

county news

County, PBA officers reach contract accord

Freelance Chairman Louis Santagata and County Manager Ann Baran announced Nov. 5 the arbitrator's award of a contract between the county and Union County Corrections Officers' PBA Local 199.

The contract awarded for a three-year period from Jan. 1, 1991 to Dec. 31, 1993, with general wage increases in 1992 and 1993 that follow the Council 8 Union's pattern of 4 percent effective Nov. 1, 1990, followed by 2 percent on April 1, 1993 and 3 percent on Nov. 1, 1993.



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The PERC arbitrator also made adjustments in shift differential payments; established a senior officer position for employees with 20 or more years of service; made adjustments in uniform allowances; and required the county to issue an off-duty badge.

Conti elected bar president

Ann Conti, Union County surrogate and president-elect of the Union County Bar Association, will be elected to president on Dec. 4, working history by being the first woman president since it was established in 1902.

Conti graduated from Seton Hall Law School and was admitted to the New Jersey Bar.

Conti was permitted to appear before the Supreme Court of the United States and served as a law clerk for Union County judge. She served as attorney for the Union County Board of Social Services until her election as surrogate of Union County in 1983, and recently won reelection this November.

Conti was a founding member of the Women Lawyers in Union County and served as its president for two years. She served on the board of directors of Union County Legal Services and serves on the Union County Chamber of Commerce, and the Heritage House in Elizabeth.

Conti has co-authored a Surrogate Instruction Book, the first such manual in the state. It sets procedures for the 21 county surrogates and assists in providing consistency of operation in all the counties.

Merachnik named top educator

Donald Merachnik, superintendent of schools for the Union County Regional High School District, has been named the New Jersey Superintendent of the Year by the New Jersey Association of School Administrators.

Merachnik was presented with the honor last week in Atlantic City at the annual Workshop co-sponsored by NIASA, New Jersey School Boards Association and New Jersey Association of School Business Officials.

The National Superintendent of the Year Program is co-sponsored by the American Association of School Administrators and the Service Master Company of Downers Grove, Ill.

Merachnik's selection as New Jersey Superintendent of the Year comes just two weeks after Gail Shaffer, a teacher of English and social studies at Governor Livingston Regional High School in Berkeley Heights, was chosen as the New Jersey Teacher of the Year by the State Department of Education.

Merachnik has served as superintendent of schools in the Regional District since 1971. He first came to the Regional District as a teacher of reading at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in 1955.

Optional school board membership bill dies

A spokesman for Kelly said this week that the legislator was approached by several school boards in District 36, which encompasses parts of Essex, Bergen and Passaic counties, to back a bill making association membership optional since mandatory membership thwarted local control.

Reference was also made to alleged "misuse of funds" by a NISBA official in the past, the spokeswoman said.

"Presently, all boards of education of the various school districts in New Jersey are required to maintain membership in the association and are subject to dues increases of 33 percent per year," she stated.

According to Kelly's spokeswoman, New Jersey is one of just two states that makes membership in a state association mandatory.

"The fact that 48 other states don't require membership makes an obvious point, and I'm sure it's not that New Jersey knows something the other states don't," Kelly said.

Leaders seek retreat for budget seminar

"By state law, the county budget must be balanced," Baran said. "What we wanted to accomplish at the retreat was to examine our current budgeting process. New, creative ways of thinking involving people at every level of our organization is our direction for the future. The retreat represented our first step in that direction."

Leaders of the county government held a two-day budget planning seminar on Oct. 27-28 at the county's police academy in Scotch Plains, N.J., focused on improving services to its residents without raising taxes or cutting any of these services.

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Key Communicators needed in district

The Mountain State Board of Education invites community members to join its new Key Communicators Program, a channel for continuous two-way communication between the school and borough residents.

The role of Key Communicators is to convey information from the schools to the community and from the community back to the schools. They will be kept informed about the schools and asked to pass the news to their friends, neighbors and colleagues.

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BACK BASICS

DO'S DON'T YOU DON'T HAVE TO BREAK YOUR BACK RAKING LEAVES By Mark Zientek (908)388-4344 Some Pointers For a Healthy Back from Local Chiropractor Raking leaves is a fact of life in the fall. In New Jersey each year about 750,000 tons of leaves are raked, blown and carted to compost heaps.

