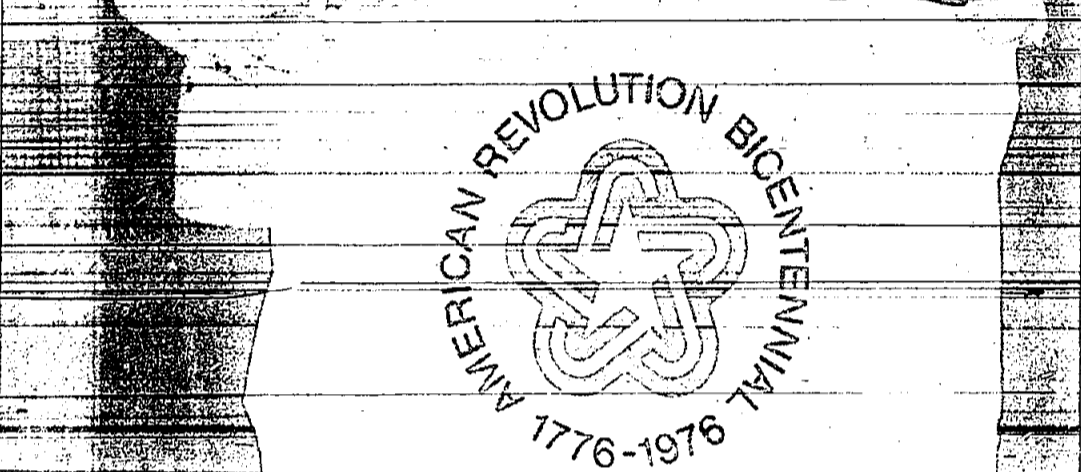


## SAY THEY WANT COMPROMISE

# School board members will appeal budget cut, vote to reduce staff by 45 teachers, 15 others



FLAG FORWARD ... Mayor Daniel L. Martin, right, and bicentennial activities chairman Alexander Shipley are shown presenting the official flag commemorating the 200th anniversary of the birth of the republic to Mrs. Charles (Carrie) Miller, chairwoman of the Rahway

Historical Society. The flag is made available to those communities who meet certain historical standards. Rahway was one of the first communities in the county so recognized, Mr. Shipley said the flag will be made available to other groups in the city shortly.

While emphasizing they still seek a compromise with city councilmen, members of the Rahway board of education voted 6-3 on April 7 to appeal to the state education commissioner the city council cut of \$569,039 from the proposed school budget.

At the same time they voted to eliminate 45 teachers, 12 aides and three

clerk-typists because of what they called "the cessation and/or uncertain status of federal funding and the unresolved status of the local budget."

The action came at a special meeting in the auditorium of Roosevelt School. The citizen turnout far exceeded the attendance at the public hearing of the school budget with a total

less than half the auditorium being filled. Judging from audience reaction to statements made by citizens, the group in attendance was about equally divided between critics of board spending policies and teachers or those sympathetic with board expenditures and policies.

Board members voting for the appeal were Edmund L. Huener, Mrs. Charles (Miriam) Hill, Donald E. Kennedy, William M. Roesch, doctor John J. Sprules and board president-reverend Orrin T. Hardgrove.

Noting the appeal were the three new board members Paul M. Gever, Barry D. Henderson and Paul A. Lofredo. The trio

did not help formulate the budget and had pledged themselves to "not be restrained" spending if elected.

As explained by board attorney Leo Kahn, the councilmen's budget reduction followed the 1-1 defeat of the city school budget by voters on March

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## Reduction in school employees main topic at public hearing

Despite the large turnout there were few speakers or much antagonism during the public hearing portion of the special city board of education meeting on April 7 in the auditorium of Roosevelt School.

The audience occupied almost half the auditorium but only 13 people rose to present brief and mostly subdued remarks. Of the 13 six spoke against an appeal, four either supported an appeal or attacked the council cut and two took neither side.

The first speaker was Paul Corcoran, president of the Rahway Education Association, who called the cut of \$569,039 from the school budget by city councilmen an "irresponsible action which contradicts the Botter decision."

The "Botter decision" was the state supreme court ruling upholding the idea of thorough and efficient education for all children and ruling unconstitutional the use of property taxes to achieve this end.

Mr. Corcoran said the budget cut would widen the gap between Rahway and other communities such as Bernardsville.

His statements were strongly attacked by Alonzo W. Lawrence, president of the Rahway Taxpayers Association, who said the association head had failed to give facts.

Mr. Lawrence went on to criticize the association calling it a union attempting to serve its own interests. He was ruled out of order by board president reverend Orrin T. Hardgrove.

Mr. Lawrence labeled the board resolution cutting 45 teachers and 15 other employees a "grandstand play" designed to "draw an outraged reaction from

parents by making them think the system would lose mathematics and reading teachers.

As superintendent of schools doctor Edward T. Boves explained, most of the employe reductions would involve personnel in federally-funded programs such as the "Interaction" English project in the city junior high school.

Wilbur E. Hooper of 1444 Essex Street attacked the cut in employees saying the board members should reduce administrative posts and not teachers. His comments drew strong applause from the audience.

Louis R. Rizzo, a former board member, of 1065 Madison Avenue asked board members what they had done since the councilmen cut the budget. "Are you just waiting for the commissioner to restore

the funds?" he asked.

President reverend Hardgrove noted board members met with councilmen for four hours after the 4-1 budget defeat to discuss the budget. He said board members also met together for "a few hours last week" and each member had studied the

budget in private.

City fire chief George G. Link, noting that administrators in city departments were forced to take less in salaries, asked why reductions could not be made in administrative areas rather than in the teaching staff.

Mrs. John Hugay of 905

Elm Avenue asked what would happen in the junior high school when the "Interaction" program stops since, she said, that was the only English program in the school.

President Hardgrove said the traditional English

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## Cedervall wants Karcher fired following comment to newspaper

"In the best interests of an 'open administration' I repeat my demand that you send Alan Karcher back across the Raritan from whence he came," declared Democratic city councilman - at large Tor Cedervall to mayor Daniel L. Martin.

Councilman Cedervall's comments came in a letter to the mayor dated April 2. In it he called on the Democratic chief executive to cancel his temporary appointment of Mr. Karcher as city attorney.

Apparently councilman Cedervall is angered over a comment Mr. Karcher made to a reporter from a local daily newspaper following the March 31 special council meeting.

After a half-serious move to cut expenses for the director of law failed

in an 8-1 vote, Mr. Karcher said, "They must have remembered that damned few attorneys have gone to jail, but a lot of councilmen have for the lack of proper counsel."

The vote came after councilman Cedervall noted he would, at an unspecified future date, seek an investigation of what he called "professional part-timers."

As an example he cited Mr. Karcher who is a state assemblyman from Sayreville representing the 19th district, borough attorney in his home town and city attorney for Rahway, in addition to having a private practice.

He also singled out the city engineer who is also employed on a part-time basis by Kenilworth offi-

cial and maintains a private practice.

Sixth ward Republican councilman Louis G. Boch then asked Mr. Cedervall why he did not seek a cut in the salaries of such officials at the council meeting. Before Mr. Cedervall could answer other council members expressed their enthusiasm with the idea.

Second ward Republican councilman John C. Marsh then moved a 10% decrease in the funds for the director of law and first ward Republican councilman Eugene D. Gentsch second it.

But when the matter came to a vote only councilman Marsh stuck by his remarks and cast an affirmative ballot.

Mr. Karcher was not present during the vote but arrived toward the end of the session. His absence was criticized by councilman Marsh who was attacked in turn for alleged poor attendance by councilman-at-large Francis R. Senkowsky.

Democratic councilman Senkowsky, before the vote, said, "We are being facetious in our methods." He also noted the director received no raise last year.

Upon reading the comment Mr. Karcher later made, councilman Cedervall said, "This statement can infer that the eight of us who voted against cutting salary at this time did so because we needed his good offices to keep us out of jail."

"Mr. Karcher's inference that councilmen may go to jail can only serve to raise questions in the minds of our citizens, surrounded as they are by daily reports of alleged wrongdoing by municipal officials in other communities," the councilman continued.

Referring to the controversial 51-to-landfill operation on the north bank of Robinson's Branch, which councilman Cedervall has vigorously opposed, he said:

"This concern becomes heightened when citizens recall that the developer last year was questioned by investigators seeking information about corruption of some former

municipal officials in our neighboring community of Clark."

"As you know the Rahway Citizens for Flood Control and I have asked for a public hearing to find out why the permit to fill was issued by authority of you and the planning board of which you are a member," the councilman told the mayor.

He then noted the city attorney ruled no public hearing can be held as requested by flood group members according to his interpretation of city ordinances.

"The ruling by your director of law," councilman Cedervall told the mayor, "especially when seen in the context of the quotation first mentioned above, can lead to the conclusion that he conceives at least one of his functions to be that of 'cover-up'."

A bizarre robbery with an O'Henry ending was thwarted by city police on March 21 when they apprehended four young men apparently planning to assault and holdup under gunpoint one of their fathers, doctor Arthur Levine of 692 St. George Avenue, Rahway.

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When apprehended by police they had a handgun, stocking mask and a quantity of ammunition. They may have been successful, if it hadn't been for a resident who noticed the suspicious group sitting in a parked automobile.

The men were arrested by patrolmen Robert Di-

and Dennis O'Day. Police were said to have learned Levine is wanted by the federal bureau of investigation on charges of passing fraudulent prescription forms in the San Diego area of California. Yeagley also listed San Diego as his residence.

Spingler resides at 218 Watson Road, Fanwood, and Hill at 571 Forest Road, Scotch Plains.

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ISLAND BOUND ... Mrs. Joseph Peter, center, checks over Hawaiian decorations for the Rahway Junior Service League's garden party, as Mrs. Kenneth Secor, left, and Mrs. James Pickens, right, look on. Final arrangements were completed for the 11th annual Alderan Outing Club, 1037 Pierpont Street, Rahway. All proceeds are for the benefit of the group's scholarship fund. This year a \$1,000 scholarship will be presented to a Rahway student. It is anticipated there

will be close to 300 guests attending the party. A Hawaiian theme will prevail. Tickets are available from league members or can be purchased at the door. Assisting Mrs. Peter, garden party chairwoman, are the following committee members: Mrs. Joseph Keefe, tickets; Mrs. Secor, food; Mrs. Pickens and Mrs. Robert Brennan, bar; Mrs. James Popow, program; Mrs. Raymond Moccikis, decorations; Mrs. Frank Arcuri, special arrangements and Mrs. Christopher Pettit, publicity.

## City Republicans protest, give support to Manner

Rahway Republican Club members unanimously adopted a resolution at their last meeting asking former assemblyman Arthur A. Manner of Berkeley Heights to run for the Republican nomination for the New Jersey general assembly "to give the people an opportunity to nominate and elect the most qualified citizen," it was announced by club president Adam A. Mackow.

"By every objective standard, former assemblyman Manner was the most qualified candidate to appear before the eleven-member 22nd district screening committee," noted club president Mackow.

"We were outraged that out of the five candidates under consideration committee members actually recommended the least qualified individual over the most qualified individual," he said.

"As an observer of the proceedings," he said, "I was personally shocked to find that at least four members, including the county vice chairman, the state committee members and the Young Republicans, were eliminated from the legislative screening committee to make it the smallest in living memory at a time when the county Republican Party desperately needs to broaden its base," continued president Mackow.

This reprehensible situation is contrary to the traditional principles of our party and should not be allowed to happen without at least a protest. Thus we have informed Mr. Manner we think he should run for the good of our party and to give all Republicans an opportunity to nominate the most qualified candidate," asserted Mr. Mackow.

Former assemblyman Manner served in the

assembly in 1972 and 1973. He previously served as a Union County freeholder, a Berkeley Heights mayor and a Berkeley Heights township committeeman.

Mr. Manner announced he will run saying, "I have decided to exercise the leadership which has guided me in public life and to present myself as a traditional Republican who wants to return fiscal responsibility to government."

He too protested what he called the exclusion of blacks, young people, women and state party officials from the screening session held on March 26 in Clark.

The committee members chose William J. Maguire of Clark, a former township mayor and head of a local travel agency, and Donald T. Di Francesco of Scotch Plains.

## United Way of city nears goal, seeks help from industry

"Thanks to the splendid response on the part of Rahway residents, the 14 member agencies of United Way hope to meet their critical financial needs," said Mrs. Anthony (Eva) Pascale, campaign chairwoman for the annual fund drive.

In analyzing the campaign this year Mrs. Pascale noted the residential campaign has increased by 75% while the industrial and commercial divisions showed a decline of 35%.

She indicated the agencies which serve Rahway residents would suffer the consequences of the indifference shown by the business community.

The most recent organization to come under the United Way umbrella is the Rahway Day Care Center. An estimated 70 children are cared for there while working mothers supplement the family income.

"In the majority of cases, the mothers of the children are the sole source of income as unemployment rises," according to Mrs. David (Elizabeth) Graham, director of the center.

The United Way of Rahway was established in 1969 to "bring together in a united appeal all possible campaigns of community accepted health, welfare and recreational agencies," as stated in its incorporation papers.

