

Patrons depart disco when liquor runs out

Parrillo's halted liquor service Saturday when the clock tolled mid-night and signaled the expiration of the disco's license. But the disco beat went on as bar-tenders ensured lines and soda to

vice will not be served after 11:30 p.m.", id- Patrons were also personally infor-of med by Fierro that only non-alcoholic beverages would be served, ar- The crowd was light and many to patrons bearing of the prohibition on aim liquor at Parrillo's exited to bt, patronice another club.

But the disco beau went on as bar-tenders served juice and soda to 'patrons hearing of the prohibition on those patrons who decided to remain liquor at Parrillo's exited to at the establishment after mininght, Dwner Tony Fierro and several Workers stood by the main entrance under a sign which stated, "Liquor Parrillo's last Tuesday might citing

parking problems, various fights and public nuisance law violations there. Fierro's attorney Allen C. Marra filed for an appeal Monday, and the owner warned the town that he would remain open Saturday selling only non-alcoholic beverages.

only non-alcoholic beverages. Fierro, seemingly fired of the con-stant appeals, said if the Supreme Court upholds the first set of charges leveled against the disco for a period from last fall to the beginning of the year, the will close for the 105-day period imposed by the state Alcoholic Beverage Control Com-mission earlier this year. A second set of charges from January to June this year could close the disco another 180 days, and Parillo's is appealing that to the court as well. "It's just not fair." Marra said.

firecräckers (and other fireworks) appealing that to the court as well, whenever we can. But usually the "It's just not fair." Marra said. and they re looking out for any police car so they can take or preus quick." said Belleville "Patrolman Rocco Westby. Westby stressed the danger of i legal fireworks but was surprised at Please see "Circus" on page 15.



Dry Disco — Parrillo's worker Frank Constantino and owner Tony Fierro hold up a sign informing patrons of the liquor cutoff time. The disco's license was not renewed by commissioners and ran out at midnight Saturday. So did some customers after the place went dry. — Photos this page by Donna Abate.



I the Week — Residents and businessmen have complained about these unsightly, backwards signs in vacant storefronts right across the street from Town Hall. Eyesore of the Week

Circus, fireworks planned for July 4 firecräckers (and other fireworks)

You'll see juggling, traper, fire-eating and fireworks all in the sufficient of the second of the second provide the second of the second of trush to either building. Venture of the second the second of the off the second of the second build day of Independence. Day of the second of the second off the second of the second off the second of trush. This will get their sicipate in the 50 and 100-yard face, sack race and tug-off-war. All second off-second off-s

a free slice of waternelon, and trophies will be awarded to all the winners. After the races, it's home County Association Inc., and the probably to a backyard barbecue of group's treasurer, Mike Tsamas, aphot dogs, hamburgers, chicken, proached commissioners with sausages and peppers or steak. Leave blueprints for a therapy clinic to be the fun at toasting markinallows, built at an empty lot on Ralph and though. The Belleville Police Depart-Bellavista Streets. The project is now ment warms all residents that any being studied by commissioners. "The project could cost approx-"We try to crack down on ismately between \$150,000 to \$20,0-"

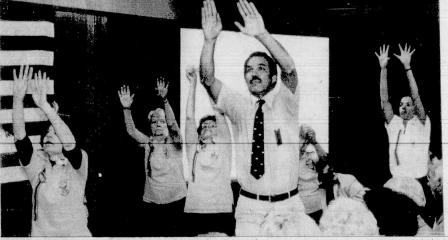


Belleville may become the first town in New Jersey to house a free therapy clinic for multiple sclerosis victims next summer if commis-sioners approve building plans which were submitted at Town Hall last were week

00," Renna said, adding the associa-tion was currently seeking federal

"Getting the money may be a problem, but I know we'll get it," he

said. Renna explained that the associa-tion will seek donations from citizens for the center either by soliciting or holding special benefits such as the boxing show to be held in September at the high school. "I think we'll manage one way or another." he said. Presently, the unpaid association Please see "Multiple" on page 15.



The committee was formed by Seniors Rejoice — Led by Benjamin Schaffer, Essex County recretaion Please see "Police" on page 15. administrator for senior citizens' handicapped and cultural affairs,

happy oldsters participate in an aerobic exercise as "God Bless America" is sung. See story on page 3.

Police vest fund wins official endorsement

Sidewalk sale days continue in Belleville today through Saturday with a day off tomorrow, July 4. Par-ticipating Washington Avenue merchants are slashes prices in celebration of the event. The sales, which began yesterday, will go on each day from 9330 a.m. to 6 p.m. The Friday closing time will be at 9 p.m.

The campaign to equip Belleville picked dup steam this past veck as the citizens' fund drive received the of-ficial blessing of Public Safety Direc-tor Matthew Pica. A group of local residents hat week announced formation of the Belleville, Public Veck Fund, Warotti vice Association, Talk of the Town Belleville Police Vest Fund, who the town's 74 police officers with the Sidewalk sale days Sidewalk sale days continue in Sidewalk

"The committee told me they wanted to go it on their own, they didn't want the town to get in-volved," said the mayor. "But if they run short of their goal, they might want to come to us (the Town Commission) and we would hear them,' he added.

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Town Commission backs Jersey ban on sale of drug-related merchandise

By Mike Olohan Belleville commissioners gave un-animous support Tuesday to an Assembly bill banning the sale of

drug-related paraphernalia. In February, Belleville became the third Essex County town to outlaw drug paraphernalia sales in 1979. \$\$\$250,000\$\$\$ CATASTROPHIC

paraphernalia sales in 1979. Increasing pressure to take action against drug abuse spurred Bellewilles banning of sales of sitems. like rolling papers which can have drug-related uses. A probe by the Es-sex County Prosecutor's Office revealed drug use is widespread throughout the county.

MAJOR MEDICAL INSURANCE CHOICE OF DEDUCTIBLES BROUILLARD - 667-2900 THE KING OF PRICES Hot & Cold Catering **BILL-TONE'S** 95 Harrison Street, Nutley 667-4877 Open July 4 Thomas Bianchi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bianchi of Maier Street, was among several scholarship win-ners who graduated from Seton Hall Preparatory School in South Orange 1 Week Only Sale From July 5 to July11

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Critics argue that the ban is an in-fringement of the right of free choice and an unwarranted interference in the free market, but law enforcement officials stress that the law is one ef-fective way of combatting the drug problem. Belleville's Board of Education

Belleville's Board of Education Inst backed the paraphernalia ban and commissioners followed suit. In other business Tuesday, com-missioners, okayed a \$95,000 tab for a new street sweeper (\$45,000) and a front-end loader(\$50,000). Also ap-proved was \$9,200 for police walkie-other.

talkies. Belleville's recently negotiated police contract came under fire

this year. A graduate of St. Peter's School here. Bianchi will attend Montclair State College on a state scholarship in the fail. He played basketball and baseball at Seton Hall. Fifly-eight out of 265 graduating seniors at Seton Hall were offered

Resident promoted

By Prudential Co.

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this year

because it awards "retroactive" pay because it awards "retroactive" pay. One citizen charged retroactive pay (pay from the beginning of the fiscal year) was an unnecessary "padding" and "appeasement" of the local police union. Belleville PBA Presi-dent William Escott, however, stressed since police don't have the right to strike as in industry, all pay contracts must be made retroactive. to cover the time period spent negotiating.

