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McDonald's
McDonald's Friends - For an end-of-the-year party the students in Pam Mullins' morning pre-school class at Clark's Carl H. Kump School visited the McDonald's restaurant in Avenel. Ready for their guided tour, left to right, are: Farah Segro, Michele Shiel, Bobby DeMarco, Jennifer Seilio, Amy Beth Cohen, Meridith Stacker, Juliet Perucci, Yvonne Tondera and Raymond Doss.



ONLY THE BEGINNING - At a graduation party to celebrate their September entry into kindergarten are students in Pam Mullins' pre-school class at Clark's Carl H. Kump School. With the teacher, left, left to right, are: Farah Segro, Michele Shiel, Amy Beth Cohen, Bobby DeMarco, Jennifer Seilio, Yvonne Tondera, Mrs. Maria Woznicki, a teacher aide, Juliet Perucci and Meridith Stacker.



DAY IS DONE - Students in Helen Kunak's first-grade class at Clark's Carl H. Kump School rest after their recent picnic. Behind the students are the teacher and the mother of a student, Mrs. Marietta Schott.

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Campers urged to make reservation

"Backpacking" to teach those in the fifth to seventh grades how to live in the woods using fundamental techniques and skills, will enable them to camp overnight in the Watchung Reservation from Monday to Tuesday, Aug. 15 to 16. The fee will be \$20.

For more information or to register, please telephone the Trailside Nature and Science Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd., Mountaintop, at 232-5930.

Coffeehouse to return

The "Somebody's Place" coffeehouse will once again take place at the Alliance Church at Redford Ave. at Cherry St., Cranford, from 8 to 11:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 23.

"Bones and Joan," a trio from the local area, along with the "Somebody's Place" drama group will be performing that night.

Admission will be free.

Educators hail teacher training bill

A spokeswoman for the New Jersey Education Assn. today praised legislative proposals intended to relieve the shortage of teachers in New Jersey schools.

Announced recently, the proposal would give subject-matter instruction at the state colleges during the summer to experienced teachers now working in fields of surplus. The state would pay 75% of the costs, the local school district 25%.

"This is an ideal solution to two problems," said association president, Edith A. Fulton. "One problem is the layoff of teachers due to reductions in the pupil population. The other is the shortage of certified teachers in technical fields. There is no better pool from which a local school district could expect."

Kean College offers new art course

Nursing home and senior center personnel enrolling in Art Media in Gerontology, a new course beginning in the fall semester at Kean College of New Jersey in Union where the program was developed by the college and the fine arts department.

Classes will meet from 5 to 8:20 p.m. on Mondays in Vaughn-Eames Hall.

Robert Farnigietti of East Orange, the director of the center, said it will aid in situation staffers in organizing and conducting arts and

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TOP OF THE CLASS - James Elfr, the president of the Clark Scholarship Fund, is shown, left, with, left to right, Eileen Tassell, the recipient of the \$800 Alice B. Flood Memorial Scholarship; Craig Naha, the recipient of the \$1,600 Henry C. Staeger Memorial Scholarship; and Miss Colette Clinefist, the recipient of two awards, the Kiwanis Club of Clark Scholarship in memory of Anthony Prisco for \$500, and the Clark Scholar's Bursar for \$200, and James Tait, the first vice president and fund-raising chairman of the Clark Scholarship Fund.

Foster homes sought for children

The New Jersey Division of Youth and Family Services, a part of the Dept. of Human Services, is looking for families to serve as temporary parents for infants and children under five years of age.

According to Ellen Aro, the supervisor of the division's Foster Home and Adoption Resource Center in Newark, there is a need for foster homes for children of all ages. At this time, there is a critical shortage of foster homes for infants and children under five years of age, she said.

The center services Essex and Union Counties.

Qualifying to become a foster parent involves completing a home-study process which begins by contacting the center. Those approved by the agency will receive training.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, may be married or single, and do not need to have their own home. Those applying must be in reasonably sound physical and mental health.

"Favoritism should not enter the selection process," she declared. "Seniority rights should be strictly observed."

Otherwise, Mrs. Fulton said, the proposals appear "ideal" for reducing or eliminating the shortage of teachers to students in New Jersey schools receive quality education in technical subjects.

Dr. Pearl Greenberg of New York City, a professor in the fine arts department, will be the instructor. She also coordinates art education and graduate programs.

Dr. Greenberg is the author of more than 45 articles and co-author of two books on arts and aging. Her students have been placed in hospitals, nursing homes and senior centers over a 10-year period.

Enrollment information may be obtained from the center, in James Township House at Kean College by telephoning 527-2605.

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MR. AND MRS. THOMAS J. MAYE
(She is the former Miss Loretta Bianco)

Miss Bianco weds Thomas J. Maye

Miss Loretta Bianco, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alia Bianco, was married to Thomas J. Maye of 388 W. Lake Ave., the son of Mrs. Bonnie Maye of 1388 New Church St., Rahway, and the late James J. Maye, Jr., on Sunday, May 29 in St. Mary's R. C. Church in Rahway.

The pastor, The Rev. Joseph Quinlan, performed the 5:30 p.m. ceremony. A reception followed at The Manor in West Orange.

Escorted by her father, the bride had Miss Jeanie Altomonte as her maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Donna Bianco, Miss Tammy Greeneniere, Miss Lucina Bianco and Miss Pamela Fionello.

Serving as the best man was Capt. James J. Maye, Jr. The ushers were Frank Bianco, Christopher Bianco, Steven Fionello and Anthony Campo.

Following a honeymoon in Bermuda, the couple will reside in Rahway.

Mrs. Maye is a graduate of Rahway High School. A 1978 graduate of Rahway High School, Mr. Maye attended Rutgers University and is employed by Station Cab, Inc. as the vice president and manager. He is the treasurer of the Rahway Sidelineers and the president-elect of the Rahway Kiwanis Club.

'Dresser' runs at SUMMERFUN

SUMMERFUN, a New Jersey professional summer theater, will present the state's production premiere of Ronald Harwood's drama, "The Dresser," to Saturday, July 23.

This recent Broadway success centers on a Shakespearean actor's dresser and the role he plays as guardian and confidant to the star.

Greg Zerkle plays Sir, the aging actor-manager leading his company of Theophrastus through a production of "King Lear." Stephen Turner plays Norman, the title character.

The supporting cast features Lindsay Margu Smith, Craig MacDonald and the rest of the SUMMERFUN acting company.

"The Dresser" is directed by Walter Kotiba, who recently directed the SUMMERFUN production of "Children of a Lesser God." The scenic and lighting designer is Robert Klingelhofer.

"The Dresser" is the fourth show of SUMMERFUN's expanded eight-week season. The remainder of the season consists of Ira Levin's "Deathtrap" and "They're Playing Our Song" by Neil Simon with music and lyrics by Marvin Hamlisch and Carol Bayer Sager.

SUMMERFUN is in residence at Montclair State College in Upper Montclair. All performances are at 8:30 p.m. in air-conditioned

Junior Scientists' to meet at Trailside
A "Junior Scientist" program in which those in the first and second grades will experiment with combustion, water, chemicals, food and other materials to learn basic scientific principles on Monday to Wednesday mornings in two sessions: Aug. 8 to 10, and Aug. 22 to 24, and the fee is \$10 per session.

Those in the third and fourth grades will meet on Monday to Thursday mornings in two sessions: Aug. 1 to 4 and Aug. 15 to 18, and that fee is \$14 per session.

The sessions will be held at the Trailside Nature and Science Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd., Mountaintop. To register and for more information, please telephone 232-5930.

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EDITOR'S NOTE: In order for us to adequately prepare the Community Calendar, all events for the following week should be submitted by 8 p.m. on the WEDNESDAY before you would like them to appear.

