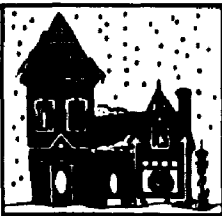


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## Briefs

### Parents' meeting

The first meeting of Parents of Smart Kids with School Problems will be held tonight at 7:30 p.m. at Temple Emanuel-El, 756 E. Broad St. Parents and professionals are invited who are interested in discussing children who have an average or better IQ but are having trouble in the school environment. Call 232-6770 for more information.

### Shop Rite meeting

The Garwood and Westfield Planning Boards will hold a joint meeting to continue the hearing of the site plan application to construct a Shop Rite Supermarket at 700 North Ave. Meet tonight at the Westwood, 438 North Ave., Garwood at 7:30 p.m.

### Salem witches

WHS Drama Department will present *The Crucible* in the WHS auditorium tonight at 3:30 p.m. and Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. The play by Arthur Miller focuses on the witchcraft trials in Salem, Mass. Tickets are \$4 and are available at door.

### Book fair

Redeemer Lutheran School will hold its Annual Book and Craft Fair, offering quality children's books at reasonable prices, in the school's Fellowship Hall Nov. 22-24, noon-6 p.m.

### Holiday music

The Westfield Recreation Commission will host its Fourth Annual Holiday Concert Wednesday, Dec. 1 at 8 p.m. in the Roosevelt School Auditorium. This free concert will feature the Westfield Community Concert Band and the Roosevelt School Sharps and Flats. Call 789-4080 for more information.

### Holiday dance

The Westfield Dance Company will present the ballet "The Little Match Girl," adapted from the Hans Christian Andersen story, Dec. 10 at 4:30 and 7:30 p.m. at the Westfield Recreation Department, 425 E. Broad St. Admission is free. Call 789-3011 for reservations.

### Gift of reading

The Westfield Library has launched its "Books for Tots to Teens" book donation drive. Book donations will be accepted through Dec. 15. Items for children from preschool through age 14 are needed. The Marine Corps will distribute the books to disadvantaged children for the holidays. Call 789-4090.

### Radio City tickets

The Westfield Recreation Commission is offering orchestra seat tickets for the Christmas Show at Radio City Music Hall Dec. 16 at 8 p.m. Tickets are \$41 including transportation. Call 789-4085 for more information.

### 'Messiah' Sing

The Choral Art Society of NJ will sponsor the annual 'Messiah' Sing, Dec. 3 at 8 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, 170 Elm St. Donation is \$5, bring your own score. Call 322-7240.

### Babes in Toyland

Come join the Junior League of Elizabeth and Plainfield in celebration of their annual Holiday Sale 'Babes in Toyland'. Mark your calendar for Dec. 4, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Jubilee Store, 110 Walnut Ave., Cranford. Donations for this sale will be accepted through Dec. 1. Call 270-0222.

## Seven dodge bullets in drive-by shooting

By NICOLE A. GAVINO

THE RECORD

Unknown suspects in a brown Buick drove by the Southside Shopping Plaza late Friday night and fired shots at a group standing outside Dollar Video Store. No one was hit.

Police said that at about 2:30 a.m. the car traveled down Cacciola Place without its lights on and turned left onto South Avenue. Once completing the turn, a male leaned out of the passenger side and fired four to six shots from a handgun at two adults and five juveniles. The Buick then fled west on

South Avenue.

Police recovered bullets and their shells. Dollar Video's front window sustained damage from the bullets. Police found bullet holes in the window and one of the bullets was found in the ceiling of the Dollar Video store. Police said that they know what type of gun was used, but cannot release that information at this time.

Witnesses said there were three males in the Buick and believe the car's passenger side front door window is smashed out.

The shooting was the second and more serious disturbance in the vicinity Friday night. Reali Goode was arrested only an

hour and a half earlier near the site of the shooting. Police had responded to Cacciola Place at about 12:50 a.m. to disperse a large crowd that had gathered. While they were trying to disperse the crowd, police said that a fight erupted at the intersection of South Avenue and Cacciola Place.

The fight resulted in the arrest of Mr. Goode, 18, from Linden, Richard Harris, 18, from Plainfield, and a 16-year-old male juvenile from Cranford. All three were charged with disorderly conduct, served a summons and released on their own recognizance.

Following his release, police said, Mr. Goode returned to his vehicle parked at the

Southside Shopping Plaza, 301 E. South Ave., to find that his vehicle had been damaged. He later reported that all the car windows were broken and garbage cans and bottles were thrown at the car causing dents. Police said that this was apparently due to the fight that took place earlier.

Mr. Goode was standing outside Dollar Video along with six other individuals when shots were fired a few moments later.

The case is being investigated by Detectives Patrick Gray and Ronald Allen. Anyone with information concerning the events surrounding this incident is requested to contact the Westfield Police Department at 789-4012.

## Washington School four rooms larger

By NICOLE A. GAVINO

THE RECORD

Indications of rising enrollment in Westfield schools this week brought on what may be the first of several ribbon cutting ceremonies in nearly 30 years.

Students and teachers at Washington Elementary School are enjoying a new home after Principal Connie Odell and students cut the ribbon Monday morning for the new \$568,000 four-classroom addition.

"We're seeing increasing enrollment in the lower grades," Mrs. Odell said. "The building has been crowded so that this addition will relieve other classrooms."

Mrs. Odell explained that two classes were temporarily being held in the library because of lack of space.

Superintendent Mark C. Smith said, "This is the third year in a row that we have seen increasing enrollment in the elementary schools and we expect that increase to continue past the year 2000."

This was the first ribbon cutting since the '60s when additions were constructed at Edison, Roosevelt and Wilson schools. The current pattern in enrollment predicts what Westfield schools saw 30 years ago.

Enrollment increased steadily through the '50s and '60s to a peak of 8,852 in 1967-68. Since that time enrollment decreased until the 1989-90 school year, when it began

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Third-graders entering brand new classrooms at Washington School early Monday morning remove their shoes to avoid dirtying the carpeting in the structure. Formal ribbon cutting was Monday.

## New VFW Post, honoring WWI veteran, to be chartered today

By NICOLE A. GAVINO

THE RECORD

A new Veterans of Foreign War (VFW) Post named after a Westfield native will receive its State Charter tonight as the group opens its doors to more and more younger veterans.

Westfield has been home to several VFW posts in the past, but has been without one for quite some time now. The last VFW post in Westfield vanished more than 10 years ago.

The new Westfield chapter is named after Leonard J. Sanders, a Westfield native and World War I veteran. Mr. Sanders lived in Westfield for most of his

life, until he moved to the Veterans Home in Menlo Park where he died at the age of 98 just a few years ago.

Leonard Sanders was prominent in Westfield through his efforts in veterans' activities, noted for his position of Grand Marshall in past Memorial Day Parades. Commander Owen McWilliams said the new group is proud to recognize his efforts through the new post.

The new group has been active since last winter. Recent activities included a display at Westfield's Festival, a display at the National Guard's Open House, and assistance in the dedication of the World War II

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## Diane Metzger will make it through Smokeout

By NICOLE A. GAVINO

THE RECORD

A smoker for more than 30 years, Westfield resident Diane Metzger quit last month — again. And today she will be one among millions participating in the Cancer Society's eighth annual Great American Smokeout.

Mrs. Metzger believes that smokers are like alcoholics — once a smoker always a smoker. But she didn't always think so. She once quit for 2 1/2 years and thought she "had it licked."

She quit smoking five years ago shortly after her own father passed away because he contracted lung disease from smoking. "I had no support, I just did it," Mrs. Metzger said, "I watched my dad die and that was incentive enough."

Although the first couple of months were rough, after a while her only thoughts about smoking were feelings of pride and accomplishment. But then she became too confident. While on vacation three years ago, Mrs. Metzger fooled herself into thinking she could have just one.

"I was kidding myself and it was very easy to do," Mrs. Metzger said. "I got dizzy and I started coughing but I was determined to get over that."

After that one cigarette, Mrs. Metzger found that she slowly worked herself back up to a pack a day. In the last three years, Mrs. Metzger has found herself feeling more and more uncomfortable and embarrassed of her smoking habit. She attributes this to the change in societal views towards smoking.

What was once trendy is now undesirable.

Mrs. Metzger, like millions of others, started smoking as a teenager because it was the "in thing." She said, "Just as I started because it was cool, I quit because it was uncool."

In the past three years, she has tried everything from a nicotine patch to hypnosis tapes but has had little success. Her recent efforts have been with the American Cancer Society's Fresh Start Program. As of this week, Mrs. Metzger has enjoyed a full month smoke-free, and she encourages others to join her.

"If a person wants to quit and can't do it the first time, he or she shouldn't get down on themselves," Mrs. Metzger said.

According to the American Cancer Society, 10.8 million smokers participated in the Great American Smokeout last year. Yet only 1.5 million were still smoke-free only five days later.

## Senior site fight triggers suit vs. planning board

By NICOLE A. GAVINO

THE RECORD

In an effort to protect the site of Phase II of the Senior Citizens Housing Complex, Westfield residents have joined forces to form the Coalition to Preserve Westfield Goals and have filed suit against the Westfield Planning Board.

The Coalition to Preserve Westfield Goals, Inc. is made up of Westfield residents, primarily those whose properties which adjoin the site. The corporation filed civil action Monday and is trying to get an injunction to stop current construction of the project.

The Westfield Planning Board approved the site plan for the complex in late September, and the town gave the developers the green light to begin clearing parts of the area two weeks ago.

The suit claims that in the planning board's approval of the Senior

Citizens Housing Complex, the board failed to protect and preserve the environment and the quality of life in the community.

"The basis of this legal action is to stop the pollution, impairment or destruction of the physical environment," said Coalition Member Mike Wolski.

"We are not opposed to senior citizen housing," Mr. Wolski added, "but we are opposed to the blatant destruction of wetlands, the lack of concern by our public officials and the misinformation given to the public on a project with such an impact on the community and the environment."

The Coalition claims that the board denied the public due process, through manners of notifying the public and providing the public with ample time and opportunity to be heard. The site plan application was heard during a three-

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## Traffic back on agenda for Shop Rite meeting

By NICOLE A. GAVINO

THE RECORD

Village Supermarket Attorney Jeff Lehrer will bring back traffic engineer Henry Ney and Frank Sauro, general counsel for Village Supermarkets, at Thursday's Shop Rite meeting. The Westfield and Garwood Planning Boards are holding a joint hearing for a proposed 59,000-square-foot Shop Rite straddling the two communities on North Avenue.

Mr. Ney actually completed his testimony on anticipated traffic conditions and its effects on the community in September. Both planning boards, the public, and two attorneys who represent private concerns have cross-examined Mr. Ney, but there is still one more attorney to question him. Mr. Ney was not able to attend last month's meeting and so will be brought back for November's session.

At the October meeting, Mr. Lehrer presented Frank Sauro, who

testified on basic store features and operations. Mr. Sauro described the proposed Shop Rite as a "super-store" and told the public to expect about 18,500 customers a week, between 200 and 250 total employees, 26 to 33 tractor trailers a week, and about 20 to 40 smaller trucks on a daily basis.

After each time new testimony is presented, both planning boards and then the private attorneys cross-examine the witness. Then the public is given time to ask questions regarding that testimony. At this point, both the private attorneys and the public have yet to cross-examine Mr. Sauro.

If time allows, Mr. Lehrer will also present his next witness, Dr. Harvey Moskowitz. Dr. Moskowitz is the planner for Village Supermarkets and will testify on planning issues, including any zoning or variance matters.

The meeting will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at the Westwood, 438 North Ave. in Garwood.



DIANE METZGER

## Principals



Washington School Principal Connie Odell and Franklin School Principal Ken Wark stand before new, four-classroom wing at Washington School following Monday morning ribbon cutting ceremony that opened the classrooms for use.

## Seniors

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night time frame, with the approval made after midnight at the third meeting.

Planning Board Chairman Douglas Schwarz said, "There are laws under which we operate in terms of notification and all of that was done. We follow the procedures to the letter of the law."

The tract of town-owned land behind Boynton Avenue where the complex is being built contains freshwater wetlands, woodlands and tributaries which are a primary concern of the Coalition. Concerns center on the alleged lack of attention given to the preservation of trees and the natural flow of water drainage in the area.

The suit claims that the planning board did not adequately review two available wetlands delineations studies, failed to determine the impact of water flow re-

routing, and did not require a plan for on-going maintenance of the future detention basin and trees buffering adjoined properties.

Mr. Schwarz said that all of these resident concerns were brought to the board's attention during the site plan hearing. "Certainly all of these concerns were taken into account," he said. "I feel that the resolution that the board approved addressed the majority of these concerns."

The Westfield Planning Board approved the site plan under certain conditions, which included the preservation of as many trees as possible along with the installation of more trees and shrubbery on the property lines.

However, the Coalition to Preserve Westfield Goals is not content with the planning board's resolution. "We are opposed to the slipshod way this project is going forward," said Mr. Wolski. "We are distressed that the Planning Board would not want to maintain the tradition of Westfield and uphold its high standards."

## New VFW

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Memorial Plaque last week.

Commander McWilliams said that he had thought about the need for a local VFW post for a long time. He is a member of both the American Ex-prisoners of War and the Garden State No. 1 Chapter of the VFW.

The State Chapter holds monthly meetings for Union County commanders and officers, and Commander McWilliams said that this is where it all started. The VFW then ran a survey asking local veterans if they would be interested in forming a local chapter.

The Westfield post now has 44 members and hopes to keep growing. Commander McWilliams believes the reason they are successful is because younger veterans are now looking to get involved in veterans activities.

"A lot of our members are younger than World War II, now we're getting more from the Ko-

rean War and the Vietnam War," Commander McWilliams said. "Because we're accepting these younger vets, we're able to grow and start a post here in town."

He explained that previous posts were primarily made up of World War I and World War II veterans and, as the numbers diminished, so did the posts. Although there is still strong activity from World War II veterans, the younger ones are finally joining up to keep the VFW group alive.

"I hope that it catches on and we become a big success," Commander McWilliams said. He also expressed interest in recruiting Persian Gulf veterans.

VFW members are very involved in community service, including safety visits to the local schools, activities with the local boy scouts, visits to patients at area hospitals, and their Veterans Phones.

The ceremony will be held at tonight's monthly meeting at 8 p.m. at the Westfield Community Center, 558 West Broad St. The state vice commander will present the state charter to make the post official. Any qualified veterans can get more information by calling 232-2608 or 232-0571.

## Santa train ride set for Saturday, Dec. 4 on three round trips

The Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce will cooperate with the Jersey Central Railway Historical Society in sponsoring the annual Santa Claus Train Rides Saturday, Dec. 4. Trains will leave Westfield at 9:45 a.m., 11:45 a.m., and 2:45 p.m. for round trips between Westfield and High Bridge.

Tickets at \$9 per adult and \$5 per child under 12 years are now available and can be purchased at Brunner Opticians, 100 East Broad Street, Westfield, or Harrison's Card & Gift Shop, North Union Avenue, Cranford. They may also be purchased by mail before Nov. 20 by sending a check payable to "Jersey Central RHS," to Jersey Central, Box 110, Martinsville, NJ 08836, enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope for return of the tickets. State first, second, and third preferences for trip times when ordering.

Because of the popularity of this event last year, three trips are being offered instead of two. Trains depart from the Westfield Train Station on South Avenue, where there is plenty of free parking in the South Avenue commuter lot. Westfield Area Girl Scouts will distribute candy canes at the station.

The Westfield Area Chamber of Commerce will provide coloring books for young passengers. Santa will give out candy canes as he visits with children on the train. Jersey Central will give away three HO train sets to lucky ticket holders on each trip.

For more information, call Jersey Central Railway Historical Society at 755-7456.

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## Addition

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to rise again. This year's enrollment compares to the enrollment of the 1952-53 school year, which marked the beginning of the previous rise. Currently the district holds 4,563 in all schools, a 186 rise from last year.

Dr. Smith said the new Washington School addition is probably only the first of several additions that may be needed in the coming years, predicting the need for at least one more at the elementary level.

In an attempt to predict some of these increases and plan for future classes, the school district has also been surveying the neighborhoods. The Kids-Count Survey is a door-to-door survey aimed at predicting the number of children who will enter kindergarten. The district began the survey last year at Wilson, Washington and Franklin schools and is continuing this week at McKinley, Jefferson and Tamaques schools.

The actual enrollment this year is 44 students more than projected. Even so, Dr. Smith said that the projections help to give them an idea to work with, to plan for future facilities. He said last year's survey was a factor in the decision to construct the Washington School addition.

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# Tech study team likes state plans

By NICOLE A. GAVINO  
THE RECORD

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### Infrastructure

The Board of Education is taking its first steps to infuse the technology of the '90s into Westfield's classrooms.

Tuesday night the Technology Advisory Committee, formed one year ago to study the use of technology in the schools, brought its recommendations to the board and was received with little criticism.

Committee Chair and Schools Assistant Superintendent Robert Rader explained that the district should plan the integration of technology into the school system along guidelines similar to those set forth in a NJ Department of Education plan. The state is offering aid of \$45 per student to districts that approve similar plans, which would equal about \$300,000 per year for three years.

The state's document "Educational Technology in NJ: A Plan for Action" states the overall vision "that all students will be able to use the tools of educational technology effectively."

Westfield's Technology Committee made the following specific recommendations focusing on four critical success factors:

### The Integration of Technology

☑ Integrate technology through the district's on-going Curriculum Schedule so that it will be incorporated into all curriculum areas.

☑ Develop student proficiency in technology based skills by adopting specific objectives for each area and providing all appropriate equipment to each subject area.

☑ Offer access of school resources to all members of the community 24 hours a day.

☑ Automate library/media centers to network with town, regional, state, and national libraries.

### Professional Development

☑ Implement a technology training program for all staff K-12.

☑ Establish a Technology Training and Support Organization to be directly involved in the professional development programs.

☑ Create a centralized data base that provides all district locations access to both administrative and student information.

☑ Provide all administrators and support staff with needed tools.

☑ Establish a network and provide access.

### Adequacy of Resources

☑ Assure that there's adequate support staff including a full-time Director of Technology, Advisory Committees, and Support Technicians.

☑ Commit to fund these recommendations, primarily through the annual budget, but by also pursuing grants and donations.

Concerns from board members focused on the lack of specifics, including both a time frame and a financial frame. "There is a lot that is not spelled out in this report," Board Member Benjamin Rulf said. "Without figures in terms of time and money, there is no way that we can access what's needed."

Dr. Rader suggested estimates of cost for the program ranging from one to two million dollars. He also said that if there appropriate finances were ready, they could install the infrastructure in three to five years.

However, Dr. Rader repeatedly reminded the board that this plan should be on-going and will not end after a set time or budget. He said, "it's a tremendous job and that is one of the reasons why we were unable to quantify it."

Board members Eileen Satkin and Melba Nixon expressed concern in making sure that they set standards and require certain technological competencies for various grade levels.

Resident Darnell Carr asked that the board be certain that all efforts are geared towards improving student performance, and that they set specific expectations.

The report was presented before the board for discussion purposes only, and will resume discussion at its next meeting Dec. 7.

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## Bike is forcibly taken

By NICOLE A. GAVINO  
THE RECORD

A Westfield juvenile was reportedly robbed of his bicycle with a chemical weapon last Wednesday.

At about 4 p.m., the juvenile was riding his bicycle on Downer Street toward N. Scotch Plains Ave. As he reached the intersection, another male juvenile approached him, producing a black water pistol. Police said the suspect sprayed the victim in the face with an orange colored liquid, which caused a burning sensation on the victim's skin and eyes.

The suspect allegedly continued spraying the victim while grabbing the bicycle. He then fled up Scotch Plains Avenue towards South Avenue. The bicycle was a Green Trek Mountain Bike valued at \$340.

The victim was brought to police headquarters where he was treated by the Westfield Rescue Squad. Although no one was arrested, the victim reported the suspect as a male about 16 years of age, about five-feet, ten-inches tall, of medium build, with a slight mustache, and dark black hair, shaved on one side and long on the other.

### THEFT

A Hillside Avenue resident reported that someone entered his vehicle and removed a golf club while the car was parked at his residence on Nov. 8.

### ARRESTS

Franklin Lozada of Plainfield was arrested for being an unlicensed driver on Nov. 12. He was held in lieu of \$225 bail.

# Officer Belford leaves beat each week to D.A.R.E. to work with 5th graders

By NICOLE A. GAVINO  
THE RECORD

Westfield native Edward Belford had no idea that he'd be a teacher when he joined the police force more than 15 years ago.

In the very schools that he attended himself in his youth, Officer Edward Belford changes his role one day a week in order to educate fifth graders about drug awareness through the D.A.R.E. America program.

"We go in there in the uniform, the idea is that we're the ones who are going to arrest you if you do drugs," Mr. Belford said, "but as the weeks pass the uniform really disappears."

One of the reasons Mr. Belford feels this program is important lies in the relationship he has with his students. When he went to Jefferson Elementary School, the only time students saw a policeman was from a distance during the rare assembly. The men in blue were authority figures and that was it.

Now Jefferson fifth graders make sure they don't get sick on a Tuesday and third and fourth graders can't wait to get older. All because they love Mr. Belford. Mr. Belford the D.A.R.E. teacher, Mr. Belford the friend, as well as Mr. Belford the policeman.

"This program helps to bridge the communication gap between police and the rest of the community," Mr. Belford said, "especially with the kids they understand that we're not the big bad guys but people they can connect with and talk to."

Officer Belford puts in that something extra to connect with the children. Jefferson School Nurse Arlene Borges said, "he

comes in and spends the lunch hour with them so that their first experience with him is a fun one. And the children just love him—they wouldn't miss him for anything."

Detective Ronald Allen, the catalyst that brought D.A.R.E. into Westfield's schools, remarked on the affection. "We've always done the Memorial Parade with the kids and they never knew us," Mr. Allen said, "now all the kids are asking for Officer Belford. We can see the impact, we are getting to these kids."

Of course, this communication did not come overnight. In fact, Ed Belford was quite skeptical of the program when he was first asked to be a D.A.R.E. educator. After all, who would you expect to be the best teacher—a teacher or a policeman?

But D.A.R.E. America provides training which teaches the police officers how to be a good educator and Mr. Belford seems to have a natural knack for it. Of course, having three young children of his own doesn't hurt.

"When I first started out in the schools I was nervous, I was like what am I going to say to these kids?" Mr. Belford said, "but now I feel like I always belonged there."

And the teachers and students agree. Last week, Mr. Belford asked his students to evaluate the D.A.R.E. program and the one thing that everyone seems to want was more—more time, more information, more activities.

"He is absolutely wonderful," Jefferson fifth-grade teacher Mrs. Fein said. "He is just such a good role model for them, we both continue to learn more and more with him around."

This is the first year that



Westfield Officer Ed Belford and some of the fifth graders he instructs in D.A.R.E. anti-drug program.

D.A.R.E. is being taught in all the public elementary schools, thanks to the efforts of Detective Allen, Police Chief Anthony Scutti, Officer Belford, and Officer Gregory Hobson, one of the first D.A.R.E. educators in Westfield classrooms. Detective Allen sees the future of D.A.R.E. spreading to parents as well as students.

## Cars, kids, butts starting leaf blazes in town

The Westfield Fire Department kept busy last week with a continuing string of leaf fires. Fire officials said that leaf fires are common and almost expected during this time of year, especially when there is a lack of rain. The fire department has been battling them for the past month. Common causes include children playing with matches, people throwing matches and cigarettes on the ground and people parking their cars over leaves.

The fire department responded to the following calls last week:

Nov. 9:  
Washington Elementary School—accidental alarm.  
Westfield Senior High School—smoke condition in kitchen.  
Clark Street and Ludlow Place—

steam from storm sewer.

400 block of Linden Avenue—short circuit.

1000 block of Wyandotte Trail—leaf fire.

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Nov. 10:

Arlington and South Chestnut Street—gasoline spill.

500 block of Parkview Avenue—brush and leaf fire.

100 block of Wells Street—brush and leaf fire.

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Nov. 11:

100 block of Elm Street—natural gas leak.

600 block of Palsted Avenue—leaf fire.

1600 block of Lamberts Mill Road—brush fire.

400 block of Montauk Drive—leaf fire.

300 block of Canterbury Road—leaf fire.

600 block of Embree Crescent—leaf fire.

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Nov. 12:

100 block of East Broad Street—alarm activation caused by workmen.

800 block of East Broad Street—auto accident.

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Nov. 14:

200 block of Prospect Street—hazardous condition.

Brightwood Park—investigation.

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# Commentary

## Advise and resent

### Smoking is just one of many life-or-death issues where government should 'butt out'

The annual American Cancer Society Great American Smokeout occurs this week on Thursday. The idea is that smokers would forgo cigarettes for just this one day and perhaps, thus inspired, quit for keeps.

Smoking causes thousands of deaths per year; there also are thousands of smokers who die of old age each year. Alcohol causes thousands of deaths per year; many are innocent victims of the inebriated motorist. But there also are those who say a nip a day has helped them live to 100, and still others believe red wine inhibits cardiovascular disease. There are those who believe abortion is murder; most believe abortion falls within each woman's right to control her body. The list of lethal double-edged swords goes on.

The beauty of the Cancer Society's approach in promoting a halt to cigarette smoking for one day is that the communication occurs directly between the advocate agent and the individual smoker. No lobbyist in the middle attempts to effect federal or local laws to make smoking a statutory privilege or a target of a latter-day Prohibition. Government is not a factor as far as the consumer is concerned. The individual smoker listens to the mounting medical evidence from the Cancer Society and to the anecdotal naysaying from the tobacco industry, and then makes up his or her own mind.

There is a line where government laws and mandates should halt, and government and pri-

ivate research and advice should take over when it comes to nutrition, speed limits, food preparation and service, pharmaceuticals, immunizations, smoking, drinking and the like. Advice from authoritative sources such as the Food and Drug Administration or the American Cancer Society is more likely to be taken to heart by intelligent, adult citizens, than a mandate from Congress with all its special interest compromises and amendments.

The U.S. Constitution generally allows the widest range of freedom to individuals when their actions are not harming or infringing on the rights of others. Maybe this model would be useful in finding the line beyond which government regulation and laws would be inappropriate in more personal realms such as smoking, drinking, eating, sexual conduct and even procreation.

If the Founding Fathers avoided even a mention of "lifestyle" mandates in the Constitution because they had far greater matters to address, then government in 1993's shrinking, mercurial world should heed the forefathers' wisdom.

Let's put it to the politicians this way: the more reluctant government is to legislate personal behavior, the more opportunity it has to impose sin taxes. Now there's a rationale that might head off a few temptations to legislate morality.

## Labor-civic coalition urges 'no' vote on NAFTA by Mr. Franks

The following is a statement by the 7th Congressional District Coalition to Stop NAFTA:

In a press conference last week in Cranford, representatives from NJ Citizen Action, The Industrial Union Council-AFL-CIO, The Environmental Federation, The Union County Central Labor Council, United We Stand America, and NJPIRG and other labor and community groups announced a campaign to urge Rep. Franks (R-7) to vote against The North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA).

To start the campaign, the groups involved signed an oversized open letter to Rep. Franks detailing their opposition to the agreement. The letter which will be delivered to the Congressman's office states that the NAFTA is fundamentally flawed because it encourages companies to move operations to areas of cheap labor and lax environmental and worker safety regulations. The NAFTA says the letter, undermines the gains we have achieved over the years in food safety, labor standards, and environmental protection by exposing many of our local, state, and federal laws to challenge as illegal trade barriers.

We cannot afford to lose one more single job to Mexico, said Archer Cole, president of the NJ Industrial Union Council, AFL-CIO. Nothing less than our standard of living is on the line.

Edward Zarnock, president of the Union County Central Labor Council, AFL-CIO added, With cheap labor, non-enforcement of environmental codes and removal

of tariffs, why would any manufacturing companies stay in this country? he continued. What everyone knows is that any company that stays won't be able to compete.

NAFTA is anti-democratic because it hands authority on trade matters over to a bureaucratic board responsible to no one and isolated from citizen input. This board could overturn such things as federal, state and local environmental and food safety laws as illegal trade barriers, said Don Clark, executive committee member of NJ Citizens Action. Cancer-causing pesticides long ago outlawed in the U.S., but still used in Mexico, could become part of our food supply again.

According to Amy Goldsmith of the Environmental Federation, there is nothing in the NAFTA that ensures that companies live up to their responsibilities to human health and the earth. Polluters, under the agreement, don't have to pay to clean up the mess they've made. Once again American taxpayers are left to foot the bill to maintain a decent environment.

According to the Oct. 11 issue of *Newsweek*, "Bill Clinton will phone three 'fence sitting' lawmakers a day." We know full well the pressure that has been put on Congressman Franks to vote in favor of NAFTA by big business lobby-

ists and Clinton Administration point men, said Ted Beyert, Union County Chapter of United We Stand America. We of United We Stand America urge Representative Franks to vote against this NAFTA on behalf of his constituents and for the betterment of the country.

NAFTA threatens to undermine twenty years worth of environmental protections on the federal, state and local levels. For example, NJ has lead the way in attempting to spur needed markets for recycled materials with a Buy Recycled policy for the state and for several local governments. Buy Recycled could be challenged by the Mexicans or Canadians as a non-tariff barrier, giving unfair advantage to our recycled paper manufacturers over their virgin paper markets. The risk that these and other laws could be lost is too great. Congressman Franks should reject the treaty, said Andy Igrijas of NJPIRG.

The group also announced that it will be phone banking its memberships to turn out phone calls to the Franks office and distributing leaflets in the district urging local residents to Rep. Franks. People interested in joining the campaign can call Frank DeMaria at 272-4200.

Congress is expected to vote on NAFTA this week.

## Congressman will vote for NAFTA

Congressman Bob Franks (District 7) has announced his support for ratification of the North Ameri-

ca Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) saying, "NAFTA will enable us to tap into new markets for American products so we can build a more secure and prosperous future for American workers."

Mr. Franks made his announcement at the Red Devil Inc. manufacturing facility in Union, surrounded by products made by businesses in Central New Jersey that are now being exported to Mexico or have the potential of being sold in Mexico if NAFTA is ratified. Congress is scheduled to vote today on this trade agreement that would lift tariff on American products sold in Mexico.

"Mexico is the sixth largest export market for New Jersey businesses," Mr. Franks said. "The growth in New Jersey exports to Mexico has been truly remarkable, increasing a whopping 139 percent in just five years from 1987 to 1991. I strongly believe NAFTA will be a big winner for New Jersey workers."

Mr. Franks, who co-chairs the first-ever Congressional task force on manufacturing, said, "NAFTA provides the United States with an opportunity to expand trade with our neighbors and to rebuild our own industrial base. If we don't take advantage of the new markets south of the border, our economic rivals, most likely Japan, will quickly move to fill the void."

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Letters to the editor

## Airplane noise? Haven't you heard the racket on ground?

To The Record:

I am puzzled by the passion aroused by airplane noise, when our own yards and streets are blighted by far worse noise pollution year round — lawn mowers, leaf blowers, snow blowers, limb loppers, hedge trimmers, workshop equipment, roaring cars, racing motorcycles, blaring radios — all of which are like having that offensive airplane encamped next door.

Years ago it was birds we heard, and people raked leaves and shoveled snow. Now most of those birds are gone because their habitat has been destroyed, yet

people complain bitterly about the honking of Canadian Geese. The attitude seems to be that geese and airplanes in the sky are an easy target, whereas the worst noise must not be alleviated because that would compromise our own convenience.

Let's call me a hypocrite for using a lawn service, how many of you have taken a plane lately? Why not fight for quieter machines and greater restrictions on their use?

MIRIAM KORNBLATT  
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JOANNE RAJOPPI  
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## If 'it' is true, we need new gubernatorial election

To The Record:

What prompted Ms. Whitman's campaign manager to disclose that he used \$500,000 to influence people not to vote is quite puzzling. However, the frantic subsequent denials do not sound very convincing. After all, the allegation was not made by disgruntled Democrats.

Ms. Whitman's narrow margin of victory makes this story truly sensational.

Scandalous disclosures like these enhance the widespread cynicism about "The System" and undermine the ability of elected officials to muster the authority to govern.

Hopefully there will be a prompt and vigorous investigation that will

reveal the truth. If the alleged activity indeed took place then the recent gubernatorial election should be annulled and a special election be held.

In an election that was decided by about 1 percent of the votes, this would be the only way to restore the public's faith in our democratic way of governance.

BENJAMIN RULF

## Environmental engineer wins developer's challenge easily

By DAVID F. MOORE

N.J. CONSERVATION FOUNDATION

Stafford Township in Ocean County has shown towns with similar geology everywhere in the U.S. how to clean up polluted runoff water. A resident, John Spotofora, who happens to be an environmental engineer, protested a proposed development as well as the township's then-current storm water management plan.

Spotofora was challenged to invent a better plan. That was seven years ago and today the amended township storm water ordinance assures 95 percent removal of pollution into Manahawkin Lake.

Stafford now has an underground recharge storm water retention and treatment system, mandated for all new developments, and is working toward remediating older installation. Landscaping ordinances now mandate tree retention and plantings to reduce runoff, save heating and cooling energy and cleanse water. Because water flows across boundaries, Stafford developed an agreement with its upstream neighbors to provide equivalent protection.

The town sewered every house near the lake and established a drainage system to force all street and parking area flow into the storm water treatment system, under streets and parking lots.

Thanks to past non-point pollution problems, it was necessary to dredge 7 feet of mud from the lake bottom. That material has become cover for a now-closed municipal landfill which will later become a recreation area.

All of this has not gone unnoticed, or unrewarded. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has provided funding to study how Stafford's methods can be applied elsewhere. President Bush awarded the Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Award to Stafford, and the state Department of Environmental Protection and Energy has asked the township to write a storm water treatment manual.

John Spotofora found out that building a better mousetrap isn't easy, and that bureaucracy is slow to adopt new ideas. On the way, he became involved in the environmental commission, planning board and township council.

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# Kennedy Killed By Sniper In Texas; Succumbs Soon After Shot In Head

## Gov. Connally Also Hit; Agents See No Sniper

### Prediction Sees Warm Weekend

Unusually warm weather for late November is expected in the Elizabeth area during the weekend.  
The U.S. Weather Bureau at Newark Airport said temperatures will be in the mid-60s through Sunday. Sunny skies were expected to replace early morning haze today. Saturday will be partly cloudy.

## Reds Reject Protest On Auto

### Alliance Bulwark



## Memories of JFK still linger vividly 30 years after his slaying

By CHERYL MOULTON HEHL  
FORBES NEWSPAPERS

Few Union County residents older than 35 will ever forget where they were and what they were doing the day President John F. Kennedy was assassinated. Residents in this area vividly recall the impact this tragedy had on their lives and, in some cases, the obsession it became.

Tuesday is the 30th anniversary of the assassination of JFK in Dallas. The impact of the historic event echoes in these recollections.

Ron Marotta, a Cranford resident, director of the swim pool utility and former mayor, was so profoundly affected by the news that day he "spent the rest of the day in shock." He recalls staying glued to the television all weekend and right through to the funeral, which was not unusual.

In fact, normal routines were put on hold as the nation mourned the loss of their President and kept abreast of the latest developments as they occurred.

Former Kenilworth Mayor Livio Mancino didn't hesitate for a moment when asked where he was that day. And despite not being "a big supporter" of President Kennedy, he was profoundly affected by the murder.

"I owned a business in Bayonne back then and every-

thing came to a halt when we heard the news," recalls Mr. Mancino. He remembers that "the girls cried," but back then men were careful about displaying such emotions.

"But I had a lump in my throat," he confesses softly, adding that it was often hard to hide his emotions when he thought about the fact the slain President "had two little kids like I did."

Westfield residents Thomas and Doris Worth, owners of Worth Confectioners, remember every detail of that fateful day, even though they were not married at the time.

Doris worked at the former Westfield Federal Bank, while Tommy worked "with the boys across the street at Worth's." When a co-worker who had gone home for lunch called and informed her fellow employees the President had been shot, "everything stopped." Not just the employees, explains Doris, "but the customers, too." The radio was brought in and as they began to listen, "everyone just started crying."

Across the street, Tommy was working at his family's soda fountain shop "when a kid named Sullivan came in yelling the news."

"The men were upset," recalls the owner, "but we couldn't show it."

Instead, the men just watched the television set "and

couldn't believe it."

Garwood resident Mary Kellerman was watching the soap opera *As the World Turns* when a bulletin interrupted the program to announce the fatal shooting.

"I was in absolute, complete shock," says the soft spoken resident, remembering she went outside immediately and put the flag at half mast. For the next three days, Mrs. Kellerman and her family even had dinner in front of the television.

But what she remembers most is "how brave Mrs. Kennedy was."

"I couldn't get over that," she says, her voice trailing off, head shaking in disbelief.

Even the very young paid their respect to the President, in their own ways.

Cranford resident Fred Kessler, chairman of the Democratic Committee in the township, was only in fifth grade when the tragedy occurred, but he and fellow Cub Scouts paid tribute in the one way they could.

"As 10 year olds we really didn't know how to deal with it," he said. "So instead of doing what we were scheduled to do, we went outside and played touch football...in his memory."

## Tough gal says it all for smokers — but can't kick the habit

By CHERYL HEHL  
FORBES NEWSPAPERS

Nov. 18 is the Great American Smoke-out. Since I am writing this column after not having smoked for several hours, reading it could be hazardous.

I always fail miserably each and every year during the American Cancer Society's annual effort to help people stop smoking. This year I'm not sure if I will participate in this gut wrenching, sweat-producing, nasty mood inspiring, technique of helping smokers kick the habit.

In fact, I'm sick and tired of the non-smokers and ex-smokers who peer at me disdainfully, wrinkle their noses and feel the obligation to inform me I'm killing myself slowly. Like I'm an idiot who doesn't read magazines and newspapers, or turn on the television set.

I'm well aware of the fact I'm a degenerate who is putting nails in my coffin

with each cigarette I light up. Not to mention the fact that I'm killing my family and friends and cutting my life down significantly. WHY is it anyone's business? You would think that after banning smoking in just about every place that exists these people would go home and get a life. (I should be so lucky.)

Not only have I been banished to street corners to smoke in the snow, rain, sleet and blazing 90 degree weather, but I still have to listen to complete strangers lecture and look down at me. Of course this makes me feel guilty and I hate feeling guilty. Besides, whatever happened to my rights? The last time I looked I was living in the same country as my detractors. You know, the one where we have freedom to do what we want. Except, of course, if you smoke. Then you don't have any rights and people have the right to look at you with contempt when you are standing in the snow, rain, sleet and

blazing 90-degree heat on a corner.

To add insult to injury, we smokers are cowards. Did we fight for our rights? Point out that OUR constitutional rights were violated? No, we just stood out on street corners getting whistled at by complete strangers, gaped at with contempt by non-smokers who feel we are a sorry lot of ne'er-do-wells who have no self control. Not to mention the helpful advice like, "You'd better quit," or the ever popular, "When are you going to quit that nasty habit?"

I can't help but wonder how they



### Shenanigans

By Cheryl Hehl

would feel if I started prying into their lives, mentioning those cocktails they have after work, or the fact they are heading down to Atlantic City an awful lot.

Here's the lowdown for all those who wonder why I still smoke. Quitting is easier said than done. I never smoked a cigarette until I was 30 years old. It was "in" to smoke back then. I never understood how addictive it was, or that it could hurt me. I was young, what did I know?

Most non-smokers fail to realize that smoking is a HABIT. A psychological and physical craving that takes over your life. It isn't something you just stop. Even though I've met people who have gone "cold turkey," I know that this route is no picnic. And personally I have enough to go on to make me nervous without adding something else.

Maybe we smokers think that the

418,000 people who died in 1992 from tobacco related illnesses were bound to get sick anyway from something else. That dying is something that happens to someone else, not to me, or you. That despite all the statistics and all the little warning voices inside, we are not in control of this situation.

I know my husband wishes I would stop smoking. I sort of got the hint when he put a smoke alarm above our bed. This from a man who used to smoke. Yet I can't dismiss the words of the man who thinks he got the best part of the deal when he married me. He says he looked a long time for me and he doesn't want to lose what we have. And even though I don't want to lose him, either, I continue to smoke. I'm long past the "I won't stop" stage, now I'm at the "how long will it take me to die" stage. It's a rough way to live. Even rougher to realize that as tough as I am, I can't seem to lick this.

# Board shifts kindergarten, calendar policies

By NICOLE A. GAVINO  
THE RECORD

The Westfield Board of Education approved both a policy change for kindergarten admission and a calendar policy on first reading Tuesday night.

Resident Michael Auster questioned the policy change which would eliminate evaluation for early entrance into kindergarten.

"If we allow parents the flexibility of holding their children back, why wouldn't we allow the flexibility for a child who is ready for kindergarten?" Mr. Auster asked.

"To not have that flexibility seems one-sided."

Superintendent Mark Smith explained that the policy change would simply eliminate a provision which was set up as a transition from the previous Dec. 1 cut-off date to the Oct. 1 cut-off date. During the four year transition, 27 children were evaluated and only one was approved for early entrance.

Dr. Smith feels the provision was only expensive and time-consuming with little productivity. He also said that choosing to set guidelines to school entrance based on date and age rather than individual eval-

uations was "the wisest decision based on resources."

All board members approved the kindergarten policy change except Benjamin Rulf. "I feel the whole issue is unnecessary," he said. "Assessment can be made easier, what we do now with the Child Study Team is overkill. Taking away the flexibility is unjustified."

The board also approved a calendar policy which provides outlines for the start and finish of the school year, holidays, NJEA professional days, and vacations in December, February and April.

All voted in favor except members

Michael Fox and Carol B. Molnar. Mr. Fox expressed concern over the need to include a full week vacation in February and suggested the consideration of an earlier school closing instead.

Both issues will up for discussion during the next two public meetings before the board casts a final vote.

In other business, the school board accepted the annual audit of the 1992-93 school year. The audit was prepared by KPMG Peat Marwick, Certified public Accountants and includes recommendations to the board.

Mr. Fox said that Westfield "pretty

much came through with flying colors."

Many of the recommendations focused on maintenance of records and documentation in the departments of student activity funds and claims.

The board also accepted the retirement of Plant Maintenance Administrative Secretary Mildred Kreger as of Jan. 1. Ms. Kreger worked in the school district for 26 years, in her current position since 1987.

"We need to recognize that able secretaries are critical to the success of our schools," said Dr. Smith. "We wish her well and hope that she enjoys her retirement."

## Umbrella ball



At Children's Specialized Hospital Umbrella Ball, Robert Todd of Westfield, foundation board member, with his wife, Bobbie, look at mask held by Kathi Clark, a member of Mountainside TWIG.



## Info is aim of Main St.

A plan to blanket the town with information regarding the many projects to be conducted under the aegis of Westfield MainStreet was the result of a meeting of the Westfield MainStreet task force Oct. 14 at the group's headquarters, 150 E. Broad St.

Sam Freeman, leader of the task force, explained some of the plans the group is formulating.

"We will keep the community posted as we promote efforts to encourage nighttime store lighting, the renovation incentive program to encourage business owners to improve their store facades, the survey to determine attitudes and usage of downtown Westfield and the 'Welcome Home to Westfield' promotion during the period from Thanksgiving to Christmas," he said. "In order to give members of the community an opportunity to know more about our work, we have set up a speakers bureau, whose services are available to Westfield organizations."

The work has been distributed among the members of the task force: Doreen Binkiewicz, Patricia Bellew, Cindy Brady, Anita Dazzo, May Furstner, Lorre Korecky, Jukka Laitamaki, Mary Levine, Amy Marshall, Leatrice Mintzer, Karen Murphy, Karen Rhodes, Dominick Villane and Kelli Vitanza. Dr. Tina Leshner is an honorary member and consultant to the task force.

At each PR task force meeting, an invited guest expert discusses some aspect of public relations work. At the last meeting, Edward F. Carroll, executive editor of the Westfield Record discussed the methods of relating to the needs of publications.

At the PR task force meeting Nov. 9, Chris Loder, editor of the Star-Ledger was scheduled to discuss "Separating the Wheat from the Chaff."

The public is invited to attend these open meetings.

## Radio reading



Westfield residents Jay Boyle, left and Tom Higgins, center, join general manager John F. Mulvihill Jr. at the Electronic Information and Education Service reception held recently in South Orange. EIFS is a radio reading service for the blind. Its new service allows subscribers to browse through newspapers and select items of interest.

## Logan new asst. principal at Roosevelt School

D. Holly Logan, a 25-year teacher and administrator in the Westfield schools, was appointed assistant principal of Roosevelt Intermediate School.

The Westfield Board of Education Tuesday night approved her new position effective Dec. 20 with an annual salary of \$72,000.

Mrs. Logan replaces Salvatore J. DeSimone, who was named principal of Tamaques School by the school board earlier this month.

Mrs. Logan has nine years experience as assistant principal and acting principal at Jefferson School

between 1971 and 1985. She returned to the classroom when elementary assistant principals were eliminated due to declining enrollment.

Roosevelt's new assistant principal has been teaching sixth-grade at Edison Intermediate School since 1988, after teaching for some time at Jefferson School. She began her career in Westfield as a kindergarten teacher at Columbus school and served as administrative intern during the 1970-71 school year.

A graduate of Hunter College,

she holds a master's degree in education from Queens College and has done postgraduate work at Rutgers University.

"As an in-district staff member

with administrative experience and tenure, Mrs. Logan heads the preferred eligibility lists for assistant principals," Schools Superintendent Mark Smith said.

## FREE COMMUNITY PROGRAM Issues in the 90s: The Challenge of Aging

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## Folk tale fest soon

A special holiday presentation, "Festival of Folk Tales," will be presented for children in grades K-6 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 4 in the Program Room of the Westfield Memorial Library. Free tickets will be available starting Saturday, Nov. 20 in the children's department. This "for children only" program is produced by Creative Theatre of Princeton and is sponsored by the Westfield Friends of the Library.

The play features four folk tales from Haitian, Jewish, Scandinavian and Chinese cultures and celebrates Christmas, Hanukkah and the Chinese New Year. Included are a story of sleeping dragons for Chinese New Year, the story of Reb Yedek and the wolves for Hanukkah, the Haitian story of a singing turtle and a tale of troll visitors from Scandinavia for Christmas.

The production, a celebration of cultural diversity, uses few but imaginative props and beautiful masks and other costume pieces. It is performed in the round, with children seated on the floor, creating an intimate theater experience in which everyone shares the space and experience of live theater.

"Festival of Folk Tales" is adapted by Barbara Ackerman, Linda Oppenheim and Eloise Bruce, and directed by Pamela Hoffman, who is a former artistic director of Creative Theater and on the teaching staff. She holds bachelor's and master's degrees in speech and drama from the University of Colorado and has taught at Denison, Rider and Trenton State Colleges.

Tickets to the performance are free, but limited.

## Ms. Cargo to preach

Church member Caroline Cargo will again preach at the 10:30 a.m. service of the First Baptist Church of Westfield, 170 Elm St. Ms. Cargo, currently a full-time student at Union Theological Seminary in New York, is one of many members of the congregation who are performing pastoral roles while senior minister Dr. Robert L. Harvey is on a study sabbatical at Harvard Divinity School.

Church School for all ages begins 9 a.m. Sunday. Adult education includes the Pastors Class on the Psalms; the Journeys Class on "The Story of Beginnings: the Book of Genesis;" and the Adult Forum on current issues. Nursery is staffed 9:11:30 a.m. and includes stories, songs, and visual aides about God's creation. A full religious curriculum of age-appropriate activities is offered to children ages 2-5 years. The weekly fellowship dinner 6:30 p.m. Tuesday will be followed by Fellowship, Youth Choir and Bible Study.

## Currier &amp; Ives Sunday

A private collection of historical American winter scenes printed by Currier & Ives will be exhibited at Westfield's Gallery Marie. An opening reception will be held 2-6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 21. The pictures will be displayed until Jan. 15. They are among the best 100 large and small lithographs chosen by the American Historical Print Collectors Society from more than 7,000 subjects produced by Currier & Ives from 1835-1907.

Many have been reproduced on greeting cards, calendars, and

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decorative items. The prints are fine examples of stone lithography and were advertised by the firm as "colored engravings for the people." Printed in black on white woven paper, each one was individually hand-painted using the finest water colors available.

Gallery Marie has the largest selection of original Currier & Ives lithographs in New Jersey. Also available are original oils, contemporary lithographs, posters, antique prints, French matting, fine custom framing, restoration and conservation services and free in-home consultation.

The gallery is located at 251 North Ave. West (at the train station).

Hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday; evenings by appointment.

For information or reception reservations, call 232-6493.

## Pilgrim worship Sun.

History will repeat itself Sunday, Nov. 21 at the First Congregational Church, 125 Elmer St., when, in a return to classic worship, the congregation will meet 9:45 a.m. in McCorison Basement to pin on Pilgrim hats and bits before following a lone drummer to the Meeting House 10 a.m.

The service will be modeled after a typical Pilgrim day of worship, including "lining out" (pre-hymnal and use of musical instruments), a Thanksgiving Proclamation, prayers, a sermon, questions and censures (a call to order for members who were not living up to standards).

To lend the service a special air of authenticity, the heat in the Meeting House will be turned down, pew and hymnal cushions will be removed and men and women will circulate with long poles to wake the sleepy faithful — a feather at one end for the ladies and a knob at the other for the men.

In the giving spirit of the season and in gratitude for their blessings, congregation members will follow the example of their Pilgrim forebears and offer money and/or food to the less fortunate.

All are invited to the service. Children in first grade and up may attend; child care will be provided for those who are younger.

## Using God's money

The Rev. David F. Harwood, senior minister of the First United Methodist Church, 1 E. Broad St., will preach Sunday on "How We Use God's Money."

Each Sunday there is church school for all ages 9:15 a.m. Continuing education classes for adults are "What We need to Know about Islam" and "Parenting Elementary Age Children," 9:15 a.m., and Disciple Bible Study, 8:30 a.m.

Fellowship time in the fellowship room, an informal gathering of the community and visitors, begins 10:15 a.m. Morning worship is 10:45 a.m.; child care is available.

