Voorheesville's library: a question of location

By Lyn Staf

If the executive board of the Voorheesville Public Library has its way this Thursday, Nov. 12, it will be a lucky day.

"We're very optimistic," said Board President Ed Donohue, referring to the upcoming vote on the $900,000 bond issue to finance the proposed new public library.

That optimism is tempered with some concern that, so far, interest in the project has been light. And board members are anxious that district voters understand why they chose the Prospect St. site and decided on a 10-year bonding period for the project.

The referendum will culminate a three-year study aimed at providing the Voorheesville Central School District with a modern new library.

"The past 36 years has seen our rapidly growing community outgrow the present facility," said Donohue, referring to the obvious overcrowded condition in the building on Main St., which was previously a Presbyterian Church.

"It's definitely time to consider the need for a new building which will better serve the needs of everybody, from pre-schoolers to senior citizens."

To this, Delmar architect Leslie Bender has been retained and has designed a building of approximately 7,000 square feet of space providing for an expanded children's reading section as well as a well-equipped adult reading area which includes personal computers and a typewriter for use by the general public, as well as a leisure reading area. The plans also call for a community room which could serve 50 people.

"This space, which can also be divided in half to accommodate smaller groups or two separate meetings, would provide a place for area clubs and organizations to meet as well as additional room to house the library's popular children's programs," said former board president Hugh McDonald, who serves as the chairman of the project.

The T-shaped building on a 1.7 acre site would also include a

Pool bids way over budget

Board meets in secret to discuss contract award

By Patricia Mitchell

A controversy and an adjournment to an executive session apparently not allowed under the state's Open Meetings Law, the Bethlehem Central Board of Education has accepted bids on replacing the high school swimming pool that came in at $300,000 over estimates.

However, because bids on other projects were accepted below estimates, the district is only $98,000 over projected costs for the $4.5 million capital improvement bonds issue approved by district voters last December.

Bids were opened on Oct. 28 to replace the swimming pool, and for hardware, mostly for the high school. At last Wednesday's meeting of the board, the district's architect Ben Mendel, of Mendel, Mesic, Cohen, Waite, said he has presented the high figures and suggested some alternates. The board then adjourned into a closed executive session.

Before the executive session, Board President Bernard Harvith said while board members might want to discuss changes in the bid orders, the executive session was allowed under a section of the law that covers "proposed acquisition, sale or release of real property."

While the district would not be buying or selling property, Harvith said, the executive session was permitted because the bond work would add to the real estate values of the buildings.

However, the executive director of the state Committee on Open Government said Friday the use of executive session to discuss bidding is not covered by the law.

"It doesn't fit," said Robert Freeman. "In my opinion, it would not have constituted a release into executive session. It has nothing to do with the sale or release of real property."

The state's Open Meetings Law, passed in 1977, says all meetings of public bodies are open, except for specific actions, including collective negotiations, matters that may imperil the public's safety, and matters concerning particular employees.

While BC board members discussed personnel matters and current litigation in Wednesday's executive session, Dr. Briggs McAndrews, acting superintendent, said Friday the board also discussed if there was a possibility of litigation if change orders on the bids were accepted.

"The executive session discussion was concerning the change orders."

Consultant hired for superintendent search

and any litigation involved with them," said McAndrews.

The Open Meetings Law allows a board to discuss current, pending or proposed litigation so long as the board does not have to reveal its strategy when going to court, Freeman said. Because the board was not discussing court strategy, (Turn to Page 5)
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| Herman Badillo (D)               | 2,794     | 983           |
| Herman Badillo (Lib)             | 161       | 50           |
| Andrew P. O'Rourke (D)           | 4,327     | 1,193        |
| Andrew P. O'Rourke (Lib)         | 269       | 99           |
| Mary Jane Tohin (Right to Life)  | 132       | 62           |
| Mary Fridey (New Alliance)       | 43        | 9            |

| United States Senator            |           |              |
| Mark Green (D)                   | 4,537     | 1,396        |
| Alfonsie M. D'Amato (R)          | 6,438     | 2,004        |
| Alfonsie M. D'Amato (Lib)        | 383       | 124          |
| Alfonsie M. D'Amato (Cons)       | 173       | 79           |
| John Dyson (Lib)                 | 188       | 61           |
| Frederick D. Nowick (New Alliance)| 19        | 8            |
| Michael Shur (Socialist Worker)  | 20        | 1            |

| Justice of the Supreme Court     |           |              |
| John J. Clyne (D)                | 6,562     | 1,903        |
| John J. Clyne (Cons)             | 464       | 169          |

| Representative in Congress       |           |              |
| Samuel S. Stratoff (R)          | 6,792     | 2,478        |
| James J. Callahan (Socialist Worker) | 478     | 129          |

| State Senator                    |           |              |
| Howard C. Nolan Jr. (D)          | 4,875     | 1,909        |
| Peter G. Crummy (R)              | 6,212     | 1,514        |

| Member of Assembly -102nd District|           |              |
| Eugene Keeler (D)                | 4,581     | 1,528        |
| John Faso (R)                    | 6,479     | 2,056        |
| Shaun Marie Levine (Cons)        | 216       |              |

| Member of Assembly -103rd District|           |              |
| Richard J. Conners (D)           | 5,829     | 2,020        |
| Richard J. Conners (Lib)         | 19        | 90           |
| Domenic Robertella (R)           | 440       | 175          |
| Joseph J. Kelly (Cons)            | 4,774     | 1,202        |

| County Court Judge               |           |              |
| Joseph Harris (D)                | 5,829     | 2,020        |
| Joseph Harris (Cons)              | 440       | 175          |
| Victor A. Caponera Jr. (R)        | 4,774     | 1,202        |

| Coroner                          |           |              |
| John Marra (D)                   | 4,800     | 1,826        |
| John Marra (Cons)                | 406       | 173          |
| James Cavanaugh (D)              | 5,064     | 1,983        |
| James Cavanaugh (Cons)           | 979       | 217          |
| Samuel Ouiert (R)                | 5,611     | 1,437        |

| Proposition one                  |           |              |
| Yes Votes — No Votes             | Y-4,312   | N-3,216      |
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### Local voters still hard to pin down

Voters in Bethlehem and New Scotland last Tuesday followed the statewide trend of jumping all over the ballot — mostly to vote for incumbents, whatever their party. But when it counted, Bethlehem Republicans let party loyalty be their guide, helping to elect John Faso of Kinderhook to the state assembly in the 102nd District.

Faso, an attorney and commissioner of the state Bill Drafting Commission, survived a tough four-way primary to win the Republican nomination, raising some questions as to whether he would have the support of the disappointed party organizations in Albany and Greene counties. Eugene Keeler, the Columbia County district attorney, got an early start and ran a persistent, if low-key campaign.

But the nearly two-to-one edge in Republican registration was more than Keeler could handle as Faso won comfortably in all three counties. The totals: 24,826 for Faso, 17,135 for Keeler and 1,284 for Shaun Marie Levine, the Conservative candidate. Bethlehem's 1,898 plurality for Faso was about 700 votes better than his predecessor, C.D. "Larry" Lane's final campaign for the seat in 1984.

Party ballots meant little in the 103rd Assembly District, where Albany Democrat Richard J. Conners was reelected with an overwhelming margin, carrying even the nominally Republican towns of Guilford and New Scotland.

