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Board of Education announces final standings

Athletes honored

by Pat DiMaggio
The Rahway Board of Education honored athletes for fall activities at their meeting on Jan. 13.

Following is a list of students and their final rankings as chosen by The Daily Journal: All Metro Football Isaac Scott, Second Team, Defensive Line; Craig Montgomery, Third Team, Defensive Line; Mark Daneke, Darrell Har-

ris, Corey Baker, Robert Turek, Jerry Sharp, Charles Schmitt, Desmond Griffin, Scott Finner and Jerome LaDuna, Honorable Mention.
All Union County Isaac Scott, First Team, Defensive Line; Michael Eckert, Third Team, Defensive Line; Craig Montgomery, Third Team, Defensive Line; Mark Daneke, Darrell Har-

All Watchung Conference Mark Daneke, Second Team, Offensive Back; Corey Baker, Second Team, Offensive End; Isaac Scott, Second Team, Defensive Back; Robert Turek, Second Team, Punt/Kick.
Also honored were Isaac Scott, Star Ledger All Union County, Second Team, Defensive End; Shaun Crane, Star Ledger All Union County Girls Soccer, Second Team, Goalie;

Robert Schweitzer, The Daily Journal All Union County Soccer, Second Team, Forward; Scott Schweitzer, Star Ledger All Union County Soccer, Third Team.
The board also announced the final results of the fall sports teams.
Varsity Football won 2, lost 7. Head coach, Edward Yergalouis, assistants James Marino, William Dolan, Harold Young, Vin-

cent Addona and Robert Wisniewski.
Junior Varsity Football won 3, lost 4.
Freshman Boys Soccer won 4, lost 4. Fred Stueber and James Weldon, coaches.
Varsity Boys Soccer won 1, lost 14. Head coach, Mario Kawczytski, assistant Joseph Caggiano.
Junior Varsity Soccer won 0, lost 8.

Seventh and Eighth Grade Boys Soccer won 6, lost 2. Paul DiGianno, coach.
Girls Varsity Soccer won 4, lost 8. William Cladek, Coach.
Seventh and Eighth Grade Girls Soccer won 1, lost 4, tied 1. Dennis Shuckley, coach.
Cross Country won 4, lost 8. James Ladley, coach.
Girls Tennis won 4, lost 15. Howard Walker, coach.

Who is this man?



A TRIBUTE . . . Mayor Martin has proclaimed a special day for this very special man. Please turn to page 6 to read about a man who has done so much for others and the city of Rahway.

Board meets to review litigation

by Pat DiMaggio
An emergency meeting was called by the Rahway Board of Education on Feb. 3 to review litigation dealing with charges brought against the board by the Rahway Education Association (REA). A previous closed-session meeting had been held on Thursday, Jan. 30, but no action was taken by the board at that time.

Several board members questioned the purpose of the emergency meeting. Ronald Matusaitis asked if the meeting was to be different than the one previously held. Board Attorney Leo Kahn answered that some of the fact situations to be discussed had changed. Matusaitis said that he felt the REA

brought the litigation and if they wished to negotiate they should have done so before taking action. He said he had been available to sit down and go "head to head" with the REA, but had never been approached. The meeting then went into Executive Session.

The REA has charged that there are problems with the seniority lists used in determining who would be transferred and who would be affected by Reduction in Force (RIF) and instituted litigation against the board with the Office of Administrative Law in Trenton, with petitions being heard this week. REA president Richard Waters has said that the seniority lists are out of date and inaccurate. Superintendent of

Schools Frank Brunette said that any problem with the lists had been addressed, and pointed out that some staff members had given incomplete or inaccurate information. He said the lists would be updated continually.

Also pending against the board are Unfair Labor Practices charges by the REA and the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA). Mr. Waters said the charges were filed in response to the board's decision to lay-off 10 teaching and 2 nursing positions through RIF. Waters said the RIF's were in retaliation to the teachers' strong position in contract negotiations, which granted teachers a nine percent raise.

The board had maintained that the lay-offs were necessary to divert an anticipated budget deficit.

When the meeting reconvened a vote was taken on a possible settlement agreement as amended. Board

Members Eileen Benes and William Hoodzow and Board President Betty Jacobs voted in favor. Bernard Miller, Rick Proctor, William Ulrich, Lillie Henderson and Ronald Matusaitis voted against. Louis Rizzo was absent.

