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Columbus Parade is set for Sunday

The Belleville-Nutley Columbus Parade Committee has announced that the annual event will be held on Sunday, with an estimated 1,500 marchers in 60 units - including 10 bands - taking part.



Jillian Marino
Bella Signorina

Robert Gaccione, who practices law in Belleville, will be the Belleville Grand Marshal. Frank Cocchiola will be the Nutley Grand Marshal.

The parade route starts on

Centre Street in Nutley, goes east to Union Avenue where it turns south and goes to Joralemon Street, east to Washington Avenue and then south on Washington to the reviewing stand in front of the Municipal Building.

Board of Education Member Judy Piscatowski is Belleville chairman of the committee. Superintendent of Public Works Charles Cerami is director of the event.

The Belleville "Bella Signorina" of the event is Jillian Marino. Ladies in Waiting are Nieves Hernandez and Rhonda Cuoco.

Miss Cuoco will be attending Essex Community College next year. She is a 1996 graduate of Belleville High School.

She is currently employed as office assistant at Paul Scott Security Systems in Lyndhurst.

Miss Nieves is a Junior at Belleville High School who has received academic honors and is a member of Crew.

Miss Marino is a Junior at Belleville High School who has maintained a 4.0 average since her freshman year.

She is Varsity Cheerleader and a member of the Key Club and the Italian Club.



Photo by Howard Klausner

WAITING FOR BROTHER - Sara Hashemi, 4, waits on steps of School 4 for brother Saman, a Third Grader, at end of school day.

Asbestos splits Council 5-to-2

By Howard Klausner

The Township Council voted a change-order in its Town Hall renovation contract with Gaglioti Construction, providing an additional \$274,800 for asbestos removal.

The contract originally was \$1.2 million for reconstruction of the interior of the building which dates back to 1912.

The decision was opposed by Council Member Victor Canning, who said it should have been put to public bidding, and by Council Member Angie Paserchia, who stated simply that she opposed it.

Council Member Jerry Digori said, "We've gone through it. We want total abatement of the property, not encapsulation. Every time you'd break a tile, you would contaminate the building."

The Council approved a \$937,000 road improvement contract with Tomaro Construction Co.

Streets to be reconstructed in their entirety are Eugene Place, Kimball Street, Stevens Road, Hewitt Avenue, Copper Place, Berkeley Avenue, Hill Street, Prospect Street, Clearman Place,

High Street, Smith Street and Riverdale Avenue.

Also, Celia Terrae from Continental to Berkeley; Overlook Avenue from Union to Adelaide; Preston Street from Overlook to Greylock, Campbell Avenue from Union to Adelaide; Myrtle Avenue from Union to Adelaide; Elmwood Avenue from Union to Adelaide; Sunset Avenue from Union to Forest; Beech Street north of Greylock, Mt. Prospect Avenue, from Belleville to Maier, and Memphis Avenue, south of Meacham.

Okay, folks, it's not a \$25,000 reward!

A typesetting glitch in the column "Life in Silver Lake" last week had Marie Strumolo Burke offering a reward of \$25,000 for information leading to the apprehension of persons who stole flowers from pots placed around town by the Silver Lake Civic Association.

The amount is actually \$25 - although Our Marie is upset enough about the vandalism to wish she could give \$25,000 to find the culprits.

Crime watch: theft!

Shoplifting cases occupied police last week.

On Oct. 7, at 7:23 p.m. Police Officers Tom Zecca and Scott Simonetti arrested a 36-year-old Irvington woman for allegedly trying to make off with 38 packages of Duralite batteries, valued at \$273, from the K-Mart store.

On Oct. 6, at 12:20 p.m., Police Officers Vincent Cerca and Anthony Passarella arrested a 42-year-old woman from Milford, Pennsylvania, accused by K-Mart store security of trying to make off with an answering machine worth \$50.

Police Officer Carmen Cerreto arrested three 15-year-old girls from Newark Oct. 9, who reportedly had taken \$208 in merchandise from Foodtown, K-Mart and the Dollar Store. Store security at Foodtown called the police.

Police Officers Armando Nardone and Joseph Trabucco arrested a 19-year-old Newark woman Oct. 5 for allegedly trying to take \$65 worth of video and audio tapes from the K-Mart store.

On Oct. 7, Police Officers Albert Henry and Phillip DeComa arrested a 32-year-old Kearny woman for allegedly trying to take \$17 worth of cosmetics from Foodtown. Police said she also had a \$1,000 warrant for her from Belleville for contempt of court.

On Oct. 10, at 10:05 p.m., Police Officers Phillip Gamarro and Frank Parrillo stopped a car at Washington and Greylock Avenues after it was weaving through traffic. They found that it had been reported stolen earlier that day in Nutley. They arrested the driver, Robert Youells, 24, for possession of a stolen vehicle as well as careless driving.

Police Officer Vincent Strumolo was off duty at 12:35 a.m. on Oct. 14 when he saw a man shouting at patrons entering and leaving Gays and Dolls Tavern on Washington Avenue. When cautioned by

Strumolo, the man reportedly threw a bottle at the officer, and fled. A chase through backyards resulted in the arrest of Anthony Gocklin, 36, of Belleville.

Police Officers Albert Henry and Robert Wallace assisted in the arrest. Police reported there were outstanding warrants for Mr. Gocklin from Newark and North Arlington.

Police Officers Joseph Trabucco

and Nardone arrested Carlos Valentin, 37, of Newark, who was walking down Mill Street at 1:45 a.m., Oct. 10, going in and out of driveways.

Police said investigation showed Mr. Valentin in possession of two hypodermic needles and a vial of white powder, and that there were outstanding warrants for him from Glen Ridge and Newark, totalling \$1,832.

Fontoura announces re-election bid

Citing a solid record of achievement, Essex County Sheriff Armando B. Fontoura has launched his formal campaign for re-election to a third three-year term in office.

Fontoura was the winner of the Democratic Party's June 3 primary election and was the county's top vote-getter as he easily defeated a handful of challengers.

Commenting on Fontoura's record of achievement, Thomas Giblein, Essex County and New Jersey State Democratic chairman, said, "Our citizens deserve to have a seasoned professional in this important and highly sensitive law enforcement position. Based upon his conspicuous police background, long experience, proven ability and outstanding leadership, Fontoura is without doubt the best qualified person for the job. The purpose of this campaign will be to build upon the sheriff's successful efforts during the past six years. As a veteran lawman, Fontoura has the competence to effectively provide cost-efficient law enforcement and security services to our community."

In making his announcement, Fontoura stated that as a Democrat, he was especially pleased to note that Republican county leaders also evinced "great faith and confidence in my public safety credentials, law enforcement skills and management abilities" when County Executive James Treffinger initiated a plan to place the administration's Division of County Police

under the sheriff's jurisdiction.

Fontoura pointed out, "The Division of County Police is an outstanding and efficient law enforcement agency. At the time of his proposal, Treffinger explicitly acknowledged that safety in our parks would be strengthened and improved by transferring this police command to the sheriff's department. The budget-conscious county executive further recognized that the transfer would result in further cost-savings of \$2 million for beleaguered Essex County taxpayers. These are compliments of the highest order."

The 42-officer county police force patrols nearly 6,000 acres which are dispersed throughout 21 parks and three reservations. Sheriff Fontoura assumed command of the Essex County Division Police on May 10, 1997.

Prior to serving as Essex County Sheriff, Fontoura, a graduate of the FBI National Academy, spend 23 years with the Newark Police Department, rising to the rank of captain where he supervised many of that agency's most decorated police units, including the Patrol Division, the Detective Bureau and the Robbery Squad. In addition, Fontoura was the prime mover and project director for the city's Victim Service Center and the Sexual Assault Rape Analysis Unit. He also served as Essex County Undersheriff before taking full command of the department in 1991.



Photo by Howard Klausner

THE MAGIC BOOKS - From left, George Lynch, Sal Casaletto and Grand Knight George Wilson of Belleville Council 835, Knights of Columbus, give books to kindergarten class of St. Peter's School. Each book is personalized with the individual child's name, which appears throughout the narrative.



MAKING IT FORMAL - The Silver Lake Civic Association and the Third Graders of School 4 joined to create a new planting of flowers on the school grounds. From left, back row, are Vincent Fuselli, supervisor of maintenance for the Board of Education; Superintendent of Schools Michael A. Lally; Marie Strumolo Burke, president of the SLCA, and Phyllis Scanzillo, Angela Cozzo-Tarro and Anthony Renna of the Beautification Committee of the SLCA. Event was tied in to school's environmental study program.

Aside from That

By Howard Klausner

They may not be putting herring back in the Second River, where the fish once abounded, any time soon, but they are working on it. Why would anyone care about the herring, most of whom left town sometime in the last century? Actually, the idea is that if the Second River can be brought up to a level of cleanliness that it would sustain herring, it would also mean a lot to cleansing the Passaic River and ultimately, Newark Bay and then Raritan Bay and the whole eco-system of northern New Jersey. The water will be purer, the air will be purer and we will stop our gradual descent into one big garbage pile. . . . Ah, dreams! But working on the improvement of Second River was Greg Remaud, who is involved with an organization, NY/NJ Baykeeper which seeks to restore the degraded waters of the local environment. With some 20 volunteers, he was here on Columbus Day to work on a section of the banks of the Second River - "a long neglected tributary of the Passaic" - to prevent them from silting into the stream, at a point just below the old Hendricks Mill Dam, and the job involved terracing the banks with logs and wooden beams, bringing in compost, and then planting hundreds of native flora, things such as arrowwood, blackberry, red chokeberry, mountain laurel, low bush blueberry and similar items, all to keep the river bank earth in place. "The health of tributaries like Second River is vital to the health of our Bays and tidal river. When we restore rivers like the Second River, our goal is also transforming an ignored waterbody into a natural asset for the community." . . . Remaud said there was a time when people actually swam in the Second River, and in waterholes nearby. He confessed some doubts about every persuading the herring to return, but the project still has its achievements. "In every waterway, and we don't know how they get there, we manage to fish out at least six shopping carts," Remaud said. Is it possible that they have started spawning and moving up river? . . . One of the beautification projects that Belleville might have had, but doesn't, is the Botanical Garden that was started by Marie Messina, wife of Council Member Jim Messina, Jim's administration as Mayor. Apparently, the project foundered on the question of property ownership, and that question was never resolved. It is still an idea that is worth realizing, and we seek further information on it. . . . What happens when a major store chain, Rickel, announces that it is going out of business? The Manager, for one thing, starts looking for a new job. In the case of the Belleville store manager, he has received a "good offer". According to the manager, who declines publication of his name, "It's a good job market out there, for people in management. The problem will be for the lower paid people, who will have to be aggressive." The 49-store chain could not compete with huge rivals, such as Home Depot and smaller newcomers, such as the revived Sears. "The biggest nightmare of my life was having to tell a customer we could not supply him." He added, "But this store was a team effort - a family." The Belleville store was also one of the profitable ones in the chain. It was a Channel store until 1994, when Rickel merged with the parent firm. Altogether, it will have been in Belleville some 20 years. . . . For three of the "sales associates" as they are known, the closing of Rickel was both a blow to them and to the community. Georgiann Vernacchia, sales manager for hardware, furniture and automotive, said, "We were a local store. People knew us by name. We knew them. We knew their married names. We knew when they had back surgery. We had something here - a first name basis with our customers - we were family." Joan Mazzatelli, sales manager for plumbing and electrical supplies, agreed. "You don't get that in the warehouse stores. People are going to miss us." For Grace Barzyz, summing up her thoughts was difficult. "So many things I want to say!"

"Everyone here was like a family. No one can give the customers what we gave them. We have gone out of our way to serve people. Now, our neighborhood Rickel is being taken off the map, and our local people wanted and needed it. We were an asset to Belleville and the community. We will be greatly missed." And, indeed, they will. . . . Fifth Ward Councilman Harry Zilch sees the coming election for Governor as a fight between the Sit-ins and the Sit-outs. "A lot of conservative Republicans think that Christie Whitman is too moderate for their tastes, and they will sit out the election, and the ones who will support her will sit-in. In the GOP, being in the middle-of-the-road is a good way to get run over." . . . Zilch's political supporters, The Kool Kumbur Boys, are urging caution on change of government plans. "The nameplates alone will cost a fortune to change," they say. . . . Our Copy Cat, Baldassaro Di Vincenzo Mitten, notes that when visiting officials come, they are usually packed off to the auditorium of Clara Maass Medical Center. "It's hard explaining to a United States Senator that we don't have a Town Hall, at the moment, and maybe not for the next two years." . . . Attention, Readers! The Times is seeking an advertising sales representative to meet the demands of our expanding circulation. For information, contact Carmela, at 667-2100.



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RIVER SAVER - Greg Remaud of Baykeeper, an environmental agency devoted to saving the waterways of our area, oversees work on the banks of the Second River aimed at eventual cleaning of stream.



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CLOSE TO GOODBYE - Sales associates of the Rickel store in Belleville are saddened by scheduled closing of entire chain. From left are Joan Mazzatelli, Grace Babzyz and Georgiann Vernacchia.



BY THE DAM SITE - Constructing the cribbing to hold the soil from erosion and silting into the Second River, some volunteers went to work with shovels while others placed plants in banks to hold them.

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Kiwanis announces election of officers

The Kiwanis Club of Belleville has installed its new officers for the 1997-98 year.

Domenick Tibaldo of Nutley is the new president, succeeding Tom Grolimond.

President-elect is Jose Murado; Michael McTigue is vice-president; Nino Bucciarelli is treasurer, and Richard Bradley is secretary.

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We find the grass is often dry.
We fail to see the beauty
All around us, every day.
While looking for the greener grass,
Today just slips away.
The children leave, the moment passes,
Take it, that one chance,
For it will never come again.
One turning, one sweet dance,
A single revolution.
Once around — a single lick.
Dip into the moment,
Scoop it up and eat it, quick!
Savor it, the magic.
Taste the sweet bouquet.
Moments in a lifetime
So quickly melts away.

Dolores Dahl

Condolences to Ann Torsiello, who lost her brother, Salvatore Gabriele, a contractor in Nutley. And to Josephine Onofrillo, who lost her sister-in-law last week.

Get well wishes to Phyllis Calabro, wife of Sal Calabro, who is in Clara Maass Medical Center. Helen King is ill at home. Doreen Keenan is out of the hospital and recuperating at her daughter's house.

I must comment about these announcements I make. Some persons say that it is depressing to read them and others have stated that if they hadn't read it here, they would not have known about it. I also state that if you have a news item, I will be happy to print it here, but you must give me the details.

Welcome back to Chris Rotonda and to Pat and Angie Maurillo.

Last week, when I wrote about the Belleville Old Guard's annual party at the Fairmont, I forgot to mention that Pat Rotondo's brother, Armand, was a guest. Armand must like our parties because he lives in Arizona and manages to visit Pat and Jo at the time we have our party. Nice to have you here.

Happy birthday to Richard Koch, Fred Moench and the one and only Joe Fomartotto.

Happy anniversary to Anthony and Elanore Bellina, John and Ann Guartieri, Lee and Vinnie Carlo, Carmen and Lorna Trignano and my brother and sister-in-law, Carmine and Ann Cerami. Also to the Frank Senatore and Mr. and Mrs. Natale Dimichino.

I must say a special (I think it's 15 years) anniversary to my daughter, Phyllis, and her husband, Herb Lager. May you have many more and I hope to see you soon. Love from Mom and Dad!

Don't forget to get your flu shot on Saturday, Oct. 18 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the Senior Citizen Center on Franklin Avenue and Mill Street.

Clara Maass Medical Center presents "We've Come A Long

Way," an update on breast cancer diagnosis and treatment, Saturday, Oct. 18, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Women's Health Center at Clara Maass, One Clara Maass Drive, Belleville.

Nearly one in eight women in New Jersey will be diagnosed with breast cancer at some point in her life. Advances in medical care have allowed physicians to diagnose and treat breast cancer earlier and more effectively. Emotional support and educational resources are readily available to women and their families to help better understand and cope with the effects of the disease.

This comprehensive program and panel discussion will explore the areas of medical oncology, surgery, reconstruction, genetics, radiation treatment, bone marrow transplantation, psycho-social issues, emotional needs of survivors.

For more information or to register for this free program, please call Rosemary Scoppetulo, R.N., nurse manager of oncology, at 450-2886 or Dorothy Downey, Women's Health Center, at 1-888-WOMEN-00.

Happy anniversary to Jim and Josephine Riccardi, my brother and sister-in-law from Nutley.

The Belleville Times has an opening for someone in display advertising. If you are interested, please call 759-3200.

Don't forget the CCB bus ride to A.C. on Nov. 2. Some tickets are still available. Call Lucy or Tony at 759-5448.

Tid bit: Often God has to shut a door in our face so that He can subsequently open the door through which He wants us to go. Catherine Marshall.

Keep Belleville Beautiful.



POSTER WINNER -- Riza Mae Obrera of Belleville, center, a student at Sacred Heart School in Bloomfield, receives a certificate from Sandra DeLeon, inpatient coordinator of spinal cord injury services, and Bonnie Evans, vice president of administration, at Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation in West Orange. Obrera also received a \$100 savings bond after being named one of the winners in the institute's annual "Think First" safety and prevention program poster contest. One winning entry was selected from each grade level from kindergarten through eighth grade.

Artists display work at school

Four Belleville artists have contributed work to the new Pride Gallery at Lacordaire Academy in Upper Montclair.

Marissa Mejia, a senior, created "Multi-Media," a ceramic pinch-pot mounted on a base constructed from wood, wire and yarn.

Her sister, Floreliza Mejia, a sophomore, offered "My City," using the technique of subtractive linoleum printmaking. Her print represents the repetitiveness of big cities.

Also displaying creations are

two other Belleville residents — senior Mary Ann Bravette, with "3 Untitled Works," and junior Rose-Ann Holandez, who has offered "The Inner Prisoner" and "A Farewell to Art."

The Pride Gallery offers exhibits featuring the work of students, alumnae and friends of Lacordaire. Its name is in keeping with the school nickname of Lions.