"I take exception to the comment that our contract has been padded," said Escott, noting Belleville police are "low" on the pay scale compared to neighboring communities.

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to RITA, care of the TIMES/NEWS, 108 Greylock Ave., Belleville, N.J. 07109. Letters may be signed or submitted anonymously Rita is a social worker at the town's Juvenile Aid Bureau. Her weekly column is geared to those problems facing addescents, their parents and anyone else dealing with teenagers.

Every week I read about the problems that kids have - but what about us parents? I give my kid everything he ants and what do I get? Nothing! Not even respect. What does a parent do then?

Dear Rodney

Rodney

Many parents of today's adolescents grew up in a time when people could not afford all the luxuries that today's children have been taught to take for granted such as cars, TV, money, clothes and all the food you can eat. The older generation has learned to place a value on these conveniences, since they have gone without them, and thus, experienced the real pleasure of a life made easier. apparent ingratitude of today's youth may seem So the incredible

incredible. In this effort to give their children everything they did not have, parents may also have sheltered them from the disappointment that reality holds for all of us. Often times children are unprepared to handle denial of posses-sions or privileges which have always been associated with the limitless love of their parents. A denial of the car or a refusal of a later curfew can be a threat or shock to a system which has been conditioned to avoid disappoint-ment by well-intentioned parents. Obviously, it would be foolish to turn around and deprive your children meaninglessly in order to correct a spoiled situation. This could turn a difficult problem into a war. It would be best to try to educate your children

a war. It would be best to try to educate your children realistically and explain in a rational way why some, things are okay to do or affordable and why some things are not. Be clear about your own motives and communicate them honestly.

You'll see that as soon as you can learn to respect you child's ability to understand and appreciate a realistic situation that he'll respect you in turn. Rita



Seniors overjoyed at center opening

By Mike Olohan When the Belleville Park Senior Critizen Center first opened in 1971, there were only 12 members. When the newly renovated center reopened hast. Tuesday, the club's enrollment was over 800 — with more than 300 senior, citizens in attendance to celebrate.

celebrate. After the center was dedicated, the seniors rejoiced in song. Led by their choir group, they joined in on "You Light Up My.Life." This was followed by a dance exhibition put on by the senior aerobic dance club which briskly shimmied from the Charlestom to a disco number, spurred on by their pers' applause. Enlargement of the senior citizen

Citizens Center offers many clubs and groups. Drama, argand crafts, language, nutrition, the chorus, leadership training, community pro-jects, tournaments, bocci ball, shuf-fleboard, dance and physical fitness are just some of the options. The center, located on Belleville Avenue, is open every day from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The membership is split into four groups: a Monday club of 200, a Wednesday club of 250 plus, a Thursday club of 275 plus and a men's group of 75. Helen Reynolds, an active mem-

A men's group of 72. Helen Reynolds, an aotive mem-ber of the Wednesday Club, urges senior citizens to give the center a try. "Some senior citizens just sit home and do nothing, some smoke a



e Peter Shap enter last Tuesday af leville The facility was needed to serve an increased number of

doesn't it?

center was necessary since over the years it had become an "in" spot for the older generation. The new 26 foot by 48 foot paneled room includes a complete kitchen, large, barrier-free bathrooms designed with the han-dicapped in mind, and much extra space — the center's most important feature.

Teature. The complete remodeling was made possible by a Title V grant awarded by the Essex County Office on Aging under the federal govern-ment's Older A mericans Act. Workmen employed by the County-Department of Parks and Recreation handled the center's renovation un-der the supervision of Monty Magliaro, parks department

der the supervision of Monty Magliaro, parks department engineer. By using department employees rather than a private contractor, County Executive Peter Shapiro, who helped dedicate the facility, noted the county had saved tax-payers about 5163.000. "Shapiro called the use of county employees to reconstruct the Belleville center "an innovative deployment of resources." that proved "public funds can be stretched to beat inflation." Critics say the county executive. "seems to be blowing his own horn." stressing that county employees should be used even more often to reduce costs. John Tucker, chairman of the Belleville Park Senior Citizen Building Committee, said the center has changed many senior citizens' lives "for the better. The new fireds we make, the new interests we develop, the new energies we gain are end."

This center means so much to us off alfects our lifestyles in a very ositive way. We do not know what we would do without our home away from home." he added.
 "Our seniors can remain active." "Surgential members of the com-munity through their activities here which range from arts and crafts, music and physical and social recrea-tion, to counseling and health main-tennes." said District S Freeholder James Piro.
 The Belleville Park Senior



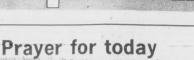




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God be in my head and in my understanding: God be in my eyes, and in my looking: God be in my mouth, and in my speaking: God be in my heart, and in my thinking: God be at my end, and at my departing. 10

The gas crisis

Everybody is adversely af-fected by the gasoline crisis which burdens us today. Sacrifices are required from each of us. In this connection we believe our elected and ap-pointed public officials who use public vehicles should recon-sider the use of such public property and use their own private vehicles for private

business. We c

We can start with the automobiles assigned to Town Commissioners. For them the decision is easy. Give up the cars. Save taxpayer money and — more important — save the fuel.

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Parillo's Disco

Well, the people won another round when the Town Commisround when the lown Commis-sioners refused to renew Parril-lo's retail plenary liquor license. The management of Parrillo's is appealing the decision but meanwhile the establishment is closed

Parrillo's may reopen without liquor as a teenage disco. We see

nothing wrong with such an enterprise providing the abuses of the past are eliminated. In fact, we would encourage a pro-ject of that nature for teenagers. The town could wrong the age The town could well use one. Frank & Preitis

July 4th

How sad that holidays are no longer considered by most peo-ple as the special occasions ple as the special occasions which have given rise to their ex-

istence. 7 Religious holidays have been 7 Religious holidays have been corrupted by commercial enterprise

Patriotic holidays have been converted to pleasure quests by the celebrants themselves.

How nice it would be on July 4th if the majority of Americans would loosen their pagan ties and partake of the patriotic emotions which led to the establish-ment of July 4th as Indepen-

dence Day. Yes, we should take the American flag and wrap it around us

Yes, it is the time to display our patriotism.

Yes, it is a day for all of us to say "Thank God for America." Thank God we live in freedom

the Belleville

and enjoy total independence as human beings. This Independence Day has

This Independence Day has special significance because of the critical state in which the world finds itself because of our dependence on the OPEC countries. While we may exist in a free and independent nation governmentally, unfortunately, economically, we are dependent upon the immoral, corrupt Mid-

East countries. The hope is that by next In-dependence Day this will all change. But wishing won't make it so - our patriotic duty re-quires us to sacrifice our energy uses in order to make us more independent come Indepen-dence Day 1980.

Frank & Treaters

Letters Apartment rents do effect homeowners

To the Editor: In the fune 14th issue of the Bellevil-ty/News there appeared an article which appears to be in error. For the automatic 5% annual increase over the automatic 5% annual increase over the automatic 5% annual increase. If that 8 % were averaged out since 1973 when the ordinance came into effect it automatic 5% provide the ordinance of the function It's supprising that 30 prickting the volume to less that 1 ½% per year. It's supprising that 30 prickting the suggest forming a group to draft a new representative landlords and home works, who are in the vast majority in the town and are directly altoted when when the town and are directly altoted they the town and they on the Branch In the lown 10 ising of the Branch

rents. In the June 10 issue of the Branch Brook Garden Tenant Organization bulletin it states, "Only 50 tenants of Branch Brook Gardens voted in the last election, that is less than 6% of the com-plex population eligible to vote;" "politicians listen to numbers."

