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## Borough deals with sewerage and flooding



PRE-SPRING TRAINING—Lori Fernicola, left, and Penny Levitt keep their cool as they warm up for Mountainside Girls' Softball League registration Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Deerfield School allpurpose room. Each registrant, in grades 5 to 8, must be accompanied by a parent. Teenagers and adults interested in umpiring, managing and coaching

were also invited. Registration fee is \$5, with reductions for more than one sister in the league. Late registrations will be accepted at Borough Hall Monday to next Friday. Details are available from the recreation office, 232-0015, or from Harriet Gerndt, league president, at 232-1258.

(Photo by Janet Wingard)

## Industrial wastes are regulated

Bridge study approved for N. Providence road

By KAREN ZAUTYK

Improvement of borough sewerage systems, flood drainage areas and roads were covered in ordinances adopted by the Mountainside Borough Council at its monthly meeting Tuesday night in the Beechwood School.

Two of the new laws amend the recently adopted ordinance to regulate, control and recover the costs of treating industrial wastes, setting up the formal application procedures for commercial users of the system. A third law incorporates into the local zoning code regulations covering the quality of chemicals allowed into the sewer lines.

The flooding problem which occurs at the bridge on New Providence road near Children's Specialized Hospital was covered in a fourth ordinance, appropriating \$5,000 to retain a consulting engineer to study stream improvements there, with the aim of having the bridge replaced. Following the study, application for work approval will be made to the New Jersey Division of Water Resources.

Another area with flooding problems—the Charles street-Possom pass section of the borough—came under discussion with the adoption of an ordinance appropriating \$2,500 to pay Richard J. Jeske Inc. for an engineering study. The cost of that work is shared with Springfield, which borders that area of the community.

Jeske's study offered two alternatives to solving the drainage problem. One suggestion was a deep piping system to run from Charles street under the Echo Plaza Shopping Center to the Rahway River. The second, and the one preferred by the engineer and the county, calls for a water retention basin on Baltusrol Golf Course property.

Councilman Bruce Geiger reported on the Jan. 29 joint meeting between the Borough Council and the Springfield Township Committee. The local governing body is expecting a

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BATTER UP—Dave Szabo, a veteran of Mountainside Little League play, gives a few tips to young Jim Bennett in advance of registration for all boys 8 to 15 this Saturday and March 8 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Deerfield School. George Yaggy, president, said all players must register, each accompanied by a parent. The cost is \$10 for the first boy in each family and \$7 for each other boy. Questions will be answered by the head of each league: Ralph Bennett of the American League, Art Williams of the Major League and Jim Huelbig of the Senior League.

(Photo-Graphics)

## 300 brave rain to hear candidates express views

Despite a heavy rain, approximately 300 persons turned out for the annual Board of Education candidates' night program Monday evening at the Beechwood School to hear board hopefuls William Biunno, John Farinella, Patricia Kaplan and Ronald Wood present their

campaign platforms.

The two-and-one-half hour session, sponsored by the Mountainside PTA, included formal statements and an audience question-and-answer period. It was moderated by Manya Unger of Scotch Plains, moderator for the

Westfield Area League of Women Voters, president of the Union County Council of PTAs and a member of the state PTA executive committee.

While all the candidates seeking the two three-year terms seemed in agreement on some issues—including support of the 1975-76 budget, support of continuing quality education, and the possibility of utilizing the Echobrook School as a municipal complex, keeping taxpayers' interests in mind—there were points of dissension, particularly concerning the functions of the Board of Education.

Wood and Biunno, who are running as a team, stated the principal role of the board is a policy-making one; they support a "hands-off" attitude in the administration of the system. Farinella also noted the policy-making function is a primary one, but added that the board "has to keep an eye on what happens in the system."

Mrs. Kaplan, however, believes board members should play an active role in "seeing that the schools are well run." She quoted from an educational journal in which a school superintendent said board members "should get into the superintendent's office and into the schools."

The so-called "split" on the present board also was a topic for discussion, with one audience member asking the candidates which "side" they saw themselves on. Mrs. Kaplan stated she had never referred to a split.

Farinella, who has used the term, said he felt the board was divided 4-3, with the outgoing members in the majority group. "I feel the candidates (Biunno and Wood) just want to replace Mr. (James) Keating and Mr. (Grant) Lennox and this would not help the split at all. I am not in sympathy with either side."

Biunno said, "The majority of the board supports the board's role as a policy-making organ, while the minority sector is that which wishes to involve itself in the administration of the system" (something he is against). Wood

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## 6 persons injured as collisions end high-speed chase

Six persons, including a Mountainside woman, were injured Feb. 19 in a collision at the intersection of Rt. 22 and New Providence road which ended a high-speed police chase through Somerset and Union counties.

Two robbery suspects, who had been pursued from Somerville by several patrol cars from area towns and by state police, were apprehended at the accident scene. Recovered was an empty cashbox from the Somerville branch of the Somerset Trust Co.

Police said that shortly after 11 a.m., two armed men accosted and pistol-whipped a courier from the trust company outside its office on Main street, Somerville, taking the cashbox he was carrying. They apparently didn't know he had just deposited the box's contents, and it was empty.

Somerville police were alerted and set up road blocks in the area, but the landlits managed to bypass these and fled east on Rt. 22, pursued by the local officers. They were later joined in the chase, which at times reached speeds of 75 mph by Watchung, North Plainfield and Mountainside patrol cars.

While attempting to elude the caravan behind them, the suspects ran a red light at New Providence road and smashed into the side of an auto driven by Stella Winter, 44, of Saddle Brook road, Mountainside.

A North Plainfield radio car then crashed

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## Local budget introduced; public hearing March 18

The Mountainside Borough Council, at a special session Feb. 15, introduced a municipal budget of \$1,568,412 for the 1975 fiscal year—a tally which represents a \$123,317 increase over the 1974 budget of \$1,445,095. However, the amount to be raised by local taxes—\$564,714—is lower than the \$616,163 figure listed for 1974.

A full text of the budget appears on page 4 of

today's Echo. The public hearing will be held at 8 p.m., March 18, in the Beechwood School.

Of the general appropriations listed, the highest is for the police department's salaries and wages, \$352,400, up \$59,400 from the current allocation; other police expenses amount to \$65,100, up \$12,100. The second highest single listing is for the Mountainside Public Library at \$97,000, up \$10,000.

Although the majority of the line items show increases, one significant decrease is noted, the amount allocated for the borough's share of sewage treatment costs for the Rahway Valley Sewerage Authority, which has dropped from \$93,000 to \$57,497. The lower figure apparently is a result of a recently-adopted borough ordinance which increases the amount to be paid for sewage treatment by local industry, thus lessening the burden on private property owners.

The borough is not a member of the Sewerage Authority, but pays Cranford, which is a member, for sewage flow rights; that agreement has been in effect since 1961. Those payments skyrocketed from \$41,000 in 1972 to \$93,000 last year. Cost of maintaining the local sewerage system remains at \$6,300.

Including the police department allocation, salaries and wages account for \$506,135 of the \$1,163,315 total operational costs, a 567,135 increase. Salary figures for the various municipal departments are as follows: administrative and executive, \$34,000, down \$2,500; Department of Public Works and assessment of taxes, \$31,000, up \$1,500; collection of taxes, \$5,400, up \$300; legal service and costs, \$9,000, up \$1,000; municipal court, \$13,200, down \$300; inspection of buildings, \$5,955, up \$330; inspection of plumbing, \$2,500, up \$25; road repairs and maintenance, \$26,350, up \$1,250; Board of Health, \$11,600, up \$500; administration of public assistance, \$2,000, up \$300; Board of Recreation commissioners, \$12,730, up \$3,330.

Items in the General Government section include: miscellaneous expenses for the administrative bureau, \$14,000, up \$2,000.

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## 'Music Man' runs at Gov. Livingston

"The Music Man," with its "76 Trombones" number and all the other songs that made it famous, will be presented at Governor Livingston Regional High School Thursday through Saturday, March 6, 7 and 8 at 8 p.m.

Mike McGrath will star in the tune-fest, recalling small-town life in the early 1900s written by Meredith Wilson. He will sing, dance and act the role of Professor Harold Hill, the spellbinding swindler.

Linda Wakefield will have the role as Marian, the librarian, and will sing two of the show's two most famous hit songs, "Good Night My Someone" and "My White Knight."

Others in the large cast who are being directed by Norman Schneider, stage director, and Walter Both, producer and musical director, include Steve Schneider as Winthrop Paroo, Eva Sklar as Mrs. Paroo, Steve Johnson as Mayor Shinn and Amy Flaherty as Eulalie Shinn. Additional players are Judy Sepulwin as Amarylis, Scott Mitchell as Marcellus Washburn, Luano Vissoli as Zaneeta Shinn and Doug Stone as Tommy Dillas.

The show's dances will be choreographed by Harry Ailster, the vocal music coaches are Wayne Dietterick and Donna Cable, and the scenic designer is Barry Mansfield.

"The Music Man" first became a Broadway hit late in 1957. From then it ran 40 months until April 1961, for a total of 1,376 performances to become one of the ten most successful musicals in stage history.

All seats are reserved. Tickets can be purchased at the school from Cliff Robinson. Seats are \$2 and \$2.50.

## Rescue squad seeks daytime assistance

Wilfred Brandt, president of the Mountainside Rescue Squad, stated this week the squad is in urgent need for daytime assistance.

Anyone interested in serving the community by joining the squad, may call Wilfred Brandt, president, 232-7587; Maurer Zantak, vice-president, 233-0983, or Robert Vignanti, captain, 233-5853.

## Openings remain for ice skate night

There is still time for Mountainside ice skaters to make reservations for Saturday's ice skating night at the Warinanco Ice rink. From 6 to 8, borough residents of all ages have been invited to the Union County Park Commission facility for an evening of ice skating fun sponsored by the Mountainside Recreation Commission.

Bus transportation is available for people in the fifth grade and above. There is a fee of \$1 for transportation. For further information and to confirm reservations, readers were asked to call the recreation office at 232-0013.

## Mountainside PTA calendar of March community events

The Mountainside PTA, as a public service to borough residents, has compiled the following Community Calendar of local events during the month of March:

March 1 — Registration for Mountainside Little League and Girls Softball League, 10 a.m. — 1 p.m. in the all-purpose room of the Deerfield School. Family ice skating party, sponsored by the Recreation Commission.

March 2 — Warinanco Park rink, Elizabeth, 6 - 8 p.m.

3 — PTA board meeting, 7:30 p.m. at the Mountainside Public Library. Boy Scout Troop 177 meeting, 7:30 - 9 p.m. at the Community Presbyterian Church.

4 — VFW meeting at the Elks Club, Rt. 22 Regional High School District Board of Education elections, 2-9 p.m.

5 — American Association of University Women board meeting, 8 p.m.

6 — Foothill Club program on "Jewelry Fashions," noon, at the Tower Steak House, Gov. Livingston Regional High School production of "The Music Man."

7 — Mayor-Council dinner dance at the Mountainside Inn. Student Council dance at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School, Gov. Livingston musical: "The Music Man."

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10 — Board of Health meeting, 7:30 p.m., Borough Hall. Board of Adjustment meeting, 8 p.m., Borough Hall. Troop 177 meeting, 7:30 - 9 p.m.

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## PROFILE -- William J. Biunno

A desire to maintain a high quality education system, and the resultant high property values produced by such a system, are prime among the reasons listed by William J. Biunno for seeking election to the Mountainside Board of Education after a three-year absence from that body.

Biunno, who served two three-year terms as a board member, from 1966 to 1972, noted "We have to continue to work to keep our quality of education high, since the present trend in education in our community, particularly the activities of the board in the last couple of years, could possibly affect our property values. I don't think the board members, and in particular the minority members, have lived up to their stewardships. I don't think the board has accomplished a heck of a lot in the last couple of years to further the cause of quality education."

Biunno noted he is also concerned about the current problems regarding state funding. "Mountainside has to exercise its influence in Trenton to make sure we don't lose any state aid because such a loss, coupled with a continuance of quality education programs, only serves to increase taxes. Some of our neighboring communities, when confronted with the possibility of the elimination of state aid, banded together to file suit against the state. I think that was a good move on the part of those towns to protect their interests. Of course, in Mountainside's case the lack of a board attorney makes similar action awfully difficult," he commented.

REITERATING his criticism of the present board, he said, "The only problem I see within our school system is in the board's involvement in administrative details. The purpose of a board should be to adopt policy, not to be concerned itself with going into classrooms and evaluating teachers and things of this nature. There's got to be more understanding among board members of the basic principles

## '74 census lists 5 new residents

The New Jersey Department of Labor and Industry's population estimates for 1974 show an increase of five residents for Mountainside. The provisional estimate prepared by the department's Office of Business Economics shows the borough's 1974 population at 7,530. The 1970 census listed 7,525 residents. The tallies for other years: 7,530 in 1971, 7,525 in 1972, 7,530 in 1973.

Union County population growth from 1970 to 1974 was 6,335, bringing the 1974 estimate to 550,625. The 1970 census showed county population at 544,090. Most of the county population increase was in natural increment (5,830) with the remaining 705 population increase attributed to net migration.



WILLIAM J. BIUNNO

of why they are there. I feel many of the present members have axes to grind. I suppose the only thing I could hope to do is to bring these people together and help provide the board with better leadership."

Biunno, who is president of the Colonial Savings and Loan Association, Roselle Park, feels his own background in finance and administration, as well as his previous board experience, can help him contribute to the local educational system. He cited the need for more business-oriented people to serve on the board, stating, "This is a \$2 million business, and the administration of its funds is very important to the operating success of the system."

Discussing the proposed school budget, (Continued on page 4)

## Voters in six towns to cast budget ballots

The Regional High School District Board of Education budget for 1975-76 will go before the voters of Mountainside and the district's five other communities on Tuesday. The budget calls for \$11,051,313 to be raised by taxes in the six towns.

Mountainside polls will be open Tuesday from 2 to 9 p.m., with all districts voting at the Deerfield School. There is no local contest for board membership this year.



GUEST SPEAKER... Mr. Jiggs... worlds... dinner... committee chairman John...

St. James Pack 73 will hold roller skating party Saturday

The members of St. James Pack 73 of Springfield will hold a roller skating party at the...

The party will be held at the Springfield Skating Rink... starting at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday...

Driver charged on alcohol count

A Springfield driver was charged with driving while intoxicated after his car was stopped by police officers...

