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AMBULANCE FUND:

21 Doctors Approve; Blood Bank Gives \$42

HICKSVILLE—Twenty-one local physicians have now given their support to the forthcoming community ambulance fund appeal, it was disclosed today by Jerry Zettler, chairman of the ambulance fund with Herbert Johnson. At the same time Zettler announced that the sum of \$41.12 is being contributed to the fund drive, one of the first major contributions, from the treasury of the Hicksville Blood Bank, an organization which has not been active for several years.

The names of the doctors will be printed on the general appeal notice of the Ambulance Fund Drive which will go in circulation shortly. The physician form a special honorary committee.

Contributions are now being received and may be sent directly to the Fund care of Charles Barvels, fund treasurer who is assistant cashier of the Bank of Hicksville. The names of all contributors and the sum given will be listed as received in the Mid-Island Herald.

Duffy Park Civics Hold Election

HICKSVILLE—The Duffy Park Civic Assoc. has re-elected Walter Schreiber as president and will award turkeys and liquor at its meeting on Dec. 16. Proceeds of the award will finance the Christmas eve visit of Santa Claus to homes of children in the Duffy Park Section.

Also elected were Robert Kluck, vice president; Howard Lieder, treasurer; Mrs. Beth Tobins, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Eleanor Graham, recording secretary; and trustees John Harrington, Bill Tauby, George Winsor, Charles Wittenberger, and Ray Zurawell.

Variety Show As P-TA Benefit

HICKSVILLE—The two-hour variety show of the senior high school, featuring more than 30 talented students, will also be given on Saturday night, Dec. 4 at the high school under the auspices of the P-TA for the benefit of the scholarship fund, it was learned today. The performance is being given by the school on Thursday and Friday nights, Dec. 2 and 3. A. L. Kline, P-TA president, announces that tickets for Saturday's show will be sold at the door.



HARRIET SPINK (at the piano) supervisor of music in Hicksville Public Schools, with Jacquelin Dempsey, one of nine high school students admitted to competitive auditions in the sectional All State Music Festival at the new Farmingdale High School, Nov. 20. Others admitted to the auditions were Leona Ackerman, Eugene Nye, Judy Palkowick, Pierre Swick, Martha Wagner and Eric Weller. "This is one of the highest musical honors that can come to a high school student and our congratulations go to these young folk," Miss Spink said yesterday. Her report on the music festival appears in the weekend edition of the Herald. (Photo by Frank Mallett).

SPECTACULAR ARRIVAL:

Thousands Greet Santa

HICKSVILLE—An estimated 5,000 boys and girls were present with their parents, here, Saturday morning for the colorful grand arrival of Santa Claus under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce to officially open the Christ nas shopping season. The previous evening the gay Christmas lighting, trimmed with holiday roping, was lighted for the first time by Patrick J. Buffalino, chairman of the retailers committee of the Chamber.

Santa, jauntily attired in a curled beard, made a grand entrance Saturday morning in a parade up Broadway from First St. to the Post Office and back to the Long Island National Bank of Hicksville entrance where directors of the Chamber were assembled to greet him in the company of thousands of bright eyed youngsters.

Forming the reception committee as Santa leaped down off the Hook and Ladder fire truck were Albert Schachner, president of the Chamber; Mal Pierce, vice president; William E. Koutensky, Patrick Caputo, George Rappaport, William Mannilla, Sam Pace and Buffalino. Also Phil Illman and Eugene Staller, active members of the retailers committee.

Uniformed members of the Civil Defense auxiliary police formed the color guard for the Christmas parade which included the Hicksville High School Band. The weather was ideal for the event.

Capt. Harold Manaskie was in charge of the Hook and Ladder Truck. The new 1955 Pontiac to be given away by the business people to some lucky shopper was also in the parade.

Pictures of the Santa Claus arrival in town will be published in the Herald's weekend edition.

Maj Fluckiger Going To Iran

NEW YORK CITY—Major Fred Fluckiger, Jr. of 8 Laurel St., Hicksville, has been selected for assignment to the United States Military Mission with the Iranian Army. Major Fluckiger is a graduate of Hicksville High School and a long time resident of that community, having distinguished himself as an outstanding athlete during the 1980's.

After leaving Long Island University he was called to military duty in early 1941 and served in the enlisted ranks until 1942 at which time he was commissioned a second lieutenant. He served with the Army Engineers in Europe during World War II, participating in combat action in France, Germany and Austria and was awarded the Bronze Star Medal for outstanding meritorious service. Released from the military service in late 1945 he returned to Hicksville accepting a position with the American Tobacco Co. of New York while attending evening sessions at New York University.

Recalled to active duty in 1946 he served three years on the island of Guam in the South Pacific. He was returned to the United States in 1951 and since that time has been with the New York Military District as a unit advisor at the Army Reserve Training Center, 42nd St., here. He was promoted to the grade of major in 1952 and since then has graduated from the Army's famed Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. It is anticipated that Major Fluckiger will depart the United States for Iran in mid-December and will be accompanied by his wife and three daughters.

Annual Bazaar Set For Friday

Rosary Altar Society will hold its Christmas bazaar on Friday December 3rd, at St. Ignace Cafeteria from 1 to 9 P.M. Hand-made articles, aprons, novelties, home made bread, cake and pies. Also a white elephant booth. Chairmen are Mrs. Florence Nenninger, Mrs. Victoria Abramowska.

Woodbury Gardens Hosts To 400 Boys And Girls

HICKSVILLE—More than 400 children from the Woodbury Gardens section were treated to their third annual Christmas party by the Civic Assoc. at Woodland Ave. School, Saturday afternoon, according to President Franklin Hamilton. Santa, wearing a brand new uniform this year, toured the neighborhood prior to the festivities at the school which included candy and gifts for all children and motion pictures.