Incumbent State Sen. Howard Nolan, who has extensive business interests in Bethlehem, wasn't able to carry the town, although he did win in New Scotland on his way to an easy triumph over his young Republican challenger, Peter Crummy.

And as expected, Bethlehem voters like John Clyne whether he is a Democrat or a Republican. The former county court judge and Delmar resident was swamped by the Albany Democrats in his bid on the Republican line for a state supreme court judgeship, but had the support of both Bethlehem and New Scotland voters.

### Suicide ruled

Bethlehem Police said they found the body of a Cherry Ave., Delmar, man at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Calvary Cemetery in Glenmont, after he committed suicide.

Frank Ross, 83, was pronounced dead by the Albany County Coroner later that day, police said.

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Board hires consultant

Dr. James O'Connell, dean of the education school at the State University at New Paltz, will conduct a one-year search for a new superintendent for the Bethlehem Central School District.

The board, which is seeking to replace Dr. Lawrence Zinns, selected O'Connell at its meeting last Wednesday. Zinns resigned in September after 15 years as superintendent at BC to take over the Saratoga Springs City School district. Dr. Briggs McAndrews has been acting superintendent while a replacement is sought.

"Jim is the best for our district," said board President Bernard Harvith. "We hope to find someone and have that person hired by July."

O'Connell was pleased to find someone with O'Connell's caliber, and that everyone was looking forward to the search process.

O'Connell is a principal of a national search team, Roy, O'Connell, Eckert, Moran, Inc., of New Paltz and Cambridge Mass. The school board approved an $8,000 contract for the search, which includes expenses.

In the next step of the search process, O'Connell will hold a general meeting with district residents on the search process and the new superintendent, and procedures on the position will be prepared.

O'Connell has been dean at New Paltz since 1981. Before that, he was with the state Department of Education as an assistant commissioner for education, financial aid, management and school services. He was also superintendent of the Carmel and Roundout Valley school districts, and received his doctorate in education from Harvard University. O'Connell received his master's from New Paltz and he has his bachelor's in classics.

The board also reviewed the first reading of a new policy on involuntary transfers. The board will transfer an instructor who is the best qualified and competent to fill a vacancy. However, if more than one teacher is qualified, those with less seniority will be transferred.

The policy defines an involuntary transfer as from one building or position to another, or for teachers of special subjects, such as physical education, from one curriculum level to another.

The policy was agreed upon in the last teachers' contract. A similar policy on transfers was tabled at the Oct. 1 meeting of the board, and since then some wording has been revised.

Referring to a workshop on the budget by the board last month, Sherwood Davies, a candidate for the school board last May and a member of Bethlehem United Taxpayers, said any new items that may be added to the budget should be fully justified by the

June pay day for excellence in teaching

By Patricia Mitchell

Bethlehem Central teachers are scheduled to receive their Excellence in Teaching (EIT) funds in one payment next June. BC will receive $72,000 under the program that was inserted into the state budget this year. Additional fringe benefits, such as retirement funds and Social Security, must come out of the district's pocket, a cost equal to about 25 percent of the funds.

In addition to teachers, teaching assistants, school nurses and supervisory staff will also receive the payment. Part-time staff will receive funds prorated to full-time staff. Staff serving a part of the year, replacement teachers, and those on sick leave will also receive the payment.

Those who will not receive the funds are teachers on leave of absence, substitutes, administrative staff and Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) staff working in the district.

Final amounts on how much each teacher will receive have not yet been calculated, said Franz Zwickehauer, business administrator. Because part-time teachers will be sharing in the funds at a part-time equivalent, how many full-time equivalents and how much they will get is still being debated.

However, Zwickehauer said there are about 240 teachers in the district, who could receive a ballpark figure of $300 each.

The one-year agreement on the distribution of funds was announced at last Wednesday's Bethlehem Central Board of Education meeting, after an agreement was reached between the board and its teachers union.

"Unfortunately for our district it is not a lot of money, but we will take all we can get. Our teachers are worth a lot more," said board President Bernard Harvith.

A committee will review the calculations and determine any questions of eligibility before the June payment.

Instead of using the EIT funds to raise teachers' salary levels, the lump-sum payment will allow BC to go back to current salary levels if the state funds stop coming.
The Board of Elections of the Elmwood Park Fire District will hold its meeting on Nov. 21, from 7 to 10 p.m., at the North Bethlehem Firehouse. Only residents who have registered with the County Board of Elections on or before Monday, Nov. 17, will be eligible to vote.
Bethlehem's 1987 budget brings small tax decrease

By Kevin Mullin

Despite an increase of $501,380 in appropriations in Bethlehem's General Fund for 1987, Supervisor J. Robert Hendrick announced a largest slice of the budget pie, assessed valuation. Hendrick addressed his frustration of inconsistent pickups, but he said that "getting the manpower is the problem."

The meeting moved on to the highway, sewer and water budgets. Hendrick reported a highway tax increase of 0.6 percent, from $20.40 per $1,000, as the audience wondered if the town's budget totals, $2,178,568, an increase of $198,024 over the 1986 operating budget. The water fund will show a tax rate increase of 3.7 percent, from $7.65 per $1,000, of assessed valuation to $9.09 per $1,000.

Hendrick addressed the question of transportation, how the increased costs of running new equipment will be covered. Hendrick reported that the increase in town salaries, Hendrick said that the town's last raise was in 1981, and that the increase was necessary so the 5 percent cost of living increase and normal salary increments for town employees could be achieved. There are no major increases in general road repairs, permanent improvements, machinery, brush or snow accounts. The highway budget totals $1,278,586, an increase of $18,945 over the 1986 operating budget.

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Children's Book Week

The Voorheesville Public Library has several interesting activities for youngsters of all ages to help celebrate Children's Book Week, Nov. 17 through Nov. 23.

To begin with there will be a special Bedtime Story Hour on Tuesday, Nov. 18, at 7 p.m. This special time will be in addition to the regular preschool story hour held on Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 10:30 a.m. and Friday afternoon at 1:30 p.m.

On Thursday, Nov. 20, guitarist-composer-singer Paul Strausman will present a special concert for pre-schoolers: at 10:30 a.m. Strausman, a noted area musician, has composed and recorded a number of children's songs, and was the founder of the music program at the Kids Place Day Care Center at the Empire State Plaza.

That same afternoon older students will be treated to an afternoon of Thanksgiving crafts as well as the holiday movie "Molly's Pilgrim," to begin at 4 p.m. All activities will take place at the library on Main St.

Induction postponed

The Honor Society induction originally scheduled to be held on Thursday, Nov. 6, has been rescheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School.

The event was postponed because several members to be inducted were also members of the Voorheesville soccer team, which played (and won) the first round of the state tournament in Plattsburg that day.

As before, all are welcome to attend the ceremony and the reception which follows, all to be held at the high school.

Salem Hills meeting

The Salem Hills Park Association will hold its annual meeting on Monday, Nov. 17, at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew's Church. All residents of Salem Hills are welcome to attend.

Christmas bazaars

Plans for the annual Christmas Bazaar at St. Matthew's Church on Mountainview Rd. are in full swing. The craft fair sponsored by the Catholic church will be held on Saturday, Nov.22, and will feature a large variety of handmade items from holiday decorations to toys and needlework to baby clothes. All are welcome to attend.

Members of the First United Church of Voorheesville will also hold their annual Christmas Mission Bazaar on the same day featuring a number of handmade items as well as refreshments.

