real drummer.



Sousaphone player for the Syosset High School Band, Michael Pinson, was all ready for Music Chairman of Syosset Schools, Steve Schopp.



Thompson Middle School needed a few people to hold up their banner: Randi Madison, Kelly Millar, Lorraine Annucci, Tracy Weintraub, Danielle Stapen, and Danny Feinberg.



Farzana Morbi (on clarinet), Rebecca Mauskapf (on trumpet), and Katy Pettigrew (on flute), were all ready to perform.



Three flutists were practicing for the Syosset Memorial Day Parade, Christine Anderson, Dawn Slawitsky, and Evi Simona. (Evi also plays four other instruments for serious competition: oboe, piano, viola, and piccolo.)

Story and Photos by Dale A. Simons

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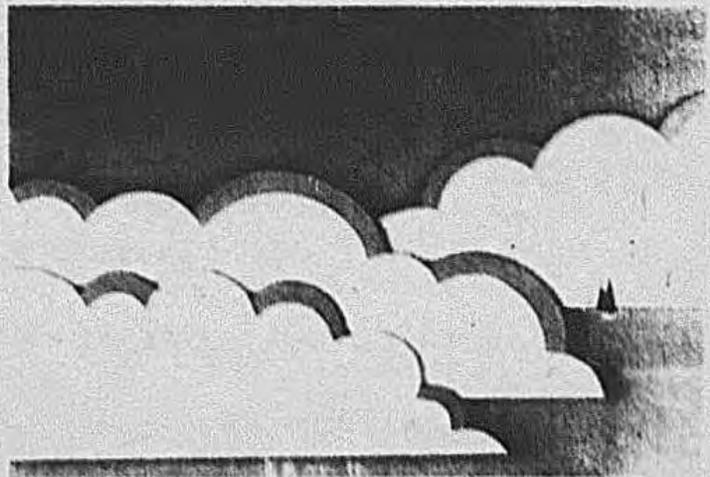


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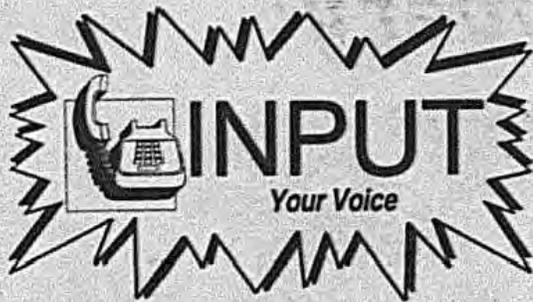


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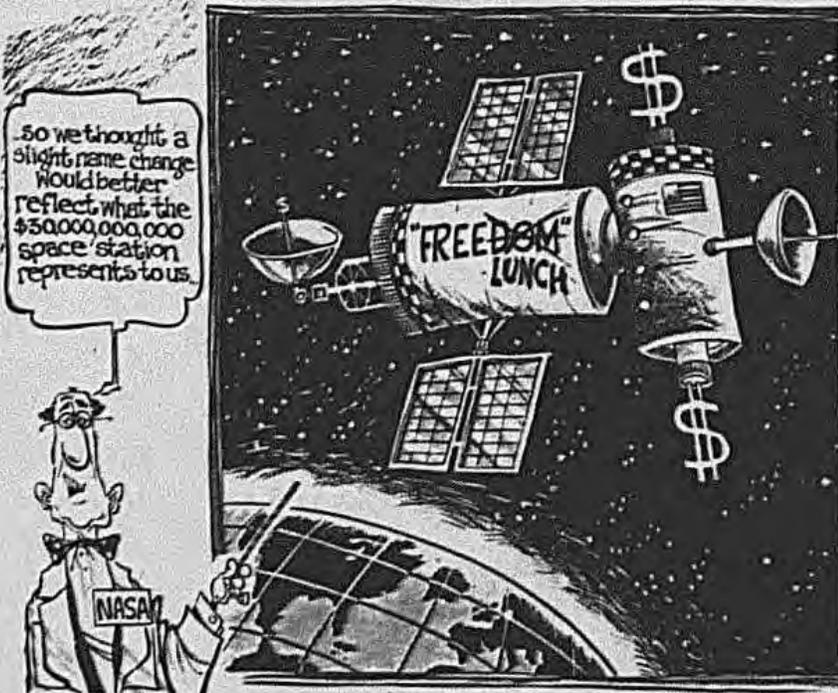
The Sky Is Falling

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THE QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Do you think money spent for space flights should be used for domestic purposes.



Royalty Won't Last

Most callers to Input believe that royalty in Great Britain won't last long in answer to this question: "Do you think the days of royalty in Great Britain are nearly over?" Here are some of the answers:

LAST QUEEN

Queen Elizabeth will probably be the last Queen of Great Britain. Nowadays marriages are all broken up and you really have to have a good solid marriage to run a monarchy. Society has destroyed Princess Diana by bringing out her book too soon. A person has to be dead before they can really have a book about them. Everything is too fast nowadays and it destroys something in society. **K.F.**

LONG PAST

The royalty issue is long past, but many countries continue to hold on to royalty, including Japan. There is little need for Kings and Queens anymore. They do not lead armies. They do nothing at all to justify their existence. I hope Great Britain gets rid of the silly royalty very soon. It is so foolish to think of the amount of money that is wasted supporting these parasites. **K.S.**

SLOW PROCESS

It will be a slow process in Britain to get rid of royalty simply because tradition dies slowly. The Royal Family is doing its share to hasten the end of royalty and I believe that only one more generation will sit on the throne. Then those royal people will be on their own and have to work their way the same as other people. **N.D.**

BORN BETTER

It is so foolish to believe that some people are born better than others. The lives of the British Royals as played out in newspapers all over the world shows that they are not better and not even equal to many other people. How long does it take the British to see that in America we do many things wrong but at least we started the country without royalty to support. The end is near. **C.F.**

EDUCATED CHANGE

It seems almost inconceivable that in a modern educated society that kings and queens could be looked up to as important people. They become royalty not by doing anything or having special talents but simply by being born that way. As the world gets more educated there is no way that Britain can go on with this foolishness. Australia already is looking away from the royalty of Britain and it won't be long before Canada does so also. Royalty is just an expensive custom that no longer serves a purpose. **L.R.**

NOT WORTH IT

It think that as Britain declines economically they will begin to look at what benefit they get from the Royal Family. They will then decide that it is not all worth it and the Royal Family will be a thing of the past by the year 2000. **M.F.**

PAST ISSUES

Quite frankly, I don't believe that the days of royalty in Great Britain are nearly over. I remember being in London in the early fifties in the process of negotiating a NATO job. During that time, my wife, my daughter and I stayed at the Savoy Hotel for about three months. The Savoy catered to guests of stature and I emphasize that to highlight the fact that British Royalty was very much the "IN" thing in those days and as my international experience continued during the remainder of my corporate life with my Company, I became acutely aware of the value that the British people placed upon the continuation of the Royal Family. Clearly, the people had an aversion to the increased costs of perpetuating the Royal Family with such costs - in effect a gift from the public - but, while this resulted in some grouching, it appeared that the people felt very strongly about it and were willing to pay the price. Unfortunately, some members of the Royal Family have succumbed to individualistic preferences as opposed to unconditional loyalty to the State which has given rise to this week's "Question." Somehow, I believe that the momentary set-back will be overcome and the days of royalty in Great Britain will survive. **P.G.S.**

PAST ISSUES

On Lani Guinier I believe the President saved face by not pushing her into a nomination process. The last thing this country needs is another divisive person in Washington. Probably the biggest threat to America right now is political correctness. People are talking about unity and people are talking about diversity and cultural diversity should be taught in churches and home. It should not be part of the educational process and brain washing. A person like Lani Guinier does not believe in democracy if she believes that minorities should repeal majority rule. It's very simple in Latin, democracy means "for the majority" and in this country it seems to me that many minority issues take precedent over majority issues. Gay right is one. Five percent of the population is gay meanwhile the media is focused on most of the gay problems. The hard working people who raise families and pay taxes are the last ones we hear about. We need to spend more time on the majority and how the majority feels this country should go with tougher immigration laws and tougher laws to unify the country. **T.F.**

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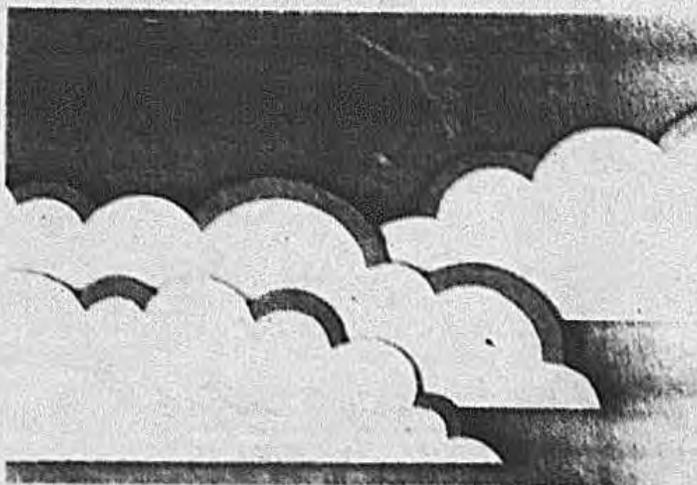
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The Sky Is Falling

By Mollie Gussow

I remember as a little girl starting school, the teacher read a story to us called "Chicken Little." I think most everyone remembers that story. A pebble fell on Chicken Little's head, and he became frightened, and started yelling "The sky is falling, the sky is falling, run for your life."

The teacher stopped reading for awhile, and told the pupils, she would ask a few questions, in reference to what was read.

It's many, many years ago, but I remember some of the questions and some of the childish answers given. After all, we were very young and she didn't want us to be frightened what was happening in the sky. I remember it, because I was one of the children who gave a childish answer too. She also wanted to know if we were listening.

The story comes to mind now, because some of the answers sound like the answers we are getting today from our campaigners, and not solving anything yet.

I'll mention a few of the questions and answers in class, and you will see what I mean.

Q. 1. Why did Chicken Little think the sky is falling?

A. Because the pea that fell on his head was alive.

Q. 2. Why did he get so excited to run for his life?

A. Because he wasn't sure what a pea was and it fell from the sky.

Q. 3. What would you have done in his place?

A. I'd run home and tell my mother. She knows a lot of answers.

Q. 4. How would you solve it?

A. I would tell him to go back to the chicken coupe where he belongs.

Good questions and childish answers but we were children, and gave it a little thought. Listening to our candidates today, the Republicans and Democrats, I feel these children grew up, and are all in Congress now. They too can't solve our problems. Don't we ever grow up?

We hear only loud voices, name calling, and just promises. The questions we ask today are, How do we balance our budget? How do we get out of the recession? How can we continue life again? What is in store for us? We need sensible answers.

Maybe "Chicken Little" knew something then, and we are finding out about it now. We are having hurricanes, large hail in some areas, snow in other areas, tropical storms, lots of rain, and all coming from the sky. Will we soon be yelling, "The sky is falling, run for your life?"

Our weather is mixed up like the rest of the world, our air is not clear, our water is bad, and we really have something to yell about. Maybe "Chicken Little" is warning us, or perhaps he grew up and became a hurricane. What questions should we ask to solve our problems that we can get sensible answers? Congress and the White House aren't listening either.

I think we are getting a warning, to start understanding each other and learn to live in peace with each other. Why can't we grow with the ages and blend in with the world as it changes, and find our own answers.

"Chicken Little" will always be a story, but we must leave a quiet world for our children. They are the next generation. We owe it to

them. We cannot take out the problems of our forefathers on the world today. They lived their lives and were strong and we must live ours today.

We all have problems, but we must create peace all over the world, and not only in our own backyard. Most of our ancestors

remember slavery and holocaust, but we must start loving again, and maybe our skies will start showing a rainbow again and enlighten our lives.

"Chicken Little" you sure have grown,

You're not little anymore

Are you the hurricane, or the tornado,

That blew off my roof and door?

If you can't help us, you should go back

To the chicken coupe where you belong,

We'll do our own screaming from now on,

And make things right our of all that's wrong.

I'm in my 80's now, and sincerely hope the next president will know how to quiet the world so we can all enjoy life again.

About The Author

Mollie Gussow lives in Great Neck. She is an octogenarian who has views about many subjects. This is her fifth contribution to Discovery.