The schedule for next week is: Sunday — United Methodist Youth Fellowship Mexican Night, 6 p.m.; Book Discussion group, 7:30 p.m.

Monday — Stephen Ministry, 7:30 p.m.; Cornerstone II Women's Retreat Team, 8 p.m.;

building committee, 8 p.m.

Tuesday — Crafty Ladies, 9:30 a.m.; Disciple Class, 12:30 p.m.; Primary and Wesley Choirs, Kids Discover and Create, 3:15 p.m.; Youth Choir, 6 p.m.; Fife & Drum, 7 p.m.; Sanctuary Choir, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday — Career Enhancement Seminar, 9 a.m.

Thursday — Thanksgiving Day; Wesley Hall Nursery School/church office closed.

Friday — Wesley Hall Nursery School/church office closed.

## Presidential scholar

Gregg Gagliardi of Westfield, a freshman at Franklin & Marshall College, has been named a Presidential Scholar at the school.

The Presidential Scholarship, established this year, is a merit-based award offered to high achieving students in the college's applicant pool.

Mr. Gagliardi graduated in June from Westfield High School. He is the son of Rosemary and Michael Gagliardi of Cranford Avenue.

## Messiah date set

The traditional annual Messiah sing, sponsored by the Choral Art Society of New Jersey, will be 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 3 in the First Baptist Church, 170 Elm St. Parking is available behind the church.

The sing will be directed by Evelyn Bleeke, accompanied by Annette White, and will feature guest soloists Rodney Clark, tenor; Ralph Braun, bass; Rena Parrush, lyric coloratura; and Betsy MacKenzie, mezzo soprano. Member soloists will be Susan Faas, Robert Szentie, Aeneas Stout, Mary Ann Dowling, Marie Cistrelli and Dolores Strockbine.

Bring your own score; limited copies available at the door.

Donation is \$5. For tickets, call Helen Organ at 322-7240.

Funding is by the New Jersey Council on the Arts through a grant administered by the Union County Heritage Office of Cultural Affairs.

## Disaster a success

The American Red Cross has announced that a Disaster Training Institute and Retreat was held recently at the Grand Hotel in Cape May. The retreat, which will be held annually, included a series of courses aimed at supporting local chapters and state disaster preparedness activities. Attending the retreat were 150 from 26 New Jersey chapters and three out-of-state chapters.

The retreat was sponsored by the Field Service Office, N.J. Disaster Specialist; and the N.J. State Council of the American Red Cross.

The Westfield/Mountainside Chapter sent four local people to the retreat. They were Kevin J. O'Neill, RN, disaster chairman; Gail P. Moffett, executive director; staff worker Maureen Kaufmann; and her husband, Harry Kaufmann Jr., disaster volunteer. The participants gained knowledge, skills and had the opportunity to exchange ideas with other chapters that have experience in disaster relief efforts.

Last year, the Red Cross spent \$2.7 million dollars for direct relief efforts in New Jersey. Training disaster volunteers is a continuing effort within the Red Cross.



JACQUELINE EGAN BRUCKNER and WILLIAM HEATH

## Miss Bruckner is betrothed to William Heath

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Bruckner of Westfield have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jacqueline Egan Bruckner, to William Heath, son of Mrs. Helen Heath of Montclair and the late Carlyle White Heath.

The future bride is a graduate of Westfield High School. She received her bachelor's degree from Drew University in Madison and currently is pursuing a master's degree at Seton Hall University.

She is an account manager with MarketSource Corporation in Cranbury.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Montclair High School and a United States Marine Corps veteran. He is associated with Toppan Printing, U.S.A., in Somerset.

An August wedding is planned.

## Downtown analysis team lists Westfield strong, weak spots

By NICOLE A. GAVINO  
THE RECORD

Downtown Westfield late last month received a mix of acclaim and criticism from a team of experts from the National Main Street Center and Main Street New Jersey.

Westfield was chosen as a Main Street site for downtown revitalization last spring after the Westfield Downtown Committee successfully campaigned for its support. Although Westfield Main Street depends completely on local resources for both volunteers and funds, the program benefits from the technical assistance offered from the state and national levels.

Main Street President Robert Newell noted the rise in available parking spaces and vacant store fronts, and a drop in membership of the Chamber of Commerce as some of the reasons Westfield sought Main Street.

"Most towns will wait until they hit the bottom," said National Main Street Program Associate Lauren Atkins, "Westfield recognizes that they've felt a little slippage and they want to get a handle on it to keep their edge." The resource team consisted of specialists from what Main Street considers to be the four major focus areas: State Coordinator Barbara Swanda-organization; architect Richard D. Wagner-design; David Schure, program associate for National Main Street-economic restructuring; and Ms. Atkins-promotion. Each specialist provided a list of observations and recommendations.

## Organization

Ms. Swanda complemented Westfield Main Street for its intensity and diversity of both staff and funding.

On the other hand, she said a natural unwillingness to change and Westfielders high expectations may be a problem.

Ms. Swanda recommended more communication and sharing of information between Westfield Main Street and other local organizations, local merchants, and the general public.

## Economic Restructuring

Mr. Schure criticized a proliferation of myths surrounding the mix of downtown businesses and the addition of chain stores.

He said the average size of sale has declined due to economic shifts, creating a need for more sales to make the same profit.

Both Mr. Schure and local business-owners commented on the lack of new start-up businesses, or new life blood because the downtown area is simply too expensive. Mr. Schure recommended more rapport with the chain stores, financial incentives and an "incubator" or set-up program wherein a new business would be offered a financial and technical assistance package.

## Promotion

Ms. Atkins complemented West-

field's positive image.

She suggested researching the vast and expensive media market to find the most efficient ways of advertising.

Ms. Atkins called for events that target Westfield's market-families with young children or teenagers, and "events for the times" like highlighting sales.

## Design

Mr. Wagner praised the quality and diversity of architecture in the downtown area.

He complemented the general maintenance levels in the area and the compatibility of new improvements.

Parking was referred to as the great bugaboo. Mr. Wagner suggested looking at who is parking where and when, instead of considering a parking deck.

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# Alice Withington Rooke, philanthropist; was 103

Alice Withington Rooke, 103, a philanthropist, socialite, and long-time Westfield resident whose ancestors settled in Pennsylvania prior to the American Revolution, died Nov. 12, 1993 at her home in Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Rooke was born in Northumberland, Pa. Her father, Martin Withington, worked with famed inventor Thomas Alva Edison and turned on the first incandescent light installed in Sunbury, Pa. One of her first cousins was M.W. Clement, who for many years was a president of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Another ancestor, Conrad Weiser, was the paymaster for Gen. George Washington during the American Revolution.

At the 1984 Salvation Army Ball in Palm Beach, Mrs. Rooke received the Salvation Army Philanthropic Award for "reaching so many and always with great love." She was honored on her 100th birthday in a garden party attended by 300 guests at the Seagull Cottage in Palm Beach.

Through the efforts of her daughter, Dorothy Rooke McCulloch of Barrington, R.I., the Alice Withington Rooke Laboratory Theater at Mount Holyoke College in Massachusetts was dedicated in 1980 to honor the socialite's lifelong interest in theater.

Mrs. Rooke served on the board of directors of the Palm Beach Roundtable and for many years was a benefactor of non-profit associations, among them the Crotched Mountain Children's Hospital in New Hampshire and The Seeing Eye of Morristown. She was an American Red Cross volun-

teer during World War I.

A member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Rooke belonged to the Echo Lake Country Club in Westfield and the Baltusrol golf club in Springfield. She held membership in the Four Arts Association, the Royal Poinciana Playhouse, the Royal Poinciana Chapel, the Everglades Club, the Bath and Tennis Club, and the Beach Club, all in Palm Beach.

Her husband, Robert L. Rooke, is at 101 the oldest living member of the New York Stock Exchange and an original member of the stock brokerage now known as Merrill Lynch & Co. He also was a founding member of the Beach Club in Palm Beach and for many years was a trustee of Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa.

The Rookees lived in Sunbury before moving to Westfield in 1925; they maintained a winter home in Palm Beach since 1950 and had their permanent residence in the resort town since 1990. Mrs. Rooke also spent summers since 1932 in Bridgewater, N.H., and was a member of the Federated Church of Bristol, N.H.

Besides her husband and daughter, Mrs. Rooke is survived by two sons, Robert C. Rooke of Morristown and William W. Rooke of Green Village; 13 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service was held yesterday in Rooke Chapel on the Bucknell University campus.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Rooke Chapel, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa. 17837.

## Obituaries

### Roy Hamilton MacBean, 78 Headed insurance agents' association

Roy Hamilton MacBean, 78, a past president of the Association of Independent Insurance Agents of New Jersey, died Nov. 1, 1993 at Carolinas Medical Center, Charlotte, N.C.

He was born in Philadelphia, Pa., and lived in Westfield before moving in 1991 to Morganton, N.C.

During his career Mr. MacBean was associated with the Hedenberg-MacBean Agency and the Kohler-MacBean Agency, both in Cranford. He graduated from Colgate University and was the New Jersey state director to the na-

tional Association of Independent Insurance Agents.

He served in the Marine Corps Reserve and was a member of the Echo Lake Country Club.

Surviving are his wife, Mildred MacBean; two sons, Lawrence John MacBean and James Roy MacBean; three grandchildren; and a sister, Ruth Gauthier.

Services were held in North Carolina.

### Ludwig W. Ruppert, 64 Cabinetmaker; once of Westfield

Ludwig W. Ruppert, 64, a cabinetmaker for more than 30 years with the R.W. Reu Co. of Millburn, died Nov. 4, 1993 at his home in Scotch Plains.

Mr. Ruppert was born in Darmstadt, Germany, and emigrated to the United States in 1952. He lived in Kenilworth and Westfield before moving to Scotch Plains in 1983.

He was a member of the

German-American Sports Club in Union and the Saenger Chor, which is based in Newark and Clark. Mr. Ruppert served in the Army from 1953-57 and the Army Reserve from 1957-61.

Surviving are his wife, Helga Fass Ruppert; and a daughter, Ellen Maria Bernero of Union.

Services were held Nov. 8 at the Dooley Funeral Home, Cranford.

### Patricia Washer Lived in Westfield from 1978-85

Patricia (Penny) Washer, a former resident of this community, died Nov. 11, 1993 at Union Hospital.

Mrs. Washer was born in Cleveland, Ohio, and lived in Westfield from 1978 until she moved to Cranford in 1985.

She is survived by her husband, Jim Washer; and several close friends.

A funeral Mass was offered Monday at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church.

Arrangements were by the Dooley Funeral Home, Cranford.

## Lunar eclipse coming

The public will have the opportunity to view the last lunar eclipse to be visible in North and South America until April 1996 at Union County College's Sperry Observatory during the night of Nov. 28-29.

Members of Amateur Astronomers Inc., based at the observatory, located on the college's Cranford campus, will assist celestial viewers in seeing the lunar eclipse through two high-powered telescopes. They also will explain the phenomenon to the public, and answer individual questions about its causes.

The Sperry Observatory will be open from 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 28 and remain open for viewers into the early morning hours of Monday, Nov. 29. The lunar eclipse, which occurs when the moon passes between the Earth and the sun, appears in two shadowing phases — the penumbra, or lighter portion, and the umbra, or darker portion.

That evening, the penumbra will appear 10:27 p.m., followed by the umbra, 11:40 p.m., with the lunar eclipse reaching its totality at 1:02 a.m. and lasting for 48 minutes. The outgoing umbra will appear 1:50 a.m. and the penumbra will occur 3:12 a.m., with an eclipse completion occurring 4:25 a.m.

According to Dr. Karl Hricko of Edison, vice president of AAI, most of the time a lunar eclipse occurs about three or four times per year. But occasionally, he said, the plane of the moon's orbit does not align directly between the Earth and the sun. This tilted plane could prevent a lunar eclipse from occurring for a longer-than-average time period.

This lunar eclipse will be visible to the naked eye throughout all of North America and some of South America. Of special note to amateur astronomers will be the moon's position whereby the Taurus constellation will serve as its background. It can project an earth-like shadow in the form of a cone beyond the moon, pointing towards two major star clusters, Pleiades and Hyades.

Dr. Hricko pointed out that this lunar eclipse may be darker in its traditional reddish hue than normal due to excessive pollution in the Earth's atmosphere, much of it generated through volcanic debris remaining from last year's eruption of Mount Pinatubo in the Philippines.

For more information, call 276-STAR.

### Tryouts set for Sunday for Feb. show

The Washington School PTA held its annual pot luck supper in October. The highlight of the event, attended by more than 200 parents and teachers, was a sneak preview of this year's Washington School show, "Westfield General Hospital." This musical comedy will mark the 46th year of production.

"Westfield General Hospital" is written by parent Ken Mirsky, and will be performed Feb. 4 and 5 at Roosevelt Intermediate School. The show will be directed by Lauren Flast and Rich Jackson. Producers are Lori Vantosky, Judy Rough and Kathy Maher.

Cast tryouts will be held 2 p.m. Sunday at Lori Vantosky's house. Dance placements will be 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at Roosevelt School.

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### Kathleen McCormick, 55 Active in local school organizations

Kathleen McCormick, 55, who was active in school organizations in Westfield, died Nov. 12, 1993 at California Pacific Medical Center, San Francisco, Calif.

A native of Yonkers, N.Y., Mrs. McCormick lived in Westfield from 1977 until she moved to Connecticut in 1982. She later lived in Texas and most recently in San Francisco.

She was involved with the Home School Association at Holy Trinity School and the parent-teacher associations at Lincoln and Edison schools. Mrs. McCormick was a parishioner of St. Helen's Roman

Catholic Church and belonged to the La Leche League.

Her husband, Bob McCormick, who died in 1991, coached youth teams in baseball, softball, basketball, and track.

Surviving are three daughters, Erin McCormick-Smith, Tara McCormick, and Megan McCormick, and two sons, Glen McCormick and Phil McCormick, all of San Francisco.

A memorial Mass will be offered at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Helen's Church, 1600 Rahway Ave.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Commonweal, P.O. Box 316, Bolinas, Calif. 94924.

### Raymond Greenman, 90 An engineer with Western Electric

Raymond H. Greenman, 90, an electrical engineer with the former Western Electric, died Nov. 15, 1993 at Overlook Hospital.

Mr. Greenman was born in Topinabee, Mich., and moved to Westfield in 1950 from East Orange. He was with Western Electric at its Kearny plant from 1923-65 and belonged to the Telephone Pioneers of America.

His wife, Mabel F. Greenman,

died in 1971.

Surviving are a daughter, Elizabeth G. Schermann of Navesink; two grandchildren; a great-grandchild; a sister, Minnie Sova of Vanderbilt, Mich.; and a companion, Louie R. Stachel, with whom Mr. Greenman lived.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. today at the Gray Funeral Home, 318 East Broad St. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

### Anna DiBenedetto Drabin At 82; had lived 17 years in Westfield

Anna V. DiBenedetto Drabin, 82, a resident of this community for the past 17 years, died Nov. 14, 1993 at her home.

Mrs. Drabin was born in Newark and lived in Irvington before moving to Westfield. She was a member of the Westfield Senior Citizens Club.

Her husband, George T. Drabin, is deceased.

Surviving are a son, George T. Drabin; a daughter, Maryann Lance; two grandchildren; two sis-

ters, Florence Lenahan and Mary Straniero; and a brother, Charles Dubs.

A funeral Mass was offered yesterday at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Helping Hands and Hearts, St. Helen's Church, 1600 Rahway Ave., Westfield, 07090-3615, or the Westfield Rescue Squad.

Arrangements were by the Dooley Colonial Home.

### Louis Ciarrocca, 63 Union attorney; in town organizations

Louis J. Ciarrocca, 63, an attorney for 30 years with the Union firm of Ciarrocca & Ciarrocca, died Nov. 8, 1993 at Overlook Hospital.

He was born in Newark, served in the Army during the Korean War, and had lived in Westfield since 1958.

A member of the New Jersey and New York bar associations, Mr. Ciarrocca graduated from George Washington University in 1952 and the Fordham University law school in 1957. He also held membership in the Westfield Booster Club and the Westfield chapter of UNICO, an Italian-American service organization.

Surviving are his wife, Teresa Caccione Ciarrocca; four sons, Dr.

Kenneth J. Ciarrocca, Mark P. Ciarrocca, David W. Ciarrocca, and Steven R. Ciarrocca; a daughter, Lori Ciarrocca; three grandchildren; a brother, John Carr; and a sister, Gloria Pescatore.

A funeral Mass was offered Friday at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church. Entombment was in the mausoleum at Hollywood Memorial Park, Union.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Helping Hands and Hearts, St. Helen's Church, 1600 Rahway Ave., Westfield, 07090-3615, or the Westfield Rescue Squad.

Arrangements were by the Dooley Colonial Home.

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# Business

## Coe to diagnose business health for Rotarians

Bruce Coe, president of New Jersey Business and Industry Association (NJBIA), will speak on the Health of Business in New Jersey 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 2 in the Clark Ramada, Dec. 2, 11:30 a.m.,

on the Health of Business in New Jersey. The luncheon meeting is hosted by Rotary clubs from Berkeley Heights, Clark, Cranford, Elizabeth, Fanwood/Scotch Plains, Linden, Plainfield, Roselle/Roselle

Park, and Westfield.

Wide concern over the loss of high-wage industrial jobs in Union County has spurred business groups to work together to find solutions. Efforts on behalf of Rotary

clubs, the Union County Chamber of Commerce, the Union County Alliance, local chambers, the Small Business Development Center at Kean College, and the Union County Economic Development

Corporation are complemented by the efforts of the NJBIA and the State Chamber of Commerce in building new opportunities for commerce.

Mr. Coe leads the NJBIA as advocate for business in the state. The NJBIA is the nation's largest state-level employer association, dating back to 1910, when it was known as the Manufacturers Association of NJ. Its membership of more than 13,500 businesses focuses its energies to address the challenges facing business and economy. The NJBIA provides in-

formation services to members seeking to comply with state and federal regulations.

Mr. Coe currently serves on the boards of Constellation Bancorp, New Jersey Manufacturers Insurance Company, New Jersey Resources Corporation, Electronic Associates Inc., New Jersey Alliance for Action, New Jersey Future, and Corporation for Business Assistance. Cost of the luncheon is \$15 with advance reservations, \$17 at the door. Reservations can be made with Harvin Freedman; Freedman, Milwicz and Morrison, P.A.; fax 574-0544 by Nov. 19.

## Jeremiah again heads Education Fund

Local attorney William Jeremiah was re-elected as president of the Education Fund of Westfield at its annual meeting held Nov. 4. Also elected were a slate of officers and trustees of the fund.

Mr. Jeremiah was the original president of the fund, which was established two years ago as an independent agency dedicated to providing supplementary funding for the Westfield public schools. It

is currently launching its first community-wide fund-raising effort.

Re-elected as vice president was Roger Love, and as secretary, Darlelle Walsh. Edward Kassakian was elected treasurer, replacing Donald

Pray, who recently resigned from the board. Re-elected to three-year terms on the board of trustees were Mr. Kassakian, William Jacobs and David Tyre. All the officers and trustees are residents of Westfield.

William Peek, chairman of the fund's nominating committee, will complete the slate of trustees at the December meeting of the fund, with nominations to replace retiring trustees Robert Mulreany, Michele Picou and Mr. Pray.

### Department head of the year

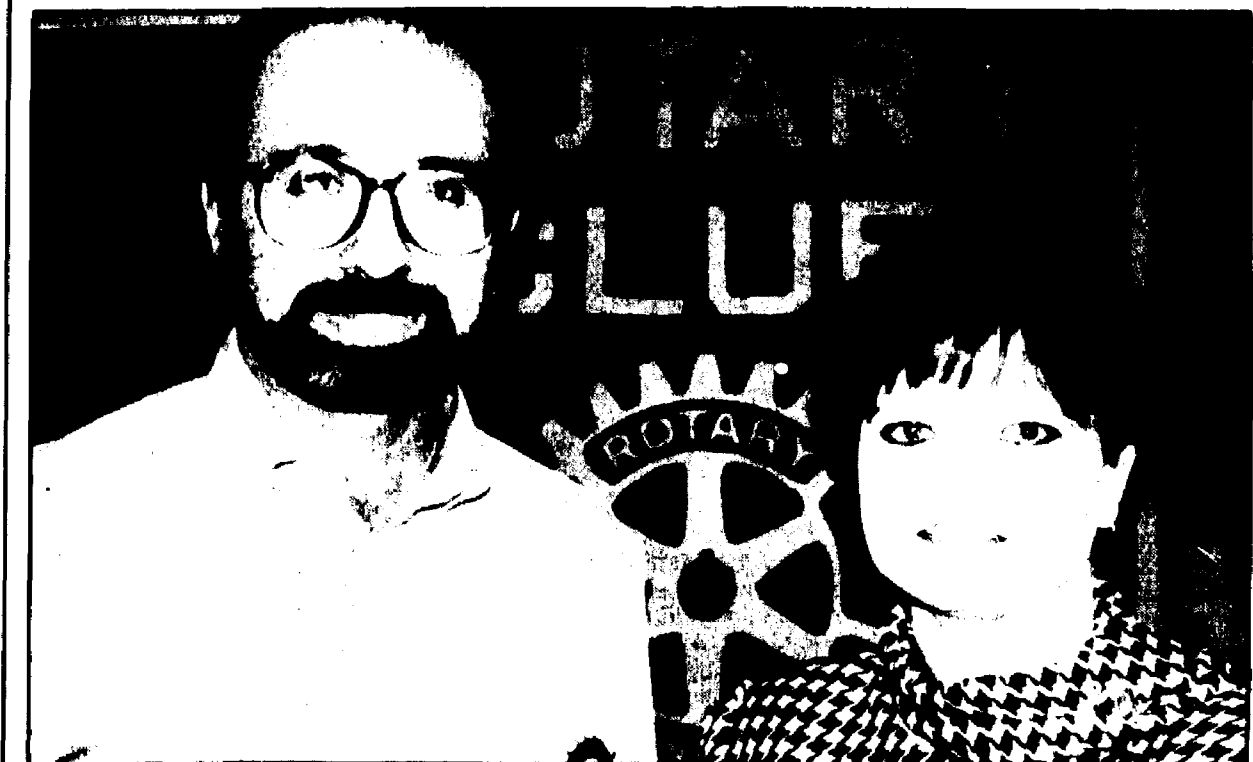
Lisa Ritthaler, admissions director at Meridian Nursing Center-Westfield, was recently named Department Head of the Year by Linda Stevens, administrator, who presented her a gift of Waterford crystal.

"Lisa Ritthaler has earned this award by helping Westfielders and others in the area we serve understand how they can play a positive role in the lives of our residents," Miss Stevens said. "Because of Lisa's intelligent and energetic efforts, people in local hospitals, churches, and other organizations have come to appreciate and understand Meridian's mission in Westfield."



Officers of the Education Fund of Westfield elected at the recent annual meeting are treasurer Edward Kassakian, vice president Roger Love, Secretary Darlelle Walsh and president William Jeremiah.

### Travel talk



Nancy LaCorte of Westfield, who spent six weeks in Finland with five other young women on a Rotary International Group Study Exchange, visited the local club Thursday and gave a slide presentation and talk on her experiences in Scandinavia.

## Ms. Nakatani trains in leadership management course

Laura Nakatani, a resident of Westfield, is one of 41 trainees in the 1993-1994 class of the Leadership Management for Urban Executive Institute sponsored by the Center for Strategic Urban Community Leadership. She is participating in a 10-month long program at the Camden campus of Rutgers focusing on the problems plaguing urban communities.

Ms. Nakatani is the special projects manager for Community Coordinated Child Care of Union County, a nonprofit child care services agency. She oversees a wide spectrum of programs including school-age child care, special needs and teacher training.

A former teacher, Ms. Nakatani holds a master's degree in elementary education from Teachers College at Columbia University and a

bachelor's degree in studio art and architecture from Wellesley College.

The goal of the program is to prepare individuals for the role of "broker" between local, state and national officials and those living in urban areas.

"I am very excited about the program," Ms. Nakatani said. "It is a great opportunity to work together with the community, examining minority leadership opportunities and mobilizing all available resources to tackle the problems affecting our urban centers."

Community Coordinated Child Care was established in 1974 in an effort to improve the quality and availability of child care services. The United Way member agency provides a free child care referral service for parents, conducts train-

ing programs and workshops for child care providers and manages a variety of government-funded programs.

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## You said it:

'Having a good record doesn't really mean much.  
You have to win when it counts.'

Laura Todd — WHS fullback

## SIDE-LINES

### Softball signups

This spring, Westfield Girls' Softball will offer a new league for second and third grade girls. Designed to introduce girls to the sport, the league will emphasize instruction and skill development through relaxed, fun-filled games and practice sessions. Registration will be held Saturday, Dec. 4, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Roosevelt Intermediate School. All Westfield residents are welcome. Call Bill Nicol (233-7081) or Bob Guerriero (654-1799) for further details.



### Youth wrestling

The last chance for boys in grades two through eight to sign up for the Westfield Boys' Wrestling League will be 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Westfield H.S. gym. Beginners and experienced wrestlers are welcome to join. For additional information call Ken Sullivan at 233-7461 or Dan Sawicki at 789-9525.

### Underwater ballet

The Westfield Aquaducks and Somerset Valley Rockets will present a synchronized swimming extravaganza 7:30 p.m. Saturday and 4 p.m. Sunday at the Westfield YMCA on Clark St. Tickets are \$3 for children under 12 and \$5 for adults and will be available at the door. The Aquaducks are an elite group of girls ages 7 to 17 who comprise the top-ranked synchronized swimming team in the state. They have won numerous medals in zones and regional competitions, both as individuals and as a team.

### Fencing Club

The Westfield Fencing Club is becoming increasingly popular in town, which is largely due to professional instructors Tom Tomko and Tom Boutsikaris. During each Saturday session, which meets at the Redeemer Lutheran Church at Cowperthwaite Place and Clark Street, youth and adults learn to use an epee, a foil, and a sabre. One of the goals is competition, both within the Club and at regional gatherings of fencing clubs. The early winter sessions of the Club, a component of the New Jersey Workshop for the Arts, have already begun and will continue until Jan. 22. All levels are welcome, from beginners to experienced, youth and adult, male and female. For further information call the New Jersey Workshop for the Arts at 789-9696.

### The Hot Spot



The Westfield Police Athletic League football teams will wrap up their season at Gary Kehler Stadium Sunday against Summit. The C game gets underway at noon, followed by the A team at 1:30 and the Bs at 2:45.

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# Sports



Senior midfielder Jim Corcoran completed his high school soccer career Friday by setting up Westfield's only goal in a 2-1 shootout loss to East Orange in the North Jersey Section 2, Group 4 finals.

## Co-coaches return to old stomping grounds

By KIP KUDUK  
THE RECORD

In many respects, a rather large chapter in the history of Westfield High School boys' swimming came to an end last year after the Blue Devils were upset by Bergen Catholic in the A Division semifinals.

Not only was it the final dual meet stars such as Dave Schwartz and Darren Hertell would compete in, but it was the last time Head Coach Chris McGiffin was pool side guiding his team.

The first practice was held on Tuesday and the Blue Devils have surely taken on a new look. This winter the job of landing a younger, less star-kissed squad in the state final lies on the shoulders of co-coaches Judi Brawer and Bruce Johnson.

Brawer and Johnson hope to put their extensive knowledge of Westfield swimming to good use. Brawer graduated from W.H.S. in 1987 and was a contributing member of two state championship teams, both of whom were led by coach Marilyn Diamond.

Johnson, another Westfield H.S. alumnus, has been extremely close to the team for the past several years while covering swimming for local daily newspapers. His emotional attachment to the Blue Devils' swimming program may inspire a team which, at times, appeared to go through the motions last season.

At this early stage it remains unclear what duties will fall to which

coach. However, it seems Brawer's strengths lie in the technical aspects of the sport, while Johnson is adept at putting together a lineup and scouting opposing teams.

"I guess I have more teaching experience," said Brawer, who earned a degree in International Relations at the University of Colorado in 1991. "I know the strokes and the turns and how to set up a workout. Bruce is excellent at line-ups. He knows the times of different swimmers and he has great connections. He's also someone the boys might feel more comfortable talking to."

A fine crop of freshmen should lessen the sting of a debilitating graduation. But, even with a stacked lineup Westfield has won only one state title over the last four years when it was capable of claiming the prize each season.

"Westfield had the best team the last four years and won one state title," said Johnson, who helped build a swimming program at Notre Dame H.S. in Lawrenceville 10 years ago. "You can't tell me St. Joe's was the best team last year. But, they won the state meet and that's what counts."

Since practically all of Westfield's key swimmers also compete for club teams during the season, a conflict of interests usually arises.

Except for the Pirate Invitational, all of the big high school meets occur in February and early March. Meanwhile, each club

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JUDI BRAWER



BRUCE JOHNSON

## One-man gymnastics team measures up to rivals

All by himself, David Surgent comprises Westfield's boys' gymnastics team. The junior recently finished fifth in all-around at the NJSIAA boys' individual gymnastics championships in Flemington as Westfield's only entrant.

At 6-foot-2½, he also lays claim to being the tallest high school gymnast in New Jersey.

"My height is somewhat of a disadvantage in the strength events like the rings, but it helps me on the pommel horse and high bar, which is my best event," said Surgent.

The Surgent name is familiar to all gymnasts on the East Coast.

Dave's father, Jim, operates the Surgent's Elite School of Gymnastics in Garwood and Roselle Park.

The schools bring in over 1,500 students, including 700 boys. Two-

### SPORTS MATTERS



BY AL LIES

## State title hopes crushed by E. Orange in shootout

By KIP KUDUK  
THE RECORD

Friday's 2-1 loss to East Orange in the North Jersey Section 2, Group 4 boys soccer final at Gary Kehler Stadium left Westfield High School coaches and players scratching their heads and wondering what it takes to win.

The Blue Devils (15-3-2) dominated play for two-thirds of the match, but could only score one goal. A defensive lapse allowed the Panthers (14-4) a goal in the third minute, forcing the hosts to press for the remainder of the game.

Westfield held a 4-1 edge in shots after halftime, peppering the East Orange net with a barrage of solid scoring opportunities.

Dave Schaller broke the ice midway through the second half when he received a through ball from Jim Corcoran and pumped one home on a semi-breakaway from 12 yards.

However, after the goal the hosts were unable to overcome East Orange's packed-in defense and keeper Carson Mathurin, who made 20 saves.

"We played great, but we've had trouble putting the ball in the goal all season," said Head Coach George Kapner. "Our only real goal in the state tournament was Schaller's goal. We just didn't have

enough finishers on this team."

Seemingly content to keep the match tied, the visitors left at least four players deep at all times and crowded the box whenever Westfield threatened. Hence, the Blue Devils controlled the midfield with ease and had numerous scoring opportunities during both overtimes.

"We had to play defense," said East Orange Head Coach George Lewis. "We brought back an extra player on defense because they were kicking our butts. Their three midfielders are super. We've never played against a better midfield this year."

Halfway through the first overtime an East Orange player was given a red card for hitting Corcoran in the face while fighting with the Blue Devil senior for a 50-50 ball after he had beaten two defenders and was closing in on the goal.

Corcoran's low drive to the left on a 20-yard direct kick was deflected by the keeper out of bounds.

Playing with a man advantage, the hosts had a flurry of activity around the Panthers' net during the opening stages of the second extra session. In the 91st minute, Steve Flynn's accurate crossing pass from the left corner was headed by Dave Villalobos just over the

crossbar.

Less than two minutes later Corcoran's bicycle kick from 15 yards away also whistled over the crossbar. In the next minute Villalobos pounced on a loose ball inside the box and rifled a screamer off the left post.

Corcoran's liner from 25 yards in the dying seconds landed in the arms of Mathurin, forcing a shootout.

East Orange took control of the penalty kick round immediately, as Marlon Pollard and Nyema Wisner scored on booming kicks that found the upper portion of the net, while Villalobos was robbed by Mathurin and Schaller missed wide left.

Trailing 2-0, Chris Partelow cut the deficit in half with a goal into the lower right corner. But, Ali Davis' well-placed riser hit the right corner, allowing the Panthers to regain their two-goal advantage.

Needing a goal to continue the shootout, Keith Zadourian's cracking shot was denied by Mathurin, setting off a wild celebration on the East Orange sideline and ending the season for Westfield.

In retrospect, the visitors had the momentum entering the shootout because their desperate attempts to keep the Blue Devils from scoring were successful. Plus, the Panthers

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Riding in his trusty No. 7, Mike Ebert won the Great American Street Stock Points championship at Flemington Speedway in only his second year of car racing. Ebert, who replaced points leader Shannon Conner after placing second in the season-ending race, will return to Flemington this Saturday for the Thanksgiving Classic.

## Shifting into overdrive

### Mike Ebert wins Great American Street Stock points championship in 2nd season

By KIP KUDUK  
THE RECORD

Racing around an oval with 25 other cars at an average speed of 115 mph will ignite a certain amount of fear in any race car driver.

But, the anxiety of experiencing bodily harm is not as great as one would think. There are other factors drivers dread much more when it comes to dealing with vehicular mishaps.

"Every race you're scared of crashing, not because you can get hurt, but because you have to fix the car and get it ready for next week," said Westfield resident Mike Ebert, who owns and operates Mike's Amoco on 517 Centennial Ave. in Cranford.

Ebert knows all about the crunch of preparing an automobile under time restraints. For the past two years, between April and October, Ebert has taken himself, his small pit crew and his trusty blue No. 7 Street Stock

Carnaro to the asphalt track at Flemington Speedway.

After competing in motocross events for eight years, Ebert has made a smooth transition to car racing. After a top-five finish last year, the former Blue Devil wrestler and football player, who graduated from WHS in 1982, won the Great American Street Stock Points Championship last month in his sophomore season.

He won two feature events in August and was among the top contenders in the points standings all season, quite an accomplishment for someone who's had to overcome various setbacks.

The 29-year-old blew a motor while leading a race with two laps to go, got spun out while leading another race and was involved in two other accidents which bumped him out of top-five finishes.

Still, Ebert scored in virtually every race he competed in and claimed the first place trophy by

four points. He erased Shannon Conner's 16-point lead with a second-place finish in the season-ending race Oct. 18.

Ebert says he owes most of his success to his pit crew of Norm Wolforn, his cousin, and his father, Charlie. Fellow racer Dave Fabiano, who lives in Westfield, and Greg Colletti have also helped Ebert build, fix and set up his car. Associated Auto Parts and Bruns Pak Engineering, Ebert's sponsors, have been generous with their assistance.

Ebert sustained several injuries and underwent a few knee operations during his days of motocross racing. He wanted to continue racing, but under somewhat safer conditions.

"I was hoping to go somewhere with it," said Ebert, who battled the flu to finish ninth in last month's Race of Champions. "I didn't start out thinking that way. But, after the first few races I starting thinking I could do this. Now, I want to go further."

### Early deadlines

Due to next Thursday's Thanksgiving Day holiday, *The Record* will be printed and distributed a day early. Next week's edition will be delivered on Wednesday, Nov. 24.

In order to meet the revised publication schedule, deadlines have been moved up one day. This week's Sports deadline for all press releases and Youth Sports articles will be Monday, Nov. 22, at 5 p.m. Anything received after this time will be inserted in the Dec. 2 edition.

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# Girls' furious rally falls short in sectional final

By KIP KUDUK

THE RECORD

For the only time in the history of the girls' soccer program, the Lady Devils ended a season without winning a county, sectional or state title.

"It shouldn't happen that way," said junior fullback Laura Todd. "Having a good record (16-3) doesn't really mean much. You have to produce. It's nice to win, but you have to win when it counts."

Westfield's bid for a return trip to Trenton State College ended in the North Jersey Section 2, Group 4 finals at Randolph last Thursday, when the top-seeded Rams (17-0-1) held on for a 1-0 victory to avenge last year's loss to the Lady Devils in the sectional finals.

"All the losses came at a bad

time," said senior tri-captain Christie McGovern. "But, I still think it was a successful year in that we played well. We deserved more than what we won. I still think we were one of the best teams in the state."

Randolph got the better of the play in the first half, outshooting Westfield 7-0. The hosts could not break through until the final minute of the half, when Chrissy Dukiet put one into the upper right corner from just outside the box.

"It was savable, but the girl got it up high and [keeper] Amy Williams couldn't see it in the sun," said McGovern, who cleared a sure goal off the line earlier in the half.

Westfield asserted itself and took control after halftime, keeping the ball in Randolph's end for practically the entire 40 minutes. Unfortunately, the elusive equalizer never came.

Abby Bomba hit the crossbar on a 35-yard direct kick and Lexi Tourtellotte missed an open net on the rebound. With 10 minutes remaining, Kerry Humphreys'

header was bobbled, but before Tourtellotte was able to get to the rebound the keeper corralled the ball.

"It was really frustrating," said Todd. "We had it down in their end the whole time. They had so many people in the box. It was crazy. After the first half we picked it up and it was clear we could've dominated if we came out like that. If we played the whole game like that we would've killed them. But, we did everything we possibly could and I'm proud we didn't give up."

"You can't win every year," said Head Coach Pete Giordano. "Life goes on. Next year we'll set the same goals and hopefully come up with some titles. I thought the girls had a very nice year. The kids were a close-knit group to work

## Boys qualify for M of C for first time since 1985

By IVY CHARMATZ  
THE RECORD

For the first time since 1985, the boys' cross country team will compete in the Meet of Champions. The Blue Devils finished second in the Group 4 meet Saturday in Holmdel.

Westfield tied Eastern for first place with 114 points, but was awarded silver medals after factoring in the tie-breaker. Since Eastern's No. 6 runner finished ahead of the Westfield's sixth runner — John O'Brien — the Vikings were given the sectional title. East Side

finished third with 129 points.

"They did great," said Westfield Head Coach John Martin. "The race really emphasized the importance of every single person on the team. Anytime you get to the Meet of Champions you look forward to it, it's just a question of keeping the momentum."

Matt Elmuccio crossed the finish line first for Westfield, placing eighth in 16:43.

"I really ran well and am pleased with the whole team's performance. I think we shall get revenge," said Elmuccio.

Close behind the freshman were teammates Andy Ruggiero (17:18), Don Cambria (17:29), Ted Kilcommons (17:43), and Lawrence Ho (17:58), who finished 15th, 24th, (Please turn to page A-12)

## Soccer

(Continued from page A-10) had utmost confidence in Mathurin's quick reflexes.

"From what I saw, their goalie bobbled the ball a lot during the game, but he came up really big in the shootout," said Partelow. "Our first shot was a great shot and the fourth one was a great save."

In spite of the abrupt end of the season, the Blue Devils deemed the year a success.

"I'm very proud of what we accomplished," said Kapner. "We won back the Union County title and, although we didn't win the conference, we completed our second goal."



Quarterback Stephen Cheek endured a fair amount of physical punishment during Westfield's 34-0 loss to Linden at Gary Kehler Stadium Saturday.

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## Youth sports

### P.A.L. FOOTBALL

Westfield's Police Athletic League football teams traveled to Perth Amboy Sunday and came away with two wins and a heart-breaking one-point loss against the Red Raiders. The A team evened its record, while the B team extended its unbeaten streak to 16 games.

#### Perth Amboy C 7, Westfield C 6

Andre Grayson's perfect conversion kick midway through the fourth quarter was the difference in a closely contested game that saw each team break off one big play.

For Westfield, that one big play was David King's 68-yard bootleg around left end near the end of the third quarter. King ran behind perfect lead blocks from Matt Daly and Glenn Hurley. The rush for the point-after-touchdown fell short, leaving Westfield with a six-point advantage.

When Tony Constantino recovered a Red Raiders' fumble on the next play, ending the third quarter, the Blue Devils seemed to be in great position to increase their lead. But, Westfield lost seven yards on four plays, giving Perth Amboy the ball once again on their own 40-yard line.

On first down, Grayson ran wide right and darted to the Westfield 30 before Michael Duke, the last defender, hauled him out of bounds. One play later, on second down at the 28, Louis Gumbs started through the line and past the scrambling Westfield secondary for the tying touchdown. That brought on Grayson, who boomed the ball through the uprights for the winning margin.

Westfield, which fell to 2-4-2, made big defensive plays all afternoon. Travis Russo picked up two big turnovers — a first quarter interception and a second quarter fumble — while Daly, Tim Young, Jim Mitchell, Terence Jenkins, Cam Kelly, Mike Mroz and King each made tackles that frustrated Perth Amboy's larger side. The sizeable Red Raider defense was led by Reggie Clark and Darrien Burch. Perth Amboy improved to 2-4-1.

Westfield 0 0 6 0 — 6  
Perth Amboy 0 0 0 7 — 7

#### Westfield A 6, Perth Amboy A 0

The book on Perth Amboy was run wide and you won't be caught. That had been the case seven weeks ago, when reverses and end-arounds gave Westfield an opening day victory. But in the rematch, it was straight-ahead running that won the game for Westfield. Quarterback Bobby Baykowski's fourth quarter sneak into the Perth Amboy and zone behind center Brendan Hickey illustrated the change in game plan.

The Devils opened the game running inside and outside with success and drove deep into Perth Amboy territory before bogging down. The usually reliable Devils' defense nearly met with disaster on the Red Raiders' first play from scrimmage when fullback Wilfredo Aquino galloped 75 yards through eleven pairs of outstretched arms for an apparent touchdown that was nullified by a clipping penalty.

On the very next play, Ollie Harrell tried to repeat the performance, scooting 70 yards before being hauled down at the Westfield 7 by Rasheed Hawks. Then, defense came to life, pushing the Red Raiders back and forcing Randy Crudo's field goal try from 34 yards out, an effort foiled by a fumbled snap.

Each team drove to the red zone in the second period only to see their threats later. Big hits by Greg Gorski, Blair Bartlett and

Chris Owens repelled the Raiders, while Hawks was brought down short of the end zone on Baykowski's fourth-and-goal loss. Despite playing most of the third quarter in Perth Amboy territory, Westfield was stopped on crucial tackles by Rojan Torres, Eliot Soto, and Jose Correa.

The Devils kept at it, though, with Greg Montgomery and J.R. Young pounding up the middle, alternating with Jason Osborne and Hawks. Westfield mounted a drive that carried into the final period and culminated in the deciding score. After a time out, at third-and-goal from the 1, Baykowski called his own number to get the six points and the triumph that moved Westfield to 4-4. Perth Amboy fell to 1-6.

Westfield 0 0 0 6 — 6  
Perth Amboy 0 0 0 0 — 0

#### Westfield B 17, Perth Amboy B 0

The B Devils pounded out another convincing victory, scoring on their first possession and grinding out yardage with efficiency. The big story was Jim Korn's 30-yard field goal.

When a Westfield drive stalled at the Perth Amboy 15 late in the second period, Korn's kick was taken from a wide angle from the left hashmark. Although the B division rules do not allow rushing the kicker, the placement was so swift and accurate that Korn likely would have made it under any circumstances.

Westfield's other scores were registered by Lamont Turner and Kevin McCormack. Turner, who again rushed for more than 100 yards and is within striking distance of a 1,000-yard season, scored on a 40-yard punt around the right side just moments into the game. McCormack reeled off a nifty run, going around left end, then cutting back against the grain on his 30-yard romp to pay dirt.

McCormack also made a big play on defense. The Red Raiders threatened early in the fourth quarter, getting as far as the Westfield 10. On third-and-goal, McCormack made a diving stab at what looked like a sure touchdown pass, tipping the ball away at the last second. One play later, the Devils took over the ball and ran out the clock.

Westfield, now 8-0, comes home to play Summit in the final game of the season at Gary Kehler Stadium on Nov. 21. Perth Amboy fell to 4-3.

Westfield 7 10 0 0 — 17  
Perth Amboy 0 0 0 0 — 0

#### Suburban League Standings

A Standings	
Berkeley Heights.....	7-1
Cranford.....	6-2
Summit.....	5-2
Scotch Plains.....	4-2
Hanover.....	4-2
Westfield.....	4-4
Chatham.....	4-4
Perth Amboy.....	1-6
Springfield.....	1-6
Millburn.....	1-7

#### B Standings

Westfield.....	8-0
Chatham.....	5-2
Cranford.....	5-3
Berkeley Heights.....	5-3
Perth Amboy.....	4-3
Summit.....	3-3-1
Springfield.....	1-4-2
Millburn.....	1-5-2
Scotch Plains.....	1-5-1
Hanover.....	0-5-2

#### C Standings

Westfield.....	7-10
Perth Amboy.....	0-0-0

Scotch Plains.....	6-0
Summit.....	5-1-1
Berkeley Heights.....	5-2-1
Cranford.....	4-3-1
Millburn.....	4-3-1
Westfield.....	2-4-2
Springfield.....	2-4-1
Perth Amboy.....	2-4-1
Chatham.....	1-5-2
Hanover.....	0-6-1

### SOCCER

#### Division V Westfield Chargers 2 North Brunswick Sharks 2

Immediately after the Sharks started the match with the opening kickoff, the Chargers lured the ball away and tested the North Brunswick goalie early. Halfbacks Jack Kane, John Henry Flood and Matt Simone refused to let the ball back into their territory.

The trio continually passed the ball to their forwards, allowing Tim Carroll to score the first goal off a sideline pass from Brian Bottini. Fullbacks Seth Fischer, Brendan Maher and Kevin Doyle played their positions well and kept the Sharks at bay until late in the second quarter. The half ended in a 1-1 tie.

The Sharks reeled under the strong target passing between striker Gavin Shulman and the halfbacks. Michael Schoenfeld and David Seligman hammer-headed their opponents and allowed Teddy Brown to score the go-ahead goal for Westfield.

Throughout the game stopper Kieran Miller used his strong leg to harpoon the Sharks' attack. North Brunswick floundered on a scoring opportunity when sweeper Richie Rowe blocked a penalty kick. Once again, Paul Johnston did a whale of a job in goal, especially during the second half when most of the action was in Westfield's side of the field.

#### Westfield United 3 West Windsor Vipers 2

The United avenged their early-season loss by beating West Windsor in a Division V match on a blustery fall Sunday in West Windsor. Westfield started off strongly by controlling the early play deep in the Vipers' end. Danny Capriano and Diego Vargas passed sharply to Danny McAnally, who centered to Condi Thiam. Thiam turned and booted it past the keeper for the first goal of the match.

Anthony Tomasso continued his tough defensive work with hard clearing kicks. Andrew Odachowski showed skilled footwork on defense, and with the help of Tommy Wade, pushed the ball out to David Santofeliello on left wing. Josh Ludmer received Santofeliello's pass and delivered a clean pass to Robert Larson, who boomed it into the goal with his big foot for a 2-0 lead.

West Windsor proved their toughness, fought back courageously and scored their first goal on a breakaway just before halftime. Adam Yoffie and Tim Mansfield played solid defense to start off the second half, but the Vipers scored their second goal off a wild scramble in front of goalie Sal Fazio. It was a dead shot out of the reach of Fazio, who played another fine game in goal for the United.

Mike Nahaczewski played his usual hard game, but was injured and didn't return for the remainder of the game. Westfield's front line, which included Griffin Maloney, played the ball deep in the West Windsor end and the Vipers was called for a hand-ball in the box after a fine centering pass from McAnally.

accomplishment.

Shawnee claimed the Group 4 title with 39 points. The Renegades were followed by Hunterdon Central (34 points) and Ridgewood (88).

As has been the case for much of the season, the Lady Devils were stricken with health problems.

Karen McGuire, the No. 2 runner, was unable to run due to illness. Sharon Gambino was suffering from a concussion she sustained in gym class earlier in the week. Lisa Citrin could not complete the season because of an injured knee and Sarah Hintze was fighting the flu.

Xanda Martins ended her sophomore season by recording her fastest time, as she crossed the finish line first for Westfield, placing 41st in 21:51.

Kellie Goncalves (49th in 22:05), Catherine Engell (94th in 23:40), Jen O'Brien (18th in 25:06) and Sue Connell (123rd in 25:52), rounded out the Blue Devils' top five spots. Senior Ellen Freisen collapsed midway through the race and was unable to finish.

"Although we wanted to finish in the top 10, we're not too disappointed with 16th. We had fun and that's all that counts," said Engell.

Although they were unable to end their season with a trip to the Meet of Champions, most of the

Duffy Lau blasted the ball into the lower corner for the 3-2 victory which handed West Windsor its first loss.

#### Division IV

##### Westfield Warriors 1, Cranford 1

The Westfield Warriors, decimated with play or injuries, competed in two games last week and with a minimum number of players. The Warriors played to a gutsy tie against a talented Cranford team in the first game.

The match against Cranford was a battle for second place in the flight. Despite losing most of the entire defensive unit to injuries, the Warriors played extremely well against Cranford, despite putting many players in unfamiliar positions.

After Cranford took the early lead at the seven-minute mark, the Warriors' defense shut down the potent Cranford offense. Goalie Nick Geissler seemed perpetually busy throughout the game, making one big save after another.

Fullbacks Doug Midamir and Greg Odachowski played inspiring defense and denied Cranford scoring opportunities from close range. Sweeper Conner Mulvey and stopper Brandon Kape anchored the defense and played tirelessly throughout the entire game.

The Warriors evened the score early in the second half when halfback Greg Scanlon delivered a high shot into the net following a rebound from the Cranford goalie.

The improvised halfback line of Scanlon, Brad Gillen, Kyle Vantovsky and Cam Anthony established control over the midfield, providing brief respite for the Warriors' defense. The tie against Cranford moved the Warriors into second place in their flight.

##### Flemington 5, Warriors 2

The dearth of substitutions for the Warriors was painfully evident as the Warriors lost to a much weaker Flemington team Sunday. Striker Adam Walker tied the score late in the first half with a hard shot from the 10-yard line to the right of the goalie. Striker Xander Rothschild assisted on the goal.

After Flemington took the lead early in the second half, Brad Gillen tied the score with a successful conversion of a penalty kick. Fatigue set in late in the game as Flemington scored three unanswered goals for its first victory of the year.

Warriors' goalie Ryan McDonald played well throughout the game and kept the Warriors competitive with several key saves.

##### Westfield Freedom 4, Hillsborough 2

##### Freedom 5, Hillsborough 2

##### Freedom 3, Central Jersey 1

The Westfield Freedom celebrated the long, early November weekend break from school by winning three important Mid-New Jersey league games on consecutive afternoons.