Garden Club meets

The Helderberg Garden Club will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, Nov. 13, at 7 p.m. in the social hall of the First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville. Interested in finding out more about the group, which is responsible for the lovely seasonal arrangements in the boxes at the entrances to the village, may contact president Evelyn Berger at 765-2357.

Bus schedules discussed

The Voorheesville PTSA will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the elementary school cafeteria. A business meeting will be held and elementary school Principal Donna Grant CANAVAS will be on hand to answer any questions concerning the new bus schedule, which goes into effect this week, as well as the shuttle bus routes. All are welcome to attend.

Kids Club expanding

The Kids Club, the newly formed nonprofit corporation which provides after school care for grade school students at the Voorheesville Elementary School, will be expanding its activities this week as several of the 21 boys and girls presently enrolled in the fee- for-service program begin a series of karate lessons to improve their self-control, self-confidence and balance.

Director Cindy Mazgulia reports that she would be glad to speak with any high school students interested in volunteering to help with the program, which runs from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. Substitutes for the program are also needed. Any graduating adults who have previously taken karate lessons may contact the program at 765-2043 during the after- noon hours.

School board meetings

The Board of Education of the Voorheesville Central School District will hold its special meeting on Monday, Nov. 17, at 7 p.m. at the high school. At that time the group will go into executive session to discuss personnel matters.

Cheese day

The government surplus cheese distribution day originally scheduled for Nov. 7 will be held on Friday, Nov. 14, at St. Matthew's Church in Voorheesville. Area residents who receive Social Security, WICS, HEAP or unemployment are eligible to receive cheese and other staples.

Football banquet

There is still time to make reservations for the football banquet to be held on Thursday, Nov. 19, at the Crossgates Restaurant, Washington Ave., Ext., Albany, beginning at 7 p.m. For information call Dot Buckley at 765-2324.

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Councilman cries foul on town appointments

By Patricia Mitchell

Several Republican appointments to boards in New Scotland have abridged a long-standing agreement on the bipartisan sharing of power, says Councilman Herbert Reilly.

Reilly, one of two Democrats on the five-member New Scotland Town Board, charged Monday that three appointments made at last week's town board meeting came under pressure from the Republican Party and its chairman, John Graziano.

Graziano said Monday the charge is not true. Neither he nor the party had any influence on the three appointments, even though the Republican Party did put up some nominations, he said. Graziano added that while nominations come from all over, it is not significant where they come from.

The town board last week approved the appointments of Lucia DeDe, a registered Republican and president of DeDe, Inc., to a one-year term; and Paul Nichols, a registered Democrat, to a two-year term on the Board of Assessment. The board expanded to five members to fill the two-year gap in appointments.

Also approved was the appointment of Ronald Van Ronie, an attorney, to a two-year term on the Zoning Board of Appeals. Van Ronie is replacing Robert Farrell, a registered Democrat, whose term expired in August. Reilly said Farrell was denied reappointment to the board in favor of Ronie.

In the past, Reilly said, various boards in the town were kept bipartisan, and when a seat opened up, usually whoever was chosen to fill that seat was from the same political party.

The nominations to the boards Wednesday came as surprise moves, Reilly said. Nominating two more people to the board of assessment was first discussed at the town board's October meeting, but was tabled, Reilly said. Last Wednesday's agenda, handed out just before the meeting, only listed a discussion of nominations, but after a nomination and rundown of qualifications, DeDe and Nichols were approved by the board.

Reilly said the Democratic town board members are entitled to know about open positions at town hall, and if the seat was to be filled, he should have been informed. He said all three nominations, including Nichols — seems to have come directly from Graziano. He said he has no quarrel with the appointments, just that he was left in the dark that they were to be made.

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Village of Voorheesville, Board of Trustees, second and fourth Mondays at 7 p.m., Planning Board, third Thursday at 7 p.m., Board of Appeals at 8 p.m.

Town of New Scotland, Meeting of the Board of Education, second and fourth Mondays at 7:30 p.m.

Voorheesville, Village Hall, 7:30 p.m.

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DEL MAR, Nov. 12 — For those who wish to stay warm and cozy, a practical and hearty breakfast is featured this Saturday in the Bethlehem Senior Citizen Meeting, 9:15 a.m.-noon, at the United Methodist Church, 1009 Delaware Ave., Delmar. 439-4955.

Senior Citizen Day, grandparents, seniors sponsored by the Guardian, is scheduled for November 20, 1986, in celebration of American Education Week, 1984-4:45 p.m. Applications to the United Methodist Church, 10:30 p.m. Registration is at the Bethlehem Senior Citizen Meeting. 9:15 a.m.-noon, at the United Methodist Church, 1009 Delaware Ave., Delmar. 439-4955. Information, 439-1914.


Delmar Senior Citizen Meeting, Monday, 9:15 a.m., at the United Methodist Church, 1009 Delaware Ave., Delmar. 439-4955.


SUNDAY NOVEMBER 23

Delmar Presbyterian Church, 10:30 a.m., Family Worship and Communion, first Sunday of each month, 10:30 a.m.; Adult Education, 9:15 a.m.; Senior High Fellowship, call 436-2201, information.

United Pentecostal Church, Sunday School and worship service, 10 a.m.; choir rehearsal, 5 p.m.; evening services, 7 p.m., New Salem, Information, 765-4410.

Delmar Reformed Church, church school and worship, nursery provided during worship, 366 Delaware Ave., 10 a.m., Information, 439-0020.

Hudson-Mohawk RSSA Association, meets fourth Sundays at Albany County Cooperative Extension, Market Rd., Voorheesville.

Dolphins Swim Club, adult education, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.; information, 439-5999.

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Delmar Lutheran Church, bible study, 7:45 a.m.

MONDAY NOVEMBER 24

Delmar Knoxians, meet Mondays at Stattler Restaurant, R. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

Al-Anon Group, supports for relatives of alcoholics, meets Mondays at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 8:30-9:30 p.m., Information, 439-4561.

Quaker Rehearsal, United Pentecostal Church, R. 85, New Salem, 7:15 p.m., Information, 765-4410.

Delmar Public Library, Toddler Thanksgiving Feast, under three years with parent, 10:30 a.m., Communication Workshop, Session II: Maple Wood, 7 p.m, Register, 439-9314.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 26

Slingerlands Fine Co. Auxiliary, fourth Wednesday, Slingerlands Fine Hall, 8 p.m.

Farmer's Market, area's only late afternoon market, Wednesdays through harvest season, First United Methodist Church, 41 Kentwood Ave., Delmar, 3-5 p.m.

Delmar Lutheran Church, Thanksgiving Eve worship service, 7:30 p.m.

Support Meeting, Capital District Council on Aging, 2471 Union Ave., Troy, 9:30 a.m., Information, 456-1517.


AIDS Seminar, American Co., 6:30, 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Information, 456-4500.

A Taste of New York, A Toast to WMHT, wine tasting, Empire State Plaza Convention Center, Albany, 6:30 p.m.

"Minorities as Houseowners," speakers will discuss contracts of sale, closing cost, how to finance and affordable housing, Old School Cafe, Albany building, 419 Madison Ave., Information, 462-0699.

"Emergency Shelter Day," to raise awareness of community regarding life experienced by homeless, Lambouret House, corner of Madison Ave. and Grant St., Albany, 1:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 26

Stuyvesant Plaza, 6th annual, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Information, 430-0155 or 760-2109.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 13

"The Creative Process: Getting out of The Rut," Women's Press Club of New York State, Holiday Inn Hotel, 7 p.m., dinner, 7 p.m.; speaker, 8 p.m., Information, 523-6020.