Award Trophies To Champions

HICKSVILLE—A handsome trophy was awarded to the Mid-Island Herald by the Central Nassau Little League at ceremonies held Sunday afternoon at Levittown Hall, here. The presentation was made to the newspaper as the sponsor of the 1954 championship team in the minor league. Each member of the team was presented with a trophy. Edwin M. Arundell, head of the minor league, called out the names of the members of the team and officiated in the absence of Eastern Division President Thomas H. Murray, Jr., who was away on a business trip. Ray de Chester, Jr., of Westbury, commissioner of the Central Nassau Little League, was in charge of the program.

SCHOOL BUILDING: Next 3 Or 4 Years Are Most Critical

(Third in a Series)

The enrollment of the Hicksville public schools will reach a critical position within the next three or four years, according to the latest report to the Board of Education by Columbia University, Teachers College, Institute of Field Studies. During this span the elementary enrollment will be nearing a peak. With schools crowded and the need for double sessions for at least 10 years clearly apparent, Dr. Felix McCormick warns that "extreme caution" must be exerted to prevent over-building.

The Herald as a public service is publishing the text of the fourth and latest Columbia report, made to the Board in September of this year. This third and final article covers "conclusions and recommendations" as follows:

"It is during these next three or four years that extreme caution will need to be exerted to prevent over-building the elementary school plant with facilities that would be needed for 10 or 15 years.

"The most economical school plant program (for Hicksville) would be the erection of permanent-type elementary schools in the proper locations to care for the anticipated long-range elementary school enrollment of about 4,800 pupils.

"This would mean caring for the peak enrollment, which for a year or so may go as high as 8,600 pupils, on some sort of emergency or temporary arrangement. There are several methods which could be used, none of which is as educationally desirable as permanent-type facilities for all pupils every year.

Public School Enrollment

HICKSVILLE, NEW YORK
SEPTEMBER 18, 1954

Grade	Number	
Kindergarten	1,216	
1st	1,106	
2nd	1,151	
3rd	967	
4th	638	
5th	610	
6th	518	
Total K-6	6,262	
7th	564	
8th	385	
9th	374	
Total 7-9	1,333	
10th	246	
11th	201	
12th	153	
Total 10-12	600	
Specials	27	
Total K-12	8,162	
Columbia Report		Institute of Field Studies

"The district will need to make a choice, however, between some sort of temporary arrangement for several years or a serious waste of capital outlay funds through over building.

"Some of the methods that might be used by the district during the peak enrollment period," according to Dr. McCormick, "are: "1. Larger classes, probably as high as 30 or 35 pupils per class group.

"2. Overlapping or extended sessions.

"3. Temporary facilities, such as residences, stores, churches, etc., adapted for classroom use.

"4. Double sessions.

"Since the district now has available or is planning for elementary facilities for 4,825 pupils, including the facilities at Nicholas St. School, additional elementary school facilities should be provided immediately.

"Although both the Wetters (Glenbrook) and Willet Ave. sites, now being considered by the Board of Education, are not as well located for the long-range plan as might be desired, they probably offer the best solution now available.

"The Institute, therefore, recommends the erection of an elementary school on each of these sites. These buildings should include at least the following spaces: 1 Kindergarten, 12 Classrooms, 1 Special Room, 1 Library, 1 Multipurpose Room, 1 Health Room, 1 Teachers' Room, 1 Office and Service Areas.

"The erection of these two new (Continued on Page 5)

1. CAKE SALE FRIDAY

The Burns Ave. PTA will hold a Cake Sale in the Big Ben Super Market, on West Marie St., Hicksville on Friday, Dec. 3, from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. Cake, cookies, cupcakes, and doughnuts, baked and donated by the membership will be on sale.



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Obituary

Lewis J. Monico

SEATTLE, WASH.—Lewis J. Monico, well known to older Hicksville residents, died here after a week's illness and was buried on Nov. 11.

He is survived by two brothers. He was an Army veteran of the first World War.

Emma Rusch

HICKSVILLE—Emma Rusch of 400 Broadway, here, died on Nov. 27. She was the wife of the late Henry R. Rusch, mother of William F., Mrs. LeRoy O'Toole; Raymond H., Edwin C., Mrs. Robert Borley; the late Mrs. Ruth Nagele; the late Ralph Rusch.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Harry Dauch; a brother, Joseph Kasten Sr.; thirteen grandchildren, nine great-grand children.

Religious services from Henry J. Stock's Funeral Home on Monday Nov. 29, at 8 P.M. Rev. Edward Stammel officiated. Funeral was on Tuesday Nov. 30, at 10 A.M. Interment was at Plain Lawn Cemetery.

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PETER MANGUS of Capital Finance has become a member of the Hicksville Kiwanis Club. ... Attending the annual meeting of delegates to the New York State Teachers Assoc. at the Hotel Commodore in New York City Nov. 20 to 23 were LEON GALLOWAY, principal of Hicksville junior high; HERBERT ISAAC and Miss THELMA PHELPS as delegates of the Hicksville schools and Miss AGNES SCHOBEL of Bethpage School as delegate of the first supervisory district of Nassau County. ... The Hicksville Exempt-Firemen's Assoc. will again this Christmas remember some of its veteran members. ...

HICKSVILLE GABLES:

P-TAs Plan Wholesome Movies

By CONSTANCE GIBSON

Hicksville 4-1482

Have heard that the Hicksville PTAs are forming a group which will try and arrange for the showing of wholesome movies on weekends for the youngsters to view. This seems to be a wonderful idea since most children go to the show on weekends. Without the united co-operation on the part of the parents the theatres and other places and fields of entertainment cannot possibly know what kind of material is wanted and what is not. There has been a lot of favorable comment in the past weeks in regard to the new Walt Disney Show on television but did you ever wonder as to how many people have written in to say how much they like and appreciate the show. Just a little hint.

