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GOP, Dems exchange 'conflict of interest' charges

By Dennis Schaal
Staff Writer

With the campaign to capture two Springfield Township Committee seats in the Nov. 5 election just several days old, officials from both the Republican and Democratic parties this week took their counterparts to task over "potential conflict of interest" issues.

Republican candidates Jeffrey Katz and Harry Pappas were the first out of the starting gate Monday with a statement calling on the Democratic Party to "reconsider the candidacy" of Myrna Wasserman since Democratic Committeewoman Marsha Forman is Wasserman's sister-in-law. The statement cited "a potential for a conflict of interest" and stated that if Forman and Wasserman served on the com-

mittee, "one family would represent 40 percent of every vote taken."

Wasserman, whose term on the Board of Education expires at the end of the month, countered April 16 that the Republican Party confronts a "potential conflict of interest" because in 1990 then-Mayor Philip Kurmos served on the Library board of trustees in tandem with his wife, Shirley Kurmos. In addition, Wasserman charged, Philip and Shirley Kurmos this year wielded "66 2/3 percent" of the clout on the library board's search committee for a new director because she said they occupied two of the three slots on the panel.

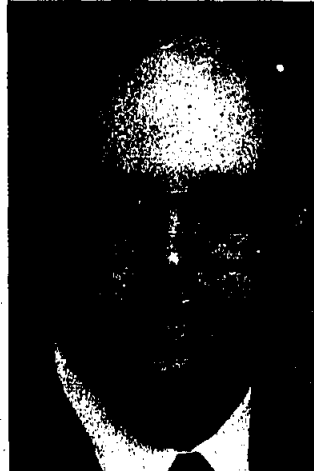
The controversy erupted as the April 11 filing deadline passed and the Democratic and Republican parties selected two candidates each for

the June 4 primary and Nov. 5 election. If the Democrats pick up one seat, they would overturn the 3-2 Republican advantage of the Township Committee.

Republican Mayor Marc Marshall confirmed this week that he will not seek re-election to the Township Committee.

The Republican Party tapped two-term incumbent and former Mayor Jeffrey Katz and Harry Pappas, a former Union County Democratic chairman, who became a registered Republican April 11.

The Democratic Party put forth the candidacies of Myrna Wasserman, three-term school board member and current president, and attorney Steven Firsichbaum, who came within under See GOP, Page 2



Marc Marshall



Harry Pappas



Myrna Wasserman



Photo By Jerry Greenwald

CHAMPION CHEFS — Members of the Springfield Fire Department were among the many area firefighting teams who displayed their culinary skills during the first Firemen's Mutual Benevolent Association Gourmet Cookoff held last Sunday at the Woodbridge Sheraton to benefit the St. Barnabas Burn Foundation. The chefs, from left, wearing hats, are Charlie Colline, Jim Beyer, Jon Pyar and Jim Anagnos. They won a gold medal for their shrimp and scallop jambalaya and a silver medal for their chocolate mousse. David Wagner, center, executive director of the St. Barnabas Burn Foundation, joined the firefighters as they celebrated their victory.

Candidates Night on tap

By Suzette Stalker
Managing Editor

The League of Women Voters of Springfield and the Springfield PTAs will co-sponsor a Candidates Night on Monday, spotlighting candidates for both the Springfield and the Union County regional boards of education, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the cafeteria of Florence M. Gaudinier School.

Six candidates are vying for three vacancies on the Springfield school board, including Ruth Brinen, who is an incumbent, and newcomers Robert Fish, Catherine Filepp, Emma Lampariello, Paul Schmeier and Jacqueline Shanes.

Regional Board President Natalie Waldt of Springfield is being challenged by newcomer Charles Jordan Levy for one of three seats available on the board this year. The other two vacancies on the Regional Board will be filled by representatives from Mountainside and Garwood.

School elections will take place on April 30, at which time voters will cast their ballots for the candidates of their choice and either pass or defeat the 1991-92 budgets for both the Springfield and the Union County regional school districts. Polls will be open between 2 and 9 p.m. on School Election Day.

Moderator Jean Graves of the Short Hills League of Women Voters will introduce each of the candidates for both the Springfield and regional school boards, beginning with the regional candidates. The candidates from each group will follow a standard Candidates Night format, which has been used by the League of Women Voters in other years.

Each candidate will have three minutes to make an opening statement, followed by an extended period when all the candidates will have an opportunity to answer questions from the audience. Candidates will have two minutes each to answer each question, and two minutes each to make closing statements.

The League of Women Voters and the PTAs, in addition to sponsoring the candidates forum, have also put together "candidate sheets" containing biographical information about each of the nominees and their answers to questions concerning what goals they hope to accomplish if elected.

"This year we have an unusual number of candidates," said Doris Rockman, league co-president,

regarding her organization's decision to hold its first Candidates Night in several years. "This is the first time that Mrs. Waldt's seat has been challenged in many years."

Members of the League of Women Voters believe that a Candidates Night is beneficial to voters in that it helps them become better acquainted with the various candidates and therefore better able to make informed decisions at the polls, according to Rockman.

"This is usually the first office which a person decides to run for," she explained. "Very often, they become interested when they have

young children in the school district. This forum gives the audience a chance to see how the candidates handle themselves and how they answer questions."

Dawn Clarke, Voter Service chairman for the League of Women Voters, commented this week that "with true contests for both boards this year, we urge people to come and hear the candidates for themselves. Then they will be able to cast an informed ballot."



The Olive Garden Gang, from left, Frank Lucarelli, Dawn Buess, General Manager Richard Barr, Benita Jenkins, MDA coordinator; Scott Couettl and Maria Owens, MDA poster child, are on the 'Most Wanted' list for a Muscular Dystrophy benefit.

Springfielders will be 'locked up'

By Dennis Schaal
Staff Writer

The Springfield police blotter April 30 will resemble a local edition of "Who's Who."

Police Capt. Vernon Pederson is slated to ply township roadways in a squad car looking for such "jailbirds" as Mayor Marc Marshall and notorious businessmen such as Paul Gaglioti of Pop Realty and Ronald Winhold of Ron Winhold and Associates, ERA Realty.

Sources say the "arrest warrants" are already in the works. The alleged crime: "Caring too much about Jerry's kids."

It's all a benefit for the Muscular Dystrophy Association of Union and Middlesex counties. Jerry, of course, is Jerry Lewis, the comedian whose MDA telethons have become a

national institution. The event will take place April 30 at the Olive Garden Restaurant on Route 22 East in Springfield.

MDA project coordinator Benita Jenkins said this week that for \$50 people can arrange before the event to have "an arrest warrant" issued for a friend or local official, for instance.

Mayor Marshall, Winhold and Gaglioti have already agreed to be incarcerated at the Olive Garden lock-up. Once arrested, the jailbirds will have the opportunity to make more than the one standard phone call. They will be able to call friends and associates on Nynex Mobile Communications cellular phones in an effort to try to raise bail money to secure their freedom.

The suspects will be arraigned by a judge who will set the amount of their

bail based on the category of crime they were alleged to have committed. The bail will generally range from \$300 to \$500.

The MDA spokeswoman acknowledged that all detainees will eventually be released — even if they are unable to raise bail.

Jenkins explained that the monies raised will go to research programs, patient care, community services and summer camp for those afflicted with the disease.

The project coordinator observed that MDA has conducted similar benefits throughout the country.

"While incarcerated, the local desperadoes will be tantalized by the aromas of both Northern and Southern Italian cuisine," an MDA statement noted. "They will be allowed unlimited refills of freshly baked,

soft, warm garlic breadsticks, homemade soups, and a bountiful garden salad."

Jenkins said that Olive Garden general manager Richard Barr has volunteered to serve some jailtime and that many of the restaurant's employees will help out or get locked up themselves.

Although the benefit is still two weeks away, MDA has obtained pledge donations from the Springfield Rotary Club and Joanne Tedesco Realtors.

The MDA asserts that "for every \$1 collected, 92 cents goes to the MDA and 8 cents pays operating costs."

The April 30 event will run from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Individuals can prearrange the surprise arrest of their "boss, spouse or enemy" by contacting the MDA at 750-2333.

Regional school budget adopted

By Suzette Stalker
Managing Editor

The Board of Education of Union County Regional High School District 1 last week adopted its \$36 million budget for 1991-92 following a public hearing held at Governor Livingston Regional High School in Berkeley Heights. The new budget represents a 5.51 percent spending increase from 1990-91.

District 1 includes Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, David Rrearley Regional High School in Kenilworth, Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark, and Governor Livingston. There are approximately 2,132 students

enrolled altogether at the four high schools.

The 1991-92 budget will now go before Regional District voters on April 30, when school elections are held throughout the state. Voters will also cast their ballots that day for three candidates seeking two available seats on the regional school board this year.

Regional Superintendent of Schools Dr. Donald Merachnik told about 25 members of the public on April 9 that the board, in developing this year's budget, took into consideration the concerns of district taxpayers, needs of the district and the pending impact of the Quality Education Act.

The Regional District will lose all of its transition state aid of \$1,220,000 at a rate of 25 percent annually between 1992-93 and 1995-96 until it is eliminated completely.

A budget cap has also been imposed by the state which prohibits school boards from increasing their budgets by more than 7.5 percent from the previous year unless placed on a ballot and approved by voters.

In addition, any surplus or unappropriated balances, which in past years were used to offset the amount of money to be raised through taxation, will be limited. School districts will no longer be able to maintain large amounts for this purpose.

Although the state has assumed the

cost of teacher pensions and Social Security for the next two years, New Jersey school districts will be obligated to pick up these expenses by 1993-94. Pension and Social Security costs will also be considered under the 7.5 percent budget cap.

These costs, which have been estimated at \$3.6 million for next year, are expected to rise by 11 percent annually, meaning that by 1993-94 the Regional District would likely have to assume an additional tax burden of \$3 million unless additional aid from the state is received.

"We have only two years to get ready for this severe fiscal crunch," Merachnik remarked. "Your Board of See REGIONAL, Page 2

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Clark resident Loui Anastasio recovered from open heart surgery six years ago and now devotes his life to painting people's faces. See the story on page B3 of the entertainment section.



GOP, Democrats exchange charges of 'conflict of interest'

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200 votes of defeating incumbent Committee member Philip Kurmos last year.

Mayor Marshall stated April 15 that he decided to forgo the contest so that he could spend more time with his 2-year-old son and focus more energies on his business, Milrose Foods. Marshall disclosed that he "offered his services" to work on a board or commission in 1992 and that he would not rule out a future return to elective office.

Republican candidate Pappas stressed, in interviews this week, that the Wasserman-Forman link is "a legitimate issue that must be resolved." He said the Republicans would not deem it improper, for instance, for Forman to serve on the Township Committee while Wasserman works on the school board or another autonomous commission. He said it would be improper, however, for two family members to occupy seats on the single

governing body of the municipality. "I'm surprised that the Democrats would knowingly put up a candidate whose sister-in-law is a member of the Township Committee," Pappas said.

Apprised that the Republicans were calling for the withdrawal of her candidacy, Wasserman contended that the Republicans were "obviously afraid of strong, intelligent" opponents and that they would stop at nothing to discredit them. She said it would be up to the electorate to evaluate her experience and record.

"I'm not a clone of hers, nor is she of me," Wasserman said, referring to Forman. "As you noticed, we're not Siamese twins. We are two independent people, not tied to each other."

The Republican statement noted that "we do not believe that a great deal of thought was given to the fact that incumbent Committeewoman Marsha Forman is the sister-in-law of Ms. Wasserman."

Democratic Chairman Bruce Bergen said this week that the party was "aware" that the Republicans might raise the Wasserman-Forman relationship "as a campaign ploy." He said the Democrats would "absolutely not" reconsider Wasserman's position on the slate because she "is a qualified political person" who would make "an excellent committeewoman."

Republican incumbent Committeewoman Kurmos said April 16 that it is "absolutely ludicrous" for Wasserman to compare her serving last year with his wife on the Library board of trustees with a potential Wasserman-Forman duo on the committee. "What does one have to do with another?" Kurmos asked.

Kurmos said he served on the Library board last year in his capacity as mayor and that Shirley Kurmos has ample credentials for the position. He said a precedent had been established earlier when former Republican Mayor Katz appointed then-Democratic

Committee member Bill Welsh and his wife, Geraldine Welsh, to the library board.

In addition, Kurmos pointed out, he only participated on the library search committee this year as deputy mayor in a substitute capacity for Mayor Marshall. He said the full library board voted on the new director choice and that he did not take part in that ballot.

Republican candidate Pappas, who currently serves on the Board of Adjustment, said the main issue in the Township Committee race will be "taxes, taxes, taxes." He pointed out that under Republican administrations the municipal tax rate rose just 2 points in 1989, there was no increase in 1990, and the current budget proposal offers a 5.5-point drop.

"I'm very confident of what the Republicans have done in town," Pappas said. "Springfield is a better place to live. They've held the line on taxes."

Pappas stated that Wasserman will have to run on her fiscal record at the school board. "When is the last time the school board budget came in with no increase?" he asked.

Pappas served as Union County director of purchasing from 1979-1981, was assistant treasurer of the Democratic National Committee from 1979-1981, and was Springfield's representative to the Union County Transportation Advisory Board.

Pappas indicated that the process that culminated in his switch last week to the Republican Party began when he "heard Governor Kean talk about the Politics of Inclusion." He argued that the Republican Party offers superior tax policies and "has the pulse of the people."

Republican incumbent Katz, who served as township mayor in 1988 and 1989, said that prior to 1988 — regardless of the party in power — "the township was an unmanaged entity." He expressed pride in the fact that the Republicans on the committee have "done things as a team."

"The Republicans have given a clear sense of direction to the township," Katz said. "We've run the municipal government as the \$14 million enterprise that it is."

Katz argued that "plain old qualifications" will be an issue in the upcoming campaign. The attorney noted that Springfield was just one of two municipalities in the state that presented municipal budgets in 1990 "with no tax increase resulting from the municipal tax budget."

Katz argued that Democratic opponent Firsichbaum provides no clear direction and that "he kept agreeing with everything that Kurmos said during debates last year."

School board President Wasserman noted this week that the Township Committee campaign is her "first shot in partisan politics" and that she looks forward to debating the issues.

"My nine years on the Board of Education reached a point where there was a terrific turnaround in the educational system in Springfield," Wasserman said. "I thought this was a good time to step out and take on a new challenge."

Wasserman has played an active role with the League of Women Voters for more than 20 years, and she has been a library volunteer for six years. She has also been involved with the Parent-Teacher-Student Organization at the regional high school.

Wasserman said she thought the two Democratic candidates "have a good chance of winning." She said Firsichbaum "is a formidable candidate" since he lost a close race last year against an incumbent mayor despite anti-Elgion sentiment.

Steven Firsichbaum, a former Springfield municipal prosecutor and ex-attorney to the Board of Health, said he is concerned by the Republican administration's overzealous management style. He said that the business aspects of running town government should not be taken to the point that an adversarial relationship is developed with the citizenry.

Said Firsichbaum: "I believe government is a service organization — not a business."

Regional 1991-92 school budget is OK'd

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Education must, therefore, begin in 1991-92 to take down our spending wherever possible. We may be in the beginning stages of a 'downsizing' of activities, services, staff and programs in this district." The Regional Board has developed several strategies by which it hopes to compensate for the loss in state aid while still maintaining as many existing services and programs as possible. One will be to continue consolidation of administrative and supervisory positions wherever it is practical.

The board is also planning to reduce the number of district staff members by not replacing faculty who are scheduled to retire; by operating fewer classes with low student enrollment; by increasing class size in courses with several sections; and by reducing from the curriculum staff and programs no longer required due to changes in course preference by students.

Although the classroom phase of Driver Education will continue to be offered, behind-the-wheel instruction for high school students will be eliminated from the daytime curriculum beginning in September. This course

will be offered through the Regional Adult School program paid for by student tuition.

The Regional Adult School, formerly held at all four high schools, will be consolidated at Jonathan Dayton and Arthur L. Johnson, which currently house the majority of the programs.

This process, while it will save the district \$11,000, will not diminish the number of course offerings. However, Adult School students will be charged an additional \$4 registration fee to enroll in the programs.

The Adult High School, which provides classes for those who never earned a high school diploma, will close after June 30, 1992, because the QEA contains no future provisions for adult high school programs.

Transition aid which the district will receive next year will include funds for adult school enrollments which took place in 1989-90. All staff and students currently participating in

the Adult High School programs will be notified of the closure a year in advance.

Finally, the Summer Cultural Arts Program for students, graduates and adults will be discontinued after the summer of this year due to "these times of fiscal restraint and the need to concentrate on our programs and services for students in grades 9-12," according to Merachnik.

If voters reject the 1991-92 regional school budget, as happened last year despite the board's having formulated a budget with a zero percent increase in spending, the budget will be reviewed by the mayors and municipal governments of the six communities comprising the Regional District.

Municipal officials from the six communities — including Springfield, Mountainside, Kenilworth, Clark, Garwood and Berkeley Heights — will subsequently convene with the Regional Board of Education at a

public meeting to discuss prospective reductions in the budget.

"Hopefully, the voters will recognize the fine job completed by your board in keeping this budget to a sound and reasonable level," Merachnik remarked. "We have tried to balance the needs of our students for a solid and comprehensive education required today with the urgent concerns of our taxpaying residents. And, I believe we have accomplished this."

"I urge every parent and resident of this district to strongly support the board's decision and the budget on April 30 whether the budget includes everything in it that you wanted or not," the superintendent added.

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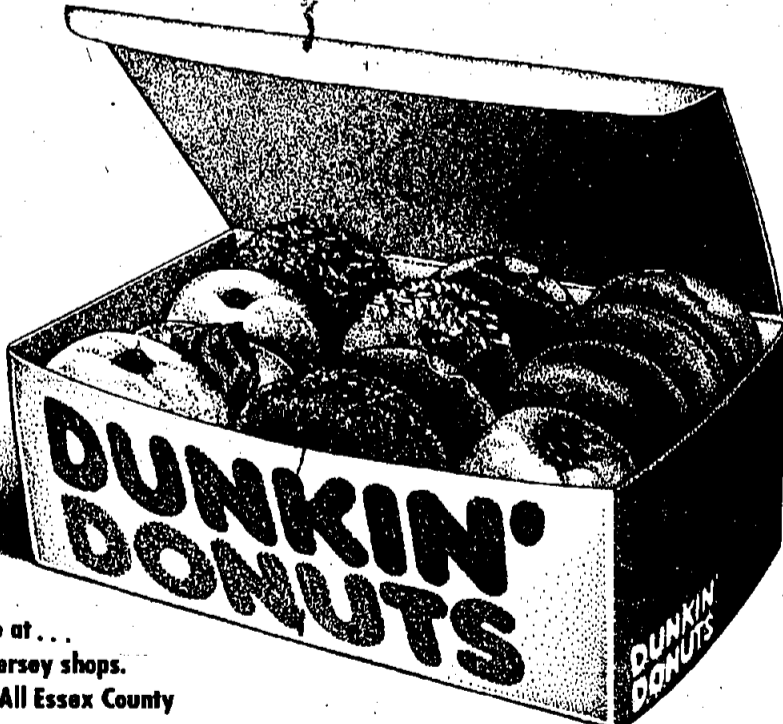
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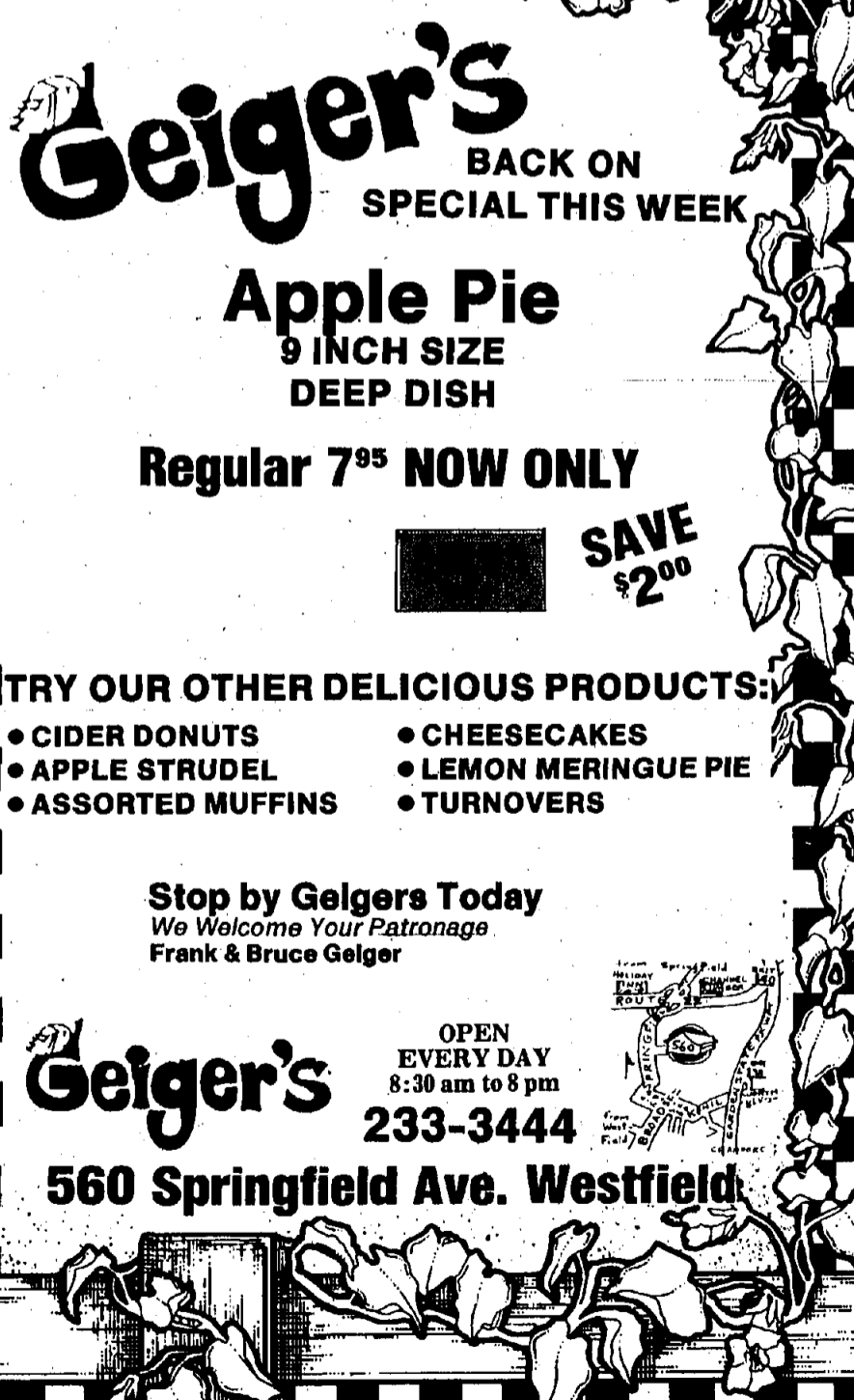
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School elections to decide budget fates

The school election being conducted by Union County Regional High School District 1 on April 30 is just one of approximately 550 school district elections being held on that day. These elections will decide the fate of school budgets for the 1991-92 school year and, in many districts, there will be contests for seats on the board of education.

In the Union County Regional High School district, which includes the municipalities of Springfield, Mountainside, Kenilworth, Clark, Garwood and Berkeley Heights, voters will have the opportunity to approve a 1991-92 budget of \$36,049,840 for the four Regional high schools.

The Regional high schools include Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, which enrolls Springfield and Mountainside students; David Brearley Regional High School in Kenilworth, Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School in Clark and Governor Livingston Regional High School in Berkeley Heights.

The 1991-92 budget represents a 5.51 percent increase over the current Regional District school budget, yet it is still nearly \$1.7 million under the state-approved budget cap for school districts. All six Regional District communities share in the total budget appropriations.

The Regional school budget vote is

different than the elections being held by the elementary school districts of the six constituent communities which are served by the Regional high schools. Therefore, Regional District residents will be asked to vote in two school elections April 30, both for the Regional Board of Education and their local school board.

Voters in Springfield, Mountainside and Garwood will have an opportunity to choose one person to fill a three-year term on the Regional Board of Education.

In Springfield, voters will be asked to vote for one candidate, either Board President Natalie Waldt, the incumbent, or challenger Charles Jordan

Levy. In Mountainside, newcomer Carmine Venes is running without opposition to become that borough's representative to the Regional Board.

The polls will be open April 30 from 2 to 9 p.m. Regional District residents may vote in the Regional and local school elections at the following polling places:

In Springfield: Residents of Districts 1 through 6 will go to James Caldwell School, Caldwell Place; Districts 7 through 10 will go to Florence M. Gaudinier School, South Springfield Avenue and Districts 11-14 will go to Thelma L. Sandmeier School, South Springfield Avenue.

In Mountainside: Residents of all school districts will go to Deerfield School, Central Avenue and School Drive.

For additional information, one can call 376-6300, extension 328.