"politicians listen to numbers." Unless the homeowners make their sentiments known to the Board of Com-missioners, the tenants dwelling costs will continue to rise at 5% per year while the homeowner' costscontinue to rise at well over 10% per year. As the real estate tax assessment on Branch Brook Gardens is reduce because it shows loss, the tax rate of the home

owner will be increased so that the same amount of tax dollars will be available to continue operation of the town of Belleville.

Every home owner in Belleville has a Every home owner in Belleville has a direct stake in the financial well being of Branch Brook Gardens. Unless the tenants choose to live in a future slum, they too, should be prepared to pay ren-tal increases which realistically reflect skyrocketing costs of operation. Very truly yours, Samuel Geltman for Branch Brook Gardens

Policemen are thanked

To the Editor

To the Editor: I would like to publicly thank Bel-leville Police Officers Ronald Edwards and Louis Pomponio for stopping to help my son Nicky and his friend David, On Saturday, June 16 the two here heat their bills where the Beneral boys had their bikes stolen in Branch Brook Park. With the swift action Brook Park. With the swift action taken by these two officers the boys soon had their bikes back. I'm very grateful to the both of them for making two little boys so happy. Thanks for be-ing out there patroling our streets. Sincerely, Cathy Kondreck 16 Maier St. Belleville

Town bulletin board TUESDAY, JULY 3

9:30 a.m. Belleville Old Guard 9:30 a.m. Beiteville Old Guard meeting — Knights of Columbus Hall, Bridge St. 7 p.m. Veteran Boxers' Social Club, — 117. Malone Ave. 8 p.m. Zoning Board of Adjustment meeting. — Town Hall.

10 a.m. Races and other activities for children ages 6-14 starting 10 a.m. — Municipal Stadium. 7 p.m. Circus followed by fireworks display. — Municipal Stadium.

Noon Lions Club meeting, Chan-delier Restaurant — 340 Fraktim Ave. Noon-1 p.m. and 3-4 p.m.Cornedy films. — Belleville Public Library – 221 Washington Ave. 1 p.m. Essex County Park Cornmis-sion Senior Citizens Club – Belleville Ave, in the park. 1 p.m. Belleville AARP Chapter 2051 meetine — Fersymithe Reductories

1 p.m. Belleville AARP Chapter 2051 meeting — Fewmith Probyterian Church Hall, Union Ave. 6:30 p.m. KiwanisClub. – Fountain Restaurant, 46 Watsessing Ave. 6:30 p.m. Optimist Club Belleville Chapter) — Villa Italia, 501 Washington Ave. 7:30 p.m. Fireman's Mutual Benevolent Association (FMBA) — Fire Headquarters, 434 Washington Ave.

Fire Headquarters, 434 Washington Ave. B. D. M. Varsity Club. — Little League Building. B. D. Belleville Jaycees. — Foun-tain Restaurant, 46 Watsesing Ave. B. D. Doseph McGreevy. Civic Association meeting. B. D. Rent-Leveling Board. — Town Hall.

FRIDAY, JULY 6

l p.m. Belleville Senior Citizens' Social Club meeting. — Recreation House, Franklin Avenue at Mill Street.

SUNDAY, JULY 8

5 p.m.Installation of Belleville Knights of Columbus new officers. Mass at St. Peters Church followed by a reception. - Knights of Columb Hall, 94 Bridge Street.

MONDAY, JULY 9

10 - 11:15 a.m. Tissue paper collage, an adult course. - Belleville Public

Library, 221 Washington Ave. I p.m. Senior Citizens Club spot sored by Essex County Park Con missioner. – Belleville Ave. in th park

mashout. — Benevine Ave. in the park. 7 p.m. "True Grit", a full length feature. film — Bellewille Public Library, 221 Washington Ave. 8 p.m. Board of Commissioners con-ference session (open meeting but no public participation.) — Town Hall. 8 p.m. Board of Education con-ference meeting (open ession but no, public participation.) — 383 Washington Ave. 8 p.m. Knights of Columbus. — 98 Bridge St. 8 p.m. Elks Lodge méeting. — Elks

Bridge St. 8 p.m. Elks Lodge méeting. — Elks Hall, 254 Washington Ave. 8 p.m. Jr. Woman's Club. — 51 Rossmore PI. 8 Hall

TUESDAY, JULY 10

1 p.m. Belleville Senior Citizens Club. – 125 Franklin Ave. 6:30 p.m. Regularly scheduled meeting of Board of Commissioners. – Commission Chambers, 2nd floor, Town Hall, 152 Washington Ave. 8 p.m. Board of Commissioners (regular business meeting with full public participation.) – Town Hall. 8 p.m. Catholic Daughters for America, Court Sancta Maria 61. – Knight's of Columbus Hall, 98 Bridge St.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11

PLONESDAY, JOLY 11 9:30 a.m. Retired Men's Club, — Fewsmith Church, 444 Union Ave. 10 a.m. "Little Red Riding Hood" puppet show. — Children's Room, Belleville Public Library, 221 Washington Ave. 10 - 11:15 a.m. How to make fioral center pieces, an adult course. — Belleville Public Library, 221 Washington Ave. 12:15 p.m. Belleville Rotary Club. — Chandelice Restaurant, 340 Franklin Ave.

Ave. I p.m. Senior Citizens Club spon-sored by County Park Commission. — Belleville Ave. in the park. 6:30 p.m. Branch Brook-Belleville Kiwanis Club dinner meeting. — Biase's Restaurant, 451 Bloomfield Ave., Newark. 8 p.m. Rocco Saletta Civic Associa-tion Meeting — Fountain Restaurant, 46 Wattessing Ave. 8 p.m. Meeting of Branch No. 77 Anchor Club of America Public Service of New Jersey — Knights of Columbus Rooms, 94 Bridge St.



That thunderous percussion hover-ing menacingly over Town Hall is not the reverberating echoes of Fourth or July fireworks, it is the real thing, charged with bigger bombs containing more political dynamite than-has been detonated in the cavernous halls of that staid monument on Washington Avenue in its many years of strife and political upheaval. It became obvious at the organiza-tion meeting of the town commis-sioners, seven days after the May 8 elec-tion, on May 15 that the customary comity and cordiality characterizing many past such swearing-in ceremonies were not present. Commissioner Stramolo, the doyen member of the town governing body in seniority, parently piqued at being pas-sed over at being designated mayor, was further infuritated at the transference of the town attorney's office from his denartment to than of the Dubies Safets

further infuriated at the transference of the town attorney's office from his department to that of the Public Safety Department, now under newly elected Commissioner Pica. Strumolo manifested his umbrage by voting "no" for what he described as "reasons of general principle" to both the designa-tion of the mayor and the transfer of the town attorney from his department. His objections in both instances were over-ruled by a 4-1 vote of the commis-sioners.