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at the library

Mountainside
Storyteller Melissa Bunce travels from Baltimore to bring her lively tales to the Mountainside Public Library Nov. 21 in a performance highlighting National Children's Book Week.

Springfield
The Springfield Public Library, 66 Mountain Ave., will present an investment seminar Wednesday from 7 to 8:45 p.m.

Dayton stages 'Don't Drink the Water'

'Don't Drink the Water,' the hilarious Wood Allen comedy dealing with diplomatic hijinks, will be presented by the students of Jonathan Dayton Regional High School Nov. 19 and 20, in the Halsey Hall auditorium at Jonathan Dayton, Mountain Avenue, Springfield.

people in the news

Doctors cited for service

Ira and Kati Doctor of Springfield are being recognized today as the Volunteers of the Day by The Valerie Fund for their efforts to help children beat cancer.

Walls accepts three

Mountainside resident Joseph A. Walls recently accepted three national awards on behalf of Bellcore.

JWP purchased, will remain in Mountainside

Mountainside-based JWP Air Technologies, one of the country's leading manufacturers of regenerative thermal oxidation equipment, and JWP Amoco, one of the country's leading manufacturers of carbon absorption systems, have been purchased by Wheelabrator Technologies Inc.

Correction policy

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SPORTS
We are the Champions

Roselle Park wins first MVC-Valley Division crown since 1984

Line play keys shutout of New Prov.

By J.R. Parrachini
Sports Editor
ROSSELLE PARK — Although the Roselle Park High School football team is averaging 40 points a game this season, the one statistic it might be most proud of is the one in which it held New Providence to just 27 yards of total offense.

H.S. Football

Improved this season and was the one area worked on the most during pre-season. Mike Hutchinson (5-9, 190), Romeo Antonuccio (5-8, 210), Barra, Tim Burgett (5-10, 195) and Nick Fowler (6-0, 210) have been stuffing the opposition at the line of scrimmage all season long.

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Roselle Park High School sophomore linebacker Russ Bazzylo is about to bring down New Providence running back Nick Haucci.

Brearily bounces back with one-point triumph

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THE WARD BROTHERS OF Monmouth, N.J., are seen in film, 'Brother's Keeper,' which will open tomorrow at the Claridge in Montclair and the Lost Picture Show in Union.

Piano concert planned

The Elizabeth Public Library will present from Alster, pianist, in concert, Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in the library auditorium, 11 S. Broad St. The program will include works by Haydn, Beethoven and Chopin.

Fischoff unique

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One has seen in a very long time. Many who have already attended this musical dramatization are looking forward to viewing it again.

Benefit set

The Association for Advancement of the Mentally Handicapped will hold a fund-raising musical event featuring Dave Goldman and the Peter Evans orchestra Saturday at the Grand Summit Hotel, Summit.

Honorary chairman is Senate President Donald T. DiFrancesco, who is accompanied by 32 business and political leaders from around the state serving on the executive committee.

Springfield residents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farnella Jr., owners of Farnella Construction Co., will be serving on the committee for the third time.

Benefits from this year's event will go to the agency's Parent Enrichment Project, which helps developmentally delayed parents cope with the pressures of raising children.

Heimall is fabulous

By Bea Smith
Linda Heimall of Lyndhurst, formerly of Union, staged a fabulous one-woman benefit concert Sunday afternoon in the auditorium of Connecticut Farms School in Union.

Accompanying both of them was Carl Baccaro, well-known accompanist, who played at the Metropolitan Opera House for eight years and who performed for President George Bush when he visited East Brunswick.

The afternoon was an absolute joy and delight, with the audience giving Heimall a standing ovation and an open invitation to come back to perform in the near future.

'Todd' is gory, brilliant

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Letter, "Not While I'm Around," "Parlor Songs," "Fogg's Asylum," "City on Fire" and "The Final Segue."

"Sweeney Todd," which was skillfully directed by Michael Menel, with fine musical direction by Jeffrey Sever, and splendid choreography by Sharon Haley, was a surprising, and rather shocking ending.

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Whether it's a dinner for two, party of 10 or a banquet, you're bound to find something to your liking on these pages.

The section consists of restaurant listings, restaurant ads, house specialties and catering facilities.

We have presented a list of the leading restaurants—all in alphabetical order for your convenience. For each one, we have included some essential information to help you make your choice. If you need more information, feel free to call the restaurant.