RAHWAY
--NOW TO FRIDAY, JULY 29-- St. Mary's School, Annual Glad Days.
--THURSDAY, JULY 28-- Board of Education, Caucus, 8 p.m., Superintendent's Office, Rahway Junior High School.
--MONDAY, JULY 18-- Board of Education, Regular Meeting, 7:55 p.m., Roosevelt School auditorium. Board of Adjustment, Public Library, Children's Dept. Game Day, 10 a.m. to noon.
--TUESDAY, JULY 19-- Public Library, Book Bingo, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. for children who can read.
--WEDNESDAY, JULY 20-- Parking Authority, Caucus, 7:30 p.m., home of Louis Garay, 1299 Clark St. Public Library, T-shirts may be brought by children from 10:30 a.m. to noon to add designs to T-shirts for fund-raising. Telephone 381-4110 by July 18.
--THURSDAY, JULY 21-- Public Library, Read To Me Story Time for those in pre-school to kindergarten, 2 to 2:30 p.m. Transportation for handicapped, 381-4110 by July 19.
--FRIDAY, JULY 22-- Rahway Area Junior Women's Club, Family Picnic, 4 p.m., home of Mrs. Kathleen Schmidt, Rahway.
--MONDAY, JULY 25-- Chamber of Commerce, 7 p.m., Huffman-Kees auditorium, St. George Ave. Public Library, Game Day, 10 a.m. to noon. Access for handicapped, 381-4110, two days before event.
--TUESDAY, JULY 26-- Planning Board, Public Library, Story Time for kindergartners to third graders, 10:30 to 11 a.m. Access for handicapped, 381-4110, two days before event.
--WEDNESDAY, JULY 27-- Public Library, children in kindergarten to sixth grade to make dragons out of clay, 10:30 to 11 a.m. Access for handicapped, 381-4110, two days before event.
--THURSDAY, JULY 28-- Students making dragons on July 27 may return to Public Library to paint them, 10:30 to 11 a.m. Volunteer, Margaret Novak to read to children of pre-school to kindergarten age, 2 to 2:30 p.m. Access for handicapped, 381-4110, two days before event.
--FRIDAY, AUG. 5-- City Council, Pre-Meeting Conference, 7:30 p.m., Council Chambers, City Hall, City Hall Plaza.
--MONDAY, AUG. 8-- City Council, Regular Meeting, 8 p.m., Council Chambers, City Hall, City Hall Plaza.
--TUESDAY, AUG. 9-- Rahway Historical Society, 8 p.m., Merchants and Drapers' Tavern, St. George and Westfield Aves., Liberty Square.
--THURSDAY, AUG. 11-- Board of Education, Caucus, 8 p.m., Superintendent's Office, Rahway Junior High School.
--MONDAY, AUG. 15-- Board of Education, Regular Meeting, 7:55 p.m., Roosevelt School Auditorium. Board of Adjustment.
--TUESDAY, AUG. 23-- Planning Board.
--WEDNESDAY, AUG. 24-- Parking Authority, Monthly Caucus, 7:30 p.m., home of Louis Garay, 1299 Clark St.
--FRIDAY, JULY 22-- Clark Jayceeettes, Summer Splash Party For Members and Children, Information, 382-1405.
--MONDAY, JULY 25-- Board of Adjustment, Regular Meeting, 8 p.m., Council Chambers, Municipal Building, Westfield Ave.
--TUESDAY, JULY 26-- Planning Board, Regular Business Meeting.
--MONDAY, AUG. 1-- Township Council, Executive Meeting, 8 p.m., Council Chambers, Municipal Building, Westfield Ave.
--TUESDAY, AUG. 2-- Regional Board of Education, Regular Meeting, 8 p.m., Instructional Media Center, Jonathan Dayton Regional High School, Springfield.
--TUESDAY, AUG. 9-- Planning Board, Executive Session, Public Library, Fun Time for those in kindergarten to third grade, 2 to 5 p.m.
--WEDNESDAY, AUG. 10-- Board of Adjustment, Executive Meeting, 8 p.m., Conference Room, Municipal Building, Westfield Ave. Library Board of Trustees, Library Meeting Room.
--MONDAY, AUG. 15-- Township Council, Regular Meeting, 8 p.m., Council Chambers, Municipal Building, Westfield Ave.
--TUESDAY, AUG. 16-- Public Library, Fun Time, Craft Program, for those in fourth to seventh grade, 2 to 3 p.m. Register, 388-9999.
--MONDAY, AUG. 22-- Board of Adjustment, Regular Meeting, 8 p.m., Council Chambers, Municipal Building, Westfield Ave.
--TUESDAY, AUG. 23-- Elementary Board of Education, 8 p.m., Administration Building, Schindler Rd. Planning Board, Regular Business Meeting.

Albert Hugheses mark 50 years

Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Hughes, Sr., residents of Rahway, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a surprise dinner in their honor, held at Howard Johnson's Restaurant in Clark on Saturday, July 2.

The dinner was given by their children and their families: Albert Hughes of Willingboro, Loretta Decker of Clark, Frances Wagner of Avenel and William Hughes of China, Calif.

Mrs. Hughes is the former Miss Mary-Frances Witkowski of New Rochelle, N.Y.

Mr. Hughes was born in Staten Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have been residents of Rahway for the past 36 years.

Junior Women seek members

The Rahway Area Junior Women's Club is an organization comprised of women between the ages of 18 and 35 who volunteer their services and raise funds for scholarships and charities.

The club is non-political and non-sectarian and has been federated through the American Cancer Society, New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs, a member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The general federation is the largest volunteer organization in the world with over 10 million women members in 42 countries dedicated to "Unity in Diversity-Community Improvement Through Volunteer Efforts."

Among the organizations and charities assisted by the Rahway Area Junior Women's Club is the Mountaintop, Friends of Rahway Library, Clark Free Public Library, Rahway Historical Society, American Cancer Society, Brattle Bone Disease Foundation, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and the United States Olympic Committee.

In addition, two scholarships were given to local area youth.

If you are interested in helping others and serving your community, as well as meeting other young women like yourself, please telephone Mrs. And Two-Two, the membership chairman, at 382-6925.

Charges set for articles on nuptials

The charge for the placement of wedding and engagement announcements in The Rahway News-Record and The Clark Patriot is \$5 WITHOUT a picture and \$8 WITH a picture.

The forms are available at the offices of the newspapers at 219 Central Ave., Rahway, or by writing to Box No. 1061, Rahway, N. J. 07065 or by telephoning the office at 574-1200.

In order to run in the following week's editions, the information must be submitted, either typed or clearly printed by 3 p.m. on the preceding THURSDAY.

The first known use of the expression "A-1" was said to be by Lloyd's of London, the British insurance organization, Lloyd's, graded ships according to the risk of insuring them and those rated "A-1" were thought less likely to sink.

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Merck cites Dr. Scolnick

Merck and Lymphoma Branch, and from 1973 to 1982, as the chief of the Laboratory for Tumor Virus Genetics and the head of its Molecular Virology Section.

Earlier, the now vice president had been associated with the National Heart Institute in Bethesda, which he joined in 1967 after completing his internship and residency at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

He received his medical degree from Harvard Medical School in 1965. A native of Boston, Dr. Scolnick was graduated with honors in 1961 from Harvard College, where he majored in biochemical sciences.

Dr. Scolnick is the senior editor of the "Journal of Virology" and the author or coauthor of more than 130 publications and the

Clark Library to sponsor Fun Times

The Clark Public Library will present two programs for children during August. Fun Time for those in kindergarten to third grade, including stories, songs and games, will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 16, from 2 to 3 p.m.

Fun Time for those in the fourth to seventh grades, a craft program, will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 16, from 2 to 3 p.m.

Since materials will be provided by the library, children who wish to attend must register at the library or by telephoning 388-5999.

Dr. Scolnick had been the division's executive director of virus and cell biology since joining the company in 1982. He will continue to be based at the company's facility in West Point, Pa.

The new vice president succeeds Dr. Maurice R. Hilleman, who directed virus and cell biology research at Merck for 26 years. Dr. Hilleman has been named senior vice president of Merck Sharp and Dohme Research Laboratories.

Dr. Scolnick is noted for his work with oncogenes and the processes through which gene mutations lead to some cancers.

Before joining Merck, he was associated with the National Cancer Institute in Bethesda, Md. for 13 years, first as the senior staff fellow in the Viral Leu-

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Mr. Yoder replies to hospital critics

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Actually, the hospital has been trying to acquire additional land since 1970. Within the span of the dozen years since then, it has been able to buy 10 pieces of property and continues to buy property as it becomes available. We have to be patient about awaiting such opportunities, of course, because owners respond to offers in accordance with their own personal plans.