sioners. Under the terms of the Walsh Act pertaining to commission-type local govermment under which Belleville Innctions, only those changes in depart-ment assignments authorized at the first organizational meeting of the new ad-ministration are valid, unless un-contested. It now appears that an effort has been made to transfer from Strumolo's department an ad-ministrative sceretary and her salary to the Department of Public Safety. Strumolo's depart means, and the suggests that such a move is not permissable under the prospection of "strupping" restric-tions imposed by the courts. A sensitional domybrock has developed which encompasses many un toward prospects of Civil Service deci-sions and possible legal entanglements to resolve this unsavory controversy. The affair even entaits the possibility of a notification of termination of service for a classified employee caught in the Under the terms of the Walsh Act

The antification of terminalist the possibility of an otification of terminalist of possible for a classified employee caught in the web of this raging political powerplay. As if this evidence of controversy and disharmony were not enough to shatter the servity and composure of this town's cladel of political power, we were further taken aback when, in response to an inquiry to Commissioner McGreevy on the status of a town employee on compensation case absence from service, we were informed the town payroll as of July 1. Without becoming engrossed in the relative merits of this matter, we enter-tain the comvicient with in view of the knowledge of all parties involved of the intricate nunces. of Civil Service law and regulations pertaining thereto, another batte of major proportions is booming to further sunder a disturbed and trouble de detaict were we to meglec to mention the subtle humor in rected into the serousness of Town Commission meetings by Mr. Charles, a prominent resident of the Valley sec-tion of town, whose clever, wry wit twist the commissioners to the answerment of the commissioner bits and ta take over of private bus companies could have a barnfull effect upon both Nutley and Belleville by cusing a loss of takes to pro-ting and loss to the towns from change in ownership of these proper-ties makes them exempt from local axes. Unless agreement is made to make some payments in lise of taxes, but he state to consent to a satisfactory induced takes and restrictions for street-cleaning purposes. As indicated he hours of no parking restrictions for street-cleaning purposes, has indicated he witch should make many in



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"We Really Clean

Cars Differently

Senior Notes

The group of Belleville Senior Citizens Club members who journeyed to Wildwood Crest for a spring vacation have returned home with glowing reports of an unusual and enjoyable time. Highlights were dinners each night at gourmet restaurant and entertainment at two night clubs

clubs. As one of these our own talent was called upon to per-form. Kathy Farrell was part of a magician's act, and she came through with flying colors, none the worse for her stint on stage, except for the loss of an article of clothing. Mary and Michael Cicerale arranged the trip, and Patriek and Michael D'Antonio were our hosts at the Olympic Motel in Wildwood Crest. The weather was orreal and we had a charce on the last night to attend a

Olympic Motel in Wildwood Crest. The weather was great and we had a chance on the last night to attend a dinner dance at the Lodge in North Wildwood. We thanked all concerned for treating us so lavishly. One sad note, one member, Lena Crapaneza, was taken ill and was detained at the Burnette Tomlin Hospital in Cape May Courthouse. We hope for her speedy recovery. There was also sad news when we arrived home and heard that two of our good members, Vici Rufolo and Ann Burns, had passed away. We extend our sympathies to their families. Also on Saturday we received word that Eliza Golston, wife of our chaplain, had gone to her reward. We are associated with an age had gone to her reward. We are associated with an age group in which we have to expect these things to happen. group in which we have to expect these using too many We have been fortunate in the past in not losing too many members. So hang in there seniors, be good to each other and enjoy while you can.

We recently came across an article in a Chicago paper that had something to do with what we wrote about paper that had something book with what we tole about not too long ago. The subject was insurance and the vic-tims were the seniors who were prevailed upon by un-scrupulous agents and insurance agents to buy more in-surance than they really needed. The article in the paper contained testimony from two Florida insurance agents who admitted that they deceived many elderly people into buying health insurance policies. They admitted under oath that they didn't have consciences and that they were theives. They stated that deceptive sales pitches are not unusual in the "Medigap" insurance business which

not unusual in the "Medigap" insurance business which is supposed to cover medical costs not paid by Medicare. Senior Citizens are afraid. Everyday they face ever-escalating health care costs and diminishing Medicare coverage. The elderly-live in desperate fear of getting sick, of going broke, of going into a nursing home, going on welfare or becoming dependent on their loved ones. Because of this fear, senior citizens become ready victims of feat telline agente of upgroundlow compenses who Because of this tear, senior citizens become ready victims of fast-talking agents of unscrupulous companies who think of the seniors as "easy marks" to buy duplicative or unnecessary policies. We repeat, do not be taken in by these agents, consult someone in your family orgeniend before buying any insurance and becoming over-insured.



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Belleville police are "harassing" the young boys who play softball in School 5's playground, a parent charged at Monday's School Board meeting

"The youngsters, mostly 13 and 14-year-olds, even 10 and 11-year-olds, are being brought down to the stationhouse and being booked," said Danny Capece of 233 Overlook Ave. "These kids are getting records...but most of the problem is really being caused by the 17 and 18-year-olds who hang around there."

Capece urged trustees to add ex-tra fencing to School 5's lot to pre-vent errant balls from breaking neighborhood windows — a frequent

"I can't blame the youths for call-ing the police 'pigs' because these youngsters are just being blamed and harassed all the time by the police," Capece said.

Trustee Mike Chieffo said board members would consider adding more netting onto the present fence so stickball could be played at School 5. He said softball and hard-ball would remain prohibited.

Woman's Club finishes highly successful year

tion of Woman's Clubs.

Books

Books. A citation presented to the Woman's Club of Belleville by the Clara Maass Hospital Board of Trustees for the outstanding volum-ter work of the members in the past year was accepted and read by Mrs. Keenev

of merit, presented to the Woman's Club of Belleville at the recent drama and music festival of the Eighth Dis-triet of the New Jersey State Federa-



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Kiss of Congratulations — Sue Marino gives fellow departing senior Donna Malanga a kiss following graduation exercises at Municipal Stadium. One of the largest classes ever — 421 students — took part in the commencement exercises. — Photos by David S. Vaughan.



Sign of Triumph — As Stanley McDaniel files out of the stadium following graduation obviously pleased. The commencement ceremony june 19 was dedicated to Theresa Kareivis, a member of the class of 1979 who was killed in an auto accident in March.



It's All Over — A joyful Matt Pica (right) shakes hands with an equally happy Jesse Marchese following the Tuesday evening graduation ceremonies. To the right of the picture is Michael Marotti.



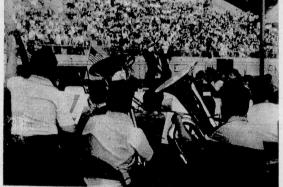
Sister Squeeze — Cindy Williams and stepsister Marie give each other a big hug diplomas in hand as they finish their years at BHS.



Official Exchange — Señior Darla Polo gets a kiss from former School Board President Matthew Pica. Pica was elected in May as Belleville's commissioner of public safety.



Boys' Entrance — Making their way Into the stadium for graduation June 19 are (front to back) seniors John Cobianchi, Anthony Colandro and James Condito.



Strike Up the Band — Director Larry Degenshein leads the seniorless Belleville High School Band in "Pomp and Circumstance" as the graduates-to-be make their way onto the 'field.



Girls' Entrance — Marching onto the stadium field are (front to back) seniors Felicia Falzarano, Donna Marie Fantacone and Anita Ann Fargnoli.



Waiting for the Moment — Taking a breather from the speeches at the podium for a minute, senior girls (Ir) Jennifer Debelak, Roseann Defalco, Linda Demgard and Francine DiCarlo pose for The Times/News camera as they wait for their names to be called for graduation.