Tuesday, Nov. 9 marked the reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation by some 500 children and adults as administered by Bishop Molloy of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn. Many of our own Gables children were among the participants in the ceremony which began at four o'clock.

Theresa McAleer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. McAleer of 17 Gables Drive was visited by her grandmother, Mrs. W. McAleer of Woodside on her Confirmation. On Thursday, Nov. 11th, she was treated to a turkey dinner with her uncle, Brother Kiernan O'Connor who teaches in the Sacred Heart School in New York City, her uncle, Mr. James O'Connor of New York City and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodstock and their children, Ellen and Michael also of New York City as guests.

Rita Giannelli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Giannelli of 11 South Elm St. celebrated her big day by having dinner with her family and best friend, Patricia Oliver of 6 South Elm St. in the Clam Box in Westbury.

Alberta Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray of 28 Gables

Drive received as Confirmation day gifts a lovely strand of pearls and an equally beautiful bracelet.

Barbara Karachi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karachi of 8 South Elm St. had dinner with her friend Penelope Creegan of 62 Pine St. and then went to her house where she attended Miss Creegan's 12th birthday party.

Michael Cotsanos, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Cotsanos of 14 Gables Rd. is on the mend after breaking his collar bone while playing in the yard of the East St. School. Get the cast off quick Michael.

Related birthday greetings go to Michael Talbot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Talbot of 13 Gables Drive and all congratulations for having received the Sacrament Confirmation. Mickey was 12 years old on Nov. 11th at which time he was visited by Mrs. Jean Perfall and children, Kenneth and Caroline of Franklin Square.

Related birthday greetings go also to Mr. William Yungler Jr. of 4 Gables Rd. whose day was Friday, Nov. 9th.

Mrs. C. Carpenter of 29 Gables Rd. celebrated her Nov. 15th birthday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Norma Duffy of 61 Hollins Rd. The day also marked her brother, Vincent Sarli's birthday. Present for the celebration were Mrs. Vincent Sarli, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Duffy, Miss Katherine Sarli and Mr. C. Carpenter all of Hicksville.

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Committee Recommends Board Measure 'Safe Route' On Foot

HICKSVILLE—Nine main streets in the community are designated "major traffic arteries" under proposed rules developed by a special committee established by the Board of Education to look into methods of measuring distances from homes to schools attended in connection with student bus transportation.

The committee consisting of two queen, Leonard Neilson, James Matienzo and Board members Emil Seedy and Joseph Cawley.

The Committee came up with the flat recommendation that Board Policy be "distance be measured by the designated pedestrian route for the child and NOT the nearest car route".

Cheney was chairman of the committee which included Joseph Mul-

ing this policy, the committee recommends that the Board adopt determinations which might be termed "rules" or "interpretation" under which the policy will be administered, which might be supplemented from time to time as the need arises, rather than attempting to meet immediately all potential problems in defining "designated" pedestrian routes. The Committee recommends that the following "rules" be adopted:

"Rule 1—Designated Pedestrian Route Across Major Traffic Arteries—Where it is necessary to cross major traffic arteries, the pedestrian route shall cross only where protection is provided consisting of either: (a) Traffic light, (b) traffic guard (policeman or authorized civilian), (c) Stop signs. (The committee deems stop signs not wholly adequate protection but the best available at the present time at certain crossings).

"Rule 2—Major Traffic Arteries—In application of rule 1, the following shall be defined as major traffic arteries: Old Country Rd., Broadway, Jerusalem Ave., Newbridge Rd., Woodbury Rd., Plainview Rd., West John St., Levittown Pkwy., Hempstead Ave.

"Rule 3—Distance Measure—That the distance measured shall be from in front of the child's residence to the front entrance of the school by the designated route."

at 65 cents a copy from the superintendent of Documents, Washington 25, D.C. And mail users anxious to keep abreast of all changes in this material that may be made from time may get both the pamphlet in loose-leaf format and a year's subscription to all sheets making changes for a total of \$2, also from the Superintendent of Documents, the postmaster noted.

The revision of the Postal Manual, Postmaster Molitor said, represents what Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield has described as the "most complete revision of regulations in the history of the U. S. Post Office Dept."

The Dept. on Oct. 21 issued the first preliminary edition, and Summerfield invited the general public, as well as large mailers and postal employees, to suggest constructive revisions for incorporation into the final edition.

Post Offices Simplifies Rules

HICKSVILLE—Postmaster William G. Molitor today called to the attention of mail users major new postal regulations being issued effective Dec. 1 which will provide "important changes and simplifications in the use of the mails."

The Post Office Dept. is issuing a final edition of a history-making new Postal Manual which contains these changes in simple form. The new manual will bring together in less than 400 pages public-interest postal regulations formerly scattered through 4,000 pages of dense print, Postmaster Molitor explained.

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String Quartet As Ambassadors

HICKSVILLE—The Nassau School of Music String Quartet, heard in many performances in the area, was presented in a concert by the Lancaster, Pa., YWCA on Sunday, Nov. 14. The concert was in celebration of the Y's Centennial. The performance was very well attended, and enthusiastically applauded. The musicians were guests of honor at a reception following the concert.

The four players were Melvin Berger, 33 W. Marie St.; Michael Tolomeo, Levittown, and Jack Shapiro and Otto Derj of New York City. All are members of the faculty of the Nassau School of Music here.

Berger and Tolomeo, directors of the Nassau School of Music feel that concerts such as these are an excellent opportunity to show the people outside the immediate area the quality of the musical activity in Hicksville. Several more concerts are planned out of town, as well as local appearances.

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THE SCHOOLS ARE YOURS.

Know Your School Personnel

By ROBERT E. TUTTLE

Supervising Principal
Plainview Schools

My neighbor, John Q. Public and I were discussing education.

