

Christmas, Chanukah

# **Bellevilleites of All Religions Prepare Services for Holidays**

Residents will celebrate the coming holidays with various religious services to be held Sunday through Tuesday and throughout Chanukah-the

Jewish Festival of Lights. Many churches are plan-ning vigils for Christmas Eve, pageants for church schools and Christmas worship services

At Congregation Ahavath Achim where the first candle of Chanukah was lit last night, there will be a second candlelighting tonight, and another tomorrow night at 8:30 p.m. On Saturday, there will be a 9 a.m. worship ser-vice, and a men's club breakfast Sunday at 10 a.m., where Doctors J. Grundfest and A. Fost will speak. On Friday, Dec. 28, a college homecoming service will be heid

Christian Apostolic Church will have a regular worship service tonight at 7:30 p.m. and Christmas carols will be sung by the youth of the church on Sunday at 10 a.m. There will be a regular worship service on Tuesday morning on Christmas Day.

Christmas Eve at Wesley Methodist Church will be celebrated with a candlelight service featuring hymns by the church choir. On Sunday

### **Library** Sets New Hours **During Crisis**

Belleville Public Library Director Gerard Hickey this week announced a cutback in opening hours during the energy crisis, effective January 1, 1974. On Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, the library at 221 Washington Avonue and the

Washington Avenue and the branch office at 30 Magnolia Street will open at 8 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. The library is

presently open until 9 p.m. The library and the branch office will close from December 22 to December 26 and on December 31 and January 1 for the Christmas holidays

morning, the church school group will hold a special ser-vice by the junior high school service, the message will be titled "Theme for Trumpets." Wesley Church will be open on Christmas day for prayer and meditation from 10 a.m. class, to which the public is invited. An 11 a.m. pageant titled "God So Loved," will involve the boys' choir, the to 6 p.m.

A Festival of the Eucharist will be held at Christ church choir, congregational singing and church school students. Christmas stockings Episcopal Church at their Christmas Eve vigil at 11:30 p.m. There will be another for Brooklyn Hospital will be hung on the tree. At the service at 7:30 p.m. Christmas Eve, and the choir will sing at Christmas Eve candlelight

the late service. Holy Com-munion will be given at 10 a.m. on Christmas Day. The annual church school

Christmas program will be held at Second Baptist Church Sunday at 3:30 p.m. and is open to the public. Children will recite, sing, and dramatize the Nativity. An 11 a.m. worship service will be

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will see us past the worst of

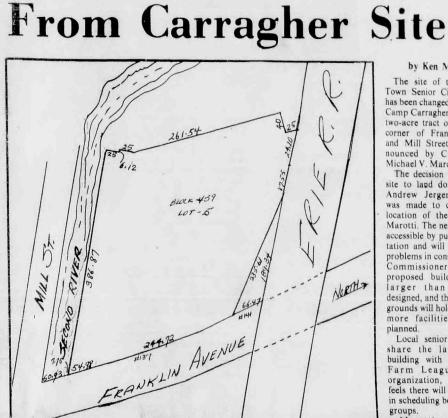
the fuel shortage. Belleville residents have traditionally

done an outstanding job of decorating and filling our town with Christmas spirit.

Let's try to keep that spirit alive through this difficult

time with unlighted outdoor

The Christmas House



**Switch Senior Center** 

PROPOSED SITE of the new Belleville Senior Citizen Center at the corner of Franklin Avenue and Mill Street. Pending approval by the Board of Commissioners, construction would begin in spring.

### by Ken Moore

The site of the proposed Town Senior Citizen Center has been changed from the old Camp Carragher grounds to a two-acre tract of land at the corner of Franklin Avenue and Mill Street, it was announced by Commissioner Michael V. Marotti last week.

The decision to switch the site to land donated by the Andrew Jergens Company was made to centralize the location of the center, said Marotti. The new site is more accessible by public transpor-tation and will present fewer problems in construction. The problems in construction. The Commissioner added the proposed building will be larger than originally designed, and the surrounding grounds will hold as many or more facilities than first planned

Local senior citizens will share the land and the building with the Belleville Farm League baseball organization, but Marotti feels there will be no conflict in scheduling between the two

groups. Marotti will officially propose the dedication of the site at the next Commission meeting on Thursday, Dec.

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# **Overcomes Blindness To Become Guitarist**

Seventeen-year-old Ed Scroczynski, of Union Avenue in Belleville, has been playing the guitar for seven years and is an ac-complished musician. The magic sounds that Ed creates with his guitar are a result of many hours of practice, determination; and an abundance of natural talent. The amazing thing is that up until last summer Ed could play any combination of notes or chords and yet not be able to tell you exactly what he was doing since he had never had any formal musical training.

A year ago last summer Ed was introduced to Dick Fieldhouse, Music Director of the Music Foundation for the Visually Handicapped. The Music Foundation is a non profit organization which provides free musical instruction and the free use of an in-

strument to any visually handicapped resident of New Jersey. With the help of Fieldhouse, volunteer instructors and some of the more advanced students in the program, Ed began to learn the theory behind the music. The progress Ed has made this past year has been tremendous and his newly acquired knowledge enables him to be more creative and to improve upon his playing techniques. Ed Scroczynski is just one of over 100 students in the Music Foundation. With 50 volunteer instructors the Foundation serves in more than 50 New Jersey communities. Some ten years ago Dick Fieldhouse, a musically talented lumberyard manager from Paramus, offered to teach a young blind girl to play the guitar, he had no idea that this simple act of

# **Board of Ed Awards Contracts for Roofing**

to the system in 1954, when he

The Board of Education went on to graduate from Monday night awarded two contracts totaling \$53,980 for Montclair State College in 1943 and was commissioned an ensign in the same year repairs to the roof of the after attending Midshipman's School at Notre Dame University. Grosch is a veteran of World War II and junior high school. At the same meeting, Joseph Grosch, principal of School One was transferred to School Seven to replace Mrs. Viola the Korean Conflict. Spray, who retired earlier this Hettaught Business Education at Belleville High School from 1946 to 1950, returning month.

Three bids were received on a proposal to repair the leaking roof on the junior high building. Tremco Manufacturing Company of Clifton submitted the low bid of \$36,135 against two bids of \$44,500 and \$39,750. On bidtaught eighth grade at School Seven, then seventh and eighth grade at School Four. He was appointed principal of School Nine in 1962. Married to the former

Adell Kleinknecht, they have three children. Grosch is now retired, from the Naval Reserve as a Commander, and was on active duty in summers until three years ago



# Town Yule Display Contest To Test Our Holiday Spirit

Some say the current energy crunch is putting a damper on Christmas spirits because of the noticeable lack of brightly-colored lights twinkling from houses and

doorways at twilight. The Town Recreation Department, and members of women's groups in Belleville don't think energy conservation should cut into Christmas cheer, and they're hoping other Bellevilleites will agree.

The annual House Christ-mas Display will be held again this year with one excep-tion—judging will be done in broad daylight instead of at dusk, so those residents who have their houses festooned

with lights won't have an edge on the energy-conscious. Also this year, the entire town won't be covered, but judges will review only the

homes of residents who request a visit. Tomorrow is the deadline to call the Recreation Department at 759-3142 if you wish to enter.

Heading the judging com-mittee again this year is Mrs. Richard A. Shafter, chairlady of the Fine Arts Committee of the Woman's Club. She will be aided by Mrs. Joan McGough of the Junior Woman's Club, along with a staff of 10-15 clubwomen.

Mrs. Shafter said the town will be divided into five areas, with one winner to be named from each section. Divisions

include Silver Lake, two sections in the Valley, the White Oak area and from Joralemon Street to Union Avenue to Mill Street. Judges will be influenced by

originality, good taste and the Christmas spirit projected by the displays. Mrs. Shafter said the theme this year will be "simplicity" and added, the decision to "de-emphasize" lighting is "more or less a patriotic sort of

thing. Recreation Director Robert Cook said, "the contest is being continued without lights but with the hope that another Christmas

Display Contest has proceeded annually for the past 20 years, with the Voman's Club handling judging for the past eight years, during which Mrs. Shafter has been committee

head each year.

displays.'

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PITCHING IN - The Times found this fellow cleaning up his beat on Washingtor Avenue after Sunday's snow. He visited Belleville courtesy of local merchants and Phil Gonnella

A snow and ice storm that swept the metropolitan area Sunday, leaving roads glassy, delaying commuter trains and playing havoc with power lines apparently failed to ruffle Bellevilleites.

Police report "only a handful" of minor accidents, the Fire Department encountered no difficulty in getting through on calls, and apparently the Public Works Department—called out in mid-morning to clear the roads in 15 degree temperatures-suffered no discomfort.

Roads foreman Pat LaMorte said truck tires were wrapped with chains on Friday afternoon in advance of the storm, which hit on Sunday, leaving an accumulation of 1.7 inches of snow and ice. A crew pulled out the department's 12 plows and two salting trucks, working throughout the day. Commissioner Mary Senatore and LaMorte, reviewing the worsening weather at 4 a.m. Monday, had the entire 40-man crew back out by : a.m

Over five and a half tons of rock salt were strewn on Belleville streets, said LaMorte, and the situation was routinely handled despite the breaking down of one of the salting trucks Monday morning. "By then we had it licked," said LaMorte, "so it wasn't too serious."

It was the first heavy accumulation since 1971, and though there was the mix nearly accumulation since yield the freezing con-ditions made the operation "a tricky one." "The boys worked really hard on this one, and it was the first year we've had a minimum amount of complaints in such a storm. In fact, we were almost getting lonesome."

Police Captain Robert Russomanno said the Town was "very hand." Captain Russomanno figured the factors accounting for Belleville's good luck were the closing of gasoline stations, the presence of football games to keep drivers home and the general reluctance of anyone to venture out into the storm.

Deputy Fire Chief William Fabian said the Fire Department had only to alter their running schedule, sending out more trucks to ensure full coverage at any possible fires. There was no difficulty with ice accumulations snapping fire alarm cables as had occurred in New York.

the junior high school. Newman Company of Orange was low with a bid of \$17,845 against one other bid of \$18,-640.

The school board also awarded a contract for \$1,875 to Klein Electrical Service of Newark for a new electrical panel in School Five.

Joseph Grosch, appointed School One principal in 1964 after two years as thead at School Nine, is a native of 'Newark and a Bellevilleite since his childhood. A graduate of Belleville High he

Joseph Grosche

Moves to School Seven

On November 29, which was our 32nd wedding an-niversary, my wife, Lil, tells me the cops pulled up to the house and she figured they were after me, perhaps con-juring up the ecstatic thought that she might be freed conjuring up the ecstatic thought that she might be freed from my annoyance in messing up her tidy home for a short while at least, however, it turned out to be the delivery of information I had sought from our amiable Police Chief, Joe Smith, concerning the enforcement of the alternate side of the street parking regulations which I desired to impart to the readers of the column. The kindly chief enclosed a photo-conv of the resolu-

The kindly chief enclosed a photo-copy of the resolution which was adopted unanimously by our com-missioners which reads: "Resolved By The Board of Commissioners of Belleville, N.J. THAT, the provisions contained in Ordinance 1814 adopted October 28, 1968,

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The Craig Fund's Holiday Drive remained in full gear this week - a list of recent donors appears on page 10.

• A lot of new faces appear on the first-string lineup of the Belleville High wrestling squad as they open against Wayne Valley today. For the season preview, see page 13.

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### **Census** Men Will Conclude **Consumer** Poll

Households in the Government's survey of con-sumer expenditures will have their last opportunity during the next few months to tell Uncle Sam how much it costs to live these days.

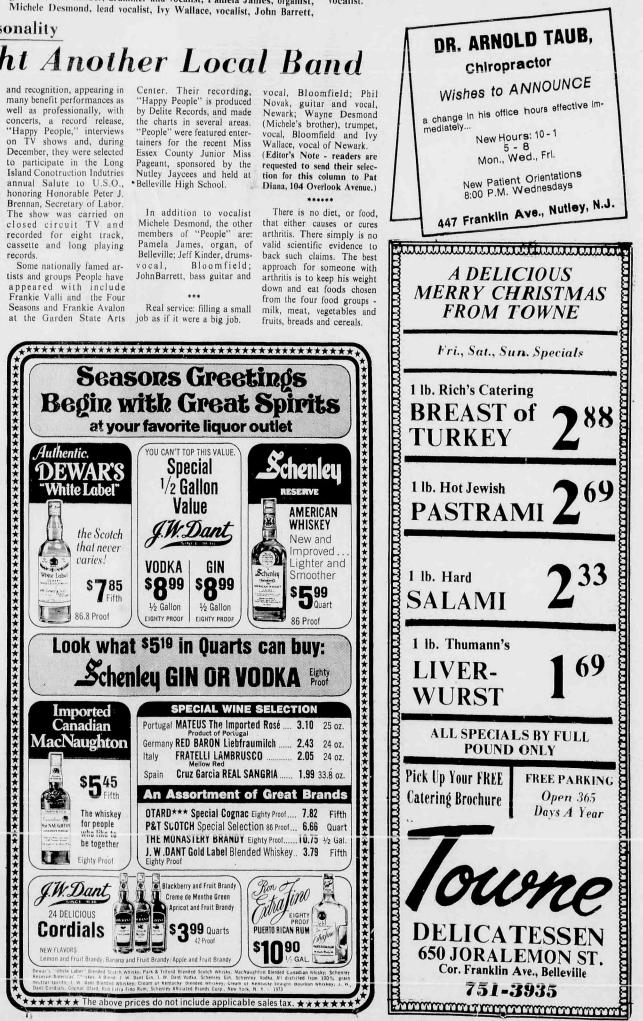
The nationwide Consumer Expenditure Survey, which began in January 1972, will be completed in late spring. It is being conducted by the Bureau of the Census, part of the U.S. Department of Commerce's Social and Economic Statistics Administration.

The survey in this area is administered from a field office in East Orange, Mrs. Marion Hartmann, office supervisor, says that households in the quarterly survey will be interviewed for the fifth and last time during January-March this year. These households have been in the survey since January 1973. Another group was also in the survey for five quarters, January 1972-March 1973. The Census Bureau is acting as data collection agent for the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). Results of the survey will show what changes have occurred in the buying habits of the American people since the last survey was taken in 1960-61.

The up-to-date data will enable BLS to revise the "market basket" of goods and services in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) to reflect current buying habits of American consumers. Price changes for items in the market basket are measured monthly by BLS and are reflected in the CPI each

YOUNG MUSICIANS, members of "People," are (l-r) Phil Novak, guitarist, Jeff Kinder, drummer and vocalist, Pamela James, organist,

bass guitarist and vocalist, and Wayne Desmond, trumpet player and vocalist.





About four years ago the group began, at that time named: "The Underground Lightbulbs". Guided by their manager, Nate D'Amore, with their music director. Im with their music director, Jim Dasaro (Belleville Travel), "People" moved out of the ranks of "just another rock

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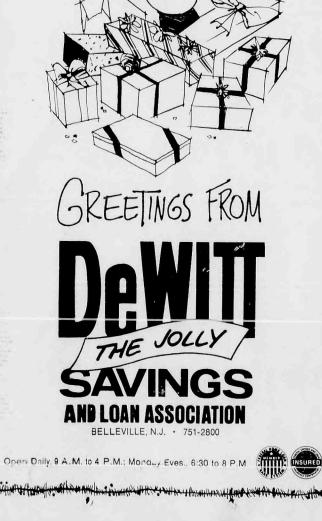
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# The Lamp Of Freedom

Guest Editorial by Rabbi Herbert Horowitz of Congregation Ahavath Achim of Belleville

Jews throughout the United States and the world will begin the observance of Chanukah this week. The prescribed ritual calls upon each family to light one ndle on the first night and to light an additional candle until the full eight candles of the "Menorah" are kindled.

"Menorah" are kindled. Why is the Jewish holiday of Chanukah celebrated in this manner? If the Mac-cabees won a military victory against the Syrian Greeks over 2100 years ago, why is there not a military parade in celebration of this great event? The answer, in light of the Yom Kippur War of October 6, 1973, is both striking and timely

The Maccabees of ancient Judea revolted against the tyranny of the Syrian Greeks in order to proclaim religious liber-ty throught the land. Their struggle against overwhelming odds was a struggle of man's spirit and yearning for freedom. The use of military power was only a means toward that end, the goal being the right to exist as a people, free to pursue life accor-ding to the tenets of Judaism. Thus, the miraculous victory gave the Jewish people the honor and privilege to light the lamp of freedom for the 2100 years.

The modern Maccabees of Israel have answered the latest attack upon their very existence on the holiest day of the Jewish calendar year with the same fighting spirit and self sacrifice of the Maccabees of old. When the torch of freedom is passed from one hand to another throughout Israel this year the words of the Prophet Zechariah will have the most profound meaning for all human beings who have faith in God and in the dignity of man: "Not by thy strength, but through my spirit, saith the Lord of Hosts."

# Christmas Eve

In many countries of the world December 24th is as much fun as the 25th. In England Christmas carols are sung on Christmas Eve. In Scandinavia and in many American homes a family dinner the afternoon of the 24th ushers in Christmas.