Mrs. Pascale went on to say, "We intend to continue our appeal to every concerned individual in the city until our goal is met."

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PERFORM IN AREA CONCERT . . . Miss Lucinda Bragdon and Miss Barbara Jackson, both students at Rahway Junior High School, performed in the central New Jersey intermediate orchestra and band concert at New Providence High School in New Providence on March 23.

## Hire company to start study of reservation

Union County park commissioners have reportedly engaged the services of Metcalf and Eddy of New York, Incorporated to make a hydrologic and environmental assessment study of the Watchung Reservation.

The study will be for the purpose of determining the effects on the 1,900-acre reservation of the Green

Brook sub-basin flood detention project which has been advanced by Army Corps of Engineers officials, according to a commission spokesman.

In addition to making an assessment of effects of the flood control work, it was said the firm will take into account what may occur when Interstate Route

no. 78 cuts through the Reservation. The company officials will also make a judgment on the effect of the two projects on each other in relation to the hydrology and environment of the reservation. The firm is expected to begin its study shortly.

## Wins Easter egg hunt

Thomas Virgilio won first place, Maryann Bielinski captured the second spot and Michael Sabba came in third in the annual Easter egg hunt at Frank K. Hehny School in Clark.



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## Junior high school pair perform in area concert

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## John Mannion receives post of investigator

Captain John Mannion of Rahway, a member of the Elizabeth police department for 32 years, was sworn in on March 31 to serve as an investigator in the Union County prosecutor's office.

Captain Mannion, 58, was appointed to the county job by prosecutor Karl Asch and will work on criminal investigations, police administration and special assignments.

He received numerous commendations for excellent police work during his career with the Elizabeth force. He started a 90-day leave of absence from his captain's post on March 20. He anticipates retirement from the Elizabeth department at the end of the leave and will work fulltime as an investigator.

The Rahway resident last served as the commander of the juvenile aid bureau in the police department. He was promoted to the rank of captain nine years ago.

Captain Mannion previously served as commander of the patrol division, the services division, planning unit and traffic division.

## CLARK MUNICIPAL COURT

### Two-year driving suspension and fine given to Rahway man for drunk driving

James J. Pickney of Rahway was hit with a two-year driving suspension and a \$200 fine for driving while under the influence of alcohol. The fine was awarded by municipal court judge Marcus I. Blum last Thursday.

For driving while his ability was impaired by alcohol Harry Hofmeister of 843 Tice Place, Westfield, was fined \$50 and \$10 in court costs and had his driving rights revoked for six months.

Also fined \$25 and \$10 in court costs for speeding was Margaret C. Kiehl of 86 Laurent Drive, Clark. She was speeding 47 mph in a 25-mph zone.

Other speeding offenders were Thomas G. Delcero of 1981 Lake Avenue, Scotch Plains, Edward G. Hearn of 11 Marion Lane, Scotch Plains, and Patrick Papero of 2110 Seward Drive, Scotch Plains.

Driving 46 miles per hour in a 25-mph zone resulted in a \$25 fine and \$10 in court costs for Carlos J. Gaspar of 473 Booth Court, Rahway.

An unlicensed driver conviction resulted in a \$25 fine and \$10 in court costs for Richard J. Szczesky of 5 Powell Place, Iseliff.

Lee J. Surman of 1007 North Seventh Street, Paterson, \$20 and \$10 in court costs.

Driving with studded snow tires during a prohibited period cost Richard H. Zink of 1545 Springfield Avenue, Irvington, \$20 and \$10 in court costs. He was also fined \$100 for contempt of court.

A \$50 contempt of court fine was given to Patricia A. Darcy of 86 Walter Drive, Woodbridge, for driving 40 mph in a 25-mph zone.

Vincent L. Johnson of 23 Skytop Drive, Mahwah, was fined \$20 and \$10 in court costs for driving 45 mph in a 25-mph zone.

Driving carelessly cost Kenneth A. Owens of 165 Victoria Drive, Clark, \$20

and \$10 in court costs. Losing his driver's license for two years for driving while under the influence of alcohol was Al-yusius Brennan of 208 Kenney Avenue, Kearny. He was also fined \$200 and \$10 in court costs.

For allowing her dog to run at large Catherine Thompson of 6 Kathryn Street, Clark, was fined \$5 and \$5 in court costs.

Mary Kolodchik of 306 Jensen Avenue, Rahway, was monitored driving 40 mph in a 25-mph zone. She was fined \$15 and \$10 in court costs.

Shoplifting cost Debra Carolina of 53 Chancellor Avenue, Newark, each \$100 and \$10 in court costs.

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## RAHWAY MUNICIPAL COURT

### Elizabeth man charged with starting fire at Sutton Record Company, on \$10,000 bail

An Elizabeth man who is charged with setting a fire at Sutton Record Company, 960 East Hazelwood Avenue, Rahway, had his case referred to the Union County prosecutor's office.

Ronald F. Hurley of 228 Lincoln Avenue, Elizabeth, was placed on \$10,000 bail for reportedly starting the blaze.

An assault and battery conviction cost Dorsey Wilkins of 1616 Columbus Place, Rahway, \$50. He pleaded guilty to the charge.

Joseph S. Metzner of 155 Jefferson Avenue, Elizabeth, was sent to the Union County jail for 11 days for being drunk and disorderly on Hamilton Street and for begging for money from churchgoers as they passed.

For allegedly impairing the morals of several young girls Willie Lee Brown of 1702 Lawrence Street, Rahway, was placed on \$5,000 bail. The case will be heard by the Union County prosecutor's office.

Lawrence Peterson of Rahway was placed under supervised probation for one year. He was convicted of doing malicious damage while drunk. A total of 40 days in-jail sentences were suspended. Peterson resides at 211 Monroe Street, Rahway.

For failing to be able to give a good account of himself Darryl A. Brown was given a 30-day sentence. Careless driving and a traffic signal violation cost Albert L. Soper of 50 Book

Road, South Amboy, a total of \$45.

Daniel E. Jones of 241 Lafayette Street, Rahway, paid \$50 for contempt of court and \$15 and \$10 in court costs for inattentive driving.

Driving too fast for conditions cost Nicholas A. Morales of 1524 Main Street, Rahway, \$15 and \$10 in court costs.

Joseph F. Urban of 131 Wedgewood Avenue, Woodbridge, lost his driving rights for six months for driving while his ability was impaired. He also paid

\$15 and \$10 in court costs for careless driving.

For driving over the speed limit Daniel W. McGottigan of 11B Atlantic Drive, Winfield, was fined \$25 and \$10 in court costs.

Thomas A. Kaczmarek of 16 Cook Street, Clark, was fined \$25 and \$10 in court costs for loaning his driver's license.

For not having his insurance card Hector R. Casado of 78 West Cherry Street, Rahway, was fined \$5 and \$5 in court costs.

Jack Salmons, Jr. of 519 Convey Road, Perth Amboy, was fined \$15 and \$10 in court costs for careless driving.

Driving 48 mph in a 25-mph school zone cost Constance McNamara of 7 Tanglewood Lane, Colonia, \$15 and \$10 in court costs.

A resident of Tennessee was fined \$25 and \$10 in court costs. The driver listed his name as John W. Smith.

Thomas E. Buchanan of 102 Hickory Street, Carteret, paid \$16 and \$10 in court costs for driving 56 mph in a 35-mph zone.

Convey Road, Perth Amboy, was fined \$15 and \$10 in court costs for careless driving.

## RAHWAY POLICE BLOTTER

### City police cite rising vandalism; ask residents to watch vehicles

A Rahway police spokesman reported receiving numerous complaints of vandalism to automobiles parked in the city. He asked block watchers to be on the alert for such acts.

The vandalism reportedly consists of mirrors being broken off, windshield wipers being bent and windows being broken. Those seeing such occurrences taking place should telephone the police at 388-3600.

Ernest Kuruc of 277 Murray Street told police someone put three holes through his rear window with a BB gun on April 2.

Officials of Rahway Hebrew Congregation, 1365 Bryant Street reported the same day the theft of a snow blower valued at \$250. Further crime news follows.

MONDAY, MARCH 31 A nameplate was stolen from the automobile belonging to a resident of 200 West Milton Avenue.

A break, entry and larceny occurred some time Sunday night at the Clark Animal Hospital on Westfield Avenue and Broadway.

A microscope was stolen and possibly other items.

TUESDAY, APRIL 1 Miss Nancy Drake of 904 Stone Street reported the larceny of clothing from the clothes line in back of her home.

The automobile belonging to Rudolph J. Williams of 1181 Main Street, was stolen from the parking lot of his residence.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2 Larceny of a coat valued at \$40 was reported by a resident of 458 West Milton Avenue. A suspect is being investigated.

A citizens band radio valued at \$200 was stolen from the automobile belonging to Joseph Swierk of 183 East Stearns Street while the vehicle was parked in his driveway.

THURSDAY, APRIL 3 Two women were held up at knife point while walking on Broad Street. Police arrested a suspect and charged him with the robbery.

FRIDAY, APRIL 4 An attempted break and entry occurred at Tralblazers, 1901 Route no. 1. Someone broke into the

automobile belonging to Eugene Kelly of 398 Harrison Street while the vehicle was parked in his driveway.

A citizens band radio valued at \$130 was stolen. SATURDAY, APRIL 5 The United States Post Office, 123 East Milton Avenue, reported a battery valued at \$20 stolen from a post office jeep while the vehicle was parked in the parking lot.

### Gap in New Jersey budget disputed by taxpayers head

"There is no gap. The budget can be balanced without an income tax," according to Richard L. Solyom, legislative vice president of the Federation of New Jersey Taxpayers.

spending for public assistance to \$409.3 million. He also recommended a 10% cut in all department appropriations.

"Our certified public accountant has shown us new taxes are not needed and existing taxes can be reduced," Mr. Solyom said citing results of a study made by directors of the statewide organization.

### Sale of books, movie planned at city library

The taxpayers' proposed budget calls for a reduction of 1% in the sales tax and .5% in the gasoline tax. All other income estimates made by the governor were accepted by the tax group head.

The film "Guys and Dolls" featuring Marlon Brando, Frank Sinatra and Jean Simmons will be presented free at the Rahway Public Library, 1175 St. George Avenue, on Wednesday, April 16, from 1 to 2:50 p.m. and from 7:30 to 9:20 p.m.

The taxpayers' officials estimate \$2,178,500,000 in funds will be available for the next fiscal year. They differ seriously with governor Brendan T. Byrne, however, on the question of expenditures.

A sale of discarded books will be conducted from Monday, April 14, to Saturday, April 19, at the library. The sale will be held between 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. from Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

"Amounts spent on relief and welfare have increased beyond all reason during the past few years," Mr. Solyom said. "The hard-working, productive citizens of this state cannot continue to spend at this rate without going into bankruptcy."

As a result the taxpayers' leader seeks to hold

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## Clark, Rahway dancers selected to perform with Bolshoi Ballet

Amy Lichardus, 10, of Clark and Elizabeth Stewart, 12, of Rahway were given roles in the Bolshoi Ballet's production of "Sleeping Beauty" after televised auditions at the Metropolitan Opera House at Lincoln Center in New York City.

The March 23 rehearsals were televised by WNBC, WABC and WCBS news. Amy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lichardus of 142 Hart Street, Clark, and Elizabeth is the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stewart of 718 Beverly Road, Rahway.

The auditions were conducted by the director of the Metropolitan Opera Ballet and a representative of the world-famous Russian ballet company.

The girls said they were encouraged by their teacher, Mrs. Robert (Patricia) McCusker of the Walcoff-McCusker Dance Studio of Clark, and their parents and considered the audition

before the famous opera company with 300 other children something truly exciting.

They were even more excited when they were asked to return on March 25 and were then chosen to be among the 12 girls and 13 boys performing the waltz, a pointe dance of about seven to eight minutes.

Amy is a fifth-grade student at Valley Road School in Clark. She studies at the Walcoff-McCusker Dance Studio five days a week taking ballet, pointe, tap, jazz and acrobatics in addition to working on Sundays with the New Jersey Dance Theatre Guild Ballet Company.

On Fridays she participates in the recreation program at Valley Road School in roller skating and was recently in a school gymnastics show.

Amy has been a member of the guild ballet company for a year and in December performed as the squirrel in "The Nutcracker" in Plainfield.

Elizabeth is a seventh-grade honor student at Rahway Junior High School. She studies at the Walcoff-McCusker Dance Studio four days a week taking ballet, pointe and jazz, in addition to working Sundays with the guild ballet company under the direction of Alfredo Corvino of Julliard and Dance Circle School in New York City.

This year was her third with the company and she had the honor of dancing the lead children's role of Clara in this year's "Nutcracker" which was performed in Plainfield.

She recently won second place in the city junior high school talent contest as well as recently being named last month's "Talented Teenager" in The Rahway News-Record. She enjoys needlework such as embroidery and sewing.

Mrs. Lichardus recalled last year when a group of mothers and students from the dance studio went to see the Royal Ballet in the Metropolitan last spring, saying to Amy, "Can you imagine that someday you might be dancing on that stage?"