One recurring criticism is the hospital missed a golden opportunity when it did not acquire the property Estate when it was on the market. I can assure you the hospital Board of Governors did give thoughtful consideration to buying that land.

However, when the owner's asking price far exceeded the appraised value of the property, the board voted to discontinue the consideration.

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Construction of a parking garage is the hospital's best preferred solution for one reason because it would cost \$3 to \$4 million and the cost would have to be passed along to our patients.

In addition, if a parking garage were constructed, it would restrict the hospital's ability to expand its future community needs. Furthermore, anyone who visualizes such a structure will realize it is a permanent non-conforming structure in our suburban setting, and therefore a last resort, not a first.

The hospital has always advocated finding a solution that will benefit the entire community, and therefore we look forward to participation on the committee suggested by Second Ward Councilman John C. Marsh and implemented by Mayor Daniel L. Martin for this purpose.

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665 Stone St.
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Congressman Bernard Dwyer Reports

Nursing home law faces strengthening

Ensuring elderly and handicapped nursing home residents high quality care in a safe setting is the goal of legislation currently pending in the Congress to halt the implementation of proposals put forth by the administration last year that could weaken current nursing home standards.

Last year the administration proposed rules that would have diminished federal and state oversight of nursing homes by reducing the frequency of inspections and weakening the requirements for the correction of deficiencies.

Both the House and the Senate did not believe weakening the minimal standards now in place, was justified and have quickly to establish a minitraton on these proposals.

This year's bill, the "National Nursing Home Standards Act of 1983," would establish a 13-member commission under the auspices of the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences to evaluate the total body of current nursing home regulations and report to the Dept. of Health and Human Services and the Congress by September, 1984.

The bill would also extend the current moratorium on rule changes until six months after the Commission reports, giving Congress and the Dept. of Health and Human Services an opportunity to act on the recommendations of the commission.

H.R. 2997 is patterned after a bill introduced during the previous Congress in which I also lent my support as a cosponsor. Under the provisions of the bill the commission would be composed of nursing home residents or sons would be composed of nursing home residents or their representatives, providers of nursing home care, along with members of the Institute of Medicine which has been working on plans for the study.

There are 1.3 million people in our country living in approximately 18,000 nursing homes. Nursing homes are one of the major growth areas in the health sector.

The Congress has consistently recognized the potential for abuse in such a fast growing industry caring for a comparatively unprotected population and has pressed for stronger standards and oversight.

Currently, both the federal government and the states are involved in supervising both the quality of care offered residents of nursing homes and the health and safety of these residents.

The House Subcommittee on Health has begun marking H.R. 2997, and it is hoped the department will initiate the study in the near future.

This Congress and the administration are responsible for assuring strong and effective enforcement standards are in place to assure nursing home residents and their loved ones the quality of care provided meets the highest standard.

Gov. Thomas H. Kean is expected to shortly sign into law a bill I sponsored that will train several thousand New Jerseyans for guaranteed jobs in private business.

This would be a unique state program involving a partnership between government and business in preparing workers for available jobs.

Although New Jersey's unemployment rate is below the national average and much lower than other northeastern states, unemployment remains a major problem. There are 272,000 New Jersey residents out of work.

Many of them have spent months fruitlessly looking for work. In addition, there are many New Jerseyans working at jobs that do not pay enough to meet family expenses and are forced to seek public assistance.

This job training program is aimed at these residents—the long-term unemployed, those who lost their jobs because of plant closings, and the economically disadvantaged.

The program would provide on-the-job training, classroom instruction and customized training for workers depending on individual needs.

Business would pay at least 25% of the cost of training workers. When on-the-job training is involved, employers would pay half the cost.

Unlike past federal jobs programs, this will not be a make-work project. Workers will be taught the skills they need to fill identified job openings.

This program will make a good start at putting New Jerseyans who are eager to find jobs back to work.

In addition, the state will be receiving \$800 million in federal funds in October to greatly expand our job-training efforts.

The governor has appointed a special advisory commission to study the New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Act, to make recommendations on how the federal funds should be used to best serve the state's unemployed.

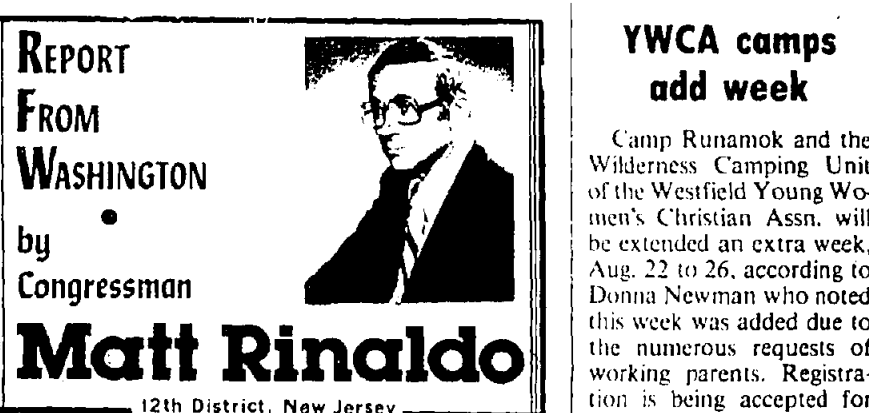
So far, the state's recommended regional boards have been established to develop job-training programs that meet area needs.

The federal and state programs should provide training for 14,000 residents to prepare them for jobs with a promising future.

Betty A. Schroeder (Mrs.)
66 Hutchinson St.
Clark



COUNTY CONGRATULATIONS - Union County Freeholder Walter E. Boright, second from left, a teacher in the Clark school system, sponsored a resolution which was passed by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders congratulating Lori L. Luxenberg of Clark, center, upon her selection to participate in the "Girls State" governmental project. Miss Luxenberg is a senior at the Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Luxenberg of Clark. With Freeholder Boright and Miss Luxenberg, left to right, are: Union County Freeholder Thomas W. Long of Linden and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Luxenberg.



REPORT FROM WASHINGTON by Congressman **Matt Rinaldo**
12th District, New Jersey

House bill offers homeowners help

The skyrocketing cost of housing over the past few years has made it virtually impossible for many people, especially young couples, to come up with the money for a down payment on their first home.

In fact, the President's Commission on Housing reported last year the inability of potential home buyers to obtain enough capital for a down payment is one of the principal obstacles to home ownership.

The following facts and figures bring the problem into sharper focus.

In 1977 45% of all home buyers were first-time purchasers. Today that number has dropped to 36%.

In 1976 first-time buyers spent 23% of their annual income for housing expenses. Today they spend about 36%.

The median price for a first-time home has risen from \$23,400 in 1970 to about \$70,000 annually.

The annual income required for first-time purchasers has more than quadrupled from \$10,258 in 1970 to more than \$42,000 today.

Average monthly payments, including utilities, for first-time buyers have risen over 450%, from \$202 in 1970 to more than \$1,250 today.

To help first-time homebuyers, I have joined a bipartisan group in the House in sponsoring the Homeownership Incentive Act of 1983. Structured after the successful Individual Retirement Account concept, the bill would permit individuals to accumulate the money for a down payment by placing some of their earnings in an Individual Housing Account (IHA).

Under the measure, tax-deductible contributions up to \$1,000 for singles and \$2,000 for couples could be made annually to the account. The maximum amount of contributions to the IHA could not exceed \$10,000 and all interest would be tax free.

To minimize the revenue loss to the Treasury, all withdrawals from the account would be repaid as ordinary income at a rate of 10% per year for 10 years.

In addition to limiting the program to first-time homebuyers, the bill provides if the funds are not used to purchase a home, the account holder would be subject to a 10% penalty on top of the regular taxes that would be due.

The National Assn. of Realtors and the National Assn. of Homebuilders, both of whom have endorsed and are strongly supporting the bill, have estimated the enactment of the measure would reduce from six to three years the average time required for a young family to save for a down payment on a home. As many as one million first-time purchasers could be aided by the program.

Besides helping families fulfill the American dream of home ownership, the bill would serve to fuel the economic recovery. The National Assn. of Homebuilders estimates the construction of each 1,000 single-family homes generates more than \$32.5 million in wages. The total economic impact of 1,000 units is estimated to be close to \$149 million, generating \$104 million in taxes.