The custom of lighting candles (now lights in most cases) in windows on Christmas Eve originated, in this country, in Boston. The Santa Claus legend comes from Germany but it has been expanded and changed in America, with greater

While some in this country choose not to

for the rest of the year.

emphasis on toys for children. And Christmas Eve night, of course, is the high pitch of anticipation for millions of youngsters. Many churches have special Christmas Eve services. Some church choirs still go

about singing carols on Christmas Eve. The great Christmas rush, unfortunately, reaches its hectic climax for millions of parents on the 24th. If one can plan ahead and enjoy a leisurely Christmas Eve, it can bring as much pleasure, fulfillment and reward as the 25th.

# **Bulletin Board**

School Seven.

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Church

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League - Jr. High.

Methodist Church.

boys & Girls - Rec. House

Boys, 13-18, Stadium.

Men - Stadium.

Stadium

School Four.

12-15, School One

League, boys 9-12, Sr. High.

Men - Stadium. 6:30 p.m. - The Kiwanis Club of Belleville -

The Fountain. 6:30 p.m. - Cardinal Belles - precision

marching taught to girls, age 7-15, School

7 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Girls Gym Night, age
12-17 - School Nine.
7 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Elementary Basketball
practice, boys, 9-12, School Five.
7 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Men's Basketball
league 1r. High

7 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Sr. Girls Gym, 13-18, School Nine.

8 p.m. - Younginger/Alden Post 275 - 17 Belleville Ave.

8 p.m. - Auxiliary, Younginger/Alden Post 275 - 17 Belleville Ave.

9 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous - Wesley

9 p.m. - Al Anon - Wesley Methodist

10-3 - Flower Sale - Poinsetta Plants -

9:15 a.m. - Rec. Dept. Preschool Play for

3-5 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Jr. Weightlifting,

5-9 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Sr. Weightlifting -

6:45 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Jr. Rifle Club - 12-18,

10 a.m. - Rec. Dept. Twirling - Girls 6-14

1 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Open Basketball - Boys

l p.m. - Rec. Dept. Elementary Basketball Clinic, boys 9-12, Sr. High.

p.m. - Rec. Dept. Elementary Basketball

l p.m. - Rec. Dept. Open Basketball League, boys 16 plus Jr. High.

- Rec. Dept. Twirling, Girls 6-9,

1 p.m. - Rec. Dept. Jr. Basketball League, boys 12-14 - Jr. High.

p.m. - Rec. Dept. Wrestling, Boys 9-12, Sr. High.

10 a.m. - Men's Club, Congregation Ahavath Achim, 125 Academy St. Monthly Breakfast. Speakers: Dr. Jack Grundfest: "Surgery - Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow" and Dr. Arthur Post: "Allergy Old and New"

2-5 p.m. American Legion Post 105 -Children's Christmas Party.

2-5 p.m. Nutley Art Group sponsors an exhibit by two artists; Adele Scott, acrylics and Ann Chase - oils. Public invited to Nutley Art Museum, 65 Church St.

No Recreation Department programs. Schools Closed Santa is Coming!

Merry Christmas

9:15 a.m. Rec. Dept. Preschool play for boys & girls - Rec. House.

9:30 a.m. - Retired Men's Club of Belleville - Fewsmith Church.

1 p.m. - Valley Sr. Citizens - clubhouse in park.

6:30 p.m. Rec. Dept. Men's Gym, Adults 25 plus - Jr. High.

8 p.m. - Amvets Memorial Post 26 Meeting, 100 Newark Ave.

JANUARY 7 - Fewsmith Presbyterian Church 50th Anniversary Breakfast

JANUARY 11 - Cocktail Reception party, The Manor, West Orange to honor Mrs. Viola Spray, retiring principal School Seven. Tickets deadline January 4. Call:759-5566 or 751-3118.

FEBRUARY 11 - Rosary Altar Society of St. Anthony's Church, Chinese Auction. For tickets: 759-6722 or 759-2882.

FEBRUARY 22 and 25 - "The Merry Widow" by Ann and Dave Daniels - at Branch Brook Manor. Dinner and show -\$10. Call 759-4913. March 14 - School Seven Card Party - The

Fountain.

April 25 - The Kiwanis Club of Belleville Card Party - The Fountain.

# A Canadian Telling It

To the Editor: Please publish the enclosed reprint from "U.S. News and World Report" in your paper. I, too, am tired of hearing of America's faults blared forth on T.V. and in newsprint, without giving credit where credit is due. Here

send me the enclosed copy.

(In these days of unrelieved foreboding and gloomy news, all of us in this country could do with a little bucking up. It isn't often that we get a chance to see

ourselves as a neighbor sees us-and be cheered by the image.

editorial from Toronto. Any number of people in this country heard it or have since read it, as it has been widely reprinted in newspapers in the U.S. It was inserted in the "Congressional Record" and became the subject of many

heartening reading right now. For the benefit of

This Canadian thinks it is time to speak up for the Americans as the most generous and possibly the least appreciated people on all the earth.

tain and Italy were lifted out of the debris of war by the Americans who poured in billions of dollars and forgave other billions in debts. None of these countries is today paying even the interest on its remaining debts to the United States

1956, it was the Americans who propped it up, and their reward was to be insulted and swindled on the streets of Paris.

is the United States that hurries in to help. ... This spring, 59 American communities (were) flattened by tornadoes. Nobody helped. The Marshall Plan and the Truman Policy

those countries are writing about the decadent, warmongering Americans.

is gloating over the erosion of the United States dollar build its own airplanes.

international lines except Russia fly American planes?

Why does no other land on earth even consider putting a man or woman on the moon? You talk about Japanese technocracy, and you get radios. You talk about German

technocracy, and you get automobiles. You talk about American technocracy, and

you find men on the moon-not once but several times-and safely home again.

put theirs right in the store window for everybody to look at.

Even their draft-dodgers are not pursued and hounded. They are here on our streets, and most of them—unless they are breaking Cana-

When the railways of France, Germany and India were breaking down through age, it was the Americans who rebuilt them. When the Pennsylvania Railroad and the New York Cen-tral went broke, nobody loaned them an old caboose. Both are still breake caboose. Both are still broke.

I can name you 5,000 times when the Americans raced to the help of other people in trouble. Can you name me even one time when someone else raced to the Americans in

trouble? I don't think there was outside help even during the San Francisco earthquake.

Our neighbors have faced it alone, and I'm one Canadian who is damned tired of hearing them kicked around.

They will come out of this thing with their flag high. And when they do, they are entitled

How many have tried to stay awake Christmas Eve night, to hear Santa land on the roof? How many have left food by the fireplace? How many have thrilled to the home a nostalgic, loved centerpiece in the marrow at a glimpse of him, in red and our long agos and memories.

# A Resolution

Santa Claus

One resolution millions would like to see come true in 1974 is a resolution on the part of the television networks to mercifully end the continuing round of specials honoring various television stars or socalled comedians.

Many of these whingdings represent a kind of show-biz nepotism, and the specials are swapped back and forth among the New York types who dominate commercial television today. The latest

Very few overpaid U.S. television per-

catastrophe inflicted on American viewers was a Milton Berle special.

formers deserve specials dedicated to their ego and future earning power. The sugar tossed back and forth is often so phony, the high praise so undeserved, and the star buildup so obvious, one develops indiges-tion before he or she can switch to another channel



HERE HE COMES! Santa Claus himself made an appearance at the Belleville Senior Citizens' Club Christmas party held Wednesday, Dec. 13 at the Fountain Restaurant. More pictures of the party will follow next week.

THE STATE WE'RE IN Now We Should Start Enforcing

observe the Santa Claus tradition at gone out to him, of childish hopes for wonderful toys and fun? Christmas, which is their privilege and not to be critized, for most American children Christmas Eve is a magic night unmatched

If it can't last, and it can't; if it isn't real life, and it isn't, it is nevertheless a magic time of joy and excitement and wonderful anticipation for youngsters, and even more reward for parents. For young and old the sweet memories never die-and help keep

white? How many millions of letters have

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is a Canadian telling it as it is. Jack O'Brian, W.O.R., was kind enough to

Sincerely, Mrs. Charles W. Howe 143 Mountainview Avenue, Nutley

Some time ago Gordon Sinclair, the Cana-dian radio and TV commentator, broadcast an

editorials. Mr. Sinclair's commentary makes especially those who have missed it, excerpts are presented here.—Howard Flieger, Editor.)

Germany, Japan and, to a lesser extent, Bri-

When the franc was in danger of collapsing in

I was there. I saw it. When distant cities are hit by earthquakes, it

pumped billions upon billions of dollars into discouraged countries. Now newspapers in

I'd like to see just one of those countries that

Come on, let's hear it! Does any other country in the world have a plane to equal the Boeing Jumbo Jet, the Lockheed Tristar or the Douglas 10? If so, why don't they fly them? Why do all the

You talk about scandals, and the Americans

dian laws—are getting American dollars from Ma and Pa at home to spend here...

# Environmental Laws That Exist

By David F. Moore

N.J. Conservation Foundation

WE OFTEN HEAR the line, "Why worry about new environmental laws when we're inadequately enforcing the ones we've got?" I can think of plenty of new laws that are urgently needed, but unfortunately there's some truth in that observation.

Take Chapter 199 of the Public Laws Take Chapter 199 of the Public Laws of 1954, for example. Somebody should. It's a scary example of government's frequent tendency to let the foxes guard the chickens. Chapter 199 is optimistically named "The Real-ty Improvement Sewerage and Facilities Act," and sets the rules for in-stalling potable water supplies and sewerage systems for places like sewerage systems for places like housing developments.

ANYBODY WHO LIVES in those houses are the chickens being guarded by the foxes. The foxes are an advisory committee called for in Caapter 199 to set construction standards for things like septic systems "to insure their safe-the advance and propriety." ty, adequacy and propriety ...

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Of the nine members, one each is Of the nine members, one each is named from the Department of En-vironmental Protection and Health. Fine. But the other seven? Are you ready? They are picked from lists offered by the state Association of Real Estate Boards, Health Officers Association, Society of Professional Engineers, League of Municipalities, Home Builders Association, Institute of Municipal Attorneys and Title In-surance Association. With the possible exception of the Health Officers Association, it would be hard to find a more self-serving group where housing more self-serving group where housing developments are concerned, in no way

concerned with environmental effects. THEY ARE PEOPLE who suggest the code which says how far a septic system can be from a stream, lake or water supply like a private or public well. These standards bear scant relationship to the realities of intelligent pollution control.

pollution control. This all-star team is now involved with the required two-year revision of

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the rules; but a year late! Construction changes are going to be hard to come by even though home septic systems are one of the biggest pollution sources in this crowded state we're in. WITH THE RIGHT regulations, septic tanks are one of the best ways of treating home sewage. They recycle

treating home sewage. They recycle water and nutrients on the spot, for almost immediate reuse. But a number of things must happen efficiently. Effluent, partially purified by bacteria in the septic tank, is then allowed to soak into the ground, through a filter bed - a series of sieve-like pipes just below the grass roots.

The rate at which the water seeps into the ground is called the "percolation rate." It depends on the makeup of the soil, and the level of water underground so the size and design of the disposal system must be geared to the ground it enters. If the percolation rate is too slow, dirty water rises to the surface and into streams, creating a health hazard all the way. If it's too fast, effluent can get into water-bearing formations which feed nearby wells before soil bacteria can clean it up.

The numbers now incorporated into Chapter 19 to regulate the sizes of systems and the distances they may be placed from wells and water bodies, as well as the numbers defining percolation rates, bear little resemblance to recent research, nor any other factual base

Too many developments have been built without proper heed to these basics. Too many engineers have "faked" percolation tests. Too many boards of health have looked the other way. Too many back yards smell like cress proje cess pools

THE TIME HAS COME for the public to demand better protection from the State Department of En-vironmental Protection as well as from local boards of health. After all, septic tank owners do operate their own sewer plants!

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to thumb their nose at the lands that are

gloating over their present troubles. I hope Canada is not one of these. U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT, Nov. 19,

# Christmas Seal Campaign

More than 60 million American families and businesses have received their 1973 Christmas Seals in the mail. The Christ-mas Seal campaign is a traditional reminder that the battle against lung dis-eases is yet to be won. About 35 million men, women and children suffer from such respiratory ailments as emphysema, chronic bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma and tuberculosis. Social Security disability payments to chronic lung disease victims last year totaled \$400 million, according to Robert S. Deasey, President of the Essex Vorthwest TB-Respiratory Disease League, which sponsors the annual cam-paign in Essex county.

This year's national honorary chairman is Johnny Bench, all-star catcher for the Cincinnati Reds, who last year underwent lung surgery for removal of a lesion caused by a rare fungus disease known as valley fever

Last year's Christmas Seal campaign raised a record \$38,000,557. Of this total, Parsed a record \$38,000,557. Of this total, 90% was retained by community and state associations for various locally-oriented programs. Today's fight for healhy lungs is everyone's problem. As you live and breathe, give more to Christmas Seals. They fight air pollution and eigarette smoking, too.

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# Browsing Belleville

(write me at 104 Overlook Ave. or call 751-6861)

As I write this column, Christmas is only ten days away ... driving around town I see many delightful decorated homes and stores, Flowerama and Abbott's Drug Store caught my eye in par-ticular. I was invited to Fidelity Bank to view an unusual decoration. It seems that employee Robert Thomson took in-dividual pictures of all 14 employees and then they were artistically arrayed on a simulated Christmas tree hung on a door. Quite fetching! The young lady who had the idea for the unique tree was Mary Jean Sperduto, a Teller. Also on hand while I took a picture was second vice president, Fred E. Kirsch, Jr.

It's welcome back to Lou Long at Olympic Lanes. Lou is recuperating from an operation and works at the bowling alley on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. He and his wife, Ruth, recently became grandparents for the eighth time! Daughter Ruth Ann and her husband Gary Gray gave birth to a baby girl-Jody Ann in November. It is the first grandchild for the paternal

grandparents, Stan and Jean Gray. I made a boo-boo in last week's column and left out some pretty important people involved in the Christmas concert at Belleville Jr. High. Ron Hackling directed the seventh and ninth grade choruses, Mr. James had his dance and jazz band, Miss Kim Dunne, led the eighth grade chorus and Lou Kosma directed the orchestra. Bob Gizzi helps out with the orchestra and directed one song. Understand many parents attended and really enjoyed the program. Messrs. Evans and James led students at School Three on the 19th with Miss Carol Cobianchi.

School Eight held a Holiday Luncheon at the school. Chairman of the event was Marie Kimble, assisted by Pat Concato. A hot and cold buffet was served, catered by Marbach's, also the mothers made cookies. Lou Pomponio (one of Belleville's Finest) played Santa and handed out gifts. About 100 people attended the luncheon including superintendent of Schools, Anthony Greco, principal Nicholas Petti and his wife, and the School Secretary, Mrs. Jean Broo The HSA president at the school is Carmella Meglio. The committee for the luncheon included Diane Roselli, Lillian Norton, Lois Conklin, Dot Dalla Riva, Toni Snowman and Velora Auriemma. Table prizes were made by Donna Vollero and the gym was decorated by Betty Keesler and her committee

On December 18, School Eight held its Christmas program, with Mrs. Drewes and Miss Cajohn's second grade classes performing in a play. Miss Cobianchi conducted the fith and sixth grade choir, Miss Simini accompanied her sixth grade girls on the guitar as they sang. Mrs. Eleanor Arthur (sixth grade teacher) led the Teachers Choir and the audience in a sing-a-long. Diane Roselli, chairlady of the fund-raising trip to the Poconos made somebody happy, but as of this writing we

somebody happy, but as of this writing we don't know who the lucky winners were. Dave Daniels iwally flying around town, promoting the forthcoming show, "Merry Widow"... he has spoken before Unit 105, American Legion Auxiliary, Kiwanis Club of Belleville, The Kiwanis Club of Branch Brook Belleville, The Woman's Club of Belleville and, the EMD, The Woman's Club of Belleville. If interested in a Club of Belleville. If interested in a program by the Daniels, please call them in the evening at 759-4913. He relates how the teenage workshop he and his wife, Anne, started, keep the kids off the

Speaking of the Kiwanis Club of Belleville, they are having a Social at the Amvets Hall on January 5th, completed their cloth for cancer drive (Jim Dasaro was chairman this year), are assisting Schools Nine and Four in a Helping

**Organization Doings** 

Hand Program, and . . . the news you've all been waiting for . . are planning their annual card party for April 25. Larry Gonnello is general chairman.

A surprise birthday party was held for Josephine ("Jo-Jo") Malanga who was 19 on December 12. Jo-Jo is a 1972 BHS graduate, now a keypunch and computer operator in Kearny. The daughter of Anthony and Lucy, her sister Donna Marie also had a birthday in December. The Jr. High student was 12 on Dec. 8. Jo-Jo has a brother, Anthony, Jr., who attends BHS. At the party were many school friends, Linda, Camille, Donna, Marie Theorem of the Henry Birth and Maria, Theresa ad Jim. Happy Birthday, Jo-Jo - from mon and dad.

