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District ninth graders show 'high' test levels

By ABNER GOLD
Entering ninth graders in the Union County Regional High School District "demonstrated high levels of achievement in all areas" in their scores in a nationwide standardized test given this fall, Dr. Francis Kenny, director of pupil personnel services, reported to the Regional Board of Education Tuesday night at Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark.

He added, however, that students in all of the district's four schools had slightly lower scores than did incoming freshmen a year before. He added that the next opportunity to check on the progress of students will come this May, when last year's freshmen will take standardized tests again, at the end of their sophomore year. The results for this year's ninth graders are

as follows, with percentages given for the numbers below average, average and above average, on a nationwide scale, for each subject tested:

Districtwide—Reading, 12 below average, 60 average, 28 above average; English, 13, 57, 30; mathematics, 12, 57, 31; mental ability, 12, 54, 34.

Jonathan Dayton Regional, Springfield and Mountainside—Reading, 11, 60, 29; English, 12, 57, 31; mathematics, 12, 58, 36; mental ability, 13, 48, 40.

David Brearley Regional, Kenilworth and Garwood—Reading, 17, 66, 17; English, 17, 60, 22; mathematics, 17, 66, 18; mental ability, 18, 61, 21.

Johnson Regional, Clark—Reading, 14, 69, 17; English, 15, 60, 25; mathematics, 11, 65, 23; mental ability, 11, 67, 22.

Gov. Livingston Regional, Berkeley Heights—Reading, 8, 48, 44; English, 10, 51, 39; mathematics, 10, 47, 43; mental ability, 7, 43, 50.

Kenny commented, "The English and mathematics coordinators reviewed the results to identify areas of strength and weakness in their academic areas."

"Coordinators and teacher leaders distributed individual student scores to classroom teachers for use in remedial instruction within the classroom."

"Administrative staff received the results for

review of district and individual school needs.

"Test results were shared with the constituent districts at meetings with the superintendents and administrative staff."

"Guidance counselors received individual student test results for use in counseling students and their parents."

He also noted, "A comparison of individual student achievement with the measured mental ability of the student indicates that the largest percentage of students are achieving in the expected range of their ability. Two to four percent are achieving above the expected level, while seven to 16 percent are achieving below the expected level."

IN OTHER BUSINESS before an audience of

some 20 citizens, the board approved changes in the policy governing substitute teachers. All substitutes must have full state certification in the subjects to which they are assigned, rather than certification as substitutes.

After 10 days in a row in the same classroom, each substitute will be paid at the first step on the salary scale for teachers with bachelor's degrees, or about \$50 a day. Longterm substitutes had been paid at whatever level their qualifications placed them on the salary scale, sometimes as much as \$100 per day.

In addition, the daily rate for substitutes teaching less than 10 days at a time was raised from \$22 to \$25 per day.

The board introduced a policy change which would open individual student records for use

by state investigators examining cases of possible child abuse or neglect.

Board members commended members of the Dayton choral groups add their teachers, Edward and Kim Shiley, for their holiday concert which was televised over Channel 11 on Christmas Eve.

The board approved a pay raise from \$10,300 per year to \$11,450 for Louis Spirito, Dayton English teacher, who has received a master's degree.

Betty Ruffley, Dayton librarian, was raised from \$1,075 to \$1,175 for her additional duties as district Title I director.

The board approved the hiring of a part-time biology teacher for two periods a day at Brearley Regional, for the purpose of reducing class size.



UKRAINIAN DAY—Local residents display traditional costumes as Mayor Thomas J. Ricciardi proclaims Jan. 22 as Ukrainian Independence Day in Mountainside. The Ukrainian flag will be raised at Borough Hall Jan. 22 to mark the 59th anniversary

of the proclamation of a free Ukrainian National Republic. Shown are, from left, Victoria Koster, Mona Huk, Mrs. Walter Koster and Mrs. Walter Stogryn. (Photo-Graphics)

Ricciardi reports uncertainty over plans for Rt. 78

By JEFF FEINGOLD

Continued indecisiveness about Rt. 78, the near-complete renovation of the Echobrook building, the need to produce a master plan for the borough and the "frustration" he finds in the state government were some of the items discussed by Mayor Thomas Ricciardi in his address at the Mountainside Borough Council organization meeting as he looked back at 1976.

Almost every seat was filled at the Mountainside Public Library's meeting room for the session which included swearing in ceremonies for Republican incumbents Abe Suckno and Nicholas Bradshaw, who were reelected in November.

The mayor, in making his address, told the spectators that, "there are no changes concerning Rt. 78. We have been abreast of the situation. Our control is limited, however, and I do not anticipate final selection of the alignment for six months to a year. All I can say is that council will stay informed of the situation and advise the borough of any changes."

Concerning the Echobrook building, the mayor said, "I have found that government is a slow process. It has been five years since Art Winters and his committee were appointed to look at locations for a borough hall." But he added that "the current move into our new municipal building will give us the opportunity to look at the structure of our administrative functions."

He also told the audience and council that a master plan for the borough must be produced by February 1978, saying "our attitude here will determine the type of community Mountainside will be and how it will fit into this growing, changing community of Union County."

Towards the end of his address, looking away from his notes, the mayor said he was frustrated by the state and its bureaucracy and waste, adding, "we've got to get an attitude of conservatism where a man does a day's work for a day's pay without giving money away. We should do all we can to elect officials who care and will do something for us." The full text of his speech will appear next week.

Business conducted at the meeting included appointment of council members to the body's various committees. The list, with the first name being chairman, is as follows:

Ethics, assessment and collection of taxes, finance and executive—Nicholas Bradshaw, Donald Halbsgut and Bruce Geiger. Building Committee, buildings and grounds—Halbsgut, Geiger and John P. O'Connell.

Engineering, public works—Geiger, Bradshaw, Abraham Suckno.

Police, licenses, laws and rules—Suckno, O'Connell, William Cullen.

Welfare—Suckno, Cullen, Halbsgut.

Water, fire and civil defense, lights—O'Connell, Geiger, Cullen.

Recreation—Cullen, Suckno, Halbsgut.

Geiger was unanimously renamed council



MAYOR THOMAS RICCIARDI

president and also was named council representative to the tax and planning boards. Other council representation will be: Board of Health—Cullen; Board of Education—Bradshaw; library—Ricciardi; Rescue Squad—Halbsgut; civil defense—O'Connell; welfare—Suckno; shade tree—Halbsgut; recreation—Cullen.

The council voted an approximately \$346,000 temporary appropriation to cover municipal expenses until the 1977 budget is adopted. The monies, which represent one-fourth of the 1976 budget, include about \$154,000 for salaries and about \$192,000 for expenses.

The session also included the appointments of borough employees and members of various local committees.

Named to the Board of Health were Jacob Eisen, Dr. Richard Smith, Leonard Chavkin, Joseph Car and Dr. Campbell Howard. Shade Tree Commission members will be Joseph Moran, Mrs. Joseph Kane and Laurence Curtiss. J. Robert Butler will be civil defense director.

Other appointments include: Local Assistance Board—Mrs. Marilyn Tonneson, Wilbur H. Brumfield, Eleanor Hechtel; Recreation Commission—John G. Walsh, John Hechtel, John A. Connelly, Mrs. John Hance, Mrs. Adele Magnolia, Matthew V. Powers, W. Tex Jackson. Tax Assessors Board—Robert Koser (secretary), Matthew V. Powers, Frank S. Torma. Municipal Library trustees—

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Police say snow helped cause 3 Rt. 22 accidents

The second snowstorm of the season, which hit Mountainside Dec. 28, was a contributing factor in three Rt. 22 accidents that day. All drivers involved, however, escaped injury.

