

Conditional License Granted; Another Transfer Studied

The City Council Tuesday evening voted their approval on a resolution for the transfer of a consumption liquor license from the Runaround to the new owners of the bar at 500 Washington Road, The Celler, Ltd.

However, the resolution spells out the conditions and findings of the Council during a hearing held on August 10. At that time one of the would-be owners, Ralph Propora testified they intended to have live entertainment in the form of go-go dancers.

Many residents of the area formally objected to such entertainment based on their prior experiences with several other owners, saying this type of go-go dancing generally draws an undesirable crowd, and attested to parking conditions that could only be aggravated by crowds drawn to the neighborhood bar.

The resolution further states the findings of the Planner for the City in that he "was of the opinion that a cabaret establishment at that location would have an adverse effect on the neighborhood," and the Traffic Safety Advisor's testimony that the area already had a high accident experience and increased traffic would also adversely affect the safety of the intersection.

Also, the Council had previously gone on record concerning the problems resulting from live entertainment of the go-go type, the license was therefore approved on the condition that The Celler was not to be permitted go-go dancing on the premises.

Copies of this resolution will be forwarded to the Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

In the matter of the transfer of the package liquor license from Bay City Liquors to Center Deli, Acting Council President Richard J. Schultz deferred the matter until such time that is determined how far St. Mary's school entrance

was from the Center Deli.

A letter of objection from Joseph Lovuolo, owner of Olde Towne Deli and Liquors was read. Lovuolo stated he believed the school was too close to the deli. The Council took no action but instead referred the matter to the Code Enforcement officer.

Schultz said the state law required a distance of over 200 feet door to door from a school to that of a store dispensing alcoholic beverages.

New Signals Ticket To Overpass Repairs

Councilman Thomas O'Brien feels he now has some leverage and a point in his favor in his efforts to improve the Henry and George Street pedestrian overpasses.

The New Jersey Department of Transportation, presently constructing a new signal system along the North Jersey Coast line between South Amboy and Matawan has requested approval to occupy a portion of City owned land to construct a large metal instrumental housing for its electrical

equipment.

These instrument housings will be located along the railroad; the one in South Amboy is designed to be constructed adjacent to the existing George Street overpass. The housing, however, will extend seven feet over the right of way onto City owned property.

While DOT asks the Council to expedite their approval, Councilman O'Brien did not hesitate to mention his past run-ins with the railroad concerning the overpass. "Maybe if we hold up our approval, hopefully we can take a stand," he told those present.

"DOT ignores us for the most part, but when they want something O'Brien left the statement open.

The letter from DOT did in fact mention an inquiry from the City concerning the Henry Street pedestrian overpass. DOT wrote of contract plans for the rehabilitation of the overpass with construction to start in spring of 1982.

"We want a statement in writing because from day 'one' everyone has denied responsibility for the street and overpass," Cross said.

Business Administrator Nicholas R. Smolney remarked that only recently has N.J. Department of Transit verbally indicated repair of the structures, and this was the first time the City has had any indication that the railroad assumes

ownership. Smolney also said while DOT has again verbally given him a repair date set tentatively at April 1982, since N.J. Transit has ownership until the matter is resolved in writing any expectations were premature.

Brought up for discussion by Councilman O'Brien was the proposed change of signals on Augusta and John Streets. Instead of the gates and watchmen now in use, ConRail has plans for automatic signals on the order of flashing lights.

Saying ConRail has not contacted South Amboy officials or had any hearings on this proposed change, O'Brien called for a public hearing so residents who use the crossings could be heard.

In support of O'Brien's statements, John Norek called for the gates to be maintained "as is."

"There are people being killed everyday, automatic signals are for the birds," Norek said.

Norek also said he believed there was once an agreement with the railroad when the streets were closed to have watchmen to handle the gates personally.

But Councilman O'Brien denied any fixed responsibility saying he had checked records and could find nothing to document Norek's claim. "There was never any responsibility fixed for anything," O'Brien commented, referring to the gates, structures, and overpasses.

O'Brien did say though he was willing to examine any documented proof anyone had, when Norek suggested papers had somehow been misplaced over the years.

School Building Tabloid Sent

"An Open Letter to the People of South Amboy About the School Building Program" has been distributed by mail to all households in the community.

The four-page tabloid from the Board of Education gives details on how construction of a new South Amboy high school benefits the community's school children, taxpayers, and the community in general.

The proposal to authorize the school board to construct the high school at a cost not to exceed \$5,340,000 will be placed before the voters for approval on Tuesday, September 15. A public hearing on the proposal will be conducted tonight, September 3, starting at 8:00 p.m. in the auditorium of Hoffman High School.

The brochure points out that the board's proposed school building program will "provide sorely-needed quality space in our own community for the education of our children," "slash present wasteful spending and ultimately cost taxpayers less than any other alternative available, including doing nothing," and "give this community a renewed sense of pride in its public school system."

A tax table shows that a temporary rise in taxes starting in 1984 when the high school would be completed decreases rapidly and, by 1989, a relative saving occurs which increases steadily in subsequent years. Building a new high school versus doing

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Pollution Agency Cites McCormack

Some help has been given to resident complaining of coal dust inside and outside their homes.

The Central Jersey Regional Air Pollution Control Agency has cited McCormack Terminal, Inc. for a violation of the air pollution code for the City of South Amboy.

According to the notice of violation sent to plant manager Robert Rhodes, an investigating and on-site inspection by the Agency was made August 17, 1981, and disclosed "the causation, suffering, allowing or permitting to be emitted into the open air, substances in such quantities as did result in air pollution, specifically airborne particulates, i.e. black coal dust."

McCormack Terminal, located between Main and Augusta Streets, was notified the violation was being processed for legal action in municipal court, and the notice further stated that a separate offense will be committed by the coal facility each day on which this particular violation occurs or continues, and asked that officials take necessary steps to correct the condition.

Lower Augusta Street resident Paul Kosovich, while pleased at having the air pollution agency come to the aid of disgruntled citizens asked Mayor J. Thomas Cross and the Council to pull McCormack's certificate of occupancy and put an end to the whole situation.

Saying it was embarrassing for the resident, Kosovich claimed McCormack was pushing the administration around and asked for a firm stand.

Mayor Cross agreed with Acting Council President Richard J. Schultz that

pulling the certificate would only lead to a court confrontation that would ultimately be decided in McCormack's favor, however, they did say a court battle of some type seemed inevitable as no improvements have been made, the noise and pollution still continues.

Affected residents as far as Rosewell Street have repeatedly asked for a meeting with company representatives, and the Council, in particular Councilman Robert Noble has written several letters but all attempts at communication have apparently failed.

School Opening

The first day of school for pupils of the South Amboy Public Elementary School, grades kindergarten through four, is Wednesday, September 9th.

Pre-kindergarten classes will begin Monday, September 14th. Morning session for Pre-Kindergarten is from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and afternoon session is from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Parents of Pre-Kindergarten pupils are asked to escort their children directly to their classes.

Pupils of Grades One through Four are requested to assemble at the George Street blacktop area near the entrance to the new school addition no later than 8:30 a.m.

Lines on the blacktop surface area indicate the grade level for each class.