There's much going on at School Seven. I received their newsletter, H.O.P.E.Happenings In the Organiza-tion of Parents and Educators). Today, Dec. 20, therewill be a Christmas Party and Santa will visit. There is a Christmas flower sale for you to purche poinsietta plants, which started Dec. 19. The flower sale will continue today and tomorrow, the 20th and 21st from 9 to about 3.

The O.P.E. is honoring retiring prin-cipal, Mrs. Viola Spray with a cocktail reception at The Manor, West Orange on January 11th. Tickets must be reserved no later than January 4th. Please call Mrs. Gilda LaVecchia 759-5839, Mrs. RoseMarie Scott 751-5566 or Mrs. Roseann Walsh, 751-3118. Tickets may also be purchased at any of the schools in town through the school secretary. School Seven has a Jr. Girl Scout

troop who will meet on Monday afternoons from 3:15-4:30 ... 14 new Brow-nies attended the investiture held recently, Troop 964 now has 22 members .... NEWS ... School Seven will hold their NEWS annual Card Party on March 14 at The Fountain.

The December meeting of the O.P.E. had over 500 people in attendance. The program was by the Kindergarteners through fourth graders. Mrs. Spray received matched American Beauty roses from the youngsters and upon announcing her retirement, the principal was given a standing ovation.

More on School Seven next week. The Men,s Club of Congregation Ahavath Achim will feature two speakers at their monthly breakfast on December 23. Dr. Jack Grundfest's topic: "Surgery-Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow", Dr. Arthur Post will speak on "Allergy-Old and New".

At the regular monthly meeting of The At the regular monthly intering of the Rosary Altar Society of St. Anthony's Church, the newly elected president, Mrs. Lydia Salzano was installed. A Christmas social was held following the business meeting and plans are being made for a Chinese Auction February 11, in the School cafeteria, No. 7th Street Newark. Mrs. Esther Moro is chairlady, for tickets, phone her at 759-6722 or call the Rectory 759-2882.

Congratulations to George Dulski and John Servidio from Pack 350, for com-ingin first place in their division in the Essex County Junior Bowling Congress Tournament

The Explorers Division of the Robert Treat Council, Boy Scouts of America, has developed a program for young adults to explore a vocational field of special interest to them. The Rotary Club of Belleville will be learning more about this unique program at their January 9th meeting, "Explorer Impact Luncheon", according to James Desmond, president. If you are a business or professional person interested in helping youngsters learn more about your business, please contact

Angelo Venezia at 751-2800. December 15 was the date Rick McGarril turned 17. The son of Fred and Sue, he is a senior at BHS and on the Honor Roll.

man, Jr. knew what he started, when, 94 years ago he nationally. moved his first business to town? At that time he had a small extrusion shop, making rubber for pencil erasers. Today, Hardman, Inc. has

60,000 sq. ft. of office and plant facilities at Greylock and Cortlandt Street in Belleville's Valley section; this year, they added 20,000 sq. ft. when they opened their new Triplematic Equipment Division in Cedar Grove, and their

**Business Spotlight** 

I wonder if James Hard-

Hardman Started with Pencil Erasers products are marketed inter-Hardman designed and built automatic mixing and dispensing equipment to make their epoxy cement practical in the production of paint brushes. The dispensing

pump, under the registered name of Triplematic, is licensed for manufacture in Europe and sold on a world wide basis. This application developed new customers for Hardman, outside the brush field

The products at the Belleville, location are epoxy adhesives and depolymerized rubber. Hardman has long been a supplier of epoxy based compounds to the brush industry and offers a superior adhesive for many diverse applications. Hardman products are found in hammer heads, golf clubs, deck coatings, hypodermic syringes, road markers, coffee pots and digital computers, to name a few. Mayor Gordon Cooper's Faith 7 and the X-15

rocket plane carried Hardman's epoxy adhesives. The only company in the U.S.A. to use the process of depolymerized rubber, Hardman changes crude rubber to a liquid state, which is used as president. sealants and fillers for electric

cables as for an example, in the automotive industry. The colorful history of the firm began with James Hard-man, Jr., who moved to Belleville in 1879. One of his three sons, Herbert, joined the business, followed by his son,

Kenneth and his two sons. James and Jack, who presently manage Hardman Inc. James is the president of the corporation, while Jack is vice

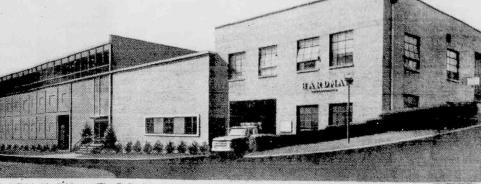
The Hardman family has made personal contributions to Belleville as well. The founder served as Treasurer of Belleville in the '1880's and was instrumental in forming the Volunteer Fire Department, as well as acquiring the first hook and ladder. Herbert served on the Selective Board in the mid-40's and was a member of the Nereid Boat Club.

The great grandsons of the founder are active in the Belleville Chamber of Commerce, Clara Manas Memorial Hospital Board of Directors and numerous trade associations.

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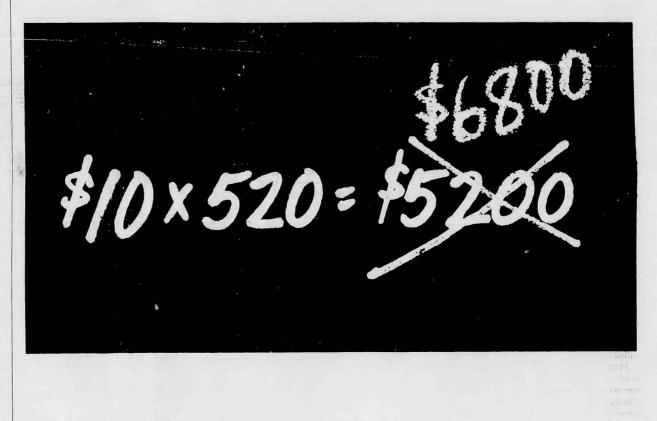
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**Counseling** Service

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The unit is a suburban adjunct of the Newark Family Service Bureau and serves, in addition to Belleville, an overflow from the West Hudson area of people who need professional guidance in their daily living.

Marital parent/child problems, relationships, adjusting to changes in life are some of the areas in which the director, Al Iuspa, lends his talents. Sometimes with children, especially during adolescence, the school or the Welfare Department would refer a youngster for this service.

The counseling is not a miracle. What is done is that with training, Mr. Iuspa helps an individual or couple function on his own so that he doesn't need any more therapy. It is, rather, encouraging each person to be independent, find out who he is, what he is and what he wants to do.

The Family Counseling Service is not meant to be a crutch, but rather a bridge, enabling a person, through

therapy, to build a firm connection between the problems he can't handle alone, and thus adjust to every day life. A non-profit organization,

funded by private firms and the United Fund, the Family Service group is non-sectarian and bases their fees on a sliding scale basis, according to a client's ability to pay. The Family Counseling

Service of Belleville is op Monday, 1 - 9, Tuesday, 11 -



Al luspa Service Director

7, Wednesday through Friday, 9-5. Mrs. Peckerman has been the secretary for a number of years. The director,

Al Iuspa received his BA degree from Seton Hall University, and his Masters in Social Work from Fordham. He is a member of the Kiwanis Club of Branch Brook Belleville, Inc., the National Association of Social Workers, the Mental Health Council - New York Chapter and is a com-

mitteeman for the North Essex Boy Scout Council. Editor's Note - to have your

group featured, contact Pat Diana, 104 Overlook Avenue.)

**Bird Winner** At Shawger: Nick Caprara

The James G. Shawger School held its annual Thanksgiving **Raffle** on Wednesday, Nov. 21. The lucky boy was Nicky Caprara who won the turkey basket which included all the fixings for Thanksgiving dinner. Also awarded were 12 consolation prizes which were assorted

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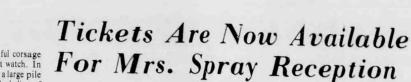


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The Organization of Parents and Educators at School Seven is feting their principal, Mrs. Viola Spray, who is retiring after 46 years in education to the town of

A three-hour cocktail reception will be held at The Manor, West Orange, on January 11. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. Gilda LaVecchia, president of O.P.E. and chairman of the reception at 759-5839 or by telephoning her committee members: Mrs. Rosemarie Scott, 751-5566, and Mrs.

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Roseann Walsh, 751-3118. tickets is January 4, and ac-cording to Mrs. LaVecchia, tickets are available at all Belleville schools, through

each school secretary. In addition to her educational service, Mrs. Spray has also been active in the United Fund, Red Cross and is a trustee for the Craig Fund

She was a teacher at School Four for 27 years, a teaching/principal at School Nine, followed by a dual prin-cipalship at both Schools

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Shriner Class **Takes** Name Of Ken Smith A new class of Shriners has been named in honor of former Belleville Mayor Kenneth Smith, a Past Poten-

tate of the Shriners and Director General for next year's Imperial Convention in Atlantic City.

Club at the Fountain Restaurant Lester E. Demler received the 100 percent Presidents' Award from Lions International for his term of office 1972-73 The award was earned by meeting the criteria and achieving the goals set by Lions International for a

At the December 13 meeting of the Belleville Lions

successful club. These in-dlude: a good financial standing, submittal of reports on time, net increase in membership, a major service activity, a major fund raising program and attendance at zone, district and international meetings.

During Demler's tenure the Belleville Lions conducted an eye screening program for preschool children and held a benefit theatre party.

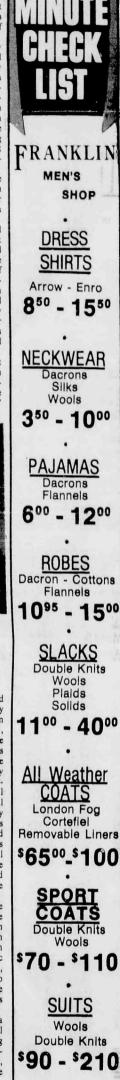
In presenting the award Edward Howell, the current President of the club, pointed out that it was one of three earned in District 16E of Lions International comprising 68 clubs in northern New Jersey. He also pointed out that it was two in a row for Belleville with former president Donald A. Ross also having earned the award the year before. Demler is a Vice President

of the Wallace & Tiernan Division of Pennwalt Corporation and President of the



### **New Maestro** Named Head **Of Area Band**

The Bloomfield Civic Band which includes many Bellevilleites begins its season with a new conductor, Dominick Ferrara. As the new maestro, Ferrara brings an exciting background to the area music scene. Principally a bassoonist who has per-formed with various local bands and orchestras as well as the New Jersey Symphony Orchestra, he also plays piano, saxophone and clarinet. He has performed as a bassoonist in Carnegie Hall as well as solo artist with the Scotch Plains Symphony and solo clarinetist with the Newark Symphonic Band. Ferrara presently is the Director of Music for the public school system in Secaucus where he has been instructing for the past seven years. A winner of music awards and scholarships, Dominick Ferrara has also



# Lions Host Peggy Klein In a heart-warming display

of affection and generosity the Belleville Lions Club gave a Christmas party for Peggy Klein at their December 13 meeting at the Fountain Restaurant. Peggy is a senior

Save Your Heart

at Belleville High School. She is blind and without family and the Lions have "adopted" her At the meeting Peggy was presented with a Lions emblem on a lovely chain

addition there was a large pile of presents from the ladies of the Lions for Peggy to take

with her for her Christmas celebration at home. After rooming at different locations in Belleville, Peggy has settled with Mr. & Mrs.

Charles O'Neil who reside on Division Street. O'Neil is a member of the Belleville Lions Club. One of the principal ac-tivities of Lions Clubs is to help the blind and conserve

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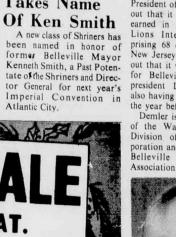
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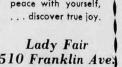
The Bloomfield Civic Band rehearses every Monday evening at North Junior High School, Bloomfield and is happy to have new members join the organization. If interested please call the Civic Center, 84 Broad Street, Bloomfield, 743-9074 for more information and details





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### Christmas Toys

Picking the right Christmas toys for your pet is often done with the same care as selecting the right gift for a close friend or relative. An amazing array of at-

tractive toys and gifts is available for pets. There are toys that roll, bounce, squeek, and even talk When purchasing a Christ-

mas toy, however, you should be aware of some problems they may present. Covered squeeking toys are

great favorites and safe enough, until they are torn apart and the metal squeeker is uncovered. If this should happen, your pet stands a chance of injuring itself.

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covering by energetic pets. The cotton stuffing may be chewed and swallowed. causing dangerous internal problems

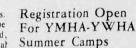
Avoid painted toys; they may prove to be poisonous if your pet chips and swallows the paint. Also, avoid soft rubber balls that can be tern to pieces and toys with strings and threads that may unravel. Mechanical toys have the same disadvantage for pets as they do for small children you must keep winding them all the time.

It is a good practice, if you do purchase a toy for your pet, to stay with him until you are certain that he cannot rip it apart or chew it up in

pieces Some owners enjoy making toys for their pets. If you are one, then there are many safe and uncomplicated toys you can make.

Spools rate high on the list of enjoyable playthings. But they must be large enough so they cannot be swallowed. Spools used for basting thread are excellent for this purpose. Empty cardboard boxes are perfect gifts your pet can crawl in and out of and rustle about the floor.

Although they are attrac-tive, cotton-stuffed animals provided they are hard can be stripped of the enough not to splinter.



The announcement that registration for the 1974 summer season of the New Jersey YMHA-YWHA Camps opened on Monday, The Community Choir of Nutley, now in its fourth Nutley, now in its fourth season, will present the December 17 was made this week by Morris Reisen, Christmas portion of Handel's "Messiah" Friday President of the New Jersey Federation of YMHA's and YMHA'S. Mr. Reisen stated evening, December 21 at 8 p.m. at St. Paul's p.m. at St. Pa Congregational Church. that the registration would take place in all of the 16 af-In addition, Benjamin Britten's "A Ceremony of Carols" will be sung by the women's chor . Mary Elizabeth Collins, concert harpist of Hohokus, will acfiliated YM-YMHA's throughout the state of New

Jersey and that record attendance was expected for the 1974 season. It was reported by Mr. Reisen that substantial invest-

company the choir. Last spring, she was guest harpist when the Community Choir presented Vaughan Williams' "Mystical Songs" and Faure's "Requiem". ment of capital funds this past fall had resulted in a great improvement in facilities and that this, in addition to the extremely successful experience of 1973, was expected to result in an in-Other assisting guest artists include John R. Rodland, organist of Ridgewood. Mr. Rodland is Minister of Music creased demand for places at the 'Y' Camps. Choice of of the West Side Presbyterian Church, Ridgewood and has registration, it was added by Mr. Reisen, would be for a four week or eight week accompanied all concerts of

the choir since its beginning. Helen Merritt, soprano, of period. The New Jersey YMHA-YWHA Camps which are located the Poconos of Pennsylvania include four different operations, each designed to specially serve the needs of a perticular age group. Their well-known names are: Teen Camp (for 14 to 16); Cedar Lake Camp (for 1.2 to 14); Camp Nan-Jee-Wah (for 10 to 12); and Camp Long Lake (for 7 to 10).

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# Wycoff was soloist for eight years at St. Bartholomew's Church of New York City. She has had vast experience in oratorio, opera, concert and

musical comedy and was guest soloist with the Community Choir in their perfor-mances of "A German Requiem" by Brahms and "Elijah" by Mendelssohn. Joy McGinnis of Manhat-

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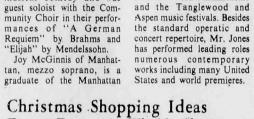
### Coffee Hour At Hospital December 29

District No. 4 Ladies Auxiliary, to the State of New Jersey, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will sponsor a "Coffee Hour" for the comfort and ease of the patients of Veterans Administration

**Stork Club** 

Jody A. Gray A first child, a daughter, Jody Ann was born to Mr.

recipient. For "collectors' there are and' Mrs. Gary Gray of Wyckoff, November 15 at Riverview Hospital. Birth beaded bags, antique fans, old silver and frames which " Sunday painters" may need for the art work they're plan-



**Robert Owen Jones** 

School of Music. She has

appeared as guest soloist in many of the major churches and synagogues of New York

of Manhattan, is a graduate of the Julliard School of Music. He has sung for

numerous opera companies, the New York Philharmonic

From Bureau's Thrift Shop The Nutley Family Service Thrift Shop at 351 Passaic Avenue has a few "thrifty" suggestions for Christmas ning to give. Decorative dishes, working cameras, new and used camera cases plus items of new, unused clothing are also available.

For the "last minute" decorator, there are Christmas tree stands, Christmas cards, Christmas lights.

For the harried hostess who may need extra linens, tablecloths and napkins can be had at small cost.

For the craft-conscious, there's a group of handmade items for sale through the courtesy of the "Creative group, part of the Leisure



The annual Christmas Dinner Meeting of College Woman's Club of Essex County, a branch of American Association of University Women, was to be held December 19, at Orange Lawn Tennis Club, South Orange. Edith Hutchinson of Nutley, former legislative writer for the Newark Evening NEws, was honored for her long service and dedication to the Club and the community.