Surplus Auction, cans, vases, unused tools and other automotive parts, New York State Office Building Campus, Albany, 10 a.m., Information, 457-6335.

Movie, "Cheech," African film created by top novicel, St. John's College, Roger Bacon Hall, 202, Loudonville, 7:30 p.m., Information, 783-2431.

Capital District Business Review, Fourth Annual Achievement Awards, Desmond Americana, Colonie, 6 p.m., Information, 457-2505.

Election Law Reform, with speaker Evan Davis, gymnasium of Albany Law School, 6 p.m., Information, 445-2305.

OPEN HOUSE NOVEMBER 14

Doughty House, 8th annual, 8 a.m.-3 p.m., Information, 463-2441.

St. Mary's Christmas Bazaar,inglehoffers, baked goods, quilts, children's items, St. Mary's, 321 Allen St., Hudson, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 15

Faith Harvest Bazaar and Roast Beef Dinner at the Panera Bread on the corner of Lewis Road and Fort Edward Road, proceeds benefit local food pantry, St. Vincent de Paul, 5 p.m.-7 p.m., Information, 438-8161.


SATURDAY NOVEMBER 15

500 Furlow-Moore Bird Club, search for greatest wild turkey, Rogers Road, migrants, at Round Lake, 8:30 a.m., Information, 277-8593.


The Albany Academy Cordially Invites Parents of Prospective Candidates for Admission to an OPEN HOUSE for Grades PRE-KINDERGARTEN to GRADE 4 Saturday, November 16, 1986

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2:00-3:00 p.m. Registration, tours, refreshments
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1:15-4:00 p.m. Grade Meetings

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Friends of Albany Public Library, Book and Author Luncheon, Richard Stevens, author of mystery novels set in Albany, will be honored as "Albany Author of the Year." 240 Library Ave., Albany, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Registration, 440-5360.

Children's Bookstore, story time, sponsored by The College of Saint Rose. Library at Saint Rose Elementary School, Rte. 20, Quindricet, 4-4:30 p.m. Wednesdays, 8-10 p.m. Information, 758-2815.

Workshop, "Afrocentric Voices and How to Keep Them Growing," United Presbyterian Church, 620 Madison Ave., Albany, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Information, 461-9027.

Memorial Service, 75th Anniversary of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, William G. Balbofort on "Veterans: Modern Defenders of the American Revolution," at 10 a.m. Information, 783-9363.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 16

Holiday Bazaar, toys, jewelry, handmade items, ceramic, N'sh Sholom, Reform Congregation, 420 Whitehall Rd., Albany, 10-5 p.m. Information, 428-5283.

Photo Trade Show, trading of collectibles, Graphica Educational Display, Ramada Inn, 1228 Western Ave., Albany, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 463-2201.

Multiple Sclerosis Group, discussion of pre-existing equipment, Photographica Educational Display, Ramada Inn, 1228 Western Ave., Albany, $2, 1-3 p.m. Information, 439-1337.

Festival of Nations, crafts, food, music, cultural ethnic heritages of nearly 20 nations, Empire State Plaza Convention Center, noon-8 p.m. Information, 757-3402.

Interfaith Collage, "The Church and Israel. The People and Its Land," from Roman Catholic, Jewish and Protestant perspectives, Siena College Loudoville, 10 a.m. Information, 760-2419.

MONTGOMDAY NOVEMBER 17

"Security and Emergency Planning for Museums," designed for museum historians, The Murphy Institute, 40 Western Ave., Albany, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Information, 456-5136.

Open House, introduction of prospetive partners to Albany Academy for Girls, overview of school's program, "Making a Difference for 175 Years," Albany Academy for Girls, Acrodermy, 66 Union Ave., 1-3 p.m. Information, 403-2011.

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TUESDAY NOVEMBER 18

Open House, for those interested in Genesis Daycare Learning Studies part of "Adult Learner Week," The College of Saint Rose, 5th Floor Commons Room, 420 Western Ave., Albany, 6:30-8 p.m. Information, 456-5136.


Sedona and Rabbi Lawrence, Chassidic Science School, Medford Ave., and Quad St., Albany, 8 p.m. Information, 456-3023.

Four Orange Cheater of Daughters of the Americas, luncheon, program on patriotic documents, Tom Strong Motor Inn Restaurant, Western Ave., Albany, 11 a.m-3 p.m. Information, 298-3203.

The Compassionate Friends, self-help group for parents whose children have died, Hopeful Hands- Presbyterian Church, 86 Chestnut St., Albany, 7-30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 19

Marketing and Promotion Workshop, for small businesses, pro-pit organizations, municipal agencies, on "Marketing and Promotion for Leisure Service Perspectives, Strategies and Solutions," Administration Building, Saratoga Spa State Park, Saratoga Springs, 2:30-5:00 a.m.-4 p.m. Information, 456-3100.

Mountain Music, "The Big Woods: Traditional Songs and Ballads of the Adirondack," with the Bruchac, Saratoga Spa State Park, Saratoga Springs, 7:30 p.m.

Business After Hours, theme on Thanksgiving, members are asked to bring food item to benefit "The Equinox Thanksgiving Day Dinner," at Albany Hilton at Ten Eyck Plaza, 5-6:30 p.m.

Bid-for-Bachelors, area bachelors are donating time to raise money for March of Dimes, Grand Ballroom, Marriott Hotel, Wolf Rd., Albany, information, 434-0205.

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By Patricia Mitchell

Calling the present policy "flexible," the Ravena-Coeysmans-Selkirk Board of Education has decided to keep its existing transportation and babysitting policy.

In emergencies, the policy allows for changes to be made for a student to be re-routed or ride a different bus on a note from a parent to the bus driver, teacher or school principal. Even though a driver may choose not to make a one-time change, said board member Wayne Fuhrman. There have been no problems with parents making several changes during a year.

After an Oct. 27th meeting, the transportation committee recommended that the present babysitting policy stand.

In other RCS school board business, Superintendent William Schwartz said district officials and City of Albany officials will meet Wednesday (today) to discuss a bill signed by the governor over the summer that gives tax exempt status to city water properties. The legislation could result in a long-term savings, said board president Anthony Williams and vice president Steve Berletic.

The Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Auxiliary 1040 will hold a meeting at the post rooms on Tuesday, Nov. 18, beginning at 8 p.m.

The group's Christmas party will be held on Dec. 16, with city budget director Daniel Kopic and Corporation Counsel Vincent McArle to discuss future payments by the city in place of taxes.

Williams said that taxes have been paid by the city for the past 15 years. "What we are looking at is the future," said Williams.

The school board also approved, an overnight trip to Johnson City on Saturday, Dec. 6, for the varsity volleyball team for a non-league tournament. Parent decision on transportation. Schwartz said the team is seeking permission to go with transportation by the district, but the team would be able to arrange its own transportation.

Board member Sara Hunter said it was a fine opportunity, but an "extremely long way. 150 miles seems a long, long way."

The board decided to reserve decision pending the receipt of quotations until bus costs and driver costs were determined.

The board adjourned into executive session at the end of the meeting to discuss personnel matters and the distribution of state Excellence in Teaching funds.

After the meeting, Schwartz said no action was taken but that the board hopes to meet with the teachers union in the near future. He said he expects an agreement on the distribution of the funds could come within the next few weeks.