On a rainy Friday afternoon on Nov. 5, the Freedom fell behind early, but quickly rebounded to defeat the Hillsborough Demolition 4-2 in Westfield.

The home-and-home series continued on Saturday afternoon, with Westfield again demolishing Hillsborough, this time by a 5-2 score. The perfect weekend was completed by dominating the Central Jersey Cosmos Bandits in North Brunswick by a 3-1 margin.

Goalkeeper Erik Schoenman made the big plays all three days, particularly in the mud (and with a slippery ball) that accelerated off the wet grass toward the goal on Friday. The offense, held in check in the first few regular season matches, exploded for 12 goals.

Strikers Alexander Lau and Ralph Rapuano shared the scoring lead in the three matches, with Adam Jack and Michael Carter, off a

team still feels they had a successful season.

"As a first season cross-country runner, I am really excited about the team's performance. But, I am ecstatic about next year's possibilities," said Engell.

"This team has an opportunity to write its own page in cross country history at Westfield and I look forward to the opportunity of being a part of the effort when we gather next season," said Hornish.

### Smith ends season at state gymnastics meet

By KIP KUDUK

THE RECORD

Jill Smith, the only Westfield gymnast who qualified for Saturday's state meet, placed ninth in the vault (8.9) at Shawnee High School in Medford.

The junior scored an 8.55 in the floor exercise, registered a 7.9 on bars, where she fell doing a giant swing, and had a 7.35 on the balance beam.

"Everything didn't turn out as well as it could have," said Head Coach Ellen Kovac, who mentioned the scoring was low around the state. "But, she tried as hard as she could. It was a long day to get ready and stay ready in that gym."

header, also tallying goals in Hillsborough. Willy Cashman and Brian Osborn controlled the midfield and distributed the ball to start many Freedom counterattacks.

Justin DeMontico, Mike Orlando and Albert Throver forced their opponents into mistakes, preventing them from making controlled passes from the wings. As usual, the defense marked closely, limiting Hillsborough and Central Jersey to forced shots that were capably gathered by Schoenman. Andrew Eiken, Michael Sanoeki, John Humphreys, Mikey Todd and Sean Joffe led the Freedom defense.

#### In-Town League - Division V K-Co 0, Sea Bees 0

On Sunday, K-Co took on the Sea Bees for the first time. It was another fine display of two equally matched teams playing head to head. The start of play saw the Sea Bees drive to K-Co's goal. Chris Dixon, Sea Bees' center half-back, led the offensive charge. But, the Sea Bees were turned back by Motoki and Tadashi Matsura, who teamed up with Adam Brundage and Brian Rief to redirect play away from the goal.

Offensively, K-Co's three forwards of Bob Fromtling, Mike Krivak and Sam Sobel found it difficult to approach their opponents' goal as they were challenged and turned away by the tough Sea Bees' defense. It was on breakaway that center halfback Tadashi Matsura fed forward Krivak, who found an open lane to the goal. His rocket of a shot hit the crossbar and his header also just missed, as the half ended 0-0.

The second half was more defensive than offensive. K-Co still maintained the midfield with their defense. Chaz Maffey, at left full-back, was unyielding in his play and changed offensive drives into defensive concerns for the Sea Bees. K-Co's offense started to take command, as forwards John Kotler, Sobel and Genghis Niver strung together one-touch passes to each other as they moved to goal. Each had several opportunities, but their shots were either deflected or just short of the goal.

With time running out, center halfback Seth Augenstein drilled what seemed to be the winning goal from 20 yards out only to have an offside call erase the score. After two five-minute overtimes and a scoreless game, these two fine teams had to settle for a tie.

#### K-Co 1, Leathernecks 0

Last weekend, the boys' In-Town soccer program began its playoffs. The style of play was intense and solid. K-Co, playing in the A division, took on the feisty Leathernecks. From the start, it was a replay of the first meeting of these two fine teams. K-Co, using a 4-3-3 alignment, preserved the privacy of their net. Sweeper David Trisler, paired with stopper Motoki Matsura, directed all play away from the center of the field while fullbacks John Johnnidis and Tadashi Matsura maintained the touchlines.

The offense, led by wings John Kotler, Brian Rief and center forward Genghis Niver, advanced slowly upfield. At the Leathernecks' 18, this forward progress was halted and all shots were deflected from the goal. One of these deflected shots found center halfback Chris McGleason. The steady player, sidestepped one defender and drilled K-Co's first goal to end the half at 1-0.

The third quarter belonged to the Leathernecks. Their front four was supported by their three halfbacks and together they pounded K-Co's defense. K-Co's defensive line of Danny Egan, Chaz Maffey, Seth Augenstein and Sam Sobel had their hands full, as the Leathernecks mounted their

offensive charge.

But, K-Co goalkeeper Brian Kempas rose to the challenge. Diving left and right and using his small frame as a shield, Kempas endured the Leathernecks onslaught as he shut down all attempts to score. Energized by their goalie, K-Co's midfield, led by center halfback Brian Williams and backs Jack Gordon and Kevin Rief, redirected the play toward the Leathernecks' goal. Their controlled offense let time expire and K-Co gained their first victory in the playoffs.

#### Cougars 2, Tigers 0

Form held true as the top two seeds met in the Division 5 championship final at Washington Field Sunday.

The Tigers pressed the attack early, testing a stingy Cougars' defense that featured excellent play by Bethany Goldman, Hannah Israelow, Eileen Gessner and Tara Schoenmann. But, the Tigers failed to gain an advantage as the first quarter ended in a scoreless tie.

The Cougars' speed began to turn the tide, as Jessica O'Neill and Alexandra Maus provided key tackles while Shannon Kurath, Kimberly Jacob, Nicole Infantino and Stephanie Breakstone worked the ball in the Tigers' half. After a near miss by Cougar striker Erin Biggio, the Tigers cleared the ball deep of a goal kick and only a great save by keeper Nicole Hertus on a shot by the Tigers' Kristi Jo Szayler kept the game scoreless at intermission.

The Cougars' strength up the middle, featuring Sara Mattes at sweeper and Suzi Gottdenker at stopper, finally took its toll. Mattes lofted a 30-yard pass that Gottdenker trapped and chipped over the Tigers' defenders, as Beth Mokrauer raced in and half-volleyed the ball past the Tigers' keeper for the score and the 1-0 advantage.

The Tigers had a nuber of scoring opportunities in the fourth, bringing the crowd to its feet several times, but the Cougars would not yield. Then, at the 48-minute mark, Cougar forward Stefanie Forman took a pass from Christine Velasquez and popped a shot from 12 that sailed deep into the net and assured the Cougars of their seventh consecutive victory and the division championship.

#### Division III/IV

##### Destroyers 6, Seals 0

Sunday was the second of three playoff games for the Destroyers. Following their 2-1 win over the Top Guns Saturday the Destroyers were ready for the Seals on Sunday.

Scott Cutro was the MVP. Cutro scored four goals, three of which were unassisted. The other two goals were scored by Ryan O'Donohue and Vince Whit, both assisting at each forward.

Ricardo Pimenta, as always, was a presence throughout the game as center forward and sweeper Oliver Round, Tom Olson and Daniel Weinberg filed out the offensive attack which resulted in four goals in the first half.

Halfbacks Dan Cutro, Scott Mohorler and Tim Granlaw were definite factors in the game by maintaining offensive pressure and assisting fullbacks Daniel Maus, Mike Sawicki and Cliff Haldeman in the defense.

With a 6-0 score, it would appear that goals Sean Lewis and Cutro had little to do, but this was not the case. Many strong and aggressive attacks at the Destroyers' goal kept them busy.

Halfbacks Pieter Van Cort and Tim Keiman showed spunk. Fullbacks David Teng and Evan Lee also contributed to the defense.

## Turkey Trot coming soon

By SCOTT CLARK

THE RECORD

The Friends of Westfield Track and Field will hold the 10th Annual Westfield Five-Mile Turkey Trot rain or shine on the morning of Nov. 27, at Tamaques Park in Westfield.

Colleen Bodayla, President of Friends of Westfield Track and Field, said the track program aims to provide more scholarships and improved equipment for its athletes with the money raised.

The Five-Mile Race will start at Tamaques Park and continue around neighboring streets before finishing in the park. Trophies will be awarded to first, second, and third place male and female winners, according to age categories.

The Tamaques Mile will be held entirely inside the park and is restricted to Westfield students in grades 4-9. The One-Mile Fun Run,

will also be conducted solely in the park.

For information, call Peter Mogendorff at 654-5591, Mrs. Bodayla at 233-4395, or Peter Anzalone at 654-3625.

### Lone gymnast

(Continued from page A-10) gins in December and ends in June.

"I intend to work hard in the upcoming Elite season and next year for Westfield in the hope I can get a college scholarship," said Sargent.

Sargent has received plenty of help from Westfield's girls' varsity gymnastics coach Ellen Kovac.

"Coach Kovac has been very supportive," said Sargent.

## High school roundup

(Continued from page A-11) 45th, and 57th, respectively.

### Linden rides dominant first half to 34-0 victory

By KIP KUDUK

THE RECORD

Linden was hitting on all cylinders and Westfield compounded its problems by playing a lackluster first half of football Saturday.

A fumbled kickoff, a blocked punt and Tigers' fullback Jay Coleman combined to conspire against the overmatched Blue Devils. By halftime, Linden built a 34-0 lead and cruised to victory after a scoreless second half.

"It was frustrating because we didn't play up to our potential," said defensive coordinator Ron Barner. "Not to say that if we did we would've won, but, that magnified their strengths. Saturday was a bad time not to be at our peak."

Westfield (2-5-1) received the opening kickoff and punted after picking up a first down. Coleman's 15-yard touchdown run midway through the first quarter capped a four-play, 52-yard drive. After the Blue Devils fumbled away the ensuing kickoff, it only took three plays for the Tigers (5-2-1) to reach the end zone. Coleman took it over from the 13 to stake the visitors to a 14-0 lead.

Following Wilson Rosembert's 7-yard scoring run two and a half minutes into the second quarter, Linden blocked Stephen Cheek's quick kick on third down and re-

## Co-coaches

(Continued from page A-10) swimmer is looking to peak for YMCA Nationals, which take place in mid to late April. The latest trend has been for the swimmers to shave and taper for Y Nats, while downplaying the significance of high school meets.

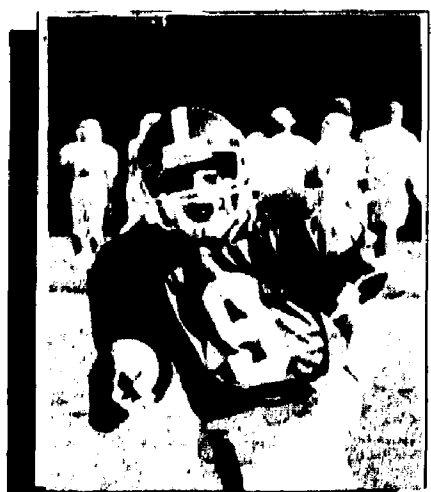
"To me, if you're on a high school team, for those two months there should be a total commitment or you shouldn't be there," said Johnson. "If you're not committed, then you won't be or feel part of the team and that doesn't help anyone."

Nonetheless, the goals for the 1993-94 team will not waver from those set for previous seasons.

"We're swimming against Peddie and Christian Brothers [Academy] for the first time this year," said Braver. "We want to beat them, St. Joe's and win the states, like we should have last year."

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# Automotive Guide



Lincoln Mercury's Sable has all the features that make the line distinctive from its Ford counterparts.

## No identity crisis for Mercury Sable

By TOM HAGIN

FORBES NEWSPAPERS

Ford's Lincoln/Mercury division prides itself on having its own identity. The cars produced share most drive train parts of Ford cars, but body panels and interior trim pieces give Mercury a distinct difference.

Now in its seventh year of production, the Sable is Mercury's linchpin model. Offered as the GS and upscale LS in both four-door sedans and wagons, five option groups are available, each progressively adding more gadgets and comfort/convenience items. The car is based on Ford's Taurus, the best-selling car in the U.S. in 1992.

### EXTERIOR

The Sable's most notable feature is its across-the-nose lighting scheme. Halogen headlamps are integrated with a central lamp cluster, which continues around the front fenders. They're so bright that several oncoming drivers flashed their high beams at me during my night driving excursions. A drag coefficient of 0.33 helps give this relatively large car an average of 25 mpg. Both front and rear bumpers are body-colored, as are the twin powered mirrors. Lower polycarbonate body cladding reduces the effects of road debris launched from the tires, although the fit of the panels was slightly less than symmetric.

### INTERIOR

Inside, the Sable resembles its upscale sibling, the Lincoln Continental. Our model's leather seating proved plush, yet firm enough to offer good back support. The digital dash display uses a center speedometer and a tachometer which sweeps up and over the top while a computer system scans major engine functions and displays the information to the driver. Many auto makers, in an attempt to squeeze a front passenger airbag into the dashboard, will forgo integrating a glove box into the interior design. Not so in the Sable, for I found a functional, spacious one at the front passenger area, along with a clear-sounding AM/FM cassette stereo with extra set of stereo controls on the dashboard, within easy reach of the driver. A trip computer monitors distance to destination, fuel consumption, and elapsed time. The six-way adjustable driver's seat uses simple switching for quick adjustments, as do the rocker-type controls for

the power windows. The approach of winter made the Sable's rear window defogger (electrically-operated) and side window defrost (working from the heater) a welcome addition, while the inside fuel filler door and trunk release are also nice. Four adults fit easily into the Sable, while three in the rear is squeeze. Both front and rear armrests are integrated into the seats.

### ENGINEERING

Our model's 3.8-liter V6 engine really gave the Sable considerable zip, which helped launch the car to freeway speeds quickly. It's an obvious choice over the standard 3.0-liter version. Our Sable had the four-speed automatic transmission and Mercury's softer suspension components. The extensive use of Sables as corporate cars is understandable; they squirt around town easily, can be squeezed into compact parking spots, and hold five adults in reasonable comfort. The trunk is quite large, with 18 cubic feet of cargo capability, although the high trunk lift-over was a drawback.

### HANDLING

The General All-Season radials performed fine, but gave some tire scrub during hard cornering. Four-wheel disc brakes with an anti-lock (ABS) function brought the car from 60-0 mph on dry pavement in 159 feet. Power rack-and-pinion steering is speed-sensitive and a turning circle of almost 39 feet was about par for a mid-size car such as the Sable. All underhood reservoirs and fillers were easily reached, while a little spare tire is slipped beneath the trunk floor. Pneumatic lumbar supports in the front seat units make comfort up front selectable, but more side support is needed.

### SAFETY

Dual front airbags are standard on the Sable LS, and anti-skid braking is as well. Outboard passengers are strapped in with shoulder belts. New ozone-friendly CFC-free refrigerant is now used in its air conditioning unit. The Sable's sibling, Ford Taurus, performed very well in the Government's 35 mph crash test.

### SUGGESTIONS

I'd prefer the optional heavy-duty suspension package for better handling.

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TRANSMISSION: 4-speed automatic

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FUEL CAPACITY: 16 gallons

TIRES: P205/65R15 All-season

BRAKES: front/rear disc w/ABS

DRIVE TRAIN TYPE: Front engine/front drive

PERFORMANCE: EPA economy, mpg — city/highway/average:

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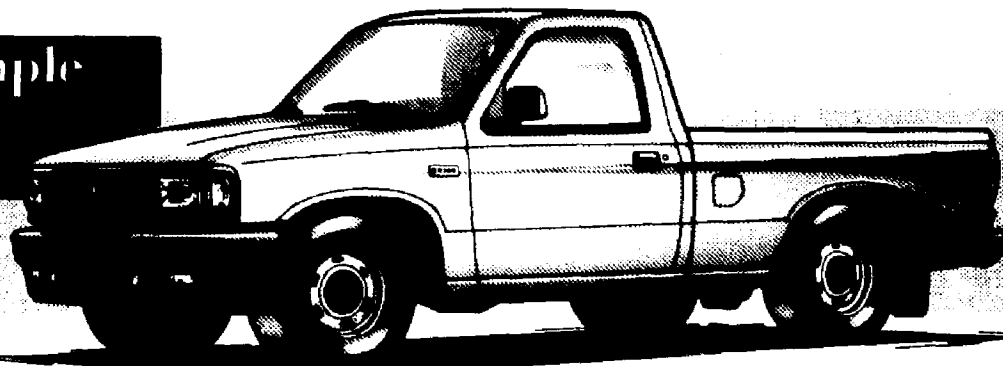
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# Everything old is new again

Automotive recycling may make term 'junk car' obsolete

By BOB HAGIN  
FORBES NEWSPAPERS

As you look down the assembly line in this auto plant, it occurs to you it's almost like watching a home movie some way is running in reverse.

A complete but definitely time-worn passenger car swings onto the moving line and is systematically picked to pieces by a combination of mindless robots and skilled workers. Most major parts such as the engine and drive train are unceremoniously ripped from their moorings and shunted onto another line for further dismantling. Some parts require a human touch for removal and these hands go directly to the job with no need to sort out the right tool or to analyze the problem. Plastic parts such as body cladding

and interior trim are separated and sent off for further automatic sorting.

At the end of the line, the remains of this automotive cadaver (mostly sheet metal) are shredded and baled up for delivery to a steel plant.

An industrial pipe dream thought up by some public relations firm to make its client look good? Not so, the reason being that the individual materials recovered from over-the-hill cars are too valuable to be left to molder away in a scrap yard or at the side of a little-traveled country road. An entire new industry is being built to recover up to 95 percent of the materials used in a modern car. The assembly line described above is currently on-line in The Netherlands, and its operation is so sophisticated that the make and model of the car being disassembled is programmed into a control computer so the humans and robots doing the work know exactly what to take off and how to do it.

Consider these facts: There are more than 123 million passenger cars in use in North America. In the past 18 years, the number of passenger cars has grown by 2 percent each year and doesn't show signs of slowing down. The average life expectancy of the average passenger car in North America is now 11 years and rising. More than nine million passenger cars are removed from service every year and this number, too, will rise in proportion to the number of cars produced. Local and regional governments are imposing more and more laws pertaining to the recyclability of new

products and how they are disposed of when they reach the end of their lifetimes.

All things considered, it was inevitable that recycling and material recovery would become a major factor in the auto making business.

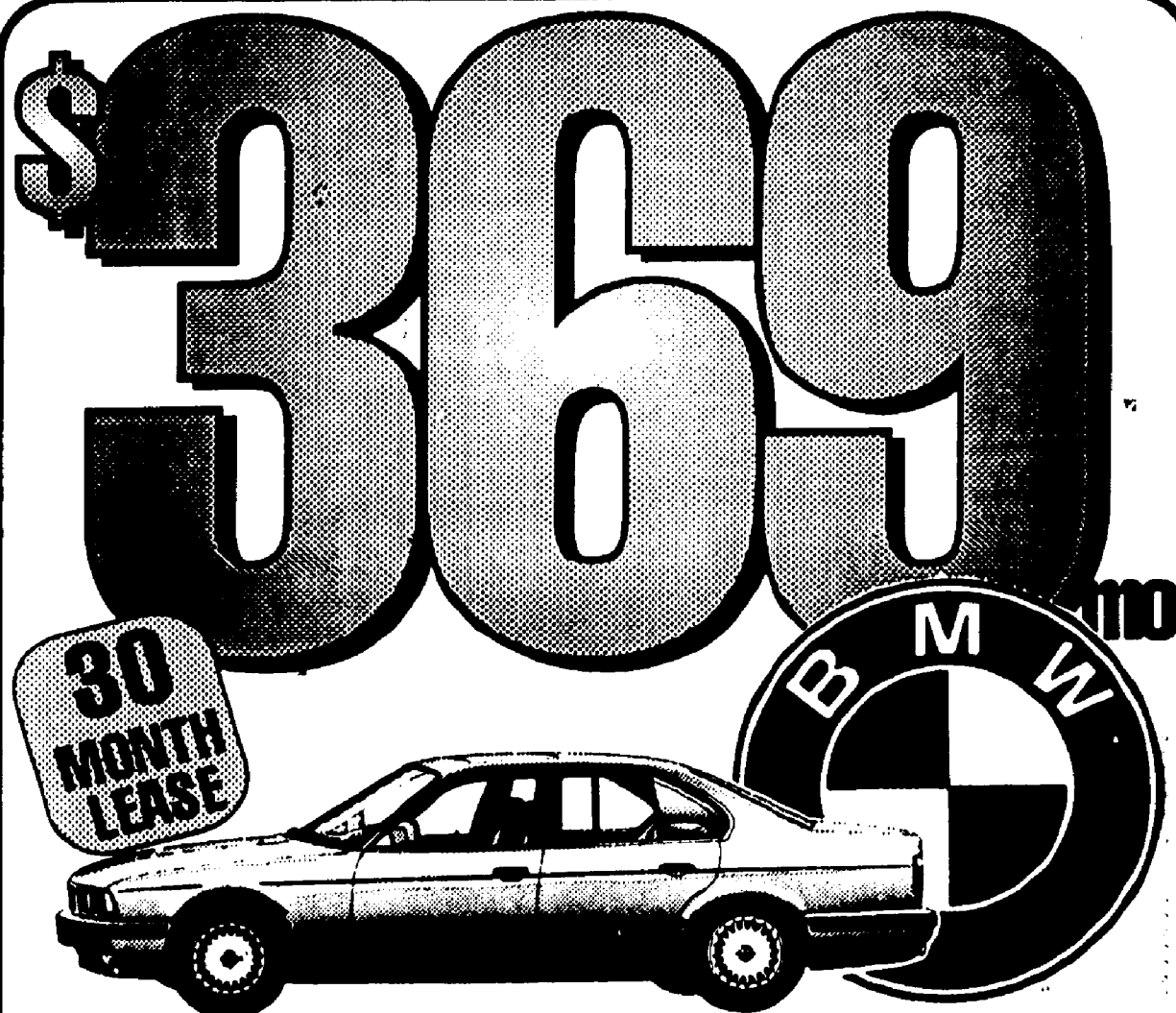
Reuse of metals, both ferrous and non-ferrous, has been a fact of industrial life for many years. Cars were either fed into a furnace whole or squashed flat for easier handling. There was little thought to separating the iron, steel, aluminum, zinc and other metals from each other. Plastics and other non-metals literally went up in flames. That's changing, of course, as a greater percentage of each new car is made of various plastics and because of the impact of burning on the environment. Now technology has developed ways of recovering plastics for reuse in other industries as well as auto production.

For instance, that new rug you've just walked on may have a carpet mat made of recycled plastics from your scrapped '82 Nissan or

Ford. There are many hurdles that have to be addressed before the recycling of a passenger car can become as profitable and as easy as making a new one. An example of a minor but important item is how an unused air bag is disarmed before it's removed from a carcass. Another is how to remove the "fluff" (non-hard plastics) from the interior of seats and other upholstery. Transporting these recyclables from a dismantler's line to a packaging plant is producing handling problems that have to be overcome. Venture capital to finance heretofore unproven industries is hard to come by in these times of tight money and the fluctuation of currency.

But the machinery to expand the recycling of automobiles is gradually falling into place. The scrap metal industry currently recycles 11 million tons of iron and steel and has the capacity to handle another four million tons. By law, spent automotive coolants and refrigerants must be recycled by repair shops in many states and this has become a profitable enterprise in most cases. Waste motor oil has been recycled for years.

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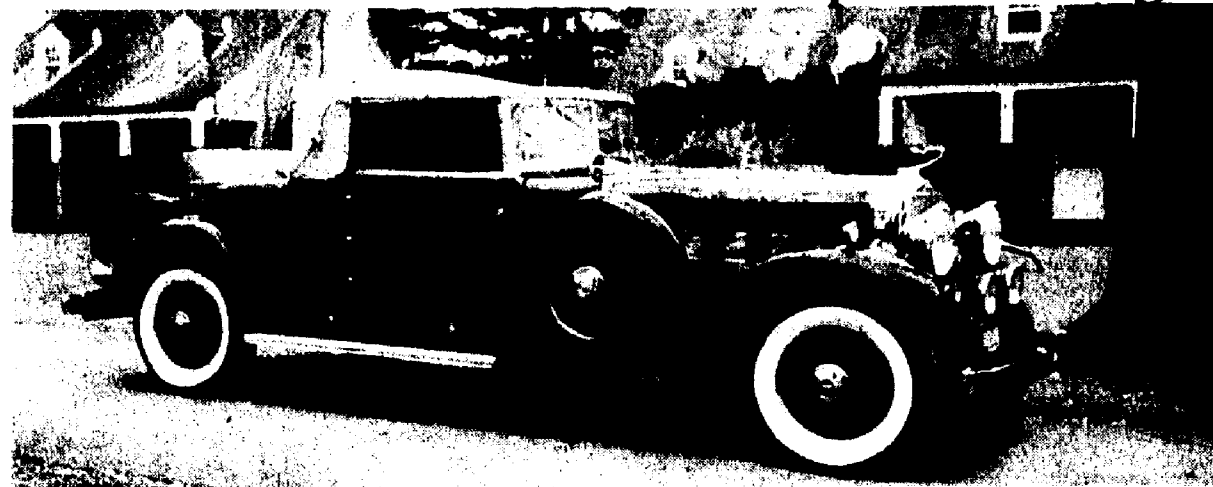
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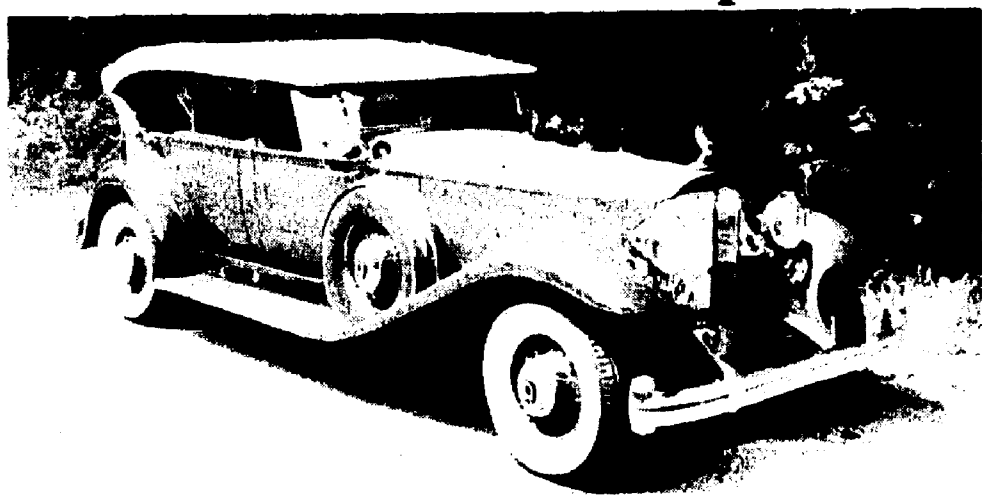
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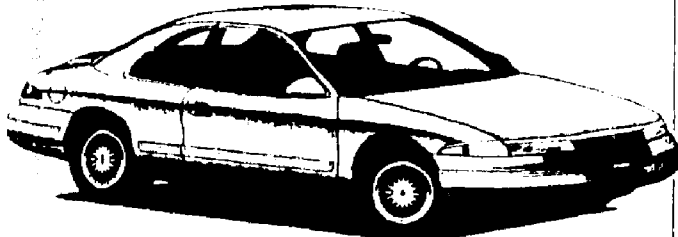
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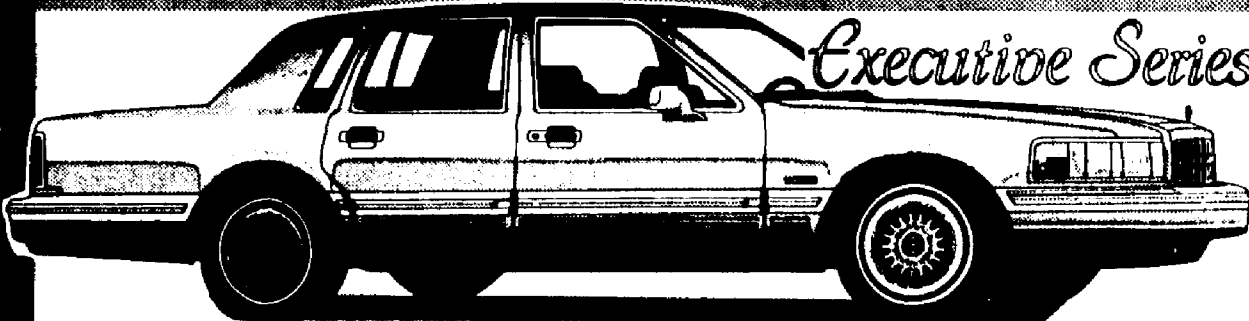
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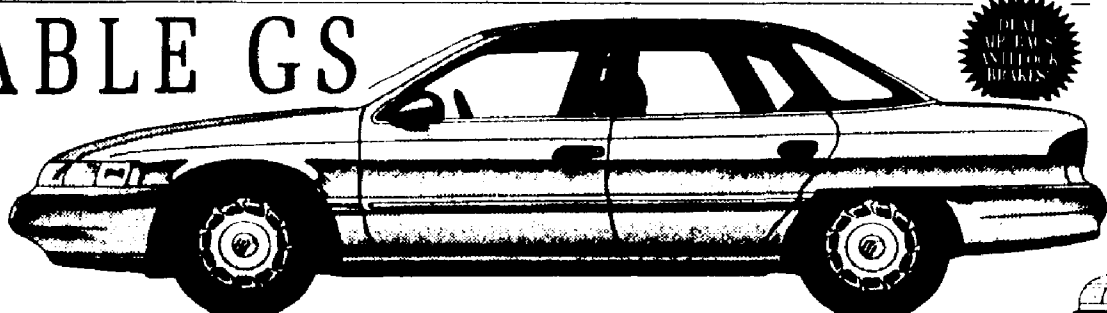


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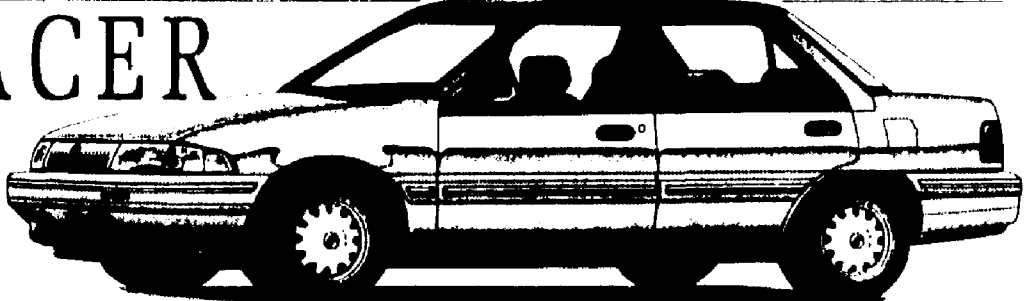


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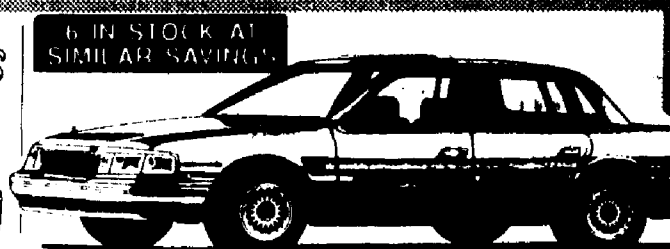


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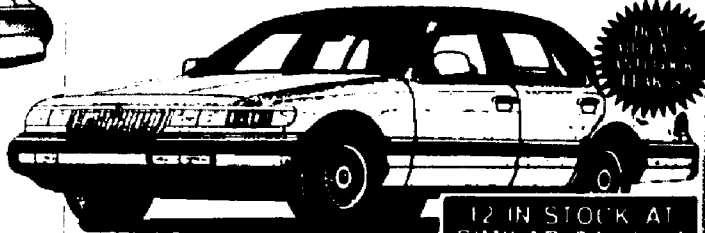
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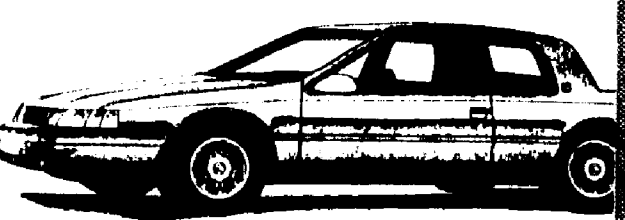
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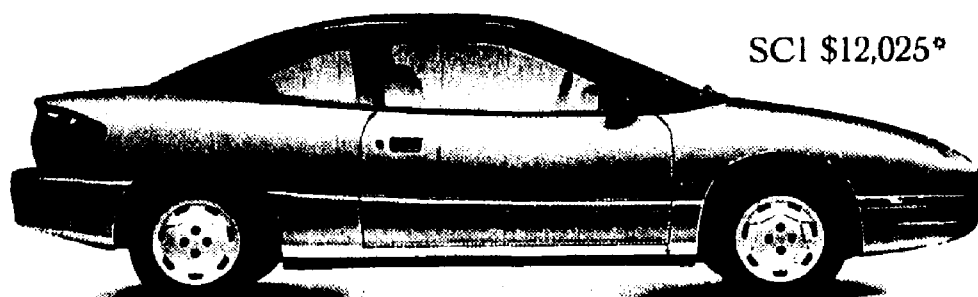
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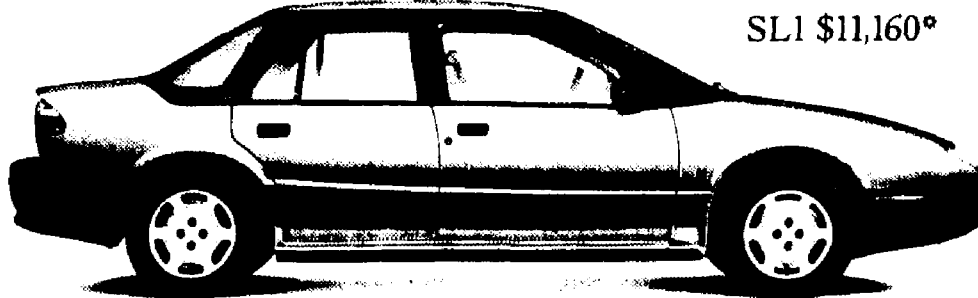


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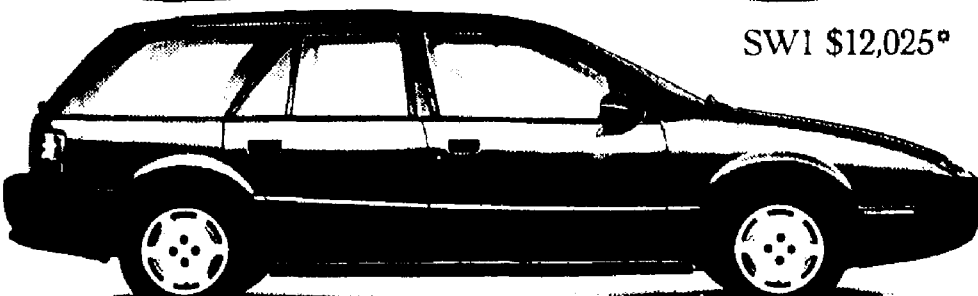
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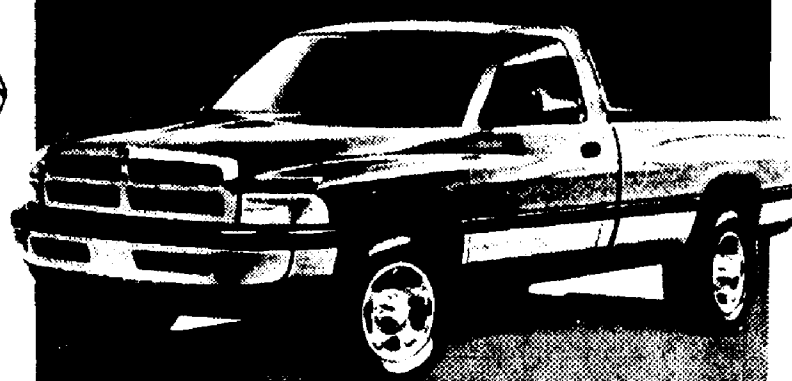
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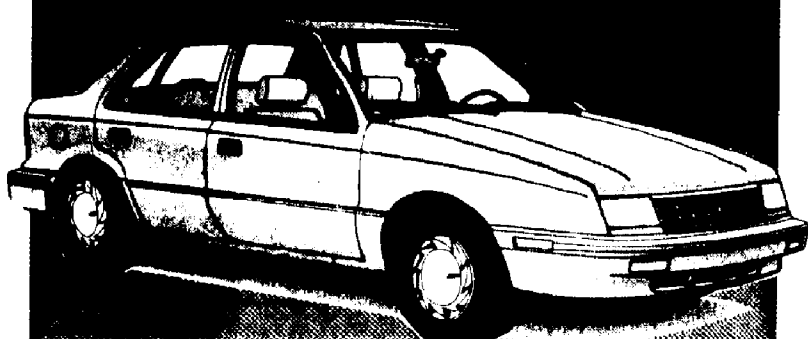
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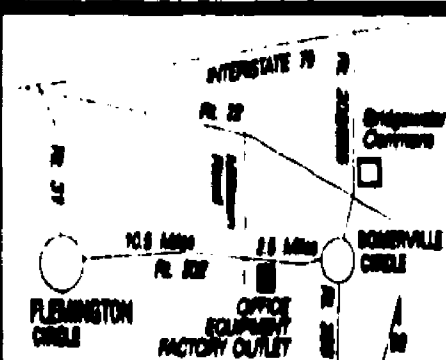


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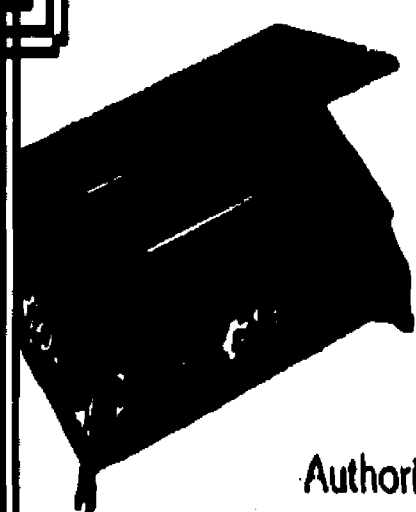


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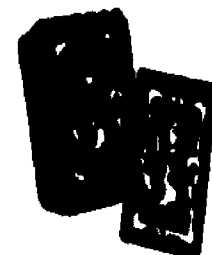
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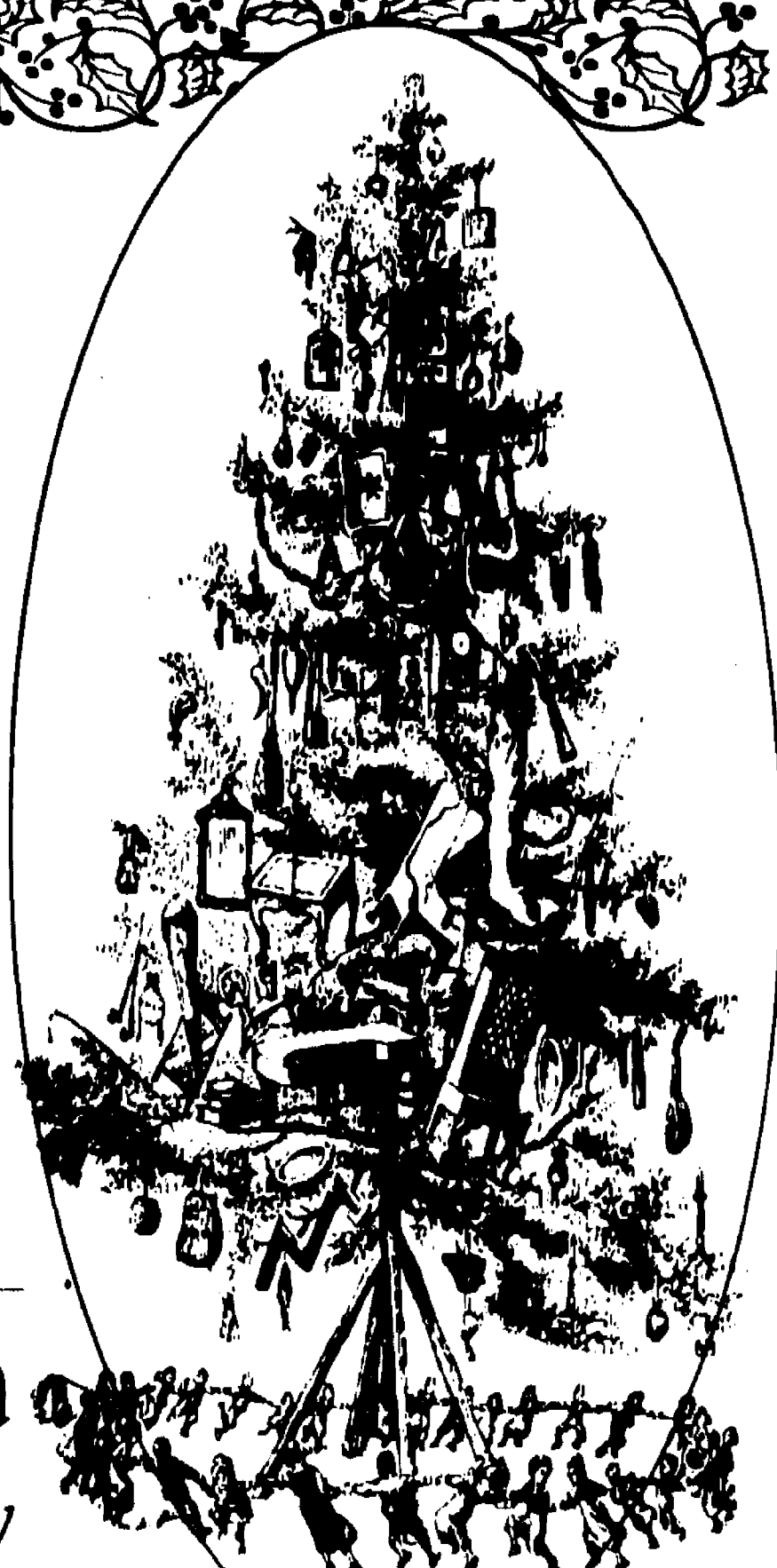
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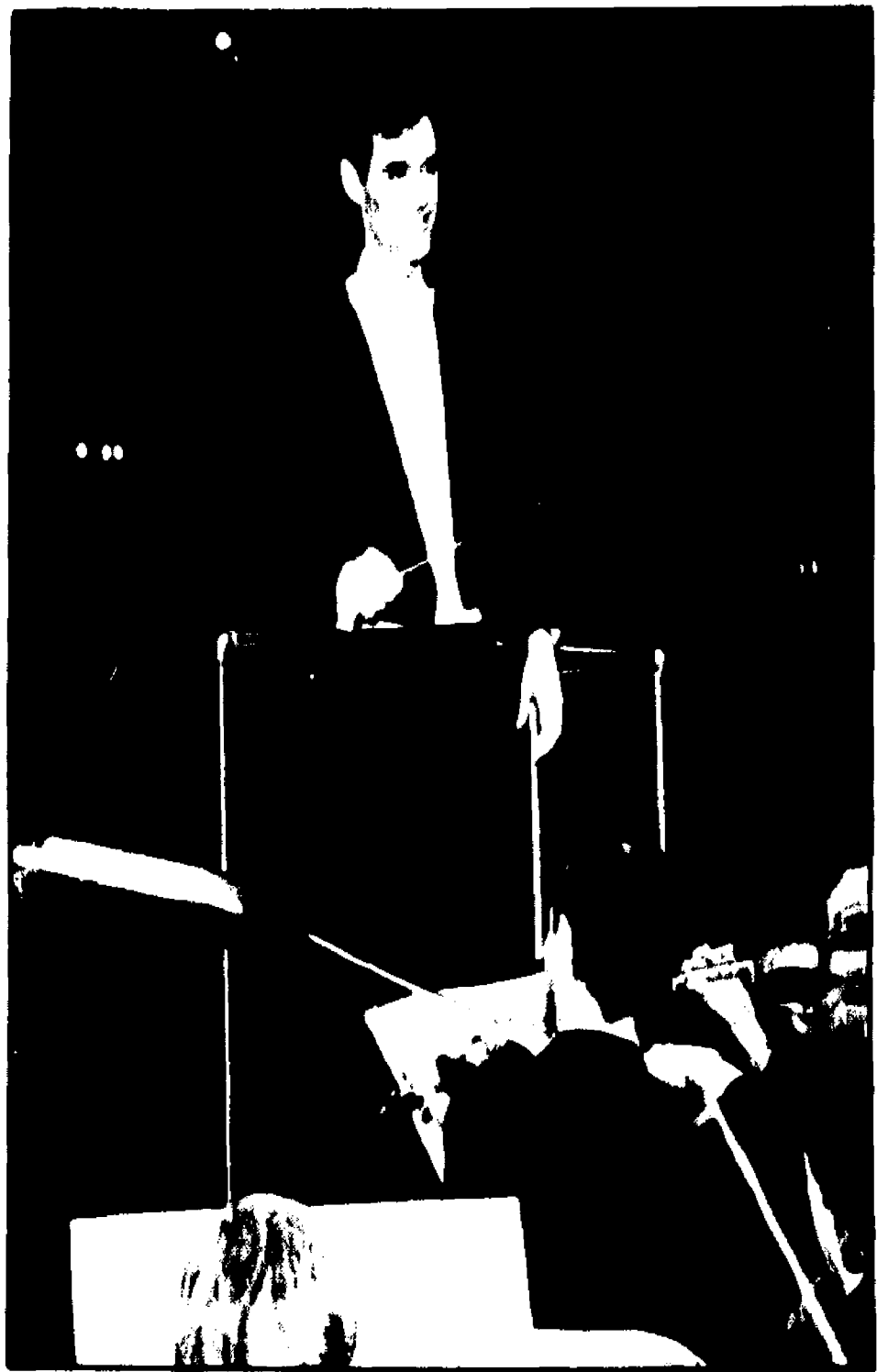
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# World-class opera comes to Westfield

Conductor and music director Brad Keimach (left) will lead Baritone Mark Rucker (right), soprano Gail Dobish (below right) and the Westfield Symphony Orchestra in an opera-in-concert performance of *Rigoletto* Saturday at the Presbyterian Church in Westfield.



## Westfield Symphony Orchestra to present a memorable production of 'Rigoletto'

By WILLIAM WESTHOVEN  
WeekendPlus Editor

**B**rad Keimach, conductor and music director of the Westfield Symphony Orchestra, isn't always one to gush, but while talking about the WSO's upcoming opera-in-concert performance of *Rigoletto*, he sounded like Don King hyping the latest "fight of the century."

"You know, we live a whole lot of days," he said. "And how many do you remember? Well, I promise you, if you come to this, it'll be an evening that you'll remember the rest of your life."

You get the idea if he could come up with an adjective that rhymed with Westfield, there'd be some Muhammad Ali verse in there somewhere, but all we can come up with is *Verdi Revealed in Westfield*, so let's just skip it for now. There's really no hype needed -- the WSO's annual opera, which will take place 8 p.m. Saturday at the acoustically-alluring Presbyterian Church of Westfield, is a traditional crowd favorite. Ticket-buyers should take note and secure their admission without delay.

As for Keimach, the basis of his high expectations are mainly in the cast of singers he's lined up to sing Verdi's "intensely dramatic" story of *Rigoletto*, the hunchback jester who must distract the husbands of the women his master, the Duke, is notching on his lecherous belt.

Singing the title role of *Rigoletto*, will be baritone Mark Rucker, a winner of the Luciano Pavarotti Voice Competition who has performed with both Pavarotti and Placido Domingo (at the prestigious Vienna Festival), both of whom have frequented the role of the Duke. And he's no stranger to *Rigoletto*, having performed the role many times with the New York City Opera, among others. *Opera* magazine, in fact, called him "a major addition to the ranks of genuine Verdi baritones," while *The New York Times* said Rucker had "the coloristic skills needed to give form to *Rigoletto*'s impotent fury."

"*Rigoletto* is coveted by more people than can do it justice," said Keimach. "But [Rucker] is simply astonishing."

The maestro is equally enthusiastic about his female lead, soprano Gail Dobish, who plays the role of

Gilda, *Rigoletto*'s sequestered daughter who, much to her father's dismay, meets up with the Duke. Dobish, a winner of the Metropolitan Opera National Council Auditions, has performed at the Met and the City Opera, and last season performed Gilda with the Connecticut Opera.

Together, said Keimach, Rucker and Gilda are indeed a heavyweight pair of champions who are as great together as Ali and Frazier.

"It really doesn't get much better than this," Keimach promised. "The people who come are going to hear world-class opera. One of Verdi's great strengths is exploring the relationship of father and daughter [*Aida* and *La Traviata* are two other examples]. *Rigoletto* is dramatic and heartfelt work, and [Rucker and Dobish] capture what Verdi intended."

Completing the cast of principals is tenor Paul Spencer Adkins, another winner of the Pavarotti competition lauded by *Opera News* as "a young artist to keep an eye on."

"His specialty is Italian tenor roles, and he delivers," said Keimach. "He is totally undaunted by the demands of the role."

"Really, people will be shocked that such a cast has been assembled here."

OK, maestro, we believe!

The 11-member cast will be supported by the Ars Musica Chorus, and, of course, the Westfield Symphony, considered to be one of the finest professional regional orchestras in the state.

Keimach added that opera buffs should not be turned off by the concert format, stating "it's probably even better [than full staging] because it requires more participation from the audience; like old-time radio theater, it requires you to use your imagination."

And to make sure you can follow the story, Keimach personally authored a listener's guide, which will be included with the program. Further insight can be obtained by attending Keimach's pre-concert lecture at 7 p.m. in the adjacent Westminster Hall.

So let's get ready to rumble, *Rigoletto* style.

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WeekendPlus Film Critic

U p until now, Brian DePalma's career has consisted of works meant to convince the moviegoing public that the director can't hold a candle to Alfred Hitchcock. With *Carlito's Way*, however, he moves into new territory — now he can't touch Martin Scorsese, either.