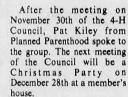
Evelyn Greene, Newark soprano, presented a program, "Winter Festival of Music." A Chinese Auction for the benefit of Integrity. House was also held.

Anna Flanagan of Bloomfield, president, asks that anyone interested in joining Club write to Miss Joan Hull, Membership Chairman, P.O. Box 1573, Bloomfield.

Is There A City. Robert Owen Jones, tenor, 4-H Council

In Essex County?

Of course! The Essex County 4-H Youth Council, consisting of young people over the age of 14, has been in action this year since September 28th, the first meeting of the year. During these meetings, which are head once a month, several topics have been discussed including such things as the fair, premiums from the 4-H Fair, fund raisers, the Fashion Revue, club officers training, and the junior member's Christmas Party, which was held at Verona Presbyterian Church on December 7th.



Got a question about 4-H??? Call the 4-H Office in Verona at 226-8390 before. 4:00 p.m.

### MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

drug's effectiveness. If lithium's use is combined

with regular clinical ap-

praisals and strict adherence to medication schedules, it is

effective as a preventive medication, the researchers reported. At present, lithium is approved by the Food and Drug Administration only for

the treatment of acute mania.

This is one aspect of the

depressive illnesses, which

psychiatrists often term "affective disorders."

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Bertram S. Brown, M.D., Director National Institute of Mental Health

Depression Drugs The depressive illnesses comprise one of the largest and most seriousoups of men-tal illness. They are estimated to affect between four and eight million Americans.

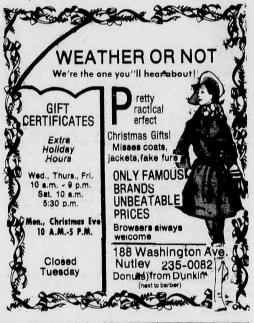
Here we are talking not about mild depression, the kind of ''glue feelings'' anyone has at times Drugs are employed in the

treatment of depression, with varying results, and there is a good deal of research needed to evaluate those now being tried and to uncover and test The study provides definite findings on the preventive value of lithium carbonate iu, new ones. Research is turning up findings that are helpful in depression treatment, as a project sponsored by HEW's National Institute of Mental Health and the Veterans Administration shows.

Of Puerto Rican Artist The works of a Puerto Rican painter will be featured Lithium carbonate, a drug used in the treatment of manic-depressive patients, is on "Carmelo Sobrino: Artista Y Realidad," during "Imagenes," Dec. 27 at 8 p.m. and Dec. 30 at 7:30 p.m. highly effective in preventing relapse following hospital dis-charge, a multi-hospital team of investigators found. on Channels 52, 23, 50 and The study involved a two-

58. year, post-hospital treatment The program focuses on program; and the results bore reality as expressed through out earliar promise of the the artist's work.

minimal.





shopping this year: For "small fry" there are lots of small pieces of jewelry, pins, earrings, bracelets, cuff links, ideal for Mommy and Daddy'r Christmas stocking. For cookie and candy maker, there are lots of glass containers which can be stuffed with goodies, tied with

ribbon and given to the lucky

# WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS IN SOCIAL SPOTLIGI

# Susan Marie Plesnevich Wed Sharon DiPaolo, Paul J. Bove Crecca Award AAUW Meets Is Established January 3 To Ramesh Vishwanath Kapur Are Married In Holy Family By Clara Maass At Museum



Mr. and Mrs. Ramesh Kapur - nee Susan Plesnevich

### How To Feed Your Family Well While Cutting Down On Energy

3. Cook the entire meal in

because it is an enclosed area.

The energy crisis has many together. This provides an ramifications, not the least of enjoyable evening while conenjoyable evening while con-serving cooking energy at the which is how to feed your family well while cutting home of the guests. down on the use of gas or electhe oven — vegetable, potato, meat and appetizer. Don't

tricity while cooking. The big job. of course is to provide enough calories to keep those precious bodies warm and healthy through the winter months.

There are numerous ways to accomplish this while still minimizing the energyoutput required to prepare three square meals a day, says Sheldon Sosna, Director of Marketing for Pantry Pride Supermarkets.

Here are ten suggestions from the Panty Pride's Consumer Affairs Department, which has just researched "How to Conserve content.

Energy in the Kitchen": 1. Cook double portions of a meal at a time. Instead of making stew for one night's dinner, double the portion and freeze it. Or just cover it tightly, refrigerate, and use it later

in the week. 2. Invite your neighbors in and cook a "pot luck" meal



Miss Susan Marie Miss Sharon Diracio, Plesnevich of 126 Mt. Vernon daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso DiPaolo of Dibuille became the bride of bay, India, were married October 28 at the Nutley Court House. Mayor Carmen Orechio

performed the ceremony which was followed by a reception at White Eagle Manor, Bloomfield.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride's gown featured an empire waist, high neckline and sleeves puffed from shoulder to elbow. A panel of ribbon and lace accented the entire front from neckline to hem.

A Camelot headpiece trimmed with beads and lace held her shoulder length veil and she carried mums and stephanotis.

Miss Patricia Ann Kile of Nutley was the only attendant in a royal blue velour gown with white lace bib. She carried gold and yellow mums. Ahar V. Kapur of

Worcester, Massachusetts, was his brother's best man.

Mrs. Plesnevich chose a multi-colored gown with a keyhole neckline and had a of gold corsage chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Kapur attends Roberts-Walsh Stenotype School and is a legal secretary with Pressler & Pressler Esq., Newark.

Mr. Kapur is restauranpoager IW.T. Grant, New Milford, Connecticut.

The couple honeymooned at the Playboy Club, McAfee.

Weather Eased Crisis

open the oven for unnecessary The weatherman is checking because the oven temperature drops 25 degrees. cooperating wit the energy crisis too, according to the It then takes more energy to monthly report to the National Weather Services, make the temperature rise again. Cooking everything in issued by Prof. Patrick White the oven instead of on top of the stove uses less energy at Union College's Meteorological Station, a cooperative station of the U.S. Weather Bureau. 4. Defrost meats fully.

They cook quicker. Some November 1973 featured frozen vegetable can be thawed before cooking, unusually warm temperatures, Prof. White without any loss to vitamin states, with the mercury soaring to 76 degrees on 5. Since schools and November 15. That day also registered the highest daily businesses are turning the heat down to at least 68 average for the month at 59 degrees, your family needs a degrees. The mean temperature for the entire month was 47.2 degrees, a departure of 1.8 degrees warm start in the morning. So serve a breakfast filled with protein — oatmeal, eggs, toast, juice and hot chocolate

above normal. coffee. This is "stick-to-November 15, 1973 was the-ribs" food and will keep them alert and warm until the only one degree shy of matching the record for the next meal. You might also warmest November day on record at the Union College

Belleville, became the bride of Paul J. Bove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bove of Ran-dolph, at Holy Family Church, Nutley, on November 3. The Bew. Therea. Bein

The Rev. Thomas Rainforth, friend of the bridegroom, officiated at the ceremony which was followed by a reception at Town and Campus in Union.

Miss Maria DiPaolo, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Geraldine Decker of Dover, sister of the groom, Mrs. Elizabeth Liloia of Belleville, Mrs. Michelie Pukash of Elizabeth, and Miss Judy Seredick of Clifton. Junior bridesmaids were Miss Anna Bove, sister of the

bridegroom, and Miss Lisa Zarra, cousin of the bride. Joseph Mavuro of Bloomfield was best man. Ushers were Joseph Bove of Randolph, brother of the groom, Norman Decker of Dover, brother-in-law of the groom, Domenick DeSisto of Net-cong and Carmen DiPaolo of Belleville, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Bove, a graduate of Katherine Gibbs School, Montclair, is a secretary at Hoffmann-La Roche in Nutley

Mr. Bove, a graduate of Newark College of Engineering, is an assistant civil engineer with New York City's Department of Water Resources.

After a honeymoon in Florida, the couple is residing in Kearny.



Miss Janice Malcolm

### Miss Malcolm, Mr. DeSarno Will Be Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Malcolm of Sea Girt an-nounce the engagement of their daughter, Janice Mary of Neptune City to Anthony DeSarno, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael DeSarno of Asbury Park.

Mrs. Paul Bove - nee Sharon DiPaolo Wickenheisser- Miss Alifano, Peth Troth Donald O'Shea Plan Wedding Is Announced

Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Alifano, Sr. of 35 Memorial Road, West Caldwell Mrs. Isabel Phillips of 45 Prospect Street announces the engagement of her daughter Miss Linda Ann Peth to Gary J. Wickenheisser, son of Mrs Evelyn Wickenheisser of Nutley and John Wickenheisser of North Arlington. The troth was made known

Thanksgiving Day. Miss Peth, a graduate of Nutley High School, is a secretary with The Lummus Company, Bloomfield.

Mr. Wickenheisser, also a graduate of Nutley High chool, is a Metallurgist with Sel-Rex Corporation of Nutley

A fall wedding is planned.

# wedding

The Board of Trustees of Clara Maass Memorial Hospital held a reception for the doctors of the hospital at which time Dr. William D. Crecca of Essex Fells was honored. On behalf of the Board of Trustees, president William R. Harris presented Dr. Crecca with a resolution which reads:

WHEREAS, William D. Crecca, M.D. has served the Medical Staff and has as a member of the Board of Trustees of Clara Maass Memorial Hospital, and

WHEREAS, through his untiring efforts the hospital has grown in service to the people of the community, and WHEREAS, his loyalty and devotion to the hospital and his patients have been

exemplary,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees establish the William D. Crecca Award to be presented each year to the School of Nursing graduate with the highest academic standing.

FURTHER, this award will serve as a continuous reminder of Dr. William D. Crecca's dedication to his chosen profession.

372-9525

Mrs. Wilbur E. Slemmer will address the January

branch meeting of the American Association of University Women on Thursday, January 3, at 8:15 p.m. at the Nutley Museum on Church Street. Her topic will be 'observations on Vietnam

Mrs. Slemmer stayed in Vietnam with her husband who was an engineering con-sultant assigned to study the feasibility of transmission lines for the Vietnam power company. Mrs. Slemmer did volunteer work in Vietnam from August 1973 until Oc-tober 1973 in connection with

the foster parent plant avoi Vera Slemmer is a past president of the Nutley AAUW and has lived in Nutley for 26 years. Members and friends are welcome.

Program to Tell Story

Of Trenton State Lifers The case of three young Newark brothers serving life terms in Trenton State Prison will be examined on "The Jenkins Brothers," during "Express Yourself," Dec. 25 at 8 p.m. and Dec. 28 at 8:30 p.m. on Channels 52, 23, 50 and 58.

Germaine Lee, Chairlady of the Trenton Five Defense Committee is special guest.

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(formerly of Nutley) an-nounced the engagement of their daughter Louise to Donald Michael O'Shea, son of Mr. & Mrs. Daniel O'Shea of Warminster, Pa. Miss Alifano is a graduate of Seton Hall University where she received both her

undergraduate and graduate degrees. She is a teacher in the Denville Public School

Mr." O'Shea is a graduate of Spring Garden College. He is an electrical engineer at Bell Laboratories in Murray Hill.

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The couple plan a February

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# **Bellevilleites Continue to Give To Craig Fund Holiday Drive**

Holiday donations for the Craig Fund, Inc. continued to Jersey or to any Trustee of the Fund. All contributions are tay come in from Belleville residents this week. Below is listed the exempt. most recent contributors.

Rev. Al Stone, president of the Board of Trustees of the Craig Fund, Inc. has appointed Mike Rosamilia Chairman and Vi Narucki, Co-Chairlady of the holiday fund. Assisting them on this seasonal fund drive are: Ed Albretson,

Mike Marotti, Ceil O'Toole and Vi Spray. The Craig Fund, Inc. is a non-profit group helping four Belleville residents who are severely handicapped with medical

costs, rehabilitation and therapeutic facilities. Fund Trustees are hopeful that in checking your holiday list you will contribute to this holiday fund in lieu of Christmas Cards, in memory of loved ones, or as a very "special" gift. Contributions which will be acknowledged in the Belleville Times may be made to the Treasurer of The Craig Fund, Inc., Mr. Edward Albretson, c/o Peoples National Bank & Trust Co. of Belleville, 237 Washington Avenue, Belleville, New

Four-\$22.

· Christmas card donation from members of the Rotary Club-\$18.

Faculty and staff of School Five-\$34. A gift-\$5.

• In lieu of inter-office Christmas cards by Commissioner Vincent Strumolo's department—\$23. • Anonymous—\$7.

Belleville Kiwanis 50-50-\$12.

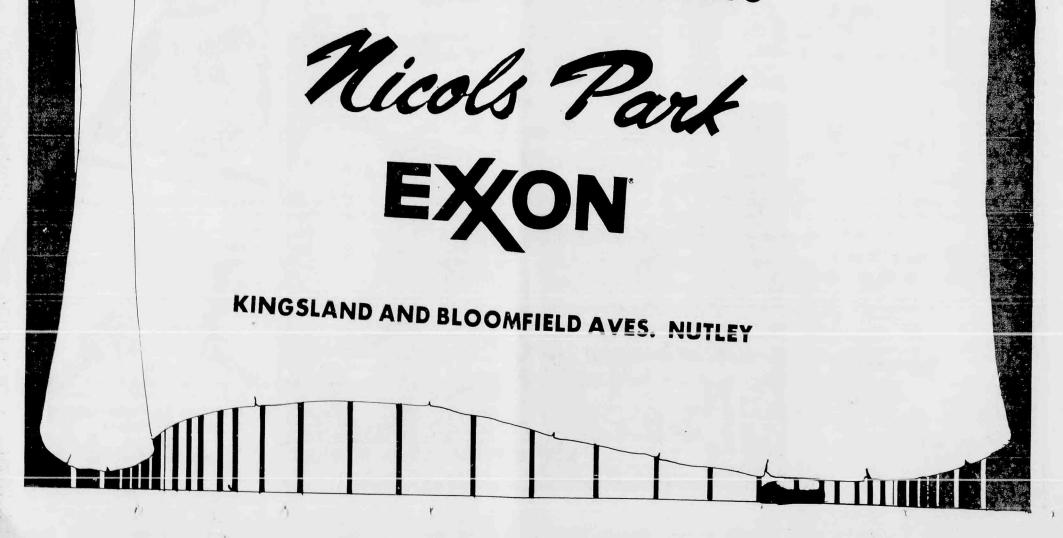
• In lieu of Christmas cards by the faculty and staff of School

• Anonymous-\$10.

### **CYO** Sets THE SEASON IS CHRISTMAS January Ski Trip THE GIFTS ARE FROM FLORSHEIM at Modern Tred The Essex County CYO will sponsor its annual Winter Ski Weekend for high school students at Rutland, Vt. over the weekend of Jan. 25, 26 and 27, according to program think Dearfoams. director Robert F. Larkin. Deposits must be paid by heim Gift Gerlificate de Comfortable, no care free in washable Orien." tomorrow. Full price for the three-day \$3.00 ski package is \$70 per stuscuff with luxury of trim. Avo-Cerile, An-Gold, Pink, Turquoise, dent, and the trip will be limited to 90 youths and 10 chaperones. Reservations will be taken at the Essex County CYO Office, 425 Bloomfield Ave., Montclair on a first-\$3.50 5. Fluffy na slipper delicate nd an elascome, first-served basis. Buses will depart from Our Lady of Lourdes Church parking lot in West Orange on Friday evening. Upon arriving at the Bardwell Hotel in Rutland, the ski party will be provided with snacks. Breakfast will be included on Saturday and Sunday mor-nings, as well as Saturday night dinger. Also included is \$5.00 OPEN night dinner. Also included is two full days of skiing, lift **EVERY EVENING** tickets, skis, poles and boots. Persons with their own equip-**TIL CHRISTMAS** Dearfoams ..... gy four padding that cushions, in surrounded in softness. And O' Orion' sorylic, so they come out and nice as new Rises 5 M I. Y. ment can deduct \$12.50 from the price. **MODERN TRED** Featuring: Deposits of \$25 must be FLORSHEIM paid prior to December 21, with the balances due on Jan. STRIDE RITE NATURALIZER 11. No refunds will be made after January 4. The Family Shoe Store DANIEL GREEN For additional information 238 FRANKUN AVE., NUTLEY (AT THE NUTLEY CENTER) OPEN EVENINGS TIL 9:00 P.M. USE MUNICIPAL LOT FOR DIRECT ENTRANCE contact the Essex County CYO at 746-6868



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# **Extended** Vacations School Boards Assn. Raps State Trustees

240-day basis; and passed

measures designed to permit

school districts to control wearing of firearms by special

police and to provide stiffer

penalties for drug pushers.

The assembly also moved to seek liberalizing of licensing

education students; asked amendment of the statutes

pertaining to special educa-tion to include "gifted

for driver

requirements

children whose needs must be

met;" and asked that school

districts be allowed to paint

chrome yellow and affix black

identification letters on all

vehicles used for pupil

The school boards

transportation.