Rec roller skating gets expanded time

The Rahway Rec Dept. has announced that roller skating at the Franklin School gym on Saturday mornings will change to new expanded times, on Saturday Feb. 15.

Grades 1, 2 and 3 will attend from 1 to 3 p.m.

Grades 4 and up through high school will attend from 3 to 5 p.m.
The cost is still 35 cents per skater with skates available on a first come, first serve basis. For additional information, please telephone the Rec. Dept. at 381-8000, ext. 467.

Volunteers needed to help county families under stress

Volunteers will be trained during February by the Mental Health Association of Union County to assist families under stress. These volunteers will be prepared to step in and offer emotional support to both the child and parents.

Training will be supervised by Sophia Butler, M.S.W., Director of the Family Companion Pro-

gram and will consist of four sessions, beginning on February 12. According to Ms. Butler, "The volunteers will learn communication and listening skills, will learn to find the resources available in the community to aid the family in trouble and will be taught problem solving techniques to ease the tension in the distressed family." A speaker from the

Division of Youth and Family services will also be featured during the training session.

Volunteers are needed who will be willing to reach out to these families offering their time, care and support. Their work is vital in promoting healthy families. If you are able to help, please telephone 352-7830.

RAHWAY HOSPITAL AND MERCK EMPLOYEES TEAM UP . . . Gloria Fiori (right), of Merck & Co., presents a check for over \$1,000 to Ego Syvortson, of Rahway Hospital's Department of Social Services, to benefit the hospital's adopted families. Each holiday season employees and members of the hospital family contribute to a fund to aid several needy families. Over \$3,000 was raised. The fundraising drive started as an alternative for hospital employees to sending Christmas cards to each other. When the employees at Merck heard about the adopted families fund a few years ago, they wanted to contribute. Miss Fiori, Manager of Microbiological Services, Quality Control, coordinates the fundraising at Merck. The following departments contributed to this year's success: Central Engineering, Chemical Engineering R & D, Biochemical Engineering, Resource Management, Quality Control, and Automation and Control.

Kean signs DiFrancesco legislation

Union County to get \$2.3 million in extra aid for nursing homes

Governor Kean recently signed into law legislation sponsored by Senator Donald T. Di Francesco (R-22) which will enable state and county operated nursing homes to receive additional federal funds. Union County will receive \$2.3 million in extra aid and Essex county, \$3.8 million.
The new law authorizes the state commissioner of Human Services to establish a new category of skilled nursing homes run by county governments, separate and distinct from proprietary and voluntary facilities, to qualify them for higher reimbursement rates.

"Operating costs at government-operated homes tend to be higher

than proprietary and voluntary facilities due to several factors including the larger number of elderly and intensive care patients," said Senator Di Francesco. "The new category will provide a level of reimbursement that more closely reflects the actual operating costs of these nursing homes."
The legislation also requires that if the increased reimbursement rate results in any net savings to a county, the county must use between 10 to 50 percent of its savings to establish new community-based programs for the elderly and disabled or expand its existing services.

"With the population of elderly citizens in our state increasing, it is very critical

that funds be made available for various long term care programs including Meals-On-Wheels, home health care, transportation for medical services and adult day care programs," said Senator Di Francesco.

"The system of categorizing nursing homes established under this new law will be of great benefit to the citizens of Union and Essex Counties," concluded the Senator. "The counties will realize considerable savings by relieving county governments of having to subsidize government-operated homes. Also, additional funds can be made available to the vital community programs that service the needs of the elderly and disabled.



RAHWAY HOSPITAL HOLDS EMPLOYEE BLOOD DRIVE . . . Jim Thomas, Rahway Hospital's Respiratory Therapy Manager, goes through a mini-medical screening with New Jersey Blood Services Technician Pat Kaplan in preparation for donating blood. Mr. Thomas was one of several first time donors in the hospital's winter employee blood drive. Before potential donors can give blood, a medical history is taken to find out if there is anything that would affect their eligibility. Then a drop of blood is analyzed to make sure they are not anemic, and their pulse, blood pressure and temperature are checked.



GOING FOR THE MEDAL . . . Rahway Rec. Dept. wrestler Carlos Garay (left) is seen in a dramatic moment at the recent Roselle Park Dad's Tournament. The

Chatham wrestler is unidentified. Garay took home a First Place medal, reports the Rec. Dept.



