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## Township, golf club approve easement

### Retention basin due to be built Agreement reached after year and half

By DAVE LEHRER

The Township Committee took steps Tuesday night to control flooding in Springfield by approving an agreement with the Ballston Golf Club to allow the construction of a new retention basin in the Briar Hills circle area. Mayor William Clark and Township Clerk Arthur Buehler were authorized to sign an indenture with the golf club that would grant the township an easement to perform the necessary construction on property belonging to the club. Committee member Joanne Rajoppi said the agreement was the result of more than one and a half years of negotiating with the club. The township also will receive an extension of an easement to connect with a retention basin in the area above the golf course near Vista way.

Rajoppi also announced that road construction will begin shortly on Mountain Avenue between Morris and St. James Avenue. The bridge over Van Winkle's Creek, that section of Mountain Avenue is expected to be closed for five to six months. Rajoppi said.

She explained that the contractor, the Schiavone Construction Co., Secaucus, had asked the state Department of Transportation to allow a delay of the project until spring on the grounds that the work would require less time in warmer weather. However, the state rejected Schiavone's plea.

The committee introduced an ordinance amending the township's alcoholic beverage control regulations to allow bars to open on Sundays at noon instead of 1 p.m. Committee member Robert T. Wetlock explained the ordinance was connected with the township's agreement with Ballston. One of the concessions the golf club sought in negotiations was the extra hour of drinking for its patrons. Of course, such extension would apply to all "gin mills" in town, Wetlock explained.

IN A MEETING that lasted less than 30 minutes, the committee also received bids from four firms for the construction of a sanitary sewer on River Street. The lowest figure was submitted by S. Rotondi and Sons, Summit, \$7,874. The others were A.L. DeWane Inc., Edison, \$7,995; J & G General Excavating, Vauxhall, \$9,590.

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## Regional board decides to give athletic awards

By HELEN REYNOLDS  
The Union County Regional High School District Board of Education, under pressure recently to give material rewards to its outstanding athletes, Tuesday accepted a \$5,211 bid to provide commemorative jackets for 96 soccer players, football players and gymnasts at campuses in Kenilworth, Clark and Berkeley Heights.

The board also is also considering funds to reward gymnasts at the Jonathan Dayton campus in Springfield. Reportedly, many of these girls already have jackets and would prefer some other prize.

Dr. Donald Merachnik, district superintendent, said the prizes are a "one-shot" measure and the district comes up with a formal policy establishing criteria and deciding on appropriate rewards for star scholars as well as athletes. Meanwhile, he

noted, parents and Booster Club members, especially at Berkeley Heights, had wanted that recognition would lose much of its effectiveness if withheld for long from members of Regional District teams—that is, won conference, sectional or state championships.

"It seems to me we've started something that's going to get out of hand..." commented Virginia Muskus, board member from Berkeley Heights, who voted "no" on the 7-1 ballot accepting the bid from Middle Atlantic Sports Co. Summit, for the 96 jackets.

"I think we're spending the taxpayers' money a little unwisely," said Muskus, noting that the jackets will cost from about \$45 to \$58 per student. She said she believes students would have been just as happy with a plaque, cooling bag and perhaps heating pad.

Board member Marilyn Hare of Mountaineer also questioned how far the district should go. If it becomes policy to honor conference-level winners in athletics, she said, then the board must decide "what's the equivalent" of a conference championship on the academic level. She said she wants "across-the-board" equality in recognizing scholars as well as athletes.

In other matters Tuesday, the board scheduled a special meeting next Monday at 8 p.m. on the Johnson campus in Clark where all board meetings are being held, this month to hear from its staff committee on ranking. Despite pressure to hurry with a ranking decision, board members said they believe it is too important to rush.

Until there is a decision, students (Continued on page 8)

## Gifts still wait for first baby of the new year

Because no Springfield births had been reported by the end of last week, the Leader is extending its "First Baby of 1978" contest.

A variety of gifts still awaits the parents of the first baby born this month to a couple residing in Springfield. The baby's name will be announced in the Jan. 19 issue of the Springfield Leader.

Participating merchants and the prizes they are offering:

La Petite Patissier, 721 Mountain Ave., Springfield, a delicious cake; the Novel-T express and the Yellow Brick Road, 246 Morris Ave., Springfield, a \$5 gift certificate; Fuller's Shoes, 333 Millburn Ave., Millburn, baby's first pair of shoes; Inter Community Bank, 52 Millburn Ave., Springfield, \$25 savings bonds; Pedestal Electronics, 153 Rt. 22, Springfield, \$5 gift certificate; Springfield Pharmacy, 242 Mountain Ave., \$10 gift certificate; Mary Potts Studio Photography, 222 Mountain Ave., Springfield, color portrait photograph; Park Drugs, 225 Morris Ave. (in the Gen. Greene Shopping Center), Springfield, a vaporizer; Howard Savings Bank in the A&P Shopping Center, Morris Turnpike, Short Hills, \$25 Savings Account; Berkeley Savings & Loan, 355 Millburn Ave., Short Hills, \$25 Bond; Milton Ogden, 355 Millburn Ave., Millburn, a gold neck chain (\$30 value); Don's Plaza Restaurant, 281 Morris Ave., Springfield, \$10 gift certificate; Leonard's Jewelers and Antiques, 338

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CANDIDATES DRAWING — Frank D'Amato, center, a school custodian, conducts the drawing Friday to determine the order in which Board of Education candidates' names will be listed on the ballot for the Feb. 14 election in the Springfield School District. The candidates and the ballot order are — from left and from first through fourth — Gary

Kantowitz, Elizabeth (Liz) Simpson, Ellen Dahmer and Nancy Heller. The four candidates will be competing for three seats to be vacated by Incumbents August Cacchio, Charles S. Gohn and Doris Gutes, who are not seeking reelection.

(Glasser Photo Service)

## Emergency room a 'rewarding' job

### Handling the unexpected is 'satisfying'

By PATRICIA GARRISON

Wanted: an energetic individual who can work under pressure, deal with major crises and handle death, physical suffering, injury and disaster in a calm, forthright, professional manner.

If you lack any of these qualifications, chances are you would not last very long working in a hospital emergency room. Doris Weber, supervising nurse at Overlook Hospital in Summit, said emergency room nurses and doctors cannot predict what will happen during their shifts and they must be prepared to handle a wide

variety of cases without warning. "You know that no matter what happens you have to deal with it," said Weber. "You can never predict, and that's part of the satisfaction of the job."

According to Weber, all current staffers requested their emergency room assignments even though most of them have been exposed to more sad, hospital functions.

"Some people like it in emergency," said Weber. "Most of the nurses have been here a while and enjoy it. Other people wouldn't touch it with a 10-foot pole."

Weber, a registered nurse with said her basic functions center on budgeting and supervising personnel, will venture into the admitting area when the normal workload escalates. There are times when Weber, who has worked at Overlook for nine years, finds

emergency cases difficult to cope with. "Burn victims upset me," she said, "and any bad injury to a child is always hard to deal with."

Weber said there have been instances when she herself has gotten mildly ill at the sight of an extremely sick or seriously hurt patient. But, she said, "You learn to deal with it when you work with it every day."

Weber admits she hasn't had much experience as an emergency nurse, but heart nurse Dolores Baksa contended anticipation and problems daily. She said one of the most important qualities a staffer must cultivate is the ability to accept tragedy and death.

"You don't like to treat some things," said Baksa, "but you can't be too squeamish and work in this type of job. Death is a part of being here; while some deaths seem to come too early

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## Trenton delays school budget hearing periled

The Springfield School District, faced with a delay in Trenton of its tentative budget for the 1978-79 school year, will postpone the formal budget hearing planned for next Monday. The new hearing date, probably will be Jan. 31.

The district's Board of Education will still meet at 8 p.m., Monday, in Raymond Christian School. But instead of conducting the budget hearing, board members will be adopting the new hearing date. The district superintendent, Dr. Fred Baruchin, has recommended Jan. 31.

Baruchin said the hearing is being postponed because the state education commissioner called for an "on" in Springfield's tentative budget before Jan. 9. (A spokesman for Commissioner Fred Burke said the Trenton office has been flooded with budget "cap" appeals from throughout New Jersey, and the staff hoped to complete the work sometime this week.)

