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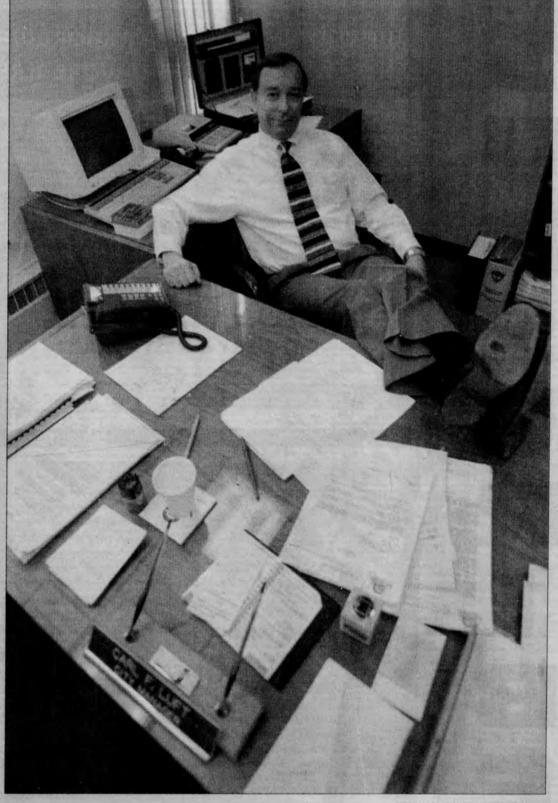
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NEWARK POST PHOTO BY KELLY BENNETT

Carl Luft, hardworking city manager in Newark for the past 10 years, recently tried out a more relaxed approach to the job in his office at the Municipal Building.



By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

A S FAR AS CARL LUFT is concerned, he's just a "regular guy" with maybe a little talent for management.

This month marks his 10th year in the city manager's hot seat at the Newark municipal building and Luft was typically impatient with analyzing his tenure here.

"I'm really uncomfortable talking about myself,' said Luft. "If I had to say anything about my management style, I'd call it 'management by walking around and being a pain in the butt,' as in, 'here he comes again, that"

Luft, who came to Newark after seven years as city manager in Canandaigua, N.Y., said his is a typical "type A-first born" personality. "I'm very goal-oriented," he noted. "When I first came here none of the departments could tell me what they were going to be doing next year; but now everyone takes annual department reports with goals and objectives for granted."

Luft instituted his Management Plan in 1988 to help improve accountability and service, his ever-recurring theme, in city offices. "The purpose of having a management plan and mission statement is to think about why we're in business – to provide service to customers."

A walk through the municipal building on any given day will show that office doors are always open, including Luft's. He routinely takes calls from residents with concerns or complaints and even goes out to investigate if necessary.

Luft said that reaching out of his office by phone or in person enables him to understand the perspective of both the customer and his city employees.

He encourages employees to come directly to

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St. Thomas restoration coming

THE RECENT purchase of St. Thomas Episcopal Church on Elkton Road, the University of Delaware has converted almost an entire downtown block to new use.

"It wasn't planned that way," said Rick Armitage, director of government and public relations, "but it came to make sense to tie the whole block together."

Current University properties in the block bounded by South College

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Consecrated in 1845, the former St. Thomas Episcopal Church was enlarged in 1866. The building, presently owned by the University of Delaware which plans to restore it, is listed on the National Historic Register.

DelDOT and public intersect

By PATRICIA A. KOLY

NEWARK POST CONTRIBUTING WRITER

ELAWARE DEPARTMENT of Transportation representatives proposed five alternative plans to redirect traffic on Elkton Road and New London Road between Delaware and Cleveland avenues in a briefing to Newark city council on Feb. 13.

Among the suggestions proposed by Mark C. Tudor, DelDOT project engineer, were a signal-less roundabout at the Main Street/Elkton Road intersection, two-way traffic on New London Road, parking redistribution on New London Road, and shared bike facilities along New London Rd.

City councilmember Nancy Turner expressed concern that the rerouting of traffic would bring more noise and air pollution to residents, some of whom have complained that there is already too much traffic in the area. "You can render a neighborhood unlivable without destroying buildings," said Turner.

out destroying buildings," said Turner.
Ralph A. Reeb, assistant director of
DelDOT planning, said, "Nothing is
perfect." The goal is to reduce traffic
congestion, and to come up with a plan

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Newark Post * Police Blotter

■ Police Blotter is compiled each week from the files of the Newark Police Department, The New Castle County Police Department and the Delaware State Police by staff writer Mary E. Petzak.

Police seek leads to robbery suspect

Newark police report that the Sovereign Bank at Tyre and Main Streets was robbed on Feb. 19 at about 3:45 p.m. The suspect, described as a white male in his 20s, 5 feet, 7 inches to 5 feet, 9 inches tall, medium build, wearing a knit hat and medium length overcoat, entered the bank and showed a handgun. He fled with an undetermined amount of cash. No one was injured. Anyone with information is asked to call Newark Police at 366-7111 or the FBI Wilmington Office at 658-4391.



Newark police yesterday released this photo of the gun-wielding bandit that held up the Main Street branch of Sovereign Bank. Persons with information should call 366-

Resident foils burglar

An elderly Newark woman kept her head and helped foil a burglary at her home recently. Newark Police responded to a 911 call from the woman on Sypherd Drive on Feb. 14 around 10 p.m. The woman told police that she woke to find the suspect in her bedroom. Police caught Kurt D. Learn, 35, of Elkton, Md., as he attempted to flee the area. Learn, who was charged with burglary, apparently gained entrance to the home by breaking a dining room window and unlocking it. Police recovered two jewelry boxes taken from the residence.