The 'K' Girls — Rejoicing together following graduation are (I-r) Pam Klinger and Sue Klein. The majority of this year's graduates were female, and the expanding opportunities for women was the subject of one the speeches made June 19. See next page.

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Senior speakers express hope for the future

Part of each grad remaining at BHS

By Joseph Longo

Parents. friends, distinguished guests and the graduating class of 1979; reflecting upon the past three years at Belleville High School, I can compare my experiences to th writing of a fine novel. Life can b the writing of a fine novel. Life can be compared to a novel in that each ex-perience an individual comes in con-tact with is an additional page or chapter in the book of fife. As we are in the midst of completing a chapter, a very important chapter, in our novel, we must remember the words of the scieemed author. Burke, when of the esteemed author, Burke, when read he said.

he said, and I quote, "To read without reflecting is to eat without digesting." The experiences and friendships The experiences and friendships made during the past three years at Belleville High School will prove to be a valuable addition to the in-dividual novels of each and very one of us. Although the years may pass and friends may go their separate paths, a bond will keep the class of 1979 united ResardNess of hysical

1979 united. Regardless of physical distance is the fact that each of us at-

1979 united. Regardless of physical distance is the fact that each of us at-tended Belleville High School and shared perhaps the greatest, warmest and most rewarding years of our young lives. It is my opinion that anyone who does not harbor these mutual feelings has missed out on an important part of his life. There will be additional and perhaps equally cherished chapters in the lives of our classmates. The years ahead will hold much in store for the class of 1979. Many of us will go on to college or the armed forces. Others will find employment and/or will seek a college education. The ex-perience of finding a-person and get-ting married and seeing our children's children taking over where we left off is part of the wondrous thing we call life. Life will begin with the completion of these ceremonies for the members of the class of 1979. However, these past three years at Belleville they School will nove However, these past three years at Believile High School will prove valuable in preparing us for the chapters of our lives still to be com-pleted.

pleted. The common belief shared by the members of the class of 1979 is that we possess a certain feature known as "school spirit" which dis-tinguished our class from those of the past. This reputation of school spirit will long succeed the graduation ceremonies of the class of 1979. The scheme acc. a mean dwarfed to

ceremonies of the class of 1979. Two years ago, a man devoted to the hierarchy of knowledge decided to take a challenge and uproot from his comfortable position in Penn-sylvania to accept a position as prin-cipal of Belleville High School. The popular expression is that "parting makes the heart grow fonder." Such is not the case with our principal, Mr. John DeCesare, Mr. DeCesare has initiated a program which sets a Mr. John DeCesare, Mr. DeCesare has initiated a program which sets a limit on the number of days absent and tardy that a student is entitled to during the course of a school year. Could the class of 1979 be that good for Mr. DeCesare to want to see more of us? Mr. DeCesare stresses that the students and faculty keep in close contact with each other in order to maintain a good relationshin. By to maintain a good relationship. By will en the students and faculty confiding in portant

each other, the school maintains a more orderly atmosphere in which learning ran be a pleasant ex-

perience. The 1978-79 school year brought about the reinstitution of the Student Government Organization after an absence of some years. Until this year. Belleville High School did not have a Booster Club to support the school's athletic teams. Academical-b. this chock uses user such as the school school and not

brains over brawn. In the past few years, our beloved English teacher, Mr. Leffelbine, has spent may valuable hours producing top stage productions in order to raise money for the school. Last month, the Drama Club's production of "Pippin" had a large turnout which boosted the interest in more school activities (If, that encounds)

which boosted the interest in more school activities. (It that enough, Mr. Leffebine?) Although school is primarily for learning, it can also be fun. By en-couraging students to participate in school activities, attendance can be enjoyable rather than monotonous. The 1978-79 school year was one of the most productive athletic years in some time. Our football team en-joyed its best season in 14 years, while the soccer team had its best record in history. The wrestling, baseball and crew teams, which have long been our mainstays, enjoyed basebail and crew teams, which have long been our mainstays, enjoyed outstanding seasons in which they were ranked among New Jersey's finest. Our female counterparts en-joyed successful seasons in basket-ball and softball, while our other athletic activities showed promise for the future

the future. With the commencement of these ceremonies tonight the immediate thoughts of my classmates and I will be to celebrate this momentous occabe to celebrate this momentous occa-sion with our friends and loved ones. If it is true that the feeling of friendship is like that of being com-fortably filled with roast beef, then 1. have made a pig of myself for the past three years. School has not been entirely fun and games, and I would not wish for you to get that impression. It has been hard work, but the experiences I have had as class president, athletic

been hard work, but the experiences I have had as class president, athletic trainer and student at Belleville High School will last a' lifetime. All a' person needs for leadership is a group of dumb guys to follow him. In the months and years to fol-low, when I am in the Marine Corps, wherever I may be stationed, a part of me will be home in Belleville with my friends. It has been an honor and pleasure to have served my clas-

my rieuds. It have served my clas-smates, and speaking for myself and the class of 1979, we welcome each and every one of you to the com-mencement ceremonies and hope you will enjoy being a part of a very im-portant chapter in our novel of life.

school's athletic teams. Academical-ly, this school year was perhaps the brightest in many years. Certain classmates were given opportunities for acceptance in schools belonging to the illustrious lyy League. It is un-fortunate that geniuses may have limitations but stupidity is not thus handicapped. Our class if fortunate to have not one but two valedic-torians — James Cali and Tom Rosamilia... who are an inspiration for those social who are an inspiration for those social who are belowed hand the st few years, our belowed Thomas Rosamilia School's da

homas Rosamilia — The second valedictorian of Belleville High chool's class of 1979 spoke of the challenges that had faced the ountry in the past and would face it in the future, and said Americans nust put aside self-interest for idealism. A time for reasserting our 'inherent idealism'

By Thomas Rosamilia

Honored guests, parents, teachers d the class of 1979: As time and our studies remove us from the shelter of our neighborhood environshelter of our neighborhood environ-ment, we go our separate ways to jobs, the military, to business and technical schools and to college. Although physically separated, there will remain the bond of having un-dergone a common experience. We have shared an important period of our lives under the guidance of our teachers and school administrators. Together we also enter a world rid-den with problems we ourselves have created and those brought upon us by others. others

others. Having begun our lives in the six-ties, ours will be the last class graduated in the seventies. It was in those sixities that our country took part in an unpopular war which led to massive dissent which could have torn the country apart. In our anger and frustration, we have unduly neglected the soldiers of that war and frustration, we have unduly neglected the soldiers of that war who managed to return. My hope is that we will restore our self-respec by helping them to solve their psy-chological problems, providing more job opportunities, giving them better medical services and fulfilling their

medical services and fulfilling their other needs. In the early seventies, we en-countered a disaster of another sort. This included the forced resignation of a president and a vice president and the imprisonment of many other top-level officials. We demonstrated that the strength of our Constitution and judicial system could earry us through such a trying period and

restore faith in our way of life. Although these and other problems may sometimes seem in-surmountable, our past experie tells us that we are endowed with the desire and ability to meet and over-

desire and ability to meet and over-come them. We now face the incompatible combination of unemployment and inflation. There are also problems of fuel shortage, pollution of our en-vironment and preservation of human rights. Our neighbors to the north have become distrustful of our intentions and our neighbors to the intentions, and our neighbors to the south are emphasizing the historical wrongs we have committed against the

them. The 1980s hold for us new chal-lenges and problems on a national and international front, We can ex-pect that our talents and ingenuity will be tested to the fullest extent. We no longer face the social turmoil of the sixties or the political turmoil of the seventies, but we must respond to the challenges of decreasing energy sources, inadequate food suplies, un-equal health care and the increasing equal health care and the increasing threat of nuclear holocaust.

threat of nuclear holocaust. Modern technology has furnished us with many of the answers in the past. We must continue to use what we know and to increase our knowledge for the future. The historian Arthur Schlesinger Jr. writes that historical patterns in-dicate the eighties will be a decade when we throw off our apathy and our self-interests to reassert our in-herent idealism. Let us hope he is right and that the 1980s will be remembered as a decade of peace, prosperity and human under-standing. Thank you.