Amy, sitting on a pillow brought from home so she could see, said she was just amazed at the beauty of the theatre and the Royal Ballet. Her mother said, "And her it is not even a year later and something we thought would take 10 years is here already."

All rehearsals will be scheduled from 5:30 to about 7:30 p.m. They went to their first rehearsal on March 28. The first performance is scheduled for the week of May 12 at the Metropolitan Opera House.



PICKED FOR BOLSHOI BALLET... Amy Lichardus, 10, of Clark, left, and Elizabeth Stewart, 12, of Rahway were selected from among 300 youths to perform with the Bolshoi Ballet in a performance of "Sleeping Beauty" at the Metropolitan Opera House in Lincoln Center in New York City.

## United Counties Trust appoints new officers

Dante P. Crisonino of Fairview and William T. Heath of Waldwick were promoted to assistant vice presidents. E. Wayne Kavalek of Middletown was made assistant treasurer and Gary R. Pitzzenmayer of Linden became assistant secretary at United Counties Trust Company of Elizabeth.

The announcement was made by bank president Raymond W. Bauer.

Mr. Crisonino, manager of the main office, joined the bank in 1973. He was made an assistant vice president in that year and promoted to assistant treasurer and assistant secretary last year.

His prior affiliation was with the First Jersey National Bank of Jersey City. A graduate of Fairleigh Dickinson University, Mr. Crisonino has attended Jersey City State College.

Mr. Heath, manager of the Hillside office, joined the bank in 1969 as manager of the depositors accounting department. In 1971 he was appointed an assistant treasurer, in 1972 he entered the bank's management training program and in 1973 he was promoted to assistant treasurer and assistant secretary.

Mr. Heath is a graduate of the New Jersey Bankers Association data processing school and holds an associate degree from Rutgers, the State University.

He is a member of the Eastern Union County Chamber of Commerce and the Hillside Industrial Association.

Mr. Kavalek, assistant manager of the installment department, Monmouth County region, joined the bank in 1969. The new officer matriculated at Monmouth College and the University of South Carolina where he majored in business administration-economics.

He has attended the American Institute of Banking. Mr. Pitzzenmayer is a member of the Middleton Jaycees and the American Institute of Banking.

Mr. Pitzzenmayer, operations officer at the Cranford office, joined the firm in 1970. In 1973 he entered the bank's management training program and on completion of the program was assigned to the Cranford office as an administrative assistant.

The new officer has attended the American Institute of Banking and is matriculating at Union College in Cranford where he majors in finance.

Active in civic affairs, Mr. Pitzzenmayer is a member of the Cranford Kiwanis Club, chairman of the current fund drive of the Cranford United Way, commercial division; treasurer of the Cranford Heart Association and coach of the Westfield recreation wrestling league.

## Mrs. Studwell's work displayed in New York

An exhibit of the paintings and drawings of Mrs. Richard D. Studwell of 1 Cherry Lane, Westfield, a former Rahway resident, is being presented at Panoras Gallery, 62 West 50th Street, New York City.

Her work, signed with her artist name of Jackie Heaslip Studwell, will be displayed until Saturday, April 19. Viewing hours are from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Selections being shown include figure studies rendered with the expertise acquired during five years of work with the Art Students' League in Manhattan. This is where her noted artist father, William Heaslip, also studied many years ago.

Mr. Heaslip was an illustrator for the New York Sunday Times magazine section, taught at Rahway Art Center, and participated in many community benefits and art promotions. He maintained a private studio in Hackensack until his death several years ago.

Mrs. Studwell also studied landscaping with Joseph Newman and Lester Stevens. The urge to paint came later in life, Mrs. Studwell said. She holds a master's degree in chemistry and biology from Washington College of New York University.

She held an assistant professor's post at the school and later accepted a laboratory position with Merck and Company, Incorporated of Rahway.

## William J. McBride picked to lead county 'walk-a-thon'

William J. McBride of Rahway was named "Super Walk" chairman by officials of the Union County chapter of the March of Dimes. Mr. McBride has served on the board of the county chapter for many years and was chairman of last year's "Walk-a-thon."

"We expect this year's 'Super Walk' to be the biggest and best ever. The support offered from throughout the county is astounding," stated Mr. McBride.

Last year's event had 1,800 walkers trek 20 miles to help fight birth defects. This year chapter members are hoping to double the figure.

Mr. McBride said due to the high cost of gasoline two starting points will be set up. One will be Warnants Park for walkers coming from the eastern part of the county and the other will be the Central New Jersey Railroad Station in Westfield, the South Street entrance, for those from the western portion.

For information telephone 351-0320 or stop by walk headquarters in room no. 304 at 520 Westfield Avenue, Elizabeth.

## Wine not? By Enrico

Chateauf - du - Pape (pronounced CHA - TOE - NUF - DEW - PAPE) is a red wine from the Rhone Valley. It was first made back in the 14th century by monks attached to the summer palace of the French popes. (There is some write Chateauf-du-Pape, but it is not seen often.)

Because of the hot, sunny climate, the grapes yield more alcohol by volume than those grown further north. That's what makes Chateauf - du - Pape so rich-tasting.

The wine is a blend, a mixture of from five to fifteen different grape varieties. But unlike other blended wines, Chateauf-du-Pape is made from grapes grown in one vineyard. Though the grapes are different, their growing conditions are the same.

Chateauf-du-Pape is slow to mature; first it develops in the wooden vat, and then continues to mature in the bottle. It is still mellowing some three to five years after bottling.

Organize car wash

A spring car wash will be conducted by members of the Rahway First Aid Squad Cadets and the Interact Service Club of Rahway High School on Saturday, April 19, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the One Hour Mart parking lot on St. George Avenue.

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Mr. Painter was presented with a plaque in honor of his service to the group. Daniel Cotugno of Clark was made vice president. George Paton of Roselle Park became secretary and Myles J. Hergert of Linden treasurer.

Mrs. Anthony J. (Eva) Pascale of Rahway was made a directress.

## Mrs. Wilson tells public how she spends salary

Assemblywoman Mrs. James (Betty) Wilson of the 22nd district released the first of two personal disclosure statements which she said she intends to make this year.

"Consistent with my belief that public officials should disclose matters of personal finances as public information, I will issue two disclosure statements," Mrs. Wilson said. "The first shows how I expend my legislative salary. It reveals the number of days I was absent from my teaching duties and discloses costs to the school district for a substitute teacher. The second statement will be one showing personal income, assets, liabilities and net worth, the Democratic assemblywoman said.

The first statement revealed that with a net annual legislative salary of \$7,306, Mrs. Wilson spent \$7,342.21 to run a district office in Scotch Plains and to meet the expenses of holding office.

Her statement also shows she expended \$1,359.50 for clerical work, \$1,005.92 for telephone and \$550 for rent prior to state takeover of the rental.

Other expenses she listed covered costs totalling \$4,300.58. Her district includes Rahway and Clark. "During the 15 months following my election in November 1973 until February 28 I was absent from school on legislative business for 78 days for which I was paid my regular salary," she explained. "The total cost of paying a substitute teacher for those days was \$3,318.25. Under terms of New Jersey law public school teachers are entitled to time off from

school duties without loss of pay if elected to the legislature," stated Mrs. Wilson in making her disclosure.

During her campaign in 1973, Mrs. Wilson took an unsalaried leave of absence for 47 days. "On days I am in Trenton I frequently take individual students or small groups of students to learn how government works," Mrs. Wilson said.

"Approximately 100 student visits were made for the purpose of utilizing state government as a laboratory of learning," the history teacher said. "My students have come to a better understanding of how the legislature functions through learning how the committee system works, how bills are drafted and amended and how leaders set priorities."

"I have been able to add insight into the processes of government for my students," Mrs. Wilson said.

## Rahway coed receives post

Miss Margaret Ann Brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brunette of 1071 Baumann Court, Rahway, was among 32 Wilkes College students who were notified of their appointments as resident assistants for the next school year at the Wilkes-Barre, Pa. school.

Miss Brunette is a junior psychology major and a 1972 graduate of Rahway High School. She was a resident assistant the past year at Wilkes College.

## Halpin sees new trend in school board races

Union County clerk Walter G. Halpin said he is awaking in the elective processes in Union County, and possibly throughout New Jersey, which does not bode well for both major political parties.

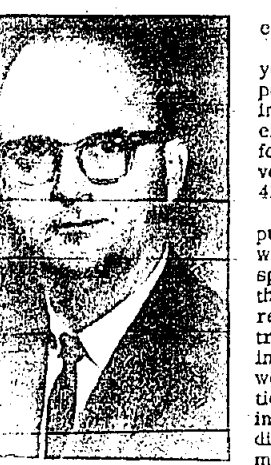
He notes the average voter may have lost interest in who will represent him at all levels of government and voters are now turning out to vote on the bread and butter issue of school budgets and selecting candidates who will decide how the major portion of their tax dollar will be spent.

The clerk said as a result of figures compiled by him in the 18 school board elections held in March, more eligible voters turned out to cast votes for budgets and school board can-

didates than voted for primary election candidates in the June election last year when candidates were selected by both parties for federal, county and municipal offices for the November election.

What makes it even more significant, Mr. Halpin continued, is that 12,000 more people voted in the last school board elections in 18 of the 21 municipalities in the county that held school elections and did it with the polls open six less hours, using less poll workers and at less expense to the taxpayers involved.

As an example Mr. Halpin cited his hometown of Fanwood where, at the last school election, the seven voting districts were located at four polling sites, using four voting machines



Walter G. Halpin

ed 1,714 voters. In the June primary last year there were also four polling sites but seven voting machines, 28 poll workers who worked 13 hours for \$40 each and for seven voting districts processed 421 voters, he said.

Mr. Halpin stated the public should start to ask why more money has to be spent in a primary election throughout the county to rent polling places, hire truckers to deliver machines and hire so many poll workers when consolidation is practicable as shown in school elections. He indicated he is ready to submit ideas where significant savings can be made in primary election costs.

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## With gasoline rationing bureaucracy will grow while freedom shrinks

By E. Sidman Wachter

For the doctrinaire liberals controlling the United States congress and the mass media, it is an article of faith that every problem can be solved by massive infusions of taxpayers' money in conjunction with a mind-boggling increase in the federal bureaucracy. So it is with education, civil rights, agriculture, welfare, children, senior citizens and so-called "minority groups."

It is not surprising that these liberals should now be screaming loudly for gasoline rationing. To be sure, if an oil glut rather than an oil shortage is actually the worldwide problem, as stated by the "London Economist," any effort to discourage the sale and use of fuel would seem pretty silly. For never let it be said a liberal would worry his head about something so "minor" as our unfavorable balance of trade.

Assuming the latter to be a good reason for conserving oil in our country, gasoline rationing would still be a "minor" event. Even during World War II when a bonafide emergency did exist, gasoline rationing was a disaster. Black markets and widespread corruption developed. Today with an estimated 100 million more vehicles in operation than in the early 1940s, counterfeiting of coupons and other illegal activities would serve chiefly to enrich new and powerful crime syndicates.

A rationing system would take four to six months to implement and 15,000 to 20,000 nonproductive bureaucrats would have to be paid to operate it. The cost of the allocation and distribution system has been estimated at about \$2 billion. Applications would have to be endlessly processed, filed and validated. The inconvenience, confusion, long lines and red tape involved just in filing an application for gasoline coupons would be horrendous.

Moreover, gasoline rationing would abolish freedom of economic choice. The bureaucrats would decide just how much fuel each business and individual might have—and emergency cases—would be considered by unelected government factotums. Talk about an open invitation to bribery and/or dirty politics!

America already has a growing bureaucracy. Its expansion would give the federal government even more control over the private lives of individuals and the conduct of businesses.

Gasoline rationing would also have an adverse economic effect in an ever-widening circle. Tourism would suffer severely. Highway and resort facilities throughout the land would have to be closed, making thousands more jobless.

But in the long light of history the most undesirable effect of gasoline rationing would be its inevitable restriction on the mobility of free Americans. One of the characteristics of a free, open society is the freedom to move about when, where and how one may wish, without being accountable to any individual or government agency. You get in your automobile tomorrow morning, and who knows where you may have traveled by tomorrow afternoon?

Under gasoline rationing most people would have to use mass transportation. Internal revenue service agents, already accused of political activities, or some future national police force, would find it immeasurably easier to keep track of the comings and goings of Americans compelled to travel by airplane, bus or train. As shown so clearly in "The Gulag Archipelago," one need not be a criminal or subversive to be hounded by government agents. Just being of a particular profession of philosophy and sufficient of a person suspect if a government becomes all-powerful.

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According to agriculture department economists, the increase in the price support for milk products to 85% of parity would raise the price of milk by 8¢ a gallon, cheese by 10¢ a pound and butter by 20¢ a pound. This is hardly a prescription against inflation for low- and moderate-income families. Moreover, by encouraging a "jump" production, the agriculture officials would invite huge surpluses they would have to buy and store at an enormous cost to the taxpayers.