Declaring that "it is the duty and function of local boards of education to keep with commercial facilities and on state reimbursement for operation of the schools on a the schools open whenever and whereever possible," and charging that the State Board of Education "violated the concept of local control of public education" by man-dating that school districts extend the winter holiday recess until January 7, the Delegate Assembly of the New Jersey School Boards Association, meeting on December 8, voted to "strongly urge the State Board of Education to refrain from further mandates but rather to provide options to local boards of education which they can adapt to local conditions." The State Board's directive means that the schools will be closed for three days longer than the period provided by the school calendar.

The NJSBA delegate body, which is made up of board members representing all of the state's school districts, also approved a resolution urging priority status for education under the federal government's mandatory fuel allocation program.

Affirming the school boards 'association's long-standing policy of seeking abolition of the public vote on school budgets, the assembly defeated a motion to reverse the association's position "in favor of preserving the public vote on the school budget ... "

In other action, the. delegates voted to seek state assumption of all school building costs incurred subsequent to the Supreme Court's affirmation on April 3, 1973 of the decision in Robinson v. Cahill; approved motions calling for studies on the feasibility of constructing school facilities in conjunction

### **Minish Asks** For Energy Investigation

Congressman Joseph G. Minish, 11th District, today called for a full accounting of the energy situation in the United States.

In a letter to the newly designated Energy Ad-ministrator, William E. Simon, Minish said "the first order of business must be a full and unvarnished public accounting of the energy crisis.

"The American people," Minish said, "are being asked to sacrifice, at the minimum, their comfort and convenience. A great many are encountering real hardship with the actual or threatened loss of their jobs and businesses. Yet, they are left without any clear picture of the problem and with an uneasy feeling that the burden is being placed disproportionately upon them. The confusing and conflicting reports of the extent of the shortages have aroused questions and doubts that must be promptly and satisfactorily resolved.

"For example," Minish continued, "we are told that only a little more than 10 per-



legislative body approved a final report by the NJSBA

Bond Bank and School Plan Study Committee,

recommending that no action be presently taken by the

association in regard to es-

tablishing a bond bank.

# **State Inspection Areas Closing For Holidays**

Director Ray J. Marini today announced all State in-spection stations and motor vehicle agencies will be closed on Monday, Dec. 24; All motor vehicle facilities

will be open Wednesday through Friday, December 26, 27, and 28. Inspection stations will operate on Saturday, December 29

cent of our requirements have been coming from Arab countries. However, indications are that the Arab boycott now threatens the U.S. military posture. Minish expressed concern at reports that the Arabs have cut off the supply of petroleum products to American forces stationed around the world forcing the U.S. to supply the Sixth Fleet by a massive air and sea lift."

"One need not be a military expert," Minish declared, "to grasp the enormous advantage this gives the Arab-Russian alliance in the explosive Mideast situation.

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# **Essex County Blood Bank** Votes Kammerer President

and charities, including the

Robert C Kammerer, managing director of the North Jersey-Essex County Blood Bank, has been elected to serve on the Board of Directors of the American Association of Blood Banks as director of its Northeast District. He will serve a two-year term, beginning this month

The American Association The American Association of Blood Banks is a nationwide organization of more than 1,300 voluntary, non-profit blood centers which sets standards of accreditation for its members and operates the National Clearinghouse Program, which makes possible the exchange of blood and blood credits anywhere in the coun-

Kammerer has headed the North Jersey-Essex County Blood Bank since 1953. In that time it has grown to be the single largest voluntary community blood facility in New Jersey. It supplies over 50,000 units of blood and its components annually to hospitals in a six-county area in northern New Jersey.

Anative of Logansport, In-diana, he received his B.S. degree from the University of



Robert C. Kammerer

### **Bike Thefts** On the Rise, Say Insurers

"Imagine a line of bicycle, 'fender to fender', going more than two times around the world. That's how many bikes are now being used in the U.S. — about 60 million," states the Insurance Brokers Association of N.J.

"About 14 million new bikes are sold each year, costing about \$1.4 billion, and this has brought many problems. Among them are bike thefts, and protection against suits and judgements for bodily injury and property damage for the ever-increasing number of accidents. "Bike theft has now

become big business. Theft 'rings' have been uncovered that have been sweeping thru and area, filling a truck with solen bikes, and then taking them to a factory. There they are sandblasted, serial numbers filed off, repainted,

and sent out as new bikes. "Controlling bike theft is extremely difficult. Most communities don't require registration; many owners

Chickago. Prior to his appoint-ment here, he worked in com-National Foundation for In-fantile Paralysis and the munity relations, public relations and campaign United Fund of Philadelphia. departments for various national and statewide funds Kammerer and his wife

Montclair.

Jon Bella

the line and has determined

meeting accepted the recommendation of its Finance Committee and voted unanimously to keep regional for the next school year. The Finance Committee had conadministrators of the various regional high schools prior to

making its recommendation. Tuitions in the various regional high schools vary ac-cording to location. The lowest tuition rate is charged Essex Catholic High School which assesses each student \$600. The highest tui-tion rates - \$750 are in force some Hudson County schools

counties.

schools. The remaining schools in Hudson and Bergen Counties charge a \$700 tuitaken to extend the Christmas vacation until January 7, curb unnecessary school activities, tion. The 13 regional high schools educate approximate-ly 12,000 students in the four and conserve energy in so far as possible. The energy crisis received

SAY MERRY Christmas with gifts advertised in today's Want-Ads.

that there will be no change in the tuition rates charged at the 13 regional Catholic high schools serving Bergen, Essex, Hudson and Union Countries. The Board at its monthly Sylvia live in Upper

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Line on Essex Catholic T Hold In these days of costs rising everywhere, the Newark Archdiocesan Board of Education has decided to hold

high school tuitions the same sulted with Archibishop Thomas A. Boland and the

don't know the serial numbers; and some don't even remember the maker's name.



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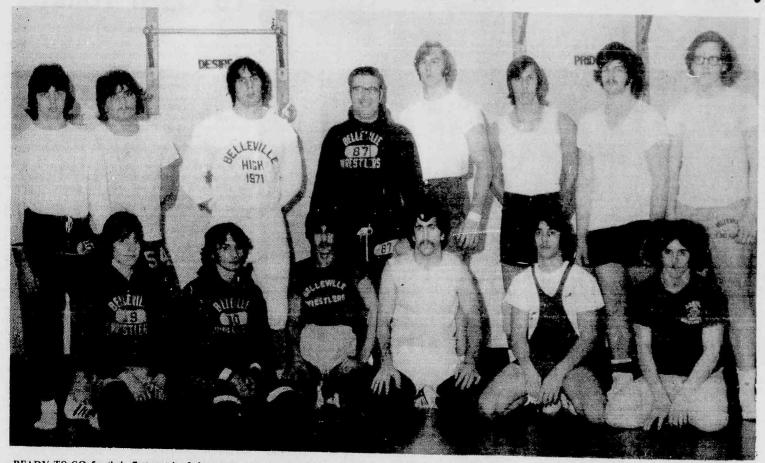
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# **Grapplers Open Today Against Wayne Valley**



READY TO GO for their first match of the season today against Wayne Valley are Mauncele, co-captain Jim La Conti, coach Jim Silvestri, co-captain Craig Davis, Belleville matmen (bottom, I-r) Bob Smith, Bob Cozzarelli, Vinnie Mustacchio, co-captain Ralph Fabiano, Anthony Villano, Donald Liloia, (top, I-r) Chuck Rilli, Jim

Michael DeJoseph, Ken Milano and John McManus

The Belleville Times

# **Cagers Buck Alumni Savvy To Open On Winning Note**

### by Bob Cohen

It was a matchup of the graduates against the schoolboys and experience versus the not so experienced. These were the two advantages thealumni had against he Bellboys. Then they met to open the 1973-74 season last and the cagers neutralized all their op-ponents expediences and wenton to win by the score of 75-

Tomorrow night, the Bellboys will have their toughest contest to date when they clash with Coach Cella's Bloomfield Bengals on the Bengals home court. The time of the contest is 8:00. On Wednesday December 26, the Bellboys will host Wayne Valley at the high school for a non-conference game. The time of the post Christmas contest is 8 p.m.

were clearly very en-couraging. The man to man defense proved to be very effective as they forced the alumni into many turnovers and made them shoot most of the evening from outside. Only 24 fouls were called during the contest with 11 on the varsity. This was a very positive note as foul trouble seemed to plague the Bellboys throughout the scrimmages. No one came close to fouling

The results of the contest out in this game.

# Skating Enthusiasts in Area Can Spend Holidays on Ice

Skating fans and hockey enthusiasts will have a gala holiday of activity when the Essex County Park Commission opens the two-week Christmas-New Year's skating programs at the South ountain Arena. West Orange and the Branch Brook Ice Center on the Newark-East Orange city line, Saturday, Dec. 22. To accommodate the number of school youths whose vacations have been extended through January 6, both rinks have added special sessions as well as scheduled hockey games. It promises to be fun for all.

hockey doubleheader Sunday, January 6. South Mountain will provide three sessions each The South Mountain day ecept for the two holidays Rockets will add their exciteand Sundy evenings when ment to the program with three games for the hockey takes the spotlight. Otherwise there will be morning (9:30-noon), afternoon (3:30 to 5:30) and evening, 8 -10:30 and 8:30 - 11:00 on Friday throughout the week. The weekend will offer a wide variety of skating times with morning sessions from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., afternoon sessions from 2:15 to 4:30 and a Saturday night program from 8:30 to 11 p.m. Then there's high school

holidays get off to a festive Scholastic Hockey League games wil played with doubleheaders each day between December 24-31 and start Saturday, December 22. with three public skating sessions and concludes with a a tripleheader on Friday, Dec. 28. All opening games will start at 12:15 each day.

quick 6-0 lead on a jumper by Anthony Cotugno, a jumper by Abdel Anderson, followed by a jumper by Cotugno. Steve Tremel broke the ice for the alumni as he connected for two. But the early 6-2 lead was never to be lost. Playing a ball control game, the cagers used their most consistent weapon, Abdel Anderson. The 6-6 junior poured in 11 points in the quarter on his way to a big evening. He finished up with 33 points and nine rebounds. Jim Catalano was the high scorer in the period for the alumni as he poured in seven points by combining fine outside shooting with tough inside play. Frank Petite and Mike Petronici added two points each. Anthony Nucera added a free throw to total 14 alumni points. Cotugno and Gary Tufo added another two points each as the Bellbos totaled 19 points in the

Anderson opened the

scoring in the second quarter

on a layup as the quarter got

under way. In the quarter, he had added 14 more tallies.

Abdel clearly dominated all

his opponents as he hit from

outside and scored from un-

derneath. He shared the

scoring with Gary Tufo. Tufo

tossed in eight points during

the quarter as it was his most

potent session. Anderson and

he combined for 22 of the teams24 points. Bob DiQuat-

tro added two free throws to

round out the scoring. The

alumni spread out the scoring as a total of nine players saw

action. Bob Baumgartner and

Mike Petronaci each added

period

The game opened up into a

three as they poured in eight and six points respectively. Tufo and Baumgartner each threw in two. Bob Baumgartner added six and Catalano tossed in four. Petite added another two. Yet the Bellboys managed to outscore them 20-14 as the score blossomed to a 63-44 advantage for the Bellboys. Complementing Anderson was forward Anthony Cotugno. Cotugno had a fine evening as he scored 16 points and pulled down four rebounds. The fourth quarter was a

low scoring affair yet the cagers managed to hold on to a 12-11 quarter advantage. Senior Bob Sanders was the high scorer in the period as he tossed in four points and grabbed six rebounds. Baumgartner, Cotugno, Anderson, and Pat Hogan added two points apiece to finish the cagers scoring for the evening.

s the Big To

# A Young Squad Will Defend Title

### by Ken Moore

Wrestling fans will get their first look at the 1973-74 matmen today at 4 p.m. at Belleville High School when Wayne Valley invades for the first contest of the season. It will be the first meeting between Belleville and Wayne Valley, which is new to the Bellboy schedule. The match will provide vial experience for the largely inexperienced Blue-Gold grapplers, many of whom are sophomores or graduates from last season's Jayvee squad. On Saturday, Dec. 29, will see the first major tournament of the year, as the Bellboys face rugged competition from seven area schools. A tentative lineup given by head coach Jim Silvestri, now in

A tentative lineup given by head coach Jim Silvestri, now in his tenth year as mat mentor, shows the Bellboys to be working with a nucleus of six varsity veterans bolstered by two can-didates from last year's undefeated frosh squad and numerous former Jayvees.

Silvestri sees lack of experience as the major obstacle facing the new matmen, but reports the team has been progressing through three pre-season scrimmages. Although he saw "very little finesse" in the first two meetings with High Point and North Bergen High Schools, the final match with Beckton showed some improvement. Although Silvestri says he began last season in a similar

predicament with inexperienced wrestlers, the pre-season out-look this year indicates the team will face an uphill battle in order to recreate their 12-2 record which last year won them the Big Ten title.

Silvestri this year has lost the talents of five graduates from the championship team: district crown winners Rocco Cuozzo and John Smith, along with Bob Willete, Brian Banda and Ramon Link Silvestrick and Ramon Lijo

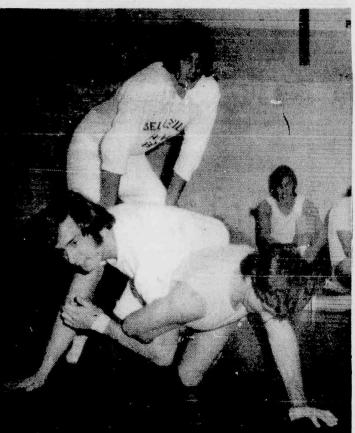
A change in weight classifications enacted in the past year by the New Jersey Inter-Scholastic Athletic Association is expected to make no real differnce in competition this season. vestri's tentative lineup for today's match shows the

following assignments: At the new 101-pound classification, (which replaces the 98-pound category) is Vincent Mustacchio a sophomore who poind category) is vincent mustacchio a sophomore who enjoyed a perfect season on the freshman team last year. Silvestri believes Mustacchio, like other sophomores on the team "will find the competition keener on the varsity level," and added Mustacchio "has plenty of natural ability, but he's got to get his finesse." Mustacchio steps in to replace graduate Rocco Cuozzo, who claimed a district crown in the 98-pound position last senson position last season.

Junior Bob Smith was undefeated last yeas as a Jayvee, and will see his first varsity match today when he wrestles in the 108-pound match. "Bob's very aggressive and strong," said Silvestri, and he's still picking up plenty of moves." Smith will also fill the shoes of a graduate, Ramon Lijo, who wrestled at 106 pound text units. 106 pounds last year.

A two-year veteran of Jayvee competition, Bob Cozzarelli will step into the 115-pound class. "He's really come into his

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Between the two facilities, there will be public skating sessions every day except Christmas and New Years, high school, minor league and semi pro hockey games. At South Mountain, the

hockey. During the two-week schedules 16 North Jersey

vacationers. Sunday, Dec. 23, the Rockets faceoff against the Koho Americans; December 30 they host the Lenox Jerseys in a Northeastern US. Hockey League clash and Sunday, January 6 the Rockets conclude the holiday activit y in the nightcap of a doubleheader, facing the rejuvenated Newark Brewers,

at 8 p.m. Seton Hall meets Montclair in the opening game, a NJSHL encounter.

# Girls' Basketball

Opponent	Location	Time
Kearny		7 p.m.
Caldwell		4 p.m.
Christmas Tournament		7 p.m.
		7 p.m.
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	Away	4 p.m.
State Tournament		
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also J.V. Game Head Coach - Miss Karen Fuccelo

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Della Torre	0	0	0	
Marra	0	0	0	
Wood	0	0	0	
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ly played his brotherBob on defense. The intensity was just as great when Harry brought the ball up court. The results would indicate that the elder brother had the advantage, Pimentel scoring 10 points as opposed to his brothers' four.

Going into the second half, the Bellboys held a comfortable 43-30 lead. Cotugno and Anderson shared scoring honors in quarter number

competi grows in intensity, the Bellboys will quickly find out how much they have improved over last years squad. As it has been mentioned before, the competition has improved greatly. Tomorrow's contest with the Bengals will be a good indicator of the Bellboys progress. At Bloomfield the team willl play before a large crowd at the big Bloomfield gym. The game stands right now to be one of the biggest of

### **First Victory**

the season.

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### CO-CAPTAINS for the varsity matmen go through their moves for the camera. Jim La Conti overlooks Craig Davis (left) and Ralph Fabiano (right). All three are seniors.



JAYVEE coach Jim Donovan (right) supervises as Anthony Malanga and Joe Rilli practice a hold, while looking on are (I-r) Glen Nisivoccia, Joe Crocco and captain Tom Zarra.

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# Petreans Jump to Early Lead

A doubleheader played in the second half, 35-25. before 400 enthusiastic fans at St. Peter's gym recently opened the basketball season for the Grammar School Independent League.