*Carlito's Way* is an unbelievably inept gangster picture whose entire point seems to be showing off camera moves, all the worst disco songs of the 1970s and the fact Al Pacino, with a close-cropped dark beard and sunglasses, can look spookily like Ringo Starr when photographed from the proper angle. It leaves no ethnic stereotype nor cinematic cliché unturned, and on top of everything else, is at least 30 minutes too long.

The real mystery is why anybody gives DePalma (whose last two films were the sadistic *Raising Cain* and the brings-new-meaning-to-disaster *Bonfire of the Vanities*) money to make movies anymore, since his last hit was *The Untouchables* — his least characteristic film — in 1988. If you hadn't succeeded at your job since 1988, would you get tons of money to keep doing it?

*Carlito's Way* starts with the title character, a former big-time drug dealer (we're supposed to be impressed with that) getting shot in Grand Central Station. Believe me, that's not giving away a major plot point, since it happens before the opening credits have left the screen. The rest of the movie is in flashback, trying to show us how he came to this end. Why we should care is never considered.

The movie is taken from two novels by Edwin Torres, a justice on New York state's Supreme Court. The judge apparently has too much time on his hands, since there's virtually no plot and the characters are all vile, disgusting creatures we wouldn't want to spend 10 minutes (let alone 2½ hours) with.

Carlito is just getting out of prison when the main section of the film begins. His sleazebag lawyer (Sean Penn playing a repugnant Jewish stereotype, looking like the love child of Art Garfunkle and Bozo the Clown) has gotten him off with five years out of a possible 30, and Carlito feels indebted. That will prove to be his downfall.

After declaring to the judge (obviously a Torres stand-in, played by Paul Mazursky, of all people) that he will undeniably go straight, and proclaiming to his lawyer that he really means it, it isn't 10 minutes before Carlito is in the middle of a drug dropoff that goes sour, and shooting his way out of a social club. This is a real standup guy, and we



Al Pacino, Penelope Ann Miller and an almost unrecognizable Sean Penn star in Brian DePalma's *Carlito's Way*.

can't wait to root for him for the next 140 minutes.

DePalma, who never met a camera move he didn't like, is less interested in the plot (what there is of it) than in showing off how tough he can be while trying to look lyrical. He pulls all of his old tricks out of the bag, including his old favorite — the 360-degree move around the lovers kissing that's guaranteed to make an audience nauseous. Savvy moviegoers are probably making book on how long it will take the director to place this cliché these days.

But alas, that's not the only cliché being perpetrated here. Far more damaging are the hideous ethnic routines. There are awful Italian mafiosi, cheap Puerto Rican hoods, the horrible Jewish lawyer and practically non-existent African-Americans.

The only positive character is, big shock, the whitebread WASP princess (Penelope Ann Miller) with whom Carlito is in love with (despite an age difference that could convincingly have Pacino play her father). And her character has been changed from the novel's ballerina to a strip-tease dancer, for two reasons that are apparent the second Miller turns to the camera during her dance number. DePalma is nothing if not right-up-front.

By the time the inevitable suspense set piece, a chase from the disco far uptown to Grand Central, has begun, we've so long ago given up caring about Carlito that even this well-placed, well-edited sequence has lost its impact. It's hard to care too much about a hero who, when being chased by men desperate to end his life, places his fate in the hands of the New York City subway system.

And Pacino, whatever he's trying to do, doesn't have a Puerto Rican accent. Sometimes he doesn't have an accent at all. It's hard to tell the rest of the time.

There are worse ways to spend 2½ hours than seeing *Carlito's Way*. But they're really hard to think of right after you leave the theater.

## Video rewind

### 'Free Willy'

Free Willy was a big hit with the little kids this summer, and it's clear why. Whales, for one thing, are a source of awe — the enormous bulk tempered by the simple gracefulness. Adults may find the whole thing a tad manipulative, and little kids might get bored in the middle, but for the 8-to-14 crowd, it's probably just right.

### 'Cliffhanger'

The movie that will have to live with its responsibility — it brought back Sylvester Stallone's career — *Cliffhanger* starts off spectacularly well, and then can't keep up with that opening. Very few movies could. From the second 20 minutes on, it's essentially *Die Hard* on a mountain, but it's a real mountain, and the effects putting Stallone and crew up there without a net are truly spectacular, even if they do lose something on the small screen. Action fans, you could do a lot worse.

—Jeffrey Cohen

## Top 10 video rentals

1. *Free Willy*
2. *Cliffhanger*
3. *Lost in Yonkers*
4. *The Sandlot*
5. *Dennis the Menace*
6. *Silver*
7. *Weekend at Bernie's 2*
8. *Three of Hearts*
9. *Cop and a Half*
10. *Born Yesterday*

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## Film capsules

Capsule reviews  
by WeekendPlus staff  
Guide:

- ✓ — Recommended
- ☆ — Strongly recommended

### OPENING THIS WEEK

#### ADAMS FAMILY VALUES

★ The cast of the 1991 comedy hit — and baby makes one more — is back for another big-screen frolic. (PG-13)

#### MAN'S BEST FRIEND

★ Aily Sheedy and Lance Henriksen star in this science-fiction thriller about a genetically-engineered dog with killer instincts that escapes his creators. (R)

#### THE SAINT OF FORT WASHINGTON

★ Matt Dillon and Danny Glover play homeless men in New York City who form a special friendship. (R)

#### A PERFECT WORLD

★ Clint Eastwood directs and co-stars as a lawman chasing fugitive Kevin Costner, who forges a friendship with a sheltered young boy he kidnaps while on the run. With Laura Dern. Opens Wednesday. (PG-13)

### CURRENT FILMS

#### THE AGE OF INNOCENCE

★ Director Martin Scorsese

(*Goodfellas*, *Cape Fear*) switches gears with this faithful adaptation of Edith Wharton's romantic novel about a man who falls in love with his fiancée's cousin in late 19th century American high society. Starring Daniel Day-Lewis (Last of the Mohicans), Michelle Pfeiffer and Winona Ryder. (PG)

#### THE BEVERLY HILLBILLIES

★ Feature version of the TV series stars Oscar-winner Cloris Leachman as Grannie, Jim (the Ernest movies) Varney as Jed and Lily Tomlin as Miss Hathaway. (PG)

#### A BRONX TALE

★ First-time director Robert DeNiro also stars in this urban

drama about a working class father who takes on gangsters that embrace his son when the boy "keeps his mouth shut" after witnessing a crime. (R)

#### CARLITO'S WAY

★ Director Brian DePalma and recent Oscar-winner Al Pacino join forces for the first time since *Scarface*, with Pacino playing a Spanish-Harlem gangster trying to escape his life of crime. With Sean Penn, Penelope Ann Miller. (R)

#### COOL RUNNINGS

★ Curious misadventures of the first Olympic Jamaican bobsled team (this is a true story, folks) are played mostly for laughs, with a supporting cast that in-

cludes John Candy as their coach. (PG)

#### DAZED AND CONFUSED

★ An American Graffiti for the '70s: director Richard (Slacker) Linklater's low-budget, unapologetic look at the decade of free love, marijuana and horrible fashions seen through the eyes of high schoolers during one night in the Bicentennial year of 1976. (R)

#### DEMOLITION MAN

★ Big-budget, cartoonish action-adventure nonsense with Sylvester Stallone starring as a cop frozen in our time who is thawed out to catch a violent criminal (Wesley Snipes, sporting a blond Mohawk) in the

year 2032. A few witty moments, but overall, poorly executed. (R)

#### FATAL INSTINCT

★ Carl Reiner directs this comic spoof of dark thrillers like *Basic Instinct* with a cast featuring Kate Nelligan, Armand Assante, Sheryl Fenn and Sean Young. (PG-13)

#### FEARLESS

★ Director Peter Weir's (Witness, Green Card) latest follows the post-trauma lives of the survivors of a plane crash. Starring Jeff Bridges, Rosie Perez, Isabella Rossellini. (R)

#### FLESH AND BONE

★ Dennis Quaid plays a troubled

Texas drifter who falls in love with equally-troubled widow Meg Ryan. The romance, though, is threatened by a criminal acquaintance (James Caan) from Quaid's past in this moody suspense drama. (R)

#### THE GOOD SON

★ Home Alone wunderkind Macaulay Culkin goes against type as an evil orphan who terrorizes unsuspecting relatives, including a visiting cousin (Elijah Wood). With David Morse. (R)

#### A HOME OF OUR OWN

★ Kathy Bates (Misery) stars in this comedy about a widow who (Please turn to page 6)

# Film capsules



Actor-directors Kevin Costner and Clint Eastwood team up in the action drama *A Perfect World*, which opens Wednesday.

(Continued from page 5)  
leaves Los Angeles to find a better life for her six children. With Edward Furlong (*Terminator 2: Judgement Day*). (PG)

## THE JOY LUCK CLUB

Well-received Wayne Wang film, based on the Amy Tan novel about four Chinese mothers and their American-born daughters. (R)

## JUDGEMENT NIGHT

Incredibly stupid, but well-filmed action flick starring Emilio Estevez and Cuba Gooding, Jr., as members of a suburban group threatened while stranded in inner city Chicago after witnessing a murder. Comedian Denis Leary featured as the lead bad guy. (R)

## LOOK WHO'S TALKING NOW

Second sequel to baby-talk comedy hit *Look Who's Talking* reunites Kirstie Alley and John Travolta as the owners of two talking dogs, who's voices are

supplied by Danny DeVito and Diane Keaton. (PG-13)

## MAJICE

Alec Baldwin, Nicole Kidman, Bebe Neuwirth, Anne Bancroft and George C. Scott star in Harold Becker's suspense-thriller about a group of professors and professionals who may or may not be hiding dark secrets in a New England college town. (R)

## MY LIFE

A terminally ill man (Michael Keaton) makes a home-video of his life for his unborn child. With Nicole Kidman.

## THE NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS

This stop-action, animated musical fantasy about the people of Halloween taking over Christmas was directed by Henry Selick, but the story and characters come courtesy of Tim Burton, the visually-oriented director of *Batman*, *Beetlejuice* and *Edward Scis-*

*orhands*. Music by frequent Burton collaborator Danny Elfman. (PG)

## THE REMAINS OF THE DAY

*Howards End* director James Ivory's latest reunites Oscar-winners Emma Thompson and Anthony Hopkins, with the latter playing a proper English butler whose blind devotion to his master takes a toll on his own life. (PG)

## ROBOCOP 3

Nancy Allen and Rip Torn star in the third episode of this popular, seriocomic action series set in 21st century Detroit. (PG-13)

## RUDY

True Rocky style-story of an undersized but determined adult who pursues his dream to not only attend the University of Notre Dame, but to play for the football team. Starring Sean Astin. (PG)

## THE THREE MUSKETEERS

The same old story, featuring Charlie Sheen, Keifer Sutherland, Chris O'Donnell and Oliver Platt. With Tim Curry, Rebecca DeMornay.

## REVIVALS

### Z (1969; French; subtitled)

Director Costa-Gavras' Academy award-winning political thriller based on the real-life story of a Greek pacifist targeted for assassination by government fascists. Friday, Nov. 19, 7 p.m., at Milledoler Hall Room 100, College Avenue campus, Rutgers College, New Brunswick. Part of "Polpourri" festival sponsored by Rutgers Film Co-op and N.J. Media Art Center. Admission \$3; \$2 Rutgers Film Co-op members. (908) 932-8482.

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### JERSEY SINGLES ACTIVITIES CLUB (ages 30-older)

•Murder mystery (Killing Mr. Withers) at Old Mill Inn, Bernardsville, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 20. Open only to those w/reservations. (908) 537-7794.

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•Discussion group at First Baptist Church of New Market, Piscataway, 7:15 p.m. Mondays. Cost \$3.

### NEW EXPECTATIONS

(201) 984-9158  
•Discussion group and buffet at Morristown Unitarian Fellowship, 8 p.m. Nov. 19. Cost \$8.

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### SINGLE FRIENDS (ages 35-older)

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•Dance and buffet at The Gate House, West Orange, 8 p.m. Nov. 21.

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Music

# Theo, 'Peter and the Wolf' a classic combo

Former 'Cosby' kid to narrate Philharmonic program of symphonic classics for children

By JOSHUA BALLING  
WeekendPlus Writer

When other children his age were listening to the roots of rock and roll, Mario Lombardo was writing classical music.

The prolific Cranford composer began penning musicals more than 30 years ago but quickly moved on to piano pieces and finally full orchestra scores.

The Philharmonic Orchestra of New Jersey will feature his symphonic fairy tale *Drakestail* along with Sergei Prokofiev's classic *Peter and the Wolf* 2 and 3:30 p.m. Sunday at the Pingry School in Martinsville. Actor Malcolm-Jamal Warner of *Cosby Show* fame will narrate both pieces.

*Drakestail*, written by Lombardo in 1976, is the story of a small duck who journeys to the castle of an evil king and after outwitting the cruel ruler winds up wearing the crown.

"Basically its the classic tale of good versus evil," he said.

In the spirit of symphonic fairy tales like *Peter and the Wolf*, *Drakestail* uses individual instru-

ments to identify characters.

"The work is adapted from a French fairy tale," Lombardo said. "We took several liberties with the original to make it more musical."

The revised version features a magic flute and a magic horn.

*Drakestail* has been recorded by the Berlin Radio Orchestra and could become as famous as *Peter and the Wolf* when it is recorded in English, Lombardo said.

"We're still working on the recording part," he said.

The composer grew up in Elizabeth and graduated from Jefferson High School before moving to Cranford three decades ago. When his classmates were just listening to the radio, he was writing music.

"It's just something I've always done and loved," he said, "but it's extremely difficult to make a living at."

"My classmates and friends didn't think I was odd for writing classical music," he said. "They respected my talent but didn't think I'd be able to make a living."

Mr. Lombardo graduated from Seton Hall University with a degree in English and taught at the



Malcolm-Jamal Warner joins the Philharmonic Orchestra of New Jersey Sunday for a performance of *Peter and the Wolf* at Pingry School in Martinsville.

South Orange university while he struggled to get his composing career on track.

He recalls the eight years before his first piece was published teaching literature by day and scoring

classical pieces by night.

"It may be the most difficult thing in the world to make a living as a classical composer," he said. "If you make a rock album and you have a hit, you're set for life."

In musical theater you can also make money with one or two big productions, but in composing you need to have a lot of pieces performed to bring in royalties to survive."

"It's kind of like making a living being a poet," he said.

Lombardo's wife Adele, a school nurse, collaborated with her husband on *Drakestail*, writing the narration for the fairy tale.

The couple has two grown daughters, Karen and Laura, who took a more scientific path with their lives and become civil engineers, Lombardo said.

After his first piece *Rockin' Rhapsody* was performed by the New Jersey Symphony in 1970, Lombardo has written continuously for the past two decades.

"Oh God yes, I keep pretty busy," he laughed.

His *Rhapsody for Oboe and Orchestra* debuted with the Monmouth Symphony Orchestra Nov. 7.

He is currently working on two one act musicals based on the short stories of O. Henry that are scheduled to be performed by regional theater groups early next year.

**DRAKESTAIL, PETER AND THE WOLF** performed by the Philharmonic Orchestra of N.J. with narration by Malcolm-Jamal Warner, Sunday, Nov. 21, 2 and 3:30 p.m., at Pingry School, Martinsville. Tickets \$10. (908) 356-6165.

# Fast-riser Freedy Johnston prepares for breakout in '94

By BILL MILLARD  
WeekendPlus Writer

I had the chance to speak with Freedy Johnston a while back when he was holed up at his new home in Woodstock, writing songs for an album that's due out in 1994 on Elektra. After finding his way from Kinsley, Kansas, to New York, recording two critically acclaimed Bar/None albums (*The Trouble Tree* and *Can You Fly*) plus the spinoff EP, *Unlucky*, and making strong connections with audiences from LA to Holland, Johnston has turned some of the music industry's sharpest heads. But in some ways he remains as much a Midwesterner as the characters in his song titles "Sincere," "Responsible," maybe even "Innocent." He'll be leading his band in two shows at Maxwell's in Hoboken next week — an open rehearsal Tuesday and a regular performance Wednesday.

**WEEKENDPLUS:** Of the things you've read about your work, what's the most far off, the weirdest comparison, the most completely wrong thing anybody's ever said?

**FREEDY:** I haven't read many of them. One guy — he might have been right — said my melodies were like children's music, really simple; they stuck in your head because of that. It might be a compliment, but I don't know if I quite understood what he meant. There's a certain breed of rock journalist who is a frustrated musician, and my guess is that guy was one of these and could never get through a review without some little backhanded thing. But the press has been my friend. I'm very lucky that I got a lot of positive reviews on *Can You Fly*; I fully expect that on the next record, a fair amount of people are gonna slag it just because it's a different record. I think my time'll come for negative press; I'm enjoying it now while it's good. Since I work hard on my lyrics, that appeals to a lot of writers, so I might have a slight advantage there. Maybe I'll



Freedy Johnston will perform Wednesday and Thursday at Maxwell's in Hoboken.

be the print journalist's friend for my whole career.

**WP:** You write stuff that takes a lot of emotional honesty. You aren't the kind of songwriter who knocks out three simple recombinant pop songs in a day.

**F:** I really have a lot of appreciation for a simple run-of-the-mill pop song. If a song can make it to the Top 40, there has to be something besides money paid to the independent promoter. It has to have a simplicity and an elegance (maybe that's not the right word to use for some

pop songs). I never want to be simple-minded, but I'd love to write a song that's just immediate. Wouldn't it be great to write a standard? I tend to write songs that take left turns. I was just thinking about that today; I try to think about it every day. I'm working on this song that's...it's pretty happy; it's really happy. I was worried about it, because the lyrics were really simple, and it occurred to me I could write a really dark or introspective or enigmatic lyric and it would be perfectly fine. People will learn to like it if they want to, and it will take on its own life that way. Listen to "Walk on the Wild Side;" I just love the music to that song, yet the lyrics are pretty brutal. And it was a Top 40 hit.

**WP:** I'm thinking about a line from "Trying to Tell You I Don't Know:" Trying to cry with the red light on, which to me sounds like a terrific way to capture the dilemma of the professional musician, trying to demand a lot of himself in that studio situation.

**F:** Tryin' to put your soul out.

**WP:** Yeah! All of a sudden you've gotta really emote, and you hit a degree of emotion that's very hard for people to call up. How do you do that?

**F:** Well, like most things we do, it's not really conscious. I've been told that I do get into it pretty heavily in the studio when I'm doing vocals. I guess maybe part of it is that I don't know any better...a lot gets done to the recorded signal by the time it gets to your CD player; a lot of edges get sanded off. There's always that sheen that's put on it that's going to take away, maybe, some of the edgy emotional things. I always love home demos for that, the immediacy of that. And I think every musician has that; they call it demo-itis. There's definitely something about your demos — something to love there.

**WP:** Will you be doing more solo acoustic stuff? I understand you were out on one of those "Songwriters In Their (Please turn to page 11)



## Soundings

**ALL-BAROQUE CONCERT**  
Friday, Dec. 3, 8:30 p.m.  
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Tuesday, Nov. 30, 8 p.m., Nicholas Music Center, 932-7511. Admission \$7.

**PATRICIA JOHNSON**

Saturday, Nov. 20, 8 p.m.  
Fairleigh Dickinson University  
Lenfest Hall, Madison (201) 593-8620  
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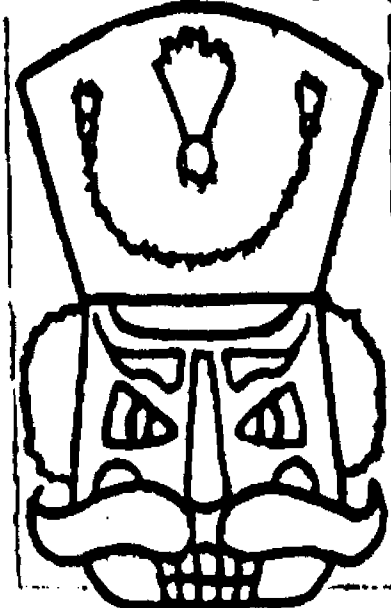
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Music

# Grateful Dead alumnus hooks up with local band

*World Within recruits Tom Constanten for tour*

By WILLIAM WESTHOVEN  
WeekendPlus Editor

**C**an there be a bigger thrill for a tribute band than playing with one of the musicians it pays tribute to?

That's the enviable situation for World Within, a Central Jersey-based group clearly influenced by the Grateful Dead. The band does have a strong list of original tunes, many of which can be found on its debut CD, *In the Beginning*, but the band forged its reputation on the songs and styles of the Dead.

No, they won't be sitting in with Jerry Garcia, or any of the current Dead members. But for the rest of November, they'll be doing the next-best thing — jamming with former Dead keyboard player Tom Constanten, who was featured on the Dead's first three albums.

Now based in Oakland, Ca., Constanten is happy to debunk the myth that all of the former Dead keyboard players are, well, dead. Part of the confusion is that his contribution to the band receives no mention in most band biographies, but a check of the liner notes confirms his status.

"Pigpen [Ron McKernan, who died in 1973] is the guy that people remember, but when I was with the band, I played most of the keyboard while he would be up front singing and playing percussion, which he liked to do," said Constanten, who last sat in with the Dead in 1970. "There was some talk about me coming back when Brent [Nydland] died a couple of years ago, but I wasn't in on the meetings, so I don't want to pass judgement. Besides, I don't want to be cast in the role of ambulance chaser."

Constanten has a variety of musical projects that keep him busy, including theater and film scores and a solo CD of sonatas by Haydn, Schubert and Beethoven. But while attending a psychic fair last May at the Roosevelt Hotel in New York City,



he heard World Within and asked if he could sit in with them. One thing led to another, and they made plans for a short November tour, which includes a Sunday date at T.J.'s Hideaway in South Plainfield.

"Oh, sure, do this all the time," he said, referring to playing with Dead-influenced bands. "It's a barrel of laughs for me. I get to play this kind of music that way. The only thing I can compare it to is really great salacious, promiscuous sex — when it works its that good, when it doesn't, it's...well, I don't want to pursue the metaphor too far."

Apparently, you can take the boy out of the Haight, but you can't take the Haight out of the boy.

As for World Within, on a scale of one to 10 among Deadhead bands, Constanten's rating is a bit confusing. "On a scale of one to 10, I'd say they are one to 10," he said.

But seriously, Tom, how are they?

"They are fine players, they listen well and they appreciate subtlety," he finally said.

Ironically, the tour is a homecoming of sorts for Constanten, who was born in Long Branch. Not that he's getting all misty about it, you understand.

"Long Branch — to tell you the truth, the last time I was in the Long Branch area, Truman was president," he said. "I think that's changed."

**WORLD WITHIN/TOM CONSTANTEN** Sunday, Nov. 21, at T.J.'s Hideaway, 605 Tompkins Ave., South Plainfield. Cover \$5. (908) 668-9860.



Former Grateful Dead keyboard player Tom Constanten has hooked up with Central Jersey band World Within (above, right) for a short tour of club dates, including one at T.J.'s Hideaway in South Plainfield.

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# Freedy Johnston

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Own Words" tours.  
F: I was out in April and May about three weeks with Johnny Clegg, David Baerwald, and Lisa Germano, a new artist who's known for playing violin with John

Mellencamp. It was educational, talking on stage about songwriting.  
WP: Do you wind up doing any songwriting collaborations in a situation like that?  
F: I think in the future I'm going to. There's this little kid inside me that doesn't like to work at all; I have a terrible time gettin' to work. I would love to work with Marshall Crenshaw on something — he just lives a few miles away. He's got a great pop instinct, and he's the most incredible guitar player in the world. Maybe the songwriters' tour made me want to collaborate. Before a few months ago I never wanted to work with anybody, but now I see the value

of it somehow.  
WP: When you mention there's a little kid in you, an impish little guy, I like how that kid likes to pull clever tricky stuff — maybe the way in "The Mortician's Daughter" you're kind of winking at death.  
F: Well, maybe it's taken a life of its own, but it's not what I wanted to be associated with. "Mortician's Daughter" has been misinterpreted a few times. It's sometimes seen, as you say, as a light-hearted or funny take. It was meant to be very somber, like a Johnny Cash song; there's irony there, but not in a winking way at all. I work with a lot of visual im-

agery, and that's just how I think when I write songs.  
WP: Like drawing the hearts on the coffin lids.  
F: Yeah, that sort of thing. That's the way I work. I've written a lot of humorous songs in the past, and there's that in me, but these days I do what I can to avoid the ironic or humorous twists unless it's really right, or very subtle. It can get to be too much. I just don't feel that it communicates what I want to communicate as well. Because I end up writing these sad, melancholy songs; that's just what I do.  
WP: Most of the mass audience doesn't know about you yet, but in

the places where people do, there really is a connection. I was in a studio in Manhattan a few weeks ago, and somebody's got an ad for musicians taped onto the wall. And it says "We're influenced by this band, that band, somebody else, and Freedy."  
F: Really?  
WP: And they didn't even bother to put your last name on there, and I thought "All right! People are beginning to catch on."  
F: That's amazing. That's...a first.  
WP: You've got people who want to sound like you someplace.  
F: That's kind of scary.

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Main St., South Bound Brook  
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301 Clark St., Westfield  
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# Happenings

**AMERICAN POLITICAL ITEMS COLLECTORS**  
Hyatt Hotel  
2 Albany St., New Brunswick  
(201) 338-9323  
\*Eastern regional convention of political paraphernalia, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Nov. 19, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Nov. 20. Admission \$5, discounts available.

**BIRDS OF AUTUMN NATURE WALK**  
Trailside Nature Center  
Coles Ave., New Providence  
Road  
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(908) 789-3670  
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**CRAFTS IN THE WARREN HILLS**

Warren Hills Regional High School  
Jackson Valley Road, Washington  
(908) 689-0478  
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**EVERGREEN EVENT**  
Presbyterian Fellowship Hall  
Mt. & Union Aves., Bound Brook  
\*50 holiday displays and trees, musical entertainment. 6:30-9 p.m., Dec. 2 and 3, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Dec. 4, noon-5 p.m. Dec. 5. Mr. and Mrs. Santa Saturday 11-3, Sunday noon-4. Donation \$2, children \$1. Lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Santa Saturday 11-1 \$2.50.

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**HOLLY WALK**  
Morristown  
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**INDOOR FLEA MARKET**  
St. Francis Episcopal Church  
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(908) 968-6781  
\*New and used items, antiques, holiday crafts, breakfast/lunch snack bar. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Nov. 20.

**KENILWORTH TRAIN SHOW**  
Veterans Hall  
33 South 21st St., Kenilworth

(908) 561-8863, 322-6240  
\*Railroad layouts from the land of Lionel, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Nov. 21. Adults \$2, children under 12 free.

**LONDONDERRY FAIR CHRISTMAS ART & CRAFT SHOW**  
Raritan Center Expo Hall  
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(609) 629-4003  
\*Professional artists and crafters from 20 states. 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Dec. 11, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Dec. 12. Admission \$6, under age 12 free; free parking.

**MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE**  
St. Luke's Episcopal Church  
Route 512, Gladstone  
(908) 234-0002  
\*Choral fair w/madrigal singers, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Nov. 20. Free admission.

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**SPORTS CARD AND COMIC BOOKS SHOW**  
Midstate Bowling Alley  
Mid-State Mall  
Route 18, East Brunswick  
(908) 583-7915.

\*Dealers, free autograph from Brian Buniak, *Mad Magazine* artist. Admission \$1, under age 6 free. 5-9:30 p.m. Nov. 18.

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Temple Shalom  
Church St. and Ayrmont Drive  
Aberdeen (Metawan)  
(908) 583-7915  
\*30 tables, plus free autographs from Wayne Prokopiak, Boxing Hall of Fame artist, and Golden Gloves Champ Richard Burton, free raffle. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Nov. 21. Admission \$2, under age 6 free.

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**YULETIDE FESTIVAL**  
All Saints Episcopal Church  
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(908) 322-8047  
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## Kid Stuff

**ALADDIN**  
Nov. 20, 21; 11 a.m.  
Paper Mill Playhouse, Millburn

(201) 376-4343  
Nov. 21; 1 and 3 p.m., Wilkins Theatre, Kean College, Union  
(908) 527-2337  
\**"A Whole New World"* coming alive on the stage. Admission \$7, \$6 in Millburn; \$5 in Union.

**THE ART MUSEUM**  
Princeton University  
(609) 258-3788  
Gallery talks for children (kindergarten-grade 5) at 11 a.m. Saturday. Younger children must be accompanied by an adult. Free admission.  
\**"It's All Greek to Me,"* Nov. 20.

**BALES IN TOYLAND**  
Sunday, Nov. 21, 3 p.m.  
State Theatre, 19 Livingston Ave., New Brunswick  
(908) 246-7469  
\*Victor Herbert's operetta of childhood dreams. Admission \$10, \$8.

**HARVEST CRAFTS FOR PARENTS AND CHILDREN**  
Great Swamp Outdoor Education Center, Chatham  
(201) 635-6629  
\*Nature craft class with naturalist Chris Rauch. Free, limited to 7 parent-child couples; registration required. 2-4 p.m. Nov. 21.

**WILLIAM LOW/PAMELA JANE**  
Saturday, Nov. 20, 10:30 a.m.  
Rivergate Books  
7 Lambert Lane, Lambertville  
(609) 397-1920  
\*Authors read from their new books *Wake Up, Wilson Street* (he) and *Noise of the Nut-*

*cracker* (she). Free admission.

**MUSIC FROM AROUND THE WORLD**  
Sunday, Nov. 21, 3 p.m.  
Fine Arts Theatre  
Rider College, Lawrenceville  
(609) 921-2663  
\*Works of Chopin, Grieg, J.S. Bach, Tchaikovsky, and others, performed by the Westminster Conservatory. Adults \$5, senior citizens and students \$3.

**SHOESTRING PLAYERS**  
Friday, Nov. 26, 1 p.m.  
Forum Theater, Metuchen  
(908) 548-4670  
\*Performance of *Ladders to the Sky*, hour-long quartet of international folktales for K-8 and families. Admission \$7 adults, \$6 children.

## Speakers

**THE ART MUSEUM**  
Princeton University  
(609) 258-3788  
Gallery talks at 12:30 p.m. Friday and 3 p.m. Sunday. Free admission.  
\*Nathaniel Burt on *"Peale and the Boudinots,"* Nov. 19, 21.

**CONSTANCE WEBSTER**  
Sunday, Nov. 21, 1:30 p.m.  
Morse, Stockton St., Princeton  
(609) 683-4495  
\*Cook College professor provides a history of Joseph Bonaparte's garden in Borden-town. Free admission.



## Special events

# Laser light show to light up Edward Nash Theatre

*'Saturn V Family Laser Show' beaming down to Raritan Valley Community College Sunday afternoon*

**W**hen lasers were first invented, they were championed as the weapon of the future, and a generation of children gave up playing cowboys and indians to play space ranger, blasting each other with toy laser pistols that threw sparks and made silly noises.

As laser (which stands for light amplification by stimulated emission of radiation) technology matured, however, it was found there were more peaceful uses like surgery and bar code identifications.

But one of the first commercial applications was in the entertainment world, where bands like Pink Floyd and the Electric Light Orchestra would dazzle crowds with multicolored beams flying overhead in all sorts of patterns.

Another popular laser attraction was Laserium at the Hayden Planetarium in New York City, which would present dancing laser images, synchronized to enhance pop and rock music recordings, on its domed ceiling.

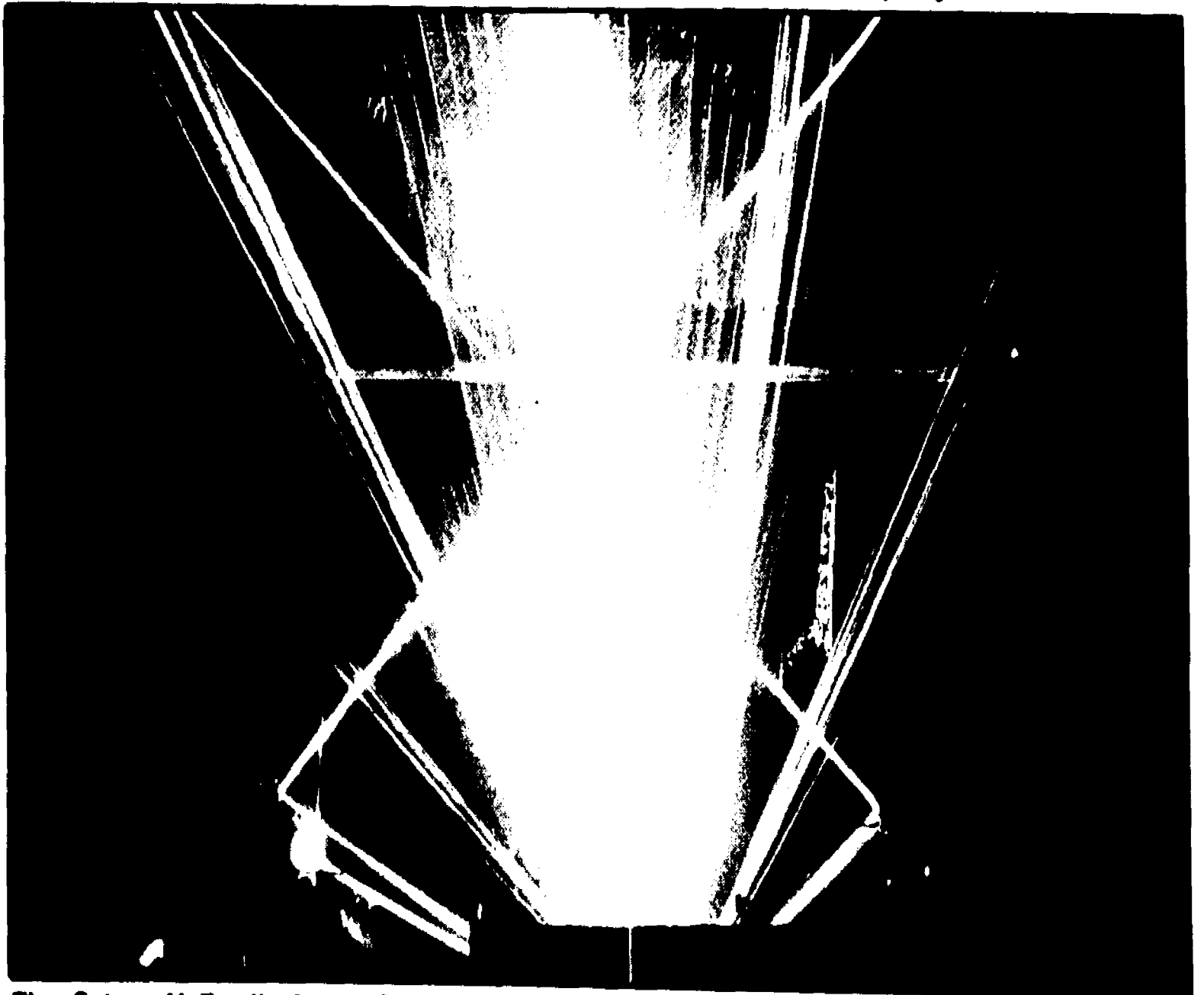
Sunday, lasers will be firing at Raritan Valley Community Col-

lege, which will present the Saturn V Family Laser Show at the Edward Nash Theatre. Part of the school's Twixt and Tween Youth Theatre Series, geared for ages 11-15, the show will feature two lasers, one of which will shoot 3-D beams and tunnels, among other patterns, through the air, while the other will be used to project various moving images on a special screen. Strobes, mirror balls, mirror cylinders and other high-tech props will also be employed to amaze the crowd.

Like Laserium, music is also a big part of the show, with a soundtrack featuring everything from Bach, Beethoven and Manheim Steamroller to classic rock like the Beatles and Chicago.

The theater will also offer the use of 3-D diffraction glasses to enhance the laser effects.

**SATURN V FAMILY LASER SHOW** Sunday, Nov. 21, 3 p.m., at the Edward Nash Theatre, Raritan Valley Community College, Route 28 and Lamington Road, North Branch. Tickets \$7.50. (908) 725-3420.



The Saturn V Family Laser Show will light up the Edward Nash Theatre at Raritan Valley Community College with a variety of colorful light images synchronized to a musical soundtrack.

## Howie Mandel coming to State Theatre

Actor-comedian Howie Mandel will bring his insanely funny live show to the State Theatre in New Brunswick for one show on Friday.

The Canadian-born comic was introduced to most of the public as Dr. Ficus on the long-running television show *St. Elsewhere*, but before that, he was a stand-up comic working both sides of the border.

Since the end of *St. Elsewhere*, Mandel's unusual live shows and hyper personality have been showcased on several cable specials, including *Howie From Maui* on HBO and the more recent *Howie Spent Our Summer* on Showtime.

He's also worked in feature films, while also serving as creator-producer of the Fox-TV children's program *Bobby's World*.

Singer-songwriter Jenny O will open the show.

Tickets for the 8 p.m. performance, which is recommended for adults only, are \$25-\$20. For more information, call (908) 246-7469.

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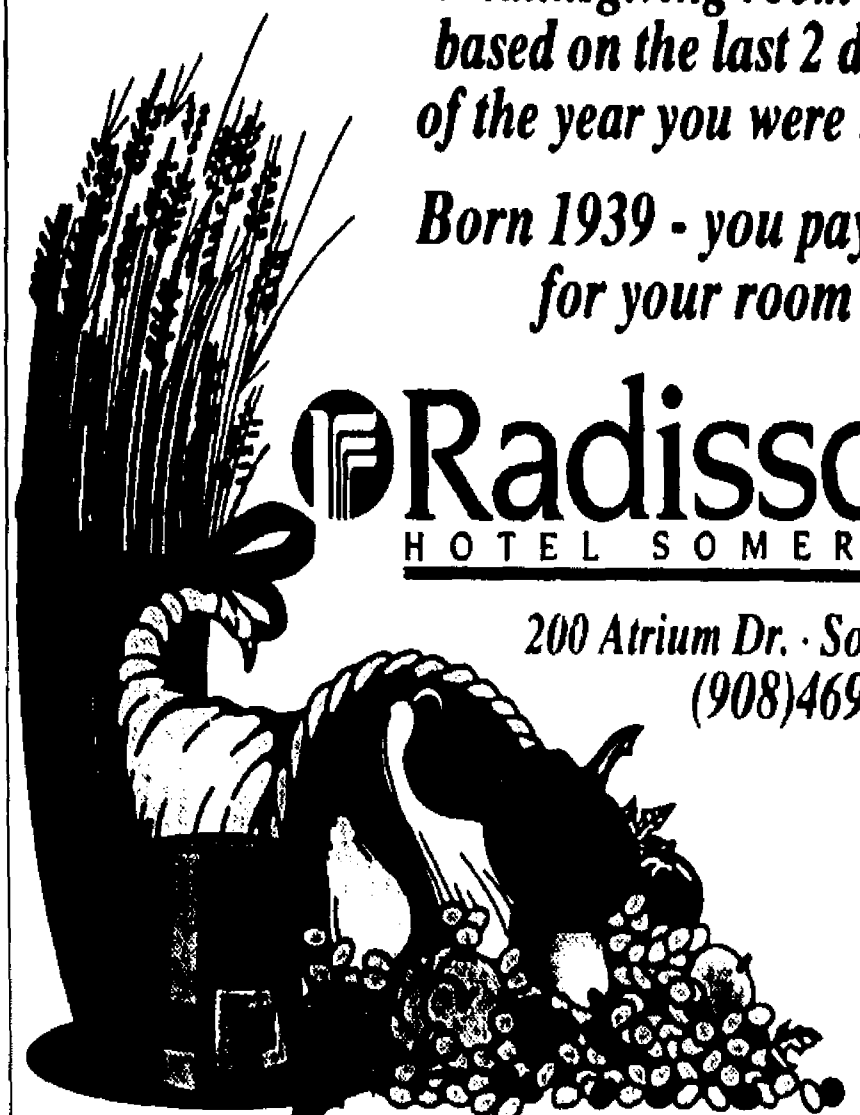
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## 'Peter Pan' to take off

*Villagers Theatre to stage ambitious musical fantasy*

By WILLIAM WESTHOVEN  
WeekendPlus Editor

**T**hings are decidedly up in the air at the Villagers Theatre in Somerset, but that's not necessarily a bad thing.

No, it doesn't mean there's trouble brewing at the theater, although their annual budget has taken quite a hit by financing their upcoming production of the musical fantasy *Peter Pan*, which premieres Friday and will continue through Dec. 19.

The Villagers have spared no expense for this ambitious musical spectacular, which will star their summer theater arts program director, Janet Cantore-Watson, as everyone's favorite flying boy-who-wouldn't-grow-up.

And Watson will indeed fly, courtesy of special effects experts Flying By Foy, who were hired to perform the same task they have for Radio City and Broadway shows, Las Vegas revues and other high-profile productions. A Foy Enterprises consultant flew in last week from Las Vegas to begin preparations, install the equipment and train the five stagehands required to get Peter, Wendy and the rest of the stars off the ground.

"Foy is the industry-standard," said director Michael McCaughey. "If there's anyone else, I don't know of them. If anyone needs flying, they go to Flying By Foy."

But the high-tech surprises don't end there. After paying



Mitzi Vermillion, Kjerstin Kupiec, Val DiSanto, Andrea Kramer and Kelly Stensland are part of the cast of the musical *Peter Pan*, which opens Friday at the Villagers Theatre in Franklin.

Flying By Foy, the Villagers didn't have enough money to hire Julia Roberts as Tinker Bell, but they did have enough to go in another direction — Tink will be played by an actual laser beam!

All of which has been quite a handful for the director, but he's expecting all the hard work to pay off handsomely onstage, and at the box office — *Peter Pan* is expected by some to break some attendance records for the Villagers.

"It's rather difficult putting this together, but it's great for me, because I love the technical stuff," said McCaughey, who directed the ambitious circus musical *Barnum* for Playhouse 22 in East Brunswick. He also directed *Evita* for the Villagers in 1985, and more recently, *La Cage aux Folles*, which ranks to this day as one of the biggest successes in the theater's history. McCaughey also directed last season's

*Romance, Romance.*

According to McCaughey, every aspect of the production had to be designed around the flying, from the elaborate set design by Gordon Danielli to the costumes by Camille Cusimano, which had to allow for the flying harnesses.

Of course, all the bells and whistles are a waste without a talented cast to — pardon the expression — make it fly, and according to McCaughey, casting was his primary challenge. Fortunately, McCaughey and Watson go way back.

"This is the third show she's my lead in," he said. "I wanted to make so certain that I got a Peter who was boyish enough — it has to be a woman because of the way it's written vocally — and I wanted a woman who had that sparkle and energy and still pass for a boy. "As far as I'm concerned, Janet is Peter Pan. It even says in the program that she's been waiting for this role since 1960-something."

It doesn't hurt any, either, that Watson is well-acquainted with the theater's summer theater arts program.

"Janet has an incredible rapport with the children — the kids adore her, and she adores them," said the director. "And she also has a wonderful rapport with Hook."

Hook, the flamboyant dandy pirate and timeless adversary of Pan, will be played by Sal Borusso — another casting coup according to McCaughey.

The director added he wants to make sure people don't dismiss *Peter Pan* as a children's show. "There's a lot of adult in it," he stressed. "I'm afraid most adults think of it as a children's show, and I hope that doesn't affect us."

**PETER PAN** Nov. 19-Dec. 19 at the Villagers Theatre, 475 DeMott Lane, Somerset. Tickets \$15. (908) 873-2710.

## 'Telltale Hearts' a slick social mixer

*Witty, modern romantic comedy makes the grade at Crossroads Theatre*

By MICHAEL P. SCASSERRA  
WeekendPlus Theater Critic

**T**elltale Hearts, a jazzy, new romantic comedy playing at New Brunswick's Crossroads Theatre, is a witty, often slick, occasionally moving play with which playwright Joe Barnes acquires for African-Americans the contemporary genre of sophisticated romantic angst made popular by pop psychology best sellers, television's *thirty-something*, and mid-period Woody Allen.

As the playwright has pointed out, *Telltale Hearts* intends to chronicle the struggles of youngish African-Americans who have moved past economic, day-to-day struggles to a new level of emotional and sexual difficulty. Barnes keeps larger social and political issues secondary to the romantic foibles and traditional battle-of-the-sexes wit which permeate the genre in which he is working.

"They can't all be tall, rich and look like Denzel Washington," says one of the women in *Telltale Hearts* as she complains about her best friends high standards for men.

This female thinking is countered by one of the less sensitive men in the play who says that, as a black man, he considers himself "a Maltese Falcon," a "rare bird" for which there is more demand than supply. One-liners like these, performed by an exceptionally appealing cast of eight, keep *Telltale Hearts* a charmer even during its less fresh segments.

• Perky Janet (Amelia Marshall), a special education teacher with a thirst for "adventure," has tried to personal ads and come up empty-handed until she

falls for Michael (Eugene Lee), a naive romantic whose work as a freelance photographer has prevented him from even opening a savings account. Charlene (Petronia Paley), a sophisticated woman quick to tell men that she has an I.Q. of 160, runs her own business with 23 employees, and owns a vacation home in Puerto Rico, falls in love with James (Count Stovall), Michael's older brother, a cynic with whom she believes she might choose to have a child. Marie (Kim Sykes), an insecure social worker just getting over a relationship with a man she discovered after five months was an escaped mental patient, begins a romance with the therapy-addicted Bob (Dennis Green), while her best friend, Lola (Pam Grier), indulges in a lusty affair with Kevin (Jack Landron), a bar rat who is as single-minded about his public relations career as he is about his libidinous night life.

The first act of *Telltale Hearts* is an entertaining collage of character and event in which the playwright charts the formation of his four couples. By Act Two, which centers around the impending marriage of Janet and Michael, Barnes's work begins to flounder. The pace slows and, once down to the business of working toward the denouement of these relationships, the play becomes more burdened by the familiarity of its genre.

*Telltale Hearts* is a lightweight charmer which covers well-worn terrain. So much talk of unwillingness to commit in relationships, of sexual incompatibility and women's ticking biological clocks, naturally brings with it the familiarity of some of the last

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Pam Grier and Kim Sykes indulge in some girl talk in the romantic comedy *Telltale Hearts* at Crossroads Theatre in New Brunswick.



## Curtain calls

### BROADMEAD THEATER

Princeton University  
(609) 683-8000  
•Once Upon a Mattress, fall musical of the university's Triangle Club. Through Nov. 20. Admission \$10.

### BRUNDAGE PARK PLAYHOUSE

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•Blithe Spirit, Noel Coward's comedy of a novelist haunted by his late wife. Through Nov. 19. Admission \$10.

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Rutgers University  
Nichol Ave. and Snydam St.  
New Brunswick  
(908) 932-8189.  
•A Christmas Carol; Charles Ludlam's production of the Dickens classic with Rutgers student cast. 8 p.m. Thursdays Nov. 11, 18 and Saturdays Nov. 13, 20; 8 and 11 p.m. Fridays, Nov. 12, 29; 2 p.m. Sundays Nov. 14, 21. Admission \$5, \$4 students.

### CIRCLE PLAYERS

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### CROSSROADS THEATRE

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7 Livingston Ave.  
New Brunswick  
(908) 249-5560  
•Telltale Hearts, Joe Barnes' comedy of buppies (black urban professionals) looking for love. Through Dec. 19. Admission \$40-\$20.

### DREYFUSS THEATRE

Fairleigh Dickinson University  
Route 24, Madison  
(201) 593-8635  
•The Madwoman of Chailot, Jean Giraudoux' comedy adapted from the French by Maurice Valency. Nov. 18-21. Adults \$3, students \$2.

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The PeopleCare Center  
120 Findeme Ave.  
Bridgewater  
(908) 846-5032  
•Victorian Music Hall, a holiday extravaganza featuring humorous songs, turn-of-the-century costumes, and song booklets for audience sing-along. Dec. 3-19 7:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday, 2:30 p.m. Sunday Dec. 19 Admission \$7.50, seniors \$5 at matinee.

### FORUM THEATRE

314 Main St., Metuchen  
(908) 548-4670  
•Hello Muddah, Hello Fadduh, the Alan Sherman musical comedy. Previews Dec. 1-2, opens Dec. 3 through Jan. 2; Thursday-Saturday 8 p.m., Wednesday and Sunday 2:30 p.m. Tickets \$23-\$27, discounts available including New

Year's Eve package.

### FRANKLIN THEATRE ENSEMBLE

Sampson G. Smith School  
Amwell Roadm Franklin  
(908) 356-1497  
•The Odd Couple, male and female versions of Neil Simon's classic comedy. Male production 8 p.m. Nov. 19, 2 p.m. Nov. 21. Female production 8 p.m. Nov. 20, 7 p.m. Nov. 21. Tickets \$7, \$5 seniors/students.

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400 Grove Ave., Metuchen  
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Claremont Road, Bernardsville  
(908) 221-9191  
•A Christmas Carol, the Musical, Dec. 3, 4, 10, 11 at 8 p.m., Dec. 4, 12 at 3 p.m. Adults \$7, children \$3.50.

### OFF-BROADSTREET THEATRE

5 South Greenwood Ave.  
Hopewell  
(609) 466-2766  
•Cotton Patch Gospel, country musical by Harry ("Cat" in the Cradle") Chapin. Through Nov. 27. Admission \$19 Saturday, \$17.50 Friday and Sunday.

### PAPER MILL PLAYHOUSE

Brookside Dr., Millburn  
(201) 376-4343  
•Animal Crackers, stage version of the Marx Brothers film classic. Through Dec. 12. Admission \$42-\$27, discounts available.

### PLAYHOUSE 22

210 Dunhams Corner Rd.  
East Brunswick  
(908) 254-3939  
•Bedroom Farce, or love and mar-



Rob Capici, Wayne Coughlin and Barry Fielding play it for laughs in *Out of Order* at the Somerset Valley Playhouse in Neshanic.

nage askew. Through Dec. 12. Admission \$13 opening night, \$12 other times; discounts available.  
•The Final Word, a two act drama based on the Hall-Mills murder case. Staged reading 8:30 p.m. Nov. 27-28. Donation \$7.50, free to subscribers; discounts available.