Parents of Kindergarten children are asked to bring their children directly to their assigned classes. Room 10 is on the Elementary Office School floor level. Room 11 is on the next floor level and is the first new

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Flower Shop Venture Planned

An Edison couple appeared Monday night at the Council's agenda meeting to discuss their venture of opening a flower shop at 509 Bordentown Avenue.

The new owners, Tibor and Ginny Konez informed those present their business would deal with cut, seasonal dried flowers and live hanging plants. Presently they did not have plans to use fresh flowers.

The hours of operation would include one or two late nights, and possibly a half-day schedule for Sunday.

Mayor Cross reassured the couple when they questioned the parking situation, saying that plans for permit parking were underway and the addition of new parking spaces at the hospital have relieved some of the congestion.

The council referred the Konez's to Code Enforcement Officer Frederick Kurtz for their certificate of occupancy.

Fourth In State For Mishaps



The State Bureau of Accident Records show the Washington Road ramp, along with three other ramps at the intersection, has earned the rating of fourth for motor vehicle accidents in the state. No so, say Classic Car Wash owners Chuck Kaciupsky and James Hicks. The two contend the number of accidents has lessened since the resurfacing last year. The businessmen say their car wash will suffer from the closing, and emergency vehicles will need to take longer routes to aid victims on Route 35. A petition drive and letters to DOT officials are part of the campaign being waged by those in favor of keeping the ramp open.

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Service Slants

Edward L. Hendricks, son of Martha Hendricks of 64 Buttonwood Drive, Sayreville, has been appointed a sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

The new non-commissioned officer completed training in management, in leadership, human relations and NCO responsibilities, before being awarded this status.

Hendricks is a security specialist at Whiteman Air Force Base, Mo., with the 351st Missile Security Squadron.

He is a 1974 graduate of Sayreville High School.

Airman William E. Shea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Shea of 25 Venus Road, South Amboy, has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the aircraft maintenance field.

Shea is a 1978 graduate of South Plainfield Adult High School.



THEY DID IT! Dan Daniel, popular WYNY FM D.J., poses with members of the Youth Committee who assisted with the event held on Saturday, August 29th at the South Amboy Skating Arena. Committee members are as follows (left to right): Sandy Hoover of East Brunswick, Dawn Leonard of South Amboy, Natalie Bergamini of Old Bridge, and Tony Bongiovi of Sayreville. Cystic Fibrosis is an incurable genetic disease which affects the lungs and digestive system. For information call 634-2997.

United Methodist Church News

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated during the morning worship times of the Cliffwood Community and the South Amboy United Methodist Churches. This first Sunday in September marks the return to the regular worship hours for the churches: Cliffwood Community, Cliffwood Avenue, Aberdeen Township, 9 a.m.; South Amboy, at the end of Frank Avenue, the Oak Tree Village section, Sayreville, 11 a.m. A full program of Christian education will begin again on Sunday, September 13th at a new hour, 9:45 a.m. Classes for 3 year old children through adults are offered each Sunday morning.

The theme of the message to be presented by the Reverend John A. Benson during both worship times is "The Fulfilling of the Law." This message is based on a reading from Paul's Letter to the Church at Rome, chapters 12-13:10, with special emphasis on 13:10. Assisting in the leadership of worship during the 11 a.m. time will be Joseph Myers.

Members and friends of the congregations, as well as persons interested in seeking a church home through which to express their commitment to God through Christ in worship, study, fellowship, and outreach, are reminded of the return to the regular hours of worship as of this first Sunday in September.

Activities on the church calendar for the week of September 6th include: Tuesday, 10 a.m., Bazaar Workshop; Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., the first Choir Rehearsal of 1981-1982 for persons in the Sanctuary Choir; and Thursday, 8 p.m., the Committee on Nominations and Personnel. Several persons from the churches will be attending the 1981 Youth Weekend sponsored by the Youth Council of the Southern New Jersey Annual Conference, Friday, September 11th, through Sunday, September 13th. The theme for this yearly activity beyond the local church is "Alive! Well! Growing!"

Letters TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

The people of South Amboy, having been noted in the past for excellent memories, will be asked to approve the construction of a new high school on the hydraulic landfill between George and Roosevelt and the shores of Raritan Bay that in 1975 was defeated in public referendum by a most decisive vote. Need we say more? Apparently so.

The new high school construction was again defeated in 1979 on the John St. site. Four months prior to that vote Councilman Schultz pecked away at the Board of Education for not maintaining proper communications with the Sayreville Board on the possibility of basing the elementary grade school lots to various school buildings in Sayreville. A horrifying thought. He was quoted in the Citizen that it would be cheaper and most feasible and the local board should keep its options open on such a move. He continually raised this criticism right up to the April vote in 1979, and since he was in favor of basing then he should declare himself right now if he might still be in favor of basing the entire high school students 9 to 12 (rather than the lots) to Sayreville and noting for the public how much of a savings would be possible by eliminating most of the high school teachers jobs, two principals, various members of staff, etc., rather than construct a new high school on the landfill.

Two weeks before that 1979 school election J. Thomas Cross showed his compassion for the taxpayer, and the back of his hand to the proposed High School construction on John St., by publicly stating in the Citizen this construction at John St. "would be a gruesome burden to put on the city taxpayers." At that time it was the mayor and his council colleagues who had been stifling the taxpayers with a projected spending program "of almost \$9 million dollars in the next three years for city government." He knew he didn't have the monies in surplus or the bonding capabilities for the city to handle a new high school at that time and made sure the vote was no to the taxpayers. This comes out in the wash in 1981 when anticipated revenues of cash that will be received in months ahead will be used to maintain the present city tax rate. J. Thomas Cross was also quoted in the Citizen, "I fully support bettering our system so that all students receive the kind of education the law guarantees them, but I do urge caution with expenditures that may prove to be unbearable for the taxpayers who will have to support them." Of course... he had all the city monies tied up and the city wouldn't have the borrowing power to put up the school on John St. Mr. Schultz also weighed in with "he had doubts South Amboy voters would approve a multimillion dollar bonding for a John St. school complex." How about in 1981 Richard... do you think the good memories will approve a \$5.3 million dollar school on hydraulic fill with no foundation, no piles driven, in a flood plain hazard area that will cost over \$14 million to repay. Do these elected officials think the city is any better financially with a .75 point tax rise in four years under their guidance... a .24 point tax rise in 1981 including 21 points of that by the school board and having doubled the water rates on the homeowner in April of this year. Would the burden in 1981 and the future be any less gruesome than J. Thomas Cross thought it would be in 1975?

The figures as presented to the public by the Board of Education in the printed brochure distributed to every door in town last week under the supervision of a paid public relations firm seemed to be most questionable and even force-fed to many following its issue. The board makes no mention of the quality of the landfill site itself in that brochure, and will not acknowledge the fact that neither the federal government nor any bonding institution (bank) will loan money amounting to \$5.3 million for new school construction in a flood plain hazard A-9 area without demanding flood plain insurance to absolutely protect their investment. According to my pencil with the anticipated increase in federal flood plain insurance this could amount to a lifetime expense of an additional \$22,000 per year on that \$5.3 million investment. Voting "yes" to build on this site would be giving the board a blank check because any savings they are trying to point out would be lost through flood plain insurance. We could also remind you the architect approved the site based on the 6 year old data and figures supplied through the ground boring tests that were taken back in 1974-75 which stated it was not necessary to drive piling for the foundation of a school on this site. No new or recent boring logs have been taken in 1981 for this proposed construction. Who is the engineer for this expensive endeavor? Is he approving such a site considering the above comments.