CAN'T SAY NO — Springfield resident Chris Treglio, left, playing Will Parker, and Mountainside resident Jill Mennella, right, portraying Ado Annie, rehearse a scene from 'Oklahoma!' to be presented at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield on Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. There will be a special performance for senior citizens tonight at 7 p.m. For ticket information, call 376-6300.



LITTLE ARTIST, BIG TALENT — Colby Tiss, second from right, a first-grade student at James Caldwell School in Springfield, was a finalist in Channel 13's Student Arts Festival. The youngster's painting, 'Fun at the Beach,' was one of 100 chosen to be exhibited at Sothebys New York from more than 4,000 entries. The painting will be shown on Channel 13 TV on May 29 at 4:58 p.m. and then will travel in a tri-state exhibition this year. Pictured with the young artist is her father, Gary, her mother, Debby, right, and art teacher Marilyn Schneider.

Springfielder is a trustee

Margaret Rosario Rivera of Springfield, manager of budget and space for the Personnel Computer Resource Center at Bellcore, has been appointed by Gov. James Florio to Montclair State College's board of trustees for a six-year term.

Rivera joins eight other board members in providing oversight to every area of Montclair State's academic, administrative and student services programs.

Following a year of service as a probation officer in Middlesex County, Rivera entered higher education as an admissions counselor for the Rutgers University Colleges of Engineering and Pharmacy, specializing in recruitment of minority students.

In 1976, she was promoted to senior counselor within the overall undergraduate admissions office at Rutgers' New Brunswick campus, where she worked closely with the university's Educational Opportunity Fund Program. She was named director of Admissions at Livingston College in 1979.

Rivera joined Bellcore's Piscataway Office as an associate director of university relations in 1984. In that capacity, she administered the company's Graduate Fellowship Program for Minorities and Women and its nationwide technical summer employment program. She now works in Bellcore's Livingston office.

Trailside volunteers wanted

Trailside Nature and Science Center, Coles Avenue and New Providence Road, Mountainside is seeking capable volunteers to assist staff naturalists with summer programs. Volunteers are needed to work with children ages 4-6, first and second graders and third, fourth, fifth and seventh graders.

Anyone wishing to volunteer should be reliable and have some experience working with children and enjoy working in the outdoors. Volunteers will have an opportunity to meet new people and gain valuable experience and skills while working at a

Union County facility located in the Watching Reservation.

To volunteer one's time or to obtain more information, one can call Betty Ann Kelly, assistant director, Tuesday through Friday at 789-3670. Trailside is a facility of the Union County Department of Parks and Recreation.

Trailside invites area residents to explore Earth's nearest star on Sundays at 2 and 3:30 p.m. at a planetarium show titled "Everyday Is Sunday." Participants will find out how the space craft Ulysses will offer people a three-dimensional perspective on the sun as never before revealed.

campus corner

Decca Hillyer, granddaughter of Rose Virginia Hillyer of Springfield, has been selected for inclusion in the 1991 edition of "Who's Who Among Students In American Universities And Colleges." She is a junior in church music at Westminster Choir College, Princeton.

As a member of the Westminster Choir, Hillyer participates in one of the world's leading choral ensembles. She is also a member of the Westminster Symphonic Choir, which per-

forms regularly with the world's leading orchestras and conductors.

Hillyer also serves as organist at St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Tronton and is a past member of the Westminster Concert Bell Choir. She is the recipient of the John Finley Williamson Scholarship.

The student is one of an elite group of students selected from more than 1,400 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations for inclusion in the annual directory.

Springfield postmaster reports theft of mail

Postmaster William G. Daniels of the Springfield Post Office reported the theft of United States mail from the Morris Avenue area on April 9 at approximately 3 p.m. The pieces of mail were subsequently recovered

intact and placed back into the mail stream with minimal delay.

However, some of the recovered mails were tampered with and are being redirected back to the senders

with a letter of explanation enclosed. If anyone has any information or questions regarding the mail thefts, they are requested to contact Postmaster Daniels at 376-1138. All calls will be kept strictly confidential.

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Recycled newsprint lessens solid waste

This is the second installment of a three-part series dealing with current environmental issues affecting the Worrall Community Newspapers area. Next week Earth Day activities will be dealt with in this space.

For newspaper readers the difference between virgin and recycled newsprint is almost imperceptible.

It may feel a bit heavier. It may look a shade darker. And, it may constitute just half the pages of the newspaper. But to cost-conscious public officials and environmentalists across the state, it is the critical difference between budget-busting and affordable dumping fees, and between bleak and optimistic environmental forecasts.

According to a report published in January, more than six newspapers in 10 are recycled in New Jersey and the rate is steadily increasing. With a rate approaching 70 percent and constituting more than 4 percent of the entire solid waste stream in New Jersey, newspaper is just one of over 25 items targeted by private and public organizations to contribute to the recycling stream in what the Department of Environmental Protection has called "the challenge of the '90s."

Challenge of the 1990s
According to this report, published by the governor's Solid Waste Assessment Task Force, the state is meeting this challenge with such success that it recommended the state more than double its recycling rate by 1996.

The task force based its recommendations on an assessment of on-going state and national recycling efforts and subsequent projections. All 21 counties in the state have mandatory programs of varying magnitude in place, and, according to the report, the 500 municipalities in New Jersey with curbside programs "constitute over 25



By David Brown and Alec Schwartz Staff Writers

percent of all the curbside programs in the nation."

According to the task force analysis, using 1988 figures, 5.4 million tons, or 39 percent, of the solid waste stream was recycled. Twenty-four percent of the stream consisted of recycled municipal solid waste including paper, glass, metals, plastic, yard waste, asphalt, concrete and demolition waste. Industrial sources accounted for an additional 2.7 tons. Union and Essex counties each reported rates of 43 percent and 49 percent respectively. The DEP is estimating a recycling rate of 42 percent for 1990.

A reasonable goal
Forecasts for increasing the recycling rate to 60 percent by 1996 have been generally optimistic. Despite questions regarding methods of data compilation and analysis, the public and private sectors are in general accord about ways of improving and accelerating the recycling campaign.

Areas including education and monetary incentives to recycle are being examined, where not already in place. Businesses and governments — local, county and state — have been called on to act as the catalyst for development of a recycling market by full conversion to the use of recycled paper.

Education, the lone qualitative fac-

tor in the recycling equation, has been called the key to meeting the 60-percent goal.

"People are going to have to change the way they think," said Union County Recycling Coordinator Joan Buhendorf. "We're going to have to see items like newspaper and aluminum cans as raw materials, as commodities. We're going to have to change the American habit of throwing things away after first use, and change our buying habits in order to create a market for these raw materials."

According to Buhendorf, Union County is scheduled to introduce an education program covering "all facets of recycling" this summer. Union County handles collection for some of the towns in the Worrall Community Newspapers area.

The Occupational Center, which collects recyclables for 13 communities including parts of Newark, West Orange, Bloomfield, Glen Ridge, Irvington, Maplewood and South Orange, also is optimistic about reaching the 60-percent level and, through mailings, has educated residents about the need to recycle.

But, because of the reluctance of some people to recycle, a number of proponents have suggested teaching by example.

"I think the government will have the greatest multiplier effect on establishing a viable market for recycled items," said Marie Kruzan of the Association of New Jersey Recyclers. "They use tons and tons of paper. Their full participation would double the acceleration of the market place."

At the other end of the loop, the government has gotten involved. The state is currently required under the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act to spend 45 percent of the amount they allocate for paper products for the purchase of recycled

paper and paper products. According to the task force report, the state is encouraging counties and municipalities to reach this goal.

The state has also attempted to stimulate the free market through the 1985 Recycling Act, which provides for a 50-percent credit for businesses purchasing recycling equipment in New Jersey. Most recently, the Marcal Paper Company received a \$3 million low interest loan for development of its New Jersey-based recycling facility. The state is currently engaged in market development and research studies for the benefit of the private sector, including analyses of composting methods and environmental assessments of the manufacture and disposal of disposable packaging.

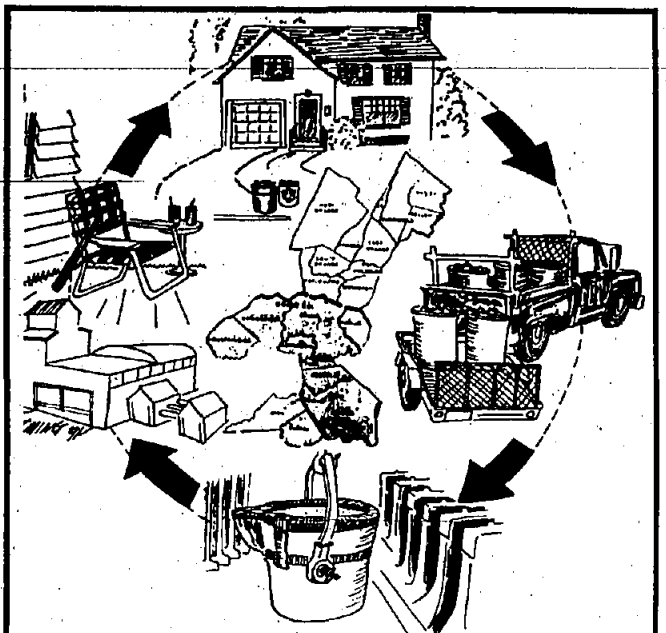
According to Jeanne Clark of the Recyclers Forum, the government example should remain just that — an example. The increased quantity and quality of the final product — whether newsprint, glass, aluminum or construction and demolition waste — has been identified as a critical component to the completion of the recycling loop.

"If we are to meet the new expanded goal set by the task force, we're going to have to upgrade the quality of the final product and expand markets for such materials as glass and paper," Clark said.

However, because manufacturers do not always see a cost benefit to using recycled materials, their participation is motivated by a non-monetary concern — the will of the people. McDonald's, for instance, switched to recyclable packaging for its food when pressured to be "environmentally correct."

A savings to taxpayers?

Overall, by reducing the volume of solid waste which must be hauled to landfills or burned, municipalities are reducing their "tipping fee" bills. But



The graphic illustrates the flow of recyclable materials, such as aluminum through an entire loop. Household products enter the stream and are picked up by a collector, who delivers the materials to a processor who turns the items into a usable form. From there the product is used by a manufacturer and then returned to the household.

for many communities the savings ends there.

According to Dick Menkes, who serves as an intermediary between towns and manufacturers which use recyclables, politicians in many cases instituted short-cut recycling programs, which in the long run will cost the taxpayers money.

Menkes said that politicians instituted programs which did not require source separation because it was hypothesized that a larger percentage of recyclables would be collected. But Menkes added that towns need to pay for co-mingled paper and other recyclables to be disposed of while separated materials are receiving top-dollar.

"None of these politicians has any fiduciary responsibility to the people," Menkes said. "They do it because it's mandatory. Anyone who has any association with the way politicians talk knows that when it's mandated by the state, local politicians don't care."

Menkes said that when newsprint is separated from other paper, domestic companies will pay \$20-\$25 per ton. However, co-mingled paper must be sent overseas at a cost to the municipalities. Towns are willing to pay this price because the paper is removed from the garbage stream, however if the paper were sorted before being picked up, it could be a revenue for the town.

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Student is recognized

Seventeen-year-old Kathy McCabe of Springfield, a senior at Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, has been named as her school's "Student-of-the-Month" for April based upon her outstanding academic record as well as her involvement in athletics and her extracurricular activities.

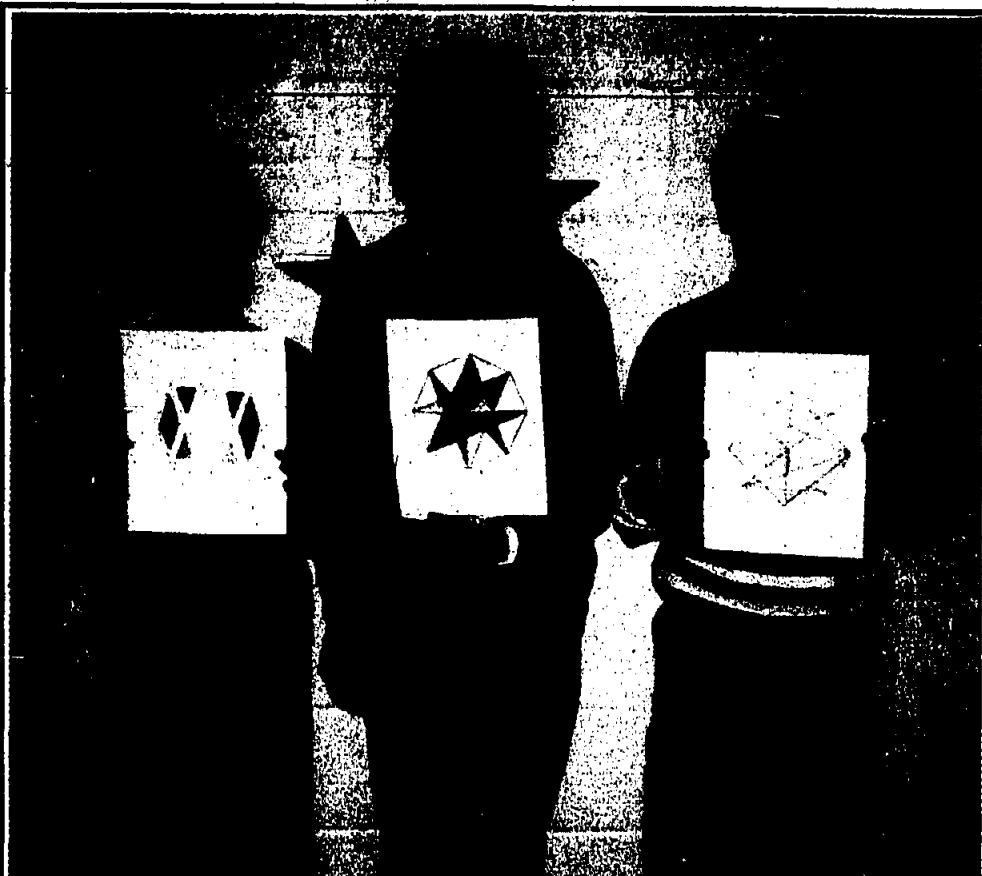
McCabe has attained a grade-point average of 3.5 on a scale of 4.0 and is ranked sixth academically in this year's senior class at Jonathan Dayton.

She served as the president of the Jonathan Dayton Key Club; editor-in-chief of the Dayton Journal, the school's newspaper and secretary of the Dayton French Club.

She is also an active member of the National Honor Society, the French Language Honor Society, the Varsity tennis and track teams and the staff of the "Melopoeia," the Jonathan Dayton student literary magazine. McCabe has also found time to volunteer at Children's Specialized Hospital in Mountainside.

After graduating from Jonathan Dayton in June, McCabe is planning to attend either Amherst College, Northwestern University, Tufts University, Rutgers University or George Washington University. Once in college, she intends to pursue a major course of study in international relations.

Judith Wickline, right, principal of Jonathan Dayton Regional High School in Springfield, presents a plaque to Jonathan Dayton senior Kathy McCabe which signifies the student's designation as her school's 'Student-of-the-Month' for April. McCabe was recognized for her academic and athletic accomplishments at Dayton as well as for her extracurricular activities.



DESIGNS IN GEOMETRY — These students, from left, E.J. Mattioli, Gena Schlegel and Chris Jenkins, display their designs in geometry which they created in Lorraine Leber's sixth-grade mathematics class at Deerfield School in Mountainside.

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Global responsibility

Remember Earth Day? Inaugurated 21 years ago, Earth Day generated a great deal of interest with the general public last year and its 20th anniversary coincided with an unparalleled public awareness of environmental issues that hadn't been seen before, or, sadly, since.

Earth Day 1990 was supposed to usher in the Decade of the Planet, powered by a growing global awareness of the damage that human "progress" has done to the world around us — from the oil-fouled beaches of Alaska to the ozone hole over Antarctica, from Japanese whaling vessels to the burning Amazon rainforests.

But Earth Day 1990 passed, and the environmental momentum seems to have subsided, with Americans now more concerned with the recession and saving their own economic hides.

Nevertheless, the flurry of environmental concern during the past few years has effected a substantial change on segments of the population, a very important change that represents a shift since the first Earth Day.

Twenty years ago, environmental advocates demanded government action and legislation to reduce pollution and put an end to environmental wreckage. Now, people have turned toward introspection, realizing what each of us can do to protect the world, and how each of us shares in the blame for the environmental ills that persist.

In realizing our own guilt, we also have acknowledged our ability as consumers to effect — to demand — positive change. With such knowledge comes power, and we must learn to use that power more forcefully and more often.

The tuna boycott is a fine example of what consumer power can do. Faced with a growing tide of animosity about dolphin deaths as a result of tuna fishing practices, the top three U.S. tuna producers adopted "dolphin-safe" policies.

But, the voluntary decision by Chicken of the Sea, Bumble Bee and Star-Kist to become dolphin-safe also resulted in a stalling of the Marine Mammal Protection Act, federal legislation that would have enforced such dolphin-safe practices. In the absence of legislation, we have to trust the tuna companies to comply with their own-lofty standards. And then,

generic and supermarket brand tuna, as well as restaurant and food service suppliers, and foreign importers offer no guarantees, allowing dolphin pogroms to continue.

The ecological-war waged in the Middle East is wreaking such devastating environmental damage that we can imagine some people giving up. When hundreds of oil wells are burning in Kuwait and endangered dugongs and sea turtles are dying in the oil-contaminated marine world of the Persian Gulf, who can care that each aluminum can we recycle saves energy enough to power a television for three hours? It seems futile.

But by taking individual, personal responsibility for the environment, and for the effects, positive and negative, that our very presence has on the world, we can impact upon our environment, especially on a local level, by taking steps, some simple, some tough, to change our lives.

For example, if you have an option between styrofoam and paper cups or packaging, choose paper; it degrades naturally. Plastic vs. glass or aluminum packaging? Go with the latter two, for they can be cheaply, effectively recycled and reused again.

Above all on Earth Day this Sunday, we each should make an effort to be more aware of the world around us. Think of how much time we spend indoors. By making a conscious effort to spend time out and in the world around us, we are likely to benefit from a resulting increase in concern for and understanding of our world and our place in it.

candidates corner

The following statements were written and submitted by the candidates running for the Regional Board of Education. Elections will be held on April 30. Statements by candidates running for the Springfield Board of Education will appear in this space next week.

Charles Levy

Last year's budget called for nearly \$17,000 to be spent for each student attending the high school in our district. No matter how many times I look at last year's budget, it still amazes me that we cannot give our students a top rate education for less than \$17,000.

I believe that we can.

We need to re-examine every aspect of our school system to determine what is needed to educate our roughly 2,100 daytime students. We cannot afford to approach our annual budget in terms of how much of an increase over last year we can handle. All this does perpetuate inefficiencies.

Natalie Waldt

I am running for my ninth term on the Board of Education of the Union County Regional High School District 1. I have served on the board since 1967.

I am now serving as president of the regional board for the fifth consecutive year. In addition to my duties as president, I also head the board's negotiations and long-range planning committees.

Born and raised in New York City, I attended the City College of New York. I served as sergeant in the Women's Army Air Corps during World War II. I moved to Springfield in 1961 from neighboring Union Township, where I earned a lifetime membership award for my work with the Parent-Teacher Associations in the Union public schools.

During my 30 years as a Springfield resident, I have been very active and civic-minded. Professionally, I operated the Landmark Travel Agency in Springfield for many years. And in addition to my work with the Regional Board of Education, I also served as president of both the Jonathan Dayton Regional High School PTA and the Sisterhood of

everyone benefits. Our children receive a quality education and our taxpayers do not feel that they are being taken advantage of.

One merely needs to pick up a daily newspaper to see that the taxpayers in our region, and throughout the state, are demanding that they be considered in the decision-making process. It seems only fair since they are the ones paying the bills.

I know that we can do better if we are willing to put forth the effort to get back on track. I believe I uniquely possess the skills to play a pivotal role in the financial affairs of the board and still safeguard the interests of our youth.

daughters, Judith Ciuffreda and Deborah Kern, both of whom graduated from Jonathan Dayton Regional High School, and four grandchildren.

As a candidate for re-election to the Union County Regional High School District Board of Education, I believe in quality academic high schools which offer students a wide variety of scholastic and co-curricular opportunities. I also believe that student growth and maturation are made possible by the many offerings in the regional district's program.

I am concerned about the Quality Education Act and the negative impact it will have on the regional district during the coming years. This act of the Legislature will eliminate state transition aid to districts such as Union County Regional during a four-year period, impose spending caps on all public school budgets and force local school districts to pay for teacher pensions and Social Security starting with the 1991-92 school year.

Because I believe that the regional high schools provide the students of the district with many fine educational opportunities, I believe that all four regional high schools — Jonathan Dayton, David Brearley, Arthur L.



Johnson and Governor Livingston — must be kept open. The regional high schools are more than just centers of learning, they are a hub of activity for each regional district community. They are part and parcel of the communities in which they are located. Any school closing in the regional district would be a tragedy for the affected community.

I realize that today's parents expect more out of their schools than in the past, so I support the continuation of all vital services now in existence in the regional district. I believe in comprehensive high schools; institutions which offer opportunities not only for top-level, college-bound students, but also vocational courses and special education programs which are necessary for some students in the district's six communities.

I understand the plight of taxpayers in the regional district and acknowledge that the schools must be cost conscious. Efforts are being made now and are planned for the future which will reduce school costs. I strongly believe, however, that cost-reduction measures should not negatively impact on the learning opportunities now available to the regional district's students.



Temple Sha'rey Shalom in Springfield.

I am an executive board member and former president of the Union County School Boards Association. I serve as the Union County delegate to the Board of Directors of the New Jersey School Boards Association.

I am married to Leonard Waldt, a retired chemist and researcher for Consumers' Union. We have two

Have parties reversed roles on gun control?

The messages the National Rifle Association is getting from Trenton and Washington are mixed and contradictory these days.

The gun lobby must have been feeling pretty good on March 15 when the Democrat-controlled state Senate easily passed amendments to New Jersey's 1-year-old law that has been called "the nation's toughest ban on assault rifles."

The law, spearheaded by Gov. Jim Florio and passed last May, requires that semi-automatic weapons be surrendered, rendered inoperable or registered as legitimate target-shooting guns within a year. So far, compliance has been dismal.

How bad, you ask? Well, by December of last year, only 88 of the estimated 300,000 assault rifles had been registered. What's more, no one had "surrendered" their weapon, and only seven were rendered "inoperable."

Florio administration officials say it's too soon to make a definitive judgment on the "success" of the law. Gun control advocates say it was a major victory just having legislators stand up to the powerful NRA.

Not so say election-conscious senators. They voted essentially to gut New Jersey's tough gun bill, largely in response to threats from the NRA that they would spend \$750,000 to beat the pants off of any legislator considered "anti-gun." Who us, anti-gun? No way.

While there were a series of amendments to the gun bill passed by the Senate and sent to the Assembly, the major amendment pushed by the NRA makes anyone who bought a semi-automatic weapon before May 31 exempt from the bill. Word is, Democratic state senators wanted to get the NRA off their backs after they supported Florio's politically gussy gun-control effort. I guess Democratic legislators who voted with the governor never imagined he and his policies would become so unpopular.

Screening New Jersey

By Steve Aduabato Jr.

smoking to a civil right. On the gun issue, Trenton insiders say the real battle isn't whether the Assembly goes along with the Senate on the amendments, but whether they have enough votes to override the governor's expected veto.

Look, politicians have a right to save their hides. As a former state legislator, at times I did the same thing. But there have to be some parameters on one's political pandering. You shouldn't do it on such highly sensitive and important issues as the death penalty, education funding, civil rights and gun control.

It seems the Democrats, especially in the state Senate, have no limit to how far they will go this year to preserve their careers. As for the GOP, we don't expect very much from them these days. They just sit there cynically on the sidelines and watch the Democrats struggle, occasionally throwing in their barbs. But don't worry. Republicans will have the chance to screw up next year when they take control of the Legislature. Then their lives won't be so cushy.

Ironically for Democrats, in the effort to appease the NRA, they run the risk of losing popular support with the voters. Most average folks, while supportive of law and order, are concerned about the proliferation of guns, especially handguns and semi-automatic weapons. They know that often the NRA's position is extreme, unreasonable and inflexible.

This point was made crystal clear recently when former President Ronald Reagan, who was the darling of the NRA, returned to Washington and shocked the political establishment by announcing his support for the Brady Bill. The bill, named after former Reagan press secretary Jim Brady, who was shot in the Reagan assassination attempt 10 years ago, called for a seven-day waiting period to purchase a handgun. It should be longer, but a seven-day federal law on gun purchase is better than the hodgepodge of state laws we have now.

Unfortunately, Reagan never sup-

ported this effort while in office when he really could have done something about it. But they say with age and retirement from elective politics come wisdom and courage. Reagan testified that the waiting period of seven days was "common sense." The NRA, however, believes it's a violation of constitutional rights. I guess now they think Reagan has turned into another wild-eyed, soft-on-crime liberal who supports the government's right to invade people's privacy.