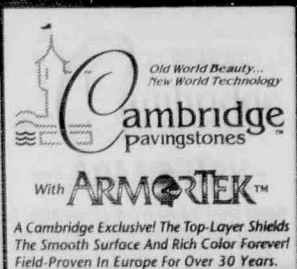
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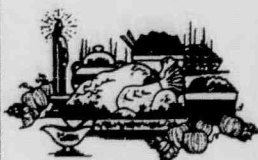
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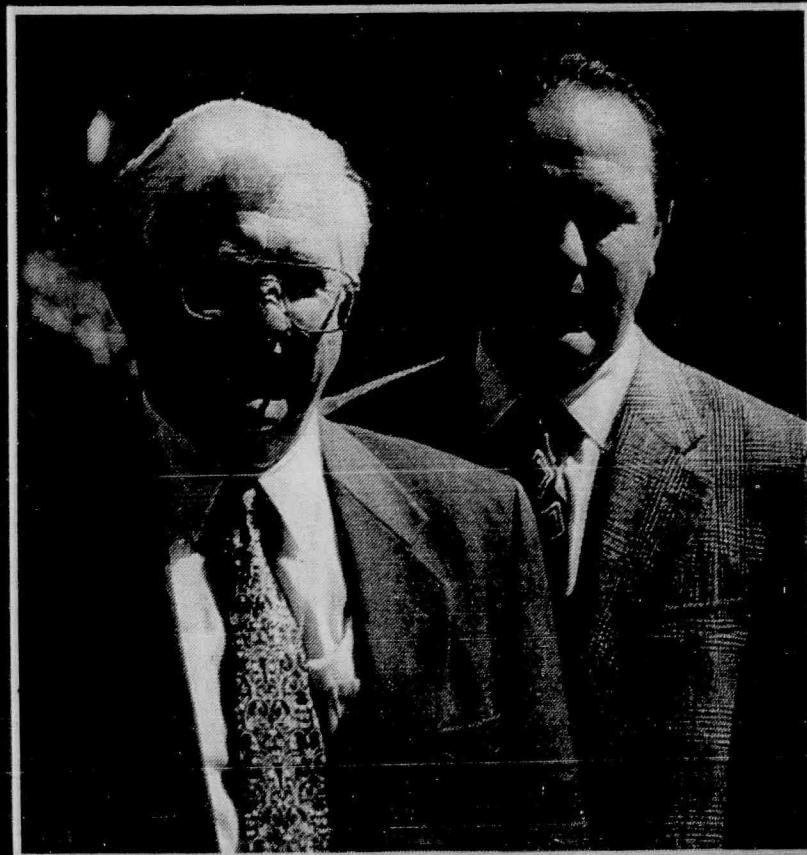
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Calendar of Events

In the Trustees Gallery: An art exhibition by artists Andrea Geller and Leah Raab.

In the library's Exhibit Cases: "Teapots" by Betty Smith and the 300th anniversary of the Dutch Reformed Church will be on exhibit.

Oct. 16: "Kid Stuff on the Internet" will be discussed by Joan Taub at 10:30 a.m.

"Annuities: Are They Right for You?" will be discussed by Jerry Iacangelo at 9:30 a.m. and again at 7:15 p.m. Register by calling 1-800-850-1436 or 450-1435.

A sing-a-long with Frank Senatore and Phil Cannavina will take place at 11:30 a.m.

The Composer Film Class features Liszt's Rhapsody at 1 p.m.

Oct. 17: The Musical Film Class series features "Swing Time" at 12:30 p.m.

Oct. 18: The ESL Class will take place from 9:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

Oct. 20: The Art Lecture Series features Ann Day from 12 noon to 1 p.m. with a discussion of Manet. Call the Circulation Desk at 450-3434 for reservations.

BOOK MARKS

For Humanities Festival Week, "Ghosts of the Pine" will be discussed by Dr. Angus Gillespie, Rutgers University, at 4 p.m. Call 450-3434 for reservations.

Oct. 21: "Using the Major Net Search Engines" will be discussed by Cindy LaRue at 11 a.m. Call 450-3434 for reservations.

An afterschool storytime will take place at 4 p.m.
An ESL Class with Sola Armanious will take place from 6 p.m. to 7:45 p.m.

Oct. 22: "Away" by Jane Urquhart will be discussed by Dr. Daniel Bronson, professor of English, Montclair State University at 1 p.m. Call 450-3434 for reservations.

"Don't Sweat the Small Stuff" will be discussed by Terry Brunn at 10:30 a.m.

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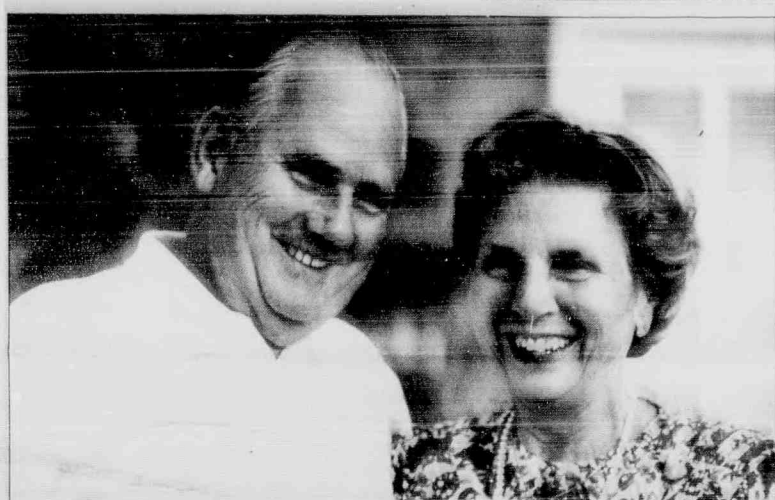
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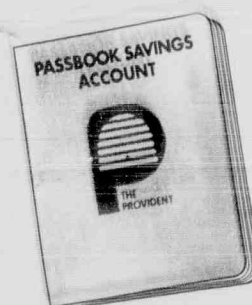
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Oct. 23: "Mutual Funds" will be discussed by Jerry Iacangelo at 10 a.m. and again at 7 p.m.

A sing-a-long will take place at 11:30 with Frank Senatore and Phil Cannavina.

"Bach's Fight For Freedom" will be the subject of the Music of the Composers Film Class at 1 p.m.

Oct. 24: The Musical Film Class series will feature "Tea for Two" at 12:30 p.m.

Library sponsoring events for Humanities Month in October

The Belleville Public Library and Information Center is sponsoring concerts, storytelling programs, poetry, book discussions, computer classes, art lectures, an art exhibition, a slide presentation, a Halloween spooky storytime and film programs for the celebration of National Humanities Month in October.

Dr. Angus Gillespie, American Studies Department, Rutgers University, will discuss "The Story of the Jersey Devil" at 11:30 a.m. at the library on Saturday, Oct. 18, sponsored by a matching grant from the New Jersey Council for the Humanities.

Also, on Monday, Oct. 20, Dr. Gillespie will return at 4 p.m. to discuss "The Ghost of Long Beach Island", a lecture also co-sponsored by the grant.

The Poetry Society, sponsored by the Friends and the Literature Department of the Women's Club of Belleville, features Dorothea Behan reading her own poetry on Monday, Oct. 20 at 1 p.m., followed by an open reading. Call 450-3434 to register.

The book discussion series, "A Study of Contemporary American Literature," sponsored by the faculty of Montclair State University, features Dr. Daniel Bronson discussing "Away" by Jane Urquhart on Wednesday, Oct. 22, also at 1 p.m.

"Exploring Employment Information" will be discussed by Joan Taub on Wednesday, Oct. 15 at 2 p.m. and "Using the Major Net Search Engines to Browse Effectively" will be discussed by Cindy LaRue on Tuesday, Oct. 21, at 11 a.m.

In the Art Lecture Series, noted art historian and artist Ann Day will discuss the artist Manet on Monday, Oct. 20 at 1 p.m. and the artist Pissaro on Monday, Oct. 27 at 1 p.m.

A slide and oral narration by Frederick Dammont, titled "From Potsdam to Poland," will be given on Wednesday, Oct. 29 at 1 p.m.

The art exhibition in the Trustees Gallery, starting Oct. 6, features an art exhibition by Andrea Geller and Leah Raab, while the exhibit area features "Teapots" by Betty Smith and a display of the 300 anniversary of the Dutch Reformed Church.

The Friends of the library are sponsoring a Halloween Party with Spooky Storytelling on Thursday, Oct. 30, from 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. Dress in a costume, mask or hat for the costume party.

The film programs include the Opera Classes on Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m.; the Composer Film Classes on Thursdays at 1 p.m.; Fiction Into Film Classes on alternate Wednesdays at 1 p.m. and the Musical Film Classes at 12:30 p.m.

Participate during Humanities Month at the Belleville Public Library in the many activities your library has to offer! Call in advance to register for the programs.

Iacangelo Agency financial workshops

The Iacangelo Agency of Belleville is holding several financial planning workshops at the library.

On Thursday, Oct. 16, "Analyzing Annuities" will be the topic at 10 a.m. and again at 7 p.m. On Thursday, Oct. 23, "Managing Mutual Funds" will be the topic at 10 a.m. and again at 7 p.m.

On Monday, Oct. 27, "Laboring Over Long Term Care Insurance" will be the subject. To register, call 1-800-380-2380 or 450-1435.

Art lecture series upcoming

Ann Day, art historian and artist, will conduct an art lecture series at the library, which will commence in October during Humanities Month. Day also is known for leading her famous yearly art tours to France, which visit numerous French art museums and locations of artistic interest.

On Oct. 20, she will discuss Manet, on Oct. 17, Pissaro on Nov. 3, Morisot, and on Nov. 10, Cezanne. Call the library's circulation desk at 450-3434 to register. All talks will begin at 1 p.m.

Friends' Halloween, spooky storytime

The Friends of the Belleville Public Library and Information Center are sponsoring a spooky storytime for Halloween on Thursday, Oct. 30, from 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. Come with your favorite spooky story to read. Dress in costume, a hat, or a mask. Refreshments will be served and pictures taken. There will be prizes for the best costumes. Call 450-3434 to register.

Friends' sponsor cake decoration program

The Friends of the Belleville Public Library and Information Center are sponsoring a cake decoration program on Monday, Nov. 3, at 6:45 p.m. Please call the circulation desk to register for the program with Francine D'Agostino.

Note: All events unless otherwise noted take place at the Belleville Public Library and Information Center, 221 Washington Ave.



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OPINION

Essex County experiences turnabout

By James Treffinger
Essex County Executive

Shortly after I took my oath of office as county executive on Jan. 1, 1995, I found I'd inherited a sorry legacy of years of neglect, waste, arrogance, abuse and, in some cases, outright corruption:

- The prior county executive was in a federal penitentiary, serving a 46-month sentence for fraud, money-laundering and influence-peddling;

- We inherited a \$162 million deficit, which represented one-third of the prior year's total budget of \$529.5 million;

- Essex County's bond rating was reduced to only one grade above junk-bond status;

- The county had seen an incredible loss of nearly \$1 billion in its ratable base in 1994;

- The last budget left by the prior administration included more than \$35 million in sham revenues which never materialized. We actually found \$4 million in unpaid

bills that were literally stuffed in drawers!

- For the five years prior to 1995, county taxes had been raised each and every year by more than \$50 million -- and that didn't include the deficits -- and more families, businesses and jobs had moved out of Essex than moved in;

- The two county jail facilities were under a federal court order, with \$297 million in federal fines hanging over the taxpayers' heads;

- The county juvenile detention facility was under a separate federal court order, due to overcrowding and inhumane conditions;

- The county's benefits program and workers' compensation system, with awards for paper cuts, cost taxpayers millions in waste;

- Valuable county assets, such as our park system and our zoo, had been allowed to deteriorate.

What to do?

We imposed a new attitude that saw the taxpayer as both customer and owner of the government, and we began the long, difficult process



Jim Treffinger

of remaking a county government which had so spectacularly broken faith with the people.

We decided to close down our two aging jail facilities, both of which sit in the midst of residential neighborhoods, and to build a single, new jail far away from residences. Even after factoring all the costs of building a new jail, including debt service, this will save taxpayers more than \$8 million a year in operating costs, while creating hundreds of new jobs.

We have opened a new youth house facility, relieving decades of overcrowding while allowing us to implement new juvenile justice initiatives.

We proposed a final plan to create a new 226-acre county reservation on the Hilltop property in North Caldwell, Verona and Cedar Grove, preserving the bulk of one of the last pieces of open space in Essex while paying down all outstanding bonds.

We privatized various services, saving taxpayers millions each year.

We sold the Essex County Geriatric Center to Kessler Institute, which provided taxpayers with \$7.8 million in new revenue, eliminated operational losses of more than \$3 million a year, and improved care for our seniors.

We instituted new insurance and health plans for government employees and reaped savings of

more than \$6 million.

Unlike the past, we challenge and investigate all workers' compensation claims, saving taxpayers nearly \$4 million annually. From \$440-per-employee costs, we're now at \$70 per employee.

Through welfare reforms, we've already moved 20 percent of welfare recipients into work activities and we're instituting community-based programs to replace dependency with jobs.

Today, the deficit is gone and we created a modest surplus last year. Today, annual spending has been cut by \$75 million from 1994.

Essex lost nearly \$1 billion in ratables in 1994 and half a billion dollars more in 1995. But today we've actually increased our ratables by \$78 million.

Had it been a business, Essex County government would have been declared bankrupt three years ago. Today, financial markets show renewed confidence in our recovery. From one level above junk bonds, today we have three times received the highest ratings.

The \$162 million deficit was solved, with no tax increases whatsoever.

In 1997, I introduced for the third time a budget which called for no new taxes and, for the third time, it was unanimously approved by a freeholder board controlled 8-1 by the opposite party. Throughout my term, we've adopted a non-partisan approach, resolving issues on merit, not on partisan alignments.

Through reforms, we are beginning to regain our hope.

Much has been achieved, but more needs to be done.

Please contact me with your ideas on any subject. I've set up a citizen suggestion phone line a 621-4425. Provide us with your input on how to do better.



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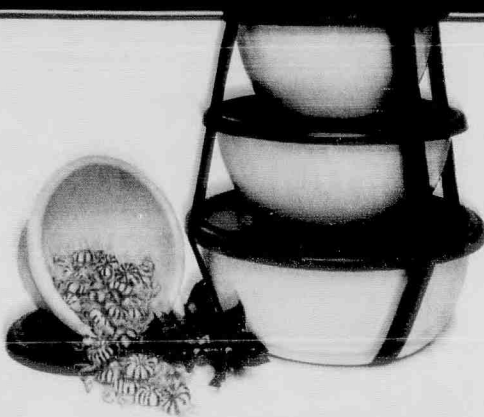
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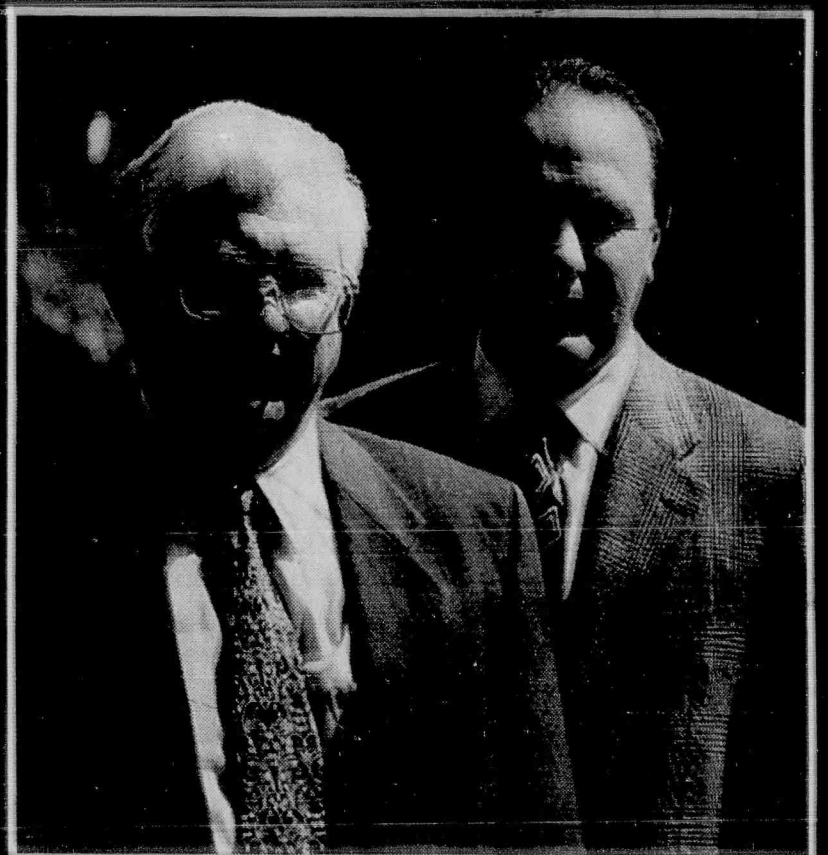
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Chambers slate combined event

The Belleville, Bloomfield, Montclair, Nutley and West Essex chambers of commerce will hold a combined breakfast event on Wednesday, Oct. 29, at 8:30 a.m. at the Essex Manor, 41 Broughton Ave., Bloomfield.

The speaker will be Richard T. Pryor of Richard T. Pryor Associates, Inc., who is one of the most sought-after program leaders and executive coaches in the country.

His topic will be "Preparing

You to Compete in the New Economy: Leveraging Customer Service and Cross-Selling."

Cost of the breakfast is \$12.50; the menu will be a full breakfast buffet which will include eggs, bacon, ham, potatoes, rolls, buns, juice and choice of beverage.

Reservations may be made through the Bloomfield Chamber of Commerce, 547 Bloomfield Ave., Bloomfield. For more information or a reservation form, call the chamber at 748-2000.

Tickets at the door

Art auction this Saturday will benefit St. Paul's Church

St. Paul's Congregational United Church of Christ will sponsor an art auction October 18 at Nutley Parks and Rec, 44 Park Ave.

Tickets at \$7.50 will be available at the door.

Previewing begins at 7 p.m. with the auction starting at 8 p.m.

Art will be provided by the Heisman Fine Arts Gallery of Ardmore, Pennsylvania. Most starting bids will range from \$50 to \$150. Included will be oils, watercolors, lithographs, etchings, ser-

graphs, enamels, sculptures and prints.

Wine, cheese, cake, coffee and more will be served and door prizes will be awarded.

"We look forward to seeing all our friends and neighbors at the art auction," said the Rev. William Krepps, pastor of St. Paul's.

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All entries will become the property of Orecchio Publications.

In the event that no one correctly answers all 5 trivia questions, winner will be determined in a random drawing of entries with the most correct answers.

Winner's name and correct answers will be published in next week's edition.

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Movie Trivia Contest #72

Oct. 16, 1997

1. Name the 1954 movie about the Last Supper in which Paul Newman made his screen debut.

2. Jack Lemmon starred in this 1970 movie about transplanted Ohioans in New York.

3. Who played the female lead in the 1982 movie "Ghandi?"

4. Jimmy Smits starred in this 1995 movie about earthquake-ravaged Los Angeles.

5. In the original "Jaws," what was Richard Dreyfus' character's full name?

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Mail this completed entry to Orecchio Publications, 800 Bloomfield Ave., Nutley, NJ 07110 att: Movie Trivia Contest, or fax it to (973) 667-3904.