Jan. 9 was the deadline for Springfield to publish its revised tentative budget in the press without calling off the hearing next Monday. Such publication, at least seven days before the hearing, is a legal requirement.

Before publishing a revised budget, the district must learn what, if any, (Continued on page 8)

## Mat registration slated tomorrow

A special wrestling registration will be held at the field house at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School tomorrow from 7 to 9 p.m. Rick Tacono, head wrestling coach at the high school, will address the boys. All boys who have already registered were also invited to attend this session.

WRESTLING ELECTRONICS, 155 Rt. 22, 514, Stereos, Cds, etc. 374-8600. Adv.



TENNIS BOOM — The growth of women's tennis in the suburbs will be discussed tomorrow by Marla Aman (center), founder of the Suburban Women's Tennis League. She is flanked by Simone Cecchilli, left, captain, and Susan Eng, Springfield team manager. A film will also be shown at the affair, which will begin at 8 p.m. at the Sarah Bailey Civic Center, Church Mall, Springfield.



NEVER A DULL MOMENT — Dr. Arthur S. McLellan, director of community medicine at Overlook Hospital instructs emergency room staff. Emergency room workers must be able to deal with crisis at any time, and room must be made for seriously ill or injured admittees.

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YOUNGEST ARTIST—Dayton student Lisa Bin looks on as Springfield youngster Meggan Robertson creates holiday ornaments. Children were invited to the Dayton family living classroom to work with students in home economics courses during the holiday season. (Photo by Gary Bobko)

### Summit Y sets winter courses in water safety

The Summit Area YMCA will offer its winter courses in basic advanced aquatic safety (replacing junior lifesaving) beginning next week. The updated national YMCA program is designed to give entire families and community groups personal safety and basic rescue techniques as well as to provide prerequisite training for Senior Lifesaving candidates.

### 2 hospitals get exec; goal is reduced costs

New Jersey Hospital Association official Joseph M. Henry this week appointed director of the Shared Services Consortium formed by Morristown Memorial and Overlook Hospitals. Henry will be responsible for planning and coordination to contain operating costs; and expand and improve health care services of the two hospitals.

### Courses listed for spring term by Y in Summit

The Summit YMCA youth department, 78 Maple st., will offer classes during the spring term, an introductory modeling course, a workshop on social, wardrobe, hair and nail care.

### Adult learning center now open at Brearley

The Union County Regional Adult Learning Center located at David Brearley Regional High School, 1500 Morris Ave., is open for the winter months. The Adult Learning Center offers free programs in high school equivalency preparation, adult basic education and English as a second language.

### G. D. Harrison, was president of school board

Services were held last Thursday for George D. Harrison, 66, of Bernardsville, former president of the Springfield Board of Education, who died Jan. 2 at home.



TV PERFORMERS—Members of the Jonathan Dayton Regional High School choir, under the direction of Al Cortaut, were featured recently on the Midway Live Show on Channel 5. They opened and closed the show singing Christmas songs. They are Tony Randoli and Constance Towers.

### First Aid Squad lists calls in the past week

The Springfield First Aid Squad reported answering the following calls in the week ending last Saturday:

**JAN. 7**  
10:30 a.m.—Transported patient, complaining of pain in the thigh to Overlook Hospital.

**JAN. 8**  
5:15 p.m.—Transported patient, complaining of pain in the left arm to Overlook.

**JAN. 9**  
8:35 a.m.—Transported town resident to Overlook for direct admission.

**JAN. 10**  
10:30 a.m.—Patient with severe abdominal pains taken to Overlook.

**JAN. 11**  
7:05 a.m.—Auto accident on Meisel ave. victim complained of pain in chest and head after hitting steering wheel.

**JAN. 12**  
6:30 p.m.—Direct-admission patient transported to Overlook.

**JAN. 13**  
7:40 p.m.—Transported patient home from Overlook.

**JAN. 14**  
7:40 p.m.—Patient, who apparently had seizure, transported to Overlook with the assistance of Medic II.

**JAN. 15**  
11:17 a.m.—Woman who fainted transported to Overlook for evaluation.

**JAN. 16**  
2:55 p.m.—Industrial accident: heavy object fell on a person's foot.

**JAN. 17**  
11:45 a.m.—Patient, who complained of severe abdominal pains and blacked out, transported home.

**JAN. 18**  
3:30 a.m.—Auto accident at Summit and Greenhill roads; victim complained of pain in neck region.

**JAN. 19**  
11:30 a.m.—Person who possibly fractured right arm and leg, taken to Overlook.

**JAN. 20**  
12:45 p.m.—Patient transported to Overlook.

**JAN. 21**  
1:15 p.m.—Patient taken to Orange Memorial Hospital for observation.

**JAN. 22**  
5:13 p.m.—Patient in comatose state transported to Overlook.

### Senior citizens now eligible for drug discounts

Senior citizens eligible for the revised pharmaceutical assistance discount program may pick up applications and brochures from 22nd District Assemblyman Donald J. DiFrancesco. The program became effective Jan. 1.

### Y to offer programs in crafts, dance, food

The Summit YMCA youth program will offer a variety of new classes and programs to junior and senior high school youth beginning Feb. 13.

### Firemen list week's calls

The Springfield Fire Department reported handling the following calls during the week ending last Saturday:

**JAN. 7**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

**JAN. 8**  
4:28 p.m.—Garage fire reported on Old Coach road; minor.

**JAN. 9**  
5:42 p.m.—Called on fire on Cypress Terrace; immediately thereafter, investigated suspected fire, possibly caused by an electrical malfunction, on Morris avenue.

**JAN. 10**  
7 p.m.—Oven fire on Caldwell place.

**JAN. 11**  
12:41 a.m.—Repeated investigation of electrical odor in a Morris avenue building.

**JAN. 12**  
7:58 a.m.—Smoke in house on Franklin place.

**JAN. 13**  
6:41 p.m.—Investigated fire odor on Redwood road.

**JAN. 14**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 15**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 16**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

### Skating Center classes offered

The Warren Skating Center, Warren Park, Roselle is offering a wide variety of clinics and classes. Fundamentals of ice hockey is being offered to persons 13 or older; Tuesday evenings, 5:45-8 p.m.

**JAN. 17**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

**JAN. 18**  
4:28 p.m.—Garage fire reported on Old Coach road; minor.

**JAN. 19**  
5:42 p.m.—Called on fire on Cypress Terrace; immediately thereafter, investigated suspected fire, possibly caused by an electrical malfunction, on Morris avenue.

**JAN. 20**  
7 p.m.—Oven fire on Caldwell place.

**JAN. 21**  
12:41 a.m.—Repeated investigation of electrical odor in a Morris avenue building.

**JAN. 22**  
7:58 a.m.—Smoke in house on Franklin place.

**JAN. 23**  
6:41 p.m.—Investigated fire odor on Redwood road.

### BPW seeking 'young career woman' winner

The Business and Professional Women's Club of Summit is again sponsoring its "young career woman" program seeking candidates of high quality for national recognition.

**JAN. 24**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 25**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 26**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 27**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

**JAN. 28**  
4:28 p.m.—Garage fire reported on Old Coach road; minor.

**JAN. 29**  
5:42 p.m.—Called on fire on Cypress Terrace; immediately thereafter, investigated suspected fire, possibly caused by an electrical malfunction, on Morris avenue.

**JAN. 30**  
7 p.m.—Oven fire on Caldwell place.

**JAN. 31**  
12:41 a.m.—Repeated investigation of electrical odor in a Morris avenue building.

### St. James youth group reorganized

The Catholic Youth Organization of St. James Parish has been reorganized, according to Kathleen Eberhard, adult coordinator of the group.

**JAN. 32**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 33**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 34**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 35**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

**JAN. 36**  
4:28 p.m.—Garage fire reported on Old Coach road; minor.

**JAN. 37**  
5:42 p.m.—Called on fire on Cypress Terrace; immediately thereafter, investigated suspected fire, possibly caused by an electrical malfunction, on Morris avenue.