Expanded freedom makes years ahead more exciting

By Kristine Rovell

By Aristine Rovell Balutatorian Families, Friends and graduates of the class of 1979: Scan you believe it? The class of 1979 is graduating. We, the individuals who were tiny infants in the year 1961, are about to graduate from high school and begin another phase of our lives. Parents, it's hard to believe, but your child, who used to awaken you for the 2 a.m. feeding, is now ready to explore the world alone. Long forgotten are most childhood claims of "I want to be an astronaut" or "I want to be an stornaut" or "I want to be these have been replaced by varied interests and expectations. We members of the class of 1979 are now striving to fulfill our d reams, although at times they seem drastically remote.

Young adults graduating today are free to choose their future. These plans include additional education, vocational school, immediate employment or some other alter-native as determined entirely by the individual. Although counseling and guidance have been received from respected elders, the final decision is ours. Making this final decision is confusing and, at times, frustrating; however, we all have the satisfaction of knowing that it is ours alone. These decisions are as unique as we These deci ons are as unique as we are

Among this class may be the first man president or the first male wo

recipient of the Homemaker of the Year Award. Society has begun to accept changes in established sex roles. Women and men are now able roles. Women and men are now able to pursue careers in fields which were originally single-sex-oriented. Don't be too surprised if you wake up in a hospital bed and sea a female dotor, accompanied by a male nurse, at-tending you. It may seem shocking to some of the grandparents sitting in the audience; however, times have changes. All students are free to choose a career which interests them. One is no longer pressure dhy society One is no longer pressured by society to conform to stereotyped roles.

We graduates are filled with a boundless curiosity concerning our world. Exploring new places, meeting new people and tackling things which no one has done before are a reality to us. Evident in our ac-tions is the unduing exit which here tions is the undying spirit which has helped us to remain individual. Although we've attended school as a group, our personal satisfaction will be gained from our individual achievements.

Individually, we will face personal challenges. The world will measure us, but more importantly, we will measure ourselves by how we meet these challenges. Since we are all uni-que, we will act differently. If we are satisfied with our own accomplish-ments, the opinion of the world becomes less important. We can be whatever and whoever we want to be!



Joseph Longo — The president of the class of 1979 took a look back at some of the accomplishments of this year's seniors and called gradua-tion from Belleville High the end of but one chapter in the novel of life.





 The Belleville High School co-valedict concluded that Americans had learned from their ex ences during the decade not to be over ned by the country's problems but to deal with them in a rational wGy

It's a wiser America that moves into '80s

By James Call

Honored guests, parents, teachers and members of the class of 1979:

Since graduation is a time of reflection, now would be an ap-propriate time to review the past decade. The 70s were a decade of decade. The 70s were a decade of contrast. They provided us with the turmoil of an undeclared war as well as the joy of our nation's bithday celebration. We also were forced to endure the trauma of political misdo-ings while also enjoying the peace and serenity of the late 70s. It was a decade in which our country moved from a radical, turnultuous period to-one of apathy and relative calm.

The 70s were ushered in with the The 70s were ushered in with the remains of the radical 60s. Bombings of Hanoi and the loss of hundreds of lives in Southeast Asia were frequent items reported on the evening news. Accompanying the turmoil abroad was the unrest of the American col-lege campuses. Americans were ap-palled at the shooting at Kent State, the closing of many universities and the demonstrations in the streets. Even when Henry Kissinger. proclaimed neace was at hand. Even when Henry Kissinger proclaimed peace was at hand, America had to live through yet another round of senseless killings and bombings. Certainly it was not a happy period for the American na-tion. When peace accords were signed in 1973. Americans rejoiced by welcoming home their veterans and POWs. However, this feeling of tranquility was shortlived when we began to uncover the truth of Watergate. Watergate.

Watergate. Matergate was a dark stain on America's history, it was a time of mixed emotions for many people in this country. Showing the seedy side of the American political people to question the direction and control of their government. On the other hand, this proved that the American Constitution still worked and that no man is above the law. Likewise, it also illustrated that a free and independent press was es-sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the reading fugures in thrashing out the reading fugures in thrashing out the reading of the senting out he leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the leading figures in thrashing out the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. One of the sential to our way of life. The sential to our wa

man. Fortunately, we were able out Vietnam and Watergate put

behind us in time to celebrate our na-tion's 200th birthday. The bicentennial served as a

The bicentennial served as a cleansing of the American soul. It helped to renew our spirit and pride after a very difficult period of time. Patriotism, nonce a foresaken idea, was alive and well once again. This enthusiasm climaxed with the pageantry of OP-Sail in New York Harbor. After a turbulent beginning, the 70s were finally catering a more relaxed recited. relaxed period.

The latter part of the 70s still had its problems, but they were not of the magnitude of those that crippled the nation carlier in the decade. College students were now concerned with the problems involved with finding a job or beating inflation, instead of corruption of war. They are idence had radical causes which they could associate themselves with as in the early sevenites. In fact, many people associate themselves with as in the early seventies. In fact, many people feel that since Americans are more concerned with themselves than with social or political causes, our nation has become apathetic. Although this may be true, I think that this is more a feeling of contentment and relief rather than apathy.

Granted, our nation still has dif-ficulties. Inflation and the energy problem are of some concern, but do not cripple us as Vietnam and Watergate did. In the wake of the Three Mile Island crisis, many of the anti-nuk demonstrations are reminiscent of the protests of the ear-ly 70s. However, this problem still lacks the intensity to cause the inter-nal dissention its predecessors did.

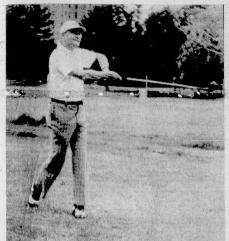
nał dissention its predecessors did. Historians may one day classify the 70s merely as a period of turmoil followed by a sense of apathy. Living through this period, though, I view this decade as a time when Americans united to conquer several paralyzing problems which sapped our nation's vitality. We have realized that America is not immune to problems. We have faced and sur-vived crises during the seventies. We have learned to manage all our problems rather than be consumed by a single one. In short, we have learned from our experiences. This is our hope for the 80s.

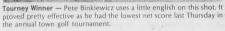


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A day of golf at town's annual tournament







Official Winners — Trophy winners for the day pose with town commissioners at the Chandelier dinner that followed the tournament. From left are Vito Nardiello, Finance Commissioner Joseph McGreevy, Public Safety Commissioner Matt Pica, Martin McNish, Public Works Commissioner Mary Senatore, George Sheridan, Gary Garamella, Pete Binkiewicz, Michael Rosamilia, Thomas Zampino and Mayor Michael Marotti. – Photos by Donna Abate.