The next meeting of the RCS school board is slated for 8 p.m. Monday, Nov. 17.

Antiques at the Tollgate

Ruth Kirkman, Co-Owner

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We have new printed updates from time to time.

RCS school board policy 'flexible'

News from Selkirk and South Bethlehem

Barbara Pickin

Architecture entitled, "Albany's Oldest Houses and the People Who Lived There," will be given by Shirley Dunn at the Nov. 20. meeting of the Bethlehem Historical Association in the new Selkirk Schoolhouse Museum located on Rt. 144 and Clapboard Rd.

Ms. Dunn, a committee assistant at Cralie State Historical Site and has been doing research and writing on the subject for the past 15 years. Her talk will contain new bits of information based on her on-site visits and recent studies of buildings, and will be accompanied by an analysis of how the buildings represent the oldest buildings in Albany and surrounding areas. The public is invited.

Citrus sale ending

The South Bethlehem United Methodist Church's Annual Citrus Sale will continue for just a few more weeks. If you're interested in ordering fruit shipped directly from Florida, they will accept orders through Nov. 20.

Orders can be placed by contacting ruth W. Wright at 767-2280.

Breakfast next Sunday

You may have had to wait a little longer this month to enjoy the Bethlehem Elks' Breakfast Buffet, but anyone who has ever attended one of their breakfasts knows they're worth waiting for. Due to a scheduling conflict, this month's buffet is planned for Sunday, Nov. 16 instead of the first of the month, as they are normally held. From 9 a.m. to noon, the Elks, Rt. 144 and Winnie Rd. in Selkirk, it will be usual and "all you can eat" breakfast.

The menu includes pancakes, eggs, sausage, bacon, waffles, ‘Elk’ gravy, toast, juice and coffee. The cost is $4 for adults, $2.50 for children under the age of 12.

Barbara Pickup welcomes items for her column. Contributions may be sent to her at Box 177, Selkirk, 12158. Please include a name and phone number.

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By Kevin Mullen

Junior fullback John Traudt rushed 39 times for 164 yards and scored three touchdowns to lead Voorheesville to a 19-10 comeback win over Chatham last Friday night at Chatham’s home field. With the victory, which was played in a steady drizzle, the Blackbirds advance in the sectionals, facing Hudson this Friday night at Bleecker Stadium at 7:30.

Waterflied shut out Hudson last Friday night, 7-0, to take the Buckley Cup.

With fullback Jeff Mazzafero on the sidelines with an injury, the 5-foot 10 and 163-pound Traudt became the ball control offense on the wet night as he balled his way behind the Blackbirds’ offensive line, picking up consistent short yardage. He averaged 4.2 yards per carry. His three touchdowms came on bursts of three, two, and 15 yards.

Most of the rushing yardage came on inside plays. “We ran the option, but they took it away from us,” said head coach Pete Komp. “So we ran it inside. That’s what they offered, and we took it.”

The Blackbirds rolled up 215 rushing yards and passed for 36, for 251 yards of total offense. Quarterback John Meacham completed three of seven passes.

Voorheesville scored on their second possession of the first quarter. They put together a 55-yard drive in 10 plays following a Chatham punt, culminating in Traudt’s three-yard run up the middle at 1:53. The low conversion attempts was blocked.

But the Panthers came right back with a grown, scoring 18 seconds later. Maybe they were thinking about the opening game yard field goal by Mathew. The Blackbirds ran off a 10-play drive that began from interception and a fumble recovery, and Donahue had eight tackles, one interception, and the Blackbirds’ defense stiffened. A short run and a pass goled Chatham to the 3-yard line, where they had to settle for a 20-yard field goal by Mathew. The ball almost rolled over the cross bar, but it counted.

The Blackbirds’ defense clamped down on Chatham in the second half. Douglas had praise for his defense, especially defensive tackle Chuck Gianasio who, the coach said, had four tackles and “stuffed the run and did a super job.” Traudt had nine tackles, Roger Ginder had seven tackles and an interception, Marty Gardiner had eight tackles, one safety, and a fumble recovery, and Donahue had an interception.

Voorheesville took the lead for good at 2:57 of the third quarter when Traudt plunged over from the Chatham two-yard line. There were two key plays on the eight-play drive that covered 39 yards. One was a 20-yard pass to Ed Sapienza was batted away, but Meacham to Brian Smith in the hole at the start of the drive. Setting up that first down was a Meacham to Bruce Kiniski pass of 13 yards that took the ball from the Blackbirds’ 40. Voorheesville tried a two-point conversion but Meacham’s pass to Ed Sapennza was batted down.

Voorheesville put the game away with 23 seconds left in the contest when Traudt broke several tackles, kept his balance, and plowed 15 yards for the final score. Matt Cillis’s extra point was good. The score was set up by Ginder’s interception at the Chatham 21. The drive took four plays.

Chatham head coach Tom Komp praised both teams. “It was a tough game,” he said. “Voorheesville’s a good team. It was a better game than the first time on opening night.”

As it turned out on Sunday, Voorheesville will face Hudson last year’s Buckley Cup Champions. As the Blackbirds mter better competition in the playoffs, will they continue to rely on their ground attack, with Traudt, Kevin Kelly, Mazzafero, and the master of the option, junior quarterback John Meacham? Or will they install a more balanced offense, with more passing?

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By John Bellizzi III

Although they lost their last game, the Bethlehem Central varsity football team ended their season with the best record since the championship year of 1978—five wins, three losses.

Last Friday, the Eagles traveled to Mont Pleasant on cold, rainy evening and lost 12-8. "I'm disappointed for the seniors that we didn't win the last game," said Bethlehem head coach John Sodergren. "I'm very pleased with the way the season went overall, though. We had a better record than most people expected, and I feel good about the way we played."

The Mont Pleasant game was fairly close, but also uneventful. Mont Pleasant recovered a BC fumble in the first quarter and ran it back for a touchdown. Mont Pleasant increased its lead to 12-0 with another touchdown in the second half. With 1:36 left in the game, John Lindsay received a pass and ran 70 yards downfield to score for Bethlehem. A two-point conversion followed, but it wasn't enough.

The Eagles rushed 36 times to pick up 120 yards, and senior co-captain Ed Perry was 2 for 7 passing, for a total of 53 yards. Adam Acquario, also a senior co-captain, rushed eight times for 38 yards, while junior Rich Gray passed 20 yards, and freshman John Niskay rushed 11 times for 34 yards. Lindsay, also a 12th grader, rushed 21 times for 26 yards. (These four made up the backbone of the Eagles' strong offense this year.)

Bethlehem Central certainly had a good independent season, but stop to think about how they would have done if they hadn't taken a leave of absence from the Suburban Council. BC played five out of the eight league teams for a league record of 4-1. Eliminated from the Eagles' independent schedule this year were undefeated Saratoga, 4-2-1 Shenendehowa and 4-0 Saratoga. They would have had a very good chance of beating Shenendehowa and beating Colonie was almost a certainty. This Ken Hodge and John Furey accomplished the Eagles as they return to Suburban Council plan.

The Eagles' strong offense this year was led by Jamie Dillon. In the closing seconds wasn't enough, and the clock ran out.

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Indians finish third in Council

By Bart Gottesman

"Rain, rain go away" was probably the feeling of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk and Tamarac football players last Saturday morning.