"How many different types of personnel are employed in the schools?" was John's first question.

"For the sake of clarity and convenience suppose we divide them into non-teaching, teaching and other employees. If we consider all administrators in the non-teaching category, all classroom teachers in the teaching classification, then all other employees would be concerned with such things as building maintenance, office, clerical and secretarial workers and so forth."

"How many types of administrators are there?"

"In general there are three types. Some school districts have a Superintendent of Schools. He is the chief administrative officer. Generally the

Superintendent is charged by the Board of Education with the overall supervision of the school system. He may delegate responsibility in various areas to others but fundamentally he is responsible."

"The others?"

"Secondly, public school principals must be listed. Principals are of three types. The district principal is the executive head of the schools in a given district. His position is similar to that of a Superintendent of Schools. Then there are building principals who are responsible for the educational program in a certain building and directly responsible to the superintendent or district principal. These building principals are of two types. If the building and the number of classes is small the principal may teach a regular class in addition to his administrative duties. If the building houses 8 or more classes the principal usually devotes

on his full time to administration."

"We have talked about superintendents and principals. What is the third type?"

"Supervisors should be considered as a part of the administrative setup. Large school systems generally have a supervisor of music art, remedial reading, physical education and other subjects or activities."

"What do these supervisors do?" John asked.

"It is their duty to formulate with the administrators and teachers a workable program for their special fields. In large school systems, for example, there may be six or more physical education teachers. The supervisor is the liaison person between the superintendent or principal and the individual physical education teachers."

"Most administrators have been teachers. Is teaching the accepted way to an administrative post?"

"It is not only the accepted way, John, for the most part it is the way. For example, in order to qualify for a principal's license one is required to teach a certain number of years."

"Is that the only requirement?"

"No, one must be qualified to teach in the field, either elementary or high school."

"What do you mean by that?"

"No elementary teacher can become a high school principal unless qualified to teach in high school. It is also true that no high school teacher can become an elementary principal unless qualified to teach in the elementary school. But aside from this certain courses in educational administration must be taken with the approval of the State Education Department. A principal's certificate usually requires a Master's Degree or its equivalent—representing five years of professional preparation."

"What about the teachers?"

"Teachers must be duly licensed in the field they are going to teach. At present regularly qualified beginning teachers in the elementary field possess at least a Bachelor's Degree—representing four years of professional preparation. Beginning high school teachers, regularly qualified, must have at least five years of professional preparation."

"That wasn't always true," said John. "I remember my Aunt Sarah taught school years ago by attending a teachers' college."

"That's true, but in the past many other types of professional work has been requiring more and more preparation on the part of those entering its service."

"How are teachers hired?"

"Since 1945 there has been a teacher tenure system in operation in New York State in all schools employing eight or more teachers. Under the tenure system a teacher is appointed for a three year probationary period upon the selection of the principal and the recommendation to the Board of Education by the District Superintendent of Schools. In school systems employing a Superintendent of Schools the superintendent selects with the advice of his professional assistants and also recommends candidates to the Board of Education. A teacher candidate must always be formally appointed by the Board of Education."

"What happens at the end of the three year probationary period?"

"For just reasons a teacher can be released during the probationary period upon the recommendation of the superintendent. However, at the end of the three year probationary period a teacher may then be dismissed by the Board of Education irrespective of any recommendation by the superintendent or appointed to tenure only if

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SCHOOL NOTES:

Principal Plays Major Role

(This column is contributed as a public service by the Plainview Citizens' Committee for Better Schools. Direct your questions to School Notes, 118 Mercen Blvd., Plainview.)

In discussing the duties of the school board, we mentioned that the District Principal plays a major role in determining what Plainview's educational program shall be. This brought several inquiries about our District Principal. To get the best picture, we went to Robert Tuttle himself. The answers given are his answers to your questions.

Q. What is the District Principal's relationship to the school board?

A. I work closely with the Board of Education. I keep the Board informed as to the status of things in the district. I study our problems and, on the basis of my studies and my professional training, make recommendations to the board. The Board of Education then arrives at its policy based on these recommendations in addition to those made by the District Superintendent and the State Education Department.

Q. What other duties does a District Principal have?

A. Briefly, I am the chief educational officer of the district. I supervise instruction with the three building principals, work closely on financial matters with the district business manager. I make reports to the District Superintendent of Schools and the State Education Department.

Q. What direct relationship has the District Principal to the public at large?

A. I strive to inform the public regarding educational policy. In a fast-growing system such as ours, it is necessary to walk before we run. It is difficult to solve all the problems immediately. Therefore we work toward effectuating a solution of the major problems first. To date people have responded well—due to the public information program initiated by the Board of Education in 1952. Since then, all votes on school matters have been overwhelmingly carried indicating confidence in the approach taken to solve our problems. The residents' confidence in these matters has enabled us to move forward rapidly.

Q. Could you summarize your philosophy of education?



ROBERT TUTTLE

A. Education should mean that children learn the three "R's" and have instruction in art, music, physical education and other special fields. I feel that teaching should be judged by results rather than by educational theories be they traditional or progressive. Fully as important the schools are responsible for the growth of children into competent citizens. They must be taught right from wrong. The schools should develop such character traits as courtesy, truthfulness, kindness. The teachers achieve this character training by being themselves examples of fairness to all. They insist in respect and honesty from their pupils, and people usually get the best from others if they confidently expect the best.

Q. Would you tell us something of your own background and training?

A. Being the son of a Protestant minister, I moved frequently in childhood, among various small towns in upstate New York. I completed three years of training at Brockport State Teachers College in Brockport, N. Y. I received a B. A. degree from Alfred University in Alfred, N. Y. Later I took a Master's Degree in Elementary School Administration at Teachers College, Columbia University.