Other Side of the Tee — Planning Board Attorney Thomas Zampino Acives down the green toward the 11th hole at Hendrick's Field. Zampino, a lefty, won the Kiwanis Club trophy.



Loving the Links — Mayor Michael Marotti tees off on the eighth hole T last Thursday. His honor wears a big smile as he sees his drive land in a good spot on the green.



Chamber Challenger — Henrik Tvedt tries his hand on the links. He is president of First DeWitt Savings and Loan and president of Belleville's Chamber of Commerce.



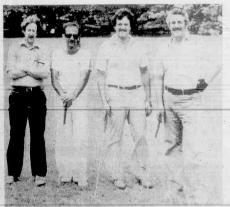
Toting It Up — Keeping track of who has what and where are scorekeepers Aldo DiChiara from the mayor's office and Angela Serritella of the Recreation Department.



Escott's Antics — Bill Escott watches the ball spin round and round and finally into the hole. Escott is president of the local Patrolman's Benevolent Association.



Refreshing Pause — Seated on their golf car in the hot sun, Bellevillites Win Crowell and Frank Puleo take a drink on the 10th hole. Crowell had just parred.



Par for the Course — Posing for The Times/News camera are attorney Paul Jackson, Mike Dasaro of Belleville Travel, attorney Joe Pisano and Isadore Padula, assistant town treasurer.

Circle bests DeBacco Brothers 10-6 in battle of men's softball unbeatens

In a battle of the unheatens Circle, Scordo Tile 16-2. Circle Bar defeated II Bar defeated DeBacco Brothers Red Shingle and picked up a win 10-6 to take hold of first place in the over Marson's 15-9 in the second Monday night recreation men's game. second game. Di-7 over Wallace and ment and Rossmore Pharmacy blocked in a tie for first place with 11-- th atter using a Relieville Shdes. I records. Joe's bein Silver Lake 20.

second game 10-7 over Wallace and Tiernan. 18-9 Mer regions Belleville Shogs edged Chief Mater 21:95 Belleville Shogs torpped a 12-4 decision to DeBacco Garden State Pet beat Wallace and Fireman 15-9 and took a nightcap Victory over Chief Motors 11-4. Roselli's Anoco tops the Tues-fard. Show of the anoco tops the Tues-day League with a 10-0 record. Roselli's defated Stordo Tile 14-2 Heague-leading Belleville Hess, but Roselli's defated Stordo Tile 14-2 Hess produced a triple play taking Four J's swept a doubleheader by De Witt Sawings swept a beating Marson's Plumbing 6-5 and doubleheader by beating Belleville

Early team catches the win 4-2 over late



The Early Team — Coached by Lenny D'Armiento, the club defeated the Late Team 4-2 at the annual Belleville junior High School Softball-barbecue picnic. Carl Corino and Jim Donovar had two hits apiece, while Henry Adamowsky and Eve Lautenschlager led the team defensively. The winning pitcher was Ion Semcer.



The Late Team — Coached by Ray Ianuzzi, the squad was led by Terry Winters, Nick Massa, Bill Hollis, Connie Gonella and Bruce Kemlitz: The losing pitcher was Frank Catrambone. The big game was held June 8 at Brookdale Park.



Political and Social Club (BPSC) 6-1 and Hess 11-4, Bell Lap Tavern top-ped Clyde Paul Insurance 8-4 but lost a 4-3 decision to Giordano's. Clyde Paul picked up a 12-8 victory over BPSC.

Junior League Baseball

The Junior Baseball League's

Junior League Baseball The Junior Baseball League's "guilar, Cason carA to an exciting finish as the Bares became the un-disputed champions of the National Division. The Clippers and Bears again tied for the lead in the American Division. Prior to the Braves' 6-3 clincher or the Yankees in which Mike Kozlowski was the pitching and hitting star, the Giants turned back the Braves 9-7 to prevent the first-place team from posing an un-defeated record. Mike Rott pitched for the victory in that game. The Bears topped the Indians 19-5 behind the combined pitching ef-fort of Bobby Widuch and Joe Morano to assure themselves of a playoff berth. The Clippers reserved a spot in the playoffs by defeating the Bombers 11-5. The Clippers used four pitchers – Donna Brooks, Rich Tramatola, Robert Scruggs and Car-men Fortunato. The one other game last week, the Dodgers came back to beat the

In one other game last week, the Dodgers came back to beat the White Sox 24-22. Tim Buckley was

the winning pitcher, in relief of Mike Danduone, and Mike DeChaiara and Dawn Frahm delivered clutch hits for the Dodgers. Playoff and world series action is scheduled to begin this work

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Richard Luberto and Marlene Ortega hold the competing in the School 9 United States Tennis Tennis Champs trophies they won competing in Association Tennistar Program.



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C. Boyce, 68; park worker

A service was held June 27 for Charles Boyce, 68, who died June 23 at Clara Maass Memorial Hospital. Born in Haleseddy, NY, Mr. Boyce lived in Belleville the past 60 years. He retired six years ago from his job as a brewery worker for P. Ballantine & Sons, Netwark, and had work di the *lower* years as parke an-teident for the Essex County Park Commission. Commission

commission. The husband of the late Lillian C. Albowsky, Wr. Boyceis survived by two daughters, Mrs. Shierly Eckert of Frankford Township and Mrs. Dlane Taylor of East Rutherford; five sons, Kenneth of Bath, Pa., Charlés R. of Clinton, Gary of Belleville, Donald of North Arlington and Dennis of Matawan, and 16 grandchildren. Artangements were made by the service officiated by Chaplain Harold B. Lawson was held. Inter-ment was in Crest Haven Memorial Park, Clifton.

Connie Strumolo; Democrat leader

A Mass was offered June 13 at St. Anthony's Church for Concetta "Connie" Strumolo, 61, who died June 10 at Crippled Children's Hospital, Newark. Mrs. Strumolo was horn and lived all of her life in Belleville. She was a Democratic district leader here for over 20 years and politically ac-tive in town over 50 years. Mrs. Strumolo was a member of the Mary V. Senatore Civic and Welfare Association. Association

Association. Surviving arc her husband, Fiore: a daughter, Mrs. Marie Gammaro of Belleville: a son, Peter of Bloomfield two horothers, Domenick Natale of Bognerille: two sisters, Mrs. Rose Marisueto and Mrs. Jennie Pribula, both of Belleville, and four grandchildren. The Zarro Funeral Home, Bldomfield, made arrangements, In-terment was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Bloomfield.

R. McAllister, 53; parking manager

A Mass was offered at St. Peter's Church June 25 for Raymond L. McAllister, 53, who died June 21 at St. Michael's Hospital, Newark. Born in Pembroke, Ga., Mr. McAllister lived in Belleville before møving to Bloomfield. He was a parking lot manager for Maiden Lane Parking, Newark, 10 years. Mr. McAllister was veteran of World War II. Surviving are his wife. Regina M; four daughters, Mrs. Sharon E. Pihlgren of Bloomfield, Mrs. Cátherine Hayes of Kearny, Miss Sharon McAllister of Lyndhurst and Miss Robin McAllister at home, and four grandchildren.