Select according to location, type of food, hours and prices. Many are wheelchair accessible. Some also provide special low sodium alternatives for those people who have to pay special attention to their salt intake. Most accept major credit cards.

Dining out has become so popular these days, we wanted you to have a handy reference guide for everything from a quick bite after work to an elegant evening on the town.

This guide also has another special feature—a directory of caterers. If you're planning a wedding reception, anniversary party or a very special event, you won't want to miss this section. Don't wait! Reservations are being filled fast.

To tantalize your taste buds, we asked restaurant owners and chefs to provide an outstanding "Specialty of the House."

They graciously complied, so you will find exotic, exciting dishes with an explanation on how they are prepared and the manner they're presented. Some of these specialties may be a unique creation done by the chef himself.

In many cases, we've outlined the recipe if you'd like to try it at home for comparison's sake.

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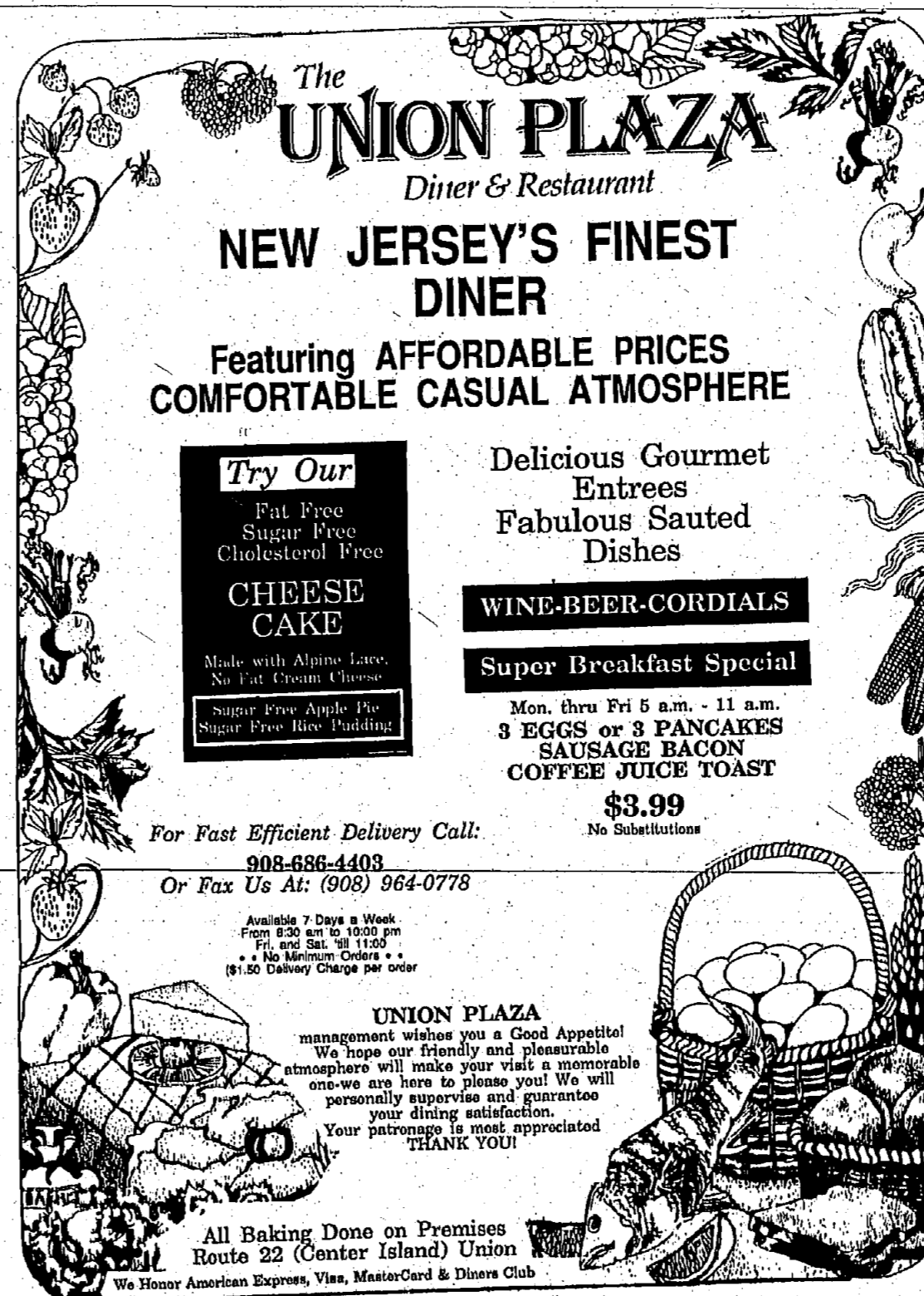
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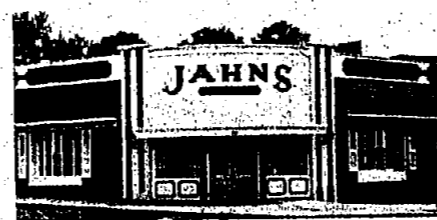
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AS SEEN IN THE CITIZEN, WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1992