The city and its taxpayers will have a huge investment to consider here also just as any bank that loans the money when you think of the possibility of a building that could crack or sink before it is paid off. Many schools in the county and around the country are being terminated as you are aware. When the city auditor presented the city council with requested figures in 1974 for the school referendum on the landfill in 1975 it was estimated that a \$30,000 home would increase \$168.00 per year over a 30 year bonding period. Yet six years later the board's brochure is telling the public their tax rate will increase the first year after bonding in 1984 to an amount of only \$137.12 per year; or \$31.00 less per year than it would have cost 6 years ago in 1975, and that increase of \$137.12 tax increase in 1984 would decrease in one year in 1985 by about \$50.00 per year to \$87.64. These figures seem awfully difficult to swallow and/or digest.

Your elected city officials should be made to take a public stand on this issue before the vote know the true financial condition of this city. If Mr. Schultz and Mr. Cross could direct the voting public to a "NO" vote on the John St. site in 1975 then they should be expected to wave the baton in 1981. Of course if you have two incomes in your home you won't mind the tax bite at all, but how many are having a most difficult time today getting by in their present financial situation. Take your choice neighbors, but do come out and vote on this issue.

John P. Norch

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Happy
Birthday
Smiley
Sept. 1

Happy
Birthday
Ralph
Sept. 4

Mrs. Stephanick Joins Committee

Mrs. Regina Stephanick, mother of our and a teacher in the Old Bridge school system, is the latest person to join the volunteer Citizens Committee for the South Amboy Building Program.

The committee was formed last month to urge public approval at the polls September 15th for the Board of Education's proposal to build a new South Amboy high school and to issue \$5,340,000 in school bonds to finance its construction.

In explaining why she joined the citizens committee, Mrs. Stephanick says: "I am really interested in what happens to our school system, not only because I am a teacher but because my husband and I have four children who are affected by it. The best way they can receive an education is by going to their own school in their own community. I love South Amboy and I think it has a great deal to offer. Yet our school facilities are inadequate and that defeats the purpose of a lot of other good things about South Amboy."

"My friends think it is silly that South Amboy has to bus 300 of its school children to a

rented school over nine miles away in Spotswood. I have to agree with them. We should have a complete school system right here in South Amboy and there is no reason why we can't have it."

"I support the construction of the new high school not only because it will provide quality facilities for our high school children but because we then will have room for all of our school children right here in South Amboy."

Other members of the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ryan, Mr. Woodrow McCarthy, Mr. Philip Purcell, Mr. Frank English, Mrs. Evelyn Gleason, Mr. Vernon Tice, and Mr. George Kuziemski.

Committee members have pointed out that not only will construction of a new high school upgrade total school facilities and eliminate busing, but it will be more sensible economically and ultimately better for taxpayers to build now rather than continue to pay escalating costs for busing, rental of school facilities, and other expenses.

COPO To Meet

The COPO Widows and Widowers only Chapter of Middlesex County will hold their monthly social on Friday, September 4, at 9 p.m. at the Moose Hall, Convery Blvd., Perth Amboy.

A monthly dance will be held on Friday, September 25, at 9 p.m. at the Polish National Home, New Market Avenue, South Plainfield.

For information call Lee Kuhn at 985-3066. New members are cordially invited to attend. This is a non-profit, non-sectarian organization.

Holy Name Society Corporate Communion

The South Amboy Sacred Heart Holy Name Society will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 9 a.m. Mass on Sunday, September 13.

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Flea Market Sited

The Morgan Athletic Association is sponsoring a Flea Market on Saturday, September 12. Rain date, Sunday, September 13, at the Jesse Selover School grounds and Little League field, Lincoln St. and Woodland Ave., Morgan, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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Elks To Hold Blood Drive

The Sayreville Elks Lodge No. 2666, located at 512 Raritan Street, will be the site of an American Red Cross-New Jersey Blood Services blood drive on Saturday, September 5, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The blood drive is open to the public.

Raymond Parrish, blood drive chairman for the Elks drive, said that the lodge brothers became aware of the need for blood when one of the members underwent surgery.

"One of our members, Robert Nordling, had an operation and he used 14 pints of blood during the surgery," Mr. Parrish, a South Amboy resident, said. "We then became aware of how hospitals constantly need blood."

"This is our first blood drive," he added. "But, I'm sure it will become an annual event. The members are quite enthusiastic."

Representatives from New Jersey Blood Services are enthused about the Elks' willingness to hold a blood drive so close to Labor Day, customarily a difficult period for blood collecting groups.

With many normally conscientious donors on vacation and preoccupied with holiday plans, blood supplies can be quickly diminished at hospitals. Blood needs, however, remain constant despite holidays, hence the need for successful blood drives all year long.

Anyone between the ages of 17 and 65 is eligible to donate at the September 5 and all Red Cross-NJBS blood drives, if they are in good health and weigh at least 110 pounds. Seventeen year-olds require the written consent of a parent or guardian.

To register to donate at the Elks' blood drive in Sayreville, call Mr. Parrish at 721-5838, or contact the Central New Jersey chapter of the American Red Cross at 247-9100.

Run Against Cancer

Join the fun at DAB "Run Against Cancer" on Labor Day, September 7, at 8:45 a.m. at the Sayreville Bar in Sayreville. The run is co-sponsored by DAB Beer and the Sayreville Bar for the American Cancer Society's Middlesex County Unit. There will be great prizes and T-shirts for all runners. Participants are also invited to enjoy free refreshments and a picnic after the race.

This will be the fourth consecutive year for this highly popular event that raised over \$5,000 last year for the American Cancer Society. All funds raised will support the Society's programs of research, education and patient service and rehabilitation.

Those interested in participating in this year's run should contact the Sayreville Bar at 254-9888 for details and early registration.

IN MEMORIAM

In Loving memory of our dear son, Scott Pacanaky who passed away five years ago, September 6th.

To see your face and watch your smile,

to sit and talk to you awhile,

To be together in the same old way,

Would be our greatest wish today.

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But you left memories that will never die.

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Your greatest expense? "My home," you are likely to say. "And next comes my auto. Right?" Not necessarily.

"Considering the many years involved, the average family could find its second greatest expense to be its life insurance program. And with the amount of money invested, life insurance, just like the home investment, requires planning," a spokesperson for the Allstate Life Insurance Company says.

"Consumers often fail to realize the importance of life insurance planning. But while this is a task best done with an insurance agent, a little background information could do more help than harm," the Allstate spokesperson says. A good starting point for the novice insurance planner is to determine how much money the family would need to maintain its same lifestyle should something happen to the breadwinner.

To do this, multiply the breadwinner's annual income by the number of years the survivors would probably need that income.

For instance, if you had a 12-year-old child, a good multiplier could be nine years, in that the income would be provided until the child was grown and able to provide for her own care.

With that figure at hand, subtract the amount of insurance coverage you presently have — coverage from life policies you or a parent may have purchased and any life insurance you may have acquired from work. This leaves you with a

good estimate of the amount of protection needed to adequately provide for your family in the event of your death.