The powerful farm lobby has invited a veto of the farm bill by the president. I am encouraged that secretary of agriculture Earl Buttz has opposed the new farm bill, but he has been fighting an uphill battle against the powerful farm-bloc lobby in congress.

The house members at least attempted to keep a reasonable lid on farm subsidies. The one-year bill passed in the house would increase costs of farm products by \$70 million to a total of \$1.1 billion while costs under the senate bill would escalate from \$2.8 billion the first year to a total of \$19.6 billion in three years.

Besides the enormous cost of perpetuating agricultural subsidies when prices are at peak levels, the bill would increase the production of non-food crops such as cotton and tobacco. This just the opposite of what the bill is purportedly designed to do. It will induce farmers to grow more cotton which is already in surplus and less food grains and soybeans which are in short supply.

In many cases the increased loan rates and target prices would provide price protection to farmers far in excess of their out-of-pocket costs. Protecting inflated land values will simply lead to another round of inflation and a further effort in the future to have the new land values protected in every successive farm bill.

Though grain prices have declined in recent months they are still at levels far above those of three or four years ago. Most wheat and feed grain producers have received the highest incomes of their lives. Let us not forget they reaped enormous benefits from the huge Soviet grain deals which almost wiped out America's grain surplus and sent prices soaring. American taxpayers cannot be expected to maintain the excessive profit margins of those years for grain growers.

Agriculture is the biggest business in our nation. For many years some of the leading farm organizations have been demanding a free market system so they could set their own prices without government interference. With an enormous world demand for American farmers no longer require government incentives and billions of dollars in subsidies and loan guarantees to increase their production. The free market forces of supply and demand should be the basis of a new farm policy.

What is really needed to stimulate greater farm production and exports is some relief from foreign trade barriers to United States farm products.

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## Program aids Clark victim of emphysema

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machine and to prepare the medication which the device forces into the lungs. He also takes oral medicine to prevent lung infections. Despite his affliction Mr. Zimmerman refuses to be discouraged. Mr. Hanney said. He drives his automobile to shopping centers and to the hospital for his periodic clinic visits.

He also takes daily walks with his dog and continues to maintain an interest in business affairs of local no. 675 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

Mr. Zimmerman is one of 60 lung patients in the county receiving home care service, a caseload handled by the visiting nurses staff in consultation with Mrs. O'Neill. He readily agrees to the program and visits of Mrs. O'Neill help him to breathe easier and to maintain a positive attitude.

The purpose of the program, Mr. Hanney explained, is to assist in patient rehabilitation, to reduce hospital re-admissions and to increase the time between admissions.

It is also designed to teach the patient his physical limitations and strengths and to teach him to perform breathing exercises, postural drainage and the use and maintenance of his inhalation therapy equipment, Mr. Hanney noted.

The service is available to residents of Clark, Cranford, Elizabeth, Garwood, Hillside, Kenilworth, Linden, Mountainside, Rahway, Roselle, Roselle Park, Springfield, Union, Westfield and Winfield Park.

Patients may apply directly to the nursing service or be referred by their physician or through the hospitals, the association spokesman said.

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WAITING FOR THE FLOOD... Rahway artist Lloyd Garrison sounds a pessimistic note with his cartoon on rising taxes. Dismal as it may appear the recent passage of increased municipal budgets in Rahway and

Clark and the talk of appealing board of education budgets may cause many local taxpayers to agree with him.

## Letters to the Editor

### Kagan refutes charges of Uminski.

Nicholas J. Uminski's remarks before the Clark council on March 26 relative to the township rent ordinance taxes. Does he not realize that the ordinance has many flaws. He could have learned in advance from council members that the decrease in taxes given to the landlords was not the doing of council members but the product of a Union County reevaluation. This was correctly brought out by council members Mrs. Carl H. (Alma) Kumpf and Manuel S. Dios at the meeting after Mr. Umanski made the public statement.

Furthermore Mr. Umanski is laboring under the assumption that tenants do not pay taxes. Does he not realize that landlords figure municipal real estate taxes into their costs and the rents tenants have to pay? Here again a little research would have brought out the fact that in Lexington, Gibson and Hillcrest Apartments tenants paid surcharges for increased taxes two years ago in addition to their regular apartment rents. Also when the landlord was given a \$71,000 reduction in taxes the tenants did not receive their proportionate share of the decrease.

One more fact should be known by Mr. Umanski. Tenants cannot deduct from their income taxes the real estate tax they pay each month with their rent. Neither can they declare the interest the landlord pays on his mortgage, but the landlord can in both cases.

As a group we do not want any arguments with other citizens of the township, but remarks as made by Mr. Umanski blaming us for increased township taxes must be answered.

Herman Kagan, Vice president Clark Tenants Association Clark

### Thank city residents who gave to aid band booster drives

For the past four and one-half years the paper drives for the benefit of the Rahway High School band, held under the sponsorship of the school band boosters under the chairmanship of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. "Red" Graham, have been held in the parking lot of the Quinn and Boden Company of Rahway.

We would like to thank everyone who cooperated with us, company officials, members of the police and fire departments, the young people who worked and of course their parents. We also hope all who have supported the band in the past will continue to support future paper drives and fund-raising activities under the leadership of the school band boosters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Graham 1978 Elizabeth Avenue Rahway.

## School lunch menus

RAHWAY HIGH SCHOOL ARTHUR L. JOHNSON REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Week of April 14  
Must contain one-half pint of whole white, chocolate or skim milk.  
\*Add bread and butter to starred entrees.

MONDAY  
Luncheon no. 1: breaded veal cutlet with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered garden peas and fruit cup.  
Luncheon no. 2: oven-grilled pizza burger on hamburger bun and butter, mashed potatoes, buttered garden peas and fruit cup.  
Luncheon no. 3: bologna and cheese or tuna fish salad sandwich, mashed potatoes, buttered garden peas and fruit cup.  
Luncheon no. 4: cold sliced baked ham salad platter.

TUESDAY  
Luncheon no. 1: baked meat loaf with gravy, buttered noodles, buttered string beans and fruited Jello.  
Luncheon no. 2: cold submarine sandwich with fruit.  
Luncheon no. 3: chopped ham or tuna fish salad sandwich, potato sticks, buttered string beans and fruited Jello.  
Luncheon no. 4: California fruit salad platter.

WEDNESDAY  
Luncheon no. 1: hot roast turkey sandwich with gravy, whipped potatoes, buttered garden spinach and apple sauce.  
Luncheon no. 2: cheese and frankfurter on frankfurter roll and butter, whipped potatoes, buttered garden spinach and apple sauce.  
Luncheon no. 3: sandwich of the day, whipped potatoes and buttered garden spinach.

THURSDAY  
Luncheon no. 1: spaghetti with meat sauce, Italian bread and butter, tossed salad with dressing and chilled juice.  
Luncheon no. 2: southern baked pork rib on hamburger bun and butter, French fried potatoes, tossed salad with dressing and chilled juice.  
Luncheon no. 3: sandwich of the day, French fried potatoes, tossed salad with dressing and chilled juice.

FRIDAY  
Luncheon no. 1: grilled cheese sandwich, buttered carrot, cole slaw and fruit brown Betty.  
Luncheon no. 2: manager's choice with bread and butter, buttered carrots, cole slaw and fruit brown Betty.  
Luncheon no. 3: sandwich of the day, buttered carrots, cole slaw and fruit brown Betty.

CLARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Week of April 14  
Must contain one-half pint of milk.

MONDAY  
Hamburgers, buttered rolls, French fried potatoes, baked beans, onions, relishes and applesauce.

TUESDAY  
Baked chicken, rice and gravy, candied sweet potatoes, peas and carrots, cranberry sauce, bread and butter and cake.

WEDNESDAY  
Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans or spinach, Italian cheese, bread and butter and Jello.

THURSDAY  
Pizza pie, cheese or peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, bread and butter and cookies or fruit cup.

FRIDAY  
Choice of chicken, noodle, cream of tomato or cream of mushroom soups, choice of tuna salad, egg salad or peanut butter and jelly sandwiches and cake or fruit.

## Free market economy should become essence of federal farm policy

By representative Matthew J. Rinaldo

The vote in the house of representatives and senate before the Easter recess approving the new farm subsidy bill has for all practical purposes killed any chance of lowering food costs for American consumers this year even if United States farmers should produce record crops.

In my judgment it is not a farm bill for American food buyers but a subsidy program ostensibly designed to boost farmers' incomes. While this aim is defensible to some degree I fear by sharply raising the floor on United States farm products we may price ourselves out of foreign markets and leave the government with an extremely expensive farm subsidy program.

For instance the senate bill calls for \$19.6 billion in subsidies and loans to farmers over a three-year period. The loans enable farmers to withhold crops from the market until prices rise to higher levels. At one time when farm prices were seriously depressed and United States storage bins were overflowing with surplus crops loans to farmers were entirely justified. It was of no long lasting benefit to consumers to be able to buy farm products inexpensively if it meant thousands of farmers would be forced out of business.

But record farm prices the last two years and predictions that prices will remain high because of a worldwide food shortage makes it completely unnecessary, in my judgment, to raise the floor under farm prices. This would increase food costs and that is why I voted against the house bill.

The senate bill calls for even higher wheat benefits than provided in the house. Target prices for wheat were raised from \$3.10 to \$3.41 and loans from \$2.50 to \$2.87 a bushel. As consumers you can translate that into higher beef and bread prices with no relief in sight for the cattle growers, whose financial condition caused congressmen last year to vote for emergency assistance. Cattle growers are being pushed to the wall by high feed grain costs on one hand and consumer resistance to beef prices on the other. The new farm bill will not relieve the predicament of either one.

## City child study teams receive little publicity but deserve big praise

By William B. Humphries Director, Student Personnel Services

Child study teams have been employed in most New Jersey school systems since the early 1960s. The law now mandates the employment of a basic child study team by all school districts. The basic team consists of a school psychologist, a social worker and a learning disabilities teacher-consultant.

Though all districts have access to these personnel, the nature of their work precludes publicity. Consequently their contribution to the educational program may not be understood except by those who are directly affected.

The teams should more aptly be called child advocate teams. These teams are charged with diagnosing a student's problems and prescribing programs which will alleviate the ills. Team members must keep children in regular classes if at all possible.

In each of the past two years Rahway's teams have had more than 700 students referred to them. These students were referred because of either learning or behavioral problems. For those students who are classified as handicapped, several alternatives exist. They may be placed in one of 14 special classes, which include mentally retarded, neurologically impaired or emotionally disturbed children.

They may also be removed from the regular class for a short period of time and work individually with a supplemental instructor. They may even be sent to another public school special class. They may also be sent to a special class in a private facility. After any or all of these alternatives are tried a child may be placed on home instruction.

Rahway presently has 13 students attending other public schools. They include multiply handicapped, communication handicapped and deaf and retarded children. We also have seven children attending private facilities, six of which are emotionally disturbed and were placed in those private treatment residences by the Union County juvenile court. The seventh one is blind and cerebral palsied, and was placed by the local team with board of education approval.

## City hydrant flushing work to commence

Rahway water department personnel will start their spring hydrant flushing program on Monday, April 14. It is expected the flushing procedure will take from three to four weeks.

Time of flushing will be from 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. daily to minimize traffic interruptions and to prevent discolored water to customers during normal daily usage.

Customers drawing water during the above time period can expect discolored water if they are in the flushing area, according to superintendent of water Thomas K. Schimmel.

## Retirees hear of meal plans

A lasagna luncheon will be sponsored by members of the American Association of Retired Persons at the Rahway senior citizens' center on Esterbrook Avenue, according to Harold Hunt of the Rahway Retired Men's Club.

He announced at the March 31 men's club meeting that the luncheon will be held on Thursday, May 22. Tickets will cost \$4.50 a person.

It was also announced members of the men's club will meet at the center on Monday, April 14, to hear sergeant W. K. Kehrlie of the New Jersey state police.

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program would resume in September and classes would expand to take in the added students.

Mrs. Bugay doubted this saying the only English teachers were those in the federally-funded program and they would be gone.

As an attempt to enhance the ability to learn or to behave more appropriately in the school setting, child study teams are vitally interested in children and they are charged with this responsibility by law. Rahway is fortunate in having two teams which merit the title child advocate teams.

John F. Allaire, Jr. 65 Grand Street Clark

## Making reunion plans

Randolph Hamill, president of the Rahway High School class of 1955, said an organization meeting will be held Thursday, April 10, at 8 p.m. at 259 Elm Avenue, Rahway. Plans will be made for the 20th class reunion later this year. All members of the class interested in working on the arrangements should attend.

# Rutgers geologist sees little chance of serious earthquake in New Jersey but seeks more state monitoring stations

Despite the alarming tremors along the south Jersey coast last summer, chances of a substantial earthquake in the Garden State in the foreseeable future are said to be remote.

In fact, according to doctor Mark Houston, a young assistant professor of geology at Rutgers College in New Brunswick, there is "no evidence" the disturbances in Cape May and Atlantic Counties really

were small earthquakes. By "small," doctor Houston explained in an interview in an old-fashioned office in Geology Hall, he meant a disturbance registering around two or three points out of

10 on a standard Richter seismograph scale. That is about the smallest magnitude detectable being enough to cause houses to shake slightly and dishes to rattle for two or three seconds.

