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Borough Council adopts municipal budget

By SUZETTE STALKER
The Mountainside Borough Council formally adopted its \$4.9 million municipal budget for 1990 Tuesday night, following notification by the state that the borough's tentative budget had been approved.

The budget represents a 5.95 percent, or \$278,630, increase over last year's figure, according to Borough Administrator James Roberts. Borough officials have cited this year's budget as having one of the lowest

percent increases of any in Union County.
Of the total figure, \$2.9 million falls within the state-allowed cap, which covers the borough's normal operating expenses, while the remaining \$2 million has been allocated outside the cap, for additional costs.

The municipality was faced with certain fixed costs during its preparation of the budget, Roberts noted recently, which were primarily

responsible for the increases which did materialize.
These costs included such things as increases in salary and municipal employee health benefits, and an annual 15 percent increase to the Mountainside Library as mandated by the state.

Municipal officials have emphasized, however, that the 1990 budget has managed to keep increases low while expanding services to Mountainside residents. These services

include the leaf composting and expanded recycling programs which were implemented last year.

Municipal department heads within the Borough Hall network itself were also credited by local government leaders with keeping the budget low by managing to restrain expenses in their own departments. In addition, officials anticipate increased revenues this year through the borough's investment program.

The effect of the 1990 budget on

residents' taxes will not be fully determined until the local and regional school budgets and the Union County budget are adopted. The Mountainside school budget is expected to be adopted on Monday, April 2, and the regional budget on April 3.

Each of the school budgets will be voted on by district residents during school elections on Tuesday, April 24.

The Mountainside municipal budget will raise local taxes this year

by five points. The Mountainside school budget is expected to increase taxes by two points, and the county budget by 10 points. There is no projected increase from the regional school budget.

The total tax estimate for Mountainside residents with properties valued at \$151,000 or less is \$256.70 for 1990, according to a municipal budget summary and analysis issued by the Borough Council last month. These property owners comprise 59 percent of Mountainside's population.

High school district eyed for state certification

By SUZETTE STALKER
Dr. Donald Merachnik, superintendent of schools for Union County Regional High School District 1, announced Tuesday that the district has been recommended for state certification based upon recent monitoring of its educational system.

The announcement was made during the regional Board of Education's regular adjourned meeting at Governor Livingston Regional High School in Berkeley Heights, one of four high schools encompassed by the district.

The district also includes Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, David Brearley Regional High School in Kenilworth and Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark. Jonathan Dayton enrolls students from Mountainside.

In January, Union County Superintendent of Schools Dr. Vito Gagliardi headed a team of monitors from the Union County Office of the State Department of Education through a comprehensive, three-week evaluation

of the regional district, as mandated by the state for all New Jersey school districts.

The monitors also evaluated the district on 10 major categories, as well as a number of sub-categories, covering everything from instruction and curriculum to Affirmative Action programs and financial aspects of the school system.

"It is my recommendation to the Commissioner of Education that Union County Regional High School District 1 be certified for a period of five years," the county superintendent stated in a letter to Dr. Merachnik.

"Upon review by the commissioner, this recommendation will be submitted to the State Board of Education for consideration," Dr. Gagliardi added.

The county superintendent reported that the monitors' findings were based on the "many, many positive things" which have been demonstrated by the regional high school district, which he noted had earned an "acceptable" rating,

the highest mark possible, in all 10 categories in which it had been evaluated.

"While I am not surprised by the findings resulting from the monitoring process, I am certainly pleased that the regional district has passed monitoring and will be certified for the next five years," Dr. Merachnik remarked earlier this week.

"I believe that the report summarizing the visit by the state monitoring team confirms what we already knew; that the regional high schools provide a high quality education and meet all standards which have been set by the State Department of Education," he concluded.

Dr. Merachnik also commended the efforts of regional district staff members in the four high schools, who had prepared for the monitors' visit over a 10-month period beforehand, "to ensure that the district would be in compliance with all state-mandated regulations, especially in the area of paper documentation."



DENTAL HEALTH MONTH — Dr. Michael Volpe, standing at left, a dentist whose daughters, Courtney and Dayna, attend Deerfield School in Mountainside, recently gave second graders at the school a 'check up' of their dental health knowledge during Dental Health Month. The students' teachers are Lee Nadler, Alice Ortoff and Joan Zimmerman.

Dayton kids tape mock talk show

By DAVE WISE
Mountainside student Dale Torborg, a senior at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, recently went before the cameras with nationally-known sportscaster Gary Thorne to record a live talk show at the school.

The show was taped March 12 by students in Marcia Kendler's television production class at Dayton, and broadcast over a fictitious television station whose call letters are JD-TV.

Torborg, playing the show's host, interviewed Thorne on his life and career in the sportscasting field. The student, no stranger to the sports world himself, is the son of Chicago White Sox manager Jeff Torborg and his wife, Susan, who live in Mountainside.

The classroom, where the program was taped, resembled a small studio — complete with two sophisticated television cameras, several monitoring screens, audio equipment and set furniture.

With the host and guest appearing before an audience, sitting around a coffee table, and against a blue backdrop which displayed the letters JD-TV, the make-believe program appeared incredibly real.

"It's looks so nice, it doesn't look like a classroom," said Margo Demski, a student in the television production course.

"We have the same cameras as they do on TV-36," added Kendler.

Producing the show, which was taped "as if it were on the air," was a thorough learning experience for the students, according to Kendler.

Through "hands-on" learning, the students gained experience on how to switch camera angles, monitor the taping, and maintain the sound quality.

After Torborg and Thorne took up their positions, director Demian Boroff, a Dayton junior, started the countdown, the tape started to roll, and the interview began.

While the show progressed, Boroff gave the directions via a headset to the

two cameramen, who periodically switched the camera angles.

The student director continually watched the television monitor as the interview proceeded. "When you look at it on tape, it looks like a studio on TV-36," Boroff remarked.

"It looks totally serious on camera," added one student cameraman.

The interview between Torborg and Thorne sounded very authentic. Thorne, who has worked as an announcer for Mets games on WFAN radio, answered many questions about his career and his experiences in broadcasting.

"The questions just seemed to flow," Torborg remarked, adding that he was pleased with his own performance on the show. "It was easy for me to do."

"I just sent out resumes and a tape, and a station in Maine — where I grew up — responded," Thorne said when asked how he got his break in sportscasting.

Thorne said he has been in the business since high school and that "I've never been out of broadcasting since then."

"The first job I had, I earned \$1.25 an hour," Thorne informed his interviewer. "Most of your entry level jobs in the media are going to be at minimum wage."

Although Thorne practiced law — specializing in labor law, arbitration and mediation — for 10 years, he decided to leave the profession to pursue sportscasting on a full-time basis.

"I loved the law; I didn't like the practice of it," Thorne told Torborg and the listening audience.

When Torborg asked what was the most important factor for achieving success in the broadcasting field, Thorne replied, "the most important thing is experience," adding that "you better get used to a lot of rejection."

However, he acknowledged that "all it takes is one acceptance to get you in the business. And if you make it in a city like New York, you can make good money."



CELEBRITY GUEST — Dale Torborg of Mountainside, left, a senior at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, interviews nationally-known sportscaster Gary Thorne, right, during a mock television talk show which was taped recently by students in the Jonathan Dayton television production class.

The competition in broadcasting, however, "is real tough. Once you get in this field, it taxes you," Thorne stated.

Thorne, who covered the Mets on radio during their 1986 championship season, called this period "the pinnacle — a wonderful time."

"I got to know the guys — became good friends with people like Dwight Gooden, Keith Hernandez and Gary Carter... I love sports and I love the people who are in sports. I love the players, broadcasters, media people and writers."

"I actually worked out with the Mets — pitching and working out in the field," Thorne continued. "The same with the New Jersey Devils."

Thorne, who also "taught at the university level for five years," said he "doesn't live anywhere more than six months," and that his contractual obligations only required him "to be near an airport."

Thorne's current contract with ESPN on cable TV will have the sportscaster providing baseball coverage of nationally-televised games this year, when and if there's a baseball season.

The sportscaster said he "plans to buy a house in Portland, Maine," but for now he "lives in hotels and travels with the team."

"I enjoy traveling," Thorne told the JD-TV studio audience. He noted that "some broadcasters spend all their

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Clean up day eyed for April

By SUZETTE STALKER

Borough officials conferred with more than a dozen area residents on Monday regarding the problem of littering in Mountainside, and organized plans for the borough's first Clean Communities Program.

Borough Councilman Louis Maas; Walter DiNizo, Director of Public Works and Facilities in Mountainside, and Borough Administrator James Roberts met with representatives from various borough organizations to discuss the planned clean-up day.

The event has been scheduled for Saturday, April 21, from 9 a.m. to noon. Municipal officials are seeking local groups and individuals to participate in the clean up effort, which will be supervised by the Mountainside Department of Public Works.

Mountainside organizations represented at the meeting included the Board of Education and the PTA, the Active Retirees, the Senior Citizens, the Little League and Recreation Commission, the Democratic Club, the Volunteer Fire Department and the Friends of the Mountainside Free Public Library, among others.

The Clean Communities Program was developed last year through a \$10,936 grant from the state Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Solid Waste Management, plus an additional \$3,118 which was also awarded to the borough.

Borough Councilmen Maas, Werner Schon and William Jackson comprise the governing body's Solid Waste and Recycling Committee, which is coordinating the project with the Mountainside DPW.

DiNizo, who is serving as Clean Communities Coordinator for the project, opened the meeting with a slide presentation highlighting areas of Mountainside which are especially vulnerable to litter, and which have been targeted by borough officials for the clean up effort.

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Clean up organized

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Some of these areas are the Borough Hall complex, including the Fitness Trail, the Municipal Pool and the property around the municipal buildings; the Barnes tract, a stretch of borough-owned land off Mountain Avenue; Possum Pass, and heavily-travelled Mountain Avenue.

Each of these areas, according to DiNizo, are commonly subject to littering and illegal dumping. Slides of these sections showed bottles, cans and paper bags, and other debris strewn among the woodlands and curbs.

Several other municipal streets and areas were also designated by local officials as being trouble spots for litter. In addition, Mountainside residents who attended the meeting recounted incidents of littering in their own neighborhoods, which they maintain have largely gone unpunished.

Maas and DiNizo outlined the proposed program for the representatives, and urged them to recruit volunteers from among their respective organizations to participate in the clean up program. Maas stated that 30 volunteers, working for three hours, could accomplish the program's objective.

Following the discussion, several representatives confirmed that they and other members of their group would be available for the clean up day. Participants should meet outside Borough Hall at 9 a.m. on April 21. Tools, including rakes and bags, will be provided to the volunteers by the Mountainside DPW.

"One of the purposes of this program is to tell the community 'We're going to clean this place up and we're going to keep a more watchful eye,'" remarked Maas. "The next step is to let the community know we have the ordinances and that we're going to enforce them."

Several residents at the meeting called for stricter penalties for those convicted of littering, including jail terms, and for increased cooperation by the Mountainside Police Department in responding to reports of littering in the borough.

State grants for the Clean Communities Program were awarded to New Jersey municipalities on the condition that the communities enact ordinances recognizing littering as a crime and establish penalties for violators.

Participating communities are also obligated to conduct at least one clean up program during the year, stated Councilman Maas.

George Serio, president of the Mountainside Little League and the Recreation Commission, announced that Little League members and their parents are planning their annual clean up of the Deerfield School and Our Lady of Lourdes School properties on Saturday, March 31. Rain date is Saturday, April 7.



YOUNG ARCHITECTS — These second-grade students in Joan Zimmerman's class at Deerfield School in Mountainside exhibit the model homes they made recently as part of a study of housing in the community. They are, from left, Nicole Kress, Meredith Hanson, Kerri Ciasulli and Michael Fenton.

Art auction is planned

The Home and School Association of Our Lady of Lourdes School, located on Central Avenue in Mountainside, will hold its annual art auction on Saturday, March 24, at 8 p.m. All artwork is professionally framed and presented by Sal Caputo of Le Monde Galleries.

There will be a champagne preview

with music by the Summit Strings at 7 p.m.; the auction begins at 8. Admission is \$7.50 at the door. Complimentary wine, hors d'oeuvres, desserts and coffee will be served throughout the evening.

For more information, one can call 233-1777.

Registration under way

Our Lady of Lourdes School in Mountainside, a Catholic co-educational school for Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 8, is now holding registration for the 1990-91 school year.