Most of Friday night and all Saturday a steady downpour turned a friendly football game into a two-team mud wrestling match. Four inches of water stood in the middle of the field at Tamarac High School, making the Cross-Conference "playoff of the season, resulted primarily because of the rainy conditions: Their offense revolves around a quarterback position put the ball in mud just doesn't work. RCS did manage to rush for 119 yards, but close to last week's 300 yard performance and below his season average.

With the ground game slowed up, much pressure was put on Shook's passing game, a facet of the Indian offense which had been used sparingly throughout the season. Ken Koonz playing at the quarterback position put the ball up nine times, completing two of the passes for a total of five yards. The game, however, was one that the Indians should have won. The stats were close. Ravena had 188 total yards compared to Tamarac's 189. Bad breaks were one of the Indians' main reason for losing, as was a 36-yard touchdown pass they gave. The team had a habit of giving up the big play in many of this year's games.

The Green and Gold was also hurt when an apparent Shook touchdown run was nullified by a penalty and a pass was dropped by a Ravena receiver in the end zone. "We gave away too many opportunities," said VanDeZee.

Tamarac's first quarter touchdown gave them a 6-0 lead which held up until Shook responded with a 16 yard dash in the second quarter. To point in after attempts both teams were unsuccessful — Tamarac missed a kick and Ravena failed on a two-point pass attempt. The final two points occurred when Ravena was putting out of its own end zone and the snap was mishandled. The miscalculation was made in a safety, giving Tamarac a 6-2 lead and eventual victory.

Girls soccer teams honored

By Lisa D'Ambrosi

Outstanding members of the Bethlehem Central girls soccer teams were honored at a banquet Sunday at the Century House in Latham attended by 150 players, coaches and family members.

The award for best offense went to Leslie Anderson (varsity), Britta Wherman (junior varsity), and Karyn Menden (freshmen). Best defense went to Julie Francis (varsity), Kelli Docteur (junior varsity), and Carrie Bruch (freshmen).

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BY CHARLES HENRIKSON

"This has been the greatest year in BC cross-country history," according to who should know, Coach John Nyilis.

The BC boys and girls teams won a total of 15 championships, along with one JV championship.

Both teams won their respective dual meet championships, and there were five BC runners named to the All-Suburban team: seniors Pete Winkler and Kim Corinne, Juniors Tom Nyilis, Brendan Kirik and Freshman Julie Kearse, along with one JV championship.

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"The Blackbirds had hoped to finish in second or third in the Class C meet, but they could only muster a sixth place, well behind fellow Section Two squad Gran- ville, who finished in second place. Equally disappointing for the birds was the performance of star runner Chuck Rogers, who finished in 23rd place. Brian Colliota, a Hoosic Valley runner who Rogers had beaten all year, came in fifth place. The one bright spot for the Blackbirds was the running of junior John DeCatur, who came in right behind Rogers in 29th place. "John ran very, very well," coach Ken Kirik noted.

The rest of the top five for Voorheesville were Jason Eber- hard, Pat Lentino and Ted Popkoski. "It was a disappointing race, but I'm glad we qualified and the experience was great," Kirik noted.

The BC girls placed eighth at States, and there are no classifications.

"We are definitely within their reach." Smith said the team played as a "beautiful unit," the way she hopes they will play all year. Tuesday was a tougher day, as the team did not play well and lost to Niskayuna in two games. The first game easily went to Niskayuna, and in the second one BC tried to come back, but it was to no avail, as BC lost that one by two points. On Friday BC then triumphed easily over a hapless Mohonasen team by a lopsided score.

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THE HOME TEAM

Lady Eagles splash to title

Four of the swimmers who led Bethlehem's girls varsity to a fourth straight Sectional crown will be going to the state championship meet on Long Island this weekend.

Despite a small squad, the Eagles took charge of a strong Scotia team in the Section 2 championships at Skidmore College in Saratoga last weekend. They won only one of the 11 events, but placed high enough and often enough in the finals to earn 215 points to 179 for Scotia. Guilderville, the combined Voorheesville and Guilderland team, was third with 139 points. Twelve other teams finished far out of the running.

"Everybody swam well," enthused Ken Neff, BC's first year coach, "Both relays finished second with strong swims. The free relay was just touched out by Scotia, and the breaststrokes were placed by more than five seconds, and we had a couple of near misses.

That one victory was a worth a headline in itself. It came in the 100 free, where BC's building superstar, Jennifer Mosley, upset Scotia's controversial Kyle DePold, a boy permitted to swim on the boys' team because his school cannot field a boys team. DePold had been on the New York state education commission on Thursday after having been declared ineligible the preceding Monday in response to protests from competing schools.

DePold won Friday's qualifying heat, but Mosley had finished second in the 50, and qualified on Friday with a 56.91 second for a great third place. This time it was Mosley with a brilliant 54.88 taking the crown. DePold, who had won the qualifier in 55.77, could only produce a 55.47 in the final.

But this intra-sectional duel will continue this weekend in the state meet at Nassau Community College, where both will swim both freestyle spurs.

Other state qualifiers making the Long Island trip include the Malthers sisters, Sue and Kris, and Lisa Ogawa of Beth chm, Angel Washburn of Voorheesville and Guilderville's medley relay four, some Beth Jo Dedrick, the

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Mergers finish 11-2

By Rick Loesch

In the past the Guilderville girls swim team has not always been that successful. However, this year was a different story.

Led by coach Nadine Bassler, the squad compiled an 11-2 record to earn a berth in the Aqua League powerhouse Bethlem Central and Scotia, by a total of 23 points. Next came the sectional swimming and diving championship at Skidmore College in Saratoga. The group finished a very respectable third place, one of the bright spots on the season.

The weekend started off with the preliminaries on Friday, to decide who would move onto the finals. On Saturday, Of the 13 Voorheesville swimmers competing in the meet, eight made it to the Intersectional Championships on Saturday. The next race was the 200 yard medley relay, and Scotia came out on top. This event was won again in a tie, as Angela Washburn turned in a time of 2:00.67 to capture the title for the states. Also doing well in this event was Rachel Martin, who qualified in 2:01.92.

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This week, the season on Crandall can relax. "Our kids can be very proud," he said. "The team that beat us as Poughkeepsie was a very good team, we certainly didn't embarrass ourselves."

Overall, the Blackbirds were 16-1, clearly the best soccer team in the school's history.

By Rick Leach

Win or lose on the long trip to Poughkeepsie, the Voorheesville soccer team knew they had had a great season. They had gone 16-1-0 for the Sectional crown, and had reached the finals of the New York State Class C championship.

But the Blackbirds wanted more when they challenged defending Section 9 champions, for the Eastern Regional title at Vassar College again, with the winning going to the Final Four in the state playoffs. They came out -- even the "confidence-givers gone," a frustrated coach Bob Crandall game and brought the Birds out of
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42 Paxwood Rd, Sat, Nov 15, 10-3. Moving, tools, furniture, miscellaneous.

170 KENWOOD Ave. Saturday, 11/15, 9-12 pm, misses & teen clothing, miscellaneous toys, children's books.

GARAGE SALE Surplus and discontinued lines, glass, pottery, ribbon remnants, out of season decorations and more. Danlers F-grade, 239 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

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The Spotlight
Charles F. Batchelder

Charles F. Batchelder, 80, of New Scotland, a former president of the Voorheesville Central School Board, died Sunday, Nov. 9. Born in Hanover Hill, Mass., he lived in New Scotland since 1950. He was also a resident of McGowenville.