### SAMPSON G. SMITH SCHOOL

Amwell Rd., Somerset  
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Kent Place School  
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### STATE THEATRE

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AND SCIENCE CENTER  
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### UNION COUNTY ARTS CENTER

1601 Irving St., Rahway  
(908) 499-8226  
•West Side Story, Stephen Sondheim's story of street life in New York c. 1960. Nov. 19-21. Ad-

mission \$17.50-\$8.  
•South Pacific, the Rodgers and Hammerstein classic. Dec. 4, \$12.50-\$17.50

### WARDLAW-HARTIDGE SCHOOL

1295 Inman Ave., Edison  
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•The Golden Fleece, farce by Lorenzo Sample Jr. (who in the 60s authored episodes of Batman on TV). 8 p.m. Nov. 18-20. Adults \$5, students \$3.

### WELPE THEATRE

Raritan Valley Community College  
Route 28, North Branch  
(908) 725-3420  
•Holiday, Philip Barry's romantic comedy, starring Performing Arts students. 8 p.m. Nov. 17-20. Admission free to junior/senior drama students with directors; general public \$6, students and seniors \$4.

### WILKINS THEATRE

Kean College  
Route 82, Union  
(908) 527-2337  
•South Pacific, all-college production of Rodgers and Hammerstein's classic musical. Through Nov. 20. Admission \$12.

## 'Telltale'

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decade's more intelligent TV situation comedies.

The production benefits immeasurably from the winning performances of an attractive cast. As Charlene, the lovely Patey provides the heart of the play as a woman intelligent enough to anticipate romantic failure with James, but daring and determined enough to pursue the relationship to its logical conclusion. Sykes, particularly in the play's first act, is an adorable neurotic whose clinging desperation moves convincingly from an amusing character quirk to a symptom of more troubled emotional turmoil.

Grier is appropriately easy as Lola, delivering her lines readings in a casual yet biting tone. Landron's Kevin is a comic marvel. The actor turns what might have been a one-dimensional cliché into a human being whose professional focus and subterfuge during the day is by necessity tempered with his obnoxious, macho alter-ego in his personal life. Though the remainder of the cast is equally expert with comic timing and delivery, their roles are to differing extents underwritten.

Director A. Dean Ivey stages Barnes's play imaginatively yet keeps a tight control over the first act movement from character to character and scene to scene, creating a graceful flow.

Barnes's wit is the play's greatest asset. "I just want to hang out together," James coolly announces to Charlene as he rejects long-term exclusivity in their relationship.

"Just hang out together?" she asks, looking for clarification. "Like Archie and Veronica?"

More serious moments, though, approach cliché, as when one of Barnes's female characters announces her sudden realization that she "[doesn't] need a man to be [herself]."

Ultimately, *Telltale Hearts* is a comfortable, surprisingly melancholy romantic comedy which successfully entertains, but offers little fresh insight. Perhaps Barnes' greatest achievement with this play lies in his slick reworking of a genre.

*Telltale Hearts*, by its conclusion, neatly establishes a place for African-American "thirtysomethings" in the Baby Boom mentality which rules so much of our collective, contemporary popular culture.

**TELLTALE HEARTS** through Dec. 19 at Crossroads Theatre, 7 Livingston Ave., New Brunswick. Tickets \$30-\$22. (908) 249-5560.

## 'West Side Story' features local cast at UCAC

Paul Salvatoriello of Cranford will star as Tony in the Union County Arts Center's production of the musical *West Side Story*, which will hit the Rahway stage 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, with a final matinee scheduled for 3 p.m. Sunday.

According to director Marsha Watson, 95 percent of the 30-member cast is from the Union County area, including Kristen Novalany of Rahway, who will play Maria in this updated, urbanized rewriting of *Romeo and Juliet* that

features a fabulous Leonard Bernstein-Stephen Sonheim score, which will be brought to life by a 14-piece orchestra led by Ruby Robertson.

Another featured local performer will be Alison Dooley of Garwood, who will play the role of Anita while also serving as choreographer of the production.

*West Side Story* places young lovers Tony and Maria in 1950s-era New York City, where rival gang memberships, rather than families, place the greatest strain on their relationship.

The drama of the story, though, is tempered by several lively songs and production numbers, making it one of America's best-loved musicals of all time. The 1961 movie version, of course, won 10 Academy Awards, including Best Picture.

**WEST SIDE STORY** Nov. 19-21, at the Union County Arts Center, 1601 Irving St., Rahway. Tickets \$17.50-\$12 (8 p.m. Friday-Saturday); \$10-\$8 (3 p.m. Sunday). (908) 499-8226.

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•British art, "Samuel Palmer and the Visionary Pastoral" and "One Hundred Years of British Watercolors and Drawings," Nov. 10-Jan. 2  
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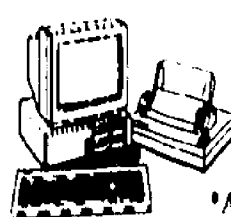
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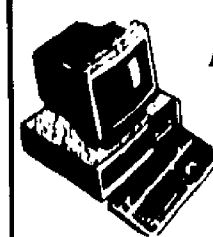
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•"The Traveler as Ethnogra-  
pher," through June 29, 1994.

### NEWARK MUSEUM

49 Washington St., Newark  
(201) 596-6550  
Wednesday through Sunday  
from noon-5 p.m. Free ad-  
mission. Largest museum in  
the Garden State. Permanent  
exhibits include Greek, African,  
and native American art; paint-  
ings and sculpture from 18th-  
century America; live animals in  
a mini-zoo. Newark Fire Mu-  
seum displays antique firefight-  
ing apparatus.  
•Paperweights by Paul Stan-  
kard, ongoing.  
•"Furnishing Choices in the  
American Home," ongoing.  
•Photographs of 1944-51 Tibet  
by Heinrich Harrer, through  
Dec. 12.  
•"Stepping Into Ancient Egypt:  
The House of the Artist Pa-  
shed," through December.  
•Ceramic National, juried exhi-  
bition, through Jan. 3, 1994.  
•Chinese bronze and jade  
"Symbols of the Ancestors,"  
through Jan. 3, 1994.  
•American drawings from the  
museum's collection, through  
January 1994.



**Mrs. Elias Boudinot IV by American painter Charles Willson Peale (1741-1827) will be the subject of a gallery talk 12:30 p.m. Friday at The Art Museum at Princeton.**

•"The Painterly Pot," ceramics  
from Europe and America,  
through January 1994.  
•"A Vision of the Future" for  
the museum's science gallery,  
through June 30, 1994.  
•"Treasures from the Korean  
Collection," through June 30,  
1994.  
•Photographs of "Vanishing  
Korea" by Rhoda Sidney,  
through June 30, 1994.  
•"Amazonian Harmony: Shipibo  
Pottery and Textiles" from Peru,  
through 1994.  
•"E. Pluribus Unum," American  
money from colonial times to  
the Civil War, through 1995.

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to dusk. Registration required  
for programs.  
•Exotic orchids, 10 a.m. Nov.  
18. Cost \$22.

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month from 1-4 p.m. Free ad-  
mission.

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New Providence Rd. and  
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(908) 789-3670  
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Registration required for pro-  
grams.  
•Create a banner, 2 p.m. Nov.  
14.

### VILLAGE AT WATERLOO

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from the 18th century. Open  
daily (except Monday) from 10  
a.m.-6 p.m. Admission \$8, dis-  
counts available.

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38 Washington Pl., Somerville  
(908) 725-1015  
George Washington's headquar-

ters when he was stationed in  
Somerville in 1778. Open  
Wednesday through Saturday  
from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday  
from noon-5 p.m. Free ad-  
mission.

### JANE VOORHEES ZIMMERLI ART MUSEUM

Rutgers University  
Hamilton St., New Brunswick  
(908) 932-7237  
Tuesday through Friday from 10  
a.m.-4:30 p.m., Saturday and  
Sunday from noon-5 p.m. Free  
admission.  
•Works from the George Riabov  
Collection of Russian Art,  
through spring 1994.

## Galleries

### ARK II GALLERY

33 Mine St., Flemington  
(908) 782-8235  
•Ruth Grabner to snip silhou-  
ettes including customized  
hobby and occupational poses,

10 a.m.-4 p.m. Nov. 20. Ap-  
pointments available but not  
necessary.

### B. BEAMESDERFER GALLERY

6 North Second Ave.  
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Monday through Friday from  
9:30 a.m.-6 p.m., Saturday  
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by appointment.  
•Oil paintings by Cynthia Ed-  
wards, through Nov. 27.

### BERNARDSVILLE LIBRARY

2 Morristown Road  
Bernardsville  
(201) 766-0118  
•Pen and ink and watercolors  
of John M. Williams of Ber-  
nardsville, through November.  
Artist reception 3-5 p.m. Nov.  
21.

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pointment.  
•Watercolors and pastels by  
Elizabeth Appgar Smith, through  
Nov. 30.

### CORYELL GALLERY

AT THE PORKYARD  
8 Coryell St., Lambertville  
(609) 397-0804  
Daily (except Tuesday) from 11  
a.m.-5 p.m.  
•Works by Marge Chavooshain,  
Valerie Von Betzen, and Anne  
Steele Marsh, Nov. 21-Jan. 9,  
1994.

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noon-3 p.m. Also open one  
hour before theater perform-  
ances and at intermission.  
•Millburn-Short Hills Arts Cen-  
ter members' show, through  
Dec. 12.

### FOUR SISTERS WINERY

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•Works by Jeff Echevarria,  
through Nov. 30.

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sity of Nevada and Moravian  
College student, including a  
work-in-progress, through Nov.  
30.

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Thursday, 10-noon Friday, and  
by appointment  
•The annual art faculty exhibit  
through Dec. 13.

### HOWARD MANN ART CENTER

45 North Main St., Lambertville  
(609) 397-2300  
Wednesday through Sunday  
from noon-5 p.m.  
•Etchings of the "Fables of  
LaFontaine" by Marc Chagall,  
through Nov. 20.

### MORTIMER GALLERY

Gill St. Bernard's School  
Mendham Rd., Gladstone  
(908) 234-2345  
Thursday and Sunday from 2-4  
p.m.

•Watercolors of the seasons by  
Linda Beazley, through Dec. 5.

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through Friday from noon-4  
p.m., Saturday and Sunday  
from 2-4 p.m. Members' Gal-  
lery open from 9:30 a.m.-4  
p.m. when classes are in ses-  
sion.  
•60th-anniversary show w/  
works by former instructors,  
Palmer Gallery, through Dec.  
31. Reception at 2 p.m. Nov.  
14. Adults \$1, senior citizens  
and children under 12 free.  
•Memorabilia from the center's  
history, Members' Gallery,  
through Dec. 31.

### N.J. DESIGNER CRAFTSMEN

65 Church St., New Brunswick  
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Monday through Saturday from  
noon-6 p.m.  
•Holiday craft show, through  
Jan. 8, 1994.

### QUIETUDE GARDEN GALLERY

24 Fern Rd., East Brunswick  
(908) 257-4340  
Open by appointment only.  
•"Fall Frolic 1993," works of  
10 sculptors, through Jan. 2,  
1994.

### RARITAN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Route 28, North Branch

(908) 218-8871  
Tuesday, Wednesday, and  
Thursday from noon-3 p.m.  
•Faculty exhibit, through Nov.  
24.

### RIDER COLLEGE ART GALLERY

Student Center  
Route 206, Lawrenceville  
(609) 896-5323  
Monday through Thursday from  
noon-2 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.; Fri-  
day through Sunday from 2-5  
p.m. Free admission.  
•Sculpture by Brooks Barrie  
and G. Frederick Morante,  
through Dec. 19.  
•"Two Views of the Figure" by  
Brooke Barrie and G. Frederick  
Morante through Dec. 19.

### SOMERSET COUNTY LIBRARY

North Bridge St., Bridgewater  
(908) 526-4016  
Open during library hours.  
•"Surroundings II," paintings by  
students of Diana Wilkoc Pat-  
ton, through Nov. 30.

### SWAIN GALLERIES

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9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m., Saturday  
from 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.  
•Reproductions of "Gray's Wa-  
tercolors" in stencil, through  
Nov. 26.

### WILLIAMS GALLERY

8 Chambers St., Princeton  
(609) 921-1142  
Tuesday through Saturday from  
11 a.m.-6 p.m.  
•Paintings of "America the  
Beautiful" by William Bock,  
through Dec. 7. WPA GALLERY

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102 Witherspoon St.  
Princeton  
(609) 924-8777  
Tuesday through Saturday from  
10 a.m.-6 p.m.  
•Works by Alice and Ted Musi-  
cant, through Dec. 8.

## Stargazing

### N.J. STATE MUSEUM

205 West State St., Trenton  
(609) 292-6333  
•"Sing a Song of Stars," 1 and  
3 p.m. Saturday and Sunday  
through Jan. 2, 1994. Ad-  
mission \$1.  
•"Death of the Dinosaurs," 2  
p.m. Saturday and Sunday  
through Jan. 2, 1994. Children  
under 4 not admitted. Ad-  
mission \$1.

### RARITAN VALLEY

### COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Route 28, North Branch  
(908) 231-8805  
Admission \$4.  
•A "Journey Into Space," 1 and  
4 p.m. Saturday through Nov.  
27; also at 1 and 4 p.m. Nov.  
14.  
•"Adventures Along the Spec-  
trum," 2:30 p.m. Saturday  
through Nov. 27; also at 2:30  
p.m. Nov. 14.

### TRAILSIDE NATURE AND SCIENCE CENTER

New Providence Rd. and  
Coles Ave., Mountainside  
(908) 789-3670  
Adults \$2.50, senior citizens  
\$2.10.  
•"All About Orion," 2 and 3:30  
p.m. Sunday through Dec. 26.  
Children under 6 not admitted.  
•Total Lunar Eclipse Nov. 28;  
preview show 10:45 p.m.,  
eclipse 11:30 p.m.-2:15  
a.m. Nov. 28. Pre-registration  
required. Admission \$3.



**Kilne's Mill, a watercolor by Linda Beazley of Bridgewater, is part of the artist's exhibition running through Dec. 5 at the Mortimer Gallery of Gill St. Bernard's School in Gladstone.**

# DINING

## Prime 'Time'

*Time Out Sports  
Cafe delights, and at  
the right price, too*

By MICKI PULSINELLI  
Culinary Correspondent

**T**he adage at the **Time Out Sports Cafe** is "everyone deserves a little Time Out."

They are absolutely right. We all work for a living, so why not treat ourselves and take "time out" to do what we want?

One of my favorite "time outs" is dining out. After working all week, I want someone else to cook, serve and clean up. I like to relax on the weekends — you know, watch a little television or a video on Saturday and be ready for the Giant game on Sunday.

But sometimes my dining out is work. When I visit a restaurant that I'm reviewing, I am also working. I spend the evening taking notes, making observations, and interviewing the owner. There are times when I pass over food because the choice wouldn't be in the best interest of research.

Please don't misunderstand me. I enjoy doing this, and hopefully I'll be doing it for many more years. But it's much easier to sit and enjoy dining out without writing notes or conducting interviews.

Which leads me to this review. My notes on the Time Out Sports Cafe were short and simple. This was a "semi" time out for me because I ate here before and I'm familiar with the place.

Since we know one of the owners, we attended their grand opening. At that time we both ordered a N.Y. small steak (\$6.95). You can do this when you're not reviewing. Anyway, the beef was absolutely delicious and not very small at all.

My next occasion was lunch with a few co-workers. We ordered hamburgers (\$4.45) and salads. My friends never ate in Manville before and they were amazed that Main Street was so wide and most of all, free of parking meters!

Time Out is located on South Main Street in what was once George's Pizzeria and Restaurant (approximately two blocks from the underpass). The latter has been closed for 10 years so the former required extensive renovations. Everything inside is new.

The bar and dining room are one. There are eight tables. Some are in front of the bar while the rest are along the south wall. The walls are a combination of burgundy paint and wainscoting paneling.

Each table has a burgundy or green table cloth with a laminated plastic covering. The chairs are those pleasant looking old fashion black lacquer ones (soda fountain chairs). The setting is informal.

The new bar has an old fashion brass foot rail. There are five televisions with a view from almost any seat in the house. The walls are covered with framed La-Roy Neiman-type sports paintings. The atmosphere is refreshingly clean, and in keeping with the sports cafe theme,



Owner Joe Gullia, Carmine Lombardi, owner Matt Colacci and waitress/bartender Nella Gullia reflect the friendly atmosphere at Time Out Sports Cafe in Manville.

AUGUSTO F. MENEZES/WEEKENDPLUS

everyone working there wears striped referee shirts and baseball caps.

The menu has 18 appetizers, soups and salads (\$2-\$5.25). You can order chicken fingers, nachos, calamari or clams, both raw and steamed. They offer hot and cold sandwiches and hamburgers (\$4-\$5.95).

Entrees include steak (four selections, \$6.95-\$13.95), ribs (\$7.95) kabobs (\$8.95), seafood (nine choices, \$6.95-\$10.95), chicken (\$7.95-\$9.95) and combination platters of seafood and steak (\$16.95). All entrees are served with a house salad, rice or vegetable.

Our appetizers included clams on the half shell for my husband (\$4.95) and calamari with a marinara sauce for me (\$4.95). The little necks were fresh, and, just as important, opened correctly and served whole. The calamari was tender and tasty.

My husband's entree was one of the nightly specials — beef bearnaise (\$14.95). The sauce was very light, and enhanced the delicious beef. The T-bone steak was cooked as ordered.

I ordered the lobster tail, crab cake scallops, shrimp and flounder combination platter (at \$16.95, the most expensive item on the menu). I really wanted steak but since my husband ordered one, I opted for something different to write about (see what I mean about not always ordering what you want?).

I wasn't disappointed. Nothing was under or overcooked. The tail was larger than what I expected, and the home made crab cake was delicious.

Before finishing, I want to spend more time talking about their steaks. As I mentioned above, we had the N.Y. small for \$6.95 and it was enough for us. They also offer a N.Y. big (\$7.95), filet mignon (\$11.95), T-bone (\$12.95) and a hungry man for \$13.95. If you like steak, try Time Out, because they are good and the prices are incredibly right!

**TIME OUT SPORTS CAFE** 52 South Main St., Manville. (908) 253-8880.

This column is meant to inform readers about dining opportunities in the area. It is not a review.

## Side orders



**Bound Brook Inn** — Bound Brook. Thanksgiving special \$15.95 for adults, half-price for ages 6-12, under 5 free. Call Marilyn for reservations. (908) 356-0052.

**The Willows** — Green Brook. Two ways to celebrate Thanksgiving: Brunch buffet 10 a.m.-2 p.m. \$10.95, under age 12 \$5.95; Thanksgiving dinner noon-10 p.m. only \$11.95. Children's menu available. (908) 966-2739.

**Observe** — Bound Brook. Thanksgiving all-you-can-eat dinner \$6.95, children \$3.95. Reservations required. (908) 356-0188.

**Somerset Hills Hotel** — Warren. Thanksgiving two buffet seatings, 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Reasonably priced, \$28.95 adults, \$12.95 under age 12.

**Somerset Shavits** — Somerset. Dinner buffet served 1-4 p.m. \$18.95, \$13.95 children, \$8.95 ages 3-12, under age 3 free. Call for reservations. (908) 860-0080, ext. 6670.

**Welsh Farms** — Offers our readers a special Eggnog Welsh recipe for the holidays: 1 qt. Welsh Farms eggnog, 2 cups cider, ½ tsp. grated lemon peel, ¼ tsp. nutmeg, ¼ tsp. cinnamon, 2 whole cloves. (Serves six.) Other recipes for holiday entertaining are available at no cost. Call Welsh Farms at (800) 452-9180.

**Oryen's Public House** — North Branch. Fun and dancing Thanksgiving Eve and Saturday, Nov. 27. Enjoy the music of the Willie Lynch Trio, a great Irish sound. (908) 722-1113.

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**Patullo's** — Bound Brook. Thanksgiving is the one holiday where people make an effort to return home. Part of that tradition is stopping at Patullo's, where one can meet alumni from the surrounding towns as well as Bound Brook. (908) 356-9688.

—Micki Pulsinelli

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**Basking Ridge Golf Club** - Basking Ridge, 908-766-8200

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**The Union Grill at Bound Brook Inn** - Bound Brook, 908-356-0052

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**Time Out Sports Cafe** - Manville, 908-253-8880

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**Under Ground** - Bound Brook, 908-627-0595

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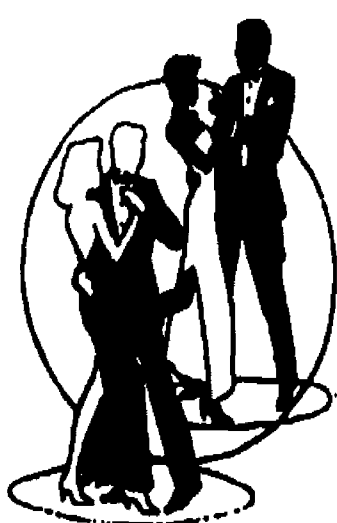


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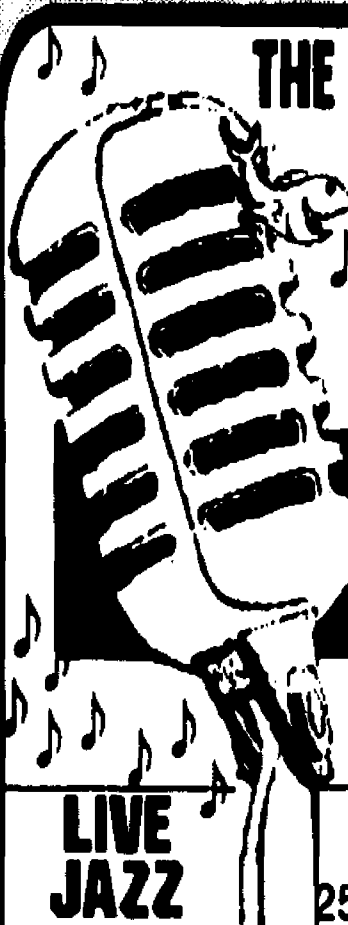
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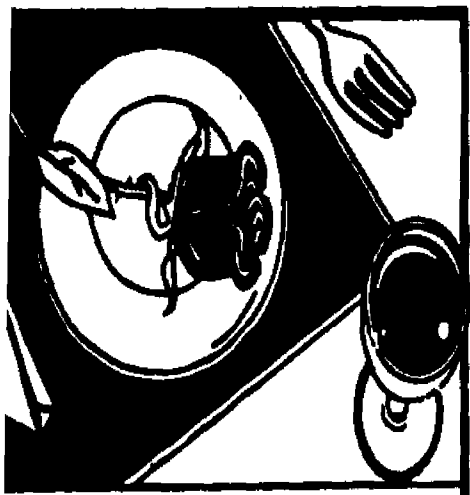
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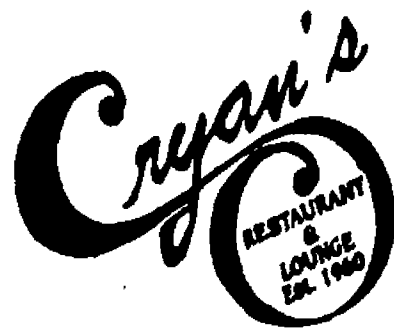
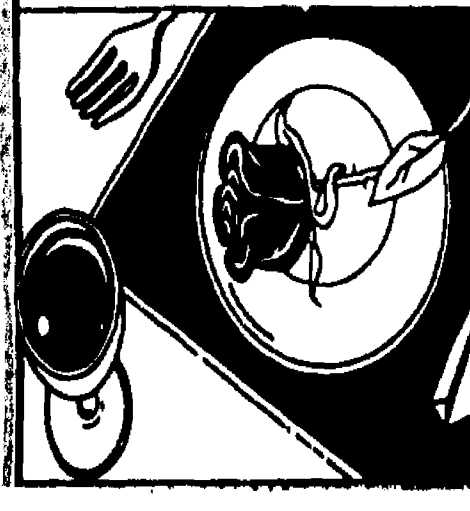
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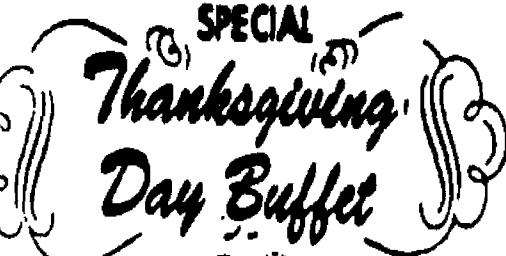
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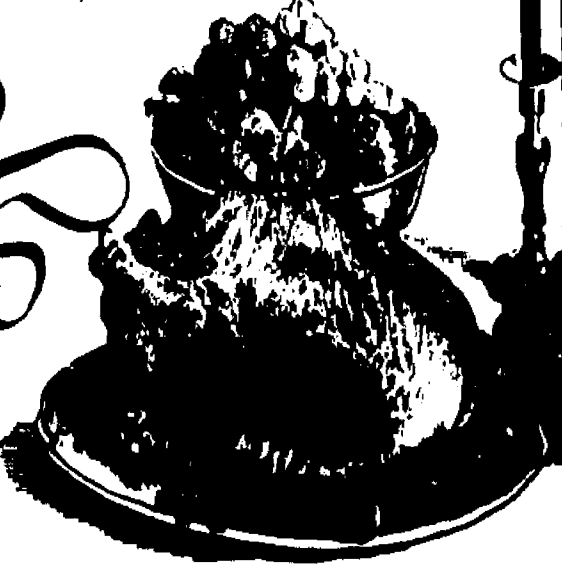
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I can see it now: your Thanksgiving feast is over, everyone over-ate and have retreated to the living room to watch the game. The house is strewn with bodies, heaving under the weight of turkey and yams, trying their best to find a position between reclining and lying flat out to make themselves comfortable.

Coffee and Pie? Maybe not. How about a digestive? Digestives are those marvelous beverages that, according to folklore (and a little first hand experience) aid in digestion after a meal, alleviate the bloated feeling and clear your head of that fuzzy, drowsy cloud.

Some are meant to be sipped after dinner, some are meant to be taken in one gulp. From Germany, you can find small, one ounce bottles, prepackaged and just called "bitters". These bottles are opened, drunk in one swallow and make you feel refreshed amazingly quickly. Because these are a neutral alcohol based drink that are infused with plants, herbs, seeds and spices, they have a strong medicinal taste that may not be to the liking of some Americans. They are for the brave, but they work!

Something a little more palatable might be Calvados Apple Brandy from France. Based on apple cider, this Brandy has a very apple-y taste and wood hints of flavor. A wonderful treat post meal. Digestives like Fernet Branca, Unicum and Campari, all from Italy, can be pleasant. In fact Campari and soda is great for a pre-dinner appetite whetter. A splash of soda can enhance the flavors, as can a twist of lime.

Cordials have always been appropriate as after dinner drinks. Sambuca, whether sipped neat or splashed in coffee, can calm a queasy stomach. Benedictine or the blended B&B was created by monks to comfort their ill. The dry, refreshing taste gives a sudden sense of "wellness". Well, it certainly tastes good after rich food.

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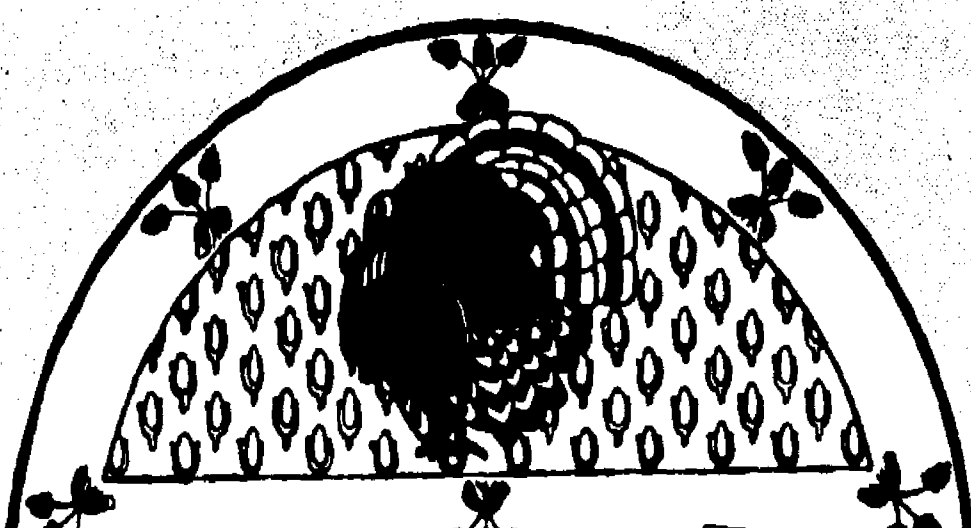
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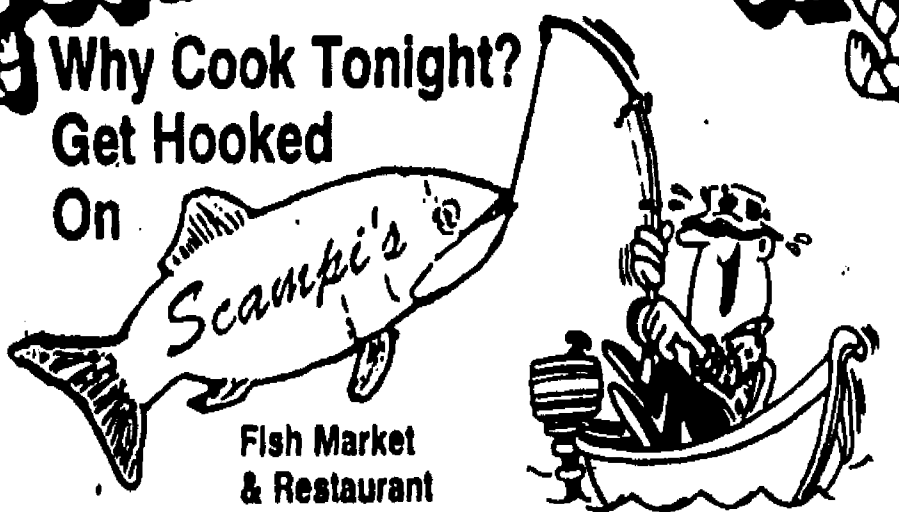
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#### ATTRACTIVE, WARM, PETITE FEMALE—

I am a very sweet, widowed, Jewish female in my sixties. I am intelligent and a lot of fun to be with. Communication is very important to me. My interests are theater, traveling, and enjoying each others company (and misery). I would like to meet a single widower male, Jewish, 60-73, who is physically and mentally healthy, sincere, and has a great sense of humor. I live in Hudson County. Please reply ext. 3618.

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**IRISH AMERICAN FEMALE—**60, 5'6", attractive, well groomed and good figure, non-smoker, who enjoys going out to dinner, dancing, travel, family & friends. (SO a SWCM, 5'11" or more up to 65 yrs of age w/ same qualities, who is interested in a one on one sincere relationship. Ext. 4615

#### ITALIAN AMERICAN WIDOW

I would love to meet Mr. Right. (Age: 60-early 70's.) If you love to socialize, go out to dinner, visit the shore, go on long walks and generally KEEP BUSY- I would LOVE to meet you! Please reply ext. 4165.

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## 1007

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#### ATTENTION: PENTE PLAYERS!

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We're looking for cribbage players interested in forming a group to promote regularly scheduled games in the Bridgewater/Somerville area. Call ext. 4227

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**WANTED FEMALE DANCE PARTNER—** for Ballroom & Latin Dance. Bronze 2 or 3 level, Tues. & Fri. eves. 5'6-5'8, 115-135 lbs. age 35-45. I am 6'3, it. Brn. hair, Blue eyes, 190 lbs. Please call Ext. 4526.

#### WOMAN'S SOCCER TEAM—

Team looking for players 25 yrs. & older to join recreational league for indoor & spring out-door. Experienced and beginners welcome. Please call ext. 4490

## 1009

### Traveling Companions

#### SINGLE WHITE MALE

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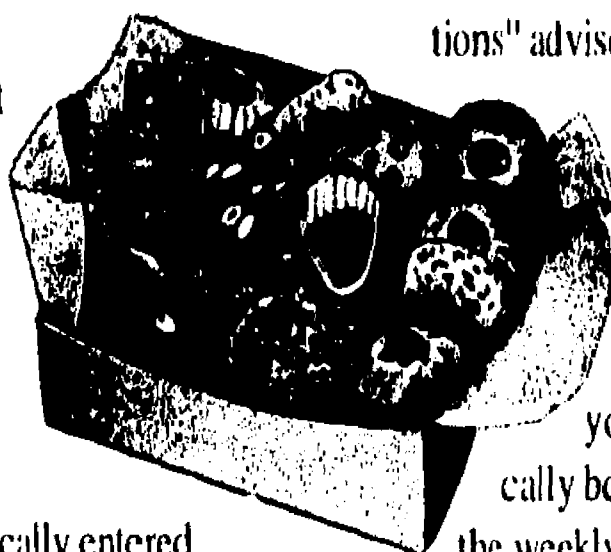
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**HI, SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

52, has worked hard, and taking an early retirement (to smell the roses). I am slim, attractive, personable, and easy going-adventurous and affectionate as well. Would like to enhance your life and mine. Want to travel but not alone. Respond to Ext. 4483.

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**27 YEAR OLD—**

Attractive fat chick. Under 300, but over 200 lbs. I have green eyes & brown hair. I'm looking for a sincere, warm-hearted, fun-loving SWM 25-35- who is not married but employed. I like to play pool, go to movies, read & fish. I like to spoil & be spoiled, Serious only respond! Please reply ext. 3602.

**7 WORDS—**

Compassionate, stubborn, loyal, intense, honest, romantic, unattached. 36 yr old SWM is trying to eliminate the seventh of these self descriptive words. I'm a writer/teacher: love the Arts, fleamkts, tennis, playing guitar, acting, Mark Twain, and the Muppets. Seeking SF, 30-40, w/ some common (and some uncommon) interests. What are your 7 words? Call or, better still, will respond w/ photo (optional) if you send note & photo to box 4616.

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**A GUY YOU'D LIKE TO MEET—**

Goodlooking, professional, college degreed, DBM, 40 with no children, 5'8, 168 lbs. I'm intelligent, articulate and have a good sense of humor. Emotionally and financially secure. I enjoy composing and playing music, movies, reading, dancing, and good conversation. I would like to meet a woman between 28 & 42 who is emotionally and financially secure, down to earth, intelligent, good looking, with a pleasant disposition and health self-esteem. Musically-inclined a plus. Race is unimportant. No smokers, heavy drinkers or drug users please. Please call ext. 4901.

**A PRETTY BLOND WITH CLASS IN STYLE**

5'7, 50, feminine, attractive, slim, fashion conscious, intelligent, positive accomplished, insightful, fun to be with, great sense of humor, loves the arts, classical music, and all the good things in life. Searching for a tall handsome successful professional for a monogamous relationship leading to marriage. Please be an incurable romantic with a zest for life. Age unimportant but state of mind is. Full head of hair is a plus. Please call ext. 4492.

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**A PRETTY, BLONDE FORMER MODEL**

who is very feminine, vivacious, attractive, great shape, intelligent, educated, confident, sincere, outgoing, spontaneous, 50, 5'6" with sensational legs and a sense of humor to match seeks tall, handsome, professional, not over 55, for love and marriage. Do you like candle-lit dinners, champagne, holding hands, hugs, quiet evenings a home, the beach, tans, romance? I adore formal attire, but favorite is well worn jeans. You are emotionally available with no hang-ups, financially secure, honest, sincere, a nonsmoker, and sincerely desire spending the rest of your life with someone you love. Please reply ext. 4704.

**ANNOUNCING MS. RIGHT! DWP**

44, 5'7", trim, Redhead. Somerset Hills area, tactric, successfull, relaxed, educated, articulate, financially & emotionally secure, at times, down right witty, looking for a tall & or big man, with matching adjectives (see above), to enjoy me, 2 lively sons, a full and comfortable life, all travel, sports & interests cheerfully entrained, please call ext.4651

**ARE YOU TIRED OF ALL THE GAMES?**

Are you ready for real relationship? Your search is over. I am a SWJPF 38, pretty & petite. I enjoy romantic candlelight dinners, quiet times at home laughing & cuddling. I am spontaneous w/varied interests. I am looking for a positive & romantic SWPM who can also be my best friend. If this is you please call me, Ext. 4519.

**ATTRACTIVE FIT FUN SWM**

Very handsome, athletic, smart, well educated, open & honest, caring, sensual, romantic, \$ stable, non-smoker, non-drinker who loves life and enjoys travel, movies & plays, dancing & dining, the beach, sunsets, tennis, photography, music, comedy clubs, trading back rubs, exercise, laughter, and affection. I'm seeking a THIN NON SMOKER SWF 24-34 who loves life and would enjoy sharing fun times, good friendship, and eventually a great relationship that includes understanding, a solid marriage., and family. Ext. 4951.

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**BEING SINGLE IS NEW TO ME...**

and I'm scared to death- with AIDS & all the crazies out there- so why am I doing this?. I guess I'm lonely and I need a friend! So I pick up the Star Ledger and turn to the personals... WHOA! There must be about 10 pages full- So how come I can't find one real person? I'm a single white male, 43, 5'9" (225lbs), average looks but very friendly, fun-loving, non-smoker, social drinker, very romantic, caring and affectionate. My friends call me "Buddy"! I am also honest and open, not like 90% of these ads- I've been reading what amounts to a bunch of BS. Size, shape, race, and age do not matter. If you are a real woman please give me a call at ext. 4167.

**ATTRACTIVE SWM, 34**

Blonde hair, blue-eyes, sexy, well built, good heart and full of laughs. Seeking very attractive female who is honest, sensitive, caring and affectionate for possible LTR. Must like hugs!! Ext. 4607.

**ATTRACTIVE WHITE MALE—**

45, wealthy and generous. In search of shapely lady for mutually beneficial, mistress-type relationship. Please reply ext. 4605.

**BACHELOR—**

36, slim, outgoing, good conversationalist, sense of humor, enjoy music, sports, dining out, looking for SWF, 25-35, for enjoyable times together with someone who has the same interests, if this sounds good to you please call ext.3626

**BEAUTIFUL PROFESSIONAL**

Divorced Jewish Gal. 5'8". Slim , 48, kind, warm, outgoing & sense of humor. Seeks interesting, professional Guy who is a nice person, for forever sharing, caring & fun. **PLEASE REPLY TO EXT. 3325.**

**BLACK MALE**

44 yrs. old. 6'1" 195 lbs. Average build with college degree. Good sense of humor, is non-pretentious, and enjoys the following activities: reading, plays, movies, concerts, dining out, dancing, cycling, hiking, amusement parks, picnics, weekend getaways, just to name a few. Desires a tall slim attractive, intelligent, honest black/Hispanic woman over 30 yrs. young. Non-smoker with old fashion values. Would like to share in some or all of the activities plus the things she enjoys doing as well. For friendship, companionship and more. Mother with small child welcome. Please respond to ext. 4481

**BODACIOUS BLONDE—**

with sweeping sensuality. One man woman, 5'5, slim, 50 w/ great legs, intelligent, attractive, former model, into the country and western scene. Seeks best friend/lover and marriage w/ a tall, handsome, fit, savvy professional to share chili, WYNY, the rodeo, and the best times of our lives. Ext 4610

**BORN AGAIN**

SWCF, 48, student, ACOA, warm, caring; love laughter, children, animals, good books/music, old movies, the outdoors, sharing thoughts, feelings & God's love. Would like to meet strong Christian gentleman (strong Christian, gentle man) with good, kind, understanding (of himself & others) heart. Ext. 4323.

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**BORN AGAIN**

SWF, 34, attractive, Prof. woman, looking for a SWC Gentleman, who is strong in his walk w/the Lord, Please write & Incld. photo,

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**CARING, FUN-LOVING,**

Affectionate, fit, financially secure, matuer SWPM, 32, seeks ISO S/DWF, I want a nice, healthy LTR w/an honest woman willing to give of herself, to share her life's adventures & misadventures, I'm 5'8, N/S, N/ drug user, college grad looking for same. If this sounds good to you please call ext.4612

**CARING, HIGHLY EDUCATED, DBM**

37, 5'11, 190 lbs. Enjoys traveling, movies, exotic places, all kinds of music and musical instruments. Very athletic, loves health and exercise. Would like to meet single or div. Asian female for friendship to learn Asian culture, and for possible relationship. Please call ext. 4611.

**COLLEGE GRAD**

25-yr. old SJM who enjoys sports, music & movies & the shore seeking SJF, 20-25, with similar interests. Please call Extension 4328.

**COMPANION, FRIEND, Lover...** Someone to put the sparkle in our eyes and the heal in our souls. If your searching for the same thing, call me. Attractive, intelligent, outgoing, romantic, sensual, DWF, blonde, hazel eyes, desires to meet a down to earth, unattached male (40-50) with similar qualities who also has a good sense of humor and the spirit of adventure. A man who isn't looking for a clone and is willing to explore our differences, as well as our mutual pleasures. **PLEASE REPLY TO EXT. 4959.**

**DEAR TALL, SMART, SINGLE AND HANDSOME,** I'm a very attractive 37 year old tall, funloving redhead - adventurous and full of life. I like a man with a great sense of humor, rugged, down to earth, and must be financially secure. Someone who likes anything from fine dining to getting lost in the woods. If you're looking for Cindy Crawford, keep looking. If you're looking for a genuinely attractive sincere woman to have a relationship with please respond to ext 3604.

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**DEBBIE, YOU CALLED EXT. 4170—**

I didn't catch your full telephone number on the message that you left. Please call back- I would love to speak with you!. Ext. 4170.

**DEBBIE—**

You answered my ad Ext. 4952, I did not get your complete phone number. Please call back.

**DISCRETE ATTACHED MALE**

Italian. Self employed business owner. Seeking female 28-40. For adventure & fun. Must be discrete and drug & disease free like me. Marital status unimportant. Please call Ext. 4956

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE—**

Mid 40's, prof., voluptuous, lit seeks non-smoking gentleman over 35 for friendship & possible long term relationship. I enjoy hiking, bike riding, camping, folk & 60's music, dogs, cats, books & travel anywhere. Please reply Ext. 4530.

**DIVORCED FEMALE**

Big blue eyes, blonde, 40-something, pretty, nice, interesting life, hardworker, successful career and a good friend. Looking for an intelligent, kind, educated man for companionship and fun and whatever develops. Love black tie, the beach, boats, hikes, exploring, adventure, museums and Brigantine. Please call Ext. 3049.

**DIVORCED WHITE CHRISTIAN MALE**

37 (looks younger), gentleman, brown hair, blue-green eyes, 5'110", 185 lbs. Average to good looking? Very hard working, honest, loyal, affectionate, kind-hearted, caring, easy going, shy, domesticated, secure, non-smoker. Interests are outdoors, fishing, recreation, beach, parks, movies, videos, cooking, dining in and out, car shows, American Performance Cars. Seeking single or divorced pretty, attractive, shapely Oriental lady, 25-35 with very long straight or wavy beautiful black hair. Shoulder length min., but prefer much longer. Medium build 5'3" +. This lady must be honest, caring, easygoing and calm natured, sharing similar interests for LTR. Pis call ext. 4559.

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE**

43, slim, attractive seeking single/divorced white male- 36-48, trim and good looking, who is physically and emotionally free to build a relationship with the right women if he were to find her.. and also have time for fun, dancing, dining and just being with someone special. Please reply ext. 4168.

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE**

43, attractive, 125 lbs, Greek-American, with old-fashioned values, in search of a Greek or Greek-American man between ages 45-57. Financially and emotionally secure with family oriented values for long term relationship/marriage. Only serious inquiries. Please reply ext. 4482

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE**

Early 50's, attractive professional, looks 10 yrs younger than she is. Blonde, blue-eyed, slim. Likes sports such as swimming, baseball, etc. Loves classical music and other types as well. Loves to read, college-educated. Looking for SWM, age 40-60. Physically fit gentlemen, not to overweight, who enjoys dining out, sports, the beach, and much more! Please reply ext. 4601.

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE—**

52, 5'2" attractive, fun to be with, interested in sports, the arts, NYC. In search of D/SWM, non-smoker 40-50's for friendship and possible long term relationship. Please call Ext. 4527.

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE—**

Small, professional, 40ish (looks and feels younger!), likes flea markets, movies, swimming, reading, kids and dogs. Would like real friendship and fun with honest, considerate, affectionate, monogamous, **SINGLE BLACK MALE** (with sense of humor). No drugs, drinkers or smokers. Please call Ext. 4583.

**DIVORCED WHITE FEMALE—**

40, 5'5, blonde hair, brn. eyes, pleasant to the eye, physically & mentally. I am honest, secure, independent, witty & outgoing w/a great smile & sense of humor. Seeking handsome 5'10 to 6'2, fit, financially secure, S/DWM 40-46 who is confident, sensitive, romantic, honest & able to build a lasting relationship. Alcoholics, drug users, gambler & head gamers need not apply. Please reply Ext. 4628. **THIS ADVERTISER HAS ALSO CHOSEN TO RECEIVE MAIL. PLEASE SEND LETTER TO: INTRODUCTIONS, BOX 4628, 4FORBES NEWSPAPERS, P.O. BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

57, 5'11 successful, financially secure, good looking seeks naturally attractive woman. 41 to 59 up to 6' for long term relationship. Athletic, business interest, politician, physician, stewardess. Socialite a plus. Ext. 4469.

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**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

47, tired of the lies & seeking JUST ONE-OF-A-Kind. She should be a lady w/a body she is proud of, but dresses appropriately. 27-51 she should like admiration, attention, quality passion, consideration, have a good sense of humor, be able to boil water & play a decent game of Scrabble. Smokers OK. I'm a non-smoker, extremely light social drinker, hard worker, intelligent, powerful, handy, nice looking gentleman w/full head of dark hair. Call to discuss mutual common interests, Ext. 4169.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

30, 6'1", and professional. Seeking white female- 20's or 30's, non/smoker, for friendship, fun and romance. I enjoy the shore, day-trips, romantic times home or out, and I'm willing to try new things. I want to cuddle & make you feel good. Sincere & Honest, please reply ext. 3606.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

60, professional, very active, fit, & financially stable. An average man- no drinking or drugs, but I smoke. looking for SWF, slim, 28-43, needing a nice emotional start in life who likes to be spoiled and knows how to spoil in return. Must be level headed, like sports, cars, dining out, quiet eves. Sense of humor a must! Ext. 4014.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

43, professional, 6', 180 lbs., Catholic, Seeking SWF, 32-37 (firm), 5'2-5'6, medium build, for serious relationship & whatever develops. Sense of humor a +, but must be attractive, outgoing & good conversationalist (w/no children pref.) to enjoy movies, dining out & the occasional rainy day. Please no fanatics or people with little time on their hands. Please reply Ext. 4333.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

Very good looking, Brn. hair, Blue eyes, 40; 5'8, interesting, sometimes funny, prof., interested in literature, film, beach, quiet eves. at home, revolution, seeks WS w/similar qualities: very good looking, interesting, humorous, independently wealthy. Will take 2 out of 3. Aged 18-88 (prefer 30-45). Height unimportant. To share good times, maybe learn tennis or golf. Please call Ext. 4507.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

Rugged, down to earth, entrepreneur, tall, very fit, runs, walks, hikes, skis, plays tennis, gardens, loves kids, fast cars, honest one on one relationship, country dancing, travel, out of doors, Channel 13, cooking, dining out, candle light romance, Italian anything, antiques, Victorian houses. If you are a non-smoking petite sexy woman, 35-45, who can write letters and you relate to more than half of the above, then please write to me for prompt reply. Ext. 4168. **THIS ADVERTISER HAS ALSO CHOSEN TO RECEIVE MAIL. PLEASE SEND LETTER AND PHOTO TO: INTRODUCTIONS BOX 4168, FORBES NEWSPAPERS, PO BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

Early 40's, self-employed, seeking a female in her 30's for a possible long-term relationship. Please call ext. 4567.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

Daddy, 27, long blond hair, good looking, with 2 small children, (1 boy, 1 girl,) that live with me. In search of single or divorced white female, 21-30, slim & attractive- for fun times & dating. Please reply ext. 3610.

**DIVORCED WHITE MALE**

39, 5'7, 145 lbs. seeks meaningful relationship w/S-DWF late 20's-40, under 5'6 & slim. Easy going, considerate & sincere. Please call Ext. 4517.

**DW BORN AGAIN CF—**

39, attractive, 5'7", blond hair, green eyes, affectionate, loving, caring, good listener, lots of fun, walks on the beach any time of the year, has a strong walk with the lord. ISO, single Born-again WM, no older than 50, at least 5'10", nice looking, w/a strong relationship w/God. Must be attentive, romantic, affectionate w/a good sense of humor, good listener/talker, considerate, old fashioned. Children ok. I'm interested in a LTR, maybe marriage. Serious inquires only. Please call ext.4585

*It is the policy of this newspaper not to publish any personal advertisement that may be overtly sexual, suggestive and/or offensive to the general public. This service is intended solely for personal ads for singles who would like to establish a relationship with other singles.*

**DWF—**

38, vivacious, voluptuous and full of spunk. Energetic, mom who loves fast boats, hot cars and powder on the ski trails. Looking for fun loving, rugged man to share life's experiences with. Please call ext. 4499

**DWF—**

Beautiful green-eyed blond, 5'14", 118 lbs., great body physically & visually. Warm, intelligent, very affectionate, extremely active, n/s, no drugs, no head games. Loves sports, music, dancing. 50 yrs. young, children grown, looking for counterpart who is romantic & has a clue to what makes a woman tick. Ext. 4569.

