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7 arrested in murder of Maine Township man

Cook County Sheriff's police arrested a Niles man and six Des Plaines men in connection with the Dec. 1 stabbing death of 26-year-old Jaime Ortega, who resided in unincorporated Maine Township.

Three arrestees, including the 22-year-old Nilesite were charged with first degree murder. In addition, all suspects arrested were charged with mob action and aggravated battery. A bond hearing was held Dec.

3 at 2nd District court in Skokie, after sheriff's police rounded up the seven young men Saturday night. Jose Luis Loranca of 8851 Cumberland Ave., Niles, Dagoberto Castro, 25, of 9961 Linda

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Man sentenced in MG armed robbery

Thomas Alexander Ryan of Chicago pleaded guilty to participating in the April 7 armed robbery of cash and tickets to a Madonna concert. Circuit Court Judge Karen Tobin sentenced Ryan to seven

years in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

Ryan was one of two men charged in the theft at the Citgo gas station, 6335 Dempster Street, Morton Grove.

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Petition for parking variation continued to Feb. 4

Zoners delay Oak Mill facelift

by Nancy Keraminas

New owners of Oak Mill shopping center will have two months to reconfigure plans to renovate the 20-year-old mall.

The Niles Planning and Zoning Commission asked Oak Mill Enterprises 2000 to file an amended petition relative to granting a 20-30 percent parking variation based on an additional 30,000 square feet of retail space, after it became apparent the board would vote down the partnership's proffered plan.

Harry Major, a Wilmette real estate developer representing the two men who bid \$7.1 million for the bankrupt-ridden 7900 N. Milwaukee Ave. property, told the commission that the offer was based on two contingencies - successfully renegotiating a lease with Jewel Food Stores and being able to totally renovate the building and stores.

Plans shown to the commission Dec. 3 call for building addition Dec. 3 call for building addition

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From the Left Hand

by Bud Besser

Buglebits.....

A memorial monument honoring the late Niles village trustee, Ang Marcheschi, is planned at the southeast gate to the village on Milwaukee Avenue.

There is an irony to the story. When many Nilesites wanted to honor Ken Scheel and Eddie Bacher, Angie was the most vociferous trustee opposing such singular honors. Ang preferred one central monument listing the names of many Nilesites which he thought would be a more appropriate means of signifying outstanding contributions by present and former Nilesites. Ang, who was close to Niles village president Nick Blase, was likely voicing Nick's sentiments since he and Nick often spoke in one voice.

Whatever the reasons, Blase was dragged screaming into okaying the Scheel naming of the administration building. And when residents petitioned to have the public works building named for Ed Bacher, Ang was out in front of Blase in opposing such recognition.

Despite Ang's opposition, we believe it is most fitting that Marcheschi should be remembered with a singular monument. But rather than placing it at the end of the village where only car traffic passes by, we would hope the monument will be seen by

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Park Ridge man faces murder trial

Park Ridge resident John E. Tully, Jr., 44, will be tried Dec. 12 in Skokie Circuit Court on charges of first degree murder, attempted murder and aggravated battery.

Tully allegedly stabbed his father, John E. Tully, Sr., 76, to death April 4 in the family home in the 1300 block of South Brophy Ave. He then allegedly turned on his brother Paul, 38.

Paul ran from the house to a Higgins Road restaurant to call police with John, Jr. in pursuit. When patrons held the restaurant door closed, John, Jr., walked back towards the nearby family

home. The late police officer Edward Gallagher met him en route, persuaded him to discard his weapon, then took him into custody.

John E. Tully, Jr. is unemployed. If convicted, he could face a death sentence or from 40-60 years in jail, according to the prosecutor, assistant state's attorney Catherine Crowley.

Equipment worth \$5,879 stolen from auto store

Unknown offenders smashed a front window of an auto accessory store in the 9400 block of Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, the night of Nov. 27.

They entered and broke into two display cases, removing electronic equipment valued at \$5,879.

Shop owners estimated damage to two radios and a speaker in addition to the front window and display cases at \$2,633.

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Children's Christmas Party set



Maine Township regular Democratic Organization's annual Christmas party for the children will be held Saturday, Dec. 8, at the Morton Grove Theater, 7300 W. Dempster, from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

The movie to be shown is "Prancer", and as usual, there will be candy and gifts for the children. Santa will also be there. All children under 12 are welcome.

Golf Mill security tightened during holidays



Officer Deno J. Panousiers stands in front of the Niles Police Department's "I-SEARCH" mobile trailer satellite at Golf Mill Shopping Center. The trailer will be staffed by a police officer during shopping hours to provide an immediate response to shoplifting complaints.

Photo by David Miller

by David Miller

The Niles Police Department's "I-SEARCH" mobile trailer can be seen in front of the main store entrance of the Golf Mill shopping mall this holiday shopping season.

The purpose of the "I-SEARCH" trailer satellite is twofold: first, to provide quick response by the police department to any merchant's shoplifting complaints, and second, to point up the need of area parents to have their youngsters fingerprinted as recommended by the "I-SEARCH" guidelines.

The unit will be staffed by at least one Niles police officer during the main shopping hours to provide immediate response to shoplifting complaints within the mall. The officer in the "I-

SEARCH" trailer is in radio contact with Niles Police Department headquarters and with Golf Mill's own security police so that criminal action information can be quickly relayed and immediate action taken by police.

Regular Niles Police squad cars in the area will also hear the relay of information so they can provide back-up if needed.

The "I-SEARCH" unit has been set-up to gather motorist violation information and processing within the mall's parking lot as well, and violation information will be placed within the Niles Police Department's computer for future references. The village's police department will be working closely with regular mall security to attempt to maintain order within the Golf Mill

parking facility. The "I-SEARCH" unit is also part of a statewide program designed to "promote and immediate and effective response to runaway, missing, and abducted children who may be, or are, victims of crime, accident, or exploitation."

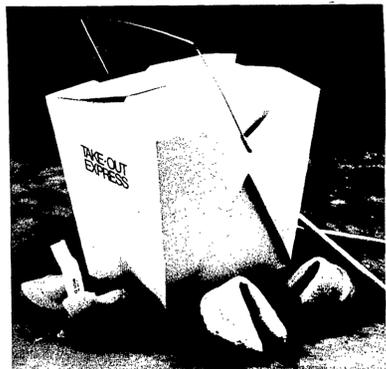
According to recent studies, nearly two million children are found "missing" each year in this country! Most return or are returned safely, but in excess of 100,000 are either abducted or attempt to live on the streets on their own, often turning to crime just to survive.

The "I-SEARCH" program was started to help Illinois law enforcement agencies positively identify children reported missing or abducted and to educate youngsters in the dangers of leaving home without informing their parents of their whereabouts.

Participation in the free Niles Police Department's "I-SEARCH" program consists of accurately filling out a child's Personal Information Form, at least one current photograph, X-Rays and dental records (if available), a copy of the child's birth certificate, passport (if the child has one), and a fingerprint ID card. The fingerprint ID card will be made for you without charge in the Niles Police Department's "I-SEARCH" mobile facility and forms will also be provided for the other information needed in the N.P.D. I-SEARCH Information Packet.

The mobile Niles Police "I-SEARCH" trailer will be parked outside of the Golf Mill shopping mall main store entrance from now thru Dec. 24 as a service to the public in general.

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Leaning Tower lights up for holidays

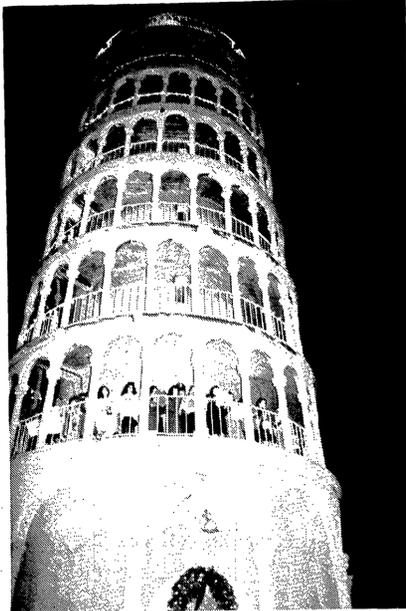


Photo by David Miller

Mayor Nicholas Blase of Niles lit the Christmas lights encircling the Leaning Tower at the YMCA, 6300 W. Touhy Ave., on Nov. 29. The lighting ceremony was meant to signify the sharing spirit of the holiday season and pay special tribute to Niles' kinship with its sister city Pisa, Italy.

The Culver School Children's Choir sang traditional holiday caroles from the multi-levels of the tower.

Drop off for "Good Neighbor Food Drive"

The North Maine Fire Department will again provide support for the annual "Good Neighbor Food Drive" headed up by Chicago's Ed Schwartz of WGN Radio and Chicago's Anti-Hunger Federation. All food collected for the food drive will be transported to downtown Chicago on Friday, December 14, between the hours of 7 p.m. and 1 a.m. Chief Morrie Farban encourages each resident of the Fire District to start collection now of non-perishable food items. The North Maine Fire Station, located at 9301 Potter Road, will accept food donations between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. from now until December 14.

Firemen from North Maine will be assisted by residents of the Bay Colony Condominium Association during this year's drive. The Bay Colony chairman is Joe Bersani. The Bay Colony Clubhouse will be the collection point for residents of that area. Donations of canned goods, boxed dry food items, powdered milk, pasta, etc. will be accepted at both drop-off sites. Last year, almost one ton of food was donated by the residents of the unincorporated area protected by the North Maine Fire Department. "We would like to double that this year," states Chief Farban. Anyone willing to assist with the food drive should call the North Maine Fire Department at (708) 297-5020.

The Bugle's Outdoor Decoration Contest

The Bugle is looking for the best holiday outdoor decorations on private homes, from now until New Year's.

Our photographer will be out roaming the streets looking for the most outstanding holiday decorating ideas in the area using the Christmas/Hanukkah theme. He will bring his pictures back to The Bugle office where they'll be judged by our staff, and each week until New Year's, one photo will be chosen to be printed in the paper.

Mark R. Reinmueller

Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Mark R. Reinmueller, son of Judith A. Arndt of Morton Grove, is currently deployed to the Middle East in support of Operation Desert Shield while serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Independence, homeported in San Diego.

He joined the Navy in May 1979.

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Traffic signals updated in Niles



Photo by David Miller

Work on traffic control signals at the intersection of Milwaukee and Harlem Avenues in Niles cause mid-day traffic delays. Traffic control signals are being updated at two other intersections including Harlem Avenue and Howard Street and Howard Street and Milwaukee Avenue.

Park Ridge plans new community center

by Sheilya Hackett

Park Ridge park district planners don't see a barren field where the Northwest Community YMCA once stood at 1515 Touhy Ave. They see a new, seven million dollar community center on the three-acre site that will cater to the fitness needs of patrons, from preschoolers to seniors. Wreckers leveled the former "Y" Nov. 27. With input from a ten-member advisory committee, architects Burnidge and Cassel Associates of Elgin are completing a working drawing of the proposed facility. According to park district Director Steve Meyer, bids should go out the first of May and construction be complete by the end of the summer of 1992.

MG man indicted for racial attack

Cook County State's Attorney Cecil A. Partee announced last week, a Morton Grove man and a Chicago man have been indicted by a county grand jury in connection with a race-related attack on a black man earlier this year. The 37-year-old Morton Grove resident and the 40-year-old Chicago man both were indicted Nov. 28 on charges of aggravated battery, ethnic intimidation, and mob action for allegedly beating the victim on Sept. 29, at a telephone booth in the 2800 block of North Pine Grove. According to investigators, while the victim was using the pay telephone, the two defendants, who are white, shouted racial insults and beat him. Both defendants are scheduled to be arraigned Dec. 21 by Chief Judge Thomas Fitzgerald at the 26th and California Criminal Courts Building. Aggravated battery and ethnic intimidation are Class 3 Felonies, punishable by up to 5 years in prison. Continued on Page 46

IASA names 1991 Illinois Superintendent of the Year

Dr. James L. Elliott, Superintendent of Maine Township High School District #297 in Park Ridge, has been selected as Illinois Superintendent of the Year by the Illinois Association of School Administrators. The award is based on leadership and meeting student needs, communication skills, professionalism and community involvement. As the Illinois Superintendent of the Year, Elliott will represent the state in the 1991 National Superintendent of the Year program, which is co-sponsored by the American Association of School Administrators and The ServiceMaster Company. "By creating a climate in which he motivates people to produce, Dr. Elliott guides people by giving them support, trust and direction," the district's board of education president Ann Rose Sosstrin said in remark. Continued on Page 46

Line upgrade to speed link-up to unincorporated Maine

New lines to boost Niles' water pressure

by Sheilya Hackett

MG man convicted of sexual abuse

A Circuit Court judge last week convicted Daniel Riha, 49, of Morton Grove on charges of criminal sexual abuse of a teenage male student and possession of child pornography.

Judge Gerald Kohrer ruled Riha must serve seven years for criminal sexual abuse and one year for possession of child pornography, with the sentence to be served concurrently in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

The charges stemmed from a February, 1989 episode. A social worker for the Niles Township Department of Special Education alerted Morton Grove police after a client told him of abuse in Riha's home.

MG woman dies after shooting self

A 40-year-old Morton Grove woman died the afternoon of Nov. 28 from a single, self-inflicted .22 caliber bullet wound to the abdomen. The woman, reportedly dependent over her father's death in August, was in an upstairs bedroom of the family home. Paramedics took her to Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. In the spring of 1989, Morton Grove voters approved a referendum authorizing up to a 75 cent per line surcharge to finance the start-up and operational expenses of the system and the village is currently collecting 50 cents per phone line per month. Arft anticipated the village board would vote to amend the surcharge ordinance to reduce the monthly cost once 9-1-1 was on-line. Continued on Page 46

Niles' drive to raise water pressure in the village's northern reaches will have a double effect. The upgrading of transmission lines will ease low pressure worries in the Ransom Ridge and Greenwood Estates sections, west of Cumberland Avenue. It will also speed a link-up with North Suburban Public Utility (NSPU) and send a flow of Lake Michigan water to unincorporated Maine Township.

Work should be substantially finished by late August or early September, according to Keith Peck, Niles director of Public Services. But, though residents in the unincorporated area thirst for relief from their present radium-contaminated, off-colored, bad smelling water, many want assurance NSPU's wells will be capped when Niles' issue of Lake Michigan water comes in. A resident group named Operation Safe Water claims NSPU wells can't be capped until a reservoir is built for water storage and there are no funds for its construction. They fear they will continue to receive well water, along with lake water, as long as the reservoir is unbuilt.

Operation Safe Water founder and spokesperson Elaine Poley said people want to know how much the reservoir will cost and when it will be built. Residents have already absorbed a 40-50 percent rate increase, she said. Continued on Page 46

9-1-1 start-up costs could double in MG

by Nancy Keraminas

Additional equipment charges will boost the cost of Morton Grove's enhanced emergency dispatch 9-1-1 system but the village's system may be operational earlier than the previously anticipated January, 1992 date, according to village administrator Larry Arft. No increase in the 50 cent per line surcharge is planned, however. In the spring of 1989, Morton Grove voters approved a referendum authorizing up to a 75 cent per line surcharge to finance the start-up and operational expenses of the system and the village is currently collecting 50 cents per phone line per month. Arft anticipated the village board would vote to amend the surcharge ordinance to reduce the monthly cost once 9-1-1 was on-line. Continued on Page 46

Culver School Choir sings carols



Photo by David Miller

The Children's Choir from Culver School performed at a reception inside the main entrance of the Leaning Tower YMCA, 6300 W. Touhy Ave. The reception took place after the Christmas lights around the Leaning Tower were lit on Nov. 29. The children sang on the multi-levels of the tower when it was lit.

Senior group honored for efforts



S.I.J. 55 Plus Club Little City Foundation honored the senior citizen S.I.J. 55 Plus Club for their fundraising for 1990 Smiles Tag Days. On Oct. 25 Mayor Nicholas B. Blase presented President Ann Romeo with a plaque for their help. Pictured from left to right: Nick Costantino, Florence Lencioni, President Ann Romeo, Mayor Blase, and Michael Provenzano.

December activities slated at Senior Center

On Dec. 10, Ethel Libkin of Leaning Tower Senior Center, 6300 W. Touhy Ave., Niles, will present an interesting program on dreams and what they mean.

The Annual Christmas Party of Leaning Tower Senior Center will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 12, from 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Brigantes of Des Plaines. There will be a lovely dinner and dancing to the music of Johnny Lester and his orchestra. This is the culminating affair of the year and is open to members of the Senior Center only.

The December Birthday Party for members of the Leaning Tower Senior Adult Center will be "Christmas in Hawaii" featuring three lovely Hawaiian Dancers, Lealani and her Stars of the South Pacific.

The date is Monday, Dec. 17 at 1 p.m. Refreshments will be served. These birthday parties are

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Regency Centre residents write to troops

Residents of Regency Nursing Centre have announced their participation in Mission - We Send Our Love, a letter writing campaign expressing their love and support of our Illinois service troops deployed in Operation Desert Shield.

This is the first organized senior letter writing campaign to our Illinois troops stationed in the Middle East.

"In their own way, our residents are showing their gratitude for the sacrifices the troops are making," said Barbara Hecht, the administrator of Regency Nursing Centre. "Our residents understand how important emotional support is when one lives away from family and this project allows them to express their love, be involved in the life of the community and make a contribution to bringing some serviceman or woman a message of thanks, hope and love.

"Illinois nursing home residents are veterans of World War I and II and the Korean conflict. Many had sons, brothers and husbands who gave their lives, and some even have grandchildren who today are serving in Desert Shield," said Leland Oberg, a veteran of WW II. "The senior citizens of this state understand what sacrifice means and appreciate the sacrifices these men and women are making in Saudi Arabia."

"I served during the second World War" said Albin Rusek, a member of the Resident Council, and I know just how lonely you can get and how important it is when you get that letter from home."

"My husband was a serviceman," said Edith Oppenheim, "and I can remember writing to him almost every day and I remember writing back that those letters are what kept him going. That's why I'm writing these letters again."

"It's just great," said Paula Tagliere, the activity director. "The enthusiasm our residents have shown really makes you feel good, because you know they feel good. They feel they are doing something positive and worthwhile."

"We are asking every citizen of Niles," said Hecht, "to take the time and join with us in sending a letter, a greeting card, or a postcard to our service men and women. Join us in Mission - We Send Our Love."

This campaign is being spearheaded by the Illinois Council on Long-Term Care, which is a professional association representing 140 nursing home facilities and nearly 25,000 residents. Regency Nursing Centre is located at 6631 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of an Assumed Name in the conduct or transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certification was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County.

File No. K124537 on Nov. 8, 1990 Under the Assumed Name of Mitchell Security Systems with the place of business located at 404 E. Kensington St. Unit A Mt. Prospect, Illinois 60056-1227 the true name(s) and residence address of owner(s) is Mitchell Scott Miller, 404 E. Kensington #A, Mt. Prospect, Illinois 60056-1227.

Niles Senior Citizens 967-6100 ext. 376

WOMEN'S CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY
The Women's Club is now taking registration for the upcoming Women's Club Christmas Party to be held on Friday, Dec. 14 at noon at the senior center. Our menu will include roast turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, rolls and butter, cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie. Following our luncheon, we will be entertained by musician Tim Burr. Tickets are \$8 per person and any Niles senior is invited to attend. To register for the Christmas Party, call 967-6100, ext. 376.

NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION
The Niles Senior Center is open to all Niles Seniors, 62 and over and their younger spouses. The center is located at 8060 Oakton, Niles, 967-6100.

STAMP CLUB
The Niles Senior Center is seeking new members for a Stamp Collecting Club. The club plans on meeting once every other week. Those interested should call Maureen at the senior center at 967-6100, ext. 376.

INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LECTURE
A lecture on Investment Management will be presented at the senior center on Thursday, Dec. 6 at 1:30 p.m. A presenter from the First of America Bank will present informative information on how to best manage your money and make it work for you. Reservations are not necessary for this lecture.

DECEMBER HAPPY HOLIDAY LUNCHEON
The December Luncheon will take place on Wednesday, Dec. 19 at 12:30 p.m. Entertainment will include a holiday sing-along led by organist, Joe Huber and a visit from Santa. Everyone will receive a special holiday gift from our jolly old Santa! Lunch will include roast beef, bread/butter, oven brown potatoes, mixed vegetables, fruit jello and fresh apple slice. Tickets are \$6.50.

MEN'S CLUB MEETING
The Men's Club will hold their Dec. 17 meeting at 10:30 a.m. A special lunch will be served to Men's Club members. Reservations are not necessary.

HANDICAPPED PARKING CARDS
Handicapped Parking Cards may be obtained at the Niles Senior Center, 8060 Oakton (Niles residents only). A form which is available at the senior center must be filled out by the attending physician and returned to the senior center in order to obtain a handicapped parking card. For additional information, call the senior center at 967-6100, ext. 376.

Benchmark presents Channel 5 reporter

One of the best health reporters in the country according to Newsweek Magazine, Dr. Barry Kaufman of WMAQ-TV, will present a special program, "Health Forecast: Cloudy With A Chance of Chaos," at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 8 at The Benchmark of Hoffman Estates, 1515 Barrington Road, Hoffman Estates.

During the free program, Kaufman will make long-range predictions about health care as well as take a look back at the most significant health-related events that have occurred since he joined the Channel 5 news team more than 14 years ago. The presentation will be of particular interest to senior citizens and their families because Kaufman will offer thought provoking views on ways seniors can survive in today's health care system.