Answers to last week's quiz:

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October 19-25

ARIES - March 21/April 20

You feel a little rundown this week, Aries. Cancel some of your social plans, and catch up on your rest. You need it. A loved one looks to you for advice. Be honest. You meet an interesting person later in the week. Try to make a good impression, because he or she has connections.

TAURUS - April 21/May 21

This is your week to shine, Taurus. Things go well for you both personally and professionally. You make significant headway toward a personal goal. Don't stop now - you've got the momentum. A close friend needs your help. Don't ignore him or her. Gemini plays a key role.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

You don't know how you feel about a romantic relationship early in the week. One minute, you're happy about it; the next minute, you're upset. Before making a rash decision, take some time to figure out your true feelings. You owe it to yourself and your significant other. A close friend surprises you this weekend.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

The week will fly by, Cancer. You'll be so busy with work and personal plans that you won't have a chance to relax until later in the week. Enjoy this well-deserved rest when it finally arrives. A loved one needs your help with a family matter. Do all that you can for him or her. Libra plays a role.

LEO - July 23/August 23

You feel like you're losing control early in the week, Leo. All of the decisions that you make seem to backfire. Don't get discouraged. You'll be back on top before Friday. Even though a close friend hasn't called in a few days, there's no cause for alarm. He or she has been busy.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

A business associate asks you to handle a touchy situation this week, Virgo. Don't shy away from the challenge; you know that you are the best person to deal with it. That special someone surprises you over the weekend. Enjoy! Aries and Sagittarius play important roles.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

Let your good nature shine through when you get into a discussion with an aggressive co-worker. Don't let his or her remarks get you upset. Be the bigger person. A loved one tells you about a family problem. Do your best to help resolve it. The person you've been seeing wants to get serious. Think about what you want.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

A close friend gets into trouble during the middle of the week. As much as you would like to stay out of the situation, you have to help him or her. Be supportive, and guide him or her through this rough time. Your efforts will be appreciated. A friend reveals his or her true feelings for you.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

You really stick your foot in your mouth at a business meeting, Sagittarius. However, don't get nervous. By remaining calm, you can talk your way out of it. A loved one is feeling down. Try to cheer him or her up. Capricorn plays a key role in your personal life later in the week.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

You take a giant step in the right direction when it comes to your career this week. You say all the right things in front of the right person, and a great business offer is on the way. The person you've been dating doesn't call. Don't get upset; someone better will come along.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

You're on your own early in the week, Aquarius, and you love it. You finally can make a large dent in your long-to-do list. Even though you're working hard, you feel invigorated. Use this extra energy to enhance a personal relationship. Cancer plays a key role on Tuesday.

PISCES - Feb 19/March 20

A close friend needs some advice about a personal problem. Be honest, and help him or her make a sound decision. Your help is truly appreciated. A family gathering puts you in the spotlight. Try to make the event fun for everyone, especially yourself. An old friend calls you on Friday.

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WOMEN AT WORK - In the midst of the planting are, from far left, Danae Periera, Christal Duarte, Christianne Saavedra, Stacy Sanabria and Vionette Orama. Teacher supervised and one boy was in rush.



THEY DUG IN THE SOIL - Children doing the planting are, from left, Shekelb Shaffley, Dario Di Glano, Danae Periera and Christal Duarte. Giving assistance is Anthony Renna of Silver Lake Civic Association.



THE FLOWER BEARERS - The young ladies, from left, are Vionette Orama, Elester Nicolas, Matt McLaughlin, Kristin Kaufman and Maria Yeye. They joined in their efforts with classmates at the event.



CLOSING SESSION - As the planting of flowers and small trees was completed, all joined for a look.

Life in Silver Lake

By Marie Strumolo Burke
A feature of Belleville Times

Thank God, there were no serious callers for the reward I posted for the "Flower Bandit."

A lot of teasing, a lot of joking. Everyone confessed that "they did it." But who knew the \$25 reward would be printed as \$25,000.

I was really quite upset when I found out, but then I calmed down and called the editor, Howard Klausner, and kidded him that he and the boss, Frank Orechio, should start saving their pennies. But the offer still stands...A \$25 reward (that's twenty-five dollar and no cents to be exact) for the capture of the "Flower Bandit(s)" who are ruining our beautification program.

Well, they did it again over the weekend. This time, the victim was Bagels Plus. They tore up the flowers there. Come on, residents, drop a dime, 'cause I know that someone out there can come up with a clue for the apprehension of the bandit.

Our Silver Lake activist, Sebastian Papa was very instrumental in having an array of beautiful cherry trees planted on the entire length of Belmont Avenue. But he wasn't too pleased the other day when he discovered that some

culprits pulled off all the branches of the trees starting at Pathmark and ending on the corner of Belmont and Bloomfield Avenue.

Again, I'm sure someone had to see this destructive deed happening. Write me at 69 Heckel Street or call me at 759-6849 if you have any info on who these terrible people are. It will be kept confidential.

I usually try not to write negativities, but this time, I just had to - it made me sick. Our Association is working very hard to keep our area beautiful. But please, please don't give up, 'cause we will find the bad guys and run them right out of town.

How nice it was to hear that John Delli Santi, Jo Cordasco, and Brian and Cindy Armstrong, all Heckel Street residents, joined a bowling team at Brunswick Lanes on Washington Avenue. I got a kick out of the name they picked, or shall I say, the anchor of the team, Cindy, picked - "The Lakers." How appropriate.

Cindy and Brian are parents of three wonderful kids. Their son Colin celebrated his birthday on Aug. 26, son Ryan on Sept. 11 and son Brandon on Oct. 25. As I said before, I think you guys are head-

ing to have your own basketball team, 'cause all you need are two more children. Hey, you never know.

Birthday greetings also to my pal John Delli Santi who will celebrate his big day on Oct. 19, no, it can't be your 69th birthday, John, you look more like 59 to me. But I'll send you out a 69-gun salute anyway...to one of the "best." Do you hear it, John? I do.

Met up with a nice "chap" the other night at the Zig Zag Restaurant. This personable fellow's name was Michael McCabe, who is the proprietor of Belleville Flowers by McCabe on Garden Avenue. The most noteworthy face is that he lives in Silver Lake on Naples Avenue with his wife Lisa and their children Raquel and Natalie. Good luck, Michael, may your business "bloom" forever.

Rah, rah, sis boom bah (I think that's how the saying goes), but anyway, let me congratulate Silverlakers Christ Gammara of Newark Avenue and Anthony (Benenato) Mongelli of Watchung Avenue. They are only juniors at BHS and have made the varsity football team. Wow. Hey guys, I don't know what positions you play - but make sure you score two TD's for Silver Lake.

Remember, we love Silver Lake. Hey, all of you out there, the Belleville Times is looking for a display advertising representative. So if you are interested, call 667-0300. I hope you're the lucky one to land the job, and tell them you read it here.

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OUR OPINION

The world is round

A wreath was laid at the Christopher Columbus Memorial before the Belleville Municipal Building, Monday.

It marked the recognition of his achievement by the Belleville Italian-American Civic Association, but in truth, the respect for Columbus is not limited to any single ethnic group. The entire world is in his debt.

In recent years, a school of revisionist history has grown in which Columbus has been made the villain, rather than the hero, of the Age of Exploration.

He brought Europe to America, and in the process of colonization, the native populations were subjugated and decimated.

But it was hardly Columbus' purpose to bring barbarity to the New World. The Old World was what it happened to be at that time - a place of massive injustice, if we look at it from the luxury of our vantage point today. But it was also a place of progress.

Ultimately, the power of enlightenment overcame the forces of darkness, but it was a long hard struggle, and it is a battle still being fought.

Had Columbus not made his successful voyages, the world would have succumbed to tyranny. The appearance of America on the

world stage is what saved Europe - and the rest of the world - from one tyranny or another. The birth pains of freedom in the New World were horrendous. But the result was the victory of freedom.

Columbus was a truly heroic figure, as well as a brilliant one. His reputation as the Great Navigator was not an empty one. He piloted those fragile shells of timber into unknown perils, because unlike most of the human race, he did not believe the world was flat, but round.

The native of Genoa planted the flag of Spain on the Caribbean island his ship first touched, and Genoa was not to have a major role in the settlement of the New World.

It would be centuries before his fellow countrymen would find their way in great numbers to the Americas, and in their passage here, and in their struggles to survive, their sufferings and achievements matched that of their forerunner.

It was fitting that the Italian-American Civic Association lay that wreath before the statue of Columbus. They did it for all Americans, grateful to the daring and enterprise that made them all free.

Our choice is Scott

John Scott has never caved at the charge of being Conservative, or indeed, arch-Conservative.

The voters who first sent him to office knew his political stand, and they endorsed it. He has not changed his stand, and he has the unusual distinction of having everybody know exactly where he stands.

Governor Christine Todd Whitman, who is in the moderate wing of the Republican Party, has had no problem endorsing Mr. Scott, and he has been a supporter of the Governor's program to reduce taxes and thereby improve the economy.

If elected, she will need every supporter she can get, if she is to continue her programs of fiscal responsibility and social consciousness.

Nutley Mayor Garry Furnari is a worthy opponent of Scott in the contest for State Senate. He represents a liberal Democratic philosophy - one which has its supporters.

But the conservative policies of Senator Scott are more representative of Belleville voters than are the policies of Mayor Furnari.

They have the right to the kind of representation they want. If their opinions have changed since they first sent Mr. Scott to Trenton, they will have the right to express that opinion at the polls.

He was instrumental in bringing the mobile police precinct station to Silver Lake, an action which has done much to restore confidence and a sense of safety to that community.

Now he is seeking to have the same kind of police presence in the Valley.

On the issues of law and public safety, no one can fault John Scott.

Sen. Scott has been responsive to his constituents, and he has worked hard in office.

He has worked so hard, indeed, that he has earned the right to be re-elected to that office.

A matter of compassion

Years ago, when the Editor occupied a small newspaper office in Paterson, hard by the Court House, he observed a number of scenes that left their impression on him, over the years.

One of the most touching was the appearance of a young girl, apparently a Down's Syndrome child, who was being escorted to the Court House by a hard faced lady on the day when adoptions were formalized. A few hours later, we saw the same child and the same lady walking sadly back.

There had been no adoption. Suddenly, the child turned to the woman, and although we could not hear her words, we could see that she was pouring her heart out, as the tears rolled down her face.

Suddenly, the woman seemed to melt. She knelt and held the child in her arms, and both wept. Then, the woman straightened up, and taking the child by the hand, walked steadfastly down the street and out of sight.

At that moment, we realized the pain of rejection that was felt by that child. It was heart rending, and although we could under-

stand the decision of a would be adoptive parent to avoid the problems of raising the child, we could not forgive the act.

Last spring, we saw the graduation ceremony of a young man who had rejected by the Belleville schools because a boundary line ran through his apartment house and did not include his apartment. He refused to accept the rejection, found a job, took an apartment on his own, and went on to receive his diploma.

His younger brothers did not have that option. They still had their Belleville address, but they went to another district's school.

Over the past two years, scores of youngsters have found themselves rejected by the school district. It was all perfectly legal. Their parents or guardians did not fulfill the residency requirements. And it was also devastating to these children.

Rejection, at any time or any place, for any good or unjust reason, is a terrible thing for the young. So is the ordeal of being under the threat of rejection.

YOUR OPINION

Drozd: Vote no

To the editor:

I read with interest many of the letters and news articles pertaining to the change of government issue. A major point of contention for the call is the recent tax increase.

As a homeowner and taxpayers in our township, I am concerned with taxes. However, I wish to set the record straight. On Sept. 21, 1997, in The Star-Ledger on page 16, New Jersey properties were listed.

Belleville was ranked fifth lowest in Essex County, out of 22 municipalities, with an increase of 11 percent, while other towns had an increase of 13 percent or higher.

These are the facts, not hearsay, political rhetoric or the words of doom and gloomer, who constantly put down our community. Belleville is a thriving town with many positive people and systems intermingling toward a brighter future.

On Nov. 4, say no to negative people, say not a doom and gloomer and say no to hearsay not based on fact. The fact is, Belleville is a great place to live and work.

Mario Drozd
Mayor

Keep the Manager

To the editor:

Under the council-manager form of government, there is more accountability than the commission form of government. Department heads are professional trained supervisors, who are accountable to the township manager who is a skilled professional as well.

Our current manager, Ray Kimble, is a lifelong resident of Belleville and holds a master's degree in administration. His highly effective leadership of Belleville's nationally recognized police force will move Belleville into the 21st century.

Under the commission form of government, part-time politicians without appropriate training must be full-time administrators. Politicians should legislate and professional administrators should run departments. This concept is the basis for Congress, Trenton and county government. Belleville should keep its modern form of government.

I ask my friends and neighbors not to return an archaic system of government that created many of today's problems. Mr. Kimble is the man to maximize our town government and to continue the movement for a better Belleville.

Voting "no" on Nov. 4 will keep out the politicians and keep progress moving forward.

Karen Stefanelli

Coach remembered

To the editor:

There comes a time in everyone's life when they are touched by one special person, one individual who has a positive impact on them. Mike Cortellino, a volunteer coach for the Belleville Recreation Junior Bucs football team was such a person. On Oct. 4, Mike passed away suddenly at the young age of 36.

On behalf of the Belleville Recreation Department, the Junior Bucs Football program, and all the players, coaches and parents who were blessed with Mike Cortellino's enthusiasm and caring, I would like to pay tribute to this fine man. Needless to say, he will be missed by all participants in our football program.

Dennis P. Buckley
Director of Recreation

On fundraising

To the editor:

In light of the recent tragedy in Jackson Township, which coast an 11-year-old boy his life, now might be the time for local communities to rethink how they want to raise money for PTAs and other school activities.

If, as reported, this youngster was last seen selling candy and holiday items for a school fundraiser when he met his end, a very strong message is being sent to all school boards and PTA members.

When the safety of even one child is being compromised, there is something radically wrong with the way funds are being raised. Evidently, warnings not to solicit door-to-door are not enough to stop an enthusiastic youngster from doing just that, with the hope of winning a "walkie-talkie" or some such prize.

However, in this day and age, you cannot do this type of selling without taking a risk, and although it's not the kids' fault, they are the ones who pay the price.

If indeed fundraising necessary, parents and teachers alike should be looking for better ways to accomplish this.

The onus is on them to find ways, bearing in mind that without resorting to selling or other gimmicks, the generosity of your town's people and local businesses should not be underestimated when seeking donations or contributions.

Barbara Hahn



Of All Things

By Frank Orechio

A feature of the Nutley Sun, Bloomfield Life, Belleville Times and Glen Ridge Voice

• **THE** election campaign for the State Assembly in the 36th district which includes Nutley and Belleville seems nonexistent. However, the Senate seat occupied by **State Senator John Scott** is making up for a lack of activity in the other district legislative contests. Both Senator Scott and his challenger, **Garry Furnari**, will probably spend a combined total of a million dollars - or near that much - in a battle that may well be determined by the party's gubernatorial candidates, incumbent **Governor Christie Whitman** and Democrat challenger, **State Senator Jim McGreevey**.

• **LAST** Wednesday, October 8th, former Governor Tom Kean visited Bloomfield to endorse State Senate candidate Norm Robertson. His district includes Passaic County and Bloomfield and Glen Ridge in Essex County.



Tom Kean

• **FORMER** Newark Mayor, Democrat Ken Gibson, has officially thrown his derby into the ring for the grand prize of the Essex County Executive now held by Republican Jim Treffinger. However, friends of

Essex County Freeholder Director Joe DiVincenzo are urging him to seek the Democrat nomination for County Executive. DiVincenzo's service as a member and chairman of the Board of Freeholders has practically assured him of Democrat organization backing if he eventually decides to seek the nomination. Recycling a politician after a decade of absence from the political arena is an extremely difficult task - and despite the racial overtones that may be expected, it looks like DiVincenzo would be the man to beat both in the Democrat Primary Election and the General Election.

Governor Whitman's incumbency should be helpful to a second term bid by Treffinger if he decides to run again.



Joe DiVincenzo

• **WELL**, the courts finally caught up with the mischief that former Nutley Public Safety Commissioner John Kelly created behind closed doors on December 27, 1995 when an employment contract benefiting Police Chief Robert DeLitta and

Deputy Chief John Holland was executed without the knowledge of the other commissioners. The contracts protected DeLitta and Holland from being "... discharged, disciplined, reprimanded, reduced in rank or compensation..." Equally significant was the fact the officers would work no more than a forty-hour week - and that work week must be between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Guaranteed to DeLitta and Holland were thirty paid vacation days, all legal holidays and a variety of fringe benefits. The contracts excluded the officers from collective bargaining agreements. DeLitta's employment cost taxpayers around \$125,000, and taxpayers picked up about \$113,000 for Holland's employment.

The documents setting all these terms in place was signed December 27, 1995 but didn't surface until June 17, 1996, a time when Public Safety Commissioner John Kelly had retired from the commission. Commissioner Frank Cocchiola was a lone vote in favor of the contracts. Commissioner Carmen Orechio said the contracts would have tied his hands if he decided to recommend capping high salaries.

However, most of the residents in attendance argued against the contracts.



John V. Kelly

• **IF** you want to see the results of a homeowner's unusual pride in his property, take a walk or ride by 126 High Street, Nutley. The owner did a fantastic job of landscaping - one worthy of special mention.

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YOUR OPINION

Keep Council-Manager

To the editor:

I have always followed and believed in the philosophy that if it is not broke, then don't try to fix it. I just wish other people would adopt that theory. It is absolutely amazing to me that there are people in Belleville who actually believe that a return to the practically obsolete Commission form of government would solve all of our township's problems and bring lower taxes.

Why any Belleville resident would want to stop the rapidly growing pattern of progress that Belleville's current Council-Manager form of government has been achieving in the past seven years is completely beyond me. All that the Commission form of government would bring to Belleville is dictatorship! Let's take a look at some of the many positive things that the Council-Manager form of government has brought to Belleville.

First of all, Belleville, one of 22 municipalities, is the fifth-lowest in taxes for Essex County. This is according to an article published in The Star-Ledger on Sunday, Sept. 21, 1997. It was the Council-Manager form of government that put an end once and for all to the horrendous flooding in Silver Lake, not the Commission, which had promised to do it for about 50 years. Moreover, more than 65 streets have been repaired!

Our high school tennis teams can now have home matches thanks to the Council-Manager form of government and with the fact that monies have finally been allocated for the rest of the Belleville Municipal Stadium renovations, very soon our track teams will be able to have home contests and all of our residents would no longer have to go to Nutley when they want to walk or jog around a quality track.