Jahn's Of Union — Continuing A Tasty Tradition For Almost 100 Years
By RODI ALEXANDER



UNION — Carrying on a tradition that began in 1897 is more than mere words. Most dining establishments have been long forgotten by the time their 120th anniversary would have rolled around. This won't be the case with Jahn's Restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor, 945 Stuyvesant Avenue in this township. The Follino family and its staff sincerely believe in the tradition that started so many years ago.

Ice Cream... yes, that's what it was that brought about the premises of Jahn's when ice cream parlors were trendy. But Jahn's survived longer than the trend, because they added homemade food selections to their

dessert menu, keeping the customers' yearning alive. Joining the present, Jahn's is big, airy, comfortable. There is plenty of space between booths, decorated in tones of beige.

Q&A: Miss Stefania and her husband Sherry Chef speak to customers by name as they mention daily specials. To know for my big appetite, so I revealed in three of the daily blackboard specials: the half loaf rock loaf stuffed pepper, and the quiche. The quiche was especially tasty. It was quite something other than eggs in a quick, and all in relatively inexpensive price. I also enjoyed the pepperoni firecracker sandwich. And I loved the stuffed pork. (It's my favorite menu.) At Jahn's, simple fare is popular and tasty.

Other house favorites prepared by chef Mike D'Amico include: Veal stuffed marsh, lemon chicken, filet of sole maitre, chicken tips, crostini with green peppers, onions,

mushrooms over rice, big ribs and chicken, beef liver aux, beef brisole, pepper steak over rice, veal and peppers, beef hash, short ribs, and most kind of pork along with two well-known Greek specialties, souvlaki and portokalito. The large menu offers many more other selections including Italian cuisine, salads, sandwiches, char-broiled favorites, and appetizers, as well as "breakfast anytime" specialties and for those watching their calories, a diet control approved menu.

The restaurant also features cocktails, wine, beer and liquor. Naturally, the ice cream that originally made Jahn's famous covers a spectrum of choices. Real old-fashioned Italian ice cream and soft-serve ice cream in a mouth-watering delectable. The hot fudge sundae and hot fudge splurge are considered the ultimate.

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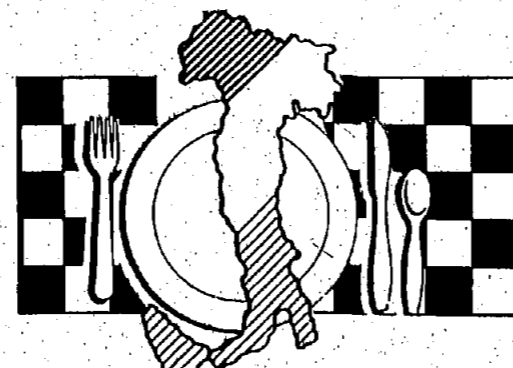
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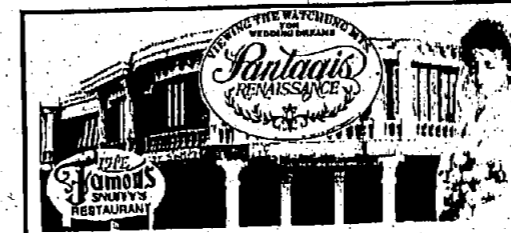
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DINING REVIEW

*** AS SEEN IN THE UNION LEADER SEPT. 17, 1992

IHOP

Tasty pancakes plus much, much more — and they deliver!

Michelle Kenny, owner with husband, Paul, of the Eliza and Union IHOP, have a special message for children, from left, Meghan, Stephanie, S and Kaito, S, who are preparing to order their favorite pancakes.