This bill provides a cost-effective means of assisting millions of Americans who want, but cannot now afford, to purchase a home.

A repeat of Gerald Zelenka's annual show, "A Touch of Nature," will be held at the Trailside Nature Center in Westfield, N.J., on Sunday, July 24, at 1:30 p.m. The show will be a celebration of the 150th birthday of the National Park Service. The show will be a celebration of the 150th birthday of the National Park Service. The show will be a celebration of the 150th birthday of the National Park Service.

Hospital endorses freeholder decision

Rahway Hospital President John L. Yoder welcomed the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders' July 14 decision to support a committee approach to the parking dilemma faced by the hospital and the community as being consistent with the hospital's proposals and goals.

"The freeholders' resolution actually fulfills our desire to cooperate with the citizens of Rahway to find a mutually acceptable solution to the parking problem. We have always favored such a method and are looking forward to working with the mayor's committee and also with the Union County consultants."

The second proposal available to the hospital is the construction of a parking lot on a portion of the Union County property known as Green Field, the subject of the freeholders' Thursday night meeting.

George E. Argenti, the associate director of the hospital, also approved the freeholders' decision to leave the hospital building intact and to build a new structure between the hospital and the Green Field.

"We honestly feel we can help to alleviate the parking problem and improve the facility to meet the needs of those who use it. Therefore, it is appropriate we meet with everyone involved to develop a plan to solve the parking problem. One proposed solution is to use property the hospital

already owns on St. George Ave. between Kaminski Dr. and Hamilton St. and property adjacent to the hospital on Trusser Pl. Up to this time, various proposals have been made for such use, and hearings concerning the St. George Ave. property, which was formerly owned by the Young Men's Christian Assn., have been ongoing since January.

The third option available to the hospital is a parking garage. Mr. Yoder made the point at the freeholders' meeting the lack of parking space affects many people in addition to the hospital's 900 employees.

"Those searching for parking places include 12,000 inpatients plus their families and friends; over 20,000 outpatients; and 33,000 emergency care patients plus their families and friends, all on an annual basis as well as 223 in-service volunteers, 300 auxiliaries, 25 board members, 300 physicians and 25 members of the clergy, all on a regular basis. Many of the patients and visitors are elderly or handicapped and find it very difficult to walk a long distance," he concluded.

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POOLING THEIR RESOURCES - The benefits of ride-sharing and the increasing number of employees using van pools were topics discussed at a July 6 conference organized by the New Jersey Depts. of Energy and Transportation and hosted by Merck & Co., Inc. of Rahway. Among those speaking were Assemblyman George J. Olowski, left, and June Mercer, right, van pool administrator for Merck & Co. Inc. Assemblyman Olowski, who is also the mayor of Perth Amboy, spoke about the traffic congestion at Rte. No. 1 and Gull La., Woodbridge. Representatives of state, county and local government provided an update on traffic and mass transit in Union County. Industry representatives cited the advantages of their ride-sharing programs.

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EXPLORING OTHER LANDS - Israeli students, Amos Liberman, left, and Ayah Barlev, right, visited social studies classes at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield as part of a cultural exchange program.

Israeli students 'exchange' cultures

A 56-member delegation of Israeli students visited New Jersey schools and organizations last month as part of a cultural exchange program sponsored by the Israeli Ministry of Education.

Amos Liberman and Ayah Barlev spoke to Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield social studies students about their culture, food, dress and customs.

According to the Union County Regional High School District, the visit served as a "prelude" for the regional's pilot program on

the Holocaust which will be studied during the coming school year in freshman World Cultures classes.

History teachers, Katherine Venditti and Edward Janski of Dayton; Ronald Fernandez of David B. Pearson Regional High School in Kenilworth; and Donald Lloyd of Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark, met for a five-day workshop last week to develop a guide of selected activities for the regional district's World Cultures teachers.

"The teachers reviewed filmstrips and movies, poured over textbooks and heard survivors recount

Holocaust events in an attempt to provide documented material for the others," said the social studies coordinator.

"The subject is a sensitive one but it is too important to treat with kid gloves," she added.

In the 32-page guide the teachers recommended 20 learning units including tracing the origins of antisemitic laws, viewing slides entitled "The Holocaust" and "The Distorted Image," and role-playing activities. Recommended are dialogues and discussions with actual survivors.

The pilot program will be evaluated at the end of the school year to determine its effectiveness.

Warning: Don't eat disc batteries

The director of the Union County Division of Consumer Affairs, Ellen Bloom, warned consumers, "An estimated 500,000 button (miniature or disc) batteries are swallowed each year, threatening for possible internal damage."

The Consumer Affairs Division, within the Dept. of Human Resources, has received a strong warning issued jointly from the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission and the National Capital Poison Center of this possible hazard.

Technological advances in electronic miniaturization have increased the availability of miniature (button) batteries in

homes—in watches, calculators, cameras, hearing aids and games.

Although the vast majority of these button batteries, when accidentally swallowed, will pass through the person without any problem, occasionally severe complications have been reported. Batteries have become lodged in the esophagus or intestine, slowly leaking alkaline electrolytes and causing an internal chemical burn, the consumer unit head pointed out.

Battery ingestions are preventable. Important prevention and treatment information is available based on preliminary results of a National Button Battery Ingestion Study conducted by Dr. Toby Litovitz, the director of the National Capital Poison Center.

Of 62 button battery ingestions reported to the National Capital Poison Center in the past nine months, 59% involved batteries that were left out loose rather than properly discarded or stored; 39% of the batteries were in the product they were intended for and removed from the product; 11% of the batteries were in hearing aids; 1% were in a toy.

Accidental ingestion of button batteries is not restricted to children. In this study only 66% of patients were under the age of five and 10% were 18 years or older. Twenty-four percent were in the five-to-12 year age group.

Many of the major United States battery manufacturers have voluntarily placed warnings on the battery packages, which are routinely sold in blister packaging which forms an excellent child-resistant closure. The success of this packaging is supported by the National Capital Poison

Center study, which shows fewer than 2% of batteries ingested were obtained from the manufacturers' original packaging.

Recommendations to help prevent button battery ingestion are:

- 1. Keep button batteries out of your child's reach. Discard them carefully.
- 2. Do not allow children to play with button batteries.
- 3. Never put button batteries in your mouth for any reason. They are slippery and easily swallowed accidentally.
- 4. Always check medications before swallowing them. Adults have swallowed batteries mistaken for tablets.
- 5. Caution hearing aid users to keep hearing aids and batteries out of the reach of children.
- 6. If a button battery is swallowed, please telephone your poison control center, your physician, or the National Battery Ingestion Hot Line at 202-625-3333.
- 7. Dr. Litovitz cautioned the vast majority ingested will pass through the intestine without any difficulty. In the absence of symptoms, an x-ray and laxative are usually all that are required.
- 8. If symptoms are present or if you have been unable to resolve a problem regarding a retail transaction, write: Consumer Affairs, Post Office Box 186, Westfield, N. J. 07091.

'Space Art' to take over Trailside

Those in the seventh to ninth grades who want to make scientific and science fiction representations of other worlds in tempera and acrylic paints will be able to participate in "Space Art" from Monday to Thursday afternoons, July 25 to 28, at the Trailside Nature and Science Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd., Mountaineer.

To register for the program, which carries a fee of \$15, or for more information, please telephone Trailside at 232-5930.

Mrs. Berlin back from tour

A Rahway resident, Mrs. Marjorie Berlin of 79 Colonia Blvd., recently returned from a two-week tour of the Canyonlands, encompassing Colorado, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona.

'Puppet show to open at college

A New Jersey professional summer theater, SUMMERFUN, will present the Pandemonium Puppet Company in "Fa-bul" as the final production of this season's SUMMERFUN Sampler for Children.

This puppet theater experience is recommended for those aged four and up. The Pandemonium Puppet Company's performance of "Fa-bul" can be seen on Wednesday, July 27, at 1:15 p.m. in the Memorial Auditorium located on the Trailside Nature and Science Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd., Mountaineer. Tickets are \$3 each.

For further information regarding group sales rates and reservations, please telephone 746-9120.