Dr. Kaufman is a Chicago Emmy winner for his reporting in the "Individual Excellence" category. He has been featured on various NBC Television programs and has been honored by numerous health care organizations for his more than 2,500 stories exploring the issues, problems and trends in health care.

The program is sponsored by Sherman Hospital Senior Services and The Benchmark of Hoffman Estates retirement community. Following a question and answer session, refreshments will be served in The Benchmark's Playhouse. For reservations call, (708) 490-5800.

'Acting Up!' returns for seniors

Once again Devon Bank winds up a year of free senior citizen entertainment with the nationally acclaimed performing troupe, Acting Up!
This very special group of seniors-only performers will be featured in a special program in the Devon Bank Lower-Level Conference Center, 6445 North Western Ave. in Chicago. This free program for area senior citizens begins at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 12 with refreshments served prior to the performance.
For the fifth consecutive year, Devon Bank is pleased to present this truly unique improvisational theatre group, created by Oakton Community College and partially

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North Shore Hotel presents variety show

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"Around the World," the North Shore's Variety Musical, will transport you to 10 exotic locales on Friday, Dec. 7, 7:30 p.m. Bring your family and friends to this free and open to the public musical extravaganza at the North Shore, 1611 Chicago Avenue, Evanston.

Your passport to an evening of fun is awaiting you at the North Shore. You will be whisked off by "boat," "plane," and even "hot air balloon" to far-off destinations. The travel itinerary includes Italy, Calcutta, Vienna, Brazil, and other exciting locales. Traditional dances, zany comedy and toe-tapping musical numbers are all included in the evening's activities.

The North Shore is prepared to show you that it really is a small world after all. Ethel Dahlin-Bernstein, a Glenview senior, has put together "Around the World," which includes 21 talented North Shore residents, ranging in age from 72-94. For information contact Sandra Small at (708) 864-6400.

MG seniors of month named



Charles Langfeld



Terry Selzer

Charles Langfeld and Terry Selzer were named "Seniors Servers of the Month."

For 33 years now, Charles "Chuck" Langfeld has been helping Morton Grove residents with their financial interactions and decisions through his function with the First National Bank of Morton Grove.

The bank, with Chuck as its spearhead, has demonstrated this commitment through numerous acts of benevolence. Recently these gifts have included the purchase of wheelchairs and hospital

equipment for the Morton Grove Lending Closet, the purchase of a cholesterol screening instrument for important health screenings, gifts toward the popular annual intergenerational "Pool BQ."

"Seniors are a prominent part of our community," Chuck says, "they've been extremely loyal in supporting our bank and have contributed so much to the village that we want to give something back to them."

The heart and soul of Morton Grove's American Legion Lending Closet for some 15 years has been long-time auxiliary member, Terry Selzer.

Terry, in her position as community services chairman in the early '70s inherited the hospital supplies from the Morton Grove Nurses' Association. The Selzer garage then served as storage and distribution point until the Village of Morton Grove accepted the responsibility in 1986.

Terry's life has been filled with service activities throughout her 35 years of residence in Morton Grove. "We were raised," Terry says, "to look out for somebody else and help out where we could," which explains her concern and helpful intervention for several people living alone in her neighborhood.

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Notice of Proposed Property Tax Increase for Oakton Community College

- I. A public hearing to approve a proposed property tax increase for Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 535, County of Cook and State of Illinois, for 1990 will be held on Tuesday, December 18, 1990, at 8 p.m. at 1600 East Golf Road, Des Plaines, Illinois 60016, in the Board Room, Room 1528.
 Any person desiring to appear at the public hearing and present testimony to the taxing district may contact Ellie Vanden Brink, Secretary to the President, Oakton Community College, 1600 East Golf Road, Des Plaines, Illinois 60016-1268, (708) 635-1801.
- II. The corporate and special purpose property taxes extended for 1989 were \$13,451,801.
 The proposed corporate and special purpose property taxes to be levied for 1990 are \$16,400,000. This represents a 17.1% increase over the previous year.
- III. The property taxes extended for debt service and public building Commission leases for 1989 were \$0.
 The estimated property taxes to be levied for debt service and public building commission leases for 1990 are \$0. This represents a 0.0% increase over the previous year.
- IV. The total property taxes extended for 1989 were \$13,451,801.
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Morton Grove Senior Citizens 470-5223

HYPERTENSION

Hypertension is directly related to the use of sodium in the human diet. Studies with infants have shown that the taste for salt is completely learned. The salt appetite is somewhat habit forming, people who have not been exposed to salt do not desire it, but may develop a craving for it once it has been introduced. Salt preference, however, is reversible, the taste will diminish once the dietary salt level has been reduced. Some high sodium foods do not taste salty or are not thought of as such. For example, fast food french fries actually have less sodium (115 mg) per serving than fast food cherry pie (450 mg). The Flickinger Senior Center will conduct its monthly blood pressure screening clinic from 9 to 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 11.

PHOBIAS, FEARS AND ANXIETIES

Oakton Community College presents another program in their Passages lecture series entitled, "Phobias, Fears and Anxieties." Ada P. Kahn, M.P.H., manager of the Women's Health Center, Rush North Shore Medical Center, author of Encyclopedia of Phobias, Fears and Anxieties, will discuss how to handle phobias. Kahn estimates that one in 10 people are suffering from a disabling phobia that interferes with their lives and can be treated. The program begins at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 11 at the Oakton East campus - Room 112, 7701 Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

MEDICARE BENEFITS

Oakton Arms, the senior rental retirement living complex at 1665 Oakton Place in Des Plaines will present a special program entitled, "What You Need to Know: Medicare Benefits." The program begins at 1:30 on Tuesday, Dec. 11 and the guest speaker will be Gail Glink of First Federal Savings of Des Plaines. For reservations call 827-4200.

HOLIDAYS AT THE HIGH SCHOOLS

Maine East, Niles North and Niles West High schools invite township residents age 60+ to join in on free school productions to be performed this winter.

At Maine East: Winter Concert, 2 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 16.
 At Niles North: Winter Music Festival, 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 18.

At Niles West: Holiday Festival, 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 19.

For more information about activities open to senior citizens at the schools call 673-6822; ext. 5422 for the Niles Township schools and 825-4484, ext. 4439 for the Maine Township schools.

FIREFIGHTER'S FOOD DRIVE

The Morton Grove Firefighter's Association will accept non-perishable food donations again this year at fire station #4 (Lincoln and Callie Avenues). The firefighters distribute these gifts exclusively to needy families in Morton Grove during the winter holidays. Residents who would like to help out their neighbors through this charitable giving can begin bringing in food today.

CARIBBEAN CRUISE

The Prairie View Senior Travel Club will sail the MS Caribe beginning on Feb. 2, 1991. The ship will leave Miami and make stops at Puerto Plata, San Juan, St. John and St. Thomas. Fine dining, outstanding evening entertainment, superior recreational facilities, and of course the romance of the tropics promise to make this an unforgettable voyage. Rose Bremer, Senior Adult Supervisor from the Morton Grove Park District will escort this cruise and be there to make it as hassle-free as can be. If interested call her at 965-7447 as soon as possible.

WINTER CARE

When outdoors on cold days, older people should cover their mouth and nose to avoid breathing problems. Gloves and boots are important because several common health problems of the elderly cause poor circulation in the extremities. A hat contributes added warmth. Those using a walker with metal legs and those with arthritis need to be extra careful not to slip and fall. Autumn is a good time for older people living alone to link up with various community resources such as meals-on-wheels, home health services and volunteer services that can keep tabs on the homeowner's well-being. This can be especially important as cold weather, snow or ice make outdoor trips undesirable or even dangerous.

FIRST CLASS ADVENTURES

Oakton Community College offers educational tours in 1991 for students all ages. The world become a classroom with scholarly escorts who can make the tour come alive on these Oakton adventures:

- Family Oriented Travel: Kampsville Archeological Weekend, June 22-23; Grant Hotel on Mackinac Island, July 4-7; Alaska, July 26-August 11.
- Tours for the Active Adult: The Heart of England, July 4-16; Southern England and Wales, July 22-Aug. 1; Santa Fe Summer Opera Festival, Aug. 6-12.
- Traveling Trips: Spoleto Festival, U.S.A., Alaska, Galapagos Island and Ecuador, Kenya, Dominican Republic, Brazil, China, Eastern Europe, Australia and Soviet Union.
- Field Study Courses: European Adventure, May 17-June 3; Outdoor Painting in Door County, May 22-June 1; Encounter the First Illinoisans in Kampsville, IL, June 10-16; Stratford and Niagara-on-the-Lake Festivals, Ontario, June 25-29 and Sept. 25-29.

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Nilesite completes basic training



Mark Fireman, son of Mr. & Mrs. Douglas E. Fireman, of Niles completed his 6 month basic training program in Israel, where he volunteered for a paratrooper unit. Mark is coming home for the holidays and then will return to Israel where he will finish his 2 1/2 yrs. of Army duties. Fireman is a 1988 graduate of Maine East.

Township launches widowed, singles group

Maine Township will sponsor a new group, ONE + OPTIONS, for widowed and single adults ages 45 through 65.

Members can take advantage of free seminars on issues of common interest, a Sunday Strollers group to explore inter-

esting sites, a Cuisine Club for dining adventures, and day trips and vacations co-sponsored by Maine Township's OPTIONS 55, a social group for pre-retirement adults.

ONE + OPTIONS is open to single Maine Township residents, ages 45 through 65. Membership is free and participants benefit from group rates on trips and activities. Non-residents are welcome to join, but will be charged a surcharge on fee-based activities. New members will also receive a free booklet listing a wide-variety of community resources and activities for single people.

For membership information, call Sue Neuschel, 297-2510, ext. 240.

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New light shed on Torosaur controversy

The Torosaurus, a large Cera-topian dinosaur who is a cousin to Triceratops, has entered the fray in the recent controversy over whether the large beasts galloped like rhinos with their front legs held directly beneath their bodies or whether they walked with a bent-elbowed, more reptilian stance.

Rolf E. Johnson, a paleontologist with the Milwaukee Public Museum in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has been reconstructing the worlds most complete Torosaur skeleton in the lobby of the museum for the past year and has been conducting research and experimentation to see which stance, mammal-like or reptile-like, was more correct.

Recently, some paleontologists have been championing the cause of the upright posse, and some museums have mounted their skeletons with the front legs directly beneath the animals' bodies. But Johnson thought there were bio-mechanical problems with this position. Working with a group of museum volunteers, he constructed a forelimb model made with high resolution casts of the actual Torosaur bones.

Johnson presented a paper at the recent fiftieth anniversary meeting of the Society of Vertebrate Paleontology in Lawrence, Kansas, to present his findings. His research has shown that the Torosaur, and by extension, the Triceratops, could not have walked like a rhinoceros, but rather held the front legs in the more sprawling stance of a reptile. Throughout the three-day conference, the overwhelming consensus was that Johnson was correct in his findings.

The Torosaur skeleton material was discovered in the Hell Creek Formation in northeastern Montana in 1981.

Ramsayer graduates as distinguished military student

Bruce H. Ramsayer, senior law enforcement administration major and a member of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps at Western Illinois University received a certificate of achievement for outstanding performance at the U.S. Army Airborne School at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Ramsayer was presented the certificate during the recent WIU Parents' Day ROTC Awards Ceremony.

Ramsayer was also awarded the Distinguished Military Student Award for sustained academic and leadership excellence as a member of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps at WIU.

Ramsayer is the son of Maxine and Conway Ramsayer of Morton Grove.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is here by given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of an Assumed Name in the conduct of Transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certification was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County.

File No. K124657 on Nov. 16, 1990 Under the Assumed Name of Computer Products Untd. with the place of business located at 1410 A W. Sherwin, Chicago, ILL. 60626; the true name(s) and residence address of owner(s) is: Selwyn Goodman, 1410 A West Sherwin, Chicago, ILL. 60626; Thomas M. Tzioufas, 5601 North Mozart, Chicago, ILL. 60659.

Singles Scene

DECEMBER 9 SIZZLING SINGLES

Sizzling Singles welcomes you to a gala singles party (25+) every Sunday at Private Eyes, Deerfield Hyatt, Lake-Cook Road, Deerfield, 7 p.m., \$6 includes scrumptious buffet! Proper attire requested. Where north shore singles meet! Info - 945-3400.

JEWISH SINGLES

The Jewish Singles invites you to a Citywide Dance on Sunday, Dec. 9, from 7:45-11:45 p.m., at site: Ramada O'Hare Quest Room, 6600 N. Mannheim, Rosemont. Admission only \$4.

IN-BETWEENERS CLUB

Singles (40-65): The in-betweeners Singles Club will host a dance on Sunday, Dec. 9, 6:30 to 9:30 at St. Raymond's located at Elmhurst (83 & Milburn, Mt. Prospect. Music by "Mario". Admission, guests \$5, members \$4. For information call 675-4426. Refreshments.

MIDWEST SINGLES

The Midwest Singles Association invites all singles to an open dance party with DJ music at 7 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 9, at the Midway Motor Lodge, 1600 East Oakton St. Elk Grove Village. Admission is \$5. For more information call (312) 282-0600.

DECEMBER 10 WIDOWS, WIDOWERS SUPPORT GROUP

The St. John Brebeuf and St. Juliana Widows and Widowers Support Group will meet at the Convent Lounge of St. Juliana Church, 7200 North Occola Avenue on Monday, Dec. 10 at 6:30 p.m. when the catered dinner will be served. Call Helen at 631-3895 or Dot at (708) 647-8292 now to order your dinner. We ask you to bring a wrapped gift to be given to a homeless woman living in a shelter. Please also bring along a plate of your favorite cookies for the "sweet" table. If you decide to bake, please bring the recipe to share.

DECEMBER 12 SINGLE PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY

S.P.S.s "Midweek Gang" will meet this coming Wednesday, Dec. 12, at Braxton's in Oakbrook Mall, from 5:45 - 8 p.m. for eating and socializing. For more information about this event, call Trish (690-9034), George (969-0419), Nancy (260-0468), or Jim (961-3750).

A.G. BETH ISRAEL SINGLES

A.G. Beth Israel Singles: Meeting Wednesday, Dec. 12, 8 p.m., at the synagogue, 3635 W. Devon. Speaker Mel Schnapper Employment Counciler on the topic, "Job Hunting for Singles". Donation \$3, including refreshments. Social will follow the program. For information call (312) 549-3910.

DECEMBER 14 CHICAGOLAND SINGLES

The Chicagoland Singles Association will sponsor a singles dance with the live music of AWB at 8:30 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 14, at the Stouffer Itasca Hotel, 400 Park Boulevard, Itasca. All singles are invited. Admission is \$7. For more information call (312) 545-1515. The Chicagoland Singles Association is a non-profit organization.

NORTH SUBURBAN SHABBAT SINGLES

North Suburban Shabbat Singles (35-55) Dec. 14. Services at 8 p.m. followed by Oneg Shabbat at the North Suburban Synagogue Beth El 1175 Sheridan Rd, Highland Park. For information call (312) 761-6862.

CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB OF CHICAGO

A dance for single young adults (ages 21-35) will be sponsored by the Catholic Alumni Club at 9 p.m., Friday, Dec. 14, at the Golden Flame, Higgins Rd. and Nagle Ave. (three blocks south of the Kennedy Expy.), in Chicago. Non-member admission is \$6. Music will be provided by a professional D.J. For more information, call (312) 726-0735.

SINGLE PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY

Single Professional Society - 4th Annual Fun N' Fancy Holiday Party - Join S.P.S. for holiday fun on Friday, Dec. 14, for our annual Holiday Party. There will be music and Dancing-beer, wine, pop and snacks will be provided. The party begins at 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at the Raintree Bath & Racquet Clubhouse, Glen Ellyn. The cost is \$8 for members, \$10 for non-members. Purchase tickets prior to Dec. 14 to get a discount. Holiday attire, please. To make your reservations or get more information, call Sam (665-2643) or Nancy (260-0468). For more information on this and other S.P.S. events, call the HOTLINE at (708) 260-1835.

THE SPARES SUNDAY EVENING CLUB

The Spares Sunday Evening Club will host a singles card night of party bridge or pinocle at the Trident Center, 8060 Oakton St., Niles, at 7:30 p.m. No partners required. Prizes and refreshments.

For information, call (312) 878-7023

DECEMBER 15 THE SPARES SUNDAY EVENING CLUB

The Spares Sunday Evening Club will host their ANNUAL SNOWFLAKE BALL, with music by "THE AMBASSADORS", at the Skokie American Legion Post #320, 8212 Lincoln Avenue, Skokie. Dancing from 9 to Midnight. Members \$4; guests \$5.

For information, call (708) 965-05730.

THE NETWORK

Network - A link to Jewish friends (ages 21-39) presents our 4th annual Chanukah Dance, Sat., Dec. 15, 8 p.m. - 12 a.m. at Niles Township Jewish Congregation, 4500 W. Dempster, Skokie. Cost - \$12 by Dec. 8, \$15 at the door. We are featuring a live rock band and a top-notch D.J., drinks, food and fun. For more information call (708) 537-1162.

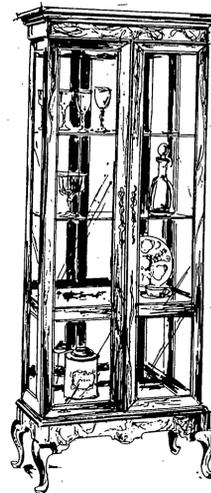
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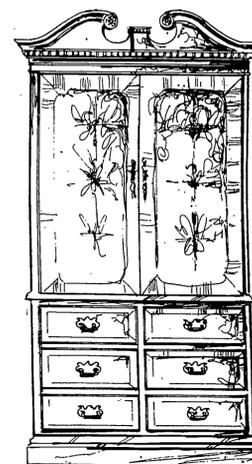
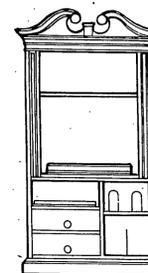
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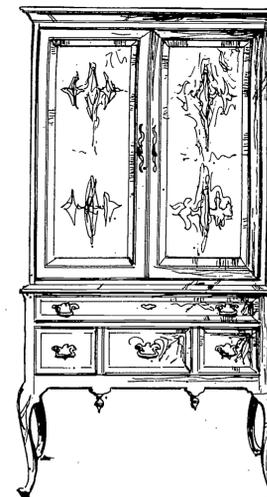
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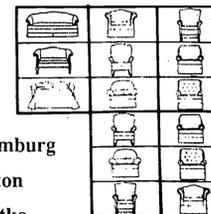
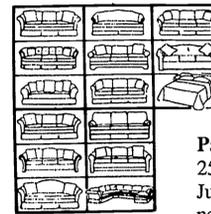
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Church & Temple News

Edison Park Lutheran women meet

The Edison Park Lutheran Church Women will meet for their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, December 6, at 12:30 p.m. in the South Hall of the church, 6626 N. Oliphant Ave.

The festive spirit of the holiday season will begin with a buffet luncheon served by the Laetare Circle. The Good News

Singers of EPLC are busy rehearsing to present their special Christmas program for the women.

The Good News Singers is a group of women who meet at 7:15 p.m. on Thursdays, at the church, to learn contemporary Christian music. They sing at services and around the community.

St. Matthew's students attend forensics tourney

St. Matthew's Lutheran School of Niles entered a forensic team in the annual Chicago-area Lutheran League Forensics Competition held at St. Andrew's Lutheran School, Chicago, on Saturday, Nov. 17.

The competition consisted of students in grades 5-8 participating in the categories of Declaration, Prose and Poetry Reading, Humorous Interpretation and Comedy, Original Oratory, and Play Acting.

The students came from ten Lutheran schools owned and operated by congregations of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod in the Chicago-area.

As a team, St. Matthew's

placed sixth. The students placed in the following categories: Declaration 5-6, Scott Van de Motter, third place; Declaration 7-8, David Eberlein, fourth place; Prose and Poetry Reading 5-6, Eric Dunnum, third place; Humorous Interpretation and Comedy 5-6, Ken Abt, third place; Humorous Interpretation and Comedy 7-8, Amy Walstad, second place; Original Oratory 5-6, Paul Becker, third place; Play Acting 5-6, Sara Horak, Shawna Tankosky, Tara O'Dwyer, Holly Schamberger, first place; Play Acting 7-8, Margot Kasper, Mike Kasper, Allan North, Jeremy Stoneham, third place.

St. Matthew's Lutheran School is located at 9200 Milwaukee Ave., Niles. It provides Christian education for students from three years old through grade eight.

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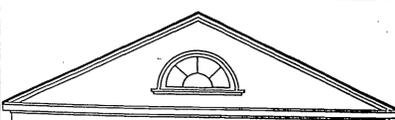
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NSJC Men's Club plans breakfast

Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation Men's Club is pleased to announce a Burning Bush Program Breakfast and Cantorial Concert performed by Hazzan Elliot Joel Portner of Rodfei Zedek Congregation in honor of Cantor Joel Reznick, on his completion of 13 years as cantor of the synagogue.

The date to remember is Dec. 9, following the 9 a.m. service. For further information please contact the synagogue office at (708) 965-0900.

OLR plans bi-lingual mass

The Hispanic Community of Our Lady of Ransom Catholic Church, 8300 N. Greenwood, Niles, will celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe with a bi-lingual mass in Spanish and English on Saturday, Dec. 8 at 5 p.m.

Following the mass, there will be a Fiesta of music, dancing and Mexican cuisine in Paluch Hall at the church. Tickets are \$10 per person (children under 10 free) and can be purchased by calling Fr. Nick Desmond at the OLR Ministry Center, (708) 823-2550.