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READER RATINGS



Q. Can you tell me the proper way to eat French fries? At a restaurant recently, I saw a young man spear them with his fork and nibble them in mid-air. I found this appalling!

A. The best way to eat French fries is to cut them with the side of a fork into bite-size pieces. You are right - food should never be eaten while dangled in the air.

Q. Recently my fiance and I ate in an expensive restaurant. The food was excellent and so was the service. However, our table was located quite near the door and we felt a terrific draft anytime someone entered or left the premises. We were both extremely annoyed and will certainly never return to that particular restaurant. What is your opinion?

A. You should have told the maitre d' politely but firmly about the problem. He would certainly have shown you to another table if one was available. Even at this late date, you should consider sending a letter to the restaurant owner. I'm sure he wants to please his customers and will take your complaint very seriously. It would make good business sense for him to eliminate the draft!

DINING GUIDE

WINE TALK

Backyard whites

By Richard Nalley

The forearms bulge. Sweat pours down the back of the neck. The whine of the lawn mower fills the air, uphill and back, uphill and back. Whew! It's amazing how much work the neighbor's kid will do on your yard for 10 bucks.

From where you're sitting on the patio, you feel the need for refreshment. Something cold, something flavorful. Something that might benefit from having a strawberry or two dunked in it. If you've thought this through ahead of time, you can raid the fridge for a glass of easygoing white wine, an aperitif with a moderate alcohol level and some fruity zip to it.

The following are some suggestions for what you might like to have on hand for such situations. All are under \$10 (except where noted) and widely available.

For about \$7 you can get delicious and well-made Rieslings from the Washington state sister wineries Chateau Ste. Michelle and Columbia Crest. The Chateau Ste. Michelle 1991 Johannisberg Riesling is off-dry but well-balanced with a crisp acidity that gives it just the right amount of bite, like sinking your teeth into fruit that combines the flavors of peach and apricot.

The Columbia Crest 1992 Johannisberg Riesling is a less ambitious wine, but like the Ste. Michelle is less rich than most of its California counterparts, which gives it a kind of easygoing elegance. It's soft, fresh and floral, with a savor of apricot.

For \$11, the Joseph Phelps 1990 Johannisberg Riesling, Napa Valley, is a somewhat different animal. It's a bigger, mouth-filling wine, with a creamy texture that could stand up to some fairly rich and spicy foods. With its additional bottle age, it is at its peak right now, with flavors of juicy yellow apple and earth.

Another classy Californian is the Trefethen 1991 White Riesling, Napa Valley. Made from the same grape as the Johannisberg Rieslings above (it's basically a marketing choice), it has a gentle peachy tartness and a soft floral quality. It's fresh, a shade off-dry and leaves you with a pleasing fruity aftertaste.

I've recently enjoyed two light-bodied California Rieslings with more noticeable sweetness, the Callaway 1991 White Riesling, Temecula, and the Jekel 1991 Johannisberg Riesling, Arroyo Seco.

The Callaway is the preferable wine of the two, with its medium-sweet touch of honey and flavor reminiscent of pear syrup that somehow manages not to cloy. The Jekel is a more subdued wine, but those who appreciate a light touch will enjoy its quiet honey and apricot savor.

Chenin Blanc is a grape that winemakers in the Loire have shown to be capable of making very sophisticated wines. Chenin is also, with its lean feel and exotic fruit flavors, a quintessential picnic wine.

A fine version of Chenin Blanc, one worth serving with a sit-down summer meal, is the Chappellet 1990 Chenin Blanc, Napa Valley. It's at its peak right now - drink up - but it's a lovely, quite dry version of Chenin with some richness to it.

Over in Sonoma County, there are two wonderful Chenin Blanc sipping wines. The Dry Creek Vineyard 1992 "Dry" Chenin Blanc, California is a lively, fresh wine with notes of pineapple and grapefruit citrus. Simi's 1991 Chenin Blanc is quieter, with a creamy feel to it and a nice touch of Chenin fruitiness.

A Chenin Blanc in an older, perhaps more typical California style is the Robert Mondavi Woodbridge 1991 Chenin Blanc. It's sweet, simple and straight-ahead. This is a \$5.50 wine that would do well with a shot of sparkling water or some fruit to dunk in it.

In the more exotic flavor category are the Gewurztraminers, spicy wines that you either love or you don't. If you love Gewurz, chances are you love one of the Alsatian bottlings from the likes of Lind-Humbrecht, Trimbach or Hugel. Except for their prices, around \$15 and way up, these are wonderful backyard wines. They are dry but intensely perfumed and flavored with flamboyant notes of rose petal, tropical fruit, musk and citrus. Honest - check it out.

U.S. wineries have had only limited success at best in duplicating the experience of drinking the better Alsatian wines. The tastiest of the domestic Gewurztraminers I've tried lately is the Stonestreet 1991 Gewurztraminer, Sonoma County, which runs about \$12. It has a rich, viscous texture and true Gewurz spiciness in its musky, melony, floral character.

A good representative of the U.S. mainstream is the Fetzer 1992 Gewurztraminer, California, which is a fine, easy-drinking, medium-sweet wine with a floral, almost lilac bath-soap aroma and some true Gewurz kick to it.

PICK OF THE WEEK

Trimbach 1990 Pinot Gris Reserve, Alsace (\$12.50). Here's a wine that will brighten up a lot of picnickers. It's got a creamy, soft texture balanced by a fresh acidity that gives the wine liveliness. It has the body and character to accompany everything from grilled sausages to chicken salad to shrimp.



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Q. As a newly hired woman executive with a large store, I will soon be taking male clients to lunch on occasion. What is the best way to handle payment of the check?

A. A credit card would be your best solution. Another possibility would be a charge account with a good local restaurant.

The bills could then be presented to your employer.

Q. Last week, while eating in an elegant (and quite expensive) French restaurant, I saw a teenager sitting near me combing her long blonde hair at the table. Her parents seemed unconcerned!

A. The young woman's behavior was inexcusable. Arranging one's hair in a public place is always a breach of etiquette.

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Q. I often eat with friends at a local restaurant known for its beautiful decor and excellent food. However, for some reason the waiters and waitresses seem to wear grim expressions on their faces. They are not actually rude, but their manner is somewhat curt. Would it be a good idea to say something to the owner?

A. I don't know how the owner will take your comments, but you would actually be doing him or her a favor. It would cost nothing to have the employees a little more gracious and it would most likely increase the restaurant's business. Food and decor are important, but so is pleasant service.

Q. How many people does a bottle of champagne serve at dinner time?

A. Normally four. If you're at a wedding-rehearsal dinner or an anniversary party, the toasting might go on for quite a while, so you have to supply twice as much champagne for your guests as you would for a regular dinner party. Q. If you receive a case of wine as a present, how is it best stored to use for a "very special occasion"?

A. Keep it in a cool dry place, such as a cellar where the temperature is from 55 to 65 degrees (ideally). Make sure that if the bottles are corked, they are laid on their sides (to keep the cork from drying out). A wine rack is very useful for this.

Bottles that are screw-capped may be stored in an upright position on a shelf where it's dark and cool.

Q. When I am on a diet I find it difficult to find things at restaurants. What do you suggest? C.B.
 A. The suggestion is that you check the ads and call restaurants. Many of them have special diet plates that will be just what you are looking for. Some restaurants will allow substitutions and you can make your own plate but you cannot be sure of this unless you check the restaurant policy in advance.

Q. When one approaches a receiving line and is asked to give a name, does one say, "Mrs. Jones" or "Mrs. John Jones" or "Mr. Jones" or "John Jones"?

T.F.
 A. You just say, "Mrs. Jones" or "Mr. Jones", or more usual now, "John Jones". If you are a very special Jones, the person who introduces you finally to the guest of honor sometimes has the opportunity to define you as it were. The receiving line should never be held up for lengthy conversations, however.

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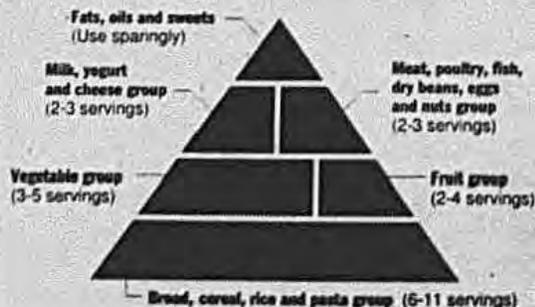
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(Guide to Good Dining)

By Charles Britton



Once upon a time, the path of dietary virtue led to but one destination: lots of cottage cheese.

This foodstuff had the reputation of being the calorie-cutter's friend, and many a dieter came to detest the sight of it, a scoop perhaps crouched by a dry hamburger patty or surrounded by canned fruit, but almost always in company with its seemingly inevitable alternative companions, the pineapple ring or the sliced tomato.

Cottage cheese seems to be holding up pretty well in this latter day of culinary sophistication and nutritional enlightenment.

Production is around 100 million pounds in California alone, said Adri Boudewyn, spokesman for the California Milk Advisory Board.

"That's a slight decline," he said. "What seems to be most in favor these days are the low-fat varieties."

The main competition for cottage cheese nowadays comes from yogurt, for both appeal to much the same segment of the market, which Boudewyn characterized as "young professionals on a diet."

As a result, cottage cheese merchandising is following the same tack as for yogurt, with the appearance of single-serve cartons and more flavors, fruit especially.

Besides dieters, cottage cheese finds a clientele among those families that generally have served it along with meals, and it has a role in certain ethnic cuisines. Under its alternative name of pot cheese, it goes into the filling for that Eastern European dish that has become a standby at the American delis.

To Germans, it's *Schmierkase*, and it's very similar to the unripened cheese they call Quark (not to be confused with the subatomic particles of the same name).

Cottage cheese is first cousin to Italian ricotta and may substitute for it on occasion.

The "curds and whey" that Little Miss Muffett consumed while waiting for the spider could be considered a form of cottage cheese.

Like all cheese, it was invented as a way to preserve excess milk. It's among the simplest forms of cheese, readily made in the farmhouse of yore, thus accounting for its common name or its variant, farm cheese.

The curds are coagulated milk solids; the whey is the thin, watery liquid that the curds separate from.

In effect, cottage cheese represents the first stage in the cheese-making process, which generally goes on with the curds being placed in molds for extended draining, followed by aging of the then-firm forms.

These more advanced stages require knowledge and experience, and thus have long been the province of specialists. (The whey has some uses, but it may simply be fed back to the cows that gave the milk.)

In commercial practice, dairies make the curds from skim milk or from reconstituted non-fat dry milk. To this they add a creamy milk "dressing" that is more or less rich in butterfat. Thus, the final product ranges in fat content from 4 percent to hardly any; a typical low-fat version works out to about 18 percent fat by calories, well within current urging that average people limit themselves to a 30 percent fat quotient in their overall diet.

The curds in cottage cheese can vary considerably in texture, depending on the maker's formula; some are soft and creamy, others tight and rather tough. Flavor is almost always mild, but some brands have more of a tart edge than others. There's no hard-and-fast standard to separate the variations.

Although most cottage cheese seems to be eaten as is, often straight out of the carton, it can figure in reduced-calorie dishes. For those who prefer less evident curds, whirling cottage cheese in a food processor will produce a smoother result.

Richard Nixon earned eternal infamy among gastronomes by using ketchup as a garnish for cottage cheese. It is, indeed, an appalling combination, but it does have a basis in the undoubted affinity of cheese and tomatoes. This dish exploits the combination in a more seemly fashion:

SAVORY PASTA SHELLS WITH CREAMY FILLING

Pasta shells:

- 1 cup chopped onions
- 1 small garlic clove, minced
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 2 cups low- or non-fat cottage cheese
- 1/4 cup white wine
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh basil

- 1 cup cooked crab
- Salt, pepper to taste
- 12 jumbo pasta shells, cooked

Sauce:

- 2 cups peeled, seeded and diced tomatoes, preferably Roma
- 1 small clove garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1/4 cup wine
- Salt, pepper to taste
- 3 tablespoons chopped basil

Yields 4 to 6 servings.
Preheat oven to 350 F. For shells, saute onion and garlic in butter until tender but not brown; stir in cottage cheese, wine, basil, crab and seasonings. Spoon 2 or 3 tablespoons of cottage cheese mixture into each shell.

Place in buttered baking dish. Bake 20 minutes.

Serve with warm sauce.

For sauce, saute tomatoes and garlic in oil about 5 minutes; add wine and simmer until liquid has almost evaporated. Season to taste; sprinkle with basil just before serving.