**JAN. 38**  
7 p.m.—Oven fire on Caldwell place.

**JAN. 39**  
12:41 a.m.—Repeated investigation of electrical odor in a Morris avenue building.

**JAN. 40**  
7:58 a.m.—Smoke in house on Franklin place.

**JAN. 41**  
6:41 p.m.—Investigated fire odor on Redwood road.

**JAN. 42**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 43**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 44**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 45**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

### Gottlieb to instruct on immigration cases

Helen Gottlieb of Springfield, senior social worker with the Jewish Counseling and Service Agency of Metropolitan New Jersey, will be an instructor at a national workshop on immigration and naturalization, according to Alan Bernstein, president of the agency.

**JAN. 46**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 47**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 48**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 49**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

**JAN. 50**  
4:28 p.m.—Garage fire reported on Old Coach road; minor.

**JAN. 51**  
5:42 p.m.—Called on fire on Cypress Terrace; immediately thereafter, investigated suspected fire, possibly caused by an electrical malfunction, on Morris avenue.

**JAN. 52**  
7 p.m.—Oven fire on Caldwell place.

**JAN. 53**  
12:41 a.m.—Repeated investigation of electrical odor in a Morris avenue building.

**JAN. 54**  
7:58 a.m.—Smoke in house on Franklin place.

**JAN. 55**  
6:41 p.m.—Investigated fire odor on Redwood road.

**JAN. 56**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 57**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 58**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 59**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

### W. Humphrey; church elder

Funeral services for Ward Humphrey, 61, were held last Monday at Presbyterian Church, Church Hill, Springfield.

**JAN. 60**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 61**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 62**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 63**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

**JAN. 64**  
4:28 p.m.—Garage fire reported on Old Coach road; minor.

**JAN. 65**  
5:42 p.m.—Called on fire on Cypress Terrace; immediately thereafter, investigated suspected fire, possibly caused by an electrical malfunction, on Morris avenue.

**JAN. 66**  
7 p.m.—Oven fire on Caldwell place.

**JAN. 67**  
12:41 a.m.—Repeated investigation of electrical odor in a Morris avenue building.

**JAN. 68**  
7:58 a.m.—Smoke in house on Franklin place.

**JAN. 69**  
6:41 p.m.—Investigated fire odor on Redwood road.

**JAN. 70**  
11 p.m.—Repaired flange line at St. James Church.

**JAN. 71**  
8:15 p.m.—False alarm.

**JAN. 72**  
9 a.m.—Disconnected faulty fluorescent unit, possible fire hazard, in town engineer's office.

**JAN. 73**  
7:50 a.m.—Repaired clear smoke in house on Archendale lane; fire burned in oven.

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Maguire opposes racetrack takeover  
Assessment William J. Maguire (R-22) said this week he is "not satisfied" with plans to conduct a feasibility study prior to authorizing the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority to purchase and develop the Garden State Park Race Track at Cherry Hill.

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# LIBRARY Writers—their lives, ours

By ROSE P. SIMON  
The Springfield Public Library lists the following titles among the recently received books.

**A HAPPY LIFE**  
"At Random" by Bennett Cerf. Reconstructed from taped recorded interviews, these reminiscences of a highly successful columnist, publisher and raconteur, recall a happy life. A Manhattanite, Bennett Cerf attended schools which produced men who later became famous—Jules and Ethel Rosenberg, Schussey, Heine, and Donald Klopfer who became his best friend and lifelong business partner. Cerf drifted from a job on Wall Street to the Associated Press, then to Hearst's publishing firm and became part of the glamorous literary and theatrical life of the 1930s. He claims he was always lucky. He bought the Modern Library—a gold mine enterprise with his partner, Klopfer, and established Random House, whose success was immediately assured when such writers as O'Neill, Jefferson Faulkner and dozens of others submitted their works under his imprint. Everything Cerf touched met with success. His charming personality and keen business sense opened up the world to him. His ventures flourished, his company either bought or merged with other, escalating its value into many millions. As sidelines, Cerf wrote several humorous columns, told Victory Bonds, lectured, and appeared on TV's "What's My Line?"

**WOMEN AND THEIR CAREERS**  
"Working It Out," edited by Sara Rudick and Pamela Daniels. The number of women and more women to earn an independent livelihood, pursue a career, or develop a work of their own is partly a result of the technological and political changes. The 23 contributors to this book are writers, scholars, scientists or artists, who have created autonomous work for their own. The book is intended for political organizers, office workers, teachers and editors. There is a sketch of Celia Giger who full-time township administrator, as long-tenured by the League of Women Voters and others. There would be many advantages, however, to be achieved by establishing a part of the clerk-administrator. Springfield has a highly efficient township clerk. A small expenditure for additional clerical help would give him the time to provide full-time administrative leadership for the many branches of municipal government now answerable only to the Township Committee and its part-time members. All three of our proposals are old ones, but nothing has ever been done over the years. There must be cogent reasons for the inaction. The only course for responsible journalism is to find out what the reasons are. We intend to keep trying.

**Winter poems**  
The following poems were written by seventh graders in the composition laboratory taught by Margaret Gerst at the Florence-Caudron School.

**Raindrops on your roof**  
Pitter, patter sounds  
Raindrops on the ground  
CAROLYN CARVER

**Heavy rains cause floods**  
Hardships of all kinds  
Nature cannot be controlled  
ROSEMELAMED

**Santa comes at the last minute**  
People are waiting for him  
SIEGF BRUNNACKER

# First chair-- By Peter Heumann

Sometimes I visit my psychiatrist only because several astute readers are concerned that I get too many hiccups. They are the "concern" of course, not the hiccup itself. There is no discernible difference between these two competent professionals, except that the doctor is more expensive.

At 30 bucks per session, my psychiatrist lets me talk about anything I want.

"Today's not peeve, Doctor," I explain to him, "is all those people I know who put down television. Since almost everybody puts down television, that's a lot of people."

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"Oh, I don't hate television," I rapidly assure him. "But even people I like best in the world say stupid things about television—I mean, nobody's forcing me to watch them, they are plebly. I wait for the doctor to point out the errors of my thinking. But he says: nothing. So I continue."

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# YOU AND YOUR MONEY A look at the changes in federal tax returns

By JUDITH G. RHOADES  
MAYBE YOU'VE HEARD that there have been changes in the federal tax laws. For the next few columns I will be discussing some of the significant changes brought about by the Tax Reduction and Simplification Act of 1976.

For 1977 and later years, the two-part standard deduction, i.e., the minimum low-income allowance and the percentage standard deduction, will be eliminated. It is replaced with what is, in effect, a flat standard deduction.

This flat standard deduction is \$2,000 for married persons filing joint returns, \$1,600 for married persons filing separate returns, and \$2,000 for single persons.

The flat standard deduction is applied to the same standard deduction figure applicable to single persons.

**ZERO BRACKET AMOUNTS:** It should be noted that the term "zero bracket amount" no longer appears in the law. The new flat standard deduction amounts mentioned above are now called "zero bracket amounts." These amounts appear as the lowest tax brackets in the new tax tables, with the additional tax penalties can be levied against residents who don't clean their tax records. Springfield leads Union County in new home building. More than 45 million dollars worth of buildings are in the township in 1977 and construction begins on 15 homes.

**NEW TAX TABLES AND RATE SCHEDULES:** Lower rates are in effect. In order to simplify the computation of liability and to reflect the new standard deduction figures (zero bracket amounts) and the extension of the general tax credit, the old rates are being revised. The new rates are based on the new standard deduction figures. The new rates are based on the new standard deduction figures. The new rates are based on the new standard deduction figures.

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# Astrology unit to offer look at Saturn, Mars

Saturn and Mars will be the stellar attractions Saturday, Jan. 21, at 8 p.m. when Amateur Astronomers Inc. holds the first "star party" of the new year at the Sperry Observatory at Union College, Cranford.

AAI, which operates the observatory jointly with the college, has invited the public to view the heavens through the observatory's 24-inch reflector and 10-inch refractor telescopes, as well as through a number of members' instruments which will be set up on the grounds of the observatory, according to Aaron Krashner of Cranford.