The school offers an all-day Kindergarten and a half-day Pre-K program.

Kindergarten to Grade 5 are self-contained classrooms. Grades 6-8 are departmentalized with offerings in

science, language arts, mathematics, including algebra, social studies and foreign languages, including French and Spanish.

For further information, one can call 233-1777.

Mineral show slated

Trailside Nature and Science Center, Coles Avenue and New Providence Road, Mountainside, will host its annual Mineral Club Show on Sunday, March 25, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Visitors will be admitted free of charge. They will see a unique slab of the world's smallest dinosaur footprints — less than one inch long — as well as a child-sized dinosaur footprint and a full-sized dinosaur skull replica.

Robert Salkin will have these and more than 200 pounds of dinosaur-related material to illustrate his talk, "The World of Dinosaurs," at 1:30 p.m. at the show. Salkin has discovered dinosaur footprints in 12 different areas of northern New Jersey. He also discovered the skull of a phytosaur, a dinosaur that roamed this area millions of years ago.

Other activities planned for the

show include a 3 p.m. showing of the film "Volcano Surtsey" and an illustrated talk by the Hammer family of Springfield at 3:45 p.m., focusing on the minerals of North Carolina.

Visitors who have any unknown minerals, rocks or fossils, are invited to bring them along for a mineral club member to identify.

There will also be a children's touch table, a display of unusual minerals and demonstrations of cabachon and faceting.

Minerals and jewelry will be sold, and refreshments will be available for a nominal fee.

Trailside is a facility of the Union County Department of Parks and Recreation.

For more information, interested persons may call the center at 789-3670.

at the library

The meeting of the Mountainside Library Board of Trustees, originally scheduled for Monday, March 19, will be held on Monday, March 26, at

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Mock talk show taped

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time in a bar" while on the road, but that he prefers to read and visit art museums, theaters, and restaurants when he travels to another city.

After the interview was over, the students seated around the makeshift set questioned Thorne further with the tape still running.

The students seemed tense and a little nervous at first, but they "became more relaxed after the cameras stopped" recording, according to Kendler.

One student told Thorne she was interested in sports law, and asked the sportscaster how she could enter such a profession herself.

"Do well in college, find a good law school and pound the pavement," Thorne advised.

"Those who move up in this business have a college degree," he added. "Those who make it without a college education are one in a million."

Health Day announced

The Mountainside Board of Health has announced that it will conduct a Health Day on Saturday, April 14, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Mountainside Municipal Building, located at 1385 Rt. 22 East in Mountainside.

The health program will offer an extensive blood screening, consisting of a SMAC 26, a Complete Blood Count (CBC) and a High Density Lipoprotein (HDL). The blood tests will be performed by Roche Biomedical Labs.

The SMAC 26 is an elaborate blood analysis monitoring several bodily functions. The CBC test is a test including a red blood cell count, a white blood cell count, and differential count.

The CBC test may indicate the presence of infection, anemia, allergies, lung disease and other test indications. The HDL test measures factors protective against coronary heart disease. The SMAC 26 is used in assessing total cholesterol results, to determine possible coronary risk factors.

Robert M. Sherr, Director of Health, has noted that anyone taking the blood test must fast 12 hours before taking the test, with the exception of water.

Pre-registration for the blood test is mandatory. Information on registering for the test may be obtained by contacting the Health Department at 789-4070, Monday through Friday, between 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Registration for the clinic will begin on Tuesday, April 3. The registration deadline is April 12; however, registration is limited and may be discontinued if program capacity is reached prior to scheduled deadline.

The cost associated with the blood test will be \$19, which must be paid in cash only, at the time of registration.

The Health Day will also offer a blood pressure screening and breast self-exam program. Hemocult test kits will be available to test for occult blood in the gastro-intestinal tract. Test packets and dietary restrictions will be given out at the health program.

The Health Day is open to residents of Mountainside, Fanwood, Garwood and Westfield exclusively.

The talk show, based upon positive reactions from the class, was a successful learning aid.

"This was really terrific," Kendler noted.

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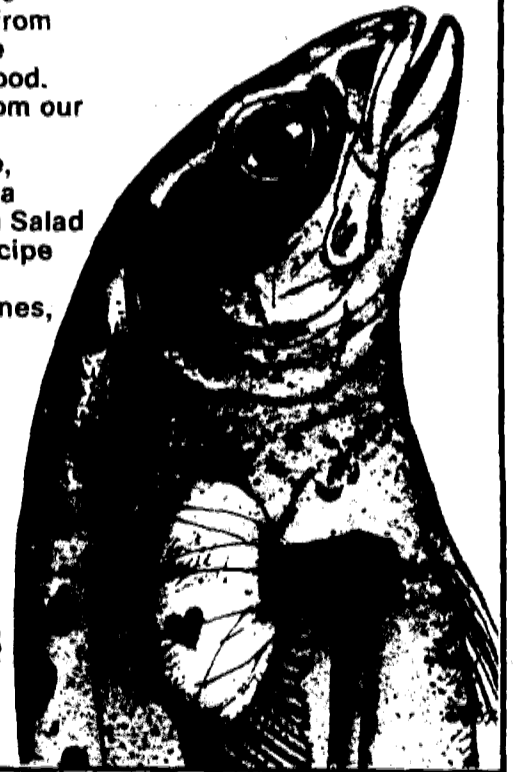
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Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield and David Brearley Regional High School in Kenilworth recently announced their newest "Students-of-the-Month." The program honors students who have demonstrated exceptional academic ability and involvement in extracurricular activities.

Marc Penchansky, a senior at Jonathan Dayton, has been named as that school's "Student of the Month." He is the son of Ronnie and Sheila Penchansky of Springfield.

The student has attained a grade-point average of 3.3, on a scale of 4.0, and is ranked 18th academically out of 160 students in this year's senior class at Jonathan Dayton.

In school, he serves as the editor-in-chief of The Dayton Journal, the school newspaper; co-editor of The Regionologue, the school's yearbook, and as president of the Dayton Latin Club.

He is also an active member of the Jonathan Dayton Key Club and he has earned academic recognition as a Garden State Scholar and as a Commended Student in the National Merit Scholarship Program.

Outside of school, Penchansky serves as vice president of the youth group at Temple Sharey Shalom, Springfield, and works as a volunteer at the Sylvan-Kohen Religious School for mentally retarded children, located in Caldwell.

Upon his graduation from Jonathan Dayton in June, Penchansky is planning to attend college and major in either Economics or Political Science. He has narrowed his choice of colleges to three — Cornell University, Rutgers University or Johns Hopkins University.



MARC PENCHANSKY



JEFF BARR

Kenilworth resident Jeff Barr, 18, has been named as "Student-of-the-Month" at David Brearley. Barr has been ranked tenth in his senior class and is a member of the National Spanish-Honor Society at Dayton.

A versatile youth, Barr enjoys playing baseball and football at school and spending time with his friends outside of school. At home, he said he enjoys playing pool and experimenting with computer graphics.

After graduation from Brearley, Barr hopes to attend either the University of Rhode Island or the University of Connecticut to study computer science. He said he eventually would like "to work for a corporation or run my own business."

The student cites "A Separate Peace" by John Knowles as his favorite book. "It was a book I could easily relate to because I saw a little of myself in both Phineas and Gene — both the scholar and the athlete," he said.

Barr stated that he believes his most outstanding accomplishment to date was being picked for Boys State last summer. "It was an honor because only a select few young people from New Jersey were chosen to attend," he said.

"He explained that "the next four years will be adventure, deciding what I would like to do after high school."

Barr's nominators refer to him as being "dependable, considerate and good-natured." He was also praised as being a "fine student, a good athlete, and an exemplary person." The student's teachers and peers have also recognized Barr for establishing fine "friendships based on mutual respect."

"Take advantage of all opportunities that life offers now," Barr commented. "You don't know what you have missed until it is gone — and then it is too late."

school menu

REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOLS

FRIDAY, pizza parlor, plain, sausage, pepperoni, peppers and onions, Salisbury steak on, turkey salad sandwich, coleslaw, vegetable, fruit, large salad platter with bread and butter, homemade soup, desserts, milk; MONDAY, hamburger on bun, hot southern baked pork on bun, bologna sandwich, potatoes, vegetable, fruit, large salad platter, homemade soup, desserts, milk; TUESDAY, tacos with shredded lettuce, steamed rice, fresh fruit, frankfurter on roll, potatoes, tuna salad sandwich, large salad platter, homemade soup, desserts, milk; WEDNESDAY, chicken nuggets, soft roll, potatoes, vegetable, fruit, minute steak on roll, cold submarine sandwich with lettuce, large salad platter, homemade soup, desserts, milk; THURSDAY, rib-b-que on bun with diced onions, potatoes, fruit, grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable, egg salad sandwich, large salad platter, homemade soup, desserts, milk.

Concert slated

A choral reunion is being planned for former students of Mildred Midkiff, who taught at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield and Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark between 1945 and 1970.

The reunion Alumni Concert, under the direction of Midkiff, will be held at Arthur Johnson on Saturday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m. For more information about the class reunion, one can call Gwen McCarthy at 774-7632.

Principal to be greeted

Residents of Union County Regional High School District 1, which includes Springfield, Mountainside and Kenilworth, are invited to meet Judith D. Wickline, the new principal of Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, on Monday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the school's Instructional Media Center.

principal at Jonathan Dayton on March 1, will be introduced to the public during this gathering, which is being co-sponsored by the Regional Board of Education and the Jonathan Dayton Parent-Teacher-Student Organization.

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Established in 1981 in memory of former Central Jersey Bank Chairman Robert B. Barlow, the program to date has awarded 36 college scholarships to exceptional students in Union, Monmouth, Ocean and Middlesex counties.

The deadline for applying for the 1990 scholarship is April 15, according to Judy Franchetti, the bank's

scholarship program coordinator. Area high schools will soon receive a letter outlining the program and detailing the qualifications set by the bank's scholarship committee.

Applications may be obtained at area high schools and at any of Central Jersey Bank's branch offices throughout central New Jersey, or by calling 462-0011, extension 78414. Applications may also be received by writing to Franchetti at P.O. Box 30, Freehold 07728.

The Central Jersey Bank and Trust Company is headquartered in Freehold.

'Mary Sunshine' on tap

The students of Jonathan Dayton Regional High School will present their annual musical, "Little Mary Sunshine," on Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31, at 8 p.m. in the Halsey Hall auditorium at the school on Mountain Avenue in Springfield.

Jonathan Dayton students Mark Bemisod, Joshua Brinen, Andrew Kessler, Cathy Padden, Vincent Cosca, Michael Lippman, Jennifer

Schaedel and Jeanne Minieri will be among those featured in this musical production.

John Cafone is the stage director for "Little Mary Sunshine" and Brenda Kay is the music director.

Tickets, which are priced at \$4, may be purchased in advance or at the door on the evening of either performance. For ticket information, one can call Jonathan Dayton at 376-6300.

Fitness workshop noted

Ginny Fleming, a popular exercise instructor at the YWCA in Summit for many years, returns on Thursday and Friday, March 29 and 30, for a special Muscle Memory Workshop.

Two sessions are scheduled: a morning group will meet from 9 to 11 a.m. both days, and an evening group will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. both days. The workshop will be held at the YWCA, located on 79 Maple Street in Summit.

The format includes both discussion and exercise, covering such areas as mind/body balance technique, theory, exercise in movement, static stretch, resistance, aerobics and aerobics, with active "hands-on" participation in many of these areas.

"The workshop is a look at fitness and well-being from a diagnostic view; a holistic approach using mind/body connection leading to a balanced, safer, more efficient fitness program," said Fleming.

Pre-registration is required and a fee will be charged. One can register in person at the YWCA between 8:30 a.m. and 8:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, or by telephone with a Visa or Mastercard between 9 a.m. and noon, Monday through Friday.

For additional information, one can call the YWCA at 273-4242 and ask for Anna.



ELEGANT ATTIRE — Francine Galante, right, chairwoman of the St. James Home School Association Fashion Show, reviews some of the fashions which will be featured at the event, with Dan Cordasco, left, of Gazebo Fashions of Bloomfield. The dinner and fashion show, to be held April 4, will benefit St. James School in Springfield.

Fashion show scheduled

The St. James Home School Association is hosting its annual dinner and fashion show, "Bold and Beautiful," for the benefit of St. James School in Springfield, on Wednesday, April 4, at 7 p.m. at the Town and Campus on Morris Avenue in Union.