Make-ahead meatballs are easy weekday meal

By Sharon Achatz

One quick trick for making meals in a flash is to put in some of the preparation time ahead of time — for example, making a big batch of meatballs to be frozen for later use in a variety of meals.

Freezer Meatballs can be frozen for up to three months, and they're easy to thaw for use in recipes such as Meatball Stew or Sweet 'n' Sour Meatballs.

To thaw 12 meatballs, place in a 2-quart microwave-safe dish and cover. Cook on DEFROST six minutes or until thawed, rearranging meatballs halfway through thawing. Or thaw them overnight in the refrigerator.

Thawed meatballs also work well in combination with a variety of sauce packets available from the market — everything from spaghetti and meatballs to meatball Stroganoff. Or just simmer the meatballs in a skillet with a jar of sloppy Joe sauce, then spoon onto sourdough loaves to make tasty meatball sandwiches.

FREEZER MEATBALLS

- 2 eggs
- 1/4 cup milk
- 2 pounds ground beef
- 1 tablespoon dried minced onion
- 1/4 cup cracker crumbs
- 2 teaspoons dried coriander
- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce

Yields 36 meatballs.
Preparation time: 30 minutes.
Preheat oven to 400 F.

In large bowl, combine eggs and milk; blend well. Stir in remaining ingredients; mix well. Shape into 36 meatballs; place in ungreased 15x10x1-inch pan.

Bake 15 to 20 minutes or until lightly browned and thoroughly cooked.

Cool 5 minutes; place in 13x9-inch pan. Freeze uncovered 45 minutes; place 12 partially frozen meatballs in each of 3 containers or bags and return to freezer for later use.

MEATBALL STEW

- 1 (10 1/2-ounce) can condensed onion soup
- 1 cup water
- 1 (16-ounce) package frozen stew vegetables (potatoes, carrots)
- 12 Freezer Meatballs, thawed
- 1 teaspoon dried basil leaves

- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1/4 cup water

Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 20 minutes.

In large saucepan, combine all ingredients except flour and 1/4 cup water; bring to boil. Reduce heat to low; cover and simmer, stirring occasionally, 10 minutes or until meatballs are heated through and vegetables are tender.

In small dish, stir together flour and 1/4 cup water. Gradually stir into stew mixture; cook until thickened, stirring frequently.

SWEET 'N' SOUR MEATBALLS

- 1 cup water
- 1/4 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1/4 cup ketchup
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 green bell pepper, cut into strips

1 (14-ounce) can chunk pineapple, drained
12 Freezer Meatballs, thawed
Yields 4 servings.

Preparation time: 25 minutes.

In large saucepan, combine all ingredients except green pepper, pineapple and meatballs; mix well. Cook over medium heat, stirring frequently, until sauce thickens. Reduce heat. Add pepper, pineapple and meatballs; simmer uncovered 10 minutes or until heated through.

Serve over rice as main dish or with toothpicks as appetizer.

QUICK TIP

For a quick no-bake dessert, simply top bakery-fresh angel food cake with sliced fresh fruit.

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Mica
 A group of minerals in igneous and metamorphic rocks.

Sheets

Amphiboles and Pyroxenes
 Amphiboles: Hydrated double-silicate minerals.
 Pyroxenes: Common silicates containing two metallic oxides.

SOURCE: Sand, Raymond Siever

KITCHEN KIDS



Cool chocolate desserts

By Rena Coyle

Chocolate is most often thought of as a rich, decadent and sinfully delicious dessert, generally not a first choice to finish with on a hot summer night. It might surprise you that there are many chocolate desserts that are also wonderfully cool, light, refreshing and can be prepared by your kids.

Chocolate mousse has always had a special place after a celebratory meal. Creamy, smooth and rich was always the best way to describe this dessert. But for the summer, the recipe needs to be lightened and then chilled to make this mousse cake a favorite among a younger audience.

The Chocolate Mousse Cake blends the rich tradition of creamy chocolate mousse with a light and cooler interpretation, creating a wonderfully new and refreshing dessert. There is no heavy cream to weigh down this dessert; instead, it is lightened with whipped egg whites, making it light and airy.

There are steps in the preparation that do require some simple skills. If an adult is preparing the recipe with a young child, he or she will have plenty of steps to do. Older children will be able to follow the directions on their own.

There are a couple of key points that need to be expressed to your kids before they begin cooking. There are several steps that are necessary before combining them together and pouring the mousse into the mold.

Remind your kids to take their time and perform each task independently. If they hurry the preparation, mistakes can easily happen, such as slipping yolks in with the whites, thus being unable to whip up the whites.

Raspberries have always been particularly delicious when accompanying chocolate. The Chocolate-Raspberry Sherbert is a cool way to enjoy this combination. It bursts with the fresh flavor from the berries and combines it with the richness of chocolate. This is an unusual sherbert that is extremely easy for your kids to make. It requires supervision while they work at the stove, but the majority of the time is used to wait for the mixture to freeze.

This recipe is a particularly good one for your tiny children. They will enjoy blending the ingredients together and later, with help, creaming the frozen sherbert in the food processor. The result will be a cool and refreshing sherbert that is a particularly satisfying way to finish off a hot summer day.

- 30 lady finger cookies
- 4 ounces semisweet chocolate
- 4 tablespoons butter
- 4 eggs
- Yields 1 cake.
- Preparation time: 30 minutes.
- Freezing time: 2 hours.

Utensils: 5-cup mold, plastic wrap, paper towel, saucepan, 2 mixing bowls, mixing spoon, electric mixer, rubber scraper.

Line bottom of mold with plastic wrap. Daub butter with paper towel and rub it evenly over plastic wrap on sides of mold. Place cookies side by side, around sides of mold; butter will hold them against mold. Set aside.

Melt chocolate and 4 tablespoons butter in saucepan over medium heat. Stir occasionally to blend. When completely melted, turn off heat and remove pan to cool burner.

In the meantime, separate eggs into two mixing bowls. With electric mixer, beat yolks until pale yellow and creamy. Add chocolate gradually while continuing to beat yolks. Once all the chocolate has been added turn mixer off and set bowl aside.

Thoroughly wash beaters. Then whip egg whites until they become very light and frothy. Using rubber scraper, scoop 1/2 of whites into chocolate mixture and blend. Scoop another third of whites into bowl and lightly fold into mixture. Add remaining whites and gently fold them into chocolate mixture.

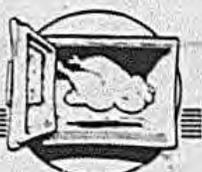
Pour mousse into cookie-lined mold. Freeze for at least 2 hours before unmolding.

To unmold: Fill sink with hot water. Gently lower mold into water. Let it sit for 2 minutes. Invert mold onto serving platter and shake mousse cake out of mold. Remove plastic wrap from top on cake. Cut into 1/4-inch slices and serve while frozen.

Rena Coyle is a mother and professional chef. Her cookbooks include: "My First Cookbook," "Baby, Let's Eat" and "My First Baking Book," published by Workman.



FROZEN CHOCOLATE MOUSSE CAKE
 1 tablespoon soft butter, for mold



Desiree Vivea

What's the difference between winter and summer squash? The summer variety has soft, edible skin and seeds, while the shell and seeds of winter squash are hard and inedible. (When toasted and salted, however, the seeds of winter squash taste rather like sunflower seeds.)

Summer squash, like other fresh vegetables, doesn't stay fresh for long. Winter squash, on the other hand, can keep for several months or longer if stored in a cool, dry place. This is why varieties like pumpkin, butternut and acorn squash were favored in days gone by.

Since people could harvest hard-shell squash in the autumn and store it over the winter months, they could be assured of vegetables to eat during cold weather. Hence the term "winter" squash.

Nowadays, the term is something of a misnomer since winter squash is available all year — and doesn't serve as a staple of our winter diets.

My favorite of the hard-shell squash family is spaghetti squash. It looks a bit like a smallish yellow watermelon. And it has golden flesh that, when cooked, can be unwound with a fork and separated into thin, pasta-like strands. Eat these like spaghetti, with Parmesan cheese, marinara sauce or pesto. Or season with butter, salt and pepper and your favorite herbs (oregano, basil, parsley or nutmeg and cinnamon).

Spaghetti squash can also be cooked in advance, chilled, and used as the base of a cool summer salad. Toss with a light vinaigrette dressing, fresh herbs, crumbled cheese, sliced olives, chopped tomato or other salad vegetables. The result is similar to a light pasta salad. Today's salad recipe is particularly easy and flavorful.

Spaghetti squash is likely to have originated in the New World, but the version that's most widely used today was developed in Japan earlier this century. Nutritious and low in calories (with only about 75 calories per eight-ounce serving) it provides B vitamins, potassium and some vitamin A. And its crisp, crunchy texture makes spaghetti squash a favorite even with kids who think they don't like vegetables.

An average spaghetti squash weighs in at between 3 and 4 pounds. Allow ¼ to ½ pound per person.

Here's a simple way I love to prepare spaghetti squash: Mash cooked squash gently with a little butter and milk. Add a sprinkle of dried tarragon, salt and pepper. Microwave just until heated through and serve to rave reviews.

SPAGHETTI SQUASH SALAD
1 (2½-pound) spaghetti squash
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup olive oil
3 tablespoons red wine OR tarragon vinegar
1 clove garlic, minced
¼ teaspoon lemon pepper

1 cup chopped red onion
¼ cup sliced black olives
¼ cup chopped fresh parsley
1 large, ripe tomato, chopped
Yields 4 to 6 servings.
Preparation time: 15 to 20 minutes.

Cooking time: 14 to 22 minutes (plus standing, cooling and chilling time).

Oven setting: HIGH (100 percent power).

Pierce squash all over with fork to a depth of about ¼ inch (this is important to make sure it doesn't explode). Place on microwave-safe plate and microwave 6 to 8 minutes; turn over and microwave 8 to 14 minutes longer, or until squash feels soft. Let stand 10 minutes.

Cut squash open lengthwise, remove seeds, and scoop squash strands out with fork into colander. Toss with salt and let drain and cool.

In medium mixing bowl combine olive oil, vinegar, garlic and lemon pepper. Whisk with fork.

When squash is cool, add to dressing in bowl, tossing to coat. Fold in onion, olives and parsley. Cover and chill until serving time. To serve, garnish with chopped tomato.

HERBED SPAGHETTI SQUASH MEDLEY

1 (1½-pound) spaghetti squash
¼ cup water
¼ cup olive oil
¼ small eggplant, chopped
½ cup chopped onion
¼ cup diced red bell pepper
1 clove garlic, minced
1 tablespoon red wine vinegar
¼ cup chopped fresh basil
2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley

Yields 6 servings.
Preparation time: 15 to 20 minutes.

Cooking time: 14 to 23 minutes (plus 5 to 10 minutes standing time).

Oven setting: HIGH (100 percent power).

Cut squash in half lengthwise, scoop out seeds, and place cut-side up in microwave-safe baking dish. Add water, cover with plastic wrap, and microwave 10 to 15 minutes, rearranging pieces every 5 minutes. Let stand, covered, 5 to 10 minutes, until tender.

Meanwhile, measure olive oil into bottom of 2½-quart microwave-safe casserole. Add eggplant, onion, bell pepper and garlic. Cover with plastic wrap and microwave 3 to 5 minutes, or until vegetables are tender, stirring twice. Stir in vinegar, basil and parsley.

Scoop cooked squash with fork into casserole dish. Toss with other ingredients.

Microwave 1 to 3 minutes longer before serving.

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

MICROWAVE MAGIC

FOR TEENS

By Willard Abraham, Ph.D.

Boy trouble

Dr. Abraham: I have a guy problem.

I'm 17 and he is 16. We are best friends, but my feelings are a lot deeper than just friendship.

When we are together, he flirts up a storm with me, more than what other friends do.

I really like him very much, and I told him that, but he won't tell me how he feels.

All of our friends think we should go out with them, but I wish he would say it, not our friends.

The reason I'm writing to you is to ask your opinion on what I should do.

Please help me. — Hopelessly Devoted

Hopelessly Devoted: The fact that he won't tell you how he feels isn't unusual with boys his age. In addition, some boys mature more slowly than many girls do, so that may be an issue in your relationship.

If he "flirts up a storm" with you when others are around that might be his effort to show them that you are a pair for real. If it is only when the two of you are alone, he may be seeking a closer relationship but can't find the right words to express his feelings.