Police raid pot growers

Shortly after midnight on Feb. 16 Newark Police and Alcohol Beverage Control officers raided a party of over 100 people at a home on Westfield Circle following a complaint of numerous underage drinkers present. During the raid, the occupants tried to destroy and dismantle extensive apparatus for marijuana cultivation.

Over 15 marijuana plants, numerous baggies of marijuana, several high intensity lamps, marijuana pipes, and related growing equipment were found. Four residents of the house were charged with disorderly premises, manufacture of marijuana, maintaining a dwelling for the distribution of a controlled substance, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

'Mugging' in brewery

On Feb. 14 around 1 a.m. a 21year-old man was struck in the forehead with a beer mug by an unknown man at the Iron Hill Brewery. According to police, the suspect is described as 5 feet, 11 inches, 170 pounds, with short blond hair, wearing a blue-checkered flannel shirt and blue jeans. He may be a college freshman. The victim suffered lacerations to his head.

Anyone with information is asked to call Newark Police at 366-

Student took LSD and marijuana

On Feb. 6 around 11 a.m. a 15year-old male student at Newark High School was reported to the principal after a teacher observed him acting strangely in class. While talking to the principal, the boy allegedly mentioned taking marijuana and LSD.

A police detective at the school on another matter discovered a foilwrapped piece of paper believed to be LSD on the suspect.

The paper was forwarded to the medical examiner for testing.

Charges are pending.

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Towing contract on city agenda

By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The other shoe has finally dropped in regard to towing in the city of Newark. Following a series of articles last fall in the Newark Post, city council passed an ordinance requiring property owners and towing companies to adhere to guidelines regarding signage, availability and location of towed vehicles before towing from private lots in Newark.

At the next city council meeting, city staff plans to recommend a new two-year contract for municipal towing services. Ewing Towing received the nod because they are the qualifying vender who "bid the lowest price for daytime tows which at present are the bulk of tows" under the existing contract and for the foreseeable future.

Ewing bid \$18 a tow for daytime and \$33 after 6 p.m. Horton Towing, the next lowest daytime bidder, submitted \$20 for tows during the day and \$30 in the evening. All charges for towing are paid by the vehicle owners.

In preparation for the recommendation, city staff spent weeks trying to collate and review handwritten ledgers and invoices for tows in 1995 and 1996 submitted

by Ewing who holds the present city contract.

According to Fred Herald, administrative assistant to the city manager, the city staff discovered in January that Ewing had kept a log of the tows, but not of the fees charged for each tow. "I told them (the fees) were supposed to be in the log and to get it together ASAP," said Herald.

In his recommendation to city council, Herald reported that the staff ultimately took a "random sampling of approximately 1200 tows for 1996" in order to evaluate bids received for the contract.

Based on this sampling, Ewing's overall bid for daytime and nighttime tows as well as storage fees would be \$32,100. Horton's bid with the same sampling is \$31,260. Although mileage fees for tows outside the city limits are included in the bid, Herald said the limited number made these "impossible" to evaluate.

Herald noted that recent newspaper articles quoted competing tow companies who felt that Ewing was "gouging the public" with miscellaneous charges in addition to the basic tow fee. Despite these accusations, Herald said the city had very few complaints about Ewing's services.

Teens prove good investment

Non-alcohol teen nights have proved so successful at the Stone Balloon on Sunday nights that owner Jim Bauerle has made a return on investment in the teens themselves.

Bauerle has promised to hold one "high school" night each month, with the money raised going to the sponsoring school. "We had our first teen night where \$1 of each admission goes to the sponsoring high school," said Bauerle. "and we have a check for \$950 to give to Glasgow High School."

Unfortunately, Glasgow school officials told Bauerle they could not accept the money. "The senior class coordinator was very disappointed," said Bauerle, "especially when he found out how much it was."

According to John Holton, spokesperson for Christina School District, district high school principals discussed the teen nights and decided they did not want to participate. "The schools have plenty of events for students already," said Holton. "They felt these nights were beyond their immediate control and they could not sanction them."

Holton added that in view of this decision, the school officials felt it only fair not to accept the money.

On Feb. 16, the second high school night for 18 and under teens, sponsored by McKean High School in the Red Clay School District, raised \$750. Bauerle said officials from that school have advised him they will accept the donation.



NEWARK POST STAFF PHOTO BY CHRISTINE FULLER

Teens pack into the Stone Balloon on Sunday nights for the night club's non-alcoholic night.

Brook retires from University

A man who once claimed to have attended more meetings about bicycle paths than anyone else in the state has retired from the University of Delaware.

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John T.
Brook, vicepresident for
government and
public relations
at the University
where he had
worked since
1970, retired on
Jan. 15.

Brook started Brook at the university as director of public safety and served as

public safety and served as assistant to the president and acting vice-president before being named to his final position.

Prior to coming to the university Brook was a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation. A graduate of Allegheny College and the Ohio State University School of Law, Brook had also worked as a secondary school teacher and a law

alask

Brook served on several city of Newark committees including the Town and Gown Committee, the Newark Community Advisory Panel, and the recently formed Western Newark Traffic Relief Committee.

It was while attending one of these meetings that Brook commented on his acquired knowledge of transportation issues affecting students, especially bicycling. He also served as an advisor to the Wilmington Area Planning Council.

"What I will miss most are the people, both on our campuses and those I've met and worked with in the community and government," said Brook on announcing his

His position will not be refilled for the present, and the offices of government relations and public relations will now report directly to the president. Staff at the occupational health and safety unit which he also headed will report to the executive vice-president.

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congestion, and to come up with a plan that would be most beneficial to most people, said Reeb.