Dinner will be followed by an

exciting Fashion Show from Gazebo Fashions of Bloomfield. Tickets cost \$25 and one can make reservations now by calling Patricia Bubb at 467-1251, after 6 p.m.

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The Springfield Volunteer Fire Department is conducting its annual fund drive. This fund drive is its only source of revenue for the entire year. The department does not solicit funds on the telephone.

Patrons' donations of past years have enabled the department to purchase much needed equipment for fire fighting and rescue work.

The volunteer firemen respond to calls 24 hours a day. They assist the paid department at fires, accidents, or

stand by at the fire house in case of a second call.

The department needs volunteer members and welcomes anyone interested between the ages of 18 and 40 years of age. One can call at the fire house on Caldwell Place for an application.

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Springfield resident Mina Zottl, a junior business major at the College of St. Elizabeth in Convent Station, is among 19 students at the school who have been selected for inclusion in the 1990 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

Selection for this annual list of national outstanding student leaders is based on academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

Franklin E. Miller of Willingboro, a senior student at the Vail-Deane School in Mountainside, was recently awarded the Thomas J. Lipton Achievement Scholarship. The award is given by the Thomas J. Lipton Foundation, Inc., of Englewood Cliffs.

Miller, who plans to pursue a career in law and politics, has been on the Vail-Deane honor roll for four years. He has also been a member of the Student-Faculty Senate for four years, and has been Judiciary Committee chairperson for two years.

In addition, Miller has been on the varsity basketball team for two years and has served as captain; has been on the varsity baseball team for two

years, and on the varsity soccer team for three years.

He has been a member of the Foreign Language Club for four years, serving as treasurer and president, and a member of the Drama Club, the Yearbook Staff and the Ready For The Gospel Church Choir for four years each.

Matthew Joseph Eick of Springfield was among those students from The University of Delaware who received degrees at the college's winter commencement exercises, held recently at the Delaware Field House on the University campus in Newark.

He earned a master of science from the university.

Mountainside resident Kathleen M. Conti, was among the 947 students who received degrees from Boston University in Massachusetts. She was awarded a bachelor of arts degree in philosophy and psychology.

Steven K. Burton, son of Dr. Gil and Vetta Burton of Mountainside, has qualified for the fall semester dean's list at Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, N.C. Burton is a senior finance major.

He is a graduate of Jonathan Day-

ton Regional High School in Springfield where he played baseball and football.

To be named to the dean's list, students must maintain a grade point average of 3.0 or more. Burton is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and the business manager of Old Gold & Black, the WFU student newspaper.

Kevin McGrath of Mountainside is participating in the Cooperative Education program at Montclair State College. This program is designed to provide students with actual work experience during their college years, for which they receive both pay and credits.

McGrath is an adult fitness major. Montclair State's program, cited as one of the top in the nation by "Better Homes and Gardens," places some 600 students in corporations, public agencies and industrial worksites each year.

Significant numbers of these students go on to assume full-time employment with their co-op companies following graduation, heightening the program's attraction for an increasing number of career-minded undergraduates.

Tara McGrath, a junior at the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York City, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester.

Dean's list students must achieve a 3.5 cumulative average based on a 4.0 scale to qualify for this honor.

Tara is majoring in toy design. She is the daughter of Frank McGrath of Mountainside.

people in service

Marine Pfc. Harry A. Williams, son of Marian Ellison of Monroe Avenue in Kenilworth, has completed the School of Infantry.

During the course conducted at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C., Williams received classrooms instruction and participated in field exercises involving infantry tactics,

the construction and camouflage of fighting positions, the use of mines and other demolitions, and intra-company communications equipment.

He joined the Marine Corps in June 1989.

Army Second Lt. John P. Quinn, son-in-law of Edward and Marie

Cook of Washington Avenue in Springfield, has arrived for duty in West Germany. He is a platoon leader with Fourth Cavalry.

He is the son of Robert J. and Gloria R. Quinn of Rural Route 2, Luling, Texas. Lt. Quinn is married to the former Lisa Cook.

Hospital seeks volunteers

The John E. Runnells Hospital in Berkeley Heights is seeking volunteers to work with elderly and/or handicapped patients one day a week in its ceramics program.

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Association holds membership drive

The Summit Area Association for Gerontological Endeavor, also known as SAGE, Inc., is looking forward to the 1990s and beyond as it embarks on its fourth annual membership campaign at its DeForest Avenue headquarters in Summit.

Letters are being mailed to SAGE's service areas in Springfield, Summit, New Providence, Berkeley Heights, Millburn, Short Hills and the Chathams.

The campaign describes SAGE's health services to the elderly and seeks local support to continue such programs as Meals-on-Wheels, Home Health Aides, Spend-A-Day Adult Day Care, Alzheimer's Disease Day Care, Transportation, Information and Referral, Care Management and Care Support Group.

"The relationship between SAGE and the communities it serves is truly a partnership," explains SAGE Trustee Carol Graybeal.

"By providing these services, which allow the elderly to remain in the comfort and security of their own homes for as long as possible, SAGE improves the quality of life for the entire community.

"And as a non-profit agency, SAGE provides services that communities look to from their local governments, thereby keeping tax rates down," Graybeal notes.

The drive, started in 1986, provides services to 34,500 households in the greater Summit area and brings in

well over 1,000 members. Nearly half of SAGE's volunteers are members who offer both their support and dedication.

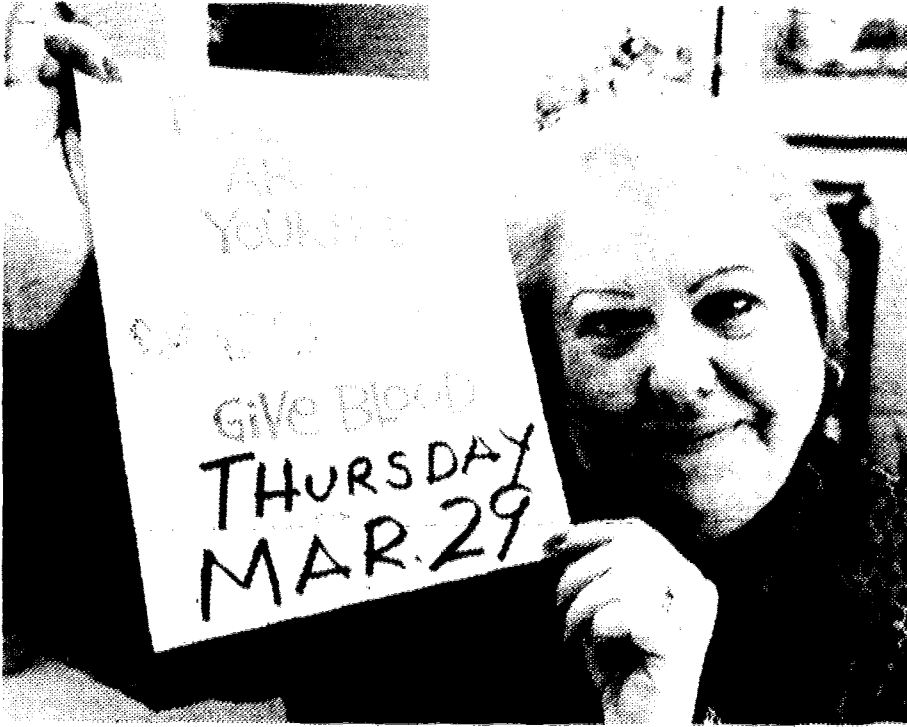
Serving the greater Summit area for more than 35 years, SAGE has been more deeply involved in health care due to the increase of elderly needing assistance to maintain quality lives and their personal independence.

"New Jersey has the second largest concentration of elderly citizens in the United States following Florida, and Union County has the highest concentration of elderly within New Jersey," according to Dr. Mary Madigan, executive director of SAGE.

At a time when federal, state and local funding for senior health services is remaining constant, actually declining in terms of real dollars available, SAGE has turned to the local communities it serves.

Last year, SAGE was able to provide subsidies of more than \$75,000 to elderly persons needing services but who were unable to assume the full cost of those programs. Compounding the financial problem is the need for additional support as the elderly population continues to increase in numbers.

Fully 75 percent of the people attending SAGE's Adult Day Care programs at Hillview School, New Providence, Spend-A-Day and Alzheimer's Disease Day Care are over 75 years of age.



BLOOD DRIVE — Springfield Community Blood Drive Chairman Janice Bongiovanni holds up a placard urging area residents to give blood. The blood drive will be held on Thursday, March 29, from 1:30 to 7 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Springfield. A free cholesterol screening will be offered to each blood donor.

Screening to be held

A cholesterol screening will be held at the Sara Bailey Senior Center on Church Mall off Morris Avenue in Springfield on Monday, April 2, from 9 a.m. to noon.

The fingerstick samples will be taken by technicians from St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Elizabeth and results given to individuals within a few minutes. The screening is open to residents in Springfield, Summit,

Berkeley Heights and New Providence.

The fee is \$6 in cash or check payable to St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

Elevated cholesterol is one of the risk factors of coronary heart disease, stroke and high blood pressure. Counseling will be given to those persons with elevations as to appropriate dietary changes that an individual might make to promote a lower reading.

Headmaster is appointed

Raymond S. Londa, president of the board of trustees of the Vail-Deane School in Mountainside, has announced the appointment of David B. Koth as Headmaster of the School, which is a coeducational independent college preparatory school enrolling 200 students from Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 12.

"We are so pleased to have someone with Mr. Koth's extensive and varied background in education," said Londa. "It is particularly gratifying to have someone at the helm who has had a close association with Vail-Deane for such a long time.

"His mother taught at the school for many years, and for the three years prior to his recent studies at New Brunswick Theological Seminary, which will award him a master's degree in Theology in May, Mr. Koth was business manager, development director, director of alumni affairs and mathematics teacher at Vail-Deane.

"He comes to us already knowing us well and having strong feelings for the school."

Koth is a graduate of Princeton University, and received his first master's degree in Liberal Studies from Wesleyan University. He spent five years teaching mathematics to Turkish students at Robert College of Istanbul, and from there did extensive traveling in Europe, North Africa, the Middle East, and southern Asia.

He has been head of the mathematics department at The Bush School in Seattle, and was mathematics teacher, business manager and assistant headmaster at the Thacher School in Ojai, California, and served as the first Dean of Students at the Pingry School.

"Vail-Deane enjoys a long and distinguished history. My effort will be directed toward cooperating with faculty and staff to preserve and enhance the school's honorable traditions of sound learning, a caring atmosphere, and an emphasis on integrity," said Koth.

"My recent return to the student side of education at the seminary has given me a healthy added perspective on all areas of the school's life."

Craft fair is announced

Plans are under way for a craft-hobby fair to be held at the Senior Citizen Center of Kenilworth on Sunday, May 20, between the hours of 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Any Kenilworth resident age 60 or over is invited to submit entries of crafts or hobbies. For further information, one can contact Martin McCrea,

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This year, the Plaque Rack has added a rental section of shower umbrellas, wishing wells, table centerpieces, favors for all affairs and all types of parties.

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About 175 gifted and talented students from eight public school districts will hone their problem-solving abilities during a convocation today and tomorrow, March 22 and March 23, at Union County College's Cranford campus.

All participants are selected young-

sters from Union, Linden, Roselle Park, Winfield, Rahway, Cranford, Plainfield and Scotch Plains-Fanwood public schools.

Youngsters in grades 3 and 4 will spend today working out general problems relating to inventions, geared towards creative thinking, and

will work in small groups to establish a tour route across the United States. Grades 6 and 7 will work on a

project dealing with medical-care needs of the future featuring written essays and small-group discussion.

Eight non-credit courses to be offered at Kean

The Kean College of New Jersey Center for Continuing Education is offering eight non-credit courses for adults this spring. The courses will be taught by members of the Kean College faculty.

"Hollywood Fights a War/The Propaganda Films of World War II" will be taught from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. on four Tuesdays, starting March 27, by Robert J. Fyne, Ph.D., assistant professor of English. The fee is \$45.

"Psychology of Women" will be taught from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. on three Mondays, starting April 2, by Sandra Gonsalves, Ph.D., assistant professor of psychology. The fee is \$15.

"Interpersonal Politics and Social Reality" will be taught from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. on four Tuesdays, starting April 17, by Jose Sanchez, Ph.D., assistant professor of political science. The fee is \$40.