Silver Lake was able to revive old traditions like the St. Anthony's Feast along Heckel Street and create new traditions like the annual spring Blossomfest along Franklin Street.

New businesses have invaded Belleville under the Council-Manager form of government. Some of those include Blimpie, Belleville Department Store, Taco Bell, Rita's Italian Lemon Ice, and Giordano's Bakery.

The present Council-Manager form of government employs a highly qualified, competent, and professionally trained full-time Township Manager who runs the day-to-day operations of the town as opposed to a group of give independent part-time overly politically ambitious commissioners with absolute executive power.

Our country's government was based on a strong system of checks and balances. The Commission form of government does not have any system of checks and balances as each commissioner is

allowed to run his or her respective department as he or she sees fit. Under the Council-Manager system, you have seven council members who work together on all township issues.

The bottom line is let's not attempt to fix something that is well intact as it is. Furthermore, let's be honest and admit that if the Commission form of government truly worked, then Belleville never would have abandoned it back in 1990. We must continue the progress brought forth by the present Council-Manager form of government! We must vote "no" on Nov. 4 to the change of government proposal.

Anthony M. Sessa

Donald Rinaldi writes

To the editor:

My family has owned a manufacturing facility on Cortlandt Street in Belleville since 1972. As president of our family business, I am extremely interested in the current movement in Belleville to change the form of government to a commissioner form of government.

I believe that changing the form of government to a commission form will be taking a step back in time. Belleville needs progress, not antiquated government.

In operating a business, I understand the importance of having one individual responsible for management decisions. It is impossible to operate a business efficiently with more than one "boss." There must be one individual in authority who has the ultimate responsibility for the entire business.

The same is true in government. If Belleville becomes a commission form of government, each commissioner will be the "boss" of his or her area of government. Each will build his or her own kingdom, with its own agenda and direction. Each will only be interested in the area of his or her department.

There are only a few municipalities in New Jersey that have the commission form of government. I believe only about 30 out of 560 municipalities have this form of government. If the commission form of government is efficient and desirable, why is it such a minority? The secret to improving our town is not changing our form of government. We must all become active in government and work from within to strengthen Belleville. Bringing the commission form of government to Belleville will make it more difficult for business to prosper in Belleville.

Without the benefit of taxes from those of us who operate businesses in Belleville, the tax burden will shift to those who can least afford it: the senior citizens and the homeowners. Please do not run business and industry out of Belleville. Keep our present form of government.

Donald J. Rinaldi
President

Reformed Church 300th Birthday fete

Famed New Jersey historian John C. Cunningham will be the guest speaker at the ceremony marking the 300th anniversary of the Belleville Reformed Church, 3 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 26.

Cunningham will speak on the history of the church, which was originally the Dutch Reformed Church, and the influence of the Dutch on this part of the nation.

The oldest functioning congregation in New Jersey, it inhabits the oldest structure in the Township, and it was around the original church building that the community was built.

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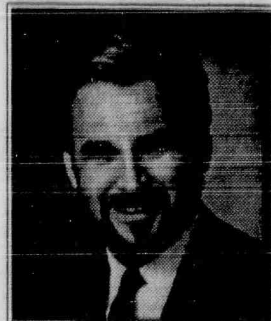
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No to change

To the editor:

On Election Day, Nov. 4, the Citizens of Belleville will vote on a proposal to change the township's form of government. This is a momentous decision which must not be taken lightly.

Those persons who are pushing for the change in Belleville's type of government from a Council-Mayor-Manager structure to a Commission form, do not have Belleville's best interests at heart; they have only their own. It is the desire for power of the "outs" that brought about this attempted change, not an honest desire for the betterment and increased efficiency of our town's municipal services.

It is not pure coincidence that the leaders of the Change in Government Committee are politicians now out of the mainstream of Belleville municipal leadership and authority. They rail against high property taxes, forgetting that most of the increases have been caused by the voodoo economics of the state-house and legislature.

The Commission form of government that the 'yes' vote on the election proposal would bring has been discredited in recent years by impartial experts in the field of municipal government and law. As recently as 1990, only 32 municipalities, with a population total of only 335,644 persons had the Commission form of government. The average municipality with a board of commissioners had a population of a little more than 10,000; Belleville's population is well over three times the average.

Michael A. Pane, one of New Jersey's leading government experts, has often stated that over the last 30 years, the trend in New Jersey has been distinctly against the commission structure. Why should Belleville change back to an inefficient Commission government it abandoned in 1990, when virtually the entire state of New Jersey has realized it does not work and cost more for the same service as against our present mayor-council format?

The Commission form of government does away with the township council and township manager, and may real authority of the mayor, and replaces them with a five-member Board of Commissioners. Except for the Municipal Court, Board of Education, police and fire, most municipal entities are abol-

ished, to be replaced at the whim of the commissioners.

Each commissioner has virtually dictatorial power over the particular department of government to which they are appointed by the board. The five departments are Public Affairs, Revenue and Finance, Public Safety, Public Works and Parks and Public Property. Each commissioner has the power of appointment for all the personnel in his or her department; political and personal patronage is a normal result, as is self-interest.

Our present form of government employs a competent, professional, full-time manager to run the day-to-day activities of the township. This laudatory system would be changed, if the government change proposal is passed, to Belleville being run by a group of politically-motivated part-time amateurs, each building little empires and power bases, with qualified personnel often replaced by the commissioners' cronies.

The citizens of Belleville must not fall victim to the politically-motivated scam that is being attempted against them. The only logical and proper vote on the Change of Government proposal on Nov. 4 is "no."

Clark B. Schor

Outs want in?

To the editor:

Political outsiders are telling you to throw out the Council-Manager form of government simply because they wish to be "in." What they neglected to tell you is that state law prohibits any community from implementing a Commission form of government where it has not previously existed. Why? Because a Commission form of government is inefficient and ineffective.

The Commission form of government straddles you with a political boss that can only be removed after four years. The Council-Manager allows you to restructure your political body every two years.

Don't give up your right to say what goes on in your government.

Vote "no" to political bosses on Nov. 4.

Diane Salzano

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Vision plays an important role in helping children adapt to the world around them and excel in everyday activities. As a parent, you can help your child by making sure he or she has quality vision care. Start caring for your child's eyes during the first weeks after birth, when vision skills begin to develop, by following these steps:

- Observe your child's behavior for signs such as an eye turning in or out, frowning or eye rubbing.
- Help develop vision skills. Hang a mobile on your baby's crib, keep toys within your baby's view, talk to your baby as you walk around the room, and change the baby's surroundings occasionally.
- Seek early professional care. Take your child to an optometrist for a thorough eye examination before age three and again before entering school. Early diagnosis is important in treatment.

Vision problems among the very young are generally uncommon. Two to be alert for, however, are strabismus (crossed-eyes) and amblyopia (lazy eye). Crossed-eyes involve one or both eyes persistently turning inward, outward, upward or downward. If you notice this, it is time to see an optometrist, as untreated crossed-eyes can lead to other vision problems. Lazy eye is one of the most serious. It involves a loss of sharp, clear central vision in one eye which cannot be corrected with glasses. Lazy eye may occur for other reasons, and it usually has no noticeable symptoms. These conditions may be treated with corrective lenses, prisms, eye patching and/or vision therapy.

Next article: Part II — The Learning Years

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If you don't have a weight problem... Well, lucky you!

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The Goen Seminar will be held at the VFW Hall in North Arlington at 222 River Road, just one mile north of the Belleville Pike, on Wednesday, Oct. 22, 7 to 10:15 p.m.

You have nothing to lose but those unwanted pounds and inches. Guaranteed! Be there!

For more information, call 1(888) 2-GET-TRIM.

'Voices for Hospice' to be hosted here

JerseyCare Hospice, a division of Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville, will be hosting part of the world's largest simultaneous singing event, "Voices for Hospice," on Saturday, Oct. 18.

JerseyCare is one of 20 hospices in New Jersey participating in this global event.

"Voices for Hospice" is an international campaign to increase public awareness and raise funds for hospice on a local and state level. Each performance around the world will take place at 7:30 p.m. in its own time zone, creating a chain of song traveling around the world in 24 hours and in approxi-

mately 30 countries.

Tickets for the concert, which will feature selections including the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's "Messiah," along with other works, are available by contacting JerseyCare Hospice at 844-4000. Cost per ticket is \$10.

JerseyCare Hospice is Essex County's only hospital-based program that provides at-home care for patients with terminal diseases, and offers another alternative to patients and their families so that they may choose the most appropriate setting to receive medical attention.

Surgical group gets accreditation

Recognizing a commitment to quality testing for diagnosis of vascular disease, the Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgical Group at Clara Maass Medical Center in Belleville has been granted accreditation by the Intersocietal Commission for the Accreditation of Vascular Laboratories.

The Clara Maass facility was among the first 651 vascular labs in the United States, Canada and

Puerto Rico to receive the distinction.

"This accreditation is granted when all group doctors are both board-certified and have passed accreditation exams," said manager Ginny Vyniski.

"Successfully fulfilling these requirements makes our staff qualified to clearly interpret diagnostic

results," she said.

According to the commission, accreditation status signifies that a facility has been reviewed by an independent agency which recognizes a commitment to quality testing.

Participation in the accreditation process is voluntary and demonstrates a concern for high quality patient care and attention to quality assurance, the commission reported.

The Thoracic Cardiovascular Surgical Group practices non-invasive vascular testing techniques to detect blood clots, which can break free and cause damage to the brain, lungs, legs, or even result in death.

For more information about thoracic cardiovascular procedures at Clara Maass, call 450-2053.

CONVOCATION PANELIST

-- Lauretta Elvin, R.N., nurse manager of Same Day Surgery and Short Stay Services at Clara Maass Health Care System in Belleville, was one of the panelists at "The Real World of Nursing," a program held during the recent annual fall nursing convocation of the Presbyterian Division of Nursing at Bloomfield College.



Make a difference and help a child

National Make A Difference Day, a day in support of children with developmental problems, will be marked Saturday, Oct. 25, at three sites in Nutley and Belleville.

Organizers, which include Cerebral Palsy of Northern New Jersey and the Building Blocks program at Clara Maass Medical Center in Belleville, are seeking donations of new or gently used toys, baby items, formula, high chairs, car seats, strollers and other baby items.

The donations will go to three centers, located in East Orange, West New York and Lyndhurst, which provide free help for children up to 3 years of age who have impairments such as autism, Down

syndrome, speech delays and cerebral palsy.

Checks made out to Cerebral Palsy of New Jersey are also needed, to help pay for doctor visits, medicine and other needs that the children's families cannot afford.

Donations may be made on Oct. 25 at Clara Maass Medical Center, main lobby, One Clara Maass Drive, Belleville, from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.; the Parks and Recreation building, 44 Park Ave., Nutley, from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.; and the Red Cross building, 169 Chestnut St., Nutley, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For more information or to volunteer to help, call Claire Centrella at 313-2705, Ellen Wolf at 667-1652, or Gail Beyer at 997-0488.

MCH sets arthritis course

Montclair Community Hospital 120 Harrison Ave., in conjunction with the New Jersey Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation, will host a six-week arthritis self-help course for members of the community.

The course will meet on Fridays from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. beginning tomorrow, Oct. 17, and continuing until Friday, Nov. 21. The fee is \$25.

Classes will include time for practicing relaxation techniques and exercises for those who suffer from arthritis.

Participants will also learn strategies for decreasing pain, ways to relax and deal with stress, proper use of exercise, facts about arthritis medications and their effects, coping with symptoms of arthritis and depression, good nutritional habits, methods of heat and cold applications, and problem-solving techniques.

For information about the arthritis self-help course, call the Physical Therapy Department at 509-6067.

Perimenopause to be discussed Tuesday

Mountainside Hospital in Glen Ridge and the Township of Fairfield Health and Human Services Department will present "Perimenopause: The Passage to Menopause" on Tuesday, Oct. 21, at 7 p.m. at Fairfield Community Center, 376 Hollywood Ave., Fairfield.

Dr. Sheila Nagar, M.D., endocrinologist at Mountainside, and Dr. Linda Liotti, D.O., Fairfield's township physician, will discuss

the transitional phase known as perimenopause that begins for women when they are in their 30s and 40s.

The speakers will discuss symptoms of perimenopause, the pros and cons of estrogen replacement therapy and its alternatives.

There will be no admission charge. To register or for more information, call Mountainside's Health Promotion Department at 429-6856.

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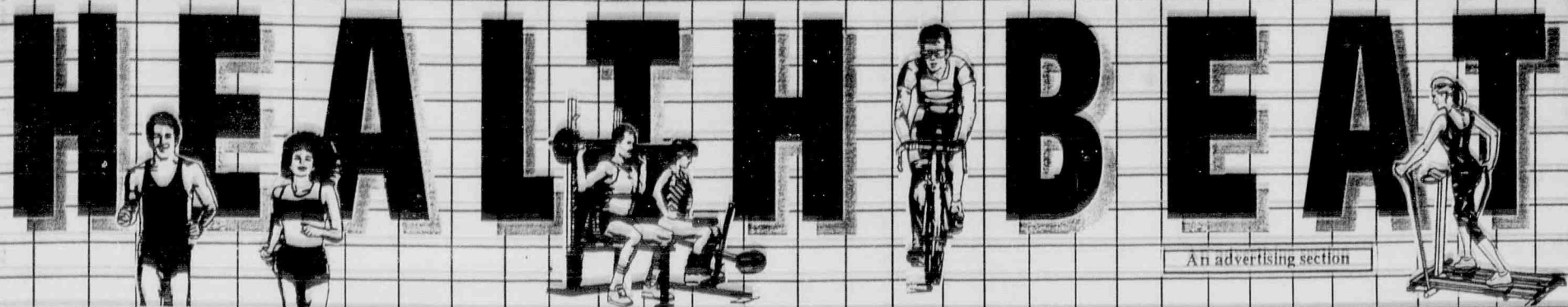
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Health fair scheduled

The Parks and Recreation building will be the site of the third annual Children's Health Fair.

The event, to be held on Saturday, Oct. 18, will run from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The fair will host over 40 exhibits from local as well as regional groups, with their focus on the health and welfare of children.

Health screenings will begin at 10 a.m. The dental screenings will be continuous, but screening of vision and hearing will take longer and must be scheduled.

The exhibit on bicycle helmet safety will open at 10:30 a.m. Volunteers will be fitting children for new bicycle helmets, which will be distributed, free of charge, while supplies last.

At 11 a.m., officers from the Essex County Sheriff's Office will be available to "capture" our children's fingerprints on a specially designed identification card, while outside, ponies will be available for rides.

This will be followed shortly by the arrival of "Gizmo," the robot with personality who will entertain our children with his words of wisdom.

At 12 noon, there will be the magic of Joe Fischer who will do his sleight-of-hand and talent in balloon sculpture.

The snack bar will serve food and beverage from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

A large portion of the cost of the fair has been offset by grants and donations from corporate sponsors: Hoffmann-LaRoche, Inc., Novartis Pharmaceuticals, Nutley Pediatric Associates, Schering Pharmaceuticals, and the Trust Company of New Jersey.

Benefit for Columbus Hospital Nov. 15 at Birchwood Manor

The Carousel Ball, benefiting Columbus Hospital in Newark, has been set for Saturday, Nov. 15, at Birchwood Manor, 111 North Jefferson Road, Whippany.

The black-tie gala will begin with a 7 p.m. cocktail reception, followed by dinner at 8 p.m.

Proceeds from the event, sponsored by the Columbus Hospital Foundation, will support children's

services at the hospital as well as the hospital's new mobile medical unit.

Steve Adubato Jr. of New Jersey Network will serve as honorary chairman.

Reservations are \$225 per person or \$2,250 for a table for 10.

For more information or reservations, call the Columbus Hospital Foundation at 743-8800.

West Hudson Hospital fetes emergency medical services

West Hudson Hospital in Kearny recently hosted a dinner ceremony and reception to recognize the accomplishments of emergency medical service (EMS) professionals who play major roles in providing emergency services to those in need throughout the last year.

Linda Moore, administrative director of West Hudson Hospital's Emergency Department, presented squads with crystal awards commemorating their accomplishments throughout the year.

"Each of the persons honored," said Moore, "has demonstrated an exemplary sense of commitment to better serve those who need our help. They play an important role in providing West Hudson Hospital patients with the kind of care, we, ourselves, want when we are sick."

Dr. Arthur Calise, medical director of the Department of Emergency Medicine, West Hudson Hospital, addressed nearly 150 EMS workers and thanked

them for their efforts to help others in need.

The Kearny Police Department was recognized for demonstrating compassion for the ill and infirm in our community and for their ongoing efforts in crisis situations and on a regular basis for extending themselves to the people of Kearny.

A season of new changes

With fall now upon us, there are many new changes going on at the office. We are now up on-line to better serve the community, with updated information and easy access to good health. To find our web page, simply go to www.viconet.com/~michaelluongo.

As far as health goes, we need to remember that, with the constant change in temperature from hot to cold, the occurrences of colds and flues becomes greater. Constant use of over-the-counter nasal sprays and some cold and flu remedies can be damaging to health in the long run. My goal is to avoid over-the-counter medications as often as possible and utilize the many herbal remedies available.

Looking at your health as a whole is one of the reasons why I offer such a variety of healing modalities. Wellness of oneself comes from a combination of mind/body therapies. Working with herbs can sometimes seem like a miracle, but behind most physical problems always lie an emotional attachment. This is why I have had so much success in combining, when necessary, counseling with herbal therapies.

Coming up next time in Health Beat, I will discuss how proper exercise can play such an important role in our well being and general health.

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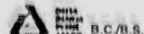
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Parents Without Partners, Liberty Chapter 1044, American Legion, 45 Franklin Ave., Nutley. Crazy Hat dance, Oct. 24. D.J. Bobby G. \$7 members, \$9 non-members. Refreshments. Orientation for prospective members at 7:30 p.m. For info, call 991-0925 or 438-1443; Halloween costume dance, Oct. 31. D.J. Bert.

Meetings...

Nutley Historical Society, fall quarterly meeting, 7 p.m. Oct. 16, 65 Church St. Music and hors d'oeuvres. Everyone welcome.

Court Gratia #751, CDA, Oct. 19: communion breakfast, following 9 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's, Forest Hill Field Club, Bloomfield. \$20. Speaker: Msgr. Gerard Walsh. For tickets, call 235-1196.

Tri-County Camera Club, 8 p.m. Nutley Historical Museum, 65 Church St. Oct. 21: program, The Galapagos.