Just think of it, Republican Ronald Reagan, a card-carrying member of the NRA, thumbs his nose at the gun

lobby at the same time that Democratic senators in New Jersey reverse their stand on a progressive gun control law in an effort to curry favor and campaign support from this powerful special interest. I never thought I'd say it, but on the issue of gun control, Ronald Reagan is right and Democratic senators in New Jersey are dead wrong. Politics is a funny business.

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Calls freeholders to account again

To the Editor:

Has Union County government returned to the Dark Ages? Perhaps you can answer this question. On Dec. 10, 1990, Jan. 4, Feb. 28 and on March 14, I requested the answers to the following seven questions from Freeholder Elmer Ertl, who served as chairman of the finance committee and is presently vice chairman of the board.

1. How did you and the board justify raising the salary of Ann Baran on Dec. 13, 1990, retroactive to Jan. 1, 1990, when Ms. Baran became acting county manager in February and was not made permanent until May?
2. Are raises in any given year based on the previous year's performance?
3. Was Ms. Baran's \$99,700 salary set at the time of her appointment?
4. Did you or the board change the existing policy covering the raises? If so, when and what were those changes?
5. Was Ms. Baran's salary increase, retroactive to Jan. 1, 1990, consistent with existing policy?
6. Has it always been the policy of the board to issue a raise only after an employee has served in his or her position, on a permanent basis, for one full year?
7. Was it your recommendation to pay Ms. Baran \$100,700, and, who made the recommendation for a 12 percent or \$6,810 raise for the director of human services?

I received the following response from Jeremiah O'Dwyer, county counsel. It read in part: "It is not the practice of freeholders to prepare written narrative communications to individual members of the public relative to the basis or motivation of their legislative acts. Since all members of the public would be entitled to identical treatment, it is not difficult to envision that such a procedure would not be feasible."

There is little doubt that the voters have been making it a "practice" in Union County to elect new freeholders who do not agree with this concept of government.

Harry Pappas
Springfield

No more letters

The Springfield Leader will no longer accept letters to the editor endorsing candidates for the Board of Education.

As stated in our guidelines in an earlier edition, all endorsement letters for candidates will be published up to and including this week's edition. Our endorsements will be presented in next week's edition.

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Energy independence can begin at home

Just as New Jersey quits dumping sewage sludge into the Atlantic Ocean, with New York to do the same next year, along comes a push by the Bush administration to resume ocean oil drilling off our shore.

A few big oil companies gambled and lost money that way off New Jersey in the last decade, with barely a sniff of hydrocarbons. But the proposed Bush energy policy boosts more deepwater wildcatting to our east, to say nothing of invading the fragile and for-the-moment-protected ecosystem along Alaska's north slope for the same gamble.

Much has been noted about the Bush energy policy's calling for extraction of whatever oil we may still have, while not being too much interested in curtailing escalation of Detroit's gas guzzlers, or encouraging mass transit, or solar and other innovative non-petroleum energy sources.

Some cynics see government by oil barons orchestrating such an energy plan while public emotions are preoccupied with a "glorious wartime victory" against a man who very luckily turned out to be nearly a paper tiger.

Be that as it may, the proposed energy policy continues to encourage lust for any oil at all, regardless of its source.

A recent story in the *New York Times* emphasized, however, yet another potential by-product of administration energy planning: a possible resurgence in nuclear power plant construction.

This could come from easing of laws keeping nuclear electric generation in the hands of electric utility companies. The idea is to make it easy for anyone to build a power plant and sell the output to utility companies.

It would be a national version of New Jersey's current burst of "cogeneration" production, and could see companies like Westinghouse and General Electric building nuclear plants for themselves instead of the utilities.

The right federal lawmaking, or unmaking, could erase ability of a

State We're In

By David F. Moore

state's public utility commission to say where or whether a nuclear power plant could be built. As the public memory span continues to shrink about Three-Mile Island and Chernobyl, controversy no doubt would shrink.

Here in this state we're in, it seems a trash-burning and electricity-producing incinerator can raise as much uproar as a proposed nuclear plant. Adroit PR for and against incineration has left the public, as well as state government, in a state of confusion, albeit credit is clearly due for setting new recycling goals. That reduces the need for incineration substantially.

Whether or not a nuke plant in our neighborhood is a future prospect is just one of many questions which may arise in energy terms. More imminent is an increase of controversy about cogeneration production of electricity.

Here in New Jersey we need to foster mass transit, recession or no recession, since cars are the biggest hole in the energy budget. We also need to encourage recycling and getting to the bottom of the incineration problem.

For starters on that last subject, let's bear in mind that nothing comes out of an incinerator that we don't put in. Household waste needs cleaning up clear back at the supermarket, with availability of products which are less polluting, whether destined for recycling, landfilling, incineration or composting.

To a greater degree, energy independence begins at home!

David F. Moore is the executive director of the New Jersey Conservation Foundation.

Clean water is a public investment

Report From Washington

By Matthew Rinaldo

carding waste, such as ocean dumping, were tolerated and even encouraged on the grounds that there were no feasible alternatives. But technological breakthroughs, ranging from recycling to thermal treatment that renders sludge and other waste harmless and even useful, remove the excuse to dump our waste at sea.

Although the Environmental Protection Agency is charged with enforcing federal laws to prevent ocean dumping, the EPA lacks the manpower and technical resources to patrol the vast coast of the United States. It must rely on the U.S. Coast

Guard and state regulators, such as the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection.

With thousands of ocean-going vessels, fishing fleets and pleasure boats plying our coastline, the enforcement of these laws is at best a hit-or-miss proposition. Public cooperation is needed to report incidents of illegal dumping at sea and to develop a clean water ethic in which every boat owner feels responsible for restoring marine life and keeping the ocean clean. There is not much pleasure in sailing a pleasure boat or swimming in garbage-strewn waters.

But the law also requires more muscle to discourage illegal nighttime dumping off the New Jersey coast by waste haulers and commercial vessels. All too often these commercial trawlers are registered to foreign firms that make a practice of skirting the law and dumping short of their ports.

In order to force these ship owners to take our anti-dumping laws more seriously, I am a sponsor of the Illegal Dumping Prevention Act. It would give the EPA and the Attorney General additional authority to seize vessels found guilty of deliberately violating the law. The current fines for vessel owners are often less than the cost of compliance and disposing of wastes legally.

The public has strongly supported state and federal efforts to clean up our oceans and protect marine life, and it has supported that commitment by paying higher sludge treatment and waste removal costs. It is only fair that boat owners respect that public investment in clean water.

Rep. Matthew Rinaldo represents the 7th Congressional District, which includes Springfield, Mountainside, Kenilworth and Roselle Park.

The end of ocean dumping of sewage sludge 106 miles off the New Jersey coast is one of several steps being taken at the federal and state levels to keep New Jersey's beaches and waters clean of debris, toxic chemicals, oil spills and medical waste. Along with California, New Jersey is waging one of the most intensive programs to safeguard its beaches and the \$8-billion-a-year tourist industry.

An international treaty prohibits commercial ships from dumping garbage overboard in coastal waters. Coast Guard and state marine patrols are attempting to curb the litter problem. So are the regional sewerage authorities that are spending hundreds of millions of dollars to upgrade sewage treatment plants to prevent the runoff of toxic chemicals into tributaries and coastal waters.

New York City, which produces millions of tons of waste, is operating under court orders to carefully monitor waste removal to prevent accidental and deliberate dumping in the New York Bight, where currents carry the effluent to New Jersey waters.

Over the last few years, New Jersey has been getting bad publicity due to stringent testing of coastal waters and the closing of a few beaches. A variety of pollutants, including sewage, medical waste, plastics and other debris have fouled the Atlantic coast. In response, Congress has banned ocean dumping, set up a medical waste tracking system, banned shipboard disposal of plastics, and taken other steps to deal with the problem.

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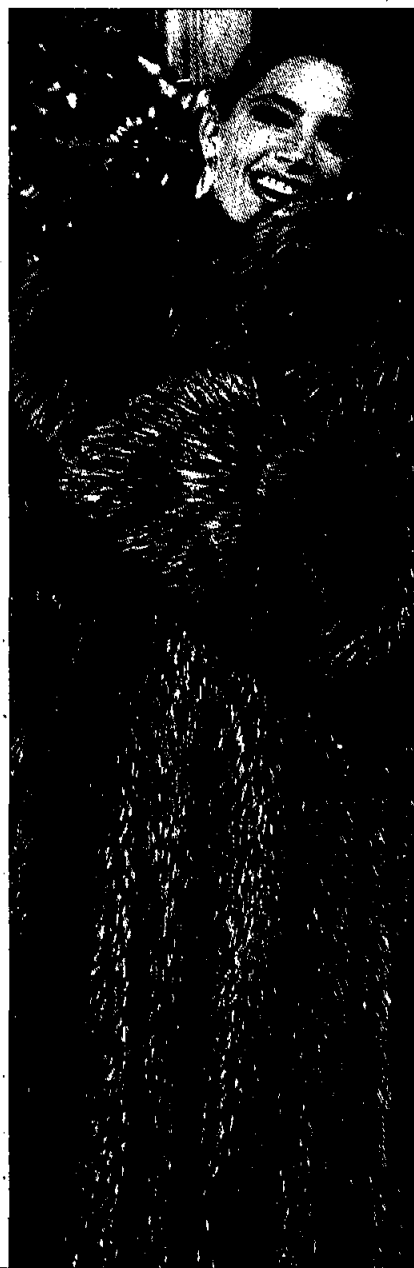


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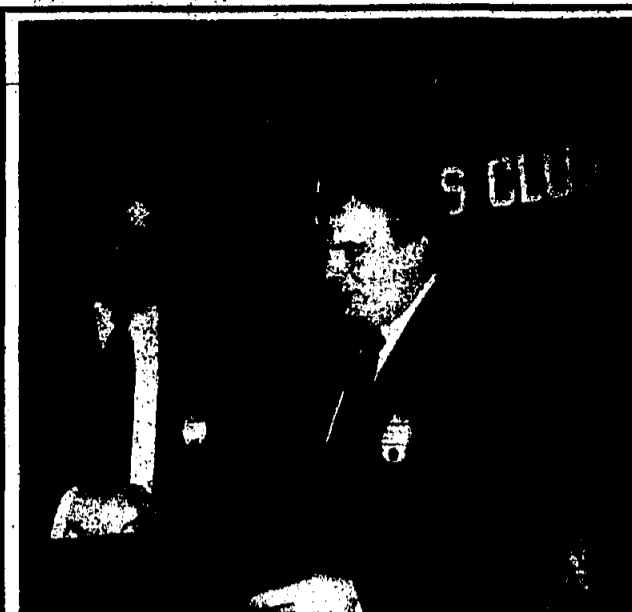
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senior news

- April 20: New SHARE schedule takes effect.
 - May 1: Kenilworth Seniors will receive the Community Service Award at the annual dinner of the American Lung Association.
 - The following seniors volunteered their time in recent months: Edith Bird, Rose Fennes, Dot Keys, Ann LaCosta, Phyllis Lambiasi, Ruth Masullo, Ann and Joe Oles, Lillian Pilat, Peggy Seibert, Josephine Torrenti, Flo Tuozzolo, Marga Voegel, Luise Weslock, Dolores Wills and May Yohannan.
 - May 19 to 25: Trip to Myrtle Beach. See Betty McCrea for information.
 - June 2: A Craft and Hobby exhibit will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Seniors Center. For seniors wishing to display their craft or hobby, see Ann Sabolchick.
 - Aug. 26 to 30: Kelly's Inn in the Poconos. See Betty McCrea for information.
 - At the Cranford Extended Care Center, 93 hours were volunteered in March. Prizes were donated by Helen Nancy, Elvina Barbarich, Julia Caforia, Clara Cherence, Mary Dulemba, Elsie Harth, Ruth Higgins, Catherine Hudak, Julia Kuch, Dot Knudsen, Minne Leikauskas, Ruth Masullo, Martin McCrea, Peggy Mulligan, Lillian Pilat, Stella Rasinski, Elizabeth Reimers, Margaret Toby, Adele Vest, Marge Voegle and Louise Weslock.
 - The April meeting featured the Kenilworth Board of Education, which spoke on and presented seniors with their proposed 1991-92 budget, followed by a question and answer period.
- AARP**
- April 23: Still six opening left for the Harmony Manor Dinner Show. Call Tony, 245-5720.
 - May 7: AARP executive board meeting at 1 P.M. at the Kenilworth Library.
 - May 14: membership meeting at 1 p.m. at the Kenilworth Knights of Columbus. Featured speaker from Bell Telephone. Remember to bring a can of food or soap items for donation to the Kenilworth Welfare Department.
 - June 21: Annual installation of officers. Luncheon-dance held at Five Points Caterers, Union.
- Membership is still open for 20 new members. To be eligible, seniors must have valid AARP card. See Rudy Opacity or call 272-8578.



CLUB MEMBER SPEAKS — Ralph Greco, right, publicity chairman of the Millburn-Springfield Kiwanis, presents a guest speaker certificate to Jonathan Hauser, Ph.D. Hauser, a member of the club, who spoke about post-traumatic stress disorders. The Kiwanis is a group of business and professional people who live and work in the area and are dedicated to community service. The Kiwanis meets every Thursday at 12:15 p.m. at the Tower Steak House Restaurant, Route 22 East, Mountainside.

library notes

The Mountainside Library board of trustees has announced that it will be holding a work session on Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the library, Watchung Avenue, Mountainside. The library also wishes to remind

area residents that artwork done by students at Deerfield School in Mountainside will continue to be on display in the Emma Weber meeting room throughout the remainder of the month.

Volunteers needed for wheelchair meet

Children's Specialized Hospital, New Providence Road, Mountainside, is seeking volunteers to serve in a variety of posts at its eighth annual Junior Invitational Wheelchair Meet to be held April 27 at Roselle Park High School, West Webster Avenue, Roselle Park, beginning at 9:30 a.m. The public is invited to attend the meet anytime throughout the day to cheer on and support the athletes, who will be representing New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Maryland. There is no admission fee. Registered to compete are some of the best junior athletes from the five-state area, including national champions and many up-and-coming champions, according to Andy Chasnoff, director of the meet.

"These young athletes, all between five and 18 years old, have been working hard and looking forward to this competition," explained Chasnoff. "This Invitational, and others like it, allows children and adolescents with disabilities to learn from the motivational influence of sports."

The Invitational will feature track events such as the 60, 100, 200, 400, 800 and 1,500 meters, and field events

including the shot put, javelin, discus and club throw.

Children's Specialized Hospital has sponsored a junior wheelchair athletic team for more than 10 years. In honor of the hospital's centennial celebration in 1991, Children's Specialized will be sponsoring the National Junior Wheelchair Athletic Games this summer.

"Many of the athletes who will be participating at our Invitational will be part of the national competition this summer," Chasnoff noted. "The Invitational Meet will give these young athletes a taste of the nationals."

Pre-registration for the Invitational is required for participating athletes. No registrations will be accepted the day of the event. To register, athletes and coaches should call Chasnoff at the hospital's Recreation Therapy Department, 233-3720.

Children's Specialized Hospital is New Jersey's only comprehensive pediatric rehabilitation hospital. In addition, the hospital provides extensive outpatient services at its outpatient facility in Fanwood and is developing a 30-bed unit in Ocean County.

Gulf vets to be honored

Springfield will honor its returning Persian Gulf veterans and celebrate Earth Day with special ceremonies on Sunday at 2 p.m. at Veterans Park, located at the corner of Mountain Avenue and Shunpike Road, Springfield.

To commemorate the veterans' return and Earth Day, an American Beech tree donated by Springfield Rotary will be planted and dedicated in honor of Springfield residents who served with coalition forces in the Persian Gulf.

Returning veterans and their families will participate in the dedication ceremonies at Springfield's Veterans Park.

Celebration coordinator Bob Blitzer, of the township's Environmental

Commission, said "It's appropriate to plant one of America's favorite trees to both celebrate Earth Day and welcome home our own veterans. It should be a stirring tribute. We want everyone to join us."

Veterans groups, civic and cultural organizations and public officials also will participate. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Call the editors

Ever want to talk about something you think should be in the paper? Know something that might make a good story?

If the answer to any or all of the above is yes, call the editors at 686-7700.

Union County historical societies to meet

Several speakers representing various historical organizations will provide a picture of activity in the county at a meeting of the Union County Historical Society on Sunday at 3 p.m.

The meeting, open to the public, will be held at the Abraham Clark House at West Ninth Avenue and Chestnut Street in Roselle.

Lois and Fred Best will represent the Historical Society of Berkeley Heights in telling of what their organization has done in historic house preservation, what is being done now and hopes and plans for the future.

Fern Hyde of the Mountainside Historic Preservation Commission, will relate information on progress in that community, and Parker Nelson, president

of the Westfield Historical Society, will outline the schedule of that group. Eleanor F. Smith of the Miller-Cory House Volunteers, will speak on accomplishments at that historic site. The Miller-Cory House is separate from, but affiliated with, the Westfield society.

The program is part of an effort of the Union County society to expand the horizons of activity. Other societies, including Hillside, Rahway, Cranford, Scotch Plains and Roselle and Roselle Park and Union, will also report. The society holds some meetings at various local museums. For information, contact Jean Rae Turner at 242-1111.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a work session will be held by the Mountainside Planning Board of the Borough of Mountainside, 1365 Route 22, Mountainside, N.J. on APRIL 25, 1991 at 7:30 p.m. The purpose of this work session is to discuss requirements for the Hospital Zone and other various issues on the revised Land Use Ordinance. Action may be taken.
Ruth M. Fieser
Secretary
U01801 Mountainside Echo,
April 18, 1991 (Fee: \$5.75)

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
COUNTY OF UNION, N.J.
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING LIQUOR AND OTHER FEES OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD".
TAKE NOTICE, that the foregoing Ordinance was passed and approved at a regular meeting of the Board of Health of the Township of Springfield in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, held on Wednesday evening, April 17, 1991.
Helen E. Maguire
Secretary
U01366 The Springfield Leader
April 18, 1991 (Fee: \$7.25)

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of the School District of the Township of Springfield, in the County of Union, New Jersey, that the annual election of the legal voters of said district for the election of 3 members to a three year term of the Board of Education and for other purposes will be held at 2 o'clock P.M. on APRIL 30, 1991.
The polls will remain open until 9 o'clock and as much longer as may be necessary to permit all the legal voters then present to vote and cast their ballots.
The election will be held and all the legal voters of the School District will vote at the respective polling places stated below. 3 members will be elected for 3 years.
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PUBLIC QUESTION
To appropriate the revenue from the lease of Edward V. Walton School in the amount of \$82,000 to make capital improvements in the form of renovations at the James Caldwell School, Florence M. Gudiner School, Theima L. Sandmeier School and the Edward V. Walton School.
The polling places for said election and their respective polling districts (as described by reference to the election districts used at the last General Election) have been designated below, and no person shall vote at said election elsewhere than at the polling place designated for the voters of the polling district in which he or she resides.
Dated: April 18, 1991
Lois J. Lundgran, Business Administrator/
Board Secretary

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD
BOARD OF HEALTH
COUNTY OF UNION, N.J.
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE PROVISION AND REGULATION OF THE SUPPLY OF HEAT".
TAKE NOTICE, that the foregoing Ordinance was passed and approved at a regular meeting of the Board of Health of the Township of Springfield in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, held on Wednesday evening, April 17, 1991.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
ESTATE OF GERTRUDE KLINGEL SISKI, also known as GERTRUDE M. SISKI, Deceased
Pursuant to the order of ANN P. CONTI, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the 12th day of April, A.D. 1991, upon the application of the undersigned, as Executor of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within six months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.
William V. Kolshorn, Jr., Attorney
305 Charm Court
Matawan, N.J. 07747
U01892 Mountainside Echo,
April 18, 1991 (Fee: \$9.75)

SPRINGFIELD BOARD OF EDUCATION
P.O. Box 210
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Township of Springfield, County of Union, New Jersey until 11:30 A.M. on Friday, May 10, 1991 in the office of the Board Secretary, rear of Florence M. Gaudineer School, Board of Education Office, 50, Springfield Avenue, Springfield, New Jersey for the following:
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Specifications and Bid Forms may be obtained from the Office of the Board Secretary between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday.
Bids shall be made only on the form provided with all blanks filled in and signed by the bidder. Bids shall be enclosed in sealed envelopes giving the name of the bidder and the type of materials or services bid.
No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the date set for the opening thereof.
The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted and to waive any minor informality or irregularity in any bid, and shall, further make awards in any way it deems advisable to the best interests of the School District.
The requirements of Laws 1977, Chapter 53, regarding ownership, must be met. Bidders must comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, Chapter 127, regarding affirmative action and the Right to Know Act, 1983, c. 315, N.J.S.A. 34:2A-1 et seq.
By order of the Board of Education, Springfield, Union County, New Jersey.
Lois J. Lundgran
Business Administrator/Board Secretary
U01364 Springfield Leader,
April 18, 1991 (Fee: \$16.50)

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 1
Polling place at the James Caldwell School at 38 Caldwell Place in the School District, for legal voters residing within General Election Districts Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of the Township of Springfield.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 2
Polling place at the James Caldwell School at 38 Caldwell Place in the School District, for legal voters residing within General Election Districts Nos. 4, 5, 6 of the Township of Springfield.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 3
Polling place at the Florence M. Gaudineer School at South Springfield Avenue in the School District for legal voters residing within General Election Districts Nos. 7, 8, 9 and 10 of the Township of Springfield.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 4
Polling place at the Theima L. Sandmeier School, 565 South Springfield Avenue in the School District for legal voters residing within General Election Districts Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the Township of Springfield.

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New Jersey releases revised report cards

In the continuing effort to bring accountability to New Jersey schools and give taxpayers the information they need to make informed decisions, Gov. Jim Florio announced that a revised, user-friendly school report card are being mailed to some 555 school districts throughout the state during the month of April.

The report cards mark an unprecedented partnership between the state and the business community.

"This new school report card has been designed by business people," Florio said. "Business people know how to get at the bottom line, and this new report card does just that. They also know that it's one thing to look at your profit sheet, it's another to compare it with similar companies. The same should go for schools."

The report card is a joint effort of the Public Education Institute, a non-profit organization dedicated to increasing New Jersey citizens' involvement in public education, and the Business Roundtable Education Initiative of New Jersey, a consortium of nine major corporations which are working cooperatively with Florio and the Department of Education on a number of education reform efforts in the state.

Last year the state took dramatic action to provide schools with the resources they need to give New Jersey's school children the quality education they deserve, according to Florio. "Now we're going to give taxpayers a tool to make sure that their investment in our schools and in our future isn't going to waste," he said.

P. Roy Vagelos, chairman and chief executive officer of Merck & Co. Inc. and chairman of the BRT Education Initiative of New Jersey, said the report cards should help focus public attention on the performance of the education system in New Jersey.

"New Jersey spends more per student than any other state in the union on education. Given our resources, and the high level of cooperation between the business community, the governor and the commissioner, we should be able to forge a truly world class education system in New Jersey. But first," he added, "we will need a much higher level of public involvement, which is the primary objective

of the 'District Report Cards Project.'"

The report card was funded by an \$85,000 grant from the Business Roundtable to the Public Education Institute to cover the costs of production, printing and distribution. McGraw-Hill provided free technical and design assistance. The New Jersey Department of Education will distribute the report cards to libraries, parent groups, education organizations, and individuals requesting copies. The total cost to the state will be less than \$5,000.

Commissioner of Education John Ellis said, "I'm enthusiastic about this project. I'm enthusiastic not just because of the valuable information the report cards provide, but also because of the spirit of collaboration they represent. The involvement of PEI and the BRT illustrates clearly the broad support for educational excellence that exists throughout New Jersey. The 'School District Report Card' is an exciting example of the good things that can happen when we all work together to improve our schools."

Report cards are being mailed to school districts alphabetically by county. It is expected that all districts will have received their report cards by the end of April.

Herbert T. Green, PEI executive director, noted that the Public Education Institute was established to stimulate the discussion of issues in education based on good information. "We remain committed to that objective," he said, "and this report card is an important step in the right direction. We are grateful to the Business Roundtable and the New Jersey Department of Education for providing the necessary resources and data."

One of the major differences in the 1991 report card as compared to the first one in 1989 is that the current one is a profile of an entire school district as opposed to a school-by-school assessment. The focus on districtwide summaries this year is intended to give taxpayers a clearer sense of district policies and priorities since school budgets and board members are voted on by residents of an entire district.



A DONATION — Union Township Deputy Mayor Jim Roberts, chairman of the division of senior citizens activities, receives a piano from Laura Dimello and Marion Knox given to the F. Edward Blertumpfel Senior Center in memory of the late Leonard Antinozzi, who was an active member of the center for many years and torch-bearer of the senior citizens activities. From left are Knox, Dimello, Roberts and Annette Bayer, supervisor of senior citizens activities.

ARC prepares for candlelight ball

In a gala salute to the generosity of Woolworth Corporation, the Association for Retarded Citizens/Union County will present the corporation with its highest honor, the Humanitarian Award, at the ARC/Union County Candlelight Ball, May 4, at L'Affaire, Route 22 East, in Mountainside.