The games featured St. Rose of Lima of Newark against St. Thomas of Bloomfield, with St. Valentine's taking on hosts St. Peter's in the nightcap. In the first game, St. Rose

battled evenly with St. Thomas, but pulled out to win

In the nightcap, St. Valentine's ran into a cold streak went the entire first half without a field goal, and were down 26-7 by the end of the first half. The game didn't improve much for them in the second half as St. Peter's breezed to an easy 55-26 win. In other league action, St. Bridget's of Newark outpointed Our Lady of the Lake (Verona) by the count of 44-

As the league swung into its second week, St. Bridget's had to hold off a strong St. Thomas' rally and win by five

TEAM

St. Peter's

St. Rose

St. Bridget's

St. Valentine

points, 58-53. Then in one of the most exciting games seen in area grammar school play, St. Peter's battled evenly with a strong St. Rose club until breaking it open in the final two minutes to win their second game by a score of 49-41. Valentine's of Bloomfield hosted Our Lady of the Lake of Verona and came out with a hard-fought 56-43 win.

After two games, St. Peter's leads the league in scoring with a 52 points per game average. The Petreans also lead in defense, giving up 33.5 points per game.

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League Standings



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own this year," said Sivelstri. "He's been a very good wrestler to begin with, but he's shown 100 percent improvement." Cozzarelli will compete in the spot formerly held by Anthony

Villano. This season, the junior who copped a district crown has moved up to 122 pounds. "He had a very good season last year," said Silvestri, "and he's improved his abilities since then. I'm hoping he's state material." At 129 pounds will be **Donald Lilois**, a senior with two years

on the Jayvee squad under his belt, Although he had been narrowly edged out for the position last season by Bob Willete, who has since graduated, Liloia did see some varsity competition

Chuck Rilli, a senior, who also spent two years on the Jayvee team and was hampered by injuries last season, will hold down the 135-pound position this year. His greatest asset, said

Silvestri, "is a vast knowledge of moves." Coming in during the last half of the varsity season last year was senior Blll Mazza who, said Silvestri, "possesses plenty of speed and strength, and did well in the flatches he wrestled last year.

Co-captain senior Ralph Fabiano a regionl contender last year, has "improved every day" this year, according to his coach, "and he's been competing in tournaments all summer." Silvestri said Fabiano had developed well as a wrestler last season, and like Villano, is expected to go far this year in the 148-pound class.

Joe Vazquez, another senior veteran from last year's winning team, is slated to open at the 157-pound position today. "Joe still lacks a few moves, but he's picking them up," reported Silvestri. This week, the senior was still facing a challenge for his spot from another sophomore who enjoyed an undefeated frosh season, Michael DeJoseph.

Senior co-captain Craig Davis, who was slowed down by injuries last year, will compete in the 170-pound class, and Silvestri says this switch from 178 will help, since it's closer to

Silvestri says this switch from 178 will help, since it's closer to Davis' own weight. "He's drilling hard and improving every day, and barring injuries, Craig should do well this year." At 180 is the squad's third co-captain, Jim La Conti, also a senior who had a good year on the mat last season. "He's got a good deal of strength and is picking up speed," said Silvestri, who expects continued success from La Conti this year. Heavyweight class remained a question mark this week as two contenders were expected to "wrestle off" for the position.

A junior, John McManus will face a sophomore, Ken Milano, who saw no defeats in his frosh competition. Both weigh about 210 pounds.

The potential of the Wayne Valley visitors remained a question mark this week, but Silvestri believes the December 29 tournament will give a truer indication of the Bellboy power than will the opening match. Top caliber competition will face the Bellboys in Seton Hall, Bloomfield, West Essex, Irvington, West Orange, Kearny and Glen Ridge. Besides the Bloomfield Invitational and the Essex County

Coaches Tournament, the schedule this season carries 10 dual matches

# **Xmas** Tourney **Foes Listed**

After a Monday night meeting of coches for the Bloomfield Invitational Tournament scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 29, Belleville mat mentor Jim Silvestri announced the Bellboys lineup will face the following oppenents.

Vinnie Mustacchio (101) against Fennell of West Orange, seeded number two.; Bob Smith (108) versus del los Reys of Seton Hall (no seed); Bob Cozzarelli del los Reys of Seton Hall (no seed); Bob Cozzarelli (115) will oppose fourth-seeded McMahon of West Essex; Anthony Villano, seeded second, will go against Updegrove of Bloomfield in the 122-pound contest; Don Liloia (129) will face third-seeded Kowalczuk of Irvington; Chuck Rilli (non-seeded) versus Glen Ridge's Smith at 135 pounds. Bill Mazza (141) will oppose number two seeded Danning of Irvington; Ralph Fabiano (148), in the se-cond seed will go against Sisco of West Essex; Joe Vazquez (158), also in the second seed, versus Bloom-field's Ward; Craig Davis (170), seeded first, against

field's Ward; Craig Davis (170), seeded first, against Leao of Glen Ridge; Jim La Conti, last year's tournament winner, is seeded second and will wrestle in the 180-pound event against Seiler of Glen Ridge; heavyweight Ken Milano (non-seeded) will meet Mueller of Glen Ridge.

### What do you think of when you think of food? It's taste? Studies show that people also relate food to fun, hunger, and words like "sweet", "figure", "diet". and "celebrate". Nutritionists think of food as being essential to your growth,





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### Senior Xmas Dance Scheduled for Tonight

### by Diane Frazier

A Christmas dance sponsored by the Senior Class will professional group named In-be held tonight at the Founbe held tonight at the Foun-tain. The affair is open to only seniors, and will be held from

7:30 p.m. to midnight. The tickets have been on sale during the lunch periods. The cost is \$10 for singles and \$20 per couple. A hot and cold buffet styled

dinner will be served. Live entertainment will be by a oldies and have quite a selection of music. The dress for the occasion semi-formal for the crowd

of "200" that is expected The profit that is made by selling tickets will go towards the class trip and graduation.

# **HSA Displays Fur Fashions**

by Liz Primamore

The Belleville High School Home and School association sponsored its annual card party on Friday, Nov. 30 at 8 p.m.

The show featured a fashion show from the Flemington Fur Company. Fifty-nine fur pieces ranging in price from \$495 to \$7500 dollars were displayed by 14 models who paraded on an elevated ramp before 500 specators. Each model and his apparel were described by Miss

Winefred Height from the company. The models were Barbara Rossi, James Attamante, Susan Loihle, Jim Cozzarelli, Marilyn McGrath, Ann Holsey, Judith Knight, Kay Shaughnessy, Susan Wientrob, Laura Mae Sudder, Esther Maltz, Ann Mattern, and Ethel Williamson

Carl Frederic, director of public relations, stated that the purpose of the show was to entice people to come to the store. A similar show was presented at Belleville School Three and the outcome from this program was described as "great". Over 70 prizes were raffled after the fashion show.

Most merchandise was donated by local businesses and individuals. The larger prizes were a trip to Las Vegas and a television set

Publicity was sponsored by committees from the Home and School Association.



IN REHEARSAL - Senior Class advisor Brian Rafferty gives direction to Robin Bressman during rehearsal of a

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classroom scene of "School Days," the senior class play which will be staged in mid-January.

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Mrs. Andrea Schultz, are divided into three levels which

extend half a year each. A Reading Skills program is offered to the advanced college bound student. This class offers skills such as

Mrs. Schultz Teaches

by Anne Molloy

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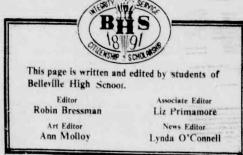
teaching students to read effectively with sufficient comprehension is a main goal.

The Reading Program, an in-trical part of the English

Department, is under the

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# **Getting the Facts About Alcoholism**

by Phyllis Rotundo

When you drink too much, do you get romantic? violent? punchy? sleepy? Did you know that if the average person drank one alcoholic beverage per hour, he would not be affected?

Education about Alcoholism is being taught to the sophomore health classes. Gilbert Decker from the New Jersey Council on Alcoholic Problems, visited Belleville High School's tenth graders recently. He talked about alcohol and answered any questions the students had. His speech covered five major points: What alcohol is, what its effects are, reasons for drinking too much, driving effects, the problem drinker.

Mr. Decker stressed the fact that alcohol is a drug and should be treated as such. There is one alcoholic per four families in America. This makes it a number one social and drug problem. It is the third most critical problem next to heart and mental dis-

Knowledge and education can bring down the horrible statistics of problems within families, on the job, driving, and male-female relationships. Mr. Decker believes that a new look is

eeded and it isn't so much the use but abuse of liquor

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Gilbert Decker speaks at schools, clubs, colleges, and churchs. He has given the speech 35,000 times to 3/4 of a million people in the past ten years. He is involved with New Jersey people under twenty-five as well as older adults. When asked why he is interested in this type of work he replied, "I enjoy my work and am concerned".

This manner is a direct way to impress upon students the dangers of drinking. The same technique should be used to inform students about other problems of today.

Few healthy individuals appreciate good health.





VITAL LEARNING - Mrs. Andrea Schultz is shown while teaching one of three classes in reading at BHS. Sponsored by the English Department, there is a program for any student desiring to increase his reading skills.

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Latin Language Dead? Not to These Students

by John Horutz

Does it sound strange to the morning? Six girls are doing just that! Rachael Romero, Donna Stone, Mary Jane Izzo, Kathleen Fitzgerald, Connie Meyers, and Sandy Cronaeur meet 7:30 to 8:00 a.m. Monday thru Thursday with Mr.

the Preservation of Latin. Students throughout the nation scoring in the top third on attend a Latin Class at 7:30 in the Examination receive a scholastic award.

gear herself to each students

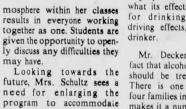
particular needs. Developing good reading skills are essen-

Mr. Donovan summed up his views by stating, "I hope this class will rekindle the interest of the student body in Latin."

supervision of Mr. Leonard tial; they affect every area of mosphere within her classes study. results in everyone working Students are given access to such materials as the controlled reading machine, which emphasizes speed may have.

reading. The tape recorded readings are used for listening and reading skills. Newspaper work is also stressed. Articles are read aloud and questions concerning each one are asked of every student. Mrs. Schultz teaches six

classes a day, two of each level with an average of thirteen students in every class. She prefers smaller classes so that she may assist each student and give them her full attention. The friendly at-



program to accommodate more students. This will call for additional staff, a larger working laboratory, con-trolled reading stations, audio cases. visual materials and a greater assortment of working books. A class for the foreign born,

to teach students English as a second language, is also needed. Presently, Mrs. Schultz tutors these students outside normal class time.



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Donovan to learn the fun-damentals of Latin.

The students asked Mr. Donovan if he would conduct this class since Latin is not offered in the curriculum. The girls are receiving no credit for the course; however, Mr. Donovan has no doubt the students will be awarded the credit for their special interest in the subject. He also added the attendance is excellent and the class is progressing rapidly

In March, the Latin class will participate in the National Latin Examination, administered annually, worldwide by the Association for



Two Dates **To Remember** 

Dec. 26 Seniors who are planning

to take the Achievement Tests in Belleville High School can still register up to this date, but since the regular registra-tion is passed, you will have to pay a \$4.00 late fee, for the January 12, 1974 test date.

Dec. 27 Deadline for the regular registration for the Scholastic Aptitude Test on February 2. 1974. (Belleville High is not a center for this test, but you can take it at other high schools.)

### Reminder

All seniors should send in their applications to state colleges before the Christmas holidays. If you have not sent in at least one application, see . Knuppel or Miss Williamson, before or after school.

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Plants are a popular Christ-mas gift and to make them last as long as possible New York residents may order single, free copies of Cornell Bulletin E-1117, "Care of Flowering Plants in the Home," from the Mailing Room, Bldg. 7,Research Park, Ithaca, N.Y. 14850.

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will maintain the following services on Monday, Dec. 24 and Monday, Dec. 31, Postmaster Joseph Benucci an-nounced this week: full city delivery, special delivery and parcel post, all on a regular basis. Normal lock box and firm caller service will be available along with window service.

Normal mail collection from residential boxes by city carriers and "at least minimal levels of Sunday collection" will be in effect, said Benucci. Financial nd window services will be available until 1 p.m.

The mid-town financial station at 9 Clinton Street from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and the main Post Office building windows will be open from 9 a.m. to 5

p.m. The Newark Post Office and affiliated stations and branches - Post Office and affiliated stations and branches will be closed on Christmas and New Year's Days.

Mrs. A. Federico, 79; Was Hospital Volunteer

Funeral services were held Mrs. Federico is survived Funeral services were held December 13 at Holy Family Church for Mrs. Antoinette Federico, 14 Franklin Avenue, Nutley, who died December 9 at the Essex County Hospital Center in Cedar Grove after a Long it Mrs. Federico is survived by three sons, Natale of Pittsburgh, Pa., Serafino of Surf City, and Philip of Belleville; two brothers, Vin-Salvatore of Nutley; a sister, Miss Grace Vaccarella of Cedar Grove after a long i lness. A Nutley resident for 54 years, she was 79. Born in Italy, Mrs.

Born in Italy, Mrs. DeSimone came to Nutley from Brooklyn where she was

employed as a seamstress.

Federico (nee Vaccarella) came to Nutley from Newark.

She was a volunteer worker at

Clara Maass Memorial

Hospital several years ago.

Commission

The next scheduled meeting

of the Belleville Board of

Commissioners will be held Thursday, Dec. 27 at 8:30

p.m. at the Town Hall

The meeting date was changed from its regular Tuesday date to avoid conflict with the Christmas holiday.

chambers.

**Meeting Set** 

Nutley, grandchildren. The Rev. Michael Saltarelli officiated the services were handled by the S.W. Brown & Son Funeral Home. Inter-

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# Was Born In Italy Mrs. M. De Simone;

Funeral services were held ly, both of Brooklyn; Mrs. December 8 for Mrs. Mary De Simone, 7 Sylvan Place, Nutley, who died December 5 Lena Bowden of Belleville, and Mrs. Lilian Fravel of Nutley; two sons, Gasper of at Clara Maass Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Arizona and Joseph of Nutley, 13 grandchildren and A Nutley resident seven years, she was 77. four great-grandchildren.

Services were directed by the Biondi Funeral Home and interment was in St. John's Cemetery, New York.

She is survived by four \*\*\* daughters, Mrs. Frances LaCara, and Mrs. Mary Kel-The age of man has little relation to his sense.

# **OBITUARIES**

# John J. Killeen, 98; Retiree of W&T Co.

Funeral mass was held Louis, Mo.; two brothers, December 12 in St. Peter's Church for John J. Killeen, 59 Hornblower Avenue, who died December 8 at Clara Maass Memorial Hospital. A Belleville resident 52 years, he was 98. A native of Ireland, Mr.

Killeen came to Belleville from Jersey City. Before his retirement 18 years ago, he was employed by the Wallace & Tiernan Company. Mr. Killeen is survived by

his wife Mrs. Rose Sheehan Killeen; two sons, Leo M. of Belleville, and Robert of St.

### Elwood Conklin, 67: Born in New York Mr. Conklin is survived by

Funeral services were held December 12 for Elwood Conklin, 246 Washington Avenue, who died at home December 8 after a long illness. A Belleville resident for 38 years, he was 67.

Born in Highland Mills, N.Y., Mr. Conklin came to Belleville from Mountainville, N.Y. He was an assembly line worker for a paint manufacturing firm.

Steve and Michael Killeen, both of Ireland; six sisters, Mrs. Mary Waters and Mrs. Anne O'Dea, both of North Arlington, Mrs. Susan Kelly, of Jersey City, Mrs. Catherine Guerin of New York City, and Mrs. Ellen Hurley and Mrs. Nora Chadwick, both of Ireland;

and six grandchildren. The Rev. James F. Heavy officiated the services handled by the Kiernan Funeral Home. Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery, North Arlington.

his wife Mrs. Rose Newsome Conklin; three daughters.

Mrs. Rosemary Lovenson of Elizabeth, Mrs. Betty Peter-son of Illinois, and Mrs.

Agnes Herrmann of Ir-vington; four sons, Charle and

Michael E. Conklin, both of Belleville, Sidney P. of

Garwood, and James J. of Ir-

her husband the late Henry J. Mason

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Mrs. Mason is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Ford of East Orange, and Mrs. Eduardo Ritter of Bogota, Columbia; two sons, Horace W. of Saddle River, and Frederick H. of Belvezet, France; 13 grandchildren, and 16 greatgrandchildren



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vington; a sister, Miss Lottie Conklin, and 14 grandchildren. 





DRIVER HONORED - From left, as his wife watches, Louis P. Snyder, 48, of Severly Court, Belleville, receives Motor Truck Association. Looking on is Ware watches, Louis P. Snyder, 48, of Severity Court, Belleville, receives Motor Truck Association. Looking on is Warren Reynolds, safety director, Geo. B. Holman & Co., Hackensack, household goods movers. Snyder won the citation along with savings bond and gold pin for having driven more than 500, 600 miles without a chargeable accident while working for Holman the past 14 years. Most of this driving has been busy Boston-Washington, D.C., corridor.

# School Four Kids **Present** Musicale

The second grades of School Four presented a Christmas musicale on Tuesday, Dec. 18 to the enjoyment of all who attended. The teachers, Mrs.

Jersey News Editors Discuss Issues on TV Editors of New Jersey

newspapers discuss issues of the day on "The Editors," Dec. 27 at 8:30 p.m. on Channels 52, 23, 50 and 58.



The children in the special classes added to the festivities with a few holiday songs.