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# Nursing unit meets

LEARN League for Educational Advancement—For Registered Nurses will meet Monday at 8 p.m. in All Saints Episcopal Church, 559 Park Ave., 30008. Patricia Wusthoff, Director of the College of Nursing, St. John's University, will be the guest speaker. Lucille Joel, R.N., B.S.N., M.Ed., Ed. D., will speak on "The Changing Role of the Nurse." Dr. Joel is director of the post-graduate program in the College of Nursing, St. John's University.

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# Union College offers grants for policemen

Men and women employed full-time in criminal justice professions are eligible for tuition-aid grants, according to Phyllis Rubino, assistant director of student financial aid at Union College.

She said the aid, covering the cost of in-college tuition and some fees, is available through a Law Enforcement Education Program (LEEP) grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration of the U.S. Department of Justice.

# Coalition to hear talk by welfare director

Michael Galupio, director of the Union County Welfare Board, will address the Union County Coalition for Human Services at 1 p.m. Wednesday in the freetober meeting room, Courthouse Annex, Elizabeth. He will talk about the uses which the Welfare Board puts its Title XX money.

According to Susan Ault of Linden, Union County Hospital Society delegate, and chairman of the Planning Task Force, one of the coalition's objectives is to improve communication between the Welfare Board and other agencies in the county on uses of Title XX funds.

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### Slamler to give talk at meeting

Union County Prosecutor John H. Slamler will be principal speaker at a luncheon following the fourth annual fiscal board meeting of the New Jersey Association of Legal Secretaries, Saturday, Jan. 21, at the Ramada Inn, Clark. The Union County chapter will be host, with Rita Bailey as chairman. The previous evening, Jan. 20, a

### Wolf reelected to head council

Elmer Wolf, chairman of the physics and engineering department at Union College, has been reelected to a second term as president of the Junior College Association of the Middle Atlantic States. The 42-year-old Junior College Council was organized to aid in the professional development of junior college administrators and faculty and to promote the growth of junior colleges in the Middle Atlantic States region. The organization represents two-year colleges in the Canal Zone, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Puerto Rico. Prof. Wolf, former dean of Union College, is a graduate of Union College and Rutgers University, where he

### Elizabeth Library slates piano recital

Calvin Perri of Maplewood will present a piano recital Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Elizabeth Public Library auditorium as part of the library's senior citizen program. A graduate of the Philadelphia Musical Academy, Ms. Perri has given numerous New York recitals. Her debut at Alice Tully Hall was highly praised by New York Times critic Donald Henahan.

### Skating Center offers classes

The Warnaco Skating Center, Warnaco Park, Roselle, offers a variety of classes and clinics. Anyone 13 years or older who wants to learn the fundamentals of ice hockey may participate in a clinic Tuesday evening at 8:45 p.m. for a hockey clinic. Each participant should bring hockey skates, stick, helmet and mouthpiece to participate. No advance registration is required, and there is a \$1 fee per lesson. "Patch time," designated time of individual areas for figure skating practice, will be available each Wednesday evening at 8. The cost of each session is \$2 per patch on a first-come, first-served basis. Private skating lessons and lessons

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Friday—7:30 p.m., senior high youth service.

### Levine-Glyn betrothal told

A spring wedding is planned by Jodi S. Levine of Springfield and Jerod A. Glyn of Hillsdale. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Joan Levine Swardloff of Baltusrol Way, Springfield, and of her husband, Dr. A. R. Kristeller in Millburn. Her fiancé, an alumnus of Hillsdale High School, was graduated cum laude from Rutgers University. He is employed by the Fedders Corporation in Edison.

### Jeralyn Long becomes bride of Mr. Castillo

The Drake Hotel in Chicago, was the scene for the Nov. 27 wedding of Jeralyn Long of Hillsdale and Mr. and Mrs. Maxim Long of Skokie, Ill. to Michael E. Castillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Castillo of Prospect avenue, Mount Laurel, N.J.

### Women's Club offers talk on floral language of love

Jan Taylor will present a program, "Flowers: The Language of Love—Learns to Enjoy," in the Mountaineer Women's Club next Wednesday at noon at the Mountaineer Inn. Her designs will range from a hostess gift and a birthday centerpiece to a



### Couple plans fall marriage

Mrs. Jeffrey A. Chisholm, Fabrikatore, Chisholm wed in W. Orange. The Manor in West Orange was the setting for the Nov. 18 wedding of Simone Fabrikatore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent J. Fabrikatore of Westfield, to Jeffrey A. Chisholm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis M. Chisholm of Springfield. Judge James T. Leonard conducted the ceremony. Cer. Fabricatore and Police Sergeant Vincent Haigh were the ringbearers. The bride is an affiliate in radiological technology at Morris-Turner Memorial Hospital, and the groom attends Union College as a math major at Union College.

### Wedding set for Gast-Ruff

Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Gast of Berkeley Heights have announced the engagement of their daughter, Johanna Louise to Brian J. Ruff, son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert W. Ruff of Mountaintop. Miss Gast and her fiancé are graduates of Governor Livingston High School. She obtained her bachelor of arts degree from Morris College, Bethelham, Pa. and is a customer service representative at City Federal Savings and Loan Association in Elizabeth. Mr. Ruff, a former All-American football star, is a graduate of the Citadel in Charleston, S.C. and is a sales representative for Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Charleston. A March 1978 wedding has been planned.

### Couple plans fall marriage

Mrs. James R. Schweitzer of Springfield has announced the engagement of their daughter, Lee Ann to Richard J. Rutkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myron D. Rutkin of South Orange. The bride is a graduate of Columbia High School and Monmouth College. She is a department manager at B. Altman and Co. in South Orange. Mr. Rutkin is a graduate of Columbia High School and New York University School of Business and Public Administration. He received his master's degree in business administration degree from New York University and is a financial analyst at the Great Atlantic and Pacific Food Company in Montclair. The couple has planned an October wedding.

### Hogan-Condor wedding plans

Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan of Towaco have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen to Dennis Condor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Condor of Springfield. The bride-elect is a graduate of Montclair State College and is employed in the N.J. Bell Telephone Co., Montclair. Mr. Condor, a graduate of Florida Institute of Technology in Melbourne, Fla., is chief pilot with Pandoque-Quirk Associates, Wayne. A March wedding is planned.

### Party planned by Sisterhood

The Sisterhood of Congregation Israel of Springfield will hold its annual membership party at the Theodor Sander School, 6 S. Springfield ave., on Wednesday at 8 p.m. The evening will feature a show by the Springfield Community Players. Refreshments will be served. Phyllis Siler and Helen Israel are co-chairpersons. Lee Harelit is president.

### Program listed by women's unit

The Board-Beth Women's Springfield Chapter will meet Wednesday evening at 8 at Temple Sha'arey Shalom, Springfield. Marilyn Schneider will speak on "B'nai B'rith Women Dots for Democracy." Her topic will be three "dots" which represent three important women in our American History. There will be refreshments. Mrs. Abe Levine is president of the Springfield Chapter, and Mrs. Lee Wolfe is program vice-president.

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### Dysautonomia unit schedules meeting

The Northern New Jersey Chapter of Dysautonomia will hold a meeting tonight at 8:30 in Temple Sha'arey Shalom, Springfield. Lorraine Winick will preside. Plans for the "Give to Live" project will be made by Pearl Lipson, Miriam Chausmer has planned a social program tonight. Refreshments will be served.

### Charge for Pictures

There is a charge of \$5 for wedding and engagement pictures. There is no charge for the announcement which will be with a picture. Persons submitting wedding or engagement pictures should enclose the payment.

### Cunninghams have new granddaughter

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cunningham of Madison have announced the birth of a daughter, Erika Rander Cunningham, on Dec. 12 at Overlook Hospital. Mrs. Cunningham is the former Esther Rander of Bethlehem, Pa. Mr. Cunningham is formerly from Springfield.

### Altar Society asks dollars for donation

The Holy Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Mountaintop, will sponsor a fund-raising luncheon (Stop & Shop party plan) in the school auditorium tomorrow at 12:30 p.m. The donation is \$2 per person. Reservations can be made by calling 323-2881, 322-9209 or 322-2658.