Reeb was involved in the original Newark-Elkton Intermodal Study prepared by the Wilmington Area Planning Council that thoroughly analyzed pedestrian, bicycle and vehicle traffic patterns.

He said that interviews with truck drivers and dispatchers revealed no plans to increase truck traffic in the area. "They (truckers) use New London Road now," he said, "despite congestion, because it is a more direct route."

DelDOT officials will present the alternative plans to the public in workshop Feb. 25, from 4 - 8 p.m. at the Municipal Building.

Christine Gillan, spokesperson for DelDOT, said they hope there will be a good public turnout. "The purpose of the workshop is to explain what we have though of and discover what ideas the local citizens may have," said Gillan. "There may be other good alternatives that we have not thought of in

our plans."

According to DelDOT officials, challenges in drafting the alternatives included whether the existing CSX building which includes a raised sidewalk and window well is historic; insufficient space on New London Road for alternative modes of transportation; and the best configuration for the reconstruction of the two "new" intersections at Main Street and at Delaware Avenue.

Local ideas sought for intersection

Based upon these variables, DelDOT submitted five alternatives for public review and input:

Alternative 1) Two-way Elkton Road with no impact on the CSX building by providing a shared bike lane. Two-way New London Road with some parking and less than minimum bike lanes. Two options for a new signalized intersection.

Alternative 2) Two-way Elkton Road impacting the CSX building but allowing for a dedicated bike lane. Two-way New London Road allowing some parking and less than minimum bike facilities. Two options for a new signalized intersection.

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Alternative 4) Two-way Elkton Road impacting the CSX building but allowing for a dedicated bike lane. Two-way New London Road allowing some parking and less than minimum bike facilities. A round about intersection with no signal.

Alternative 5) Two-way Elkton Road impacting the CSX building but allowing for a dedicated bike lane. New London Road remains one-way while maintaining existing parking and a shared bike lane. Two options for a new signalized intersection.

DelDOT officials indicated that a computer-based traffic simulation showed that people would wait for fewer traffic lights and would be able to get through the area a "little faster" if the roads at this intersection were all two-



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Newark Post * In the news

Summit here to produce possible land use legislation

By DOUG RAINEY

SPECIAL TO THE NEWARK POST

Growth on the Route 40 corridor and other areas is prompting a private sector "think tank" to hold a summit next month.

The Delaware Public Policy Institute announced will hold the land use summit and study process that will produce recommendations and possible legislation on what the group hopes will be more effective approach to land use and infrastructure planning in Delaware.

The first of two summits will be held March 5 and 6 at Clayton Hall on the University of Delaware campus in

Cost of the two-day event is \$50, or \$25 for a representative of a commu-

The Public Policy Institute is supported by the Delaware State Chamber of Commerce and is headed by a group of the state's leading businesspeople.

Entitled, "Choices for Delaware: The Future of Land Use and Infrastructure," the DPPI project is chaired by Joshua W. Martin III, president of Bell Atlantic Delaware, Inc.

At a press conference last month, Martin emphasized that the summit would be part of a statewide effort to deal with an issue that not only has hit the Bear-Glasgow area, but also Middlettown-Odessa-Townsend, Dover Eastern Sussex County and other areas.

"Land use and related infrastructure issues represent a subject that is of significant concern to Delawareans," said Martin. "The DPPI project will bring all of the interest groups to the

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Use of red brick ties block together

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Avenue, Main Street, Elkton Road, and Delaware Avenue include the former George Evans House now housing the Academic Services Office, the new Trabant Student Center which incorporated the historic Presbyterian Church, the University Parking Garage, two houses on Elkton Road, and all the former residential properties on the north side of West Delaware Avenue.

Armitage said plans for St. Thomas Church include a quiet study area similar to the one in the Presbyterian Church and occasional lectures. "It's probably going to cost more money than I'll ever see to restore it and bring it up to code," said Armitage. "That's always the problem when adapting old buildings to new use."

Three years ago the University spent a reported \$620,000 to restore the George Evans House after considering and rejecting demolition.

Consecrated in 1845, the original rectangular section of St. Thomas Church was augmented by an 1866 renovation adding the chancel, a robing room, the vestibule and the tower. The building is listed on the National Historic Register.

In 1956, the congregation sold the church to the Newark Free Public Library which later conveyed it to Anthony and Althea Scarangelo who used it for office space. The cemetery remains the property of Saint Thomas' Parish located on South College Avenue.

Armitage recently presented plans to Newark city council for ren-

ovations and improvements to three former homes at 46-56 West Delaware Avenue. Red brick additions behind each residence will combine and connect the three structures into one unit. "We'll have university departments there but I don't

Armitage.

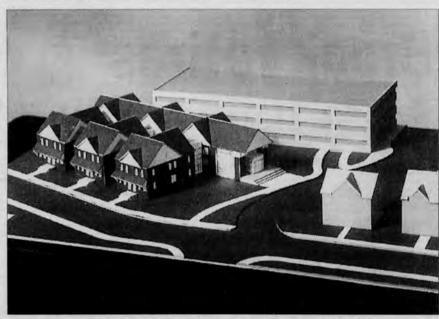
A little farther to the east along Delaware Avenue the homes already restored by the University presently house the Office of Greek Affairs and the Medical Scholars Program. Red brick walkways and a small plaza area link the pastel-painted frame buildings to the surrounding