"Stories of New Jersey" will be taught from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., Mondays, April 18 and April 25, by Robert

J. Fridlington, associate professor of history. The fee is \$15.

"Sylvia Plath/Tragic Genius" will be taught from 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., Mondays, April 18 and April 25, by William R. Evans Ph.D., of Union, professor of English. The fee is \$15.

"American Short Story on Film" will be taught from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. on six Thursdays, starting April 19, by Sidney Krueger, associate professor of English. The fee is \$45.

"Crime and Punishment 1990" will be taught from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on three Mondays, starting April 23, by Sidney H. Langer Ph.D., an associate professor of sociology. The fee is \$30.

"Family Folklore/The Creative Expression of a Common Past" will be taught from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, April 24, by Marilyn M. White, Ph.D., an assistant professor of anthropology. The fee is \$10.

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Fresh bread is baked daily by the owner himself, Angelo Costa. He supplies all of the fresh products to the restaurant which he owns, Costa's, located just around the corner on Chestnut Street. Costa's Restaurant is fast gaining a reputation for excellent Italian cuisine.

Hair Associates has range of services

Hair Associates of Roselle Park offers a range of hair-care services. Preparing to celebrate its ninth anniversary at 118 Chestnut St. in

July, Hair Associates provides a clean and friendly atmosphere.

Hair Associates is open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 9

a.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursdays and Fridays, and 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays. For an appointment, call Marlene Angela at 245-6088.

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Design of Union, will be joining forces with her sister, Augusta Basile, for the opening of Ultima Moda and Salon at 101 East Westfield Ave.

The store will be offering coupons in the County Leader Newspapers next week.

Compact Disc Broker marks first year

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Skilled-labor shortage seen as '90s business crisis

In an informal opinion survey of some of the state's most prominent government, business and media leaders, the shortage of highly-skilled workers was chosen as the issue that could have the greatest impact on New Jersey business in the 1990s. The poll was conducted by Coleman & Pellet Inc., a public relations firm based at 1609 Vauxhall Road,

Union, at a breakfast in Washington, D.C., following the annual New Jersey Chamber of Commerce Congressional dinner. Rick Sinding, editor of the New Jersey Reporter, was the featured speaker at the breakfast. Sinding discussed the major policy issues facing the Florio administration. In response to the survey, partici-

ants also ranked environmental regulations, health insurance and foreign competition as critical business issues in the next decade. In other questions about state issues, the majority of respondents believed that New Jersey's auto insurance premiums would be the same or more than 5 percent higher at the end of the year. The majority, 75 percent, also supported state takeovers of school systems, while voting was divided on whether residential housing prices would increase, decrease or stay the same in 1990. In other issues, 85 percent of the respondents favored drug testing in the workplace, and 50 percent supported a statewide policy mandating

smoke-free work environments. Survey participants predicted that Christine Todd Whitman, former president of the Board of Public Utilities, or state Sen. Leanna Brown, R-26, would be the most likely Republican challengers to incumbent U.S. Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J., in this year's senatorial race. The majority of the group also

believed that former governor Tom Kean's political days were not over. Survey respondents predicted that in five years Kean would be a candidate for U.S. Senate or appointed to a federal government position. The Coleman & Pellet breakfast was the sixth event of its kind sponsored by the public relations firm.

UCC awards \$1.2M pact for asbestos abatement

A \$1.2 million contract has been awarded by the Board of Trustees of Union County College for asbestos abatement of its Elizabeth campus, utilizing the former headquarters building of Elizabethtown Gas Company. The utility moved its headquarters from Elizabeth to Union last summer. The contract was awarded to the low bidder, a joint venture of D&S Restoration of Saddle Brook and Four Strong Builders, Inc. of Fairfield. The college accepted the low base bid of \$1.199 million and alternate No. 1 of \$71,891 to remove asbestos from the roof of the building, for a total contract of \$1,270,891. Asbestos removal work is expected to begin within the next two weeks and will take about 25 weeks to complete, Acting President Roy Smith reported. Smith reported that 52 firms participated in a pre-conference bidding session on Jan. 15 and bids were received from 17 firms on Feb. 9. The bids were reviewed by the college's asbestos abatement consultant, James and Moore of Cranford, and by the college's staff. The college plans to develop a full-scale campus in Elizabeth, providing

classrooms, laboratories, library, learning center, lounges, theater, and faculty and administrative offices for more than 3,000 students. The college currently conducts its Elizabeth campus in leased space in the Thomas and Betts Building, 10 Butler St. There are about 1,000 students enrolled there in the Institute for Intensive English, a program of English for speakers of other languages, and in the Employment Skills Center, a program of jobs training and basic skills for unemployed and underemployed county residents. The programs currently conducted at the Thomas and Betts site will be moved to the new building. These programs will be augmented by associate degree offerings in liberal arts, business, computer science, and office systems technology, as well as by a wide variety of continuing education offerings. Following the completion of asbestos abatement, the college plans renovations to provide academic and other facilities in the 100,000-square-foot, eight-story structure now known as the Lessner Building. The target date to open the new campus is September 1991.



FIFTH ANNUAL WALLEYBALL MARATHON — Perri Teitelbaum, left, owner of the Plaza Health and Racquet Club in Union, displays AAMH T-shirts with Tara Shepard, marathon coordinator, in preparation for the upcoming marathon. All individuals raising \$100 or more will receive a free T-shirt.

Wallyball marathon set

The Association for Advancement of the Mentally Handicapped, based in Elizabeth, will hold its fifth annual Wallyball Marathon at the Plaza Health and Racquet Club, Route 22 West, Union, on Saturday, April 7, from 9 a.m. to midnight. Wallyball is a form of volleyball played in a racquetball court using the walls. Teams are now being solicited to play for two-hour time slot. Teams are asked to collect sponsors and prizes will be offered to individuals and teams raising money. All players will receive a free gift. The AAMH is a non-profit agency dedicated to helping teens and adults with disabilities live productive, independent lives in the Union County area. "Wallyball has been steadily increasing in popularity across the nation," said Tara Shepherd, marathon coordinator. "Many health clubs are beginning to set aside racquetball courts on a regular basis." "The response from community organizations thus far has been terrific," Shepherd continued. "Many have donated prizes, including Bannigan's, TGI Fridays, Marriott, McDonald's, Red Lobster and The Grand Summit Hotel. We are looking forward to a very exciting and successful marathon." Any individual wishing to participate can call Shepherd at 354-3040.

Lincoln Tech has \$10G to help grad in business

Lincoln Technical Institute, 2299 Vauxhall Road, Union, has announced the availability of a \$10,000 financial award to a qualified Lincoln Tech graduate and member of the alumni association who is interested in starting a new business in the industry for which the person was trained. Named the Enterprise Award, the winner will be selected by a committee following review of the applications and supporting materials. The award is intended as a financial incentive to a Lincoln Technical Institute graduate who has a sincere desire to become an entrepreneur. "For more than 40 years, Lincoln Technical Institute has met the needs of business and industry by introduc-

ing trained technicians into the workforce. The Enterprise Award is an example of how we continue to care about our graduates and their future, even after they have left our campuses," said P. J. Santangelo, president and chief operating officer. The Lincoln school in Union is one of 11 training centers nationally. Their local curriculum includes hands-on training in automotive, diesel and truck-service technology; air-conditioning, heating and refrigeration service; and mechanical and architectural drafting/CAD. Nationally, more than 90 percent of available Lincoln graduates are employed in the field for which they were trained. Lincoln also has developed customized training programs for regional businesses, government entities, business and trade groups and large multi-national corporations. Graduates interested in applying for the Enterprise Award or in joining the Alumni Association may contact the Union school at 964-7800 for information and applications.

Register by tomorrow to vote on BOE

Residents of New Jersey who are not currently registered to vote in their municipalities must register by tomorrow to participate in the April 24 school elections. Residents may register at the office of the municipal clerk or at the county Board of Elections. To vote, those registering must be at least 18 years old and citizens of the United States and must maintain their main residences within the municipality in which they are seeking to vote.

Workshop set on dealing with difficult people

"Dealing with Difficult People," a workshop offering ways to identify and cope with individuals causing stress in one's personal and/or professional life, will be presented at the Plainfield YWCA, 232 East Front St., on Thursday, March 29, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Summit YWCA, 79 Maple St., on Friday, April 6, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

There is a \$15 registration fee. Advance reservations are required and requested one week prior to the workshop.

The program is offered through the Career Options Center, and is part of the YWCA Tribute to Women and Industry (TWIN) Program of Central New Jersey, a project of the Plainfield/North Plainfield and Summit YWCAs.

For additional information or registration, interested persons may contact Janet Korba, director of the Career Options Center, at 756-3836.



WOMEN'S CAUCUS HONORED — Maryann Dorin of Linden, left, president of the Union County Women's Political Caucus, accepts a Union County resolution from county Freeholder Vice Chairman James Connelly of Welsh. As part of Women's History Month, the caucus was honored by the freeholders for its efforts.

College offers course on learning techniques

Learning techniques to better comprehend class material may be obtained through a non-credit course being offered by Union County College's Department of Continuing Education. "Study Skills/Test-Taking Strategies" is designed for adults who plan to return to school, and for college-bound high school junior and seniors who want to get an edge on ways to effectively study and take examinations in college. Participants will learn to improve their test-taking strategies and study skills, with focus placed on textbook reading, note-taking, skimming and scanning, test-taking techniques, and organizing time. The course will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Mondays, March 26 and April 2, on the college's Scotch Plains campus. Those interested in further information may call 709-7601.

Used children's clothing sale begins

Looking for good used children's clothing? The Mothers' Center of Central New Jersey is conducting a sale of used children's spring and summer clothing in excellent condition this week.

The sale will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, 716 Watchung Ave., Plainfield, from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. today and tomorrow, March 22 and March 23, and

from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 24. Parking is available adjacent to the church. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the Mothers' Center and other charitable organizations.

Clothing sizes from newborn to children's size 12 will be offered. The sale will include children's Easter clothes, baby equipment, layette items, beach items and toys. For mothers-to-be, a special section of

Senior citizen trips, computer seminar set at UCC

Two day trips and a computer seminar, geared especially for senior citizens, are being offered by Union County College. The college's Department of Continuing Education will offer the events and course to those age 62 or older, and will include a trip to the Cloisters Museum in New York City and a New York theater walking whirlwind. The latter will include a visit to a play rehearsal and/or auction. The museum trip will be conducted

from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 31, with buses leaving the Cranford campus. Round-trip bus fare, museum admission, and a lecture are included in the fee. The theater walking trip will leave the Cranford campus at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 12, and return at a time agreeable to the group involved. Price includes transportation. In addition, "Introduction to Personal Computers for Seniors," will help those 62 and over learn to use the

personal computer at their own pace. Training will be provided on IBM equipment using IBM-compatible software. Participants in the computer course may choose from one of two sections — either from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Fridays, April 20 through May 18, both in Cranford, or the same time on Wednesdays, March 28 through April 25, at the Plainfield center. Those interested in further information may call 709-7601.

Caucus to mark Women's History Month

Women's History Month will be observed by the Union County Women's Political Caucus on Wednesday, March 28, at Cryan's Restaurant in Linden. A reception/dinner honoring all the

women elected to public office in 1989 and Union County Sheriff Ralph Froehlich will begin at 7 p.m. Reservation/ can be made by calling Sophie Kauchak at 298-1126.

Scouts work for merit badges Saturday

Some 600 scouts in the Washington Rock Girl Scout Council will earn credit towards their merit badges by attending workshops in selected areas on Saturday, March 24, at Union

County College's Cranford campus. Workshops will be in the areas of well-being, people, today and tomorrow, the arts, and the outdoors.

Diversity in 21st Century to be explored

Demographic changes facing New Jersey will be explored by educators attending a conference on "Diversity 2000: Living in the 21st Century," to be held today and tomorrow at Kean College of New Jersey in Union.

Conference organizers say that by the year 2000, changes in the age, racial and ethnic composition of our

population will have a profound impact on our schools, our workforce and our daily life.

While organizers warn these trends increase the potential for racial and ethnic conflict, they also point to the possibility of creating a context in which diversity is welcomed and celebrated.

Teachers and administrators at the conference, to be held in Downs Hall, will hear from authors and lecturers who are nationally recognized on the issue of multicultural education.

Additional information is available at 527-2675.

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Conference on workforce of future slated at Kean

Leaders from business, government, labor and education will meet together Monday, March 26, at Kean College of New Jersey in Union to discuss solutions to issues facing the workforce in New Jersey and nationally by the year 2000.