The first crash occurred at 1:30 a.m. in the westbound lanes of the highway across from Parkway. Borough police said a car driven by Kevin P. Murphy, 19, of Scotch Plains lost control on the icy pavement and ran into the rear of a truck, operated by Beebe W. Roberts Jr., 62, of Hillside, which was parked on the side of the highway.

At 2 a.m., in the eastbound lanes between Glen road and Cornell parkway, a two-car crash was reported. According to police, one auto, driven by Judith A. Berger, 20, of Union, was cut off by a vehicle making a turn. Police said Berger applied the brakes, but lost control on the ice and hit the rear of an auto driven by Ronald F. Tagliareni, 18, of Chatham.

The third mishap occurred at 6:26 a.m. on Rt. 22 West near the old Mountainside Gospel Chapel. Police said a car operated by Gonzalo S. Villacis, 20, of Newark, was pulling into the right lane, after passing a tractor-trailer truck driven by Leonard J. Heflich, 46, of Westwood, when the car went out of control on the ice, spun around and collided with the truck.

Scholarship aid offered by AAUW

The Mountainside Branch of the American Association of University Women this week urged Mountainside young women home from college for the holiday season to obtain and complete the scholarship forms offered for the 1977-1978 school year.

The only requirements for obtaining a scholarship are that the applicant be a Mountainside resident, already attending college and showing academic achievement, and in need of financial assistance.

A fellowship is also offered to any Mountainside girl or woman who is engaged in full-time graduate study.

Mrs. William Staake, chairman of the scholarship committee, urged those interested to contact her at 1509 Fox Trail, Mountainside, 233-4315.

Expanded programs, new equipment cause high hopes at Overlook for '77

Regionalization of hospital services, containment of hospital costs, resolution of zoning problems, expanded alcoholism treatment services, broadening of medical education and continued outreach to the community—these were the major thrusts in 1976 for Overlook Hospital in Summit, 600-bed community teaching affiliate of Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Installation of a \$400,000 CAT Scanner (computerized axial tomography), the first operative hospital-based scanner in the state, has made Overlook a regional center for this diagnostic procedure. Painless and virtually without risk, CAT eliminates previous hazardous diagnostic procedures in many cases, revealing tumors and other disorders at an early, treatable stage. Overlook is referral center for some 15 hospitals, thus eliminating unnecessary duplication of costly equipment yet providing highly advanced technology for area patients.

Overlook also became an electrocardiograph interpretation center for outlying hospitals, clinics and industries through the installation of a \$250,000 EKG computer complex, first in a national network of such centers to be set up in hospitals across the country. Within minutes the Overlook EKG system sends back the EKG interpretation to the source, with expert cardiologists available at Overlook for double-check or advice in cases with complications, or to satellites where no cardiologist may be present.

Also serving a wide area, Overlook's Comprehensive Alcohol Treatment Program received a third-year grant of \$240,000 (total grant \$903,500) from the National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism; 394 patients received care from the 20 staff members of the Alcohol Treatment Program, their needs ranging from detoxification as inpatients, through treatment for alcohol-related diseases, individual and family counseling and therapy groups meeting daytime, evening and weekends, membership in Alcoholics Anonymous, Alateen (for spouses) and Alateen (for children of alcoholics), all of which meet regularly at the hospital.

The Overlook Consortium for area industries aimed at increasing production by providing therapy through early identification of

alcoholism, helps with family and financial problems or other disturbing situations. A number of major industries, as well as federal agencies, are enrolled in the Overlook Consortium which is open to new members and has a target population of 10,000. Experience has shown that loss of job is the strongest motivating factor in the problem of alcoholism, with a 70-80 percent success rate in treatment.

PRIMARY EMPHASIS in medical education at Overlook has been in the field of primary or direct patient care, with 93 house staff officers taking their residencies in family practice, internal medicine, pediatrics, radiology and pathology.

As part of the first suburban community hospital teaching affiliate of Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons, Overlook residents have the privilege of attending Columbia for electives, while Columbia students, in turn, come to Overlook during their second year for direct introduction to patient care.

Fourth-year medical students from Columbia choose electives at Overlook in primary care, community medicine, emergency medicine, surgery, psychiatric, alcoholism treatment and addictive problems. In addition, there are 18 rotating interns from

Slimnastics class starts Wednesday

The winter session of slimmastics sponsored by the Mountainside Recreation Commission will begin on Wednesday. The morning session will meet from 10 to 11, the evening class from 8 to 9.

Sandy Everly will again provide instruction. The registration fee is \$12 for the 10-week program. Registrations are being accepted at Borough Hall between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays.

Registrations are also being accepted for the Jan. 15 Camelback ski trip. The \$12.50 registration fee includes bus transportation and lift ticket. Rentals and lessons are available for an additional charge.

For additional information, readers may call the recreation office, 232-0015.

Columbia who will later take specialty residency programs at Columbia. Fifty members of the Overlook medical staff have faculty posts at Columbia, with frequent lectures and symposia between the two institutions.

Medic One, Overlook's emergency mobile intensive care unit, one of the first in a pilot group in the state, reported 850 calls in response to heart attacks and other critical emergencies.

Overlook's laboratories have been strengthened by the addition of three pathologists, under the direction of Dr. Ber-

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FULL SPEED AHEAD—The Frank McTeigues, father and son, flash across the snow at Echo Lake Park as the winter sports

season comes to Mountainside.

(Photo-Graphics)

Dayton overwhelms Pingry for championship of tourney

By MIKE MEIXNER
The Jonathan Dayton Regional High School basketball team rolled over Roselle Park and previously undefeated Pingry to capture the 1976 Dayton Invitational Tournament. The team will host Caldwell tomorrow in a Suburban Conference match. The squad now sports a 5-1 log and is riding on a four-game winning streak.

In the tournament, the Brearley Bears of Kenilworth were matched against unbeaten Pingry. Pingry look an early second-half lead and withstood a futile Brearley rally in the closing minutes to record a 59-51 victory. Pingry had a 40-29 lead at halftime and at one point opened a 15-point bulge.

Pingry was led by the scoring power of Mark O'Connor. O'Connor hit for 22 points and consistently burned the nets from long range. Doug Beinfuhr also sparkled, connecting for 17

points. Other key performers for Pingry were Chuck Allen, Joe Torcivia and John Sprowls.

Ken Hoffmann starred in defeat, controlling the backboards at both ends of the court and scoring well from underneath the hoop. Brother Steve Hoffmann exhibited fine ball control throughout the game.

In the opening round, Dayton was matched against winless Roselle Park and responded with a convincing 77-54 victory. After holding a 38-26 lead at the intermission, Dayton, led by Steve Pepe, came up firing. Early in the third period Dayton pulled up by 19 points and out of the reach of the befuddled Roselle Park squad.

Once again, Kevin Doty led the Bulldogs, connecting for 20 points. Doty and Kevin Walker led in the rebounding column. Pepe scored 19 points, as did Willie Wilburn. Wilburn was a key factor in the game. Since acquiring a starting role, Willie has scored consistently as

well as improved his defense considerably. Willie's 19 markers represented his season high output.

Walker scored seven points, while Kenny Baskin, coming off of an early season illness, contributed four and rebounded well. Guards John Kronert and Ted Parker contributed four and three points respectively, and Frank Zahn, getting his first taste of varsity action, added a foul shot. Skip Ligouri played brilliantly at the guard spot, as did Brian McNany. Ken Fingerhut, Dave Ironson and Israel Joseph saw limited action and Kenny Feld, up from the junior varsity squad, was inserted with 20 seconds remaining.