know which ones yet," said

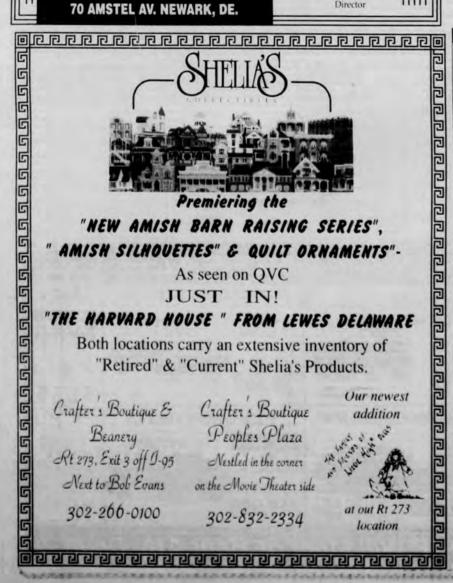
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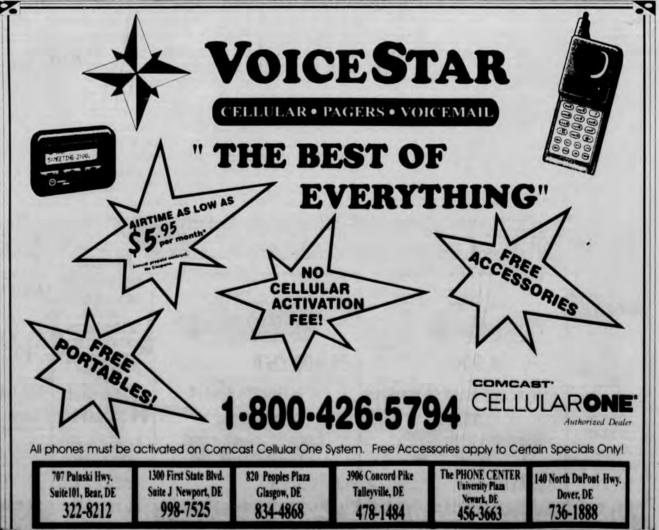
The two residential properties on Elkton Road, also purchased from the Scarangelos with the church property, might have to be demolished. "We have to wait and see about the structural integrity of those depending on what the engineers tell us," Armitage said. The homes were most recently used as rental proper-

Available resources dictate what the University "tries to pick and save," said Armitage. "Contrary to what everyone thinks, the University does not have a pot of gold hidden somewhere.



A "mockup" of three brick residences at 46-56 West Delaware Avenue opposite the existing University Parking Garage shows the glass and brick extensions currently being added by the University of Delaware which will combine and connect the three structures into one unit. To the right of the future unit are two other frame residences already housing University departments on Delaware Avenue.





NEWARK POST * IN THE NEWS

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table in an effort to build consensus on how Delaware should handle land use and infrastructure management in the

Martin emphasized that the summit marks the beginning of a long-term effort that will involve all segments of the community, including civic groups.

In his State-of-the-State address, Governor Thomas R. Carper gave his support to the effort and encouraged the legislature and others to get behind the process. "I believe the time is right to try to forge a consensus," he said. "The Delaware Public Policy Institute has offered to sponsor a summit for that purpose. Its success requires that we trust each other to do what's right for Delaware."

A key player in the land use summit and study process will be Siemon, Larsen & Marsh, a nationally-recognized firm that specializes in strategic land use planning and conflict resolu-

The process will include the following:

A Land Use Study Committee will be named to serve as the decision-making group at the center of the process. The Study Committee will include representatives from all interest groups with a stake in the future of

land use planning. State and county governments, legislators, business groups, environmentalists, civic associations, labor representatives, economic development specialists, and agricultural interests will all be represented.

Ground work for the effort got under way in December and will include the following timetable.

■ March 5 & 6,1997: Land Use Summit #1, a two-day conference with 500 people expected to attend. This summit starts the process of building among all interest groups statewide. Those in attendance will work to develop a menu of issues to be addressed by the Land Use Study

Committee following the summit.

■ March - May, 1997: The Land Use Study Committee will meet three times to discuss opportunities, constraints and planning alternatives. Siemon, Larsen & Marsh will facilitate these meetings and provide materials on land use planning alternatives for consideration by the Committee. The consultants will also draft proposed recommendations and possible legislation of the Study Committee's approval.

■ May 19,1997: Land Use Summit #2: The Land Use Study Committee will present its recommendations/legislation to the governor, legislature, and public.

Martin said work on the issue will continue even after the final summit.

The summit did draw fire from Bear resident Allan Muller, who heads a group known as Green Delaware.

Muller, who attended the press conference announcing the summit and asked a number pointed questions to Martin, later issued a press release criticizing the Public Policy Institute and its ties to the State Chamber.

"If anything good is to come out of this, immediate changes are needed. It would be disgraceful for taxpayers to fund another Chamber of Commerce dog and pony show," Muller said.

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A tale of two mothers

RUG AND ALCOHOL abuse by young people is not news to anyone, least of all parents. But recently a mother in Newark asked us if we could do anything about it, because she and her husband had caught their high school son with marijuana. The boy told them it was no big deal.

We have noted the steady increase of police reports in which college and high school students are getting caught using or buying drugs and alcohol, in liquor stores, on the street, in restaurants, in dorm rooms, in classrooms-at home.

On Valentine's Day weekend, University of Delaware campus police reported nine instances of underage drinking, one of which was a person drinking and driving, and a student found with marijuana.

During the same week, Newark police reported five underage persons entering a liquor store, three students at Newark High School in possession of marijuana-one of whom also had what

appeared to be LSD. This 15-year-old student admitted using both drugs.

In January, another Newark mother went to the police with items she found in her 14-year-old son's pocket. The mother became suspicious after she overheard her son talking about drugs on the telephone.

What looked like simple pieces of paper, field-tested positive for LSD. The other item was a marijuana pipe. Her son faced charges of possession of LSD and drug paraphernalia.

That was a hard choice for a brave woman. We don't know the outcome of the case. We don't know if it will make a positive difference in her son's life or that of anyone else.