The fact that your friends bring up your going out, rather than he, could be because he might be uncomfortable in the group.

There seems to be a number of uncertainties in your relationship, so you may need more time to have it solidify one way or the other, either toward or away from a stronger relationship.

Since you apparently are very fond of him, perhaps you should hang in there and see how his feelings and yours develop. Then consider writing back, updating your relationship.

I'll look forward to hearing from you again.

Dr. Abraham: I have an English teacher who is OK, but not really very special. She is nice enough, all right, but her class is boring because she goes over the same stuff again and again.

My problem is that I like to write and I want to be creative. Someday I'll even try to get something in print. But I need help because it's like the "basics" are missing in what I write.

Maybe you get the idea enough to give me some advice that can help me get moving faster and better. — Future Writer

Future Writer: I found myself in a situation like yours a long time ago. I was fortunate in having three fine instructors whom I remember clearly, one in high school, two in college. All loved to teach their English classes, stressed and supported their students' strengths and worked patiently on any academic weaknesses they had. I hope you will try to select teachers like them if they are available.

One of mine suggested that a person write daily, even briefly (about people, places, things — al-

most anything), to help the words flow more freely.

There are many practical writing guides that your present teacher may be using or know about. Discussing them with her may be a good starting point for you. Your conversations with her could be especially helpful if you and she identify any writing weaknesses you have and specific ways and materials to cope with them.

One item that could be useful came to my attention recently. It is called "The Writing Course." Perhaps your teacher has a copy to share with you. With her help, or even on your own, you might select certain activities included in it to strengthen your writing. Among the topics emphasized in it are detailed, easy-to-read and to use elements that may help meet your needs. Included are sections devoted to organizing your thoughts, words to use, spelling needs, and writing study skills, and efficient reading.

To find out more about it (if it's not available to you), you can write to the College Preparatory Service Press, 26 Wood Hill Road, Pittsford, NY 14534.

Dr. Abraham: Let me hit it straight out with you. I'm healthy enough, I guess, but I'm different from a lot of kids I know, and maybe there is nothing wrong with me. But I don't know.

I began to smoke a few months ago, and I wonder where that is the cause of my feelings. Or maybe it is because I keep reading about aspirin and wonder whether I should take it every day even though nothing in my body seems to bother me.

So maybe I have health problems even though I don't know about them. That really worries me.

I need good advice and you're the one I want to give it to me as you have for so many others. — Mixed Up

Mixed Up: Isn't it interesting how some people think there is something wrong just because nothing bothers them? And seeking help from a stranger, as I am to them, may sometimes seem the best source for comfort.

Your smoking could be a cause for worry because you may have read how dangerous it can be to a person's health. Aspirin as a source for combating a non-existent illness may also be a target for your fears.

A good way to help put those fears at rest may be a visit to your family physician. If you feel that he or she is competent, consider doing two things — making an appointment and taking seriously his or her evaluation, whether or not you get a clean bill of health from that individual.

One more thought — there is a condition called "hypochondria." It is defined in my dictionary as "extreme depression of mind or spirits often centered on imaginary physical ailments." You might want to include that topic if or when you visit your physician.

Cooking Corner



A modern look at Southern baking

By Orlando Ramirez

Prudence Hilburn's love of baking began in her mother's kitchen. The youngest of seven children, she watched her mother performing biscuit "magic" every morning.

The day in her Piedmont, Ala., home began with baking, just as it began in homes throughout the South in the days before packaged baked goods. Although the tradition may be on the wane, Hilburn is doing her best to keep it alive with her new cookbook "A Treasury of Southern Baking." (HarperPerennial).

"I hope that it isn't dying out," says Hilburn in an interview. "But I see a revival of the baking spirit. It's important to teach children while they're young to develop a love of baking."

But she does admit that times have changed, what with two-income families and not enough time to bake for each meal, as was the custom while she was growing up.

That's why she includes a "Busy Baker" section in each of the chapters on cakes, cookies, pies and puddings and breads. These quick recipes often use convenience mixes to get tasty results.

"I wanted to write a cookbook that was not intimidating," Hilburn says. "A book people would actually use, that doesn't call for ingredients you can't buy."

Don't let the homespun approach fool you. Hilburn has trained with some of the best chefs in France and New York, including Simone "Simca" Beck, James Beard and Peter Kump of the New York Cooking School. She also writes two weekly columns, one for *The New York Times* syndicate and the other for the *Anniston Star* in Anniston, Ala.

Nonetheless, Hilburn remains more the Pillsbury Bake-Off finalist (six times) than the chef cooking fancy dishes in high-priced restaurants.

The mother of four (three girls, one boy) with four grandchildren, Hilburn didn't really start baking until after she married her husband, Huey.

Her first success came in 1963, when she was named a finalist in the Pillsbury Bake-Off for a Tropical Orange Cake.

"It had coconut icing and was made with orange juice and other tropical fruits," she recalls. "I got the idea from ambrosia. It's been so long since I made one."

Hilburn went on to win so many bake-offs that she was disqualified.

"Not only me," she says. "But my daughters, too!"

During this time she worked as an accountant, a job she held for 25 years, but she always saw cooking as more than a hobby.

Deciding to make a career change, she went to New York to study with James Beard, then went with a group from Kump's school to the South of France to study with Beck, the co-author of "Mastering the Art of French Cooking," with Julia Child.

"Peter Kump said he wished I was working in New York," Hilburn says. "But I wasn't sure. My husband said, 'Go for it,' and I decided to give it a try."

Her accounting experience served her well because she was able to work in the New York Cooking School's office and "take any course I wanted with any teacher I wanted. It was a real learning experience. I was willing to start at the bottom and do anything to broaden my knowledge."

Then Beard asked her to work with him. Unfortunately, Beard died before she had the opportunity, but he did introduce Hilburn to Barbara Kafka, who wrote the introduction for "Southern Baking."

Yet, little of these classic influences seems to have infiltrated Hilburn's recipes.

"I can make a classic buttercream frosting," she says. "But it isn't right with these types of recipes."

"That kind of cooking can be very elegant. Southern cooking isn't always elegant, but tastes good."

Whether intentional or not, Hilburn has tapped into the growing interest for regional American cuisines. Her emphasis on using prepared mixes and canned ingredients draws on basic American homestyle cooking, exemplified by her Pillsbury Bake-Off honors.

"There is something in the book for everyone," she says. "There are recipes easy enough for the weekend baker and recipes tasty enough for the professional."

Many of the recipes were handed down from her mother. Like most home bakers, Hilburn's mother rarely wrote anything down and measured everything by hand, which proved to be a handicap when it came time to write "Southern Baking."

To re-create these oral recipes accurately, Hilburn had to rely on her own skills as a baker.

"I sat down with a basic layer cake recipe," she says of her re-creation of the Fresh Coconut Cake.

"And I worked with it until I got it to taste like mother's. Once I got it, I knew it by memory."

Hilburn notes that the one thing that differentiates Southern baking is the ingredients: primary among them is flour.

Southern bakers have a fondness for self-rising flour that is usually milled from soft winter wheat. This gives their biscuits that light, fluffy quality that is hard to duplicate with all-purpose flour.

To approximate self-rising flour, Hilburn suggests you add 1 tablespoon baking powder and 1 teaspoon salt to 2 cups all-purpose flour.

Another difference is the use of margarine (or as Southerners call it "oleo") instead of butter, although Hilburn says the choice is up to the individual.

Another ingredient — that has now fallen into disfavor — is lard. It is used in the basic Southern Biscuits recipe, although solid vegetable shortening can be substituted.

Still, lard was used widely by Southern cooks until the current emphasis on low-cholesterol cooking. It imparts a certain consistency and texture, particularly in piecrusts, that is hard to duplicate.

As Hilburn notes, "My mother lived to be 92 and cooked with it daily."

Many of the recipes use the fruits and nuts indigenous to the South, in particular peaches, strawberries, blackberries, pears, pecans, peanuts and black walnuts.

However, certain non-indigenous fruits are ubiquitous in Southern baking, in particular the pineapple and coconut.

Pineapple makes its appearance in the classic upside-down cake (which Hilburn calls Topsy-Turvy Pineapple Cake) and an upside-down pineapple gingerbread, as well as an ingredient in various fillings and frostings.

Canned pineapple is always used, in particular the liquid, as a flavoring agent.

Fresh coconut, however, must be used, in particular for the Fresh Coconut Cake.

"You can't get the same flavor with packaged," says Hilburn. "The fresh is more moist."

Fresh coconuts can be found in most supermarkets. To prepare, take a hammer and nail and punch out one of the "eyes."

Drain the coconut milk and reserve.

Place the whole coconut in a 200 F to 250 F oven for about 20 minutes. This will make it easier to crack. Once out of the oven, give the coconut a few whacks with the hammer until it splits. Separate the edible part of the coconut from the shell and grate.

Hilburn's says her Sweet Potato Pie is called a "custard" in the South, but her editor insisted she list it as a pie because it has a crust.

The Deep-Dish Fresh Peach cobbler has a unique double-crust that Hilburn says her mother used on all her cobblers.

The trick is to bake the first crust just so it sets.

After the top crust cooks the bottom crust has a dumplinglike consistency.

She says, "This is a family-type

cobbler that is good enough for company."

Liquors and liqueurs were rarely found in Southern baking until recently, probably because it's the heart of the Bible Belt. However, Bread Pudding With Bourbon Sauce originated in New Orleans and reflects that city's cosmopolitan heritage.

Southern Biscuits is the essential recipe for Hilburn. She writes that their delicious smell "made getting up in the morning a delightful experience. It was important to get to the kitchen while the biscuits were still hot enough to melt the freshly churned butter."

Hilburn has the bowl — she calls it a "tray" — used by her grandmother to bake biscuits. To mix, you must use your hands, which can be sticky business.

The dough, she says, "should be soft, but just past sticky when ready."

FRESH COCONUT CAKE

Cake layers:

- ¾ pound (1 stick) butter OR margarine
- ¼ cup shortening
- 2 cups sugar
- 3 egg yolks
- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 1 cup milk
- 1¼ teaspoons vanilla extract
- 5 egg whites

Coconut frosting:

- 2 egg whites
- 2 teaspoons light corn syrup
- 1½ cups sugar
- ¼ cup of liquid drained from fresh coconut
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 fresh coconut, peeled and grated (about ¾ cups)

Yields 14 to 16 servings.

Preheat oven to 350 F. Grease and flour three 9-inch cake pans.

In large bowl, cream together butter, shortening and sugar. Add egg yolks, one at a time, beating well after each addition.

In medium bowl, combine flour, baking powder and salt. Stir to mix. Add flour mixture to creamed mixture alternately with milk, starting and ending with flour. Add vanilla, mix well.

Beat the egg whites until stiff peaks form. Fold into batter.

Divide batter evenly among prepared pans. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until wooden pick comes out clean when inserted in center of layers. Remove from pans immediately and cool completely on racks before frosting.

To make frosting, combine egg whites, corn syrup, sugar and coconut liquid in top of double boiler. Beat with electric mixer for about 1 minute, until well mixed. Place over boiling water. Cook for 7 minutes, beating continuously with electric mixer. Frosting should be thick and glossy. Remove from heat and stir in vanilla.

Spread frosting on one cooled cake layer and sprinkle generously with grated coconut. Repeat with second and third layers. Spread frosting around sides of cake and cover with coconut.

Garden Talk

By C.Z. Guest

Cauliflower is without doubt the most difficult cole crop a beginning gardener can attempt. Even experienced gardeners think twice before planting it, and with good reason.

Cauliflower demands a lot of garden space for a relatively long period of time and doesn't always repay the attention.

Nevertheless, once you've tasted home-grown cauliflower, you'll never want to buy it at the market again!

The ideal time for planting cauliflower is in late July or August since spring-planted cauliflower runs a higher risk of failure as temperatures rise. Of course, in some places even as late as September or October is OK.

To figure out when to start fall seedlings, determine the first fall frost in your zone and the days to maturity for the type you're planting.

You'll find the number of days listed in the seed catalogs is from transplant to harvest.

For best results, select quick-maturing, disease-resistant varieties. Cauliflower should grow fast and be harvested early.

Don't buy types that require more than 100 days to mature since there are newer, heat-resistant varieties available that mature in half that time — for instance, "Hybrid Snow King" and Gurney's "Stovepipe."