MG church plans Christmas Celebration

A Christmas Celebration will be held Sunday, Dec. 9 at 6:30 p.m. "The Little Star: A Christmas Fantasy" will be presented by the church school, with special music by the adult choir. Light refreshments will follow.

Two Christmas Eve services are planned. The family service will be at 7 p.m., with the Candlelight Communion Service to start at 10 p.m. Our Sunday services begin at 10 a.m. The public is invited to worship with us this Advent Season.

St. Anselm's cookie sale

Christmas Cookie Walk! The women of St. Anselm's Episcopal Church, 1600 North Greenwood Ave., Park Ridge, will have a "homemade cookie sale" on Saturday, Dec. 8 from 9 a.m. until all merchandise is sold.

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Advent Candle of Preparation lit Dec. 9

Come to Niles Community Church the second Sunday of Advent, Dec. 9, at 10 a.m. as our Church School assists Howard W. Boswell, Jr., pastor, in the lighting of the Advent Candle of Preparation, remembering the preparations needed to make room in our hearts for the coming of Christ.

The sermon topic is "Rejoice", and is based on Scriptures Isaiah 61-1-11. Join the fellowship coffee-hour immediately following worship.

Your children will be welcomed in our Church School

Singing duo performs at St. John Lutheran

"Kent and Christy," Christian singing duo, will be performing in both morning worship services at St. John Lutheran Church in Niles on Sunday, Dec. 9.

St. John, located at 7429 Milwaukee Ave., holds Sunday worship at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Kent and Christy Burns are husband and wife musicians from Ft. Wayne, Indiana. They travel throughout the United States sharing the Gospel message of Jesus Christ through word and song. Their repertoire includes selections by Michael Smith, Sandi Patti, Amy Grant, Wayne Watson, and other contemporary Christian musicians.

They have released an album entitled "So Far."

On Dec. 9, "Kent and Christy's" program of songs will emphasize the meaning of Christmas; that a baby was born in Bethlehem to be the Savior of all mankind.

Their singing ministry is done on a part-time basis. "Kent and Christy" began singing together when performing with a singing group at Concordia College in River Forest called "The Foresters." They then branched out on their own and have performed at many Christian churches in the United States both in worship services and at special concerts.

Come and share in the joy of the Lord through song! The public is invited to attend. A free-will offering will be taken.

St. John Lutheran Church offers uplifting, meaningful worship services every Sunday morning, with a message that is relevant to life in the '90s. For more information about the church or "Kent and Christy," call (708) 647-9867.

Dubinsky celebrates Bar Mitzvah

Mitchell Warren Dubinsky, son of Ruth and Allan Dubinsky, was called to the Torah Saturday afternoon, Nov. 3, at the Mircha-Maariv Service, to celebrate his Bar Mitzvah, at Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation.

Shabbat Services set for Dec. 7

Rabbi Edward H. Feldheim will conduct Shabbat Services on December 7, at 8:15 p.m. at Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, 7800 Lyons, Morton Grove.

Saturday, Dec. 8, services will be held at 9:30 a.m. at the Synagogue.

Classes, 9:45 to 11:15 a.m. (for age 2 through grade 8), as they study "the reason for the season" and explore many of the same scriptures used in the Worship Services. Nursery care provided for infants and toddlers while parents attend worship.

Niles Community Church is at 7401 W. Oakton St. (between Milwaukee and Harlem) in Niles. For membership information or Church School registration, call the church office at (708) 967-6921. Be sure to ask for our new Advent, Christmas Brochure!

Choir students perform at church

The community is invited to The Birthday of a King, by Ed Lojeski and John Jacobson, as performed by the Chancel Choir and Church School students of Niles Community Church.

Join us on Saturday, Dec. 8, and enjoy a unique presentation of the familiar story of our Lord's birth, combining favorite scriptures, contemporary music, and congregation participation.

It's a "family affair" which starts off at 6 p.m., with a potluck dinner, so bring your family, a favorite dish to share, and your table service, too. Dinner rolls, beverages and dessert will be provided.

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Temple Beth-El social group meets

Temple Beth-El ZBT (Zadec and Bubbies Together) social group meets on the second Thursday of each month at 3610 Dundee, Northbrook.

The community is cordially invited Thursday, December 13, at 7:30 p.m. to hear Rabbi James Sagarin of Temple Beth-El speak on the Kabbalah and bless the Chanukah Candles.

You can attend as a single, with a spouse or a friend. Everybody is welcome. You do not have to be a Temple member to participate.

OBITUARIES

Gloria E. Czarnik

Gloria E. Czarnik (nee Bradke), 62, of Niles, died on November 22 in Niles. Mrs. Czarnik was born February 15, 1928 in Chicago. She was the wife of Jacob A. Mother of Bernadette (Alan) Maczek and Jacquelyn Czarnik. Grandmother of Gwen, Katie and Jeff. Funeral services were held at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Niles.

Peter Lazicki

Peter Lazicki, 33, of Niles, died on November 23 at University of Chicago Hospital, Chicago. Mr. Lazicki was born on July 20, 1957 in Chicago. He was the son of the late Lorraine and Walter Lazicki. Brother of Phillip (Helen) and Mary Ann (Scott) Beller and John (Mary) Uncle of Joseph, Timothy, Kristen, Alexa, Elizabeth and Katherine. Grandson of Frank Janus. Funeral services were held November 26 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery.

Frank R. Mack, Jr.

Frank R. Mack, Jr., 63, of Morton Grove, died on November 17 in Holy Family Hospital, Des Plaines. Mr. Mack was born on February 24, 1927 in Chicago. He was the husband of Grace. Father of Frank R. III (Michelle) and Debra (Gerald) Mjoen. Grandfather of Christina and Nicholas Mjoen. Son of Marian and the late Frank Sr. Brother of Robert (Joanne) Mack. Funeral services were held November 20 at St. Isaac Jogues Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Niles.

Bette Schroeder

Bette Schroeder (nee Novak), 64, of Morton Grove, died on November 16 at Northwest Community Hospital, Arlington Heights. Mrs. Schroeder was born on February 14, 1926 in Latrobe, Pennsylvania. She was the wife of Robert F. Mother of Bob (Karen), Mary Beth (David) Pohlmeier and Don (Mary Anne). Grandmother of Sara, Amy, Allison and David. Funeral services were held November 20 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home.

Frank L. Scully

Frank L. Scully, 79, of Niles, died on November 21 at Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. Mr. Scully was born on January 30, 1911. He was the wife of Burnette. Father of Geraldine (John) Adams, George (Elizabeth) Scully and John (Sharon) Scully. Grandfather of 7. Greatgrandfather of 2. Funeral services were held November 29 at Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Montrose Cemetery.

Theresa Offenbecher

Theresa Offenbecher (nee Sutor), 85, of Niles, died on November 21 at Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. Mrs. Offenbecher was born on January 21, 1905. She was the wife of the late John. Mother of Margaret (John) Breen and Rosemary Nemecek. Grandmother of John Jr. (Celeste) Braen, Carol (John) Overzani and Mary Breen. Greatgrandmother of Jennifer, John III, Patrick and Michael Verzani. Sister of Eva (the late John) Muskat, the late Betty Kuhlman, Magdeline Sutor and Andrew Sutor. Funeral services were held November 24 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Joseph Cemetery, River Grove.

B'nai B'rith charts new unit

The B'nai B'rith International chartered a new unit within the B'nai B'rith Family.

The Echad Unit, as it is called, is unique in that it is especially designed to meet the needs of the developmentally disabled adult 25 years and older.

The ECHAD UNIT meets monthly. The meetings take place the second Thursday of the month in the evening at the Skokie Village Hall.

If you know a Jewish developmentally disabled adult male or female over the age of 25, or are one, please call (708) 674-5542.

Walter H. Makowski

Walter H. Makowski, 73, of Morton Grove, died on November 16 at Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. Mr. Makowski was born on January 12, 1917 in Chicago. Funeral services were held November 19 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Mausoleum, Niles.

Church & Temple News

Women's Club hosts Christmas Dinner

The Our Lady of Ransom Catholic Women's Club is hosting its Annual Christmas Dinner on Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 6:30 p.m. in Paluch Hall, lower level of the Church, 8300 N. Greenwood, Niles.

Entertainment will be the musical revue troupe, "Company B." Donation is \$10. The community is welcome.

For more information or tickets, contact Ruth at (708) 689-2435.

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Women's News

New Arrivals

ALEXANDRA KATHLEEN BORDES
A girl, Alexandra Kathleen Bordes, 8 lbs., 1 oz., on October 30 to Kathleen Y. and Wayne M. Bordes of 1743 Stockton, Des Plaines. Brother: Kenneth Wayne, age 4 years. Sister: Melissa Eve age 7 years. Grandparents: Constance M. Rotramel of Morton Grove, Marvin G. Bordes of Des Plaines and Gloria L. Bordes of Des Plaines.

CHLOE CACHOLA
A girl, Chloe Cachola, 3 lbs., 1/2 oz., on November 8, to Lorna and Garry Cachola of 9069 N. Clifton, Niles. Sister: Leslie Marie age 1 1/2 years. Grandparents: Remedios and Ernesto Lantin of Mt. Prospect and Gloria Cachola of Niles.

MARTIN JOSEPH FLAVIN
A boy, Martin Joseph Flavin, 9 lbs. 6 1/2 oz., on November 8, to Karen and Michael Flavin of 9026 Menard, Morton Grove. Brother: Bill age 16 months. Grandparents: Mary and George Emmerick of Downers Grove and Tom and Lois Flavin of Darien.

KAITLYN ELISE FOSTER
A girl, Kaitlyn Elise Foster, 8 lbs. 4 1/2 oz., on November 12, to Andrea Lynn Simpson and James C. Foster of 10450 Anne Court, Rosemont. Grandparents: James and Christine Foster of Morton Grove and Jerry and Cheri Kilarski of Chicago.

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Maine women lead GOP into new year



Officers for 1991 of the Maine Township Republican Women's Club were installed recently by Joan B. Hall (left), supervisor of Maine Township and a member of the group. Leading the organization into its 47th year are: Loretta Kretschmer, Des Plaines, president; Ruth Fusch, Park Ridge, vice president/secretary; Maxine Knutson, Glenview, treasurer; and Gerri Stollon, Park Ridge, chaplain. Members and

guests will gather at the Elks Club in Des Plaines on Saturday, Dec. 8 at 11:30 a.m. for a holiday get-together.

For information on upcoming activities of Maine Township Republican Women's Club, incorporated in October, 1944, and affiliated with Illinois and National Federations of Republican Women, call Hilda Ploszaj, (708) 299-4681, or one of the officers pictured.

Ormans welcome second grandchild

Ruth and Mel Orman of Skokie are very proud and happy grandparents these days as they have welcomed the arrival of their second grandchild.

Their new grandson, Jacob Michael Orman Weiss arrived on Nov. 19 at 2:19 p.m. and is the son of Lynn and Earl Orman Weiss. Jacob was welcomed home by his sister Steffie. Paternal grandparents are Eltie and Selwyn Weiss who are now grandparents of seven grandchildren.

Comedian entertains Woman's Club

The Park Ridge Catholic Woman's Club will meet on Monday Dec. 10, at 12:30 p.m. at the South Park Recreation Center, Talcott and Cumberland, Park Ridge.

After a short business meeting Mary Faktor will entertain us with a one woman comedy, "The Six Ages of Woman."

The play follows a character named Vicky through six ages from her teenage years through marriage, a return to the work force and finally retirement.

Refreshments will be served. Judy Almeroth and Bonnie Aranda will pour. Guests are welcome.

For further information call Mary Ann Morgan at (708) 692-3720, or Betty Lyngaas at (708) 698-6726.

Daughters of American Revolution meet Dec. 12

The Twenty-First Star Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 12 at the Park Ridge Country Club, 636 N. Prospect Avenue.

The luncheon is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. and the program will begin at 1 p.m. Hostesses for the day are Mrs. Janet Holsten, Mrs. Frances Liptrap, Mrs. Alice Pullan, and Mrs. Barrie Shinn, hospitality chair.

The Twenty-First Star Chapter, NSDAR will be paid an official visit by its State Regent, Mrs. Virgil V. Clary of Waukegan. Mrs. Clary will also be the feature program speaker. Illinois has joined the National Society in its centennial anniversary celebration this year, and Mrs. Clary's topic will be "1890-1990: Illinois Daughters Lead the Way."

Mrs. Janis Pahnke will be available at the Park Ridge Library on the third Thursday of each month to provide genealogical assistance from 9 a.m. until noon.

Women in the northwest suburban area who are interested in membership in the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution and are able to provide direct descent from a patriot who served in the American Revolution should contact Betty Borman at (708) 692-6279.

Ilana Book Club meets Dec. 8

Ilana Book Club meets on Saturday, Dec. 8 at 2 p.m. at Laurie Merle's home. T. Friedman's book "From Beirut to Jerusalem" will be discussed. Ilana Club NA'AMAT USA will hold their meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 12 at the home of Sharon Behm (708) 677-6827.

The program for this meeting is an Iranian-style Hanukkah celebration. Bring along a grab bag. For additional information, please contact: 446-7275.

Messiah women plan music program

Members and guests of Messiah Women of the ELCA will be entertained by A Little Light Music for a program at the Messiah Lutheran Church, 1605 Vernon Ave., Park Ridge, on Thursday, Dec. 13 at 1 p.m.

"A Little Light Music" is a creation of Nancy Byrne, soprano, and Marilyn Lamken, pianist. Since 1984 they have been performing in nursing homes, community centers, and church functions all over the greater Chicago area. The program is always a blend of nostalgia, gospel and contemporary sacred music, poems and singalongs.

Nancy and Marilyn met in 1973 as members of the choir of Messiah Lutheran Church in Park Ridge. They began to lead singalongs in a number of nursing homes, and from there developed their A Little Light Music. The name is a take-off of Mozart's "A Little Night Music" (Eine Klein Nach Musik), and the "Light" also refers to Christ's claim of being the "Light of the World."

Jewish United Fund hosts dress shop owner

Elaine Blumenthal, owner of the dress salon in Highland Park bearing her name, will be guest speaker at a program of the Jewish United Fund's Young Leadership Division (YLD) Professional Women.

The event, entitled "Creating a Love Affair with Fashion," will be held at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 10, at Eugenie Terrace (party room), 1730 N. Clark St., Chicago. Newcomers are welcome at 6 p.m. to learn more about YLD and Professional Women.

Cost is \$15 per person in advance; \$18 at the door. There will be no solicitation of funds. Koshers hors d'oeuvres will be served. Event co-chairmen are Lila Goldberg of Lincoln Park, Barbara Jamison of the near North Side and Helaine Neubauer

La Leche League meets Dec. 13

"La Leche League of Skokie-Morton Grove has been helping mothers in the local area since 1957.

The group meets regularly to discuss breastfeeding information and to receive encouragement from other mothers.

Their next meeting is on Thursday, Dec. 13, at the Skokie Public Library at 9:45 a.m.

Our discussion topic is, The Advantage of Breastfeeding. For more information or to receive personalized help, call (708) 455-7730.

Ketura Hadassah plans Hanukkah Party

Ketura Hadassah will hold its annual Hanukkah Party on Tuesday, Dec. 11, at the Lincolnwood Hyatt, 4500 Touhy Ave., Lincolnwood, at 12:30. There will be candle lighting, latkes, songs, games and prizes. For information call 676-2997.

of Skokie. To make reservations, call Susie Spier at (312) 444-2097.

Guest speaker Blumenthal's store specializes in special occasion dresses, coats, suits and denim separates and has annual sales of \$2 million. Her experience includes 20 years in retailing. She has been written up several times in Women's Wear Daily. Blumenthal is involved in the Chicago-area Fashion Council.

Cost is \$15 per person in advance; \$18 at the door. There will be no solicitation of funds. Koshers hors d'oeuvres will be served. Event co-chairmen are Lila Goldberg of Lincoln Park, Barbara Jamison of the near North Side and Helaine Neubauer

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Police News

Wife charges spouse with rape

"Extremely damaging" testimony from the suspect's mistress and evidence given to the victim by the husband she is accusing factored into a decision to prosecute a 28-year-old Niles man for raping his wife in the couple's home Dec. 1. Their minor children were not present during the alleged incident.

Des Plaines man charged with drunk driving

A 44-year-old Des Plaines man was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol Dec. 2, after Niles police observed him driving erratically westbound on Dempster Street. First the arrestee reportedly began running a red light and then stopped, put his vehicle into reverse and backed out of the intersection. When the light changed to green the driver reportedly weaved his car, bouncing from lane to lane and struck a curb at Dempster and Wisner Streets.

Chicago man arrested for DUI

A 29-year-old Chicago man was charged with speeding, DUI and having a high blood alcohol level after Niles police stopped him in the 8300 block of Milwaukee Avenue Nov. 27.

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Christmas decorations reported stolen

An unknown Scrooge either damaged or stole Christmas decorations at Morton Grove residences in recent days.

The early morning of Nov. 30, persons unknown took a plastic Santa and two, four foot candles from a lawn in the 5600 block of Church Street. The owner valued the items at \$62.

In the same block the night of Nov. 29, persons unknown took images of Mr. and Mrs. Claus and a depiction of Santa in his sled, drawn by two reindeer, from another front lawn. The owner was able to retrieve Santa and his sleigh after it landed on the parkway in the 9100 block of Parkside Avenue and that homeowner notified police. The decorations were valued at \$80.

The night of Dec. 1, unknown offenders removed and damaged two strings of Christmas lights at a home in the 6600 block of Palma Lane. The owner estimated the loss at \$11.

Between Nov. 30-Dec. 1, persons unknown used a wire cutter to cut the wires for ten strings of Christmas lights in 100 places, according to the owner, a resident of the 8800 block of Osceola Avenue. The homeowner called it a \$100 loss.

Woman harassed by fellow employee

Although she signed no complaint, a 29-year-old nurse at a nursing home in the 8400 block of Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, told police another female employee, age unknown, had harassed and threatened her for the past month.

The woman related the same employee said "I'm going to shoot you," and pushed her backwards with her chest as she prepared to leave the night of Nov. 27.

Retail theft arrests

Kohl's Golf Mill security agents arrested a 21-year-old Wheeling woman Nov. 30 after she reportedly stole \$214.98 worth of women's clothing from the store. Her court date is Dec. 21.

A 25-year-old Chicago woman faces retail theft charges Dec. 21, following her apprehension by Jewel security staff who observed her placing \$56.86 worth of sausage, meats and vegetables into a booster bag beneath her skirt.

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Waitress caught overcharging customers

The manager of a restaurant in the 6400 block of Dempster Street, Morton Grove, discovered a loss of over \$900 between Nov. 3-26 because of deceptive use of customers' checks.

A waitress, a Chicago woman, 37, would mark customers' checks for a large amount, then make out a second check for a smaller amount for the cashier, and keep the difference. Nov. 28, when the waitress attempted the same deception, the manager called police, who arrested the woman.

She admitted to the check deception and said she had done it to support a drug habit. A search of her belongings uncovered drug paraphernalia and two sedative pills, which she claimed she was holding for someone else.

The woman was charged with felony theft and the misdemeanor possession of eight hypodermic syringes and needles. Her bond was set at \$10,000 and she was given a Dec. 19 court date.

Police calm woman in restaurant

Morton Grove police calmed a 38-year-old Skokie woman in a restaurant in the 7200 block of Dempster Street Dec. 1 when she asked "Are you going to kill me? People are trying to kill me."

The responding officer denied the woman's request for an alcoholic drink, but agreed when she asked to be taken to Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge, for medical attention. The woman voluntarily admitted herself to the hospital.

Tam Golf Course floods



Photo by David Miller
Pictured above is the men's first tee at Tam Golf Course, 6700 Howard St., Niles, on Nov. 28. Many parts of the course were under water after over 3 inches of rain fell on Nov. 27.

Suspicious man attempts to enter home

The afternoon of Nov. 26, a housewife in the 8500 block of Marmora Avenue, Morton Grove, was working in the basement and heard the doorbell ring.

When the bell rang a second time, she went to the front door, but found no one there. In the background, she heard a noise at her sliding kitchen door. When she checked, she saw a tall, slim young man, about 25, carrying a clipboard and attempting to open the sliding door. When he saw the woman, he fled through the yard.

Salesman loses \$2,200 sample case

A salesman paying a call at J.C. Penney's Golf Mill set down his sample case containing \$2,200 in computer bar code equipment Nov. 26.

The case was stolen while his attention was elsewhere.

Auto burglar steals \$2,400 worth of goods

Someone took \$2,400 worth of possessions from a 1986 Honda parked in the 9100 block of Golf Road Dec. 1.

A \$1,400 stereo, women's clothing and speakers were among the missing articles.

Wallet stolen in health club

A Morton Grove man reported persons unknown took his leather wallet worth \$20 from his locker in the North Shore health club, 6821 Dempster St., Morton Grove, the afternoon of Nov. 27.

He said the wallet contained identification, credit cards and \$10. He was unsure if the locker was locked.

Woman arrested for retail theft

A security guard for a retail store in the 7200 block of Dempster, Morton Grove, watched as a woman put several blouses inside her coat and a pair of women's shoes inside her purse the afternoon of Nov. 28.

When the woman left the store without paying, the guard stopped her and called police.

The woman, a Chicago resident, 49, was charged for the retail theft of items valued at a total of about \$152 and given a Jan. 3 court date.