However, we do think it's a choice that more parents should consider. There are a lot more parents than there are police or teachers to keep watch and report evidence of drug abuse by their children.

Because, after all, it is a big deal if you get caught by someone who reports you to the police.

A critic is born

By MARVIN H. HUMMEL

NEWARK POST COLUMNIST

ATURE OR NURTURE? DNA or environment? The argument rages on about several current subjects. I am here to tell you that there is no argument about critics - they are born, determined forever before Mommy and Daddy Hummel can get their hands on them.

One plausible argument for critics being born and not a matter of nurture is that no one would choose to be a critic: being one alienates so many people, cuts down on friendships, job opportunities, etc. (Even when a critic remains silent, his criticism is written all over his face: "You may be a hotshot interviewing poor little unemployed me, but you're a troglodytic buffoon, and I would have to suck antacid tablets all day - were you to hire me, which you won't because you've read my face!") No one would choose to be a critic. I know; I am one.

I discovered it as a little boy of four, sitting on the davenport while evening prayers were being offered by my father just before we ate dinner. Dinner in our typical-Depression home was a bowl of hot water for each family member with a bouillon cube dissolving in each one and some saltines on the side, and if it was just after payday, a fat pat of butter on each cracker. There was milk sometimes but usually water, depending on a farmer just outside of town who thought my brother and I were too thin.

Maybe my father had conducted a service that day for some child who starved to death -I don't remember- but he thanked God far longer than I felt the meal deserved. (My criticism was pure -it was not prompted by the hope of getting to the bouillon while it was still hot -bouillon is bouillon) I just felt that God had put a rather ordinary meal on our table and I was genuinely if momentarily grateful enough to participate silently in my father's prayer, but as it con-tinued and continued, the critic in me thought that enough was enough!!!

And still it went on, this fervent dinner prayer, and I was increasingly out of sympathy with what were -I thought then and still do-seriously overstated expressions of gratitude.



As the prayer persisted, I knew I would have to in some way separate myself from its ornate contents -if a rose is a rose is a rose, a bowl of bouillon is a bowl of bouillon is a bowl of bouillon...

My father's integrity was total – he believed every word – dared I, as his son, not demonstrate my own integrity? Did I not owe it to this beautiful man with the obviously lovely but faulty conception of our dinner to be as honorable in my sentiments as he? I thought so! I knew so!

Then how to equal my father's integrity? At four, one's vocabulary options are limited, so I knew any interruption of his deeply-felt sentiments by me would be so inchoate as to be incoherent -and integrity requires definition! I was just too young to define my formed opinion with unformed words. What then?

I remembered that pinched-shut eyes were an integral part of a fervent prayer - I would open mine and show God I had quit being part of the prayer after the second "Thy gracious bounty." I knew there would be divine punishment - I heard in church what God did to people who were wicked -Sturm and Drang! Total

Why I fancied that God would use a bolt of lightning to do me in, I don't know -perhaps a plague or a famine seemed a bit much - I was only four at the time, so I don't remember.

The prayer continued - I HAD to distance myself from all those "gracious bounties"- I HAD to! I was so mad I forgot to be afraid! I did move away from my brother so he wouldn't get zapped - scripture made God's wrath seem excessive and sloppily administered. Consider all those who missed Noah's boat!!! My last thought, though, was one of bratty satisfaction: my mother would be furious about the lightning-bolt hole in her sofa!

I opened my eyes and nothing happened. I looked at the pinched-shut eyes of the pious around me, and while "the bounties" kept mounting, I felt very sad: I was separated from my family and confused about what God thought about me and my wide-open, goggling

No one wants to be a critic, but some of us are just born that way.





This week, "Out of the Attic" shows windstorm damage at the greater Wilmingotn airport. Five small palnes were flipped over and 15 others damaged. The exact date of the storm is not known, however, we believe this photo was taken in early 1989."Out of the Attic" features historic photographs from Newark's history, recent and long ago. Readers who have a historic photo and would like to share it with other readers are invited to loan their photos for reprinting in this space. Special care will be taken. For information, call the Newark Post, weekdays, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., at 737-0724.

PAGES FROM THE PAST

· News as it appeared in the Newark Post throughout the years

■ Feb. 22, 1922

To abolish Lumbrook **Grade Crossing**

Everyone in Newark and vicinity will welcome the news that the grade crossing at Lumbrook is to be abolished.

Bids for an overhead bridge at that crossing were received by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, in Baltimore, on Monday.

This crossing has always been a menace to persons using the road between Newark and Wilmington.

Pasteurized milk urged by citizen

The question of pasteurized milk in Newark still holds a high place in local discussions but it will probably be next month before any definite action will be taken on the matter of the kind of milk that the people of Newark can drink.

■ Feb. 23, 1972

Library gets \$100,000 check for openers

Local officials held ceremonies Saturday morning on the site of the proposed Newark library building. Recognition Dinner

The occasion was the initial payment of \$100,000 to Newark Library Commission for construction of the new library in Newark.

When it snows, they strike

Picket lines continue to block the Ogletown Road entrances to facilities of Morton Quality Products, a division of Morton-Norwich.

The eight-day old strike by some 50 members of Teamsters Local 115 has resulted in round-the-clock demonstrations at the Newark food packaging plant.

In the words of a union spokesman, "the walkout will continue until workers are given a livable wage."

Raymond gets Coach-of-the-Year award from Newark chamber

Tubby Raymond, who has done his share of making presentations at banquets, will have the tables turned on him this Saturday.