The event begins at 8 p.m. with cocktails. Dinner will be served at 9. The annual candlelight ball, a glittering social event, celebrates the achievements of individuals with mental retardation and those who help make those achievements possible. Woolworth Corporation was chosen because of its staunch support for the programs and goals of the ARC/Union County.

Through the involvement of three of its senior executives — Floyd Huff of Mountainside, executive vice president of Kinney Shoe Corporation (a subsidiary of Woolworth); Larry Schaefer of Berkeley Heights, retired vice president/corporate expense director with Kinney Shoes, and Fred Williams of Normandy Beach, senior

vice president of Kinney Shoe Corporation — Woolworth Corporation has taken the ARC/Union County under its wing.

All three executives have sons with mental retardation or other developmental disabilities, and all have been actively involved in the ARC/Union County. Following its corporate ethic of bolstering the organizations where its associates volunteer, Woolworth Corporation has thrown its support behind the ARC/Union County in myriad ways.

For example, over the years, Woolworth Corporation, through its Kinney and Susie Casuals stores, has donated more than \$750,000 worth of merchandise to the ARC/Union County's Thrift Shoppe. In addition, when the Thrift Shoppe was moving from Fanwood to larger quarters in Plainfield in 1980, Schaefer, the retired Kinney vice president, organized a work crew of more than 10 Kinney executives to help manage the move. For the annual fund-raising candlelight ball, Woolworth covers the cost of several tables, treating many of its executives to an evening

of dining and dancing as well as donating gift certificates to be raffled off at the dinner-dance.

According to its corporate literature, Woolworth has a strong corporate commitment "to give something back to the communities that have been good to us." The commitment is exemplified in its unflinching support for the ARC/Union County.

The theme of this year's candlelight ball, "Family: Building a New Dream," highlights how important families are in achieving goals. Both the families of the ARC/Union County and the "family" of Woolworth Corporation have worked together in tandem to make the future brighter for many of the people with mental retardation and other developmental disabilities in Union County.

The ARC/Union County is a full-service agency offering such programs as early intervention, adaptive recreation, adult training, supported employment and group homes in the community.

Tickets to the gala candlelight ball are \$65 a person. For further information about the candlelight ball, call Vicki Hart at 908-322-8504.

200 attend health fair

More than 200 youngsters from 12 public and private schools throughout the county attended the seventh annual Youth Health Awareness Conference, sponsored by the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders, and held at Union County College.

The two-day "Go To Health" conference is presented by the Union County Council on Alcoholism and other Drug Addictions Inc., and is designed to help the students develop a positive self-image, an important step in preventing alcohol and other drug abuse, according to Louis Santagata, Union County freeholder and liaison to the local advisory committee on alcoholism and drug abuse.

"The students participated in workshops on family relationships, sexuality, personal growth and interpersonal relationships," Santagata said. "The workshops are designed to aid the teen-agers in exploring values and decisions, and their consequences. I was impressed by the willingness to learn which these teen-agers showed at this conference, and extremely impressed by the fantastic job done by Gladys Kearns and her staff."

"Each conference day began with a short play and discussion on the problems that can result from alcohol and drug abuse," said Kearns, director of the council. "Throughout the conference, students are encouraged to discuss issues with their peers under the guidance of knowledgeable and sensitive professionals."

These professionals, in the fields of health, education, alcoholism and drugs, focused on developing coping skills to help the youngsters deal with day-to-day problems.

"It is hoped the conference will be an uplifting experience which will help the students feel good about themselves," Kearns said. "The conference is planned based on the philosophy of recognizing the importance of a positive self-image as a prerequisite for making sound decisions."

The Union County Council on Alcoholism and Other Drug Addictions Inc., is a private, non-profit voluntary health agency, serving Union County. Its major goal is the prevention of alcohol and other drug misuse, alcoholism and addiction. The "Go To Health" Youth Health Awareness Conference is one of the ways the council meets this goal.



Seated are Jessica Nucifora and Salvatore Milone displaying their winning posters in the Union County Dental Society's Children's Dental Health Month Poster Contest, with co-chairmen, from left, Dr. Douglas Chester and Dr. Lee Kaswiler.

Union County announces poster contest winners

Union County Dental Society sponsored its fifth annual countywide poster contest in conjunction with National Children's Dental Health Month. Fourth-grade students throughout Union County were invited to participate, and more than 3,000 children took part in the contest.

The contest was coordinated through the work of the co-chairman Dr. Leo Kaswiler, an orthodontist in Springfield, and Dr. Douglas Chester, a general dentist in Union.

Working with art teachers and nurses throughout Union County, 52 winners from 26 schools were selected as poster contest winners. The winners received invitations to an awards ceremony at the Towers Steak House in Mountainside.

Before members of the Union County Dental Society and friends and relatives, the 52 fourth-graders received ribbons and gift certificates. From the field of 52, two grand prize winners received grand prize ribbons, \$100 U.S. Savings bonds and four tickets to a New Jersey Nets basketball game, where they will be honored (in conjunction with other statewide winners) with a half-time, court-side award presentation.

Salvatore Milone, who attends Battle Hill School in Union, was one of two grand prize

winners selected. The other was Jessica Nucifora of Connecticut Farms School, also in Union.

Other winners from Union included Benny DeMauro, second prize, from Battle Hill School; Matthew Matera, second prize, from Connecticut Farms School; Jason Krok, first prize, and Anais Lavalli, second prize, from Franklin School; Laurie Wade, first prize, and David Andriola, second prize, from Hamilton School; Jessica Sileo, first prize, from Livingston School, and Jashue Lipsea, first prize, and Jessica Rajs, second prize, from Washington School.

Winners from Mountainside at Deerfield School were Lauren Kobel, first prize, and Chris Schnakenberg, second prize.

Winners from Springfield were Danny Riva, first prize, and Michael McNair, second prize, from Caldwell School, and Maria Ferguson, first prize, and Michael Powell, second prize, from Sandmeier School.

Union County Dental Society members are all members of the New Jersey Dental Association and the American Dental Association. As members of organized dentistry, these dentists use events such as this poster contest to work with children and adults to provide education and the best in quality care.

Golf Classic slated

Joseph Coleman, president of Coleman & Pellet Inc., located in Union, has offered to participate on the planning committee for the Kessler Golf Classic IX, an annual fund-raiser conducted by the Henry H. Kessler Foundation for the benefit of the Patient Services Fund at Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation and its affiliate, Welkind Rehabilitation Hospital.

This year's tournament will take place on June 24 at the Canoe Brook Country Club in Summit. As a member of the planning committee, Coleman is looking for individual golfers and corporate sponsors to compete in the tournament, the proceeds of which will benefit patients who cannot afford the full cost of their treatments.

According to Coleman, the day's events will begin at 10 a.m. with

registration, followed by brunch and a 12:30 p.m. tee-off. Tournament winners will receive an award and have their names engraved on the Billye D. Rubenoff Memorial Plaque, which is displayed at Kessler's West Orange facility.

Tickets for the 18-hole tournament are priced at \$400 per golfer and \$4,000 per corporate sponsor. All tickets will cover the cost of valet parking, brunch, greens fees, caddy or cart and a cocktail reception. Corporate sponsors will receive a sponsor's identification at designated holes, four complimentary golf passes and four additional cocktail hour invitations for guests.

For more information or to obtain golf or raffle tickets, call the Henry H. Kessler Foundation, (201) 731-3600, Ext. 730.

Correction policy

It is the policy of this newspaper to correct all significant errors that are brought to the editor's attention. If you believe that we have made such an error, please write Tom Canavan, editor, 1291 Stayvessant Ave., Union, 07083, or call him at 686-7700 weekdays before 5 p.m.

Utility authority taking action for hauler violations

By Debble Sacharoff
Staff Writer

A Linden recycling company has been charged with numerous violations, for allegedly operating as a solid waste transfer station, without having gone through the proper procedures, or having obtained the proper approvals.

M & F Recycling Inc. of Linden received nine summonses from the Union County Utilities Authority for the alleged violations.

But according to UCUA Deputy Director Jeffrey Callahan, the Linden company is one of many facilities that violate waste flow regulations. He said that UCUA will be taking similar actions with other companies in the future.

While a hearing on the M & F Recycling case has been scheduled in Rahway Municipal Court for May 14, Callahan explained that the many companies, the "legitimate haulers," who dispose of waste properly, are hurt by those who do not.

He stated that while many haulers comply with regulations, some do not

in order to get cheaper rates for disposal. A spokesperson for M & F stated in previously published reports that the company has 10 clients in Roselle, Linden and Roselle Park.

"Facilities were set up by the government to make sure each county's waste stream could be handled in an environmentally sound manner. Counties build and staff the facility for the waste they expect to receive."

"Then they have a number of haulers who refuse to go to the proper facility, and go out of state to save money," Callahan said.

"This deprives the county of revenue. The illegitimate hauler is pocketing the money, charging local prices and then disposing of the waste for a lower rate," he said.

There are a lot of legitimate haulers; the majority of the haulers obey the rules and send wastes to the proper disposal system, he said.

"It is they who are hurt the most by those who bypass in an unacceptable manner," he said.

Haulers who go out of state to dispose of trash can tell facility operators

there that they come from nearly any credible location. Union County trash, for example, is not recognizable and looks like any other when it is brought to an out-of-state facility.

"The Pennsylvania landfill, for example, is just a commercial site, open for whoever wants to use it," he said. "Out of state you can say whatever you want."

Though reports from M & F Recycling contend that the company is not a solid waste facility, and merely picks up recyclable material, Callahan noted that UCUA has followed M & F Recycling vehicles and contends that the Linden recycling company is illegally operating without proper approval as a mini-transfer station, similar to AMS, where legitimate trash haulers deliver trash.

"They claim to be a recycling company. We see them processing materials, some which are suitable for a recycling facility and some which are not. These include wood, roofing materials, brush, leaves, grass, plastic sheeting. We see a wide range of materials," Callahan said.

"But even if they did have all recyclable items, they haven't gone through the proper procedures. With the other materials they could not be classified as a recycling company. They are operating a smaller version of a transfer station. They should have made an application to the county and to the state as a solid waste transfer station," he said.

In addition to what has been observed by UCUA at the Linden facility, Callahan said that UCUA had followed M & F trucks and "put them under surveillance, following their containers to the waste management landfill, Grows Landfill in Pennsylvania."

"They are in violation of the waste flow regulations as an unregistered solid waste facility," he said.

An Elizabeth attorney, Anthony Rinaldo, will be representing M & F Recycling, but never returned phone calls placed to him when messages were left.

According to utility authority reports, if the Linden company was dealing entirely with recyclable

materials, they would have to be part of the solid waste plan in order to be legal. This would require a resolution and a public hearing by the Board of Chosen Freeholders to amend the district's solid waste plan to officially list the facility.

"M & F Recycling are saying they are a recycling facility which processes glass. To become part of the solid waste plan as a recycling facility is the easiest for getting approval," Callahan explained.

To illustrate a difference in cost, it was reported that an average truck in Union County with 10 pounds of material would pay \$100 per ton, or \$1,000 to drop their load at the AMS station.

But if an illegitimate hauler goes to Middlesex County, to Edgeboro Landfill, for example, and claims he is from a town in that county, he would be asked to pay \$68 per ton, or \$680, and would save \$320 per load.

"Every time anybody goes down to Edgeboro or other facilities they may put \$400 in their pockets; they pocket the difference. But they continue to

charge the customers based on local rates," Callahan pointed out.

According to UCUA reports, there is not much non-compliance of this type on a municipal level, but this does occur with small stores who may have three dumpsters in the back, industrial parks, warehouses, commercial establishments, construction or demolition companies.

Stressing that this problem causes a loss of revenue to the county, but does not involve most haulers, Callahan noted, "Everybody is getting slandered by a few bad apples, particularly the legitimate haulers."

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PROBLEM SOLVERS — First-grade students in Blanch Treloar's class at James Caldwell School in Springfield work on problem solving. Treloar, center, is pictured here with some of her pupils, from left, Elizabeth McQuaid, Samantha Pellet, Nicole Krivak and Pauline Silva.

Cable offers Earth Day program

Earth Day 1991, environmental safety in the home and ocean dumping, will be discussed on "Earthwatch: a local view", a live cable series which examines environmental issues of interest to New Jersey residents, airing Wednesday at 8 p.m. on Suburban Cablevision's TV-3.

Viewers' phone calls will be taken in the studio at 908-636-5333.

The program will highlight Earth Day activities taking place throughout the area. Margaret Ann Behrends of Earth Day-New Jersey will discuss the long-term goals of the organization and what has been accomplished since Earth Day's inception in 1970.

A representative of the New Jersey Environmental Federation will offer "Home Safe Home" information and tips to help curb environmental and health threats caused by use of chemicals, pesticides and other toxics in the home.

Also, Clean Ocean Action, a coalition of citizens concerned with degraded waters in the New York/New Jersey area, will discuss their action plans and educational awareness campaigns to reduce ocean pollution.

The April "Earthwatch: a local view" program, produced by Suburban Cablevision, will be repeated on Tuesdays at 3 p.m. through May 21.

Directory for seniors now available

The New Jersey Health Products Council is offering a revised public service pamphlet titled "A New Jersey Directory for Senior Citizens."

The 1991 edition lists more than 125 verified telephone numbers, including toll-free numbers, that provide a direct link for senior citizens to state and county agencies. These agencies offer helpful information in solving financial, legal, health and welfare problems.

Since 1979, when the NJHPC senior citizens directory was first published, more than 500,000 copies have been distributed. The 1991 revised directory has larger type for increased legibility.

Something to sell? Telephone 763-9411.

There is a space for any state or community organization using the pamphlet to stamp its name and address.

The directory is available upon request. Copies may be obtained by writing to the New Jersey Health Products Council, 2700 Route 22 East, Union, 07083.

The New Jersey Health Products Council is a nonprofit trade association sponsored by the state's health products manufacturing industry. Together its 15 corporate members spend more than \$2 billion annually in the search for new medicines.

Earth Week is observed

Students and faculty at Deerfield School in Mountainside will be celebrating Earth Week, April 22-26, while developing respect for the natural environment.

The week's activities were developed in concert with the PTA Environmental Education Committee and are in keeping with the district goal of the development of values.

The objectives of the activities are from the New Jersey State Department of Education's report on Developing Character and Values in New Jersey students, which are:

- Care for and conservation of all living things.
- Care for and conservation of land, air and water.

- Conduct recognizing environmental interdependence.

Students will discuss information on Earth Day, explore ways to limit disposable materials for "Trashless Tuesday," prepare entries for display for "Rainforest Wednesday" and donate children's books for children in another school for "Recycle for Literacy."

In addition, they will analyze behaviors which contribute to the problem of endangered animal species while viewing a PTA display of "Animals Need Help, Too!"

Arbor Day will also be celebrated with a ceremonial tree-planting ceremony for students in kindergarten through eighth grade.

calendar

The Civic Calendar is prepared each week by the *Springfield Leader* and the *Mountainside Echo*. To avoid conflicts in scheduling local events, please post dates, times and places as early as possible and send to P.O. Box 3109, Union, N.J., 07083.

Tuesday
 □ The Mountainside Women's College Club will meet at the Mountainside Library, Watchung Avenue, at 8 p.m. Lila Girard will present a program titled "Using Antiques in Your Home." Small articles may be brought for discussion and guests are welcome.



BEST SHOT — Physical education teacher Nick Corby, far right, works on lay up shots with several students in the gymnasium of James Caldwell School in Springfield. The youngsters are, from left, Barbara Maul, Richard Shandy and Ryan Gaul.

Card party benefit noted

The American Italian Cultural Organization (AMICO) of Springfield will hold a card party on April 26 at the Sarah Bailey Civic Center, 30 Church Mall, Springfield, beginning at 7 p.m. Refreshments and homemade cakes will be served by club members.

The card party is a fund-raiser to help support the orphans in Ariano Irpino Avellino, Italy, as well as Springfield Little League and the Springfield First Aid Squad. Tickets may be obtained at the door or by calling Helen Solla at 379-9517.

Fashion show scheduled

St. James Home School Association of Springfield will sponsor a luncheon and fashion show titled "L'Affaire to Remember" for the benefit of St. James School in Springfield. It will be held on April 27 at 11:30 a.m. at L'Affaire, Route 22

East, Mountainside. The luncheon will be followed by a fashion show from Gazebo Fashions of Bloomfield. Tickets cost \$30 and one can make reservations now by calling Robin Tarullo at 761-4067 after 6 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael A. Fetsko

Hubscher-Fetsko nuptial

Nancy R. Hubscher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hubscher of Union, was married recently to Michael A. Fetsko, son of Mrs. Carmela Fetsko of Union and Mr. Frank Fetsko of Shamokin, Pa.

The Rev. Dwight White of Old First Presbyterian Church, Newark, and the Rev. Edward Gedrich of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Union, officiated at the ceremony in Old First Church. A reception followed at the Fiesta, WoodRidge.

The bride was escorted by her father, Debra Cohen of Union served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Sharon Fessler of Basking Ridge and Diane Woessner and Josephine Sanzari, both of Union. Kimberly Hubscher of Union, niece of the bride,

served as flower girl.

Gregory Scarlato of Union served as best man. Ushers were Anthony Neri of Neshanic, cousin of the groom; Bill Hubscher of Flemington, brother of the bride, and Danny Macchia of Lanoka Harbor, cousin of the groom.

Mrs. Fetsko, who was graduated from Union High School and Rutgers University, is employed by Patient Care Inc., West Orange.

Her husband, who was graduated from Union High School and Kean College of New Jersey, Union, is employed by the Archdiocese of Newark in Irvington.

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

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Mr. and Mrs. Douglas R. Hieber

Lacko-Hieber marriage

Joyce Ellen Lacko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lacko of Union, was married Jan. 26 to Douglas Richard Hieber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hieber of Weston, Conn.

The Rev. Milan Ontko officiated at the ceremony in Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Union. A private dinner reception was held at the Towers Steak House, Mountaintop.

The bride was escorted by her father. Alison Hieber, sister of the groom, served as maid of honor.

Stephen Hieber served as best man

for his brother.

Mrs. Hieber, who was graduated from Union High School and Lehigh University, is employed by Macy's Corporate Buying Office, New York City.

Her husband, who also was graduated from Lehigh University, is employed by Electronic Data Systems, Bedminster.

The newlyweds, who took a honeymoon trip to the islands of Antigua and St. Lucia, reside in Scotch Plains.



Mr. and Mrs. Gregory E. Scarlato

Macaluso-Scarlato wed

Denise A. Macaluso, daughter of Mrs. Grace Macaluso of Clark and Mr. Richard Macaluso of New Providence, was married recently to Gregory E. Scarlato, son of Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore Scarlato of Union.

The Rev. Edward Gedrich officiated at the ceremony in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Union. A reception followed at the Knights of Columbus hall, Union.

The bride was escorted by her father. Suzanne Macaluso of Colonia served as maid of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Denise Cerro of Florham Park, cousin of the bride, and

Denise Campion of Pennsylvania. Michael Fetsko of Union served as best man. Ushers were Robert Jarman of Union and Michael Taras of Union, brother-in-law of the groom.

Mrs. Scarlato, who was graduated from Jonathan Dayton Regional High School, Springfield, is employed as a hair consultant at Francesca's Place for Hair, Kenilworth.

Her husband, who was graduated from Union High School, is employed as a maintenance engineer for Fortunoff, Woodbridge.

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

Moreland-Troyan troth

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Moreland of Union have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ellen, to Anthony Troyan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Troyan of Elverson, Pa.

The bride-elect, who was graduated from Kean College of New Jersey, Union, is employed as a counselor at Bryn Mawr Rehabilitation Hospital, Malvern, Pa.

Her fiance, who was graduated from Wilkes College, is a prep supervisor camera operator at Tursack Printing, Pottstown, Pa.

A spring 1992 wedding is planned.



Mary Ellen Moreland

Weisman-Papell engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Weisman of Union and Lake Worth, Fla., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie, to Dr. David Papell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Papell of New York City, N.Y.

The bride-elect, who was graduated from Emory University, where she received a bachelor of arts degree, received her juris doctor degree from the University of South Carolina

School of Law. She is an assistant university counsel with the University of Houston system.

Her fiance, who was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania, where he received a bachelor of arts degree, received a Ph.D. from Columbia University. He is an associate professor of economics at the University of Houston.

A September wedding is planned.

White-Lipyaneck marriage

Donna Anne White, daughter of Mrs. Margaret White of Union and the late Mr. Frank White, was married Jan. 19 to Paul Andrew Lipyaneck Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Lipyaneck of Fords.

Monsignor John Koenig officiated at the ceremony in Holy Spirit Roman Catholic Church, Union. A reception followed at the Westwood, Garwood.

Doris D'Elia of Union served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Lynn Vincelli of Phillipsburg, Patricia Truppo of Somerset and Jeanette Meyler of Santa Barbara, Calif. Kristin Anna D'Elia of Union, daughter of the bride, served as flower girl.

William O'Reilly of Milltown served as best man. Ushers were Salvatore Vincelli of Phillipsburg, Stanley Kluczek of Bayonne, cousin of the groom, and Robert Woodward of Avenel. Nicholas Robert Perez of Fords, nephew and godson of the groom, served as ring bearer.

Mrs. Lipyaneck, who was graduated from Union High School and Union County College, Cranford, where she received an associate degree in busi-

ness administration/computer information systems, is employed by Motivational Systems, West Orange.

Her husband, who was graduated from Woodbridge High School, is employed by Public Service Electric & Gas Co., Keamy.

The newlyweds, who took a honeymoon trip to Barbados, reside in Edison.

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Cristie Ann Pavone

A daughter, Cristie Ann, was born Nov. 27 in Mr. and Mrs. John Favone of Union, formerly of West Orange. She joins a brother, James, and two sisters, Marina and Gina.

Mrs. Pavone, the former Debra Spiro, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Spiro of West Orange. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cono Pavone, also of West Orange.

Daniel Charles Spiegel

A 10-pound, 11-ounce son, Daniel Charles, was born Feb. 27 in Overlook Hospital, Summit, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spiegel of Linden. He joins two sisters, Kathryn, 6, and Kimberly, 3.

Mrs. Spiegel, the former Carol Murden, is the daughter of Mrs. Florence Murden of Union and the late Mr. Charles Murden Sr. Her husband is the son of Mr. Charles Spiegel of Springfield and the late Mrs. Sophie Spiegel.

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.

clubs in the news

Selda Kaplan, incoming president of Union Lodge 1782 B'nai B'rith and co-chairman of its flea market committee, will handle "dealer inquiries" for the lodge's 17th annual flea market. It will be held at the Board of Education parking lot adjacent to Memorial Field at Union High School, 2369 Morris Ave., April 28 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Rain date is May 5.

It was announced that about 150 dealers from New Jersey, New York and surrounding areas will exhibit such items as plants, household wares, books, handcrafted gifts, antiques and clothing.

B'nai B'rith reportedly is the world's largest and oldest Jewish service organization. The proceeds from the venture will help to support various youth programs and counseling services, as well as hospitals sponsored by B'nai B'rith.

For further information one can call Kaplan at 686-7903.

"Youth-Striving for Excellence" will be the theme of this year's annual fund-raiser/awards luncheon and fashion show sponsored by the Vauxhall Section of the National Council of Negro Women Inc. at the Holiday Inn, Rt. 22 West, Springfield, April 27 from noon to 3:30 p.m.

Local young people will be honored "for their excellence in education including math and science, the arts, athletics and community service."

Scheduled to receive awards are Andrea Johnson, Quinston Piper, Alexis Mobley and Danielle Jordan, all students at Central 6-Jefferson School, Rodney Tullis, student at Kawameeh Junior High School, both in Union, and Brazita Dancy, student at Union High School.

The council also plans to present nine additional students with certificates of achievement.

Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$12 for children under 12-years-old. For ticket information one can call 686-0622.

Dolores Armstrong, president of



Selda Kaplan

the Vauxhall Section has announced that the honorary chairman for 1991 is Brazita Dancy, student at Union High School.

Luncheon chairman is Jocelyn Moorman. Co-chairman is Irene Parsons, and committee members are Christine Gray, Jewel Ebron, Eva Moorman, Willie Beverly, Ruth Bryant, Kim Jones, Bertha Becton and Adrienne Armstrong.

The CDA Court of the Immaculate Heart of Mary 1360, Union, will hold its annual dinner and fashion show April 24 at Town and Campus, Morris Avenue, Union, at 6 p.m.

Fashions will be provided by Gazebo. Tickets, can be obtained at \$25 each, from CDA members.

For further information one can call 964-1799 or 686-1817.

The Springfield Chapter of Hadassah will meet on April 25 at 8 p.m. in Temple Beth Ahm, Springfield.

Reporting will be Dorothea Schwartz on a donor dinner scheduled May 16 at the Short Hills Caterers. Entertainment will be provided by John Salesby. Members are requested to call Cecile Bloomfield for information. Reservations can be made by contacting Estelle Berger.

The event will be a joint meeting

with the Ma'ayan Gila groups and educations chairmen, Irene Friedman of the chapter, and Emmy Hoffer of the Ma'ayan Gila, will be in charge of the program.