Miss Presslaff earns nursing school's cap... Springfield nurse... earned her nursing diploma...

Miss Presslaff earns nursing school's cap

Miss Presslaff of Springfield was among 34 members of the class of 1975 at the Charles E. Gregory School of Nursing...

300 top students at Dayton earn inclusion in honor roll

A total of 300 top students from Springfield and Mountside earned listing in the honor roll for the year's second marking period...

The honor students include 59 seniors, 73 juniors, 81 sophomores and 87 freshmen. They are:

- SENIORS: Deborah Armour, Irene Bachmeier, Christopher Barry, Abbe Becker, Laura Bellini, Jacqueline Benjamin, Marc Bloom, William Hubbard, Matthew Bosner, Jeanne Clarke, Richard Coo, Lucy Crom, Joann Damato, Doreen D'Auria... JUNIORS: Deborah Altomare, Lisa Blumenthal, Steven Brucher, Lori Brown, Laura Buran, Bruce Burdett, Lynn Cadden, Debra Cardinal, Patricia Carroll, Randi Citron, Mary Dewey, Susan Doppelt, Steven Dultz, Stephen Eckman, Mory Epstein, Louis Fasulo, Jeffrey Feld, Liane Filreis... SOPHOMORES: Anne Arigellio, Tania Arnold, Jeffrey Babi, David Baranek, James Barrett, Diana Berno, Lynn Biehn, Amy Bloom, Warren Bromberg, Debra Burgess, Carol Bullman, David Cline, Karen Clark, Patricia Coe, Amy Cohen, Robert Cohen, Jennifer Crane, Jeffrey Davy, Gregg DeAngelis, Andrew Doctor, Andy Leifer... FRESHMEN: San Alboum, Lori Baker, Lisa Bardack, Nancy Benigno, Geoffrey Bernstein, Steven Bloom, Susan Bromberg, Barbara Calamusa, Teresa Ciasulli, Cynthia Cohen, Jill Craner, Patricia Diagonini, Michelle Davis, Margaret Day, Marie DiGiorgio, Jacqueline Dorfman, Brian Dowd, Elizabeth Earle, Mary Farinella, Kenneth Feld, John Ferry, Kenneth Fingerhut, Sharon Fox, Linda Frost, Elizabeth Geacintov, Dean Gerber, Susan Gerber, Barbara Giammo, Joanne Gold, Louise Gollob, Patricia Greeley, Jennifer Gunn, Michael Gwirtsman, Lisa Haase, John Halsey, Michael Iserman, Harvey Kaish, Sherrie Koran, Dana Karp, Eric Kolts, Robin Kover, Russell Lausten, Jean Leber, Amy Lebovitz, Beth Levine, Isabella Lies, Ernest Lajon, Andrea Mantel, Laura Masters, Dawn Mazzarella, Karen McLeod, Marla Miller, Debra Moore, Nancy Murhead, Mary Ellen Osterle, Ilene Ogintz, Maria Perlmutter, Kristen Peterson, David Plakon, Bonnie Prokoimer, Cynthia Quinn, Kim Quanton, Joan Radding, Daniel Reiter, Laurie Riley, Jacqueline Roche, Gregory Rusbarsky, Harriet Schoenberg, Christopher Shields, James Siegal, Lisa Simon, Richard Simon, Daniel Smith, William Solov, Richard Spina, Cheryl Swanson, Mona Udin, Susan Wallick, Brad Weiner, Ronald Werner, Elizabeth Weech, Donna Williams, William Young, Mary Zavolas, William Zimmerman, Susan Ziegen, Arlene Zuckenberg.

Fleischer, Linda Gecker, Susan Gibson, Robert Gilbert, Shari Gold, Ellen Goldberg, Lisa Grossman, Beth Gutman, Alison Hart, Diane Henze, Richard Hersh, Marci Herzlinger, Peter Hess...

David Hetzel, Murray Indiek, Vicki Kaplan, Sidney Kaufman, Kathleen Kelly, David Klingsberg, Richard Klurstein, Ericka Koppel, Alan Layton, Thomas Malzbender, Susan Meisel, Brian Mercer, Elizabeth Napier, Susan Nestler, Debra Preziosi, Joan Ragno, Patricia Rebel, Robert Roche, Rhonda Hoff, Lynn Ross, Francis Ruggieri...

Geraldine Sarge, Cynthia Sauer, David Schlanger, Michele Senhouse, Gary Sherman, Nancy Shelv, Judith Silverstein, Wendy Smith, Mary Solomon, Ira Starr, Donna Stas, Eric Strulowitz, Karen Sury, Susan Taczovsky, Warren Vollinger, David Vreeland, Richard Weinberg, Laura Wentz, Cindy White, Randolph Wissel, Barbara Wolfe, Karen Zimmerman.

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Promotion post to Mrs. Solomon

Gail L. Solomon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Maloratsky of Springfield, has been promoted to assistant sales promotion specialist in the sales promotion division of Prudential Insurance Co. Newark.

Mrs. Solomon has worked in the sales promotion area since joining Prudential in 1973. She was a writer before this promotion.

A 1972 magna cum laude graduate of Boston University, she is now studying toward an M.A. degree at Seton Hall University. She and her husband, Michael, live in West Orange.

PLUMBERS ATTENTION! See your plumber to get your water heater inspected and repaired.

Dayton will divide 'Carousel' casts; dates announced

'Carousel,' the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical, will be presented at the Jonathan Dayton Regional High School auditorium on Mountain Avenue in Springfield on April 12, 13, 18 and 19.

An unusual feature about this production is that it will be performed by two sets of leads (one cast will be on stage one weekend, the other the next weekend).

Leading members of the cast: Billy Bigelow, George Esparza and Rick Spina; Julie Jordan, Melissa Laver and Kathy Seymour; Carrie, Laurie Wisniewski and Chris Bunin, Mr. Snow, Ronnie Kamen; Nettie Fowler, Mary Alice Keenan and Joan Ragno; Jigger, Stephen Legawicz and Glen Ames; Mrs. Mullins, Denise Stearns and Lori Berenzin; Louise, Cheryl Ames and Michele Kurtzman.

Other cast members are Lisa Bardack, Mike Baumrind, Steve Bughball, Sue Carroll, Kurt Christoffers, Debbie Clickenger, Lucy Crom, Debbie DeMeo, Marie DiGiorgio, John Dorio, Karen Dougherty, Joward Drucker, Gwen English, Mory Epstein, Brad Giammo, Louise Gollob, Julie Greiner, Beth Gutman, John Halsey, Alison Hart, Russ Harding, David Hoffman, Anne Indiek, Murray Indiek, Don Jeka, Jeff Marshall, Richard Mays, Jess Morrison, Kris Peterson, Chris Picut, Cheryl Pirsky, Linda Quorton, Dan Reiter, Richard Reiter, Steve Roll, Mitch Slater, Don Thieberger, Laurie Weeks, Lansey Weeks, Gary Zarin and Thomas Zelman.

Musical direction for the show will be handled by Edward Shiley and John M. Vaida.

Sierra Club unit sets first meeting

A newly-formed branch of the Sierra Club, the Summit-Morristown Group, will hold its first general meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Chatham Public Library, 214 Main St. (Rt. 24), Chatham.

Dr. Frank Sinden, a scientist in the field of water resources, will discuss damming the Delaware which some feel is an answer to regional water problems.

Dr. Sinden, who lives in Summit, graduated from the University of Chicago and received a doctorate in mathematics from the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich. For the last two years he has served as visiting senior research scientist at the Princeton University Center for Environmental Studies.

He is a coeditor of a coming book, 'Boundaries of Analysis: The Controversy over the Tocks Island Dam,' being prepared by the Center. He is coeditor of a 1973 report on the Tocks Island area, and is a member of the N.J. governor's committee to monitor a study authorized by Congress of the proposed Tocks Dam. Dr. Sinden is a member of the Bell Laboratories Mathematics Research Center at Bell Laboratories.

Tickets for 'Carousel,' priced at \$2 and \$2.50, go on sale next week.

Father-son campout

The Trailblazers of the Summit Area YMCA will hold their annual father-son winter campout this weekend at Camp Silver Lake, Stockholm.

Activities will include ice hockey, winter hiking, sledging, and a Saturday evening astronomy program. Edward Nicollan of Murray Hill, trailmaster, will be in charge of the weekend.

Y Trailblazers is a national YMCA program for fathers and sons, grades 4-6, which emphasizes outdoor camping and environmental education. Trips are formed on a neighborhood basis and meet twice monthly in members' homes.

Specific areas of study include campsite development, canoeing, compass work, swimming, axe-knife-saw use, fire-building, weather, community service, lashing, hiking, first aid, and cooking.

Peter W. Adickoff of the YMCA professional staff directs the activity. Interested families may contact him at 773-3339.

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Farinella against politics involving local school panel

John Farinella, a candidate for the Board of Education in Mountainside, said this week that "Politics has no place on a school board. The board's function is to establish leadership for the education of our children."

Besides having lived in Mountainside for 18 years, Farinella said, he probably has attended more school board meetings in the last two years than any other person in town.

Farinella continued that he first publicly announced his intention of seeking a place on the board last March. "However, it was the information received just a few days before the final filing date that really turned me on. At that time I heard that a group of citizens, who had the leadership of politically oriented persons, were sponsoring candidates for the Board of Education. Is politics rather than education their true goal? Politics has no place on the Board of Education."

He added, "A nucleus of this group have been meeting for several months preparing for this election. After having set their program, they looked for candidates who would follow this program. How can their candidates say they will be free thinkers and not obligated to this group?"

Addressing his remarks to all the citizens of Mountainside, Farinella restated he has the "backing of no group but does seek the support of all concerned citizens. I am free to represent the children and the people of Mountainside equally."

'No' ballot on school budget explained in Speth statement

Charles Speth, Mountainside Board of Education member who cast the lone dissenting ballot on the board's \$1,981,247 budget for 1975-76, has issued a statement outlining the reasons for that action.

Speth, who noted he would like to see the figure reduced even more than it has been from last year's \$1,982,902 tally, stated as follows: "I would like to explain my 'no' vote on the Mountainside school budget. The 1975-76 budget is only \$3,130 less in current expenses than a very liberal 1974-75 budget and it requires a \$1,770 increase in the tax levy, due primarily to a reduction in state aid."

"Even conceding that there has been a roughly 10 percent inflation factor, we are anticipating a drop in enrollment of 70 students, or seven percent. In trying to anticipate the methods of coping with a possible loss of all state aid for 75-76, it was necessary to explore and all possible reductions that could be made in non-essential services so that the state aid loss would not have to be made up by the taxpayer in the face of increased state tax liability."

"State aid at this time is scheduled to remain the same as the present year, but it is still possible that it will be reduced. Therefore, I believe it is necessary to reduce the 75-76 budget further than what has been proposed... taking into account the state of the economy. As it was possible to reduce the budget in the event of state aid loss, it is possible to reduce the budget without that urgency. For this reason, the items which could have been reduced drastically can be reduced in a more lenient manner."

"My proposals for budget reductions, none of which will reduce the educational needs of our children, are:

How is school money spent? Kaplan cites citizens' concern

"I am hearing the voice of Mountainside at my coffees," states Patricia Kaplan, candidate for the Mountainside Board of Education. "The main concern is money: How and where is it being spent? More residents than ever are asking questions concerning our educational system."

"What is happening with Echobrook? 'Why at a time when we have 70 fewer children enrolled are we only losing one and one-half teachers?' 'What is happening with state takeover of schools?' 'What are the duties of our superintendent?' 'Do our principals teach?' ... If not, why not? 'With such small classes, why all the teachers' aides?'"

"People are more concerned about their schools than ever. They should be. A large portion of our property tax finances the educational process. With inflation on the rampage and unemployment rising, residents are becoming more and more curious about school spending. They deserve answers. School board members have to become more responsive to the needs of all the members of our community. The board should be a united force that provides the best education to all our children at a cost all residents feel they can afford."

"I present myself to the voters of Mountainside as an independent. I am not an extension of any board thinking; I am a new dimension. If elected, I will be available to hear all views and thoughts. It is time Mountainside equally."

which will reduce the educational needs of our children, are:

"Administration—\$4500. A freeze on administrator's salaries and reduction of expense accounts. We are more than double the average for K-8 districts in the state in this expenditure."

"Instruction salaries—\$21,000. The reduction of the middle school staff is in order by reorganization and full utilization of teachers' time. Few teachers are being used full-time now and the situation will be aggravated by a 35-student decrease in the middle school. Another way to reduce staff would be the phasing out of the foreign language program, which has contributed to the problem of excess staff in addition to depriving the elementary school of two classrooms."

"Textbooks, library books and audio-visual aids—\$15,000. We are reaching a saturation point in these materials, having spent \$148,000 in the past seven years for library and audio-visual materials alone. Now you are being asked for another \$20,000. We are again more than double the K-8 average for the state."

"Operation and maintenance of plant—\$10,000. By institution of good management techniques and elimination of expenditures not leading to deterioration. In this category, we are more than 50 percent higher than the state average and we have fairly modern buildings."

"These savings add up to \$52,500. I would like to add to the budget funds for the salary of a half-day nurse and a half-time art teacher, which had been eliminated. This would increase the budget by \$11,000, leaving a net budget reduction of \$41,500."

Advisory adjunct of seniors sought by Biunno, Wood

William J. Biunno and Ronald H. Wood, candidates for the Mountainside Board of Education, this week announced that, if elected, they will recommend that the Board of Education establish a Senior Citizen's Advisory Committee.

They declared: "It is our opinion that the Board of Education has lost contact with this large and important segment of our community. Many of our older citizens have expressed great interest in our school system and they could make a meaningful contribution to our community."

"There are innumerable talented and experienced people in Mountainside no longer active in business or family affairs whose abilities should be utilized. 'We believe that many problems that confront the board could be researched and examined for solutions and alternatives by committees appointed for specific tasks in which committee members would have acknowledged expertise and experience.'"

"For example, the future use of Echobrook School has been a continuing problem for the board. A study of this subject by a citizens committee comprising an architect, an engineer, a real estate expert, a contractor, a financial consultant, accountant, an attorney and possibly others could be of value to the community."

"Similarly, a study could be made concerning bus transportation of our school children. With the high cost of bus transportation and the lack of bidders for bus contracts, it might well be proven that Mountainside should buy its own buses. An in-depth study of this problem by retired residents could be advantageous."