He was employed for over 25 years as a heating and ventilating engineer for the R. B. Taylor Co., in Albany, and he was a graduate of Northeastern University. He was a member of the Voorheesville Central School Board from 1957 to 1975, and was president of the board from 1963 to 1975.

He was a member of the Mu Epsilon Zeta fraternity, and a member of the New Scotland Kiwanis since 1951. He was also a member of the American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Engineers, and served as president of the state chapter from 1964 to 1965.

He was a deacon and elder for the New Scotland Presbyterian Church. He was the husband of the late Lillian Holmes Batchelder.

BIOGRAPHY

Sydney Leff

Sydney Leff, 72, of Bethlehem Twp., Slingerlands, died Monday, Nov. 3. He was born in New York City.

He was an operator of several movie theaters out of Albany. He was a member of Temple Beth Emeth in Albany.

His survivors include his wife, Evelyn Shapira Leff, a daughter, Barbara Kauke of Ridgewood, N.J., a son, Robert Leff of Hermosa Beach, Calif.; two brothers, Norton Leff of Florida and Irwin Leff of California; and two grandchildren.

Arrangements were by Marshall Tebbutt’s Sons Funeral Home of Albany. Burial was in Beth Emeth Cemetery in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to the Alzheimer Capital District Chapter of Albany.

Frank Rossi

Frank Rossi, 83, a resident of Delmar for many years, died Tuesday, Nov. 4. He was born in Italy.

He worked for the New York Central Railroad, now Conrail, for 48 years.

He was a communicant of St. Thomas the Apostle Church in East Greenbush. His survivors include his wife, Frances DeJohn Rossi; a daughter, Marion Bowman of Eugene, Ore., two stepdaughters, Jane Lemme of Albany, and Eleanor Grace Serafino of Delmar; two sons, Michael Rossi of Eugene, Ore., and Alfred Rossi of San Diego, Calif., and a stepson, Patrick J. Serafino of Delmar. He also leaves a sister, Antoinette Campagna of Colonie; seven grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements were by Meyers Funeral Home of Delmar. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Delmar.

Contributions may be made to the Little Sisters of the Poor of Latham.

Katherine E. Jones

Katherine E. Jones, a lifelong resident of Delmar and Unionville, died Monday, Nov. 3. She was born in Delmar.

She was a homemaker. Her survivors include her husband, Peter Jones III, a daughter, Judith Jones Van Ronnie of Unionville; and seven grandchildren. She was also the mother of the late Peter Jones III; and she was the sister of the late F. Harris Patterson, and the late Raymond Patterson.

Arrangements were by the Meyers Funeral Home of Delmar. Burial was in Beth Emmeth Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to St. Peter’s Hospice in Albany or the American Cancer Society.

Madgel G. Betts

Madgel G. Betts, 86, a former resident of Delmar, died Saturday, Nov. 8. Born in La Fargeville, she was a resident of Delmar for more than 30 years before moving to the Eddy Memorial Geriatric Center in Troy one year and a half years ago. She also lived in DeWitt.

She was a volunteer for the American Red Cross in Albany, and a member of the Delmar Reformed Church and a former member of its choir.

She was the wife of the late Henry L. Betts.

Her survivors include two daughters, Marilyn Fryer of Delmar and Mary Jane Minko of Hampton, N.H.; a son, Dr. Richard H. Betts of Danbury, Conn.; a sister, Pauline Ernst of Victor; a brother, Fred K. Galley of La Fargeville; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Local arrangements were by the Marshall W. Tebbutt’s Sons Funeral Home of Delmar. Burial was in Grove Cemetery in La Fargeville.

Contributions may be made to the Delmar Reformed Church Endowment Fund or the Eddy Memorial Geriatric Center in Troy.

In St. Regis-la-ba-sa The Spotlight is sold at Tall Gate, Jade’s, Stonewall, Fat’s and PB’s Deli.
An Albany man will be appearing in Bethlehem Town Court on Dec. 12 following a burglar incident last Monday in which he allegedly shot his brother with a 12-gauge shotgun, police said.

The Albany man, Daniel Thompson, 26, of Elk St., Albany, was charged with unlawful possession of a weapon, a misdemeanor, because he is a convicted felon and is prohibited from possessing a weapon, police said.

Wounded was Paul Lowe, 23, of Elk St., Albany, who was treated for superficial leg wounds at Albany Medical Center Hospital and later released, police said.

Delmar burglary

A burglar got away with more than $5,000 in stereo equipment, jewelry and silverware from an Orchard St., Delmar, home on Friday, Bethlehem Police reported.

The burglar entered the house between 8:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. by kicking or pushing in the front door and breaking the molding off the jamb, police said.

The living room and the bedroom were gone through by the burglar, who took a pillowcase to carry some of the items in, police said.

Items taken in the burglary included a VCR, stereo equipment, taping machines, a silver tea service, a camera and jewelry, police said.

Two deer accidents

Two car-deer collisions occurred in this week, Bethlehem Police said.

At 7:05 a.m. Thursday, a Feura Bush man and a deer collided on Feura Bush near Deer Tr, after the deer darted into the road from between two houses, police said.

A Delmar man was eastbound on Feura Bush Rd. near Elsmere Ave. at 6 p.m. Monday when a deer ran in front of his vehicle, police said.

No one was hurt in the incidents, police said.

Found in the bushes

A boy's blue bicycle was found in bush, the Slingerlands School at 8:30 a.m. Saturday. Bethlehem Police reported. The bicycle was at police headquarters on Delaware Ave. for the owner to claim.

The two men were hunting just northwest of the Delmar and Hudson Railroad crossing over the Normanskill, and entered some heavy brush area. Paul Lowe crossed over to his brother's right side. When a bird flew up in front of the next to Thompson, he shot at it thinking his brother was still on the other side, police said. After about the shooting, the men went to the Howard Johnson's on Rte. 9W, where an ambulance was called.

Eight members of the Onsugawah Ambulance will complete their American Red Cross First Aid Course tonight.

Fire Fighters Corner welcomes local volunteers and their organizations. Call Isabel Glasteler at 439-2627.

The Classified Deadline

1 PM Monday for Wednesday's Paper
Cooperation lost

Editor, The Spotlight:

I am addressing this letter to the citizens of the Town of New Scotland because I feel it is important that you be made aware of some significant changes taking place in YOUR Town Hall.

Since I have been on the Town Board, I have always attempted to make the best use of our community's resources. The good of the town always came first. Major projects and pieces of legislation always received bipartisan support. The majority is bipartisan, there has been the forces our town can muster to protect our home rule against majority political party or who our community was denied re-appointment to the Zoning Board.

Instead of keeping the various boards bipartisan, there has been a conscious effort to eliminate minority representation from the town. The last straw was at our meeting of Nov. 6, when a well qualified and respected citizen of our community was denied re-appointment to the Zoning Board of Appeals and replaced by a crony from the majority party. Their town chairman is telling his people to jump, and they are asking how can one ever justify such action, especially one of our zoning boards, when we need all the forces we can muster to protect our home rule against special interests?

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Delmar

Grocery monopoly

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As a newcomer to Delmar, I have been delighted with Delmar charms: the lovely residential areas, the wonderful library and recreations, facilities, and the friendly people.

As a homemaker, I have been less than happy with the inconveniences of marketing in the one major store. For the Delmar "neighborhood" — Grand Union. Although it is in many ways a fine store, it has been down right frustrating to be forced to travel to two stores in order to purchase the goods we want.