"The Education of Workforce 2000" is the first in a series of conferences planned to focus on these issues. It is part of a week of special events at Kean in conjunction with Sunday's inauguration of Elsa Gomez as the 15th president of the college.

Speaking at the conference will be U.S. Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., and William Johnston, vice president of the Hudson Institute, project director and author of Workforce 2000.

Building a coalition for action will be discussed by two panels of representatives from all sectors moderated by Dr. Darryl Greer, executive director of the New Jersey State College Governing Boards Association, Inc.

Panelists who will discuss "Achieving a Shared Vision" include State Sen. Matthew Feldman, D-37, chairperson of the Senate Education Committee; Dr. Susan Lederman, immediate past president of the New Jersey League of Woman Voters and coordinator of the public administration program at Kean College; Malcolm D. McKinnon, senior vice president of the Prudential Insurance Company of America; Charles Marciano, president of the New Jersey AFL-CIO; Richard Roper, executive director of the Council on New Jersey Affairs at Princeton University; and Donald Scarry, chief economist with the New Jersey Business and Industry Association.

Another panel will identify strategies and methods that have resulted in effective partnerships between busi-

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Dems put former Clark official on freeholder slate

By SHARON CATES

Former Clark Township Committeeman Fred Eckel has been nominated for the vacant spot on the regular Democratic freeholder ticket by the party's 21 municipal chairmen in Union County.

The selection was made Saturday, three days after Freeholder Neil Cohen announced that he would not seek re-election to a second term.

Cohen said last week that he would give up his freeholder seat to concentrate on his job as a state assemblyman in the 21st Legislative District. The district includes Kenilworth, Roselle, Roselle Park, Springfield and Union, among other towns.

Eckel will team up with Democratic freeholder incumbents Jeffrey Maccarelli and Joseph Suliga in this year's race.

Democrats currently occupy all nine county freeholder seats.

The municipal chairmen chose Eckel from a host of possible candidates, according to county Democratic Chairman John Malone. That selection was made at a special screening which was held on March 17.

Malone noted that Eckel tried unsuccessfully to get the party's freeholder nod last year.

"I am honored that I was selected, and I am happy that they gave me their backing and their recommendation," Eckel said. "I worked hard for the Democratic ticket last year.

"I am a team player and I have been

active in my community," Eckel added.

Eckel, is a 27-year-old veteran at the Newark Police Department and he served on the Clark Township Committee for eight years.

He claimed that his candidacy will add expertise in business and law enforcement to the freeholder ticket in this year's election.

COUNTY NEWS

Emergency response team eyed

By SHARON CATES

Union County Freeholder Joseph Suliga has been asking his fellow freeholders to form an emergency response team for two years.

At the most recent freeholder meeting, he finally got his wish.

The March 6 oil barge explosion in the Arthur Kill — the latest in a string of environmental mishaps to occur this year in the waters off Union County — prompted Freeholder Chairman Gerald Green to form a three-member committee that will appoint members to a county emergency response team.

Green, Suliga and Freeholder Casimir Kowalczyk make up that three-member committee.

"I saw the need for this long before the latest disasters," Suliga said. "Now, we will have a team from Union County, instead of from Middlesex County, responding to emergencies."

Two years ago, \$100,000 was appropriated in the county budget to purchase a hazardous-materials response vehicle. That vehicle, however, was never purchased. Instead, Suliga said, those funds were diverted to other areas.

Now, Suliga has said he would like to "expedite" the purchase of that vehicle.

Although all of the details have not yet been finalized, Suliga explained what the teams' responsibilities would include.

"The team will be made up of volunteers from municipalities from throughout the county. They will have uniforms, gear and protective equipment, and will be headed by a person with expertise with environmental issues," Suliga said.

"They will respond to emergencies, environmental concerns and problems, make recommendations on how to handle and prevent environmental issues, and will oversee any type of clean-up operation in the county," Suliga concluded.

Tax aid offered

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) of Union County is providing free income tax assistance for low-income Union County residents for the 1989 tax season.

Senior volunteers have been trained by the Internal Revenue Service and the State of New Jersey, and are available by appointments only at the RSVP office through April 15.

Those seeking assistance should bring their W-2 forms, interest statements from banks, copies of their 1988 income-tax returns, the tax package received in the mail and all other applicable forms.

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MR. AND MRS. MARK S. WUKOVITS

Jarosz-Wukovits nuptials

Renita Eva Jarosz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanislaw Jarosz of Union, was married recently to Mark Steven Wukovits, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wukovits of East Hanover.

The Rev. John Olszewski officiated at the ceremony in St. Casimer's Church. A reception followed at the Town & Campus, Union.

The bride was escorted by her parents. Elizabeth Szostek of Union served as matron of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Halina Koszel of Roselle Park, Patricia Falkowski, Mansa Craco and Agnes Jarosz, all of Union, and Alice Zacieracha of Mountainside, all cousins of the bride; Gina Shanley of Union and Lori Geiger of Basking Ridge, sister of the groom. Kristina Szostek of Union served as flower girl.

Steven Wukovits of East Hanover

served as best man for his brother. Ushers were Adam Szostek of Union, brother-in-law of the bride; Adam Geiger of Basking Ridge, brother-in-law of the groom; Chris Sedlacik of Wayne, cousin of the groom; Paul Carnovale, John Gamba and Jim Giordano, all of Union, and Steve Schlehuber of Massachusetts. Robert Szostek of Union, nephew of the bride, served as ring bearer.

Mrs. Wukovits, who was graduated from Union High School and Bergen Community College, is a registered dental hygienist in Union.

Her husband, who was graduated from Union High School and Kean College of New Jersey, Union, is employed as a sales representative for Walker Inc., Springfield.

The newlyweds, who took a honeymoon trip to Hawaii, reside in Union.

SOCIAL



MR. AND MRS. MARK L. CORNWELL

Sep-Cornwell marriage

Elizabeth H. Sep, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomas Sep of Linden, was married Dec. 30 to Mark L. Cornwell, son of Mrs. Lois Cornwell of Irvington and the late Mr. Elmer Cornwell.

The Rev. John Callahan, pastor of the United Methodist Church, Linden, officiated at the ceremony at the Sheraton, Iselin, where a reception followed.

The bride was escorted by her father. Tricia Sep of Linden served as maid of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Lois Beyer of Chatham, sister of the groom; Denise Beyer and Cheryl Beyer, both of Chatham, nieces of the groom, Sandy Eastman of Clark and Kathy Stergiou of Toms River.

Scott MacArthur of Clifton served as best man. Ushers were Dennis Bey-

er of Chatham, brother-in-law of the groom; James Curley of Linden, uncle of the bride; Paul Sep of Clark and Peter Sep of Summit, both brothers of the bride, and Mike Stergiou of Toms River.

Mrs. Cornwell, who was graduated from Linden High School and Glassboro State College, where she received a bachelor of arts degree, is employed as office manager for Assemblyman Chuck Hardwick in Westfield.

Her husband, who was graduated from Frank H. Morrell High School, Irvington, attended Kean College of New Jersey, Union. He is employed as circulation manager for County Leader Newspapers.

The newlyweds, who took a honeymoon trip to Orlando, Fla., reside in Roselle Park.



MARY E. HERRIGHTY
BERNARD M. SPANG

Herrightly-Spang troth

Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Herrightly of Union have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary E. Herrightly, to Bernard M. Spang of Poughkeepsie, N.Y., son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard H. Spang of Mountainside.

The bride-elect, who was graduated from Union Catholic Regional High School and William Paterson College,

is employed as manager of study design at Almed Inc., a market research firm in Clifton.

Her fiance, who was graduated from Jonathan Dayton Regional High School and Stevens Institute of Technology, is employed as a senior associate engineer by IBM, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

An October wedding is planned.

Foligno-Frazier betrothal

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foligno of South Orange have announced the engagement of their daughter, Theresa, to Scott Frazier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frazier of Linden.

The bride-elect, who was graduated from Columbia High School, Maplewood, Union County College and the Berkeley School of Business, is employed by the Prudential Mutual

Fund Services, Edison.

Her fiance, who was graduated from Linden High School, Union County College and Seton Hall University, is employed as a state trooper by the State Police.

An October wedding is planned in the Pantagis Renaissance, Scotch Plains. The couple will reside in Linden.

Lefano-Steinberg troth

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Lefano Sr. of Roselle Park have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jane, to Lance F. Steinberg of Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Steinberg of Morristown, formerly of Springfield.

The bride-elect, who was graduated from Kean College of New Jersey, Union, where she received a bachelor

of arts degree in early childhood education, is studying for a master's degree in education. She is employed as a teacher for the Elizabeth Board of Education at School 6.

Her fiance, who was graduated from DeVry Technical Institute and the University of Hartford, is employed by Veritech Microwave Inc., South Plainfield.

Spaghetti dinner slated by Union Rotary Club

The Rotary Club of Union will hold a benefit spaghetti dinner tomorrow from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Boys and Girls Club of Union, Jeanette Avenue. Proceeds will be donated to Union charities such as Union Little League, Emergency Medical Service, scholarships, Union Hospital, Drug Prevention, American Association of Mental Health and Center For Hope.

It was announced that meatless sauce will be used, which is "ideal for Lent." Meatballs will be available upon request.

The price for adults will be \$6 each; and for senior citizens and children, \$5 for a complete dinner, which will include soft drinks, main course and dessert. Prizes will be distributed.

Representatives of the Rotary Club of Union and the Cultural Arts Council of Union have suggested that those attending the dinner may want to obtain tickets to the musical play "Bye Bye Birdie," which will be staged tomorrow at 8 p.m. at Union High School. The play also will be presented Saturday at 8 p.m.

STORK CLUB

Hoshea Benovitz

An 8-pound, 8-ounce son, Hoshea, was born Jan. 5 in Jerusalem, Israel, to Mr. and Mrs. Moshe Benovitz of Israel.

Mrs. Benovitz, the former Nancy Krasner, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krasner of Union. Her husband is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Benovitz of Riverdale, N.Y. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Nat Meltzer of Monsey, N.Y. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Minnie Benovitz of Riverdale.

Dina Marie Nicastro

An 8-pound, 9-ounce daughter, Dina Marie, was born March 2 in Rahway Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nicastro of Union. She is the couple's first child. Mrs. Nicastro, the former Kathy Broughton, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Broughton of Palm Beach, Fla. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nicastro of Glen Gardner.

Gerald James Giordano

A 7-pound, 11-ounce son, Gerald James, was born Feb. 18 in Overlook Hospital, Summit, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald J. Giordano of Springfield. He is the couple's first child.

Mrs. Giordano, the former Marie E. Espasa, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Espasa of Union. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald A. Giordano of Union.



DARIA LUNGA
ROBERT JOHN GRIFFITH

Lunga-Griffith betrothal

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lunga of Kenilworth have announced the engagement of their daughter, Daria, to Robert John Griffith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffith of Elizabeth.

The bride-elect, who was graduated from David Brearley Regional High School, Kenilworth, will be graduated in May 1991 from Montclair State College. She is employed by Lumbermen's Mortgage Corp., Union.

Her fiance, who was graduated

from Union Catholic High School, Scotch Plains, and Kean College of New Jersey, Union, where he received a degree in management science, is employed as an insurance agent by the O'Donnell Agency, Elizabeth.

A September 1991 wedding is planned in St. Genevieve's Catholic Church, Elizabeth, and a reception will follow at the Victorian Manor, Edison.

Charge for pictures

There is a \$10 charge for wedding and engagement pictures. Glossy photos suggested. Black and white preferred. Story and photo must be submitted within eight weeks of the wedding date. Photos cannot be returned by mail and must be picked up at Union Leader office, 1291 Stuyvesant Ave., within three months of publication. Call 686-7700 before picking up photo.

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Spring

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FASHIONS



WITH STYLE — New, breezy looks such as these cotton-and-linen separates from Howard Wolf are the rule for spring.

Variety is the spice of fashion

By Leatrice Eiseman
Copley News Service
Fashion has at last caught up with the complexity that makes each of us unique. Gone are the days when we adopted a single style and presented the same image all the time. Now, as our lives follow varied patterns, so do our fashion selections.

We can be sedate and subtle in the office — and bold and dramatic after work or on vacation. Designers are presenting us with greater choices because we are actively seeking them — and making diversity a part of our lives.