"We dispute the claim made by some that our senior citizens are interested only in low taxes and have no concern for education. This is an unfair generalization without foundation. Many older citizens of Mountainside have expressed their desire to see good education in Mountainside. We are pleased that they are supporting us in our campaign," concluded Biunno, and Wood.

10-week course for prospective Jewish converts

A 10-week course for prospective converts to Judaism will be offered by three rabbis in Union County beginning March 13. The 10 Thursday evening sessions will take place at Temple Emanu-El, 756 E. Broad St., Westfield, from 7:30 to 9:30. The course will offer instruction in basic Hebrew, a survey of Jewish history, an introduction to the Jewish holidays and a discussion of the principles of the Jewish faith.

According to the rabbis sponsoring the conversion course, Rabbi Gerald Goldman, Rabbi Charles Krolloff and Rabbi Howard Shapiro, "Judaism is not a missionizing religion; nevertheless, over the centuries many persons have studied and accepted the Jewish faith and become part of the Jewish people."

"Except for a period of time during the Middle Ages, when Jews were forbidden by the state to accept converts, the Jewish people have always welcomed those who wish to learn about Judaism and become part of the Jewish faith."

Persons interested in further information about the course were invited to contact Rabbi Goldman at Temple Shalom in Plainfield, Rabbi Krolloff at Temple Emanu-El in Westfield or Rabbi Shapiro at Temple Sha'arey Shalom in Springfield.

PTA calendar

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p.m., Community Presbyterian Church.

11 — Mountain Trail Garden Club open meeting, Mountainside Board of Education meeting, 8 p.m., Deerfield School. Mountainside Board of Education elections: 12 — Senior Citizens meeting, 12:30 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church.

13 — Jonathan Dayton "Back to School Night," 7:30 p.m. 14 — Troop 177 athletic night, 7:30 - 9 p.m., Deerfield School.

15 — Jonathan Dayton winter music festival band concert, Troop 177 campout 17 — Kindergarten registration, 9-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m., Beechwood School. Library board meeting, 8 p.m., Troop 177 Greenbar meeting, 7:30-9 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church.

18 — VFW meeting, Elks Club, Rt. 22 Borough Council meeting, 8 p.m., Beechwood School. 19 — Kindergarten registration, 9-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m., Deerfield School. Newcomers Club fashion show luncheon at Altman's, Short Hills, Mountainside Women's Club meeting, noon, Mountainside Inn, Troop 177 committee meeting, 8 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church.

30 — American Association of University Women meeting, 8 p.m., Mountainside Public Library, topic: "Trip to Poland." Recreation Commission meeting, 8 p.m., Borough Hall. Donkey basketball, 8 p.m., Jonathan Dayton Regional High School. 21 — Cub Pack 70 "Pinewood Derby," 7:30 p.m.

22 — Jonathan Dayton Vocal Music Department door-to-door spring plant sale. Recreation Commission-sponsored trip to men's cham-

pinship tennis semi-finals at Madison Square Garden.

24 — Women's Exchange board meeting, 1 p.m., Mountainside Public Library. Troop 177 meeting, 7:30 - 9 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church.

25 — Jonathan Dayton vocal concert, 8 p.m., Dayton auditorium. 26 — Senior Citizens meeting, 12:30 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church.

27 — Schools close at 1 p.m. for spring recess. 28 — Recreation Commission-sponsored Easter egg hunt, 9 a.m., Echobrook School. 31 — Planning Board meeting, 8 p.m., Borough Hall.

Red Cross plans fund drive by mail

The Westfield-Mountainside Chapter of the American Red Cross has initiated its annual fund-raising campaign. Michael S. Sparro, chairman of the local drive, urged all to use the envelopes which will be delivered to each home to return their donations to American Red Cross Headquarters.

He added, "During the past year your local Chapter, The Good Neighbor, rendered many services: meeting blood needs, health and safety education, transportation to medical facilities and increasing attention to the needs of our senior citizens."

"This is the true meaning of Red Cross," said Sparro. "You don't give to the Red Cross, you join it and with others, you help those in distress."

Public Notice

BOARD OF EDUCATION POLING DISTRICT NO. 4 To be election districts numbers nine (9) and ten (10) of the municipality composing the school district.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 5 To be election districts numbers nine (9) and ten (10) of the municipality composing the school district. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the boundaries of the polling districts herein established, conform in every respect to the boundaries of the election districts of the municipality, as set forth and designated on a map entitled "Map of Election Districts of the Borough of Mountainside Union County, New Jersey," dated February 18, 1975, deposited in the Borough Ordinance on February 18, 1975.

WHEREAS, the Borough of Mountainside, Union County, New Jersey, adopted the School Law of February 18, 1975, providing and establishing new election districts in said municipality, consisting of 13 in number, and the polling election districts numbers one (1) to ten (10) inclusive; and

WHEREAS, the School Law of the State of New Jersey provides for the establishment of boundaries of polling districts to coincide with the boundaries of one or more of the election districts of the municipality composing the school district.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the boundaries of the polling districts, and the number of the polling district, be established, as follows: POLLING DISTRICT NO. 1 To be election districts numbers one (1) and two (2) of the municipality composing the school district.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 2 To be election districts numbers three (3) and four (4) of the municipality composing the school district.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 3 To be election districts numbers five (5) and six (6) of the municipality composing the school district.

Public Notice

Public Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance entitled: AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 17-23 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNTAINSIDE.

was passed on final hearing at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of Mountainside on the 25th day of February, 1975.

HELENA M. DUNNE Deputy Borough Clerk Msido Echo, Feb. 27, 1975 (Fee: \$2.70)

Public Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance entitled: AN ORDINANCE TO APPROPRIATE \$41,266.37 FROM THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT FOR THE RESURFACING OF CENTRAL AVENUE FROM KNOWLEDGE ROAD TO NEW PROVIDENCE ROAD.

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Local budget introduced; public hearing March 18

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financial administration expenses, \$5,500, up \$500; expenses for the Department of Public Works and assessment of taxes, \$10,720, up \$1,400; expenses for collection of taxes, \$3,500, up \$1,500; legal expenses, remaining at \$8,000; municipal court expenses, \$2,500, up \$1,100; expenses for public buildings and grounds, remaining at \$9,000; Planning Board, remaining at \$2,500; Board of Adjustment, \$4,000, down \$350; Shade Tree Commission, \$8,500, up \$1,500.

The allocation for the group insurance plan for borough employees is still \$22,000, while that for Workmen's Compensation has dropped \$2,000 to \$16,000. Other insurance premiums total \$19,000, down from \$22,000.

The Public Safety category includes a \$69,300

appropriation for fire hydrant service, a figure representing an \$11,300 increase; other fire department expenses total \$44,300, up \$9,300. The First Aid Organization contribution is listed at \$11,500, up \$3,000. Civil defense and disaster control expenses remain at \$1,500.

Expenses for streets and roads have risen \$11,800 to \$65,200, and the cost for snow removal has increased by \$3,000 to \$25,000. Street lighting will cost \$13,000, a \$1,000 increase.

Under the Health and Welfare category, there is a significant drop in the funds being allocated to the drug addiction program, which carries a total of \$1,520 for 1975 as compared to \$3,910 during the current year. Monies for the Board of Health expenses have been increased by \$100 to \$1,600, while the aid to Overlook Hospital continues at \$3,500.

Other general appropriation figures include \$16,100 for Board of Recreation expenses, representing a \$2,850 rise; \$9,000 for the purchase of a new fire engine (the same amount was allocated in 1974), and \$20,000 in the capital improvement fund, an increase of \$5,000.

Revenues anticipated from the municipal swimming pool include \$72,000 in membership fees and \$6,000 in other expenses, with an anticipated operating surplus of \$6,625.

In addition to local taxes, other sources of revenue listed are: Licenses, alcoholic beverages, \$17,900; licenses, other, \$7,500; building fees and permits, \$10,000; other fees and permits, \$7,000; municipal court fines and costs, \$15,000; state road aid formula fund, \$6,940; interests and costs on taxes, \$5,000; replacement revenue, bus receipt taxes, \$1,323; franchise taxes, \$120,000; gross receipt taxes, \$100,000; replacement revenue, business personal property, \$180,746; state sales tax aid, \$26,285; revenue sharing funds, \$13,405 to June 30, 1974, and \$27,073 from July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975; state aid for street lighting, \$500; search fees, 21,000; sewer use charges, \$7,000; additional sewer use charges, \$70,000; receipts from delinquent taxes, \$85,000.

The surplus balance as of Dec. 31, 1974, was \$379,726. The current surplus anticipated in the 1975 budget is \$300,000, leaving a surplus balance remaining of \$79,726.

Winners named in essay contest

Essays entered in the Westfield Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, History Month contest have been judged and of the 36 entries from the Deerfield School, Mountainside, six have been chosen.

Winners in the eighth grade are, first prize, Carol Wingard; second prize, Patti Hanigan, and honorable mention, James Monk. Fifth grade winners were, first prize, Henrietta Paschold; second prize, John Sexton, and honorable mention, Michael Weinstein.

Two of the essays, those by Carol Wingard and Henrietta Paschold, have been sent to the state chairman for judging among all schools entered in New Jersey.

Council meets

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report from Springfield officials on the availability of the Baltusrol land.

A fifth ordinance appropriated \$41,266 for the resurfacing of Central avenue from Knollwood road to New Providence road and of New Providence road near Deer Path, to W.R. Tracy drive. The borough will be reimbursed approximately \$37,000 from the state for this project.

Introduced was an ordinance to construct a sanitary sewer, at a cost of \$17,000, in the Tanager way-Coles avenue area of the town. Several homes there reportedly have inoperative septic system, resulting in a health hazard. A public hearing on the law will be held at the March 18 Council session. Costs will be paid by the homeowners involved.

In other business, Councilman Peter Simmons reported he and Councilman John O'Connell met Feb. 18 with Union County Park Commission officials to request a review of safety standards at the water tower in the Watchdog Reservation. He said the Park Commission is to present a plan for enforcement of such standards and regulations.

"We have also written to the Elizabethtown Water Co. advising them that when the locks and gates at the tower are not in proper order, the company is in violation of our zoning variance," he stated.

Mayor Thomas Ricciardi, discussing the proposed municipal budget for 1975, noted that although tax dollars will be increased, the tax rate will be down by approximately 3 points.

"It is anticipated that if the local school budget is approved, it will not increase taxes by more than one-half a point. It is also anticipated that the Regional (schools) tax rate will mean about 2-points more. The only thing we are not sure of now is the county tax situation, but we do feel the total rate will not be up more than 4 or 5 points, meaning a 2 percent increase. In my opinion, this is fantastic," he commented.

There were only seven interested citizens at the council meeting, one of whom was the mayor's wife. Noting her presence, Simmons said, "Mrs. Ricciardi has come to the meeting tonight so that she can spend her 25th wedding anniversary with her husband." He offered congratulations on behalf of the governing body.

Police checking

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into the rear of the getaway vehicle. The officers jumped out and apprehended the alleged robbers, Gregory Zagorski, 49, and Edward Lodge, 52, both of Bayonne. Lodge had been driving the auto.

Flying debris from Mrs. Winter's auto struck a car operated by Katharina Cveas, 44, of Cranford, causing her to stop abruptly and strike her head against the windshield, police said. She was treated at the scene of the accident, as were Mrs. Winter, who suffered a knee injury, her son and a friend, both 16, who were riding with her. Lodge and Zagorski also suffered head injuries.

The trust company's courier was treated at Somerset Hospital and released.

Driving with revoked license costs Newark man \$315 fine

A Newark man, convicted of driving while his license was revoked, was fined \$315 by Judge Jacob R. Bauer at the Feb. 19 session of Mountainside Municipal Court. Robert J. Dzierzowski, who had been apprehended on Summit lane, also received a fine of \$65 and had his license suspended for six months for

failure to have insurance on his vehicle. In other court action, penalties of \$115 were levied against both William C. Dunn of North Plainfield and David M. Budis of New Providence for possession of less than 25 grams of marijuana. Budis also drew a six month probation; Dunn was fined an additional \$15 for hitchhiking on Rt. 22.

Juvenile charges facing three boys

Juvenile complaint charges have been filed against three teenage boys, apprehended Saturday night in Mountainside, for alleged possession of burglar tools and stolen property.

Police said the trio, a 16-year-old from East Orange, and two 15-year-olds from Plainfield and Orange, were taken into custody by Officer Herman Hafeken at approximately 10:40 p.m. on Vassar road. In addition to the burglar tools, police said the boys also were in possession of a tool box containing approximately \$100 worth of equipment.

The box reportedly was removed from a car owned by an Orange resident which was stolen. The vehicle, a 1973 beige Lincoln, was found Monday night in the parking lot of the Diamondhead Building. A police department spokesman said there is no evidence indicating the boys had taken the auto, only that they had apparently removed the tool box from it.

Others charged with possession of less than 25 grams of marijuana were Barbara L. Reynolds of Hillside, placed on six months probation, and Hugo A. Perez of Elizabeth, fined \$65 and also given a six months' probation.

An incident last month at the National Health Labs on Sheffield street resulted in \$35 fines against Beverly Harris of Newark, accused of assault and battery on Barbara Cooper of Plainfield, and Betty Hughes of Edison, charged with assault and battery on Miss Harris. Miss Cooper was found innocent of charges she also had assaulted Miss Harris.

Fined for speeding were Dwight C. Brown of Berkeley Heights, who paid \$23 for driving 55 mph in a 40 mile zone on Summit road, and John D. Szymanski of Westfield, \$45 for travelling 61 mph in a 35-mile zone on New Providence road.

Other motorists appearing at the session were S. J. Waldman of Montclair, who paid a total of \$45 for operating an unregistered vehicle, failure to have her car inspected and failure to exhibit vehicle registration. Timothy H. Wilson of Plainfield, \$25 for being an unlicensed driver; Rickey Williams of Plainfield, \$15 for driving without license in his possession; and Roosevelt Banister of Newark, \$20 for failure to have a current car insurance card in his possession. All had been ticketed on Rt. 22.

Kevin P. Duddy of Wooderens drive, Mountainside, was found innocent of careless driving charges stemming from an accident on Wyoming drive.

Swim instruction

Private swim instruction—designed especially for shy children or those working past a difficult hurdle in instruction—will be offered in two new classes at the Westfield YMCA beginning the week of March 10. Mountainside boys are eligible to enroll. Five lessons with a class limit of three youngsters to each instructor are included in the course.