The decision was made today that this monopoly must end. The decision was made today that the citizens of the Town of New Scotland because I feel it is impossible to be made aware of some significant changes taking place in YOUR Town Hall.

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School bus hit

Twenty Bethlehem Central students and their bus driver were uninjured when a tractor trailer hit the back of their bus at Adams Pl. and Oakwood Pl. in Delmar at 3:40 p.m. Monday, Bethlehem Police said.

The Bethlehem Central bus was stopped on Adams Pl., past the intersection of Oakwood Pl., with the tractor trailer, registered in Quebec, was traveling east on the rear of Adams Pl., when the tractor trailer driver noticed the move to driver to move on.

When the tractor trailer driver hit the back of their bus, a legiation education at their meeting on Thursday, Nov. 19. The meeting will begin at 1 p.m. at the Bethlehem Public Library.

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Car skids off road

Two men were taken to Albany Medical Center Hospital at 1:15 a.m. Saturday after the car they were riding in skidded off Rt. 144 after passing over a large puddle, Bethlehem Police said.

Treated at Albany Medical for shoulder injuries was the driver, Mark Strangie, 21, of Maple Ave., Albany, and Frank Merrill, 17, address unknown, for arm injuries. The two men were later released, a hospital spokesman said.

Police said Strangie was ticketed for failure to keep right and failure to reduce speed at special hazards.

Flynn to speak

Maj. Gen. Flynn, who was appointed Chief of Staff to the Governor and Commander of the New York Army National Guard earlier this year, will speak at the Nov. 12 meeting of the Second Maders. The group will meet at the First United Methodist Church, 426 Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

For information call 439-4459.

Ecology lecture

Steven Clemens, a botanist with the New York Heritage Program, will speak about the preservation of the Hudson River Valley during the Nov. 19 meeting of the Five Rivers Union. The group will meet at the First United Methodist Church, Delmar. For information call Gerry Oakley at 457-6902.

Christmas fair

A Christmas fair, featuring handcrafted Christmas decorations, needlework items, gourmet and baked goods, a candle shop and a raffle, will be held at St. Peter's Church, 10 State St., Albany, on Wednesday, Nov. 19, from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. A soup and sandwich lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. A pot roast dinner will be served from 5:15 to 7 p.m. All are welcome.

For tickets or information call 434-3502.

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We hope you enjoy it!
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Andriano

Married at St. Thomas

Tom Andriano, son of Marie (Andriano) Haack and step-son of James Haack, and Maria Schi­
tromo, daughter of Tony and Susan Schi­
tromo, were married Sept. 13 at St. Thomas the
Apostle Church in Delmar. The
Rev. James D. Daley officiated.
Gina Zambri, sister of the bride, Francis' Andriano, sister of the
bridesmaid, and Lauren Mac-
Dowell were bridesmaids. Michael
Andriano, brother of the groom, served as best man, and, usher,
were William MacDowell, John Leo and Joseph Grovinger.
The bride, a graduate of Bishop
Scull High School and Maria
College, is employed by the state
Department of Social Services.

After a wedding trip to Florida
and the Bahamas, the couple will
reside in Delmar.

Author at library

Author of books for young adults
Harry Mazer will make a personal appearance at the Bethlehem
Public Library on Wednesday,
Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. He will talk
about his books and autograph copies.

Mazer is the author of Dollar
Man, I Love You, Stupid, The
Island Keeper, The Lost Mission
and sympathetic character por­
trayals of young people.

Better communications

A free, two-part Communications
Workshop will be offered by the Career Resource Center at the
Bethlehem Public Library on
Monday, Nov. 17, and Monday,
Nov. 24, from 7 to 9 p.m. The workshop will be conducted by
Margie Wood, human relations
consultant who works with
Fortune 500 companies and the
National Chambers of Commerce
out of Washington, D.C., Manage­
ment Institute.

AARP goes Dutch

Allison Bennett, Bethlehem
historian and Spotlight columnist,
will present color slides on the
Dutch heritage at the Nov. 18
meeting of the Bethlehem Tri­
Village AARP chapter 1598.
Arthur Gerhardt, assistant state
director of the AARP, will attend
the meeting at the First United
Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood
Ave., Delmar, beginning at 12:30
p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall J. Draper

Long Island Wedding

Felice J. Kurtzman, daughter of
James J. and Laura Z. Kurtzman
of Brooklyn, and Randall J.
Draper, son of Judith W. and the
late Raymond J. Draper of
Delmar, were married Sept. 14
in Amsterdam, N.Y., with
Canon Eliot Dicker officiating.

The bride is a graduate of
Canisius High School and the
State University at Brockport. The
bridegroom is a graduate of
Bethlehem Central High School
and the State University College
at Brockport.

The couple will reside in
Pittsfield, Mass.

Holiday cool

A two-session workshop, entitled
"How to Stay Cool, Calm,
Collected and Loving for the
Holidays: Ten Ways to Make It a
Time You Want to Remember,"
will be presented by Dr. Lauren
Ayer at the Community United
Methodist Church, Slingerlands,
on Nov. 16 and 23, at 11:10 a.m.
All are welcome. For information
call 439-1766.

Book fair set

The Hamagrael Elementary
School book fair will be held
during American Education Week,
Nov. 17 through 21. Books will be:
Monday, Nov. 17, 8:45 a.m.
to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 18,
8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.;
Wednesday, Nov. 19, 8:45 a.m.
to 4 p.m.; and Thursday, Nov. 20,
8:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Books will be supplied by Great
American Book Fairs and Child­
ren's Bookmark of Crossgates
Mail. For information call 439-
4450.

Seniors at school

Grandparents and senior citizen
friends of students are invited to
share stories, hobbies, career
information and community ex­
periences at Glenmont Elementary
School on Monday, Nov. 17,
and at Clarksville Elementary
School on Wednesday, Nov. 19.
For reservations call 463-1154,
by Nov. 14.

Senior citizens are invited to
attend class and be guests for a
lunch hosted by the students of
Bethlehem Central High School
on Tuesday, Nov. 18, from 10 a.m.
until 1 p.m. For reservations call
Karen Peitler at 439-4955, by
Nov. 14. The Bethlehem Central
High School Sound System will
present a vocal program for resi­
dents of the Good Samaritan
Nursing Home on Wednesday,
Nov. 19, at 9:30 a.m.

On Thursday, Nov. 20, senior
citizens may visit Elsmere
Elementary School. "A Pocket Full of
Dreams" will be presented at
Slingerlands Elementary School
at 2 p.m. The high school
instruments ensemble will perform for
the Bethlehem Senior Citizens
meeting at the Delmar Town Hall,
beginning at 1 p.m.

Finally, senior citizens will be
recognized for their role in the
past, present and future during an
assembly at Hamagrael Elementary
School, on Friday, Nov. 21,
beginning at 2:30 p.m. A community
breakfast will be served at 8:30 a.m.
For reservations call 439-4955.

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Albany Division

Everyone is invited to have some fun at the
fair and do some early holiday shopping.

The Elsmere PTA is working this year to raise
funds to expand the playground equipment at
the school, and proceeds from the craft fair
will go towards that work.

Early holiday shopping

Get a jump on your holiday shopping at the
Elsmere Elementary School PTA Craft Fair
Day, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 15,
at the school on Delaware Ave.
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