Rule of thumb: Proper soil preparation is important. Like other brassicas, cauliflower likes deeply tilled soil that's rich in nitrogen, so ample organic matter that's rich in nitrogen is absolutely necessary for developing large, tasty heads.

Otherwise, if the soil is poor, the head will be tasteless and somewhat stunted.

Give your plants plenty of moisture. If the roots don't have a constant supply of water available, they won't form proper heads.

Blanch the heads for a milder, whiter crop (covered to keep sunlight from the heads) or you'll have green, brown or yellow cauliflower heads to harvest.

I pull the larger, outer leaves up over the tops (when the heads are the size of teacups) and bind them together with rubber bands.

Blanching takes about one week, but sometimes two in the fall.

Try some of the self-blanching varieties, their leaves naturally curl over the head and do the job for you.

Harvest at the peak of perfection. Let the head grow to its maximum size and then cut it just before the stalks branch and separate and the florets turn ricey.

Try to harvest early, and remember, fall-planted cauliflower tastes best!

HEALTHY GARDEN

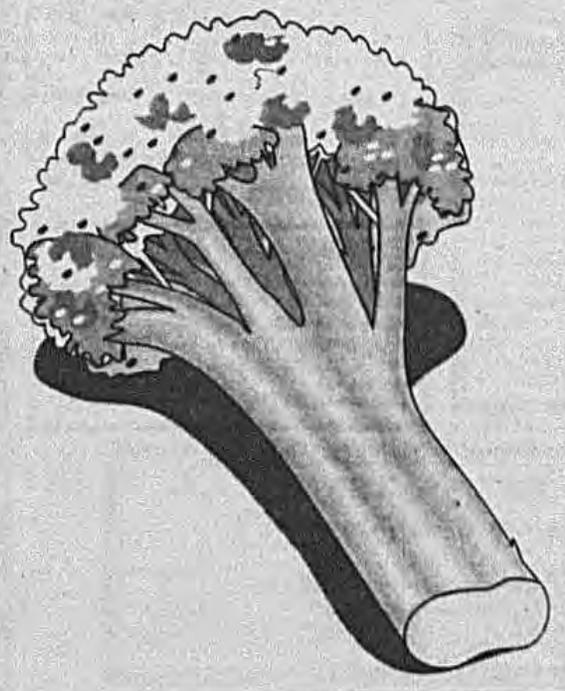
There is absolutely no cholesterol in any vegetable, fruit or grain. Dairy products like eggs, butter and cream are the sources; meat, too.

Eating less saturated fat can reduce cholesterol, the stuff that deposits plaque in your arteries and makes blood circulation more difficult. The results will astound you by cutting down on consumption of these foods.

Most garden foods are very low in salt, and many are low in calories. Herbs, for example, make a great salt substitute!

Tasty cauliflower

- Plant cauliflower in late July or early August.
- Plant disease-resistant varieties, such as Hybrid Snow King.
- Soil should be deeply tilled and rich in nitrogen.
- Harvest when heads reach maximum size.



Our Children

By Willard Abraham



Manners have gone out of vogue

Q. You recently included a parent's letter that stressed the importance of manners in children. Some members of his or her family were critical of their 13-year-old son being taught to show respect and courtesy to adults, saying they are making a sissy out of him.

For a child to be polite is so welcome and certainly not the sign of being a sissy.

I think that there has been a breakdown in the use of good manners in our society. This breakdown occurs in every segment of our lives, including the business community, the police and educational systems and within families, too, of course.

What is happening in this country? Why are we experiencing such rudeness and inhumanity? This type of conduct reaches out and touches the lives of even our small children, who need to grow up to be loving and responsive human beings if we are to continue to be a part of the human race. Children need good role models in order for this to happen.

Please tell me what you think about this matter.

A. The 1980s, labeled by some people as the "me" generation and the "decade of greed," may have created part of this problem. So have the attitudes some adults erroneously adopt toward questionable language they themselves use and some of the degrading movies, books and art they may callously accept.

Children's role models include parents, teachers and others encountered along the way. The respect-and-courtesy route the earlier letter-writer followed with the 13-year-old is certainly more desirable than adult models involved in drugs, drinking, smoking and related practices we see too often these days.

Dear Parents: If there is a toddler in your family, here is a thought you might want to stash away for later consideration: A television offering that sounds ex-

citing for preschool children will be released in 1994, and yours might be the right age to benefit from it at that time. It will be the first new major daily preschool series on public television since "Sesame Street" premiered 24 years ago.

It is titled "The Puzzle Factory" and based on "people puppets" who reflect our country's various cultural settings. The concept and the funding sources indicate that when the series is started it is likely to create quite a stir in families with young children.

In addition to relating to America's diverse cultures, its make-believe workshop will be filled with intriguing knobs, gears, pipes and pulleys, encouraging children to make choices, take risks and experiment.

Initial funding for the series, amounting to \$4.5 million, is provided by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, and a \$3.5 million grant has been committed from the Southern California Edison Company and Rebuild L.A., the community redevelopment effort. That grant is the single largest corporate award ever given to a public television preschool series.



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Fitness Forum

By Judith Miller

At first, I was only slightly annoyed. After all, I thought, I was early for my appointment, which was sandwiched into my lunch hour.

I remember thinking, as I casually flipped through a time-worn *Newsweek*, that no one really expects doctors to be on time. Don't we all, automatically, add 30 minutes to the appointment time, just for waiting?

So I waited. After half an hour, I began making mental excuses for the doctor's tardiness, despite the fact that this was not the first time Dr. A had kept me waiting. He was as chronically late as I was habitually early.

I told myself he was delayed because of an emergency, or maybe he was embroiled in lunch-hour consultation with a colleague about a critically ill patient.

At the 60-minute mark, I went to the counter and asked the receptionist about the delay. She said the doctor wasn't even in the office yet.

Then she added, "It shouldn't be much longer, just have a seat, dear."

The other four patients also waiting for Dr. A already were grouching. We found ourselves forming a loose-knit, anti-waiting support group. We spent the next half hour telling each other of other "famous" waits that Dr. A had put us through.

There is, however, only a modicum of relief in the "misery loves company" theory.

As the story-telling waned, I overheard a nurse tell the receptionist that Dr. A had just come in, but he was returning telephone calls.

That sent me over the edge. As the minutes ticked by, I was transformed into a clock-watching, toe-tapping patient who was oh-so-tired of being patient.

At the two-hour mark, I made my decision.

I went to the receptionist and said, "I'm leaving and I'm never coming back. I'm going to find another doctor — one who will be on time and keep his appointments."

I left in a huff, my blood pressure and heart rate no doubt peaking at maximum levels.

I did not blame the receptionist, realizing she has only so much control. No, I took Dr. A's tardiness very personally. I remember thinking, "Who does he think he is? Does he think his time is more important than mine?"

The question then is — why? Why is it that some doctors are always "running late," while others are usually within 15 minutes of being on time?

It has to do with instructions that doctors give their staff, the patient load, the nature of the business of medicine, a physician's specialty and quirks of fate.

Many patients don't understand their role in the scheduling of appointments, said Dr. John Fisk, an orthopedic surgeon with Southern

Illinois University School of Medicine.

A doctor's office schedule is a finely tuned instrument that can go out of sync the moment the first patient is late.

Office staff, often following the doctor's instructions, base their decisions about how much time patients need on the diagnosis and what patients say when they call for appointment. That's the reason for questions like: "What seems to be the trouble?" or "Why did you want to see the doctor?"

Says Fisk, "We're not always able to determine that over the phone when they make the appointment with the front desk."

Fisk said he tries very hard not to keep patients waiting, the result "of spending 10 years in private practice and being frustrated by the lack of response to the needs of the patients."

When patients do have to wait for him, Fisk said he always apologizes.

"I'm always surprised when I hear a patient say they heard a physician apologize for being late," he said.

While he was in private practice, Fisk's salary and that of his staff depended upon the number of patients seen. He had a policy of not charging patients who waited more than one hour. Although he never docked anyone's salary, Fisk said staff members soon realized how serious he was about staying on time.

In a clinic setting, such as at SIU, patients and doctors often don't know each other, which can put a doctor behind schedule, Fisk said. A doctor who knows his patients "knows which ones have special needs, unique personalities and can't be rushed through quickly," he said.

"A new patient always requires more time than a returning patient," Fisk said.

Some patients are reluctant to discuss their reasons for an appointment with office staff. But they often are the same people who, once in the examination room, want to talk at length about any number of ailments, said Dr. Tracy Lower, a pediatrician with SIU who says she's "compulsive" about being on time.

She said parents often call for an appointment for one child, then bring along another for her to examine.

"They say, 'While we're here, could you look at (the other child) who has these other problems?' That can really put you behind schedule."

Patients tend to forget how long they waited once they get to see the doctor and rarely consider other waiting patients once they have the doctor's attention, Fisk said.

"Every patient requires and deserves a certain amount of a doctor's time," he said.

Lower agrees: "It's a trade-off. Patients should get all their concerns expressed, no matter how long it takes."

THE HEALTHY GOURMET



By Kit Saedaker

The latest "Silver Palate Cookbook" is written by just one of the original duo. Julee Rosso has done a low-fat book and called it "Great Good Food" (Crown).

Like the others in this series, this book is organized willy-nilly, by seasons, which is maddening when you want to look up desserts, say, or green beans. Like the other two, however, it has interesting little heartwarming notes in the margin and drawings instead of photographs.

The most important thing about this book, as opposed to the others, is that it is lower in fat. After saying that, I have to add a caveat. Some dishes, a chocolate cake from Barcelona, for example, are too good in the original to make low-fat, and these are included as is.

The author does give nutritional values for everything, so readers can judge for themselves what will work in their meal plans and what won't.

SUMMER VEGETABLE SALAD

- 1 pound new potatoes, quartered
- 1/2 pound carrots, cleaned and cut diagonally into 2-inch pieces
- 1/2 pound green beans, trimmed and cut into 2-inch pieces
- 1/2 pound sugar snap peas, trimmed
- 1/2 cup dry white wine
- 1 cup julienned fennel
- 1 red onion, peeled and cut in half vertically, then thinly sliced
- 3 tablespoons black-currant wine or raspberry vinegar
- 1/4 cup black olives (oil-cured)
- 1 pint cherry tomatoes, halved
- 2 tablespoons chopped fennel fronds
- 1/4 cup chopped fresh Italian parsley
- Salt and pepper to taste

Yields 6 servings.
Each serving has about 150 calories, 2 grams fat, no cholesterol and 120 milligrams sodium.

Separately steam potatoes, carrots, beans and sugar snaps until just tender. Place steamed vegetables in large bowl.

Pour wine over vegetables and toss gently.

Add julienned fennel and onion; sprinkle with vinegar and toss gently. Add olives, tomatoes, fennel fronds, parsley, and salt and pepper to taste. Toss gently and serve.

DEB'S RATATOUILLE

- 1 eggplant (2 pounds) trimmed, cut into four 1-inch-thick lengthwise slices
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 pound onions, peeled, cut in half lengthwise and sliced (about 3 cups)
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh garlic
- 1 cup 1/4-inch-thick summer squash slices
- 1 cup 1/4-inch-thick zucchini slices
- 1 large red bell pepper, cut in half, seeded and cut into 1/4-inch slices
- 1 large green bell pepper, cut in half, seeded and cut into 1/4-inch slices
- 2 Anaheim peppers, cut in half, seeded and cut into 1/4-inch pieces
- 5 fresh tomatoes, peeled and cut into 8 wedges each
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 2 cups finely chopped fresh Italian parsley
- 2 tablespoons capers, drained
- Yields 12 servings.

Preheat broiler. Lightly brush both sides of eggplant slices with half of olive oil and place on wire rack. Broil until nicely browned on both sides, 10 to 12 minutes. Set aside.

In large Dutch oven, heat remaining oil over medium heat. Add onions and saute until translucent, 6 to 8 minutes. Add garlic and cook for 2 or 3 minutes. Add squash, zucchini and peppers and saute for 6 to 8 minutes until just tender.

Cut eggplant slices into 1-inch cubes and add them to vegetables. Cover with lid askew, and simmer gently for 1 hour, stirring occasionally. Stir in tomatoes and generous grinding of pepper to taste, and simmer until thick, about 20 minutes.

Add parsley and capers; cook for 15 minutes. Serve warm or at room temperature.