John David Scalomonti, who studied for the Roman Catholic priesthood was ordained a Catholic priest in 1967, will be guest speaker. He had performed the duties for four and one half years. His "interest was aroused in the Jewish faith" and he studied with Rabbi Rosenblatt of Baltimore and was converted into the Jewish Orthodox faith. Scalomonti has been involved in politics as a congressional candidate and an elected councilman and deputy mayor. He owned and operated an employment agency John David, for the past eight years. He is currently under contract with KTAV publishing house and say he "will have a book on the market by the end of the year." He will talk on "Ordained to Be a Jew." His story of the ordination to the priesthood to Mikvah and the growth into Judaism.

The Past Presidents Club of the Seventh District will hold its annual luncheon April 25 at noon at the Essex Fells Country Club, 219 Devon Road.

Marie Tozzi, chairman of the luncheon will take reservations. Eunich Hirsch of the Montclair Woman's Club and first vice president of the PPC, has announced that the program will be presented by Hsing-Ay Hsu, 13, an award winning concert pianist. Born in Beijing, China, she came to the United States in 1985 and now resides in Caldwell. She has performed on television, at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel for Gov. Mario Cuomo's committee on scholastic achievement, and at Lincoln Center, New York City.

Past Presidents of the GFWC Woman's Club of Connecticut Farms, Union, who will attend are Marion Mihaliker, Jo Dukes, Jean Ritter and Helen Heiss, president.

happy birthday



Billy Trojanowski

Billy, son of Susan Giordano and Al Trojanowski of Union, observed his 10th birthday March 30. Joining in the celebration were his sister, Jackie Trojanowski, and his grandmother, Mrs. Jean Giordano of Nutley.



Daniel Sehnal

Daniel, son of Denise and Larry Sehnal of Kenilworth, celebrated his first birthday on March 5. Joining in the celebration were his grandparents, Mary and Jack Vickery of Clark, Mary Jean and Larry Sehnal of Clark, and aunts, uncles and friends.



Meghan Howlett

Meghan, daughter of Terri and Robert Howlett of Franklin Park, celebrated her first birthday on April 13. Joining in the celebration were her grandparents, Linda and Hans Scutary of Roselle Park and Millie Howlett of Roselle.

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New staff director

Temple Beth Ahm, Springfield, has announced that Miriam Sussman of Millburn will join its staff as Nursery School director on Sunday.

Sussman has background in both religious and secular education. She has served as a teacher and a supervisor in Hebrew day schools and in congregational religious schools. She also has taught in the public education system, where she currently is employed. Her experiences range from working with nursery-age children through 13-year-olds.

Sussman, who was graduate from Queens College, City University of New York, where she received a bachelor of arts degree in education and a minor in Hebrew and English, also has a master's degree from SUNY, Stony Brook, N.Y.

Sussman will attend an open house on Sunday in Temple Beth Ahm, 60 Temple Drive, from 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Parents and children can view the school facilities, hear a presentation



Miriam Sussman
by Sussman about the program and ask questions.

It was announced that the Nursery School is still accepting applications from summer camp and fall registration. Further information is available by calling the temple office at 376-0539.

Independence Day

Temple Sha'arey Shalom, 78 South Springfield Ave., Springfield, will celebrate Yom Ha'Atzmaut, Israeli Independence Day, tomorrow at 8:30 p.m. A special service compiled by the Youth Group, "Israel at 43...A Time for Celebration," will be presented. The service will celebrate Israel's 43rd anniversary of independence.

The public is invited.

Earth Day program

United Methodist Women will meet tonight at 7:45 in Fellowship Hall in the Community United Methodist Church, Chestnut Street and Grant Avenue, Roselle Park.

A special program will be presented on the environment as part of the church's observation of Earth Day.

Refreshments will be served, and all area residents are invited to attend, it was announced.

'Imaginary Journey'

Members of the Trinity Fellowship will take "an imaginary journey into the next century through the courtesy of New Jersey Bell," on April 26. The program, "Welcome to the Future," will be held in the fellowship hall of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Union.

Karen Smith, a member of the New Jersey Bell Speakers' Society, will give a presentation "outlining scientific advancements which will have an affect on how we will be living in the 21st century." The narrated slide and demonstration lecture will focus on "energy alternatives, nutrition forecasts, outer space exploration and tele-communications as a barometer to marketplace supremacy." A hands-on, audience participation segment will acquaint the group with the "possibility of controlling home environmental services, such as heating, air-conditioning and security from a remote location."

"Welcome to the Future" is one of several programs presented as a public service by New Jersey Bell. Organizations interested in booking programs can do so by calling 1-800-252-7469.

'Israel Night' is set

The Rev. Nancy E. Forsberg, pastor, has invited the community to an "Israel Night" to be held April 25 at 7:30 in the First Congregational Church of Union, 1340 Burnet Ave.

One of Israel's top guides, Yair Harlap, will be guest speaker and "Rev. Nancy," pastor of the host congregation, who has traveled to Israel 24 times since her first study tour in 1957, will describe how Israel has enriched her ministry. Forsberg has led many groups on tours which she personally planned and she also has worked and studied in Israel during several summer periods, including experiences in a kibbutz and at an ulpan.

The program will mark the first of a series of special events in conjunction with the celebration of Forsberg's 40th anniversary of ordination to the Christian ministry.

Entertainment will be provided by the Amrani Brothers, Shalom and Barak, two of Israel's musicians.

Further details can be obtained from Forsberg by calling the church office at 688-4333. The program is being coordinated by Ceil Shar and Marilyn Zienke, founders of the Israel Travel Advisory Service, who will be present at the April 25 program to describe "further details of this opportunity."

Enrichment event

St. Michael's Church of Union will have another in the series of Adult Enrichment programs tonight at 8. "Healing the Hurts in Your Life by Dealing With Grief and Bereavement" will be held in St. Michael's school auditorium. Guest speaker will be Sister Ruthann Williams, O.P., who is a member of the Dominican Sisters of Caldwell, and administrator of the Sacred Heart Institute. She has a master's degree.

worship calendar

ALLIANCE
THE ORCHARD PARK CHURCH 1264 Victor Ave., Union, 687-0364 Pastor: Rev. Hank Czerwinski, Jr. Service hours: Sunday - Fellowship time 10 a.m.; Morning Service 10:30 a.m. Please call for further information. Home Bible Study: Tuesday morning 10:30 in Roselle Park - 245-5048; Tuesday Evening 8 p.m. in Union - 686-3167.

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD
CALVARY ASSEMBLY OF GOD 953 W. Chestnut St., Union, 964-1133 Pastor: Rev. John W. Bechtel. Sunday School 9:30 AM, Worship Service 10:45 AM, Evening Service 6:30 PM. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7:30 PM.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD 645 S. Broad St., Elizabeth, 352-5091 Pastor: Rev. Michael Herr. Services: Sunday School 10 AM; Sunday Morning Worship Service 11 AM; Sunday Evening Service 6 PM; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 PM.

BAPTIST
CLINTON HILL BAPTIST CHURCH "Where the Bible Comes Alive" 2815 Morris Ave., Union, 687-9440 Pastor/Teacher: Tom Sigley. Associate Pastor Joseph Natiello III. WEEKLY ACTIVITIES: Sunday: 9:45 AM - Bible School for all ages - nursery care, children's department (puppet ministry twice a month) adult elective classes that change quarterly on relevant life topics. 11:00 AM - Fellowship of Worship (children's church, nursery care provided), 4:00 PM Tree Climbers (for boys ages 4 - 6 and their families), 6:00 PM Family Gospel Hour (nursery care provided). Monday: 6:30 AM - Prayer Meeting, 7:00 PM Boy's Battalion (Jr. - Sr. High), Saints and Thimbers (adults aerobics class); Wednesday: 9:15 AM MOPS (mothers of preschoolers and schoolers) 2nd & 4th of the month; 7:30 PM Prayer and Praise Service. Thursday: various home Bible studies that meet during the day and at night, call office for details; 10:00 AM (2nd of month) Women's Missionary Society; 7:30 PM Single's Fellowship; Friday: 7:00 PM, Christian Service Brigade (for grammar school boys); Pioneer Girls (for grammar school and Jr. High girls); Saturday: 9:00 AM - Choir rehearsal; Sr. High students. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION - PLEASE CALL 687-9440.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF VAUXHALL 5 Hillton Ave., Vauxhall, Church office: 687-3414. Pastor: Dr. Marion J. Franklin, Jr. Sunday School: 9:30 AM. Morning Worship including Nursery room facilities and Mother's Room - 11:00 AM; Weekly Events: Tuesdays - Pastor's Bible Study Class, 7:30 PM; Wednesdays - Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM; Evangelistic Worship Service 7:30 PM; Thursdays - Tutoring 6:30 PM; Anthem Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM; Combined Choir 8:15 PM; Fridays - Feeding Ministry 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM. Open to all those in need of physical and spiritual nourishment. Senior citizens are urged to attend. Call the church office if transportation is needed; Saturdays - Children's Choir Rehearsal 3:00 PM. Meets 2nd & 4th Sat. Only. Holy Communion, first Sunday of each month. Wednesday, Evangelistic Service 7:30 PM. For more information please call 687-3414 or 687-2804.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH COLONIAL AVE. and Thoreau Terr., Union Church - 688-4975. Study - 964-8429 Minister: Dr. Robert A. Raschman Sunday: 9:45 AM. Bible Study for all ages; Morning Worship with nursery facilities through Primary age; 5:45 PM Junior & Senior High Youth Meeting; 7:00 PM Evening Praise Service. Wednesday: 10:00 AM Ladies Bible Class; 6:30 PM Pioneer Club for children grades 1-6; 7:30 PM Bible Study and Prayer Meeting; 8:40 PM Choir rehearsal. Saturday: 7:30 AM Men's Bible Class (2nd & 4th of the month); Women's Fellowship Breakfast (3rd of the month); Men's Missionary Circles meet monthly.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF WESTFIELD 170 Elm Street, Westfield, Dr. Robert L. Harvey, Minister; Mr. William R. Matthews, AAGO, Director of Music, Phone - 233-2278. Sunday: 9 AM - Sunday School, Adult Bible Study and Adult Forum; 10:30 AM - Worship.

EVANGEL BAPTIST CHURCH 242 Shupike Rd., Springfield, 379-4351. Pastor: Rev. Joseph Lombardi. Wednesday: 7:15 PM Prayer Meeting, Choir, P.G.'s and Battalion. Sunday: 9:45 AM Sunday School; 11 AM Worship; 6 PM Evening Service; Friday: 7:15 PM Pioneer Girls, Stockade; 7:30 PM Youth Group.

GREATER MOUNT MORIAH BAPTIST CHURCH 24 East 14th Street, Linden, 862-7766. Pastor: Rev. Ronald A. Green, Sr. Sunday School - all ages - 9:00 AM; Worship Service - 10:30 AM; Weekly Events: Monday - Bible Study Class, 7:00 PM; Wednesday - Prayer Meeting, 7:30 PM; Thursday - Bible Study Class, 7:00 PM; Holy Communion, first Sunday of each month; Call Church if transportation is needed; Open to all those in need of physical and spiritual nourishment.

CHARISMATIC
GRACE & PEACE FELLOWSHIP CHURCH 960 Raritan Rd., Cranford 276-8740 Pastor: Rev. Dean Knudsen. Sundays 10 AM - Praise & Teaching Service and

Children's Ministry, Wednesday 7:00 PM - Intercessory Prayer Meeting, Wednesday Evening Service - 8:00 PM.

CONGREGATIONAL
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH 1240 Clinton Ave., Irvington, Rev. William R. Mulford, Senior Pastor; Rev. Audrey V. Lee, Associate Pastor. 375-6833 Sunday: 9:00 AM Choir Rehearsal, 10:00 AM Worship and Church School; Monday 9:00 AM Food Pantry; 7:00 PM Girl Scout Troops 587, 589, 602, 613; Tuesday: Noon Beginnings Group A.A., 1:30 PM Senior Outreach, 6:30 PM Cub Scout Pack 216, Wednesday: 4:00 PM Youth Fellowship, 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop 216 and Adult Fellowship, Thursday: 9:00 AM Food Pantry.

CONSERVATIVE BAPTIST
RARITON ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH 611 Raritan Road, Cranford, NJ (Adjacent to the Days Inn), 272-7088. Pastor Steven B. Nash. Sunday Services include Morning Prayer Time at 9 AM, Sunday School for All Ages and Adult Bible Class at 9:40 AM, Morning Worship Service and Children's Church at 11 AM. Nursery is available for all services. Tuesday evening PIONEER CLUBS for boys and girls meets at 7 PM. Wednesday Evening Bible Study begins at 7 PM. Call the church for information about the monthly meeting of the ladies' missionary fellowship or for the date of the next breakfast. Pastoral and family counseling is available by appointment.

EPISCOPAL
ST. LUKE EPISCOPAL CHURCH 2815 East Fourth Ave. and Walnut St., Roselle, 245-0815 Sunday Services: 7:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist. Sunday School at 8:45 a.m. Nursery care provided for 10 a.m. service. Coffee hour follows 10 a.m. service. Ample parking. Boy Scouts Monday evening. Narcotics Anonymous Tuesday evening. Girl Scouts Wednesday evening. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening. The Rev. Kenneth Gorman, Rector.

ST. LUKE & ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH 398 Chestnut Street, Union 688-7253. Sunday Worship Service at 9 a.m. Sunday School and Nursery at 8:45 a.m. Morning Prayer daily at 9 a.m. The Rev. Robert Clement.

FOURSQUARE
LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, Chestnut Street at Third Avenue, Roselle, ample off-street parking available, 241-6470 church, 769-4279 parsonage. Dr. Dennis Miller, Pastor. Sunday: 9 AM - Sunday School; 10 AM - Worship Service (Child Care for children birth to 5 during sermon); Wednesday: 6:30 PM - Intercessory Prayer; 7:30 PM - Bible Study, Friday (Twice Monthly) Youth Group for Teens - 7:30 PM. We are a member church of the International Church of the Foursquare Gospel.

JEWISH-CONSERVATIVE
TEMPLE BETH AHM 60 Temple Drive, Springfield, 376-0539. Perry Raphael Rank, Rabbi. Richard Vadel, Cantor. Robert Steinhart, President. Beth Ahm is an egalitarian, Conservative temple, with programming for all ages. Weekday services (including Sunday evening and Friday morning) are conducted at 7:00 AM & 7:45 PM; Shabbat (Friday) evening - 8:30 PM; Shabbat day - 9:30 AM, 6:00 PM; & Sunday festival & holiday morning - 9:00 AM. Family and children services are conducted regularly. Our Religious School (third-seventh grade) meets on Sunday, Tuesday & Thursday. There are formal classes for both High School and pre-Religious School aged children. The synagogue also sponsors a Nursery School, Women's League, Men's Club, Youth Groups for fifth through twelfth graders, and a busy Adult Education program. A Seniors' League meets regularly. For more information, please contact our office during office hours.

JEWISH - ORTHODOX
CONGREGATION ISRAEL 339 Mountain Avenue, Springfield 467-9666. Daily services: 6:30, 7:15 A.M.; 7:15 P.M. or at sunset, whichever is earlier. Civil holidays, Sunday mornings, 8:00 A.M., followed by class in Malnoid; religious holidays, 9:00 A.M.; Saturday evenings 20 minutes before sunset, preceded by a Talmud class. Alan J. Yuter Rabbi Israel E. Turner, Rabbi Emeritus.

JEWISH - REFORM
TEMPLE SHA'AREY SHALOM 78 S. Springfield Avenue, Springfield, 379-5387. Joshua Goldstein, Rabbi; Amy Daniele, Cantor; Mark Weinholtz, President. Sha'arey Shalom is a warm, friendly, reform temple that seeks to achieve a standard of excellence in all its programs. Shabbat worship, enhanced by our volunteer choir, begins on Friday evenings at 8:30 P.M., with monthly Family Services at 8:00 P.M. Saturday morning Torah-study class and worship begins at 10:30 AM. Religious School classes meet on Saturday mornings for K-3, on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for 4-7, and on Tuesday evening for post-Bar/Bat Mitzvah students. Pre-school, classes are available for

children ages 2 1/2 through 4. The Temple has the support of an active Sisterhood, Brotherhood and Youth Group. A wide range of programs include Adult Education, Social Action, Interfaith Outreach, Singles and Seniors. For more information, please call the Temple secretary, Rita.

JEWISH - TRADITIONAL CONSERVATIVE
CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM affiliated with the United Synagogue of America, Vauxhall Road and Plane Street, Union, 686-6773. Howard Morrison, Rabbi; Harold Gottesman, Cantor; Marc Hilton, President. Congregation Beth Shalom is an affiliated Traditional Conservative Synagogue. Daily Services - 6:45 A.M.; civil holidays and Sunday morning Services - 8:30 A.M. Adult Education - Tuesday evening, Thursday morning, and Sunday morning. Shabbat Services - Friday - 8:30 P.M., Saturday, 9:15 AM; Halakha Class followed by Minchah-Maariv, 45 minutes before sundown. One Supper, 7:00 PM. Jewish Sisterhood and Men's Club. The new creative Elementary Hebrew School meets Sundays 9:30 AM - 12:00 Noon; BETH SHALOM is an active participant with the Jewish Federation of Central New Jersey; it is represented among the Council of Congregations in Union, and it serves as the host for B'nai B'rith, Hadassah, and other communal Jewish organizations.

TEMPLE ISRAEL OF UNION 2372 Morris Avenue, Union, 687-2120. Meyer Kobman, Rabbi; Hilfel Sadowitz, Cantor; Stanley Wolfowitz, President. Hadassah Goldfarb, Principal. Temple Israel of Union is a traditional Conservative Congregation with programs for all ages. Friday Services 8:30 PM. Saturday Services 9:00 AM Minchah 5:30 PM. Sunday Tallit and Tefillin 9:00 AM. Religious School with full time Principal, Grades Three through Seventh meet Sundays 9:10-10:30 AM and Mondays & Wednesdays - 4:30-5:30 PM Primer Class for Grades One and Two, Sundays 9:10-10:30 AM. Adult Hebrew Classes including Bar and Bat Mitzvah Preparation - Thursdays - 8-10 PM. Temple-Israel sponsors programs and activities for Youth Groups Grades Seven through Twelve. We also have a very active Sisterhood and Men's Club.

LUTHERAN
CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH Morris Ave. and Sterling Road, Union, 686-0188 Pastor: Isabelle J. Steele. Visitors Welcome! Worship Service: 10:30 AM. Communion 1st and 3rd Sunday of Every Month. Women's Group (WELCA): 7:30 P.M. Every 2nd Tuesday. Seniors' Group: 12 Noon 3rd Thursday of each month in the Upper Room. Nursery Care for small children available during service. For further information please call: 686-0188.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL 2222 Vauxhall Road, Union, 686-3965. (Visitors Expected) Rev. Doris L. Brand, Pastor; Anita M. Brand, School Director. SUNDAY - Family Bible Hour at 9:15 A.M., Family Worship Hour at 10:30 A.M. (Communion 1st, 3rd, 5th Sundays) (Children's Sermon 2nd & 4th Sundays) (Cry Area Available) (Coffee Fellowship - 2nd Sunday) (Barrier-Free Entrance and Sanctuary) (Handicap Parking). MONDAY - Nursery School 9:15 - 11:45 and 12:45 - 3:15. Confirmation Instruction from 4 - 5:30, Cub Scouts at 4:30 and 6:45, Adult Inquirer's Class at 7:30 P.M. WEDNESDAY - Nursery School 9:15 - 11:45 and 12:45 - 3:15. Sunday Committees Meeting at 7:30 P.M. (1st Wednesday), Dales at 3:30 (2nd and 4th Wednesdays). Ladies Guild (2nd Wednesday) at 7:30 P.M., Cub Scout Pack meeting (4th Wednesday) at 7 P.M. THURSDAY - Evangelism Visitation at 7:30 P.M., Choir Rehearsal at 8 P.M. FRIDAY - Nursery School 9:15 - 11:45 and 12:45 - 3:15. SATURDAY - Family Worship at 6:30 P.M. (11:00 am.); UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S EVERY EVENING - Dial-A-Meditation at 686-3965. Various Evenings - Home Bible Study in several member's homes.

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH 639 Mountain Ave., Springfield, 379-4525. Pastor Joel R. Yoss. "Our Family invites You Family to Worship with us." Family Growth Hour for all ages at 8:45 A.M. (Nursery - 12th Grade & Adult Forum). Join us for coffee and fellowship. Worship Services, 10:15 A.M. (Communion at 3rd Sundays). Nursery care during Family Growth Hour and Worship Service. Children's Church for Sunday school-aged children during worship, except 4th Sunday of month. Christian Nursery School - Monday thru Friday, Adult, Youth & Children's Choirs. Kid's Kolonia, 3:30 P.M. Wednesdays. Women's Bible Study, 10:00 A.M. Thursdays. Men's Breakfast, 7:30 A.M. 1st Sunday of month. Holy Cross Youth Fellowship, twice a month, as announced. Twenty-something (Bible study, fellowship group for young adults, 20-30), 7:00 P.M. Thursdays. Special Services, Teaching Series and Vespers will be announced. For further information, call 379-4525.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH 134 Prospect Ave., Irvington, 374-9377. Rev. Henry E. Dieck, D.D. Pastor, 763-0878. Sunday School for all ages 9:15 - 10:15 a.m., Worship services 10:30 and 10:30 a.m., Choir Practice 9:15 a.m., Boy Scouts, Mondays 7 p.m., Senior Fellowship - 1st Wednesday and 3rd Thursdays; Church Council 8 p.m., AA Steps, Fridays 8 p.m., AA Sundays 8 p.m., A.A.R.P. Irvington Chapter 2919 Third Tuesdays 1 p.m.

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH (off Five Points) 301 Tucker Ave., Union, 688-0714 "The Crucified & Risen Christ is Proclaimed Here!" The Rev. Milan A. Onkko, D.D., Pastor SUN: Slovak Worship 9:00 a.m., Sunday School 10:00 a.m., Coffee hour 10:00 a.m., English Worship 11:00 a.m. Confirmation Class 12:15 p.m., Communion on first and third Sunday of every month. Ladies Altar Guild every second Sunday of each month at 12:30 p.m. Tues: Lutheran Church Women every third Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. Wed: Adult Choir rehearsal 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Thurs: Church Council every second Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Fri: Trinity Fellowship every fourth Friday at 8:00 p.m. Leap Line every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. AA and AA-Anon every Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. Twirlers Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

MESSIANIC-JEWISH
CONGREGATION ARI YEHUDA 1251 Tennil Road, Scotch Plains. Erev Shabbat services Friday evenings 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.; Home Fellowships 1st and 3rd Mondays 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.; Sisterhood Meeting 2nd Sunday 2:00 p.m.; Men's Torah Service 4th Sunday 10:00 a.m.; Biblical Festival celebrations at their properties. We are Jewish and Gentile believers in Yeshua HaMashiach, Jesus the Messiah, and we welcome you to join us in worship of Messiah. For more information, call 201-561-8872 or write to Congregation Ari Yehuda P.O. Box 984 Clark, N.J. 07066.

METHODIST
BETHEL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH 241 Hillton Avenue Vauxhall, 654-1282. Sunday Church School 9:30 a.m., Church Worship 10:45 a.m. Wednesday: Prayer Meeting & Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Rev. Gladwin A. Fulter-Pastor.

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Chestnut Street & West Grant Ave. Roselle Park, Rev. John D. Painter, Pastor 745-2237, 245-8020 - 241-1210 Worship Service at 9:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. in the Sanctuary. High School classes begin at 9:30 A.M. Classes for children in Nursery through 8th grade will begin in 10:45 in the Sanctuary. There will be a Coffee Hour at 10:30 A.M. in Reeves Hall. Infant and Child Care are available at the 11:00 A.M. service. Barrier-Free Sanctuary. All are welcome.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 466 West Grand Ave., Rahway, NJ 388-4667 or 382-9366. Rev. Wauneta Robb, Pastor. Worship Service is at 11:00 am. in the Sanctuary. Communion is served monthly on the 1st, 2nd and 4th Sundays. Communion is served on the first Sunday of each month. All are welcome to attend. United Methodist Women meet at 7:00 p.m. on the 4th Tuesdays and the Adult Fellowship meets at 6:00 p.m. on the 2nd Saturdays of the months.

KENILWORTH COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 455 Boulevard, Kenilworth. Rev. Carol Spelman, Pastor. Church office 276-1956, Parsonage 276-2322. Worship Service 10:00 A.M., Church School 10:00 A.M. Nursery available during worship. Communion is served the first Sunday of each month. All are welcome.

ROSELLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 213 Sheridan Avenue, Roselle, 241-0699. All Denominations Welcomed Sunday School 9:30 AM. Worship Services 10:30 AM. Saturday worship Service 5:30 P.M. A coffee and fellowship follows each service. Communion is served the first Sunday and Saturday of each month. Child care for children up to age five is provided. Stairchairs available. Parking lot on Drake Ave. Pastor Reverend Susan G. Hill and Congregation invite everyone to attend our services. Bible Study Tues. 11:00 am.; UNITED METHODIST WOMEN 868-3220. The Reverend E. James Roberts, M. Div., M. A., Pastor.