Marionettes to perform at Trailside

Jean Rapicano and her marionettes will teach youngsters how to make their own puppets from recyclables then allow them to enjoy a puppet show involving hand and rod puppets plus marionettes on Wednesday, Aug. 10, at the Trailside Nature and Science Center's Visitors Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd. in Mountaineer. Admission will be \$1.50.

Roosevelt cites Anna Halkias

A Rahway sixth grader at Roosevelt School, Anna Halkias, won the Youth Fitness Award for achieving between 50 and 79% on all items.

County calendar to appear soon

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It will appear this month at local convenience stores, libraries and municipal recreation departments. The calendar can also be obtained at the offices of the department of parks and recreation, located in the court house complex in Elizabeth from Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., or by telephoning 527-4900.

If your organization would like to be included in the next calendar, October-November/December, please telephone Ellen Unger at 527-4913 or mail her your group's listings by Wednesday, Aug. 10, at the Dept. of Parks and Recreation, Union County Administration Building, Elizabeth, N. J. 07207.

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED - Displaying the resolution citing Memorial General Hospital in Union as a model of hospital nursing practice are, left to right, Sen.

State aides cite Memorial General

Memorial General Hospital in Union, which during the past year has won national acclaim in the field of nursing, was recently cited in a resolution sponsored by Republican Sen. Louis Bassano, and presented by Gov. Thomas Kean, praising the institution as a model of hospital nursing practice, reports a hospital spokesman.

"All of us at Memorial General are extremely proud to receive this honor," said Patricia Lynch, the hospital vice president, "and we are very grateful to Sen. Bassano and Gov. Kean for their encouragement and support of our endeavors in

the field of nursing."

Due to its leadership role in the recruitment and retention of nurses, the hospital was cited last year as one of 31 hospitals nationwide chosen by the National Commission on Nursing to share its successes in dealing with its nursing resources. The health care facility was selected because of its distinctive record in experiencing far less than average difficulties with the current nationwide nursing shortage.

The hospital's achievements have been published by the commission and disseminated to health care institutions across the country.

Sheriff's Office gets vest donation

A check for \$1,218.35, earmarked for the purchase of bullet-proof vests, was accepted by Ralph Froehlich, the Union County sheriff. The money was donated by the Elizabeth Police Reserve at a recent meeting.

According to Sheriff Froehlich, the funds will buy some six to seven vests for his officers.

"We already have six vests," the sheriff said. He explained out of a total of 87 sheriff's officers, 18 work on the street, in the Warrant Squad and assigned to other activities, and he feels these persons must get the vests first.

The rest of the officers work as court attendants, and Sheriff Froehlich would like to see all 87 officers wearing vests one day soon. He pointed out each vest must be fitted to the individual officer, so each person must have his or her own vest.

The president of the police reserves, Patrick Pryor, said, "The funds were collected for the specific purpose of protecting our officers."

Since the reserves in Elizabeth are about to be disbanded, they decided to turn the money over to the Sheriff's Dept. because Sheriff Froehlich was a former lieutenant with the Elizabeth Police Reserve, an organization which has been in existence for 44 years.

Sheriff Froehlich expressed his appreciation to the reserves, saying, "The Police Reserve has served the city of Elizabeth admirably at airplane crashes, mass arrests, parades, floods and fire scenes, the most notable being the explosions of Standard Oil and the Chemical Control holocaust."

Dancerobics sets date for signups

Dancerobics registration for the second session, Wednesday, Wednesday, Aug. 1 to 24, is now in progress at the Westfield YM-YWCA Christian Assn. at 220 Clark St. The four-week session will meet twice weekly in an air-conditioned room. Sign-ups are needed for this fitness program, designed to increase your heart-beat capacity while performing lively, yet uncomplicated dance movements, reports a spokeswoman.

Please telephone the YWCA at 233-2833 for times and fees.

Registration for the YWCA's Summer Aquatics Program second session, from Monday to Friday, July 18 to 29, is currently continuing.

Baby and Me, Mommy and Me and Beginners Swim No. 1 and No. 2 will meet daily during the two-week session.

Baby and Me is for children six months to two years old while Mommy and Me is for children walking to three years. Both classes teach water adjustment and some basic swimming skills.

Beginners Swim No. 1, a class for children six years or in first grade and up, uses the progressive swim teaching method introducing breath control, front float, kick and elementary crawl along with safety skills. Beginners No. 2 introduces more advanced and increased swimming distances.

Additional information including class times may be obtained at the YWCA or by telephoning 233-2833.

Air Force enlists Doris DeCecco

A Clark resident, Doris DeCecco of 603 Goodman's Crossing, recently entered the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program.

The 1975 graduate of Union High School is scheduled to leave for basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Tex., on Tuesday, Aug. 16.

Plans are for her to receive technical training in the administrative career field for which transferable college credits will be awarded.

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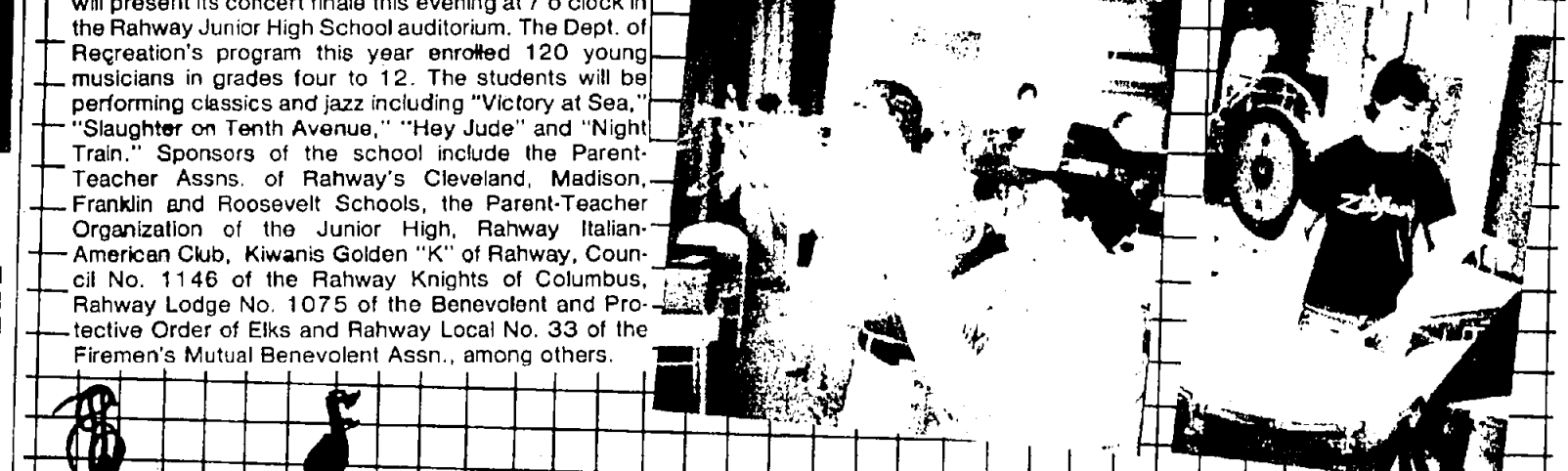
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GRAND FINALE - The Rahway Summer Band School will present its concert finale this evening at 7 o'clock in the Rahway Junior High School auditorium. The Dept. of Recreation's program this year enrolled 120 young musicians in grades four to 12. The students will be performing classics and jazz including "Victory at Sea," "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue," "Hay Jude" and "Night Train." Sponsors of the school include the Parent-Teacher Assns. of Rahway's Cleveland, Madison, Franklin and Roosevelt Schools, the Parent-Teacher Organization of the Junior High, Rahway Italian-American Club, Kawan's Golden "K" of Rahway, Council No. 1146 of the Rahway Knights of Columbus, Rahway Lodge No. 1075 of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and Rahway Local No. 33 of the Fraternity's Mutual Benevolent Assn., among others.



Dinosaurs to be explored at Trailside

A program, "Dinosaurs and Other Reptiles," in which youngsters will be able to discover which dinosaurs lived where they live now and the snakes and turtles that live in the area today will be held at the Trailside Nature and Science Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd., Mountaineer, from Tuesday to Thursday mornings, July 25 to 28.