Another consideration in life insurance planning is the outstanding mortgage on your home. The burden on a surviving spouse to continue mortgage payments could be eliminated with a decreasing term insurance policy for the same amount as the mortgage balance. This type of policy will adjust your coverage downward each month as the mortgage balance on the home decreases.

For example, you have a \$50,000, 30-year mortgage on your home and purchase decreasing-term Mortgage Protection policy for that same amount. As the mortgage balance decreases so does the amount of insurance. After one year, the amount of insurance in force will have decreased from \$50,000 to about \$49,700. And after 10 years, the amount of insurance remaining will be \$44,750. After 20 years, you would have \$4,650 in coverage.

One of the great benefits of the decreasing term policy is that it provides a family with a debt-free home should something happen to the insured breadwinner.

Thirdly, you may wish to provide for the college cost for your children.

Considering the rate of inflation, the yearly cost of college for that 12-year-old child when she or he reaches college age could average about \$6,500 at a public institution, and at a private school, the average could be as high as \$10,000.

This expense could be provided for with a whole life policy that also would provide a cash-value. The added benefit with the whole life policy is that you could receive a loan on the policy after it builds up its cash value. And if the insured parent lives until the child enters college, a loan on the policy — up to the cash-value amount — could be taken out to aid in the child's educational expenses.

"There could be other considerations relative to your family and its insurance needs," the Allstate spokesperson says. "But for the most accurate insurance planning, it's always best to consult your insurance agent."

English Association Trip to Miami Beach

The Franklin D. English Association will sponsor their fifth trip to Miami Beach, Florida, from November 22 to November 29, 1981, 8 days and 7 nights. Complete trip includes jet travel to and from Miami, all transfers, hotel accommodations, ticket to Notre Dame vs. Miami University football game, entertainment, etc.

Reservations are open to October 1, 1981. Trip is limited.

For further information contact Franklin D. English Association, P.O. Box 261, South Amboy, N.J. or call 727-9112 or 721-9849.

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nothing, for instance, will save taxpayers an estimated \$33,341,033 over a 30-year period, it is pointed out.

Other alternatives which would involve sending our high school students out of the community for their education are shown to be less desirable in that they would also cost more than building a new high school and would deprive the community of the value of having its own complete school system.

The so-called "Spotswood Solution", initiated as a temporary measure in 1977 when the State Board of Education ordered South Amboy to cease double sessions, is a "bad deal for our children, our taxpayers, and our community, which is seen as incapable of providing the resources to educate its children", the brochure points out.

The "Spotswood Solution" refers primarily to the busing of approximately 300 5th-8th graders to a rented school 9.5 miles away in Spotswood. South Amboy already has spent a total of \$1,230,696.90 on the "solution", spends more every year, and has nothing to show for it, the brochure notes.

The new high school would eliminate these costs by freeing up space in the present John Street school complex to house children now being bused out of the community, it is explained.

The brochure also describes the proposed new high school building in detail.

Sign Reward

Councilman Richard J. Schultz has personally offered a reward to anyone who can give information leading to the conviction of vandals who have been destroying city street signs.

"Strangers come into our city and cannot get around with all the street signs missing," Schultz said.

A new sign now costs about \$68 Schultz quoted.

Disgusted at the disappearing signs, Schultz offered a month's salary as the reward.

Appointees Named

In the absence of Council President Frank Tarallo and Vice President Robert Noble, Acting City Council President Richard J. Schultz re-appointed Henry Kurtz to the South Amboy Housing Authority during the regular council meeting.

The same evening South Amboy Mayor J. Thomas Cross made the appointment of Charles Walters to the South Amboy Cultural and Heritage Society.

Council President Tarallo is on vacation while Councilman Noble was too ill to attend.

"Cover Girl" at Library

Catch Rita Hayworth in "Cover Girl" on Friday, September 11 at the Laurence Harbor Branch Library. The film starts at 10 a.m. Sign up by calling 266-2227.

Boat Club Outlines Plans

Representatives of the South Amboy Boat Club met with Council members during an agenda meeting Monday night to request the council consider the boat club's petition for a five-year lease.

Executive board member Dave Murphy presented to members of the council a five-year renewal while outlining some of the improvements the club has planned over the five year period.

Extensive repairs include the refurbishing of two barges, one off the "T" bar, and another off the building. The loading docks and ramps are also scheduled for an overhaul, and Murphy told the Council the boat club has applied to the Department of Environmental Protection and currently awaits its dredging permit.

The permit is needed for dredging that must be done periodically before the boating season so the launching ramp can be used.

All the plans are for naught, explained Murphy if the club cannot show a five year lease to obtain a loan.

"We took out a loan a few years ago we are still paying, and as we are talking of expending serious dollars in the next 90 days, the club needs to show at least a five year lease," he said.

Also present was Ex-Commodore John Szatkowski and present Commodore Joseph McCarthy, and Murphy's wife, all executive board members.

Commodore McCarthy noted some South Amboy residents were complaining about the ramp fee of \$25 a year. The discussion continued and brought out the fact that the \$25 fee helped pay for the dredging and lighting of the launch area as well as insurance, and free use of the club's wrecker should a car or trailer become stuck.

The club members also police the ramp for debris such as garbage, beer cans, and glass to protect ramp users.

Szatkowski informed the council many other areas charge as much as \$7 for each "dump" using their ramps. "We are the lowest in the area and want to give people a break," he said.

Commodore McCarthy proposed a raising of the fee for out-of-towners, but that "South Amboy should not pay the same as someone else." One possibility talked brought up was a \$50 ramp fee for outsiders and \$25 for residents of the city. But

even that fee may be disputed as McCarthy remembered, "We had a local citizen pull a knife on one of our members when he approached someone who had not paid for the use of the ramp."

Murphy contends without the five year lease the organization could not obtain a bank loan and as a result, the boat club could fall down and become derelict, another abandoned building.

But an approval from the Council, coupled with the expected permit from DEP would arm the boat club with positive fortification when they go before the city's planning board with hopes they too will give the go ahead for a new parking area down to the bulk head line just before the ramp and another float with additional lighting.

Murphy stated all future plans hinged on the lease and was, of course, "contingent on our dollars."

School Opening

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classroom next to the main building.

Schedules for Kindergarten are 8:45 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. for morning session pupils, and 12:15 p.m. to 2:45 p.m. for afternoon session pupils.

Starting time for Grades One through Four is 8:30 a.m. Dismissal is at 2:30 p.m.

Medical requirements must be completed for each pupil before he or she will be permitted in school.

Should anyone have difficulty locating a classroom, he or she is asked to report to the main school office on the ground floor level on John Street.

Parents are reminded that there will be no lunch served the first three days; and there will be no registration for the first three days.

Please call the school office (727-3090) if there is any problem.

Named To Dem Committee

Senator Lawrence Weiss has named Doris Brinason Vice Chairperson of the South Amboy Democratic Committee as his campaign coordinator in the city.

Senator Weiss is seeking re-election as State Senator in the 19th Legislative District.

More committee members will be named as the campaign gains momentum.