By Chuck Repak

The dining experience at International House of Pancakes on the 22nd corner of Union in Union or at 465 N. Broad St. in Elizabethtown, is an experience in variety.

The variety extends beyond the continental breakfast menu that adorns the walls of the restaurant, and beyond the ubiquitous large breakfast omelette in referring to the building — the front room is called the "terrace room," the kitchen is the "cafeteria," the "real chef" is the "sous-chef."

The "real" important variety at IHOP is that of the food offered on the menu. The classic conception of IHOP as a workweek breakfast buffet is correct, but only half the story. That's because IHOP offers much more than breakfast — in lunch and dinner menus equal in breadth and offering in variety and in quality.

In the 32 years since the first IHOP opened its doors in the United States, it has been justly renowned for its breakfast menu. The range and creativity of the entrees are unmatched by any other breakfast restaurant south of the border and seafood omelette; chocolate chip pancakes; "Rooey Thooey" French fries; an egg breakfast; sausage-fruit-pancake concept; conceit; and the famous "International Pancakes," offered in French, German and Swedish varieties.

An impressive recent addition to the pancake lineup is Harvest Grain 'n' Nut Pancakes, made with whole grain and dotted with almonds and English walnuts. Available as a side dish or an entree, because they are as filling as they are tasty.

Lunch and dinner offer low prices and old favorites. The "Honeydew"

Dinner menu features such items as T-bone steak, roasted chicken and fish and chips, at prices ranging from \$6.25 to \$25. Other dinner entrees include London Broil selections, Chicken Cordon Rouge and halibut and seafood dishes.

Lunch items range from burgers and salads to club sandwiches and Philly cheesesteak. Of interest to weight watchers is the "Lighter Fare" menu, which includes low-calorie beef hash and chef's salads.

An additional attraction for value-conscious diners is the "Bunch of Lunches" and "Complete Dinners" menus, each of which consists of a dozen selections that include side dishes and beverages, for \$7.49 or less.

Two more unusual and very special features at the Union and Elizabethtown IHOPs are the First Delivery and First Delivery for Kids, Paul and Michelle Kenny, owners of the two restaurants, personally meet the diner at the IHOP in America that delivers. The Elizabethtown restaurant delivers to Elizabeth and Fort Newark, while the Union restaurant delivers to Union, Springfield, Mountaineer, Hibernia, Kinnelon and Summit. Paul, Michelle and the IHOP staff are 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Phone 908-527-3333 in Union or 951-8833 in Elizabethtown.

Union manager Dana Bremer and the food staff need a popular feature since its introduction a year and a half ago, allow a child 12 years old or under to get a free meal when an accompanying adult buys an entree.

The International House of Pancakes is a terrific pancake house. It is also a terrific restaurant.

This column is intended to inform our readers about dining opportunities in the area.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE OF PANCAKES RESTAURANT

EARLY BIRD SR. MENU

MONDAY - FRIDAY
2:30 - 5:30

HOT TURKEY SANDWICH

Turkey Breast served on Open Faced White Bread with Mashed Potatoes and Cranberry Sauce \$3.99

YANKEE POT ROAST SANDWICH

Served on a Roll with Mashed Potatoes and Apple Sauce \$3.99

GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST

Served with French Fries and Cole Slaw \$4.49

FISH FRY

Two pieces of Batter-Dipped Cod, served with French Fries, Cole Slaw and Tartar Sauce \$3.99

Dinners

Complete dinners served anytime.
Served with Dinner Salad or Soup if the Fry and Roll with Dinner use as we eat or make more meals complete (see menu card) as you wish.

T-BONE

Served with Potato and Vegetable \$6.99

LIVER DINNER

Served with Potato and Vegetable \$4.99

VEAL or CHICKEN FARMIGIANA

Served with Spaghetti and Garlic Bread \$4.99

GROUND BEEF STEAK

Served with Potato and Vegetable \$4.99

SHRIMP FRY

8 Clusters of Breaded Shrimp served with Potato and Vegetable \$4.99

BREAST OF TURKEY DINNER

Breast of Turkey served with Stuffing and Cranberry Sauce. Accompanied with Vegetable and Potato \$4.99

ROTIIS CHICKEN

Served with Potato and Vegetable \$4.99

FOR DESSERT

Ilella 75 / Pudding 75 / Pie of the Day \$1.25
Sundaes 99 / Ice Cream 75
If you require any of our regular lunch items, the discount will be given.