A series of private lessons for youngsters aged 8 to 9 is slated March 11 through April 8 on Tuesday afternoons from 5:30 to 6. Private classes for children aged 10 through 14 will be held from March 10 through April 7 from 3:30 through 4 p.m.

Participants must enroll at the YMCA, and further information is available at the front desk, 233-7200.

MOUNTAINSIDE Echo advertisement with contact information for advertising and subscription rates.

Multiple public notices regarding school district elections, ordinance amendments, and engineering services.

Advertisements for Kitchen Remodeling by Dudick & Son and a Food Expert at Hadassah College.

Public Notice

LOCAL MUNICIPAL BUDGET 1975

Local Budget of the Borough of Mountainside, County of Union for the fiscal year 1975

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Public Notice

CURRENT FUND—APPROPRIATIONS

APPROPRIATED EXPENDED 1974

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

For 1975 For 1974 For 1974 by Emergency Resolution Total for 1974 as Adopted by All Transfers Paid or Charged Reserved

1. Operations

Police Department 33,000.00 22,000.00 33,000.00 21,579.97 470.03

Fire Department 8,000.00 8,000.00 8,000.00 8,000.00 0.00

Public Works 12,000.00 12,000.00 12,000.00 11,410.78 589.22

Sanitation 4,300.00 4,300.00 4,300.00 4,390.82 109.18

Police and Fire 52,497.37 50,300.00 57,300.00 49,371.57 1,145.61

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PROFILE -- William J. Biunno

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 Biunno noted, "I am not particularly happy with the way some of the numbers, the line items, fall within it, but in light of today's economic climate, I think the bottom line is reasonable and should be supported by the entire community."

The candidate also commented on the Echobrook School issue, stating, "I feel that if Echobrook is not needed as an educational facility, then, based on the report of the Mayor's Committee as to the feasibility of its use as a borough hall and the notice by the Board of Education that it is available, it should be turned over to the borough as quickly as possible."

BIUNNO SEES NO cause for concern over predictions the now-decreasing enrollment will once more rise and perhaps necessitate the need for more classrooms to replace Echobrook's.  
 "We are now educating 1,000 children but the enrollment for next year is projected at 930, so apparently we would still have room for at least 70 more children in the system and could live without Echobrook for some period of time. Even if we do need more space, I feel there probably are viable alternatives to building more rooms. Perhaps we could use portable classrooms, as has been done in the past with no adverse affect on education. The real consideration should be how short-term or long-range the increase in enrollment would be."

Gov. Livingston Regional High School, Berkeley Heights, has announced that 110 seniors were named to the honor roll for academic achievement during the second marking period of the first semester. The Echo lists only seniors here since other Mountainside high schoolers attend Jonathan Dayton in Springfield.

The honor students of the Class of 1975 are as follows:  
 Carolyn Andersen, Edward Andersen, Diane Baldwin, Audrey Barrow, Susan Becker, Patricia Bernhard, Barbara Bickell, George Bress, Mary Briesdecke, Christine Briskar, Katherine Bruening, Margherita Candela, Patricia Cash, Loren Cohen, Wendy Conklin, Barbara Cullen, Lori Dahl, Charles DeFazio, Jeanne Delano, Denise Dumare, Robin Eriksen, Michael Fagan, James Fasciano, Carol Fitzgerald, Holly Fredricks, Nancy Freitas, Miebelle Hrenzak, Maureen Gardner, Mary George, Ursula Gomplex.

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Lee Shombert, Mark Sildker, Sandra Smith, Jeffrey Stratton, Susan Taylor, Raymond Thon, Scott Thies, Kenneth Thomas, Eleanor Trumbidge, Jane Turner, Daniel Vreeland, Steve Waddell, Linda Wakefield, Barbara Walcott, Elizabeth Ward, Laura Wasko, Edmund Weston, Ellen Wilser, Carolyn Wuse, Michael Wood.

He is a member of the board of governors of the New Jersey Savings League, the legislative committee and committee on mutual institutions of the United States League of Savings Associations and the Society of Savings and Loan Controllers and Financial Officers. He also is president and director of the Sterling Service Corp and is a former member of the board of trustees of the Savings and Loan Institute, Garden State Chapter.

In addition, the candidate is a director of the Eastern Union County Chamber of Commerce, director and vice-president-elect of the Roselle-Hoselle Park Rotary Club, a member of the Roselle Park Mayor's Beautification Committee, a Cub Scout committee chairman, chairman of Mountainside's Little League opening day program, finance chairman of the Mountainside Midget Football Booster Club, member of the 200 Club of Union County, a Community Fund volunteer, and a member of the Union County Coordinating Agency for Higher Education's subcommittee to study county needs in higher education.

Past community service affiliations include service on the Union County Audio-Visual Arts Commission, the Newark Archdiocesan CYO board of directors, the board of trustees of the Union County Regional Adult School and work as a committee chairman for the Boy Scouts of America.

FRIDAY DEADLINE  
 All items other than spot news should be in our office by noon on Friday.

Public Notice

DEDICATED SWIMMING POOL UTILITY BUDGET

APPROPRIATED	EXPENDED 1974	PAID OR CHARGED	RESERVED
Operating Expenses	22,990.00	21,440.00	1,550.00
Capital Expenditures	19,400.00	19,400.00	0.00
Total	42,390.00	40,840.00	1,550.00

DEDICATED ASSESSMENT BUDGET

APPROPRIATED	EXPENDED 1974	PAID OR CHARGED	RESERVED
Operating Expenses	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00
Capital Expenditures	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	1,500.00	1,500.00	0.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUND OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN CURRENT FUNDS

1974	1973	% CHG.		
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# Elizabeth General plans for long-range objectives

The preparation of a long-range plan for physical facilities and services will be among the major undertakings at Elizabeth General Hospital and Dispensary during 1975, according to Spencer M. Overton.

## \$1,500 in prizes in state art show

The effects of inflation aren't always negative, according to Cynthia and Julian Rockmore, chairmen of the Westfield Art Association's 14th annual Statewide Show to be held March 23 through March 30 at Union College, Cranford.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockmore announced this week that more than \$1,500 in cash prizes will be awarded in this year's show, an increase of more than \$200 over past years' awards.

The special Elizabeth Tomassulo Award, has been increased from \$200 to \$250 and first place awards in each category have been increased some \$50.

In all, 20 prizes will be awarded for works in oils, watercolors, mixed media and graphics. A jury of prominent artists will award the prizes, which will be presented at the opening reception on Sunday, March 23 from 3 to 5 p.m.

The exhibit will be open to the public through Sunday, March 30. Hours are 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. through Saturday, March 29, and Sunday, March 30, from 1 to 5 p.m. only.

The Statewide Show is open to artists born or residing in New Jersey. Entry forms may be obtained by writing Mrs. Elven Sheehan, 721 Clark st., Westfield 07090, before the March 15 receiving date.

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term as chairman of the hospital's board of trustees, said the project "will identify the health characteristics of the community and the mechanisms which can be adopted by the hospital over the next few years to meet health needs. Completion of the current construction program toward the end of this year will fulfill the primary objective of our first long range plan: to provide a modern hospital."

George F. Billington, president of the hospital, said 1974 was an exceptionally busy year, with 109,612 days of care provided to hospitalized patients and 26,549 visits to the emergency room. "Full-scale operation of the Community Mental Health Center resulted in a dramatic increase in the number of people receiving concentrated psychiatric care in the partial hospitalization program," said Billington. "Expansion of the alcoholism treatment center allowed us to care for 30 percent more people than in the previous year," he said.

Adult and junior volunteers contributed more than 72,000 hours of service, said Billington. Also, the National League of Nursing extended full accreditation to the hospital's School of Nursing.

"Leadership from our medical staff," said Billington, "led to the opening of a special care nursery for sick newborns and the introduction of pediatric residents through affiliation with Newark Beth Israel Medical Center."

Elected to serve with Overton as trustee officers were Clayton B. Jones Sr., vice-chairman, Richard English, secretary, and Edgar A. Roll, treasurer. Trustees reelected to the board were Walter S. Angielski, Willard C. Asbury, Harold S. Berry, Dr. Robert L. Lewis and Hugh Livingston. Elected to the advisory board were Herbert Gossman, W. Malcolm MacLeod, Mrs. Frank Mastrianni, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott Jr. and Everett C. Sherbourne.

# DOT will conduct public hearings on RR fare hikes

The New Jersey Department of Transportation's Commuter Operating Agency will hold public hearings during March and April on a proposed 25 percent fare increase on the four state-subsidized passenger railroads—the Penn-Central, the Jersey Central, the Erie-Lackawanna and the New York and Long Branch.

Increased revenue from railroad patrons is being sought to help preserve railroad commuter services in New Jersey, said an agency official. The transportation department is facing a deficit of \$25.9 million in fiscal 1975 for rail and bus subsidies, of which almost \$15 million is needed to keep commuter trains running until the end of June.

Two meetings are scheduled at each of the hearing locations with the first session reserved for railroad's plea for a fare increase and the second for the public's statements. All participants will be permitted to cross-examine railroad witnesses.

Representatives of the Penn-Central will participate on hearings March 12 and 19 at Jefferson High School, Elizabeth. Erie-Lackawanna hearings will be held March 13 at Morristown's Frelinghuysen Junior High School and March 20 at Morris Plains' Alfred Vail School. Hearings on the Central Railroad of New Jersey fare increase will be held March 25 and April 1 at Thomas Edison Junior High School in Westfield.

## Home care series offered by county

A home maintenance "how-to" series will start next Wednesday at 7:45 p.m. in the Extension Service Auditorium, 300 North avenue East, Westfield.

For eight consecutive Wednesday evenings, different topics pertaining to home financing and maintenance will be featured.

"Ideas for ways of buying a home, better utilization of space, zoning regulations, repairing windows, painting, plumbing problems, mildew and flooding cures, landscaping designs, lawn maintenance, and insect control will be discussed," said an Extension official. "Men and women will find this series helpful. Both will get an idea of the extent of repairs and alterations to home maintenance."

Registration for the program is necessary and should be made by calling 233-9366. There will be a minimal fee for booklets included in the series.

## Officers reelected by county judges

The Union County Municipal Court Judges Association has reelected its officers for the current year.

Chosen at the annual meeting at the Town and Campus, Union, were Judges William Boffa Jr. of Roselle Park, president; Jacob R. Bauer of Mountainside, vice-president, and Joseph R. Postizzi of Clark, secretary-treasurer.

Frank A. Pizzi was chairman of the nominating committee and John T. Soja of Elizabeth was program chairman. Several Superior Court judges were guests at the dinner meeting.

### SHIFT TO DECENTRALIZATION

The Comprehensive Employment and Training Act, which went into effect July 1, 1974, represented a significant shift toward decentralization of the nation's manpower program.

## 2 courses completed

Jack Devane, president of Jaguar Travel, Inc., of Millburn Mall and Vauxhall, has been notified by the Institute of Certified Travel Agents that he has successfully passed the first two courses of its five-part program toward becoming a certified travel consultant. Remaining to be completed are two courses of study and a thesis.

Devane recently returned from California State Polytechnical University where he attended a five-day session sponsored by the institute. Discussions and lectures by members of their staff and that of Michigan State University covered office management, accounting for the travel agent, psychology of interviewing and listening, the law and the travel agent, professionalism in the travel industry and business ethics.

## Recital set for Sunday

A piano recital by the students of Lawrence Ferrara of Nutley will be held at Union College, Cranford, on Sunday at 7 p.m.

Ferrara, a concert pianist, is an instructor in the Fine Arts Department at Union College. He has been teaching privately for 10 years.

Students participating in the recital include: Wayne and Lauri Traeger, Andrew Karlin, Juan and Frederick Neri, Lisa Leone, Sandra Stein, Susan Tucson, David Walker, Glen Blondec, Hobin Moskaluk, Cathy Costa and David Wunder of Union and Arlene Zuckerman of Springfield.

The program will include works by Mozart, Tchaikovsky, Bach, Couperin, Gounod and Schubert. The concert is open to the public free of charge.

# County Park Commission prepares bikeway plans; approval expected

A series of bikeways in a significant portion of the county will be built in the near future if plans of the Union County Park Commission and some municipalities are approved as expected.

The county park system already has some bikeways, located in a few parks, but the new plans submitted to the State Department of Transportation, plus those being considered for

future approval, will extend the facilities considerably.

The Park Commission has filed the necessary description and maps for an asphalt bikeway, eight feet wide, winding its way through picturesque areas of the Passaic River Park, for a distance of 6,000 feet (which is 1.2 miles), from Snyder avenue, Berkeley Heights, to Central avenue, New Providence.

Tentative ideas for a bikeway in this park have been discussed for some time, but the lack of a continuous right-of-way and the cost of some construction difficulties have hindered action. The Commission hopes to arrange joint action with the municipalities involved for extensions of the Passaic River Park bikeway project.

A prime example of joint action of the Park Commission and a community is a bikeway planned in the Township of Union. The park system and the township joined in filing the description and maps for a route to be constructed with federal aid funds already allocated to the county and the municipality. This is planned to be 4.68 miles (or a total of 24,750 feet) long. It will include 13,950 linear feet of bikeway, as well as 10,800 linear feet of striping bike lanes on existing roads. Like the Passaic River Park project, this will be eight feet wide, with an asphalt pavement. The route will pass through alternate sections of municipal streets and county park property.

A popular attraction for several years has been a bike path, about 1.2 miles in length, in Warinanco Park, Elizabeth and Roselle. As an incentive for people who do not own bicycles but want to enjoy the activity from time to time, a bike rental concession operates during the spring and summer months. Last year the Park Commission added a bikeway extending about one mile around the lake in the Rahway River Park, Rahway, and this is expected to gain popularity this year. Bike route signs will be posted. Some areas in the Echo Lake Park, Westfield and Mountainside, have often been used for bicycling as well as walking.

Plans are now being prepared in the Park Commission's Engineering Department, for submission to the Department of Transportation, as the basis for seeking further allocations of funds for other bikeways in the next fiscal year. These include routes in Nomahegan Park and along the Rahway River, and further plans along the Passaic River as well as in Green Brook and Cedar Brook Parks. As far as possible, the planning will be coordinated with separate applications filed or to be made by various communities, such as Cranford, which has extensive plans of its own.