ST. MARY'S STUDENTS HELP... St. Margaret Anno, librarian, gets plenty of help from students (l-r) Melissa Flurin, Evn Matorini, Marlene Napolitano and Vicki Lorenzo.

St. Mary's School participates in Catholic Schools' week

Principal Alice Romanos for the Heart Association and a Mathathon for St. Jude's Children Hospital. The facility will invite guests from St. Elizabeth's in Linden for a hand-on staff meeting on Friday, February 7.

IRS reports: Income averaging can save dollars on tax bills

Income averaging is a new law that allows taxpayers to average their income over a four-year period to reduce their tax liability. This is particularly beneficial for those with fluctuating income.

"Mapping Galaxies" lecture open to the public

A lecture titled "Mapping Galaxies" will be held at the Nassau Community College. The speaker will discuss the latest findings in astronomy and the structure of the universe.

Singles can dance every week-end

There are several dance venues available for singles looking for a fun night out. These include local clubs and community centers.

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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS A RAINBOW OF EXCELLENCE

St. Mary's School has been recognized as one of the top Catholic schools in the area. This recognition is based on academic excellence and community involvement.

Lady Owls rank fifth in defense in nation

The Lady Owls of Union County College have achieved a significant milestone by ranking fifth in the nation for their defensive performance in basketball.

Singles Again plans Valentine's party and dance

The Singles Again group is organizing a Valentine's party and dance. The event will feature live music, social activities, and a special dinner.

Retired Men's Club slate events

The Retired Men's Club has a slate of events planned for the coming months. These include social gatherings, educational programs, and community service projects.

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Birth Announcement

It's a Boy
Former Councilman and Mrs. John Bodnar, III, announce the birth of a son, John Winthrop, 12-29-85, at Overlook Hospital in Summit. Mrs. Bodnar is the former Karen R. Winthrop. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fielding of New Vernon. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fielding of New Vernon. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fielding of New Vernon.

Miss Carbone to wed Andrew Ross

Lyndra Carbone of Fanwood and Andrew Ross of Newark announce their engagement. Miss Carbone is the daughter of Lino and Yvonne Carbone of Fanwood. Mr. Ross is the son of Rosalie Ross of Rahway and the late Joseph Ross.

Ms. Soppas to wed Charles M. Neiss

Irene and Philip Soppas of 399 Koenig Pl., Rahway, announce the engagement of their daughter Ms. Denise Soppas of 60 Willow Ave., N. Plainfield to Charles M. Neiss of 101 Banker Trust as a senior programmer. The couple plan to be married on June 28, 1986.

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Junior Women plan auction fund-raiser

The Junior Women's Club of Westfield will sponsor a vacation auction on Friday, March 7 at 8 p.m. at L'Affaire Restaurant, Route 22 east, Mountain Side. The annual auction is a fund raising event. The proceeds this year will be donated to the Alzheimer's Disease fund of New Jersey.

Social Scene -



"THE FANTASTICKS" IN REHEARSAL... Seen left to right in a rehearsal scene are Donna La Spain, Kim Mac Dougl, Steven and Kim will star as teenagers in love with the comedy will be presented on March 6, 7 and 8. Reserved seating may be purchased. Please telephone 382-0910 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Group rates are also available. Reports: Michael Vogel, Drama Director. This will be Arthur L. Johnson Regional's spring musical.

Make Today Count group offers support to people

The Union County Chapter of Make Today Count, a mutual support group for people with life threatening illnesses, their family, friends and health care professionals, will hold its next regular meeting at the Casano Community Center, 314 Chestnut St., Roselle Park on Monday, February 10.

Clark Chapter AARP seeks item donations

The Clark No. 3733 American Association of Retired Persons will meet on Friday, Feb. 14 at 1 p.m. at the Brewer School Center, Westfield Ave., Clark, at 1 p.m.

County Republicans plan annual Lincoln day dinner

The Union County Republican Committee will hold its annual Lincoln Day Dinner on Friday, Feb. 14 at the Town & Campus Restaurant in Union.

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Local families needed for exchange students

ASSE International Student Exchange programs (ASSE) is seeking local families to host 15 Scandinavian girls and boys, 16 to 18 years of age, coming to this area for the upcoming high school year. These persons are academically and socially average and Canadian teens are bright, curious and anxious to learn about this country through living as part of a family, attending high school and sharing their own culture and language with their newly adopted American family.