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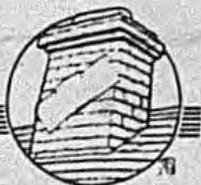
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Here's How



By Gene Gary

Q. Last year we moved from a moist climate to a drier climate in the Southwest where we purchased a home. Many of the homes in this area are void of gutter systems.

We are in the process of remodeling and I am in a quandry as to whether we should install a gutter system and, if so, which of the various types of materials available today would be the best for durability.

I read your column often and would appreciate any advice you have on this matter.

A. Even in climates that do not have excessive rainfall, I would recommend a gutter system unless the slope and grading of the earth next to the house is effectively designed to assure that excess water flows away from the foundation.

Water cascading down the walls and pooling at the foundation can cause major decay problems, and

run into thousands of dollars in repair work at a later date.

If you decide to install gutters, you can choose from a number of systems on today's market.

Vinyl, also referred to as PVC, has been improved over the years. The early systems were brittle, but today's product has plasticizers and ultraviolet screens that give these systems a life span of 60 years or more.

Vinyl gutters resist dents, rust and rot, and they're safer than metal because they have no sharp edges and don't conduct lightning. They are low-maintenance and do not need painting. They can be painted to match roofing or siding, but this adds to maintenance as once painted, they will have to be repainted every few years, depending on climatic conditions in your area.

Temperature extremes also

make some vinyl expand and contract at the seams.

The product is durable but is also more expensive than other systems.

Aluminum is a popular material for gutters as it resists corrosion and is available in pieces that easily adapt to most installation requirements. Aluminum is available unfinished, plastic-clad or enameled. It is lighter than steel or copper, but is not as strong, and some brands dent when you lean a ladder against them. Aluminum gutters can be painted, and they're easy to install.

Most brands carry a 15- to 20-year warranty, and can last even longer with proper maintenance. Aluminum gutters also can be constructed on site by professional contractors who make them from seamless aluminum. This can provide you with a custom installation at less money than the preformed components.

Galvanized steel is the least expensive of popular materials. It is available raw or enameled. The drawbacks are that it is prone to rust and needs replacement in about 20 years. Periodic repainting helps make steel last longer, but

you can't paint a galvanized product until it has weathered at least a year.

Wood is a popular aesthetic choice, but it is seldom installed these days because of the maintenance it requires. Wood gutters have to be repainted or waterproofed on the average of every three years. It also is vulnerable to rot and warping, and joints can separate. The lifespan of wood products is about 10 to 15 years.

Copper also is available, but is expensive. Installation of a copper system is not for the do-it-yourselfer, because the joints must be soldered together. Advantages of copper is that it is strong, rust-resistant and weathers well unpainted. It lasts 50 years or longer.

Whichever material you install, maintenance of the system is still essential to protect your home from water damage. Cleaning and inspections should be done each fall and spring. This means removing all dirt and debris from the channels, assuring that the downspouts are not clogged, and taking care of any minor repairs that may be needed, as well as painting when required.

Decor Score



By Rose Bennett Gilbert

No cutesy stuff for bachelor

Q. As a man, my taste in decorating is out of step with the times. I mean, I really can't see myself coming home to that cutesy country stuff or all the ruffles and swags they are showing today.

I do like antiques, however, and I enjoy bright colors. Can you give me some ideas for my living room that won't look too fey for a 34-year-old bachelor? — A.W.

A. Take heart, A.W. — the country look is cleaning up its act, and the ruffles that flourished on yards and yards of fabrics in the '80s are beginning to calm down, thanks in large part to the pinch in everyone's pocketbook.

However, that's not to imply that decorators are talking "poor mouth." Basics can be beautiful — and they can certainly satisfy a taste for the tailored.

Proof of that is evident in the photo we show here.

English designer Tricia Guild has created a sitting room that's as understated as it is inviting. Against a simply elegant background (the room has "good bones"), she interplays a variety of geometric prints — "masculine" plaids, stripes and checks (no florals) — all in combinations of denim blues and yellows.

The patterns get along easily because they have the same colors in common, a good trick to remem-

ber when you want to mix different prints in a room.

While we're looking at Guild's room, there are other "well-tailored" ideas worth considering:

- Skirtless upholstery, even on the ottomans that provide pull-up seating and serve as a cocktail table.
- No-frills windows. She has left hers completely bare, the better to enjoy the light and the views.
- Scant accessories. Unclutter is in, even in country-style rooms these days.
- Bare floors. If you've got something handsome underfoot, flaunt it.

Rose Bennett Gilbert is the co-author of "Manhattan Style" and associate editor of *Country Decorating Ideas*.



TAILORED TASTE — There's not a floral in sight in this chaste but livable sitting room by designer Tricia Guild.



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SOUTHOLD OWNER RELOCATING, 3 BRs, 2 bath Ranch, vinyl siding, Florida room w/skylights, country kitchen, split design A/C, oversized detached 2 car garage. Walk to LI Sound. Mint condition. Priced to sell. 765-5496. gcJn4

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RED CREEK SECTION of Hampton Bays-Baywoods. Spacious 2,400 square feet cedar Contemporary, very private, perfect for entertaining. Sun filled great room with fireplace/cathedral ceiling, large kitchen, den, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, jacuzzi, 1,400 square feet deck with 16'x 32' pool, 2 car garage, many amenities. One acre. \$330,000. By owner. Call 728-9494. gcJY1

FLORAL PARK CREST- Legal 2 family 2 BR apartment upstairs w/EIK & large LR, 2 BR apt. on main floor with FDR, Large EIK, family room, finished basement with separate entrance, 2 car garage. 60x100. \$229,000 437-7372. Principals only gcJY2

GARDEN CITY INMACULATE Contemp Split, brick/aluminum, low maintenance. Move-in-condition. Cath. LR/Fpl., FDR with parquet floors. 3 BRs, 2 full Bths., new lrg. EIK, Den, fin. Bsmt., 2 zone heating, 2 car garage. Many new additional features. beautiful 70x100 landscaped grounds. Low taxes. Convenient to park, RR, Shopping. asking \$349K. Owners. 747-6386. gcJY1

GARDEN CITY COLONIAL Mint 4 BRs, 2 1/2 baths, LR, FDR, den/Fpl, EIK, laundry room plus 4 room suite, professional/Mother/Daughter, 1/2 bath, CAC, sprinklers, 2 car garage. Asking \$469,000. (516)638-1812. gcJn4

Real Estate for Sale

GARDEN CITY, OXFORD BLVD. Colonial 5 BRS, 4 1/2 Bths., LR/Fpl., FDR, Den, Hugh Mod. EIK, Full Bamt., Attch. garage. No acre. asking \$795,000. Flexible owner Fin. to fit your needs. 248-2450. goJy2

MANHASSET CONDO LOCATION. Duke of Gloucester, Williamsburg Town House. First time offered by owner. 3 BR, 2 1/2 baths, 3 Fpls., private yard. Convenient to all. Walk to RR. \$435,000. 627-1749. goJy1

GARDEN CITY - SPACIOUS 3 BR, 2 1/2 Bths., LR/Fpl., DR, EIK, Den, Fin. Bamt., 2 car, fenced yard with patio. Walk RR, quiet area. \$299,000 Owner (212) 473-0526. goJy2

HEMPSTEAD. HOUSE ON Long Drive. 3/4 BRS, 1 1/2 Bths., LR/Fpl., DR, EIK, Lrg. Den, Fin. Bamt./Fpl. Must be seen to appreciate. \$159,990. Principals only. 565-4132. goJy2

GARDEN CITY EXPANDED Ranch, 4 BRS, 2 baths, LR/FPL, EIK, DR, den. Excellent condition. Good location. \$298,500. Principals only. No brokers. 248-7595 goJy1

TUDOR GARDENS CONDO, 1 BR, LR, EIK, new bath, top floor southern exposure. Taxes \$2,000, monthly maintenance \$170 per month. \$165,000. 746-4165 goJy2

GARDEN CITY ESTATES: Spacious expanded Ranch, LR/Fpl., DR, F.m., Rm. w/waluted ceiling, fin. panel bamt., 3 Bths., main bath brand new. 3 BRS., pleasant yard, near RR. In the \$300's 741-9197. wJy2

GREAT NECK CONDO, 2 BLOCKS LIRR, 21 min. NYC. Top floor, safest building, 24 hours doorman. 2 BRS., 2 Bths., 1,375 sq. ft. Price reduced to \$279K. Call 773-4741. goJy1

GARDEN CITY SPEC-TACULAR Tudor in desirable Mott section. Totally updated, large foyer, state of the art kitchen, new oversized family room and den w/skylights. 3 large BRS w/maid's quarters, 3 new baths, deck. Featured in recent Garden City house tour. Principals only. \$489,000. 294-9594 goJy1

GARDEN CITY CENTRAL, 4 Br Ranch, 2 1/2 baths, modern EIK, large property, private yard backs golf course, many extras, Mint condition - must see! Motivated seller. \$500's 294-7434. goJy1

STONYBROOK RETIREMENT COMMUNITY, club house, pool, walking distance to stores, 6 rooms, 2 baths, garage, 2 patios, wall to wall, a/c burglar alarm, all electric. Low maintenance \$113,000. 741-6581 goJy1

DO YOU HAVE A SERVICE to advertise? Our Service Directory is sure to bring results. Call 931-0012.

Co-Op For Sale

GARDEN CITY CHERRY Valley. Mint, second floor, 2 BRS, new kitchen, bath, carpet. Private corner, large garden. Will trade for your Garden City home. \$115,000. 742-8659. goJy3

MINEOLA/GARDEN CITY Border, Mint condition Co-op. One BR, top floor, Park view, walk to LIRR - shopping - Courthouse. Wall-to-wall, 2 ACs. Maintenance \$491. includes parking, 24 hour security. \$79,000. Call 741-8342 goJy1

GARDEN CITY 3 BR CO-OP on Seventh Street. Extra large LR & DR, working FPL, foyer, 2 full baths, EIK, washer/dryer, A/C, new windows. Walk to all. Must sell \$169,000. Call (908)449-3048 goJy2

GARDEN CITY CHERRY VALLEY Co-Op, 1BR, first floor, CAC, great condition in prime location. \$69,500, neg. 742-7642. goJy2

MONTAUK, 2 ROOM Furnished Co-Op, 100 feet from beach. Electric heat/AC. Asking \$38,500. Great rental history. 724-5572. goJy2

GARDEN CITY CHERRY Valley, 1 BR, second floor, new kitchen, new bath, CAC, pd check full amenities. Must see. Asking \$79,000. Looking for any offer. First three months free maintenance. 248-5347. goJy2

F L O R A L P A R K - RENOVATED 1 BR Co-Op. Walk to LIRR, bus, stores. 35 minutes to NYC. Low maintenance. \$80,000 Owner. 775-7820. goJy2

MINEOLA, GARDEN PLAZA. Large 2 BR, beautifully renovated. Ideal location. Walk to RR, shops hospital. Only \$115,000. 294-1330 goJy2

MINEOLA, 1 BR, LR, DR Co-Op. Perfect condition. Secure building. Near RR, hospital, courts & shopping. \$64,500. Will finance. Please call 248-2139 after 6 p.m. goJy1

CHERRY VALLEY CO-OP, 1BR, Second Floor, inside building, courtyard view. \$57,500. Owner, Available immediately. 775-5736.