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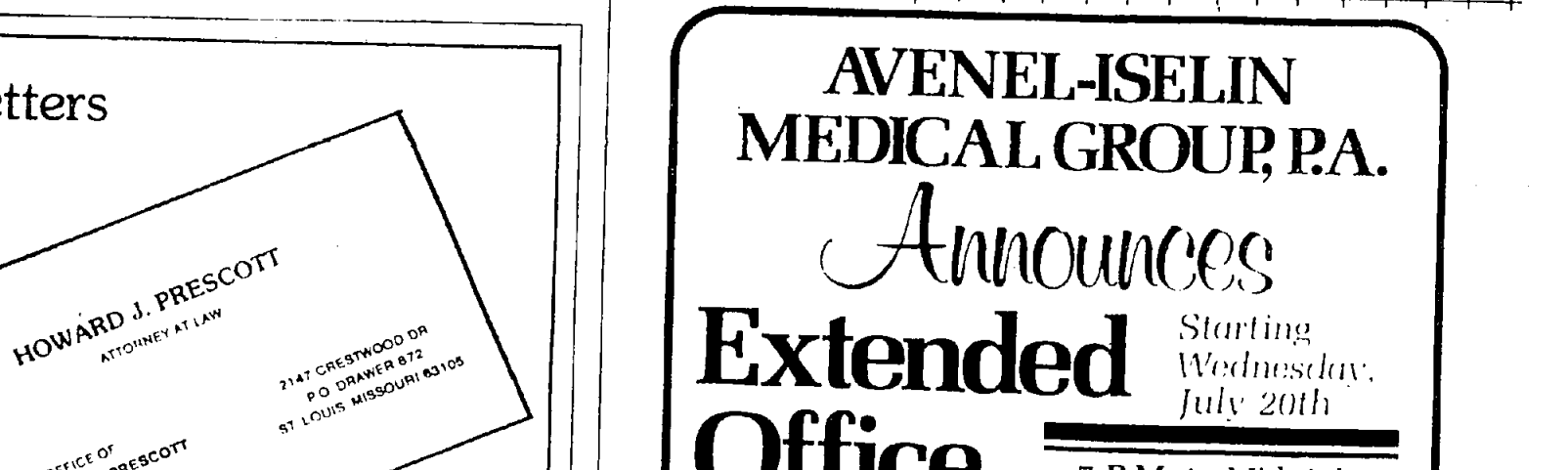
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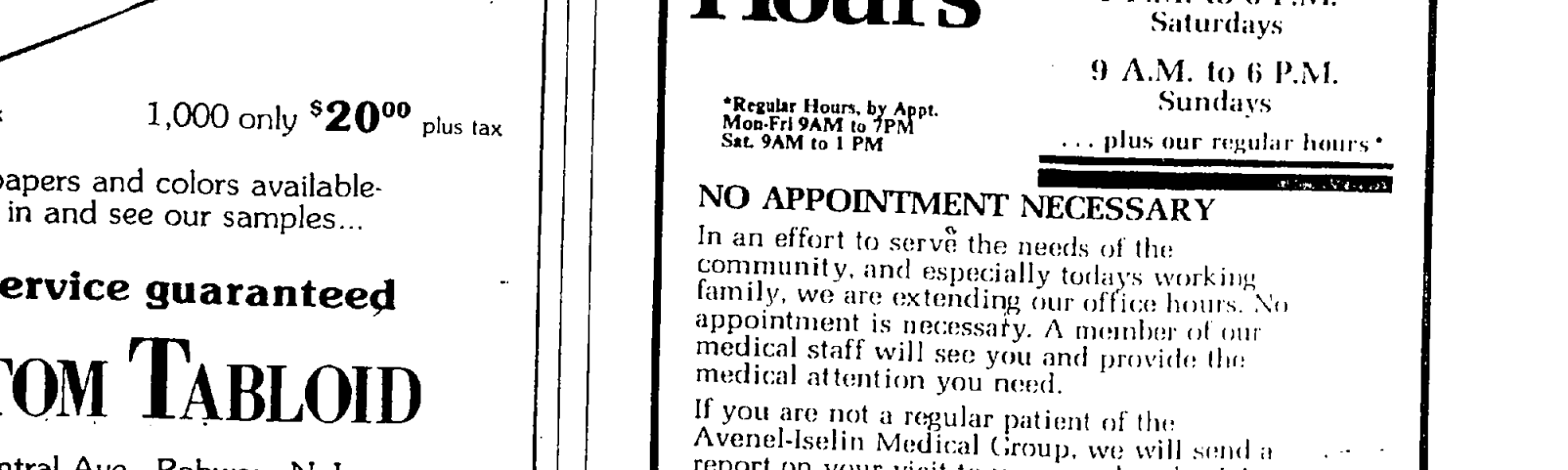
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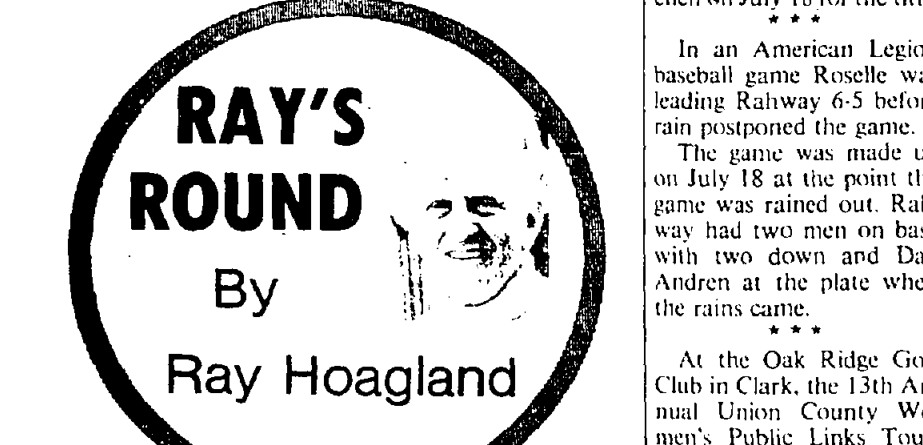


BATTER UP - Judy Knecht, rear, the recreational co-ordinator for the Union County Chapter of the Assn. for the Advancement of the Mentally Handicapped in Elizabeth, umpires a practice softball game prior to a Wednesday, Aug. 10, benefit game with the WNEW-FM all-star team in Elizabeth. At bat is Vernard Porcher, right, of Linden, and Kenneth Dickman, left, of Elizabeth is doing the catching. The site for the game will be announced shortly. Among the WNEW personalities taking part will be Richard and Dan Neer and Jim Monaghan.

Radio softballers to join benefit

The WNEW-FM all-star softball team will play a benefit game in Elizabeth on Wednesday, Aug. 10, with a team made up of clients and staff members of the Assn. for the Advancement of the Mentally Handicapped in Elizabeth. The benefit game is scheduled for 8 p.m. at a site still to be announced, according to Judy Knecht, Union, the recreation co-ordinator for the non-profit social service agency.

The WNEW contingent will be led by disc jockey, Richard Neer, along with his brother, Dan Neer, and Jim Monaghan and Ken Dashow, among others. Making up the association team will be Mercedes Altieri, the coach; Martin Borley, Kenneth Dickman, John Drescher, Joe Frickie, John Hargrove, Stefan Jakomowicz, Roy Johnson, Ann-Marie Kelly, Daryl Nelson, Debra Polziano, Vernard Porcher, Mark Straka, Cathy Sala,



RAY'S ROUND
By Ray Hoagland

Steve Williams, a resident of Winfield Park, who is a member of a Rahway team of the Intra-County League All-Star Baseball Team that played in Union on July 17. Eight Rahway Recreation players were selected for the Ferguson Division team, including Williams, Bob Buckley, who's hitting .394; Frank Jack, .506; Scott Wohlbach, .357; Mike Gabel, .478; and Brian Witek, with pitchers, Bob Sekley, .40, 1.09 earned run average, and Fred Stinner, 1.0, 2.86 earned run average. Rahway won its first 13 games of league play thus far.

A Rahway team continuing to upset the playoff field on July 15 in the Westfield Summer Basketball League semi-final round action at Cranford High School.