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH IN UNION 686-2412 invites you to share in our fellowship at MORNING PRAYER on Sunday at 9:00 a.m. DIVINE WORSHIP on Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Holy Communion - first Sunday of each month; SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL at 11:00 am.; UNITED METHODIST WOMEN Second Wednesday at 7:30 pm. Also meeting at the Church: A.A. - each Tuesday at 7:00 p.m., G.A. - each Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Hospital GRAND Center for Geriatric Assessment and Counseling - weekdays, 8:30 am - 5:00 p.m. (686-3117). Bellgrove Montessori Nursery School, Carol Koszys, Director 686-3220. The Reverend E. James Roberts, M. Div., M. A., Pastor.

MORAVIAN
BATTLE HILL COMMUNITY MORAVIAN CHURCH 777 Liberty Avenue, Union, 686-5262. Pastor, Rev. Jeffrey D. Gehris. Sunday School 9:15 am. Service of Worship, 10:30 a.m., Nursery provided. First Sunday every

month - Fellowship Hour after Worship. Women's groups meet first Tuesday 7:30 pm. and first Thursday 1:00 pm. New Jersey Chrysanthemum second Friday of month 8:00 pm. (except Jan., Jul., & Aug.). For more information call the Church Office. Service of consecration The Rev. Jeffrey D. Gehris, pastor of the Battle Hill Community Moravian Church of Union, will be consecrated a Presbyter of the Moravian Church on Sunday April 21 during the 10:30 a.m. Service of Worship. The Rt. Rev. Allen W. Schatzschneider, Bishop of the Moravian Church, will officiate at the service. The Rev. Donald Fulton, member of the Provincial Elders' Conference, will introduce the candidate for consecration. Rev. Fulton is the founding Pastor of Battle Hill Community Moravian Church. The consecration of a Pastor as Presbyter is an act of spiritual encouragement and affirmation of the individual's witness in the ministry and approval of service rendered since ordination. The consecration of a Presbyter is an act of approval by the entire Moravian Church. The church celebrates with Rev. Gehris upon this joyous occasion.

NAZARENE
SPRINGFIELD CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 36 Evergreen Avenue, Springfield, 379-7222. Rev. Richard A. Miller Sunday: 9:30, Sunday School for all age groups; 10:45, Morning Worship and Children's Church (children's missions 2nd Sunday of the month). Wednesday: 7:00, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study for adults; Teens Meeting.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL
CHURCH OF CHRIST "CHRIST without DENOMINATION" meets at Millburn Mall, Suite 6, 1933 Vauxhall Rd., Vauxhall, N.J. Sunday: 10 AM Bible Study, 11 AM Worship, 6 PM Worship. Wednesday: 7:30 PM Bible Study. We are offering a FREE Bible Correspondence Course with No Obligation, or private Bible Study in your own home at your convenience. Free for the asking. DIAL-A-BIBLE MOMENT, 964-6356, Harry Persaud, Evangelist.

WORD OF GRACE FELLOWSHIP, GOD'S RIGHTeousNESS AT CHRIST'S EXPENSE. YMCA, Maple & Broad Sts., Summit, Sunday, 10:30 am - Pastor John N. Hogan. BIBLE STUDY 7:30 pm - 421A W. Linden Ave., Linden. For more info call Don Carson, Assoc. Pastor at 474-8060.

MOUNTAINSIDE GOSPEL CHAPEL 1180 Sprucefield, Mountainside, 322-3456. Interfaith Program - Dr. Gregory Hagg. WEEKLY ACTIVITIES: THURSDAY: 10:00 AM Women at the Well Bible Study; 4:00 PM - Junior High Fellowship; FRIDAY: 8:00 PM - College & Career Bible Study. SUNDAY: 9:45 AM - Sunday School for ALL age beginning with two-year-olds. The Spring Quarter Adult Course is a study of "A Church in Crisis" - First and Second Corinthians, taught by Rod Bowers of North Plainfield. The Ladies Class led by Marge Voss of Union, will be studying "Miracle Years". 11:00 AM WORSHIP - Dr. Gregory Hagg. Nursery is provided for newborn to two-year-olds. Children's Churches for 2-year-olds thru 3rd grade. 6:00 PM Evening Service. 7:00 PM Senior High Youth Group; WEDNESDAY: 7:00 PM - MID-WEEK SERVICE - FAMILY NIGHT: Adult Bible Study - Dr. Gregory Hagg. CSB STOCKADE Program for boys in grades 3 - 6; CSB BATTALION Program for boys in grades 7 - 12; PIONEER GIRLS Program for girls in grades 1 - 9; 7:30 PM Prayer Time; Choir Rehearsal. Visitors are always welcome. The Chapel is located at 1180 Spruce Drive, one block off Route 22W off Central Avenue in Mountainside. For further information, please call the chapel office at 232-3456.

PRESBYTERIAN
COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MOUNTAINSIDE Deer Path and Meeting House Lane, Mountainside, 232-9490. Dr. Christopher R. Belden Pastor. Worship and Church School Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Nursery Care during services. Holy Communion served the first Sunday of each month. Men's Group meets the second Monday of the month at 10:00 a.m. Women's Group meets the second Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Choir meets Thursdays at 8:00 p.m. AA groups meet on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sunday evenings. Boy Scouts meet on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. We have ample parking and our building is accessible to the handicapped. For information please call the church office 232-9490.

THE LINDEN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 485-3073. Sun: 10 am Divine Worship/Sunday School; 11:05 am Evangelism Commitment; 11:05 am Adult Bible Study (beg. Feb. 19). MON: 6:30 pm Jr. Girl Scouts; 7:30 pm (1st Mon.) Bd. of Deacons-LPC. (2nd Mon.) Stewardship Commission-LPC. 10 am (3rd Mon.) Garden St. Exton Annuitants-Exec. Bd.; 7:30 pm (1st Tues.) Presb. Women-Reg. Meeting, (2nd Tues.) Fellowship Circle; 7 pm (Last Tues.) Presb. Women-Coordinating Team. Wed: 3:30 pm Confirmation Class 1 pm (1st Wed.) Garden St. Exton Annuitants-Reg. Meeting; 7:30 pm (2nd Wed.) Christian Education Committee; 1

pm (3rd Wed.) Spiritual Life Circle; 8 pm Adult Membership Class (beg. Feb. 15). Thurs: 3:45 pm Brownies; 7 pm Cadette Girl Scouts; 7:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal; 8 pm Alcoholics Anonymous. FRI: 8 pm (3rd Fri.) Linden Intra-faith Council; 12 N (4th Fri.) AARP-Exec Bd.; 1 pm (4th Fri.) AARP-Reg. Meeting. Sat: 8 am (3rd Sat.) Presb. Men-Breakfast Meeting (Location to be announced).

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ST. LEO'S CHURCH 103 Myrtle Ave., Irvington, 372-1272. Rev. Dennis R. McKenna, Pastor. Schedule of Masses: Saturday Eve. 5:30 p.m., Sunday 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 12:45 p.m. (Spanish); Weekdays: Monday to Friday: 7:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 12:00 noon. Saturdays: 8:00 a.m., 12:00 noon. Holy Days: Eve 7:30 pm. Holydays: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 noon. Miraculous Medal Novenas: Mondays following the 12:00 noon Mass and at 7:15 p.m. Sacrament of Penance: Saturday: 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. and following the 5:30 pm. Mass.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 213 Center St., Garwood. Rev. Douglas Lovejoy-Carter, Pastor (908) 789-1285. Sunday: Choir Rehearsal 9:00 AM; Worship and Church School 9:30 AM; Fellowship Hour 10:30 AM; Tuesday: Noon; AA; Wednesday 9:00

obituaries

John A. Fay

John A. Fay of Union died April 3 in University Hospital, Newark.
Born in Newark, Mr. Fay lived in Newark before moving to Union 33 years ago. He had been a manager with the A&P Supermarkets in the North Jersey region, where he worked for 40 years before his retirement 20 years ago. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus Union Council 4504 and a fourth degree with the Knights of Columbus Union Council 4504 and a fourth degree with the Knights of Columbus John F. Kennedy Assembly in Union.
Surviving are his wife, Jean H.; two daughters Arleen McArdle and Mary Ellen Harris, and eight grandchildren.

Joseph Klutkowski

Joseph S. Klutkowski, 69, of Union died Friday in Beth Israel Medical Center, Newark.
Born in Linden, he lived in Newark and Linden before moving to Union 31 years ago. Mr. Klutkowski was an administrative clerk with the Sherwin Williams Paint Co., Newark, where he worked for 38 years before retiring six years ago. He served in the Army during World War II. Mr. Klutkowski was a member and officer of the Sherwin Williams Co. Credit Union and Friendship Club.
Surviving are his wife, Josephine E.; a son, Andrew B.; a daughter, Aimee Perez; a sister, Victoria Palma, and four grandchildren.

Elena Hudzik

Elena Hudzik, 76, of Union died Saturday in Elizabeth General Medical Center, Elizabeth.
Born in Newark, she moved to Union 35 years ago. Mrs. Hudzik was a member of the Golden Age Club and the Senior Citizens, both of Union.
Surviving are her husband, Walter F.; two daughters, Helen Gisoldi and Marlene Curry; a son, Walter Jr., 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Charles Ray Wright

Charles Ray Wright, 41, of Union died April 11 in his home.
Born in North Carolina, Mr. Wright lived in Union since 1958. He was a counselor for the Drug and Alcohol Department and the Genesis Program, all in Union Hospital, for four years. Earlier, he had been employed with the Lewis Engineering Co., Waterbury, Conn. Mr. Wright was a 1972 graduate of the Career Academy for Broadcasting in New York City. He served in the Air Force from 1967 to 1969.
Surviving are three sons, Matthew, Charlie and Marc, and his parents, Charles L. and Mona Rae Wright.

Elizabeth J. O'Reilly

Elizabeth J. O'Reilly, 72, of Sea Girt, formerly in Union, died Saturday in the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia.
Born in Newark, she lived in Irvington, and in Union, before mov-

ing to Sea Girt in 1989. Miss O'Reilly was a secretary for Oakite Corp., Newark, for 10 years and retired 1989. Before that, she worked for the Newark Paper Box Co. for 20 years.
Surviving is a brother, Maurice.

Walter M. Boraczek

Walter M. Boraczek, 74, of Union died April 11 in Elizabeth General Medical Center.
Born in Elizabeth, he lived in Union for 38 years. Mr. Boraczek was a chemical operator for the Schering-Plough Corp., Union, for 35 years before retiring in 1980. He served in the Army during World War II. Mr. Boraczek was a volunteer reading tutor at the Burnet Junior High School, Union, for three years.
Surviving are his wife, Dorothy E.; a son, Walter M. Jr.; a daughter, Joanne Doelger, and three grandchildren.

James F. Wagner

James F. Wagner, 91, of Union, an Army veteran of World War I, died April 10 in St. Elizabeth Hospital, Elizabeth.
Born in Newark, he lived in Union for 70 years. He was an insurance agent for 30 years with Prudential Insurance Co. before retiring 25 years ago.
Surviving are a daughter, Patricia Scholz; two sons, James H. and Thomas J., and 10 grandchildren.

Alfons Ott

Alfons Ott, 56, of Union died April 9 in Union Hospital.
Born in Germany, he lived in Irvington before moving to Union 20 years ago. He had been a fork lift operator for the past 35 years with the Greif Brothers Corp., Teletoro. Mr. Ott was a past member of the Elizabeth Sports Club.
Surviving are his wife, Gertrude; a stepson, Peter Klettke; a brother, Albrecht; a sister, Marianne Frank, and a grandchild.

William A. Gural

William A. Gural, 41, of Hackettstown, formerly in Union, died April 9 in the home of his parents, William and Marjorie Gural, in Union.
Born in Newark, he lived in Union before moving to Hackettstown four years ago. Mr. Gural had been a sound engineer for the past seven years with Blue Sparks of Long Valley.
Also surviving are his wife, Michele; two sons, Daniel H. and Michael H. Isaacson; a daughter, Amy N. Isaacson, and a sister, Susan Ann.

Edith J. Schweitzer

Edith J. Schweitzer, 56, of Union died Sunday in Overlook Hospital, Summit.
Born in Heidelberg, Germany, Mrs. Schweitzer settled in Union in 1956.
Surviving are her husband, Arthur; a daughter, Eleanor; two sons, Kenneth and Thomas, and two sisters, Sigrid Daub and Eleanor Beisel.

J. E. Longfield

J. E. Longfield, 81, of Springfield, retired as the township of Springfield's tax assessor, died April 9 in Overlook Hospital, Summit.
Born in Irvington, Mr. Longfield lived in Springfield for 50 years. He had been a tax assessor for the township of Springfield for 13 years and retired in 1978. Mr. Longfield served as past president of the Springfield Lions Club and was a member of the Franklin Century Lodge 10, F&AM and the Masonic Order for more than 50 years.
He was a former vice president of the Municipal Association of Tax Assessors and was the representative and past president of the Union County Assessors Association. Mr. Longfield also served as secretary and president of the Union County Board of Taxation.
Surviving are his wife, Jessie; two sons, Ross N. and J. Neil; a daughter, Claire Kennedy, and six grandchildren.

Warren Metzler Jr.

Warren A. Metzler Jr., 73, of Roselle Park, retired as a cost analyst and a volunteer fireman, died April 10 in his home.
Born in Elizabeth, he lived in Roselle Park for most of his life. Mr. Metzler was a cost analyst with D.S. Plumb Co., Newark, where he worked for 17 years before retiring in 1983. He attended Stevens Institute, Hoboken. He served in the Army during World War II. Mr. Metzler was a volunteer for many years with the Roselle Park Fire Department. He was a member of the Roselle Park Exempt Firemen's Association and served as treasurer. He also was a member of the New Jersey Exempt Firemen's Association and the Firemen's Relief Association.
Mr. Metzler was secretary of the Roselle Park Firemen's Relief Association and a member of the New Jersey State Firemen's Association. He was a member of the Wheatseaf-Orient Lodge 272 F&AM in Roselle. He was a licensed amateur radio operator since 1935. Mr. Metzler also held a New Jersey State Real Estate License.

Elsie Gray

Elsie Gray, 89, of Roselle Park died April 6 in Palm Beach Regional Hospital, Lake Worth, Fla.
Born in Falmouth, England she settled in Elizabeth in 1906 and moved to Roselle Park 40 years ago. Mrs. Gray was a member of Community United Methodist Church, Roselle Park.
Surviving are a son, George W.; a daughter, Dorothy Robinson, two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Elijah S. Dowe Sr.

Elijah S. Dowe Sr., 82, of Roselle died Sunday in the Centra State Medical Center, Freehold Township.
Born in Bayonne, Mr. Dowe lived in Elizabeth before moving to Roselle in 1948. He had been a crossing guard for 15 years in Roselle. Previously, Mr. Dowe was a bus driver for 50 years with N.J. Transit in Elizabeth before retiring in 1973. He was a World War II Army veteran and received the Purple Heart after he was wounded serving in Northern France.
Mr. Dowe had been a member and the chief of the Roselle Police Auxili-

ary for more than 37 years. He was a 50-year member of the Amalgamated Transit Union in Elizabeth, the Nancy Luzon Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Roselle and the Disabled American Veterans.
Surviving are three sons, Elijah S. (Jack) Jr., Robert and Arthur; a daughter, Margaret Russomanno; a sister, Anna Lombardi, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

John Finke

John Finke, 85, of Springfield died April 6 in the Masonic Charity Foundation of New Jersey, Burlington.
Born in Germany, he moved to Springfield 40 years ago. He had been a brewery mechanic at P. Ballantine & Son, Newark, for 35 years before retiring in 1970. Mr. Finke was an Army veteran of World War II and a member of the Franklin-Century Lodge 10, F&AM, Union.

Ruth Pezzuto

Ruth Pezzuto, 55, of Springfield died April 3 in Rummells Specialized Hospital, Berkeley Heights.
Born in Germany, she lived in South Orange and Irvington before moving to Springfield 30 years ago. Mrs. Pezzuto was secretary-treasurer for 22 years with the L.J. Frebel Sons Co., a tannery in Belleville, until 1980 when the business was sold.
Surviving are her husband, Donald K.; a son, Mark D.; a brother, Dieter Neff, and a sister, Trude Quatrone.

Joseph W. O'Farrell

Joseph W. O'Farrell, 90, of Springfield died April 7 in Inglemoor Nursing Home, Livingston.
Born in Limerick, Ireland, Mr. O'Farrell lived in Garden City and Short Hills before moving to Springfield 30 years ago. He had been an industrial relations manager for Fairchild Camera, Plainview, N.Y., for 19 years before retiring in 1962. Mr. O'Farrell was a member of the Millburn Old Guard.
Surviving are his wife, Louise, and a sister, Sister Catherine O'Farrell.

Albert Capodanno

Albert Capodanno, 76, of Iselin, formerly of Mountaineer, retired a businessman in Union County, died April 8 in St. Peter's Hospital, New Brunswick.

Born in Newark, Mr. Capodanno lived in Hollywood Beach, Fla., and Mountaineer before moving to Iselin eight years ago. He was the owner of Capodanno Fuels, Elizabeth, from 1946 to 1974 and Capodanno Electric, Cranford, from 1957 to 1979. Mr. Capodanno was a member of UNICO, Union.
Surviving are his wife, Louise; a son, William D.; two daughters, Joan L. Sabarese and Debra M. Barry; two brothers, Costanzo and Rocco, and eight grandchildren.

William S. Picone

William S. Picone, 82, of Kenilworth died Friday in Union Hospital.
Born in Orange, he lived in Kenilworth for 54 years. Mr. Picone had been a self employed contractor for many years before retiring three years ago. He was a member of the Senior Citizens of Kenilworth.
Surviving are his wife, Carmela; two sons, Robert and William P.; two daughters, Joanne Lanza and Susan Dazienza; a sister, Mae DeMarco, and eight grandchildren.

Mel A. Golden

Mel A. Golden, 43, of Coconut Creek, Fla., formerly of Springfield, died Friday in his home.
Born in Newark, Mr. Golden lived in Springfield before moving to Coconut Creek. He was a sales representative with Kaebel Wholesale, Pompano Beach, Fla. Prior to that, he had been a teacher of commercial subjects with the Elizabeth Board of Education for many years. He was graduated from Curry College in Milton, Mass., with a degree in business.
Surviving are his daughter, Rachel; his parents, Leonard and Helen Golden, and one sister, Laynie Gershwin.

France E. Cullen

Frances E. Cullen, 73, of Kenilworth died April 4 in Union Hospital.
Born in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., she lived in Newark before moving here 18 years ago. Mrs. Cullen was a licensed practical nurse at Newark University Hospital, St. Barnabas Hospital in Livingston and Veterans Administration Hospital in East Orange for 40 years and retired in 1980. She was a communicant of St. Theresa's Church, Kenilworth, and was a member of the borough's Senior Citizens Club. She received her nursing license from Essex College in Newark in 1950.
Surviving is a sister, Lucy Zillioux.

Helen Stark

Helen Stark, 83, of Springfield died April 9 in her home.
Born in Brooklyn, she lived in Millburn before moving to Springfield 35 years ago.
Surviving are two sons, Alan and Joel; a sister, Sylvia Donner, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Elsie Hochuli

Elsie Hochuli, 93, of Lakewood, formerly of Springfield, died April 10 in the Cornell Hall Convalescent Center, Union.
Born in Amsterdam, N.Y., she lived in Springfield before moving to Lakewood.
Surviving are two sons, George A. and Paul R., 15 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

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death notices

BELLINI - John P., of Elizabeth, New Jersey, on Sunday, April 14, 1991, beloved son of Florence (Frangillo) Szalay and Peter Bellini; brother of Ernest Bellini, Rosa Cipolla, and Alzira DiGiovanni; also survived by several nieces and nephews. Funeral was Wednesday, conducted by The MC CRACKEN FUNERAL HOME, 1500 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey. Funeral Mass was offered at St. Michael Church, Union, Interment Holy Cross Cemetery, North Arlington.

FERRO - Margaret M. (Peggy), age 29, of Bradley Beach, on April 14, 1991, beloved mother of Jennifer Marie Ferro, dear daughter of John M. and Irene A. Ferro (nee Ripordi); sister of Nicholas M., Genaro J., John Michael Jr., Rene L. and Ann Pearl Ferro. Funeral is Thursday, conducted by The MC CRACKEN FUNERAL HOME, 1500 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey. In lieu of flowers, contributions to the Center For Hope Hospice, 178 Hassa Street, Linden New Jersey 07036. In his name would be appreciated.

GURAL - William A., 41, of Hackettstown, formerly of Union, on April 8, 1991, husband of Michele Schweitzer Isaacson, son of William and Marjorie Gural, father of Daniel H. Isaacson, Michael H. Isaacson and Amy N. Isaacson, brother of Susan Ann Gural. Funeral service was Friday, conducted by The MC CRACKEN FUNERAL HOME, 1500 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey. In lieu of flowers, contributions to the Center For Hope Hospice, 178 Hassa Street, Linden New Jersey 07036. In his name would be appreciated.

KLUTKOWSKI - Joseph S., of Union, New Jersey, on April 12, 1991, beloved husband of Josephine E. (Karlewski) Klutkowski, and father of Aimee Perez and Andrew B. Klutkowski, father-in-law of John Perez and Emily White, son of the late Zygmunt and Helen (Karbowska) Klutkowski and brother of Victoria Palma and the late John Klutkowski, grandfather of David and Sean Paul Perez, Julia and Valeria Klutkowski. Funeral service was Tuesday, conducted by The MC CRACKEN FUNERAL HOME, 1500 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey. Funeral Mass was offered at St. Michael Church, Union, Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

LONGFIELD - J. E. of Springfield, New Jersey, on Tuesday, April 9, 1991, husband of Jessie Adams Longfield, father of Ross N. Longfield, Mrs. Claire Kennedy and J. Neil Longfield, also survived by grandchildren, Memorial service is Saturday, April 20, 1991 at First Presbyterian Church, Springfield, New Jersey. Arrangements made by SMITH AND SMITH (SUBURBAN), 415 Morris Avenue, Springfield, New Jersey. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 507 Westminister Avenue, Elizabeth, New Jersey 07207-0815.

REILLY - Mabel A. (Magli), of Hillside, New Jersey, on April 11, 1991, beloved wife of Joseph Reilly and mother of Winifred Ruschenbach and Mary Reilly, sister of Harold Magli, also survived by five grandchildren. Funeral service was Monday, conducted by The MC CRACKEN FUNERAL HOME, 1500 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey. Interment Restland Memorial Park.

WAGNER - James F., of Union, New Jersey, on April 10, 1991, beloved father of Patricia Scholz, James H. and Thomas J. Wagner, also survived by ten grandchildren. Funeral service was Saturday, conducted by The MC CRACKEN FUNERAL HOME, 1500 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey.

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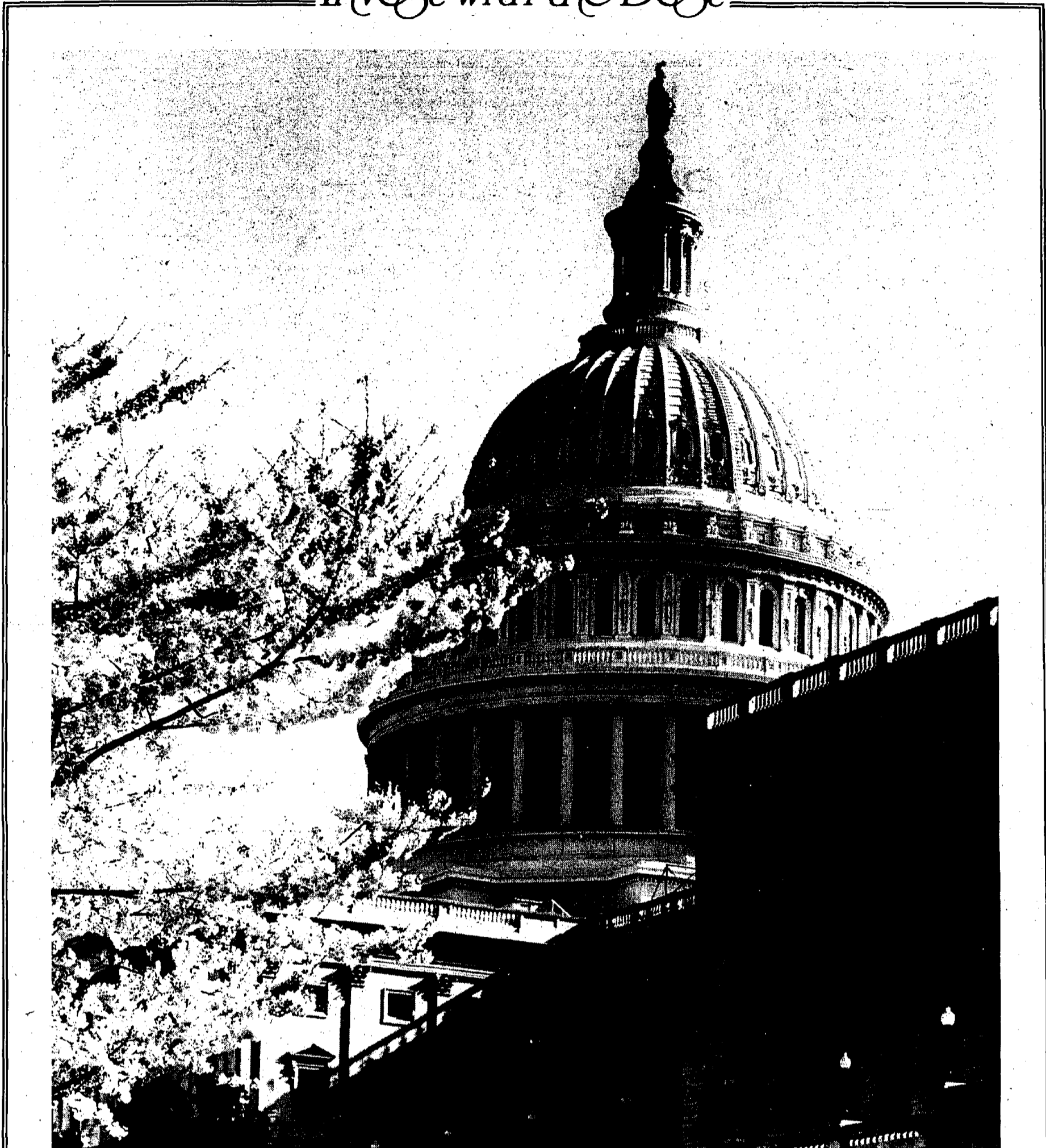
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Panthers win 2

By Mark Yablonsky
 Sports Editor

Bouncing back from a dismal 9-1 defeat to Middlesex, the Roselle Park High baseball team won two games last week, an 11-10 decision over Pingry on April 8, and a 6-1 verdict over Arthur L. Johnson Regional last Thursday in Clark.