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S.A.T. Preparation Workshop

To serve the needs of students in the community who are preparing for college admission, Abraham and Straus Department Store, Woodbridge Shopping Center is sponsoring a "High Scores S.A.T. Preparation Workshop". The sessions will be held on Sept. 26, Oct. 3, 10, 17 in time for the Oct. 31 P.S.A.T. and the Nov. 7 S.A.T. The sessions will meet from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the employees lounge, upper level. The workshop is designed to help students approach the test with skill and confidence so that they can maximize their test scores.

The copyrighted workshop highlights review of key concepts in the mathematics and verbal areas and understanding of the types of questions asked on the test so that students can apply their know how successfully in the new test situation. Also developed are test taking and timing strategies and a frame of mind for success. Students will also be directed in discovering their own best test taking pace.

"High Scores" S.A.T. workshops have been conducted at Rutgers University, Northwestern Michigan College, Chautauque Institution and colleges and community centers throughout New Jersey. Increases in their scores have been reported by former participants who have completed the workshops.

Since workshop spaces are limited, pre-registration is required. For registration flyer and information call Lynn Kramer, Feature Events Director, A & S at 685-1488 or High Scores at 597-0823.

Registration reminder

Richard Schultz, local Democratic Committee Chairman, is urging all young adults 18 years of age who have not yet registered to vote to please do so. Registration are also important to newly married couples, residents with new addresses, and college students.

Absentee ballots may be obtained for invalids and also for those who are only temporarily disabled.

Those wishing to register may do so at City Hall, Broadway, anytime between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, at the City Clerk's office. More information may additionally be sought here.

"One of our greatest privileges as Americans is to exercise our hard won right to vote," Schultz reminded those eligible.

Flea Market Date Set

St. Martha's Guild of Christ Church, South Amboy, is holding a Flea Market at Memorial Hall on Fourth Street, South Amboy, on September 12, from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m.

Receives Degree



Michael Trischitta, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Trischitta, 206 Lincoln St., Sayreville, was awarded the Bachelor of Science degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering by Rutgers University, College of Engineering.

Michael is a 1977 graduate of Sayreville War Memorial High School and has accepted an engineering position with Schoor, DePlams & Gilen, Inc., Matawan.

First Baptist Church News

On Sunday, September 6, the regular pastor, Rev. Richard Young, will be welcomed back to the pulpit at the First Baptist Church at the 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship service, following a well-deserved vacation. In addition, the Ordinance of Communion will be observed. Rev. Young will be assisted by members of the Board of Elders.

The Ladies Aid will resume their monthly meetings at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 8. The Board of Elders will also meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

The first choir rehearsal of the Church Year will begin at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 9, and will again be followed at 8 p.m. by Deeper Life Fellowship, with Rev. Young as leader.

Coming up - return to regular Sunday Service time, September 13, 9:30 a.m. for Church School, 11:00 a.m. for Morning Worship, Youth Fellowship picnic, 10 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 19; Kick-off Dinner for Church Loyalty Month, 6:00 Wednesday, Sept. 30; Church Loyalty Month, all of October. A great many special events are planned for this month.

NOTICE

Take notice that on August 30, 1981, a change occurred in the stockholdings of V.J.S.B.A.R. INC., trading as V.J.S.B.A.R. holder of a Pendency Retail Consumption License Number 1230-33-087-001, for premises located at 134 Augusta Street, South Amboy, New Jersey, resulting in the following persons, residing at their following respective addresses, each acquiring the aggregate more than 10 percent of said corporate license's stock.

John Aquaro located at 28 Grove Avenue, Hopewell, New Jersey.
Eleanor Aquaro located at 28 Grove Avenue, Hopewell, New Jersey.

Any information concerning the qualifications of any of the above current stockholders should be communicated in writing to Natalie Brennan, Municipal Clerk of South Amboy, New Jersey.

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About Your Social Security

by Raymond P. Purrelli

District Manager

People in the area who plan to retire at the end of the year should take some time soon to think about Social Security retirement benefits.

A person should apply for Social Security benefits 2 or 3 months before they plan to retire. This way, benefits can begin shortly after income from work stops.

Before applying, a person should get the necessary proofs together.

This will save time at application time. The first item a person needs is his or her Social Security card or a record of the number.

Next, proof of date of birth or baptism recorded before age five. If this does not exist, other proofs can be submitted. People at the Perth Amboy Social Security Office can tell what kinds of evidence can be used.

Records that might be used include school, church, State Federal census, insurance policies, marriage, passports, employment, military service, children's birth certificates, union, immigration, and naturalization. This is not an exclusive list and other records may be acceptable.

Form W-2 (Wage and Tax Statement) for the past 2 years should be provided. A self-employed person should have copies of his or her self-

employment tax returns for the past 3 years. These are needed because recent earnings reports may not be in our records.

A husband or wife who also plans to apply should have about the same documents. A marriage certificate may be required, but is not needed in all cases. Information about any previous marriages is also required.

Birth certificate of any young, unmarried children should be obtained as well. Additional documentation may be required depending upon the particulars of a certain case. The people at the Social Security office will be glad to answer any questions about retirement applications.

The Perth Amboy Social Security office is located at 336 Madison Avenue and the telephone number is 727-5500.

Catholic Schools Open Sept. 8

The Trenton Diocesan Education Office announces that the 1981-82 school year will begin for elementary and secondary school students on Tuesday, September 8.

There are a total of 138 elementary and secondary schools in the Diocese, attended by approximately 54,000 students.

The Diocese of Trenton includes the counties of Burlington, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Ocean, Somerset, and Warren, covering about 48 percent of the State of New Jersey.

The Diocese, which is celebrating its 100th Anniversary this year, is considered to be the 14th largest Catholic school district in the United States.

Happy Birthday

Happy birthday to William Moran Sr. on September 8th from the Wiczorek's of Garner, North Carolina.

Happy birthday to Leon Wiczorek of Garner, North Carolina from Rose and Bob Pawlik and grandsons, Robert, Andy and Peter.

Happy birthday to Dawn Wiczorek of Garner, North Carolina from her parents Leon and Mary Wiczorek, sisters, Mary, Ellen and Ronnie and the Pawlik family of South Amboy.

CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 1069 ENTITLED, "AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING CERTAIN OFFICES, POSITION, AND JOB CLASSIFICATIONS AND PROVIDING FOR COMPENSATION OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES IN THE CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY, IN THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, AND THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY"

Public Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex, New Jersey, held on the 1st of September, 1981, the above ordinance was adopted on second and final reading.

Introduced: 8/12/81
Advised: 8/12/81
Approved: 9/1/81
9/2/81

Natalie Brennan
City Clerk

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Cadets Celebrate First Anniversary

The members of the South Amboy First Aid and Safety Squad are proud to announce the first anniversary of their Cadet Corp. The cadets have been a tremendous asset to the organization since they were formed on August 18, 1980.

The pre-requisites for the Cadet Corp are the same, if not more stringent, than that of the regular membership due to the fact that they are minors. As minors they are not only required to take the necessary first aid training, such as Red Cross Advanced First Aid, Maternity, Extrication, Defensive Driving, and the Heart Association C.P.R., they must also comply with the State Child Labor Laws for Cadet Corps.

The youths of the Cadet Corp have not only gone through their required training, but have gone one step further. Some of them have gone for Civil Defense and for a radiation course.

They have lightened the load of the regular membership by giving them a hand in fund raising, normal maintenance of the building and equipment and also by giving the members a hand at the scene by going for needed equipment.