Wednesday night began with the consolation game between Brearley and Roselle Park to determine the tourney's third-place finisher. Brearley held onto edge Roselle Park, 58-56. Once again, Ken Hoffmann led the Kenilworth boys. He topped the scoring with 15 points and led the rebounding. Steve Cansalene played aggressive defense in the late going to help preserve the victory.

At halftime Brearley led, 32-25. After the break, however, sharpshooting Craig Johnson of Roselle Park led his team back, the rally falling just short. Johnson, who led all scorers in the Dayton game with 21, again capped scoring honors, hitting for 23 points.

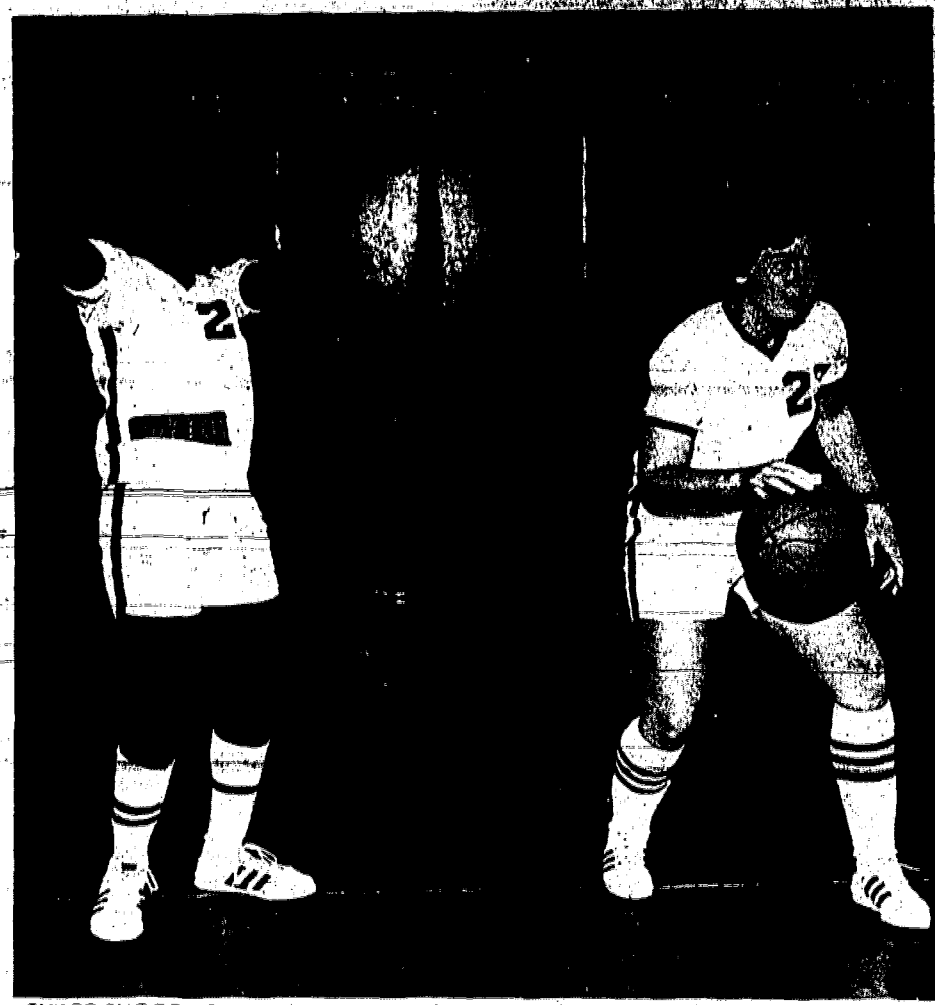
Dayton, featured against Pingry in the championship contest, ran all over the squad from Hillside. The Bulldogs coasted to an 80-50 victory after leading by 20 at halftime. It was never questionable that Dayton was going to stop the previously undefeated Pingry team.

Pepe shot brilliantly, especially from the outside, finishing with 24 points. Pepe's total was the highest for a Dayton player on the season. Doty and Walker commanded the boards and each connected for 16 points. The two big Juniors have held their own throughout the season, each being key factors in the team's brilliant record. Wilburn sparkled once again, scoring 14 points and contributing a fine floor game. Willie displayed some of his crowd-pleasing moves. McNany came off the bench to score six points and show continuous hustle. McNany also turned in a fine floor game. Skip Ligouri, who started the game at guard, hit a bucket to spark the potent attack, as did Ted Parker.

Pingry featured a balanced attack, with John Sprowls' 12 markers topping the squad. Following him were Bob Megollon with 11 and Doug Beinfuhr with 10. Mark O'Connor, who had hit for 22 markers the night before, was held to six points.

After the tournament, an all-star team was picked among the four squads. Dayton placed forwards Pepe and Doty on the squad. Other selections included O'Connor (Pingry), Craig Johnson (Roselle Park) and Ken Hoffmann (Kenilworth).

Coach Raymond Yanchus announced the selection of defensive player of the week and substitute of the week. The former honor went to Kevin Doty (for the second consecutive week), and the latter was presented to sparkplug Brian McNany.



SHARP SHOOTERS — Key performers for the Jonathan Dayton Regional High School girls' varsity basketball team are Cricket Franklin, left, and Sue Tacovsky. (Photo-Graphics)

Girls' team falls, 57-56; faces Caldwell tomorrow

By MIKE MEIXNER
The Jonathan Dayton Regional High School girls' basketball team dropped a heartbreaking 57-56 decision to Rahway, lowering their season record to 2-2. The team will travel to Caldwell tomorrow to meet their Suburban Conference foe.

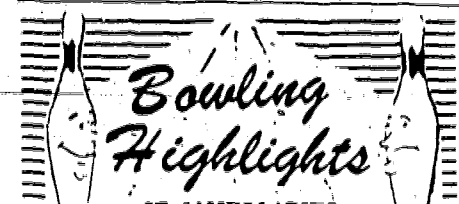
The squad had opened up a convincing 42-point halftime advantage before the third quarter downfall began. The team ended the disastrous period on the low end of the score. Even a fairly strong final stanza could not propel the squad to victory.

Despite the disappointing loss, Sue Tacovsky was brilliant in defeat, scoring 25 points and playing aggressive defense from her forward spot. Unfortunately for the squad, Tacovsky was injured later in the week, and is forced to miss considerable action, a crushing blow to Coach Ruth Townsend's athletes.

Liz (Cricket) Franklin hit for 17 points during the contest, combining with Tacovsky to score a large majority of the team's 56-point output.

Center Mary King and guard Ellen Stieve, both sophomores, each tallied seven points. King rebounded well, while Stieve turned in an impressive floor game.

Despite not scoring, freshman Kathy Gerndt played the full game and directed the offense from her point guard position. Kathy has a bright future ahead of her at Dayton.



ST. JAMES LADIES
Four Seasons: Terry Schmidt, 158-176-169-503; Marge Johnson, 155-197-480; Anna Smith, 188-163-479; Kay Scheider, 161-456; Dolores Johnson, 152-161-446; Doris Egan, 154-439; Florence Murphy, 159-437; Ann Schaffernoth, 437; Gen Ammanno, 158-430; Helen Stickle, 161-150-423; Linda Stewart, 157-417; Madlyn Haines, 178-414; Meg Mende, 158-410; Marge Donninger, 157-408.

Top teams are the 1st place team Jets, 2nd place team Twin Goats, 3rd place team C.C. Ward and A. & M's.