In the case last summer, he said, there was no evidence from outside New Jersey there even was an earthquake on the shore. The Lamont-Doherty Geological Observatory on the Hudson's Palisades received reports of a minor disturbance but nothing registered on its instruments.

He also investigated the possibility that aircraft had created a sonic boom but a check with the department of defense and the federal aviation administration showed there was no aircraft capable of creating a sonic boom in the area at the time.

Doctor Houston said minor disturbances, almost too faint to notice in some cases, can and do occur in almost any section of New Jersey.

He reached up and pulled down from a shelf a thin pamphlet entitled "Earthquakes in New Jersey" which was published in 1973 by the New Jersey department of environmental protection. He quoted a passage which said:

"The Border Fault is probably the longest system of faults in New Jersey. It is the western border of the Triassic Basin and extends from Stony Point, N.Y., to Reading, Pa. The Ramapo section of this fault in Bergen County lies just west, one-quarter to one-half mile, of United States Route no. 202.

There are only four stations for recording earthquakes in New Jersey. But even though earthquakes do not appear to be a significant factor in New Jersey, doctor Houston feels the Garden State needs more earthquake observation stations.

"I believe this for several reasons," doctor Houston said. "One is simply to keep more accurate records about minor movements of the earth's crust in this part of the world."

"Another is to have information as to where it would be dangerous to erect atomic energy plants because movements of the earth might cause cracks

in the plant structure and consequent leakage of dangerous materials," he said.

"Also we are rapidly approaching the time when we can accurately predict when and where an earth-

quake will occur," he said. "Naturally we need information that is as full and complete as we can get to do this."

"We are trying to establish a seismic network to monitor earthquakes in

the entire northeastern region. Institutions in Maine, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Delaware have indicated they will contribute to the network."

He said New Jersey is not presently represented in the network. Work on earthquake prediction is particularly advanced in the United States, Russia and China, doctor Houston said.

In mentioning scientific predictions of earthquakes have become more than a dream, he cited an example. The Lamont-Doherty observatory was studying a series of shocks in the Blue Mountain Lake Region of the Adirondacks on August 1, 1973, when it predicted an earthquake of 2.5 magnitude would occur in "a couple of days."

Two days later such an earthquake did occur there. Doctor Houston also noted seismographs can be used to register shock waves from distant earthquakes. Many New Jersey wells became muddy from the shock waves following the earthquake which smashed Anchorage, Alaska, on Good Friday of 1964.

Automatic recording equipment at nine observation wells in New Jersey recorded a fluctuation of up to two feet in the ground water level at the time. In mentioning the predictions of geologists doctor Houston suggested even geologists should pay more attention to what the predictions are. He and others have predicted there will be major earthquakes on the San Andreas fault, running from Lower California to about San Francisco yet one civil defense disaster headquarters is built right on the fault.



STATE SHOWS SHAKY SPOT... Doctor Mark Houston, Rutgers college geology professor, points to the "Border Fault," probably the longest system of earth faults in New Jersey. Extending from Stony Point, N.Y., to Reading, Pa., the faults have not been noticeably active in the recent geological past except for minor tremors.



TALENTS BLOSSOM WITH COMING OF SPRING... Douglas Baumann of Rahway helped students in the classes of Michael Prisco, Mrs. Ernest Taylor and Douglas Wilmont at Columbian School welcome in spring on March 18 by showing them how to make corsages. Donald Johnson, far left, appears to be having no trouble with his creation, but Mr. Baumann, far right, gives a little assistance to Frudertek Bizozzar. Mr. Baumann donated the materials needed for the 50 corsages.



AND SERVING THE CAKE IS... Mrs. James G. (Lillian) Egolf who spoke on "Serving the Public, Yesterday and Today" before members of the Rahway Women's Club on March 21 in the home of Mrs. John Pohl of 146 Sycamore Street, Rahway. At the affair were, left to right, Mrs. Egolf, Mrs. Harry (Edith) Hanf who is cutting her birthday cake, Mrs. Charles R. (Florence) Kaska and Mrs. Joan Schmaeling.



Mrs. Egolf addresses ladies on nature of public service

## New Trailside center set to open April 20

Preparations are being made by Union County park commissioners for the dedication of the new building for the Trailside nature and science center in the Watchung Reservation on Sunday afternoon, April 20, beginning at 2 o'clock.

The old building will continue in use for many exhibits and workshop activities, a commission spokesman said. It was said new displays and more important exhibits will be in the new structure erected with capital funds provided by the Union County board of chosen trustees.

With a reinforced-concrete frame and concrete block, the new structure is at the opposite end of the parking lot from the old edifice and is on an elevation adjacent to the reservation nursery area.

The ceremonies will be conducted in the auditorium, which can seat about 260 people. Speakers will be announced later. An opportunity will be given for visitors to tour the building.

Exhibit areas will be on the main entrance level as well as a basement level. The auditorium will be to the left of the lobby.

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## Legislative directory for Rahway and Clark

The following is a list of United States senators, congressmen, state senators, state assemblymen, freeholders and elected municipal officials who represent the circulation area covered by The Rahway News-Record and The Clark Patriot. The party affiliation of each officeholder is denoted by R (Republican) or D (Democrat) following the official's name. It is suggested this list be clipped for future reference. It reflects all changes as of January 1975.

### UNITED STATES SENATORS

Clifford P. Case (R), 191 West Milton Avenue, Rahway, 388-2052 (home); senate office building, Washington, D. C., (202) 224-3121.

Harrison A. Williams, Jr. (D), room no. 939A federal building, 970 Broad Street, Newark, 645-3030; room no. 352 Russell senate office building, Washington, D. C., (202) 225-4744.

### UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE

Matthew J. Rinaldi (R), 142 Headley Terrace, Union, 686-0915 (home); house office building, Washington, D. C., (202) 224-3121.

### STATE SENATOR

District no. 22 which includes Rahway and Clark Peter J. McDonough, 3rd (R), p.o. box 866, 403 Berckman Street, Plainfield, 07061, 756-2050 (home); 756-4000 (office).

### STATE ASSEMBLYMEN

District no. 22 which includes Rahway and Clark Mrs. James (Betty) Wilson (D), 1729 East Second Street, Scotch Plains 07076, 322-2339 (office). Arnold J. D'Ambrosia (D), 1181 Broadway, Rahway, 381-6861 (home).

### UNION COUNTY FREEHOLDERS

Edward H. Tiller (R), 502 Locust Avenue, Garwood, 789-1565 (home); 243-2141 (office). Thomas W. Long (D), board director, 219 Gosner Street, Linden, 925-1114 (home); 862-5818 (office). Walter E. Ulrich (R), 98 Colonia Boulevard, Rahway, 388-7859 (home); 623-8450 (office). Harold Seymour Jr. (D), 604 Orchard Street, Cranford, 276-8924 (home); 276-8900 (office). Everett C. Latimore (D), 214 Hillcrest Avenue, Plainfield, 756-3771 (home); 757-7000 (office). John D. Molozzi (D), 1119 Bender Avenue, Roselle Park, 241-5467. Walter E. Boright (D), 1202 Woodside Road, Westfield, 233-5444. William J. McCloud (D), 28 Monmouth Road, Elizabeth, 351-5639. Herbert J. Heilmann, Jr. (R), 762 Hemlock Street, Union, 688-1041 (home); 686-6676 (office).

### RAHWAY MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS

Mayor Daniel L. Martin (D), 454 Hamilton Street, 388-4456.

### COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE

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### WARD COUNCILMEN

First ward, Eugene D. Gentsch (R), 735 East Milton Avenue, 382-2574. Second ward, John C. Marsh (R), 924 Maurice Avenue, 388-0663. Third ward, Richard J. Voynik (R), 104 Jensen Avenue, 381-4224. Fourth ward, Walter McLeod (D), 856 Thorn Street, 381-3584. Fifth ward, Peter M. Donovan (R), 688 Stone Street, 388-2013. Sixth ward, Louis G. Boch (R), 856 Milton Boulevard, 388-1008.

### CLARK MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS

Mayor Bernard G. Yarusavage (R), 21 Linda Lane, 381-7270.

### COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE

Manuel S. Dios (R), 49 Roberts Road, 381-9275. Mrs. Carl H. (Almamae) Kumpf (R), 75 Hillcrest Drive, 381-4827. Joseph B. Pozniak (R), 113 Amelia Drive, 381-2473.

### WARD COUNCILMEN

First ward, John J. Cullen (D), 35 Willow Way, 388-6585. Second ward, Bernard G. Hayden (D), 95 Georgia Street, 232-7281. Third ward, Donald W. Labella (D), 151 Prospect Street, 388-6051. Fourth ward, John Bodnar, Jr., council president (D), 622 Madison Hill Road, 382-0681.

## Ladies donate Easter treats for city needy

Mrs. John F. Brown of 1445 New Church Street, Rahway, chairlady of the social service department of the Rahway Woman's Club, reported two large Easter baskets were presented to two needy elderly women. Also ice cream was donated for the children at the Rahway Day Care Center, according to club publicity chairwoman Mrs. Tor (Stephanie) Cedervall.

Baskets were filled by members at their March 19 meeting held at the home of Mrs. Cedervall at which time they also worked on a block-pattern quilt for the purpose of raising social service funds.

The next meeting of this unit will be a planning session for next year's activities scheduled for Wednesday, April 16, at the home of Mrs. John Pohl of 146 Sycamore Street.

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## Rahway pair, two Clarkites get school aid

Two Rahway and two Clark residents were among 28 Union College students awarded scholarships at the Cranford-based college for the current academic year, it was reported by the director of financial aid.

The Rahway residents included Brian D. Bollwege of 956 Milton Boulevard who was awarded a New Jersey Bell Telephone Company scholarship. Mr. Bollwege is a biology major at Union College.

Miss Wendy L. Saracen of 180 Jensen Avenue, Rahway, was the recipient of the Irene Poorman Willard scholarship. Miss Saracen is also a biology major. Clark residents included Joseph Kelleman of 18 Clause Road who was

## Holy Trinity prepares sale

The annual rummage sale of the Ladies Ajar Society of Holy Trinity Eastern Orthodox Church of Clark and Rahway will be held at the church premises on Irving Street across from the A and P supermarket.

The sale will extend from Wednesday through Saturday, April 16-19, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on all four days.

## Gas company offers classes

A free spring "Modern Living Class" will be sponsored by representatives of Public Service Electric and Gas Company at their Home Service Center, 1530 Irving Street, Rahway.

The class will be held on Tuesday, April 15, at 10:30 a.m. and again on Thursday, April 17, at 1:30 p.m. The sessions will deal with new recipes, household safety and air conditioners.

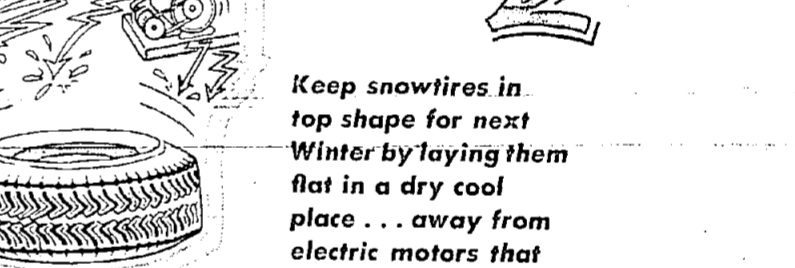
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### Miss Sabina Annese to wed Joseph Lubrano

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Annese, Sr. of Clark announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sabina "Donna" Annese to Joseph Lubrano, the son of Mr. and

Mrs. Edward Lubrano, Sr. of Clark. A fall wedding was planned.

The future bride was graduated from Snyder High School in Jersey City in 1965. She is employed as a secretary with Schering Pharmaceutical Corporation of Kenilworth.

The future groom was graduated from Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark in 1965. Mr. Lubrano, who is self-employed, is affiliated with J and E Autobody in Clark.

### Scout ladies tell of social

Members of the Mother's Club of Boy Scout troop no. 47 of Rahway will hold a fashion show and game social on Monday, April 14, at the American Legion Hall on Maple Avenue in Rahway at 7:30 p.m.

Chairladies for the event will be Mrs. William Lizak and Mrs. Frank Duntley. Ticket chairlady will be Mrs. John Bohrer. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the club at the door or by telephoning 382-0959.

### "Boyfriend" tonight

The musical "The Boyfriend" will be presented at Rahway Junior High School tonight starting at 7:30 p.m. It will also be shown tomorrow and Saturday at the same time. Reserved seats will be \$2 and general admission seats \$1.



Miss Sabina "Donna" Annese

### Meeting date told for ladies in Clark unit

Members of Clark unit no. 328 of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold a meeting at the post home on Liberty Street on Wednesday, April 16, according to president Mrs. John A. Gudor.

Delegates will attend the next meeting of the Union County Convention Corporation at Connecticut Farms post no. 35 in Union on Monday, April 14.