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December 7 at St. Mary's Church, Nutley, for Mrs. Katherine Mason, 174 Floyd

Street, Belleville, who died

December 4 in Allendale after

a long illness. A resident of Belleville 55 years, she was

Born in Ulster Heights,

N.Y., Mrs. Mason came to Belleville from Middletown,

N.Y. She was predeceased by



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Thursday, December 20, 1973 20 - The Belleville Times Holiday Cheer May these merry bells keep ringing out happy holidays in your home and heart this season. We have no King We have no Queen But what we do have are Miss Donna, Dee and Betty So come see what we mean RALPH'S PIZZERIA 564 Franklin Avenue Nutley, N.J. **MONDO KANE HAIR FASHIONS** 667-9635 - 235-1130 228 Belleville Ave. Open Christmas eve: & New Year's eve: Belleville, N.J. 759-9880 4 p.m. - 9 p.m.

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It starts in your own home-with little children's faces lighting up in joyous wonderment. The glittering tree. The beautiful and mysterious packages to be unwrapped. It's the time for families and friends to be together-sharing warmth and pleasure. It's the time to give thanks for all these good things. And, finally, it's the time for prayer. May joy and love and peace be everywhere. Soon. That's Christmastime.



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# Building Contractors Predict For Holidays Sharp Drop in Construction Safety Advice

Building Contractors Association of New Jersey forecasts a sharp reduction on tract time building construction in the state next year, (1974) based on a of the survey the Association's general contrac-

Fuel and material shortages lead the major six reasons given in the survey for the epressing prediction. uilding Contractors Building Contractors Association of New Jersey is the largest organization of its kind in the building and construction industry in New Jersey, representing contractors engaged in commercial, industrial and institutional building.

Because of the critical fuel and material shortage, the Association through its Managing Director, D. Bruce Evans, is suggesting to the New Jersey Users (Construc-tion Council and said. tion

organizations representing architects, that new building contracts contain clauses stipulating that, "In the event of unreasonable delay, disruption, or change occurring in the work as a direct or indirect result of the shortages, or energy related material shortages the owner or his representatives will have the responsibility to make an equitable adjustment in the



contract price and the con-The prediction of the con-

struction reversal next year is based on a survey of Association members completed December 16, 1973. The key factors mentioned as our members.

detriments to new construc-It is also interesting to note that 40 percent of the respondents forecast an in-crease in construction Forty percent of the contractors indicate fuel shor-tages; forty percent indicate management, 20 percent inmaterial shortages; thirty perdicate an increase in design-build, and 20 percent indicate that 1974 will show an incent cite environmental restrictions; twenty percent mention interest rates; ten crease in turnkey operations." percent cite new Occupational In his message to New Jersey Users Council and the

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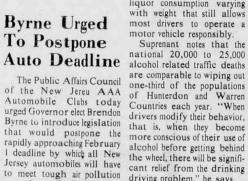
contractors and owners

Safety and Health Regulations, and six percent architects, he said that because of wide spread con-struction interruptions there mention zoning restrictions. "We also must bear in mind that with each passing week the fuel and material is a logical hesitancy on the part of contractors to bid new shortages/percentages in conwork. And many owners are already indicating that they struction increases," Evans are afraid to request new bids He said his findings in the

survey show a thirty-nine percent in new construction in 1974. He added: "Airport construction

tion are:

shows the biggest loss-100 percent percent-not one contractor can foresee any new airport construction. Our in-formation indicates an overall reduction of 37 percent in educational construction, 29 percent in hospital construc-tion, 28 percent in private



I deadline by which all New Jersey automobiles will have to meet tough air pollution control standards. On that date the state's auto inspec-tion atticing and in the state. tion station are scheduled to start rejecting cars that can-not meet emission standards.

Frank Quinn, chairman of the AAA council, emphasized that implementation of the new program could have a disastrous effect on New Jersey's dwindling gas supply. "It's a recognized fact that any of the approved air pollu-tion control devices drastical-by reduce acaplic millione." ly reduce gasoline mileage," Quinn said. "I cannot think of a worse time for the state to insist that drivers meet these new standards and thereby either increase gas demands or reduce the mileage a

motorist can expect on his present gas supply." Quinn said the AAA also believes that state and federal officials directly involved in the energy crisis should examine the tremendous gas savings that could result if emission controls on '72, '73 and '74 models could be temporarily disconnected during the emergency. Quinn said leaders in the automotive field point out that substantial savings in gasoline could be achieved by this method.

construction and 23 percent in On Wallet Cards public construction. The only optimistic note in In an unprecedented sweep,

two million licensed drives the entire survey is that there is indicated a sixty percent (60) increase in waste treatwill be advised that drinking and driving do mix - to a point. "Don't Drive Over Point ment facility construction by

Zero Five" is the message imprinted on two millionwallet cards being distributed statewide with registration renewal applications by the N.J. Division of Motor Vehicles Alcohol

Countermeasures Project. Roger Surprenant, ACP Coordinator, says, "The wallet cards are unique because they are the only available indexes that focus on a safe blood alcohol level that is point or for for for the - that is, point zero five. And it is highly unlikely that a driver who follows the .05% guidelines will ever be con-victed of a drinking driving offense because at point zero five a driver is legally presumed sober." He added, because some may well be un-reasonably high to cover the risks the contractor now has "There is no presumption of sobriety beyond .05%."

The goal in seeking con-tract clause covering delays caused by shortages, Evans explained, "is to promote the orderly flow of bidding and Although studies have proven that measurable impairment begins at a blood alcohol concentration below .05%, all other wallet cards contract awards at reasonable circulated nationwide concerning drinking driving include BAC levels in safe, risky, and prices despite the shortages and the unforeseeable risks and problems they create for unsafe categories. Point zero five represents a reasonable liquor consumption varying with weight that still allows

Suprenant notes that the national 20,000 to 25,000 one-third of the populations of Hunterdon and Warren Countries each year. "When drivers modify their behavior, that is, when they become more conscious of their use of alcohol before getting behind the wheel, there will be significant relief from the drinking driving problem," he says. Noting that alcohol affected crashes have an impact beyond the resulting grief and heartbreak which canot be measured, he reports that alcohol related traffic deaths are a financial burden to the

people of New Jersey in excess of \$15 million annually and may be as high as \$75

### **Bike Thefts** On the Rise, Say Insurers

"Imagine a line of bicycle, fender to fender', going more than two times around the world. That's how many bikes

are now being used in the U.S. – about 60 million," states the Insurance Brokers Association of N.J

"About 14 million new bikes are sold each year, costing about \$1.4 billion, and this has brought many problems. Among them are bike thefts, and protection against suits and judgements for bodily injury and property

million, depending on whether a value is placed on life expec-

tancy "As drinking drivers res-pond to our 'Don't Drive Over Point Zero Five' watchword and become cognizant of its implications, we hope to see a gradual reduction of drinking driving fatalities," says Surprenant. However, he notes that results will only be evident after longterm study of accident statistics. The Alcohol Countermeasures Project,

funded through the Office of Highway Safety, operates in Bergen, Middlesex, Warren, and Hunterdon counties testing most effective measures that will eventually be implemented sciencide be implemented statewide.

Shakespearean Comedy At Wm. Paterson Tonight "As You Like It," one of Shakespeare's most popular comedies, will be performed by the National Shakespearean Comedy at William Paterson College tonight. Under the sponsorship of the Student Government the Student Committee,

the production will be presented at 8 p.m. in Shea Auditorium on the campus at 300 Pompton Road in Wayne. General admission is \$2.00, \$1.50 for senior citizens. Tickets will be available at the door or at the Cultural Affairs office (201-881-2335). Free parking is available to those entering the campus via gate three.

Farm Milk Prices Rises 11 Cents from October

A uniformed price of \$8.70 per hundredweight (46.5 quarts) for November milk deliveries to pool handlers un-der the New York-New Jersey marketing order was announced today by the Market Administrator, Thomas A. Wilson. The un-iform price was \$8.59 in October and \$6.87 in November 1972. The butterfat differential

for November milk testing higher or lower than 3.5 percent is 8.6 cents for each tenth of a pound of fat.

# Parkicay Launches Winter Safety

The New Jersey Highway Authority today launched its annual winter safety cam-paign on the Garden State Parkway with emphasis on the need for careful vehicle maintenance and the value of using car seat belts and toughtread tires in cold weather. "In the interests of safety."

Authority Commissioner Harry D. Sussna said, "It is mportant to keep vehicles in

good operating condition, to fasten seat belts and to have months of December through creasingly more vital the hazards of winter driving Through our annual special efforts on the Authorityoperated Parkway in the wintertime, we seek to arouse greater public awareness of the need to follow these safety steps in the cold-weather in car radiators

March. Recommended precationary measures, he noted, include the keeping of adequate supplies of gasoline in car tanks, the checking of batteries to make certain they have sufficient life to men the have sufficient life to meet the needs of cold-weather starting and driving, the use of suf-ficient anti-freeze ingredients



Who cares about smoggy skies and polluted lakes. About empty cans and trash littering our countryside. About plants and trees dying in our forests. And animals too. Who cares? Woodsy Owl, the Nation's new battler for a clean environment cares. And so should you. Join Woodsy in the fight against pollution.

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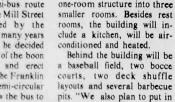
### **Center Site Switched** Senior

(Continued from Page 1) 27, and he expects building to begin in the spring. Marctti said the original Camp Carragher site off Hill

Street between Liberty and Chestnut began ite book less attractive when neighbors questioned the recontribution of heavy traffic in the area

Marotti said an investigation showed possible problems in the laying of water and sewer lines to the proposed building. STATE OF THE STATE

Marotti, and will be equipped with removable room dividers Then it was noted the new which can break down the senior citizen mini-bus route was to run past the Mill Street property donated by the rgens Company many years ago. Marotti said he decided to take advantage of the boon to transportation and erect the clubhouse on the Franklin



by 70 feet, may now become as long as 80 or 90 feet, said

Schedule Services (Continued from Page 1) "Christmas Around the

held and church school is World," featuring singing and a play. The regular worship service will follow at 11 a.m. scheduled for 9:30 a.m. A Christmas Eve vesper service is scheduled for Grace On Sunday evening, an 8 p.m. candlelight worship service will be held with singing by Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.; caroling afterward. The choir will be led by the Rev. Richard C. Shanklin with the church choir. Christmas Eve masses at St. Anthony's Church are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. and a

congregational participation. Bethany Evangelical Church has scheduled a famiconcelebrated midnight mass ly Christmas program for Sunday at 7:30 p.m. featuring with singing by the choir. Masses on Christmas Day are a Nativity scene and singing followed by refreshments. A set for 7:30 a.m., 9, 10, 11 and noon candlelight service will be held Christmas Eve, with special choir music at 11 p.m. On hold mass on Christmas Eve at 5:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. A con-Christmas morning, commu-nion service will be held at 11 celebrated midnight mass will be preceded by carols at 11:30 p.m.. Masses on Christmas Day are set for 6 a.m., 7, 8,

St. Peter's Church will

Silver Lake Baptist Church

ill present carols from

and prayer service will begin at 11 p.m. The Rev. Benedetto Pascale, who celebrates his 81st birthday today, will preach on Sunday and deliver a brief address on Christmas

Today and tomorrow, Holy Family Church will hold Advent Penitential services. On

Christmas Eve there will be

masses at 5:30 p.m., 7 p.m. and midnight. Christmas Day will be highlighted by a folk

mass at 10 a.m. and the adult choir at the 141:15 a.m. mass.

Other masses will be at 7 a.m., 8:30 a.m. and 12:30

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Cereal foods are great extenders. Used with more costly protein foods, they help

make more servings - like

spaghetti and meat balls, for

Day.

a.m. The junior and senior strumentalists and soloists will perform at an 11 a.m. candlelight service will A Christmas Eve candlelight service will be held Sunday service . at at Fewsmith Memorial Montgomery Presbyterian Church at 8 p.m. Monday, Church. Soloists will be with special choir music, soprano Debbie Zarra, readings from Scriptures and readings from Scriptures and other readings, concluding with lighting of candles. A special family service will be baritone David Day and in-strumentalists will be Caren De Jonge and Julie Flocke. The concluding anthem will be the "Hallelujah" Chorus held Sunday, Dec. 30, and a Christmas Day service will be by Handel. The handbell choir, under the direction of held at 10 a.m. Jackie Trison, will also perform. A traditional candlelight service will be held different nations at their 11 a.m. service Sunday. At their on Christmas Eve at 11 p.m. At Belleville Reformed Christmas Day service, the choir will sing the "Newborn King" cantata, featuring Church the public is invited to soloists soprano Mrs. Grace Gerace, tenor Lou Donofrio the 9:30 a.m. Sunday School program with the theme and organist Alba Brunetto. On Dec. 31, a midnight watch



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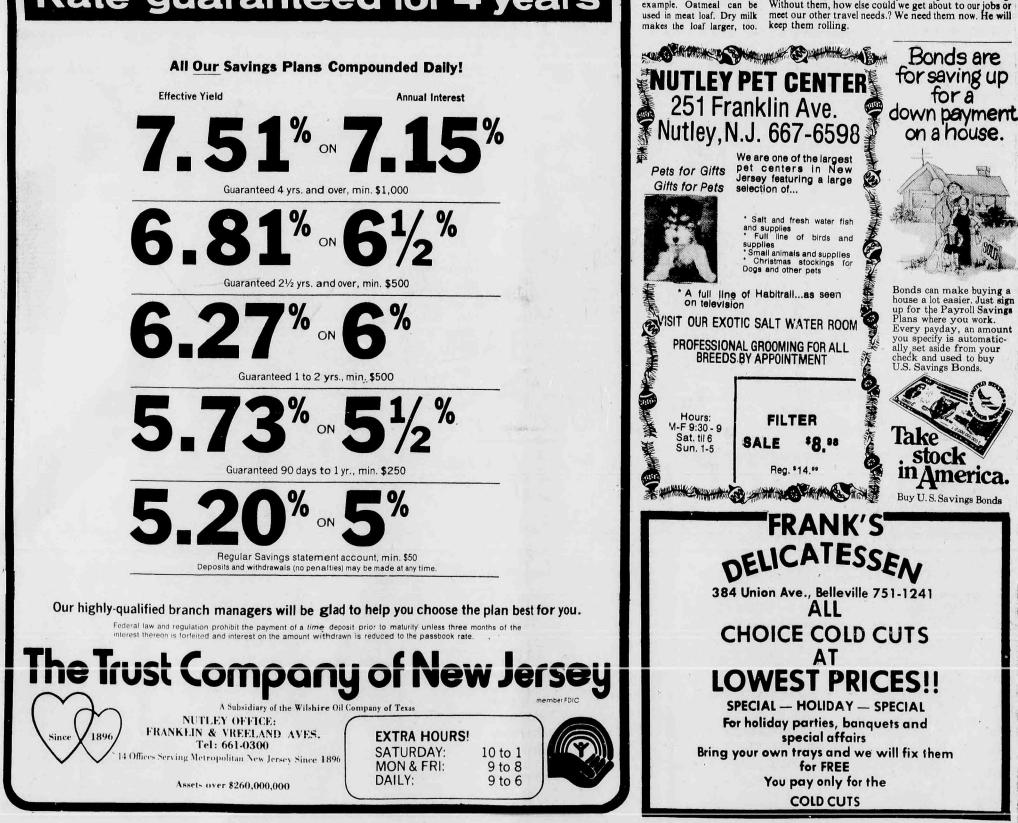
(Continued from Page 1) with respect to the enforcement of alternate parking between December 15, 1973 up to and including March 31, 1974, is hereby suspended and will take effect im-mediately upon final passage in accordance with law." The measure was adopted at the Nov. 27, 1973 meeting. Thanks a lot, Chief Joe Smith. I appreciate your kind consideration in assisting to advise our readers of the suspension of the regulations and also commend our town commissioners for their understanding considera-tion of the scarat inconvenience that might result from ention of the great inconvenience that might result from enforcement of the measure during heavy snow accumulations.

Despite the gloomy picture looming on the horizon affecting our mobility as a result of the gasoline shortage, with its prospect of rationing, one bright spot seems to appear. While it is only now in the discussion stage and unofficial, it does seem likely, through the persistent ef-forts of Commisioner Vincent Strumolo and the diligent work of his efficient conditive Pathw A Piseli that ad work of his efficient coadjutor Ralph M. Risoli, that adwork of his efficient coagitor Kaipi M. Kison, that ac-ditional restored public transportation may become available to our citizens in sections now lacking service. If plans now contemplated jell and Public Utility Board approval is granted it appears likely that improve-ment will be offered in Transport of New Jersey service on what used to be the old No. 28 Summer Ave., Route, through both Nutley and Ballavilla which will offer 22 through both Nutley and Belleville which will offer 22 trips in both directions throughout the day between 6:17 a.m. od 6:30 p.m., with varying intervals spread to ac-comodate the periods of heaviest riding. The new service, if instituted, will be designated 13 A. a leg of the heavily ridden Broad line. The new leg would, going into Newark, start in Nutley at Darling and Kingsland Aves., follow the route of the old No. 28 line, and Kingsland Aves. follow the route of the old No. 28 line over Franklin Ave. to Joralemon and Union Ave., then con-tinue down Joralemon St. to Washington Ave. where it will turn right and proceed on the regular 13 Broad route. Return trips of the new 13 A Broad line would follow the same course in reverse pattern. through both Nutley and Belleville which will offer 22 same course in reverse pattern.