### Meeting scheduled by Pi Phi alumnae

The January luncheon meeting of the Northern New Jersey Alumnae Club of Pi Phi will be held on Monday, Jan. 16 at 11:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Edgar Mayfield of Madison. All Pi Phi's in the area have been invited to attend. Reservations may be made by calling 822-0693 or 322-2811.

### Bible Quiz

By Muir Hammer

NUMBER PLEASE:  
A. Number of tribes of Israel.  
B. Number of times Laban changed the wages of Jacob.  
C. Number of years the children of Israel ate manna in the wilderness.  
D. Number of men Nachshon ben Aminadab was walking in the midst of the fiery furnace.  
E. Number of years Solomon reigned over Israel.  
ANSWERS:  
A. 12  
B. 7  
C. 40  
D. 6  
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### Seniors sought for state Rx aid

A special meeting on the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Assistance Program to the Aged will be held tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. at Union College, Cranford. The program permits senior citizens to obtain prescription drugs for \$1, provided their annual income is less than \$9,000 for a single person or less than \$12,000 for a married couple. The meeting will be conducted by Peter M. Shields, director of the county Division on Aging. All aspects of the pharmaceutical program will be discussed, with particular emphasis on enrolling all senior citizens eligible for its benefits. Larry J. Lockhart, director of the county Department of Human Resources, stated representatives of the state program and the

### Courses registration starts at Elizabeth Y

Registration is underway at the Elizabeth YWCA for the winter series of classes. Registration must be made before the starting date of any class. All classes run for seven sessions. The courses offered include: Belly dance—women and girls—for fitness, controlled weight, rhythm and movements. Monday evening starting Jan. 23 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Fee \$14. Ballroom social dancing—for men, women, single couples. Every Tuesday evening from 8 to 11 p.m. Group Dance instruction, refreshments, social. Donation \$2 for YWCA members and associates. \$2.25 for others. No advance registration required. Ballroom for women and men, 15 days from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. starting Jan. 22. Fee \$10. Yoga—women, men, students. Wednesdays from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. starting Jan. 23. Fee \$15. Sports Jan. 22; men or rug required. Sewing—women and girls. Mondays from 7:30 to 9 p.m. starting Jan. 23. Fee \$10. Drop in Exercises—Only from 11:30 to 1:30 p.m. Fee \$5. Volley Ball—women, men, students. Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9 p.m. only YWCA membership required. YWCA membership required for all classes, is \$7.50 per year for adults; \$2 for those 17 and under for still in school. For more information, call 385-1500.

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# Emergency room a 'rewarding' job

## Handling the unexpected is 'satisfying'

(Continued from page 1) and cruelly, you just have to try and remember that this is a job, and you have your own life away from it.

Baksa said the stereotypical of the "stunt nurse" is exaggerated and showing emotion is expected and encouraged among personnel.

"We're all human and we're not afraid to show our feelings about patients," she said. "If the nurses want to cry, they cry."

# Saving a very tiny tot

## Neonatal unit at Overlook

When Alexander Bryan Altieri was born at Overlook Hospital in Summit on Oct. 19 he was dangerously premature, weighing in at 2 pounds 7 ounces at the end of a seven-month pregnancy.

The baby was left in the neonatal intensive care unit on Dec. 20 in the arms of his parents, Sophia and Alexander Altieri of Clark, where he was living evidence of the miracles of modern neonatal medicine.

"We can't praise Overlook enough. The nurses and doctors are a team of angels. The baby could have had a better care," his father exclaimed.

A year ago, tiny Alex would have required open heart surgery for a Patent ductus arteriosus which was causing heart failure.

The patent ductus arteriosus is the connection between the aorta and the main vessel from the left side of the heart, and the pulmonary artery, which is the main vessel off the right side of the heart, according to Dr. Gloria O. Schragro, director of pediatric education at Overlook.

"Every fetus has the patent ductus necessary for proper circulation of blood while the baby is in the womb. Usually this constricts and closes shortly after the baby is born."

"When this does not happen, causes severe strain on the heart and can throw the baby into heart failure. This is most likely to occur when the baby is very premature and has respiratory or other problems," Dr. Schragro stated.

# Local schools

(Continued from page 1) planning their course schedules for next summer and fall will be warned the ranking lists are subject to change, administrators said.

"Anyway, how many select courses on the basis of what will give them the highest ranking in the class, rather than on the basis of what will help them most for the rest of their lives?" commented board member Roland Hoeker of Berkeley Heights.

The board will be meeting two nights in a row next week. It already had scheduled its public hearing on the 1978-79 fiscal year budget for 8 p.m. next Tuesday at Clark. The entire tentative budget, totaling \$14,988,587, was published in last week's paper.

The board decided in executive session that it would, in effect, expel the 17-year-old wheelchair student who allegedly slashed a teacher, Deborah Decker, with a razor Friday at Brearley High. The wound on her arm had to be sutured at Overlook Hospital in Summit, where she was treated and released Friday. Police temporarily released the 17-year-old boy to his mother's custody. The boy's name was not disclosed because he is a minor.

Bard members said the boy was an out-of-district student from New Brunswick, where school officials mistook on his behalf at Brearley. The board voted to revoke the tuition agreement.

No motive for the attack, with a single-edge razor, has been discovered.

# Juveniles arrested for school break-in

Three juveniles were arrested this week and all stolen property was found from a Dec. 15 break-in at the Gaudinier School, according to Springfield police.

Detective Edward Kisch said about \$500 worth of stolen property, including electronics equipment, a turntable, amplifier and scales, was recovered.

# Local schools

(Continued from page 1) revisions have been made by Burke's office.

The district, which operates local public schools from kindergarten through eighth grade, appeared to Burke for approval of a \$3,691,888 budget next year, about 2.4 percent more than this year and \$132,874 higher than a state-mandated "ceiling."

The public hearing on the budget will be a prelude to the district-wide budget election Feb. 14.

While Springfield school officials remained on edge about the budget, four candidates filed for three Board of Education seats that also will be filled in the Feb. 14 election. The incumbents are August Caprio, senior board member; Charles S. Cohn, Board president; and Doris Giltes -- are seeking reelection.

The four candidates attended a drawing Friday night to determine the order their names will appear on the ballot. The candidates and the order are: Gary Kantrowitz, real estate businessman and father of two children in local schools; Elizabeth (Liz) Sampson, college student and a township recreation commissioner; Eileen Dahmen, mother of five and president of the Springfield Area PTA Council; and Nancy Heller, recent college graduate and substitute teacher.



SEEKING A SOLUTION—A question is raised by Muriel Craner of Springfield, at a recent regional ranking committee meeting. Regional administrators held the forum to explain the ranking system of students and respond to suggestions and questions from residents of the constituent districts. (Photo by Gary Bokko)

# State looks at 2 sites for inspection station

Representatives of the state Division of Motor Vehicles conferred last week that the state was considering two sites—one in Union and one off Rt. 22 in Springfield—for a new motor vehicle inspection station. However, they were unwilling to pinpoint the exact locations for fear the price might increase.

The proposal to construct a shopping mall at the site of the current station and the Union-Drive-In Theater on Route 22 has increased the urgency of the state's search for a new location.

They have been actively looking for sites now for over a year, said Pincus Chodos, assistant chief of the Bureau of Vehicle Inspection.

C. A. Steele Jr., chief of the division's Bureau of Administrative Services, also confirmed the Union and Springfield sites. Steele said the proposed Springfield location was close to Rt. 29, but was reluctant to reveal more.

"We try to do the best we can for the taxpayers," he said.

Chodos said, "We've asked Treasury to purchase either one of the sites." However, a spokesman for the Treasury Department's Bureau of Real Estate and Insurance Management, James Poindexter, said, "It's news to me. I haven't heard anything from motor vehicle."

Steele said construction of a new inspection station would require about a year from purchase. "We're planning on a permanent, two-lane inspection station with a roof," he said. It would be "similar to what we have at the old Camp Kurier site in Edison," he added. The current inspection station is an open-air facility which is forced to close whenever the weather is inclement.