The biggest fashion news for spring and summer appears in fit and design. Soft, draping fabrics that follow the natural lines of the body are much in vogue. We're seeing more chiffon and chiffron fabrics than ever before.

An abundance of classic fabrics lends an air of casual elegance to spring and summer outfits. Linens, textured cottons, cotton knits, lightweight woolens and all kinds of synthetics lead the way. Often, a crocheted or lace trim adds a delicate touch to an ensemble — further enhanced by some lovely old-fashioned jewelry.

And though we may not think of denim as a classic, its ubiquitous appearance has certainly earned it a continuing place in our fashion picture.

Folkloric designs create bright new drama in a riot of colors. There are tribal jungle prints, paisleys and batiks and Indonesian ikat weaves with colors running together.

The ethnic influence remains strong, drawing on choices close to home from the American Southwest, Mexico and Guatemala and reaching out to Morocco, Africa, India, Indonesia — especially Bali — and the Orient.

Some savvy helps create the right wardrobe

By Tershia d'Elgin
Copley News Service
A closet full of chic isn't acquired overnight. Instead it's a sort of ascendancy, achieved with time and discretion.

Observant shoppers are those consumers well-steeped in fashion magazines. But look for diluted versions of what you see in the glossies. True chic has dignity, and dignity is likely an abbreviation of those stylized photographs of long, lean beauties. You may need fewer accessories, less radical hemlines or perhaps more subtle color combinations.

While you're filling your mind's eye with a newly haberdashed you, don't forget what you look like. Nobody can wear every shape and shade. Your personal palette and silhouette should be fairly precise. If you're unsure of the best hues and shapes for your body, hire someone to advise you.

Color analysis is by now almost mandatory, even if you just buy a book and figure it out on your own.

Trickier is determining and adhering to shape guidelines. Are you short? Tall? Wide in the hips? Narrow in the shoulders? Every curve has its countercurve in clothing. Get good at camouflag-

ing gaffs and accentuating your blessings.

Voluptuous types should leave the voluminous clothing to the more meagerly endowed. Tips include the following: Dress in one color for streamlining. Keep dark colors on the outside for a sleek effect. Go for the elongated verticals and avoid cowl or turtlenecks.

Who among us hasn't snatched up what seemed like the perfect outfit only to get home and find that the fabric wrinkled easily, was too hot, looked lower-quality when out from under the store lights.

Or worse. The whole thing was great until washed, then horrors. It shrank, it frayed, it lost its pluck. Be sure to familiarize yourself with fabric types — cotton, wool, silk and synthetics. And check out the laundering instructions before you buy.

Either you're born with an innate sense of style or you're not. Without this intuition, you can still be among the best-clad. But you must seek out those with stylish visions as consultants.

Personal fashion consulting is big business and getting bigger as the choices get broader and time and disposable income get

smaller. It's the consultant's job to keep you from looking shoddy in a fading wardrobe. They'll know where to get what you want in your price range.

Many top department stores across the country have in-store consultants. Likewise large malls offer this service. Otherwise, it's a matter of combing your yellow pages or asking acquaintances who've had positive experiences for referrals.

As part of the service, the fashion consultant will familiarize herself with your existing wardrobe. You'll determine together how best to beef up your look. They keep records of sizes, colors, your credit information and birthdays of kids and spouses, if so desired.

Hit or Miss stores, based near Boston, developed a handbook on coordinating a wardrobe. For a copy of the free booklet, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to: Hit or Miss, Box M, 100 Campanelli Parkway, Stoughton, MA 02072.

Tailors are more necessary than most of us would admit. Who among us has a perfectly proportioned body — uniformly bilateral and without bulges? Many a potentially impeccable ensemble is ruined by a droopy hemline, jackets that pull or a baggy crotch.

A tailor can make that outfit fit you and you alone. If you're lucky enough to find one who can also create clothing from scratch, so much the better.

Accessories can give your wardrobe integrity. Mishandled, they can also cause confusion. You don't want to arrive jangling like a jalopy.

The rule of thumb is: Don't wear

more than seven items at once. Nor should you wear less than four. For example, a dress, shoes and belt need earrings. A dress, shoes, belt, earrings, bracelet, textured hose and jacket do not need a scarf and necklace.

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The King's College Choir is a 30-voice ensemble that tours throughout the eastern United States and abroad. The choir recently toured England and Israel, and represents The King's College at festivals and other occasions throughout the year. Membership in The King's College Choir is open to all students by audition.

The program will include David Conte's "Canticle" from "Three Sacred Pieces," Charles Ives' "Chorus" from "The Celestial Country," Randall Thompson's "The Gate of Heaven," Felix Mendelssohn's "He, Watching Over Israel," Charles Villiers Stanford's "Beati quorum via" and works by other composers such as Rene Clausen, Don Hustad, David Danner and Maurice Goldman. There also will be arrangements for traditional folk songs.

Spring boutique set

Townley Presbyterian Church, Salem Road, Union, will hold its annual Spring Fling Craft Boutique, March 31 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The show is being held a little earlier this year, it was announced, so that the crafters will have an opportunity to display their Easter handiwork. About 50 local crafters will be participating "just about every craft from primitive and tole painted wood to and painted shirts."

The shoppers will be treated to three large rooms filled with spring crafts.

A luncheon will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., and home-made desserts will be featured. There also is a baked goods table sponsored by the women of Townley.

Rummage sale due

A rummage sale will be held at the Springfield Emanuel United Methodist Church, 40 Church Mall, Tuesday from 3 to 8 p.m. and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to noon. Clothing, books, bric-a-brac and household items will be on sale.

Ham dinner planned

A family style ham dinner will be served in the First Presbyterian Church, Springfield April 6 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. The dinner, sponsored by the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the church, will feature baked ham with raisin sauce, sweet potatoes, noodle pudding, peas, waldorf salad, home-baked rolls, assorted desserts and beverage. The dinner will be served at the Parish House, 37 Church Mall.

Tickets can be purchased by calling 376-1132 or 379-5949 no later than Sunday, April 1, it was announced. Dinner chairman is Mrs. Helmut Grimm and chairman of the dining room is Mrs. Howard Heerwagen. In addition to the dinner, there will be a bake sale featuring home-baked cakes, cookies and other home made items. Mrs. Gerald Brenn will be in charge.

A roast beef dinner

Court St. Theresa 1781, Kenilworth, Catholic Daughters of the

Americas, CDA, will have a roast beef dinner Saturday from 4:30 to 7 p.m. The dinner will be served in St. Theresa's School cafeteria, 540 Washington Ave. The desserts served with the dinner will be home baked, it was announced.

Tickets can be purchased by calling 276-4394, 276-1507 or 276-0007.

Teacher conference

The fifth annual teacher to teacher conference for Catholic and Jewish educators will take place March 29 from 6 to 9:15 p.m. in Temple Sinai of Summit. The theme for this year's conference is "God Talk. How do we see God? How do we talk to God? When do we find God?" The evening program will be a buffet dinner and "directed discussions" and workshops.

Among those participating in the program will be Irene Bolton, director of religious education, Temple Sha'arey Shalom, Springfield.

The conference is co-sponsored by The American Jewish Committee, Metropolitan N.J. Chapter, Archdiocesan School Office and Department of Catechetics, Newark; Ecumenical Commission, Newark Archdiocese and the Jewish Education Association of MetroWest.

The conference "offers the opportunity for Catholic and Jewish principals and teachers to meet informally and discuss the many advances in Catholic-Jewish relations during the past 25 years."

For further information one can call 596-4228 or 379-7844.

Parish Mission set

A Parish Mission will be held at the Church of the Assumption, Roselle Park, Sunday through March 29 by



PREPARING SPRING FLING CRAFT Boutique — Some of the women from the Townley Presbyterian Church Women's Association of Union get together to plan for their annual boutique scheduled March 31 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. About 50 Union County crafters are expected to participate. A luncheon will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. From left are Carol McGlade, Pamela Martone, Kathy Seiple, Janet Sangeacar and Sue Deller.

the Franciscan Fathers. It will begin on Sunday at all Masses, and Monday through Thursday mornings at 9 and evenings at 7:30. Themes and talks for evening services include Monday, "God's Love — Benediction;" Tuesday, "God's Mercy — Reconciliation;" Wednesday, "God's Healing — Healing And Anointing," and Thursday, "Share God's Love," Mass and Fellowship.

For more information, one can call Agnes Tolkaez at 862-8675.

Joint rummage sale

The Reformed Church of Linden, Wood Avenue and Henry Street, will

hold its semi-annual rummage sale Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. This is a joint effort of the Women's Guild and the Adult Fellowship. The merchandise for sale will include baby items, clothing of all sizes and a white elephant table.

Fish fry dinner due

St. Thomas Altar Rosary will sponsor a fish fry dinner cooked by the

people from Argyle Restaurant at St. Thomas Parish Center on St. George Avenue, Rahway, tomorrow from 5 to 7 p.m.

For ticket information, one can call 382-0284 or 381-6312.

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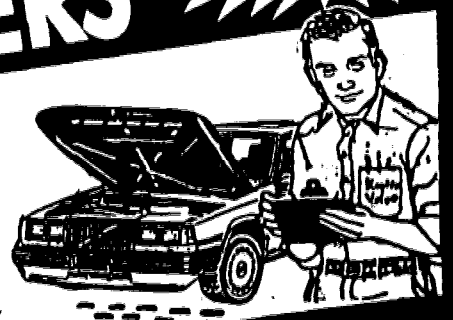
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"How to Start and Manage Your Own Business" will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 7.

"Volunteering with a Purpose" will be covered in on session from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 4.

A Career Information Series will cover opportunities in three areas from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on three Wednesdays, starting April 18. The fields will include fund-raising on April 18; marketing on May 2; and gerontology on May 9.

"Careers for Part-Time Professionals" will be explored from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 28.

Adult Advisory Services can be reached at 527-2210.

Cable service adding 13 channels

Beginning April 2, 13 channels will be added or expanded to Suburban Cablevision's basic package of services, giving subscribers a total of 52 channel offerings.

"New Channel Preview" is a show that will offer Suburban Cablevision subscribers a half-hour introduction to its new and expanded channel line-up. Suburban Cablevision will show "New Channel Preview" on TV-3 on

tomorrow, March 23 at 6 p.m.; Tuesday, March 27 at 8:30 p.m.; Wednesday, March 28 at 10:30 p.m.; Monday, April 2 at 5:30 p.m.; Tuesday, April 3 at 8:30 p.m.; and Friday, April 6, at 8:30 p.m.

Hosted by TV-3 personality, Rob Mottola, and featuring Suburban Cablevision employees, "New Channel Preview" takes a "sneak peek" at

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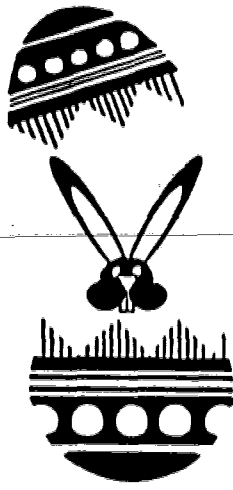
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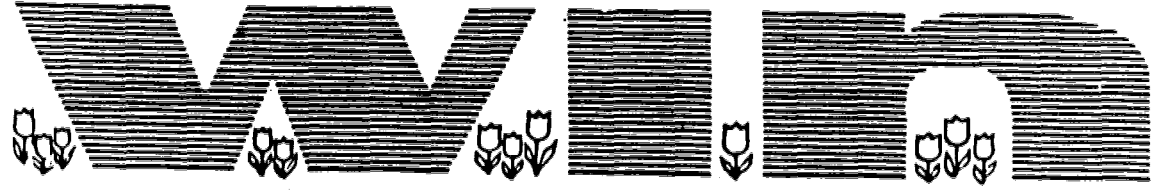
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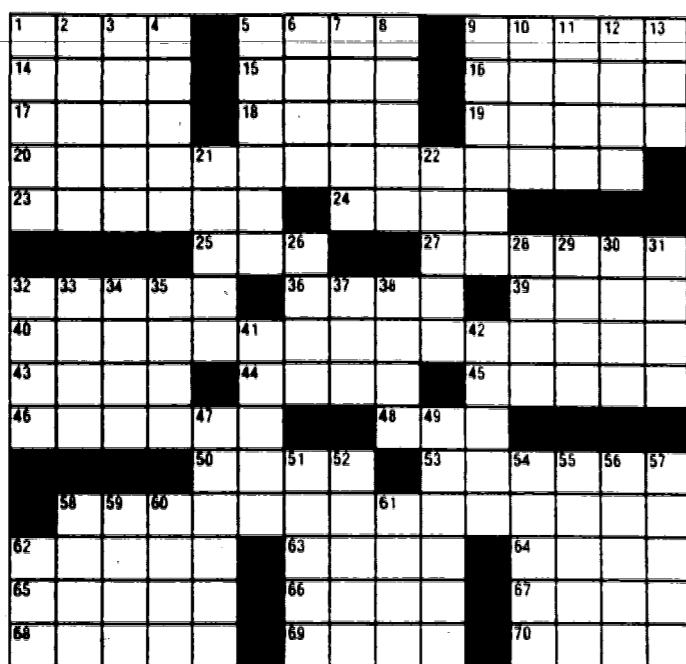
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Application showcase deadline

The Arts Council of the Essex Area has announced that applications for the 13th annual Arts in Education Showcase are available through the Arts Council office at Montclair State College, Upper Montclair. This year's showcase will take place Sept. 22, from 9:30 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 3 p.m. at the college.