GARDEN CITY 2BR - Second floor and unit facing 15th Street. A/C, washer/dryer, attic, garage. \$109,000. 294-0269. goJy2

MINEOLA HORTON HOUSE Co-Op: Front apartment, 1BR, New Kitchen, New Bath, loads of closet space, Air Conditioning. Parking available on and off premises. Principals only. \$73,000. 741-5210. goJy4

MINEOLA, 1 BR, 1 Bth., LR, dining area, Kitchen, lots of closets. Across from Winthrop Hospital. Top floor in secure building. \$75,000. By owner. 873-1236. goJy3

GARDEN CITY 2 BR Cherry Valley Co-Op \$109,000. Principals only, second floor, new carpet. Excellent condition. Call 741-2763. goJy3

Co-Op For Sale

GARDEN CITY/CHERRY VALLEY, Spacious 3-4 rooms, corner unit. All updated includes CAC, wall to wall. Mint condition. \$74K. Vern Rock Realty 354-5858. goJy4

CO-OP & CONDOS
ATRIUM PLAZA-1BR, 1 bath, duplex, EIK, 1 gar. Rent/Buy
 Cherry Valley-2 BR, 1 bath, LR, EIK, CAC \$89,000
 HAMILTON HOUSE-2 BR, 2 baths, front w/extras \$175,000
 MINEOLA'S HARRISON HOUSE-1 BR, 1 bath, CAC, Indry, 10' Ceiling \$129,000
 2 BRS, 1 bath, CAC, Indry, 1 gar \$129,000
 MINEOLA HORTON HOUSE-1 BR, 1 new bath, Walk All \$73,000
 MULFORD PLACE-LR/FPL, DR, den, 1 Br. 1 bath Corner \$85,000
 Lg foyer, 2 BR, 2 bath, EIK, LR, DR \$75,000
 STEWART FRANKLIN-2 BR, 1 bath, LR/FPL, DR, EIK. Rent or \$129,000
 LR/FPL, DR, EIK, 3 BRS, 2 baths Rent or \$225,000
 Mint 3 BR, 2 bath, LR/FPL, DR, EIK \$250,000
 SUPER 3 BR, 2 bath, Penthouse Rent \$2,100.
 STEWART HOUSE-Pied-A-Terre Studio \$75,000
 DOUGALL FRASER Real Estate 248-6655 goJy4

LONG BEACH EAST-Sunny modern corner furnished, newly decorated, carpeted, across from ocean. Maintenance \$274. High write-off. Vacant, ready to move in. \$39,900. 747-5703 Leave message or 431-5592. goJy3

MINEOLA/GARDEN CITY BORDER, Garden Plaza - large 1 BR Contemp. Style, 24 hour security. Renovated Euro kitchen & bathroom, wall to wall, A/C. Financially stable Co-Op, no slip tax. Walk to courts, hospital, LIRR. 35 minutes to Penn. \$85,000. Owner 746-4078. goJy3

GARDEN CITY CO-OP 2 BR, 2 bath, new kitchen w/dishwasher, washer/dryer, A/C, new wall to wall, ample closets. Walk to all shopping. Owner anxious to sell. \$175,000. Please call 767-1093 or 741-3709. goJy3

GARDEN CITY CHERRY VALLEY 1 BR, first floor. Excellent location private entrance. 70% deductible. Principals only, best offer. 488-3718. goJy3

Real Estate for Sale



JUNE 13 & JUNE 27 1-5 p.m.
 Garden City vicinity, Cathedral Gardens, School District #27, low taxes, 1/2 acre. Brick CH Colonial, 4 BRS, 3 1/2 baths, FDR, new gourmet kitchen, 26 foot solarium, deck, 2 car garage, sprinklers \$420,000 neg. 100 St. Paul's Place, Hempstead (off Cathedral Ave.) 485-6053. goJy1

Real Estate For Rent

GARDEN CITY HOUSE for rent, Northeastern, 3 BR Ranch available July 1. \$1,900 a month. Call Kathy or Steve Gamp - Stutzman Real Estate 742-5589 or after 5 PM 746-5449 goJy1

FLORAL PARK, 60 PLAIN- FIELD Ave (corner King St.) 1 BR apt., frost free refrig. freshly painted. Walk to LIRR & shops. Parking not provided. No fee. For more info call owner, weekdays (212) 962-3900, eves or week-ends (516)538-0757 goJy3

ONE (1) LARGE ROOM FOR RENT. Private entrance. Quiet area. Near all transportation. (share bath) Call 741-4294 W. Jy-3

STOREFRONT FOR LEASE. Mint condition. Available immediately. Willis Avenue between Fordham & Harvards Sta. Perfect for retail store or professional office. 2100 sq. ft. \$1,300 per month. No fee. Contact owner. 756-3141 W.Jy-3

GARAGE SPACE FOR 1 car. Great rate, references available. 483-4015 goJy3

FLORAL PARK 2 BR furnished, second floor, private entrance includes solarium. Vacant July 1. Business couple preferred \$850 not including utilities. Owner (516) 352-6433. goJy3

CHERRY VALLEY APT. for rent 1 BR, first floor, CAC, completely refurbished. Parking available. August 1 occupancy. Please call (516)742-5577 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday - Friday and 877-0133 week-ends. goJy3

FRANKLIN SQUARE, 3very big, BR, LR, dining area, EIK (between Southern State/Hempstead Tpk.) 1 block bus/all conveniences, second floor, private home. Safe environment. Mature business, non-smoker. \$750 plus electricity. 328-9175. Immediate. goJy3

GARDEN CITY SOUTH, Nassau Blvd., 6 room apt., 3 BRS, LR, FDR, EIK, bath, terrace. Walk to shopping, LIRR. Adelpht \$1,000 per month plus utilities, Avail July 1, 486-1868, 248-0753 goJy2

GARDEN CITY WESTERN Section: Living room with fireplace, dining room, Eat-in Kitchen, 4 Bdrms, 2 baths, screened porch. Walk to all \$2,200. Call Kathy or Steve Gamp, Stutzmann Realty 742-8888, 746-5449. goJy4

SOLD YOUR HOUSE! Need a home to live in? Rent/share our house in Valley Stream. Older woman, non-smoker, parking, includes all. Only sincere people call after 6 p.m. for appointment. 872-1565. goJy4

SPONK, RIVERHEAD RD. Available immediately. 2,100 sq. feet, 20 foot clear, 16 foot overhead door, 200 amp. 3 phase electric heavy duty concrete floor. \$850 per month (516) 283-2244, (516) 287-0555. goJy1

Real Estate For Rent

GARDEN CITY SOUTH 2 BRS, large living area, full bath, EIK, Near all. \$925 mo. 1 month security. Call (516) 596-9312. goJy4

FRANKLIN SQUARE, 1 BR basement apt. Private entrance \$550 a month, includes all. Call 481-7934 and 499-0275. Leave message. goJy4

GARDEN CITY / HEMPSTEAD, 2 BR, EIK, Dining Area, wall to wall carpet. Uniquely decorated. Laundry facilities. Indoor parking available. Must see \$950 month. 481-9001. goJy2

FRANKLIN SQUARE/WEST HEMPSTEAD Bamt. Apt. 1 BR, full Bth., LR, Kitchen, dinette area, Cable, Private entrance. No pets. Non-smoker. \$625 all Available 7/1. Owner 481-1467 John. goJy2

ROSLYN HEIGHTS BEAUTIFUL 4 BR house for rent. 2 full baths, large LR, DR, Fam. Playroom. Big EIK, Washer, Dryer, Dishwasher. One of a kind. \$2,750 a month. Royal Int'l. 742-3355. wJy4

ROCKVILLE CENTRE NORTH-3 1/2 Room Apt., LR, 1 1/2 BR, Kitchen and Bath, private home, off street parking. Use of yard. Available July 1. Calls accepted until 10 p.m. 760-8496 goJy2

VALLEY STREAM VERY large 4 BR, 2 bath, LR, FDR & more, School District # 13. No pets, non-smokers. \$1,700 per month includes ALL. 872-1565 after 6 p.m. goJy2

VALLEY STREAM, MAL- VERNE/LYNBROOK border 5 rooms plus bath EIK, second floor, private entrance. \$730. (516) 872-3221. goJy1

SOUTHAMPTON OTH SHOPPING Center, North Highway. Heavy traffic count. 1,200 sq. foot store. Good lease \$1,350 per month. (516) 283-2244, (516) 287-0555. goJy1

FRANKLIN SQUARE, second floor, legal 2, EIK, LR, BR, Full Bath, sundeck, lrg. closets. No pets. \$725, one month's security. 354-4207. goJy1

FLORAL PARK, 1 BR apartment in private house, second floor. LR, kitchen & dinette, garage. Available immediately. \$700 utilities not included. References & security. (516) 877-0812. goJy1

GARDEN CITY LOVELY quiet furnished room. Private entrance, bath. Mature, non-smoker preferred. References. 746-0018. goJy4

GARDEN CITY, FURNISH- ED room for rent, private entrance, non-smoker, share bath, appliances available. Near RR. \$475. 742-7708. goJy3

TWO ROOM OFFICE Ground floor. Professional bldg., excellent for Speech Therapist, Psychologist, insurance etc. 99 Hillside Ave., Williston Park. \$500 mo. 742-3644. W-TFN

Real Estate For Rent

FLORAL PARK VILLAGE
Bright 5 room apt., 2 BRs, EIK, LR, FDR, oak floors \$1,050. Also office for professional, 700 sq. ft., 2 rooms. \$500 monthly. (718) 931-8192. gcJn4

GARDEN CITY BORDER - Large bright rooms in luxury apartment building. Private parking 1 BR apt. with den, new kitchen, bath, A/C \$850, no fee. 489-3010 days, 483-7449 eves & weekends. gcJy1

FOR RENT in Beautiful Bronxville. A very special 2 BR apt. has become available as of July 1. Many plus's -- in this very desirable community to live in. Convenient transportation to Manhattan. Ideal for couple, single or a small family. Principals only. (516) 741-5267, (914) 779-9505. Leave message. gcJy1

TWO BR'S, FIRST FLOOR, includes Basement and Yard. Herricks Schools. Available June 1. \$975. 248-0674. hJn3

VALLEY STREAM, FIRST FLOOR, 2 family house. 5 rooms, basement, yard, modern kitchen & bath. Quite street. Walk to RR & stores. \$775 a month plus utilities. Available Aug. 1, 488-2544. gcJy2

GARDEN CITY COMFORTABLE furnished room. Business man preferred. Positively no smoking, no drinking. Interview, reference, security. 742-2728. gcJy2

GREAT NECK, NEW FURNISHED Studio, Private entrance, driveway. Walk-all included, L.I. RR, 1 business person, no pets, reference, security. \$650 including utilities. 829-5256. hJn4

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT Ideal location, Garden City vicinity. Beautiful office suites from 150 sq. ft. to 3500 sq. ft. Owner. 538-7476. gcJn4

LYNBROOK BASEMENT STORAGE. Extra large basement. Ideal for storage, fully insulated, dry as a bone. Plenty of light. Private large outside entrance into 3 big rooms, tall ceilings, closets. \$195 per month. Available now. 746-6860. gcJy1

WEST HEMPSTEAD - LOVELY Large Furnished Room, nice neighborhood. Conveniently located. Private entrance. Non-smoking. Professional male preferred. A/C. Ref. and Sec. \$450 monthly. 489-5941 or leave message. gcJn4

Vacation Rental

NASSAU POINT - JUST Listed! Gracious waterfront home with private beach on 2 secluded acres overlooking Peconic Bay. Beautifully renovated with 5 Bedrooms, 3 1/2 Baths, large LR, DR, 2 screened porches, fully equipped kitchen and laundry. Immaculate with many extras. Available July and August to the discerning renter. 747-0688. gcJy1

Vacation Rental

MYRTLE BEACH, 2BRs, 2 Bths Condo near Restaurant Row, 1-1/2 blocks off beach, CAC, TV, VCR, Washer/dryer, dishwasher, indoor/outdoor pools, 2 balconies. Sleeps 6. Reasonable rates. Call 294-8132. gcJy3

SOUTHOLD COUNTRY HOME, 3 BRs, fully equipped, large screened porch. Walk to private beach. Washer/dryer, cable, immaculate. July, August, Sept., Weekly \$650. 334-0196. gcJy2

NASSAU POINT RANCH, Bayfront, 100 feet on beach with magnificent view. Watch boating, sailing and glorious sunsets from deck on beach. Large LR/FPL, with wonderful view of bay. Family size DR/FPL, sunporch, 5 BRs, 2 1/2 baths. \$6,000 per month. July and/or August. Owner 746-1681. gcJy2

EAST QUOQUE ON Shinnecock Bay Condo Complex. 1BR, Furnished, Sleeps 4, In-Ground Pool. Available July & August, \$1,700 a month. 538-2806 or weekends 653-8619. gcJy2

HAMPTON BAYS - JULY & AUGUST, near ocean and bay. 3BR Ranch, LR/Fpl, Sunroom. Five appliances, basement, garage. \$3000 monthly. 742-2709. wJy2

FLORIDA - MARCO ISLANDS Condo, 2BRs, 2Bths, pool, steps to gulf beach. Available weekly/monthly. Seasonal rates. (718) 352-5798. hJn4

CHALET IN THE POCONOS 3BR, 1 1/2 B, in a community with 3 lakes, tennis courts, fishing, many fine restaurants. \$375 a week. 352-3345. gcJn4

SOUTH JAMESPORT RANCH - 3 BR, 1 1/2 baths, washer/dryer, deck. Private beach community. Available weekly. 775-0814. gcJy2