University The Delaware's head football coach will be presented the Kodak Small College Coach of the Year Plaque at the Greater Newark Chamber of Commerce's University of Football Delaware

■ Feb. 21, 1992 City hall fire gives employees a holiday

Newark city employees received an unexpected day off when a small fire broke out in the basement of City Hall Wednesday afternoon yielding more smoke than

Mayor Gardner seeks re-election

Incumbent Newark Mayor Ronald L. Gardner officially announced his candidacy for a second three-year term Tuesday.

The 59-year-old self employed businessman actually filed a few weeks ago, but in his typical low-key style, he didn't make a big production out of it.

"I'd like to continue in office to see some of my goals completed," Gardner

"Pages from the Past" is compiled from early editions of the Newark Post and its forerunners by staffer Julia Sampson. Efforts are made to retain original headlines and style.

Tarrant out of touch with youth

To: The editor

From: Susan LaMantia, A.T.R. Oxford, Pa.

RECENTLY READ a Jan. 31 column, Upon My Word, authored by Shirley M. Tarrant. I really take umbrage with the slant of the column. Mrs. Tarrant responds in a manner that indicates to me she is angry with the youth group and its advocates for wanting to have a place that is "theirs" (her quotes used throughout the article).

From the very beginning of her article Mrs. Tarrant raises questions to the young people in a manner that closely resembles baiting the teens and

then making shaming statements because they haven't acted like adults.

One of the phrases Mrs. Tarrant used, "And time is money, when it's volunteered" struck me in a confusing way, as I had thought that volunteerism was to freely give one's time. But I see that is not the belief of Mrs. Tarrant, therefore her opinions make sense. The youth and their advocates need emotional support as well as financial support. Guidance, not criticism. and praise are needed for the attempts they make in creating a place for the kids to hang out. Mrs. Tarrant, with her vears of successfully raising funds in the community, would

best serve the young people if she were not so out of touch with what it is like to be a teen. These kids want a place "to be," to listen to the music teens listen to, adhering to rules and regulations, reflecting their own creativity in furniture and decor.

I am an art therapist living and working in Oxford, PA and have many teenagers in my practice. Helping teens to find their autonomy, and responsibility is quite a task, but it is never done by judgment and criticism, but by openness and acceptance. I think Mrs. Tarrant knows this, but must have forgotten it. I hope she remembers soon.

Gratitude, admiration for police

To: The editor

From: Alice D. Lanier Newark

T FIRST HAND, I have recently witnessed the A professionalism of the Newark Police Department. I feel great admiration and gratitude. Having discovered that someone had broken into this home, I dialed 911. From that moment I was assured that help would be forthcoming and it

Apparently as soon as my location was identified, officers set out in this direction. I stayed on the line with the dispatcher, giving what information I could about the appearance of the intruder. I was then instructed in ways to protect myself.

When the police officers arrived, they worked thoroughly and efficiently. I might add that they worked effectively, too, and the intruder was apprehended that night. In addition, each officer appeared to be sensitive to the intrusion I had experi-

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enced. They were courteous, careful to remove all evidences of the fingerprinting. One officer even went to her home to get proper wood to board the broken window!

This was the least of my worries that night, but I believe that all of the items that had been taken were returned to me after they were recovered by the police. Although the monetary value was not great, some of the things were important to me.

There are many reasons why I am happy that my home is in Newark. Among them is my respect for the town government of which the police department is a vital part.

■ Any community newspaper receives many letters over the course of a year. The number per week fluctuates, of course, the determining factor usually the degree to which our readers are upset . . . about the council representative, the mayor, the superintendent of schools, the

Dealing with letters to the editor is one of the more difficult jobs for a newspaper editor. We want to let people have their say, for or against, praising or criticizing, and to vent their frustrations over what they usually perceive to be an injustice. Generally the subject of a letter is someone in government. That's okay with us. We see that as a fact of life.

So, blast away, if you wish. No doubt a salvo or two will be lobbied in the direction of this newspaper and that's okay, too.

What we need from you and what we cannot allow is spelled out in our letters policy, which is printed every week in the staff box in the newspaper. It isn't very long because we don't have a lot of rules.

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The complete ensemble consists of five matching accessory items:

- · Ring bearer Pillow-A seven-inch square with a five-inch scalloped embroidered edge organza lace.
- Guest Book-With space for 600 guest signatures and thoughts. Insert is available in English

- Pen holder—Trimmed in satin cord, includes a brushed gold-finished ball-point pen.
- · Memory Book-Available with either color illustrated pages, or white embossed pages.
- Wedding Album Expandable Photo Album includes a gold leaf family tree page and room for 162 signatures on parchment paper.

Information for this article was taken with permission from Planning A Wedding To Remember by Beverly Clark.

Announce The News With An Engagement Party

Now that you're engaged, you'll want to share the exciting news with close friends and relatives. Why not surprise them all at once by announcing the wonderful news at an engagement party? Here are some engagement party tips from Beverly Clark's book, Planning A Wedding To Remember.

An engagement party has traditionally been hosted by the bride's parents. However, the party may be hosted by you and your fiance. Other engagement parties are sometimes hosted by the groom's parents, relatives or close friends. It's a perfect opportunity to introduce the two families and friends of the couple.

The engagement announcement is generally made during a toast given by the bride's father or her fiance.

A toast is the perfect way to officially fill the guests in on the exciting news, especially when the news may be a surprise to them. The groom's father or other friends

may want to join in on the fun and toast the happy couple. Remember these tips for your engagement

party planning:

It is a must that you both attend all

- · Gifts are generally not given and should not be
- If a guest chooses to honor the occasion with a gift, accept it graciously and send a thankyou note.

· The party may be a luncheon, brunch, dinner or cocktail party. Any type of party would be appropriate.