We must keep in mind that the Cadet Corp is a training program for the youths and they have grown a lot in the year that they have been here just as the regular membership has by having them here. The people we owe this to along with the regular membership are their advisors, Lee Steiner, Joe Halmi, Sr. and Betty Leveille, who we would like to thank at this time. We are very glad to have them as a part of this organization. They have shown that the youths in South Amboy can be of vital importance in our community.

Bus Trip To Atlantic City

St. Mary's Elementary School P.T.A. is sponsoring a bus trip to the Golden Nugget Casino in Atlantic City on Sunday, September 27.

The cost is \$13 per person. You will receive \$10 in quarters upon arrival.

Buses leave 12 p.m. from the school parking lot and return at 7 p.m. from Atlantic City.

For reservations call 721-1983 or 727-4193. Deadline is September 15.

Seniors To Meet

The next meeting of the South Amboy Senior Citizens will be held on September 9 at the Masonic Temple, Main Street, South Amboy.

Mom & Dads Club Meeting Date Set

The South Amboy Sacred Heart Church Mom and Dads Club will meet in the parish house on Tuesday, September 8, at 8 p.m.

Trip To Amish Country

Sacred Heart Pilgrimage Club is having a trip to Amish Country on September 26, 1981.

Reservations are still open. For any information or reservations, please call 721-5636 or 254-4388.

Lawns In N.J. Must Have Lime

Every lawn in New Jersey needs lime. Without the use of adequate lime it's almost impossible to establish a new lawn or keep an established lawn growing well.

Lime neutralizes soil acidity, providing more favorable conditions for growth of lawn grasses.

It furnishes plant nutrients such as calcium and magnesium, both necessary for plant growth. It increases the availability of essential plant nutrients, especially phosphorus, and at the same time reduces iron and aluminum to levels that are no longer harmful to grass.

Aiding in the decomposition of organic matter, lime releases nitrogen and other nutrients. It helps to control thatch formation and improves the physical condition of soils containing large amounts of clay.

Lime promotes a deeper, healthier and more extensive root system. Grass roots are shallow, short and sluggish when lime is lacking in the soil, and grass blades tend to weak and discolored. Lime encourages the well-developed root system needed for a vigorous and dense top growth.

Fertilizer, although essential for the establishment and maintenance of lawns, is no substitute for lime. The benefits derived from each differ.

CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND MUNICIPAL CLERK TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH MIDDLESEX COUNTY TO MODIFY THE INTERLOCAL SERVICES AGREEMENT DATED MAY 30, 1979.

Public Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex, New Jersey, held on the 1st of September, 1981, the above ordinance was adopted on second and final reading.

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More Letters To The Editor

To the Editor:

I am writing this letter asking the voters of South Amboy to vote for the New School on Tuesday, September 15th.

I am also sure that by now the voters know that building a new school is not only the cheapest way in form of taxes, but the best for a better education of our children for now and in the future.

There is also another factor that all the citizens can take in, in having our own school and that is "Pride". Pride in the scholastic achievements, athletic accomplishments and the community involvement of our students at Hoffman. This is something which everybody can enjoy and feel part of. I am very proud to be connected to the system as a parent and also as a member of the Board of Education.

It is a shame that a few detractors for a new school have chosen to abort the truth in print. These people do not talk about or bring out the most important issue, "the Student". The most important resource we have is the youth of today and we must do what's best for them. These detractors create a smoke screen about the location (which I firmly believe is the best site available). They talk about sewers, electrical power, vandalism to the school and the safety of our students going and coming to school. The more they write the more obvious it becomes that these people have no factual knowledge on the above matters.

In closing I again ask the voters to please vote for the building of a new school on lower George Street. This way we can continue to give the students the best education the city can offer.

Joseph Ray Dragotta

To the Editor:

Wake up South Amboy! Taxes, Taxes, Taxes. The Board of Education and the PTA are doing a wonderful job flooding the papers and the City of South Amboy with information supporting a new high school. They also send individual letters to the Editor of this paper, but you can understand their frustrations, because time and time again their propositions to build a new school has been turned down by the people of South Amboy, who realize they cannot afford it.

Building a school now would be like building a school in depression times, the people simply cannot afford one now.

What percentage of the people in this town, who send their children to private schools, can afford a tax increase of \$160 or more? Oh yes, I also heard the argument, "You don't have to send your children to a private school," but by us doing so, we make room for other children. If we all elected to send our children to public school, you would have to build two schools.

How many people, on a fixed income, can afford a tax increase? How many senior citizens, who want to sit back in their golden years, have to work to pay their taxes?

This school should have been built in the 50s when people had more money, not today the way interest rates are rising and enrollments are decreasing. All around us schools are closing.

The figure being tossed around is \$160 on a \$40,000 house, the more your house is worth the higher the increase, what about the other parts of the tax rate, the county, the police, city workers, etc., all of these may rise, also to increase our taxes more.

If you were to exempt all the people mentioned in this letter, from taxes, who would you have left to build this school? The PTA and the Board of Education. Wake up South Amboy, Vote NO to build a school on Sept. 15th.

Taxes, Taxes, Taxes.

Thank you,
Just one taxpayer
Michael Shannon

To the Editor:

As a member of the South Amboy Board of Education and most importantly a citizen and life long resident of the city, I have reviewed all the information concerning the upcoming referendum to build a new high school. The conclusions one can draw from this review are simple but important ones.

It becomes evident that the building of a new school is the best solution for both the taxpayer and children in our town. It is obvious that the people in South Amboy are at the present time and will in the future pay for educating our children (we have spent over \$1,200,000 on busing already) the question is: Which way will be least expensive?

The facts show that the taxpayer would pay less by building our own school. In reviewing the auditors cost, the savings of building our own school versus sending, staying the same, or regionalizing is substantial and starts after a short period of time.

The other and most important reason is our children. They deserve an opportunity to receive a quality education within their own town. In the present situation we are treating one third of our children as if they are not wanted. We are sending them out of town, and in effect saying "We will not provide for you". How do you think they feel? How would you feel?

The sad fact is that if we do not support a program that will cost taxpayers less, we stand a good chance of losing our high school. This will cost us a lot more in tax dollars than building. This would also mean our tax dollars will be going to some other town to help cut their tax bills.

To those who say that they cannot do that, look at Jamesburg. The people there did not want it, but it was done. Our own experience in 1976-77 is another example. We were ordered to bus and pay because we would not build. The result is over \$1,200,000. Tax dollars left South Amboy and we have nothing but cancelled checks.

I sincerely ask you to review the information that has been provided and come out on September 15th to vote Yes!!!!

Sincerely,
Margaret McCarthy

To the Editor:

The South Amboy Education Association would like to take this opportunity to support the proposed new high school building.

As partners in the educational process, the teachers are fully aware that in order to meet the needs of all the children in South Amboy, a new school, such as the one proposed by the Board of Education, should be built.

We feel the proposal would offer: (1) Needed space at the elementary and junior high level; (2) Consolidation of all aspects of the district; (3) Enough facilities necessary to keep in approval with T & E; (4) Better educational possibilities for all students.

Please feel free to call upon us for future support in this matter.

Mr. Joseph Johnson, Pres. S.A.E.A.
Mrs. Carol Keenan McDonnell, Jr., V. Pres. S.A.E.A.