## New president for SGA Union College co-ed gets post

Nancy Byrne recently became president of Union College's Student Government Association.

Despite the same name, the co-ed at the Cranford college is not related to Governor Brendan Byrne. She was appointed to the recently vacated position of SGA president strictly on her own merits after having served during the fall semester as vice-president of the SGA.

Miss Byrne was voted SGA president for the remainder of the spring term by the current representatives.

"Within the next month or so, elections will be held for all executive SGA positions for the forthcoming school year," Miss Byrne said. "To hold me during the interim, also would concentrate our efforts on campaigns instead of getting a job done."

Miss Byrne has served as chairman of the social-cultural committee, where she provided movies that are shown on campus without charge to students. She was instrumental in organizing the annual SGA lecture series, which has scheduled disc jockey Don Imus and poet Nikki Giovanni among its guests, and she organized the annual winter semi-formal dance at the Shalimar in Staten Island. She also served on the Court of Appeals, a grievance court for students and faculty.

In addition to her SGA activities, Miss Byrne hosts a campus radio program every week. She also has been on the dean's honor list.

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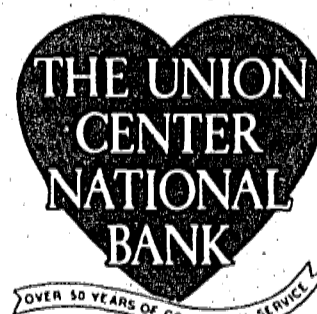
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# 5,408 in county community college system

Union County's community college system is serving some 5,400 people through credit programs and courses this spring, it was noted this week by Dr. Kenneth C. MacKay, executive director of the Union County Coordinating Agency for Higher Education.

The figure includes 4,626 full-time and part-time students at Union College (Cranford, Elizabeth and Plainfield) and 782 students at Union County Technical Institute (Scotch Plains) — a total of 5,408 students in credit programs.

Union College and Union County Technical Institute are providing the programs and services of a community college system in Union County under the auspices of the Union County Coordinating Agency for Higher Education.

According to Dr. MacKay, the actual number of students being served this spring might be

much higher than 5,408. He pointed out that students enrolled in continuing education programs, in non-credit courses and in professional enrichment programs are not included in this figure.

"In reality, more than 8,000 students now attend classes at Union College and Union County Technical Institute," Dr. MacKay stated.

Men outnumber women slightly at Union College while the situation is reversed at UCTI. A total of 2,335 men — 1,018 full-time and 1,317 part time — attend Union College along with 2,291 women. The women include 812 full-time and 1,479 part-time students.

At Union County Technical Institute, 404 women are enrolled in full-time programs as compared with 378 men.

UCTI students appear fairly divided among its business, health and engineering technology

programs; men continue to dominate the engineering programs, women the health programs.

Some 311 students are enrolled in UCTI's health technologies, including 270 women and 41 men. The health programs include dental hygiene, dental laboratory technology, respiratory therapy, medical laboratory technology, physical therapy assistant, occupational therapy and medical and dental assisting.

In UCTI engineering technologies, 254 men and 26 women are enrolled. The 280 students are mostly enrolled in civil, mechanical and electronic technologies, although more than half the women are majoring in chemical technology.

Some 191 UCTI students — 108 women and 83 men — are enrolled in the business technology programs, including accounting, computer

science and secretarial science programs.

Students enrolled in two-year approved programs at Union County Technical Institute earn an associate in applied science degree from Union College. They are eligible to enter the job market immediately or transfer with advanced standing to a four-year institution to earn a baccalaureate degree.

Full-time and part-time enrollment continues to be highest at Union College in business administration, liberal arts and nursing. Some 641 students—493 men and 148 women—are enrolled in business; 548 students—about equally divided by sex—are enrolled in liberal arts; 465 students, only 19 of them men, are enrolled in nursing.

Union College's nursing program is jointly conducted with the Schools of Nursing of Elizabeth General and Muhlenberg Hospitals.



**GOOD SKATES** — Dr. Radford Brokaw, his wife Aletta (left) and Mrs. Floss Morse take a turn around the rink at the Warinanco Park Ice Skating Center in Roselle. Dr. Brokaw praises ice skating as a relaxing, family activity. The Brokaws — including sons Tim, Bill and Andy — skated regularly at Warinanco when it was an open-air operation. Now it is covered and enclosed on three sides and the Brokaws consider its congenial atmosphere makes it superior to more elaborate centers. They give much of the credit for the center's maintenance and atmosphere to its manager, Russell Raffa of Mountainside.

## Teen Arts Festival includes three days of master classes

A new feature of next month's third annual Union County Teen Arts Festival at Kean College, Union, will be a series of master classes by leading American performers and artists.

On Monday, March 24, Bert Ross of the Martha Graham Dance Company will

**Concert Sunday by Dr. Richner**

Thomas Richner will be the featured soloist when the Suburban Symphony of New Jersey presents its third concert of the season on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. in the Orange Avenue Junior High School, Cranford.

Dr. Richner, a professor of music at Douglass College, has played for audiences throughout the United States, Europe and Asia. He is also first organist of the Mother Church of the Christian Scientist Church in Boston.

The program for the Sunday concert will include Albinoni's "Mediterranean Overture," Franz Schubert's "Symphony No. 41 in C Minor" and Beethoven's "Piano Concerto No. 1, Opus 15."

Dr. Richner is a graduate of the University of West Virginia and holds master's and doctoral degrees from Columbia University. He has been awarded honorary degrees by Colby College, Waterville, Me., and Lander College, Columbia, S.C., where he helped establish the music department.

While known to concert goers throughout the world, Dr. Richner has earned a special reputation in Cranford, where he has given concerts for the past eight years for the benefit of The Friends of the College of Union College.

Tickets to the Suburban Symphony Orchestra concert are \$3 for adults and \$2 for students. They may be purchased at the door.

**Dog obedience class offered by county 4-H**

The Union County Extension Service 4-H Division will sponsor an eight-week course in dog obedience training beginning March 12, at Kean College, Union.

Dogs five months and over can be trained and the course is open to all adults and children who are old enough to train. Persons wishing to take the course may register by calling 233-9366 and asking for the 4-H secretary.

demonstrate modern dance techniques. Michael Metzger, member of the Department of Fine Arts at Kean College, will demonstrate print making. Casimir Bork of Roselle, director of the Union County Symphony Orchestra, will lead two sessions in brasses, showing proper warming up techniques. Richard Bunkamper, also of the Kean College Department of Fine Arts, will demonstrate throwing ceramics. Bunkamper's work is currently on exhibition at the Elizabeth Public Library.

On Tuesday, March 25, Edward Pierson, baritone-basso of the New York City Opera Company, will demonstrate correct singing techniques for all kinds of singing. Paul Price, on the faculty of the Manhattan School of Music and Kean College, will perform percussion music.

The master class on Wednesday, March 26, will be on jazz improvisation for large ensembles. Michael Ridley, who has performed and recorded for Wes Montgomery and Archie Shepp, and who is also a member of the Livingston College Faculty Ensemble and the Barry Harris Quintet, will lead the students in two sessions.

The festival, sponsored by the Union County Cultural and Heritage Commission in cooperation with Kean College, will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. on March 24, 25 and 26 at Kean College's Vaughn-Eames Hall and at the College Theater for the Performing Arts.

Every participating school and community group has received registration forms for the master classes. Interested students will be able to pre-register for these special offerings.

The central feature of the festival each year, is performances of original and interpretive works by Union County teenagers. An exhibition of hundreds of original student art and craft works will also be shown at the festival.

Workshops in which all who attend can participate will be given in music, dance, visual arts, creative writing, drama and video.

The festival is open to the public. The festival is funded by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders. The festival also receives grant support from the New Jersey Bicentennial Commission and the National Endowment for the Arts, awarded to the Union County Cultural and Heritage Commission through the Teen Arts project of the New Jersey State Department of Education.

For times of master classes and other festival information readers may call the office of the Union County Cultural and Heritage Commission, 272-3140, or contact school principals.

**Retirement information**

People planning to retire soon can estimate the amount of their monthly social security check with a free leaflet available at any social security office.

The leaflet, "Estimating your social security retirement check," explains how much work people need to be eligible for social security benefits and shows them how to figure the approximate amount of the monthly retirement payments to them and their families.

Single copies of the leaflet are free on request at any social security office. The Elizabeth social security office is at 342 Westminster Ave. The phone number is 654-4200.

**School aide in program**

John H. Kolmos, director of Cooperative Education at the Union County Vocational Center, is one of four administrators from the Consortium of East Jersey to be selected to participate in an inter-college administrative internship from now through the end of May.

This is the first time that the member schools of the Consortium of East Jersey—Union County Technical Institute, Union College, Seton Hall University and Kean College of New Jersey—have had such a program for full-time faculty and staff members.

The Internship Program provides its participants the opportunity to take a first-hand look at administrative responsibilities without first requiring the long-term commitment to advanced educational work.

**Pingry slates special concert**

The Pingry Men's Glee Club and the Women's Chorus of Princeton High School will present a special concert, Schubert's "Mass in E Flat," tomorrow at 8:15 p.m. in Pingry School's Kreh gymnasium on the Hillside campus.

Antoine du Bourg and James S. Little will conduct the Pingry singers; William Trego is the conductor of the Princeton group. The accompaniment will be by a professional orchestra.

Admission is free.

## New films scheduled at Trailside

"Bulldozed America," a documentary film, will be presented at the Trailside Nature and Science Center in the Watchung Reservation on Sunday at 2, 3 and 4 p.m.

The informative motion picture shows some of the threats of this country's natural beauty and wilderness. The topics range from the California redwoods to strip mining to urban sprawl and the damming of rivers.

Also at Trailside on Monday through Thursday at 4 p.m., Donald W. Mayer, director, will conduct half-hour nature talks. The subject will be "Microscopic Life."

The Trailside Planetarium will have a new feature — "Galaxies, Clusters and Nebulae" — on Sunday, at 2, 3 and 4 p.m. This will be repeated next Wednesday at 8 p.m. As the planetarium seats only 35 persons, tickets issued at the Trailside office are on a first-come, first-served basis for the Sunday performances.

The public is encouraged to visit and enjoy the Trailside programs, exhibits and activities, available on weekdays except Fridays from 3 to 5 p.m. and on Saturday, Sundays and holidays from 1 to 5 p.m.

Trailside programs are reported on a Park Commission "events" telephone, 352-8410.



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Wednesday 8 p.m. intercessory prayer service.

Friday 7:30 p.m. Chapel Mountaintop. Bible study and prayer for young people grades 1 through 12.

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Thursday 8 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:30 p.m. Search, a study group led by Pastor Dewart.

Friday 8 p.m. Brass Fingers of Wesleyan Service Circle, 47 Clinton Ave.

Saturday 7:30 p.m. Assembly. (Free service available.)

Sunday 9:30 a.m. Truett Chapel service. (Free service available.)

Sunday 11:30 a.m. Truett Chapel service. (Free service available.)

Sunday 3:00 p.m. Truett Chapel service. (Free service available.)

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**PARTY PLANNERS** — Mrs. Irwin Jacobs, left, and Mrs. Franklin Scheinmann, chairmen, are busy wrapping some of the prizes for the Sisterhood of Temple Beth Ahm's annual fashion show and supper to be held next Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m. at the temple.

## Fashion show and supper planned by temple Sisterhood

"You've Come a Long Way, Baby" is the theme of the annual fashion show and supper to be sponsored by the Sisterhood of Temple Beth Ahm, Springfield, on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. The show and supper will be held at the temple with fashions by Potpourri's of South Orange and Helen Harsh, West Orange.

The chairmen of this evening are Mrs. Irwin Jacobs and Mrs. Franklin Scheinmann. Mrs. Lee Laetler will be in charge of the dinner arrangements. Sisterhood members will serve as models with musical accompaniment by Sam Wildman.

It will not be possible to buy tickets at the door, as advance planning is necessary. Tickets may be obtained by calling Mrs. Fred Rayoff at 272-4471, Mrs. Morris Davison at 276-6225 or Mrs. Allan Feuer at 279-4326. Table reservations must also be made in advance, and readers may do so by calling Mrs. Leonard Surkin at 279-5643 or Mrs. Harold Cohen at 279-8272.

Mrs. Sanford Gelwarg, Sisterhood president, will greet the guests.

## Ginevskys mark 60th anniversary at Morris party

In celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Ginevsky of Glenview, Ill., sponsored a party at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Saul Sanger of Morris Plains.

Also in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Ginevsky's other children and their spouses. Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Sanger of West Orange, Mrs. Frances Sanger of Morris Plains, Mrs. and Mrs. Isaac Sanger of Morris Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Sander Sanger of Morris Plains.

Other guests included Mrs. Valerius of Irvington and the three youngest of their 11 grandchildren. The family also includes eight great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Rachel Ginevsky was born in New York City, where she was a member of the first class graduated from the all-girl Washington Irving High School in 1917.

Her husband, Abraham, is a native of Kiev, Russia, and immigrated to this country in 1907 and shortly thereafter set up his own printing and advertising firm, in which he remains active to the present day.

The couple, both of Newark and Irvington, before settling in Springfield in 1957. They are members of Temple Beth Ahm.

## Hadassah chapter schedules meeting

The Westfield Chapter of Hadassah will hold its general meeting on Sunday, March 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Old Social Hall of Temple Emanuel. El Gural speaker at the meeting will be Hudd Hopkins, who created the original silk screen for the art show sponsors.

Hopkins was born in Wheeling, W. Va., and received his education at Oberlin College. His works are included in the San Francisco Museum of Art, Washington Museum of Art and many more. He is also represented in many corporate and private collections, including that of the Barons de Hirsch.

Hopkins will lecture with slides on the various aspects of art. A champagne hour will precede the lecture. Mrs. Stanley Dachtel and Mrs. Martin Simon are co-chairwomen for the program.

Hopkins is also a member of the Hadassah Board of Directors and is currently serving as the national secretary.

## Cleaning crumbs away

Shaking an electric toaster to remove crumbs may damage the small heating wires. A better way is to simply clean the crumbs tray with a soft sponge. Always be sure the toaster is disconnected before cleaning. After washing the outside surface, follow by polishing with a clean dry cloth.

## COMPENSATION APPEALS

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March 1, 1975. Congress enacts legislation providing Negroes the right to serve on juries. Also this Civil Rights Act guarantees black equal rights in public places.