I taught ten years before coming to Plainview. I started in a one room school on an Indian Reservation. From there I moved to a two room school on another reservation where I taught grades 4-8. I then taught grade 7 at Setauket High School. After two years, I moved to Canisatego Central School in upper New York State where I taught Junior High Science. At East Quogue, I was the principal teacher of a three teacher school.

In 1950 after five years at East Quogue I became the principal teacher with a staff of three other full time teachers at the old Mannetto Hill School. In 1951 I became a full time principal and the chief educational administrator of our local district.

Q. What are your future plans in Plainview?

A. We have made our home here in the district with our family of four children. On the basis of the progress that has been made in the past few years, I am sure the Plainview Public Schools will develop into one of the finest school systems in New York State. At the present time in conjunction with the District Superintendent and the Board of Education we are continuing to develop plans based on actual and potential growth projections.

Here we have introduced our District Principal Mr. Tuttle. He plans to speak at each P.T.A. before the school year is over. Meet him personally there. Your interest will stimulate progress in your schools.

MEETING ON THURSDAY

PLAINVIEW—Next meeting of the Mannetto Hill P.T.A. will be held Thursday, Dec. 2 at 8:15 P.M.

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2 Cubs Advance Columbia Report Into Scouting

PLAINVIEW—Cub Scouts Gail Cornell and Jim Hogan formally graduated from Cub Scout Pack 13 here to the Boy Scouts, during the Pack meeting held Nov. 23 at Central Park Road School. Scoutmaster Frank Vernon was on hand to welcome the boys into the Scout Troop.

At this well-attended meeting, a large group of the Cubs received their Wolf badge for completed achievements from Cubmaster Joe Hendrick through their parents, who made the formal presentation. The Cubmaster also presented stripes to the Denners and Asst. Denners of each Den. Two new Cubs were initiated into Pack 13: Brian Veltin and John Farley, Jr. (Hudsonforth the latter will have to be referred to as Junior, since he is the second John Farley in the Pack.)

A novel bingo game was run for the parents by Jim Hogan, the prize won by Mrs. Ann Brehon. Den 4 presented their boys in an hilarious skit which was enjoyed by all.

The next Pack 13 Committee meeting will be held Dec. 7, 6:30 P.M. at Cubmaster Joe Hendrick's home, 18 E. Main Lane. All Den Mothers and Fathers and Committeemen are urged to attend.

At the next Pack meeting, Dec. 21 at 7:30 P.M., the Cubs will have a surprise treat in store for the parents, making it imperative for one or both parents of each boy to be present. The formal 1955 Charter presentation will be made at this meeting. Don't be an inactive supporter of the Cub movement. Remember it is a father and/or mother and son activity. Forgo the TV and not one, but both parents, show.

Burns Ave P-TA Hears Inspector

The regular meeting of the Burns Ave. Parent-Teacher Assoc. Member of the N. Y. State Congress of Parents and Teachers, was held on November 18 in the school auditorium.

The meeting was opened with musical selections sung by a Choral Group composed of 44 boys and girls from the school, and led by Norman Ward, Music teacher.

Mr. Martin Adorian, Asst. Director of the East Central section of the Western L. I. Dist. of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, presented Mrs. Stanley Chamer, Pres., with the Burns Ave. Charter.

The guest speaker for the evening, Asst. Chief Police Inspector, Stuyvesant Pinnell was introduced by Louis Penque, Program Chairman. Inspector Pinnell's topic was "Delinquency". He outlined various cases, and explained that the most important factor regarding children was parental guidance. "Know what your children are doing and where they are." "Children should not be allowed by their parents to be out on the streets after a reasonable hour, unescorted." A discussion period followed with Inspector Pinnell answering questions presented by the membership.

It was announced that the Ways and Means Committee are planning a Cake Sale, to be held Friday, December 3, in the Big Ben Supermarket.

Refreshments were served after the meeting was adjourned.

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HERALD READER OPINION

Schools Have Enough to Do

By LUCIA McINTOSH.

To the Editor:

In answer to Esta Orten may I state that the arts, painting, music, the band, recreational dancing, all sports are now being provided under trained supervision in each department. They are functioning very satisfactorily now.

The addition of a recreational director in the school system is not needed. He could only confuse the various activities by issuing orders and providing services which would be overlapping.

The school facilities are now being taxed to the utmost, and I am sure that the School Board as well as all the administrators, the teachers and the custodians all work so hard now, we will soon have to provide a "rest home" for them. It is not fair to place a greater burden upon them without asking each one's vote first. They are only human and as the bulk of the work would expand, they should first have their say.

Mrs. Orten says that \$15,000 would cover the cost of a director and materials. That would not pay for the damage done to the schools, much less provide light, heat, leaders, janitor service and I believe she mentioned transportation

which is a major school board headache already.

Dr. Hutchinson's report mentions to ask the services of volunteers. Well, if that is the case, and I am sure it is, then let us review the existing volunteer services first. Girl Scouts — there is an excellent program functioning perfectly under volunteer, trained leaders, but Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Jr., vice chairman of the N.Y. State Girl Scouts, told a radio audience last week their major problem is: meeting rooms for their activities.

The Boy Scouts, Police Boys Club, the various church and fraternal clubs, all a credit to voluntary unpaid leadership. We now have a joint pool and Levittown Hall district for recreational facilities for the south of Hicksville; so a Community Youth Centre for the rest of Hicksville is not asking too much of our town fathers.

If a recreational director is needed, they will also provide one; but the School Board as well as the teachers should not and must not be imposed upon with that extra load which belongs to ALL the citizens of a community. I am sure that Mr. DeShaw just tried to light a spark of enthusiasm among the parents, as any hard worker will do whether he is paid or not. And the parents MUST become enthusiastic about their youth's activities to be a success.