Winning Kickers on July 16 were Roger Hurnsby, Dennis Pupak, and Jerry Nichols with 76.

Winning Kickers on July 17 were Al Davinos, Al Vastano, Mario Orlando and Aaron Segal with 75.

At the Colonia Country Club in the President's Trophy Tournament game was taken by Lou Petroz-



CLARK TALLIES VICTORY - One of the competitors in Rahway's July 4 bicycle races tries to right himself after a spill near the Rahway Post Office as another cyclist has his eye on the finish line.

Clark tallies victory on four-run rally

by Ray Hoagland

The Clark team in the Union-Plainfield Twilight Baseball League rallied for four runs in the last of the sixth to score a 6-3 win over Metuchen in a game played in Springfield.

With Metuchen on top 3-2, Clark, winning its 11th game in 20 starts, registered five hits in its winning rally and in four of them, sent in by Jeff Evanylo, Robert Madden, Mark Whitcomb and Ned Panfilic, scored runs.

Whitcomb won his fourth game with one loss. Brothers, John and Peter Toin, and Evanylo were selected for the league all-star team that met a similar squad from Essex County in an all-star game on July 9 at Swanstrom Field in Union.

Coaches Bill Rosch's and John Bodnar's Rahway Recreation team rolled to its 13th consecutive win, a 16-8 decision over the Union VFW at Weber Field in Union.

Trailing 6-5 entering the sixth inning, the Recreation scored 10 runs by sending 14 batters to the plate and never trailed after that. Scott Wohlbach, pitching in relief of Fred Stinner, struck out 11 in four innings to pick up his second win of the season.

Frank Jack led the way with three hits in four trips to the plate and drove in three runs. Mike Gabel had two hits including a homer and Steve Cibrowski had two hits and three runs driven in.

Clark's American Legion team scored its fourth straight win, a 17-6 decision over the St. Mary of the Assumption team of Elizabeth.

The Clark team had 14 hits for its 17 runs.

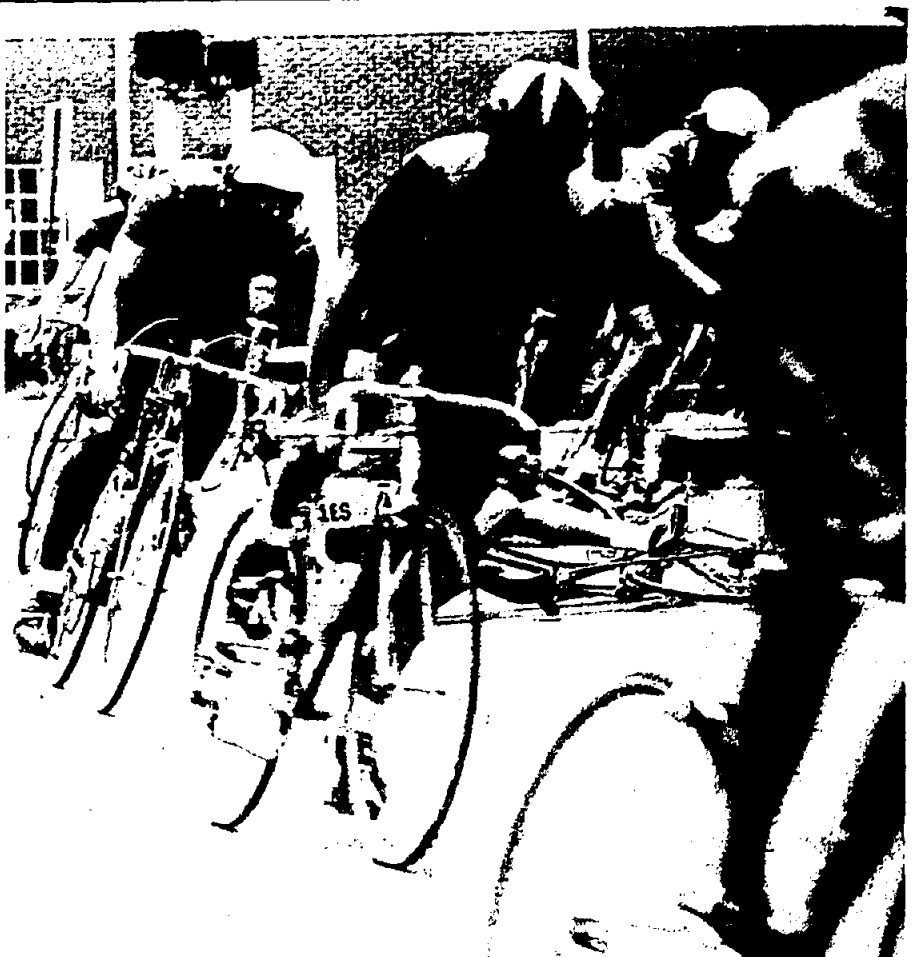
Mike Diponzere hurled a complete game for the win, and Tom Amen and Scott Orenburg led the winners at bat.

The Roselle team in the Intra-County Baseball League broke the Rahway Recreation's 13-game winning streak by 7-6 on July 16.

In the afternoon the Rahway team scored a 10-7 win over the Westfield Police Athletic League in eight innings. The team was down by a 5-0 count early in the game and came back when Frank Jack hit a two-run, batted-in homer to tie up the game in the last of the seventh. In the last part of the extra inning Fred Stinner hit a three-run homer to win the game.

Stinner was the winning pitcher.

The Toin twins, John and Peter, and Dan Euphoria of the Clark Patriots were selected to play in the Annual Union County and Essex County All-Star Baseball Game on July 17 at Swanstrom Field in Union.



LOOKING FOR THE GOLD - Bicyclists in the July 4 race in Rahway keep their eyes pinned to the course as they head for the finish line after passing the Rahway Post Office.

Deadline almost here for tourney

County residents have until Wednesday, Aug. 3, to register for both the Union County Senior Men's Doubles Tennis Tournament and the Senior Women's Doubles Tennis Tournament.

Play is scheduled to take place on Saturday, Aug. 13, on the day courts in Wannano Park in Roselle-Eliabeth. The entry fee is \$5, and prizes will be awarded to the winners and runners-up. Players must furnish three regulation tennis balls.

To register or find out more, please telephone the courts at 245-2388 or the offices of the Union County Dept. of Parks and Recreation at 527-4900.

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PASSING THE GAVEL Talking over Clark Rotary Club activities for the new year are some of the newly-installed officers, left to right, Philip Vecchione, treasurer, Charles Walano, treasurer, Dr. Jim Collins of Dunellen, the new District No. 751 governor, George R. Roache, president, and John Voynick, vice president.

Public Service seeks cut in penalty

Public Service Electric and Gas Co. July 6 requested the Nuclear Regulatory Commission reduce an \$850,000 civil penalty the commission proposed as a result of the failure of the reactor trip relays to automatically shut down the No. 1 unit at the Salem Generating Station on two occasions in February.

The company cited a number of reasons for a reduction in a letter to the commission. Although the conditions leading to both trips and the prompt corrective action of the operators turned the incidents into little more than routine shutdowns, the implications of the events are significant and far-reaching for the entire industry. A recent commission document identified such problems as common in the industry, reports a Public Service spokesman.

The utility spokesman said the significant generic implications should not be allowed to obscure either the nature of the actual events or what constitutes an appropriate enforcement action. In its letter to the commission the company outlined three basic reasons as to why the civil penalty should be reduced. First, the company said its own actions undertaken since the events in February, clearly demonstrate an awareness of the significance of the incidents, a commitment to rectify any problems and an effort to continuously comply with commission regulations. "The proposed penalty is unnecessary in that the significant, corrective actions described in the letter were either completed or were committed to as a comprehensive remedial program prior to the issuance of the notice of

violation," the company said. Second, the company pointed out the conditions surrounding the first event, which occurred on Feb. 22, obscured the fact there was a relay failure and taken in conjunction with the prompt operator response, should be considered in mitigation of the penalty. The promptness of the operators in manually shutting down the unit acted to mask the failure of the reactor trip relays, it noted. The firm said it had taken the initiative in having a sequence-of-events recorder installed without which it would not have been possible to reconstruct the details of the Feb. 22 event. The company believes it should not be penalized for the initiative. A formalized post-trip review procedure has been instituted by the company to assure a similar occurrence will not happen again.