It provides an opportunity to performing groups "to demonstrate their creative ability to educators, cultural arts representatives, recreation directors and others involved in planning and scheduling cultural arts programs

for school audiences. In 1987, \$105,000 in bookings was generated from the Showcase."

Only 18 groups will be selected from the applications, and those who do apply must be available to perform during school hours. "Recent experience in performing for young audiences is mandatory."

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Miss Union County

Three young women from Union County area will participate in the Miss Union County Scholarship Pageant. Kathleen Kennedy of Roselle Park, Patricia Kukan of Mountain-side and Janet Reynolds of Roselle are entered in the pageant, which will be held April 21 at 7:30 p.m. at Union County College's Cranford Campus Theater.

The winner of the pageant automatically will compete in the Miss New Jersey Pageant, prelude to the Miss America Pageant, on July 7 in Cherry Hill. Scholarship money is available to winners and participants alike.

The local event will be sponsored by the Cranford Chamber of Commerce. Contestants must either live, attend school or work in Union County in order to participate. The age range is 17 to 26.

Contestants will participate in swimsuit, evening gown and talent competitions, plus a judge's interview. Such talent as playing the violin, flute and piano will be featured, along with singing, dancing and baton twirling.

A former Miss New Jersey, Patty LaTerra of Roselle Park, will serve as the mistress of ceremonies.

horoscope

- For week of Mar. 25-Mar. 31**
- ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) You have been preparing yourself for this opportunity for a long time. Now is the time to show what you can do.
- TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) An agreement you have made may now be out of date. Take some time to revise your commitments.
- GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Stop waiting around for others to make the important decisions. Use your own power to take control of your life.
- CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Your hard work over time has paid off. You will soon get that position you have been aiming for.
- LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 22) Keep a close watch on your temper. Your emotional responses could get you into some serious trouble.
- VIRGO** (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Getting what you want will come to you through a combination of your own planning and an accidental meeting. Enjoy the result when it comes.
- LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Your willingness to accept new challenges will bring you new opportunities. However, you may find yourself too busy to take advantage of them when they arrive.
- SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Now is the time to take up an exciting new activi-

- ty. Leave any questions until later; they could spoil your good mood.
- SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) You may find that this is not the best time to make an important announcement. Hold onto it for now and reveal it later, when the time is right.
- CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) This is the time to be doing things quickly, instead of striving for perfection. The job will get done even if you gloss over the details.
- AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) This will be a week of mysterious happenings and emotional turmoil for you. You will be happy about everything that has happened, however, by the time it is over.
- PISCES** (Feb. 19 to March 20) Your small bad habits do not seem so trivial to others around you. Take the steps necessary to correct your habits.

Jerseyaires Chorus will meet

The Jerseyaires Chorus of the Rahway Valley Chapter of the Barber-shop Harmony Society, SPEBSQSA, will meet Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, 170 Elm St., Westfield. Male singers of all ages are invited. For further information one can call 494-3580.

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 EVENT: Touch Football Classic (2 day double elimination football tournament).
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 TIME: 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
 PRICE: Admission to event free. Anyone can participate, but all team members must fall within the same division (teens, adults, seniors, league players and corporate teams). REGISTRATION DEADLINE: APRIL 10, 1990. Information call Annette Washington 674-1150.
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Local actor

Harry Patrick Christian of Roselle Park has a supporting role in "Burn This," the New Jersey premiere of Lanford Wilson's play, which is running through March 31 Friday and Saturday evenings at 8. The production is staged at the New Jersey Public Theater (NJPT), 1052-A Plainfield Ave., Berkeley Heights, on the grounds of John E. Runnells Hospital. Choreographer Joseph Rettura serves as director.

This marks the first production by NJPT's resident company, The Sides-Step Theater Co., under the direction of Robert Vaccaro, NJPT's artistic director.

More information can be obtained by calling 322-3808.

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'THOUGHT' — This painting is part of an exhibition by Elsa Goldsmith which will be displayed beginning April 1 in the Les Malamut Gallery in the Union Public Library. The exhibition is co-sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Union, which will be celebrating the 70th anniversary of the founding of LWV nationally.

A special 'Look'

By MILT HAMMER

In good voice is Debbie Allen on her first album for MCA Records, "Special Look." Debbie's list of accomplishments is a long and distinguished one — as an actress, director, writer, choreographer and producer, she's won recognition in TV, theater and film. The LP finds her stepping out with energy, sass and inimitable style.

"This is something I've wanted to do for a long time," Allen says of recording her album. "I've been singing almost as long as I've been dancing, and it seemed like the right time to release a record. It turned out to be great fun."

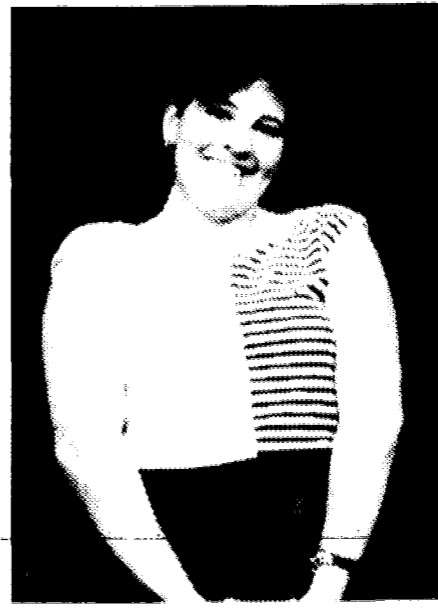
"Special Look," the album's title track and first single, captures the high spirits Allen brought to the project. Produced by Attala Zane Giles, the tune is an irresistible invitation to dance, showcasing Allen's sensual vocals to best advantage. Enhancing the song's impact is a spectacular accompanying video, featuring Allen performing with Taimak, star of the film "The Last Dragon." Allen

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describes the video's concept as "martial arts, dancing, relationship and a matter of honor, with a comedic twist at the end."

Other tracks on "Special Look" are equally ear-grabbing. Hitmaker Kashif, together with co-producer Nick Trevisick, produced such simmering upbeat cuts as "More Than a Man" and "Rock Me Steady." Artist/producer Jesse Johnson and Dave Cochrane help turn up the heat on the groove-powered "Sexy Ways." Besides the title track, Attala Zane Giles produced the album's outstanding ballad, "Holdin' on to Love," one of Allen's personal favorites.

Allen wrote lyrics for several songs on "Special Look," including "Holdin' on to Love" and "Love of all Time." As a whole, the album reflects her persona as a restlessly creative, multi-gifted artist at home on the screen, on stage and in the studio.



DEANA TOMA

Cast is set for musical

Cole Porter's musical comedy "Anything Goes," first performed in the 1930s, will be the highlight of the Union Catholic Performing Arts Company's ninth season. Opening night is March 30 in the auditorium at 1600 Martine Ave., Scotch Plains.

The company will feature young performers including Jennifer Hill, John Massa, Deana Toma of Kenilworth, Jeff Thompson, Steve Bunin of Mountainside, Beatrice Reaud, Dave Robertson and Patti Bolanowski.

The curtain will rise for "Anything Goes" at 8 p.m. March 30, March 31, April 6 and April 7, and at 2 p.m. April 1.

Tickets can be purchased by calling 889-1600 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Kean plans 2 concerts

Dr. Elsa Gomez will be inaugurated as the 15th president of Kean College of New Jersey, Union, Sunday. Gomez is the first Hispanic woman to head a four-year liberal arts college in the United States.

Two concerts, a research colloquium and two conferences are scheduled for inauguration week, which runs through Monday.

"A Tribute to Benny Goodman" by a 16-piece swing band is scheduled for Saturday. Walt Levinsky and the Great American Swing Band will be featured at the Wilkins Theater at 8 p.m. Levinsky, who leads the band and plays the clarinet, appeared with Benny Goodman for two decades.

Another concert, "Six Centuries of Music," will be held today at 8 p.m. and will feature a piano, flute and lute in addition to a vocalist.

The two conferences are on subjects "likely to be major issues in the coming years. Diversity 2000: Living in the 21st Century will address demographic changes in age, racial and ethnic composition and their impact on New Jersey's schools, workforce and daily life."

A conference, aimed at educators, will include workshops on teaching strategies and will be held today and tomorrow.

The Education of Workforce 2000, a conference, is scheduled for Monday.

Inauguration arrangements are being handled by the Kean College Office of Public Information, 527-2371.

Music students set

The New Jersey Youth Symphony Inc. combined orchestras will perform an annual Play-a-thon program April 1 between noon and 5 p.m. at the South Court of Woodbridge Center. The combined groups will perform three times during the afternoon. In addition, each orchestra will play a 45-minute program.

Among the 240 student members of the three orchestras representing 68 communities of New Jersey are Albert Grohmann of Linden and Joanna Lobozzo of Springfield, both of the New Jersey Symphony Preparatory Orchestra; David Hollister and Michael Shapiro, both of Mountainside, and Laurie Cecil of Union, all of the New Jersey Youth Symphony Orchestra; and Anand Swaminathan of Mountainside, member of the

Orchestral String Training Ensemble.

The students, ranging in age from 8 to 18, are selected for orchestra membership through annual auditions. The New Jersey Youth Symphony Inc., a non-profit organization based in Summit, provides "talented music students with orchestral, chamber music and theory training throughout the school year.

Conducting the orchestras throughout the afternoon will be George Mariner Maull, music director and conductor of the Youth Symphony Orchestra; Vernard Yannotta, assistant conductor of the YSO; and Barbara Barstow, conductor of the Preparatory Orchestra and the Orchestral String Training Ensemble.

More information can be obtained by calling 522-0365.

'Sound of Music' staged

The Traveling Therapeutic Theater of the New Jersey Geriatric Center of Workmen's Circle in Elizabeth will present "The Sound of Music" at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the New Jersey Geriatrics Center, 225 West Jersey St., Elizabeth.

The group presents musical theater by and for nursing home residents and

the public. Further information can be obtained from Laura Paulman at 353-1220.

Funding for the production has been made possible in part by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts through a grant administered by the Union County Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs.

A benefit sale is scheduled

A fund-raising family garage and yard sale will be held March 31 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and April 1 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 59 Spruce St., Cranford, near Cranford High School. All proceeds will benefit the Concert Orchestra of Union County. Rain date is April 7.

The next orchestra concert will be performed on Mother's Day, May 13, at Lincoln School on Warren Avenue, Roselle. The concert will be free to the public.

40 years of art to be exhibited

Thirty watercolors, drawings, collages, oils and stage set designs spanning 40 years will be shown beginning March 30 in the James Howe Gallery, Vaughn Eames Hall, Kean College of New Jersey, Morris Avenue, Union. The event will celebrate the long teaching career of W. Carl Bruger, artist/teacher.

Bruger's works are represented in

private, corporate, and museum collections. The public is invited to view the exhibition and to meet the artist on April 7 from 5 to 7 p.m., or to visit during regular gallery hours Monday to Thursday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 5 to 7 p.m. and by appointment. The exhibition will be on view until April 27.

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BUSINESS

Graphics company relocates

Logic Communications, a graphic arts service company, has announced their move to larger and more modern facilities at 1025 Commerce Ave., Union.

Logic supplies computer typesetting and color film services to graphic arts companies throughout the New Jersey and New York area.

Marci Barris, director of operations, says "The new location will provide the company with badly needed space to expand to meet the color film demand of publishers, designers and printers."