In the win over Pingry, the Panthers were actually trailing by a 10-8 count when they came to bat in the bottom of the seventh. But Dan Serretti belted a game-winning, three-run home run to bring the win to Park.

Serretti began this week as Park's leading hitter, having collected 9 hits in 16 at bats for a lofty .563 batting average.

Then against Johnson, the Panthers rode the one-hit pitching of Scott Bermingham to a 6-1 win. Bermingham, who is batting .500, struck out nine and walked three in gaining his second win of the spring against no losses.

Offensively, Derek Vanderkooy and Joe Arena both went 2-for-4. Vanderkooy, a junior outfielder, helped get Park going with a run-scoring double in the top of the first inning off of Johnson hurler Anthony DeMarzo, who, like Bermingham,

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pitched a complete game. The hit scored Bermingham, who had walked earlier.

Arena's two hits were both singles. Johnson's only run came in the last of the second inning when Andy Johnson's sacrifice fly plated catcher Matt Woods.

The only hit the Crusaders got was a second-inning single from DeMarzo.

"Considering that it's early in the season and that we only had one practice game, we're playing pretty well," commented Park skipper Jack Shaw Thursday night. "I still feel we can improve as a team, and I think the kids will get better as they play, too."

"Everyone's in the same boat, but we're very pleased with our start."

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Photo By Jerry Greenwald

Brearley Regional pitcher Tim Kaufmann heads for home plate following a single by teammate Peter Accomando during Brearley's 10-run outburst in the second inning that led the Bears to a 12-8 victory over Manville last Thursday. Kaufmann was also the winning pitcher.

Bears stun Manville

By Mark Yablonsky
 Sports Editor

Ever the optimist, Brearley baseball coach Ralph LaConte, after watching visiting Manville explode for seven runs in the top of the first inning last Thursday at Ward Field, told his team that there was still plenty of time to catch up.

And so the Bears did. Because thanks to a 10-run bonanza in the bottom of the second inning, the Bears and pitcher Tim Kaufmann recovered nicely for a 12-8 decision over the Mustangs, who remained winless at 0-5.

Certainly, a win of that magnitude seems bright enough now, but even more importantly, it may have served as a gauge for what other local baseball teams can expect throughout the 1991 season from Brearley.

Without doubt, this comeback ranks as one of the finest of LaConte's tenure at Brearley, which now reads as a 71-26-1 mark, if you throw in this season's 4-1 start.

"I think as a team effort and the kids sticking together, we showed what we're made of," commented LaConte Monday night, after his team's scheduled game that day with New Providence had been postponed until April 29 because of the weather.

"As I said earlier, they had their inning and we had our inning."

True enough. Behind a key two-run triple from pitcher Dennis Sidorski, Manville greeted Kaufmann and the Bears with a seven-run outburst in the first. And then came Brearley's turn.

In the last of the second, a total of 14 Brearley batters strode to the plate,

Baseball

and the first 11 reached base — with the first 10 scoring. Here's what happened.

Jose Rodriguez singled, took third base on Don Sammet's single, and then scored on Kaufmann's double to right-center. Peter Accomando doubled in two runs to make it a 7-3 contest, and the Bears filled the bases on a bunt single by Ron Cagno and a hit batsman, which was Chris Parkhill.

On the very first pitch to him, a high fastball, in fact, Don Dayton blasted a grand-slam home run to deep center, tying things up at 7-7. Then, after Chris Carey walked and Mike Archibald was hit by a pitch, Mr. Rodriguez stepped to the plate again and slammed a two-run triple to left-center. The 10th and final run of the inning — in the form of Rodriguez — came in when Sammet produced a run-scoring single.

And there you have it. "Hey, you don't pull too many of those off in high school ball," LaConte added, "but we're capable of doing that."

And now everyone knows it.

| Record | School | Innings | R. | H. | E. | |
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| (0-5) | Manville | 700 | 010 | 0 | 8 | 7 |
| (4-1) | Brearley | 010 | 0 | 200 | x | 12 |

2B: Kaufmann, Accomando. 3B: Sidorski, Rodriguez. HR: Dayton, Sidorski and Herrera; Kaufmann and Archibald. WP-Kaufmann (2-0). LP-Sidorski (0-2). CG-Sidorski, Kaufmann. SV: None.

'Dawgs place 8th

The Jonathan Dayton Regional High boys' track team, which is 2-1 in dual-meet competition, recently placed eighth in the Union County Relays, and sixth in the Mountain Valley Relays one week earlier in Bound Brook.

Dayton sent two teams to Plainfield this past Saturday for the county meet, and saw both squads — the intermediate hurdle and the shuttle hurdle teams — place second. The IM trio of Joe and Sean Roughneen and Peter Keunzel was second in a time of 3:02, while the shuttle hurdle grouping of both Roughneens, Keunzel and Seth Eisen did well in their event.

On April 6, Joe Roughneen, Scott Meisner, Brian Carson and Brett Wilkins joined forces as the school's

sprint medley squad in the conference relays. A third-place timing of 3:08 by Dayton's intermediate hurdle team of Roughneen and Neal Lynch enabled the Bulldogs to place sixth overall.

Mountainside league rosters

The following are the rosters for this year's Mountainside Little League teams, which will begin play on Saturday:

AMERICAN LEAGUE ANGELS

Rich Blodis, Peter Ahearn, John Andric, Jason Blodis, Bridget Boechi, Michael Delcampe, Michael Fenton, Teobaldo Fernandez, Robert Johnston, Nicole Manzano, Philip Sempepos, Matthew Stenczak. Manager: Rich Blodis.

ASTROS

David Belden, Timothy Britt, Brandon Cantagallo, Eric Cantagallo, Mark Cantagallo, Mike Debbie, Danielle Denny, Andrew Dubno, Ryan Fahrion, Elizabeth Klebaur, Shawn Kroon. Manager: Wayne Cantagallo.

DODGERS

Edward Barrett, Lauren Beasley, Erica Benninger, Joseph Colicelli, Michael Criscitello, Jonathon Hamilton, Nicholas Pace, Kevin Watt, David Weinglass, Joshua Zawislak, David Zecco. Manager: Ted Zawislak.

INDIANS

Chris Barnett, Brian Bergeski, Steven Bergeski, Evan Chiswick, George Gindlinger, Patrick Higgins, Harris Jacobs, Brian Mann, Marty Moroney, Philip Statile. Manager: Geoff Mann.

RED SOX

Matthew Brasse, Christopher Fresco, Matthew Grett, Courtney Kutsop, Hank Hansen, David Lauricella, Michael Lauricella, Craig McGregor, Christopher Mason, Joshua Moss, Juliet Spinelli. Manager: Mike Caffrey.

YANKEES

Stephen Cash, Matthew DeAnna, John Doorley, Alex Grunberg, Jason Guidiciopietro, Tico Gunther, Jeffrey Jenkins, Nicholas Mancinelli, Sarah McDonough, Derrick Whritenour, Lauren Whritenour. Manager: Del Whritenour.

MAJOR LEAGUE CUBS

Adam Benninger, Patrick Collins, Chris Dotre, Shawn Fahrion, Matt Farrington, Jack Hoopingarner, Joseph Leone, Kevin McDonough, Romain Ritter, Jim Russo, Sal Russo, Thomas Tancred. Manager: Ed Collins.

BRAVES

Donald Carrelli, David Hassid, Mark Knaz, Joshua Kuipa, Mark Leyrer, Jodi Mastellone, Jacob Mentlik, Bret Oberhauser, Anthony Santos, Chris Schnackenberg, Dennis Shann, Michael Soulios. Manager: Ed Mastellone.

METS

Dan Amiran, Christopher Bladis, Jon Bruschi, Brian DeVito, Ian Farrington, Jason Grunberg, James Heritan, Keith Jansen, Jimmy Lopes, E.J. Mattioli, Jessica Orenszak, Zach Orenszak. Manager: Tony DiVito.

PIRATES

Nick Bourlotos, Larry Chiswick, Brett Davis, Danny Haddad, Mousa Haddad, Michael Holzbach, Robert Hopkins, Ben Jacobs, Malav Konza, Dominic Marletta, Christopher McPherson, Adam Perle. Manager: Bill Hopkins.

T-BALL

Brian Berez, Courtney Blumhard, Michael Boyce, Steven Brown, Pamela Cash, Joseph Ciasulli, Lauren Denry, Ryan Foller, Frank Geiger, Jason Gionta, Shana Grindlinger, Alicia Gunther, Christopher Hafeken, Jonathan Honeycutt, Jamie Kardos, Jaffer Khimani, Jason Krawczyk, Ashleigh Kutsop, Dana McCurdy, Maura McDonough, Kristin Mann, Bridget Meinyk, James Montemurro, Joseph Nicastro, Nicholas Santalla, Shannon Schmidt, Susan Schnackenberg, Joseph Stahman, Kenny Sullivan, Micah Thau, Jason Thomas, Gregory Zimmerman.

ORIOLES

Timmy Byrne, Marcus Colocelli, Anthony Cusano, John Freudenberger, Scott Keller, Chet King, Jon Kulsar, Anthony Paul Santos, Carlos Santos, Brian Sharkey, Jon Tomassi, Chad Vigilanti, Jacob Zawislak. Manager: Barry Colicelli.

PONY LEAGUE COLTS

Kevin Barisonok, Keith Briggs, Jeff Chrono, Brian Juba, Richard Lukenda, John Mennella, Joe Parenta, Mark Seiffert, Peter Soulios, Brad Von Der Linden, Brad Walters.

MAVERICKS

James Baumgartner, Vincent Escalona, Ramiro Ferrero, Bobby Gaddella, Chris Gionatti, Al Kennedy, Kevin McManemin, Larry Nistorenko, Tommy Ronckovitz, E.J. Stankiewicz, Jason Keller.

MUSTANGS

Lee Beasley, Chris Bourlotos, Matt Collins, J.R. DeRosa, Peter Dolce, Reid Farrington, Mark Knaz, Tom Lyons, Jordan Mathews, Tom Ryk, Michael Trezza, Tony Wladyka.

Ladies win 1st, 32-22

By Kim Eagan
 Sports Correspondent

The Lady Bears of Brearley High, despite dropping games to Bound Brook and Linden last week, did win their first softball game of the season by beating Manville, 32-22, in a game that took more than four hours

Softball

to play — and a game in which there was a total of 25 hits, 44 walks and 12 errors.

Nineteen of the hits went to Brearley, with five alone going to Stacy Bober, who also collected four RBIs. Kim Eagan had four hits and four RBIs, and Faye Pappandrea had three hits and five RBIs. Pitcher Tina Kaufmann earned her first victory of the season for the Lady Bears.

Then against Linden, Brearley made a game of it in losing, 7-4. Eagan, whose double (along with Sharina Western's single) was the only offense the team could muster in a 24-0 defeat against Bound Brook, came through with three hits. Kaufmann absorbed the loss, bringing her record to 1-3.

Little League to begin season

The 38th annual Mountainside Little League season will begin Saturday with the traditional parade and a full day of baseball.

The Mountainside Little League sponsors competition at several different age levels.

Dayton loses

The Dayton Regional High girls' track team is now 0-2 on the season after a tough 68-54 defeat to Hillside last Thursday in Springfield.

Dayton, which lost to Roselle, 83-39, on April 4 in the season-opener, saw junior Karen Auer win the 1600-meter run against Roselle with a time of 6:37, and then place first in the same event against Hillside.

Sophomore Lydia Lake ran a 16:07 in the 3200-meter run against Roselle for second place. In the half-mile run, junior Samantha Young placed second against Roselle in a time of 2:53, and second against Hillside in 3:01.



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THEY'RE OFF — And running, and even jumping, now that spring is really here. Ron Cagno, left, of the Brearley Regional High baseball team beats out a bunt single in last week's dramatic, come-from-behind 12-8 win over Manville, while Jeff Demezmin of the Roselle Catholic track team, right, gives it his all in the long jump during a recent meet with Dayton Regional of Springfield.



Photos By Jerry Greenwald

Memberships

The Westfield Recreation Commission is now accepting memberships for the 1991 Memorial Pool season. The 1991 season, which begins on June 8, features new membership categories and discounted rates for early registration.

New membership categories include Resident Family with Full-Time Child Care and Resident or Non-Resident Husband and Wife Without Children.

Regular registration fees for non-residents who sign up after April 1 are as follows: Family membership, \$360; husband and wife without children, \$300; individual membership, \$215; and Senior Citizen membership, \$95.

Registration for swimming lessons is also being accepted at this time. Swim teams are available for both beginner and experienced swimmers.

Further information is available by calling the Pool office at 789-4085, or by stopping by the second floor of the Westfield Municipal Building.

Tourney set

Champion bodybuilder Rich Gaspari will be present at his own bodybuilding tournament on April 27 at Union High School.

The event, named in honor of the Spotswood resident, will begin at 5:30 p.m. with a free question-and-answer session conducted by Gaspari.

The competition will begin at 7 p.m. Further information is available from (908) 964-7400.

Scoreboard Baseball

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| Brearley 12..... | Manville 8 |
| Dayton 19..... | Central 4 |
| Dayton 3..... | New Providence 6 |
| Linden 14..... | Rahway 7 |
| Roselle 2..... | Immaculata 10 |
| Roselle 1..... | G.L. 9 |
| Ros. Catholic 12..... | Hillside 2 |
| Ros. Catholic 17..... | St. Mary's 5 |
| Ros. Park 6..... | A.L. Johnson 1 |
| Union 12..... | Livingston 5 |
| Union 2..... | Morris Knolls 4 |

Softball


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|-----------------------|------------------|
| A.L. Johnson 6..... | Middlesex 11 |
| A.L. Johnson 21..... | Manville 1 |
| Brearley 0..... | Bound Brook 24 |
| Dayton 21..... | Roselle 3 |
| Dayton 3..... | Ridge 13 |
| Hillside 10..... | Cranford 30 |
| Hillside 11..... | St. Pat's 10 |
| Linden 2..... | Scotch Plains 4 |
| Linden 3..... | Rahway 11 |
| Roselle 3..... | Immaculata 26 |
| Ros. Catholic 17..... | No. Plainfield 7 |
| Ros. Catholic 12..... | G.L. 10 |
| Ros. Catholic 14..... | St. Mary's 1 |
| Roselle Park 18..... | Hillside 2 |
| Union 16..... | Morris Knolls 4 |

Boys' Tennis

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|---------------------|-----------------|
| Brearley 2..... | Middlesex 3 |
| Rahway 5..... | Shabazz 0 |
| Linden 5..... | Shabazz 0 |
| Linden 0..... | Scotch Plains 5 |
| Linden 3..... | Summit 2 |
| Rahway 2..... | Summit 3 |
| Roselle Park 4..... | Bound Brook 1 |
| Union 5..... | East Side 0 |
| Union 3..... | Kearny 2 |
| Union Cath. 3..... | Rahway 2 |

□ State playoff game.

WHO'S ON FIRST?



This week's question: What goaltender holds the record for best goals-against average during playoff action (for one particular year, that is). Last week's answer: Believe it or not, Willie Mays never once led the National League in runs batted in, which is a little funny when you consider that Mays is seventh lifetime on the list for RBI leaders (with 1,903 of them) — and first among all players who have never won an RBI title in either league.

The third-highest all-time leader in home runs (660), Mays is a Hall of Famer who is near or among the leaders in virtually every offensive category. He came closest to winning an RBI crown in 1962, when he drove in 141 for the San Francisco Giants, who beat the L.A. Dodgers in a three-game playoff to win the pennant that year. But Tommy Davis drove in 153 runs for L.A. in '62.

This week, Henry Hascup of Lodi and Bob C. Dilly of Springfield submitted correct answers.

Kean wins 5 in Florida

The Kean College softball team started its recent Florida road trip with five victories in their first six games. The Cougars then cooled off a bit, losing their next three games in the Sunshine State, but returned to New Jersey as the 16th-ranked team in the country with a 5-4 record.

"We had a good trip," head coach Renee Clark said. "Especially in the first six games, the team showed me what they were capable of accomplishing." Sophomore pitcher Kim Tompkins started the squad off in the right direction by defeating St. Norbert College and Wisconsin Stevens-Point in the first two games of the year. Tompkins gave up just one run combined in those games as Kean won, 1-0 and 4-1, respectively.

The Cougars were defeated by a tough Muskingham College squad, 4-3, in the third game. Pitcher Darlene Cunningham reversed the trend and started them off on a three-game winning streak the next day.

The squad defeated Baldwin Wallace College, 5-4, Defiance College, 3-0, and Hope College, 7-1, as they upped their record to 5-1 on the year.

Those would be the final wins of the trip as they lost three tough games to the NAIA schools from Chicago.

Kim Herron was named the New Jersey Athletic Conference Player of the Week. Herron was the force that sparked the squad for the entire trip. The senior captain batted .333 and drove in nine runs, including four game winners. Cunningham finished the week with a 3-1 mark as she gave up just four earned runs in four starts.


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Entertainment

Man converts a beloved hobby into full-time work

By Bea Smith
Lifestyle Editor

It took open heart surgery and forced retirement for Louis Anastasio, 75, of Clark to realize his lifetime dream — to paint faces full time.

"I used to paint as a hobby all of my life," he said. "I always wanted to go to Paris or live in Greenwich Village and paint, paint, paint. But I finally gave up that dream forever because, like everyone else, I had to work for a living."

However, Anastasio's working life was cut short when he suffered two heart attacks within a four-month period. "When I had my first heart attack at the age of 61," he said, "I had been working as an office manager in Cranford. My doctor advised me to go back to work. But four months later, I had another attack and that was it!"

Anastasio explained that he had open heart surgery six years ago in March. He had a new valve installed that the doctor termed a "piggy valve."

When Anastasio recovered, he turned a room in his Clark apartment into a studio and began painting the faces of family members, tradespeople and neighbors. "I am fully paid when the subject says, 'I love it,'" he said.

"I've always had an interest in doing faces," he said. "I like to see something develop from a plain sheet of paper or cardboard. I guess every child likes to create on paper. First we start out with crayons and colored pencils. As we grow, if our interest grows with us, we try to get into art schools."

Despite Anastasio's love of art, he realized that he couldn't support himself with his paintings and that he had to go to work. "But I did go to Brooklyn's Pratt Institute for three years. I took up advertising design," he said.

Born in New York City, Anastasio began working when he was in high school. "Luckily, I went to work for the Pollack family on 42nd Street in Times Square as an office boy. It was supposed to be a temporary job and it lasted 42 years. Finally, the company moved to New Jersey. It was a small company which became a big company," he laughed. "I worked in various departments and I was being developed as I went along. Also, I used to sketch my fellow employees with chalk."

When Anastasio lived in New York, he played baseball in Central Park with a group of friends who used to challenge interns from nearby hospitals.

He was living in New York when World War II broke out. "I served in the Army for one year as a classification clerk in headquarters in my outfit," Anastasio said.

Anastasio was married to Sally Terranova, a seamstress from the Bronx. "We had two boys. One is an artist, Louis Jr., who also is a lawyer for Selective Insurance Co. of America in Branchville, and the other, Philip, works for Rickel Brothers in South Jersey. We lived in New York for a while, then my boss, bless his soul, said, 'Why don't you move to Jersey?' So, I did. I built a house in Livingston. In fact, we lived in three different homes in Livingston. Then my poor wife passed away in 1961. So, I sold my home in Livingston and rented an apartment in Rahway. I lived in Rahway for two years, then moved to Scotch Plains, and after 20 years moved into this gorgeous section in Clark which gave me an opportunity to set up a studio. That was in 1989. I converted a dining room into a workshop."

Anastasio started painting faces from baseball cards. "My son, Philip is a baseball nut. He would give me baseball cards and say, 'Do this one...do that one...' I enjoy doing all the baseball players because they have caps on. I'm extremely interested in faces. They are a real challenge," he said.

Anastasio gives away some of his paintings but he takes photographs of the ones he parts with. "I did Rep. Matthew Rinaldo from a circular that came to my home. I did it in color, sent it to him and he sent me a letter of thanks. I've done my two doctors, the one who saved my life, Dr. Rakesh Sahni, a cardiologist, and Dr. Victor Bruno, a surgeon, and his dear wife, Dr. Kathleen Murphy. I take their photos and paint from there."

Anastasio said enthusiastically, "I recently finished one of President Bush. I've done about 100 paintings plus Valentine cards for my grand-

children, Allison and Kimberly, the children of Louis and Linda. They live in Madison. And Philip and Roswita live in New Brunswick."

The energetic senior citizen, whose paintings adorn the walls of his apartment, said, "I'm always excited about the various types of faces. I was told there are seven forms of faces. I find more. The smiles vary. I just love to see them develop from the canvas. Did you know," he mused, "that my relatives and friends are my critics? My paintings are all done with watercolor even though I find it a little tough."

Anastasio said he had "three shows here in my apartment and I served finger sandwiches and a buffet. I don't offer to sell them... I just want to show them."

"I love being an artist. But truly," he sighed, "to be an artist, you need more than one lifetime."



Photo By Jerry Greenwald

Louis Anastasio of Clark puts the finishing touches on his portrait of 'Stormin' Norman,' Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf. The artist paints famous people, neighbors, friends and animals because he loves to look at faces.

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WHERE TO DINE

A Guide to Find the Finest Dining In New Jersey

By Katherine Brooks

Before you read this article, clear your mind of any preconceived notions that you may already have regarding Chinese restaurants. Hunan Spring of Springfield cannot be compared with any other Chinese restaurant I have ever been to. It is the best. The owners, Ping and Jim Wen, painstakingly have chosen every sauce to give each dish its own unique

Hunan Spring

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The owners believe in good, healthy food with meats free of fat and sauces free of oil. Some of their dishes are 100 percent cholesterol free. Their reputation is solid. The owners never worry about competition. Their prices are even a couple of dollars less than other local Chinese restaurants.

The regular customers at Hunan Spring already know this. It is evident, particularly on a Friday or Saturday night when one passes by and sees the line of people waiting at the door. Reservations are recommended but not necessary. A typical half-hour wait is not unusual because the food is that good.

Anyone who visits Hunan Spring once will definitely return and become a regular customer. The owners tell me that their customers travel from as far as 45 minutes away to enjoy their quality Chinese food.

Prices at the restaurant are very reasonable. Except for Hunan Spring's specialties, most entrees are about

\$7.95. I sampled several appetizers and enjoyed them all. The Honey Baby Ribs, \$6.25, were in a honey sauce with sesame. The ribs were cooked to perfection. The owner claims to have found the secret to cooking a rib so that meat falls clean from the bone — and it did.

The shrimp toast (4), \$3.95, were shrimp all the way through and were not at all greasy. The barbecued beef sticks (4), \$4.95, had not a trace of fat. It was pure beef. The cold noodles in a sesame sauce, \$3.95, is tasty and is a great summertime favorite. The bean sprout roll, \$3.95, is cholesterol free. With a strong mustard sauce, it was very spicy, but not overwhelming.

Hunan Spring never uses egg yolks in their soups — another health-conscious decision. I highly recommend the egg drop soup, \$2.30, and Eight Treasures with Winter Melon soup (for two), \$5.95.

The house specialties are delicious. The owner urges those returning to

Hunan Spring never order the same thing twice! The crispy-coated, tender steak, \$13.95, is flank steak, dried red hot pepper, and orange peel cooked in a special sauce. It was excellent.