Our children know what they want to do. They just need loving guidance and quiet leadership away from the curriculum. It is a great privilege for the parents to be able to have a part in such a worthwhile program.

So don't "let George, the teacher, do it all". DO it yourselves and ask the neighbors to help.
6 Howard St.
Hicksville, N. Y.
Nov. 26, 1954.

Faith Miller

Becomes Engaged

Mrs. Dorothy J. Miller, of 46 Abbott Ln., Hicksville, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Faith, to LeRoy W. Parr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman L. Parr, of 14 Charles St.

The wedding has been set for Feb. 27.

Homemaker's Dispatch

THE NEW BABY

If you're having your first baby, the little bundle of humanity the nurse presents to you may come as something of a surprise. Perhaps you didn't expect to see your baby so tiny, red and wrinkled, but don't be alarmed. All babies look like that when they're born. Their legs look small and curved. They'll grow as big as baby gets older. His head may look out of proportion since it's bigger than his chest.

You may wonder where he got those big blue eyes. He may not have them for long. All babies have smoky blue eyes when they're born, but they change color during the first few months. If he has hair when he's born, it probably won't look much like the hair he'll have eventually.

Though your new baby may seem helpless, he's actually quite talented, say the Cornell specialists. He knows how to breathe, but he's still learning. Don't get upset if his breathing seems shallow or irregular. He also knows how to suck but he may need practice. If he makes a poor showing at his first meal, just give him time. He'll soon learn.

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- (i) considering and determining by vote whether a Plan and Agreement, dated November 9, 1954, to consolidate the said Bank with The Meadowbrook National Bank of Freeport under the provisions of the laws of the United States, should be ratified and confirmed; and
- (ii) considering and voting upon any other matters incidental to the proposed consolidation as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment or adjournments thereof.

A copy of the said Plan and Agreement of Consolidation, executed by a majority of the directors of each of the two banks, is on file at the principal office of the Bank of Hicksville and may be inspected during business hours.

HENRY G. EISEMANN, President.
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals will be received by the Jones Beach State Parkway Authority at its Administration Headquarters, Belmont Lake State Park, Babylon, New York, until 2:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, on December 15, 1954, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, for the following:

- Contract No. MW - 2a General Construction
- Contract No. MW - 2b Plumbing and Drainage
- Contract No. MW - 2c Heating and Ventilating
- Contract No. MW - 2d Electrical Work

Contract documents including the Specifications and Plans may be seen and may be obtained at the offices of the Jones Beach State Parkway Authority, Belmont Lake State Park, Babylon, New York, and at the Offices of Leiper & Ross, Architects and Engineers, 254 West 44th Street, New York 19, New York.

A certified check in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal must accompany each bid. Ten days or more after bids are opened, a satisfactory bond in the same amount may be substituted for the certified check.

The Contracts will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or Proposals will be rejected within thirty days from the date of opening Proposals. The Authority reserves the right to reject any and all Proposals, and may advertise for the new proposals if in its opinion, the best interest of the Authority will thereby be promoted.

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TOWN OF HEMPSTEAD—Resolution of May 29, 1951, December 8, 1953, January 5, 1954, and May 25, 1954, amending the Town of Hempstead Zoning Ordinance, one parcel being changed from "C" Residence to Business, and another from "C" Residence to "C-A" or Multiple Residence District, consisting of approximately 68.55 acres, located west of Damson Lane and Hawthorne Lane, and north of Flower Road, extending north to Sunrise Highway. This property is located within 300 feet of the line between the Town and the Village of Valley Stream.

Dated: November 26, 1954
By Order of
NASSAU COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
Charles H. Weckerle
Executive Secretary
D921-ex 11/30

LEGAL NOTICE

JERICHO FIRE DISTRICT PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the Town Law, Section 176, subdivision 1, the ANNUAL ELECTION of the Jericho Fire District will be held at the Firehouse, Jericho, N. Y., on Tuesday, December 7, 1954, for the purpose of electing one Fire Commissioner for a term of five years in place of Harold Smith and electing a Treasurer for a term of (3) years in place of George Cassey, whose terms of office expire. The polls will be open for the receipt of Ballots between the hours of 7:00 P.M. o'clock and 10:00 P.M. o'clock.

Pursuant to a Resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners, nominations for this office shall be by petition, signed by at least (25) qualified voters of the District, to be filed with the Secretary of the Fire District prior to midnight, Monday, November 29, 1954, in order to have their names appear on the ballot. Dated at Jericho, N. Y. November 28, 1954

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
Harry Stewart, Secretary
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THOMAS J. CURRAN,
Secretary of State.
By Sidney B. Gordon
Deputy Secretary of State.

D919-ex13/7

LEGAL NOTICE

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
Regular meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals, Town of Oyster Bay, will be held at the Justice Court room, Oyster Bay, December 9, 1954, at 7:30 P.M. CASE #4054

APPELLANT — Woodbury Downes, Inc. 215 N. Broadway, Hicksville.
SUBJECT — Variance to erect dwelling on plot with less width, area, side yard and side front setback than ordinance allows.
LOCATION — North west cor. David Ave. & Moeller St., Hicksville.

APPELLANT — Woodbury Downes, Inc. 215 N. Broadway, Hicksville.
SUBJECT — Variance to erect dwelling on plot with less width, area, side yard and side front setback than ordinance allows.
LOCATION — South east corner of David Ave. & Moeller St., Hicksville.

APPELLANT — East side of Fountain St. about 212' North of Coolidge Ave. Hicksville.
SUBJECT — Variance in erect detached garage with less rear yard than ordinance allows.
LOCATION — South West corner of Dean Street & Tobias Street, Hicksville.