Members of the Union County organization of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold their next meeting at Martin Wallberg post no. 3 in Westfield on Thursday, April 17. It was said delegates, alternates and delegates-at-large will attend.

Mrs. Herbert Muth and Mrs. Steven Horin will be chairladies for the refreshments to be sold at the "Clark Ladies" "white elephant" and rummage sale to be held at the post home on Saturday, April 19, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.



Miss Renee F. Pelusio



MRS. GEORGE ALAN YARUSAVAGE (The former Miss Colleen Marie Durfee)

### Glennon sets club address

Gerald T. Glennon, Clark prosecutor, will be guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Clark Democratic Club incorporated to be held at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall on Broadway in Clark on Friday, April 11, at 8:30 p.m.

Mr. Glennon will speak on the duties of the prosecutors office. A question-and-answer period will follow.

An invitation is extended to Clark residents.

### Miss Cossa named

Miss Nancy Cossa, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mario Cossa of 890 Lakeside Drive, Rahway, was named to the psychology honor society, Psi Chi, the social studies honor society, Pi Gamma Mu and the national honor society for education, Kappa Delta Pi at Montclair State College in Upper Merioneth, N.J. Miss Cossa is a 1972 graduate of Rahway Senior High School.

### Miss Renee F. Pelusio to wed Evan S. Ravich

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pelusio of 57 Bartell Place, Clark, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Renee F. Pelusio, to Evan S. Ravich, the son of Judge and Mrs. David Ravich of 38 Frances Drive, Clark.

The couple announced a June 27, 1976 wedding. The future newlyweds reside with their parents.

Miss Pelusio was graduated from Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark in 1972. She expects to receive her bachelor of arts degree in elementary education from Kean College of New Jersey in Union later this year. The future bride is employed as a substitute teacher in the Clark public school system.

Mr. Ravich was graduated from Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in 1972. He expects to receive his science degree from The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, Pa. in 1976. The future groom is employed as night manager for In-Jeans in Rahway.

### Leave drive posts

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Graham of 1978 Elizabeth Avenue, Rahway, announced they have retired as chairmen of the Rahway High School Band Boosters, incorporated paper drives. They thanked their helpers and expressed their pride in band members.

### Miss Colleen Durfee espouses mayor's son

Miss Colleen Marie Durfee of Hershey, Pa., was wed to George Alan Yarusavage of Clark on Saturday, April 5, at 11 a.m. in All Saints Episcopal Church of Hershey.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Durfee of 403 West Maple Avenue, Hershey. The groom is the son of Clark mayor and Mrs. Bernard G. Yarusavage of 21 Linda Lane, Clark.

Reverend Howard Kishpaugh of All Saints Church officiated. Mrs. William Alland performed as organist. A reception followed at Hershey Parkview Manor.

Miss Andrea L. Durfee, sister of the bride from Hershey, was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Mrs. James J. Colflesh of Latrobe, Pa. and Miss Valerie L. Durfee of Hershey, both sisters of the bride, plus Mrs. David G. Micklewright of Crown Point, Ind., a friend of the bride.

The bride was attired in a white, floor-length empire gown of marquisette with a high neckline and circular yoke inlays of venise lace. The fitted trumpet sleeves and sweep train were also trimmed with venise lace.

The sculptured Camelot cap accented with seed pearls held her triple, elbow-length veils of illusion. She carried pompons, blue baby's breath and white sweetheart roses.

The best man was Frederick Zimmermann of Irvington, cousin of the groom. The ushers were Vincent Peters of Morris Plains, cousin of the groom, plus John Pugh of Newton Centre, Mass., and William Guthlein, Jr. of Clark, both friends of the groom.

The bride was graduated from Hershey High School in Hershey, Pennsylvania State University in University Park, Pa., and the Institute for Paralegal Training in Philadelphia, Pa.

She is employed as a legal assistant for Westvaco Corporation in New York City.

The groom was graduated from Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark and Pennsylvania State University in University Park, Pa.

He is a trainee in economic analysis and transportation pricing for Continental Can Company of Greenwich, Conn.

Following a one-week trip to Hawaii the couple will assume residence in Norfolk, Conn.

### Seton seniors to hear talks about schools

Representatives of the Union County community college system comprised of Union College in Cranford, Elizabeth and Plainfield and Union County Technical Institute in Scotch Plains will visit Mother Seton Regional High School in Clark on Friday, April 11th at 11 a.m.

The visitors will discuss educational opportunities for full- and part-time students at both institutions, including programs and courses available, admissions criteria, student services, financial aid and social and athletic activities.

### German group members set

An open house and cake sale will be held by members of Deutsche Sprachschule, incorporated, a Union-based German language school, on Saturday, April 12, starting at 9 a.m. at the school.

On Saturday, May 10, school members will hold a fund raising spring dinner dance at Farcher's Grove in Union. For tickets and reservations telephone 688-6320 or 241-1277.

Albrecht Mater of 44 Doris Way, Clark, was elected to a fourth term as president of the group. The school, which was founded 40 years ago, has a staff of state-licensed instructors and student enrollment of 240.

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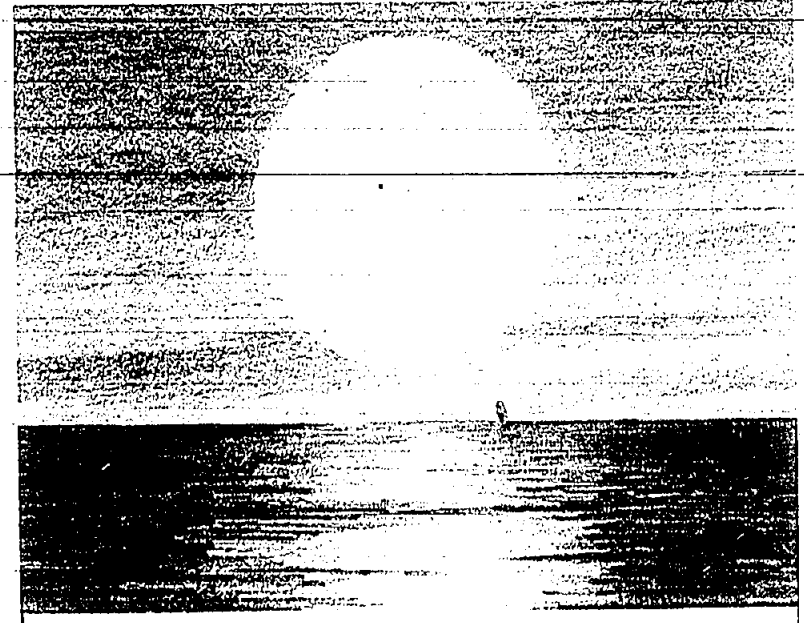
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### DAR chapter members tell of April card party

A card party will be held under the direction of ways and means committee members of the Rebecca Cornell chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution on Wednesday, April 30.

The party will be held at the home of Mrs. Vester Troxel of Colonia at 1 p.m. The announcement came at the April 2 chapter meeting in the home of recent Mrs. J. Nelson Smith of Matawan.

It was also said reports of officers and chairwomen will be due at the annual meeting on Wednesday, May 1, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ruth Cleveland of 521 West Meadow Avenue, Rahway.

Three chapter members will leave Sunday, April 13, to attend the 83rd Continental Congress in Washington, D. C.

At the April session state American-heritage chairwoman Mrs. Augustine

Scaffidi of Morganville spoke on "The Mayflower Crossing."

The regent reported that chapter member Mrs. William L. Rand received the "Outstanding Junior Award" for the state at the 83rd state conference held on March 20 in Cherry Hill.

Mrs. Rand was a page at the affair as was Miss Roxanne Milbury. Seven chapter members reportedly attended the conference.

Miss W. A. Milbury attended a reception for the benefit of Indian schools. The chapter received a certificate of honorable mention on the state honor roll which was presented the same day.

Also at the club session a letter was read from the children of the Tamassee DAR School in South Carolina thanking chapter members for their donation. The school is for underprivileged children.



PRETTY CLARK PLAYERS . . . Miss Patricia Zeldner, left, and Miss Catherine Byrnes take a break from rehearsals for "Little Mary Sunshine." The Clark Players will open the show tomorrow at Frank K. Hahly School on Karitan Road in Clark. The premier performance is sold out but tickets are available for Saturday, April 12, and Friday and Saturday, April 18 and 19. For information telephone 382-0203. Miss Byrnes plays Little Mary while Miss Zeldner will portray an opera star in the musical comedy.

### Players to open tomorrow with sold-out performance

The musical comedy clichés which delighted audiences in the first quarter of this century will be the basis for much of the fun in "The Clark Players' production of 'Little Mary Sunshine' which will open tomorrow at Frank K. Hahly School in Clark.

The opening performance at the school auditorium on Karitan Road has been sold out but tickets are available for productions on Saturday, April 12, and Friday and Saturday, April 18 and 19. All shows will be at 8:30 p.m.

The role of tender Little Mary, "young 'n' in the Rocky Mountains is about to be foreclosed, will be portrayed by Miss Catherine Byrnes. Bart Zucosky will play her hero and savior, captain Warrington.

The "Good Indian" who raised Little Mary will be played by Alan Forster while the "bad Indian" will be portrayed by Gerald Mike.

Also aiding Little Mary will be Miss Susan Mantz as her maid and Miss Patricia Zeldner as an operatic diva. The entire cast will be under the direction of Mrs. Mark (Heidi) Waters.

The mountain sets were constructed under the direction of Thomas Casmano while John Nakovich was in charge of the Edwardian costumes.

Marl Waters is musical director, Maury Hermanis choreographer and Richard Ringer and Mr. Zucosky are producers.

For ticket information telephone 382-0203.

## Opposition to generic drug bills expressed by Merck union head

Labor union members expressed their opposition to bills presented to the New Jersey legislature which would permit drugists to substitute generic drugs for brand name prescriptions ordered by doctors.

Such opposition was related by Robert Haring, president of Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers local no. 8-575 of the American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations, which represents 930 production employees at Merck and Company, incorporated of Rahway.

He said members of his union are convinced the substitute measures would not lessen cost to patients but would lessen patient confidence in the quality of substitute drugs.

The health aspects are most important but Haring also advised proposals would also have a devastating effect on the pharmaceutical industry in our state and lead to the layoff of workers in our leading drug manufacturing firms at a time when we need more, not less, job opportunities," Mr. Haring stated.

The union president said the legislative bills authorizing such substitution make erroneous claims of savings to consumers. Aside from the fact that the cheapest can never be considered a substitute for quality, he said, the sponsors of the bills allegedly disguised the fact that the cost of maintaining and supervising the substitute plan would cost the patients, as taxpayers, more than any possible savings in alleged lower drugstore cost.

The legislators' attention is directed to studies which show the total actual

savings to all patients based on the substitute measures indicate a savings of less than \$72,000, Mr. Haring claimed, whereas the sponsors of the measures conservatively estimate the cost of supervision would greatly exceed the supposed savings.

Overlooked by any of the sponsors, the union head further claimed, is the mandatory decrease in prescription effectiveness and confidence and what he called the discouraging effect it would have on future research by pharmaceutical industry scientists.

Overlooked by the sponsors of the drug prescription substitute, he said, is the dynamic contributions by the pharmaceutical industry to the general economy of New Jersey and what he called the state's standard as the research center of the world.

### Baker notes aid on federal funds in criticizing Sisto landfill permit

"He needed citizen participation to get federal funds, but now he ignores it," declared Howard E. Baker, chairman of Rahway Citizens for Flood Control, in regards to what he sees as the indifference of mayor Daniel L. Martin.

Members of the city flood control group are angered because they were not notified of the renewed application for an encroachment line filed by and granted to owners of Sisto Realty Company, Mr. Baker explained.

According to group secretary Mrs. Lor (Stephanie) Cedervall, the silence on the part of city officials was resented because participation by flood group members aided the city in obtaining federal funds for a master plan study.

Group members further said the landfill approved for the Sisto property, located near St. George Avenue and Church Street on the north bank of Robinson's Branch, is in violation of recommendations in the master plan.

Earlier Mrs. Cedervall resigned her post as mayor's alternate to the board of trustees of the Rahway Public Library over what she called a conflict of interest by mayor Martin.

While conceding he owns property in the area in question and sits on the planning board which gave the permit, the mayor denied any conflict saying he is a board member by statute and the permit was awarded according to procedures established by law.

### Rahway coed makes listing

Miss Andrea Alice Johannessen of 619 West Lake Avenue, Rahway, is among 20 Union College students who were selected for inclusion in the current edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges."

Miss Johannessen is enrolled in a three-year cooperative program in professional nursing conducted jointly by Union College and the School of Nursing of Muhlenberg Hospital in Plainfield.

She was named to the president's honor list and serves on the Muhlenberg yearbook staff. Miss Johannessen also does youth fellowship work for her church.

32,000 people read our newspapers every week of the year.

ELECTED . . . William G. Foster of Short Hills was elected assistant vice president and investment officer by the board of directors of City Federal Savings and Loan Association of Elizabeth. Mr. Foster will be responsible for managing the association's \$130 million securities portfolio. Prior to joining City Federal Mr. Foster was an investment officer with the Chase Manhattan Bank in New York City and previously he served as operations training director with Hyslop Eastman-Dillon and Company, Incorporated.