Rahway Woman's Club to view film on Statue of Liberty

Focusing on the N.J. State Federation of Women's Clubs' statewide fundraising project, members of the Rahway Woman's Club will be entertained by the N.J. Bell film "The Statue of Liberty" and "Ellis Island" when they hold their monthly general membership meeting on Friday, Feb. 7, at the Senior Presbyterian church hall, downtown Rahway.

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Clark seniors to hear speaker

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MADE WITH LOVING CARE... Members of the Clark Chapter 3733 AARP are seen with some of their creations. These volunteers made lap robes for distribution to local hospitals and nursing homes. Seated left to right are (front row) Cecil Markiewicz, Janet Biglow and Mary Motte. Back row: Louise Jaworowski and Doris Krapp

Rahway Hospital Auxiliary offers scholarships

The Rahway Hospital Auxiliary is offering several scholarships to students who plan to enter nursing or other health fields. Applications will be accepted in the library once a month.

Library organizing discussion club

The Clark Public Library is sponsoring a book discussion group which will meet in the library once a month. The library invites the public to meet on Feb. 10 with ideas of when to meet and a suggested list of titles and authors. Suggestions that many people enjoy talking about a book after they've read it, but often have no one to exchange viewpoints with.

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Merck reports fourth-quarter net income increase

Merck & Co. Inc. announced that 1985 fourth-quarter net income increased 16 percent to \$134,369,000. Earnings per share were \$1.92, an increase of 20 percent...

Another positive aspect of group homes is the fact that they have an effect on the child's life. In a recent article the Star Letter reports that a Clark is going to open a group home on Oak Ridge Road...

Take My Word For It

A Victim of Circumstances: The events that unfolded around Thomas Boycott in 1880 invited a very positive response...

Thomas Boycott was a retired English army captain who had been retained by the Earl of Erne to be the estate manager for his properties at Lough Mask House in County Mayo, Ireland...

Charles Stewart Parnell, an Irish member of the English Parliament, formed the National Land League and advocated that any man who accepted the higher rents on any landhold...

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

EDITOR'S NOTE: In order for us to adequately prepare the Community Calendar, all events for the following week should be submitted by 5 p.m. on the WEDNESDAY before you would like them to appear.

FRIDAY, FEB. 7 - Rahway Women's Club, general membership meeting, Second Presbyterian Church hall, downtown Rahway, starting with noon luncheon...

THURSDAY, FEB. 13 - The Rahway Chapter 607 AARP meets every second and fourth Thursday at the Senior Citizens Center, Esterbrook Ave.

THURSDAY, FEB. 13 - Executive session, Township of Clark, Board meeting, 10 a.m., 125 State Highway 27.

THURSDAY, FEB. 13 - Clark Board of Adjustment Executive meeting, former Brewer School, room 25, 430 Westfield Ave., Clark.

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Report from Washington

By Congressman Matt Rinaldo

Student money aid booklet available

A booklet listing the major federal and state programs providing financial assistance for college-bound students has been issued by Rep. Matthew J. Rinaldo...

The 12-page booklet, titled "Congressman Matt Rinaldo's Guide to Sources of College Financial Aid," contains information on scholarships, grants and low-interest loans...

IRS forms available: Groups and organizations interested in making the booklet available upon request to constituents, copies are being mailed to public libraries and high schools in the 7th District...

Sub Sharp leads team with 24.5 average: Sue Sharp, a graduate of A. L. Johnson High School, ranked eighth nationally in the 100-meter dash...

Board of Education to have a special public meeting: A special public meeting of the Rahway Board of Education will be held on Thursday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Meeting Room at the Intermediate School...

UCC receives \$4,000 grant: Union County College has received a \$4,000 grant from the New Jersey Department of Higher Education for its modern language courses...

PICK-IT NUMBERS FOR THE WEEK OF: MONDAY, JAN. 27 PICK FOUR: 1000 2000 3000 4000...

Where the CLARK PATRIOT is sold: LARRY'S Bookstore, 1475 Main St., Clark, N.J.

SCHOOL MENUS

WEEK OF Feb. 10 RAHWAY HIGH SCHOOL RAHWAY JR. HIGH

MONDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Cheese steak on roll, Choice of two potatoes - green beans - fruit. Luncheon No. 2: Hot Ham Hawaiian - bread and butter...

TUESDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Breaded chicken cutlet with gravy on roll. Luncheon No. 2: Hot meatball submarine sandwich with lettuce...

WEDNESDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Frankfurter on roll, Choice of two potatoes - vegetable - fresh fruit. Luncheon No. 2: Fish pizza on roll (breaded fish fillet with sauce)...

THURSDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Taco with shredded lettuce, steamed rice - fruit. Luncheon No. 2: Oven baked fish fillet on bun...

FRIDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Pizza. Luncheon No. 2: Hot meatball sandwich. Luncheon No. 3: Tuna salad sandwich...

RAHWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS: MONDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Cheese steak on roll, Potatoes - green beans - fruit. Luncheon No. 2: Cold submarine sandwich with lettuce - fruit...

TUESDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Hot meatball submarine sandwich - vegetable - fruit juice - chocolate pudding. Luncheon No. 2: Tuna salad sandwich - vegetable - fruit juice - chocolate pudding...

WEDNESDAY: Luncheon No. 1: Hot Southern baked pork roll on bun - macaroni salad - vegetable - fruit. Luncheon No. 2: American cheese and tomato sandwich - macaroni salad - vegetable - fruit...

Clark Democrats elect new officers

The Clark Democratic Club held their annual meeting at the Franklin State Bank in Clark on Jan. 30. New officers were elected for the following year...

Two social events were planned for the month of February and March, to be announced at a later date. New members are welcome at regular monthly meetings...

Mothers' Club to hold Chinese auction: The Mothers' Club of Roselle Catholic High School will hold its third annual Chinese auction on Friday, Feb. 21, at the Roselle Catholic School gym...

Vicki Durner receives merit scholarship: Sister Regina Martin, Principal of Mother Seton Regional High School, Clark, has announced the winners of three (3) merit scholarships...

Gibson reports to U.S.S. Lawrence: Navy Seaman Wayne R. Gibson, son of Oneta M. Lawrence, hampshire in Butler of Fulton St., Rahway, was recently reported for duty aboard the guided missile frigate U.S.S. the Navy in April 1984.

RAHWAY RECREATION DEPT. BASKETBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

Table with columns for Team, W, L, and Standings for various leagues including J.R. Sr. High School, Madison Girls, and Grover Cleveland.

SOLAR ENERGY: Art DeLorenzo, right, a member of the Kiwanis Club of Rahway, presents a certificate of appreciation to special speaker Roger L. Donat...

Free tax facts brochure offered: A free brochure entitled "50 Tax Facts" is available from the New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants...

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OBITUARIES

Leo Santowasso, 84; headed highway board

Leo J. Santowasso, 84, of Rahway, died Feb. 4 at the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, after a long illness.

Marie Birch, 71, had been business manager

Mrs. Marie Constance Birch, 71, of Rahway, died Feb. 4 at the Rahway Hospital after a long illness.

Clyde Hewitt, 10 years in Rahway

Clyde W. Hewitt, 70, of Rahway, died Feb. 4 at the Rahway Hospital after a long illness.

Gerald Rowin, 48, Merck chemist

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John Shymko, retired laborer

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Edward Gorga, retired from Merck

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Rinaldo claims tax reform boosts small business

Rep. Matthew J. Rinaldo (R-N.J.) announced that he would issue a report to small business owners on the seventh Congressional district attending the New Jersey Chamber of Commerce meeting in Washington showing that they would come out ahead in the tax reform bill.

Value of certain fringe benefits now taxable, says IRS

New Jerseyans who commuted to and from work in company-owned cars, or made other personal use of these employees' by September 1, 1985 as to whether they would exercise their option to withhold federal income tax on the value of the benefits.

Raymond H. Pitchford, had been contractor

Mr. Pitchford, an Army veteran of World War II, had been a member of VFW Post 3763 and American Legion Post 328.

Mrs. Thelma Webb, 81, taught in Rahway and Linden

Mrs. Webb was a 1924 graduate of Newark Normal College, now Kent College.



...The opening of St. Mary's Day Care Center in July has added a new depth of joy to St. Mary's School, report Principal Alton Romano. The three-year-olds have art, physical education and music classes.