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**DWM 50 Yrs., 5'8", 165lb.,** Brown hair, brown eyes, excellent physique, professional, enjoys working out, old rock & roll music, weekend get aways, and quiet evenings at home. Seeking Oriental female 40-45 with similar likes, non-smoker/non-drinker, for friendship and possible relationship. Please reply to ext. 4958 **THIS ADVERTISER HAS ALSO CHOSEN TO RECEIVE MAIL. PLEASE SEND LETTER AND PHOTO TO: INTRODUCTIONS, BOX 4958, FORBES NEWSPAPERS, PO BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876**

**DWM—**

46, 5'8", 175 lbs. N/S, well educated, British poetry/comp. relig., lacto-veg. Edison area. Enjoys classical music, Theatre, museums, day-trips, fitness (Nordic Track, Yoga, bicycling,) dancing (learning Ballroom dancing.) ISO kind, friendly, intelligent, cuddly woman, WPH- for close caring, monogamous LTR. Seem to match up well w/liberal, reformed Jewish, untitarian women. Please call ext.4653.

**DWPM—**

39. Enjoys cooking, flea markets, folk art, traveling, nature & good conversation. Seeking DSWPF, age 33-42 (kids O.K.) with similar interests & a positive attitude towards life. Please call ext. 4571.

**EX-SCHOOL TEACHER DWM—**

Somewhat reserved, easy going. 58, 5'8", 150 lbs, who enjoys walking, reading, sports, and travel. Seeks a slim, caring, attractive, understanding woman, 40-50 to share time together. Ext. 4617.

**FIRECRACKER**

in search of her match. 41, SJF seeks adventurous, classy gentleman with quick sense of humor who is confident enough in himself (not arrogant) to not be intimidated by a confident, independent, active lady. I enjoy travel, dancing, jazz, tennis and skiing. If you're a S/DJM, 35-45, non-smoker seeking a fraditional, healthy, long-term relationship - please reply ext. 4491.

**FIT & HEALTHY WHITE MALE**

46, seeks female counterpart for discrete fun & friendship. Please call ext. 4558.

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**FRIENDLY WHITE MALE—**

55, 6'1, 155 lbs., in great shape, seeks female, any status, for discrete daytime/evening get-togethers. Please call ext. 4586.

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**AAA-ASSERTIVE, ATTRACTIVE, ADVENTUROUS**  
37 yr old, educated & successful DWM, 5'9", 170 lbs., sandy hair, seeks younger, slim, attractive, demure female for LTR & family, with take charge kind of man. Please call ext.4297.

**ALONE & BORED IN ISBELIN—**  
DJPM seeks 45+ female who is slim, attractive and fun to be with. Must have sense of humor. I am 5'10", 145 lbs., with brown hair and blue eyes. Let's talk. Pls call ext. 4582.

**FUN LOVING, VIVACIOUS ATTRACTIVE—** DWF, 38, 5'17", dark brown, wavy hair seeking adventurous, intelligent, D/SWM, 30-45, to share long walks in the country or along the beach, quiet fireside evenings and exploring new horizons, leading to LTR and family. Pls call ext. 4684. **SEND ALL LETTERS TO FORBES NEWSPAPERS, P.O. BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

**GAY SINGLE WHITE FEMALE—**  
Professional, 42, adventurous, cute, in love with life and still growing. Stable, secure and know myself. In search of gay female with like qualities. Non-smoker, no drugs, disease free for friendship or possibly more. Please call ext. 4486

**GWM—**  
Essex county resident seeking that very special BM who like me is warm, honest & sincere w/a great sense of humor. I enjoy bowling, bike riding, movies, those dancing nights to classic disco, as well as the quiet times; I'm 43, 5'6", 145 lbs, healthy, pref. a N/S, in my own age range, who is masculine w/ slim or medium build, Lets get together, laugh & have a great time. please call ext.4853

**HANDSOME DIVORCED JEWISH MALE**  
42, professional, positive, good shape, romantic, caring, many interests ISO S/DWF, up to 42, petite attractive, romantic, smart. Friendship-Romance relationship call ext. 4390

**HANDSOME JEWISH SINGLE WHITE MALE**  
Young looking 36. Medium build, brown hair, 5'7". Is successful, spontaneous and sincere. Interests include: traveling, concerts, outdoor sports, physical fitness and more. I enjoy an active adventurous lifestyle. I am seeking an attractive petite Jewish single white female 25-33 with similar interests for possible relationship. Ext. 4957.

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**HANDSOME SINGLE WHITE MALE**  
35, 5', 6", brown hair, blue eyes, physically fit, great smile & personality, looking for cute SWF who is fun & open-minded for exciting relationship. Please call Extension 4310.

**HI, SWM—**  
Compassionate, romantic, sincere, loyal, gentle, loving, touching (both physical and emotional), attentive, humorous and thoughtful. Those are the things I hold dearest. I can best describe myself as the road less traveled or off the beaten path. I enjoy seeing someone happy, boardwalk in the spring, fall, and winter, amusement parks, long drives to who cares where, fall when the leaves turn, sunsets, and sunrises. All these things I'd love to share. Looking for someone who can be crazy spontaneous as I can to. Me, I'm 46, 5'9, 225 lbs, fairly solid. People say I'm nice looking, my parents say I'm great. You, anywhere from 25-45, attractive, slim to a little over medium build, and crazy or want to aspire to it. Let's talk. Call ext. 4813.

**HOT OUTGOING SWF—** 25 yrs., 5'14", 115 lbs. looking for SWM, smoker is O.K., no drunks, falseos, dead beats allowed. You must be interested in dancing, skiing, animals, being sensuous. Jealous people playing games need not apply. Please call Ext. 4576.

**I AM AN HONEST, TRUSTWORTHY, KIND, CARING, GENEROUS PERSON**  
I am creative, love all kinds of music, song, dance, hike, nature, gourmet cook. Seeking similar values in a divorced or widowed man 44-55 years old. Ext. 4172.

**I BELIEVE.** Romance & caring for another is still possible in this fast paced world. I am an attractive physically fit white male 5'9", 160lb, with a good heart, sense of humor & traditional values. I am easy to get along with, have the ability to listen, feel the need to love and be loved, and regard honest communication and commitment important ingredients in a relationship. I am interested in meeting a warm sensitive female 37 or younger with no children who values a lasting relationship with the right man. If you seem to be the type of woman I've described lets get together and talk. Please call Ext. 4469.

**I WANT A MAN IN MY LIFE—**  
This 4-year DWF, 49, Irish/German, non-smoker/light social drinker (seeking same), misses a special man in my life. I am pretty, Irish, 5'5" medium build, auburn hair, blue eyed, financially secure, college educ. legal secretary, classical music lover, who will make time daily for us. My likes are many—give me an enjoyable man with whom to do them. We will laugh, enjoy life, travel, you will be needed. You're unmarried, 5'9" to 6'1", are late 40's to 50's, coll. educ., seeking a 1 on 1 relationship, active. Bonuses: German, bearded, Gemini, work in law or business. Turn-offs: sexual gorillas, egocentric men. Please reply ext. 4477.

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**IF YOU READ THIS AD—**  
and think it sounds interesting - we might have a lot in common - keep reading - still sounds good - leave a message and tell me about yourself. Attractive female 5' 6" 135 lbs., early 40's. Fair hair, blue eyes. Professional, homeowner, no children. ISO friend for social things and quiet times who is creative, with good morals and sense of humor. + + + 's - educated, over 5' 10" athletic, blue eyes, 40-45ish, young children. Please respond to ext. 4485

**I WAS ONCE ACCURATELY DESCRIBED AS A STATE OF BEING YERB**

My favorite hobby is thinking. I am a thirty year old SWF with a quick mind and a sharp tongue. I love Charlotte Bronte and the NY Giants with equal passion. If you are a SWM 30-45 and can hold your own in an argument you may be my PETRUCCIO. (Action verbs need not apply) P.S. I am also small and cute. Ext. 4609.

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**IN SEARCH OF REAL MAN**

Not wanting a "Barbie", NO head-games, attractive and intelligent, non-smoker. I am young, crazy, in wheelchair, independent, actress, writer, photographer. Likes: music, parties, quiet nights, carnations. Be young or feel young. NO JERKS! I'm not a frail thing needing assistance. Don't need a man, but want one. Ext. 3607.

**INTERNATIONAL SJM—**

32, good looking, romantic, strong traditional family values, non-smoker. Not being your typical Jewish guy makes it difficult to meet a Jewish girl. Maybe you could help? If you are a non-materialistic SJF, 21-32 who seeks the intangibles of a quality relationship please respond to ext. 4573.

**JAMAICAN MALE**

42 yr. old, Physically fit, 5'5, 156 lbs. Looking for a female between the ages of 32-38. Seeking non-smoker and non-drinker, and a professional who is physically fit. If you enjoy a good time call ext. 4182.

**LADY SINGS THE BLUES—**

Because she knows Mr. Right is out there somewhere but she doesn't know where to find him. This attractive & talented 36 yr. old DWCF seeks an attractive gentleman (S/W) between the ages of 38-42 who is secure, intelligent, loving & sincere with good old-fashioned values. If you like to have fun & are interested in meeting an artist who enjoys dancing, museums, laughing, theater, & music then why not give this Shiksa from Westfield a call-who knows it could turn out to be a mitzvah! Please respond to ext. 4570.

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**\*\*P.S. Ext. 4688 you sound interesting, please write!**

**LIFE IS NOT A REHEARSAL—**

DWM tall slim good looking. Taurus. A photographer who looks for the good in others and beauty in our world. I'm easy going, healthy and have no dependents. You are a DWF at least 5'5! tall, 35-42 who is appealing to the eye and stimulating to the mind. We are both seeking a physical, intellectual & emotional match for a lasting relationship. No drugs or alcohol, smoker OK. Ext. 4493

**LOOKING FOR THAT SPECIAL WOMAN**

If you love to laugh, enjoy going out & love hugs, look no further. I'm a 43 yr old SWM who is looking for SWF up to 40 to share great times with. I love to dance or just cuddle. Looking for a woman who wants to be serenaded by my guitar. I'm 5'8, 160 lbs. with hazel/green eyes & I work out regularly & love to travel. Reply ext. 4409

**LOOKING FOR TRUE LOVE**

Single white male, 27, brown hair, blue eyes, sense of humor, caring, affectionate, honest, wheel chair bound. Are you still reading? "Amazing!" Seeking single white female, honest, caring, sensitive, affectionate, romantic, who likes being treated special with lots of TLC. Please call Ext.# 4960.

**LOOKING FOR UNTAMED HEART**

SWM, 27, law student, intelligent, attractive, thin looking for SF, 20-35, intelligent, independent, attractive, please call ext.3603

**MAGIC MAN**

This 52 year old- attractive, separated but available, JWM is a self-employed professional in search of a petite, sexy lady who is MUCH younger than I am for a long term relationship. I am a non-smoker, very light social drinker, with multiple interests ranging from modern novels to fast cars to Vegas. I raised two girls who are married and have their own lives. I miss having youngsters (not adult children) around the house, so if you have kids, that's a plus. Hopefully, you are a woman who can make decisions, understands the pressures of business, is impulsive, tender, has a good sense of humor, can even laugh at herself, and is willing to do something at the drop of a hat. And hopefully, you are a woman who needs both to give and receive lots of affection. If you can be introspective and thoughtful, if you like to rough-house one minute and cuddle the next, if you aren't afraid of meaningful emotion or commitment, and if you are willing to try to work out your hangups (we all have them), give me a call. Please respond to ext. 4471

**MARRIAGE MINDED?**

Want a child? I want a wife: Let's make a deal...Hardworking SWM, 28, very fit, 6' +. Very intelligent, suave looking, Prof. needs mousy Country Girl, Corporate Lady, or in-between, 19-29 or so, to share walks, movies, dinner, cuddling, beach, love (a business together?) Sacrificing for Bountiful life. Ext. 3926.

**MILLIONAIRE WITH YACHT & MERCEDES**

Not still reading? SWM-30 (looks 24-25), 5'10, med. build (not thin-but not fat either!) Shoulder length Brn. hair, green eyes, enjoys life's simple pleasures. Blue Jeans, Rock & Roll, Comedy clubs, camping, Shore. Down to earth w/great sense of humor. Fun loving, Adventurous & a hopeless Romantic seeks same in an attractive WF 21-35 w/same interests for Fun, Romance, Adventure & possible long term relationship. I am a smoker. Please call Ext. 4515.

**NOTHING COMES CLOSE—** SWM, 36 not to be compared to any other. Nothing tabu, sacred or boring except opera, ballet or the arts. No requirements other than a response to this ad and we'll take it from there. Please respond to ext. 4094.

**MR. MOM**

DWM 39 tall, dark & ...skinny, great sense of humor, loves music (esp. classic rock), movies, football & long walks. Would like to meet an intelligent committed minded woman for friendship & more. P.S. Since my sister put me up to this- a handsome single younger brother wouldn't hurt. Please call Ext. 4516.

**NEWLY DIVORCED WF—**

Very attractive 40ish, brown hair & eyes. Caring, sincere, fun loving, loves, hugs & kisses, quiet evenings, dancing, all music especially country. Seeking attractive S/DWM, 35-45 with same interests for a possible long term relationship. Please respond to ext. 4500.

**NICE GUY**

I enjoy the simple things in life; ice cream cones, movies, good conversation, good books, great dinners, dancing and good laughs. I'm a WSM, responsible, non-drinker, financially secure, with a wicked sense of humor. I would like to meet someone who is comfortable with herself, "pretty-plain-jane", 35-45 years old, 5'7" & under, no little kids, medium to slender build, moderate drinker, non/light-smoker, easy-going, intelligent, compassionate, strong- (but not domineering) and feminine. Not looking for a one night stand but a serious contender. Please reply ext. 4170.

**NIFTY FIFTY**

nice & fine looking lady. Fit & Fun WWJF seeking soul mate for fun & whatever. If you're physically (and hopefully financially)Fit & looking for fun, age is no problem. Nice looking would be fine. Personality a plus, good sense of humor a must. Please call Ext. 4511.

**PRETTY DJF**

5'5" slender intelligent, nurturing & aesthetic. Seeking attractive, cultured, financially secure male, 55-65 for caring, long lasting relationship. Ext. 4955. **THIS ADVERTISER HAS ALSO CHOSEN TO RECEIVE MAIL. PLEASE SEND LETTER AND PHOTO TO: INTRODUCTIONS BOX 4955, FORBES NEWSPAPERS, PO BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

**PRETTY, IVY EDUCATED SWJPF**

38, at Fortune 100 company in search of romance and long term relationship with special SWPM. Please be tall, handsome and under 48. Please call Ext. 4521.

**READ MY PERSONAL**

DWF, non-smoker, 5' 5", green eyes, 40ish professional, looking for tall, professional businessman. He should be financially secure, likes life, good times and is down to earth with a sense of good humor and sense of reality. Must answer this trivia: How many dimples in a golfball? Please leave answer, brief message and name and phone number and I will call you back. Ext. 4337.

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**SOWF—**

34, blue eyes, brunette, single mom, financially secure. I enjoy camping, dining out, movies, plays & museums. I'm looking for a down-to-earth SWM, 34-40 yrs. old- who enjoys the same things as myself. If this sounds good to you, then call ext. 3619.

**SEARCHING IN NEW JERSEY—**

Do you like teddy bears, bubble baths, candlelight, romance, and the glow of a full moon on a clear evening night? Do you like the feel of warm sand between your toes, the sound of crashing ocean waves? Do you relish the smell and warmth of an engulfed fireplace, flames crackling and sputtering? If so, a handsome 25 yr. old Italian male with brown hair and deep brown eyes would like to meet you! I'm 5'10" and 140 lbs., slim, clean cut with a moustache. I enjoy travel, contemporary top 40 music, children, racket sports, animals and the list goes on and on. I seek a young woman who not only enjoys the above, but who is also attractive with weight proportionate to height, a non-smoker, emotionally stable, caring, and commitment oriented. An ideal young lady would understand the importance of family, friendship, communication, and she would know it takes two people working together to make a relationship work. Ext. 4577.

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**SINGLE BLACK CHRISTIAN FEMALE**

32 yr. old, I have been single over 4 yrs & comfortable. But not enough to want to stay, looking for someone who has no children, but wants some in the future. I have none now, looking for someone to help me find myself, love me & not leave me. I am no Beauty but not gross either. I want very much to love & be loved. To grow & prosper together decently, I prefer someone who is outgoing because I am reserved. Going places I love. Please call ext.4295

**SINGLE BLACK FEMALE**

Looking for white professional male for relationship. Ages 30-35. Please respond to box 4961

**SINGLE BLACK MALE**

30, 6'4", 210 lbs., athletic, attractive, out-going, seeks SBF/SWF for casual dating, must be sincere. Please reply ext. 3615.

**SINGLE MALE, 37**

Tall, athletic. Looking for open minded, sensual female. Age & race is unimportant. Call me, and let's start enjoying each others company! Please reply ext. 4380.

**SWM—**

41, brown-haired, blue-eyed professional, 6' 12" tall & played football in college. I have a very dry sense of humor, I have my Doctorate and am successful. I enjoy the beach in the summer. Looking for a female in the 28-34 yr. range for a permanent relationship. Pls call ext. 4566.

**SINGLE PRETTY WOMAN—** seeks her counter-part, should be tall, handsome and very smart, she loves to dance laugh and dine, desires male 40+ who is simply divine, SPF, 40's looks 30's not shy, ISO N/S male 40+ for sparks to fly. Please reply ext. 4290.

**SEEKING SINGLE WHITE MALE**

Extremely handsome, successful, creative, spiritual, sexy, hip, cosmopolitan, open minded, honest, communicative, thick full dark hair. Nourishing, single, interested in serious relationship, responsible, early 30's, no drugs, alcohol or smoking, for SWF, beautiful ash blonde, 29, creative, spiritual, loving, honest, sincere, intuitive, sexy, 5'7, 130 lbs. and much, much more. Ext. 4474

**SINGLE ATTRACTIVE 37 YEAR YOUNG WOMAN SEEKING MR. RIGHT**

He should be a SW/DWM, educated, financially/emotionally secure, affectionate, respectful, and interested in a friendship and possible long-term monogamous relationship. I'm 5'2, petite, and have brown naturally curly hair, and hazel green eyes. I enjoy pleasure traveling, a great listener and conversationalist, dancing, spectator sports, cultural events and much more. I'm the proud mother of two beautiful cats (a/k/a "my kids"). I'm very ambitious, compassionate, and adventurous. Desiring a soulmate-not just a "playmate." If we share similar interests and this "no nonsense" fun-loving woman has peaked your curiosity—then call or send me a note (picture optional). I truly believe LIFE IS MEANT TO BE LIVED!! Exploring LIFE'S CHALLENGES is the KEY TO A HAPPY FULFILLING EXISTENCE!! Please reply ext. 4475.

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**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

22, 5'8". Enjoy dancing, movies, cuddling a plush I enjoys walks, love the beach, camping and I adore hiking. I have a bubbly sense of humor & you should the same. Must enjoy children. I am looking for a SWM, Mid-twenties, who has a great sense of humor, MUST be able to be open & communicat! Financially & emotionally stable a must. Not looking for a Play-girl centerfold, just a sincere guy, who is looking for a real relationship. Please reply ext. 3614

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE 34**

warm, bright, slim & attractive, enjoys dining out, good music, & new adventures, is looking for a 30-40 yr old, S/DWM, who is fit, down to earth, & looking for someone special. Please call ext.3622

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

49, 5'4" 120 lbs, hazel eyes, blonde & attractive. Would like to meet that special tall romantic caring & sincere gentleman to share the simple and finer things in life such as flowers and candle light dinners. A Best friend and possibly a lasting relationship. Please respond to ext. 4484

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

very attractive, 30, 110 lbs., 5'5 w/i child, non-smoker, non-drug user, sincere, honest, organized & neat, secure about myself, wishing to meet SWM, must be very attractive, 28-36, 5'9"-6'1", in shape, 34 inch waist or small, 0-2 kids ok, non-smoker/drug user, honest, polite, not a slob or lazy, must be secure about yourself yet not self centered, for a meaningful relationship & possible marriage, if you fit all of the above, then please call ext.4294

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

Attractive, 49, blonde, blue-eyed, looking for outgoing white male, 48-58, at least 5'10, who enjoys life's celebrations, dining out, entertaining at home, dancing & good conversation. Only men with a sense of humor & sincere attitude need apply. Please call Extension 4338.

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

37, down to earth, wavy, light brown, shoulder length hair and brown eyes. 5' 8", larger frame but not obese, a smoker, attractive, likes cooking, staying home for a quiet evening w/a movie or going out. Works diff. hours but kind of a night owl. Looking for a sincere, honest, S/DWM, kids ok, 35-50 who knows how to treat a lady, 5' 10" and over, average or slightly larger frame, who wants a one on one relationship. No head games please. Only serious minded callers need call-ext 3806.

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

32, 5'11", attractive prof., independent & very affectionate, brown-eyed brunette. Enjoys the beach, romantic dinners, walks in the park & the N.Y. Glanis. ISO S/DWM, 30-39, who is tired of the dating scene. Let's meet & enjoy each other's company. Ext. 4703. **THIS ADVERTISER HAS ALSO CHOSEN TO RECEIVE MAIL. PLEASE SEND LETTER AND PHOTO TO: INTRODUCTIONS BOX 4703, FORBES NEWSPAPERS, PO BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**

Professional, mid-40's, living life to fullest but tired of doing it alone. Interests include golf, skiing & biking as well as quiet times. Value honesty, laughter, & open communication. Would like to meet S/DWM, non-smoker with similar interests. Pls call ext. 4585.

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE—**

25 yrs. old, 5', Brn. curly hair, Brn. eyes, 110 lbs. Affectionate, honest & outgoing w/good sense of humor. I enjoy anything from Comedy Clubs to picnics on the beach & skiing or just staying home & renting movies. Looking for SWM, mid 20's-early 30's w/a good heart, old fashion morals & good sense of humor. If seeking possible relationship please call Ext. 4525.

**SINGLE WHITE MALE**

Handsome, athletic, successful, well-educated, stable, sincere. Enjoys sports, outdoors, tennis, golf, movies, the arts & travel. Seeks beautiful affectionate, intelligent, athletic, non-smoking female (28-38) who enjoys life, companionship, romance & sharing all of the above. If you're between 5'2 & 5'7, exceptionally attractive, physically fit & desire a serious relationship with a great all around guy who promises to make you happy, Please call ext. 4402

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# Introductions

Central New Jersey's Best Choice For Meeting Someone Close To Home.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

26, 5'8", 185 lbs., brown hair & blue eyes, educated seeks SWF, 20-28, with the following in common: healthy, attractive, athletic, enjoys outdoors, and is conservative with old-fashioned values, to build friendship & possible relationship, please call ext. 3801.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

26, 6'1", 180lbs, curly hair (natural), physically fit. Varied interests include: Sinatra, Stern, NYC, outdoors, and racquetball. Seeking female for all occasions. Age & race unimportant. Please reply ext. 4174.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

26, 6' tall, green eyes, dirty blond hair, some say good looking, catholic, professional, educated, romantic, and down to earth. I love to have a good time but I also take life seriously. Seeking SWF, 22-28, slim, attractive for friendship or possible relationship with the right person. Please reply Ext. 4702.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

27 yrs. old. Very good looking, hopeless romantic, seeking single female, between 24-42. 5'8", dark hair w/ light eyes and in great shape with many interests. The ideal lady is smart, pretty and in good shape, bet 5' and 5'8", non-smoker and non-drug user, race is unimportant. Must be clean and headstrong need not apply. Please reply ext. 4804.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

31, 6'2, 180 lbs. Likes sports, movies & outdoors. I am sincere & honest & have a good sense of humor. I work crazy hours 3-11pm. Looking for WF 25-40 with similar hours & interests, who believes in meaningful relationships. If you're out there-let's talk! Please call Ext. 3036

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

31, down to earth, handsome, athletic. Intellectual, shy, romantic, sometimes talkative, other times quiet. Like outdoor activities & exercise but also like to relax in peace & quiet. Liberal, honest & loyal. Like tennis, skiing, bicycling, fitness, nutrition, museums, parks, theater, history, politics, etc. Looking for a woman to share life with. Please call Ext. 4335.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

35, 178 lbs, muscular build, brown hair, green eyes. Sick of the bar scene, tired of games, I'm honest, romantic, handsome with good sense of humor, like to work out and have many different interests. Looking for SWF, 26-35, very attractive, shapely who is also into fitness, honest & sincere, looking for a long term relationship. Call Ext. 4467.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

35, tall, handsome, athlete, in excellent shape, enjoys music, swimming, picnics, & dining out, financially secure, and very steady, seeks attractive, physically fit female, 25-35 yr. old, with similar interest & likes to have fun, please call ext.3609

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

36, 5' 11, 185 lbs, athletic, good looking, family oriented seeks a slim pretty lady, 24-35. I love to spoil and pamper that special lady. I'm interested in a long term relationship. Please respond to ext. 4476

**SINGLE WHITE FEMALE**— 38, BW, brn. hair/eyes, I enjoy very eclectic range of Likes, Book stores to stock cars, PBS to Nick at Nite, my wit has been described as sharp, dry sometimes acerbic. I also enjoy the Giants & most spectator sports, seeking a S/DWM, 35-7, 5'7 & up. Prefer a non-smoker, non-drinker w/no children. Intelligent w/a good sense of humor, wide range of interests. Please call Ext. 4531.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

Looking for young female who is pretty, kind and attractive. I want to have a nice, meaningful and friendly relationship with a girl that wants to be happy in one relationship. I keep busy physically by taking karate & working out a little with weights, just enough to look and feel good. I am 5'7 and have long curly brown hair and a cute face. Perfect chance to meet your someone special. In my personality, the most important thing is the companion I have. Please call Ext. 3336.

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Tall, handsome, Attorney emotionally and financially secure seeks tall, very attractive, WF, 28-45, for the best things in life expensive and Free. Ext. 4473. **THIS ADVERTISER HAS ALSO CHOSEN TO RECEIVE MAIL. PLEASE SEND LETTER AND PHOTO TO: INTRODUCTIONS BOX 4473, FORBES NEWSPAPERS, PO BOX 699, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

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28 yrs. old, attractive, successful, 5ft.10in., strawberry blond hair, green eyes. I am honest and caring, tired of head games & bar scenes. I enjoy various activities from N.Y. City to the shore. Looking for SWF, 21-30 who is attractive, honest, with good sense of humor who is looking for a friendship or a possible relationship. Please call ext. 4555.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

29, 5'8, blonde hair & blue eyes, former marine, weight-lifter, Catholic, smoker, social drinker, tattooed, biker, Mechanical Engineering student. I like 50's, 60's & Heavy Metal. Hate Rap & Club Music. Looking for SCF, no drugs. Please call Ext. 4329.

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33, tall, attractive, rugged build. Searching for a single or divorced white female 25-35, voluptuous w/ a warm personality and a good head on her shoulders. If you want to give and receive friendship, sensitivity, sensuality, and honesty, call ext 4614.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

36, 5'10, good sense of humor. Enjoys 60s & 70s music, Seinfeld, outdoor sports, old movies. Seeks SWF, 30-40 with good personality for friendship and possible relationship. Please reply to ext. 4902.

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26, 5' 7", athletic build. Do you like roller coasters, climbing to the top of a mountain and golden retrievers? Are you looking for a fun-loving, smart and adventurous woman to be your best friend? If the answer to these questions is "yes" and you are a SWM, 26-34, intelligent and have a kind heart, please reply to ext. 4553.

## SINGLE WHITE MALE

Attractive, very fit, 30, 5'9, blue eyes, fun-loving, enjoys boating, beach, outdoors, travel, pets & sports. Seeks SWF, 25-33, for friendship possibly leading to a lasting relationship. Please call Extension 4339.

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## SINGLE WHITE MALE

Professional, honestly good-looking, 34, 5'11, 160 lbs., dark hair/eyes, financially secure, selective. Enjoy dining, travel, conversation, outdoors, distance running. Seeking (very) attractive SWF, 20-35. Photo helpful, can exchange. Please call Ext. 4529.

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38, 5ft.4in. 110 lbs., very sexy, sophisticated, intelligent, exotic. Late 20-looking. Financially secure, independent, corporate professional. Looking for attractive, honest, sincere SPWM, 34-43 for LTR. You can count on my sincerity and loyalty if you are a worthy person. Please call ext. 4554.

## SINGLE WHITE PROFESSIONAL MALE

43, 5'5", young looking, smart, handsome, good shape, positive, romantic, stand-up guy. In search of S/D Female: attractive, shapely, similar personal qualities, up to 40 years old. A lady who will be my romantic partner & friend. Please reply ext. 3616.

## SLEEPLESS IN N.J.

SWM, 33, Eric Clapton look-alike. In search of SWF, 25-33, simplicity preferred- honesty a must. Please reply ext. 4552.

## SLIM, NICE LOOKING

DWM, Professional- looking for slim, nice looking, S/ DWF professional, aged 32-42, drug-free, nonsmoker, for friendship/relationship. Interests include working out, tennis, theater & the shore. Please reply Ext. 4508.

## SPANISH MALE

33 yrs old, 5'11", 175 lbs., good looking, brown hair, looking for a one on one relationship, self-employed, I enjoy the shore a lot, romantic times, home or out. Sincere & honest, Seeks SF, not over weight, old fashioned values. Please reply ext. 3617.

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## SWF

21, 5'6 average build, light brown hair, blue eyes. Tired of head games and bar scenes. Very easy going, enjoys seeing Broadway play to a video at home. I'm looking for a serious, fun-filled relationship. Please call ext. 4498.

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## SWF

25, 5'7, brown hair, green eyes, slim, professional, non-smoker, rather liberal. Enjoys music, outdoors, exercise, having a good time, whether its going out late or relaxing at home. Looking for SWM 25-30, professional/educated, slim or medium build, honest, with good sense of humor (no head games) for friendship and possible relationship. Please call Ext. 4495.

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## WHITE WIDOWED MALE

Warm, witty & wonderful. I'm 42 yrs. old, 5' 6, 140 lbs., in great shape, have a good job & no kids. Interested in meeting a nice lady, should be petite & pretty with a great sense of humor. I like music, sports, play baseball, enjoy eating dinners at restaurants & going to movies. I am a smoker. Please call Ext. 4330.

## SWM

40 Yrs old but looks younger. 5'11", 180 lbs., reddish brown hair, green eyes. I like dancing, dining out & quiet evenings at home, going out & having a good time. Looking for an attractive SWF, 30-45 with the same interests, maybe leading to a long-term relationship. Please call ext. 4572.

## SWM

43, in search of SWF, 35 to 50. I like to go to stock car races, I like to do most anything like movies, dining out, outdoor sports, etc. Please reply to ext. 4498.

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## SWF

Attractive, 40, down-to-earth, caring, affectionate. Smoker, social drinker, Giant fan, interested in SW or DWM who is honest, caring and has a sense of humor for LTR. Please call Ext. 4678.

## SWM

27 yrs old, 6'11", well fit, brown hair & eyes, seeking a SWF 25-29 who desires a good friend, someone who she can talk to, hang out or go to the movies with. Why should there always be sexual tension between men & women? Why not just a friendship? All guys ain't the same, you see! Please call ext. 4568.

## TWICE AS NICE

2 Female friends really tired of weirdos, long-haired freaks, rap stars, heavy metal monsters & other similar types. One SWJF, 22, 5'1, blonde, blue-eyed, educated. Enjoys working out, travel, movies, the beach, dancing, NYC/AC. Other SWF, Catholic, 26, 5'6, brunette, brown-eyed, educated. Enjoys working out, horseback riding, NYC/AC, rock/blues music, concerts. We are seeking 2 SWM, ages 25-33 with similar interests for friendship & possible relationship. We're looking for U2. Give us a ring on Ext. 4379.

## SWM

Italian, 58, very warm, passionate and fun loving. Would like to meet very affectionate sensual female who would like to share a laugh or a tear or listen to the rain or each others heartbeat while holding each other close. How nice it would be to share it with someone who is warm and sensual. Why not give it a try. It may be an encounter you will cherish for a long time. Please respond to ext. 4497.

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## SWFJM

38, good sense of humor, loves animals. Into long walks, romance & adventure. Seeking a N/S S/DJF, 25-40 yrs old, under 5'4", for serious LTR. Common interests are not as important as common outlook, however liking anchovies pizza is a +! Please call ext.4954

## THOUGHTFUL, PERSONABLE, SJM

33, 5'4", trim, professional, non-smoker, never married. Especially values family and friendship, Judaism, optimism, a variety of interests and a sense of humor. Seeking SJF, 20's to early 30's (height irrelevant issue) who shares similar qualities. Ext. 4701.

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## TIERED OF WORKING OVERTIME?

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Are you a S/DWM 35-48, humorous, kind, easy-going, honest, romantic, rugged? Do you like horseback riding, camping, picnics, Renaissance Fairs? Would you like to teach someone to fish or ski? Then, this DWF is for you. I am a very youthful, 40, bubbly, romantic, intelligent, caring, affectionate, a great conversationalist with varied interests including: horses, photography, stock car racing, movies, music and much more. I am open to learning and sharing new interests; want a possible LTR. Please call ext. 4470

## SINGLE MALE

Attractive, 27, 5'8, 170, well built, dark hair, brown eyes, good personality, secure job. Seeking a down to earth, attractive single female, well proportioned under 130, 5'7 for fun time, friendship and possible long term relationship. Please respond to ext. 4903.

## WHITE, WIDOWED MALE

Non-smoker, retired 5'5" and I love walking, movies (action especially) and spending quiet evenings at home. Looking for companionship with a special woman who has a good sense of humor and a sweet personality. Ext. 4171.

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**WWF**— 41, 5'13", attractive, blue-green eyes, brown hair. I am warm, caring, a good listener, honest and sincere. I like dining out, movies, music, AC and NYC, or sometimes just staying home. ISO S/DWM, 35-45 who is easygoing, down to earth, fun to be with and with a sense of humor. Just a nice guy. Pls call & send letters to ext. 4582: **FORBES NEWSPAPERS, 44 VETERANS MEMORIAL DR, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876.**

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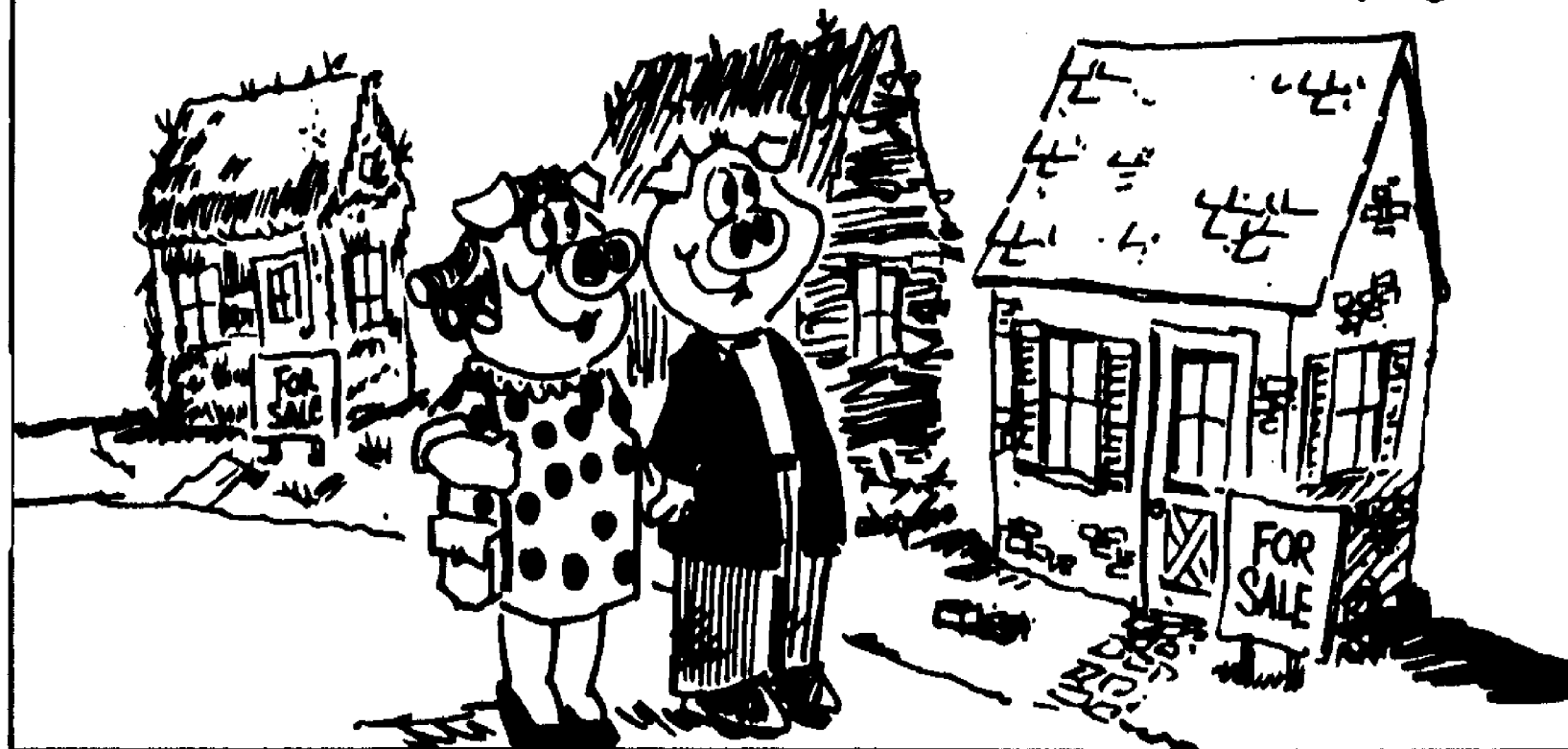


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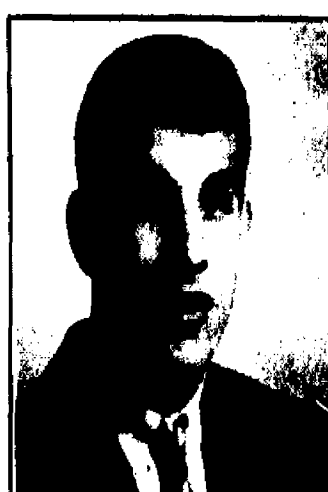
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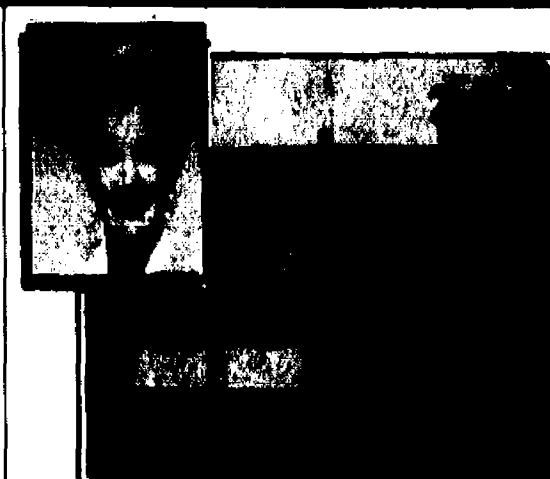
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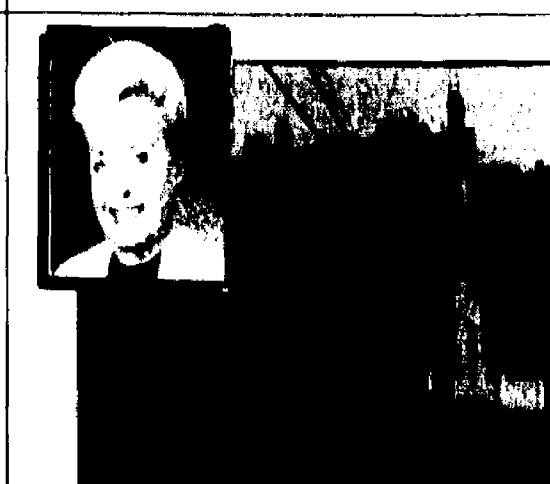
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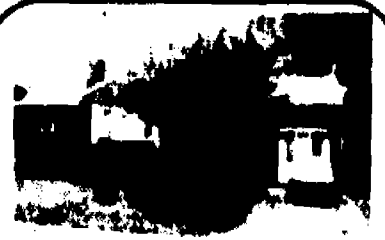
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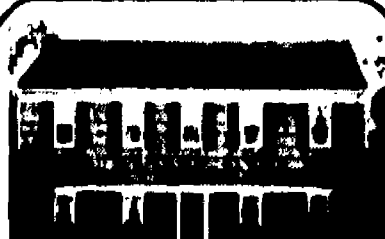
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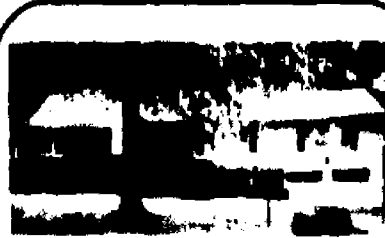
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The 100-by-200 foot lot will be the site of a fine home with vinyl siding, two-car attached garage, full unfinished basement and central air conditioning.

A dramatic two-story entry foyer with ceramic tile floor will lead to the first level of the soon-to-be-built home. The family room, planned at a spacious 19 by 16 feet, will feature a fireplace. The living room will be a comfortable 13 by 15 feet, and the dining room will be 13 by 14. A

breakfast room and 26-by-19 kitchen, which will include a dishwasher and self-cleaning gas oven, will offer plenty of informal gathering space for family and friends. A laundry room and lavatory will also be conveniently located on the first floor.

The bedrooms occupy the second floor. The master bedroom will be 14 feet by 17 feet, and will feature a walk-in closet. Three additional bedrooms are planned for 16 by 11, 13 by 12 and 10 by 11. Two baths will serve the bedrooms. Amenities are an integral part of the planned home, including raised panel hardwood cabinets. Smoke detectors will assure fire safety on each level of the home. An all plywood shell promises sturdy construction. The yard will be graded and seeded.

For more information, call Judy Szeliga or Karen Ettere at Century 21 Golden Post Realty at 469-3900.



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Stairs sweep up from the two-story entry foyer.



DIANE MATFLERD/FORBES NEWSPAPERS  
Fine tile and a double-vanity sink highlight the bath.



The kitchen boasts plenty of counter space and fine detailing.

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Several local Weichert, Realtors offices will hold upcoming real estate career seminars 7 p.m., Monday, Nov. 22.

Newly licensed and experienced salespersons, as well as anyone interested in a career in real estate, are invited to attend. Featured topics will include how to get started in real estate, how experienced salespeople can increase their earnings, and how Weichert's training and marketing programs can open the door to success.

The offices and their locations are: 640 Middlesex Ave., Metuchen, 906-8200; 4 Highway 31, Pennington, (609) 737-0100; 3290 Route 22 West, Branchburg, 526-5444; 9 W. Main St., Clinton, 735-8140; and Route 18 and Icker Avenue, East Brunswick, 245-1700.

At 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 23, the following offices will also hold career seminars: 182-184 Lincoln Highway, Edison, 494-6800; 3530 Highway 27, South Brunswick, 297-0200; 421 Route 206, Hillsborough, 874-8100.

The New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency (HMFA) will present information on its mortgage programs 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20 at the Plainfield Union County College Campus.

The presentation will be in conjunction with the City of Plainfield's First-Time Homebuyer Fair.

## Realty Notes

As part of the agency's outreach efforts, HMFA staff will make themselves available during the fair to answer questions and provide information on how to go about applying for a mortgage under the HMFA programs. The presentation will also include information on which lending institutions in the state participate in the program.

Coldwell Banker Schlott sales associates want to bring the joy of the holiday season to children everywhere. In cooperation with the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve, Coldwell Banker Schlott associates will sponsor Toys for Tots.

Toys for Tots collects toys for needy children across the country. Locally, Coldwell Banker Robert Michael Realty, 21 Brant Ave., Clark, will serve as an official collection center until Dec. 6.

Businesses and families may donate new, unwrapped toys. Any item may be dropped off at the office. Anyone needing assistance may call 815-1550, and a sales associate will pick up the donation.

Jim Longo of Bedminster has

joined forces with Bob Rose, president of Bob Rose Realty in Watchung, to create a new firm — The Prudential Rose Realtors.

Prior to joining The Prudential Rose Realtors, Mr. Longo managed Weichert, Realtors' Warren office since 1985. He also spearheaded the founding of Weichert's Hillsborough office in 1978. He will also act as manager of the new company.

He has been a licensed real estate sales person for nearly 20 years. He was a member of the New Jersey Association of Realtors Million Dollar Club from 1978-1983 and Weichert's Million Dollar Sales

Club. Mr. Longo is also a member of the Somerset and Hunterdon counties Boards of Realtors and presently serves as chairman of the Somerset Board's broker round table.

The official grand opening for The Prudential Rose Realtors will be scheduled upon completion of the renovation and expansion of the former Bob Rose Realty office, 659 Mountain Blvd., Watchung.

Burgdorff Realtors' Metuchen office, 456 Middlesex Ave., was awarded the company's September office per capita production award for both unit production and dollar volume.

Of Burgdorff's 34 branches, Methuchen posted the highest number of units and the highest dollar volume per sales associate. Olga Sgarbattera manages the office.

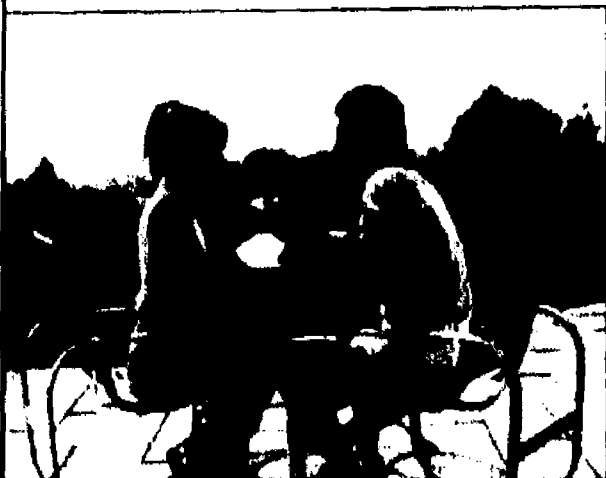
A sales associate with the Westfield office of Coldwell Banker Schlott, Margaret Maguire recently completed a relocation certification course and earned the Certified Residential Relocation Specialist designation.

Ms. Maguire specializes in home finding for out-of-town buyers. The requirements to become a specialist include a successful completion of certification coursework, a recommendation from management and a written commitment to quality customer service.

The relocation course she completed. (Please turn to page 7)



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"Know what you want in a home, what is important to you and what you can live without," said Gene Azzalina, president of the New Jersey Association of Realtors (NJAR). "Many of us start out with a champagne taste and a beer pocketbook, so it is important to be realistic."

Where and what you buy will affect you for as long as you live in the house.

"Get your priorities in order before you start looking or even talk to a real estate broker or sales associate," Mr. Azzalina said.

If you are a first-time homebuyer, it is important to do your homework. But if you already

own a home, you know what is lacking and what to look for in your future home. You may need another bedroom or bathroom, or a reputable school nearby.

Deciding where you want to live depends on where and how you earn a living. If your job requires a lot of reading or is stressful, public transportation may offer valuable quiet time.

"You should practice the commute in rush hour prior to commitment. A seemingly quiet road can transform into gridlock during peak hours," Mr. Azzalina said.

Schools and safety may be a consideration for people with children. If you plan to send your children to private schools, you can live where you want assuming transportation is easily accessible. However, a lavish public school system may indicate high local real estate taxes.

Lifestyle is also an important consideration. People who frequently dine out, go dancing or attend the theater, may want to live in the city or a nearby suburb.

Homes used to have a limited variety. Today there are traditional single-family homes, townhouses, condominiums, apartment condominiums and co-ops.

In planned unit developments (PUDs), you can find almost any combination. In condos and other such communities, make sure the rules, regulations and bylaws match your lifestyle. This type of housing is great for people who want to own their own space without being responsible for mowing the lawn or repairing the roof. A management company handles that. However, you pay fees for the services offered in the development.

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New homes may cost more, however you can make more decisions on amenities, colors, carpeting and fixtures.

"Make sure you are dealing with a reputable builder, and have an attorney review all documents," Mr. Azzalina said.

Selecting a real estate professional is an important first step in beginning your search for the right home.

"Ask for personal recommendations to find an individual who is knowledgeable about the neighborhood and has access to the local Multiple Listing Service," he said.

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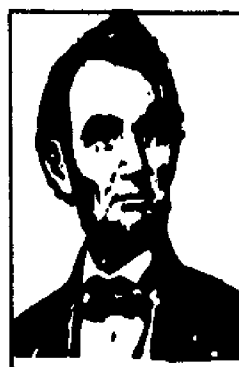
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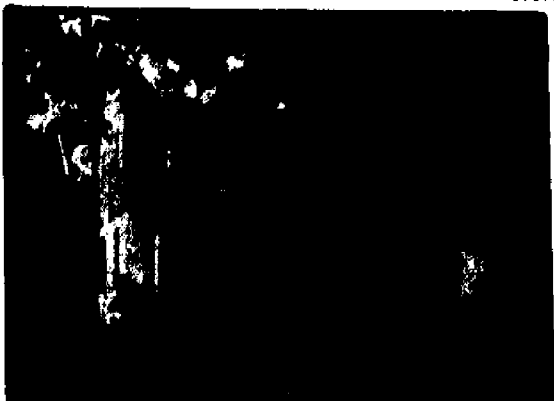
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pleted is one of four relocation-related courses offered to Coldwell Banker Schlott sales associates. Participants must complete exercises in a 90-page "Servicing Incoming Referrals" manual, and pass a challenging exam before receiving certification.

Ms. Maguire is a third-generation realtor, and has worked in the business for eight years. A member of the New Jersey Association of Realtors Million Dollar Club, she has attained the silver level. She also is a member of the Coldwell Banker Schlott Director/President's club.

**Cindy Morey won the gazebo recently raffled off by Coldwell Banker Schlott, Realtors' Westfield office during the FestiFall celebration.**

The office is located at 264 E. Broad St., Westfield.

neural Studies at Fairleigh Dickinson University, CoreStates New Jersey National Bank, and *New Jersey Monthly*.

The company, the only real estate firm among the honorees, was recognized at a gathering of 275 people at the Sheraton Meadowlands in Secaucus, Oct. 19.

Jean T. Burgdorff, founder and chairwoman of the firm, and her son, Peter, the president, accepted the award.

The award was established to recognize the significant contributions to the economy and the community by New Jersey family businesses. It honors those whose innovative strategies and business practices have had a positive impact on the state and local economy, the business community, and society at large.