"As we enter the new decade, we find that color in print is expanding by approximately 15 percent a year."

on the job

Rich and Louise Brinton, owners of Progressive Travel Inc. of Union have appointed Norbert G. Van Bergen to their sales and promotional staff.

Van Bergen has served as director of the Union County Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) for the past 26 years. Prior to his joining the CYO, Van Bergen served as a computer analyst with a major corporation in New Jersey.



BROTHERS IN BUSINESS — Harry and Joseph Wilf, right and left respectively, are brothers and partners in the Union-based real estate development, building and management firm Garden Homes Management. The two partners recently donated \$1 million to Yeshiva University to establish a scholarship fund for undergraduates.

Brochure is awarded

Association Management Corporation's "60-Second Association Assessment" brochure has won two national awards, company President Peter Allen has announced.

The company, based in Springfield, received a Mercury Award during the National Media Conference in New York and an Association Trends Publication Contest Award during a luncheon in Washington, D.C.

The full-color brochure utilizes a sports cartoon theme to demonstrate each of the firm's six service areas. For example, one panel, which highlights the firm's trade show and meeting-planning services, features a cartoon character sporting a bow and arrow with copy that reads, "Do your meetings and special events hit the mark?"

Association Management Corporation specializes in trade and professional association management, providing day-to-day administrative, financial, membership development, governmental and legislative affairs, communications and printing, trade show and meeting planning, and insurance services. Their clients include the New Jersey Lumber and Building Material Dealers Association, the Consulting Engineers Council of New Jersey, and the New Jersey Veterinary Medical Association.

According to Allen, the concept and copy for the piece were created by Association Management Corporation Director of Communications Debbie Hart, while the artwork was created by widely published cartoonist Tony Rosa, who is also the Association Management Corporation graphic artist.

Rosa's work has appeared in Cosmopolitan, Good Housekeeping, and other national and international magazines.

PSE&G receives honors

Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G) was among 70 organizations from around the nation recently honored by the White House for their community service efforts aimed at helping kids.

The President's Citation for Private Sector Initiatives was presented in a White House ceremony to PSE&G for its "Corporate Responsibility Initiatives for Youth" program.

Oswald L. Cano, PSE&G's general manager Corporate Responsibility, accepted the award on behalf of the utility. "PSE&G has a very long history of community service, and we take it very seriously," Cano said.

GAF of Linden transfers its business

GAF Corporation of Linden has announced completion of its transfer of the company's surfactant chemicals business to Rhone-Poulenc Inc., the U.S. subsidiary of the French chemicals firm, for a total consideration of \$480 million plus assumption of certain liabilities.

Under the transaction, GAF received \$450 million in cash and will

retain a continuing interest in the business. The cash will be used to retire \$235 million principal amount of Senior Subordinated Increasing Rate Notes due March 1994 issued as part of the March 1989 buyout of GAF by a management group led by Samuel J. Heyman, chairman and chief executive officer of GAF. The balance will be used to reduce borrowings pro-

vided in connection with the buyout transaction by a syndicate of banks led by The Chase Manhattan Bank.

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Bob Sekule of Union has been in the home remodeling business for most of his career. After more than a decade in the trade, he has made scores of homeowners happy with their kitchens for the first time.

"A lot of people who want to remodel their homes can't afford to do it all at once," Sekule said. "They want a new kitchen, or a deck, or maybe a dormer to brighten up a dull room, but they want to do it one step at a time."

"Well, that's our specialty. We are a full-scale home remodeling company specializing in quality workmanship at affordable prices."

Sekule, a master carpenter for over 11 years, has helped brighten homes throughout Union County. Working as a fully insured home remodeling company, Sekule guarantees all of his workmanship and appliances.

"We specialize in kitchens," says Sekule, "but we don't really like to limit ourselves. We're a highly versatile company and all of our work and appliances are guaranteed under the manufacturer's warranty." As a policy, Sekule makes sure all of his customers

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"A lot of people are choosing to remodel their kitchens with country-style wooden cabinets, giving a whole new look to that area of the home," Sekule said. "Usually the cabinets are offset with tile or Formica and personalized to match what the homeowner has in mind."

Sekule, along with his partner and fellow tradesman, Jim Breheny, have found that most prefer to have a minimal number of people working inside their homes at a time.

As a result, Sekule and Breheny do most of the work themselves with very little outside help.

"We were both professionals working independently at one time," Breheny said. "But we found that it would be better for us and for our customers if we put our skills together."

"Instead of having one professional and one helper on the job, we have two professionals," he said. "That way we can get twice as much done in half the time — and the job gets done right."

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BUSINESS

on the job

Thomas Kartelias of Hazlet has been named supervisor of admissions at Lincoln Technical Institute (LTI) in Union.

A native of Woodbridge, Kartelias joined LTI as an admissions representative in October 1988 and was promoted to assistant supervisor of admissions the following May. He has received recognition as an outstanding representative from among those in the six Eastern Region campuses of LTI.

Kartelias oversees a staff of admissions representatives who present prospective students with information on career programs which the Union campus offers in automotive and automotive diesel technology, air conditioning, refrigeration and hearing technology, and computer-aided drafting.

He is also in charge of the demonstration presenters who visit high school campuses to demonstrate new developments in the automotive field.

Realtors slate essay competition

High school juniors and seniors who live in Springfield are invited to enter an essay contest sponsored by the Oranges and Maplewood Board of Realtors.

"What Does Your Home Mean To You," will be the topic of the essay.

The Oranges and Maplewood Board of Realtors, which serves Springfield and nine other municipalities, is sponsoring the contest in conjunction with American Home Week.

Three local winners will be selected by a judging panel made up of community leaders. First prize will be \$100, second prize will be \$50, and third prize will be \$25.

In addition, winning essays of this local contest will be submitted to the state contest being sponsored by the New Jersey Association of Realtors. Prizes in the state contest will be \$500 for first place, \$250 for second and \$150 for third.

Students are asked to limit their submissions to 1,500 words or less.

Other rules for the contest are being announced at local high schools.

Deadline for entries is April 10. The winners will be announced May 1.

"We at the Oranges and Maplewood Board of Realtors feel that this contest is important as a means of stimulating students' thoughts about private property rights," said Gloria Costello, president of the board.

The Oranges and Maplewood Board is one of more than 1,800 boards that comprise the National Association of Realtors, the nation's largest trade association and the voice for real estate. The association represents nearly 800,000 members involved in all aspects of the real estate industry.

on the job



JONATHAN BRENN

Jonathan Brenn, of Branchburg, formerly of Springfield, was recently appointed vice president for professional services at Somerset Medical Center in Somerville. Brenn oversees the medical cen-

ter's Diabetes Treatment Center, Family Practice Residency Program, Clinical Laboratory and Pharmacy, Eating Disorders and Specialized Treatment for Addictions Recovery programs, and the Medical Records, Radiology, Cardiology, EEG, Respiratory Care, Rehabilitation Services and Psychiatry departments. His responsibilities encompass hospital operations at every level.

Arthur Simon of Short Hills, president of Designs for Interiors in Springfield, has been elected past president of the New Jersey Chapter of the American Society of Interior Designers (ASID).

His previous positions with ASID include terms as national director, president, vice president and treasurer. He is also on the faculty of Kean College of New Jersey in Union, teaching courses in interior design.

His work has been featured in many leading publications, including Design-

er, New Jersey Monthly and Garden State Home and Garden magazines.

Elleen Kelly of South Orange has been named office manager at Coleman & Pellet Inc. in Union.

The firm serves as public relations counsel for a variety of corporate and trade association clients in the pharmaceutical, utilities, automotive, insurance and chemical industries.

Kelly was appointed administrative

coordinator at Coleman & Pellet in 1988 after completing an internship with the firm.

Henry Hayes of Roselle recently marked his 10th anniversary at Elizabethtown Gas Company.

He is currently a supervisor of construction and maintenance and is located in the company's Green Lane facility in Union.

REAL ESTATE

on the job

Lucille Brugger of Union has been named sales associate of the month in the Union office of Degan Boyle Realtors, in recognition of her sales volume during January.

A consistent sales achiever, Brug-

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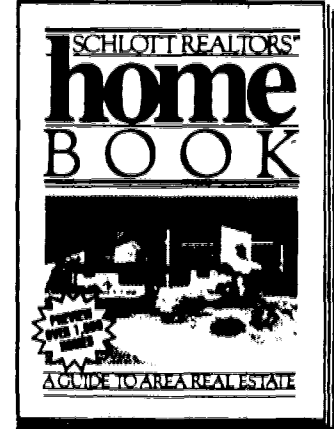
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Art

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WBGO-FM Visual Artists Gallery to exhibit Ernest Cardinale's paintings through May 21 at Jazz 88 Studio, 54 Park Place, Newark; 624-8880.

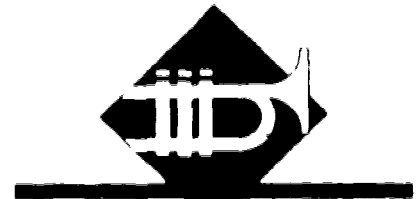
Newark Museum, 49 Washington St., Newark, to present imaginative wood carvings in Contemporary Craft Gallery through April 1; 596-6550.

Jewish Community Center of Metropolitan New Jersey, 760 Northfield Ave., West Orange, to present photographic exhibit, "The Nature of Israel" through April 1; 736-3200, ext. 251.

St. Lifer Art Exchange, to exhibit "bleu et blanc," through March 31, 48 Maple St., Summit; 273-3909.

Union Township Historical Society, at Caldwell Parsonage and Museum, Union, meets third Thursday of each month.

Seton Hall University, to exhibit works of four New Jersey printmakers, through April 7, Mondays through Saturdays 9 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sundays noon to 9 p.m. at Bishop Dougherty Student Center Art Gallery, South Orange Ave., South Orange; 761-9459.



Music

Arts Council of the Morris Area, Fairleigh Dickinson University, 285 Madison Ave., Madison, to present "Betwixt 'n Between," musical comedy March 24, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. during college's all-day festival; 377-6622.

State Theater, 19 Livingston Ave., New Brunswick, to present the

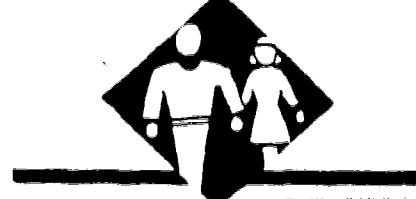
Academy of St. Martin-in-the-Fields March 28 at 8 p.m.; 246-7469.

Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Ave., Montclair, to present "Women and Music" March 25 at 3 p.m.; 744-1266 or 893-5228

New Jersey State Opera, 1020 Broad St., Newark, to present Verdi's "Nabucco" at Symphony Hall, Newark, March 24 at 8 p.m.; 623-5775.

Seton Hall University, South Orange, to present a Piano Ensemble Festival March 25 at 2:30 p.m. in Student Lounge, Bishop Dougherty Student Center, South Orange campus; 761-9418.

Union Music School, announces mail registration for 36th annual summer session, classes to run June 25-July 27, 9 a.m.-12:15 p.m. daily, this year's musical production will be "Oliver." Edward Kliszus; 851-6583.



Singles

B'nai B'rith Single Professionals Unit of New Jersey to hold singles' night at Meadowlands Racetrack, East Rutherford, March 24 at 7 p.m.; Larry Needleman at 353-3732.

New Expectations to hold small group discussion and social with dancing and cold buffet March 23 and 30 at 8 p.m. at Morristown Unitarian Fellowship, Normandy Heights Road, Morristown; 984-9158.

Candellight Connections, to hold jazz night rendezvous party March 25 at Northfield's Restaurant, Route 10, Livingston, 7-11 p.m.; 992-0041.

Parents Without Partners, Watchung Hill Chapter to sponsor dance/social every second Monday of the month, orientation, 7:45 p.m.; dance, Thursdays 8:30 p.m.; L'Affaire, Route 22 East, Mountain-side; 527-0479; 968-8554.

Net-Set sponsors singles every Sunday tennis parties at Mountain-side Tennis Center, 5 to 10 p.m.; 770-0070

Jewish Association Serving Singles offers JASSLine, 24-hour telephone hotline listing events for all ages. Tapes are changed weekly; 925-3845.

Solo Singles over 40, Presbyterian Church, Maple Street and Morris Avenue, Summit, offers "rap or bridge" first and third Thursday of the month at 7:15 p.m.; 464-8166 or 766-1839.

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