Nutley AARP Chapter #2052, Upcoming trips: Octoberfest, Pomona, NY, 9 a.m. Oct. 21; Christmas in the Poconos, Mt. Haven Resort, Milford, Pa., Dec. 5. \$47; Christmas luncheon, the Fairmont, Little Falls, Dec. 17. \$20.

Belleville-Nutley Hadassah, paid-up membership meeting, 12:30 p.m. Oct. 19, Temple Ahavah Achim, Belleville. Program: Jack Bender, classical pianist and senior at Bloomfield High School. Guests and husbands invited. Refreshments. For info, call Kate Dunsky at 759-7395.

Bloomfield Columbiettes, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 22, K of C Council, 190 State St. Exemplification of a first degree for all new members. 40th anniversary celebration 1 to 5 p.m. Nov. 16, Branch Brook Manor, Belleville. \$25. Call Rose Ruffalo at 743-8688 or Marie Melograno at 338-6321.

Van Riper Trust, 6:30 p.m. Oct. 23, Nutley Museum, 65 Church St. Food, beverages, entertainment. Everyone welcome.

Nutley Republican Club, 8 p.m. Oct. 23, Red Cross, 169 Chestnut St. Speaker: Elizabeth Randall, NJ Commissioner of Banking and Insurance, will discuss auto insurance. Refreshments. Meeting open to everyone.

Belleville AARP Chapter #2051, 1 p.m. Nov. 5, Senior Center, 125 Franklin Ave., Belleville. Sing-A-Long lead by Frank Senatore. Nov. 11-12: American Music Theatre. \$185 double, \$224 single.

Guardian Angels, 5 p.m. Mondays, 177 Franklin Ave., Nutley.

VFW Post 711, 8 p.m. 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 369 Broughton Ave., Bloomfield. For membership info, call 338-8404.

Nutley Unit 70 American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m. second Mondays.

Nutley Jr. Women's Club, 8 p.m. first Mondays, Vreeland House, 216 Chestnut St. (next to police station). Refreshments. Seeking new members, ages 18-40, interested in community service. Call 667-7832 for info.

Ladies Auxiliary, Miles A. Suarez Post 711, VFW, 8 p.m. second Thursdays, post home, 369 Broughton Ave., Bloomfield.

Woman's Club of Belleville, 7:30 p.m. second Mondays, clubhouse, 51 Rossmore Place; Nov. 10: reception to commemorate club's 75th anniversary begins at 7:30 p.m. All former members invited to join the celebration.

St. Peter's Rosary Society, 7:30 p.m. first Monday after first Sunday, St. Peter's School cafeteria. All women of the parish invited.

Essex County Federation of Sportsmen's Club, 8:30 p.m. first Tuesdays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St.

Belleville Kiwanis Club, 6:30 p.m. Thursdays, Branch Brook Manor, Washington Ave., Belleville. Call Nino Bucciarelli at 751-2110 or Vince Sorrentino at 759-6475 for info.

Bloomfield High School Alumni Association, 7:30 p.m. third Wednesdays, Bloomfield Civic Center, 84 Broad St.

Bloomfield Kiwanis Club, 12:15 p.m. Thursdays, Forest Hill Field Club, 9 Belleville Ave., Bloomfield. For information, call Paul Gauer at 743-7050.

Montclair Camera Guild, 8 p.m. second and fourth Thursdays, United Methodist Church, 24 North Fullerton Ave., Montclair. For info, call Joan at 743-7020 or Karen at 783-3619.

Monday Night Writers, 8 to 9:30 p.m. second Mondays, Starbucks, 572 Valley Road, Upper Montclair. All writers of poetry, fiction, articles welcome. Share your work with other local artists.

Belleville Rotary Club, noon, Wednesdays, Clara Maass Medical Center Founders Room. Call Frank Cozzarelli at 751-4104 for information.

Court Sancta Maria, Catholic Daughters of America, 7:30 p.m. second Tuesdays, Knights of Columbus, Bridge St., Belleville.

Nutley Amvets Auxiliary, Post 30, 6:30 p.m. first Tuesdays, 184 Park Ave.

Belleville Optimist Club, 6:30 p.m. Thursdays, Three Guys from Italy Restaurant. For info, call Emil Nardachone at 450-8883 or Gabe Nazzola at 997-2121.

Lions Club auxiliary, 7 p.m. first Thursdays, dinner meeting at Backstreet Gourmet, Nutley. New members welcome. Call Louise at 661-2906.

Tri Town Business & Professional Women's Club, Inc. of Belleville, Bloomfield and Nutley, monthly dinner meetings fourth Thursdays, Riverside Chalet, Lyndhurst. New members welcome. For info, call Anna Ricciardelli at 939-2960.

Nutley Veterans' Council, 7:30 p.m. third Wednesdays, VFW Post #493, Washington Ave.

Clara Maass Auxiliary, 7 p.m. fourth Tuesdays, Belleville Founders Room, Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. New members invited. For info, call 450-2150.

Fairs, flea markets, rummage...

Thrift Shop at Bloomfield Presbyterian Church on the Green, open 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesdays, Fridays; 10 a.m. to noon Saturdays. For info, call 743-2809.

Flea market, craft fair, Oct. 18, 19, St. Clare's School, 69 Allwood Road, Clifton. Lots of vendors, food and fun for all. Pumpkin picking. "Cape Crusader and the Cat" there all weekend.

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Craft and antique show, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 18, Yanticaw Park, Park Drive, Nutley (off Passaic and Chestnut). Handcrafted items, antiques, collectibles, kiddie rides. Sponsored by Dystonia Foundation. Free admission.

Flea market and collectibles, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 19, Yanticaw Park, Park Drive (off Passaic and Chestnut), Nutley. Over 100 dealers. Sponsored by Dystonia Foundation.

Craft vendors wanted for harvest craft fair, 9 to 4 p.m. Oct. 25, 432 Montgomery St., Bloomfield. Sponsored by Christian Faith Center. Tables \$15 for one, \$25 for two. For application, call 680-1522.

Christmas Craftique, Oct. 25 to Nov. 16, Kingsland Manor, 3 Kingsland St., Nutley. 200 artisans. Weekdays: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; weekends: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. \$4 at the door (\$3 goes to Kingsland Trust).

New View Thrift Shop at Christ Episcopal Church, 74 Park Ave., Bloomfield, 2nd floor, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesdays; 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturdays. Consignments accepted 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesdays. For info, call 743-0399.

Crafters wanted for Holiday Arts and Crafts Show at Oakeside Bloomfield Cultural Center, Nov. 29-30. Call 429-0960 for an application and details.

Fundraisers...

Tricky tray, Nov. 6, to benefit Nutley Project Graduation. Baskets by Oct. 17 to Barbara Gumeny, 67 Hillside Ave., Nutley, 661-2339. For tickets at \$12, call Renee Parton at 284-1708. Crystal's in Lyndhurst, **Best Little Hairhouse**, 213 Darling Ave., Nutley, 661-3266. Visit by March 15, mention Project Graduation and 20% will be donated. New customers only. For more info on any event, call Loretta DiCristo at 667-3305.

St. Mary's Hospital Guild lobby sales, 211 Pennington Ave., Passaic. Oct. 17: accent rugs; Oct. 23: ring rage; Oct. 24: men's and ladies socks; Oct. 27: miscellaneous gift items; Oct. 28: porcelain dolls.

Second annual Pumpkin Patch, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Oct. 21, Watsessing School auditorium, 71 Prospect St., Bloomfield. Pumpkins for sale, apple bobbing, refreshments, hay bales, corn stalks. Kids must be accompanied by parent or guardian.

Art show and auction, Oct. 18, Nutley Parks and Rec, 44 Park Ave. Preview at 7 p.m., auction at 8 p.m. Wine, cheese, cake, coffee, door prizes. \$7.50. Sponsored by St. Paul's Congregational Church. Tickets at the door.

Bus ride to Atlantic City, Oct. 19. Bus leaves municipal parking lot #1, Nutley, 9 a.m. \$20 with \$15 coin. Sponsored by Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Knights of Columbus Council 6195. For info and tickets, call Mike Monterosa at 667-3866 or Betty Gingerelli at 667-1462.

Bus ride to Resorts, Oct. 20. Leave St. Peter's parking lot, William St., Belleville at 9 a.m. \$16 with \$15 coin return. For tickets, call Rosariais at 751-4729 or 751-8658.

5th annual tricky tray, 7 p.m. Oct. 22, St. Peter's School gym, 152 William St., Belleville. \$6. For tickets, call Donna at 759-8531. No one under 18 admitted. No tickets at the door.

Holiday Spirit III tricky tray, 7 p.m. Oct. 23, Branch Brook Manor. Sponsored by Belleville High School H.S.A. For ticket info, call Laura Henle at 751-7558. For trays or donations, call Clarise Andreola at 751-1912 or Judy Fiscaro at 751-5885.



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Annual scholarship card party, 7 p.m. Oct. 24, Nutley Elks Lodge, 242 Chestnut St. Snacks, dessert and coffee. \$6. For reservations, call Linda Monterosa at 235-0138.

Oldies night, 8 p.m. Oct. 25, Stuart E. Edgar VFW Post 493, 271 Washington Ave., Nutley. \$25. Refreshments. For tickets, call Jeanne Buesing at 235-9376 or the post at 235-9661. Ticket deadline: Oct. 10.

Tricky tray, 7 p.m. Oct. 25, student center ballrooms, Montclair State University. \$5. To benefit Child Care Center at MSU. For info, call Janey DeLuca at 655-7586.

Card party, 1 p.m. Oct. 27, Woman's Club of Nutley 216 Chestnut St. Refreshments. \$4. Friends welcome. Table prizes.

1st annual Chef's Night, to benefit Nutley Jr. Raiders Football League, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Oct. 27, Crystal's, 525 Riverside Ave., Lyndhurst. Buffet prepared by over 10 local restaurants. Featured players from NY Giants and NJ Nets cheerleaders. Door prizes. Adults \$15; students \$8. For info or tickets, call Michele Greco at 667-3107.

Shopping trip to Reading outlets, Reading, Pa., 8:30 a.m. Oct. 30. \$15. Seats limited. For info, call Aurora at 661-2548. Sponsored by Gold Age of Nutley.

Harvest tricky tray, sponsored by Glen Ridge Home & School, 6:30 p.m. Nov. 7, Essex Manor, Bloomfield. \$25 includes full dinner. Call Sharon at 680-9690 or Traci at 743-7111.

Bus ride to Caesar's, Atlantic City, sponsored by Concerned Citizens of Belleville, Nov. 2. \$20 with \$15 return. Buses leave high school parking lot at 9 a.m. Profits to scholarship fund. For reservations, call Judy or Tony at 759-5448.

Fish and chips dinner, catered by The Thistle of Kearny, 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. Nov. 7, Bloomfield Presbyterian Church on the Green parish house, 147 Broad St. Homemade desserts. \$9 adults, \$4 kids under 12. For tickets, call 748-4721. Sponsored by 50/50 Club.

All you can eat buffet style dinner dance, 7 to 11 p.m. Nov. 14, Bella Casa Caterers, 2 Acme St., Belleville. DJ, door prizes. \$35. Must be 21 or over. Sponsored by Belleville Reformed Church. For info and tickets, call 751-2262 or 759-4039.

Columbus Hospital Carousel Ball, 7 p.m. Nov. 15, Birchwood Manor, Whippany. \$225 or \$2250 for table of 10. For info or reservations, call 743-8800.

Christmas candlelight tour to Marietta, Pa., sponsored by Nutley Lions Auxiliary, 8:30 a.m. Dec. 7. Return 8 p.m. \$45 includes bus, boxed lunch, antique show and sale, Civil War church service and much more. For info or reservations, call Carol Coleman-Geney at 235-1234.

Entertainment '98 books, \$30. Available from Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Knights of Columbus, Council 6195. Mike Monterosa, 667-3866; The Nicole Fund, 338-6963; Bloomfield Columbiettes, Ann Dellare, 743-3906; Nutley Elks #1290, Charlie DeLorenzi, 667-9035 or 235-9636; Belleville Woman's Club, Marie Matthews, 751-1848.

Other events...

Free health screenings, Montclair Community Hospital, 120 Harrison Ave. Appointments mandatory. Call 744-7300, ext. 4296, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday. Volunteers needed for Outreach program. Call Marie Oropollo at 746-4644 after 2:30 p.m.

Court Gratia CDA communion breakfast, Oct. 19 following 9 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's Church, Forest Hill Field Club, Bloomfield. \$20. **Speaker:** Msgr. Gerard Walsh. For tickets, call 235-1196.

CROP Walk, 2 p.m. Oct. 19. Begins and ends at First Congregational Church, 40 South Fullerton Ave., Montclair. 6 or 3 miles. Each participant asked to bring canned food item for local food pantries. For more info, call Catherine Oswald at First Lutheran Church, 153 Park St., Montclair, 744-6043.

Phantom of the Opera (1925 silent movie) screening, 8 p.m. Oct. 24, Glen Ridge Congregational Church, 195 Ridgewood Ave. Pipe organ accompaniment by Dr. David Messineo. \$7 adults, \$4 children. All ages welcome, child care available. For info, call 743-5596.

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Class reunions...

Belleville Class of 1947, seeking alumni for 50th reunion. Call Audrey Todd Skribner at (908) 381-1846, or Alison Pitman Bogert, 759-4920.

Bloomfield Class of 1947, seeking alumni for 50th reunion. Call Dolores Amore Conte, 743-4799.

Belleville Class of 1952, Oct. 19, Crystal Point Yacht Club, Pt. Pleasant. For reservations or more info, call Mildred at (908) 506-0019 or Lynn at 239-8399.

St. Mary's Grammar School, Nutley, Class of 1967, seeking alumni for 30th year reunion. Call Tom Wall at (908) 782-5336, Frank Salas at 667-1600 or write to Anne Wall/Reunion, 4 Blum Lane, Nutley, 07110, 667-6047; Class of 1972, 7 to 11:30 p.m. Nov. 28, St. Mary's gym. \$30. Call Ellen Higgins England at 235-3029 or Carol Kennedy Thirondola at (908) 341-9145.

Nutley Class of 1957, 40-year reunion, Oct. 31, Crystal's, Lyndhurst. Note new date and place. \$65. For reservations, call Judy LaDucer Fellers at 667-4013 or Robert Schweikert at 667-3958.

Nutley Class of 1977, 20-year reunion, Nov. 29, Crystal's, 525 Riverside Ave., Lyndhurst. Addresses of classmates needed as well as members for reunion committee. Call Joe Scarpelli at 235-0703.

Nutley High School Class of 1972, 25th reunion, Nov. 28, Crystal's, Lyndhurst. \$60. Payment due immediately. For info, call Joanne Merich at 667-8246 or Mike Iannazzelli at 667-4117.

Nutley High School Class of 1967, 30-year reunion Nov. 29, Crystals at King's Court, Lyndhurst. To report address change or whereabouts of classmates, call Barbara Panza Hudnett at 661-2460 or Donna Luongo Lewis at 759-6247.



Robert Popowich - Donna Carpinelli

Donna Carpinelli to wed Robert Popowich next fall

Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Carpinelli of Clifton announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Marie, to Robert Michael Popowich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Popowich of Belleville.

The wedding is planned for November 1998.

Miss Carpinelli, an alumna of

Montclair State University with graduate and undergraduate degrees, is a chemistry teacher at Clifton High School.

Mr. Popowich, a graduate of Seton Hall University, is an investigative analyst with the Department of Justice.

Christmas candlelight tour to Marietta, Pa., Dec. 7

The Nutley Lions Auxiliary is sponsoring a one-day bus trip to Marietta, Pa.

Departure is 8:30 a.m. Dec. 7 with return at approximately 8 p.m.

Marietta, located along the banks of the Susquehanna River in Lancaster, is noted for its private 18th and 19th century homes which are decorated for the holidays a la the Civil War era.

Several private homesites will be open for a walk-through. The day will also include an antique show and sale, a Civil War-era

church service, a Revolutionary War encampment, a Victorian tea with harp music, a holiday gift shop and a Victorian dance ensemble which will perform dressed in civilian and military attire of the 1860s.

A ticket price of \$45 will cover roundtrip bus transportation (video - and lavatory-equipped), entrance to all of the above features and a boxed "lunch" on the return trip.

For more information and reservations, call Carol Coleman-Geney at 235-1234.

Belleville High School Class of 1957, 40-year reunion, Nov. 29, Chandelier, Belleville. For info or to report address change or whereabouts of classmates, call Marie Marinaro Kimble at 759-3912.

Bloomfield High School Class of 1956, reunion weekend Oct. 31-Nov. 2. School brunch and tour, Foley Field football game, dinner dance at Saddle Brook Marriott, compilation of memorabilia book updating lives of classmates. For more info, call 743-1714.

Belleville High School Class of 1948, seeking alumni interested in organizing a 50th reunion. Call Anthony Iannarone at 235-1065, FAX 235-1205.

Central (Newark) Class of June 1948, Jean Zazzarino Tubello, 386-1495 or Marie Vara Carollo, 743-2798; **Weequahic, Newark, Class of 1972**, November. Names, addresses to (908) 815-1413 or FAX (908) 499-0848; **Queen of Peace Girls' High School, Class of 1967**, 30th year reunion luncheon, Nov. 29, Marlboro Inn, Montclair. Mary Ellen Burns Paye, 667-9068; **Weequahic High School, Class of 1965**, gala 50th birthday party, Nov. 28, Livingston Country Club. Dennis Estis, (908)

549-5600 or Fran Kram Slifer, 992-1694; **Elizabeth High School, Class of 1987**, Nov. 28, Holiday Inn JetPort, Elizabeth. (908) 873-6916; **Malcolm X. Shabazz, Class of 1977**, Nov. 23, Gallopini Hill Inn, Union. \$60. Info to MXXS Class Reunion, 80 Johnson Ave., Newark, 07108, c/o M. Williams.

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Leann Marie Manochio

A first child, a daughter Leann Marie, was born to Kimberly Dias and John Manochio of Belleville Aug. 15 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Grandparents are Donna Dias of Belleville and Carol and John Manochio of Newark. Mr. Manochio is an auto mechanic.

Michael Anthony Canning

A second child, a son, Michael Anthony, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Canning of Nutley Aug. 7 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 7 pounds, 12 ounces. He joins Alexa Ann.

Mrs. Canning is the former Toni Ann Benacavista, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Benacavista of Nutley. She is a self-employed day care provider. Mr. Canning, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Canning of Belleville, is a service technician with Ikon Office Supplies.

Shayne Austin Shekon

A first child, a son, Shayne Austin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Shekon of Belleville Aug. 23 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

Mrs. Shekon is the former Sandi Zolcinski, daughter of Sharon Hock of Bloomfield and the late John Zolcinski and stepdaughter of Robert Hock. She is a pre-k teacher at Kid's Place child care center. Mr. Shekon, son of Regina Shekon of Kearny and Robert Shekon of Guttenburg, is a medical biller with All Med Financial Corp.