March 2, 1977. Boris Bitt, becomes the highest paid baseball player to date, when he signs a three year contract for \$70,000 a year.

March 3, 1945. Florida becomes the 22nd state to enter the Union.

March 4, 1911. Bettine Barkan, Montana, is sealed in the House, the first woman in Congress.

March 5, 1975. Andrew Johnson, former President, returns to Washington as a senator from Tennessee.

March 7, 1966. Remembers the Klans' 20th anniversary. The anti-South Act's measures were finally victorious over their Cracker and Ku Kluxers.

## Jewish Guild holds meeting

The Guild for Jewish Mothers held its annual Mt. and Mrs. Night Tuesday at the Mt. and Mrs. Night of New Jersey. Mrs. Allen Berman, president of the Guild, was the guest speaker.

The Guild's 1975 program of activities will be announced at the annual meeting on March 11 at 7:30 p.m. at the Mt. and Mrs. Night. The dinner will be held at the Mt. and Mrs. Night. The dinner will be held at the Mt. and Mrs. Night.

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**SLEEPLESS NIGHTS**

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Larrie O'Farrell, Better Business Bureau

MRS. KENNETH M. BOGDEN

## Susan Schenck, Kenneth Bogden wed on Saturday

Susan Helen Schenck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood G. Schenck of Cherry Hill road, Mountainside, was married Saturday to Kenneth Michael Bogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bogden Sr. of South Plainfield.

The Rev. Elmer A. Talcott officiated at the ceremony in the Community Presbyterian Church, Mountainside. A reception followed at the Hotel Suburban in Summit.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose Beverly Sarquilly of College Park, Md., as her maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Mrs. Lewis Price of Seabrook, Md.

Paul Bogden Jr. of South Hadley, Mass., twin brother of the bridegroom, served as best man. Ushers were Lewis Price of Seabrook, Md.; John Bogden of South Plainfield, also a brother of the bridegroom, and Jon Sateck of South Plainfield.

Mrs. Bogden, a graduate of Gov. Livingston Regional High School, Berkeley Heights, and Colby College, New London, N.H., is employed by the Exxon Corp., Florham Park.

Mr. Bogden, a graduate of South Plainfield High School, holds a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from Lafayette College and a master's degree in business administration from the Graduate School of Business at Columbia University. He is a member of the Tau Beta Pi and Kappa Sigma fraternities. He is employed by the Amerada Hess Corp., New York.

Following a honeymoon in the Bahamas, the couple will reside in Murray Hill.

## Dear DEBATING

Yes, it would be to your advantage to have this provision included in your warranty and service contract. Warranties for refrigerators and freezers may or may not include special provisions for food spoilage due to a defect or malfunction of the appliance during the warranty period. In some cases, the buyer must pay additionally for this particular coverage. Be sure to read your warranty and service contract carefully before signing a contract to be sure you're covered for such a provision.

Larrie O'Farrell, Better Business Bureau

## Dear Larrie

I saw perfume marked with a price of \$12.50 a bottle. However, a ticket on the package indicated it was on sale for \$1.50. This bargain sounds too good to be true. Do you think this perfume ever sold for \$12.50 or anywhere near it?

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## PUNCH LINE OF THE WEEK

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# A FEMININE LOOK ... ...AT THE WORLD ...AND THINGS

by TRUDINA HOWARD

IN SCOTLAND  
Of the Loch Ness Monster

Fourth In a Series

During the past 45 years an increasing number of independent, reliable observers have contributed to the belief that the Loch Ness Monster is something more than a myth. Factual and circumstantial evidence have been accumulating. What MacKenzie, Campbell, Dinsdale and others saw, what the camera took, and what sonar felt, are all parts of the puzzle, leaving little doubt that there is a mystery to be solved in Loch Ness—a phenomenon to be explained.

The first to report seeing a creature was St. Columba who saw a certain water monster in the River Ness in 565. Then, in 1572, an unconfirmed story rose again, and ever since, strange stories about a Loch Ness creature have persisted and multiplied. The early stories originated with the local residents and were seldom recorded, however.

TYPICAL OF THE EARLY REPORTS was one credited to a Mr. D. MacKenzie around 1871. A handbook from Scotland says what "whilst walking near the small village of Abriachan in a remote area on the west side of the lake, and 60 years before a road even existed there, Mr. MacKenzie saw what he took to be a log of wood floating in the loch. Suddenly the object appeared to come to life and move through the water at great speed." MacKenzie referred to it on first impressions as a "log of wood" or an "up-turned boat," which description has been used by numerous witnesses since.

In 1933 a new road opened up the entire length of the western shore, and with the new improvements in transportation, communications and equipment all during the '30's, a number of the earlier stories were revived, a continuing number of new ones were reported, and all of them were circulated further than ever before.

In particular the local newspaper, the Inverness Courier, printed an article by its correspondent, Alex Campbell, that was a vivid written account of a sighting. Mr. Campbell, was at the time, also the water bailiff at Ft. Augustus with over 50 years experience of conditions and happenings on Loch Ness, so he knew when he was seeing something special.

It was the year 1934, in May, and as Mr. Campbell was looking at the lake, there about 250 yards distant, was a creature on the surface of the loch. The water was dead calm "like a millpond," and Mr. Campbell described "this thing" as a "huge animal with small tapering head and a long (about six feet) thin tapering neck, behind which there is one huge hump." He estimated that the creature was 30 feet long and that it was agitated by three small trawlers coming through the Caolionan Canal.

The year 1934 was also important for another reason. It was the year in which a London surgeon, Dr. R.K. Wilson, halted on the west shore road near Invermoriston early one April morning and took a remarkable picture.

He had suddenly noticed a disturbance in the water about 200 yards from the shore and went to investigate. In a few minutes the head and neck of a monster emerged.

With a telephoto equipped camera Dr. Wilson was able to take four pictures, but only one was good enough for reproduction. This photograph has been accepted as authentic and is one of the best known. Interestingly enough, Dr. Wilson described the monster as having a neck about six feet long, and the photograph itself shows an animal corresponding in shape and proportion to that, and to what other witnesses have reported. In the picture, an appendage appears to be at the right of the neck which could be a flipper, and to the left is a shape which could be a hump.

AFTER THE WAR there was a resumption of reported sightings of strange animals in Loch Ness. One of the most notable occurred in the early hours of July 14, 1952. Lachlan Stuart, a Forestry Commission employee, and a companion, were looking out of the window of Mr. Sauratt's lochsidecroft, when they saw an unidentified object moving up the middle of the loch. They both ran down to the water's edge. Only about 50 yards away they saw three

humps, each about five feet long. Sauratt ran for his camera and took a photograph which clearly shows what he saw. He also described how the creature continued swimming after he had taken the picture, and that it seemed to have a long, thin neck and head. The men judged its total length to be about 40 feet.

Photographs and sightings now take place regularly and are submitted and reported year after year. The average number of sightings is said to be about 20 per year, but 1963 claims 40.

A full profile view of head and neck seems rather rare. Harer still is a land sighting. Ninety percent of all sightings have taken place when the loch surface was calm and the weather warm and bright. Summer months have been best. All of which would seem to indicate that the Loch Ness Monster likes to sun bathe too.

Often the creature is seen with just one hump showing, on other occasions with two or three. This leads to the speculation that there may be a school of large animals in the loch and not one. In this case, scientists believe it would take about 12 to 15 of the creatures of varying ages to maintain the species. If that were so, the question then is asked, "why are no dead monsters ever found?" The answer is simple.

Loch Ness is very deep, very cold, very peaty and very dark. As a result the usual chemical and bacteriological reactions which would enable a body to float do not take place. Also, its floor is soft with silt of unknown depths, and its sides are extremely steep and overgrown, all of which would tend to obscure a body or prevent it from being washed up. There are no tides or currents, and the presence of numerous scavengers is a further reason that, as the legend has it, "the loch never gives up its dead."

At any rate, most people seem to prefer a single monster, and refer to it that way. It almost always is "the Loch Ness Monster" or "Nessie," and when someone claims to have seen the monster, the standard question is, "and how many humps did you see?" — and "how many monsters."

Several hump photographs exist but the one considered the most important was taken by a Mr. P.A. MacNab. On a bright, calm, ideal day in July of 1955, MacNab was poised to take a picture of the ruins of Urquhart Castle on the Loch west shore, when there was a sudden disturbance in the water—and MacNab got a picture of the humped back of the creature as well as a picture of the castle. MacNab "reckoned it was travelling at about 8 to 12 knots, and was a large, long, black or dark, undulating creature..." Its size could be deduced by comparison with the castle's tower which is known to be 50 feet tall. The picture shows a large hump in the center and an unclear small rise at one end and a still smaller one at the other.

DURING THE SIXTIES there was a noticeable change of attitude among many people who hitherto had looked upon the Loch Ness Monster as an oversized joke. Sonar came along and brought added evidence, and with it came gradual acceptance that Loch Ness held some mystery.

Tim Dinsdale also came along in the sixties. He authored two good books on the subject of the monster, and on April 23, 1961, he took a film of the creature actually in action. When he first saw it in the water, it was stationary, with a large humped back showing, but then "it surged across the water" and crossed the loch on a zig zag course. Finally, the creature swam parallel to the far shore, creating a large wake before slowly submerging.

This film was given to the world's foremost authority on film analysis, the Joint Air

## Montoya will present Rider College concert

Flamenco guitarist Carlos Montoya will present a program of 17 musical selections in his Rider College debut Saturday.

Appearing in the Fine Arts Theatre of the Trenton campus at 8:30 p.m. as part of the Concert Nine Series, the Spanish artist will perform a variety of his own arrangements and compositions based on the Spanish-gypsy tradition.

## Consumers cautioned on unlicensed movers

The Public Utility Commission this week cautioned consumers over the increasing use of unlicensed household movers.

Commissioners Anthony J. Grossi, Joel R. Jacobson, and Stewart G. Pollock said that New Jersey residents who hire unlicensed movers are taking a big risk. "The consumer has no recourse to the PUC for complaints with an unlicensed mover should his property be

damaged or lost during its transfer," the commissioners said.

"Movers in New Jersey are licensed through the PUC and are regulated by this Board," they said. "These movers are required to render safe, adequate, and proper service at reasonable rates." Movers' rates are regulated by the PUC.

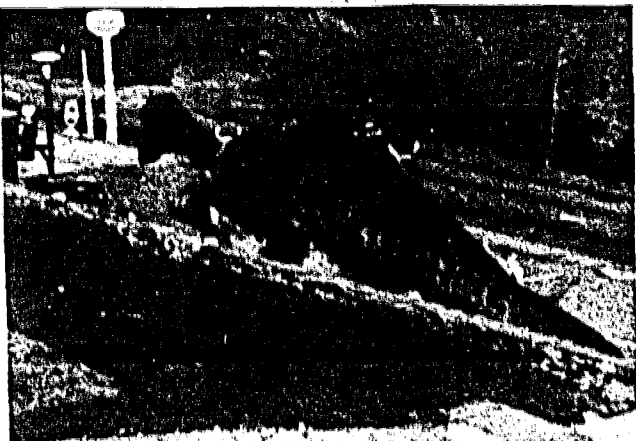
The commissioners said consumers may be enticed into utilizing the services of an unlicensed mover with a promise of lower rates. "Unfortunately, too many consumers discover the hard way that low rates and reliable service don't always go together," they said. "All licensed movers are required to have insurance certificates and any complaints on their performance can be brought before us."

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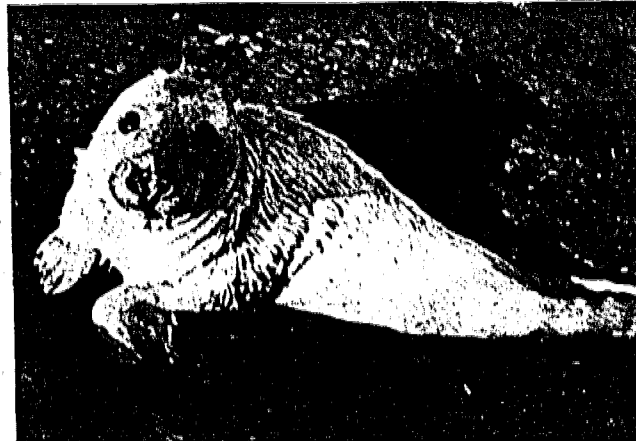
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THE LOCH NESS MONSTER? No, a businessman's impression of the monster. This model stands between a petrol station and a motel on the west shore of the lake, and a charge is made to take a photo of it. Some say that a comparison can be made with the Loch Ness Monster descriptions and a profile diagram of a bull Atlantic seal, the heaviest mammal to be found in Great Britain.



THE LOCH NESS MONSTER? No, a real, live Atlantic seal, but a young one, taken somewhere on the coast and not on the shores of Loch Ness. These appealing creatures, however, are to be found all around the sea coast of Scotland from the Isle of Man on the west side, up to the north to the Shetland Islands and down the east coast to the Farnes Islands south of Edinburgh.

Reconnaissance Intelligence Centre of the Royal Air Force, for impartial study and analysis. Its conclusion was that the object seen by Mr. Dinsdale was not a surface craft or submarine, that it was from 12 to 16 feet long, three feet high, six feet wide, and travelling at a rate of ten knots, and most importantly, that the object was "probably animate."

In 1961 the Loch Ness Investigation Bureau, a voluntary and private organization whose members come from all over the world, also came along. Headquartered at Achnahannet, about two miles from Urquhart Castle on the West coast, it also has several vans which carry camera equipment to various vantage points up and down the loch. In addition, the Bureau collects sightings from independent witnesses. A very rigorous standard is imposed and no report is accepted if it occurred within half an hour of a ship passing. Sonar expeditions have been sent in to help in the search, and other scientific resources such as infra-red photography, sophisticated camera equipment, high-powered binoculars, and underwater gear are all being used to try to clarify the secret of Loch Ness.

"Though Great Britain has been generous in her contributions to wildlife abroad," a Handbook for Tourists obtained in Scotland says, "so far little active interest has been shown in her own Loch Ness and what must be the largest and rarest creature resident in Britain. It has all been left to the Loch Ness Investigation Bureau, to private individuals and to the Americans."

(Quotations and references from "The Loch Ness Monster" by Jim M. MacLaine, "Loch Ness and the Monster" by Ronald Hastain in collaboration with Nicholas Witchell)

NEXT: MONSTER TALK

## 2 Parkway panels studying ways to maintain same tolls

Two internal staff committees are studying ways to minimize expenses and preserve the present toll structure on the Garden State Parkway in the event of any substantial downturn in 1975 revenues, John P. Gallagher, executive director, announced last week.