The SEI proposal is for a 250,000 square foot covered mall, heated and air-conditioned, on Rt. 22 adjoining Michigan Avenue in Kenilworth. K-Mart reportedly would be one of the principal tenants, with other tenants including a supermarket, jewelry, a bank, an office building and parking for 1,100 cars.

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# Amusement News

## Playhouse to become a non-profit theater

Celebration Playhouse, 118 South Ave., Cranford, has announced plans for becoming a non-profit organization which will result in the formation of a cultural center for the performing arts in New Jersey.

The new center will develop programs for dance, opera, film and theater and dance classes under the supervision of the Studio of Acting headed by David Christopher.

The theater will continue to be director of the playhouse. Bill Blich will be manager.

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## Burns, 81, is starred

An eloquent testament to the joys of longevity is *Oh, God!*, starring Robby Benson.

The "richest thing about being 81," said Burns, "is looking forward to 82."

Burns, who received an Oscar in "The Sunshine Boys" as best supporting actor, plays the title role of "Oh, God!" in this film. He is seen opposite John Denver and Teri Garr. Carl Reiner directed the movie comedy.

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# Movie Times

All times listed are furnished by the theaters:

ELMORA (Elizabeth) Fri., Sat., 7:25, 9:45; Sun., 9:45, 11:30; Mon., Tues., 7:15, 9:30, 11:15; Wed., 7:15, 9:30, 11:15.

POKUNION (RI. 22) WORLDS' GREATEST LOVER, Thur., Mon., Tues., 8:30; Fri., 8:45; Sat., 2:7, 8:45, 10:30; Sun., 3:45, 6:7, 7:45, 9:30.

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# Stage has star list

The Morris Stage, 100 South St., Morristown has announced its winter season and the opening of a new exhibit in its art gallery by Pam Timmons.

The winter Line will include Marcel Marceau, Peter Allen, Good Rats, Kenny Rankin, and a jazz band starting with the Duke Ellington Orchestra.

"The World's Greatest Lover" starring Gene Wilder and Jodie Foster directed by Carl Reiner.

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# SUBURBAN CALENDAR

### Music, dance, Film, Art

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**MONTCLAIR**—A party for children from 12 to 14 years. Tickets: \$1.00. Reservations: 331-3929.

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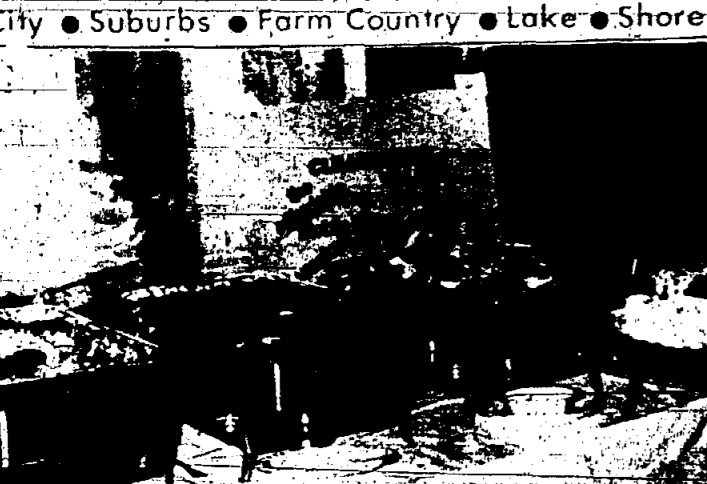
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WELCOMING PARTY—Butler serving trays were quickly emptied at party for residents of Clearwater Village in Southwood, where the good life is available to those 52 and over in homes starting at \$16,900.

## Clearwater Village offers 'the good life'

Clearwater Village ended 1977 with a festive "welcome" party Dec. 15 at the VFW Post in Southwood. Alan Weingarten and Bob Selter were co-hosts at the affair. More than 50 guests enjoyed a hot-and-cold buffet, open bar and activities in an evening of merriment. A completely equipped modern recreation building will open April at Clearwater Village and pool, which enjoyed tremendous success last year. As a new venture, several pool parks have been instituted and have met with such success that more are planned for this year.

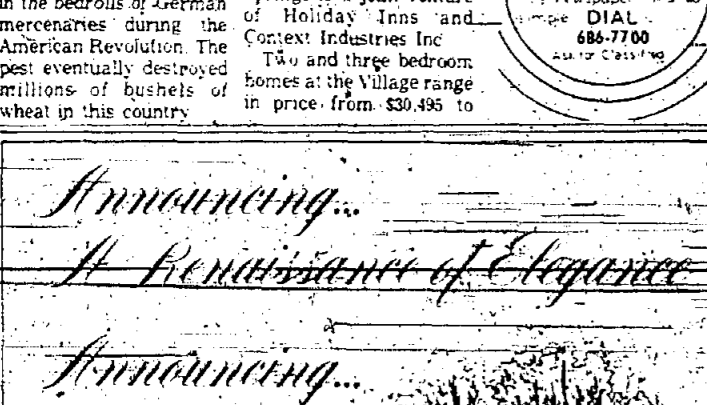
## Gordon gets top N.J. post

Kaufman and Broad has recently named Michael J. Gordon as the new vice president and director of its Philadelphia-based business development and sales division. Formerly with the Philadelphia-based business development and sales division of Kaufman and Broad, Gordon will be responsible for the firm's business development and sales efforts in the Philadelphia area.

## Equidad gets big sales spot

Equidad will be offering properties at the Village of Rainbow Springs, a 6,300-acre pre-planned community 10 miles north of Tampa and 20 miles west of Kissimmee. The Village of Rainbow Springs is a joint venture of Holiday Inns and Geiger Industries Inc. and consists of three bedroom homes at the Village range in price from \$30,495 to \$41,600 on an acre of wooded one-acre lots. Information about the Village of Rainbow Springs can be obtained from Equidad International Inc., 100 E. Main Street, Suite 100, Philadelphia, Pa. 19106.

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## Law committee lists Socarras

Dr. Cayetano J. Socarras of Caldwell was voted a member of the Permanent Committee on Criminal Law at the World Association of Lawyers' 1977 election.

Dr. Socarras, a justice of the Court of Appeals in Havana before he was forced to leave Cuba for political reasons in 1962, teaches history at Kean College, Union.

He was hired by Kean to organize the school's Foreign Language Department when the school made the transition from a teachers' college to a liberal studies institution. He was instrumental in developing the Spanish-speaking program at Kean which offers Spanish-speaking students an opportunity to achieve college credits by taking courses in their native language while simultaneously taking intensive English training.

## Planetarium plans special for Scouts

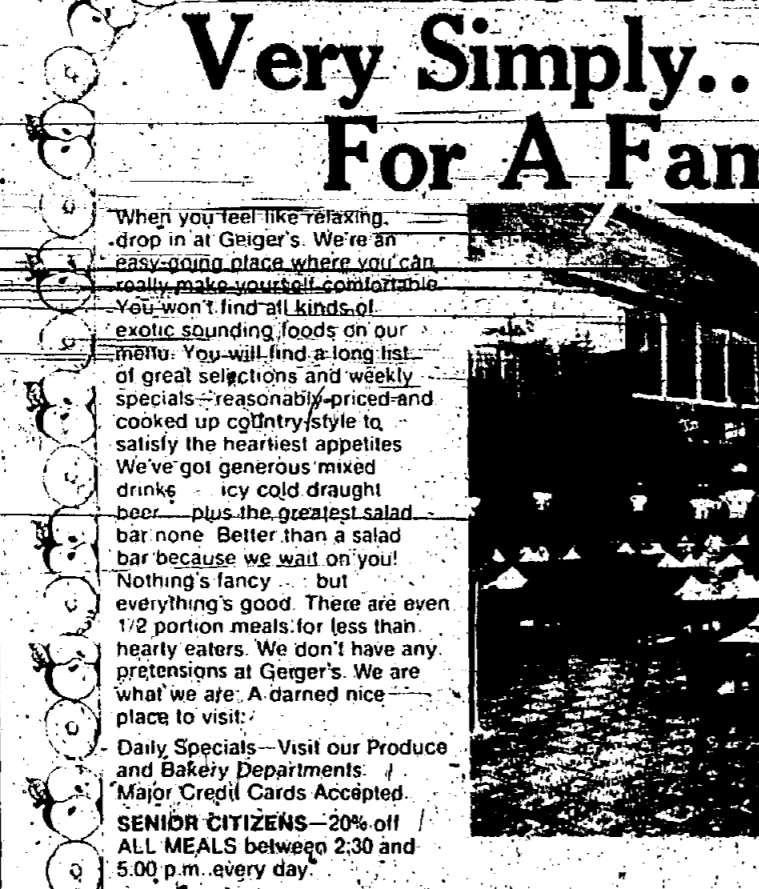
A special one-hour program tailored to help Girl and Boy Scouts satisfy astronomy requirements is being offered by the New Jersey State Museum Planetarium at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 21. It will be repeated at the same time on Jan. 28 and Feb. 4.