If sanctioned and put into effect appropriate schedules will be available for the riding public. The contemplated new service should offer a little better means of getting about and Comm. Strumolo merits compliments for his long, persistent efforts to bring about improvement in our community's public transportation needs.

While discussing the increasingly important role busses must now play in transporting people in this emergency gas-shortage age, I should be remiss were I to neglect to mention the recent appointment of Mr. Samuel Spinelli of 144 Pake St., Nutley N.J. by Transport of New Jersey to the position of District Superintendent of maintenance.

With his 38 years of service in keeping the behemoth vehicle of TNJ's huge rolling stock in excellent mechanical condition it is imperative that now, in this skill and experience to keep our big busses rolling. Without them, how else could we get about to our jobs or meet our other travel needs.? We need them now. He will









## This Week's Horoscope

(December 22 through December 28)

ARIES (March 21-April 19): What you have searched for can be found, Ari, but you will discover it only if you abandon the festive lights. Seek out the quiet places. Delightful gift lies waiting. (And not under the Christmas tree, either.)

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Key to success-ful week is careful planning. Chaos results if you don't get your affairs (?) under control. Chances are you've already left too much to chance. Member of another generation needs you, Tau-rus: Not words, not gifts, just YOU. On last day, relax with friends. Kick off your boots and enjoy a bot toddy. a hot toddy.

GEMINI (May 21+June 20): You are much admired, Gem, so ignore words of chowderhead who, out of jealousy, would like nothing better than to blow your ego to smithereens. Surprise arrives. In this case, Gem, it is not so much the thought that counts, but the gift itself. So relax your bones and enjoy, enjoy!

CANCER (June 21-July 22): It will be "over the meadow and through the wood" for most Moonbabies. Journey can have happy ending as vital, new relationship is launched. Those of you sweet things who remain close to home have opportunity to tighten old ties. Study words to Gem for secret message.

LEO (July 23-August 22): Travel highlighted. LEO (July 23-August 22): Travel highlighted. What seems highly unlikely to occur is very likely to happen this week and you, Leo, will relish every crazy minute. The sweetness of friendship will be offered. Relationship can be rare one, based on laughter and the sharing of mutual goals. Eros smiles on you before week lingles to on end an end

VIRGO (August 23-September 22): Those of another generation drain you of energy. Seek help from trusted friend. It isn't really necessary for you, sweet Virg, to do ALL the chores, you know. Before last day, take a little time for some fa-la-la-la-ing.

LIBRA (September 23-October 22): Be totally liberated in week ahead, Libra, and loiter under the mistletoe every chance you get. You have a shy admirer who stands in the shadows just waiting for you to take notice. So what are you waiting for?

SCORPIO (October 23-November 21): Stay as close to home as much as possible, Scorp. And remember, dear Scorp, home is where your love is. Accept with grace unexpected gift. Contrary to popular opinion, it is often more blessed to receive than it is to give. On last day, jingle your little bell (or belle) whichever the case may be.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21): Travel and messages highlighted. Others find you stimulating. (More than usual, that is.) In truth, Saj, your flashing charm will put all holiday decorations to shame. Unexpected encounter could prove to be beginning of something rather special. You call the shots.

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19) Enjoy holiday mood, Cap. Contact those who love you. It is written that if you spread one joy, you dispel a hundred cares. A fire kindled long ago apt to blaze anew. Keep your asbestos poncho handy.

AQUARIUS (January 20-February 18), One with secret key may open hidden door to your heart. New bond can be formed. You're a natural giver, Aquari, and in week ahead you have chance to give, give, give. However, you would be wise to hold back just a smidgen as far as energy is concerned, because next week you're REALLY going to need it. Week ends on note of sheer delight.

PISCES (February 19-March 20): New chap-ter about to begin, Pisces. Say good-bye to the drab days. With a little effort on your part, your life can begin to resemble a richly-textured tapestry. Complicated, yes. But intensely fascin-

### Actors' Cafe Holds Over 'Homecoming'

"The Homecoming," by Harold Pinter, is being held over for a sixth week at the Actors Cafe Theatre, 263 Central Avenue at So. Munn, East Orean and will be here East Orange, and will play on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 28 and 29 at 8:30 p.m. Therefore, The Browning

Version," by Terrence Rat-tigan and "The Man With The Flower in His Mouth" by Luiggi Pirandello, will open on Friday, Jan. 4 and will run for four weeks through January 26 on Thursday, Friday and Saturdays at 8:30 p.m.

The cast will include Marjorie Terr, Bozena Wasilewski, John Corry, Jerome Ardito, Eli Levine Eivind Ramberg and id G. Kennedy. Mr. David G. Kennedy. Mr. Kennedy serves as the director. Reservations can be made calling the box office at 675-1881.

Casting will be held on Sunday, Dec. 23 and Sunday, Dec. 30 at 7 p.m. for all parts except Jean Brodie in "The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie. Especially needed are several teenage girls.

Children to Improvise At 'Proposition Circus'

The Proposition Circus, an improvised revue for children, will appear at the YM-YWHA of Metropolitan New Jersey, 760 Northfield Avenue, West Orange, on Friday, December 28 at 2 p.m. The performance is open to both Y members and nonmembers. A children's edition of the

famed Proposition, the Proposition Circus creates a program completely and spontaneously from audience suggestions. The young audience offers suggestions which are turned into games, machines, magical stories, symphonies and marching bands, marionettes, songs, television shows and fairy tales.

Educational as well as entertaining, the Proposition Circus presents an engaging afternoon of fun and fantasy, an alive and lively replace-ment for traditional children's drama and television. Additional information and

ticket prices may be obtained by calling 736-3200, ext. 14.

Television News Report To Highlight '73 Events From the Garden State's energy crisis to the sale of horsemeat in New Jersey, The New Jersey News Report will examine news highlights 1973 during a special "1973 Year End Review," Jan. 1 at 7:30 p.m. on Channels 23, 50, 52 and 58.

The half-hour, full color telecast will include a look at President Nixon's inauguration, the affect Watergate has had on New Jersey, the week long series of chain reaction accidents on the New Jersey Turnpike, flooding in Plain-field in Plainfield and Bound-brook rook, tragedies in Willingboro, the return of New Jersey's P.O.W.'s, the unsuccessful Camden mayoral candidate Major Benjamin Coxon, the election of Brendan Byrne as governor, the inspections and closing of state institution kitchen's, food prices, the Hackensack Sports Complex and the Miss America Pageant.



STAR SKATERS — The skillful skating of Jo Jo Star-buck and Ken Shelley, U.S. National Pair Champions, highlights the excitement and glamour of Ice Capades at Madison Square Garden January 8-20.

# Parkway to Offer Free Coffee, Tea

The New Jersey Highway Authority's version of "one for the road" will be continued during the Christmas and New Year's eve-morning periods, when free drinks of non-alcoholic varieties will be served to its Garden State Parkway patrons.

Authority Commissioner Harry D. Sussna today announced that the restaurants on the Authority-operated road will offer coffee, tea or milk—and Toll House cookies too—without charge from 9 p.m. December 24 to 9 a.m. December 25 and during the same 12 hours of December 31 and January 1. "The program, the 17th an-

nual, is conducted in the interests of safe driving," Com-missioner Sussna said. "It could be called the 'pause that refreshes' during the festive holiday season. We recom-mend that all Parkway motorists, especially those who have been partying, in-terrupt their holiday travels by stopping at roadside restaurants for a drink

lacking alcohol." When the Parkway launched the free-drink idea on January 1, 1958, it con-fined the offer to New Year's Day. Later on, it added Christmas to the program. Meanwhile the concept. caught on elsewhere and

became an annual holiday practice among toll roads in general.

Commissioner Sussna said that toll collectors on both of the coming holidays will present invitation cards with safety messages to drivers as they pass the toll booths, but the Parkway restaurants will give the free refreshments to all who ask, even if they don't

have the formal requests in hand. The safety message on the invitation calls attention to the new 50-mile-an-hour speed limit adopted by the Parkway because of the current energy emergency and also to such safety needs as keeping right and passing left,

using car seat belts and replacing bald tires. "If your car breaks down," the safety message notes, "don't walk on the Parkway.

Help will come." The safety drinks with cookies will be offered by the Howard Johnson and Holiday House operators of Partkway restaurants. All of the food sites on the toll road will be involved except the southernmost, Seaville, which is closed every winter.

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# 'Bicycle Mania' Has Its Pitfalls

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Bike theft has now become big business. Theft rings' have been uncovered that have been sweeping thru an area, filling a truck with stolen bikes, and then taking them to a factory. There they are sandblasted, serial numbers filed off, repainted,

and sent out as new bikes. "Controlling bike theft is extremely difficult. Most communities don't require registration: many owners don't know the serial numbers, and some don't even remember the maker's name. I ven where such information is available, it frequently doesn't help, as stolen bikes, are usually sold in distant cilies

Because of the frequency of losses, bike insurance has become a difficult problem. Some protection is provided by Homeowners and Fenants policies, usually with a \$50. deductible. Bicycle 'floater' policies are available in some companies, covering theft and other physical damage, but where obtainable, they don't provide any protection for bodily intury, property damage, or medical payments for 'members of the public.'

'It is thought that before long one or more companies will offer complete hicycle insurance, along the lines of automobile and motorcycle insurance. Until then, bike owners who aren't covered by Homeowners or Fenants policies should secure Per-

### YM-YWHA Will Exhibit Youth's Peace Paintings

The YM-YWHA of Metropolitan New Jersey, 760 Northfield Avenue, West Orange, announces the opening of VISION OF PEACE IN PAINTING, an exhibition of 42 children's paintings on the subject of peace. On loan from the Smithsonian Institution, the paintings will be on display in the Y gallery from December 22 to January 20.

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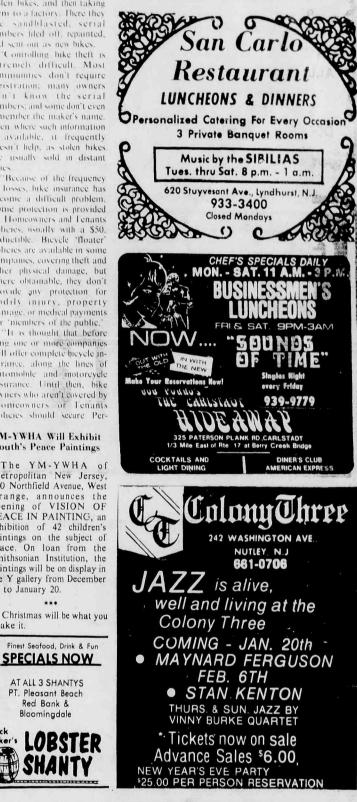
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special holiday offering for children and grandchildren museum, a child sponsored by a museum member, and try to get a bike "floater" The any case each bike states the Insurance Brokers should have a special steel Association of NJ cable and lock. Most threes Miss Thompson has per-formed widely in New Jersey can quickly cut thru most kuids of chains, but some of thieves, unless they have time to use a special saw. The cable should be strong thru both wheels, around the frame, and post, or other immovable object

> Never leave your bike unthree, or four hammers chained II you do, the chances are that you willbe the next person calling the police to report a stolen

Money multiplies the power of man, either for better or for worse



Marimba Concert Slated

Grace Thompson, concert marimbist, will present a program at the Montelair Art. Museum on Friday.

Museum on Friday, December 28, at 2 p.m., as a

children enrolled in the

both for children's and adult

audiences. A pianist,

arranger, and composer, she

xylophone, creating brittle, brilliant notes, and as a

marimba producing warm,

mellow tones by using two,

her instrument as a

plays

At Montclair Museum

Two all-time entertainand Tony Martin, are scheduled for a two-night stand at the Playboy Club-Hotel at Great Gorge here Friday and Saturday (Dec. 21-22).

With backgrounds in movies, television, stage, records and nightclubs, the dynamic duo is well-known to

audiences around the world. The plush Penthouse will be the setting for the husband and wife combination that has been wowing reviewers and fans alike

Miss Charisse is a frequent



guest star on top television shows, displaying her fan-tustic blend of talent. In blevis terthe blevis to the blevis terther to the blevis of talent to the By," and "Here Come The Girls." nightclubs she adds to the by wearing breathtaking gowns.

**Cyd Charisse Booked At Playboy** 

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Some of his million sellers Her movie credits include "Singing In The Rain," Silk Stockings," "Brigadoon," in records were "I Get Ideas," "To Each His Own," "There's No Tomorrow," and and "East Side, West Side." "Begin the Beugine." He set attendance records Tony Martin, regarded as in many top nightclubs in the

one of the best-dressed men in entertainment, has appeared world 表 名外 增美 医皮 医黄油素 医水杨素 医黄 医黄杨素 重化化 的美 医乳 神 GUYS FROM 371 Franklin Ave., Belleville 8 We wish you all a Merry Christmas

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# Wins Science Award

Season's Dreetings

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Thomas Sanders, 485 be made by Raymond O. Union Avenue, was named winner of the annual Bausch & Lomb Science Award last week at Belleville High School. The presentation will significant because it

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recognizes our senior with the Smith, principal at the annual awards buffet dinner. highest scholastic standing in science subjects," Smith said. "The Baush & Lomb Science Award is especially

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members. The popularity of the

(Continued from Page 1) program among the visually handicapped is due to the variety of opportunities, both musical and social, offered to kindness would grow into such a worthwhile and expanding project. Dck's first student did so bass guitar, drums, organ, piano and clarinet are just some of the instruments well and derived so much pleasure from her lessons that

other visually handicapped taught. All students are taught initially by ear with the use of simple chords. Music • ounder visually handicapped youngsters came to Dick for lessons. In just a few years the number of his students grew to 15, the Fieldhouse base-ment was converted into a music studio, and Dick and his wife Martha were devoting all their evenings and weekends to their work with these youngsters. Members of theory is introduced gradually as the student progresses. Along with individual instruction all students are provided with lesson and song books, in braille for the totally blind and in bold print for the par-tially sighted. Musical tapes are also supplied to each stu-dent so that they can practice along with the songs they are learning. these youngsters. Members of the community, hearing about the community, hearing about this meaningful project, offered their help in in-creasing numbers. In 1969 the Music Foundation for the Visually Handicapped was of-ficially established. Today with Dick Fieldhouse as its full time music director the learning. The Music Foundation has

these groups meet for practice on a weekly basis at the Em-manuel Baptist Church in Ridgewood. The students have performed for various social organizations full-time music director the organization has 50 active members and 100 associate social organizations throughout the state. The encouragement and praise given to the students by the public builds confidence and creates a great learning incentive. Among the many perfor-mances planned for the

following year the students will perform for the Lions An-nual Convention in Atlantic

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City in June. Group practices, perfor-mances and the other social gatherings of the Foundation gatherings of the Foundation provide an opportunity for social interaction often lacking in the lives of the visually handicapped. Meeting with new people and discussing common interests and problems has a positive effect on all the MFVH students, both young and old. By the way, there is no age limit set for students and as of today the age range is from 6 today the age range is from 6 to 56.

Many New Jersey social clubs are giving their support to the Foundation. TheLions International have been of great help to the program and the Lions of District 16 A have made the Foundation a major project. The New Jersey Federation of Junior Womens Clubs as well as many Rotary and Kiwanis clubs havealso given a good deal of assistance in the growth and expansion of the MFVH. If the Music Founda-tion is to be able to provide its tion is to be able to provide its services to the more than 11,-000 visually handicapped

residents of New Jersey, and this is its goal, thenmuch-more help is needed. Financial support, help with transportation, and the organizing of chapters throughout the state are on the top of the list. Dedicated volunteer instructors, es-pecially in guitar and banjo are being sought. Good ear players as well as those more knowledgeable in music theory are eligible to teach. Teaching aids and expert counseling are provided to all instructors.

Information about the MFVH program, student and instructor applications as well as applications for student performances or a showing of the MFVH film can be obtained by writing to Music, Box 569, Ridgewood, New Jersey 07451. Information about the Music Foundation's Annual Charity Ball, which will be held on April 13, 1974 at the Imperial Manor, Route 4, Paramus, can also be obtained through the same source.

To understand the significance of the Music Foundation program one has only to look at Ed Scroxzynski. Ed, who lives in

Belleville, during the school year, is completing an extremely active senior year at Jersey Prep in Newark. Ed commutes from Belleville to Ridgewood several times a week in order to practice with the main performing group and help instruct other students in the less experienced groups. The Music Foundation is giving Ed the opportunity to learn more about the music he loves, and Ed in turn is helping the Music Foundation by sharing his knowledge and experience with other students. Somehow this seems to make life a little more plea-sant for Ed, for the Music Foundation and for all of us. Belleville, during the school Foundation and for all of us.



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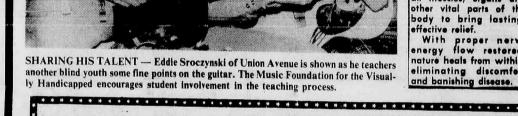
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