Niko Manuel Nasisi

A third child, a son, Niko Manuel, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nasisi of Bloomfield Aug. 21 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 9 pounds, 3 ounces. He joins Santino, 9 and Jacqueline, 7.

Mrs. Nasisi is the former Denise Gonsalves, daughter of Manny and Pat Gonsalves of Belleville. She is with J&P Cleaners, Belleville. Mr. Nasisi, son of Jack and Paula Nasisi of Fairfield, is manager of J&P Cleaners.

Caryn Marie Diller

A first child, a daughter, Caryn Marie, was born to Marie Diller of Belleville Sept. 29 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

Ms. Diller is a teacher's aid with Susan Barrow.

Faith Irene Giokas

A second child, a daughter, Faith Irene, was born to Anthula J. Giokas and David S. Andrews of Belleville Sept. 28 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 8 pounds, 14 ounces. She joins Jade Alexandria, 4 1/2.

Ms. Giokas, daughter of John E. Giokas of Belleville, is a waitress at Essex County Country Club. Mr. Andrews is the son of Mary and Stephan Andrews of Belleville.

Gerard Vito D'Alessio

A first child, a son, Gerard Vito, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vito D'Alessio of Nutley Sept. 13 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 7 pounds, 1 ounce.

Mrs. D'Alessio is the former Tara Murphy, daughter of Daniel and JoAnn Murphy of Belleville. She is a teacher in South Orange/Maplewood. Mr. D'Alessio, son of Linda and Jerry D'Alessio of Belleville, is a detective in the Essex County Sheriff's Department.

Matthew Joseph Mullany

A first child, a son, Matthew Joseph, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullany of Belleville Sept. 23 at Columbus Hospital, Newark. Birth weight was 5 pounds, 11 ounces.

Mrs. Mullany is the former Tonia Bocchino, daughter of Anthony and Barbara Bocchino of Belleville. Mr. Mullany, son of Lorraine Mullany of Belleville, is assistant zone supervisor for The Star Ledger.

Olivia Rose Martinez

A first child, a daughter, Olivia Rose, was born to Rachel Avello of Belleville and Carlos Martinez of Jersey City Aug. 14 at Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville. Birth weight was 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Grandparents are Philip and Judi Avello of Belleville and Maggie and Tito Zayas of Lakewood. Ms. Avello is an investigator for the Passaic County Probation Department. Mr. Martinez is a truck driver for Snapple.

CROP Walk to help the hungry

The 21st annual Essex County CROP walk against hunger will be held Sunday, Oct. 19, at 2 p.m., beginning and ending at First Congregational Church, 40 South Fullerton Ave., Montclair.

The walk will be six miles, including a three-mile loop for those interested in a shorter walk. Walkers are asked to contribute

a canned food item which will be distributed to area food pantries.

Walkers will also raise money, most of which will be sent overseas to fund hunger relief efforts.

Those interested in participating should call Catherine Oswald at First Lutheran Church, 153 Park St., Montclair, phone number 744-6043.

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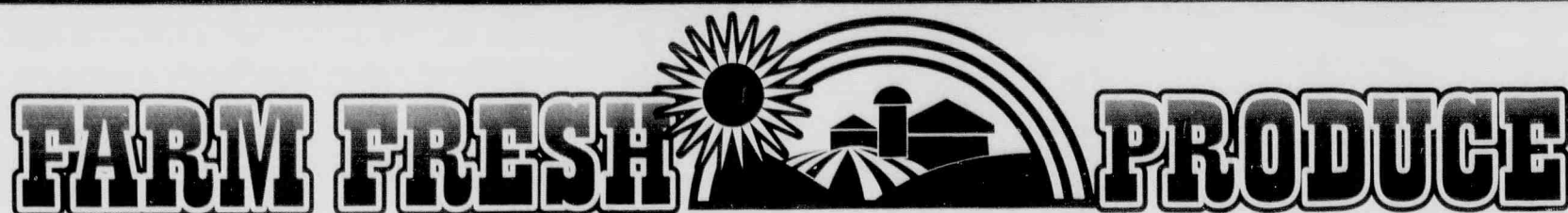
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Belleville SPORTS

BUK SHOTS

By Mike Lamberti



Cifelli continuing long line of Lady Buc runners

She's becoming one of the better runners in our area. She's only a junior. And her head coach sees continued excellence for her, not only in cross country, but track.

Melissa Cifelli is beginning to come into her own as a cross country runner at Belleville High School. Over the past two weeks, she won races against Verona, Paramus Catholic and Hackensack.

She took second place versus West Essex and Paramus and metaled in the Passaic Coaches Invitational. In addition to that, she took 11th overall in the prestigious Taylor Invitational, held last Friday in Darlington Park, Mahwah.

If that's not enough for a weeks work, consider that she set the school record for fastest time by a Lady Buc runner on the home course, beating Patty Bliss' 14 year old mark by 14 seconds.

Her record stood just one race, however. She broke her own mark in the next home meet, held last week against Hackensack.

To be placed in the same category as a runner of Bliss' talent is saying something very special about Cifelli. And Cifelli is quickly joining a very elite group of runners in Lady Buc history.

To give you a little background on girls track at B.H.S., the program commenced in the spring of 1977 under the direction of coach Debbie Meola.

That first team was led by a junior named Sue Smith, and Smith's talent gave the program instant credibility. Smith was a pioneer in running for women in this area. She used to be a part of the cross country program at Belleville, working out with the boys in 1975 when there was no girl program to speak of.

I know that for a fact because I was a senior on that 1975 Bellboy cross country team and remember Smith being a very ambitious and talented runner.

Smith continued to workout with the boys cross country team in 1976 and '77, finally getting a chance to run varsity races her last two years of high school. I remember girls races when the opposing team would have seven or eight runners and Belleville would have Smith, running by herself and doing quite well.

For the most part, Smith ran in the varsity cross country races with the boys and had impressive times. She was a talented half miler in track, and advanced in the sectional championships two years in a row.

When Smith was graduated from Belleville in 1978, the torch, if you will, was passed on to Dana Caruso, who was a freshman with Smith was a senior.

By this time, the girls program was gaining interest and Caruso knew that in order to get better, she needed to train diligently during the off season, as well as during the regular season.

Caruso's workouts became the stuff of legends. I have the bad ankles to prove it, because she would drag me out on the weekends and do a 10 or 15 mile run, just to keep in shape, you understand.

One of Caruso's goals was to break Smith's half mile mark, mainly because Smith was someone Caruso looked up to and admired.

In May of '81, Caruso broke the mark at Kearny's all weather track.

No offense to Smith, but Caruso was the best runner I've ever seen at Belleville. She was determined not to lose, and hard work was something she relished.

Caruso went on to a good college career, including the opportunity to run in meets at Madison Square Garden.

One of Caruso's best friends, Barbara Gundry, was graduated from Belleville in 1982 and she, too, took hard work to the next level. Gundry did most of those monster workouts with Caruso and me and her times continued to get better throughout her high school career.

Gundry, also a standout basketball player, tore ligaments in her ankle in her senior year during basketball season. She wouldn't let the injury deter her from track. I remember she cried once when someone told her maybe it was better she not run track and let the ankle heal more.

Gundry's feeling was that she only had one high school career, and she didn't want to end it on the sideline.

It was Gundry's determination that I'll remember most. Today, she is a very successful cross country and track coach at Rutherford High School.

Bliss was graduated in 1985 and was once again, a hard worker who learned watching Gundry compete. The fact that her record lasted 14 years is a tribute to her diligence.

Let's not forget Joyce Luongo, a 1987 grad, who was one of the most versatile runners in Lady Buc history. She came on strong as a freshman and enjoyed a very good career.

So, it's good to see Cifelli challenging, and breaking, records. She is following in a long line of tradition.

#1 St. Joe's visits tomorrow night

Bucs pancaked at P.C., 36-0

By Mike Lamberti

In a season filled with small strides, the Belleville Bucs performance on the gridiron at Paramus Catholic last Saturday could be called a pulled muscle.

Make that a torn A.C.L.

The Bucs (0-4) were dominated, both mentally and physically by the Paladins, 36-0 in a game that wasn't as close as the final score would indicate.

And it gets no easier this week, when St. Joe's, the number one team in the state, invades Belleville tomorrow night in a 7 p.m. Homecoming game. More on the Green Knights later in this article.

Head coach Pat Dowling, who saw his team show improvement over the first three weeks, wasn't at all happy with the way his club performed last Saturday.

"Paramus Catholic didn't do anything we hadn't expected," Dowling said. "We told our kids, don't get into personal battles with them. You know they're going to try and rattle you. Don't get caught up in that."

"Instead, we get hit with penalties that give them second, third shots at the end zone. Our concentration level is not where I want it."

In addition to falling prey to the Paladin taunting, the Bucs were totally dominated on the field, especially on special teams, where the Paladins returned two punts for touchdowns.

Harry Sutton and Brian Bennett did the damage for P.C., Sutton scoring on two long runs from scrimmage and Bennett returning two punts for scores, one from 85 yards out, the other from 65.

P.C. scored, seemingly, at will in the first half, piling up a 30-0 lead at intermission. It could have been even more, but two other Paladin touchdowns were called back because of penalties.

To Belleville's credit, the Bucs

actually appeared to have the early lead, when quarterback Greg Sheridan hit John Farina with a 70 yard scoring strike.

However, Farina was called for offensive pass interference on the play, and the score was negated.

"It was a tough call," Dowling said. "Who knows what happens if we score first in the game. With our psyche, it could have meant a lot. When that score was called back, it took away a lot of momentum."

The officiating in the game was close to the vest, as the officials wanted to keep the game under control. The Bucs were flagged for three offensive pass interference calls in the game, a high amount for any high school team.

But in fairness to the officials, there were just as many calls on P.C., who were generally guilty of holding and clipping.

P.C. led 6-0 after one, then ran wild in the second quarter, scoring 24 unanswered points for the 30-0 balloon at half.

The second half was a little more competitive, with just one touchdown on the board, that coming on a long run by the Paladins' Greg Russo in the third quarter.

Belleville never really threatened in the second half, but did play a more spirited defense.

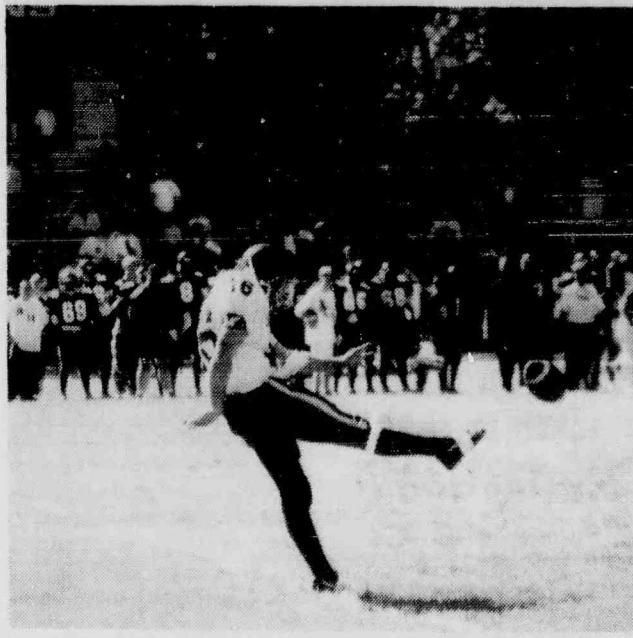
"We had a heart-to-heart with the kids after the game," Dowling said. "We didn't even bother to show the films from Paramus Catholic, we just decided to begin preparing for St. Joe's."

And preparation will have to be in high order for this game.

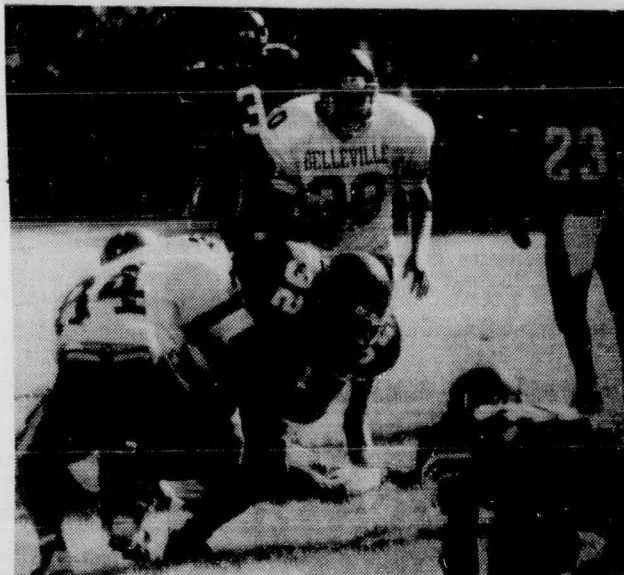
The Green Knights come to town with a 4-0 record, the number one ranking in the state and a dominant running game, spearheaded by an offensive line that averages about 265 pounds a man.

"We're going to prepare our kids for a physical game," Dowling said. "Hopefully, we can put them in the

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Greg Sheridan launches punt during game last Saturday at Paramus Catholic. Bucs lost 36-0 and will face difficult test tomorrow night when St. Joe's comes to town.



Chris Michele (84) attempts to strip ball from P.C. ball carrier while Anthony Marcantuono comes in to help. Bucs host St. Joe's tomorrow night in Homecoming game.

Kiwanis Club, Key Club to sponsor Homecoming

By Mike Lamberti

A proud tradition will continue on Friday when the annual Homecoming ceremonies will be held, prior to and at halftime of the Belleville-St. Joe's football game at Doc Ellis Field.

Once again sponsored by Belleville Kiwanis Club and the Key Club of Belleville, the Homecoming ceremonies are highlighted by the naming of a King and Queen for 1997.

Three senior boys and three senior girls are candidates for the award.

The candidates for queen are Kathy Carrión, Roxanne DeBiase and Elizabeth Noonan.

The king candidates include Greg Sheridan, the Bucs starting

quarterback, Pete Santora and Jack Bermeo.

The ceremonies begin with a 6 p.m. parade, that kicks off from the Firehouse on Washington Avenue and proceeds up Division Avenue to the High School.

All the candidates will participate in the parade. Then, at halftime of the game, the announcement will be made of the King and Queen.

All students at B.H.S. take part in the voting. Only cheerleading advisor Carol Russo and a representative of the Key Club know who the winners are prior to the announcement.

It should be a nice evening of home town festivities at Doc Ellis Field. Don't forget, the parade starts promptly at 6 p.m. this Friday.



THE LONELINESS OF THE LONG DISTANCE RUNNER: Seems like Melissa Cifelli is all alone during race with Hackensack last week. Cifelli won the race in dominant fashion. The junior has enjoyed a solid year for Lady Bucs.

Cifelli, Moreno running well for Buc cross country team

By Mike Lamberti

The Belleville cross country team has been very competitive so far this season, but John Tosato's team has just missed on a few NNJIL Pacific Division meets, along with two independent matchups.

The Bucs will closeout the regular season today, against Bloomfield, at Nutley Park in a 4 p.m. start.

"The kids have worked hard," Tosato said. "We're getting some good performances from the younger kids. The freshman class has been very impressive. We've lost, but the future looks pretty good."

The team has been led by the consistent running of Jose Moreno and Melissa Cifelli. Both runners are juniors and give Tosato hope for a very good future in both cross country and track.

September 25, versus West Essex and Verona: The boys lost two very close races, falling to West Essex 27-28 and Verona 27-32. The girls also lost two close ones, falling to West Essex 21-34 and Verona 24-37.

For the boys, Moreno won the overall race, in a time of 18:25. Junior Sean Rodriguez, a newcomer to the team, has made an immediate impact. He ran 19:48 and took third overall. Mike Testa placed eighth in 20:55.

For the girls, Cifelli won against Verona and took second overall in a time of 22:19. Arielle Lane took sixth overall in 24:38.

September 27, Passaic Coaches Invitational: Julie Bolante ran 17:50 for two miles in the freshman race. Moreno (18:49), Testa (21:37) and Jorge Miranda (23:21) led the varsity boys.

Cifelli won a medal for her performance.

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Soccer team eliminated from county tourney

By Mike Lamberti

Inconsistency continues to mar the Buc soccer team in 1997.

Gino DePinto's team, off a week that included a win over Hackensack, endured its second 0-2-1 in three weeks, with losses to Montclair Kimberly and Teaneck and a tie against Paramus.

The Bucs were 4-4-2 heading into last Tuesday's game at Paramus Catholic. Today, Nutley comes to town for a 4 p.m. kickoff. Next Tuesday, it's off to Don Bosco, beginning at 4 p.m.

"It's been that kind of season," DePinto said. "We get on a roll, win a few, then we lose a game in the

final seconds and can't get anything going on offense."

For the third time this season, the Bucs were involved in a last second decision, and in all three instances, the result went against the Bucs.

Belleville was tied by Paramus 1-1 when the Spartans tied the game in the last :30 of regulation time.

"I couldn't believe it," DePinto said. "We have a 1-0 lead and they tie it. That's three times now that that's happened to us. Don Bosco, Emerson and this."

Dave Auerbach scored Belleville's only goal.

In the loss to Teaneck, the Bucs

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Runners host Bloomfield this afternoon

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formance in the girls varsity race, taking 27th overall in 22:32. Lane finished in 24:30.

September 30, versus Paramus and Paramus Catholic: The boys lost to Paramus and P.C. by scores of 19-42 and 18-43 respectively. The girls lost to Paramus 19-42 and P.C. by a close 26-31 decision.

For the boys, Moreno was fifth overall in 17:30 and Rodriguez took 11th in 18:30. Testa finished 18th (20:10), Ashutosh Shukla took 23rd (21:25) and Miranda closed out the scoring with a 26th place finish and time of 22:59.

Cifelli had another outstanding race, taking second overall and winning the P.C. portion of the race in a time of 20:45.

That 20:45 was also good enough to set a new Belleville girls record for fastest time on the home course in Nutley. The previous mark was 20:59 by Patty Bliss back in 1983.

Lane finished seventh in 24:08,

Maria Insua took 16th (27:35), Bolante was 20th (30:32) and Anhar Hayek finished in 31:27.

October 7, versus Hackensack: Moreno was the overall winner of the race in a time of 17:10. Rodriguez took third in 18:09 and Testa was ninth in 19:12.

"Testa has been doing a good job," Tosato said of the senior. "For his first year out for the team, he's done real well."

The boys lost, 24-36 while the girls were defeated 22-39.

In the girls race, Cifelli was once again the winner, lowering her own school record for fastest time on the home course, this time at 20:32.