## Job study at Upsala

Upsala College is offering an unusual course in the psychology of work and career development during its January inter-session.

Dr. Aaron Nierenberg of South Orange, who will handle the academic portion of the course, attributed the course's popularity to the fact that today's students "are hungry for any information that will help them tackle the job market."

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## Energy chief says gas ample for new plants

New Jersey Energy Commissioner Joel R. Jacobson today recommended that the state's gas distribution companies be permitted to take on new industrial customers as a boost to the state's economy through additional job opportunities.

Jacobson said his recommendation is based on reports which show a more than ample gas supply and on predictions of milder-than-normal weather for the balance of the winter season.

"We are now in a position to make a decision on the question of new bookups," Jacobson said, "which will benefit the state's economy and not penalize the existing gas customers of the company."

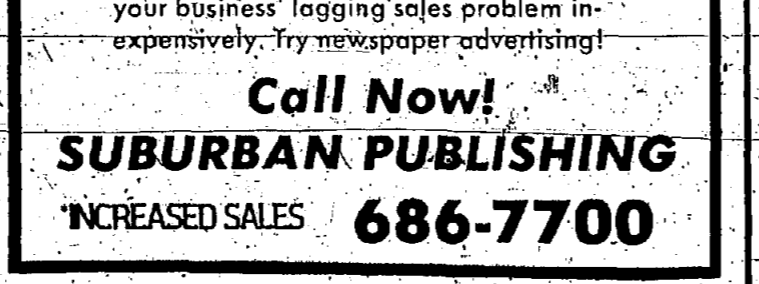
## Phone service federal tax cut

The federal excise tax on telephone service is being phased out by reducing the percentage each Jan. 1, is scheduled to end Jan. 1, 1982.

## Marines artist paintings show Corps' history

An exhibition of paintings depicting major events in the history of the U.S. Marine Corps will open today at the New Jersey Historical Society, 28 Broadway, Newark.

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## School Lunches

REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL: Monday—Frankfurter on roll and baked beans; barbecued beef on bun and French fries, or Bologna and cheese sandwich and French fries. Each lunch includes salad and fruit or juice.

WEDNESDAY: Monday—Turkey on hard roll, apple pie, milk. Tuesday—Submarine sandwich, fruit cocktail, milk. Wednesday—Roast beef sandwich with lettuce, peas, milk. Thursday, Jan. 19—Orange juice, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, apple sauce, milk. Friday, Jan. 20—Egg salad sandwich, carrot sticks, pudding with chocolate sauce, milk. Saturday, Jan. 21—Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, apple sauce, milk.

GAUDINEER SCHOOL: Monday—Spaghetti and meat sauce, French bread and margarine, tossed salad, peas, milk. Tuesday—Hogleg sandwich or meat loaf, mashed potatoes, green bean salad, peas, milk. Wednesday—Hamburger on bun, slice of onion and pickle, corn salad, apple or peanutt, milk. Thursday, Jan. 19—Chicken-rice soup, pizza with peanuts, celery.

Bye, Bye Birdie needs performers: A casting call for the musical "Bye, Bye Birdie" will be held by the Drama Club of the Union Y.M.W.V.H.A. in the Goring Hall, Green Lane, Union, on Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 18 and 19 at 8 p.m. Interested amateur performers, musicians, dancers and technicians should be present both nights. Performers should be prepared to sing one of the show's songs.

Merkelbach needs training: Marine Private Steven Depol, Farris Island, S.C. P. Merkelbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zig Merkelbach, a 1977 graduate of S. Maple Avenue, Jonathan Dayton Regional High School, completed High School, joined the recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in Parris Island, S.C. in December, 1976.

## Indians give gifts to patients

Pediatrics patients at Overlook Hospital were delighted with the surprise Christmas gifts they received from YMCA Indian Princesses, according to Ron Coleman, a spokesman for the Summit Area Y.

Publicity Chairman are urged to observe the Friday morning deadline for other than spot news. Include your name, address and phone number.

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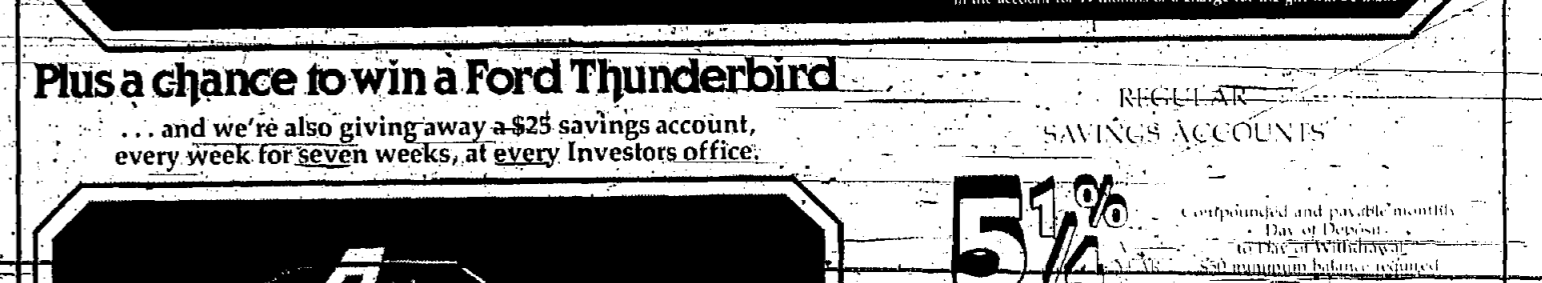
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Dec. 21: Doris Egan, 150-911-182-823; Kay Scheider, 181-198-489; Gail Rapczynski, 194-484; Marge Doninger, 150-450; Fong Yee, 153-447; Marge Hannon, 163-157-464; Dyloras Johnson, 159-154-445; Ruth Insley, 164-160-436; Anna Smith, 186-811; Marge Johnson, 162-497; Jane Plauer, 163-163; Marion Sexton, 155-152-118; Ann Schaffer, 154-406; Madelyn Haines, 154-403; Eleanor Caprio, 150-400; Helen Stickle, 165; Gen Ammanno, 162; Gen Banda, 156.

Dec. 14: Kay Scheider, 183-195-828; Helen Stickle, 201-164-485; Ruth Insley, 184-487; Ann Smith, 154-158-455; Doris Egan, 158-450; Janet Pelfino, 167-438; Fong Yee, 150-428; Ann Schaffer, 168-431; Kathy Ehrhardt, 157-127-220; Gen Ammanno, 170-425; Florence Murphy, 164-420; Gail Rapczynski, 153-419; Carl Carrano, 159-157-418; Marge Doninger, 406; Terry Schmidt, 406; Alma Fernandez, 150-405; Marge Johnson, 405; Agnes Affitto, 157-403; Alice Salzano, 403; Mary Hannon, 150-411; Madelyn Haines, 159; Angela Rapagnese, 158; Ruth Kuss, 157.