Advertisement for Earned Income Credit. It features a cartoon illustration of a man and a woman with children, and text explaining the credit's benefits and how to claim it.

The Earned Income Credit is increased for 1985. Order Form Publication 596 using your tax package.

Advertisement for the Arts Center Seat of Recognition. It features a drawing of a theater seat and text describing the program for donors.

We call it a "Seat of Recognition." Other arts centers have different names for it, but the objective is the same: GIVE CONTRIBUTORS THE OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL AID TO THE PROJECT WHILE, AT THE SAME TIME, PERPETUATING THE MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE VIA AN INSCRIBED PLAQUE ON THE BACK OF AN AUDITORIUM CHAIR.

Act Now: this offer will be limited to the first 200 seats only. Send in your check now to Union County Arts Center Seat of Recognition P.O. Box 1061 - Rahway N.J. 07065. Includes fields for Name, Address, and Phone.

Religious News

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH OF CLARK: The Service of Worship will be conducted by The Rev. Thomas J. Donahue, pastor, at 8 and 11 a.m. Sunday, February 9.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF RAHWAY: Morning Worship, February 9, will be conducted by the Reverend Robert C. Powley, Pastor, at 10:30 a.m.

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF RAHWAY: Sunday, February 9, Last Sunday of Epiphany and Human Relations Day.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF RAHWAY: Worship is at 10 a.m. on the first Sunday of the Lenten season, Rev. Carl Reinken will lead the meditative work.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF RAHWAY: The First Baptist Church of Rahway will bring the Reverend Thomas J. Donahue, Pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, to the pulpit of the First Baptist Church on Sunday, February 9.

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Osceola Church lists Lenten events

The Osceola Presbyterian Church on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. Scripture tapes are as follows: Ash Wednesday.

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Coletti to speak at father and son Communion breakfast

Mr. Louis Coletti, former Union County manager will be the guest speaker at St. John the Apostle Holy Name Father and Son Communion breakfast.