### Navy award for city man set by league

The John Paul Jones award for inspirational leadership will be given to colonel Alfred M. Gray of the United States marine Corps, Colonel Gray is from Rahway.

The honor will be bestowed on April 24 by Ernest A. Carrara, Jr., national president of the Navy League, during the league convention to be held in New Orleans from Tuesday to Friday, April 22-25.

Colonel Gray will receive the award for his service as commanding officer of the fourth marine regiment and camp commander of Camp Henderson Kinawa since July of last year.

It was said colonel Gray, despite his short time on board has been instrumental in solving complicated problems involving both marines and natives of the island which have plagued island military command for years.

He has served with the marines for 25 years.

### Civil defense leader slates talk to Dems

William Papirnik, Rahway civil defense director, will show a film entitled "Storm" and discuss various activities of his department when he appears before the Fifth Ward Democratic Club of Rahway on Thursday, April 10, in Rocky's Bar and Grill at 8:30 p.m. Members and interested area residents may attend.

Club president Mrs. Tor (Stephanie) Cedervall said a report would be made by concerned members on two prevailing encroachment complaints within the fifth ward.

She said these are the proposed extended parking space for Rahway Hospital at Treasurer Place and the controversial landfill on land owned by the Sisto Realty Company of Linden along the Robinson's branch of the Rahway River at St. George Avenue and Church Street.

Fund-raising events will be included in the business meeting which will precede the civil defense program, she noted.

### R. E. Mockos makes listing

West Point cadet Robert E. Mockos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Mockos of 485 West Lake Avenue, Rahway, was named to the superintendent's list at the United States Military Academy in West Point, N.Y.

Cadet Mockos, a member of the academy's class of 1975, was honored in recognition of academic and military excellence. The award is given to cadets in the upper 30% of their class academically.

### Fashion show prepared for senior high school

A fashion show entitled "Prom Time '75" will be sponsored by the Parent-Teacher-Student Association of Rahway Senior High School on Wednesday, April 16, at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Female student models will be Debra, Jerue and Davys Nieves, Donna McClelland, Linda Velotti, Susan Coccaro, Bernice Brown, Patricia Jones, Cheryl Eshresman, Sandra Baker and Debra Butkiewicz.

Other female models will be Ruth Davis, Jane Bauer, Barbara Council, Arlene Hester, Nancy Nieves, Joyce Kinard, Denise Madigan and Linda Williams.

Male models will include Michael Gast, Donald Aikens, Guy Barnes, Edward Kurek, Allen Parken, Michael Jedic, David Gilchrist, Michael Patrocino, Kenneth Murphy, Frank McKoy, Cedric Dinkins, Keith Garay, William Zaczow and Richard Delmonico.

Musical entertainment will be provided by Jayne Hand, Thomas Damora and Gerald Kubu while Davys Nieves handles the musical selections. Maurice Chocron will be in charge of sounds and lights.

Dancers will be Renee Henry, Peggy Butchko, Katherine Rommel, Katherine Boyne, Arnetta Bryant, Katherine Sestrich and Stephanie Harris.

Both fashions and door prizes will be contributed by local merchants. The show will be coordinated and directed by Miss Virginia Takacz of the home economics department.

### Audubon Society movie planned for Trailside

"Beaver Valley," a National Audubon Society film, will be shown at the Union County park commission's Trailside nature and science center in the Watchung Reservation on Sunday, April 13. The movie, depicting birds, fish and other animals in their

### Winds whirl around county

Strong winds with gusts of up to 60 miles an hour uprooted trees, blew out windows, and knocked down power lines the night of April 3 and all-day April 4. There was reported considerable property damage and scattered power failures throughout Union, Middlesex and Essex Counties.

According to a spokesman for Public Service Electric and Gas Company of Newark some 200 customers were without power for more than an hour in the Westwood section of Westfield when a tree uprooted by high winds fell on an overhead utility line on Jefferson Avenue around 7 p.m.

The most serious power failure occurred at Hackensack but, according to the utility spokesman, did not appear to be weather-related. Some 1,300 customers were without power for several hours after a motorist rammmed a utility pole on River Road.

Scattered power outages affecting individual homes were reported throughout the tri-county area.

### C. R. Helfrich receives rank

Airman Curtis R. Helfrich of Clark achieved the rank of airman first class in the United States Air Force. The son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Helfrich of 33 Alice Lane, Clark, he is a veterinary specialist at Fairchild Air Force Base in Washington.

A 1972 graduate of Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark, the airman attended Westminster College in New Wilmington, Pa.



BOUQUET GETS EAGLE EMBLEM . . . John Bouquet, formerly of 348 Carolina Street, Clark, received the rank of eagle scout at a court of honor for Boy Scout troop no. 145. He and his family travelled an estimated 800 miles from Ohio to obtain the honor. At the ceremony were, left to right, scoutmaster Carmen De Simone, Master Bouquet and Mr. and Mrs. Andre Bouquet.

### Bouquets travel 800 miles to attend Clark scout court

The family of John Bouquet, formerly of 348 Carolina Street, Clark, traveled 800 miles so Master Bouquet could receive his eagle scout rank at a court of honor for Boy Scout troop no. 145 of Valley Road School of Clark.

Andre Bouquet, the father of Master Bouquet, is employed by New Department of Hearings Division of General Motors of Clark. He was transferred to the firm's Ohio facility.

Mr. Bouquet was advancement chairman for the troop and Mrs. Bouquet was active in the Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts. Their daughter, Michelle Bouquet, is an active participant in the Girl Scouts.

Clark mayor Bernard G. Yarusavage and third ward

councilman Donald W. Labella were among those who spoke at the ceremony on March 27.

Master Bouquet also received the Elks award from Frank P. Rokosny, exalted ruler of Clark lodge no. 2327 of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. He also received an American flag and the Americans' award from Joseph Batzone, commander of Clark post no. 329 of the American Legion.

It was said Master Bouquet tested his scouting skills when he spent several weeks on the trail at Philmont Boy Scout Camp in the Sangre De Cristo mountains of New Mexico in the company of fellow troop members Douglas Lewis and Roy Wojcik.

### Mothers of multiples club slates birthday celebration

Members of the Suburban Mothers of Twins and Triplets Club will meet on Wednesday, April 16, at 8:15 p.m. at the First National State Bank of Central New Jersey on

Chesnut Street and Fourth Avenue in Roselle.

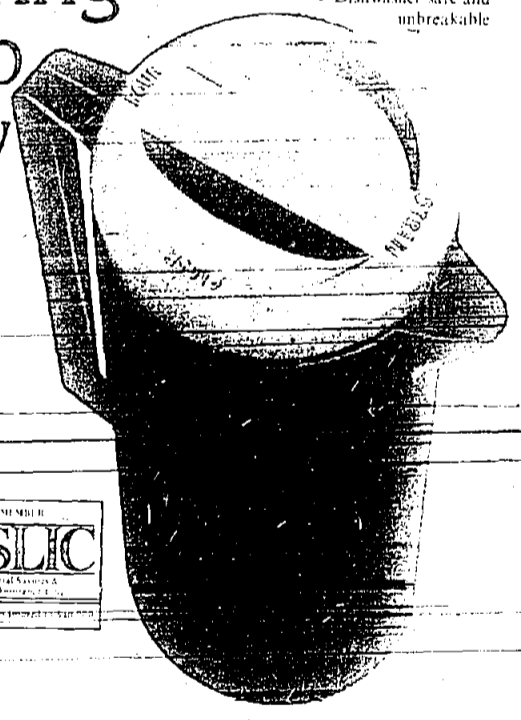
Following the business meeting, members and guests will celebrate the 10th anniversary of the club with a small birthday party. All mothers of multiples may join the club. For additional information contact Mrs. Raymond (Jane) Monahan of 609 Pierpont Street, Rahway.

### Rummage sale set

There will be a rummage sale at Trinity United Methodist Church at Main Street and Milton Avenue in Rahway on Thursday and Friday, April 17 and 18, from 2 a.m. until 2 p.m.

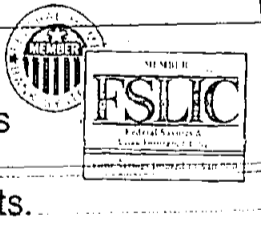
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IN BASEBALL

Clark, city lose season openers

Both the Clark and Rahway swatters opened their seasons with defeats. The Indians lost to the Cedar Ridge Cougars 4-1 while the boys from St. Mary's High School of Elizabeth downed the Crusaders 6-5.

Little League events listed for township

Plans appear to be well underway for Clark Little League. The season will start Monday, April 14, according to president Pat Soricello and field and building chairman Rich Jordan and Joe Conway.

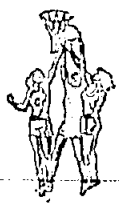
Other events to note are "Picture Day" to be held Saturday, April 12, under the direction of Fred Wray and the Little League picnic to be held at the Deutscher Club of Clark on Sunday, June 8, with Dan Walsh as chairman.

Members of the Ladies auxiliary, headed by Mrs. Richard Jordan, have been meeting on the second Monday of each month at Charles H. Brewer School in Clark in room no. 10.

The women are planning the Little League dance which will be held on Saturday, May 10, at the Clark Veterans of Foreign Wars hall on Broadway.

SPORTS

Ray's Corner



By Ray Hoagland

Ray Brown, star forward of the Rahway High School basketball team, will be playing for Moravian College in Bethlehem, Pa. this winter.

Teammate Victor Kurylak will be heading for Troy, N.Y., to play for the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Engineers.

The New Jersey trout season will open Saturday, April 12, at 8 a.m. At Ash Brook in Clark the stream is stocked with rainbow trout.

The annual New Jersey Association of the Amateur Athletic Union junior olympics basketball tournament opened this week at Union Catholic High School in Scotch Plains.

Mark Slonaker is a member of the Scotch Plains recreation team while the Union Catholic Men's Club has Victor Kurylak, Tom Corridon and Jimmy Rahway resident James Cunningham.

The championship will be held tomorrow night at 8 p.m. in Scotch Plains High School.

Both boys made first team in groups nos. 1, 2 and 3. Victor Kurylak, a third city senior, made the second squad.

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football school will be conducted Sunday to Friday, July 20-25. Frank Burrs, Rutgers head football coach, and a former Rahway High School coach will be in charge of the instructional program for high school players at Cook College of Rutgers.

In Rahway council of churches bowling action Trinity Methodist holds the top spot \$2.5-34.5 followed by Holy Mountain 45.5-41.5 and then Ebenezer AME at 45-42.

The Cranford Cougars appear to be the class of the national division of the Watching conference this track season. The Cougars have some good talent, led by Bob Amtrani who has been timed in 4.19.6 in the mile and 9.15.3 in the two-mile run.

The Roselle jave squad has several fine prospects led by Walt Whitfield who has run the 40- in 49.9, Carl Barksdale who did the 80- in 1.57.1 and two-miler Mike Maroney who was clocked in 9.42.7 last season.

Rahway has its Joe Green who is one of the better long jumpers in the conference. He has jumped 21 feet, 11 inches.

Mark Slonaker, the Rahway High School net star, made the second team of the all-metropolitan basketball stars selection. Teammate Don Aikins made third team.

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The Rutgers University

Cladek sees possibilities in Indian tennis squads

"Because these young men only started playing in their sophomore year and because of a lack of facilities, we will not be a county power," remarked William Cladek, acting joint boys and girls tennis coach at Rahway High School.

However he said the Redskin tennis squad "will surprise a lot of people" because of what he described as their hours of hard work.

"The team will be hurt by the loss of last year's captain Stu Solsky," coach Cladek noted. "He severely injured an ankle and will probably miss the entire season. Stu would probably have been one of the better players in the country."

He explained the former star will act as a non-playing captain and assistant coach. Coach Cladek expects to field a 17-member team.

Steve Fishman and Eric Rast, both of whom played singles last year, plus Martin Goldberger and Ed

Bush, both of whom comprised last year's first doubles team, will fight for the three singles positions," the coach said.

He also said Don Parker, who finished strong last year in both singles and doubles play, will try for one of the three spots.

"The first doubles team will probably be filled by two of the above men not playing singles and the second doubles team could be filled by any of the remaining youngsters," the tennis coach said.

Given a particularly good chance of making the grade by the coach are John Bober, Bob McArde, Jim Wilson, Dave Finch and Gary Hausa.

Other boys on the squad are Harold Bouchler, Richard Vossler, Jeff Capotesta, Robert Singer, Mike Ruscello and Wayne Thome.

Coach Cladek noted the first girls' varsity tennis team in the history of the school will see action on the courts this spring.

Though he admits the females are inexperienced, he says they have a lot going for them.

"Six of the girls were on last year's boys' high school squad and three saw limited action," he said. "These girls also went to tennis camp with me last summer and spent the rest of the summer playing on the city recreation department's Garcia tennis team."

The coach also said the girls spent three days a week during the fall and winter preparing for the season.