Insua took fifth at 25:42, Lisa

Farah, a freshman, ran a personal best time of 28:38 and Hayek continued to run well, finishing in 29:12.

Tosato noted the continued improvement of Farah, who has shown good athletic ability.

October 10, Taylor Invitational, at Darlington Park, Mahwah: Cifelli took 11th overall in the girls varsity race (21:42) and Insua ran 27:07.

For the boys, Moreno was 31st in a time of 17:52.

Good freshman times were turned in by Farah (14:24), Hayak (14:45), Bolante (14:54), Stephanie Morino (15:22) and Aziza Atwa (15:30).



Maria Insua is off and running away from pack during race with Hackensack last week. Insua had a good race and Lady Bucs have fared well in NNJIL competition this fall.

'C' team improves to 4-1-1 with 34-13 victory over Kearny

The Belleville Junior Buc 'C' team continued their march to the playoffs, beating Kearny for the second time 34-13 last Sunday in Belleville.

Leading the way for the Bucs was Joe Muraglia, who scored on runs of 10 and 50 yards.

Joe Droz ran 55 yards for a score and quarterback David Caruso threw scoring passes to Joe Pizzi (45 yards) and Joe Roberts (42 yards).

Caruso completed six of seven

passes for 153 yards. The offensive line of John Serron, Lou Ritacco, Jon Yochum, Pete Maccarone and Henri DeFrance gave Caruso plenty of time to find his receivers.

The defense played a fine game as well, with great efforts from Myles Machade, Mike Muresco, Kevin Bridges, Anthony Yaneski, Dom Malanga and Brian DeNapoli. Special mention must be made of the bone crushing tackles of Droz and Roberts.

With the win, the Bucs improved to 4-1-1 on the season.

Recreation Roundup

Fall Programs, 1997

The Belleville Department of Recreation and Cultural Affairs has announced the start of its fall activities schedule.

Girls twirling is being held on Wednesday this year at School #7. The schedule is as follows: Grades 1-4 at 6:30 p.m. and grades 5-8 at 7:30 p.m. Girls must provide their own bats for this activity.

Adult open volleyball will start on Wednesday, October 8, from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at School #3 for men and women. Photo I.D.'s are required of all participants, who must be Belleville residents. Call the Recreation office for photo I.D. information.

For more information on upcoming programs like basketball, volleyball leagues and wrestling, please call 450-3422, between 8:30-4, Monday through Friday. All programs are tentative, with schedules subject to change.

Basketball and wrestling applications for children will be available at the Recreation Dept. office, 407 Joralemon Street, by early October.

The girls' cheerleading clinics for grades 1-8 will begin in January, 1998 at School #8 on Tuesdays and School #3 on Thursdays. These instructional clinics are designed for beginners, as well as for those girls who want to try out for the 1998 Junior Buc cheerleading squads in May. Please check the newspaper in December for details.

Registration for Rec Wrestling

Applications for Recreation Wrestling are now available at the Belleville Recreation Department at 407 Joralemon Street, between 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1:00-4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday. The Belleville Recreation Wrestling Program introduces boys, ages 6-14, to the fundamentals of the sport. Basic techniques, moves and strategy are taught to beginners as well as to the more advanced wrestlers. In competition, the boys are matched up against opponents of the same weight class.

Recreation wrestling will be conducted on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:15-8:15 p.m. in the high school cafeteria, beginning November 3, 1997. Tentatively, ages 6-9 will be given basic instructions from 6:15-7:15, while the 10-14 year olds are prepared for league competition between 6:15-8:15.

Boys can register for the activity by completing an application at the Recreation office before participating. Birth certificates are required for all first-time applicants, who must be Belleville residents and cannot be above eighth grade. For further information, call 450-3422.

Basketball leagues forming for children in grades 3-8

The Belleville Recreation

Department is forming basketball leagues for children in grades 3-8 and applications are now available at the Recreation office.

In preparation for the leagues, basketball clinics will be conducted at the Middle School boys' gym. Clinics will be held Monday, November 10 and Tuesday, November 11 as follows: Grades 3-4, from 6-7 p.m., grades 5-6, from 7-8 and grades 7-8, from 8-9 p.m. Boys and girls shall attend these clinics together. "Performance Clinics" for player assignment will be held November 17 (girls) and November 18 (boys).

Interested players should pick up application form at the Recreation House, 407 Joralemon Street, and return them with birth certificates before participating. The registration deadline for the basketball leagues is Friday, November 14.

The recreation office on Joralemon Street will tentatively be open for registration on Wednesday nights, 6-8 p.m., beginning October 8.

Volleyball teams needed

The Belleville Recreation Department is taking names of people who would be interested in entering teams in the women's and men's volleyball leagues. The women's league plays on Tuesday night at School #3, while the men's leagues play on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Friendly House. Teams must be composed of three-quarters Belleville residents.

If interested in applying for any of these leagues, please call the Recreation office at 450-3422.

Office open for Registration/Photo I.D.'s

The Belleville Recreation Department office on Joralemon Street will be open on Wednesday nights, 6-8 p.m. for photo I.D.'s and for Recreation Basketball/Wrestling Registration, October 8-November 19.

Photo I.D.'s are required for all adults and children participating in the Open Basketball and Open Volleyball programs in the schools and at the Friendly House, as well as for the use of outdoor recreation fields/facilities.

A \$2.00 fee and proof of residency is required when applying for I.D. cards. Belleville residents only will be allowed to use the facilities with their Recreation I.D. cards.

Basketball team needed

The Belleville Recreation Department is presently seeking at least one team to play in its men's basketball league, beginning in November. The league plays on Thursday night at the Middle School, using primarily high school rules. There is a residency, mandating that three-quarters of the team be Belleville residents. For other information, or if interested, please call 450-3422.

Basketball coaches needed

The Belleville Recreation Department is presently seeking adults to volunteer as coaches in its Junior Basketball League for boys and girls. Games are played on weeknights and Saturdays. If interested, call the Recreation Office at 450-3422.

Football team looks to regroup against St. Joe's

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right spots and make them aware of what they'll be facing.

"They've got a great team, no question. Their offensive line sets up the running game. Their backs are quick and strong. We'll try and put more kids in the box and try and stop them at the point of attack."

Dowling's plan is simple, but won't be easy. Try and disrupt St. Joe's trapping and force them to throw the ball more.

"It's high school football," the coach said. "They're very talented, but it's still kids. Our guys have nothing to lose, no one expects them to beat this team."

"So we should go out and play loose and try and make things happen. Upsets do occur in this game."

NOTES: Dowling's words about upsets are certainly worth listening to. For instance, in 1994, the Bucs went to Hackensack in a game they were decided underdogs in and battled the Comets tooth and nail. Belleville held a fourth quarter lead in that game contest, but ended up

losing a 28-21 decision.

Bucs have not fared well against St. Joe's since the series started in 1983. Belleville's only win came in '83 and St. Joe's has won the past seven games, from 1990-96. The closest the Bucs came to winning during that seven game span was in 1992, when St. Joe's rallied for a 16-10 win at Doc Ellis Field.

Bucs and Green Knights did not play each other from 1984-89.

Don't forget, the Homecoming festivities and parade begin at 6 p.m. from the Firehouse on Washington Avenue. The parade will proceed to the high school.

The announcement of the king and queen will be held at halftime of this Friday's game. Students at the high school will vote for the king and queen during school this week.

Bucs will host Hackensack next Friday, then get a much needed bye week.

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Michael Paoello

A Mass for Michael J. Paoello, 53, of Belleville was offered Oct. 9 in St. Peter's Church, Belleville.

The funeral was from the Irvine-Cozzarelli Memorial Home, Belleville.

Mr. Paoello, who died Oct. 5 in the Hackensack University Medical Center, owned Horizon Equipment Wholesale Inc., Belleville, a forklift company.

Mr. Paoello was an officer of the St. Peter's School Parent-Teacher Association, where he was a troop leader for its Boy Scouts troop and a baseball coach for its Catholic Youth Organization.

He was also active with Knights

of Columbus Council 835, Belleville, where he coached the softball team.

He was a president of the Queen of Peace High School Parents Association, North Arlington, and coach for the Belleville Recreation Peanut and Farm League baseball teams.

Born in Newark, he lived in Belleville for 27 years.

Surviving are his wife, Gerardine; two sons, Michael 3d and Christopher; a daughter, Gerardine; a foster son, Donald Gugliotta; his mother, Elizabeth; a sister, Patricia Bonder; a brother, Donald, and four grandchildren.

Catherine Sorce

Services for Catherine H. Sorce, 75, of Newark were held Saturday in the Kiernan Funeral Home, Belleville.

Mrs. Sorce died Oct. 8 in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville.

Born in North Arlington, she lived in Belleville before moving

to Newark 11 years ago.

Surviving are three daughters, Delia Halpin, Theresa Donovan and Kathleen Sandy; two sons, John and Robert; a sister, Theresa Connolly; seven grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Patricia Davis

A Mass for Patricia Davis, 64, of Daytona Beach, Fla., was offered Oct. 8 in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Nutley.

Arrangements were by the S.W. Brown & Son Funeral Home, Nutley.

Miss Davis, who died Oct. 6 in Halifax Hospital, Daytona Beach,

was a secretary with R.K. Hughes Insurance Agency, Nutley, for eight years until four years ago.

Born in Jersey City, she lived in Belleville before moving to Daytona two years ago.

Surviving are a brother, Michael, and three sisters, Mary Sweeney, Sister Joan and Eileen Vanderbilt.

Breakfast to benefit abused, neglected children

The Essex County Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) program for abused and neglected foster children will hold a special harvest breakfast at the Nordstrom store at The Mall at Short Hills on Saturday, Oct. 18, from 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

The breakfast is open to the public, and children of all ages are invited to attend.

Michael Slater, a CASA trustee and chief executive officer of Wechsler Coffee Corp., will be sponsoring a number of children from the Boys and Girls Clubs of Newark to attend the breakfast.

CASA trustee Jerry Sabbers, president of Sabbers and Associates, Inc., will be underwriting the cost of 20 children from the Protestant Community Center, Inc., of Newark to participate in the breakfast.

The harvest breakfast will feature entertainment by magician/puppeteer Bob Conrad and Dave Biro, a singer/songwriter from No-Frill Radio in Upper Montclair.

Children will be able to be tattooed courtesy of the California Tattoo Manufacturing Co.

Raggedy Ann and a scarecrow will visit with the breakfast guests, sponsored by Norcostco-Eastern Costume of Fairfield.

Specially-designed favors from the sponsors of each fantasy playhouse, Nordstrom, and C.M. Offray and Sons, Inc., will be taken home by each participant.

The harvest breakfast will be the kickoff event of a major fundraiser that will unveil three specially-designed and built kid-sized playhouses. The playhouses, each

approximately eight feet on each side, will be raffled off on Sunday, Nov. 2.

One playhouse is sponsored by Fleet Bank, designed by Eleanor Pettersen and built by K. Hovnanian Corporation. A second playhouse is sponsored by the Children's Hospital of New Jersey at Newark Beth Israel Medical Center, an affiliate of the St. Barnabas Health Care System, and was designed by Larry Stern of Stern-Ring Associates and built through the generosity of Westminster Communities, Inc.

A third fantasy house is sponsored by the Essex County CASA Board of Trustees and was designed by David M. Rosen and built by the Value Group, Inc.

Through the gifts of all these companies and individuals who have joined together to help the abused, neglected and abandoned foster children of Essex County, CASA will receive the proceeds from the sale of raffle tickets and breakfast tickets that will benefit at least 400 foster children this year.

A limited number of tickets are still available. To purchase tickets for the harvest breakfast or for special accommodations, call Nordstrom at 467-1500, extension 1690. All proceeds from this event go to Essex County CASA and benefit the foster children of Essex County.

To purchase tickets for a chance to win one of the three custom playhouses, call Essex County CASA at 693-6785, or purchase a ticket directly at Nordstrom in The Mall at Short Hills. The playhouses will be on display and can be viewed beginning tomorrow, Oct. 17.

Symposium on breast cancer slated

Clara Maass Medical Center will present a free program on breast cancer diagnosis and treatment on Saturday, Oct. 18, entitled, "We've Come A Long Way."

The symposium will be held from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Women's Health Center, located on the campus of the medical center, 1 Clara Maass Drive, Belleville.

The comprehensive program and panel discussion will explore options available to women in the areas of surgery, reconstruction, genetics, radiation treatment, psycho-social issues and emotional needs.

For more information or to register, call Rosemary Scoppetulo, R.N., nurse manager of oncology, at 450-2886 or Dorothy Downey of the Women's Health Center at 1-888-WOMEN-00.

Italian night set by K of C

The Belleville Knights of Columbus will hold an Italian night on Saturday, Oct. 25, from 7:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. at the council.

Tickets are \$20 and Italian food, beer, wine, soda and deejay entertainment are included.

Call chairman Frank Gialanella for tickets at 751-4634.

Obituaries

Patricia Barletta

A Mass for Patricia A. Barletta, 56, of Nutley was offered Oct. 8 in St. Peter's Church, Belleville, following the funeral from the Kiernan Funeral Home, Belleville.

Mrs. Barletta, who died Oct. 4 in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville, was a principal clerk-

typist for the New Jersey Bureau of Employment and Personnel Services, Newark, for eight years.

Born in Newark, she lived in Belleville before moving to Nutley four years ago.

Surviving are a son, John, and a daughter, Sally.

Samuel DeMaio

A Mass for Samuel DeMaio, 87, of Belleville was held Oct. 9 in St. Lucy's Church, Newark, after the funeral from the Megaro Memorial Home, Belleville.

Mr. DeMaio died Oct. 5 in Clara Maass Medical Center, Belleville.

He was a machinery setup man

with the Roller Bearing Corp., Harrison, for 41 years before retiring many years ago.

Born in Newark, Mr. DeMaio lived in Belleville for several years.

Surviving are a son, Carmine; a brother, Anthony; a sister, Genevieve Grasso; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Bruce Downey

Services for Bruce W. Downey, 65, of Belleville were held Tuesday in the Kiernan Funeral Home, Belleville.

Mr. Downey died Oct. 11 in Columbus Hospital, Newark.

He was a welder for Greilco Inc., Newark, for 25 years before retiring six years ago.

He had been scoutmaster for

Boy Scout Troop 372, Belleville.

Mr. Downey had also been quartermaster for the Los Diablos Color Guard, Belleville.

Born in Kearny, he moved to Belleville 32 years ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Linda; two sons, Neil and Joseph; his father, Neil; a brother, David, and seven grandchildren.

Girl Scout calendars available

The Girl Scout Council of Greater Essex and Hudson Counties has announced the start of its 1998 Girl Scout calendar sale, under the theme of "Leadership, Values and diversity."

The sale is taking place now through December.

According to Cheryl Monaco, product sales manager for the council, the theme was chosen because leadership, values and diversity are the ideals that form the foundation of Girl Scouting.

"Our parent organization, Girl Scouts of the USA, sponsored a photography contest and asked Girl Scout councils across the country to submit photographs which show how girls bring these concepts to life," Monaco said.

"Twelve photographs were selected which portray Girl Scouts involved in a variety of community service and education projects," she said.

The annual calendar sale serves as one of the education projects that girls participate in throughout the year. According to Betsy Fischer, a volunteer calendar sale manager, the sale provides an opportunity for girls to develop and practice marketing skills.

In addition to earning money for their troops, girls learn practical skills such as goal-setting, teamwork, public speaking and money

management through the sale," Fisher said.

"Their decision-making skills are exercised as they select how to spend their earnings, and they also gain valuable leadership skills and self-confidence through their participation, which is voluntary," she said.

In addition, the calendar sale benefits Girl Scouts as a whole. According to Monaco, proceeds from the sale are used to underwrite the cost of membership, day and resident camp, trainings, resource materials and programs offered through the council.

This year's sale includes wall calendars as well as pocket planners; both types are offered for \$2 each. Monaco added that calendars may be purchased through the council office at 120 Valley Road, Montclair.

The Girl Scout Council of Greater Essex and Hudson Counties serves more than 11,000 girls and adults in Essex and Hudson counties, as well as in Summit and New Providence in Union County. The council is dedicated to inspiring girls with the highest ideals of character, conduct, patriotism and service.

For additional information about the calendar sale, call the council at 746-8200, or by fax at 746-4163.

Josephine Sorce

Services for Josephine Sorce, 85, of Bloomfield were held Saturday in Silver Lake Baptist Church, Belleville, following the LaMonica Memorial Home, Bloomfield.

Mrs. Sorce died Oct. 7 in her home.

She was a seamstress for the International Ladies' Garment

Workers' Union, Local 144, Newark, for many years before retiring in 1977.

Born in Newark, she lived in Belleville before moving to Bloomfield in 1940.

Surviving are a son, Vincent; four sisters, Lena Roselle, Fay Alabino, Ida Nesbitt and Florence Lento, and two grandchildren.

Judi Olivieri

A Mass for Judi Olivieri, 57, of Belleville was offered yesterday in St. Anthony's Church, Belleville.

The funeral was from the Zarro Funeral Home, Bloomfield.

Ms. Olivieri died Oct. 9 in Columbus Hospital, Newark.

She was a self-employed wholesale retailer for 40 years.

Ms. Olivieri was a member of Tony Imperiale's North Ward Organization, Newark, and the Zarro Civic and Welfare Association, both of Bloomfield.

She also was a member and coordinator for Carrino Senior Citizens, Newark.

Born in Newark, she lived in Belleville for many years.

Surviving are her companion, Phyllis Spagnardo; a brother, Nicholas, and a sister, Phyllis Papisidero.



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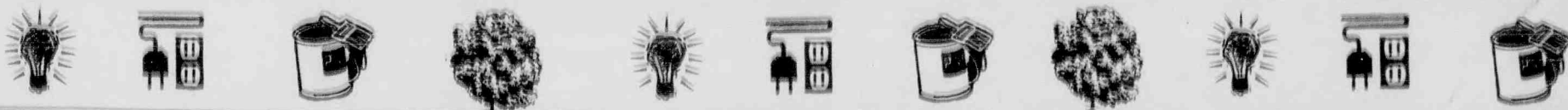
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(L.S.) STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO

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YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND REQUIRED to serve upon FREDERMAN AND PHELAN, P.C., plaintiff's attorney whose address is Suite 205, Sentry Office Plaza, 216 Haddon Avenue, Westmont, New Jersey 08108, an answer to the Complaint filed in a civil action, in which First Union Mortgage Corporation, is plaintiff and Willie A. Thomas, et al., are defendants pending in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Essex County and bearing Docket No. F-8781-97 within thirty-five (35) days after October 16, 1997 exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so judgment by default may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You shall file your answer and proof of service in duplicate with the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Hughes, Justice Complex, CN-971, 24 Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, in accordance with the rules of civil practice and procedure.