Third, the utility said there were a number of additional facts that should be considered. The investigation into the events has indicated the relays themselves contributed substantially to the occurrence. Neither the company, the nuclear industry nor the commission was aware of various facts regarding these components, as revealed by the commission's consultant, Franklin Research Center. The company's new test procedures will benefit the entire industry in confirming the anticipated operating life of the circuit breakers. In conjunction with an investigation by the company of the classification of work orders as a result of the February events as to whether or not they are safety-related, only 35 of 15,000 were found to be misclassified, but absolutely none affected safety, the letter continued. The company objected to the alleged duration of the technical violation which the commission has asserted to be four days of operation with failed reactor-trip breakers.

The company said it would be unreasonable to assess a civil penalty for more than two days, since the total elapsed time was less than 51 hours. The company also questioned the classification of the events as severity level No. 1 which carries the highest civil penalty. As a result of the events, the company has undertaken an extensive investigation of maintenance practices and adherence to procedures. The company also has embarked upon a comprehensive remedial action to assure the events do not recur and all necessary improvements are made or committed to, including the development of a new test program for the components involved.

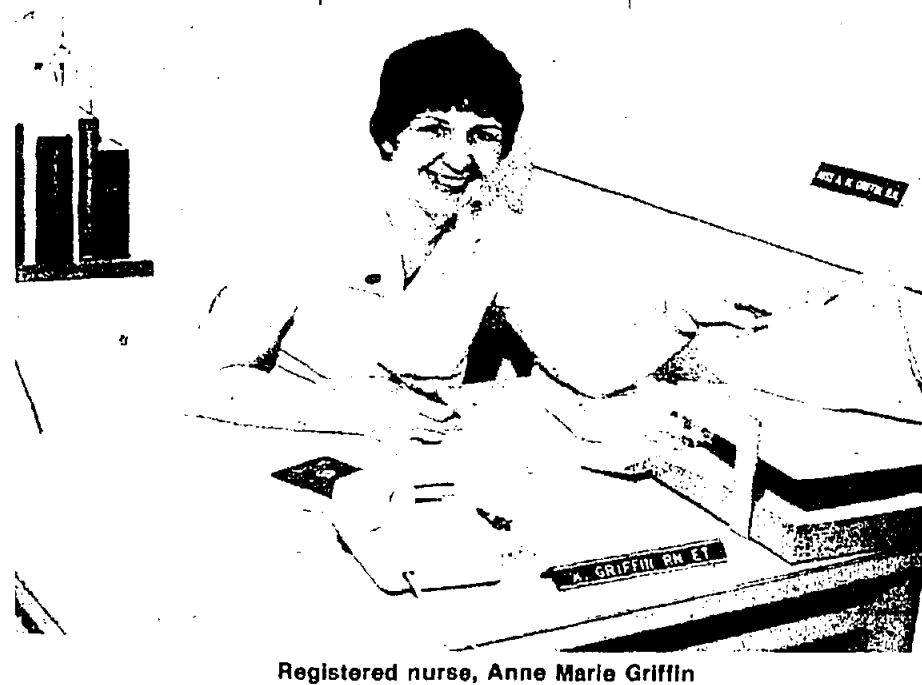
The overall effect of these steps will benefit the entire industry. In addition, the company is working to properly identify any additional areas for improvement so as to strengthen overall performance, the letter stated. "Respective of any civil penalties, this company has taken and will diligently follow through on strong remedial measures with respect to the equipment responsible for the February failures, the related operating and maintenance procedures, and the execution of such procedures by personnel," the utility concluded.

Visiting nurse updates specialty

The enterostomal therapist on the staff of the Visiting Nurse and Health Services of Elizabeth, Anne Marie Griffin, a registered nurse, recently attended a four-day national conference in Kansas City to add to her knowledge in this specialized field of nursing. Enterostomal therapy deals with care of patients with colostomies and related surgeries for intestinal and bladder diseases. This nursing specialty is only 15 years old and there are only 1,700 qualified enterostomal nurses in the country. Miss Griffin took her first intensive (two months for seven days a week) course on the subject in 1972 at the Cleveland Clinic, at a time when only 88 nurses were qualified in that field in the United States. She has returned regularly to national conferences to keep abreast of new developments in enterostomy.

The focus of the recent conference was an update on skin care. This is of the utmost importance to a patient's ability to use the appropriate equipment and function independently of nursing assistance as much as possible, according to Miss Griffin. The Visiting Nurse and Health Services, which provides home health care service to 16 communities in Union County, has had this service since 1972 when Miss Griffin was named as its enterostomal therapist following her specialized training. "Management of these patients has improved greatly in the last 10 years," she stated. "Ostomy equipment and products available for skin care are now much more sophisticated."

In addition to performing care for patients with a variety of other diagnoses, she also provides a consultant service to fellow health service nurses who request assistance in customizing the care and equipment needed for a patient when a problem is encountered. As a part of their orientation, new staff nurses of the service participate in a class conducted by Miss Griffin to provide them with a greater understanding of enterostomal patient care. They gain some of their expertise in this way. Miss Griffin also discusses with manufacturers the effectiveness of their new and old products that are available for these patients. An Elizabeth resident and a graduate of St. Elizabeth Hospital School of Nursing in Elizabeth who has a bachelor of science degree from Jersey City State College, she has been a member of the visiting nurse staff since 1967. The United Way agency, has been serving the public for more than 70 years. Services are provided in 16 municipalities in Union County including Clark and Rahway.



Registered nurse, Anne Marie Griffin

'Deathtrap' to open at SUMMERFUN

SUMMERFUN, a New Jersey professional summer theater will present Ira Levin's mystery-thriller, "Deathtrap," from Tuesday to Saturday, July 26 to 30. This story deals with a once-famous playwright and his "plight" to create another successful murder-thriller. "Deathtrap" will be the fifth of six productions to be presented by SUMMERFUN Theater, now in its 12th season. SUMMERFUN is a professional stock theater in residence at Montclair State College in Upper Montclair. All performances are at 8:30 p.m. in Memorial Auditorium. Ticket prices are \$6 from Tuesday to Thursday and \$7.50 on Friday and Saturday. Student and senior citizen rates are available. For reservations or further information please telephone SUMMERFUN at 746-9120.

Trailside to launch 'Spaceship'

"In Spaceship Earth," to enable those in the fourth to sixth grades to discover the world from ecospere to microcosm and learn respect for the living system of our planet, will run from Monday to Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 8 to 10, at the Trailside Nature and Science Center at Coles Ave. and New Providence Rd., Mountainside. The fee will be \$10. To register and for further information, please telephone Trailside at 232-5930.

Albright cites Robin L. Sims

A township student, Robin L. Sims of 179 Jupiter St., was named to the dean's honor list for academic achievement during the spring semester at Albright College in Reading, Pa. The list includes all students who earn a cumulative average of 3.5 or above.

The overall effect of these steps will benefit the entire industry. In addition, the company is working to properly identify any additional areas for improvement so as to strengthen overall performance, the letter stated. "Respective of any civil penalties, this company has taken and will diligently follow through on strong remedial measures with respect to the equipment responsible for the February failures, the related operating and maintenance procedures, and the execution of such procedures by personnel," the utility concluded.

Stamp show to be held in Clark

A monthly stamp and coin show, The Clark Show, now in its ninth year, will be held on Sunday, Aug. 7. The event will take place at the Ramada Inn at 36 Valley Rd., Clark, at the Garden State Parkway Exit No. 135. The show will run from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Admission and parking will be free. A wide range of United States and world-wide stamps, coins and covers will be on display and offered for sale. In addition, members of the public may bring any material they may have for sale, since the participating dealers, which include members of the American Stamp Dealers Assn., will be ready to purchase anything they need for their stocks. A Clark Show Souvenir Card will be issued, and given free to all attendees. This card will only be available at the show. Further information may be obtained by telephoning 247-1093.

Junior Women to hold yard sale

The Rahway Area Junior Woman's Club will hold a yard and bake sale on Saturday, Aug. 6, at 10 a.m. at 616 Jefferson Ave., Rahway.

Army trains Denzil Williams

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