On the girls' squad are Liz Pascale, Maureen Kennedy, Linda Lemch, Yvonne Mowva, Lov Meiselman, Jill Gudzrez, Lori Weznick, Peggy Butchko, Cheryl Lutz, Adrienne McLeod and Elena Sevvano.

All home tennis matches will be played at Union County park.



ROLLING TO THIRD PLACE... The Rahway Senior High School bowling team, under the coaching of Harry Reiser, finished in third place in the Union County bowling tournament. On the squad are, left to right, kneeling, sophomore Ray West and junior Artist Tivers; standing, seniors Dave Shepard, Robert Parker and Jim Hook. Hook won high series in the county and state contests.

Corky's Pals, Corner Inn will clash for Clark basketball top spot

Corky's Pals will meet Old Corner Inn for the championship of the Clark adult basketball league in the nightcap of a double-header tonight at the Charles H. Brewer School.

In the opener Clark Rest will take on Clark Drugs for the B division title.

Corky's advanced to the finals by upsetting second-seeded Baumel's Liquors 90-79, which had defeated the Pals twice during regular season play, fell behind at the quarter 18-16 and watched as the Pals stretched the edge to 12 points at the half.

The Pals, behind Bruno Innone who finished with 32 points, maintained the 12-point bulge into the final stanza. A furious Baumel's rally, led by the outside shooting of Murray Leipzig who finished with 32 points, brought the Liquors team within one. However the drive took its toll as fatigue hit the losers and the Pals coasted to the finals.

Phil Deegan added 14 points and Larry Larsen 13 for Corky's while Eric Jann tallied 15, Jim Strimple 11 and Howie Leipzig 10 for the losers.

Old Corner Inn powered its way to its 14th consecutive win and a place in the finals by crushing Jake's Tavern 134-103.

Old Corner came out with its devastating fast break and ran to an early first quarter edge at 31-15 and increased the lead to 57-39 at the half.

As the Inn men have done all season long they simply ripped Jake's apart in the second half outscoring the losers in that session.

Old Corner was led by Rich Scalabba who scored 29 points while Dennis Kozacek added 27, former Clark Crusader Chet Melli 26 and Dennis D'Adamo 16.

Jake's was led by their talented center Frank LaBonia who had 30 points, while Jack Moran had 24, Jack Hardiman 16 and Bob Sparks 14 for manager John Paolini's crew.

In B division play Clark Drugs stopped Clark Gunners 81-72 while Clark Rest defeated Scotchwood Liquors 67-58.

The Gunners took an early lead behind the play of the league's leading scorer Kevin Duggan 18-13 but the drugists closed the gap to a single point at the half 34-33.

The Drugs broke the game open in the third quarter, led by guard Dan

never recover and the Rest netters had a berth in the finals.

Charlie Horbacz added 10 points for the victors while Scotchwood was led by Bob Dressel with 24, Art Carragino with 18 and Bob McKenna with 12.

In the first game of tonight's doubleheader the drugists, who have been up and down all year, will have to be up to defeat the much-improved Clark Rest. However they must be awarded the favorite's role.

In the finale both Old Corner Inn and Corky's Pals are capable of winning having split the season series at one and one. But while Corky's has been just managing to win Old Corner has been crushing its opponents.

This fact plus a 14-game winning streak makes the Inn men a heavy favorite to capture the title in their first year of play.

Chussler criticizes Star-Ledger for not giving Dave Arnold award

The Star-Ledger of Newark March 31 proclaimed Herbert Lindsey of Morris Knolls basketball coach of the year.

Coach Lindsey led his team to a 23-4 record in what was supposed to be a rebuilding season.

I may be called prejudiced because of my remarks but I will let the readers be the judge of that. Loyde S. Glicken, sports writer for the newspaper, paid coach Lindsey a fine tribute in a very lengthy article, and just for the record, deservedly so.

What seems unfair to me and many others I have spoken to is how Mr. Glicken can write or talk about a high school basketball "coach of the year" and not even mention coach Dave Arnold of Rahway?

Any coach whose team played against Rahway and coach Arnold had to recognize the talent of Mr. Arnold. His team lacked size or any outstanding shooter, yet he led them to a 24-5 record against the toughest teams in the state. This team could switch defenses better than most colleges.

Coach Arnold had three or four different defenses and his team adjusted accordingly to the opposition.

Coach Arnold is a very unselfish coach. You will never hear him complain about his players when they lose a game, yet when they win he had nothing but praise for his boys. Never did he seek personal glory. Coach Arnold motivates. He is a very unique coach in that he makes the great respect and the good better. Plus he has the respect and love of all his boys.

The team coach Arnold coached was a young team with little experience outside of Aikins and Mark Slonaker, yet he made a team out of the rest of the boys. The name of any game which requires more than one is team play and coach Arnold is a master at it. He is my coach of every year. At the very least he certainly deserves some mention in the basketball "coach of the year" award.

John Chussler 2021 Henry Street Rahway

Pop Warner cheerleaders signups slated

Registration for Clark Pop Warner cheerleaders will be held at Charles H. Brewer School in Clark in room no. 10 between 7 and 8:30 p.m. on Monday, April 21, and Wednesday, April 23.

All township girls who will be 10 years old before December 31 and girls who will be entering the fifth, sixth and seventh grades will be eligible to register.

It was requested that each girl be accompanied by one parent or a guardian when registering. A birth certificate will be required. For additional information telephone Mrs. Patrick Soricello at 381-4918.

Monday Baseball, Roselle, home. Track, Thomas Jefferson School of Elizabeth, away.

Tuesday Girls' softball, Baitin High School of Elizabeth, home.

Saturday Track, Union County relays, away.

Monday Baseball, Hingry School of Hillside, away. Golf, Clark, home.

Tuesday Girls' softball, Plainfield, away. Tennis, Linden, away.

Wednesday Girls' softball, Roselle, home. Tennis, Union, home.

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Track, New Providence, away. Tennis, Cranford, away. Golf, Plainfield, home.

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Notice of an ordinance to provide for a police, fire and other emergency alarms system and the establishment of rules governing connections with the system.

Martin wins another race, takes 'Hurricane Classic'

Bill Martin of Clark was victorious in the 'Hurricane Classic' off shore power boat race off of St. Petersburg, Fla. on April 5. This was his sixth win in nine races this year. The race was aptly named as small-craft warnings forced its postponement for one day and seamen were greeted by six- to eight-foot waves along the 205-mile course. Martin came in 20 minutes ahead of Sandy Sunula of Cleveland finishing the complicated three laps in a little under three hours. Despite the win he still trails Sunula in national competition by 250 points.

FINALS ON MAY 7

Six city baton twirling finalists told in recreation competition

The six finalists were announced in the 'Miss Railway Recreation Department Twirler Contest.' The finals will be held on Wednesday, May 7, at the annual twirling exhibition to be given in the senior high school auditorium. The girls are: JO-ANN BERTOLO, Jo-Ann, 13, is an eighth grade student at the city junior high school. A twirler for seven years, she says her other hobbies include poetry. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bertolo of 402 Orchard Street, Rahway.



Susan Hrepcsak Katherine Cregge Dana Washburn Jo-Ann Bertolo Lisa Randall Theresa Ward

City Federal savings soar to record

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Health aides training released for hiking club

A six-mile West Mountain ramble on Saturday, April 12, will be conducted by members of the Union County Hiking Club. Meeting places will be at the Essex toll barrier on the Garden State Parkway at 9 and at the rear of the municipal building in Sloatsburg, N.Y. at 10 a.m.

James Stewart, Angelo Angelini, Jo Ann Zwiebel win hoop contest

James Stewart, Angelo Angelini and Jo Ann Zwiebel all took top honors in the finals of the 19th annual city foul shooting contest conducted by members of the Railway recreation department and co-sponsored by members of Mulvey-Ditmars post no. 681 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of Rahway.

Miss Nalepa cited

Miss Andrea M. Nalepa of Clark was named to the dean's list for the winter term at Susquehanna University in Selingsgrove, Pa. Miss Nalepa is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nalepa of 95 St. Laurent Drive, Clark. She is a senior majoring in history.

Ask publicists note deadlines of newspaper

Publicity chairmen are reminded the deadline for all stories dealing with past or future events for publication in The Railway News-Record and The Clark Patriot is the Friday prior to the date of publication. The only stories which will be accepted on Mondays are those concerning unexpected events which transpired over the weekend.

Mary Kuzma takes top spot

Mary Kuzma placed first in the Railway Junior High School talent show for her acrobatic performance. Miss Kuzma, who lives at 1963 Beacon Street, received a \$50 United States savings bond for her achievement. She is a student of jazz and tap dancing at B's School of Dance in Rahway where she also studies acrobatics.

Ceramic show begins Friday

A ceramic show will be conducted by members of Ceramics League, Incorporated of New Jersey from tomorrow to Sunday, April 13, at the Coachman Inn in Cranford. The show will be open from noon to 9 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and from noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

My Neighbors

So much for Plan A.
ALL that tract or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in the City of Rahway in the County of Union in the State of New Jersey.

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Parked truck of ham gone

City police are investigating the disappearance on April 7 of a trailer loaded with 38,802 pounds of ham bound for the Bronx.

PUBLIC NOTICE

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. P-4951-73. FEDERAL HOME LOAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Plaintiff, versus BARRY W. MADDEN et al., Defendants. CIVIL ACTION WRIT OF EXECUTION -- FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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Library week to be marked

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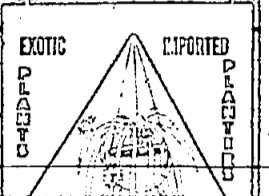
### Rahway knight award goes to Matthew Jardo

Matthew K. Jardo of 898 Broad Street, Rahway, was named "Knight of the Year" by members of Rahway council no. 1146 of the Knights of Columbus.

Mr. Jardo and his wife have three married children and nine grandchildren. For 32 years he has been a supervisor for Merck and Company, Incorporated of Rahway.



Named knight of the year Matthew K. Jardo, left, grand knight of Rahway council no. 1146 of the Knights of Columbus, presented Matthew K. Jardo of Rahway with the city "Knight of the Year" award. The presentation was made on March 23 at the Columbian Club.



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### Miss Farrell joins

Freshman Miss Maureen E. Farrell of Clark was activated into the Beta Theta chapter of the Sigma Kappa sorority, one of 12 Greek houses at Marietta College.

### County park commissioners purchase Corradi nursery

The Corradi nursery property in Summit and Springfield, once considered a possible site for townhouses, was purchased by Union County park commissioners. Under the provisions of the purchase agreement, reached on April 2, the former owners will continue the nursery operations through the present year.

### Poem by pastor's father basis for Sunday sermon

A poem written by his father at least 35 years ago will provide the theme for a sermon to be given Sunday, April 13, at Trinity United Methodist Church of Rahway by reverend Paul N. Jewett, pastor.

The lines, handwritten on a three by five inch card and without a title, follow:  
"A road might lead you anywhere, if you will just be led. But, after all, the road doesn't move - 'Tis you must go ahead."

### Clark teacher to join group studying JFK

William Norris, a social studies teacher at Charles H. Brewer School in Clark was one of 12 state residents to be accepted as a participant in the summer seminar of the John F. Kennedy Library.

### City Hadassah plans election

Mrs. Larry Taylor was nominated for president and Mrs. Louis Haber, Mrs. Joseph Schwartz and Mrs. Leonard Sobor for vice president of the Rahway chapter of Hadassah.

### Rosary ladies prepare buffet

A covered-dish buffet will follow the regular meeting of members of the Rosary Altar Society of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church of Rahway on Friday, April 11.

### Church services Sacred music program set for orthodox

#### SECOND PRESBYTERIAN Rahway

Sunday morning worship will commence at 11 o'clock with reverend Harold E. Van Horn, pastor, officiating. His sermon will be "On Being a Fool."

#### FIRST BAPTIST Rahway

Sunday church school will convene at 9:30 a.m. The upper room Bible class will begin at 9:40 a.m. A crib room and nursery care will be available during the service.

#### FIRST METHODIST Rahway

Sunday church services will begin at 11 a.m. with reverend Koo Yong Na, pastor, officiating. Sunday church school will convene at 9:30 a.m.

#### TEMPLE BETH TORAH Rahway

Morning services will be held Saturday at 9 o'clock, Sunday at 8:30 o'clock and Monday and Thursday at 7 o'clock.

#### SECOND BAPTIST Rahway

Sunday worship service will commence at 11 a.m. with reverend James W. Ealey, pastor, officiating. His sermon will be "Behaving Like a Christian."

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#### FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST Rahway

Sunday school classes will convene at 10:30 a.m. A nursery will be provided for children to the age of 3.

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### Altaire offers his services to aid public

"Have irregularities caused a surge in your blood pressure?" asked John C. Altaire, Jr. of Clark. "If so perhaps you can add a wee bit of good to the community by telling me."

### Film planned for city troop

A film entitled "House of Wax" will be presented by members of the mothers' club of Rahway Boy Scout troop no. 88 on Saturday, April 28, at First Baptist Church, 177 Elm Avenue, Rahway.

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