OF APPEALS
Town of Oyster Bay
Daniel Hohenberg, Secretary
OYSTER BAY, NEW YORK
D920-ex 11/30

Glen Cove-Hicksville League, of Mercy Hospital will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday December 1st, at 2:15 P.M. at the home of Mrs. William Duffy, Duffy Ave., Hicksville.

Dec. 7—Hicksville Community Concerts, John Sebastian and Dorothy Jarnac, at high school auditorium.

Hair Breadth Harry



Amvets Alley

By JAMES COOLEY

NOW HEAR THIS: Once again AMVETS Alley is back in print, the column where both members and non-members get a little news of what's new in veterans affairs and how the "World's Fastest Growing Vets Organization" is faring. With this our first column for the new



AMVETS post, we must honestly say, that our expected turnout was not too great, due to foul weather with a heavy fog. Those that did attend made it known that they will become members of Long Island's ninth post. Appointed temporary Historian was BILL (CORKIE) CORCORAN and with him appointed also as 2nd Vice Commander was EDDIE (ACE) QUMBY. The list as of now for both former members and new members are herewith: JOHN BERNARDO, FRED KASTNER, JIMMY COOLEY, JOHNNY SWICKICKI, WILLIAM CORCORAN, LARRY HUFF, HARRY ZVONIK, GUS NOUEL, EDDIE QUMBY, WILLIAM PERDUE . . . the prospective members are JIMMY MILES and GENE GLENNON.

New Officer Manuals were distributed to a few of the officers who were present. The new booklet for Finance-Officer and Adjutant was also given out. Among the former AMVETS who may join with

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A bit of ODDS 'N' ENDS: Congratulations are in order to PAPPY CORCORAN and his charming wife on the arrival of a baby girl. The CORCORANs have two small sons. Present at the meeting were RITA KASTNER, HELEN COOLEY and ELLEN SWICKICKI the nucleus of the LADIES AUXILIARY.

The Air Force new B-58 may be the first Atomic powered airplane (this is not a secret). As write-ups of various service reunions come in, I will submit them in this column . . . watch for your outfit in this space. HEY THERE: Will JIM MILES, GENE GLENNON, GWEN MILES and ROSEMARY GLENNON pay us a visit at the next meeting.

IMPORTANT MEETINGS: December 3rd and 17th. Officers meet on Friday evening, December 10 at the Cooleys. Our thanks to VINNIE, JIM and NUNZIE for their kindness at our last gathering. AMVET Charlie Gunther, former Songwriter of such hits as "The Long Island Blues", "A Letter Natch My Door", who was running as a Republican candidate for office update, will start anew the inactive Triple Cities Post from what I hear. And now to close with this remark . . . If you are a Veteran of World War II - Korea, why not drop in at the PINE LODGE on December 3rd and sign up with AMVETS . . . the OUTFIT that is meant for you.

This is Jimmy Cooley
AmVet Correspondent

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ON AND OFF MILLWOOD GATE:

Plans For Children's Yule Party

By DOROTHY R. BROWN
Hicksville 4-0128

We trust that you all had a very nice Thanksgiving either at home with your family visiting you or you visiting your family for the day. Everybody seemed to have some special plans for which they were busy getting ready for when I was looking for news this week.

Last week the Millwood Gate Property Owners Assn. held a very interesting meeting with the new president, John F. Mulholland, presiding. During the business meeting several new committees were formed. A committee headed by Marie A. Orlando of Fernside Dr. is to make plans for a children's Christmas party to be held indoors.

A dance committee headed by Charles Brady of Mayflower Dr. is planning for a dancing to be held in January, and last but not least is a refreshment committee for refreshments to be served after each meeting. I am sure that if any of our good women are called upon to make a cake for a meeting they will be glad to co-operate with Mrs. Patricia Drake of Birchwood Lane who is in charge of this detail.

Since Thomas M. Murphy of the original organizers and the first president of the association it was only fitting that a suitable plaque should be given to him as he retired from office this year. Due to an illness he was unable to attend the

meeting but a neighbor, Harry Smith accepted it for him.

After the business meeting Warren Nathan introduced the speaker of the evening who was Ernest Francis. He gave an interesting talk on the county government and how it affects us. He said that these civic organizations are very valuable to all members. He also gave the association an invitation to visit his office in off hours and we would be shown around. This will be arranged for sometime in the future. After his speech he gave the charges to the new officers for the coming year and announced that he would be happy to give the association a gavel which we are sure will be appreciated by the group.

November is not the month for birthdays in our group. In fact, there are less birthdays in this month than any other one of the year. Amongst those who did celebrate this month we find Miss Phyllis Murray who was twelve on November 4, and Miss Peggy Campanella who was also twelve on Nov. 7. Nov. 7 was shared by little Carolyn Winkelman who was three years old and Stephen Woodchuck

who was only two years old. Nov. 11 we find that Misses Janis Grossi was four years old and Lynn Youngman was five years old. We now jump to November 21 when Paul Magallano was three years old. On Wednesday the 24th John Mulholland Jr. was 2 years old and on the 25th Carol Ann Hellreigel was seven years old. Last but not least is Robert Farquharson of Fordham Rd. who will be eleven years old on November 30.

BE GOOD TO BLANKETS

These frosty nights, it seems so good to leap into bed and pull up those warm blankets about your ears. Don't forget, though, that the warmth and usefulness of a blanket are prolonged through proper care, say Cornell specialists. The fluffier the blanket, the warmer it is, so shake blankets gently often to air them and fluff up the nap. Never jerk a blanket loose from the bed when you're making it. Instead loosen it at the corners and remove it gently.

A blanket cover made of some lightweight washable material helps protect the blanket from soil and also increases warmth.

The Schools Are Yours:

(Continued from Page 4)
that recommendation is favorable. A teacher appointed to tenure serves during good behavior and can only be dismissed for serious or just charges. Teachers may accept another position, however.