One committee is seeking economies in day-to-day operations, while the other is looking into possible alternatives to increases in tolls. "There is no telling what the gasoline situation will be or how business conditions in general will affect the Parkway," Gallagher said. "If the price of gasoline goes up through higher taxes or for any other reason or if there is rationing, Parkway income probably will suffer."

"If the economic situation worsens and more people lose their jobs, this could seriously hurt us, for most Parkway patrons are commuters who pay tolls on their way to and from work."

Gallagher pointed out that 75 percent of the Parkway's operating expenses cover salaries

and fringe benefits for employees. In addition, he said, a total of \$29,498,410 has been budgeted for the bond service requirements this year.

"We were able to save about \$400,000 last year in salaries and fringe benefits by not filling positions when employees retired or left, and in addition, we maintained the strictest economy in the purchase of essential equipment and supplies, but how much further we can go in these directions is a question," Gallagher said.

## Movie program to aid Safed Medical Center

Elie Wiesel's mystical film drama "Zalmen or The Madness of God," will be presented in a benefit performance in the Student Center of Seton Hall University in South Orange at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, March 16.

The special showing will be presented under the auspices of the Friends of Safed Medical Center in Israel. Admission will be \$5. More information may be obtained by calling 762-6826.

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## Women topic for conference

The Women's Center of Princeton Theological Seminary will sponsor a one-day conference on women in the church. "We're in This Together," on Saturday, March 8, in the seminary's Campus Center, beginning at 9 a.m.

The meeting is designed to facilitate communication and understanding between women in the professional ministry and those of the laity

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Amusement News

Fox-Woodbridge shows 'Inferno,' 8-Oscar nominee

The Towering Inferno, which was nominated for eight Academy Awards this week, is the current attraction at the Fox Theater in Woodbridge.

The picture which tells a harrowing story of a fire in a skyscraper set in San Francisco is based on two novels. The Inferno and The Glass Tower, which were published at a similar time.

Paul Newman stars as an architect of a 110-story glass skyscraper, who discovers that his original plans have been altered and that the original structure will be destroyed and replaced by a new one.

A new cast of regulars Steve McQueen, Lee Remick, and others, who have been cast in the picture, will be appearing in the picture, which was directed by John Wood.

The picture is a production of Fox-Woodbridge, which was produced by Fox-Woodbridge, which was produced by Fox-Woodbridge.

Spring, summer schedule is listed

The Woodbridge Theater, South Municipal Center, has announced its spring and summer schedule.

The theater will be presenting a series of plays, including "The Front Page" and "The Sound of Music." The theater will be presenting a series of plays, including "The Front Page" and "The Sound of Music."

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Ashkenazy to give March 15 concert at Burnet Jr. High

Piano works by Mozart, Schubert and Bach, among others, will be featured in the concert.

The concert will be part of the Recital Stage Series presented by the Foundation for the Performing Arts.

Ashkenazy, who was introduced to the American scene by the late impresario, Sol Hurok, was presented for the first time in North America in 1963.

The Union recital will be his only appearance in the metropolitan area this season.

Tickets for the March 15 concert are \$8.50, \$5.00, \$3.00 and \$1.50, and they may be purchased by writing to Recital Stage, P.O. Box 25, Union, N.J. 07087.

Williams' comedy to open March 6

McClure Theater Company, producing the comedy "The Front Page," will open the play on March 6.

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Stash's converted to dinner theater

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'Duddy Kravitz' at Show, Union

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Redford plays title role in film on screens in Union, Rahway

Robert Redford stars in the title role of Warner Brothers' "Jeremiah Johnson," as a man who decides on the lonely life of a mountaineer in the 1800s.

Redford, no newcomer to ecology, explains that "Jeremiah Johnson" was filmed on or near his property in the high mountains of Utah.

"I've bought hundreds of acres around my home," he says, "and that way I know that developers and the like can't destroy it. I'm going to leave it the way I found it. I take my family and ride horseback for days, camping and enjoying the territory."

"That's why I moved here from the coast. There's plenty of room to roam and be alone with nature. That's living. The city life is merely existing." Redford also is an active



OUTDOOR SCENE — Left to right, Josh Albee, Robert Redford and Stefan Gierasch, are shown in 'Jeremiah Johnson,' currently showing at the Five Points Cinema, Union, and the Old Rahway Theater, Rahway.

Sierra Club member and a fighter for ecological reforms. Redford's supporting cast consists of Will Geer, Allyn Ann McLerie, Stefan Gierasch, Charles Tyner and Della Bolton.



CALLING THE CHILDREN — Christopher Plummer is seen as Baron Von Trapp and Julie Andrews in the non-governess in 'The Sound of Music,' the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical for 20th Century Fox, which will serve as the matinee feature Saturday and Sunday at the Five Points Cinema in Union.

Theater Time Clock

CASTLE, Irvington — Thursday through Tuesday, PUMP BARBELL, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30; SEX OPPIHENTIA, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30; SWEETS FOR THE SITE, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30.

ELMORA, Elizabeth — THE ODESSA FILE, Thu, Fri, Mon, Tues, 8:55, Sat, 5:45, 9:35, Sun, 2:45, 9:30; TAKE THE MONEY AND RUN, Thu, Fri, Mon, Tues, 7:30, Sat, 1:40, 8:10, 4:10, Sat, mat, cartoons, 1:30.

FIVE POINTS CINEMA, Union — JEREMIAH JOHNSON, Thu, Mon, Tues, 7:25, 9:15, Fri, Sat, 7:30, 9:30, Sun, 5:30, 7:30, 9:15, Sat, Sun, matinee, THE SOUND OF MUSIC, 7:30.

FOX UNION, Union — THE FRONT PAGE, Thu, Mon, Tues, 7:30, 9:30, Fri, 7:45, 9:45, Sat, 1:45, 9:45, Sun, 1:45, 9:45, Sat, Sun, mat, 7:45, 9:30, Sat, Sun, mat, 1:30.

FOX WOODBRIDGE, Woodbridge — THE TOWERING INFERNO, Thu, Mon, Tues, 7:30, 9:30, Fri, 7:45, 9:45, Sat, 1:45, 9:45, Sun, 1:45, 9:45, Sat, Sun, mat, 1:30.

LOST PICTURE SHOW, Union — APRENTICESHIP OF DUDDY KRAVITZ, Thu, Mon, Tues, 7:15, 9:15, Fri, 7:25, 9:25, Sat, 5:25, 9:25, Sun, 1:25, 9:15.

MAPLEWOOD, Maplewood — FRANKENSTEIN, Thu, Fri, Mon, Tues, 7:15, 9:15, Sat, 1:15, 9:30, 7:30, 10:30, Sun, 2:15, 4:30, 6:45, 9:15.

NEW PLAZA, Linden — MURDER ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS, Thu, Mon, Tues, 7:30, 9:30, Fri, 7:15, 9:15, Sat, 1:15, 9:30, 9:40, Sun, 1:05, 1:15, 9:35, Sat, Sun, HERCULES, 1, HERCULES UNCHAINED, 2:45.

OLD RAHWAY, Rahway — JEREMIAH JOHNSON, Thu, Mon, Tues, 7:15, 9:15, Fri, 7:30, 9:30, Sat, 1:30, 5:30, 9:45, Sun, 1:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30.

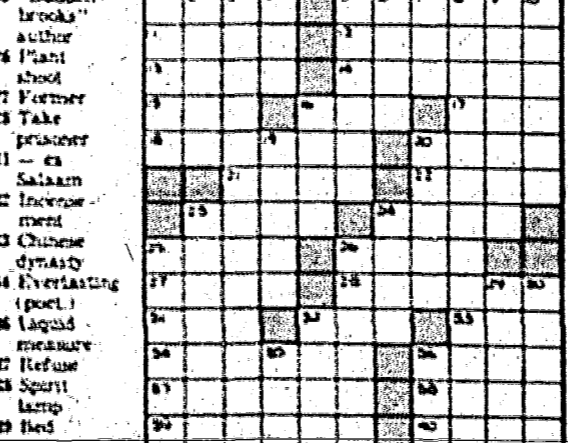
PARK, Roselle Park — TWELVE CHAIRS, Thu, Fri, Mon, Tues, 7:30, Sat, 1:15, 9:15, Sun, 1:15, 9:15, Sat, Sun, 1:15, 9:15, Sat, Sun, 1:15, 9:15.

THE FRONT PAGE, Union — The Front Page, Union.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS: 40 - More - You Know; 5 - Complained; 11 - Construct; 12 - Gorge; 13 - An Arab land; 14 - Giver of sage decisions; 15 - volatile; 16 - Proper; 17 - Undressed; 18 - Intervene; 19 - Except; 20 - Trample; 21 - Mr. Scrooge; 22 - The - of Manakora; 23 - Presently; 24 - "Hidden brooks" author; 25 - Plant; 26 - Former; 27 - Former; 28 - Take; 29 - prisoner; 30 - Sabaam; 31 - Increase; 32 - Chinese; 33 - Everlasting; 34 - Liquid; 35 - Refuse; 36 - Spirit; 37 - lamp; 38 - bed; 39 - canopy.

DOWN: 1 - Gather; 2 - Egyptian president; 3 - They're often over-worked; 4 - Poet's time of day; 5 - hag; 6 - Infrequent; 7 - Marsh; 8 - elder; 9 - Quarrel; 10 - Emerge; 11 - Unpretentious; 12 - Life's work; 13 - Roman historian; 14 - Cassius; 15 - Disposed; 16 - Ventriloquist; 17 - Wences; 18 - Sea cow; 19 - Yorkshire's river; 20 - Cosset; 21 - Become more profound; 22 - Roman historian; 23 - Cassius; 24 - Disposed; 25 - Ventriloquist; 26 - Wences; 27 - Sea cow; 28 - Yorkshire's river; 29 - Cosset; 30 - Cosset.



DISC 'N DATA

Turntable Treat... Looking for some lively listening? You'll find it here on Billy Preston's LP album, THE KIDS & ME, on the A&M label (SP-3645).

Throughout his career as a performer, 27-year-old Billy has inspired two distinct audiences: the people, and other musicians. His work with members of the rock pantheon is well documented; what many people don't know is that performers have been lining up to play music with Billy since he was 10.

At that age, Preston (Houston-born and L.A. bred) began playing music in church, working with James Cleveland and Mahalia Jackson. That same year, incidentally, Bill played the part of the young W.C. Handy in the film, "St. Louis Blues" (Nat King Cole starred as the adult Handy). In 1962, after six years of playing and singing gospel music, Billy joined what was billed as a gospel tour—but, with Sam Cooke and Little Richard taking part, it inevitably turned into an explosive rock & roll show.

Three years later, Billy won a regular spot on the seminal rock TV series, "Shindig." He became the resident keyboard player, with occasional solo spots. During his days on "Shindig," Preston was heard by Ray Charles, who was appearing on the show. Charles took an immediate interest and asked Billy to record an album with him.

At the time, the Beatles were recording the single, "Get Back," and McCartney asked Preston to join in on an electric piano. He helped out on keyboards during the "Let It Be" sessions, and it was immediately apparent that a musical and personal rapport had developed between the group and Billy.

Billy's first A&M album, "I Wrote a Simple Song," contained the track, "Outa Space," which rocketed to number-one position and became a million-seller. A second gold single, "Will It Go Round in Circles," came out of the next album, "Music Is My Life." Album number three, "Everybody Likes Some Kind of Music," brought with it a third smash single "Space Race."



BILLY PRESTON. Preston to come over and "meet the Beatles." At the time, the Beatles were recording the single, "Get Back," and McCartney asked Preston to join in on an electric piano.



ALBERT FINNEY — Actor plays celebrated Belgian detective, Hercule Poirot, in Agatha Christie's latest mystery film, "Murder on the Orient Express." Picture, which has a host of stars, continues on screen at the New Plaza Theater, Linden.

Elmora offers 'Odessa File'

"The Odessa File," coupled with Woody Allen's "Take the Money and Run," are offered at the Elmora Theater.

"The Odessa File," set in 1963 in Germany, concerns a dreaded secret organization started at the end of World War 2, which begins its master plan. The first step is the destruction of the state of Israel, and a young reporter is prepared to risk his life to expose the deadly truth.

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DINING GUIDE. A section listing various dining establishments and their offerings.

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A collection of small advertisements for various theaters and plays, including 'Jeremiah Johnson', 'Maplewood', 'Young Frankenstein', and 'The Front Page'.

Advertisements for 'The Front Page' and 'The Towering Inferno' at various theaters.

Advertisements for 'The Front Page' and 'The Towering Inferno' at various theaters, including a 'SAVE' sign and 'FIGHT INFLATION' message.

Advertisements for 'DANCE PARTY & SOCIAL' at Evergreen Lodge and 'THE RED CRAB' at a shop and aquarium.

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Boyer, resident sales manager of the retirement community on Rt. 530 in Whiting.

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Five of Crestwood's list of 12 models are included in the bargain group, with a choice among one and two-bedroom homes, townhouses or fully-detached styles, as well as a choice of locations. "But," said Boyer, "these are limited strictly to homes built in this particular section. When they are sold, there won't be any more at these prices."

The announcement was made in a letter sent to all prospective customers, now extended to include the general public. The letter noted that a "\$50 refundable deposit placed on any house of the customer's choice will freeze the current lower price on that home until they are ready to close and move in — as late as next month" if they wish.

Boyer reminded his customers that at Crestwood Village there are no settlement charges, no legal fees and no clubhouse membership fees. He also stressed that monthly maintenance fees — which include realty taxes and insurance, roof and exterior repairs, community TV antenna, bus service and municipal services — have been reduced on the same models already occupied in the previously opened Crestwood Village sections.

"Real estate taxes have been reduced for the third successive year," Boyer's statement continued, "and all other property costs included in our maintenance fees are negotiated on contract by the residents themselves, and frozen for a full year."

"I urge everyone who is considering moving to an active-adult retirement community seriously to think over these sensible reasons to plan now for a life here among friendly neighbors. Since I moved here myself in 1969, prices have only gone one way: I don't honestly see them ever being lower," he concluded.

Model homes and an exhibit center at Crestwood Village are open seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. They are reached via Garden State Parkway, Exit 80, and Rt. 530.