ST. JAMES LADIES
Four Seasons: Earlier scores: Kay Scheider, 162-170-165-497; Dolores Johnson, 182-171-493; Eleanor Ward, 167-196-492; Angela Ragonesse, 159-180-487; Kathy Ehrhardt, 182-154-468; Marge Donninger, 178-150-467; Marge Johnson, 168-166-468; Mary Rizzo, 193-445; Cathy Mann, 158-178-444; Ethel Ernst, 151-428; Ida Caprio, 153-424; Terry Schmidt, 424; Madelyn Teja, 421; Sally Chesley, 151-410; Alma Fernandez, 152-406; Helen Stickle, 159-405; Angela Blanda, 404; Florence Murphy, 402; Caren Afflito, 157; Jane Planer, 154; Winnie Ligouri, 150.

Seniors aid community
The Senior Community Service Employment Program, supported by the U.S. Department of Labor, provided 19,700 workers 55 and over with part-time community service jobs in the 1976 fiscal year; the workers, all economically disadvantaged, worked in a variety of activities in day care centers, schools, hospitals, senior citizen centers, and on beautification, conservation and restoration projects.

Quinn named ECAC all-star

Terry Quinn of Mountaineer, a junior middleguard at Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vt., has been named to the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Association Division III All-Star football team and to the U.P.I. College Division All-New England first team as a defensive tackle.

He has also been awarded honorable mention in the A.P. Little All-American team as a defensive guard.

Quinn, a varsity player for two years at Gov. Livingston Regional High School, was a key figure in the Middlebury Panthers' defensive line, which posted a 7-1 season record.

"Terry, developed into the best nose guard in our conference," said Middlebury Coach Mickey Heineken. He has good size, but it isn't size that makes him so good. He has exceptional speed. And you have to remember that he came here as a tackle and made the switch last year."

In 1974, Quinn was defensive captain on Middlebury's undefeated freshman team.

Matmen begin regular season this Saturday

by MICHAEL PETRO
The Jonathan Dayton Regional High School varsity wrestling team, led by Pat Picciotto, finished in fifth place in the Union County wrestling tournament last Tuesday.

The team will begin its dual meet season this Saturday against Hillside in a home meet starting at 2 p.m.

Dayton scored 51 points in the county tournament with first place Westfield scoring 101 points. Fourteen teams competed in the meet.

Picciotto, a sophomore wrestling at 108 pounds, defeated Bob Yingling of Berkeley Heights for the championship in their weight class. Picciotto had previously finished in third place in the Gov. Livingston tournament held a week before.

Dean Pashalan at 101 pounds and Mike Calabrese at 115 both wrestled their way to second place in the tournament. Pashalan is a sophomore while Calabrese is a junior.

Senior Alan Layton at 135 pounds and junior Dan Solozzi at 148 both finished in fourth place to round out Dayton's top scorers.

Head Coach Richard Iacono said he was elated with the teams performance. "We wrestled exceptionally well. I never expected to be that high up in the standings. We finished ahead of teams that had consistently beat us in past years."

Coach Iacono also noted that of the top five Dayton finishers, only one was a senior. "Our younger wrestlers are doing great; they are really picking up the slack in our attack."

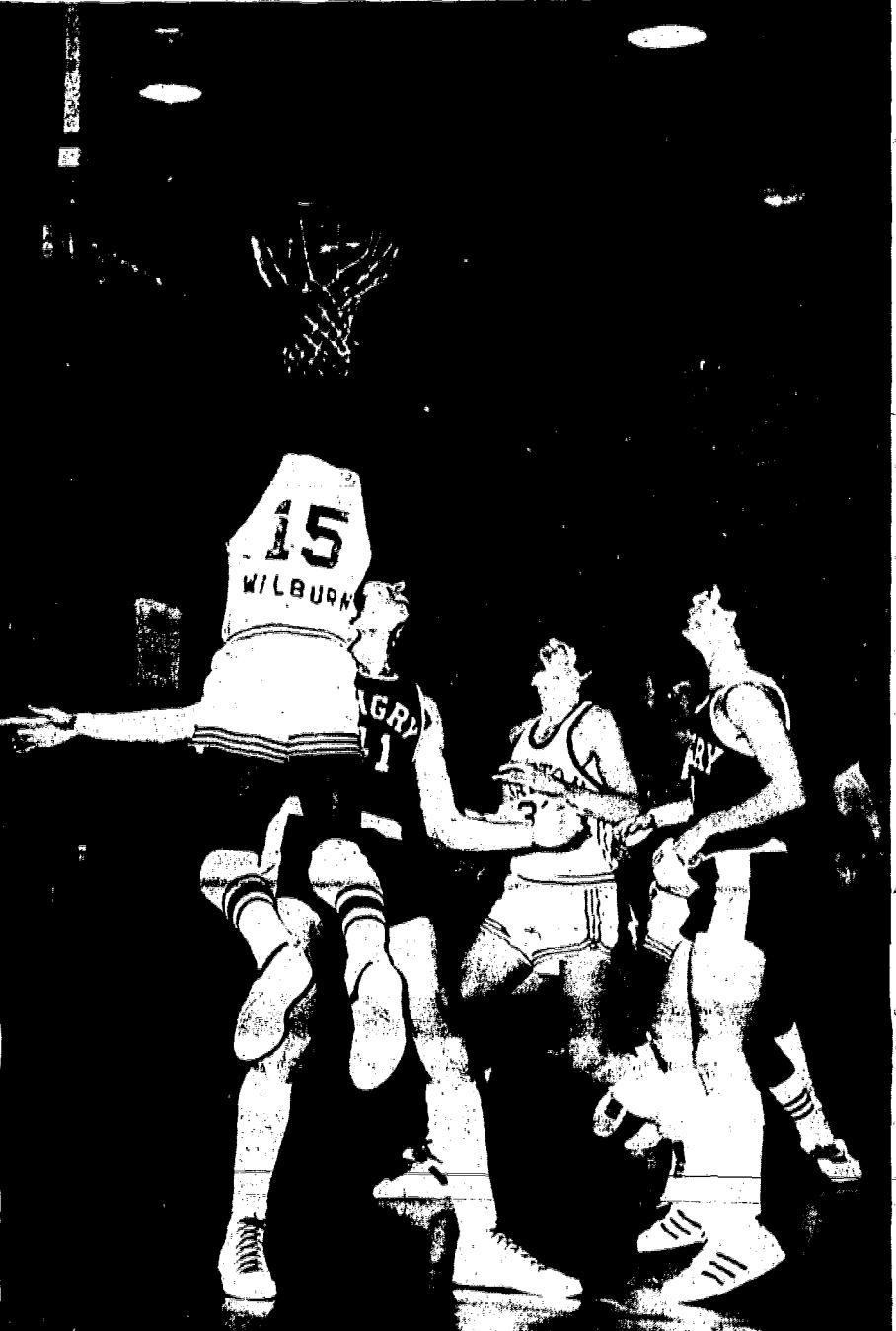
Iacono is eagerly anticipating the dual meet season that is coming up. "We did so well in the tournaments, that with this young team we could go a long way."

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JUMP SHOT—Willie Wilburn scores against Pingry as the Jonathan Dayton Regional High School basketball team sweeps to title in the annual Dayton holiday tournament. Wilburn moved into the starting lineup with tournament games of 19 and 14 points. (Photo by Jim Adams)

State agency forecasts good year for ice fishing

Winter fishing in fresh waters, both through the ice and in unfrozen waters, is now open and offers excellent sporting possibilities, according to the N.J. Division of Fish, Game and Shellfisheries.