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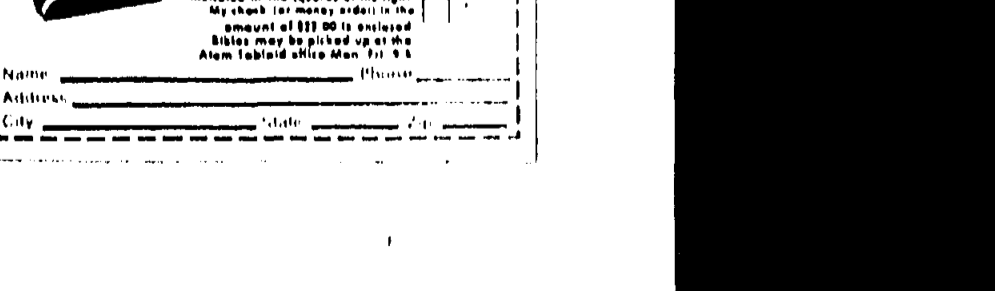
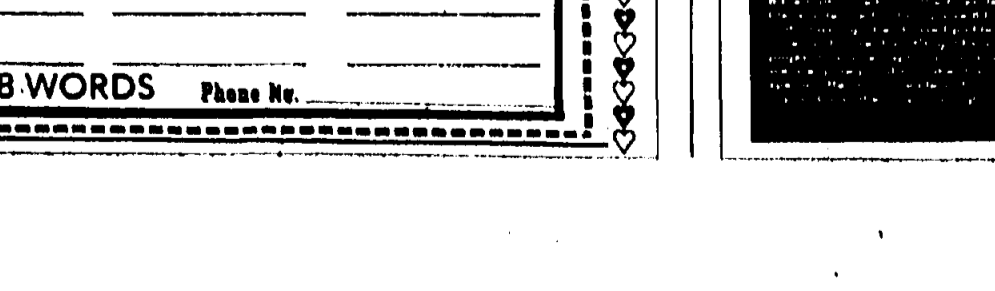
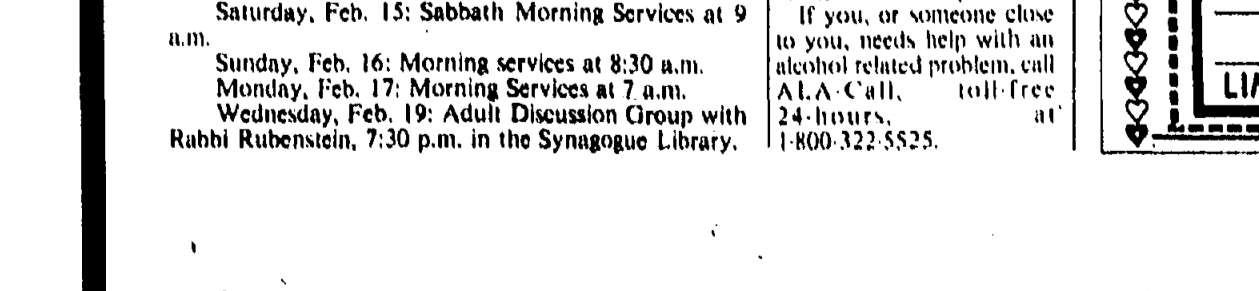
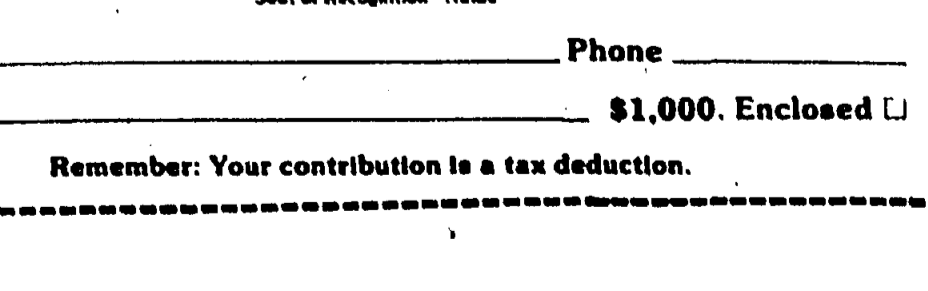
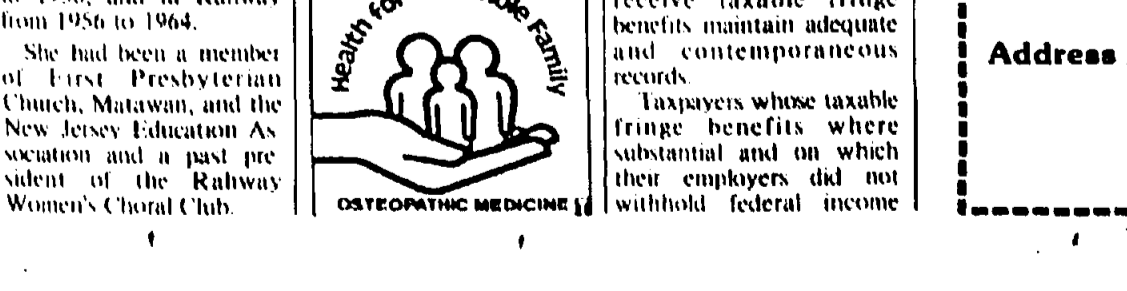
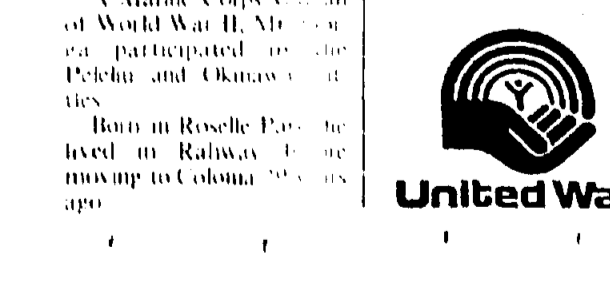
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"THE HOT L BALTIMORE" . . . Soon left to right are Marianne Asin, Gary Bihler and Jimi Brandol in a New Jersey Public Theatre rehearsal scene. The theatre is located at 118 South Ave., East, in Cranford. The Ohio Award winning comedy opens Feb. 14 for six weeks. Performances are on Friday and Saturday evenings at 8:30 and Sunday matinees at 2:30. Feb. 14-March 22. Tickets are \$7 and \$8.50. There is a 24 hour reservation hot line at 272-5704. There are student, senior citizen and group discounts.

NJPT to hold open casting auditions

The New Jersey Public Theatre will hold an open casting audition for the comedy, Round And Round The Garden, one of the plays from The Norman Conquests, by Alan Ayckbourn, on Thursday February 6 at 7:30, and on Saturday February 8 at 1 o'clock.