Tray-Mee-Gee, \$10.95, is sauteed minced chicken, prepared with vegetables, cooked with a garlic sauce that you wrap in lettuce leaves. What an interesting way to eat and what a treat! The chicken with orange flavor, \$8.25, was crunchy because of the way it is fried. It was superb.

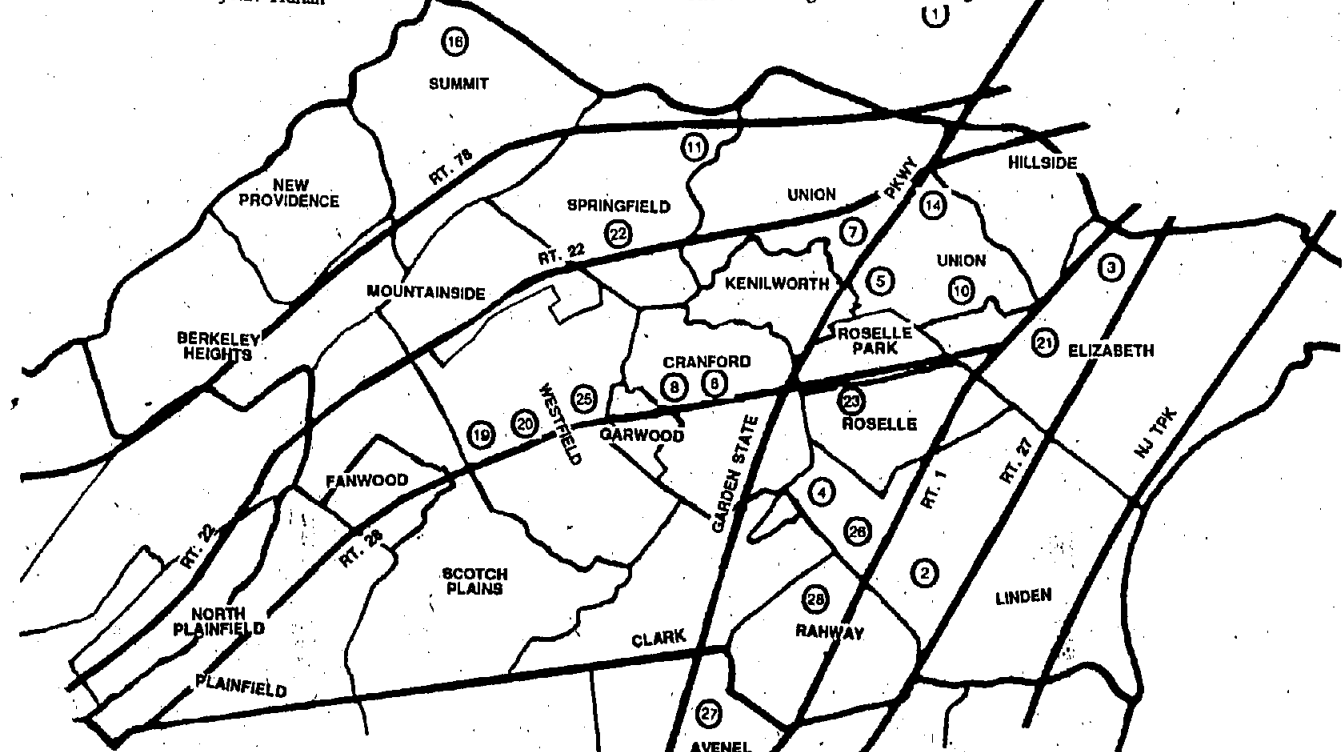
Most people do not have dessert at Chinese restaurants. Have the fried banana! Do not be deterred from visiting Hunan Spring because of fear of parking at its Morris Avenue location. Plenty of parking is available behind the restaurant.

Hunan Spring, 288 Morris Ave., Springfield. Open daily, Monday through Thursday, 11:30 a.m. - 10 p.m.; Friday, 11:30 a.m. - 11 p.m.; Saturday, noon - 11 p.m.; Sunday, noon - 10 p.m. Casual attire. Phone: 379-4994 or 379-4996.

Restaurant review

flavor. They carefully select all their meats and produce. Either Jim or Ping oversees the chef at all times, constantly tasting the sauces to ensure consistency. Top it off with a beautiful American-Asian decor and a well-groomed staff and what Hunan Spring has is a class act.

The owners have years of experience as a result of operating their two extremely successful restaurants. Their other restaurant, Hunan, 255 Speedwell Ave., Morris Plains, recently celebrated its ninth year. Hunan



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Union orchestra will celebrate Mozart

The Mozart Bicentennial will be celebrated in Cranford on April 27 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of the Orange Avenue School. Under the direction of its music director and conductor Ira

Kraemer, the Concert Orchestra of Union County will perform three of Mozart's celebrated masterpieces, "The Overture to the Marriage of Figaro," "Sinfonia Concertante for Violin and Viola" and "Symphony No. 35, The Haffner."

The Concert Orchestra of Union County is a unique ensemble in that it is comprised entirely of New Jersey

resident musicians and promotes the feeling of pride in its "Jersey musicians." A 40-member symphony will perform for this special event.

The "Sinfonia Concertante for Violin and Viola" will feature sisters Corinne Stillwell, violin and Denise Stillwell, viola. They hail from Somerville, are currently pursuing musical studies at the Juilliard School of Music in New York and have performed extensively throughout the metropolitan area.

Partial funding for this concert has been provided by the New Jersey Council on the Arts administered by the Union County Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs. Tickets will be available at the door. Call 862-0877 for further information.



Denise Stillwell and Corinne Stillwell practice for the upcoming concert at Orange Avenue School in Cranford.

Uncle Floyd brings his show to town

"After years of playing taverns and nightclubs, it's time to bring 'The Uncle Floyd Show' back to the big stage where we belong," Uncle Floyd Vivino, star of New Jersey's longest running television show, said. "It's time for our little show to have some class."

While "The Uncle Floyd Show" has always been known for cheap gags, off-the-wall humor and loud laughter, "high class" is not a term often associated with its trademark brand of comedy/variety entertainment. "This night should be something very special," Vivino said.

Vivino began "The Uncle Floyd Show" as a kiddie television program back in 1974. On Saturday, after 17 years as New Jersey's favorite uncle, Vivino and a cast of wacky characters will take to the stage of the restored Union County Arts Center in a special cast reunion performance for their loyal fans.

The former Rahway Theatre was built in 1928 during the heyday of vaudeville. In the late 1970s, local citizens succeeded in acquiring landmark status for the aging stage, which had become a second-rate movie house. Rahway Landmarks had not

quite completed the \$1.2 million restoration project when "The Uncle Floyd Show" first played there in May 1980.

Uncle Floyd's performance set the record for the largest audience in the re-opened theatre's first season. "We drew a line two blocks long," Vivino said, "but then we ran out of chalk."

"The upcoming show has evolved into a reunion of sorts. Over the years, my cast has stuck by me through some pretty tough times. Some of the guys drifted in and out, went on to other things. They were always welcome to come back," Vivino said. "But we've never gathered everybody all together in one place for a big show like this." The cast reunion is planned to include show regulars Scott "Hey Buddy" Gordon, Charlie Stoddard, Michael Townsend Wright, David Burd — a.k.a. Artie Delmar, Jim Monaco, "Looney" Skip Rooney and the two men known only as "Mugsy" and "Neto." There are also surprises promised with unexpected guest stars making appearances.

"An extra added attraction in the original Wurlitzer pipe organ which has been restored to like-new condition. This is the big one," Vivino said.

"The Uncle Floyd Show" is unique as a comedy show in that they don't generally perform in comedy

clubs. We're not stand-up comedians," he explained. "We belong on a full stage, in a theater. Our show is rooted in commedia dell'arte, a 16th century Italian form of comedy. We don't go out of style because we were never in style."

Uncle Floyd is almost a show business legend in New Jersey, having produced more than 4,000 episodes of his local television show. In addition, he produces a weekly radio program of Italian music, make numerous guest appearances, performs frequently in nightclubs and has had numerous parts in film, including "Good Morning, Vietnam" with Robin Williams and "Crazy People" with Dudley Moore.

From his humble beginnings on UHF Channel 68 to a one-year stint in national syndication — the show aired on WNBC, Channel 4 in this area — to three years on NJN, the New Jersey Network Public TV Network, Uncle Floyd has weathered the storm of a changing television market. To this day, "The Uncle Floyd Show" is still going strong, running five nights a week on CTN, the state-wide cable interlink in New Jersey.

Uncle Floyd and his crew will be at the Union County Arts Center in Rahway for two shows. For reserved seating, call 908-499-8226.

horoscope

For week of Apr. 21-Apr. 27
ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Get involved with community projects. Giving is receiving. Pleasure comes before business. Pioneering attracts helpers.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Re-evaluate contractual relationships. Sort out real friends. Exercise artistic inclinations. Pleasure travel is in vogue.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Element of surprise colors love life. Make the first move. Initiate wholesale changes. Anchor spiritual ideals in your world.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Banish the blues. Extend yourself to others. Stay restless. Change's result. Talk freely about ideas and dreams. Plant a tree.

LEO (July 23 to Aug. 22) Meet someone new. Be a matchmaker for friends. Wrestle fears into submission. Go on domestic cleanup campaign. Return phone calls.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Stand by your ethics and morals. Avoid tug-of-war with inner self. Accept gifts from loved ones. Creative writing releases pain.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Get out of the house. Stick to a workout program. Goof off when not at work. Passions are strong. Watch overspending.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Don't tolerate disloyalty. Safeguard public image. Keep thinking unconventional. Finish old business. Travel for pleasure.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Focus on long-term goals. Don't push love away. Be careful making agreements. Focus on dreams and visions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) Direct approach works best. Eliminate fuzzy thinking. Grandiosity is out; compassion is in. Long apprenticeship ends.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) Play it safe at work. Let ideas flow freely. Catch up on reading, letter writing. Shopping spree sounds good, too.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to March 20) Back down from conflict. Powerful friends open doors. Find outlet for dizzying emotions. Complete education started years ago.

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What's Going On?

FLEA MARKET

SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1991

EVENT: Flea Market
 PLACE: Redeemer Lutheran Church, 134 Prospect Ave., Irvington.
 TIME: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 PRICE: Tables available, \$15.00. Call 372-0084 or 763-3281. New & used items. Food & drink for sale, delicious homemade lunches.
 ORGANIZATION: Redeemer Lutheran Church

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1991

EVENT: Flea Market
 PLACE: Grace Episcopal Church, De Witt & Robbinwood Terraces, Linden.
 TIME: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 PRICE: \$15.00 a space. Phone 925-1535 or 298-1615 for details. Plenty of refreshments.
 ORGANIZATION: Proceeds will benefit Youth Group at Grace Church.

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1991

Rain date May 25th

EVENT: Outdoor Flea Market
 PLACE: St. Michael's School, 1212 Kelly St., Union.
 TIME: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 PRICE: \$15.00 (two parking spaces), supply own tables. Refreshments available. Call 686-8798 or 687-4397.
 ORGANIZATION: St. Michael's School

RUMMAGE SALE

SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 1991

EVENT: Annual Rummage & Mimi Auction Sale.
 PLACE: Temple B'nai Israel, 192 Centre St. between Passaic and Union Aves., Nutley.
 TIME: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 PRICE: Admission free and No early birds. Includes: clothing for all ages & occasions, accessories, linens, records, books, greeting cards, toys, baked goods & other treasures for the home.
 ORGANIZATION: Temple B'nai Israel of Nutley

CRAFT

SATURDAY and SUNDAY APRIL 20, 21, 1991

EVENT: The Global Jamboree Arts Festival
 PLACE: Bloomfield, New Jersey
 TIME: All Day
 PRICE: Need Crafters. \$35.00 per space. Call 201 748-9000 Ext. 279.
 ORGANIZATION: Bloomfield College

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1991

EVENT: Craft & Garden Plant Sale.
 PLACE: Redeemer Lutheran Church, 134 Prospect Ave., Irvington.
 TIME: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 PRICE: Tables available to crafters, \$15.00. Call 372-0084 or 763-3281. Food & drink for sale, delicious homemade lunches. Held outside, weather permitting.
 ORGANIZATION: Redeemer Lutheran Church

ART

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 1991

EVENT: First Annual Juried Art and Craft Fair.
 PLACE: Columbia High School, Parker Ave. & Valley St., Maplewood.
 TIME: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 PRICE: \$3.00 admission entitles holder to discount. Featuring crafters from NJ & throughout Metropolitan area.
 ORGANIZATION: Maplewood Cultural Commission.

WORKSHOPS EDUCATIONAL

SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1991

EVENT: Self-Hypnosis
 PLACE: West Orange. Call 325-7109 for registration/directions.
 TIME: 10a.m. to 5p.m. Bring lunch, coffee/tea provided.
 PRICE: Class \$65.00, book \$10.00.
 ORGANIZATION: Unlimited Potential. Roxanne Miller, certified hypotherapist.

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Art

Hannah Horowitz-Matrolia of Union will be exhibiting her works in "Inner and Other Dimensions" at the Les Malmat Art Gallery in the Union Library, Friberger park in Union. The exhibit continues through May 16. Call 686-0420 or 688-4536 for information.

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

Middlesex County Cultural and Heritage Commission will be presenting "From Many Lands: The Immigrant and the settlement of New Jersey" through June 2, at 842 St. Georges Road in New Brunswick.

The Montclair Museum of Art is presenting an exhibition, which will show how American artists perceived their country during the ferment of the Great Depression and its aftermath titled "The American Scene," through May 19.

Westfield Art Association members will have paintings exhibited in on-going shows this spring. Henry Murphy, Beverly Ament, Burton Logenbach, Dorothy Wilkenson and Carol Balliet have artwork in the Spanish Tavern Restaurant in Mountainside. Jeanett Golds is exhibiting her work at the Midlantic Bank in Westfield. All paintings are for sale.

S.W. Grabarsky, of Fanwood, will be exhibiting her expressionist oil

portraits in New York City from Wednesday through May 12 at the Ward-Nasse Gallery, 178 Prince St., Soho, New York. The opening reception will be on April 27 from 5-7 p.m. For further information, call 322-9319.



Music

Celebration Singers, a 35-voice show choir, is currently conducting a membership drive for all voice parts, especially tenors and basses. Some music reading necessary. Call Anthony Godlefski at 885-1120.

The New Jersey Center for the Visual Arts, 68 Elm St. in Summit, will have its last concert in the Jazz Concert Series on Sunday at 4 p.m. This event brings the Keith Ingham Trio to Summit for the first time. Tickets are \$16.25 and can be obtained by calling the center at 273-9121. Complimentary wine and cheese will be served during the intermission.

Michael Bajor will be in concert on April 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the Polish Cultural Foundation, 177 Broadway, Clark.

American composer Peter Bacchus will feature his new work when the group Solid Brass presents the seventh of this season's Crescent Concert series at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, 716 Watchung Ave., Plainfield on Sunday at 4 p.m. Tickets, which can be purchased at the door, are \$8, and \$5 for students and seniors.



Theater

The Westfield Community Players continues its 57th consecutive season with Neil Simon's "Chapter Two" on April 26 and 27 and May 3, 4, 10 and 11. Curtain is at 8 p.m. in the group's theater at 100 North Avenue West, Westfield. Tickets are \$8 and are available at Rordan Realty, Jeanettes or by calling the box office at 232-1221. For group sales information, call Doris Molow at 233-1269.

The Mad Woman of Chaillet by Jean Giraudoux will be performed at the New Jersey Institute of Technology's Van Houton Theater tonight, Friday and Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$3 for students and senior citizens, and \$5 for general admission. For information, call 596-3458.



Singles

Solo Singles, for ages 40-plus, offers bridge on the first and third Thursdays of each month at Central Presbyterian Church, Maple Street and Morris Avenue in Summit, at 7:15 p.m. Donation is \$3; call 908-464-6384.

Solo Singles, for ages 40-plus, rap or bridge time is held on Sundays at 6:30 p.m. in the recreation room of the Central Presbyterian Church, Maple Street and Morris Avenue in Summit. Refreshments are served. There is a

donation of \$2. For information, call 908-464-8166 or 908-766-1839, between 6 and 9 p.m. only.

The Havana Singles of Rabbi Howard Morrison will have its next get together tonight at 8 p.m. Since it is Israel Independence Day, the evenings activities will center around Israel. The program will take place at the Rabbi's home, -2027 Vauxhall Road in Union. For further information, call 686-6773.



Misc.

"Developing Parental Skills of Problem Solving and Decision Making" is the subject of a workshop that will be presented by the Mothers' Center of Central New Jersey on Tuesday at 8 p.m. The workshop will be at the Westfield Baptist Church on Elm Street in Westfield. A \$3 donation is requested to cover expenses. Refreshments will be served. For further information, call 908-561-1751 or 755-8050.

Robert B. Giddy, who spent 30 years collecting artwork on the life of George Washington, will be featured at the annual assembly of the Westfield History Societies at the First Baptist Church on Friday at 8 p.m. For further information, call John Lawson at 757-7427.

Planetarium show, offered by Union County Department of Parks and Recreation, takes place on Sundays at 2 and 3:30 p.m. at the Trailside Nature and Science Center, Coles Avenue and New Providence Road in Mountainside.

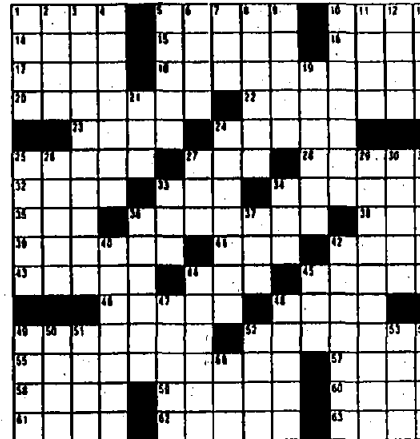
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Buyer: Joaquin & Ana M. Lavrador
703 Pinehurst Court
\$115,000
Seller: Robert J. & Maria Kudla
Buyer: Leonard R. Rinaldi & Janet Senkiew
- 1968 Ostwood Terrace
\$100,000
Seller: Edgar & Maria Buchanan
Buyer: Barbara Buchanan
Stockton Road
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Seller: Grant Buttermore
Buyer: Gregg & Sheila Buttermore
369 Ingall St.
\$145,000
Seller: Est. of Theresa Nusser
Buyer: John & Patricia De Nicolò
2708 Carol Road
\$150,000
Seller: Jill Healy
Buyer: Ira & Sheila Smulyan
1182 Erhardt St.
\$132,000
Seller: Arthur G. Murphy
Buyer: Debra C. Bufanio
1014 Sayre Road
\$153,000
Seller: Allen G. Hart
Buyer: Martin & Margaret Dassinger
44 Oakwood Crescent
\$159,000
Seller: Ernest & Carol Soro
Buyer: Douglas & Deborah Dillon
322-9 Greenbriar Drive
\$121,000
Seller: Robert & Lori Kaufman
Buyer: Cherie Schneck
88 Elmwood Ave.
\$200,000
Seller: Joao M. & Maria Correia
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- 617 Pierpont St.
\$137,000
Seller: Harry & Leona Kinsman
Buyer: Alfred & Lucille Angrisani
470 W. Inman Ave.
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River's Edge residents enjoy new lifestyle

The first delighted residents of River's Edge, a private community of 28 two-bedroom, 2 1/2-bath townhomes, have settled into their new lifestyle of affordable luxury.

Gerald and Atrayee Banfo, both 25 and financial analysts, were the first to move to the new Millburn-area community. Atrayee Banfo summed up the River's Edge concept perfectly when she stated, "Our home has the structural layout and quality features that you'd expect to find in a much bigger house, at a much higher price."

"We have all the room we wanted and a long list of standard features that you would have to pay extra for somewhere else," she continued. "Such things as Andersen doors and windows, Moen faucets and oversized ceramic tile in the bath."

"I especially love the kitchen cabinets," she confided. "They're just beautiful and very expensive-looking. They're solid wood throughout, with raised panel doors, adjustable shelves and there's even a handy, built-in lazy susan unit."

"Another important selling point for us was that River's Edge offered an exceptionally convenient location. Jerry and I both cut our commuting time down by one hour, and now I'm only 10 minutes away from work," she explained happily.

While the quality, exquisite design and remarkable price, (from \$129,900), are the key to the popularity of these homes, the community's location is a significant factor in its overall appeal.

Nestled in a quiet residential neighborhood, the private compound is just two minutes away from prestigious Millburn Center and its superb shopping, dining and convenient transit services. River's Edge residents can catch the Lackland bus one-half block from their doors and arrive at the Port Authority Bus Terminal in just 30 minutes. Or, if they prefer, the trains leaving from the nearby Millburn or Maplewood stations reach New York City in 45 minutes. Easy access to all major highways and an excellent school system are also benefits of this most desirable location.

New neighbors Cecilia and Steve Rosenberg, ages 33 and 34 respectively, echo the Banfes' appreciation of the community's location. "We love to go into New York City, but we didn't want to live there," explained Cecilia Rosenberg, a legal secretary working in Manhattan.

"Here it's so easy to get into the



Gerald and Atrayee Banfo, first residents to move into River's Edge, relax in their new home.

city, plus it's very affordable. We also enjoy the little town centers of Millburn and Maplewood — both are very quaint and have everything we need. In fact, within walking distance from our house is Millburn Plaza, which has a nice mix of essential shops and services."

In addition to its advantageous location, the Rosenbergs chose River's Edge for its maintenance-free lifestyle and its spacious rooms. Steve Rosenberg is a busy government lawyer with the Office of Thrift Supervision in Jersey City and has little free time available for lawn care.

The couple also appreciates having a second bedroom with bath for use as a guest room and lots of storage space. "We've both moved a lot over the years and naturally have accumulated more and more possessions," Cecilia Rosenberg continued. "That we were able to find room for everything and still have ample storage space is a real testament to how well thought out these homes really are. Inside and out, River's Edge achieves a very favorable, quality impression."

Builder Michael Romanelli assured the community's curb appeal by constructing these traditionally styled townhomes from the finest building materials, including brick, stone or stucco siding. Beautifully landscaped and sodded front lawns and distinctive Belgian block curbing enhance the property's overall charm. The backyard areas are generous enough to accommodate an entertainment-

sized deck. Add the planned 1.5-acre park that will back up to a branch of the Raritan River, and you have all the elements of a private residential compound any family would be proud to call home.

Adding to the affordability of these homes are a number of creative financing plans for qualified buyers — some requiring as little as 3 percent down!

The River's Edge sales office and models are open Friday from 2 to 6 p.m., Saturday and Sunday from noon to 6 p.m., Monday from 2 to 6 p.m., and by appointment. To make an appointment or obtain further information, call (908) 964-6253.

Directions: Take the Garden State Parkway to Exit 142. Proceed to I-78 West to Millburn Exit 50B. Go to third traffic light and turn right onto Valley Street and River's Edge is on your left.

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Planning to sell your home? How will you find the right agent to represent you? What traits should that person exhibit?

When choosing an agent, expect excellence! That's right... excellence! An individual who consistently outperforms others as a real estate representative will display certain characteristics or traits, all of which add up to real estate excellence.

What are those traits? Commitment, superior knowledge, empathy, enthusiasm, consistency, and stick-to-it-iveness are but a few. Here's why they are so important when selling your home.

Commitment is evidence of the desire to achieve an objective. When you list your home for sale the objective is favorable sale. Would you want anything less than your agent's total commitment to that objective?

Superior knowledge is the direct result of two things: 1) formal education, and 2) daily contact with buyers, sellers, attorneys, lenders, title companies, fellow agents and others direct

ly involved in real estate. Look for an agent who regularly pursues additional training and who is active in the local real estate market.

Empathy and enthusiasm can be found together in the successful agent. Look for a person who listens carefully to what you say, and responds with energy, a good attitude and a smile. Such an agent will attract buyers too.

Consistency and stick-to-it-iveness can usually be found together also. Look for an agent willing to repeat the same tasks over and over without quitting. Locating a buyer for your home is not a simple task. It is accomplished through the exercise of determination in the face of rejection. It means not giving up - no matter what.

When choosing an agent to sell your home, ask questions - lots of them. Look for the traits mentioned here, and you can enjoy the benefits of an early sale at a favorable price.

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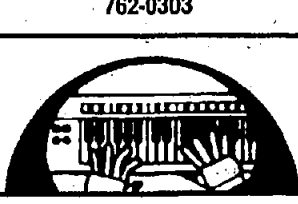
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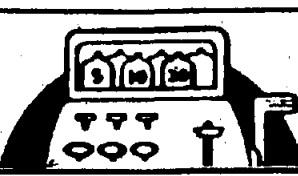
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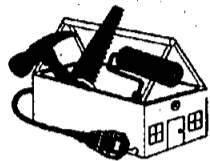
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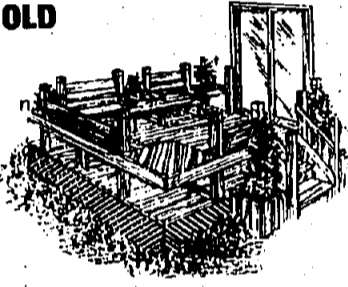
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