**COURT ACTION**—Dayton hoopsters Michelle Gap (12) and Ellen Sileve (20) battle for a loose ball. The Dayton Women are 9-2 in regular season play. They defeated the New Providence team 70-54 on Jan. 3 for their first Suburban Conference victory as defending conference champions. (Photos by Gary Bokko)

## Dayton takes first but loses squeaker

**By MIKE MEIXNER**  
The Jonathan Dayton Regional High School girls' basketball team topped New Providence 70-54 and narrowly lost 63-66 to Verona in a Suburban Conference thriller. Dayton is now 1-1 in conference action, while ace coacher Millburn and surprise Verona remain undefeated. The girls will play host to the Caldwell Chiefs tomorrow. Dayton took early command against New Providence and coasted to victory. Bulldog stars Cricket Franklin, Mary King, Kathy Gerndt, and Ellen Steve continually connected on perimeter shots and drives to the hoop. Franklin paced the balanced attack by netting 18 points. King closely followed, scoring 16 points and led in rebounds from her center position. Gerndt pumped in 14 key points, while Steve poured 12 through the net.

Catch Ruth Townsend said her team played its best game of the season against Verona, but it wasn't enough to

## Bulldogs beat Verona, 64-55; meet Caldwell tomorrow night

**By MIKE MEIXNER**  
The Jonathan Dayton Regional High School basketball team dropped a disappointing overtime decision to New Providence, 49-38, but rebounded to overcome a well-disciplined Verona team, 64-55. The Bulldogs, coached by Raymond Yanchus are perched in a steady "top ten" position in the Suburban Conference after the initial week of play. The Dayton unit faced Summit Tuesday and will travel to Caldwell tomorrow. Game time is 8 p.m.

Dayton started quickly at New Providence, taking a 14-8 first-quarter advantage. The Bulldogs were led by

## Hillside routed, 53-6, by Bulldog wrestlers

**By KIRK KUBACH**  
In its first dual meet of the season, the Jonathan Dayton Regional High School wrestling team was downed by Roselle Park despite the valiant efforts of the lower-weightmen. The team then averaged an earlier loss by defeating Hillside, 53-6. The next Bulldog match will be at Caldwell Saturday night.

Winners against Roselle Park were Don Calabrese (108 pounds), Dean Przewora (128), Pat Piccolo (145), and Dan Solazzi (148). At 151 pounds Jerry drew with his opponent, 3-3.

Except for the default in the 122-pound weight class all were victorious against Hillside. Matt Agrella set the pace at 115; Don Calabrese (101) and Deno Pashanian (106) won by forfeits.

## Billikens top Celtics; Raiders, Pistons win

The Springfield Small Fry League opened its basketball season for third and fourth graders with the Billikens beating the Celtics while the Pistons rolled over the Rockets and the Raiders.

The Billikens were led by Roland Muller, Mike Etkin, Brian Cole, and David Markstein; each had two points.

Adam Cummins and Tom Shannon played well in defense for the Billikens. Scoring four points while Adam Jacobs and Joel Greenberg had eight rebounds and scored two points each. Anthony Boffa and Jeff Buggert had two points each. Jeff Finberg contributed a strong floor game.

## Dayton pounds Pingry in track

**By KIRK KUBACH**  
The Jonathan Dayton Regional High School winter track team trampled Pingry, 63-13.

Individual winners for Dayton were Jeff Knowles, Brad Weiner, Jay Fine, Don Luzzi, Paul Commarino, Harvey Kalsh; there was a three-way tie among Rick Spina, Jeff Vargas, and Pete Keranas.

Second-place finishers were Russ Lausten, John Alexy and Mitch Krasnow.

Elite performances were turned in by Jon Finerman, Ed Costello, Jeff Zeller, Chris Dillmuth and Kevin King.

In the girls' events, Maria Sannino and Susan Clark took firsts. Carol Wingard came in second.

## Brown's rally defeats Columbia; Penn, Princeton, Cornell score

The Springfield Ivy League opened its basketball season last week with a couple of close games. Brown squeaked by Columbia, Pennsylvania edged Yale, Princeton outlasted Harvard and Cornell crushed Dartmouth.

Trailing by 10 in the fourth quarter, Brown's comeback against Yale were Chuck Hackley, with six, Vic Gifford four, Mike Burroughs four, Steve Dietz two and Pat Durant two. Dan Schlager played well on 14 points and six assists. Scott Newman and Rich Kesselhaut completed the Brown scoring with four points apiece. Ira Green had a strong floor game at both ends of the court.

Columbia was led by Robert Steir's 25 points. Marion Jackson had six and Roger Davis, four for Columbia. Drew Jones, Dave Gold, Eric Eldelman, Lela Jenkins and Rich Hinkley each had two points.

Pennsylvania outlasted Yale, 44-37. With Yale threatening in the fourth quarter, the game was decided with 1:07 to go with Billy Boggs' dunk from free throw; Larry Mair, the offensive standout for Pennsylvania, directed the offense and scored 34 points. Billy Boggs had a great defensive game. Ron Fusco hit 13 points. Hornewood, a 5-10 center, controlled the backboards with 25 rebounds. Mike Della (4), Wayne

## Alabama, Ohio, Utah, Texas take openers

The Springfield State League for fifth and sixth graders opened the '78 basketball season with two of last Saturday's four games decided in overtime. Texas edged California and Alabama squeaked by Florida, while Ohio defeated Kansas and Utah rolled over Oklahoma.

In a contest that was close all the way, Texas defeated California, 22-20, in overtime. Eric Wolf led the Texans with eight points, six from the foul line in the fourth and overtime periods. Brett Walsh also had six points; Rich Polcastro and Paul Centamore each had three. Mike Nicholson bucket



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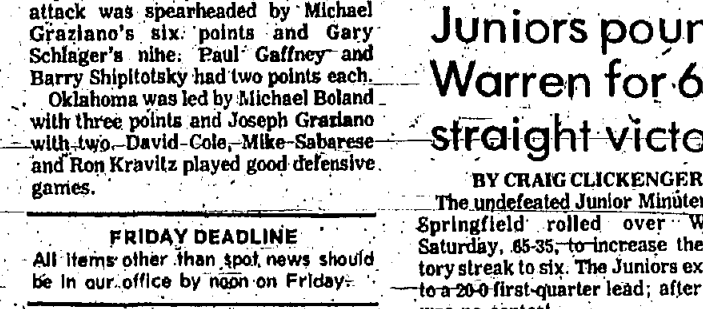
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## Alabama, Ohio, Utah, Texas take openers

placed. Anthony Romano added three and Zonerich two.

Florida was led by Jon Begleiter's five points. John Baber added four and Brian Speer and Stephen Litzenberg had two apiece. Jared Pleischer was a top defensive player for Florida.

Ohio outlasted Kansas, 22-14, as William Markstein scored 10 points and Mike McNany six. Daniel Klein hit three points, Dan Sklinger two and Paul Stieve one to complete scoring for Ohio.



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## Minutemen take pair, led by Ard, Sivoilella

**By CRAIG CLICKENGER**  
The Senior Minutemen of Springfield booted their record 51 victories over Livingston (69-58) and Warren (61-43).

The eighth graders were ahead all of the way before a fourth-quarter surge by Livingston made the game close. The surge proved futile and too late as Livingston's bid for an upset fell short.

Ard led the Seniors with 21 points; five from the foul line. He also pulled in 14 rebounds. Robert Steir had

## Frosh defeat Verona as Meixner sinks 22

The Jonathan Dayton freshman basketball team opened Suburban Conference play by losing to New Providence, 55-56, and beating Verona 64-59.

Dayton took a 10-point lead against New Providence with 1:45 remaining in the first quarter, but the lead slowly dissipated during the next 16 minutes. By 1:28 in the third quarter, the Froshers' bench combined to score one point and led the team. Biaboli registered 14 points in while Todd Leonard contributed six and Troy Ford two. Dayton went ahead 16-14 on a converted shot by Berlinger. Meixner scored 12 points while Walker added two and Berlinger another three to give the Bulldogs a 22-20 first-period edge in the first quarter. Dayton ended the period ahead 14-8 on four points each by Alan Berlinger, Larry Walker and Jerry Biaboli plus two by Don Meixner.

### Lacrosse clinic at Kean Jan. 21

A full-day development lacrosse clinic, sponsored by Kean College and the W.H. Brine Co., will be held on Saturday, Jan. 21, in the college gym.

A morning clinic for high school and junior high school players which will begin at 9:30 a.m. will precede the clinic's fundamentals. An afternoon session on the technical aspects of the game will be offered to coaches in the afternoon.

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