Miss Robin McAllister at home, and four grandchildren. Arrangements were handled by the Kiernan Funeral Home. Inter-ment was in Glendale Cemetery, Bloomfield.

Carmela Sica, 89; laundry employee

A Mass was offered at St. Anthony's Church June 20 for Car-mela Sica, 89, who died June 16 at Clara Maass Memorial Hospital. Born in Italy, Mrs. Sica lived in Belleville all her life. She was a feeder for Legion Laundry, Belleville, 35 years, retiring 15 years ado.

Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Rose Tropiano, Mrs. Louise Falco, Mrs. Nicolina Romano, Mrs. Millie DeMeo and Mrs. Frances Gagliardi of Hollywood, Fla: two sons, Joseph and Arseno, 20 grandchildren and 14 greaf-neandchildren.

grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. Arrangements were made by the Zarro Funeral Home, Bloomfield. Interment was in St. John's Cemetery, Orange.



maintenance worker, 78 A service was held at Silver Lake Baptist Church June 19 for Rose Ann O'Kcele, 78, who died June 15 at Clara Maass Memorial Hospital. Born in Pennsylvania, Mrs. O'Keefe lived in Bloomfield before moving to Belleville 25 years ago. She was a maintenance worker for Nopco Chemical, Harrison, 23 years, before retiring 15 years ago.

Mrs. Rose Ann O'Keefe;

obiluaries

Surviving are five daughters, Mrs. Doris, Granese, Mrs. Elieen Witss Joan Mrs. Russemary Wilsby, Miss Joan and Miss Florence O'Keefe: two sons, Frânk and Robert: 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were made by the Zarrow Funeral Home, Bloomfield. Mrs. O'Keefe was a member of the Bloomfield Senior Citizens. Interment was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Bloomfield.

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Disco could be closed up to 285 days on ABC charges; new appeal on way

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liquor if he had to. Marra, who visited the establish-ment at about 12:30 p.m., said he notified the police about the fact that Partillo's would remain open and isked if a patrolman could be posted

inside. Although police did check the disco just after midnight and later in the evening, no patrolman was posted. Police commented that there "wasn't enough manpower that even-ing to station a patrolman within the establishment the entire evening." Marra commented that the logal exsise board should have given more thought as to why area residents didn't testify before denying him a ficense renewal.

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"I never heard one resident com-plain or testify during the hearing,"

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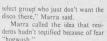
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The establishment opened as sual Sacrear night, and no area residents were outside their homes to comment. Some, however, were probably stirred when a fight broke out just outside the parking lot at about 1 a.m.

One patron who was ejected from the disco caused a short disturbance but later left the area. Police arrived after the disturbance had ceased.

A firecracker was also set off minutes before near a resident's home on the corner of Harrison Street and Brighton Arene. Police commented later that no major disturbances occurred after the establishment closed.



Sip the Night Fantastic – Cheryl DeSordi, Donna Morici and Don Tucci make do with non-alcoholic beverages late Saturday night at Parrillo's. – Photos by Donna Abate.

Multiple sclerosis clinic studied for site in town

said

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therapy." but he said it would be costly. "We will keep it in mind," he

Renna added that he would gladly

speak to civic associations and groups throughout the town on mul-tiple sclerosis and the need for a clinic. Any organizations interested in the project may contact him at 759-0619.

Continued from page one. staff provides therapy for the area's multiple sclerosis victims in their homes. "We have one therapist who works right in the home," Renna

works right in the home," Renna "Our main concern is helping the patients," he said, "We want to provide the service for them." "The new free therapy clinic, centrally located in Belleville, would be open to all Essex County residents stricken with multiple selerosis. The current plans show a building 125 feet by 150 feet with a large therapy room and a handful of smal-therapy room and a handful of smal-therapy room and a handful of smal-ter treatment rooms. Renna hopes to include parallel bars, benches, weights and a whirlpool. Renna said there was a possibility a swimming pool might be added since swimming is the "best

Costiy - We will keep it in mind, he said.
Renna said the association now has some therapeutic devices and the proposed center would make use of these until more equipment could be purchased.
"All we want right now is the therapy clinic so we can eliminate the in-home service and transport the patients to one place." Renna Said.
Renna said that other additions to the clinic, including more therapist, would then be considered.
"We need the cooperation and participation of the residents," he added. "We can do anything from there.

Circus is coming to town tomorrow

law. Beginning at 7 p.m. tomorrow, the Recreation Department is presenting a 10-act circus at the stadium. Diana the Juggler, Aerialeta — the high-swinging trapere act Jonnes' pole perch act, the Rolling Diamonds acrobatic rol-

Ethel's leaping greyhounds compose the show. And after all that, if you can believe it, there's still more. A spec-tacular legal fireworks display celebrating the spirit of patriotism will light up the Belleville sky. Cascading colors and big booms will explode upon the black Belleville backdrop as children below stand twirling silver sparklers.

Provident Savings announces quarter percent rate increase

The Provident Savings Bank Board of Managers has approved a quarter percent increase in the a year effective luly 1. The new passbook rate is com-pounded daily from day of deposit to day of withdrawal and paid monthly. The effective, annual yield will be 7.37 percent when the principal re-mains on deposit for a year. Provident will also introduce new high-yield, four-year money cer-

high-yield, four-year money cer-tificates in minimums of \$500 at a rate of 1 percent below the average four-year yield on U.S. Treasury

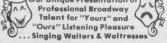
notice. Provident, the oldest savings bank in New Jersey, operates 26 of-fices throughout the state with branches in Essex, Monmouth and Ocean Counties. It has assets of over \$675 million and is a member of the FDIC











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Traffic accidents can have **HELD OVER 2nd WEEK!**

Dancers continue on at Parrillo's Saturday, but how disco will be opened is a big question. The establish-

humorous results at times. Confused accident victims give some unusual and often humorous reasons for mishaps when trying to summarize what exactly happend in only a few words on accident or in-surance forms. Here are some zanv excuses com-

Here are some zany excuses com-piled by the Automótive Information Council

"An invisible car came out of nowhere, struck my car and vanished."

nowhere, struck my car and vanished." "Coming home, I drove into the wrong house and collided with a tree I don't have." "I had been driving my car for 40 years when I fell asleep at the wheel and had an accident." "I collided with a stationary truck coming the other way." "I had been shopping for plants all day and was on my way home. As I reached an intersection a hedge sprang up, obscuring my vision. I did not see the other car." "I pulle daway from the side of the road, glanced at my mother-in-law and headed over the embank-ment."

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'The pedestrian had no idea which direction to go, so I ran over



alive. The disease, which has no known cause, strikes females between the ages of 16 and 35, and males between 20 and 40.

the Rolling Diamonds acrobatic rol-ler skating. Jo Ann and Sunny, a sea lion, Le Michele's balancing acrobatics, three-time national juggl-ing champion Jay Green, a unicycle fire-eating act, Bridgette and Fifi and Ethel's leaping greyhounds compose the show **Police vest fund draws** added town support Continued from page one

Richard Melham (759-3481), Frank, Stanecki (751-0391) and Vito Sylvestro (759-6049) and Vito Sylvestro (759-6049) and Vincent Cosenzo (751-1110) is its coor-dinator with the Police Department. To make a donation, call any of these men or write a check payable to the Belleville Police Vest Fund and mail it to 70 Magnolia St., Belleville, N.J. 07109, care of Sylvestro.

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