- Avoid hurt feelings by inviting only those guests that you will also be inviting to your wedding.
 - Invitations may be extended over the phone or by written invitation, depending on time and formality of the party.
- · If formal invitations are sent, and it's not to be a surprise for the guests, then the invitation could read "in honor of Susan

Petty and Robert Townsend" or "Please join us in celebrating the engagement . . .

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Pamper Your Bridal Party

(NU)-Rise up and rejoice: not all vanities have been confined to the bonfire. The vanity commonly known as a dressing table immortalized in popular '50s films and fashion illustrations, and once considered an essential in every Victorian bedroom, is back in vogue.

Suddenly, powdering your nose before the bathroom mirror isn't enough. An off-limits place for a few minutes of composure and selfindulgence is needed ... with real furniture and frivolous necessities that have personal history.

A quick glance at a vanity reveals a great deal about the woman in the mirror. The eclectic mix of antique lace, old and new pieces of silver, crystal and porcelain, and favorite objects and nostalgic photographs, says she's a romantic, a

Interest and sales of both antique and new vanity table silver are strong, according to the Silver Information Center.

"Vanity silver, whether elaborately detailed or classically simple, is beautiful to display, practical for everyday use and best of all, makes you feel good," says the Center's director, Linda Meehan. "What gives even more pleasure is the memory attached to each treasure. Most sterling silver pieces can be monogrammed or engraved to commemorate life's best moments."

With summer weddings just around the corner, there are a wide variety of luxurious yet affordable sterling silver vanity gifts for pampering your attendants, starting under

And, don't forget your groomsmen - they also enjoy being indulged. Here are some thoughtful and personal gift ideas to build or add to a vanity collection:



- Assorted frames of various sizes and styles hold memorable photos, inscriptions, and pieces of antique fabric or lace.
- Small trays to place easily forgotten keys
- Slender vases and beakers, even a baby cup, hold delicately scented flowers.
- Makeup brushes, a compact or a hand mirror make everyday grooming a luxury.
- Miniature boxes to hold jewelry or makeup.
- A handy perfume flacon for her purse or aromatic pendant to attract friendly spirits.
- To handle daily routines, a razor, shoe horn, nail file or scissors.
- And the crowning touch, fashionable barrettes, clips or hair picks to wear on the wedding day and thereafter.





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Bride beautiful

By The Associated Press

The glowing face you want to show to the world on your wedding day doesn't develop overnight. Like everything else involved in the event, it takes preplanning care.

"Many brides think having a facial right before the big day will magically improve their skin, when in fact it can have the opposite effect," says Giella, consultant for Luminique Skin Care products at Vidal Sassoon Salons. "For facials and other treatments such as glycolic acid to really work, they must be done with consistency. Start having regular facials at least three months in advance."

You don't have be become engaged to start on a skin regime, but to ensure a radiant wedding day complexion, take care that your skin is consistently

essential oils and other plant-based ingredients.

balanced and hydrated, she says. "Good skin creates a flawless canvas." Two common categories of skin type are normal-to-dry and normal-to-oily, and the specialist notes that most cosmetics companies offer products tailored to work for your type and that you will like to use. These could be cleansing milks or gels that have

Ask a trained professional for advice before using additional products such as an eye cream and glycolic acid treatment cream.

If there are bumps along the way, she has this advice: "Never, ever pick at your face. Blemishes heal better when they are left alone. Always drink lots of water and most of all, don't worry. A pimple won't ruin your wedding day. You will still be beautiful."



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- · Agree that financial decisions should be joint
- · Find the right experts. For most couples, there is

(NAPS)-Couples planning to exchange vows anytime value in finding a financial planning professional who will grow with the new family. Someone within 10 years of your age is ideal. Search for an accredited professional, such as a Chartered Life Underwriter (CLU) or maybe you can use a Chartered Financial Consultant (ChFC).

> · Clean the new financial house. Pay debt and eliminate unnecessary credit cards.

> The American Society of CLU & CHFCs are insurance and financial services professionals who have passed educational, and experience requirements. For a listing of ClUs and CHFCs in your area, call 1-888-CHFC-CLU.



'I Do . . . ' Time for honeymoon tips planning, preparation

(NAPS)-It wasn't too long ago that it was the groom's right of marital passage to solely plan the honeymoon. Today, couples are discovering a new idea that makes honeymoon planning even more successful and fun-sharing.

"More couples are finding that they both want to be involved in planning the honeymoon," said Geri Bain, travel editor for Modern Bride magazine. "It makes sense that if both are involved, the chances of a mutually enjoyable time are greatly increased. That's an important factor when it comes to planning one of the most important trips of your life."

According to Joanie Flynn, director of leisure and resort marketing for Hilton Hotels Corporationwhich hosts thousands of honeymooners every year-the secret to selecting the right location is variety, spiced with romance.

"Honeymooners need to look for a destination that offers them choices. Some want to relax and bask in the sun, while others look for more adventurous activities or sports," said Flynn. "We try to accommodate everyone. In fact, to help set the right mood for newlyweds, we offer a Romance Package that includes upgraded accommodations, complimentary champagne, late check-out and even breakfast in bed."