## Kingswood lists 6 bi-level styles in Toms River

A new single-family-home development is offering a selection of six bi-level models tucked into the tree-lined streets of a residential area of Toms River.

Kingswood Estates, located just off Vaughan avenue, offers three, four and five-bedroom homes from \$37,500, each on a wooded lot, with improved streets, curbs, sidewalks, city water, sewerage and underground utilities.

The homes are now being built by Patrick Bottazzi, first vice-president of the New Jersey Shore Builders Assoc., who has been active in residential and commercial development in the Jersey Shore area for the past 16 years. With a history of more than 400 successful custom homes, Bottazzi is applying the principles of custom building to the 36 available sites that constitute the Kingswood tract.

He says, "Most people are looking for space in a house. The bi-level, sometimes called a raised ranch, has proven an economical and spacious family home. We are offering six variations on the one theme because we understand that each homebuyer has ideas about the house he wants, which show up in one of the other of our basic designs."

He adds that Kingswood Estates also offers a three-bedroom ranch model priced at \$37,500, and he has plans on hand for various custom two-story designs. Each house has a variety of front elevations, sidings and trims available.

All homes of the customized development are being built with insulation and oil heating. There is wall-to-wall carpeting in choice of color within the basic price of each house.

All of the bi-levels offer at

least one and one-half baths, many have a full second bathroom on the lower level. That level can be used for additional bedrooms or recreation room plus utility, storage and garage areas.

Bathrooms are ceramic tiled and have built-in vanities. The kitchens are equipped with dishwasher range and self-cleaning oven. Washers and dryers are among the options; others are fireplaces, patios or decks, and a variety of custom extras to fit the needs of growing families.

"Today's home buyer is looking for value. And that's what we are offering," the builder explains. "Toms River is a fine community, with good schools, exceptional recreation areas for use throughout the year, a full community life and easy commuting."

"It is time homebuyers are offered a choice among the type of home most wanted large, spacious and graceful. And that's what we are building at Kingswood Estates."

The community located just off Rt. 37, is reached from Exit 82 of the Garden State Parkway and a network of local roads. It is only moments from the bridge to Seaside, and the Ocean Highway, Barnegat Bay and Atlantic sports are accessible to the residents. The sales office and model home display are open seven days a week, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and evenings by appointment.

Early sales have moved so quickly that only two homes are currently available for immediate delivery. "A three- to six-week wait," Bottazzi explains, "is no problem for people who want their own home built with individuality and care, with finishing touches to suit their own needs and choice."

## Viking Weekend at Marcel Lake

Modern-day "explorers" are being invited to the Marcel Lake Viking Weekend to discover the wintertime aspects of owning a year-round vacation home in the Poconos.

Marcel Lake Estates, a private, four-season recreation community near Dingmans Ferry, Pa., has just introduced the weekend program for people who want a taste of winter leisure living.

"There is no off-season at Marcel Lake, and the Viking Weekend is designed to convince people that a year-round vacation home can be enjoyed 12 months of the year," noted Richard Norman, president of All-American Realty of Hackensack, developer of Marcel Lake Estates.

"The Viking Weekend is a chance to sample the good life at Marcel Lake with a menu of wintertime activities that would satisfy even the prodigious appetite of a Viking."

Skating, skiing, sleigh rides, a bonfire and marshmallow toasts, games and snowman-building contests for the kids are included.

Guests will be provided with overnight lodging, and a smorgasbord, and will receive a free fondue set.

Marcel Lake Estates, surrounding two large lakes, is one of the few areas in the Poconos to offer central water and sewage facilities.

Recreational facilities include beaches, bathhouses, a marina, tennis courts, a swimming pool, picnic areas and playgrounds.

Information about the Viking Weekend may be obtained by calling (201) 488-6565 or (212) 563-2320.

## Consumer index stays unchanged

After eight consecutive months of increase, during which prices rose 7.2 percent, the New York-Northeastern New Jersey Consumer Price Index remained unchanged in January 1975.

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the index rose 0.2 percent in January, indicating some moderation in the pace of consumer price rise. Monthly price increases averaged 0.9 percent in 1974. In the last quarter of 1974, the average monthly price increase was 0.7 percent after peaking at 1.1 percent in the third quarter.

The stability of the January price index reflected offsetting price movements for a variety of consumer items. Increases were recorded for index components such as medical care; food, particularly bakery products; and recreational goods and services. These increases were offset by seasonal price declines in apparel, as well as declines for private transportation, homeownership costs and fuel and utilities.

The food index rose 0.6 percent in January. The cereal and bakery products index increased 2.2 percent as bread and cake prices rose. The fruits and vegetables index rose 0.9 percent was substantially less than the typical seasonal increase, partially reflecting the dampening effect of an eight-cent decline for dried beans to 76 cents a pound. On a seasonally adjusted basis the fruits and vegetables index declined 1.3 percent in January.

## New hours at Museum

Effective March 1, the New Jersey State Museum, W. State street, Trenton, will be open longer on Sunday afternoons, when attendance is usually at its peak, but decreased on Saturdays and holidays.

Under the new schedule, museum facilities will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 1 to 5 p.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. As in the past, the museum will be closed on New Year's Day, July 4, Thanksgiving and Christmas. Museum director Leah P. Slobgher said that the revised schedule is being adopted "after lengthy consideration of ways to reduce operating costs with minimal disruption of educational programs and public services."

No change is anticipated, she said, in the museum's free Auditorium and Planetarium shows offered regularly on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

## N.J. ballet contest set

The New Jersey Chapter of the National Society of Arts and Letters will sponsor a ballet career award competition March 16 at the College of Saint Elizabeth, Convent Station. The winner of the \$300 first prize will be eligible to compete in the national NSAL competition in June.

All contestants for the state competition must be legal residents of New Jersey or full-time students studying ballet in a New Jersey school. Ballet dancers between 14 and 21 who are ready for professional work may secure general rules, entry blanks or other information from Mary Elizabeth Young, career awards chairman, 31 Main st., Lebanon, 08833, or call 201-236-2333.

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## EARTHBOUND

By JOSEPH TOBIN

Environmental consultant, New York Botanical Garden

Some people who read this column have written and asked me about care and maintenance of house plants at this, the winter season.

I recently wrote a column here on the subject and mentioned that many household plants are known to slow their growth and take on a wilted appearance at certain predictable times of year. One of the most prevalent questions in the mail has been "How can you tell if a plant is dead or simply in a dormant stage?" The answer to this question is to experiment. Often the elusive "green thumb" belongs to he or she who is willing to take the time, and resist the fear of experimenting with plants.

Initially, be sure the plant does not simply need water. Often at this time of year a plants roots are expanding and growing and the plant simply needs more water for its growth than at other times. Check the soil daily with your finger. In some cases you will be surprised to find that a plant which required water every three or four days in other seasons is drinking water at a much more rapid rate — requiring replenishment every one or two days.

Then there are those plants which simply wish to be left alone during the winter season. These are the ones which seem unexplainedly

to be losing their leaves yet do not require water. The soil remains moist in these plants for long periods. These plants are most probably in their dormant stage. Remove dead and dying foliage from these plants and just let them sit. Don't water them except perhaps every two weeks or so. A new season may bring you some pleasant surprises.

## Yeats son speaks at Kean on Irish politics, culture



MICHAEL YEATS

Michael Yeats, only son of the poet William Butler Yeats, and his wife, Grainne, will present "Words and Music," a program on the political and cultural life of Ireland, in the Wilkins Theatre for the Performing Arts at Kean College of New Jersey, Union, tonight at 8. The program, sponsored by the Wilkins Lecture Committee, is free and open to the public.

A lawyer who is considered one of the best-informed men on economic and social affairs and on the history and traditions of his country, Yeats was chairman of the Irish Senate from 1969 to 1973 and is a member of the Parliament of the European Common Market.

Yeats also serves as a director of Cuaca Press, founded by his father in 1902, which first published works by Synge, Ezra Pound, Frank O'Connor and other world-famous literary figures. He is prominent in Irish musical life.

His wife, Grainne, is one of Ireland's most distinguished harpists, she has performed on stage and television and was the 1966 winner of the Harriet Cohen International Award for solo instruments.

## Non-credit programs announced at college

The Continuing Education Department of Kean College of Union is offering a variety of non-credit courses this spring, including Literature of Our Era, The War Against Inflation, Memory and Concentration of a Marriage Enrichment Workshop.

The six-session literature course begins today and continues every other week, from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Thursdays, at Downs Hall. Additional information on spring courses is available from the Continuing Education office, 527-2163 or 527-2210.

## Sawyer School anniversary near

About to celebrate its sixth year in Elizabeth, the Sawyer School at 664 Newark ave. is one of 25 Sawyer secretarial schools in major cities throughout the U.S. The parent school was established in Los Angeles 59 years ago.

The Elizabeth facilities look like an ultra-modern suite of offices to acclimate students to the environment they may find when they begin working, notes Mrs. Miriam Lorber, the school's educational coordinator.

Steven Rothstein, director of the school, noted that it is able to start a new class every month, which appeals to adults as well as high school students. Graduates from the full-time program receive placement assistance from Mrs. Carol Plastoek, the school's placement director, who maintains contact with numerous firms throughout the area.

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MARILYN HORNE

### Recital scheduled for March 11 by Marilyn Horne

Marilyn Horne's recital will appear in recital at Keas College Center on Thursday evening, March 11 at 8 p.m. in the Eugene O'Neill Theatre for the Performing Arts, according to the Keas College Center Department of Music.

Miss Horne is one of the most exciting singers ever with a voice of such range and volume that it fills the entire hall. Her repertoire is vast and includes all the great arias from the operas of Wagner, Verdi, Puccini, and others.

This concert, the third in the Keas College Center series, will feature Miss Horne accompanied by pianist Martin Katz in a program of all songs and arias.

Admission is \$5.00. Tickets are available at the Keas College Center, 1000 Park Ave., Westfield, N.J. 07090. Tickets are available at the Keas College Center, 1000 Park Ave., Westfield, N.J. 07090.

### Easter Seal unit has appeal drive

The Easter Seal Unit has begun its annual appeal drive for the year. The unit is a voluntary organization of New Jersey citizens who are helping to support the Easter Seal Unit's efforts to help the deaf-blind.

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## Pre-surgical patient profile system at St. Barnabas called 'breakthrough'

A breakthrough in care of the critically ill was announced this week at Saint Barnabas Medical Center, Livingston. It is an automated system that enables surgeons to determine if a patient will survive an operation and also to detect patients with unexpected indications for surgery.

The system, which gives the surgeon a complete physiological profile of the critically ill and high risk patient at a cost of less than \$50, has been developed by Louis H.M. Del Guercio, M.D., and Joseph Cohn, M.D., of Saint Barnabas Medical Center and the College of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey.

This system, first described in a scientific

exhibit this past fall at the American College of Surgeons, will simplify and speed evaluations of the critically ill patient.

Dr. Del Guercio and Dr. Cohn said the data can be obtained by a technician who brings a cart containing the mobile system to the patient's bedside. The results can be furnished within an hour.

"The unit, which has been used on more than 400 patients, is similar to the 12-biochemical profile analyzer now in use," said Dr. Del Guercio, "even to the extent of having an easily scanned bar-chart print out except that it emphasizes physiologic data."

According to the surgeons, the system provides assessment of preoperative

evaluation, analysis for altered cardiovascular function and documentation of the effectiveness of the therapeutic agents.

"In a series of 31 patients in shock," Dr. Del Guercio said, "the automated physiologic profile proved to be indispensable in 44 percent, in whom unsuspected physiologic aberrations were discovered which required redirected therapy." In many cases the system also found that some patients over 65 are too high a risk for major surgery and should be treated by less traumatic therapy. The low cost of this service is due to the use of one standard format throughout the hospital; the technician wastes no time doing the measurements of curves and calculations which are now quickly done by the digitizer and programmed calculator.

"At St. Barnabas," said Dr. Del Guercio,

the mobile unit is brought to the patient's bedside and one hour later the surgeon is able to read the automatic physiologic profile on the chart."

The system can also monitor the effectiveness of therapeutic agents and detect septic hyperdynamic syndromes in patients long before blood cultures could confirm the presence of septic shock.

The importance of this finding lies in the fact septic shock carries a mortality rate of 70 percent if not recognized early in the patients.

Several other hospitals have sent doctors and technicians to study the system. In addition, paramedical personnel have already visited Saint Barnabas for on the spot training sessions to enable them to assist the doctors in the new physiologic profile system.



### Abba Eban to talk on Israeli affairs at Westfield temple

Abba Eban, Israel's former minister for foreign affairs, will speak Sunday at 8 p.m. at Temple Emanu-El, 216 E. Third St., Westfield.

The program is open to the public and is sponsored by the Westfield Chapter of the Jewish Federation of Central New Jersey, the Israel Study Center of New Jersey, and Temple Emanu-El. According to Samha Nisan, executive director of the Israel Study Center in New Jersey:

Eban will speak on current affairs in Israel and the Arab-Israeli conflict. He will also discuss the situation in the Middle East and the role of the United States in the region.

### STRICTLY PERSONAL

By Pat and Marilyn Davis  
Copley News Service

Dear Pat and Marilyn:  
My husband thinks that our marriage is like the army. He is the general and I am the private. He tries to make all the major decisions, have the last word with the children, and handle the money. This has resulted in some pretty wild arguments. Thank goodness he is a good, kind, and intelligent man. Nearly all of his decisions are fair and he makes each one with a great deal of consideration.



However, I still would like to be thought of as an equal partner. He does not seem to realize that he could be wrong once in a while. In order to truly communicate, both of us should share in the decision making. How can I get through to him?

The Private

Dear Private:  
Inform the general that there are rumors of a mutiny if he doesn't talk with you instead of at you. As long as you allow him to rule with no holds barred, he can see no reason to do otherwise. If he persists in having his own way, suggest a few counseling sessions to improve the situation.

Dear Pat and Marilyn:  
Why is school such a waste of time? I go to high school and am not getting anything that I can use when I graduate. I don't see any reason why I should stay around to get that dumb piece of paper. They require a lot of English courses, history, and a foreign language. I don't need to know about Shakespeare, Chaucer, or Keats and I don't know anyone who converses in Latin. What good will these courses do me if I want to be a mechanic? Am I suppose to speak a foreign language to the car? All I need is a shop and

**Sawyer**

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**Welfare on TV**

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