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NILES POLICE REPORT

Column
by Lt. Jerry Sheehan
Niles Police Department

Holiday shoppers beware of pickpockets

He's the guy with the greasy looking hair, dark shifty, beady eyes, pencil thin mustache, shabby clothes and cap pulled down low on his forehead. That's the guy that is going to steal your purse or wallet, right? If they were only that easy to detect we could pick this guy up before he got into town, but it can just as easily be the sharply dressed lady with the cashmere coat and Gucci purse who steals your purse or wallet. You have to pay attention to your surroundings and be on your toes when you go shopping. Every year there are going to be people who get their purses and wallets ripped off because they get a little complacent. There are some precautions you can take:

1) Don't carry large amounts of cash with you. Credit cards and checks let you spend money just as easily and they're much less negotiable for the thief if they are stolen from you. They also give you some time to make calls for stop payments. Take the time to write down the card #'s and store telephone numbers before you go out.

2) If you carry a purse don't let it wander from your hands or your side and always keep it zipped or snapped shut! Don't leave it sitting in your shopping cart while you wander down the aisle or while you're putting your packages in your car. Do not overburden yourself with bags and packages so much so that you cannot detect someone going into your purse to steal your wallet. If you are carrying just a wallet keep it in your front pocket or inside coat pocket.

3) If you are driving from store to store or plaza to plaza, lock your packages in your "TRUNK". Putting them on the front or rear seats in plain view is an invitation for a thief to break your car window and steal your merchandise. Happy Holidays Mr. Thief!

4) When you go out shopping at night park your car in a well lit and well traveled area.

5) When you're going out with your small children, caution them that should they become separated from you, look for a cashier or clerk and tell them they are lost. But, above all, do not go out into the parking lot to look for you.

We hope we don't have to take your theft report so smart when you go shopping. Let's make your holidays and our holidays happy and NOT the pick pockets.

There will be plenty of Niles police officers in the shopping areas again this year so if you need an assist or help, call or wave one down. Our police trailer is also in the Golf Mill Shopping Center manned by a police officer Monday - Friday from 5 p.m. - 10 p.m., Sat. from 12 p.m. - 10 p.m. and Sunday from 12 p.m. - 6 p.m., and will be located outside the Food Court entrance on the southeast side of Golf Mill. The Niles Police Department wishes all of you a safe and Happy Holiday Season.

Attempted auto theft

Someone tried to steal a 1986 Olds Cutlass parked in the 8600 block of Olcott Avenue Nov. 28.

The vehicle's ignition and steering column were stripped and damaged to the point of being inoperable according to reports.

The car was entered via a slim-jim. Between \$15-20 in coins was missing, and a lock valued at \$5.

Vending machine vandalized

November 26-27, persons unknown pried open a coin box in a newspaper vending machine in the 5900 block of Dempster Street, Morton Grove.

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Police News

Wife charges spouse with rape

"Extremely damaging" testimony from the suspect's mistress and evidence given to the victim by the husband she is accusing factored into a decision to prosecute a 28-year-old Niles man for raping his wife in the couple's home Dec. 1. Their minor children were not present during the alleged incident.

Sgt. Dennis McEnerney of the Niles police said the couple, who have experienced domestic problems, began arguing after the 27-year-old wife returned to the family home around 10 a.m. The husband's girlfriend was in the home, but was sent outside. She overheard the sounds occurring during the alleged rape and shouted

at the suspect through a bedroom window that she would call police if he did not stop.

The husband stopped the attack but the wife did not seek treatment or report the rape until the following day when she went to Lutheran General Hospital. She was not otherwise injured. Police interviewed the girlfriend and after an assistant state's attorney saw evidence given to the wife by the husband, criminal sexual assault charges were approved against the husband.

McEnerney declined to specify the nature of the evidence before the initial Dec. 11 court hearing on the case.

Des Plaines man charged with drunk driving

A 44-year-old Des Plaines man was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol Dec. 2, after Niles police observed him driving erratically westbound on Dempster Street.

First the arrestee reportedly began running a red light and then stopped, put his vehicle into reverse and backed out of the intersection. When the light changed to green the driver reportedly weaved his car, bouncing from lane to lane and struck a curb at Dempster and Wisner Streets.

The officer arrested him after he failed field sobriety tests. His blood alcohol level was measured at .23.

Chicago man arrested for DUI

A 29-year-old Chicago man was charged with speeding, DUI and having a high blood alcohol level after Niles police stopped him in the 8300 block of Milwaukee Avenue Nov. 27.

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Woman harassed by fellow employee

Although she signed no complaint, a 29-year-old nurse at a nursing home in the 8400 block of Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, told police another female employee, age unknown, had harassed and threatened her for the past month.

The woman related the same employee said "I'm going to shoot you," and pushed her backwards with her chest as she prepared to leave the night of Nov. 27.

Retail theft arrests

Kohl's Golf Mill security agents arrested a 21-year-old Wheeling woman Nov. 30 after she reportedly stole \$214.98 worth of women's clothing from the store. Her court date is Dec. 21.

A 25-year-old Chicago woman faces retail theft charges Dec. 21, following her apprehension by Jewel security staff who observed her placing \$56.86 worth of sausage, meats and vegetables into a booster bag beneath her skirt.

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Christmas decorations reported stolen

An unknown Scrooge either damaged or stole Christmas decorations at Morton Grove residences in recent days.

The early morning of Nov. 30, persons unknown took a plastic Santa and two, four foot candles from a lawn in the 5600 block of Church Street. The owner valued the items at \$62.

In the same block the night of Nov. 29, persons unknown took images of Mr. and Mrs. Claus and a depiction of Santa in his sled, drawn by two reindeer, from another front lawn. The owner was able to retrieve Santa and his sleigh after it landed on the parkway in the 9100 block of Parkside Avenue and that homeowner notified police. The decorations were valued at \$80.

The night of Dec. 1, unknown offenders removed and damaged two strings of Christmas lights at a home in the 6600 block of Palma Lane. The owner estimated the loss at \$11.

Between Nov. 30-Dec. 1, persons unknown used a wire cutter to cut the wires for ten strings of Christmas lights in 100 places, according to the owner, a resident of the 8800 block of Osceola Avenue. The homeowner called it a \$100 loss.

Suspicious man attempts to enter home

The afternoon of Nov. 26, a housewife in the 8500 block of Marmora Avenue, Morton Grove, was working in the basement and heard the doorbell ring.

When the bell rang a second time, she went to the front door, but found no one there. In the background, she heard a noise at her sliding kitchen door. When she checked, she saw a tall, slim young man, about 25, carrying a clipboard and attempting to open the sliding door. When he saw the woman, he fled through the yard.

Salesman loses \$2,200 sample case

A salesman paying a call at J.C. Penney's Golf Mill set down his sample case containing \$2,200 in computer bar code equipment Nov. 26.

The case was stolen while his attention was elsewhere.

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Waitress caught overcharging customers

The manager of a restaurant in the 6400 block of Dempster Street, Morton Grove, discovered a loss of over \$900 between Nov. 3-26 because of deceptive use of customers' checks.

A waitress, a Chicago woman, 37, would mark customers' checks for a large amount, then make out a second check for a smaller amount for the cashier, and keep the difference. Nov. 28, when the waitress attempted the same deception, the manager called police, who arrested the

woman.

She admitted to the check deception and said she had done it to support a drug habit. A search of her belongings uncovered drug paraphernalia and two sedative pills, which she claimed she was holding for someone else.

The woman was charged with felony theft and the misdemeanor possession of eight hypodermic syringes and needles. Her bond was set at \$10,000 and she was given a Dec. 19 court date.

Police calm woman in restaurant

Morton Grove police calmed a 38-year-old Skokie woman in a restaurant in the 7200 block of Dempster Street Dec. 1 when she asked "Are you going to kill me? People are trying to kill me."

The responding officer denied the woman's request for an alcoholic drink, but agreed when she asked to be taken to Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge, for medical attention. The woman voluntarily admitted herself to the hospital.

Tam Golf Course floods



Photo by David Miller
Pictured above is the men's first tee at Tam Golf Course, 6700 Howard St., Niles, on Nov. 28. Many parts of the course were under water after over 3 inches of rain fell on Nov. 27.

Auto burglar steals \$2,400 worth of goods

Someone took \$2,400 worth of possessions from a 1986 Honda parked in the 9100 block of Golf Road Dec. 1.

A \$1,400 stereo, women's clothing and speakers were among the missing articles.

Wallet stolen in health club

A Morton Grove man reported persons unknown took his leather wallet worth \$20 from his locker in the North Shore health club, 6821 Dempster St., Morton Grove, the afternoon of Nov. 27.

He said the wallet contained identification, credit cards and \$10. He was unsure if the locker was locked.

Woman arrested for retail theft

A security guard for a retail store in the 7200 block of Dempster, Morton Grove, watched as a woman put several blouses inside her coat and a pair of women's shoes inside her purse the afternoon of Nov. 28.

When the woman left the store without paying, the guard stopped her and called police.

The woman, a Chicago resident, 49, was charged for the retail theft of items valued at a total of about \$152 and given a Jan. 3 court date.

NILES POLICE REPORT

Column
by Lt. Jerry Sheehan
Niles Police Department

Holiday shoppers beware of pickpockets

He's the guy with the greasy looking hair, dark shifty, beady eyes, pencil thin mustache, shabby clothes and cap pulled down low on his forehead. That's the guy that is going to detect your purse or wallet, right? If they were only that easy to detect we could pick this guy up before he got into town, but it can just as easily be the sharply dressed lady with the cashmere coat and Gucci purse who steals your purse or wallet. You have to pay attention to your surroundings and be on your toes when you go shopping. Every year there are going to be people who get their purses and wallets ripped off because they get a little complacent. There are some precautions you can take:

1) Don't carry large amounts of cash with you. Credit cards and checks let you spend money just as easily and they're much less negotiable for the thief if they are stolen from you. They also give you some time to make calls for stop payments. Take the time to write down the card #'s and store telephone numbers before you go out.

2) If you carry a purse don't let it wander from your hands or your side and always keep it zipped or snapped shut! Don't leave it sitting in your shopping cart while you wander down the aisle or while you're putting your packages in your car. Do not overburden yourself with bags and packages so much so that you cannot detect someone going into your purse to steal your wallet. If you are carrying just a wallet keep it in your front pocket or inside coat pocket.

3) If you are driving from store to store or plaza to plaza, lock your packages in your "TRUNK". Putting them on the front or rear seats in plain view is an invitation for a thief to break you car window and steal your merchandise, Happy Holidays Mr. Thief!

4) When you go out shopping at night park your car in a well lit and well traveled area.

5) When you're going out with your small children, caution them that should they become separated from you, look for a cashier or clerk and tell them they are lost. But, above all, do not go out into the parking lot to look for you.

We hope we don't have to take your theft report so be smart when you go shopping. Let's make your holidays and our holidays happy and NOT the pick pockets.

There will be plenty of Niles police officers in the shopping areas again this year so if you need an assist or help, call or wave one down. Our police trailer is also in the Golf Mill Shopping Center manned by a police officer Monday - Friday from 5 p.m. - 10 p.m., Sat. from 12 p.m. - 10 p.m. and Sunday from 12 p.m. - 6 p.m., and will be located outside the Food Court entrance on the southeast side of Golf Mill. The Niles Police Department wishes all of you a safe and Happy Holiday Season.

Attempted auto theft Vending machine vandalized

Someone tried to steal a 1986 Olds Cutlass parked in the 8600 block of Olcott Avenue Nov. 28.

The vehicle's ignition and steering column were stripped and damaged to the point of being inoperable according to reports. The car was entered via a slim-jim.

November-26-27, persons unknown pried open a coin box in a newspaper vending machine in the 5900 block of Dempster Street, Morton Grove.

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Sports

Oakton runners earn All-American Honors

Oakton Community College cross-country runners Leszek Stoklosa and Tomasz Gnabel of Morton Grove earned All-American Honors by finishing fifth and tenth respectively at the National Junior College Athletic Association's cross-country championships at Brevard, North Carolina, on Nov. 17.

The five-mile race course in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains challenged the best junior college runners in America with high steep hills, loose dirt, treacherous turns and high winds, observed coach Patrick Savage of Oakton. "Only the best athletes could run this course with the intensity and competitiveness of a true cross country runner. Our runners ran with their hearts and guts to make this their best race of the season," he said.

Both Stoklosa and Gnabel be-



Leszek Stoklosa

came the fifteenth and sixteenth runners from Oakton to earn All-American Honors. Both are looking forward to the indoor track season which begins in January.

Punt, Pass and Kick state champions

Congratulations goes to 8-year-old Mike Pearson, 10-year-old Nick Hynes and 12-year-old Pete Ranos, who all competed in the punt, pass and kick state championship.

The event was held on Oct. 27 at Illinois State University before the Illinois State Vs. Austin Peay football game.

The boys all competed in the Niles Park District/Optimist Club of Niles local and after placing first in their age group, they advanced to the Buffalo Grove Regional. After placing first at Buffalo Grove the boys were able to advance to the state championship.

At the state championship, Mike Pearson and Nick Hynes captured fifth place while Pete Ranos finished first. The boys were honored at half time in front of 10,000 people who watched the presentation.

The Illinois Punt, Pass and Kick Competition is sponsored by The Illinois Park and Recreation Association.

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Niles Pee Wee White Rangers over Glenview 9 to 0

Goalkeeper Mike Durand registered his first shutout and the Pee Wee White Rangers broke the game wide open with a four goal second period in route to a 9 to 0 victory over Glenview #1.

The offense was sparked by Anthony Coletta with two goals and two assists. Lambros Tragas and David Christie registered two goals and one assist each while Brian Gagliano playing in only his second game of the season had one goal and one assist.

Peter Sikaras and Pat Cline had one goal each with brother Jimmy Sikaras receiving two assists while solo assists by Matt Papish, Jerry Dalton and John Drivas closed out the Ranger scoring.

Niles Red Squirt Rangers beat Glenview 2 to 0

With a tremendous defensive effort the Squirt Red Rangers shut out a strong Glenview #2 team by a 2 to 0 score.

John Lubinski scored the only goal his team would need at the 3:06 mark of the first period. Ranger goalie Nicky Hynes was brilliant in net as he recorded his first shutout of the season with some sparkling saves.

Todd Markos closed out the scoring and sealed the Ranger victory with an unassisted goal with just 1:34 remaining in the game.

Niles Pee Wee Red Rangers defeat Wilmette 9 to 0

Nine different players notched at least one point and eight different players scored at least one goal as the Rangers rode this offensive explosion to victory, bombing Wilmette # 1 by the score of 9 to 0.

Sean Barrett scored two goals and added one assist to lead all scorers. Jason Chloppek, Ross Hamburger, Ken Shubert, Matt Strong and David Zawadzki had one goal and one assist each. Jamil Austin and Russell Duszak had one goal each and John Flores added a solo assist.

After scoring three goals in the first period and four in the second period the Rangers combined with the goal tending of Adam Lovickamp to cruise to a shutout victory while scoring twice more in the game's final frame.

Niles Bantam Rangers over Winnetka 6 to 3

With an offense lifted by Chad Wiener's 3 goal hat trick and a defense bolstered by the fine goal tending of Adam Lovickamp, the Bantam Rangers knocked off Winnetka #3 by a final score of 6 to 3.

The Rangers trailed by one early in the third period but scored the game's final four goals in just a seven minute span to ice the victory. Wiener's third goal proved to be the clincher.

Besides Wiener's 3 goals Greg Brand had 1 goal and 3 assists. Jason Jafari who has played so well all season and helps to stabilize this very young team scored 1 goal and added 1 assist. Jim Sikaras had the other Ranger goal while Sean Barrett and John Sikaras picked up 1 assist each with some fine passing.

Bowling

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Team	W-L	Scores of November 30, 1990	Team	Points
Lean Mean Green Beans	61-30		Northwest Parishes	54
Slinky Sprouts	57-34		Credit Union	52
Squash Ems	53-38		Anderson Secretarial	
Tricky Tomatoes	52-39		State Farm Insurance	
Ravishing Radishes	52-39		Beierwaltes	52
Cool Cukes	50-41		Lone Tree Inn	48
Carrot Cut Ups	46-45		Diaco Video	48
Luscious Lettuce	46-45		Wiedemann & Sons	
Pecky Parsley	45-46		Insurance	47
Hot Potatoes	41 1/2-48 1/2		Norwood Fed. Savings	45
Corny Cuties	40-51		Classic Bowl	39
Classic Celery	40-51		Windjammer Travel Service	38
Sweet Potato Spares	39-52		Skaja Terrace Funeral Home	32
Garlic Pressers	38 1/2-52 1/2			
Mighty Mushrooms	37-54			
Sweet Peas	30-61			

High Series	Top Bowlers
Anita Rinaldi 498	Brian Wozniak 610
Connie Sparkowski 482	Lee Mulee 605
Rose Marie Ginocchio 473	Rob Schroeder 572
Pat Nelson 472	Ray Glon 570
	Bill Echab 560
	Carl Lindquist 554
	Jim Hanrahan 551
	Mike Janke 547
	Jim Fitzgerald 531
	Wally Kensek 529

High Games
Connie Sparkowski 188
Rose Marie Ginocchio 187
Anita Rinaldi 181
Helen Glogowski 179

Niles Club 55 Senior Men's Bowling

Team	W-L	Recycled Seniors	30-61
Chala	62-29		
Dino's Buddies	57-34		
Magic Machine	57-34		
Par Bowlers	57-34		
Senior Power	57-34		
Bull Dogs	53-38		
Sandbaggers	53-38		
Tomahawks	47-44		
Magic Five	46-45		
Fantastic Five	44-47		
Niles Playboys	43-48		
Five Aces	40-51		
Strike Force	39-52		
Bodino's	37-54		
Dragon Playboys	37-54		
Road Runners	34-57		
Equalizers	32-59		
Pin Chasers	32-59		
Unknown Stars			

Regina golf team celebrates fifth title

Regina Dominican High School's golf team, winner of an unprecedented fifth straight state championship, its seventh state title since 1982, celebrated the close of their season at an awards banquet Nov. 6.

Coach Vi Reego cited the five state champions, including: Holly Alcalá, Prospect Heights; Julie Fitzgerald, Wilmette; Marybeth Holz, Lincolnshire; Jacke Rubin, Wheeling; Michelle Westol and Lisa Wochner, Northbrook.

Holly Alcalá and Lisa Wochner received the Most Valuable Player Award. Michelle Westol

Dist. 67 teacher receives award

The Board of Education of School District 67 is proud to announce that Mrs. Judith Belluomini, physical education teacher at Hynes School, has been named as the recipient of the Northeastern District Elementary Physical Education Teacher of the Year Award.

Mr. Ward Aldrich, president-elect of the Northeastern District, said in a letter, "Judith (Mrs. Belluomini) is an exemplary model for all those serving in the field of physical education."

received the Most Improved Player Award.

Junior Varsity golf awards were presented to: Lisa McHugh, Sauganash, Coach's Award; Maureen Erickson, Sauganash, Most Improved Player; Annie McIntosh, Kenilworth, Most Valuable Player.

MG runner earns All-America status

Senior Len Sitko of Morton Grove, earned All-America status by finishing 22nd at the 1990 NCAA Cross Country Championships at Knoxville, Tenn.

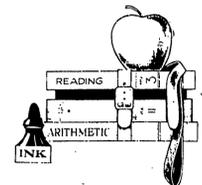
Sitko ran the 10K course in 29:58, the sixth fastest 10,000 meters in UI cross country history. It also marked the fourth fastest time for a Fighting Illini runner at the NCAA championships. He becomes the first UI runner to earn All-America honors since Joe Luechtmann finished 20th in 1986.

Len ran very competitively for his first national meet as an individual. Head Coach Gary Wieneke said, "That's a very fast time for a challenging 10K course. He ran his best race for his last race in cross country."

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Good Counsel student accomplishments



Enthusiastic students at Good Counsel, 3900 Peterson Ave., take time out from an extra-curricular activity to pose.

Good Counsel graduate Kim Berres was named a state-winner in the Chicago Board of Trade Commodity Challenge.

This past year 314 high schools, from 42 different states, registered over 7,500 students in the challenge. The awards were distributed to 31 state winners and 85 savings bond winners. Kim is currently a freshman at the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana. She is a graduate of St. Viator's.

Colleen Choi, a senior at Good Counsel High School recently worked as an "Extra" in two major motion pictures being filmed in Chicago. Colleen can be seen as a violin student in "Home Alone" and as a movie-goer telling John Candy and Maureen O'Hara to be quiet in "Only the Lonely." Colleen will have her name on file and hopes to be called to work again. Colleen is a graduate of Lincoln Hall and a

resident of Lincolnwood.

Good Counsel senior Kerry Kadow and sophomore Alexis Ladd-Bravos were accepted into the 1990 Illinois Summer School for the Arts Grant Program. They had to submit written manuscripts, take a written exam and be interviewed. They were accepted into the two week program at Illinois State University at Normal. They completed workshops in art, music and creative writing. Kerry is a graduate of St. Timothy and a resident of the West Ridge community. Alexis is a graduate of St. Gertrude and a resident of the Edgewater community.

Good Counsel junior Kathleen Duffy has served as a student volunteer at St. Francis Hospital in Evanston. Kathleen has volunteered over 150 hours of her time to the hospital. St. Francis is grateful for her time and commitment and hopes she benefits from

the experience. Kathleen is a graduate of St. Henry and a member of the Edgewater community.

Good Counsel High School has a new addition to their campus. A Victorian style gazebo was built during the summer in the outdoor courtyard area. Complete with lawn furniture and newly planted trees and shrubs, the gazebo enhances the already beautiful 33-acre campus and provides the Good Counsel seniors with a chance, during their lunch and study periods, to study outdoors, rest, relax in the sun, or chat with friends. The gazebo was built from proceeds collected during last year's Walk-A-Thon.

Principal receives education award

Patricia A. Johnson, principal of Washington School in Glenview, was one of 75 educators from Illinois honored at its Fall Conference on Sept. 28, in Matteson, Illinois.