**ERA American Dream, Realtors of Hillsborough provided the "lockup" for the Muscular Dystrophy Association during its fund-raising drive Oct. 13.**

Local executives were "arrested" at their offices and brought to the "jail" at ERA American Dream, 99 Route 208. There they remained until enough donations were raised to pay their "bail."

Alfonso's in Hillsborough, and Bazookas and Hemmingways, both in Bridgewater, provided food for the inmates. Honorary chairman of the lockup was metro traffic reporter Joe Nolan of WPLJ and WABC-AM radio, WABC-TV and *Good Morning America*.

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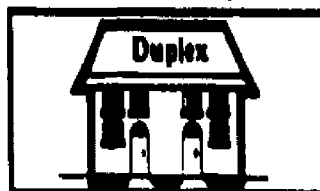
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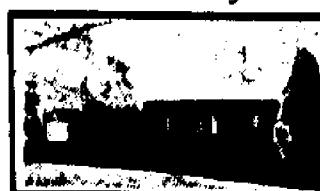
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KERRIE HAGY/FORBES NEWSPAPERS

This Cape Cod cottage at 101 High St., Cranford is located conveniently close to New York City transportation.

## HOMES RECENTLY SOLD BY CRANFORD REALTORS



**SOLD**

This lovely home on Ann Street was sold by Isabel Taylor of Barton Realty thru the Westfield MLS.



**SOLD LISTING**

KIAMIE AGENCY, Inc. has announced the sale of 232 Hemlock Ave., Gwd. The property was listed by Bev Healey and sold by Betty Capobianco.



**SOLD**

This lovely Colonial located at 3 Craig Place, Cranford was sold by Helen Stine of Paige, Paige & Richards through the Westfield MLS.



**SOLD**

JANET J. STIVALE, Broker Associate of J.S. TIFFANY REALTY sold this gorgeous split level home at 32 Ann Street thru M.L.S. J.S. TIFFANY REALTY is located at 102 SOUTH AVENUE WEST, CRANFORD.



**"JUST SOLD"**

MEEKER SHARKEY, REALTORS announces the sale of this home on Fourth Ave. in Garwood. Listed by Tom Bianco and Sold by Susan Wilson, both of Meeker Sharkey, Realtors.

**SOLD**

14 Tulip Street, Cranford, listed by Meeker Sharkey and sold by Lisa Carscadden of Century 21, D.S. Kuzsma Realty. Many happy returns to the O'Mally family.

## Convenient and cozy, cottage catches eye

CRANFORD — The appeal of a Cape Cod cottage teams up with the convenience of Cranford's proximity to New York City to make this three-bedroom home at 101 High St. an eye-catcher.

Settled on a 50-by-105 foot lot, the home lists for \$164,900 through Paige, Paige & Richards, 181 N. Ave., Cranford.

On the first floor, the living room is a spacious 12-by-20. The new, oak-trimmed kitchen is 7 feet by 16 feet, and the dining room is 10-by-16. A family room is also 7-by-16. Laundry facilities are housed in an 11-by-14 foot room.

The master bedroom, also located on the first floor, is a comfortable 11-by-14 feet.

Two additional bedrooms on the second floor are both 12 by 14 feet.

A sprawling 26-by-25 foot recreation room is located in the finished basement.

Extras include a dishwasher, extra insulation, thermal windows, wall-to-wall carpeting, a water softener, and outdoor deck. The interior and exterior were remodeled in last five years, and the home features vinyl siding.

The house is located conveniently close to bus stations and shopping areas. It is only one block from the train station to New York City.

For more information, or to view the home, call Dot DiTulio at 276-1900.

## Tipsheet

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EDISON — A good location and quality construction highlight the attraction of this custom ranch at 954 New Dover Road.

Listing for \$173,500 through Re/Max Realty of Iselin, the home is convenient to shopping areas and local schools.

Situated on a 56-by-131 foot lot with mature plantings, the home has three bedrooms, a full

bath and an oversized garage.

The living room is 19-by-13, and the eat-in kitchen is 16-by-17 feet. A 10-by-19 family room, two 12-by-13 foot bedrooms, and a third 19-by-13 foot bedroom round out the home. Laundry facilities are located in a partial basement.

The custom ranch boasts quality features throughout, including some hardwood floors. A concrete driveway leads to the two-car garage. Amenities include dishwasher, gas over range, patio and fireplace.

For more information, or to visit the home, call Mary Lupini at 549-9400.

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### NJAR plans convention

The New Jersey Association of Realtors (NJAR) has announced its plans for the 1993 NJAR Annual Convention which will be held at the Trump Taj Mahal Casino Resort, Nov. 30-Dec. 2, in Atlantic City.

The convention, themed "Get set to soar in '94," will feature educational programs focusing on agents, their sales and management techniques. The 1993 convention is expected to attract 6,500 realtors, broker owners and real estate sales associates from across New Jersey.

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This artist's rendering details the quality townhomes under construction at Ramblewood.

# First-timers flocking to Ramblewood

First-time homebuyers have been flocking to the sales office at **Ramblewood** since the affordable community of two- and three-bedroom townhomes officially opened sales last month, according to the Kings Group, developer of the 85-home development.

They are attracted to the combination of well-designed, spacious floor plans, the absence of any common charges or maintenance fees, and affordable prices at the Freemansburg, Pa. development, said Ira Weiss, a King's Group principal.

"During the initial planning stages for Ramblewood, we knew that young, first-

time homebuyers — traditionally the hardest hit by a slow economy — were being priced out of starter homes in communities throughout the Lehigh Valley," said Mr. Weiss. "Ramblewood was developed to afford them the opportunity to obtain that vital first chip in the housing game."

Thirteen townhomes already exist at Ramblewood in various stages of completion — having been built by a previous developer who was forced to turn the site back to its lender. They will be completed and sold at discount prices beginning at \$74,900. Also, 23 larger, more upscale townhouses will be built in the community's initial phase. They will be offered at pre-construction prices ranging from \$84,900 to \$94,900.

"Since Ramblewood is not a condo-

minium, there are no monthly common charges or maintenance fees," said Phyllis Walker, the community's sales manager. "Estimated monthly taxes are extremely low, ranging from \$101.97 to \$123.67."

The townhomes offer 1,105 to 1,300 square feet of living space and feature traditional exteriors, a garage beneath the home, a downstairs family room, an eat-in kitchen and spacious living/dining areas and master bedrooms.

For more information, call (215) 882-0999.

Construction is almost complete on the newest senior residence in Somerset County, **Centerbridge II, the Jack Stine Residence**.

The building located off Route 287 near the Bridgewater Commons is about to be-

come home to 171 seniors. Centerbridge II was designed to the latest standards of safety and elegance.

The building will consist of one-bedroom apartments and have such amenities as a community room, a game room, a beauty parlor, laundry on-site, as well as many security items such as guards on duty, electronic door systems, and emergency pull cords (in case of accidents) in all apartments. Centerbridge II will be completed by the end of this year.

Centerbridge II is the culmination of seven years of toil by a local volunteer group, Bridgewater Housing Services Inc., along with township support, assistance at the state level, and private financing.

The building is still accepting applications for February occupancy.

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Michael P. Jr. & Andrea Diana to Michael P. Diana III, 342 **Second St.**, \$130,000

#### PISCATAWAY

Madelyne Lender to Richard J. & Peggy I. Way, 5091 **Beatty St.**, \$216,000

Marie J. Pascale to Robert L. & Lisa J. Varga, 24 **Bound Brook Ave.**, \$140,000

Antoinette Carella to Denise Daly, 78 **Canterbury Court**, \$36,975

Michael & Anna Chomut to State of New Jersey, 4 **Davidson Road**, \$17,500

Hidden Woods Inc. to Fred A. Hopkins, 252 **Deep Brook Court**, \$127,900

Hidden Woods Inc. to Gilbert & Joan Davidson, 253 **Deep Brook Court**, \$144,000

Starpoint Dev. Inc. to Maryann Toone, 393 **Draco Road**, \$149,990

## Property Sales

Thomas A. Huettenmoser et al. to Stephen A. & Kathleen Zawatski, 110 **Edwards Ave.**, \$111,000

John Jr. & Marie A. Mraz to Daniel A. Pelletier et al., 15 **Franklin St.**, \$120,000

Hidden Woods Inc. to Yiu Wang Hung & Wong Leung, 215 **Hidden Woods Court**, \$120,000

Household Finance Corp. to Vu T. Nguyen et al., 37 **Joyce Drive**, \$166,500

Michael & Anna Chomut to State of New Jersey, 560 **Metlars Lane**, \$15,050

Julian J. & Cheryl S. Bayuk to Edwards S. III & Sharo Slover, 176 **Normandy Drive**, \$152,500

John & Rose C. Baldino to State of NJ Dept. of Transport, 33 **Orris Ave.**, \$3,000

Carl J. & Betty L. Huntzinger to Donald J. Merriman Jr. et al., 312 **Patton Ave.**, \$192,000

Trevor H. & Elnora J. Mattos to Elnora Jackson Mattos, 500 **Pleas-**

**ant Ave.**, \$32,000

Harley F. Spaulding Jr. to Madhusdan & Meena M. Patel, 65 **School St.**, \$65,500

Rick J. & Deborah Smolinka to Baku & Mary L. Hayashi, 209 **Second Ave.**, \$261,000

Ewa Laskowski to Frist Savings Bank SLA, 26 **Stelton Road**, \$140,000

Domenico & Attracta M. Pavone to Antonio F. & Donna C. Gomes, 18 **Wood Lake Drive**, \$205,000

Z Piscataway LP to Rapid Sales Realty Inc., 1 **Wyckoff Ave.**, \$50,000

#### SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Michael & Anne B. Gaines to Patrick A. & Kathryn Flanagan, 20 **Allison St.**, \$149,900

Loretta A. Beck Gallagher to James P. & Loretta Gallagher, 525 **Carmine Ave.**, \$139,832

Anthony John & Anita Verrilli to Frank J. & Donna S. Paterek, 1718 **S. Central Ave.**, \$150,000

Scott Paul Rieger to Ruth E. Fellanto & D. Matheson, 806 **Clinton Ave.**, \$115,000

Nicholas & Edna Vito J. Pezzolla, 114 **E. Elmwood Drive**, \$157,500



## Property Sales

### SOMERSET COUNTY

#### BRIDGEWATER

K. Hovnanian at Bridgewater to Janet R. Buzby, 4010 Riddle Court, \$111,707

K. Hovnanian at Bridgewater to Bernice A. Golla, 4203 Riddle Court, \$113,501

K. Hovnanian at Bridgewater to William T. & Lois E. Barnewold, 4205 Riddle Court, \$112,280

Christine Hassloch to Mark Koehler, 617 Stratford Place, Bound Brook, \$85,000

Rocky road Dev. Corp. to Monroe Berkowitz & S. Shalvo, 31 Stryker Court, \$225,000

Christine Hassloch to Mark Koehler, Tea Street, \$85,000

Calton Homes Inc. to Diane C. butner, 2508 Vroom Drive, \$122,795

Frank & Elsie L. Durkin to Christopher Bauer & M. Albino, 1267 Washington Valley Road, \$235,000

Wish Partners LP to Marcon Inc., Washington Valley Road, \$120,000

Ripton Assoc. Inc. to William L. Brenner, 3 Wishnow Way, \$450,000

#### FAR HILLS

Far Hills Dev. Inc. to John P. & Leta B. Tourville, 1 Sunnybranch Road, \$249,218

Far Hills Dev. Inc. to David J. & Patricia George, Sunnybranch Road, \$379,266

Far Hills Dev. Inc. to David W. Haynes, 1 Sunnybranch Road, \$344,113

Far Hills Dev. Inc. to Robert H. Groff, 1 Sunnybranch Road, \$280,400

#### FRANKLIN

Somerset Technologies Inc. to PSE&G, Canal Road, \$5,800,000

K. Hovnanian at Somerset to Irene S. Seloumi, 245 Columbus Drive, Franklin Park, \$72,950

Yasmin Sexton to Timothy E.

Bruce & E. Donkor, 45 Eugene Ave., Franklin, \$118,500

Richard J. & Sue A. Higginson to Jeffrey J. & R. Kaladas, 118 Grantham Drive, Somerset, \$156,000

K. Hovnanian at Somerset to Laura A. Kroll, 10 Gregory Lane, Franklin Park, \$102,039

Manuel Flores & M. Jensen to Gilbert Joseph Grant et ux., 1395 Hamilton St., Somerset, \$162,250

K. Hovnanian at Somerset to Kannan Arumugam, 20 Hudson Court, Franklin Park, \$134,713

Jan Gontarz to Aurea Vega, 62 Irvington Ave., Somerset, \$127,000

William & Marguerite O'Reilly to Ronald J. Muller & D.J. McKeon, 95 Kingsberry Drive, Somerset, \$128,000

Spencer Savings Bank SLA to Ronald Aquino, 239 Kingsberry Drive, Somerset, \$118,900

Soung & Sokuen Liew to James & Robyn Albert, 3 Nepote Place, Somerset, \$247,500

Ja-Din Corp. to Eric Robert English, 152 Picadilly Place, Somerset, \$104,000

Elizabeth S. Flemer to Princeton Intl. Properties Inc., 9 Shaw Drive, Franklin, \$125,000

Janet & Michael L. Magee to Michael R. & b. Delgiorno, 95 Topaz Drive, Franklin Park, \$146,260

John J. & Mary K. Gaido to Scott E. Nygaard & P.A. Yeck, 33 Winston Drive, Somerset, \$164,000

Chin & Betty Tsai to Charlene S. Cavanaugh, 111 Wisbech Place, Somerset, \$118,000

#### GREEN BROOK

Anthony T. Andriola to Jeffrey H. Person & J. Dimaio, 135 Greenbrook Road, \$130,000

Richard L. & Tammy M. Boyle to James Bertocci, 2 Heritage Drive, \$188,500

Frank J. & Barbara Winchigel to Maureen M. King, 139 Lenox Ave., \$160,000

Nicpro Associates to Stanley Ehlin & F. Grossman, 6 Scheurman Terrace, \$399,900

J. Randall & Cynthia A. Jones to Nancy E. Ericksen & R. Maywald, 264 Greenbrook Road, \$200,000

David W. & Rebecca Loving to Saeed & Yolanda C. Ahmad, 4 Ingle St., \$144,000

Frank J. Shkoditch to John C. Richards & L. Brewster, 142 Mountain Parkway, \$129,500

#### HILLSBOROUGH

Lawrence W. Flatley Jr. et ux. to Malachy & Gloria Keenan, 524 Andria Drive, Somerville, \$50,000

Claire A. Holden to Mary Drake, 2706 Balmoral Court, Somerville, \$94,500

Glen Meadows Inc. to John M. Mead, \$78,000

Wojcik, 34-11 Bloomingdale Drive, Somerville, \$125,990

Ronald & Freddie Jackowitz to Reva Yvette Hendler, 300-1B Gemini Drive, Somerville, \$110,000

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American Federal Mtge, Union	800-888-8880	190	6.75	2.00	7.00	6.38	1.75	6.73	7.00	2.00	7.21	B
ARCS Mortgage, Totowa	800-228-1138	406	7.00	2.00	7.20	6.50	2.00	6.82	7.13	1.75	7.30	B
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Bay City Mortgage, Hazlet	800-264-2700	350	6.75	3.00	7.05	6.25	3.00	6.73	6.75	2.00	6.95	B
Capital Funding,Parsippany	800-862-8766	0	7.38	0.00	7.38	7.00	0.00	7.00	7.25	0.00	7.25	H
Centar Fed'l Savings,Princeton	800-223-8827	350	6.88	3.00	7.24	6.25	3.00	6.83	7.00	3.00	7.37	B
Central Mtge Svcs, Watchung	800-756-0300	295	7.38	0.00	7.38	7.13	0.00	7.13	3.88	2.00	N/P	A
Charter Fedl Savings,Randolph	201-388-3300	400*	6.88	3.00	7.18	6.63	1.00	6.79	6.75	3.00	7.14	M
Choice Mortgage, Morris Plains	800-244-2821	350	7.38	0.00	7.38	7.00	0.00	7.00	4.50	0.00	5.32	A
Collective Fed'l Savings,Edison	800-548-4848	350	7.13	0.00	7.13	6.63	0.00	6.63	6.38	0.00	6.38	F
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ComNet Mtge Svcs,Somerville	800-722-8800	295	6.63	3.00	6.95	6.75	0.00	6.75	4.25	0.00	5.75	A
Countryside Mortgage,Westfield	800-788-8488	500	6.75	3.00	7.05	6.25	2.88	6.71	4.50	0.63	6.25	A
Crestmont Fed'l Savings,Clark	800-827-0800	300	6.88	3.00	7.18	6.50	2.75	6.94	3.25	3.00	6.17	A
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Empire Mortgage Co.,Somerville	800-784-2342	350	7.50	0.00	7.50	7.13	0.00	7.13	7.25	0.00	7.25	H
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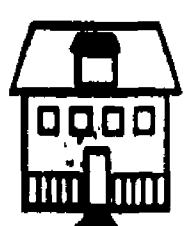
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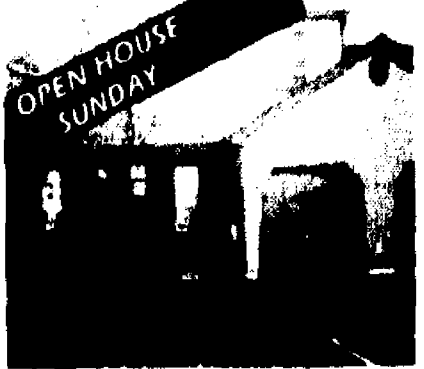
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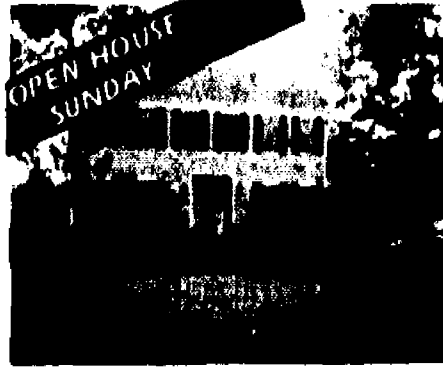
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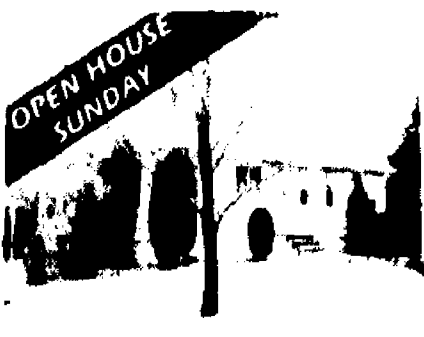
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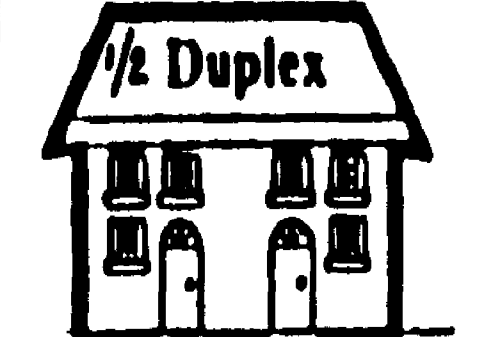
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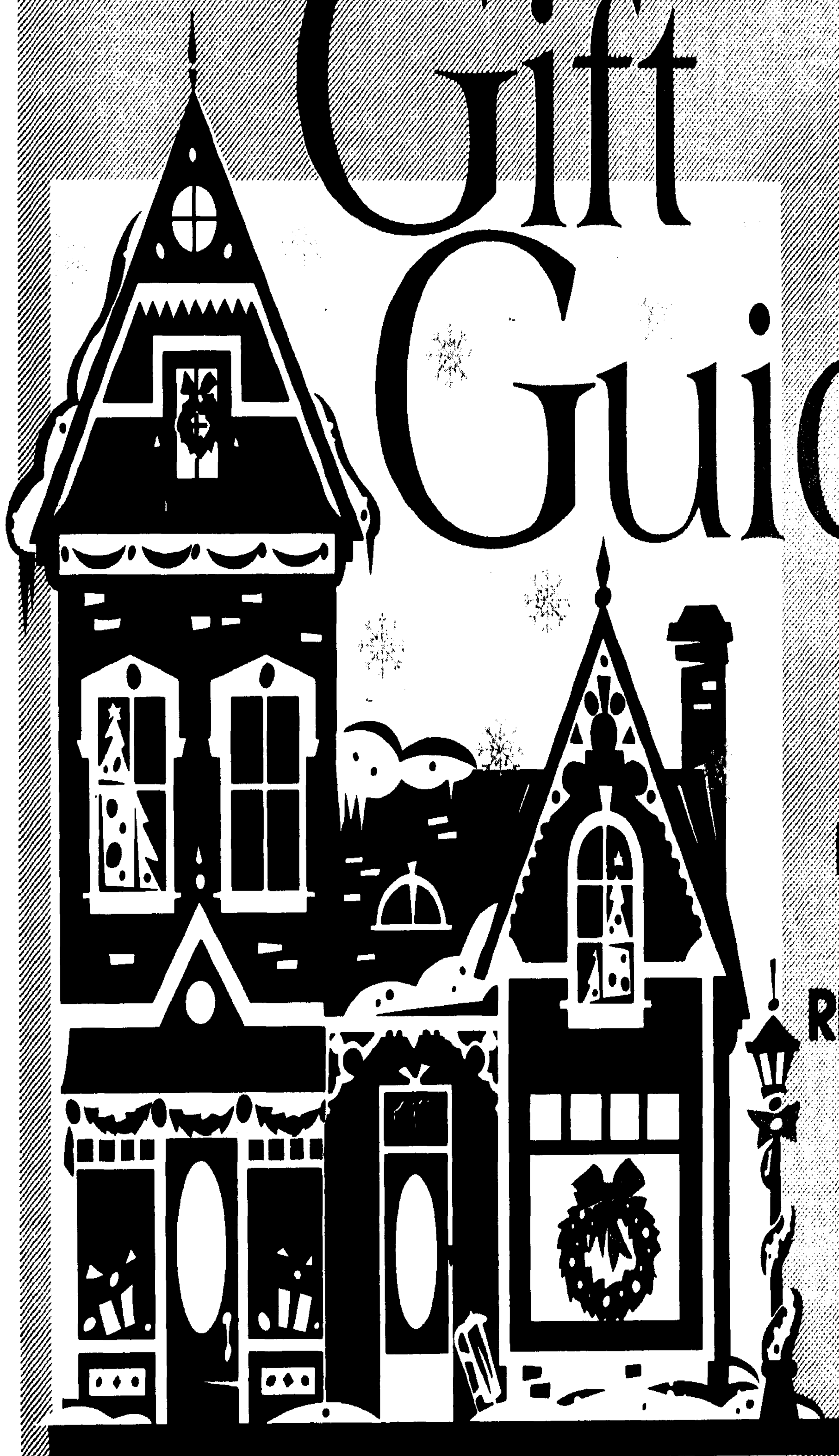
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# Rituals, gifts mark Festival of Lights

By **AMY MONTGOMERY**  
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**H**anukkah celebrates one of the great, come-from-behind, David-and-Goliath victories in Jewish history.

In the second century B.C., King Antiochus IV of Syria prohibited Jews from observing their religious rituals, and ordered them to adopt the paganism of the Syrian-Greeks. Many Jews continued to worship in secret, or fled into the Judean hills. In response to their defiance, Antiochus desecrated their temple, and severely punished those caught disobeying.

The Jews, led by young Judah the Maccabee and his four brothers, eventually mounted a rebellion against the Syrian army. Though they were armed with only crude slingshots and arrows, and seriously outnumbered by well-equipped soldiers on horses and elephants, the Jews waged relentless, guerrilla attacks from the hills overlooking Judea, and crept into enemy camps on daring raids. After three years of fighting, it is said the Syrians lost the will to fight and gave up.

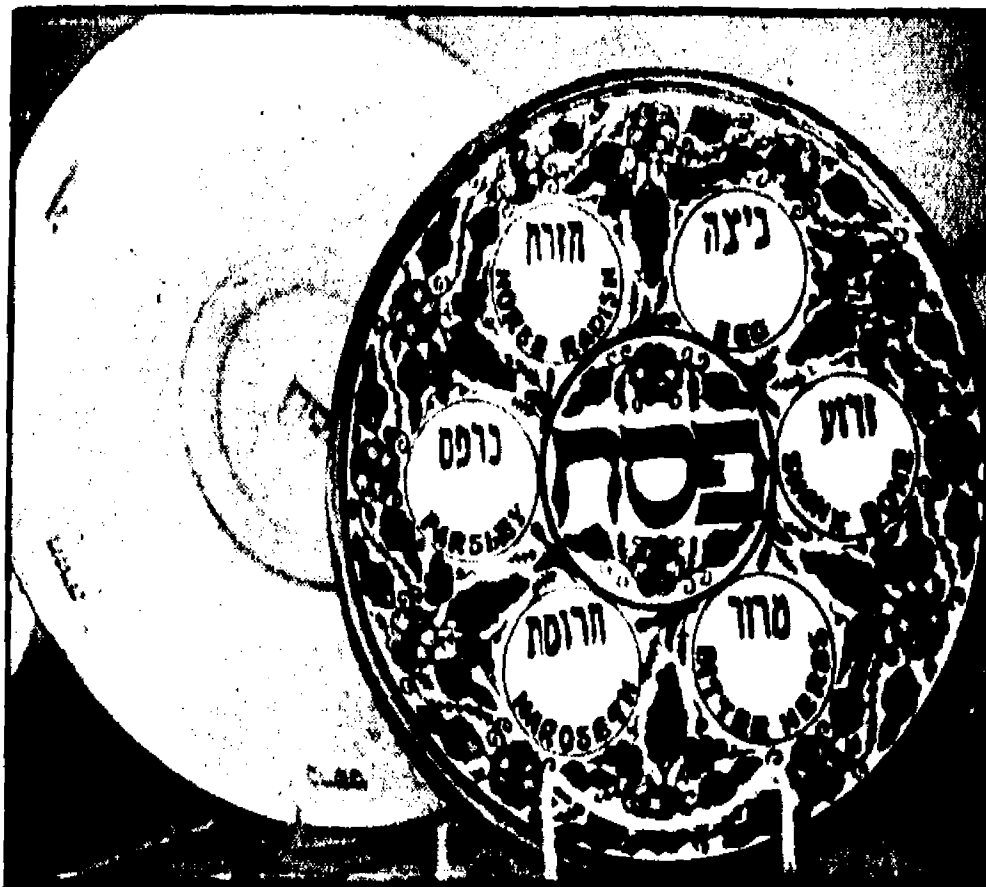
Following their victory, the Jews' first act was to cleanse and rededicate their ruined temple. "Hanukkah" means rededication. Hanukkah is also known as the Festival of Lights because, according to Jewish teaching, when the Syrian-Greeks defiled the temple, they destroyed the jugs of oil used to light the temple menorah (candelabrum). When the Jews reentered the temple, they found one small jug untouched, which held only enough oil to burn for one day. Miraculously, however, the menorah continued to burn for eight days.

Thus, Jews today celebrate the holiday for eight days to recognize the miracle that occurred during the restoration of the temple. A nine-branch menorah has become the most prominent symbol of the holiday. The ninth candle, known as the "shamash" (servant), is

used to light the other candles. One candle is lit the first night, two candles the second night, and so on for eight days.

Hanukkah begins each year on the 25th day of the Jewish month of Kislev, which falls during December. This year, the holiday begins the evening of Dec. 8.

Among Hanukkah's other festive traditions, children play a game with a four-sided top, called a "dreidel." Each side has a Hebrew letter with an assigned value. Players spin the dreidel, and either receive or



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Traditional platters like these make welcome Hannukah gifts.



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Menorahs are available in any size, material and price to fit any budget or style.

lose points, or pieces of candy, depending on the letter showing when the dreidel falls.

Card-playing has been a traditional Hanukkah pastime as far back as the Middle Ages, because it is said that yeshiva students put away their books and celebrated the holiday by playing games of chance. Doughnuts and potato pancakes are often eaten because both are cooked in oil, symbolic of the miracle at the temple.

Although Hanukkah has always been a joyous time — a celebration of religious freedom, involving songs, games, candle-lighting, and small gifts of money for children, called "Hanukkah gelt" — it was never considered a major holiday until recent times. It is only in response to the strong influence of Christmas, particularly on children, that it has be-

come more elaborate. Like Christmas, presents now play a prominent role in most Hanukkah celebrations. Some families throw a big bash the first night of the holiday, singing songs, lighting candles and exchanging gifts. Others give small gifts on each of the eight nights.

Fortunately, when it comes to gift-giving for Hanukkah, there are many places to turn for items that truly represent the spirit of the holiday.

For all kinds of religious objects and crafts, a great place to start is the synagogue in your neighborhood. Most have year-round gift shops and run special Hanukkah gift bazaars. In addition, most commercial gift shops feature special items for Hanukkah.

Menorahs are available in all sizes, designs and price ranges. They make particularly mean-

ingful gifts for newlyweds and for children, who love to have their own tiny menorahs to light along with the larger family menorahs. The colorful menorah candles also make great gifts, and range from \$1-2 a box for traditional candles to \$15 a box for more elaborate rolled, beeswax varieties. Dreidels are also available in materials from cut crystal to plastic and wood.

At Temple B'Nai Or in Morristown, the gift shop now features loads of Hanukkah stickers, notepads and pencils for children, as well as puzzles and books.

Boxes or gift baskets of fruits, kosher candies and foods are decorative ways to mark the "sweetness" of the holiday. You might consider donations to Jewish charities or synagogues in the names of friends or loved ones. Ask the

receiving organization to write a letter acknowledging the donation, and wrap the letter as a gift.

Cessories Jewelers at 135 W. Main St. in Somerville carries a variety of charms in the shapes of the Star of David and the Hebrew letter "chai" which stands for "life." Jodo Gift Shop on the Green in Morristown has Hanukkah cookie cutters, dreidels, menorahs, and all the party goods you need to celebrate the holiday at home.

HQ Gifts in Bridgewater Commons will engrave the Star of David or the image of a menorah on a wide variety of gifts, including photo albums, picture frames, clocks, desk sets, trays and trinket boxes.

There are books galore for any age, including numerous children's books on the holiday, and books for children and adults on Israel, Jewish history, traditions and holidays. Brentano's in Bridgewater Commons, which has a large Judaica section, also carries a variety of Jewish calendars. For the serious reader, there is the new biography, *The Warburgs: The 20th Century Odyssey of a Remarkable Jewish Family*.

Fran Pilch at Poor Richard's Book Shop in Flemington Mall recommends, *Hanukkah, Oh, Hanukkah! A Treasury of Stories, Songs and Games to Share*, a book full of recipes, games, songs and crafts for children. *Rose's Celebrations* is a cookbook with a wonderful Hanukkah section, by Rose Levy Beranbaum, popular author of *The Cake Bible*. And *The History of the Jews in America* is now available in paperback.

There are any number ways to mark the holidays for those in your life. If you're stumped, ask around for suggestions. But, as Jodo Gift Shop's Bob Lowenstein says, "Remember, this is a holiday you celebrate at home. The most important thing to have around the house is family."



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If stuffing is desired, we suggest it be prepared separately, placed in a covered casserole and cooked with turkey during the last hour of roasting time. For those whose Thanksgiving is not complete without stuffing, follow these directions:

Spoon prepared dressing loosely into body and neck cavities of the turkey just prior to roasting. The stuffing should reach an internal temperature of 160-165 degrees to be sufficiently cooked. Remove stuffing from turkey immediately after roasting.

Follow label directions for roasting, or use these simple

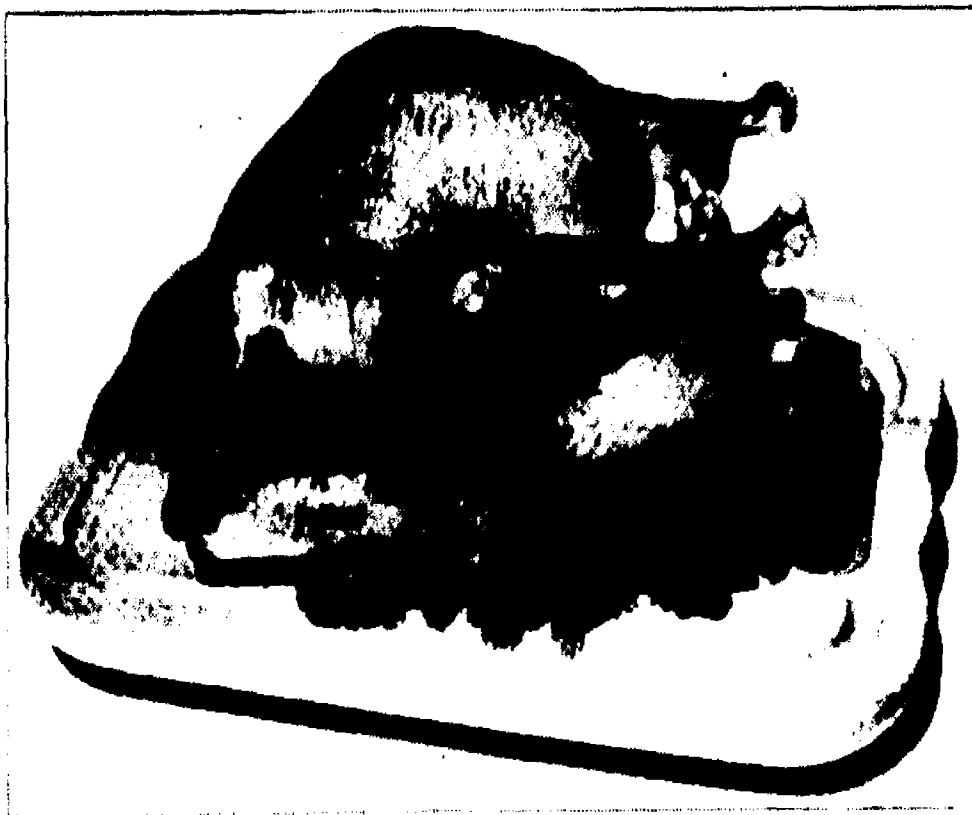


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directions to obtain a beautiful, golden brown, ready-to-carve and eat turkey.

## THAWING

**Do not thaw poultry at room temperature.** Leave turkey in original package; use one of the following methods:

- No hurry: Place wrapped turkey in refrigerator for 3-4 days; allow 5 hours per pound of turkey, to thaw completely.

- Fastest: Place wrapped turkey in sink and cover with cold

water. Allow 1/2 hour per pound to thaw completely. Change water frequently.

Refrigerate or cook turkey when thawed. Refreezing uncooked turkey is not recommended.

Commercially frozen stuffed turkeys should **not** be thawed before roasting.

## PREPARATION

All equipment and materials used for storage, preparation and serving of poultry must be

clean. Wash hands thoroughly with hot soapy water before and after handling raw poultry. Use hard plastic or acrylic cutting boards to prepare poultry.

Remove plastic wrapping from thawed turkey. Remove giblets and neck from the body and neck cavities. To remove neck, it may be necessary to release legs from bank of skin or wire hock lock. Rinse turkey inside and out with cool water, pat dry with a paper towel and turn legs to hock lock, bank of skin, or tie loosely. Tuck tips of wings akimbo under back of turkey. Neck skin should be skewered with a toothpick to back of turkey. The turkey is now ready for roasting to a delicious golden brown.

## OPEN PAN ROASTING

Place turkey, breast side up, on flat rack in shallow roasting pan, about 2 inches deep. Insert meat thermometer deep into the thickest part of thigh, not touching bone.

Brush turkey skin with vegetable oil to prevent drying. Turkey is done when meat thermometer registers 180-185 degrees and drumstick is soft

and moves easily at the joint.

When skin of turkey is golden brown, shield breast loosely with a rectangular piece of lightweight foil to prevent over-browning.

## COOKING CHART

Weight	Approximate Roasting Time (Unstuffed Turkey)
10-12 pounds	2 1/2 to 3 hours
12-14 pounds	3 to 3 1/2 hours
14-16 pounds	3 1/2 to 4 hours
16-18 pounds	4 to 4 1/2 hours
18-20 pounds	4 1/2 to 5 hours
20-22 pounds	5 to 5 1/2 hours
22-24 pounds	5 1/2 to 6 hours
24-26 pounds	6 to 6 1/2 hours
26-28 pounds	6 1/2 to 7 hours
28-30 pounds	7 to 7 1/2 hours
30-32 pounds	7 1/2 to 8 hours
32-34 pounds	8 to 8 1/2 hours
34-36 pounds	8 1/2 to 9 hours
36-38 pounds	9 to 9 1/2 hours
38-40 pounds	9 1/2 to 10 hours
40-42 pounds	10 to 10 1/2 hours
42-44 pounds	10 1/2 to 11 hours
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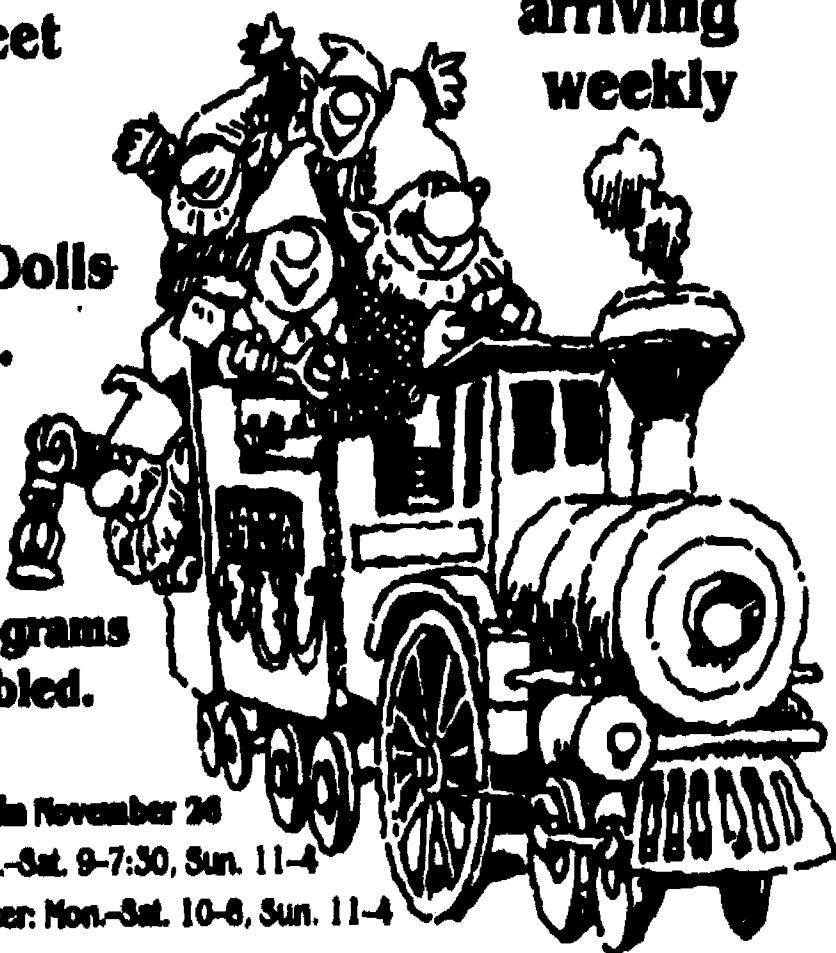
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Going with a theme doesn't mean you have to pack away old favorites and buy all new decorations. Instead, use a theme to update and unify your existing mix.

For example, just a few dozen new ornaments in accent colors and motifs will merrily mingle with your present collection, while new bows on garlands, centerpieces and wreaths can make these decorations fit right in with your new theme.

How and where to decorate after choosing your theme? There's a whole sleighful of possibilities. You can create Christmas cheer throughout your home. The list below will get you started.

☒ Exchange everyday items with their Christmas counterparts: replace everyday tableware with a Christmas set, use holiday towels and soaps in the bathroom, throw a Christmas quilt on the bed.

☒ Decorate mirrors and double the effect.

☒ Spruce up a simple wreath with lights, candies, ornaments or faux fruit, or perch a tiny gingerbread house or doll in the center.

☒ Outline interior doorways or banisters with strings of Christmas lights. Consider

unconventional lights, such as those shaped like seashells or roses. There are also lights that take the form of fruit, flamingos, fish...even strings with alternating dalmations and fire hydrants.

☒ Be creative in the way you display holiday cards — drape over gold or silver ropes or colorful ribbons looped from doorways, mantels or ceilings; make a collage on a wall; place under a glass-top table.

☒ Decorate the front door like a gift — cover with foil, trim with wide ribbon, then add bows. Bedroom doors can be decorated like presents also, complete with gift tag.

☒ Use scent as a decoration — line baskets with holiday fabric and fill with scented pot-

pourri or waxed pine cones; place cinnamon sticks tied with yarn or ribbon in votive candle holders or other containers; hang pomanders from the Christmas tree.

☒ Decorate with edibles — chocolate Santas, candy canes hung from chandeliers and baskets of fruit, for instance. You can also poke a hole with a needle in cookies before baking, then thread the cookies on a string.

☒ Fill crystal goblets or bowls with small, shiny ornaments.

☒ Add ribbon and holly to a straw hat and hang from a wall.

☒ Decorate a shelf with Christmas tree branch trimmings; tuck in ornaments.

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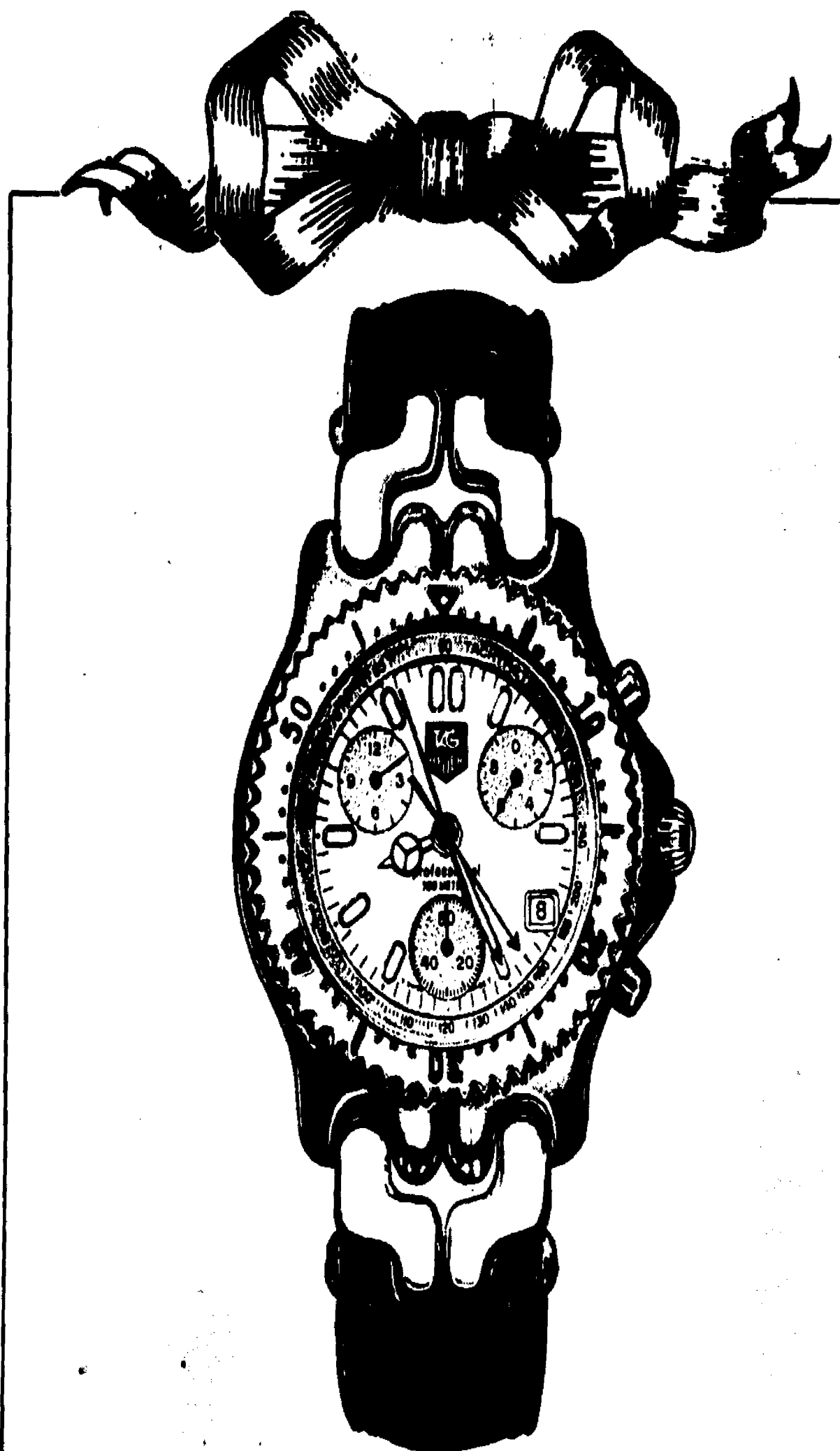
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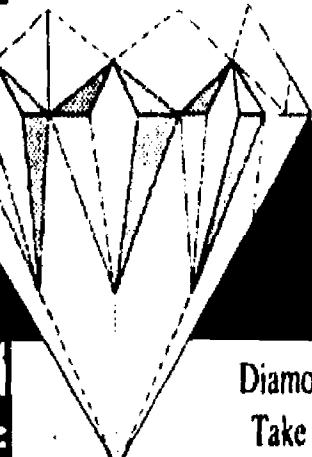


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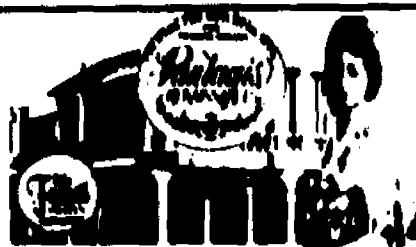
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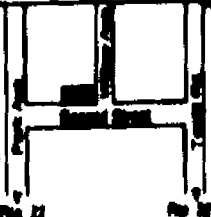
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By **AMY GARVEY**

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**T**he magic of a Christmas tree's glowing lights and sparkling ornaments is always the most special part of the holiday decorations. Adding Christmas cheer to your home doesn't have to stop at a Douglas fir. A few simple creative touches can spread the spirit of the season through every room in the house.

At The Back Door, 91 W. Main St., Somerville, emblems of the holidays come in all shapes and sizes. The popular Byer's Choice Christmas carolers, available as characters from Dickens' *Christmas Carol* as well as other old-fashioned reminders of Christmases past, are a pretty way to inspire some holiday songs.

Angels, always a special part of the Christmas story, come in white silk, crystal and other materials, and German nutcrackers and music boxes that play Yuletide tunes are also offered. Of course, everyone's favorite holiday visitor is available in an array of collectible Santa Claus figures. The Back Door can be reached at 526-1175 and will be open Sundays after Thanksgiving.

Christmas cheer doesn't have to be purely decorative, of course. At Country Curtains, Route 202 North, Far Hills Center, Far Hills, some items offer practicality with their holiday spirit. Christmas runners for cold floors, pretty holiday-themed pillows for snuggling into the couch while watching *It's a Wonderful Life*, and seasonal placemats for holiday feasts are all available at the store. Nutcrackers, Christmas banners and Advent calendars can round out the

holiday theme around the house. The store is open 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. weekdays and Saturdays; until 8 p.m. Thursdays; and noon-5 p.m. Sundays. The phone number is 234-2770.

Both stores offer a wide assortment of Christmas tree ornaments as well, and who can resist another smiling Santa or gleaming new star for the top of the tree? Thanksgiving is traditionally the time to start thinking about ways to bring the season into one's home, but Turkey Day shouldn't be ignored as a day to decorate only the table, with food alone. The Back Door offers flower arrangements, cornucopias, ceramic turkeys and floral wreaths for the holiday.

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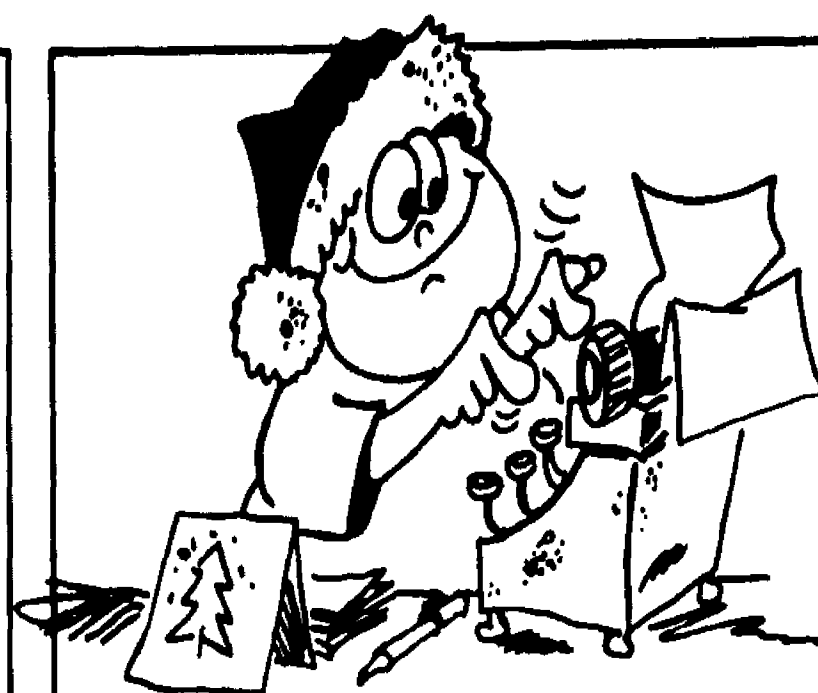
## 6 WEEKS To Go...

- Start gathering your favorite holiday recipes.
- Write your Christmas gift list; try to include everyone and put a dollar amount for each person.
- Order catalog gifts now.