Needed for the cast of Round And Round The Garden are three women and three men, all ranging in age from 25 to 40. English accents are desirable for the auditions, but some time will be spent in rehearsal on developing the accents. Everyone auditioning will be asked to read from the script.

Round And Round The Garden will be directed by one of the founders of the New Jersey Public Theatre, William Buch. Rehearsals will begin mid-February. The plays will run from March 28 through May 3, with performances every Friday and Saturday evening and Sunday afternoons.

All who are interested are urged to attend the auditions which will be held at the theatre. NJPT is located at 118 South Avenue, East

Beethoven for music lovers

Music lovers will be treated to a special evening of Beethoven on Sunday, March 2, at 7:30 p.m. when The Mostly Music Series presents its third concert of the season at Union County College's Cranford Campus Theatre.

Tickets to the concert are \$10 each. For tickets or information, call 654-3226.

The concert will feature an "all Beethoven" program, including two sonatas for violin and piano, and one piano sonata. Guest soloist will be Lillian Kallir of New York City, an internationally-known pianist.

Transformations, Juxtapositions to be exhibited

"Transformations and Juxtapositions," an exhibition of recent serigraphs and paintings by Ben Jones will be shown at the New Jersey State Museum in Trenton, February 8-March 30.

A reception honoring the artist, who is an associate professor of art at Jersey City State College, will be held at the Museum on Friday, February 7, 6:00-8:00 p.m.

The New Jersey State Museum is located at 205 West State St. in Trenton. Admission is free. Gallery hours are 9 a.m.-4:45 p.m., Tuesday-Saturday; 1-5 p.m., Sunday.

Willie Tyler and Lester to appear at campus theatre

Willie Tyler, ventriloquist, and his human-sized sidekick Lester will appear on stage at Union County College on Saturday, Feb. 15.

Sponsored by the College's Student Government Association, the performance will be held in the Cranford Campus Theatre beginning at 8 p.m.

Willie and Lester made their first national television appearance on the Merv Griffin Show, which was

quickly followed by stints on The Mike Douglas Show and The Tonight Show.

The SGA-sponsored entertainment events are intended primarily for students, faculty and staff at UCC, according to Susan Hogan of Cranford, SGA president. However, tickets will go on sale to the general public at \$3 each on a space available basis.

Tickets may be obtained through the SGA Office, 276-2430.

"Ain't Misbehavin'" performance at Newark Symphony Hall

"Ain't Misbehavin'" will be presented at Newark Symphony Hall, main stage, on Sunday, March 2, at 3 and 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$5, \$8, \$12 and \$15, group discounts.

For further information please telephone 643-4550. The Fats Waller musical will have members of the original Broadway tour in an all new production.

Fish and chips dinner planned

St. John the Apostle Parent-Faculty group will sponsor a fish and chip dinner on Friday, Feb. 14 from 5 to 7 p.m.

Donations will be \$6 for adults and \$3 for children.



FREE AUTO CHECK . . . Automotive shop teachers Mr. Ronald Foster and Mr. Bernard Thomason are seen testing auto emissions. The Union County Regional High School District No. 1, in celebration of Vocational Education Week in Union County, has arranged for free auto emissions and safety inspections for residents of the Regional District in its Vocational Automotive Shops. Instructors and students in automotive mechanics programs at the David Broadway Regional High School, Konlworth and the Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School, Clark have set aside Wednesday, Feb. 12 at 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. for those inspections. Residents of the Regional District who wish to participate must telephone in advance for an appointment. Appointments may be made by telephoning Mr. Eugene Stryker, Automotive Instructor at David Broadway Regional High School, 272-7500 or Mr. Ronald Foster, Automotive Instructor at Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School, 382-0910.



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N.J. Ballet at Kean College

The New Jersey Ballet will perform the world premiere of David McNaughton's "Nachtanz" at Kean College, Wilkins Theatre on Saturday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m.

Also on the program will be "Entre Dos Aguas" by Robert North which received a most enthusiastic au-

dience response upon its premiere. Rounding out the evening will be "Cain & Abel," "Tartuffe," and the "Sylvia Pas De Deux." Tickets, \$10, \$5 for students, are available now by telephoning the Wilkins Theatre Box Office between 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. at (201) 527-2337.

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