Johnson received the Outstanding Educational Leader Award from the Illinois Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.

Loyola Academy plans Hunger Week activities

Loyola is in the throes of Hunger Week, the Academy's annual ministry project which sponsors a series of activities to raise funds, food, and student awareness of the needs of the world's hungry.

Recently students assembled by class for dramatizations of the theme, "I'm Hungry and I Can't Get Up," based on local TV ads.

Students performed original skits focusing on remedies for the psychological and spiritual hungers that get people down.

The major activities of Hunger Week include a canned food drive, a faculty auction, mission collection, student/faculty volleyball, 24-hour fast and closing liturgy.

The Faculty Auction is held in the student cafeteria all week, with specific items auctioned orally Dec. 6 and 7. Challenges for 2-on-2 volleyball, 3-on-3 basketball and Trivial Pursuit (Genus II) games; treasy spoon and architectural tours of Chicago;

Cubs tickets; Happy Birthdays by LA musicians; homemade confectios, tutoring and typing are just a few of the gifts and services donated by faculty and staff for student bidding.

The canned food drive runs to Dec. 19 and expects to collect 20 cans per person to top last year's totals. Cans will be delivered to emergency food pantries at Howard Area Community Center, Good News Church, Ignatian Services, Holy Family Parish, St. Mary of the Lake and St. Francis De Sales periodically during the drive.

The final event of Hunger Week is the 24-hour fast in which students and faculty volunteers share the discomfort of being hungry as a community in order to promote understanding of what it means for the millions who are hungry every day. The closing Liturgy and breaking of the fast will be held Thursday, Dec. 7.

Topic chosen for traffic essay contest

"How friends and parents influence my driving" is the topic for the 25th annual Illinois Editors' Traffic Safety Seminar Essay Contest.

The 10 Illinois high school seniors who best address that subject will share in \$7,000 worth of scholarship checks provided by the AAA-Chicago Motor Club.

Top prize is \$2,000. Second prize is \$1,000. The eight remaining winners each will receive \$500. All Illinois high school seniors are eligible to enter the writing competition.

Entries for this year's contest must be typed, 500 words or less and postmarked no later than December 31. An official entry form must accompany each essay. Contest rules and entry forms are available at most Illinois high schools; AAA-CMC branch offices; or from Seminar Headquarters, AAA-Chicago Motor Club, P.O. Box 5027, Des Plaines, IL 60017-5027.

In the preliminary round of

judging Seminar Directors select several hundred semi-finalist entries. Those essays are sent to a panel of health and safety educators from the University of Illinois, which selects five male and five female winners. Essays are judged for original thinking and writing skills. Judges look for new, constructive, feasible and well-supported ideas, thought organization, spelling, punctuation and grammar.

Previous contests have addressed many traffic safety issues including the legal driving age, drunk driving, safety belt usage, the speed limit, new legislation and high school driver education.

The scholarship awards will be presented to the contest winners at the annual May meeting and awards luncheon of the Illinois Editors' Traffic Safety Seminar.

Good Counsel plans Open House

Good Counsel High School, a Catholic, all female secondary school will open its doors for open house on Tuesday, Dec. 11 from 7-9 p.m. (3900 W. Peterson Ave.).

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SJB students perform in play



Fourth graders at St. John Brebeuf enjoy a break in between their play "A Postponed Thanksgiving". They performed their play for 1st through 5th grade. Pictured top row (l to r) are: Jason Weinbrenner, Timmy Sepulveda, Lisa Summerhill, Julia Jung, Lisa Cardenas, Tommy Lesniak and Joey Tranchita. Sitting (l to r): Carla Romancky, Leocris Leynes, Renee Plerog, and Nicky Morjal.

Regina senior receives WGN award

Hanh Le, a senior at Regina Dominican High School, received WGN TV's Extra Effort Award at the autumn pep assembly. Anchorwoman Roscane Tellez presented the award.

Hanh, born an Amer-Asian in Vietnam, came to the U.S. when she was 12. She worked her way up from basic school work in classes with children much younger than herself to honors classes at Regina Dominican, a preparatory school with 100% college placement.

From her early childhood days in Vietnam, Hanh has demonstrated tremendous responsibility. As a young girl, she made and sold cooking oil on the streets of Saigon to support herself and her mother, who was ill. Now she reaches out to foreign students at Regina, tutoring them and acquainting them with the school.

She also offers language assistance to her neighbors in Chicago's Vietnamese community. Hanh continues to support her mother, her only relative in the U.S. She works as a waitress, as a baby-sitter, and earns her tuition through Regina's student service program by working as a secretary in the development office.

These responsibilities do not interfere with her participation in extracurricular activities at Regina. Hanh joined Regina's nationally ranked forensics team in an effort to improve her English. She has also managed the basketball team and been a member of the cheerleading squad.

Last spring, Hanh was an Illinois finalist in the Walt Disney World Dreamers and Doers National Federation Program.

Having nursed her mother for so many years, Hanh hopes to enroll in a college nursing program.

College renovates Science Center

Elmhurst College has received \$258,900 from the Illinois Board of Higher Education and \$22,500 from the McGraw Foundation to assist with its plans to renovate portions of its Science Center and upgrade some of its facilities.

Built in 1966, the Science Center houses the departments of biology, chemistry, history, physics, political science, psychology, sociology and urban studies.

From the Illinois Board of Higher Education, the college received \$71,800 to renovate an existing freight elevator into a passenger elevator, and \$187,100 toward the total cost of \$370,171 to upgrade facilities in the Science Center.

The renovated elevator will allow all students, faculty members and visitors independent access to all levels of the building.

The grant from the McGraw Foundation of Arlington Heights is assisting the college in financing the remainder of the cost.

Dist. 71 gets new president, V.P.

The Niles Elementary Board of Education Dist. 71 met on Tuesday, Nov. 20, and elected Barbara Hendrich as president and Sandra Marchisotta as vice-president.

It also set the third Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at Culver Middle School as the date and time of its regular meeting.

Earlier this year, Elmhurst College received a \$14,000 grant from the Illinois Board of Higher Education for a summer workshop to provide in-service training for 28 secondary mathematics teachers.

The intensive, one-week workshop, titled "The Use of Computer Algebra Systems in the High School Classroom," took place in June.

Founded in 1871, Elmhurst offers 58 majors in 22 academic departments to approximately 3,000 full-time and part-time students.

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D.A.R.E. program at Stevenson

Stevenson School is participating for the second year in the D.A.R.E. (Drug and Abuse Resistance Education) program in coordination with the State of Illinois Police.

Special Agent Eric Echols has returned to Stevenson to provide an in-depth drug prevention program for 6th grade students. Special agent Echols meets with each 6th grade classroom for 40 minutes a week for 18 weeks to teach the prescribed curriculum as determined by the state.

In addition Officer Echols meets with all 1st to 5th grade classes to provide activities in drug prevention and helps promote self-esteem among the students.

New logo symbolizes OLR

Our Lady of Ransom Catholic School, Niles, has a new logo: "OLR School—Our Children Are Our Future."

Last spring, the OLR School Board held a contest open to the students to design a new logo to symbolize the school. A new logo was then created by artist, Judy Drapa, a member of the parish, by combining the best of the designs created by the three student winners.

School winners were Paul Schriedemeier, primary division; Kelly McGuire, intermediate division; and Steven Lang, Jr. High division. Each student received a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond.

Nursery School registration underway

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OLR youths visit farm



A "hands-on" experience was had at Green Meadows Farm in Elmhurst by the kindergartners and four-year-old preschoolers of Our Lady of Ransom School, Niles. The children were able to pet, hold, and feed the animals. They also milked a cow, rode a pony, and went on a hayride. Rosanne Dulski teaches preschool classes.

Jeff Albert, Matthew Delance, Christopher Paoletti are pictured above at the farm.

Notre Dame plans 'Pack the Place' week

Notre Dame High School has designated Dec. 6 as "Pack the Place" week. During the week students & fans are urged to attend a high school sporting event.

This week Notre Dame urges their fans to attend a hockey game on Thursday, Dec. 6 at 8:45 as the hockey team hosts Marist High School at the Ballard Ice Rink in Niles.

The swim team will compete on Friday, Dec. 7 at Maine East H.S. at 5:30 and the wrestling team has a match with Saint Victor & Marian Catholic in the gym at 5:30.

This special week ends on Saturday Dec. 8 with a basketball game against Saint Joseph High

School in the gym at 6. A dance will follow the game for the students from Notre Dame and the neighboring girls' schools. During the basketball game the Notre Dame pep band will be performing and the Marillac Pom Pom squad will perform at half time of the varsity game.

Admission to the wrestling match & basketball game will be only \$1 if you are wearing the school colors of green & white.

Souvenir items of the evening will be handed out to the early arriving fans at all of these events.

Contact Bill Casey, director of Athletics if you need further information: (708)965-2902.

Register now for spring credit courses

Registration is open at Oakton Community College for spring 1991 credit courses which begin Monday, Jan. 14. Registration can be done in person or by touch-tone telephone.

Walk-in registration and touch-tone telephone hours at Des Plaines and Skokie are 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Fridays and 8:30 a.m. to noon on Saturdays.

Students who were enrolled at Oakton in the spring, summer or fall 1990 terms may register without reapplying. Others must submit their applications to Des Plaines or Skokie before they will be allowed to register.

For registration assistance, call (708) 635-1700 (Des Plaines) or (708) 635-1400 (Skokie).

Applications accepted for legislative interns

Sen. Robert Kustra (R-28th) says applications are now being accepted for legislative staff and research internships in the Illinois General Assembly.

Applicants must have at least a bachelor's degree by September 1991. Interns get stipends of \$1,450 a month and earn eight hours of graduate credit from Sangamon State University upon completion of the program.

Major duties of the partisan legislative staffs are researching issues, drafting bills, analyzing bills and agency budget requests.

College seniors or graduates with majors in all fields are encouraged to apply. The next internship period will be Oct. 1, 1991 to Aug. 15, 1992. Applications should be submitted by March 1, 1991, for best consideration, although later applications will be accepted.

More information and applications are available by contacting Kent Redfield, Coordinator, Legislative Staff Intern Program, 476 Public Affairs Center, Sangamon State University, Springfield, IL, 62794-9243 (217) 786-6602.

District 219 plans Financial Aid Night

Students and parents can get answers to questions about college financial aid application procedures during the annual Financial Aid Night sponsored by the Niles North and Niles West High School guidance departments.

The forum, which is presented only once each year, is open to juniors and seniors and their parents from area public and private schools, and will be held from 7:30 to 9:15 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 11 in the Niles North auditorium, 9800 Lawler Ave., Skokie.

James Ruoti, director of admissions for Illinois Wesleyan University, will make a general presentation to explain the financial aid process, forms and timeframes. Attendees may then

choose among four workshops: Ruoti will give a step-by-step explanation of the Financial Aid Form; Catherine Thomas from the University of Southern California will discuss special conditions, such as divorced or single parents, that may affect financial aid; Michael Foster from the First National Bank of Chicago will discuss loan options, including information from the Illinois Scholarship Commission and Stafford Loans; and West and North College Counselors Frank Mustari and Shirley Foss will provide an overview of the process for juniors and their parents. Financial Aid Forms and worksheets will be available at the forum.

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Among achievements of the Class of 1990 were the awards of Rubina Ahad and Rachel Koshy. The two young women were honored as recipients of scholarships to the seven-year honors program in engineering and medicine, a joint venture of the Illinois Institute of Technology and the Chicago Medical School. Through a two-fold pro-

gram of studies, beginning in engineering aIT and continuing in medicine at the Chicago Medical School, both St. Scholastica graduates will emerge from their studies with the degree of doctor of medicine.

Christine Heitsch, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Heitsch of Evanston, was Class of 1990 valedictorian. She is a scholarship winner in the National Merit Scholarship competition and has been awarded a certificate of acceptance to the Campus Honors Program at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Christine's many accomplishments at St. Scholastica include awards in math, science, English, French, and social studies. She was especially commended for her work as the editor of "The Raven," the school newspaper, and received the Senior Athletics Award in volleyball.

At all class levels, students at St. Scholastica demonstrate excellence. Just recently, Suzanne Maso, Class of 1991, has been named Governmental Intern for the first semester of the 1990-1991 school year. As an intern, Suzanne will have the opportunity to work for a government agency in Springfield in areas which vary from politics and law to communications and human services. In addition, Suzanne has received the Xerox Award in the Humanities and Social Sciences, presented by the Xerox Corporation. This award, based on demonstrated scholarship, leadership, and community service, makes Suzanne eligible to apply for a special Xerox Scholar Program at the University of Rochester.

Last spring, sophomore Asma Ahad of Skokie prepared a science project and entered it in the "Intech 90 Young Engineers and Scientists Competition" at Illinois Benedictine College in Lisle. Asma's research project won her a place as a semi-finalist in the competition. She was awarded a prize of \$100 and a \$500 scholarship to attend Illinois Benedictine College in the future.

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Niles fitness instructor retires



Maggie Deutsch is pictured above giving a lecture on body basics.

The Niles Park District Board of Commissioners and staff recently accepted the resignation of their popular fitness instructor, Maggie Deutsch.

Maggie began work at the Niles Park District 14 years ago, and has developed a great following of participants in all fitness programs she has been involved in.

Bizet's 'Carmen' lectures set

Lyric Opera Corps lecturer Anita Kallaman will discuss Georges Bizet's "Carmen" at the Lincolnwood Public Library Thursday, Dec. 6, 7:30 p.m. and a member of the Skokie Valley Lyric Opera Corps will give a presentation on the famous work on Sunday, Dec. 9 at 2 p.m.

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Kiwanis Club slates 1990-'91 officers

The Kiwanis Club of Skokie Valley has announced the 1990-'91 slate of officers. They include: President Phyllis Custer, Vice President Richard Favis, Secretary Jerome Piotrowski, Treasurer Galen Hosler and President-elect Stan Harris.

A dinner is being planned to honor outgoing President Paul Plotnick.

The Kiwanis Club of Skokie Valley meets every Thursday at 12:15 p.m. at the Skokie Holiday Inn.

Fitness club memberships available

For anyone making a New Year's resolution to get in shape, the Morton Grove Park District has just what you are looking for.

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For more information, call 965-1200 or stop by the Morton Grove Fitness Club at 6834 Dempster St., Morton Grove, for a club tour.

Book discussion set in MG

The December Book Discussion will be held on Friday, Dec. 14 at 10 a.m.

New arrivals in fiction and non-fiction will be presented by Barbara Todd and refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

MG Library slates Holiday Travelogue

The annual Holiday Travelogue will be presented at the Morton Grove Public Library on Tuesday, Dec. 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Morton Grove resident Freddie Fischer and his Schnickelfritzers will play German and holiday music.

Fischer is making his 7th appearance at the Library and has performed with his violin throughout the Chicagoland area.

The program will include a travel film on Vienna and refreshments will be served at the close of the program.

At 11:30 a.m. a travelogue of films on Austria and Finland will be shown. Both programs are free of charge.

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Chicago boy wins greeting card contest



Eleven-year-old Frankie Nudo (left), winner of Concerned Care's Holiday Greeting Card Contest, surprises his grandmother, Donna Falco of Elmwood Park, with the winning original drawing especially made for her.

Eleven-year-old Frankie Nudo, of 7005 W. Higgins, Chicago, is the top-prize winner of Concerned Care's Holiday Greeting Card Contest.

Frankie made his card especially for his grandmother, Donna Falco, a Concerned Care patient who lives in Elmwood Park. The theme of this year's contest was "If I Had One Wish." Frankie's card, hand-drawn by him, features a snowman who says, "If I had one wish, I'd wish I wouldn't melt."

Adriane Bucher of Concerned Care, Inc., presented Frankie with his prize on Nov. 26 at his grandmother's home. Frankie sur-

prised his grandmother with the original drawing which has been framed for her.

Concerned Care sponsors this contest annually for patients and their families. The winning entry then becomes the company's corporate greeting card.

Concerned Care, Inc. is a home nursing service with regional offices in Skokie, Des Plaines, St. Charles and Homewood. Its professional nursing staff offers a comprehensive range of programs and services to meet the need of patients throughout the Chicago metro area.

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Chanukah kits distributed

As a public service, Lubavitch Chabad of Niles and F.R.E.E. of Niles are distributing Chanukah kits to anyone who is in need of a Chanukah menorah, candles and explanatory holiday brochure.

The Chanukah brochure is available in both English and Russian. This year, Chanukah begins Tuesday night, December 11 and ends Wednesday, December 19. In addition to the menorah kit for the entire household, children (of age) are encouraged to light their own menorah and recite the blessings.

To obtain a Chanukah kit, call (708) 296-1770.

Chanukah celebrates the triumph of the small Maccabean Jewish army over Syrian rule in the year 165 B.C.E. As a mark of victory, the menorah (candelabra), a symbol of spiritual light, was rekindled in the Holy Temple. Miraculously, the one-day oil supply burned for eight days. Today, Chanukah is celebrated by kindling a menorah for eight days, emphasizing that with G-d's help, one can overcome obstacles and ultimately succeed.

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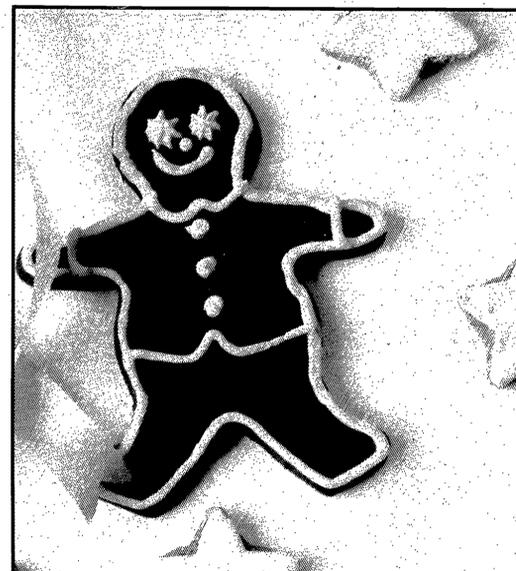
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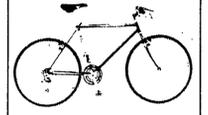
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Food for Thought Cafe at 5:30 and 7 p.m. The adult menu features a chicken fricassee dinner and the children's menu includes chicken noodle soup and a hot dog. Advance reservations are necessary by Dec. 6 and can be made by calling (708) 835-8261. After supper children may visit Santa in the Exhibition Hall or participate in activities including growing a plant from a cutting, creating a bookmark and making a packet of plants to perfume the house for the holidays.

In addition to the activities, the North Shore Choral Society will sing holiday carols. The Chicago Botanic Garden is located on Lake-Cook Road in Glencoe, one-half mile east of the Edens Expressway. The Botanic Garden is open every day except Christmas from 8 a.m. until sunset. Admission is free; parking is \$3 per car.

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Calendar focuses on different religions

"Making a America safe for differences" is the ideal upon which the National Conference of Christian and Jews-Chicago Region (NCCJ) was founded in 1935. World news headlines reveal daily the need for knowledge about various religious and cultural traditions.

The NCCJ (Chicago and northern Illinois region) continues to provide that vital information about "differences" with the release of the 1991 version of its award-winning InterFaith Calendar. "The calendar was created as an outgrowth of the NCCJ's civic devotion to preserving and strengthening the freedom to be different" says Reverend Stanley L. Davis, Jr., executive director of NCCJ in Chicago.

The calendar -- first of its kind nationally -- focuses on a different cultural/religious community each month. All the information for each community has been prepared by representatives from that community.

Each month the InterFaith Calendar explains the community's tenets and practices in everyday language. The following traditions are highlighted: Ba'hai, Buddhism, several forms of Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism and Sikhism. For the first time, Zoroastrianism, (the religion of Zubin and Zarin Mehta) and Native American Indian traditions will also be included. One can see at a glance --

events, festivals and holy days of each community throughout the year. For companies such as Arthur Andersen & Co., schools, universities, and aidmen's offices -- personnel directors can implement policies (i.e. set up holidays) for a diverse employee population with the respect and understanding that we all want and serve," states Davis. "Its educational value does not stop on January 1."

The 1990 NCCJ InterFaith Calendar was awarded a "Merit Award" and chosen as one of the national's best calendars by the Calendar Marketing Association. Blankenberg Associates, Chicago, produced and designed both the 1990 and 1991 formats. The calendar comes in a convenient 11x14 inch size which folds out to 14x22. It makes a perfect gift for the holidays and all year around. It is appropriate for all settings: the classroom, personnel offices, in military and government offices, in gift stores, and more.

To receive a calendar send a \$10 donation (plus \$2 for shipping handling) to the organization. All donations support the NCCJ. Make your check or money order payable to the National Conference of Christians and Jews, 203 N. Wabash, Suite 918, Chicago, IL 60601. For further information call the NCCJ at (312) 236-9272.

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Prime Timers plan party

A holiday party for the North Shore Prime Timers will be held on Dec. 13 at the Morton House Restaurant at 6:30 p.m.

For reservations call Priscilla Godemann 966-7363 by Dec. 7. Installation of 1991 officers will take place at that time.

The 1991 elected officers are - Executive Board: Dodee Connelly, president, Frank Glass, vice pres., Larry Farris, treasurer, Philo Kane, assistant treasurer, Ann Sisto, secretary. Directors: Rose Pisula, membership, Priscilla Godemann, public relations, Leo Kochin, by-laws, Marge Coorlas, assistant by-laws, Vivian Carlson, communications. Activities: Philo Kane, theatre, Mary Como and JoElyn Polkoff Ethnic Eat Out, Catherine Larson, historian. A lunch and program at the Milk Pail in East Dundee is scheduled for Dec. 17 at 2:30 p.m. For reservations call 966-7363 by Dec. 10.