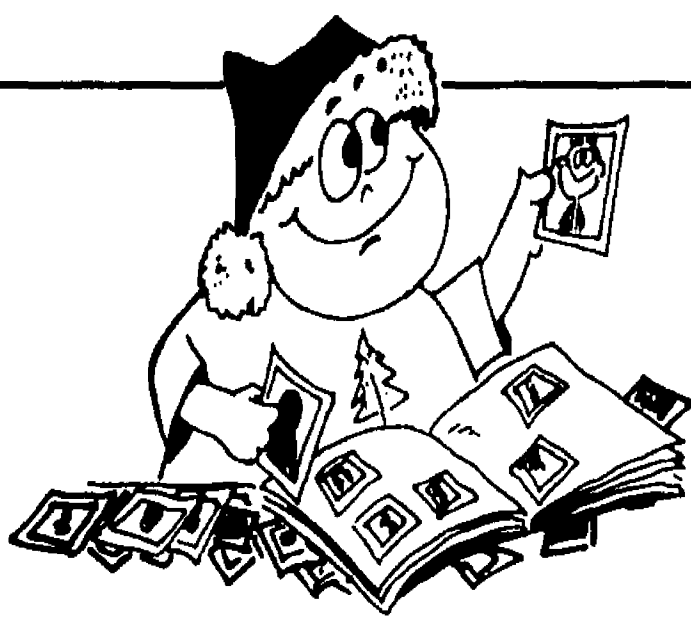
## 5 WEEKS To Go...

- Send out a list of the kids' sizes and gift ideas to those who have asked for lists.
- Draw names for family gift exchanges so you all have time to shop.
- Make a grocery list for the ingredients you'll need for your holiday baking; shop ahead.
- Start picking up inexpensive stocking stuffers for the kids.



## 4 WEEKS To Go...

- Find out sizes and gift ideas for people you are still missing in the family.
- Have the kids work ahead and make gift tags from colored construction paper. They can also decorate wrapping paper by coloring on tissue paper and brown paper bags.
- Write a Christmas letter to include in your Christmas cards and have it photocopied. This will be a big time-saver for you.



## 3 WEEKS To Go...

- Have prints made of family photos to include in your Christmas cards.
- If you still need to place a catalog order, this is your last chance. Be sure to place your orders by phone and verify that your order will arrive before Christmas.
- Check out your wrapping paper supply. Do you need to pick up some more paper, bows, tags or ribbon?
- Finish your holiday baking. Most cookies and candies freeze beautifully.



## 2 WEEKS To Go...

- Get started on your indoor decorating. Don't forget the holiday towels in the kitchen and bathroom.
- Check your gift list and make sure you have something for everyone.
- Mail out the last of your Christmas cards.
- Test the tree lights.
- Buy batteries for the gifts that will need them. Remember how disappointed the kids are when they get a new toy they can't play with because there are no batteries.



## 1 WEEK To Go...

- Put up the tree.
- It's time to relax! Put up your feet and enjoy the holidays- you can because this year you're ready!

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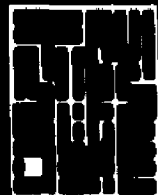






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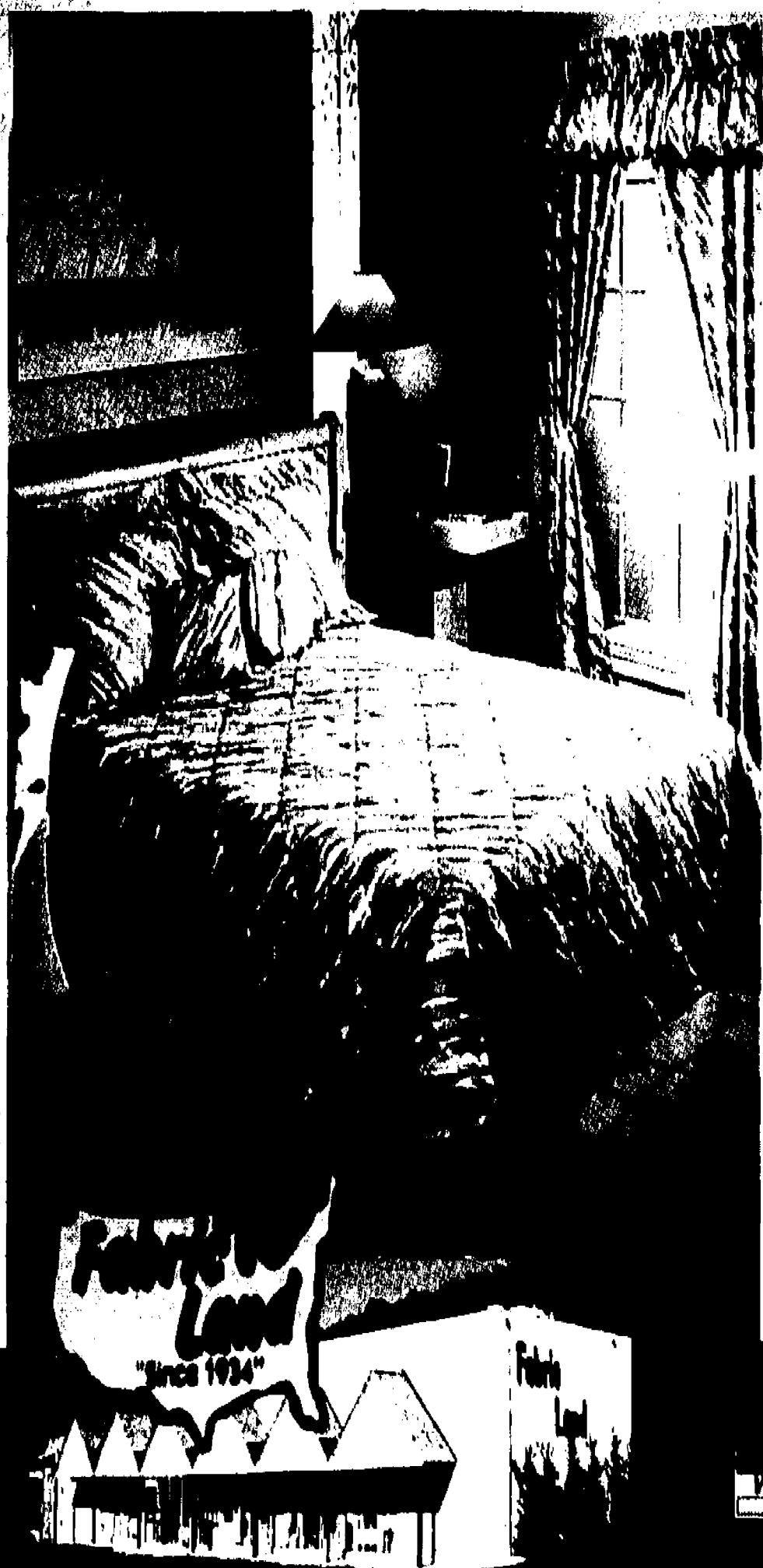
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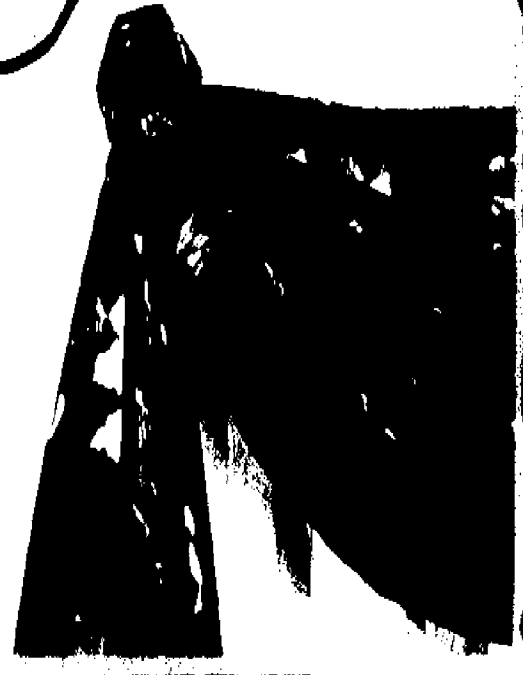
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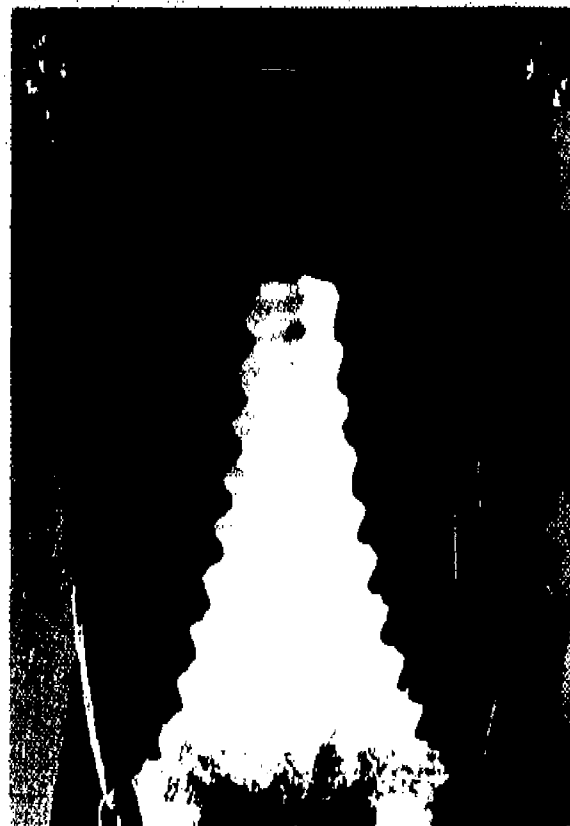
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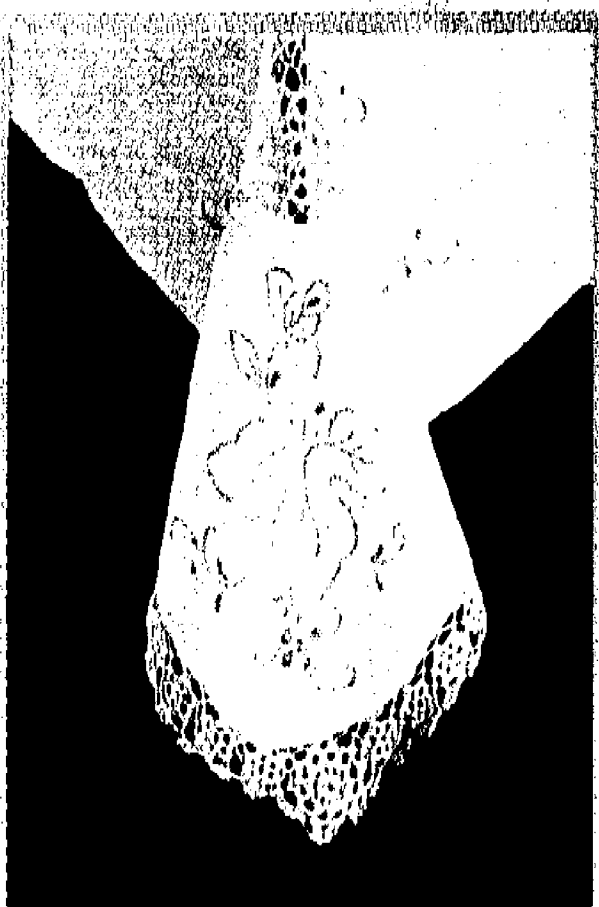
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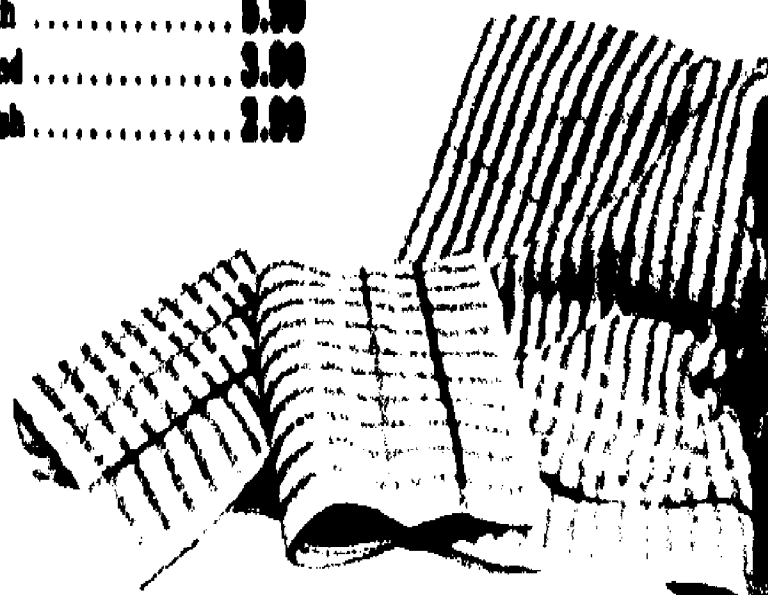
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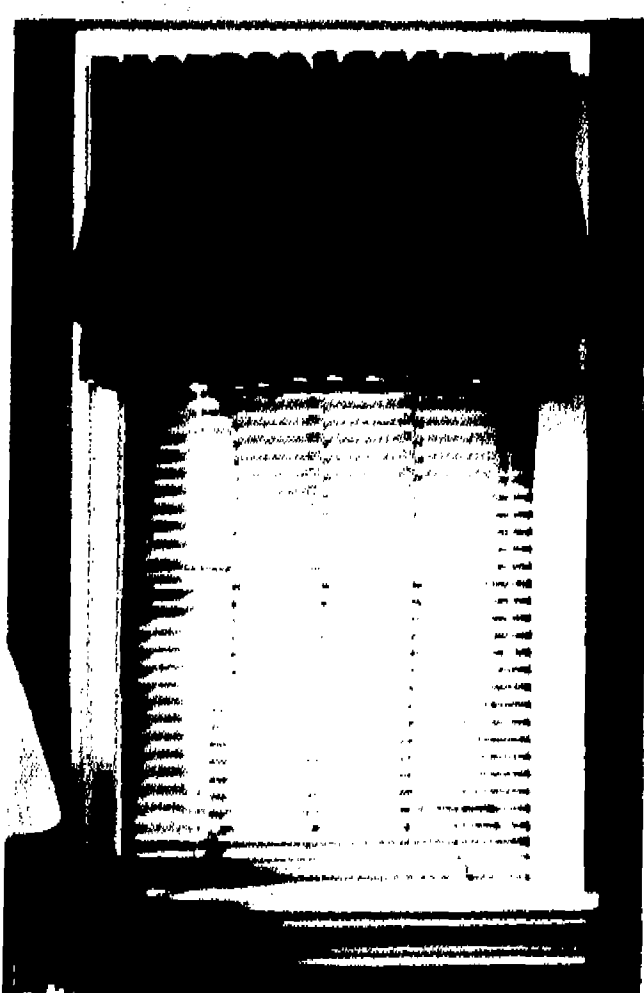
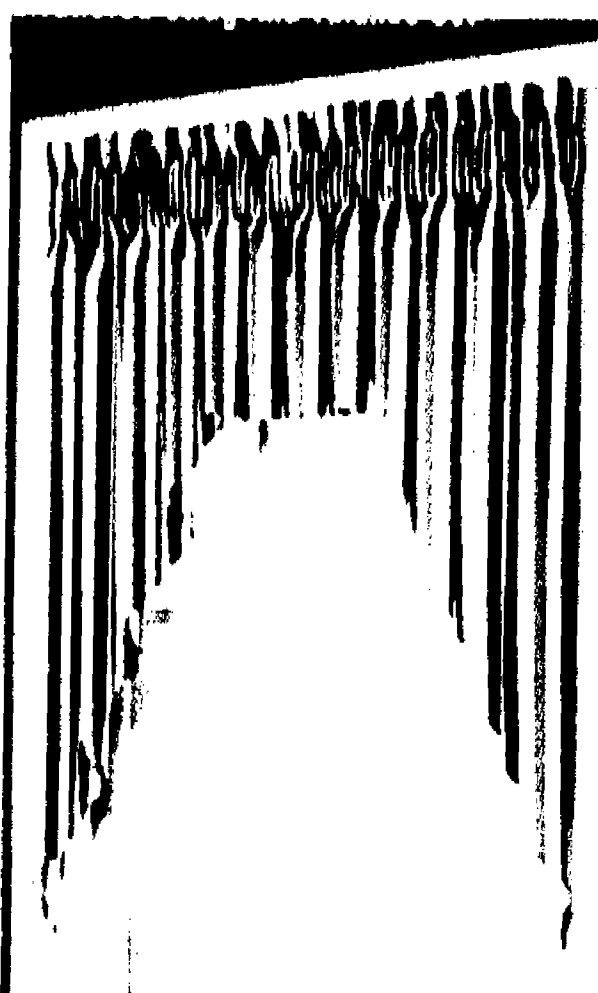
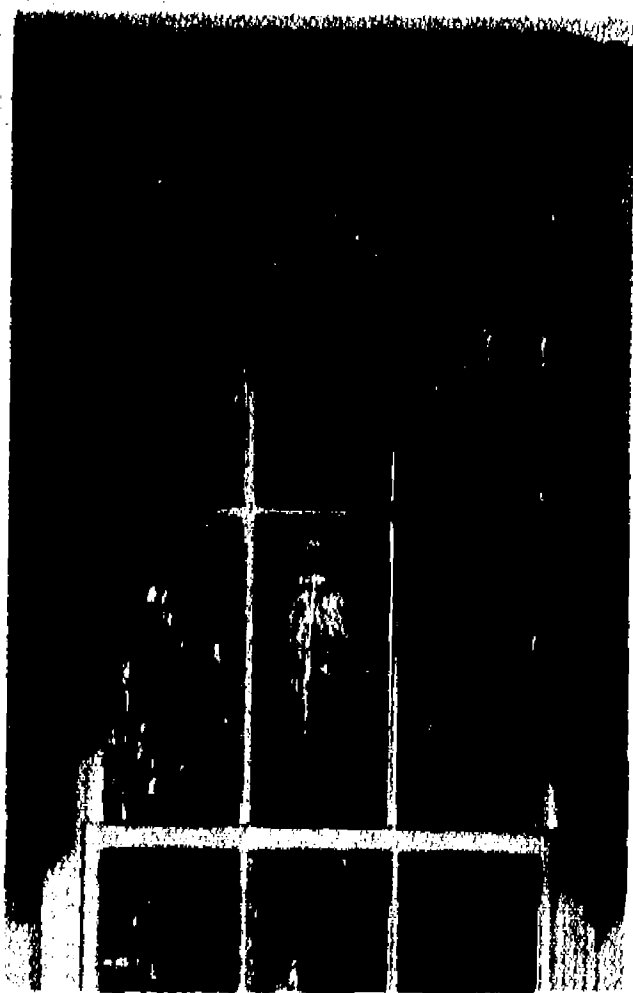
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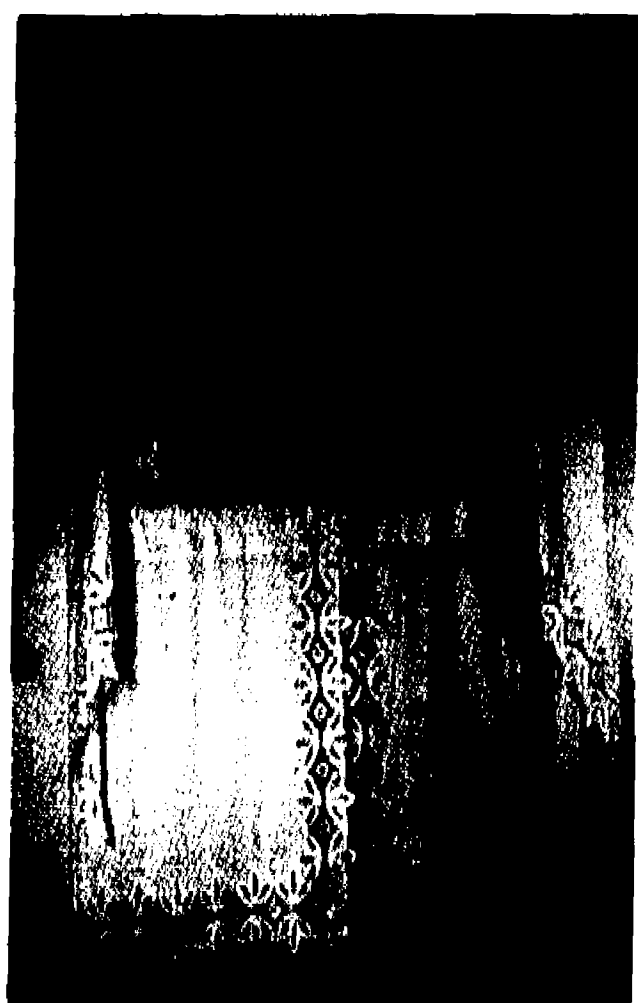
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- 100% cotton • Machine wash/dry
- Pre-shrunk to avoid shrinking

Keep warm these chilly winter nights. Newest colors: teal, cinabar and navy. Set includes top sheet, bottom sheet and pillow cases; (one with twin.)

	Value	SALE
Twin Set, 3 pc.	\$38	24.99
Full Set, 4 pc.	\$55	36.99
Queen Set, 4 pc.	\$64	43.99
King Set, 4 pc.	\$72	49.99

New Selections!

## 100% COTTON PLAID FLANNEL SHEETS **3399**

3 pc. Twin Set, Value \$48

- 100% Cotton • Machine wash/dry
- Pre-shrunk to avoid shrinking

Take comfort with these beautiful bedding coordinates. 2 colorful plaid patterns: Canterbury or Eaton.

	Value	SALE
Twin Set, 3 pc.	\$48	33.99
Full Set, 4 pc.	\$60	46.99
Queen Set, 4 pc.	\$72	53.99
King Set, 4 pc.	\$80	59.99



ENERGY SAVER!

## ELECTRIC BLANKETS by Sunbeam® **4999**

Twin, Value \$75

Keep warm this winter with beautiful "soft-touch" solid-color electric blankets. • Machine Wash/Dry

	Value	SALE
Twin	\$75	49.99
Full (Dual Control)	\$120	79.99
Queen (Dual Control)	\$135	89.99
King (Dual Control)	\$165	119.99

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ENSEMBLES AT THE  
LOWEST PRICES OF  
THE YEAR!**



## "WELLINGTON" BEDROOM ENSEMBLE

100% cotton. A brilliant bouquet of flowers, traditionally presented, richly colored and shown in this combination on a dramatic black background.

### WINDOW TREATMENTS

84" Lined Draperies	74.99
Blouse Valance	34.99
Bedroom Shade	59.99
174" Scarf	89.99

### MATCHING ACCESSORIES

70" Round Tablecloths	39.99
Wallpaper Borders	9.99
Small Lampshade	17.99
Medium Lampshade	23.99
Fabric Wastebasket	39.99
Boutique Tissue	18.99
Fabric Trinket Box	18.99
5" x 7" Frame	18.99
6' x 6' Shower Curtain	49.99

### COMFORTERS

Twin	79.99
Full	114.99
Queen	139.99
King	169.99
Std. Pillow Sham	29.99

### DUST RUFFLES

Twin	39.99
Full	49.99
Queen	59.99
King	69.99

### SCALLOPED QUILTS

Twin	69.99
Full/Queen	89.99

**15<sup>99</sup>**  
Twin Sheet  
Flat/Fitted

### MATCHING SHEETS

Twin Flat/Fitted	15.99
Full Flat/Fitted	24.99
Queen Flat/Fitted	34.99
King Flat/Fitted	43.99
Standard Pillow Cases (pair)	24.99
King Pillow Cases (pair)	29.99

### DUVET COVERS

Twin	99.99
Full/Queen	119.99
King	149.99



## "7/15" BEDROOM ENSEMBLE

**9<sup>99</sup>**  
Twin Sheet  
Flat/Fitted

### MATCHING SHEETS

Twin Flat/Fitted	14.99
Full Flat/Fitted	23.99
Queen Flat/Fitted	33.99
King Flat/Fitted	42.99
Standard Pillow Cases (pair)	23.99
King Pillow Cases (pair)	28.99

### COMFORTERS

Twin	79.99
Full	114.99
Queen	139.99
King	169.99
Std. Pillow Sham	29.99

### DUST RUFFLES

Twin	39.99
Full	49.99
Queen	59.99
King	69.99

### SCALLOPED QUILTS

Twin	69.99
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### WINDOW TREATMENTS

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Boutique Tissue	18.99
Fabric Trinket Box	18.99
5" x 7" Frame	18.99
6' x 6' Shower Curtain	49.99

## "7/15" COMFORTER ENSEMBLE



by Laura Ashley

English charm freshly expressed in a fresh and elegant.  
200 thread count polyester/cotton percale, made in U.S.A.

**18<sup>99</sup>**  
Twin Flat/Fitted

### MATCHING SHEETS

Twin Flat/Fitted	18.99
Full Flat/Fitted	27.99
Queen Flat/Fitted	37.99
King Flat/Fitted	46.99
Std. Pillow Cases (pair)	26.99
King Pillow cases (pair)	31.99

### COMFORTERS

Twin	79.99
Full	114.99
Queen	139.99
King	169.99
Std. Pillow Sham	29.99

### DUST RUFFLES

Twin	39.99
Full	49.99
Queen	59.99
King	69.99

### MATCHING ACCESSORIES

Pole Top Drapery (2 pr.)	89.99
Blouse Valance	39.99
Bed Towel	11.99
Hand Towel	6.99
Wash Cloth	4.99
Shower Curtain	49.99
Tumbler	14.99
Rug Dish	14.99
Letter Dispenser	18.99
Toothbrush Holder	14.99
70" Round Tablecloth	34.99
Lamp Shade	29.99
Two Pillows	29.99
(Square, Round, Rect)	

**CROSCILL PATTERNS  
IN STOCK**

Cheyenne  
Fiesta  
Granada

Isis  
Melbourne  
Nelson

Park Avenue  
Pleated Shade  
Sedona

Stardust  
Vienna  
Wellington

Antique Satin  
Capri  
Cascade



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"Since 1934"

# HOME FURNISHINGS

BUY ONE  
GET TWO  
FREE



**FABRIC LAND INTRODUCES DOWN AT EVERYDAY LOW DOWN PRICES!**

**WALKER PRICES** **NATURAL**

**DOWN COMFORTERS**  
In Rich Decorative Colors

**59<sup>99</sup>** **100%**

Twin, 34 oz.

• 200 Thread Count • 100% Cotton Cover  
You'll appreciate the smooth softness of this 100% cotton cover.

	EVERYDAY
Full/Queen 34 oz. ....	59.99
King 34 oz. ....	59.99

**Low Buy**

**WHITE GOOSE DOWN COMFORTERS**

**99<sup>99</sup>** **100%**

Twin, 34 oz.

• 200 Thread Count • 100% White Cotton  
Filled

A superb combination of softness and function. Sewing aimed to allow the down to "loose" within for even warmth distribution, ensuring you a restful night sleep.

	EVERYDAY
Full/Queen 34 oz. ....	109.99
King 34 oz. ....	109.99

**Lofted Box European**

**WHITE GOOSE DOWN COMFORTERS**

**119<sup>99</sup>** **100%**

Twin, 34 oz.

• 200 Thread Count • 200 Thread Count  
• 100% Cotton Cover • 100%

Large individual compartments or "lofts" are sewn together and to the Box Bed to eliminate cold spots and guarantee unsurpassed warmth on even the coldest winter nights.

Full/Queen 40 oz. ....	109.99
King 40 oz. ....	109.99

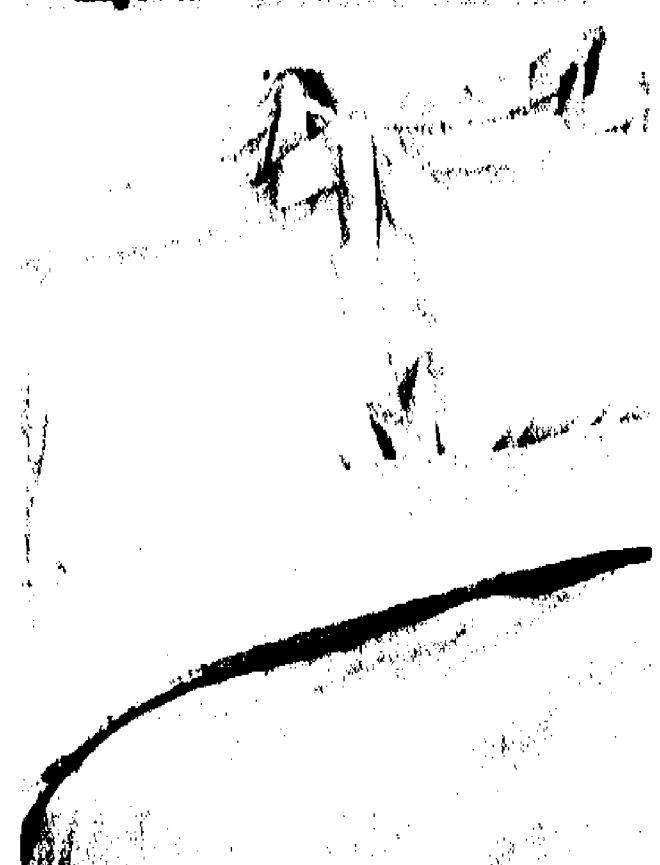
\*FILL POWER, the official standard used to measure the quality of down and its ability to insulate.

**SOLID COLOR SHEETS**  
by Springmaid

**BUY ONE, GET 2nd 1/2 PRICE**

Buy one solid color sheet set and get the second set at 1/2 price. Limit one per customer. While supplies last. Excludes all other items.

	EVERYDAY	1/2 PRICE
Twin Full/Queen	4.99	2.49
Full Full/Queen	5.99	2.99
Queen Full/Queen	6.99	3.49
King Full/Queen	7.99	3.99
Full/Queen (set of 3)	8.99	4.49
King Full/Queen (set of 3)	11.99	5.99



**4 PC. COMFORTER SETS**

**49<sup>99</sup>** **100%**

Twin, 3 pc. set, Value \$120

There's no easier way to give new life to your bedroom with beautiful value conscious comforter sets from Fabric Land. Set includes comforter, dust ruffles and 2 pillow shams. (1 sham with twin size).

	Value	SALE
4 pc. Full Set	\$180	89.99
4 pc. Queen Set	\$220	109.99
4 pc. King Set	\$260	129.99

Matching Window Treatments In-Stock.



**100% COTTON DUVET COVERS**  
ANY SIZE, ONE PRICE

**24<sup>99</sup>** **100%**

Regular to \$15

• TWIN • FULL/QUEEN • KING  
• Machine Wash/Dry • 200 Thread Count

Protect your down comforter with these comforter covers. Hunter, wine, rose, white, navy and black. Button closure.

**ANY SIZE COMFORTER**  
by **Fieldcrest**

• TWIN • FULL/QUEEN • KING

**28<sup>88</sup>** **100%**

Values to \$75

Fieldcrest offers a comfortable end to your day. Assorted bright prints provide superb comfort in any season. Slight imperfections will not affect wear.



**PATCHWORK QUILTS**  
ANY SIZE, ONE PRICE

**59<sup>99</sup>** **100%**

Value to \$100

• TWIN • FULL/QUEEN • KING

• Trip Around The World  
• Grandma's Plate

A lovely gift, these hand-made quilts have a quilted center. Full heirloom quality you'll pass down for generations to come. 100% cotton with polyester batting.

**Fabric Land's DOUBLE Guarantee!**

1. If at any time for any reason you are not completely satisfied with your purchase of a stock item from Fabric Land

2. If you find the identical stock item for less at another store, we will refund you the difference IN CASH with acceptable proof.



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# QUILTING & JEWELRY



## 100% COTTON QUILTING FABRIC

**1/2 PRICE**

45" Wide, Regular to \$7 yd.  
Specially selected groups from our regular stock fabrics. The creative possibilities are practically endless...whatever your imagination can create. Calicos, prints, paisleys, florals.

## SHAKER QUILT RACKS

Show off several quilts at once, comes fully assembled.

**29<sup>99</sup>**

Value \$40

## 100% COTTON CALICO PRINTS

45" Wide, Values to \$4.40 yd., Lengths Assorted prints and colors from famous makers.

**1<sup>99</sup>**

yd.

## 100% COTTON MUSLIN

45" Wide, Regular 2.00 yd. Bleached or unbleached.

**1<sup>99</sup>**

yd.



## ROTARY CUTTING MATS

*by June Tailor*

**20% off**

Won't warp or buckle, crack or peel. Convenient non-slip handle. Including Cut N' Press, cut on one side, flip over and press on other.

## 100% COTTON COUNTRY SOLIDS

EVERYDAY LOW PRICE

by Concord

**2<sup>99</sup>**

45" Wide

Assorted prints. A great value for every quilting and craft project.

## AND THE BEAD GOES ON...

Express 80's style with a splash of 60's exuberance! Be a part of today's Bead Generation...visit Fabric Land's new improved bead department. Unique designer jewelry parts featuring a large selection of beads from: Africa, India, China, Russian, Baltic Amber, American Turquoise.

Gemstones, fetishes, heishi, coins, wooden beads, metal stampings, cloisonne, blown glass, capal gemstone animals, Mexican silver coins, watch findings and clasps, hand made silver beads, Ethiopian crosses, crystal rondels, sinou, easy stick earring backs, instant bar pins, genuine Buffalo and Indian head silver buttons, sterling wire coil spacer beads, instruction books, beading needles, round leather thong, bead design boards, clear adhesive, silk thread, waxed cord, connector loops, jump rings, bead tips, end bars, bell caps, crimp beads, bails, split rings, clasps, head pins, earring backs, cones, kidney ear wire, crystal clusters, copper beads, eye pins, bola tips, brocade pouches, Austrian crystal gemstone beads.

## BEAUTIFUL FABRIC LAND BUTTONS

Be Creative...Designer Buttons At Fabric Land! New Jersey's Largest Selection Of Designer And Jeweled Buttons.



## AMBER 20% OFF

Amber...spectacular pieces...in our unmatched collection in Fabric Land's jewelry department. Our Amber selection is completely unsurpassed...anywhere. You'll find a breathtaking selection of Amber...in every color from sunrise yellow to azure blue...perfect pieces in necklaces, bracelets, rings, earrings, pendants, plus individual pieces and stones to cherish display.

## WATCHES

**12<sup>99</sup>**

We have all the newest designs, from casual to the most elegant evening wear watches, all with precision quartz movement.

## CUBIC ZIRCONIAS

Our collection includes stud earrings, pendants, solitaires, tennis bracelets, and anniversary bands. Set in 14 kt. gold and 18 kt. gold overlay.



## 1" VINYL MINI BLINDS

Get controlled light, privacy, and a custom made look for one low price. All sizes in white and ivory. Most sizes in rose, hunter green and blue.

**3.99**

EVERYDAY PRICE  
25" Wide x 45" Long  
Width x Length  
25" x 64" ..... 14.99  
45" x 64" ..... 16.99  
65" x 64" ..... 18.99

**6.99**

EVERYDAY PRICE  
WIDER:  
25", 27", 29", 30",  
31", 32", 33", 34",  
35", 36"  
ALL 64" LONG

## FABRIC PLEATED SHADES

- Elegant Satin Look • 100% Polyester
- Bone, white and hunter green

EVERYDAY PRICE

**16.99**

Custom Made \$25

25" Wide x 64" Long

Width	# Cuts	EVERYDAY PRICE	Value	# Cuts	EVERYDAY PRICE
25"	...	\$29.99	30"	...	\$45.99
31"	...	\$35.99	45"	...	\$60.99
35"	...	\$40.99	65"	...	\$65.99
35"	...	\$42.99			

## LACE PLEATED SHADES

- 100% Polyester
- Scotchguarded to Resist Stains
- White or Bone

**19.99**

Value \$30

25" Wide x 64" Long

Width	Value	SALE
27", 29", 30", 32", 33", 36" \$50		34.99
38" .....	\$60	34.99
45" .....	\$100	39.99

All 64" Long

## KORDIVAN LIGHT FILTERING WINDOW SHADES by Joanna

Cut to fit windows up to 72".

Not Responsible For Typographical Errors.

**1/2**  
PRICE



**If You're A Knitter, You Must See Our New Fall Yarn Collection... No Other Store Can Match It!**

**New For Fall!  
20 New Yarns In  
Over 250 Colors**

At Fabric Land  
We Feature Yarns By:

- Pingouin • Brunswick
- Tahki • Classic Elite
- On Line • Filature di Crosa
- Sirdar • Unger
- Patons • Katia
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From 1.95 to \$15

## BRUNSWICK YARNS

Excellent selection of our 5 new yarns. Great color selection.

MADE IN U.S.A.

**20% OFF**

## LIBERTY YARNS

100% Monsanto Acrylic,  
200 yds., Worsted  
weight, 16 colors.

**2.39**

Regular 2.99

## WOOL OF THE LAMB

100% Superwash®  
Merino Sport Wool, 12  
colors.

**3.60**

Regular 4.99

## RAMS SUPERWASH® WOOL

100% wool, 8 colors.

**4.76**

Regular 5.99

## IMPRESSIONS WOOL

**5.59**

Regular 6.99

## IMPRESSIONS MOHAIR

**7.19**

Regular 8.99

Impressions hand dyed mohair is especially beautiful when knitted together with Impressions hand dyed wool to a gauge of 5 sts = 2 inches on #13 needles.

## "LA LAINE" SUPERWASH® MERINO WOOL

Light worsted weight, 14 colors.

**5.96**

Regular 6.99

# YARNS & NEEDLEWORK



## 1 Pound Bag Of WORSTED WEIGHT BRUNSWICK YARN

**5.99**

Value \$15

Come check out this super value! Create beautiful sweaters or afghans. Assorted colors to select from. One bag makes a sweater. Machine washable.

## "MOUSE" by Patons

The beautiful 100% merino sport wool in the stockings of a giant mouse. 100% wool, all machine washable. 20 yards long.

**1.99**



**ERICA WILSON, "FIRST LADY OF STITCHERY"**  
Will present two Needlepoint Workshops at Fabric Land  
**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11**  
**10:00 A.M. - 12 NOON OR**  
**2:00 P.M. TO 4 P.M.**

\$40 per person (one seminar)

Price includes Free Needlepoint Cosmetic Bag

Attention Needlepointers! You will have the opportunity to spend two hours with Erica Wilson as she presents a workshop and seminar for Fabric Land customers. During the two-hour program, you will be given a COSMETIC BAG in appreciation while Erica shows you new stitch techniques, and discusses her colorful career.



**Special Selection CHRISTMAS KITS HAVE ARRIVED 20% OFF**

Stockings, ornaments, tree skirts, tablecloths and pictures all from famous makers in your favorite stitching techniques.

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# FASHION FABRICS

## Velvets & Velvetene

Fabric Land has the largest selection of velvets and velvetene from pastels to warm fall colorations. Great for all your holiday and special occasions. Including the most popular, hottest look of crushed velvet, silk velvet, glitter velvet, also printed velvetene. Ask for your book on "How-To-Sew With Velvet".

P.S. From *Jane Taylor* We also carry velvet needle boards needed for pressing velvets.

**FOR ONLY \$23.95**  
Regular to \$39.95

## Fabric Land On Prints & Patterns...

Collage patterns, checks and stripes, country prints and plaids, mix of patchwork of plaids and florals.

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Collage patterns, checks and stripes, country prints and plaids, mix of patchwork of plaids and florals.

## Fabric Land Is Your Winter Headquarters With Fantastic Savings On Wools...

### Our Better Wools

A beautiful selection of wool flannels, coatings, wool crepe, gabardine, melbaire, jacquards wools (as seen on the cover of Vogue Patterns), plus a great selection of solids, plaids, fancies, in brights, neutrals and fall colorations.

### Wool Knits

As seen in fashions from the finest department stores. The same wools found in garments to \$600 and more for a fraction of the cost. A collection of wool jerseys and double knits for your comfort ideal for making a shirt or the new wide leg pants.

### Washable Wool Blends

Solids and plaids, great for constructing chill-chasing fashions for children and as well as adults.

### New! Direct From Paris DESIGNER WOOLENS

Winter is the prime time for enhancing your wardrobe with designer wools. Choose from cashmere in striking brights; wool bouclé, checks; with metallics, solids, plus silk prints. All from famous designer showrooms, exclusively for you at Fabric Land.

### Now This Fall! Expanded Interfacing Department

*Interfacing for the Beginners to the Most Advanced Dressmaker!*  
A complete line of interfacings for your specialized tailoring needs. Includes: knit, iron-on, sew-on, black and white, gray and beige. Each bolt is complete with instructions which guide you with sewing the

## COCKTAIL & EVENING WEAR

**1/2 PRICE**

An elegant selection of crepes, sheating, satin, taffetas, glitter, knits, velvets.

## SOLID COLOR TAFFETA 2.99 yd.

A crisp special occasion favorite offered in brights and pastels.  
48" Wide, Regular 65 yd.

## ASSORTED KNITS 5.99 yd.

Wool, wool blends and poly/cottons. Values 88 yd.

## LACES 1/2 PRICE

Your choice of colors and patterns. Polyester or Nylon Polyester.  
48" & 60" Wide.  
Regularly from 4.99 yd.

## Special Purchase DENIM KNITS 3.49 yd.

As featured in fine ready to wear fashions.  
60" Wide.

## Select Assortment! WOOLS 1/2 PRICE

This selection is limited. You'll find wool suitings, 100% wool, wool blends. A great buy for your winter wardrobe.

## 100% WOOL & WOOL BLENDS 6.98 yd.

Timely yet timeless plaids, solids, gabardines and men's wear looks.  
60" Wide, Lengths, Regular to 814 yd.

## New Fall Collection...

Now is the time to spruce up your wardrobe with beautiful fashion silks from Fabric Land. We have the fabrics to help you look your best for those special occasions and formal events.

- Metallic Raw Silks
- Printed Silk Jacquards
- Silk Taffeta
- Silk Satin
- Silk Organza
- Silk Chiffon
- Silk Velvets
- Silk Linings
- Stonewash Silk
- Silk Charmuse
- Silk Metallic Stripes & Plaids



## New Jersey's Largest Selection Of BRIDAL & SPECIAL OCCASSION FABRIC

For every occasion...from moderately refined to outrageously formal, we satisfy all your needs as well as your budget! Fabric Land is totally committed to making your special day the success you've always envisioned.

- Crepes
- Ribbons Laces
- Chiffons
- Tulle For Vails
- Tulle for
- Flower Bouquets
- Satins
- Chantilly Laces
- Hot Frames
- Sequin Fabric & Trims
- Pearls
- Bridal Head Pieces
- Laces
- Ready made Vails
- Silks
- Tulle Pre-Cut Circles
- Brocades
- Beaded Appliques

### Trims By The Yard

Venice Trims, Sequins, Pearls, Beaded Laces, Rhinestones

Large selection of bridal flowers and accessories to make your own Bridal Headpiece.

### YOUR BRIDAL VEIL CAN COST LESS THAN

# \$10

72" Nylon Nylon 2.50 yd.  
108" Nylon Nylon 84 yd.  
(Average veil is made from 2 yds.)



BUTTERICK #3511

## OVER 8,732 YARDS OF DRESS & SPORTSWEAR FABRIC

ALL AT JUST

# 2.99

yd.

- 45" & 60" Wide
- Lengths & Full Bolts
- All Machine Washable
- You'll Find These And Many More!
- Assorted Knits
- Full Prints & Solids
- Flannel Prints
- Printed "Linen-Type"
- Childrens' Prints
- Poly/Cotton Solid Interlock
- Warm-Up Fleece
- Printed "Silk-Look"
- T-Shirt Prints
- Sweatshirt Solids
- Sportswear Solids
- Cotton Gabardines

### CHRISTMAS LENGTHS

# 2.66

yd.

Fabric Land makes Christmas more memorable than ever with super holiday savings on our entire stock of holiday prints.  
45" Wide, Lengths, Regularly 3.00 yd.

### REUSABLE INSTANT RIBBON BOWS

All you do is pull the string and the bow is made when finished just untie the string and flatten...store for next year.

# 1/2

PRICE

### New! MAKE YOUR OWN NO-SEW TREE SKIRT

36" Pre-Packaged  
Felt Squares

# \$7

Tree Skirt w/instructions  
Includes all you need to make a festive tree skirt. Embellish with ribbons, lace, either glue or iron-fuse.

### New! GLITTER FELT SQUARES

# 48¢

each

### FELT SQUARES

# 18¢

each

### ALL SEWING BASKETS

# 20%

off



### "Dynasty Doll Collection"

Fabric Land has a fine collection of Dynasty Dolls. They all come with the Certificate of "Authenticity", are crafted of the finest Bisque porcelain parts, and all are limited to production in 1991! The collection ranges from infant size to the most elegant including our exclusive Bridal doll. We also carry the Dynasty Sweetheart Collection that are reasonably priced at \$29.99 to \$39. Some also have a music box encased in the body.

### Precious Moments Collection

Fabric Land also carries "Precious Moments", including limited edition "Children of the World" Dolls. These 9" tall dolls come complete with intricately detailed costumes, and soft vinyl movable arms, legs and head. We also carry an extensive collection of albums, bag books, address books, diaries, activity books, pencil cases, purses, carrying cases, pencils, book packs.

### Order Now! "MELINDA"

Melinda Melinda is dressed in electric blue floral jumper.

### LIMITED EDITION



## FREE EVENTS

New Fabric Painting Ideas for  
Fashions, Holiday Gifts and  
Decorating.

Thursday, November 4

### Here Comes The Victorian Bride!

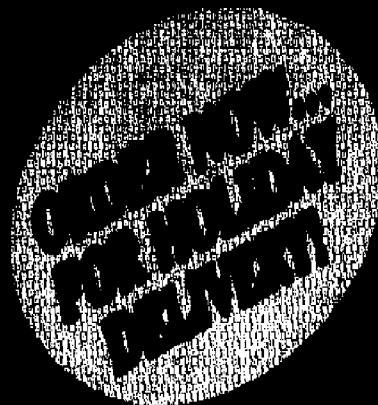
Beautiful Gown, Headpiece and  
Decorating Ideas for an  
Elegant Victorian Wedding!

Thursday, November 30

### "Dynasty" Doll Signing

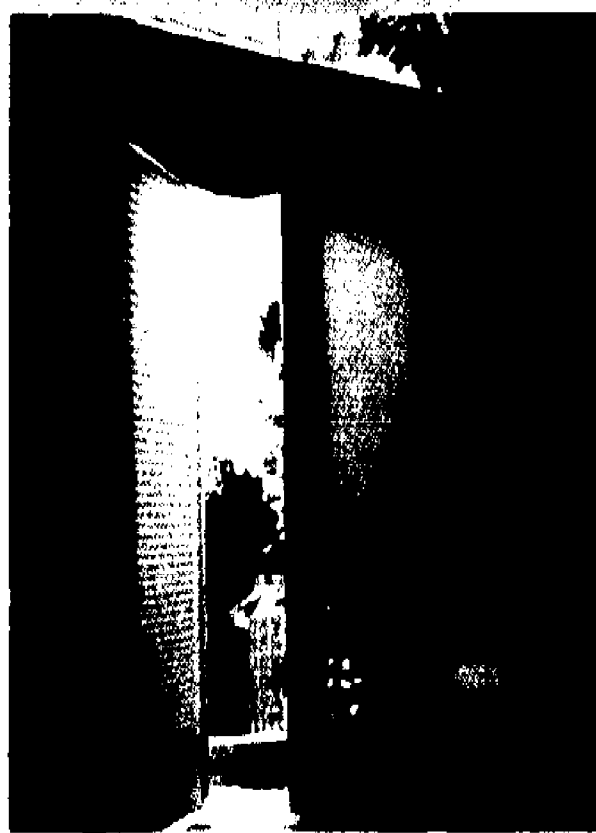
Donna Rovner, doll designer, will be at  
Fabric Land signing your Limited Edition  
doll purchases.

Thursday, December 2, 1:30-4:30



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# CUSTOM DECORATING



## CUSTOM MADE BEDSPREADS

• FULL • QUEEN • KING

**\$99\*** LABOR

THROW SIZE **\$79\*** LABOR

• Throw Style • Deluxe 8 oz. FILL • 20 Quilt Patterns  
Special prices also available on other styles, pillow shams and dust ruffles.  
\*Plus Fabric

DEL MAR

**SAVE UP TO 75%**



### Softlight™ Pleated Shades

Selected from selected for energy efficiency, various levels of opacity for privacy, or separate backing for uniformity. Available in specialty shapes, sizes and slights.

### Enchante™ Cellular Shades New Fall Colors

Cellular Shades that are seamless...without visible cords. Enchante™ offers a combination of high style and quality in beautiful fashion colors, with your choice of pleat size and opacity for your privacy needs.  
\*Free Continuous Cord Loop

### Touchglide™ Vertical Blinds

One of the most versatile window coverings, providing privacy, light control and easy maintenance featuring curved corner valance.

75% OFF Storm Pattern

### Classique® Wood Blinds

Capture the beauty of natural wood blinds in a variety of finishes: sophisticated High Gloss, Rugged Sand Blasted, Crackle - glass and more! Available in 1" and 2" slat widths and cloth ladder detail options in 11 designer colors. Free Designer Tipoff!

### Grande Classique® Blinds

Exceptionally functional with a vast array of high fashion colors, subtle neutrals and exciting textures (including pearled finishes) make Grande Classique Blinds an easy choice for decorating.

## SHOP-AT-HOME DECORATING SERVICE FREE

One easy phone call is all you need to have one of our experienced decorators provide you with great design for custom window treatments, bedroom ensembles and accessories. Our service, workmanship and selection makes Fabric Land the only choice. As always, there's no cost or obligation.

**1-800-334-0691**  
**OR (908) 755-4700**



**25% OFF**

### ACCENT FURNITURE

• BENCHES • CHAIRS • OTTOMANS

Add the finishing touch with perfectly co-ordinated accent pieces to complement any room! Upholstered furniture, handcrafted in the fabric of your choice, or select from Fabric Land's tremendous collection of Designer Fabrics or manufacturer's own. Order now for prompt delivery.



## WAVERLY®

### SPECIAL ORDER ENSEMBLE PROGRAM

- Bedspreads
- Comforters
- Pillow Shams
- Dust Ruffles
- Throw Pillows
- Draperies
- Valances
- Tablecloths
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