"How are teachers salaries determined?"
"Boards of Education must pay salaries equal to the minimum for New York State as established in 1950 and amended in 1951. Under the law, beginning teachers in the state outside of New York City, Westchester, Nassau and Suffolk Counties must receive \$2,500. If a Bachelor's degree is possessed while those with a Master's Degree receive \$2,700. Salaries of beginning teachers in Westchester, Nassau and Suffolk Counties are \$200 higher in each case while New York City salaries are still higher by a \$100 or so. However, most school districts have higher beginning salaries than the state mandated ones. For instance, beginning salaries in Nassau County range from \$3,200 to \$3,700 depending on the locality and the degree possessed."

"Can a teacher tell what the salary will be in the future?"
"Definitely. Salary schedules provides for increases or increments for from 12 to 16 years to a maximum. Some school districts provide a super-maximum for outstanding work or advanced education."

"Do all districts have the same salary schedules?"

"No, as long as the minimum requirements of the law are met a school district through the Board of Education can establish the salary schedule it desires."

"What about the other employees?"

"Civil Service employees are the clerical or secretarial workers in the school office, custodians, permanent maintenance workers, bus drivers if the school buses are district owned, cafeteria workers etc."

"How are the salaries of these employees set?"

"By the Board of Education but regulations as to tenure of office, etc. are set by the Civil Service Commission and these employees are required to pass Civil Service Examinations."

"I believe I am familiar with the duties of these employees," said John. "Custodians we used to call janitors, eh? Are there any other employees?"

"Yes, larger districts are employing purchasing agents or business managers who select and purchase supplies etc.—subject to approval by the Board of Education."

"That sounds sensible."

"Indeed it is. When school districts become large with several thousand pupils, several buildings, numerous employees and expenditures amounting to more than a million dollars annually, it seems to be in keeping with sound business practice for a purchasing agent or business manager, familiar with the work of the schools, to be employed."



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CEDAR CLIFF HAPPENINGS:

Santa Will Be Around Xmas Eve

By Jim Hickey
Once again on Christmas morn'g Santa Claus will visit the Cedar Cliff area with gifts he will have overlooked on the holiday rounds. The idea as it was planned and carried out last year by the Cedar Cliff Civic Association's entertainment committee rang the bell, and with an early start, this season should be even better.

The plan goes like this: wrap one or more gifts for each of your own or neighbor's children in the enchanted-age and bring them to a collecting point just before Christmas Eve. The committee, garbed as Gnomes and led by a rosy St. Nick, loads a truck or fire engine, preferably, with all gifts to be delivered to your door on Christmas morning. Having been a Gnome myself I can truthfully say that the effect on the small fry is a treat well worth the time that these men will unselfishly spend carrying off this operation.

Watch this column for more explicit instructions as to location of collecting points and the time to bring the well addressed gifts to same. The best part of this whole deal is that it costs nothing to you parents. Just choose from presents you have already purchased and

bring the gift inside for the Gnomes to deliver as an extra thrill for the believers.

Everyone knows that the job of a mailman has a tough but under-paid job, but we residents of Cedar Cliff also have a job.

Where can we mail a letter? Sometimes we can leave letters in our own "home" mail boxes for the mail carrier to pick up but in the event he has no mail for us on a given day I know of no easier way to mail a letter but to walk to the North West corner of Kelchum and Woodbury Roads, which is about four short blocks from my door. What about the many more local residents who have to walk six or seven blocks to drop a letter in a slot. How do you ex-city folk feel about this situation?

Harry Sears, President of our Civic group has informed me that members attending the Dec. 2 meeting will hear Vince D'Angelo's address on the Little League program. Vince in explaining the program hopes to gain support of any kind moral or otherwise from the Association. The International Little League of which Mr. D'Angelo is President takes boys from eight to twelve years of age and organizes them into teams that compete

with the city teams for the Cedar Cliff trophy. The boys are trained in sports and education. The program is officiated in taken care of by adults willing to sacrifice their time and experience to help build better boys.

William McCaffery of Plainview was also expected to address the members at the Dec. 2nd Civic meeting, but will have to postpone his visit until a latter date. All Cedar Cliff Civic Association's meetings are held in the cafeteria of the East Street School, and members will find the north entrance most convenient. Someday soon the Ass'n. hopes to show 16 MM sound motion pictures of World Series games and other subjects. Does anyone have or know where to get such equipment needed to project both sound and picture? We have a film library at our disposal but no way of showing the films.

Does anyone recall the toy salesman who came around last December and helped destroy juvenile illusions by wearing a very phoney looking Santa's costume? I just wonder if he could be prevented from wearing that suit! He could still save parents the irritating shopping trips (thereby his selling point) so why corn it up with a costume!

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HICKSVILLE—The Junior High School P-TA will hold its Christmas Party in the gym of the High School on Thursday Dec. 2, at 8:15 P.M. (The Center entrance of the building will be used.)

A brief meeting will be held before the party at which time upon request of the Citizens Advisory Committee on Education will give information regarding the proposed January referendum on building plans for the Junior High. Pertinent information facts and figures will be given.

To harmonize with the spirit of happiness and gaiety typical of this hallowed season of the year, the P-TA Program Committee has been engaged in procuring a variety of artistic talent. There will be a piano rendition by Miss Ruth Davison, a former student of Junior High; vocal selections by Miss Margaret Tripolo of Huntington; saxophone and comedy offerings by Mr. Margolis, P-TA member. And what "between the acts" to the call of Al McCleod, noted Square Dance caller, those attending will be able to swing their partners in the real "pioneer fashion of the good old days."

For those who prefer round dancing - that will also be on the program. There will be novelty dances for fun too. Refreshments will be served. Because of the holiday season, the party will last until midnight. The meeting and party are open to adults only.

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