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Smart ways to help kids learn

Finding the right holiday gift for a preschooler can be a challenge. Young children want something fun; parents want games that are educational; and gift-givers want to give games that last.

International Games, Inc. has done extensive research on creating fun games that aid children's development, which four years ago resulted in the award-winning "Games for Growing" series. More recently the company came out with the Sesame Street Travel Games for preschoolers. Equipped with a brightly-colored durable carrying case, each game has three different activities that combine the characters of Sesame Street with the fundamentals of the alphabet, counting and puzzles. They're available for around \$7 each at leading toy, drug and discount stores.

"Concepts and characters like Sesame Street are familiar to children and make them feel comfortable with a game," says Jeff Conrad, corporate games designer for International Games, the makers of UNO. "Making children comfortable is the first step in helping them learn, and once they begin to learn they have fun."

In deciding how to select a good game for preschoolers, Conrad offers this advice: "First look at the package and make sure there is a clear summary and illustration of the game. Second, read a game box to see how many people can play - the more flexibility in this area, the better. Third, the game should have 'lasting power.' Find a game that children can continue to play as they learn more.

"The most important thing a game can do is stimulate a child's curiosity," Conrad adds. "With the Travel Games, children first learn their letters and numbers, then they can develop words and do basic math. Young players can observe and enjoy the process of learning."

Holiday Bazaar at Lawrence House

Do you have a hard time choosing a gift for your boss? Do you know someone who seems to have everything? Are you a holiday shopper looking for bargains? Does everyone return your gifts the next day?

If you've answered yes to any of these questions, you need to attend the free and open to the public Holiday Bazaar at The Lawrence House, 1020 W. Lawrence, Chicago, Saturday, Dec. 8, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

With over 25 artists and craftspersons, there will be enough variety for the most discriminating of tastes: there will be toys for tots, confections for people with a sweet tooth, flower arrangements for the nature lover, clothes for the fashion conscious, paintings for the serious collector, jewelry for the neck, wrist and lobes and a variety of knick-knacks to suit any personality. With prices under \$25, you'll have enough holiday money leftover to buy yourself a gift!

Beat the crowds and have a happy holiday at The Lawrence House Holiday Bazaar. For further information contact Robin Jannish at (312) 561-2100.

University sponsors holiday food drive

Northeastern Illinois University's Department of Public Safety is once again participating in the annual holiday food drive sponsored by Eddie Schwartz of WGN Radio.

They are asking the university and neighborhood communities to pitch in with donations of food or money. Money is preferable, according to Lieutenant Jack Baker, because \$3 worth of food can be purchased for every \$1 donated. Canned food is preferable to dried foods and no perishables are accepted.

Donations will go to the Greater Chicago Food Depository at the Civic Center on Dec. 14. As they have in the past, several public safety officers will bring the donations down in a van and squad car, at 7 p.m. Eddie Schwartz will be broadcasting live from the Civic Center collection site.

In addition to various drop-off sites around campus, there is a 24-hour drop-off at the Public Safety building. All are now accepting donations. For more information, please call Lt. Jack Baker at (312) 583-4050, ext. 2990.

Holiday boutique at Maine East

The Fine Arts Boosters of Maine East High School is planning a holiday boutique to raise money for student scholarships and to finance our spring musical, "Fiddler on the Roof."

The event is slated for Dec. 8, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Student Cafeteria, Maine East High School, 2601 W. Dempster St., Park Ridge.

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Museum Shop offers Hanukkah gift selection

The Museum Shop of the Art Institute of Chicago is featuring a selection of gifts for friends and relatives celebrating the Hanukkah season this year.

This selection reflects the shop's commitment to people of all ages and varying interests.

Books of special interest to Hanukkah celebrants include The Jewish Family's Book of Days, with illustrations from the Judaica Collection of New York's Central Synagogue, available in hardcover for \$19.95. A touching memoir about a young Jewish girl's childhood in a rural village, Memories of My Life in a Polish Village (1940-1949) includes paintings, drawings and text by Toby Knobel Fluek and sells for \$19.95. A lavishly illustrated new book about artist Marc Chagall (Russian, 1887-1985) titled My Life, My Dream, Berlin and Paris 1922-1940, written by Susan Compton, sells for \$65.

The Museum Shop also is offering three boxed sets of cards featuring the artwork of this popular Russian artist. The American Windows boxed set includes five each of the four different images in Chagall's stained glass window of the same title in the department of 20th-Century Painting and Sculpture, executed in 1974-1978. The set includes envelopes and sells for \$11.95. Theatre, a boxed set of 10 blank cards featuring a detail from American Windows, sells for \$9. The Circus Rider, Circa 1927, is reproduced in a boxed set of blank cards selling for \$10.

Other items include the Chan Mazal Jerusalem Calendar, the Gold Prize winner of the 1990 International Calendar Competition. This oversized calendar for 1991 features the brilliant artwork of noted Jerusalem artist Mazal and sells for \$26.50.

Six different boxed sets of holiday cards by Mazal also are available, priced at \$13.50 for a box of 10. Individual cards by Mazal sell for \$1.50 each.

The Museum Shop is located just inside the Michigan Avenue entrance of the Art Institute, and the auxiliary shop is located outside of Regenstein Hall in the Rice Building. The shops are both open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday 10:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sundays and holidays noon to 5 p.m., with extended hours during the holiday season.



Lecture discusses holiday stress

The bustling holiday season is a very stressful time for most people. The cooking, shopping, parties, and visiting can take an emotional toll.

Old Orchard Hospital is offering a free lecture to help people manage holiday obligations yet slow down long enough to enjoy themselves.

"Stress Management for the Holidays: How to handle shopping, relatives and social obligations and still enjoy yourself," will be presented Thursday, Dec. 6, from 7 to 9 p.m. at CPC Old Orchard Hospital.

The lecture is open to the public. Reservations are requested, and can be made by calling (708) 679-0760. CPC Old Orchard Hospital is located at 9700 N. Kenton Ave., just east of the intersection of Skokie Blvd. and Golf Rd.

Holiday greeting cards available

Holiday greeting cards and brochures are now available at the Palatine office of the American Cancer Society, 113 N. Northwest Highway.

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Breakfast with Santa

Help old Saint Nick fill out his red suit during Brookfield Zoo's annual Breakfast with Santa, Saturdays and Sundays, Dec. 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 and 23, at the zoo's Safari Stop Restaurant.

Fill up your tummy with an all-you-can-eat buffet, which includes scrambled eggs, French toast, hash browns, freshly-baked muffins, bagels and cream cheese, fruit cocktail, coffee, tea, milk and hot chocolate. Santa will hear everyone's holiday wish, pose for pictures (Mom and Dad provide the camera), and present a special surprise to each

child before dashing back to the North Pole.

Breakfast times are 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. To ensure Santa brings enough helpers, you must reserve your place by calling (708) 485-0263, ext. 356. Tickets are \$9.75 for adults, \$6.75 for children 3 to 11. Visa, MasterCard and Discover card are accepted. Tickets will be mailed.

Brookfield Zoo is located at First Avenue and 31st Street in Brookfield, Ill., and is accessible from the Stevenson (I-55) and Eisenhower (I-290) expressways and the Tri-State tollway (I-294).

Holiday traditions return to Chicago

Marshall Field's beloved Mistletoe Bear will return this year to brighten the holidays as he greets shoppers at the State Street store and makes appearances throughout the holiday season.

Dressed in a colorful red and white sweater and hat and carrying a backpack, Mistletoe Bear plush animals will be available at all Marshall Field's stores (except Lake Forest) for \$30.

Children will also have the opportunity to share their holiday wishes with Santa when they visit "Cozy Cloud Cottage," his home-away-from-home on the fourth floor of the State Street store. Thirty-two-inch high animated characters will amuse and entertain children as they enter Santa's home.

The characters, which are identical to the smaller, old-fashioned toy ornaments found on The Great Tree, include a toy soldier, an elephant on wheels and a jack-in-the-box. "Cozy Cloud Cottage" is open through Monday, Dec. 24 during store hours.

Marshall Field's famous holiday State Street window displays will feature animated vignettes with such well-known institutions as the Lyric Opera, the Art Institute, Daley Plaza, the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, The Goodman Theatre, the Field Museum and Lincoln Park Zoo. The displays are done precisely to scale and the animated characters in every scene have flexible joints, glass eyes and "pinchable" cheeks, making them appear extremely life-like.

Germans from Russia plan get-together

The American Historical Society of Germans from Russia will have their "Christmas Get-Together" on Sunday, Dec. 9 at the Eden Evangelical Lutheran Church, 5051 W. Gunnison St., Chicago.

The program will be a "Festival of Carols" and will begin at 2 p.m. Visitors are welcome and a Pot Luck Supper will be served. Please call Margaret and Dave Aul to let them know you will be coming, (708) 455-1822.

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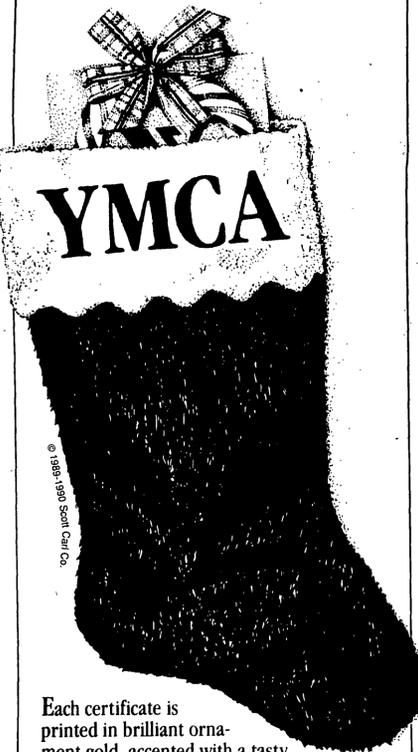
For further information call Jeri Moore or Linda Steirer at (708) 673-3455.

Chanukah Party set for Dec. 12

Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation Men's Club, 7800 W. Lyons, Morton Grove, presents a Family Chanukah and Latke Dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 5:30 p.m.

Adult admission is \$5, kids \$2.50 under 12. Reservation deadline: Friday, Dec. 7.

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Luise Cameron displays some of her hand-crafted fabric-covered boxes during a craft sale picture frames and ornaments are among other items Cameron is selling for the holidays.

Helpful hints about Christmas trees

One of the most charming traditions of the holiday season is the real Christmas tree. Knowing a few facts can help make yours even more delightful.

A few simple care tips can enhance your enjoyment of your Christmas tree and keep it fresh and fragrant throughout the holiday season.

When you bring it home, cut a quarter inch off the base of the trunk. Keep the tree outdoors in a container of water protected from wind and sun until you're ready to decorate.

Before bringing it into the house, take another quarter inch off the base so the stem can take up water. Immediately place the tree in the stand and fill it with fresh water. Keep the water level above the fresh cut. The tree may need as much as a gallon of water

a day, so check the stand daily.

For safety's sake, check all electric lights and connections before decorating your tree and home. Use lights with cords that are not worn or frayed and never use lighted candles on the tree. Do ensure that electrical circuits are not overloaded. Place the tree away from fireplaces, radiators, television sets and other heat sources. Turn off all decorations before retiring at night or leaving the house.

Since your tree is biodegradable, you'll find it can have its uses after the holiday, too. Place it in the garden for use as a bird feeder. Orange slices, bread and suet will attract birds. Its branches and trunk may be removed and used as mulch in your garden. Branch tips and needles can provide aromatic stuffing for sachets.

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Monthly Food Co-op fundraisers

The Parents Club of Our Lady of Ransom Catholic School is holding monthly Market Day Food Co-op fundraisers to enhance school programs.

Holiday specials include Georgia Nut Tins, Merkt's Cheese Cakes, Flavored Coffee Gift Packs, Eli's Tuxedo Cheesecake, Pecorino, Gourmet Meats, Rich's frozen sugar cookie dough. All products are of restaurant quality and are national brands of frozen meats, entrees,

seafood, poultry, deli items, sausages, and fresh produce. The convenient early evening Market Day pickup is from 4:15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Jr. High Hallway (west entrance of the school), 8300 N. Greenwood, Niles. The next pick-up day is Friday, Dec. 14. Order forms available by calling the school office at (708) 696-4413 or the OLR Ministry Center at (708) 823-2550.

Montay College presents holiday concert

The Montay College/Community Choral, under the direction of Scott K. Hoffman, will present its annual Holiday Festival Concert on Sunday, Dec. 9, at 3 p.m.

The concert will be held in the chapel on the campus of Montay College, and will feature a performance of Camille Saint-Saens "Christmas Oratorio".

This French-Romantic portrayal of the Christmas story is full of the lush harmonies and

beautiful melodies commonly associated with that style.

Guest artists for the concert include: Jonathan Hall, organ; Martha Swisher, soprano; Nancy Klingman, soprano; Betty Brunlieb, contralto; Trevor Mitchell, tenor; and Bruce Cain, baritone.

This concert will also include several new arrangements of standard Christmas music, and plenty of carols to sing along with.

For information call (312) 539-1919.

Singer offers practical gift idea

No one knows better how hard you are to buy for. For someone else, you can be impractical, even frivolous; for yourself, never.

All those baubles lost in the forgotten clutter at the back of a dresser drawer came from other people.

If you actually yield to reason and buy your richly deserving self a gift, it will be supremely functional, sensible and probably downright unromantic.

Pamela Hastings, director of consumer education for the Singer Sewing Company, has an ideal suggestion.

"Any business person would welcome a gift that saves both money and time and helps give you a fresh start every day," Hastings is speaking specifically of Singer's new Magic Press™ and Magic Steam Press™, both of which bring the quality and convenience of professional pressing to the home.

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says Hastings. "And a Singer press gives you the quality of pressing you expect from a professional, in your home and in just minutes."

Frequent dry cleaning, often a necessity to obtain professional pressing, can be destructive to the fibers in fine clothing, as can the back-and-forth motion of repeated ironings. "By avoiding frequent dry cleaning," Hastings points out, "you make your clothes look better and last longer. By cancelling those unnecessary dry cleaning charges, you can pay for a Singer press in as little as a year. Besides the convenience and economy, this is the gift that gives a daily boost in self-confidence throughout the year."

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If you have questions about the Singer Magic Steam Press or any Singer appliance - call 1 (800) 877-1329, a member of the Singer Consumer Information Department will assist you.

Stocking stuffers, grab bag gifts for under \$10

Stocking stuffers and grab bag gifts needn't cost a lot to bring a lot of happiness to special people on your holiday gift list.

There are many wonderful holiday gifts you can make yourself. If you're a whiz in the kitchen, cook up a batch of cookies and present them in an attractive cookie tin. Handy with a needle? A handmade scarf, hat or sweater is always a special gift. Dried herbs and flowers stuffed in a pretty fabric pouch can make a delightful scented sachet for a lady on your list.

Local stores also have many fun and useful presents, priced at under \$10 - especially good choices for children who don't have much to spend on holiday gifts. One of these is a handy three-way pouch that's perfect for students.

The Red Accent pouch from Coast Manufacturing Company is considered "the standard" in the industry. Featuring a large, fully-lined and padded main compartment and front pocket, it holds compact 35s, Walkman-type stereos and many other items.

Here are some gifts that may be music to any audiophile's ears. They may also be picture-perfect for shutterbugs. An Audio Cassette Case, also from Coast, is a ten-piece cassette case that doubles as a carrier for cameras and camera accessories.

A versatile soft case, it's made of rich nylon fabric that's highly durable and water-resistant. Thick foam padded construction guarantees maximum shock protection. The shoulder strap doubles as a belt. Another great gift is a ten-piece Compact Disc Case, also great for holding camera gear.

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Coping with holidays topic of lecture

The final presentation in Swedish Covenant Hospital's Free 1990 Fall Lecture Series entitled "Holidays: An Opportunity for Renewal" will take place at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 11, in the Anderson Pavilion Auditorium, 2751 W. Winona.

A panel of professionals experienced in the field of mental health will lead a discussion on ways of coping with the "holiday blues" and accentuating the joy of the season. Panelists will be Dr. Demetrius Trakas, medical director, SCH department of mental health; Gail Benza, RN, MSN, nurse manager, clinical specialist, mental health unit; and Vicki Nestor, producer, SCH radio health awareness program.

Free parking will be available in the hospital garage. For additional information call the Public Relations Office, 989-3812.



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Entertainment '91 books for sale

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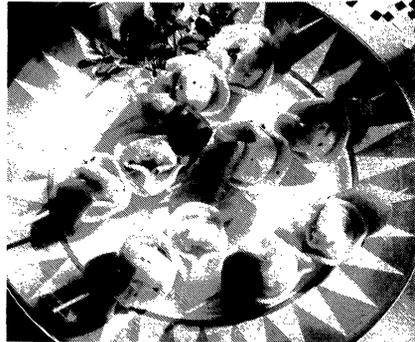
'Tis the season to entertain. This year deck the halls with ease--dazzle guests with a pasta appetizer that's festive and quick. Convenience products like Romance fresh pastas and sauces from the supermarket dairy/deli case trim time, not taste! Stock the refrigerator with several different pastas and one or two sauces. Then, use them to quickly prepare a pick-up appetizer or a more substantial first course at a moment's notice.

Tasty Tortelloni Sticks alternate colorful red and green bell pepper chunks with filled tortelloni-cheese, meat or spinach--on short wooden skewers. Perfect when entertaining a crowd, they take under half an hour to prepare. For added convenience, these easy appetizers can be assembled ahead and refrigerated until ready to microwave and serve.

Two dipping sauces complement the tortelloni. Romance Pesto Sauce blended with reduced-calorie sour cream is cool and snappy. Its warm counterpart is Romance Marinara Sauce mixed with ripe olives and shredded parmesan cheese.

In addition to tortelloni and fettuccine, Romance offers fresh linguine and angel hair pastas, along with chicken, cheese, meat and spinach-filled ravioli. Five sauces with Old World flavors require nothing more than heating.

For more simple and delicious pasta recipes to use year round, send your name and address to: Romance Fresh Pastas and Sauces, 5814 77th St., Kenosha, WI 53142.



Prepared in under half an hour, Tortelloni Sticks pair fresh, microwaveable Romance tortelloni with red and green bell pepper pieces for a fun and festive party appetizer.

party. Two-Cheese Fettuccine with Canadian Bacon and Pears is a festive first course. In this quick skillet dish, the tender, fresh fettuccine blends deliciously with ricotta and provolone cheeses, lean Canadian bacon, sweet pears and walnuts.

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Tortelloni Sticks
1 large green bell pepper, cut into 1-inch pieces.
2 10-ounce packages Romance Meat, Cheese or Spinach Tortelloni.

1 large red bell pepper, cut into 1-inch pieces.
1/3 cup reduced-calorie Italian dressing.

1/2 cup each: Romance Pesto Sauce and reduced-calorie sour cream.

1 7-ounce package Romance Marinara Sauce.

1/4 cup each: finely chopped ripe olives and shredded parmesan cheese.

Chef creates gingerbread 'Water Tower'

Continuing his tradition of choosing landmark themes for the gingerbread house on display during the holidays, Hyatt Lincolnwood Executive Chef Michael Koening plans to recreate Chicago's famous Water Tower for 1990.

The 8-foot replica will be in the lobby of the hotel, 4500 W. Touhy, Lincolnwood, thru New Year's Day.

In previous years Chef Koening has produced gingerbread versions of a walled castle in his native France; the old Graue Mill in suburban Oak Brook, and his own Tudor-style home in the Edgewood section of Chicago.

On 6-inch bamboo skewer, arrange one green pepper piece, two tortelloni and one red pepper piece. Repeat, using remaining tortelloni and peppers. Generously brush skewers with dressing; place in microwaveable 12 x 8-inch baking dish. Cover with vented plastic wrap; microwave on High (100%), turning once, 6 to 7 minutes or until heated through. Meanwhile, combine Pesto Sauce and sour cream; set aside. In small microwaveable bowl, combine Marinara Sauce, olives and cheese. Cover with vented plastic wrap; microwave on High 2 minutes or until heated through. Arrange tortelloni skewers on platter; serve with sauces. Makes approximately 2 dozen appetizers.

Two-Cheese Fettuccine with Canadian Bacon and Pears
3/4 cup part-skim ricotta cheese.
2 ounces provolone cheese, cut in 1/4-inch pieces (about 1/2 cup).

1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper.
Nonstick cooking spray.

2 tablespoons coarsely chopped walnuts.

4 slices (2 ounces) Canadian bacon, cut in 1/4 x 2-inch strips.

1 garlic clove, minced (about 1 teaspoon).

1/4 cup water.

1 12-ounce package Romance Fettuccine.

1 red Bartlett pear, cored, cut in 1/2-inch pieces.

Chopped parsley.

In small bowl, combine ricotta cheese, provolone, milk and pepper; set aside. In 10-inch nonstick skillet sprayed with nonstick cooking spray, saute walnuts over medium heat until lightly toasted about 3 minutes. Remove and reserve. Remove skillet from heat; spray again. Sauté bacon and garlic 2 minutes. Add water and fettuccine. Cover; cook over low heat 3 minutes or until fettuccine is tender. Remove skillet from heat. Add cheese mixture; toss. Add pear; toss again. Arrange on serving plates. Sprinkle with reserved walnuts and parsley. Makes 8 appetizer servings.

HOLIDAY GIFT GUIDE

Holiday stuffing goes wild

The holiday season seems to be the time of year when Americans, no matter how sensible our diets may be the rest of the year, throw caution to the wind and feast on tempting foods. One favorite holiday tradition--stuffing--often pales in comparison to many of the other more dazzling dishes gracing a festive family dinner table. But it doesn't have to.