Through the ice or in unfrozen waters, brook, brown and rainbow trout; smallmouth and largemouth bass; walleye; chain pickerel; northern pike; rock bass; black and white crappie; white and yellow perch; catfish; sunfish; suckers, carp, and eels may be taken during the winter until March 13, including trout-stocked waters. After March 13, trout may not be taken and fishing is prohibited in trout-stocked waters until the trout season reopens on April 9.

Ice fishing is permitted whenever ice is present. Tip-ups must be ice-surfaced. Open-water fishing is allowed all during the period. Many waters are open to fishing after March 13.

A. Bruce Pyle, chief of the division's bureau of fisheries, said that the ice fishing season this winter should be a good one since New Jersey has not had much ice cover for several years. As a result, the stocks of fish, especially yellow perch and pickerel, should contain increased numbers of large fish. Ice fishing permits fishing access to waters that are normally difficult to fish properly at other times of the year when aquatic vegetation may make fishing and boating difficult.

Lakes and ponds in the state have already had more ice on them this winter than many have had in several years. It looks promising for a good ice fishing season, if the weather continues to cooperate, Pyle said.

Some of the waters in northern New Jersey that are considered to afford good winter fishing include Mountain, Silver, Swartswood, Wawayanda, Cranberry, Sheppard's, Budd, Pompton, and Greenwood lakes. Lake Hopatcong is a perennial favorite.

Pyle pointed out that Lake Musconetcong is open to fishing through the ice but is closed to fishing while unfrozen.

Spruce Run Reservoir is a popular winter fishing water, and Round Valley Reservoir offers good winter fishing but seldom freezes sufficiently for fishing through the ice.

In the central part of the state, Farrington, Manalapan, Shadow, Takanassese and Dunalapan lakes, and Englishtown Mill Pond are well worth trying. Lake Assumpink on the Assumpink Fish and Wildlife Management Area also offers very good prospects.

Pyle advised winter anglers that they should be cautious when going ice fishing and determine definitely that the ice is safe before going on it.

For beginners, Pyle recommended two of the quickest ways to learn the places and methods to winter fish is to go out with an experienced hand at the sport or observe a veteran on a lake such as Hopatcong.

Winter fishermen should refer to the New Jersey Summary of 1977 Fishing Laws, obtainable free from license issuing agents, for details of the regulations and license requirements. New fishing licenses and trout stamps for 1977 are now available at all agents.

"Winter fishing, especially ice fishing which can be combined with an old fashioned skating party, is a top opportunity for families and groups to get out in the open for a great day together," said Pyle.

Union County by the Sports for Charity Committee. There will be presentations of team and individual awards in the Union County Twilight League. A film of the 1976 World Series will be shown.

Tickets cost \$10 and are available through the Recreation Department, Union County Park Commission, Acme and Canton streets, Elizabeth, from 9 to 11:45 a.m. and from 1 to 4:30 p.m.

Umpire Williams at Hot Stove event

The 41st annual Hot Stove League baseball dinner, sponsored by the Union County Baseball Association in cooperation with the Union County Park Commission, will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 p.m. at the Town and Campus, Rt. 1, Elizabeth.

Featured speakers for the dinner include National League umpire Bill Williams, who umpired in the 1976 World Series, as well as past World Series and Major League All-Star games. Williams began umpiring in Union County back in the 1950s, turning professional in 1956. He has been umpiring in the major leagues since 1961. John M. Infanger Jr., pastor of the First Methodist Church, Somerville, will also speak.

Other activities include induction of past county baseball greats into the Union County Hall of Fame and presentation of the Chris Zusi Memorial Award to the top amateur athlete of the year in

SOCCER SCENE

By BILL WILD
Is soccer dead in the winter? You can bet your "sweet bippy" it isn't. Live soccer will be in full bloom in the Elizabeth Armory for a few weeks with some of the best teams in the area competing. You may even see a Union County SC vs the Elizabeth Lancer match there. When you play indoors you only use seven men and I think that will even things up for the two Farcher's Grove teams when the time comes.

The Union Lancer teams will go indoors today when the youth movement will compete against other towns at South Orange Junior High. These games were well attended last year, and with the upswing of soccer I suspect there will be more moms and dads at these games.

Network TV, you are making a big mistake. CBS has dropped its option on NASL matches in the coming season. All I can say to that is that Saturdays and Sundays are getting to be more enjoyable for the soccer fan every week. After the Super Bowl, sports fans will be hunting the channels for something extra special to watch other than "Howard Cosel, coming to you from ringside."

Public broadcasting and the ethnic UHF stations are taking many soccer fans away from that phony world of boxing, arm wrestling, and others.

My TV soccer Saturday starts at 1 p.m. on Channel 41—from Paterson—They usually broadcast a Mexican match of fairly recent vintage. I can't understand Spanish but that doesn't bother me. I learned many new names and, who knows, they might show up again this season in the NASL. At 4 p.m. I switch to Channel 47 from Newark and Linden and watch a First Division match of two German teams. These matches are also announced in Spanish but no matter how you say it, Schalke is still Schalke in any language. You Farcher's Grove regulars should be interested in these matches.

Then to top off the evening, Channel 13 brings you Soccer All Stars at 6 p.m. every Saturday. This Saturday we will see West Bromwich vs. Ipswich Town. What more can you ask for?

From 3 to 4 p.m. I get a little time to spin the TV dial and catch up on the football scene.

Channel 41 broadcasts another Mexican match on Sundays at 1 p.m.

I know of many local soccer fans, going out and buying UHF antennas so they can bring in the stations more clearly to watch these games. I have never been called up and asked, "What station are you watching please?" I think they don't call the right people when there is a soccer match on national TV because they are afraid they will find out there are more soccer fans out there than they want to admit to. I know they put little gadgets in the back of TV sets to find out what the family is watching at any given time but they just don't put them in back of the right TV sets.

The Olympic broadcasts reminded me of just one big commercial for boxing with that man Howard killing it all. If they would have shown more of the minor sports — soccer, team handball, and others — they would have been doing the country some good in getting some of our youth interested in those games so we have a better chance the next time.

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State unit grant for gerontology studies at college

The New Jersey Department of Community Affairs has approved an application for \$8,550 from the College of St. Elizabeth, Convent Station, to develop a gerontology curriculum, Commissioner Patricia Q. Sheehan announced this week.

The program will be designed to train students in the knowledge and skills necessary for providing services to the elderly. "At present there are no comprehensive gerontology programs at the undergraduate level of any institution of higher education in New Jersey," Commissioner Sheehan said.

"A program of this type is needed in New Jersey so that trained personnel will be available to work for agencies that provide direct services to the elderly," she added.

Professional experts in gerontology and administrators and staff personnel working in the field of aging will be consulted in the development of the program.

Persons working in the field of aging will be permitted to attend the course even if they are not matriculated for a degree at the college, according to the college's application.

The grant will be administered by Community Affairs' Division on Aging.

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EARTHBOUND

By JOSEPH LOBIN Environmental Consultant, New York Botanical Garden

The recent referendum on casino gaming in New Jersey, which received the voters' approval on Nov. 2, may have some positive environmental side effects for the Garden State.

A key source of revenue for the state has now been inextricably linked to the well-being of New Jersey's coast, indeed to the entire coastal zone including beaches as well as the littoral zone of the sea and the organisms which make it their home. Whenever an attraction like gambling is created, it depends upon the good opinion of the tourist trade. It is, then, in the best interests of the sponsors to care for and to maintain attendant recreational and sporting facilities in the area.

When tourists arrive in a locale, the healthfulness and visual appeal of the surrounding land and sea, as well as the opportunities these offer for enjoyment, are key factors in their choice as to whether they'll return.