Life 'Awesome' Beneath Briny Depths

One by one, the Rutgers University student divers — fully dressed in appropriate underwater gear — and carrying heavy air tanks on their backs — climbed back aboard the "North Star" dog-tired yet happy to talk about this first scuba diving venture in the briny ocean.

For the neophyte divers, their swim to a sunken barge lying at the bottom of some 23 feet of water could have been an unnerving experience.

But, Roger Muszynski's 17-member group from New Jersey's State University took their required exercises in stride. There were only a few hitches in their "check-out" dive off Rockaway, N.Y., across from Atlantic Highlands.

Aboard the 50-foot dive boat, the scuba divers removed their tanks, head gear, masks, snorkels, air regulators and fins. They relaxed, talking freely about their maiden ocean dives.

Shari Cohen of Denville, a computer science major who had just graduated from the State University's Livingston College, spoke excitedly about seeing "schools of tiny fish, starfish and some coral". Debbie Saez of Toms River, a Rutgers College senior majoring in microbiology, was struck by how "awesome" it was "just to see life when you go down there"; and Mike Rowe of North Plainfield, a graduate student at the Rutgers College of Engineering, described how much fun it was, and all the fish and clams he encountered in his trip to the bottom and back.

Though their impressions of underwater sights differed, each was unanimous in the very high marks they gave their supervising instructor, his staff of assistant instructors and the non-credit course he directs in scuba diving at Rutgers.

In a ringing endorsement of Muszynski, for example, Shari Cohen said: "Roger has the respect of a lot of people in the diving community."

"Even when he is not around, two of his assistants say 'Roger is the best. There's no one better. If you take a course from Roger, you are totally prepared.' That gave me a lot of confidence."

And confidence — as the expression goes — is really the name of the game. In fact, it's built into the instructions.

What Muszynski, a 14-year diving veteran, teaches is the XMCA scuba diving program, a 10-week course regarded as "harder and longer" than most other diving courses around.

Conducted on the New Brunswick campus for State University students, faculty and staff and sponsored by



COMING ABOARD... Roger Muszynski, scuba diving instructor at Rutgers University, climbs aboard the dive boat "North Star" during check-out exercises culminating a 10-week scuba diving program at New Jersey's State University.

the Rutgers College Recreational Services Program it includes 32 hours of pool work and theory, plus three "check-out" dives in open water leading to an official scuba diving certification.

The center of the instructional activity is the Rutgers Gymnasium pool on College Avenue. Here the prospective divers take their required swimming test, learn the fine points of skin diving and the proper way to get in and out of the water, and learn the use of fins, diving mask and snorkel.

Advancing to actual scuba diving, they are taught the use of the scuba tank and air regulator and how to swim with and remove each in the water.

Then come the endurance tests, which, Muszynski says, help "build up the diver's confidence."

In addition, there's considerable emphasis on theory, including instruction on the effects of water pressure, temperature and gases on the body as one descends the ocean's depths; an examination of decompression and its effects on the diver; and discussions on diving physics, diver awareness and diving safety.

Altogether, Muszynski admits, it's a demanding program based on teaching student divers to rely chiefly on their training and themselves and to learn "to be comfortable in the water."

In scuba diving, he cautions, "There's no piece of equipment on the market that could be designed to protect you against all risks. Yet, if you are comfortable

and confident in yourself, you'll turn out to be the better diver."

Cohen, one of the many women divers who have taken the course, described how her reliance on her training helped ease a particularly anxious moment in her initial dive to the sunken barge.

"I'll have to admit," she said, "when I first went down under the water, there was definite fear. I didn't know what to expect."

What troubled her, she explained, was the concern of being under water "in the ocean" and how she would breathe. Then her training came into play.

"All I knew was that I had to keep a level head and to breathe normally... like I did in the pool, like I was trained." And she did, and she was all right.

Whatever the anxieties or difficulties individual divers may have experienced as the training period was winding up, they seemed minor alongside the anticipation of exploring fascinating underwater haunts near and far.

Muszynski, whose sport has taken him to St. Thomas, Bonaire, Bimini, Aruba, St. Kitts and other scenic spots in the Caribbean, prefers the waters off New Jersey the best.

Why? Because of the several thousand known ships dating to the 1700s that

were sunken in waters that are considered within reach of scuba divers, he says.

One of the oldest is believed to be an English sailing vessel that sank in a storm off the Manasquan Inlet. There also are hulks of submarines, freighters and tankers sunken during World War II — all interesting objects for the adventurous diver.

The students, of course, had their own sights on other locations — including the Florida Keys, Lake George, the California coast, and John Pennekamp State Park, a well-known underwater attraction in Florida — where some planned to practice their diving this summer.

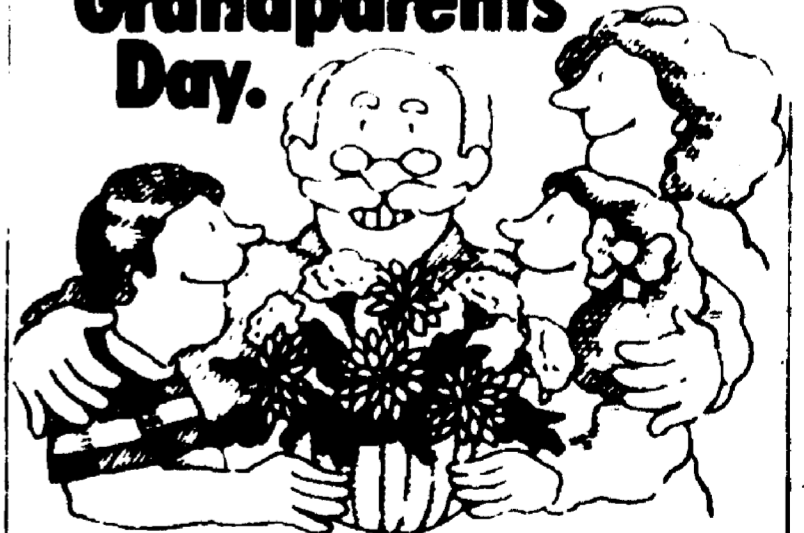
Many of these same students, who took the scuba diving course last semester, joined Muszynski in two "reunion dives" he led during the summer to wrecks off Long Island and New Jersey.

The course, taught twice a year — once in the fall and once in the spring — will resume for its seventh year next week. The fee is \$8 for all members of the Rutgers community.

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1981 Hunting Season Nears

It's that time of year again. It's time to get the licenses, ready the equipment, and plan your vacations for another season of New Jersey hunting.

First time hunters would be wise to take a tip from the old timers by getting all their homework done beforehand and by scouting the areas they would like to hunt, and above all, by asking permission to hunt on private lands before the fact.

It's interesting to note that a recent survey of persons owning prime hunting lands said they have posted their property because of a few inconsiderate hunters. And, one of the main reasons found by the National Shooting Sports Foundation in its survey was, that hunters simply fail to ask permission to hunt. Courtesy and consideration will go a long way to opening more lands for sportsmen.

The New Jersey Division of Fish, Game and Wildlife urges people who plan to hunt this season to secure their licenses early to avoid possible delays from the usual last minute crunch, and to be sure to pick up a copy of the 1981-82 compendium, now available at the various licensing agents. The compendium contains all the changes which have been made and should be read carefully to avoid violations of the law.