"Savory Wild Rice and Sausage Stuffing" is a delicious departure from the usual bread stuffing. Prepared in your microwave in just minutes, the delicious combination of long grain and wild rice, Italian sausage, dried fruits and almonds is pleasing to the eye and palate. And compared to conventional cooking methods, preparing this stuffing in the microwave oven will help preserve the festive color and texture of the fruit, almonds and other ingredients.

A covering of microwave-safe Saran Wrap brand plastic film will help seal in moisture, retain flavor and prevent splattering. Due to its tolerance to high cooking temperatures and resistance to hot fats and oils, Saran Wrap is the best plastic wrap for microwave oven use. Always remember to vent the wrap by turning back a small corner to allow steam to escape, and remove the wrap away from you to prevent burns from escaping hot moisture.

Try serving "Savory Wild Rice and Sausage Stuffing" over the holidays with turkey, roast duck or ham. And, be sure to take advantage of a harvest of seasonal vegetables and fruits to help brighten--and lighten--your holiday feast!

Savory Wild Rice and Sausage Stuffing
1 package (6-1/4 ounces) fast-cooking, long grain and wild rice
2 cups hot water
1 tablespoon margarine or butter

Pancake syrup 'secret ingredient' in holiday baking

During the holidays, frazzled celebrants often work 'round the clock' wrapping gifts, decorating trees and entertaining guests. And while lack of available time can be stressful, when it comes to holiday baking, a missing recipe ingredient can be enough to send even the most prepared hostess over the edge.

Hurried holiday chefs will revel in knowing that there's a secret to saving time - and last-minute trips to the store - one that's so obvious, people wake up to it every morning.

It's Aunt Jemima® Pancake Syrup, an everyday kitchen staple with a warm, maple flavor. While many holiday dessert recipes call for corn syrup as a sweetening ingredient, Aunt Jemima Syrup is being used more and more as a tastier alternative.

Unlike corn syrup, which is used just for baking, pancake syrup is poured throughout the year on foods like waffles, French toast - even ice cream, cereal, puddings and pies.

For people who love the taste of Aunt Jemima Syrup and are looking for some quick, easy holiday recipes, The Quaker Oats Company is offering a free recipe booklet featuring 10 tempting

1/2 pound hot or mild Italian sausage, casing removed, crumbled into small pieces
1/2 cup sliced green onions and tops
1/2 teaspoon ground coriander seed
3/4 cup coarsely chopped mixed dried fruit
1/4 cup orange juice
1/2 cup diced, unpared apple
1/2 cup whole, unblanched almonds
Salt
White pepper

Combine rice, water and margarine in a 2-quart, glass, microwave-safe casserole (discard spice packet); cover with Saran Wrap brand plastic film, venting one corner. Vent should be approximately 1-inch from side of dish.** Microwave according to package directions.

Place sausage in a 1-1/2-quart glass, microwave-safe casserole; cover with Saran Wrap, venting one corner. Microwave at High Power until sausage is no longer pink, about 2 minutes; drain excess fat. Stir in green onions and coriander seed; cover with Saran Wrap, venting one corner. Microwave at High Power for 2 minutes. Stir in dried fruit and orange juice; cover with Saran Wrap, vent one corner and Microwave at High power for 2 minutes, or until fruit is softened and orange juice is almost absorbed. Stir fruit and sausage mixture, apple and almonds into rice; cover securely with Saran Wrap and let stand until all liquid has been absorbed, 3 to 5 minutes. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

Makes 8 servings (about 3/4 cup each)

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**Proper venting is essential to the cooking process as it allows excess moisture to escape, keeping cooking temperatures constant.

Regina slates Christmas concert

Regina Dominican High School will hold its annual Christmas Concert at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 9 in the Regina Auditorium. Suzanne Senese, Glenview, is music director.

Holiday season support group

The holidays are full of "shoulds", "musts", "have to's", family conflicts, food, and simply put, stress.

Rick Tivers & Associates, 9150 N. Crawford, Skokie, Ill. 676-9191, is offering a weekly group specifically for the holiday season.

This group will help you cope with loneliness, food and alcohol binges, and learning how to meet your own needs during the holidays. Please call (708) 676-9191 to register.

Christmas safety tips from Commonwealth Edison

Sooner or later, many of us will haul out the artificial Christmas tree or start the search for a natural tree. Before you begin stringing lights or hanging tinsel, please consider a few precautions to ensure that the holiday season will be safe as well as bright and colorful.

For starters, it's always a good idea to inspect last year's lighting sets and discard any with damaged plugs or cords. Use only lighting sets and extension cords that carry the Underwriters' Laboratories (UL) label.

Keep tinsel away from electrical plugs and sockets. If you prefer a natural tree, be sure to water it frequently, and keep burning candles, smoking materials or other sources of ignition safely away.

Metal trees have become increasingly popular in recent years. If you prefer this type,

never decorate it with lights. Use a floodlight instead - perhaps in combination with a color wheel - to achieve the same festive effect.

If you're decorating outside, check to make sure the holiday sets are approved for outdoor use. And always maintain a safe distance from overhead electric power lines or facilities, especially when using a metal ladder or tools.

Many of the younger family members will be receiving electrical toys for the first time, and proper handling can be a child's first experience with electrical safety. Underwriters' Laboratories helps to ensure safety in toy construction as well as in lighting sets, extension cords and appliances. The UL seal on an electrical toy shows that the item has been tested for the safety of its electrical parts.

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Annual celestial events explored in sky show

Was it a comet, an exploding star or an unusual meeting of the planets? Just what did the Wise Men see in the sky that beckoned them to Jesus' birthplace in ancient Israel?

Now through Jan. 1, The Adler Planetarium will explore several intriguing possibilities in its Christmas Sky Show, "Star of Wonder."

The description of the Star of Bethlehem in the Bible is the single-most famous astronomical account of ancient times, and historians and astronomers have concentrated their efforts in looking for possible explanations. Detailed accounts inscribed in stone tablets kept by Chinese and Middle Eastern astronomers have aided modern researchers immensely in recreating events that took place in the skies of 2,000 years ago.

The Wise Men (or Magi, as they were then known) were actually astronomer-priests of ancient Mesopotamia, royal advisers whose job was to observe the skies and interpret celestial events. They would set out for their travels in connection with special conjunctions of the planets, and it is quite possible that the "star" they saw rising ahead of them was a conjunction involving Jupiter, Venus and the bright star Regulus.

"We don't attempt to offer a single, irrefutable explanation, but instead discuss the possibilities and learn about how ancient cultures interpreted these events," said Senior Astronomer Eric Carlson, author of the show. "Star of Wonder" will be shown according to the following schedule:

Through Dec. 16: Monday through Thursday at 2 p.m.; Friday at 2 and 8 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, 11 a.m., 2 and 4 p.m.;

Dec. 17-21: Monday through Thursday at 2 and 4 p.m.; Friday at 2, 4 and 8 p.m.;

Dec. 22-24: Daily at 11 a.m., 2 and 4 p.m.;

Dec. 26-Jan. 1: Daily at 11 a.m., 12, 2 and 4 p.m.; Friday at 11 a.m., 12, 2, 4 and 8 p.m.

The current fall Sky Show, "Ticket to the Stars," will be shown at the following times:

Dec. 8-16: Saturday and Sunday at 1 and 3 p.m.;

Dec. 17-23: Monday through Friday at 3 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday at 1 and 3 p.m.;

Dec. 24-Jan. 1: Daily at 1 and 3 p.m.

Sky Show admission is \$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children ages 6 to 17, and free for senior citizens with identification and Planetarium members.

Children must be at least six to attend regular Adler Planetarium Sky Shows, but younger children can see Santa Claus take a trip around the sky in "Winter Star," showing through Jan. 1.

As children follow Santa and his friend Winter Star on their romp through the constellations, they learn about the orbits of the planets and how the view of the sky changes with the seasons. Winter Star also takes a look at "hairy stars" (comets) and meteors, and how the Wise Men and other ancient peoples used to view events in the sky.

"Winter Star" will be shown at the following times: Dec. 8-23, Saturday and Sunday at 10 a.m.; Dec. 24-Jan. 1, daily at 10 a.m. Admission is \$1.50 per person.

Holiday house tour in Norwood Park

The Norwood Park Historical Society announces its seventh annual Christmas House Tour. The house tour will be held on Sunday, Dec. 9, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

We invite you to walk through five historically different homes in our community. Your final destination, the Noble-Scymour-Crippen House, will offer Victorian's Christmas craft sale, a Christmas Cafe, a bake sale, and musical entertainment.

The tour will begin at Our Savior Lutheran Church, which is located at 6099 N. Northcott, Chicago (corner of Northcott and Nickerson). An orientation and slide show will be presented every half-hour, from 1 to 4 p.m. at the church. Tickets are \$7 in advance, or \$9 at the door. To purchase tickets in advance, mail a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Norwood Park Historical Society, c/o Jan Wightman, 5624 N. Newark, Chicago 60631.

Checks should be made payable to Norwood Park Historical Society. The tour is open to adults and children over 12 years old. Victoria's Christmas Craft sale will also be open on Friday, Dec. 7, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 8 and 9, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Noble-Scymour-Crippen House, 5624 N. Newark Chicago. Admission to the craft sale is free.

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Winter walks at nature center

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These and much more will be featured on winter nature walks at River Trail Nature Center, Northbrook, this season.

Join a naturalist for winter ecology walks Dec. 8 (Saturday), Jan. 6 (Sunday), or Feb. 9 (Saturday), each beginning at 1 p.m. Animal tracks, if conditions are favorable, and winter survival strategies of plants and animals will be featured.

Focus on the most colorful winter residents of our Cook County forest preserves on winter bird walks, beginning at 1 p.m. Jan. 19 (Saturday) and Feb. 17 (Sunday). A special bird walk at 9 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 29, will introduce the nationwide Christmas bird count, an annual event sponsored by the Audubon Society.

Quiet winter evenings are a special time. Night hikes Dec. 14 and Jan. 25, Fridays at 7 p.m., will feature star gazing, weather permitting. We'll try owl calling and enjoy the enchantment of the winter woods after dark.

River Trail is at 3120 N. Milwaukee Ave., Northbrook. Call (708) 824-8360 for information.

German singers plan concert

The German American Children's Chorus, together with the German American Singers of Chicago are pleased to announce their 55th annual Christmas Concert to be celebrated on Sunday, Dec. 9, at 2:30 p.m. at the Irish American Heritage Center Auditorium, 4626 N. Knox Ave. in Chicago.

This fine choral presentation will be featuring traditional Christmas songs in both the German and English languages.

Admission price is \$5 per adults and children under 14 are free. This price includes admission to the dance immediately following. Excellent food and beverages are available at a moderate price. Tickets can be purchased at the door. For additional information, please call Elvira Geist at (312) 545-8962.

Kenny Rogers performs New Year's Eve

Kenny Rogers due to an overwhelming demand, performs two concerts on New Year's Eve. (This in addition to his Christmas Concerts Dec. 20 through Dec. 23). Kenny will perform an entirely new show for this special New Year's celebration.

Tickets on sale now through the Pheasant Run Box Office at (708) 584-6300. Packages including choice seating, dinner prior to concert, four New Year's parties with dancing and entertainment from 8:30 p.m. until 2 a.m., party favors and all the New Year's festivities \$129 per person. \$99 packages include concert tickets, dinner prior to the show, and all hotel parties. Overnight packages are also available.

Kenny will perform for two shows New Year's Eve at 7 and 10:30. Please call for further information and reservations to Pheasant Run Resort.

Improv comedy team performs at Oakton

Improvisational comedy at its best will be presented by the four-member comedy team, "Authorized Personnel" at Oakton Community College at 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 7, in Studio 1600 at the College, 1600 E. Golf Rd., Des Plaines.

The program consists of a series of rehearsed comic scenes written by the members and improvisation games built around audience suggestions. The high degree of involvement makes the audience a fifth performer. A large part of the show contains skits in the style of Sturdy Night Live and SCTV.

Tickets are \$5 general admission, \$2 students, faculty, staff and seniors. For information, call 635-1900.

Holiday Magic Festival at Brookfield Zoo

Looking for a break from hectic holiday preparations? Spend a wild, wintry evening at Brookfield Zoo's Holiday Magic Festival!

Join Santa, carolers, ice sculpture artists, costumed characters, and more on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, Dec. 7-9, 14-16; and Friday and Saturday, Dec. 21 and 22. Festival hours are 5 to 8:30 p.m.

Holiday Magic Festival's newest event, an enchanted "Sing to the Dolphins," begins at 7 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 7, inside the zoo's Seven Seas Dolphinarium. Choirs from Naperville Central High School and St. Barbara Catholic Church, in Brookfield, will lead visitors in singing carols to the zoo's star attractions:

Windy, Nemo, and Stormy bottle-nosed dolphins. Can't remember the words? Don't worry! Brookfield Zoo will provide song sheets with the verses to your favorite carols. Radio personality "Danger Dan" Walker will be master of ceremonies for this Q101-sponsored event.

During Holiday Magic Festival, park in the northwest (31st Street) parking lot. For more information about Holiday Magic Festival, call (708) 485-0263, ext. 356.

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Christmas Band Concert slated

Our Lady of Ransom Catholic School, 8300 N. Greenwood Ave., Niles, will present three evenings of Christmas music and carols.

Under the direction of Gregory Stcpanek, a Christmas Band Concert will be performed by band students from grades 4 through 8 on Thursday, Dec. 6, at 7:30 p.m. in Paluch Hall, lower level of the church.

Under the direction of Peggy Keller, music director, "The Christmas Story" pageant will be performed by the Kindergarten through 3rd grade children on Thursday, Dec. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the church. For more information, call the school at (708) 696-4413.

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Theatre Guild plans children's show

"The Elves and The Shoemaker" will be presented Dec. 9, 10, 15 and 16 at the Des Plaines Theatre Guild, 620 Lee Street, Des Plaines.

This popular children's story is produced by Randall Brachmann, Des Plaines, directed by Scott Nield, Schaumburg, and features a cast of adult actors including: H. George and Alan Stickgold, Skokie; Jeanie Collins, Palatine; Patricia Genovese, Des Plaines; Sarah Jane Blevins, Sycamorewood; and Tom Frawley, Park Ridge.

The curtain goes up at 1 p.m. and tickets are \$4 for all ages. To reserve tickets, call (708) 296-1211.

Special family dinner theater at Oakton

An evening of good food and fine theater will be presented at Oakton Community College on Friday, Dec. 7 in a special family dinner theater.

The dinner, which includes a special children's menu, will be served at 5:30 p.m., followed by a 7 p.m. performance of "Wind in the Willows," an action-packed family musical based on Judy Guest's award-winning best-seller.

Tickets are \$12 adults and \$8 children. For information, call 635-1900.

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Victorian tea served at museum

In the midst of your busy holiday season, step back in time for a few hours and enjoy a Victorian Tea at the Des Plaines Historical Museum, 789 Pearson St., Des Plaines.

On Sunday, Dec. 16, the Des Plaines Historical Society is sponsoring the tea with two seatings: 1-2:30 p.m. and 3-4:30 p.m. Tea, cakes and finger sandwiches will be served. Cost per person is \$6.50 and advanced registration is required as space is limited. For registration information, call (708) 391-5399. Begun in 1840 by the Duchess of Bedford, the tradition of afternoon tea continues in England today. The Duchess' habit of starving off hunger with a 4 p.m. pot of tea and some little cakes turned into a social event for her friends.

By the 1880s, tea time was changed to 5 p.m. Ladies were dressing up in long tea gowns and preparing a more elaborate tea service including hot dishes. With our mania for thinness and our busy lives, it is no longer easy to pause in the afternoon for tea. But because of the calming element to the ceremony which the

Historical Society feels is too valuable to lose, they have planned this event to bring people together for a graceful moment of pleasure and refreshment.

Opera benefits Mundelein College

The Sunday Dec. 16 matinee performance of Lincoln Opera's production of Amahl and the Night Visitors will benefit Mundelein College. The one-act play will be held at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$12.50 and are available at the door.

The colorfully costumed one-act opera by Gian Carlo Menotti, sung in English, features a full orchestra.

The story is about Amahl, a crippled boy, who meets three Kings who are following a star to Bethlehem, to take gifts to the newborn Messiah. Amahl offers his crutch, his only valued possession, as a gift. His selfishness is rewarded by being healed of his lameness and he joins the Kings for the remainder of their journey.

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OCC presents Ecuador, Galapagos Islands tour

An escorted tour to the Galapagos Islands, world's largest natural museum of flora and fauna located 600 miles off the coast of Ecuador, will be provided in an educational trip from Jan. 8 to 22, 1991, sponsored by Oakton Community College.

Along with the natural beauty of the islands, tourists will experience the colorful and varied cultures of the people of Ecuador and view the unparalleled beauty of the High Andes mountains.

Some of the highlights of the tour include a cruise to the many islands to view Antarctic fur seals, sea birds and 600-pound tortoises; tour of the Charles Darwin research station and lectures by international research scientists; view the cultural sights of the capital city of Quito; visit to the Banco Central Archaeological Museum with its finest art, archaeological and gold artifact collections; visit to the homes of famous artists; view the impressive church/monastery of St. Augustine, La Compañia Church and the San Francisco Cathedral; and a scenic drive through the mountain country of Ecuador to visit the Otavalo community and South America's most unique Indian Fair.

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Entertainment books for sale

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Timothy J. Regan Marine Lance Cpl. Timothy J. Regan whose wife, Valerie, is the daughter of Frank and Jean Mueller of Niles, was recently commended while serving with 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Yuma, Ariz.

A 1986 graduate of Maine Township High School East, Park Ridge, he joined the Marine Corps in May 1987.

Classic movie channel expands programming

American Movie Classics, cable television's only all-classic Hollywood movie channel, will expand programming to 24-hours and Cablevision of Chicago is happy to announce that AMC's expanded schedule will be available on its system by Jan. 1.

AMC will continue to present all movies uninterrupted, unedited, without colorization and in their longest original versions. "Now our AMC subscribers can enjoy quality, classic movies during the daytime and evening hours," said Irene McPhail, Cablevision general manager.

Jones, who has received two Associated Press and two United Press International awards for feature reporting, will host AMC IN HOLLYWOOD WITH PETER JONES, in which he will report on a wide range of entertaining, and sometimes off-beat, subjects relating to the world of classic motion pictures. In addition, a regular daytime host will introduce daytime features and complement Bob Dorian, who presents the evening prime-time films.

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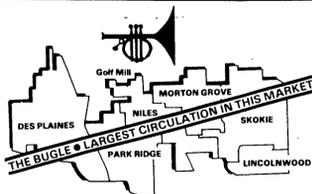
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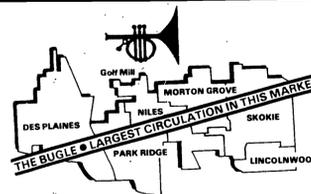
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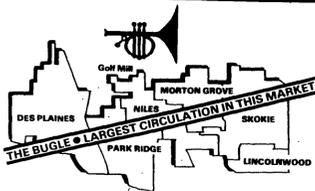
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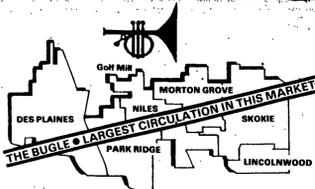
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Skokie firm named 'Contractor of Year'



The 1990 Contractor of the Year award was recently presented to Skokie-based E. Shavitz & Sons-Mr. Build. President Mark Shavitz (right) and Vice President Chris Margarties (left) accepted the award, which recognizes outstanding commitment and effort in promoting and achieving excellence in the field of heating/air conditioning/refrigeration.

The honor was presented by the greater Chicago chapter of the Refrigeration Service Engineer's Society, a worldwide organization that promotes education and professionalism within the industry.

E. Shavitz and Sons was recognized for their ongoing dedication to education, which includes a weekly in-house training program to keep technicians abreast of the latest developments in their field.

The company was founded in 1912 and they have been headquartered in Skokie since the early 1950s.

News about banks not all bad

All the news about banks isn't bad, according to a leading banker.

Kenneth A. Skopec, president of Mid-Citico, Inc. and Chairman of the board of the First National Bank of Morton Grove, said it's time to set the record straight concerning the financial industry.

Skopec maintains that all the gloom and doom about the savings and loan and banking industry present a one-sided story.

"There are many safe, sound and well-managed banks and thrifts throughout the country, but the news media seems to dwell on those that have serious problems, he asserts.

"To lump all banks and thrifts together and arbitrarily label the entire industry as being 'in trouble' is not only unfair to the industry, but misleading and confusing to customers of healthy institutions," he said.

Skopec cites the 27.1 percent increase in third quarter earnings for Mid-Citico, Inc. and the 21.7 percent gain in the same category for the First National Bank of Morton Grove.

"These outstanding performances just didn't happen overnight," he said. "They're the result of continued sound, conservative management that steers our organization in a safe, secure direction."

Mid-Citico, Inc., with total assets of \$832.7 million, includes the First National Bank of Morton Grove, Mid-City National Bank of Chicago, Bank of Elmhurst and Union Bank and Trust of Oklahoma City.

Des Plaines Chamber creates Merchants Committee
The Des Plaines Chamber of Commerce & Industry has established a Retail Merchants Steering Committee whose purpose is to set guidelines for the promotion of the retail community throughout Des Plaines.

Targeted customers are both Des Plaines residents and those from surrounding communities. Questionnaires have been mailed to the retail community regarding ways to best promote shopping in Des Plaines. Planning for 1991 will be based on the information compiled from these questionnaires.