New Jersey's coastal zone extends from Cape May in the south to Sandy Hook in the north. Few other states can boast so extensive a seacoast and few other states have as much to lose from its misuse. The Raritan Bay area might be included amongst these resources were it not so badly despoiled.

There will be pressure, then, upon legislators on the local, county and state levels to stay on their toes regarding the coastal water resources mid-state. The full blossom of casino gaming in Atlantic City will not be realized simply on the quality and abundance of restaurants, hotels and gambling halls. The quality and abundance of sport fishing, sunbathing on clean beaches, and bathing in inviting waters will play an important role.

The presence of this new big business will draw some very important visitors to Atlantic City and it may force otherwise recalcitrant officials and agencies to be vigilant to save face, if not for reasons stemming from the desire for sound environmental management, then for reasons of economic necessity.

Bible-related art will go on exhibit

Mrs. Robin Satinsky, executive director of the Donglorum Foundation, will bring her "Robin Collection" to Princeton Seminary's Speer Library on Jan. 31.

The collection includes Bible-inspired art work from the 12th century through the 20th, from reproductions of panels in the Romanesque ceiling of St. Martin in Zillis to a paperback of "Today's Version of the Bible."

The exhibition, which has been previously shown in the Philadelphia Judaica Museum of Rodeph Shalom and the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, will continue through April 30.

Rule requires auto insurers to renew policies: Sheeran

State Insurance Commissioner James J. Sheeran said this week that a regulation he has adopted on an emergency basis is intended to prevent auto insurance companies from illegally falling to renew policies.

New Jersey law and regulation require that auto insurance policies be renewed if the policyholders desire. Non-renewal is permitted only for specific reasons, such as an accumulation of chargeable accidents or motor vehicle points.

Sheeran said that the emergency regulation is specifically intended to meet the situation created by a company's decision to terminate agencies.

"I don't want companies saying to policyholders 'we've just cancelled your agents so we don't have to renew' and I don't want the agent shunting them into the Assigned Risk Plan," Sheeran said.

On Dec. 14, The Travelers Insurance Group announced it would cancel the contracts of about one-quarter of its 250 New Jersey agents. Previously, The Hartford Insurance Group effected a major program of agency terminations in New Jersey.

To prevent abuses when agencies are terminated, Sheeran said, the new regulation provides that the insurance company must advise the policyholder in writing of his right to continue with the company. Non-renewal will be permitted if the policyholder, having been informed of his rights, agrees to the non-renewal and his coverage is placed with another company in the voluntary market. This provision in the emergency rule will take effect Jan. 12.

"This rule is intended to prevent companies from using the Assigned Risk Plan to escape their obligation to renew," Sheeran said. "This rule makes perfectly clear that once a company issues a policy of auto insurance, it is obligated to renew and can only non-renew if the policyholder, having been informed of his rights, agrees, or unless the policyholder compiles a driving record that permits non-renewal."

Another section of the regulation which will take effect Feb. 21, provides that a policyholder who is not being renewed be given in writing the details of the reasons for non-renewal.

Commissioner Sheeran has scheduled a public hearing on the regulation for Jan. 28 at 10 a.m. at the Department of Insurance, 201 East State st., Trenton.

Sheeran said he was adopting the regulation on an emergency rather than on a routine basis because many insureds are unaware of their rights and the termination of agencies has contributed to "an unprecedented restriction in the private passenger automobile insurance market, loss of statutory rights to renewal, and improper placement in the New Jersey Automobile Insurance Plan as assigned risks."

CHILDREN BEWARE!
The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission has warned parents to keep their children away from refuse bins. Several children have been crushed to death or severely injured by toppling bins.

Reynolds to pay recycle increase

RICHMOND, Va. — Reynolds Aluminum Recycling Company has increased from 15 cents to 17 cents a pound the amount it pays the public for recycling aluminum beverage cans and other clean household aluminum, it was announced this week by Harold L. Albrecht, president of the Reynolds Metals Co. subsidiary.

Albrecht cited projected results of the company's best volume year in 10 years of consumer recycling and the fact that the aluminum beverage can is becoming a more valuable commodity in the consumer recycling stream.

"Two of our primary objectives," he said, "are energy savings and litter reduction. Each time we recycle aluminum we save 95 percent of the energy that would be required to make primary aluminum, and aluminum can be recycled again and again. And consumer recycling definitely has had a positive impact on our country's litter problem."

Byrne committee on organized crime calls for new anti-corruption methods

A national advisory committee headed by Governor Brendan Byrne has recommended that each state create new authority to combat organized crime and establish new anti-corruption machinery.

Edison will offer college-level tests at 5 sites Feb. 5

Twelve new college proficiency examinations have been added to the Thomas A. Edison College Examination Program (TECEP) which will be administered at five locations throughout the state on Saturday, Feb. 5.

These exams, developed by Edison College, the New Jersey State College for External Degrees, are available for any individual who wishes to receive college credit for demonstrated competency in a variety of subject areas.

The new tests were created to support degree programs of the college, as well as to give others not enrolled at Edison the opportunity to gain college credit for transfer to other colleges.

Subject matter examinations in finance, management, theater, film, public administration and secretarial science will be added to the 50 exams already offered in the general areas of liberal arts, foreign languages, business, and radiologic technology.

Those residents of New Jersey and neighboring states interested in applying for any of the exams should send for application materials and study guides to: Thomas A. Edison College, Forrestal Center, Princeton 08540, or call the school at (609) 452-2977.

Cost of the tests is variable with credit value. The charge for exams valued up to three credits is \$25, and for those up to six credits, \$40. Completed applications must be returned to the college by Jan. 21.

Test centers will be at the following locations: South Orange, Seton Hall University; Edison, Middlesex County College; Trenton, Rider College; Camden, Rutgers University; and Montclair, Montclair State College.

Thomas A. Edison College is one of New Jersey's nine state colleges and the state's only external degree college. It offers no instruction, but is authorized by the State Board of Higher Education to award credits and degrees for demonstrated college-level learning without regard to how that learning was acquired.

Other recommendations include the establishment of special prosecutors, statewide grand juries, witness immunity statutes, electronic surveillance laws, election campaign financing reforms, stiffer sentences for special offenders and jurist removal procedures.

The recommendations are contained in "Organized Crime," one of five reports to be issued by the National Advisory Committee on Criminal Justice Standards and Goals of which Byrne is the chairman.

The report was released last week in Washington, D.C. at a news conference attended by Byrne and U.S. Attorney General Edward Levi. The project was financed by the federal Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA).

Byrne pointed out that the Organized Crime Task Force concluded that "any massive effort to combat organized crime would involve of necessity not only police prosecutors but also the citizenry at large—persons who for so long have been content to see the problem dealt with by others.

Planetarium show focuses on Venus

As recently as 25 years ago, astronomers sometimes referred to the planet Venus as "Earth's twin."

This is no longer the case. Space probes, combined with improved observation and testing facilities, have shown that the "twin" is actually a hellish world, characterized by extremes of pressure and temperature previously undreamed of.

The revised image is the subject of "Venus, the Hell Planet," a new public program scheduled for presentation in the New Jersey State Museum Planetarium, West State Street, Trenton, at 2 and 4 p.m. each Saturday, Sunday and holiday from Jan. 8 through Feb. 27.

At 3 p.m. on the same days, the Planetarium will focus on "New Jersey's Winter Sky," a simulated look at the celestial sights currently visible on a clear night. This program is especially suitable for first-time Planetarium visitors and youngsters in the 7-to-12 age group.

Free tickets for all public Planetarium programs are distributed in the lobby on a first-come, first-served basis, beginning half-an-hour before showtime. Children under seven are not admitted, and advance reservations are not accepted.