This action has been instituted for the purpose of (1) foreclosing a mortgage dated September 16, 1991 made by Willie A. Thomas unmarried, as mortgagor and given to County Mortgage Co., Inc., Said mortgage was recorded on September 20, 1991 in

Book 5971 of Mortgages for Essex County, page 221. By written assignment dated September 16, 1991, County Mortgage Co., Inc., assigned said mortgage to Centerbank Mortgage Company. Said assignment was recorded on October 28, 1991 in assignment book 669 at page 371. By written assignment Centerbank Mortgage Company assigned said mortgage to First Union Mortgage Corporation, the plaintiff herein. Said assignment is about to be recorded; and (2) to recover possession of, and concerns premises commonly known as 251 Lyons Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07102.

If you are unable to obtain an attorney you may communicate with the New Jersey State Bar Association by calling 908-249-5000. You may also contact the Lawyer referral Service of the County of venue by calling 201-622-6207. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may communicate with the Legal Services office of the county of venue by calling 201-622-1513.

YOU, the heirs, devisees and personal representatives of Willie A. Thomas, deceased and his, their and any of their successors in right, title and interest are named as party defendants to this foreclosure action as a precaution for any lien, claim or interest you may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises in the event that there are any unknown heirs who may not have been disclosed by our surrogate search of Willie A. Thomas, deceased who was the record owner of the mortgaged premises who passed away January 2, 1996 in the State of

Georgia. You Monmouth R.P.T., are hereby joined as a party defendant for any lien, claim or interest they may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises by virtue of the following judgment.

Superior Court of New Jersey
Judgment Number: DJ-61252-85
Type of Action: Contract
Debt: \$393.92
Costs: \$33.30
Int: \$4.49
DCKG: \$2.00
Monmouth R.P.T. vs. Willie Thomas

You, Edward Tillman, are hereby joined for any lien, claim or interest you may have in, to or on the mortgaged premises by virtue of the following judgment.

United States District Court
Judgment Number: CV-04521-90
Date Entered: 04-15-92
Type of Action: Civil
Debt: \$15,200.00
Edward Tillman vs. Willie Thomas
Manual Frank
Herbert Frank
d/b/a Franks Beverage

Donald F. Phelan, Clerk
Superior Court of New Jersey

Belleville Times
Oct. 16, 1997
Fee: 95.17

B97-457

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-020199
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F980196
CHEMICAL BANK, AS TRUSTEE OF CONTINORTGAGE-PLAINTIFF-VS. ELIZA-

BETH JORDAN, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS
Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises
By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, OCTOBER 28, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)

Commonly known as: 0000000047 WINANS AVE
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Lot: 29 Block: 2612
SIZE: 25 X 25 feet
Distance to nearest street name: 25.00 feet
Nearest cross street name: KIPP ST

A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County.

A deposit of %20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of SIXTY TWO THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE AND 97/100 DOLLARS (\$62,685.97), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ SEPTEMBER 22, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, SHERIFF
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Belleville Times
October 2, 9, 16, 23 1997
Fee: \$78.96
No.B97-438

NOTICE

The Zoning Board of Adjustment of the Township of Belleville, New Jersey, has taken the following actions:

ZB97-8 Application by Calvin Filippone for a certification of a pre-existing five family at 161 Franklin Street was denied on May 20, 1997.

ZB97-13 Application by Meglio & Sons, Inc. for a "D" Variance and Site Plan Approval at 681 Main Street to operate an automotive towing and storage facility was denied on July 24, 1997.

ZB97-20 Application by Cesar Molino for a certification of a pre-existing three family at 383 Cortlandt St. was denied on Sept. 16, 1997.

Mary Lou Hood
Board Secretary
Belleville Times
Oct. 16, 1997
Fee: 16.43

B97-458

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-020182
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-410996
SOURCE ONE MORTGAGE SERVICES CORP., PLAINTIFF-VS. SONIA WILLIAMSON, HER HEIRS, DEVISEES, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS
Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises
By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday.

OCTOBER 28, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)
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Lot: 12 Block: 3015.01
SIZE: 35 X 100 feet
Distance to nearest street name: 385.00 feet
Nearest cross street name: HOPKINS PLACE

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A deposit of %20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY THREE AND 56/100 DOLLARS (\$103,463.56), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ SEPTEMBER 22, 1997

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Belleville Times
October 2, 9, 16, 23 1997
Fee: \$78.96
No.B97-437

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-020202
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-547197
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FKA COUNTRYWIDE FUNDING CORP. PLAINTIFF - VS SHERREE R. BAKER AND BAKA L. BAKER, H/W, DEFENDANTS
Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises
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Commonly known as: 0000000030 SYNOTT PL
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Lot: 58 Block: 4263
SIZE: 40 X 100 feet
Distance to nearest street name: 140.00 feet
Nearest cross street name: WOODBINE AVE

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The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY EIGHT THOUSAND SEVEN AND 87/100 DOLLARS (\$138,007.87), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ SEPTEMBER 22, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, SHERIFF
JOSEPH A. GOLDBECK, JR., ATTORNEY
Belleville Times
October 2, 9, 16, 23 1997
Fee: \$78.96
No.B97-439

OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, October 21, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)
Commonly known as: 0000000135 ELLERY AVE
NEWARK, NJ 07106
Lot: 8 Block: 4138
Distance to nearest cross street: 742.40 feet
Nearest cross street name: CLINTON AVE

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A deposit of %20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY NINE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED NINETEEN AND 73/100 DOLLARS (\$139,319.73), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ September 22, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, SHERIFF
SHAPIRO & KREISMAN, ATTORNEYS
Belleville Times
Sept.25, Oct. 2, 9, 16 1997
Fee: \$77.08
No.B97-425

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-021505
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F720997
CONTI MORTGAGE CORPORATION, PLAINTIFF -VS- ESTHER DICKENS, DEFENDANTS. Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, November 11, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)
Commonly known as: 000000027 LLEWELLYN AVE
BLOOMFIELD, NJ 07003
Lot: 26 Block: 193
Size: Approx. 27 x 100 feet
Distance to nearest cross street: 323.00 feet
Nearest cross street name: GLENWOOD AVENUE

A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County

A deposit of 20% of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED SIXTY NINE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTEEN AND 43/100 DOLLARS (\$69,813.43), together with the costs of this sale.

The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ October 6, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, Sheriff
ZUCKER, GOLDBERG, BECKER & ACKERMAN ATTORNEY(S)

Belleville Times
Oct. 16, 23 30, Nov. 6, 1997
Fee: \$77.08
B97-462

SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-021476
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F1168895
BANK OF AMERICA, FSB, PLAINTIFF -VS- RONALD A. WILSON, PATRICIA WILSON, HIS WIFE, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS. Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, November 11, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)

Commonly known as: 000000092 WALNUT ST
NUTLEY, NJ 07110
Lot: 16 Block: 524
Size: Approx. 190 X 11.89 X 51.14 X 101.12 X 50 feet
Nearest cross street name: KINGSLAND ST.

A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County

A deposit of 20% of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of TWO HUNDRED FOUR THOUSAND FORTY SIX AND 18/100 DOLLARS (\$204,446.18), together with the costs of this sale.

The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ October 6, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, Sheriff
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Belleville Times
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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-019959
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-330496
CITICORP MORTGAGE INC, PLAINTIFF-VS-JOSE SAN MARTIN, JR., ELIZABETH SAN MARTIN, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises

By virtue of the above stated writ of Execution, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by Public Auction, in SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Essex County Courts Building in Newark, on Tuesday, October 21, 1997, at one-thirty P.M. (Prevailing Time)

Commonly known as: 0000000350 PARK AVE
NEWARK, NJ 07107
Lot: 62 Block: 1927

A full legal description can be found in the office of the Register of Essex County.

A deposit of %20 of the bid price in certified funds is required at the time of sale.

The approximate amount of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY EIGHT THOUSAND SEVEN AND 87/100 DOLLARS (\$138,007.87), together with the costs of this sale. The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn the sale from time to time as provided by Law.
Newark, NJ October 6, 1997

ARMANDO B. FONTOURA, Sheriff
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of the Judgment to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of ONE HUNDRED FORTY FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED TEN AND 78/100 DOLLARS (\$145,410.78), together with the costs of this sale.

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Newark, NJ September 22, 1997

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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-021463
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F495097
CROWN BANK FSB, PLAINTIFF -VS- ROSEMARIE H. GRUBERT, DEFENDANTS. Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises.

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SHERIFF'S FILE NO. 97-021476
SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, ESSEX COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F1168895
BANK OF AMERICA, FSB, PLAINTIFF -VS- RONALD A. WILSON, PATRICIA WILSON, HIS WIFE, ET ALS, DEFENDANTS. Execution for Sale of Mortgaged Premises.

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Commonly known as: 000000092 WALNUT ST
NUTLEY, NJ 07110
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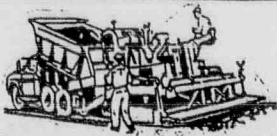
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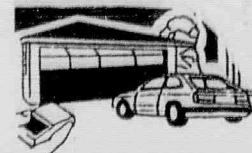
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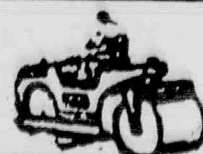
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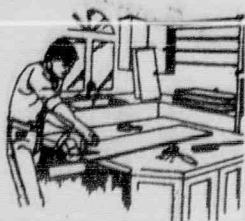


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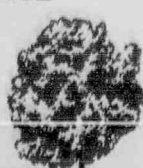
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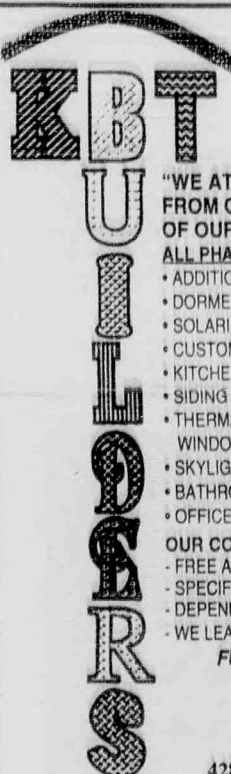
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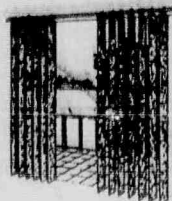
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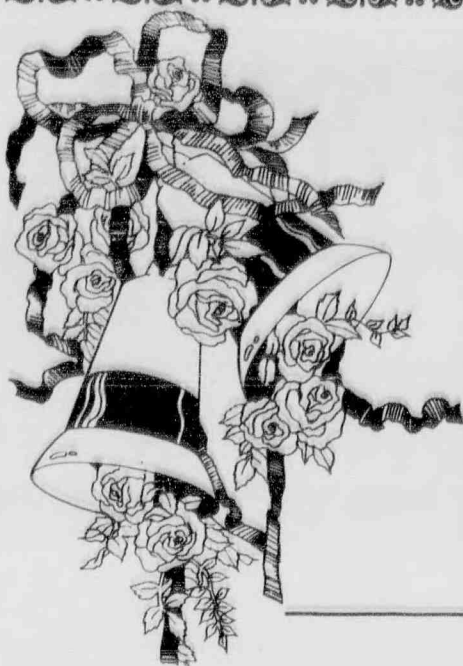
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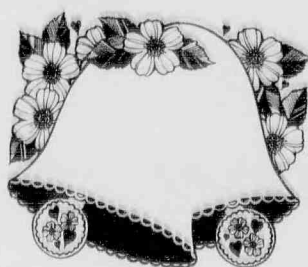
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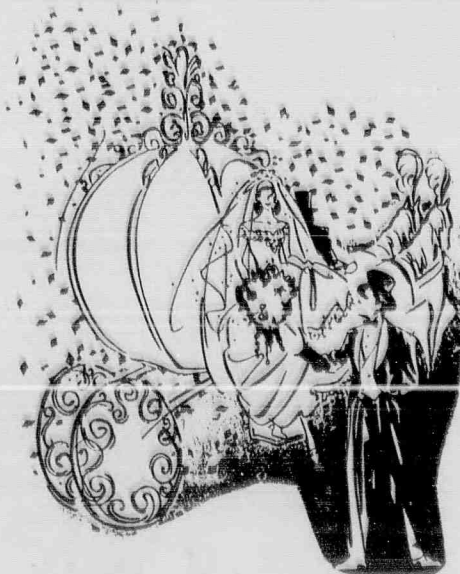
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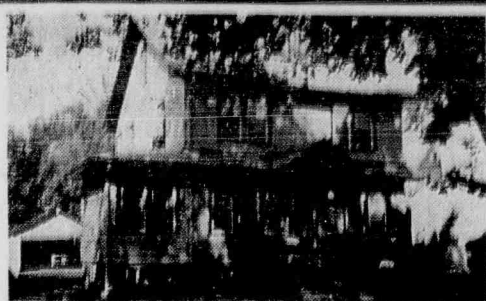


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Weichert's Campanile earns office award

James M. Weichert, president, has announced that John A. Campanile, Jr., a sales associate with Weichert, Realtors' Caldwell/West Orange area office, led the office in revenue units during August.

With 21 years of experience, including 19 as a broker, Campanile is a seasoned real estate professional with a background in real estate sales, training and management. He is a member of the

West Essex and Bloomfield, Glen Ridge, Nutley and Belleville Boards of Realtors. His achievements include membership in the New Jersey State Million Dollar Club.

The Bloomfield resident is a past president of the Nutley Jaycees.

Janice Rannou joins Weichert, Realtors

James M. Weichert, president, has announced that Janice Rannou has joined the West Caldwell Office of Weichert, Realtors as a sales associate.

A newly licensed real estate pro-

fessional, Rannou is a longtime resident of Bloomfield. She holds an associate's degree in elementary education from Essex County College. She previously was employed in the restaurant industry.

Donna Piro earns office award

James M. Weichert, president, has announced that Donna M. Piro, a sales associate with Weichert, Realtors' Upper Montclair office, has won the office's top listing award for the month of August.

Piro joined Weichert upon earning her real estate sales license ear-

lier this year. Piro holds a bachelor's degree in English and psychology from Fairleigh Dickinson University. Among the community organizations she supports are St. John's Church, St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Bloomfield and the Nutley Family Service Bureau.

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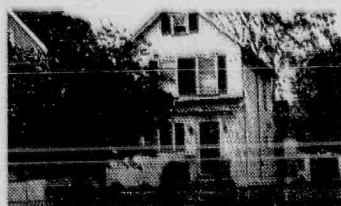
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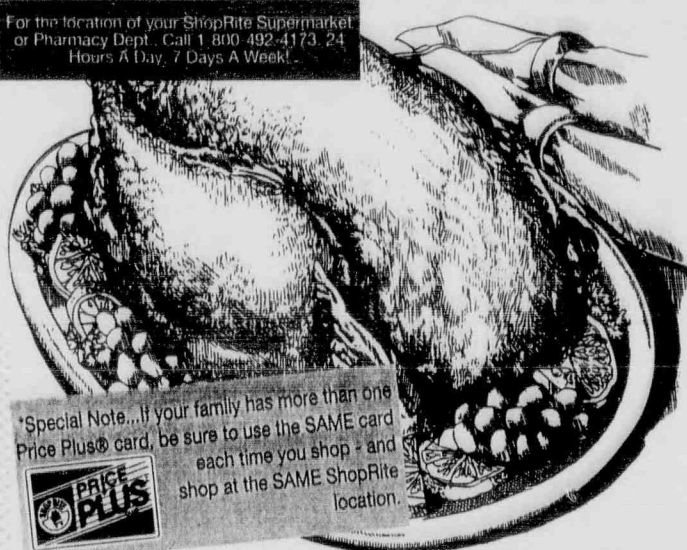
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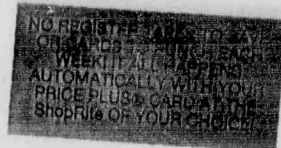
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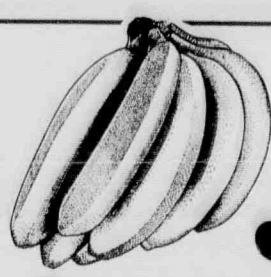
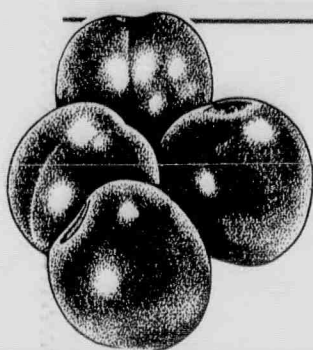
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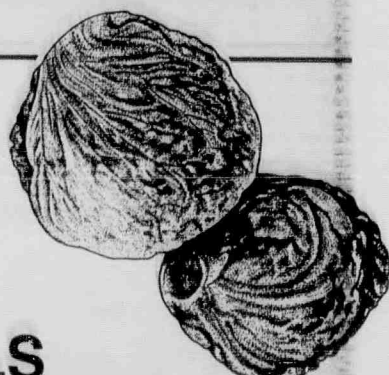
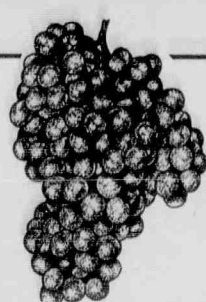
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RED AND WHITE, 40 SIZE

Florida Grapefruit

4.99 for

SERVE DUTCH STYLE WITH BACON

Fresh Spinach

.99 10-oz. pkg.

1/2 PRICE

RED RIPE

ShopRite Tomatoes

.84 18-oz. pkg.

1/2 PRICE

5 lb. bag

Carrots

.89

Golden Ripe

Bananas

.29 lb.

Fresh Jersey

Eggplant

.49 lb.

La Rouge

Red Peppers

.99 lb.

Sweet

Yams

.39 lb.

Florida Navel

Oranges

.99 6 For

CALIFORNIA, 4-LB. BAG

Valencia Oranges

ShopRite Sale Price **2.49** FINAL COST **1.99**

SR

California Iceberg

Lettuce

.69 Head

Jersey

Frying Peppers

.49 lb.

Escarole

.39 lb.

Fresh

Green Beans

.69 lb.

TRY STEAMED, 12 SIZE

Sno-White Cauliflower

ShopRite Sale Price **1.49** FINAL COST **.99**

SR

THE ALL PURPOSE POTATO

Eastern White Potatoes 5-Lb.

.79 bag

1/2 PRICE

California

Celery

.59 stalk

Bartlett

Pears

.59 lb.

N.Y. State

McIntosh or Red Delicious Apples

.49 lb.

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