Crow season opened August 17, and will continue through March 29th, 1982 on Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays except for closed dates on November 6th and December 6th through the 12th, and December 17th.

The season for rails opens September 1st, and continues through November 9th. The same dates apply for common gallinules. The Division suggests rail hunters use dogs to help flush the birds and to retrieve.

The snipe season in both the north and south zones has a split season again this year. The opening dates are October 2 through October 31, and again from November 29 through January 21.

The north zone is that area north of Route 70 running from Point Pleasant to Camden. The south zone is the area south of Route 70.

Woodcock season opens in the north zone on October 3 and runs through November 26. In the south zone, the woodcock season is split with the opening date of October 24 through December 5, and again from December 18 through December 29.

The sea duck season opens October 6, and goes through January 20. Seasons for other ducks and geese have not yet been confirmed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

The ruffed grouse season

opens in the north zone on October 3, and runs through December 5. A second season opens December 14 and runs through February 6, except for closed dates on November 6 and December 16.

Raccoon, opossum hunting starts October 3, and ends on March 1.

The bow and arrow season for deer of either sex opens September 26 and closes on November 5. The general firearms season for antlered deer runs from December 7 through December 12.

The special permit deer season for muzzleloaders only has been extended this year. The season opens December 14 and runs through December 19. There will be a one-day shotgun season on December 16 and in certain zones will also include December 17.

For further information, consult the 1981-82 compendium.

Nocturnal Adoration Services

The South Amboy Sacred Heart Holy Name Society members will attend Nocturnal Adoration services at the South River Corpus Christi Church on Saturday, September 5 from 5 a.m. to 6 a.m.

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Hawaiian Vacation At Emery Manor



One hundred residents at Emery Manor Nursing Home took an imaginary trip to Hawaii for a vacation. The nursing home became the Emaui Hotel for a week, complete with the Hawaii Room, Koloa Room, Waikiki Casino and Kona Terrace where many activities took place.

Several volunteers went into the "hotel" to help entertain the guests. At the Aloha Happy Hour to welcome the hotel guests the first day, Grace Sergeant of Old Bridge did some Hawaiian dancing, including the hula. Slides of Hawaii were presented by staff member Linda Holon. Besides the regular church services and bingo games, the hotel was busy with special Hawaiian breakfasts, parties, movies and lunchtime entertainment.

The last day of the vacation featured a luau, which was a beautiful buffet luncheon featuring a roasted suckling pig, carvings from fruit and vegetables and exotic flowers. It was a festive occasion with hanging lanterns and leis for everyone.

The entertainment for the luau featured dancers and a musical group, The Golden Agers, comprised of Ruth Mallett, organist, Emil Bedard at the drums, Edna Bedard, singer, and Ernie O'Keefe, master of ceremonies and singer. They have been entertaining at local nursing homes and senior citizen organizations. The dancers were Corazon and Lilla DeGregory and Nancy Larkin. Ms. DeGregory did some interesting and very special Philippine dances, as well as Hawaiian dancing. These girls enjoy dancing and provided the proper atmosphere for the Hawaiian music.

Nutrition Series Introduced

ShopRite Supermarkets announced the introduction of a new consumer nutrition program in all its stores: The BE SENSIBLE Nutrition Series. The program is designed to familiarize and help consumers identify the sodium, fat and calorie content of foods.

The nutrition series reflects the growing concern over the possible relationship of nutrition and such chronic health problems as heart disease, high blood pressure, strokes, dental caries and diabetes. A recent survey conducted by the USDA indicates that almost two-thirds of those surveyed had adjusted household diets for health or nutrition reasons in the past three years.

The pamphlets were designed in response to some of the recommendations in the Dietary Guidelines for Americans established by the Senate Select Committee on Nutrition. These guidelines call for avoiding too much salt, avoiding too much fat, maintaining ideal weight, eating foods with adequate starch and fiber, avoiding too much sugar, and eating a variety of foods.

With the help of information in the BE SENSIBLE Nutrition

pamphlets, healthy consumers can take steps, where desirable, to cut back on possible excesses. For people on special diets who have trouble choosing foods appropriate for their diet needs, these pamphlets should make shopping easier and more economical. They may find many ordinary foods that are suitable for them which offer alternatives to dietetic foods which sometimes cost more.

There are 6 pamphlets in the series. A new one will be issued each month and will be available free of charge in all ShopRite Supermarkets. The first of the series, "Fruits" (fresh, canned and dried) is now available. It will be followed by pamphlets on the sodium, fat and calorie content of Vegetables, Dairy-Deli, Meat, Fish and Poultry, Breads, Grains and Cereals, and the last in the series: Beverages, Snacks, Condiments, Fats and Oils. The pamphlets also provide a number of useful hints on eating well.

Pamphlets can also be obtained by writing Mrs. Sylvia Nadel, Consumer Affairs Department, ShopRite Supermarkets, 600 York Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey 07207.

Corporate Communion

The South Amboy Sacred Heart Church Rosary Society will attend the 8 a.m. Mass on Sunday, September 6 and receive Holy Communion in a body.

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Fall Basketball Program Announced

Jack Hulsart, Recreation Director, has announced plans for the start of the Fall Basketball Program.

Registrations will take place next Monday, September 7, Tuesday, September 8, and Wednesday, September 9, from 6:30 till 7:30 p.m. at the John Zdanewicz Park, Sixth Street. Registrations are open to all boys and girls, grades 3 thru 12. There will be three groups: third through sixth grade; seventh through ninth grade and tenth through twelfth grade. There will also be an Open Division if enough teams register.

The program will start approximately around the 14th of September, and play will take place under the lights at the John Zdanewicz Memorial Park.

Shrubs Useful For Screens, Hedges

Deciduous shrubs — those which drop their leaves in winter — may be planted this fall as soon as their foliage turns color.

These shrubs are especially useful for screen or border plantings, and as hedges.

Forsythia, lilac, and spirea are a few examples of spring-flowering shrubs that you can plant this autumn.

Some shrubs, such as the viburnums and honeysuckles, produce berries as well as flowers. Many of the deciduous shrubs also have attractive fall color to add beauty to your home landscape.

These shrubs are usually sold either with a ball of burlapped soil, or in containers of soil for smaller sizes. Plant the ball the same depth as it was in the nursery or in the container.

Remove shrubs from metal or plastic containers before planting. Wait at least until early April before you apply fertilizer to newly planted shrubs. Remember to prepare the soil thoroughly when you plant the shrubs this fall. Do this by adding peat moss, leafmold, or compost to good garden soil.

This will encourage new roots which can take up the fertilizer next year.

A visit to the Rutgers Display Gardens at U.S. Route 1 and Ryders Lane in New Brunswick may help you decide on the shrubs you want for your yard. The garden contains a large collection of deciduous shrubs, as well as hedges, vines, evergreens, small trees, annual flowers, hollies, and others.

The gardens are open to the public every day until sunset and all plants are labeled.

Middle School Opens Doors

The South Amboy Middle School will welcome their students back to school on Wednesday, September 9, 1981.

School will be in session from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The children should be at their bus stop at 8:25 a.m. and will be returned to that stop at approximately 3:25.

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