NJTV show on nutrition

New Jersey Public Television's "Focal Point" series will present a segment on selection and purchase of nutritious foods on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. on Channels 50 and 58. It will be repeated Saturday, Jan. 15, at 6 p.m.

Guests for the program will be Inez Hinds, home economist with Trenton State College, and Anne Lemon, nutritionist with Marlton Hospital in Newark.

The segment will be the second in a three-part series. This Sunday, basic food facts and fallacies will be discussed by a physician and two nutritionists; on Sunday, Jan. 16, an actual meal will be prepared in the TV studio.

Water birds like Jersey

The second highest number of waterfowl ever recorded, more than 400,000 birds, were found to be using New Jersey's wetlands this fall, according to the Division of Fish, Game, and Shellfisheries, which has completed an aerial survey of the state's important waterfowl areas.

The annual fall waterfowl inventory in the New Jersey part of the Atlantic Flyway was conducted by division biologists in cooperation with the federal government, Canada and the other states in the flyway.

Fred Ferrigno, the division's wetlands biologist who supervised the survey, said that this fall's waterfowl count of 410,735 was within approximately 4,000 birds of the all-time record of 414,875 which was reached last year.

Frischling have announced, "There is no charge—but there are no chairs. Space is limited so come early and, if you need one, bring your own pillow!"

Bach concerts scheduled this weekend

The music will be baroque and the setting Elizabethan-Norman when the Camerata Singers and Players perform Bach at Old Queens Art Gallery, 433 River rd., Highland Park, Saturday at 8 p.m. The free program, the Brandenburg Concerto Number Four and the Cantata Number 182, "Himmelskonig, Sei Willkommen," will be repeated Sunday at 3 p.m. at the Highland-Park Public Library, N. Fifth ave.

The concert, first in a projected series at Old Queens, will present the Brandenburg Concerto with recorders and harpsichord, as originally scored, instead of the customary flutes and piano.

The Camerata Singers and Players achieve the chamber music ideal of intimacy by using only one performer to each part.

Doors for the concert will open at 7 p.m. Gallery Directors Sarah and Meyer

Shepherd talks on Jersey TV

Humorist Jean Shepherd will be interviewed on New Jersey Public Television next Tuesday by the network's entertainment critic, Ellen Wexler. The program, which begins at 9:30 p.m., will be broadcast over Channels 50 and 58.

A magazine, formal program, "Shepherd's Pie," will begin on the state network Jan. 25. Shepherd will use ordinary and extraordinary people, places and things of New Jersey as back-drops for his tales.

"An increased concern by the private citizen is an indispensable prerequisite to controlling organized crime," the Governor added. He said that for this reason the task force recommended citizen crime-control commissions to work with law enforcement agencies.

The committee said every state should establish an organized crime prevention council to develop and carry out "a statewide program to prevent and control organized crime and the corruption related to it."

Richard W. Velde, LEAA administrator, said the public underestimates the seriousness of organized crime's penetration of government and legitimate businesses, and lacks the tools to fight the problem on the state and local level.

The task force said that mobsters have moved into a variety of businesses to cover their operations. It cited hotels and race tracks used as fronts for gambling; freight companies and airlines as fronts for smuggling drugs, weapons, jewelry, cigarettes and alcohol; massage parlors as fronts for prostitution, and theaters, book stores and film companies as fronts for pornography.

Other suggestions include adoption of non-partisan selection plans for the judiciary, financial and professional disclosure requirements and strict conflict-of-interest laws.

The task force report also considered so-called "victimless crimes," which are discussed in an appendix that includes arguments for and against removing penal sanctions against certain types of conduct.

The task force, whose members included Maurice Nadjari, who served as special prosecutor for New York State from 1972 to 1976, recommended that organized crime prosecutors "be permitted by state law to undertake various types of operations, including those of an undercover nature, to insure that the criminal justice system within the jurisdiction is free from the corrupting influence of organized crime."

John F. Kehoe Jr., chairman of the organized crime task force, noted that "organized crime is a field that calls out for attention." He added that the task force was "keenly aware of the difficulty of developing comprehensive standards in an area so new and untried."

A common affliction

Depression has been described as the most common of all psychiatric disorders. Affecting people of all ages, it has been estimated that each year some 20 million persons in the United States suffer from depression.

Buyers seeking waterfront sites

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By MILT HAMMER

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by Neil Levenson in the summer of '75. His reaction to their soaring sound and skating style was both personal and professional. He rounded them up, introduced the group to partners Al Harvey and Phil Margo (who was instrumental in producing Tony Orlando and Dawn), and the idea for a Sneakers and Lace album was born.

Park holds Brooks film

When fans tell Mel Brooks, director, co-author and co-star of "Silent Movie," now held over at the Park Theater, Roselle Park, "You're the funniest man in America," Brooks smiles and says, "You're right, and you're the smartest man in America."

The movie is something of a rediscovery of the great era of silent movie comedians. "I realized," says the filmmaker, "that it was the clowns, Keaton and Chaplin, who gave me such pleasure and the most laughs. I wanted to see if I could do that again."

Films listed by museum for January

A children's theater performance and seven feature movies are included in the January weekend schedule of the New Jersey State Museum auditorium, West State street, Trenton.

Admission will be free except for the children's theater production of "Grampa" at 3 p.m. this Sunday. Tickets for the show, which is sponsored by Friends of the Museum and features the Paper Bag Players, will be \$1. They may be bought in advance at the Friends Office in the museum.

Movies especially for young people will include the 1971 version of "Black Beauty" at 1 and 3 p.m. this Saturday; "Clarence the Cross-eyed Lion" at 1 and 3 p.m. on Jan. 15 and 1 p.m. on Jan. 16; "Davy Crockett, King of the Wild Frontier" at 1 and 3 p.m. on Jan. 22, and 1 p.m. on Jan. 23, and "Davy Crockett and the River Pirates" at 1 and 3 p.m. on Jan. 29, and 1 p.m. on Jan. 30.

Movies scheduled for screening at 1:30 p.m. on Fridays, primarily for senior citizens, and at 3 p.m. on the following Sundays for adults and family groups will include "That's Entertainment: Part I," a tour down a memory lane of film musicals, on Jan. 14 and 16; "Singin' in the Rain" with Gene Kelly and Debbie Reynolds on Jan. 21 and 23, and the 1951 version of "Showboat" on Jan. 28 and 30.

Youngsters under 12 must be accompanied by an adult for the 3 p.m. Sunday programs.

Jewish singles will hold dance

The Jewish Collegiate & Professional Young Adults of New Jersey will hold a dance at Russell's Log Cabin, 675 Raritan rd., Clark, on Sunday from 8 p.m. to midnight. A disco band will provide music.

A singles weekend is planned at Homowack Lodge in Spring Glen, N.Y. on Jan. 14, 15, and 16. For additional information on this and other singles social activities, readers may write to: Jewish Singles, P.O. Box 196, Rahway 07065.

Science fiction article accepted. Miss Dolores Torrell an English lecturer at Union College, Cranford, has had a science fiction article entitled "Psychic Utopia" accepted for publication in "The Psychic Observer Journal" in Washington, D.C.

An alumna of Union College, Miss Torrell received her bachelor of arts degree and her master of arts degree from Fairleigh Dickinson University. She is working toward her doctoral degree at Fairleigh Dickinson.

McCallum will star in Christie mystery

The Paper Mill Playhouse's winter subscription season will open Wednesday, Jan. 26, with David McCallum (of television's "Man From U.N.C.L.E." fame) in the Agatha Christie mystery-comedy, "The Mousetrap." The play is now in its 24th consecutive year on the London stage, and will run at the Paper Mill through Feb. 20.