Members of the Retail Merchants Steering Committee include: Gene Anderson (Anderson Lock, Co., Ltd.); Art Bess (Bess Hardware & Sports); Rob Bachar (CR Flowers); Lynne Nason (Katherine's Hallmark); Connie Sundblom (NuImage Fitness Center & Boutique); Louis Capozzoli (Square Deal Shoes); and Frank Svoboda (Svoboda's Mens Wear).

For more information please call the Chamber office at 824-4200.

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Japanese study Skokie Home Care Agency methods



Karen Gunter (left), R.N., president and chief operating officer of Concerned Care, Inc. and Dan Georgevich (right), vice president of Lutheran General's Home Medical Equipment Co., share information with Atsuhil Inabe, commercial specialist from the American Embassy in Tokyo. Inabe led a delegation of 25 business and health care professionals, who visited both companies to learn about American nursing and support services available to senior citizens.

According to a New England Journal of Medicine study, Japan's rapidly aging population is compelling the Japanese to examine the adequacy of its traditional medical health care system.

Twenty-five business and health care professionals from Japan visited Concerned Care, Inc., a Skokie-based home health care agency, on Tuesday, Nov. 20 at 8950 Gross Point Road, Skokie.

Karen Gunter, president and chief operating officer at Concerned Care, Inc., conducted the informative visit and tour.

The group's special "fact finding mission" was arranged by the United States Embassy in Tokyo.

The number of elderly in Japan is projected to more than double by the year 2010 so Japanese citizens and its government are looking towards home health care as a solution to the increasing problem of caring for their elderly.

"In recent years, the government - as a chief overseer of Japan's largely privately financed health insurance plans - has grown restive over the increasing portion of gross domestic product that is allocated to medical care, particularly for the elderly," according to The New England Journal of Medicine.

During their visit to Concerned Care, Japanese representatives will study details within the organization including problems and solutions in the home health care industry and prospects for the future.

Caregivers of aging parents are invited to join a support group sponsored by the Women's Health Program of Rush North Shore Medical Center.

The group will meet at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Dec. 10, in the Good Health program room at the Medical Center, 9600 N. Gross Point Road. Fee is \$3. For details, call Ada P. Kahn, Manager, Women's Health Program, 677-9600, Ext. 3877.

Stroke Club schedules party
The Survivors Stroke Club of Swedish Covenant Hospital will hold its annual Holiday Party from 2 to 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 13, in the Anderson Pavilion, 2751 W. Winona.

The Survivors is a support group for persons who have had a stroke and members of their families. The meetings are free and open to all appropriate persons. For more information call Ellie Finney, Occupational Therapy department, 878-8200, X5302.

Century 21 Stanmeyer expands sales staff
The newest Century 21 Stanmeyer office, located at 1286 N. Milwaukee Ave., added new sales associates to its professional staff.

Ernesto Maldonado is a new sales associate who is district manager for the U. S. Bureau of the Census. His community activities include membership in the Leadership Development Alumni Association and the Latin United Community Housing Association. The Maldonado family lives in Niles.

James Colello joins Stanmeyer from Chicago One Realty. He is a material management specialist with the U. S. Postal Service. Colello holds an MBA from Rosary College. He and his family live in Park Ridge.

Costigan appointed to 2 professional organizations
John Costigan, M.D., director of the Children's Program at Forest Hospital, recently was appointed to two professional organizations through his membership in the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

A resident of Oak Park, Dr. Costigan joined Forest Hospital in September, 1989, and was named director of the Children's Program in January. The program serves children ages 3 through 12 and includes inpatient care, family-involvement, education and after-care services.

Committee develops policy and acts as a liaison between child and adolescent psychiatrists and the court systems.
Dr. Costigan will serve as the Academy's representative to the National Commission on Correctional Healthcare and as a member of the Academy's Rights and Legal Matters Committee. The

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS FROM SANTA

Park Ridge...

100 ft. by 120 ft., which can be divided into two by a canvas wall. A two lane, indoor running track, raised 13 feet from the ground floor level, will circle the gym. Two swimming pools will serve aquatic needs, one a four lane lap pool, the other a 1,200-1,400 sq. ft. leisure pool.

Club-like amenities include a fitness center with weight room, sauna, whirlpool and racquet-ball courts. Community rooms, offices, baby-sitting center and lockers complete the picture.

9-1-1...

The original surcharge was fine to get the basic service, Arft explained, but added that the originally projected \$100,000 for connections and hardware will not be sufficient and could be doubled. "Once we started looking at specifications and equipment, we realized it would be a little higher than our original projections."

Arft could not speculate on the final 9-1-1 cost until equipment decisions are finalized in two

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menting Elliott for the award. Under his administration at the district, student achievement has significantly increased at all levels, reading has improved to the point that ninth graders have progressed from reading at a fourth grade level to reading at the tenth grade level, and writing, listening and speaking skills have also improved as freshmen are now required to complete a course in oral communications and a library research program.

As superintendent, Elliott also has worked for the professional growth of his staff. He has improved communication and increased collaboration, understanding and support among students, staff and the community.

Niles' water...

Carl Ake, manager of NSPU, said the company is negotiating the sale of the land it wants to build on, near the former Maine North high school at Dec and Central Roads. Engineers are currently working on sites for transmission lines, which must be added in some areas. They're trying for less congested streets to avoid traffic problems, Ake said.

He explained as a privately-owned utility, NSPU can act within a smaller time frame than municipalities. In a two-week period, he said, NSPU could seek bids from companies capable of doing the work. The utility is aiming for completion at the end of 1991, according to the manager.

Ake noted there is only one supplier for the type of reservoir NSPU plans, a kind called dyopillar. Unlike Niles' new reservoir north of Cumberland Avenue and Ballard Road, NSPU's will be an elevated structure.

The level of radium in the water supply is still a concern, Ake said. Though the level is down slightly, the content still hovers about seven to nine picocuries per liter, the acceptable level is five picocuries per liter.

Looking at expenses, Ake said the earlier increase in cost to us-

MG man...

Continued from Page 3 prison. M00 action is a Class 4 Felony, punishable by up to 3 years.

Pardee thanked Thomas Dwyer, Chief of the State's Attorney's Special Prosecutions Bureau, for his work on this case.

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The \$7 million figure covers all costs of the project, including land acquisition, demolition of the former "Y" and the construction of the new center, Meyer said.

To finance the project the park district issued a \$5 million bond in 1990 and foresees another, \$1.8 million issue in 1991. Meyer said the owner of a home with the market value of \$185,000 would see a tax increase of \$24 the first two years and \$12 a year the next 18 years.

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months but indicated the deficit would be made up by bank financing. Adding to the projections, Morton Grove will need to remodel and upgrade their existing communications facility and has completed its master street address guide ahead of schedule.

Current estimates are that if equipment is delivered by July, 1991 a full switchover could be possible by fall or early winter 1991.

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Elliott received his doctorate in education from the University of Illinois. He earned his bachelor's degree at Alma College, his master's degree in education at Miami University, and has studied at Ohio State University, Columbia University and Harvard.

He has been a principal in the Evanston Township High School District, assistant superintendent in Lyons Township High School District and superintendent of Pekin High School District. He assumed his current position as superintendent at Maine Township High School District #207 in 1985.

Elliott was selected from a pool of nominations from the 2 IASA Regions by an IASA committee.

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ers was estimated at 40 cents per 1,000 gallons. That cost could be a little higher now, he said, explaining the Illinois Commerce Commission supplies the final numbers.

Many of NSPU's customers grew up in Chicago and want Chicago water, Ake said, but when they hear it will cost more, some object. "In the long run," he maintained, "everybody will be more satisfied with lake water."

Peck said Niles would hold a pre-construction conference with its water line contractors next week and work on the transmission lines should begin in January. The link-up with the unincorporated area will probably be along Greenwood Avenue after NSPU brings in its lines.

Niles' lines follow a nearly three-mile route from the Touhy Avenue reservoir. Present plans see water pipes going up Nora Avenue to Kirk Street, west to Oconto Avenue, north to Keoney Street, then west to the first alley east of Milwaukee Avenue. They will follow Milwaukee to Monroe Street, cross to Cumberland Avenue, where lines were upgraded last summer, and continue to the north side of Dempster Street at the firehouse. Construction costs will be financed out of current village funds.

Evan W. Dolinsky Cadet Evan W. Dolinsky received practical work in military leadership at the U.S. Army ROTC advanced camp, Fort Riley, Kan.

The cadet is a student at the University of Illinois, Cham-

Letters To The Editor

Dudycz thanks 11th District residents for their support

Dear Editor:

With the November election now behind us, I am able to look back with pride on the accomplishments of the past several months.

My campaign proved to be a worthwhile experience for many reasons. While we may not have won, we have shown that the voters cannot be taken for granted. I gained new insight and understanding of the issues affecting area residents and the nation, and was given an additional opportunity to listen to their needs and concerns. Throughout the district, I met many fine people, and made many new friends.

I wish to thank the people of the 11th District for their support. Although I would have preferred to debate my opponent, it is my

hope that a competitive and hard-fought race in the 11th District has produced a better informed electorate, and a more responsive Congressman.

I especially wish to thank my supporters and volunteers. Together we faced a formidable challenge, and everyone should be proud of their efforts. Their tremendous support and assistance reinforced my belief in what we are doing. It was a genuine honor to work with such a dedicated group of individuals, and I look forward to doing it again soon.

I also would like to congratulate Congressman Frank Annunzio on his victory. It is unfortunate that he refused to accept my phone call on election night, so I will take this opportunity to wish

him the best for the next two years as our U.S. representative.

I intend to remain active politically and look forward to continuing to represent the people of the 7th Legislative District as their State Senator. In the future, as in the past, I will strive to have an open, honest and close working relationship with my constituents, and to keep them informed on the issues and activities in Springfield.

On behalf of my family, I wish everyone in our community a joyous Christmas season and a healthy and prosperous New Year.

Sincerely,
State Senator Walter Dudycz
Former Candidate for Congress

Avoid alcohol-related accidents during holiday season

Dear Editor:

This time of year as we prepare for holiday festivities, no one wants to think about unpleasant matters, especially those as unpleasant as drunk and drugged driving. But it cannot be ignored because each year, hundreds of Illinoisans will be involved in alcohol-related auto crashes during the holiday season.

In honor of National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week, which is observed this year from Dec. 9 - 15, let's agree that when we party this season, we're going to elect a designated

driver before we go out for the evening. This way everyone gets home safely for the holidays.

But suppose someone who's already driving comes to your house to celebrate and has a bit too much? What do you do? There are three basic techniques to save an impaired driver: drive them home yourself; call a cab; or let them sleep it off at your house. These lessons are simple and yet so vital. They can help save some of the more than 800 lives lost to drunk and drugged drivers in Illinois each year.

It isn't too much to ask. Any-

way you look at it you win and so does everyone else involved. So, choose a designated driver, drive a friend home, call a cab, or let a friend stay over. Never let a friend drive drunk.

And remember to have plenty of food and soft drinks at parties.

Make the holidays safe and happy for all of us in Illinois.

William T. Atkins
Director
Illinois Department of
Alcoholism and
Substance Abuse

Christmas in Austria at Black Forest

An Austrian Christmas celebration will be taking place at the Black Forest Chalet restaurant now through Dec. 16. In addition to its regular menu, the restaurant will be featuring a special menu reminiscent of the traditional Austrian Christmas feast and legendary Alpine Volksmusik will be played on the zither and sung by a Bavarian-region native-Katie Kurzenberg.

To further this authentic European aura, chocolate samas will be given out to all children and a small bottle of Austria pear liqueur will be given to all adults during this special event. The restaurant will be adorned with Christmas decorations native to the Austrian region, including the Advent Kranz, which is a wreath with one candle added each week in December until Christmas.

Austrian born restaurateur and owner of Black Forest Chalet, Heinz Schaidreiter has made sure every detail - the food, the music, and the atmosphere - will simulate an actual Christmas in the Austrian fashion.

Leonard A. Montoya Jr.

Spec. Leonard A. Montoya Jr. has been decorated with the Army Achievement Medal at Camp Humphreys, South Korea.

The Achievement is awarded to soldiers for meritorious service, acts of courage, or other accomplishments.

He is an ammunition stock control and accounting specialist. Montoya is the brother of Fidos Sabido of Morton Grove.

Nursing school Open House

St. Francis Hospital School of Nursing will hold an Open House for prospective students on Monday, Dec. 10 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. The school is located at 319 Ridge Avenue in Evanston.

Students who complete the two-year St. Francis nursing program earn diplomas in nursing and qualify to take the National Council Licensure Examination to become registered nurses.

The nursing school accepts applications from students who have earned a high school diploma or passed the General Education Development Test.

A tuition-reduction program is available for students who agree to work at St. Francis Hospital after they graduate.

For more information, call (708) 492-6230.

ceve them; and Public Works Department employees made the deliveries.

The Office of Human Services drew up a delivery list based on references from the Salvation Army, local clergymen, village departments and other service agencies. The identity of all recipients was kept confidential.

"Rotary's donation was wonderful," said Peg Gilmour, Director of the Office of Human Services. "We were able to provide a happy Thanksgiving for 35 families, and we've already received many calls of gratitude."

"Providing one meal may just be a drop in the bucket, but we hope we were able to lift some spirits," Meyer said.

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walk-by residents. The most logical area would be inside or outside the administration building where most residents walk-by. An aisle of honor might be created where Nilesites could be reminded of those who contributed much to their well-being. It would be fitting that a Marcheschi monument would be the first on the aisle.

The 61 year old Fenwick Boys' High School will be going co-ed next year. The Oak Park high school's decreasing enrollment has necessitated changing the school into a co-educational institute. Is this a harbinger of what will happen to other Catholic schools? Notre Dame in Niles has similar problems as its brother schools. Expect a similar consideration within the next couple of years.

When the economy weakens (that's a euphemism for a recession) newspapers are often the first to suffer. When the labor force softens, help wanted ads in newspapers decrease. It is a barometer which the Wall Street Journal uses in determining the state of the economy.

Our two major competitors in Niles and Morton Grove, the Pulitzer-Lerner newspapers (The Life) and the Pioneer Press (Spectator &

Champion) are cutting back several of their newspapers.

Last week Crain's Chicago Business reported Lerner is discontinuing nine of its Voice newspapers and Pioneer is combining four of its far north suburban newspapers. Tuesday, the Chicago Tribune reported Pioneer will be closing eight of its newspapers and laying off 35 employees.

The Bugle has been through many recessions in its 33 year history. And while the swings in advertising revenue are not as great as with the larger chains, still we have to adjust to the times. Nevertheless, instead of cutting back or reducing the number of newspapers, we have on the planning board a schedule to add two more newspapers during the coming months. And rather than cutting back employees we've been interviewing people for the past month in anticipation of adding sales people to our ten-person sales staff.

We're not revelling in the discomfort of the other papers. We'd prefer if they'd all prosper and disseminate more and more news. That's what they should be all about. But we're convinced rather than sitting passively by, it is better to aggressively attack the slow-down.

We think next year will be our very best year.

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Lanc and Rogelo Garcia, 17, of 9963 Linda Lane were denied bond for their alleged role in Ortega's death.

Jose Mendieta, 17, Samuel Garcia, 18, and Francisco Sanchez, 22, also reside at 9963 Linda Lane. Rodolfo Castro, 21, is a fellow resident of 9961 Linda Lane. The Garcias are brothers, according to police. The latter four were ordered to post \$100,000 bond each in connection with the two lesser felonies. Some of the arrestees are undocumented aliens.

It began as a minor fender bender, in a parking lot," explained Sgt. Shenk of the Cook County Sheriff's Department who said an argument erupted around 2:15 a.m. outside Nicki's Pub near 9600 Milwaukee Ave. and escalated into a Christmas tree lot next door where Ortega was stabbed throughout his legs and stomach.

"We got lucky," Shenk said of the timely arrests.

Ortega was taken to Lutheran General Hospital where he succumbed to his attack wounds while undergoing emergency surgery. He was pronounced dead at 4:41 a.m.

Food items sought for needy families

The Park Ridge Post No. 3579 is accepting food items for their Christmas baskets to needy families. Items can be brought to the post bartenders after 3 p.m. Dec. 15 is the last day we can receive them.

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tions on the east, southeast and north ends plus a 3,000 square foot outbuilding for Cragin Federal Savings. The developers propose to add on to space now occupied by Cragin in order to accommodate a "low intensity" anchor such as a sporting goods firm.

"We are very excited," Major told commissioners, reciting the partnership's earlier successes in Homewood's Cherry Creek. "We buy one property at a time..." "Did you ever look at Lawrencewood?" quipped Chairman John Frick, drawing laughs from the 18-member audience.

Major said the bankruptcy court trustee exercises "strict financial controls" but has allowed the partnership to remove a photo shop kiosk in the lot, fix broken windows, repair an escalator, revolving doors and has approved interim repairs to the parking lot and roof.

"What we want to do is bring this back into a viable economic center," Major said. The partners promised efforts would be made to encourage employee parking in the rear and perimeter by increasing lighting and adding video scanning equipment.

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Role of Social Security representative payee

Among the nearly 39 million people getting Social Security benefits each month are almost 5 million who do not receive their check directly. It goes to someone else -- a representative payee -- who is responsible for assuring that the funds are used on the person's behalf.

Representative payees are selected when it is found that a person is unable to manage his or her own funds. A payee may be a parent, legal guardian, a relative, neighbor, friend, member of a volunteer organization, or an official of an institution in which the person is staying.

Minor children require representative payees. The law also requires that drug addicts and alcoholics who receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments because of disability have representative payees.

Representative payees are held accountable for the proper use of the funds and will be called upon to make an accounting periodically.

In general, the representative payee must first make sure the person's day-to-day basic needs for food, shelter, clothing, and personal items are met. If he or she can manage, small amounts of spending money should be made available.

If these basic needs are met, benefits can be used for special needs the person has, such as school expenses, rehabilitation or

Real estate review seminar Dec. 8

Persons who are preparing to write the Illinois real estate salesman licensure exam can attend a refresher course at Oakton Community College from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 8, at 1600 E. Golf Rd., Des Plaines.

John Michaels, chairperson of Oakton's Real Estate Program, will review the basic principles of real estate, distribute handouts, review practice exams and answer questions. The cost is \$47. To register, call 982-9888. For information on real estate licensing courses, call Michaels, 635-1776.

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History of Jews in China examined

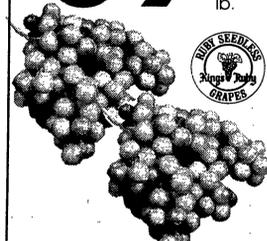
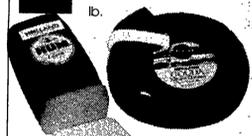
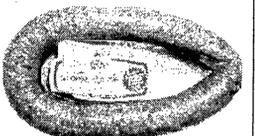
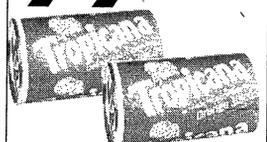
Dr. Kenneth M. Lubowich will give a free public lecture on the History Of The Jews In China Monday, Dec. 10 at 7:30 p.m. at Niles Township Jewish Congregation, 4500 Dempster St. in Skokie.

The little known history of the unique immigration and settlement of Jews in China will be explained by Dr. Lubowich who recently returned from China where he made arrangements for a group to tour the historic Jewish settlements and sites.

The tour, April 22 to May 8, under the auspices of the China Judaic Studies Association, will be led by Rabbi Neil and Erica Brief of Niles Township Jewish Congregation and escorted by Chinese scholar and translator of Jewish literature, Prof. Xu Xin of Nanjing University.

For information on the lecture or tour please call (708) 676-9891.

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<p>20 oz. loaf Butternut Bread 79¢</p> 	<p>Thawed for your convenience 60-70 count Shell on Shrimp 3.99 lb.</p> 	<p>Gov't. Insp. Chef Cut Lean Beef Boneless Bottom Round Roast or Boneless Sirloin Tip Roast 2.59 lb.†</p> 	<p>CHEF'S KITCHEN CHEESE SHOP Imported from Holland Edam or Gouda Cheese 2.99 lb.</p> 
<p>Polska Kielbasa or Hillshire Smoked Sausage 1.99 lb.</p> 	<p>20 oz. Fresh Baked Cheese Lattice Danish Coffee Cake 2.99 Raspberry Cheesecake Lattice Danish Coffee Cake 3.29</p> 	<p>3.98 lb. Swift Premium Hard Salami 1.99 1/2 lb.</p> 	<p>8 oz. each Package of Two Fresh Baked White or Wheat Mini French Loaves 99¢</p> 
<p>Gov't. Insp. Chef Cut Lean Beef Sirloin Steak 2.49 lb.†</p>	<p>12/12 oz. cans Mt. Dew, Caffeine Free Diet Pepsi. Diet Pepsi or Pepsi 2.99</p> 	<p>12 oz. can Selected Varieties Tropicana Twisters or Orange Juice 99¢</p> 	<p>Sweet Corn 5/\$1 eais</p>
<p>Gov't. Insp. Fresh (wings and quartered legs with back portion) Country Price Chicken Value Pack 3.99 lb.</p>	<p>1 lb. pkg. Ball Park Franks 1.99</p>	<p>1 lb. pkg. Ball Park Beef Franks 2.19</p>	<p>Fresh Green Beans 59¢ lb.</p>
<p>56 oz. pkg. 16 Slices Eli's Pre-Sliced Cheesecake 9.99</p>	<p>1/2 gallon carton Selected Varieties Edy's Grand Light or Edy's Grand Ice Cream 3.59</p>		

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