MONTAUK - SUMMER GET-A-WAY Special, 3 nights \$395 a couple. 2 room suite, A/C, full kitchen, sleeps 4. Walks, dining, shopping. 100 feet to beach. Also for sale. \$38,500. Immaculate. Call 724-5572. gcJy2

ADIRONDACKS - TRADITIONAL Mountain House on beautiful upper Saranac Lake near Lake Placid. 6 BRs, each with bath. Huge LR/Fpl. Perfect for large family or groups. Free use of resort beach, docks, boats, tennis, etc. Magnificent mountain and lake views. 742-2478. wJy1

BEACH FRONT PECONIC bay between Hampton Bays & Southampton, well furnished 3 BRs, 3 baths Split. August 1 - Labor Day \$4,900 (516) 723-3380. gcJy3

MT. SNOW /HAYSTACK. Large fully equipped 4 BRs plus loft, 2 1/2 Bths. with color TV, VCR, microwave. Avail. by the week or week-end. Beautiful views, lots of privacy. Near golf courses & lakes. Call 466-6120. gcJy3

Vacation Rental

MT. SNOW, VERMONT. Large fully equipped luxury Condo. Beautiful, private views, large deck, golf, tennis, lake, swimming pool, mountain biking, horseback riding, hiking, fine dining, outlet shopping. Rent by week or weekend. 741-1824. gcJy2

SOUTHAMPTON 4 BRs, 2 1/2 BATHS, pool. Walk to Village. Near ocean beach. Families only. July/August, \$8,000/month. 283-2434. gcJy1

SOUTHOLD COUNTRY HOME, 3 BR, fully equipped, large screened porch. Walk to private beach. Washer/dryer, cable, immaculate. July, August, Sept., weekly \$650. 334-0196. gcJy1

HAMPTON BAYS NEW CO-OP overlooking Shinnecock Canal. Two blocks from beach, dockage, boating, swimming, fishing. Dish washer, microwave, wash/dry, cable, VCR, jacuzzi, 2 patios. Please call 775-5943 or 723-0312. hJn4

MARCO ISLAND 2 BR, 2 Bths, Condo on gulf beaches, tennis, pool. South Seas East Midrise, 271-6479. gcJy2

GREENPORT - E. MARION, Bayfront Beach Cottage Condo, dock, swim area, tennis court, cabana, 5 minutes walk to golf course, 2 weeks - \$1475. Tel. 746-2475. wJy3

CUTCHOGUE, DELIGHTFUL NORTH Fork Retreat, own brick patio, beach, boat dock. Peaceful & idyllic, completely modern, every amenity. Mature couple preferred. July and/or August. Call weekdays after 7 p.m. 734-7168. gcJy3

FIRE ISLAND - KISMET (Dream Maker) 3 BRs, Fully equipped kitchen, lrg. deck. July \$3,900. 2 weeks \$2,000 583-9100. gcJy1

Real Estate Wanted

GARDEN CITY ESTATES 4 BR house wanted North of Stewart. Colonial or Tudor only. Can go to contract any time. No brokers. Call 867-5403. gcJy2

GARDEN CITY VICINITY, wanted to rent, 3 BR, family room, garage, quiet street. Principals only. 741-3747 after 6 p.m. gcJy2

HOUSE WANTED IN GARDEN City, East Williston or Syosset. 3/4 BRs, Maximum mid \$300's. No brokers please (516) 338-4282. gcJy3

GARDEN CITY HOUSE wanted to rent by long time resident. 3 BRs, 2 Bths., References available. 746-1361. gcJy3

BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL RELOCATING TO Port Washington/Williston Park area, wants one bedroom or equivalent living space. Should be able to accommodate one (1) roommate & a very small dog. Must be available on or before July 3. Looking \$500 to \$700 range. Please contact Jeff Thur 212-940-5570 AM or 212-737-2691 PM. WJy1

Real Estate for Sale

CONNECTICUT
Small one-family waterfront community; builders closeout. New construction to your specs; property & house maintained for you. Low interest mortgage. Linda Mills, Broker, 203-245-3100.

For Sale

NORTITAKE IVORY CHINA "Asian Song", 25 place settings includes soup plates, fruits, platters, creamers & sugars, 12 demitasse cups & saucers & veg. bowls. over 200 pieces. \$350 Firm. 747-0858. gcJy1

DR PLUS TWO BR SETS - one twin, one full, mattresses included. Hutch, glass-topped DR table and 5 chairs, full set of dishes, books. Call Vikki 877-9010. gcJy1

BABY GRAND PIANO, Young Chang, Prestine cherry mahogany with bench, 4 years old. \$3,500. 746-5826. gcJy2

BICYCLE, SCHWINN WORLD Sport, men's 21" frame, 27" quick release, alloy wheels, alloy cranks, 12 speed Shimano derailleur, black. Perfect \$145. 741-4650. gcJy2

4 GE CARRY COOL A/Cs Two 5,200 BTUs, One 4,800 BTUs, One 5,000 BTUs. Like new. All For \$450 or purchase separately. 294-4857. gcJy1

STEREO, ORIGINALLY \$800, AIWA CX 77. Fully remote, dual cassette, CD, turntable, 2 speakers plus 2 surround speakers. Now \$300. Jason 248-4586. Leave message. gcJy2

TAN LEATHER GOLF bag with cover, wood covers, travel cover, shag bag. Tennis rackets, Wilson, Head. All excellent condition. 746-5762. Leave message. gcJy2

VICTORIAN COUCH \$50, club chair \$75, folding cot \$25, rotisserie \$25, 6 lined drapes 84" \$10 each. Call after 5 p.m. 248-8864. gcJy2

3 ANTIQUE LAMPS w/brass bases \$100, antique folding needlepoint rocker \$125, Shirley Temple rubber doll \$90, antique print \$50 & more. 352-0855. gcJy2

MOVING-LIVING ROOM Sofa, coffee table, end table. Cherry wood. Magnavox stereo cabinet. Humidifier. Large antique bureau w/mirror, amoire. All in excellent condition. 741-3625. gcJy3

MOVING - FOR SALE! Hand crocheted bedspread 84 x 104, \$100. Martha Washington sewing cabinet, \$50. Teak turntable & tape deck \$125. Mink fur jacket \$50. (516) 742-2952. gcJy3

KEHMAN ORIENTAL RUG, 18" 6" x 11", beige background. Mint condition. Asking \$5,000. 747-0412. gcJy3

For Sale

GARDEN CITY MOVING. 10 rooms into 5! Must sell John Stuart BR, 2 Campaigne style BRs, John Stuart desk, chair, Henredon server, Henredon china, Steiffel lamps, "new" White Westinghouse front load washer with stack on electric dryer, bar, hi-riser, captain's desk, exercise bike, A/Cs, chandeliers, odd dressers, dinette set, outdoor furniture, man's bike. 742-8447. gcJy3

SOLID CHERRY DINING ROOM set, \$1,500. Miscellaneous furniture. Best offer. 747-5631. gcJy3

MOVING - HABITAT BOYS Pine - blonde bedroom furniture. 2 beds, night table, hutch & dresser \$350. (516) 742-2952. gcJy3

SMITH CORONA STANDARD Typewriter \$25, Electric hedge trimmer nearly new \$20, Garrard 3 speed record changer in carry case, needs adjustment \$10, new dishes set 20 pcs, unopened carton \$8, ladies handbags, new \$10 each, binoculars in case, good, 7 x 35, \$25. Call 747-4774. gcJy3

SOLID CHERRY CABINETS, over 108 upper/lower custom, raised panel, pewter hardware. 5 blade Casablanca fan computerized/light 2 Andersen 28" x 48" casement windows & screens. 5' Almond cabinet/pewter hardware. All appliances. 248-9822. gcJy3

WROUGHT IRON PORCH furniture, Couch, 2 arm chairs, coffee table and end table. 36" x 36" table & 4 chairs. \$400. Call 742-2952. gcJn4

8 PIECE RATTAN set (for indoors), 3 piece Italian Provincial decorative marble end tables & coffee table, TV/bar antique white & gold, and much more. Best offer. 354-2941. gcJy2

BEAUTIFUL BLOOMINGDALE floral chain stitch area rug, 8 1/2' x 11', 9 months old. Bought \$1800, sell \$1300. Unusual antique Apothecary Chest \$100, Beveled Glass Cocktail Table with wrought iron base, pine frame, \$250. 746-1415. wJy2

SELLING APPLIANCES - ADMIRAL self-defrost 21 cubic ft. Refrigerator. Sears Kenmore Miser Dishwasher - 3 wash cycles. Caloric pilotless self-cleaning Oven/Broiler. Asking \$200 each or set of 3 for \$500. Call 248-6785. wJy2

SOHMER PIANO, WALNUT excellent condition. Asking \$750. Call 328-7068. Leave message. gcJy1

FRENCH STYLE FAUX Fireplace with andirons & logs, 52" L, 44" H, 1" curved top, marbled base. Asking \$300. 483-9116. gcJy1

INGLESINA TANDEM STROLLER, reversible positions, full recline, barely used. \$600, new. Best offer. 741-0610. gcJn4

For Sale

ROLLED ARM SOFA/LOVE SEAT, large floral print, off white background w/mauve, cranberry & hunter green. Matching corncices. Asking \$425. Kitchen table & 4 chairs, white formica top with pine legs, white wood chairs w/cane seats. Asking \$150. 248-2009. goJn4

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By J.R. Rose -

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- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____

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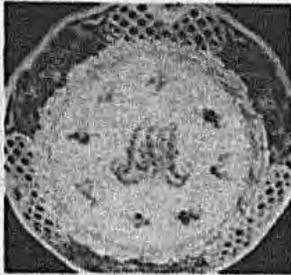


By Anne McCollam

Fine porcelain was made in Bavaria

Q. Enclosed is a picture of a beautiful basket-weave dish. It is marked "Bavaria" on the bottom.

I would like to know something about its origin and value.



A. Bavaria was an area in Germany where fine porcelain was made. This dish was made in the early 1900s. It would probably sell for about \$75 to \$85.

Q. The enclosed mark is on the bottom of a vase that my great-aunt gave me. It is 9 inches high, decorated with peach flowers, gold trim and has a satin finish.

Can you tell me when this was made, and how much it is worth?



A. Your vase was made by the Erdmann Schlegelmilch factory in Suhl, Germany, during the 1930s.

Its value would be about \$125 to \$135.

Q. I have six silver spoons with engraved pictures. On the front of the handles is the year 1933. Also, there is a lady's head with an eagle above it and the words "I WILL." Beneath that are the words "A Century of Progress." Then a globe with two streamers coming off it. Then a building and the word "Chicago."

In each spoon portion is the following engraving: "Fort Dearborn," "Science Court General," "Exhibits Group," "Hall of Science," "East View Administration Building," "Administration Building." On the back of the spoons is a building with the inscription around it saying, "Travel and Transportation Building." Each is marked "Wm. A. Rogers."

My spoons are all in good condition. Could you please tell me something about them?

A. Your spoons are souvenirs from the 1933 Chicago World's Fair. The theme for this fair was a "Century of Progress."

The Great Exhibition of 1851 in London, England, was the first world's fair.

The fairs usually displayed the best of nations' industrial and scientific achievements.

Your spoons would probably sell for at least \$15 each, depending on which one a buyer is interested in.

Q. I have five Currier & Ives lithographs, which I believe are originals. All are in good condition and framed.

I would appreciate any information you can give me on whom to contact or how to sell them.

A. Look at your prints with a magnifying glass, and if the colored areas appear as tiny dots, they are reproductions.

You could take them to a museum, where they can be examined. The chances of your prints being originals are quite remote.

I do not have a list of buyers.

Q. I am seeking information about the vintage and value of six Royal Doulton figurines. I am not sure whether or not the date shown on each piece is the date of the copyright.

If you could give me any information about the value of these figurines I would be very grateful. Enclosed is the list.

A. "Fleur" HN 2368 was copyrighted in 1967, is still in production and lists for \$250. "Soiree" HN 2312 was made between 1966 and 1984, and lists for \$175. "Fair Lady" HN 2193 was copyrighted in 1962, is still in production, and lists for \$195.

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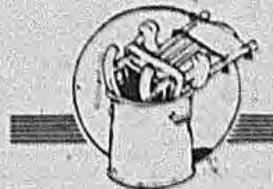
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