The second play of the winter season will be George Kelly's comedy of suburban marriage and morals, "The Fatal Weakness," starring Academy Award winner Eva Marie Saint. It will open Feb. 23 and run through March 13. Prior to the winter season of comedies, a one-week non-subscription special will feature four-time Tony Award winner Julie Harris recreating her Broadway role in "The Belle of Amherst." The play will run from Monday, Jan. 17 through Saturday, Jan. 22.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the box office at 376-4343.

Theater Time Clock

All times listed are furnished by the theaters.

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LOST PICTURE SHOW (Union)—THE FRONT, Thur., Mon., Tues., 7:30, 9:15; Fri., 7, 8:35, 10:10; Sat., 5:45, 7:20, 8:55, 10:30; Sun., 1:30, 3:05, 4:40, 6:15, 7:45, 9:20.

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PARK (Roselle Park)—GANG THAT COULDN'T SHOOT STRAIGHT, Thur., Fri., Mon., Tues., 7:30; Sat., 2, 5:30, 8:35; Sun., 1:15, 4:20, 7:30; SILENT MOVIE, Thur., Fri., Mon., Tues., 9:05; Sat., 3:30, 7, 10:10; Sun., 2:50, 6, 9:05.

OLD RAHWAY (Rahway)—Today: NOAH'S ARK, 7, 9; Sat., Sun. matinees, 1, 2:45; Fri., UP, 7, 8:40, 10:10; Sat., 6, 7:30, 9, 10:30; Sun., 5:05, 6:30, 8, 9:40; Mon., Tues., 7:30, 9.

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Columbia signed to release films

HOLLYWOOD—Columbia Pictures will distribute two motion pictures in the United States and Canada. The first is "The Eagle Has Landed," scheduled for release in March, and starring Michael Caine, Donald Sutherland, Robert Duvall and Jean Marsh.

The other is "March or Die," starring Terence Hill, Catherine Deneuve and Max Von Sydow.

Falk will star in Simon spoof

HOLLYWOOD—Peter Falk (TV's Columbo) has been signed to play the title role in the Columbia Pictures production of Neil Simon's "The Cheap Detective."

He will play a Bay City detective, a quintessential composite of all movie private eyes, who becomes involved with a series of seductive and untrustworthy clients in a parody of the golden age of private eye movies.

To film 'Weeks'

HOLLYWOOD—Arthur Hiller has been signed to produce and direct "Six Weeks," for Columbia Pictures. The script will be based on Fred Mustard Stewart's best-selling novel and will star Tatum O'Neal.

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LIV ULLMANN

Star talks about film at Elmora

Liv Ullmann stars as a psychiatrist transformed by her own identity crisis in Ingmar Bergman's "Face to Face," a Dino DeLaurentis presentation at the Elmora Theater, Elizabeth.

The film marks Bergman's 30th anniversary as a movie director. He has written, directed and produced "Face to Face," and explains that "I think the film will provoke a more aggressive reaction than any other picture I've ever made. The movie is not about a psychiatrist; it is about everybody. I think people are going to see things in that they will recognize as part of their own natures. At first, this may prove shocking, but in the end I think they will like it."

Miss Ullmann says of her role, "It has been the best—and most fulfilling—film experience I have ever had. It's also the most difficult thing I've ever had to do in my whole life. It was even more demanding than 'Scenes From a Marriage.'"

"It was much more intensely emotional. Because the woman does really go through utter despair, at the end, she is the same woman, but now perhaps she's facing reality in another way, knowing that she'll have to cope with whatever shortcomings there are within her. I don't think it's so important to find a solution. The important thing is to be on your way, and I think that's what happens to this woman and I think that's what Ingmar is trying to describe."

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SUBURBAN CALENDAR

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Music, Dance

HIGHLAND PARK—Camerata Singers and Players, Bach program, Jan. 8, 8 p.m., Old Queens Art Gallery, 433 River Rd., and Jan. 9, 3 p.m., Highland Park Public Library, North Fifth avenue, 846-1347.

PRINCETON—The Tokyo Quartet, Jan. 10, 8 p.m., McCarter Theatre, (609) 921-8700.

WESTFIELD—Choral Art Society, N.J. Capella Antiqua Wind Ensemble, Thomas Fitzgibbon, Renaissance program, Jan. 9, 8:30 p.m., First Baptist Church of Westfield, 170 Elm St.

WEST ORANGE—Cantilena Chamber Players with composer Meyer Kupferman, Jan. 9, 7 p.m., YM-YWHA of Metropolitan New Jersey, 760 Northfield ave., 736-3200.

Theater

CRANFORD—Candice, Through Jan. 15, Fridays and Sundays at 8:30 p.m. Saturdays at 7 and 10 p.m. Celebration Playhouse, 118 South ave., 351-5003 or 272-5704.

EAST ORANGE—Plays of the Sea, by Eugene O'Neill, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8:30 p.m. Through Jan. 22, Actor's Cafe Theatre, South Mount and Central avenues, 675-1181.

MONTCLAIR—"The Males" and "The Lover," Tuesday through Saturday at 8 p.m. The Whole Theatre Company, Church and Trinity place, 744-2969.

Film

MOUNTAIN LAKE—"The Owl and the Pussycat," by Bill Allott, Wednesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, Dec. 31 through Jan. 29, Nell's New Yorker Dinner Theatre, Rt. 44, 324-0068.

NEW BRUNSWICK—"On Coward!" Musical cabaret featuring songs and lyrics of Noel Coward, Friday and Saturday at 8:30 p.m. George Street Playhouse, 414 George St., 246-7717.

UNION—Naughty Marietta, presented by The Manhattan Savoyards, Jan. 6, 8:15 p.m., YM-YWHA, Green lane, 289-4112.

Museums

MONTCLAIR—Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain ave., 742-7555, Sundays 2 to 5:30 p.m., Tuesdays-Saturdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed Mondays.

MOUNTAIN LAKE—Trailside Nature and Science Center, Watchung Reservation, 232-5920, Closed Fridays. Planetarium shows Saturdays and Sundays at 2, 3 and 4 p.m.

NEWARK—N.J. Historical Society, 230 Broadway, 482-3709, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

NEWARK—Newark Museum, 49 Washington St., 733-6400, Monday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m., Sunday 1 to 5 p.m. Planetarium shows Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

TRUSTY—J. State Museum, West State street, (609) 297-4447, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Planetarium shows Saturdays, Sundays.



PLAYS INTENSE, DRIVEN WOMAN—Piper Laurie returns to screen after 15-year absence to appear opposite Sissy Spacek in "Carrie," which is being held over for another week at the New Plaza Theater, Linden, with feature, "Night of the Living Dead."

Allen's 'Front' shown in Union

"The Front," starring Woody Allen, is the screen offering this week at the Five Point Cinema, Union, and the Lost Picture Show, Union. "Across the Great Divide" will have its final screening at the Lost Picture Show tonight.

"The Front," which gives an uncompromising look at the 1950s television black list, concerns a cashier who becomes a front for scripts by shunted writers and is pressured by inquisitors to inform.

Zero Mostel and Andrea Marcovici co-star. The picture, in color, was directed by Martin Ritt.

Puzzle Corner

By MILT HAMMER

PRESIDENTIAL QUIZ
By MILT HAMMER

1. Which President had a town in a west African nation named for him?
2. What President was the first to be inaugurated in Washington.
3. How is the President of the United States addressed?
4. Which President authored the books, "Years of Decision" and "Years of Trial and Hope"?
5. Which President after leaving office went big-game hunting in Africa?

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