For couples planning their honeymoon together, Los Angeles-based author and wedding consultant Leslie Aronzon, provides these tips:

- Give yourself time to unwind after the wedding before jumping into a hectic travel schedule. Relax at a nearby hotel, or arrange a day or two at a resort.
- · Avoid planning a trip that requires spending most of your time traveling to and from your destination.
- Plan a budget! Decide how much to spend before your trip to avoid discussing money concerns during the honeymoon.
- Ask your travel agent about special value-added hotel features. This could save you time and money. Some hotels, like Hilton, offer romance and resort package deals.
- · Keep weather patterns in mind when planning and packing for trips. Check with the local hotel to make sure your honeymoon isn't spent during a rainy or very humid season.
- · Allow yourself time to get passports, visas or immunizations for international trips. New brides should remember to book airline tickets under their maiden or married name, whichever one matches their passport. And don't forget replacement medical prescriptions. You never know when you might lose

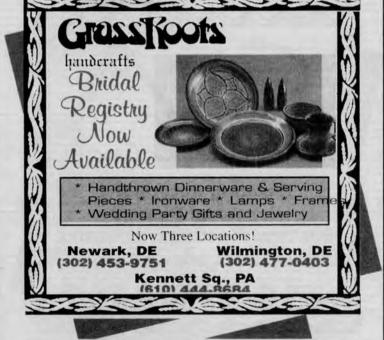
For more information about romantic or relaxing trip destinations, couples should contact their travel agent or Hilton Hotels by calling 1-800-HILTONS, or by logging on to Hilton Hotels Internet Travel Center at http://www.hilton.com.

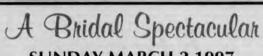












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"Romeo & Juliet" always at the top of the list

THETHER the discussion is about literature, opera, theater or dance, when it comes to great love stories, "Romeo and Juliet" is always at the top of the list. The Russian Ballet Theater of Delaware is staging a complete performance of Serge Prokofiev's treatment of the classic at the Grand Opera House February 28, March 1 and 2.

The last few performances of the Russian Ballet Theater have been excerpts and shorter works. Now RBT is turning to one of the great modern masters to offer a full length presentation. I asked Executive Director Marsha Borin about the change. ""Excerpt performing is about bravura and about variety. Full length ballets create a fantasy world and bring a message." I completely agree.

Marsha went on, "Audiences love the grandeur of full length ballets. The tale of the two families whose irrational prejudice brings death as interpreted by the choreography of Daniel Baudendistel will have the audience spellbound."

The Russian Ballet Theater of Delaware will offer us a production with 52 professional dancers and a special contingent of ten young dancers from Theresa Emmons' Dover Dance Conservatory for the three performances at the Grand. All will be under the direction of choreographer Daniel Baudendistel.

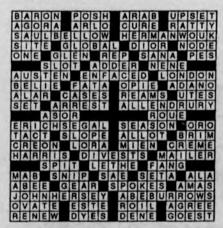
Dancing roles as members of the House of Capulet are, Juliet, Anya Ivanova; Lord Capulet, Robert Grenfell; Lady Capulet, Mary Jane Isaacs; Juliet's Nurse, Anya P. Ward and as Tybalt, Christopher Roman.

Representing the other family in the feud, the House of Montague are, as Romeo, Pavel Kambalov; Lord Montague, Todd Breck; Mercutio, Slava Belinsky; Benvolio, Valery Gontcharov; Paris, Alexander Bojko and Rosalinda, Olga Tozyiakova.

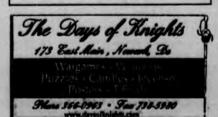
The three harlots of the ballet will be danced by Kristina Dippel, Kimberly Martin and Elena Manakhova. Friar Laurence will be danced by Gary O'Malley and the street performer by Sergey

As popular as this work by the modern Russian master is today, it was not well received when it first came upon the scene. Before the ballet was produced the score was first performed in Moscow in 1935 with a less than warm welcome. The first staged performance wasn't even produced in Russia, but in Brunn, Czechoslovakia, three years later. After more work it was presented at the Kirov Theater in

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Leningrad on January 11, 1940. Soviet censors decried "the worst traditions of the old form.'

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This full-length performance of Romeo and Juliet with the outstanding cast at the Grand Opera House could well be the highlight of the dance season at Delaware's Center for the Performing Arts. Here is an opportunity to see this work by a professional company without a trip out of state. If you Theater of Delaware before this, now is the time to correct that oversight. If you have seen them dance, you have some idea what is

in store for you. The Grand Opera House is the perfect venue.

The opening night curtain is at 8 p.m. as is the Saturday curtain. On Sunday, the performance will begin at 3 p.m.

Tickets range from \$21 to \$38 with discounts available to seniors. students with proper ID and groups. The opera house and ballet company are working to make sure the performances are available to the widest group of people.

Tickets for all performances are available through the Grand Opera House. You may stop by the Grand box office at 818 The Market Street Mall, or reach them by phone at 302-652-5577 or 1-800-37 GRAND; on the World Wide Web at http://ameristar.net/grand/ or E-mail at GRANDOPERA @AOL.COM.

Our fledgling company has struggled but now is bursting forth in triumph. Be sure to see this performance of Prokovief's Romeo and Juliet choreographed by Daniel Baudendistel for a magnificent evening of ballet.

■ Phil Toman has been a columnist for the Newark Post since 1969. An enthusiastic supporter of the arts locally, he has a vast knowledge of the arts in the midhaven't seen the Russian Ballet Atlantic region. He and his wife, Marie, are longtime residents of Newark. Toman hosts a weekly radio program on WNRK.



Dancing the title roles in the Russian Ballet Theater of Delaware's production of Serge Prokofiev's "Romeo and Juliet" will be Anya Ivanova and Pavel Kambalov.



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By MARY E. PETZAK

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

OHN SCHLAVOS remembers a time when people like Chief Justice Earl Warren and actress Bette Davis went out of their way to have a meal at the Glasgow Arms on Route 40.

"Chief Justice Warren ate there once a week for years," said Schlavos. "Senators, congressmen, Edward R. Murrow, I couldn't tell you all the well-known people who ate there regularly.

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Schlavos' father, Constantine, built the Glasgow Arms, which opened on Thanksgiving Day in 1937 and remained a family business until 1988.

This month developers leveled it to the ground in preparation for building an Arby's at the intersection of South College Avenue and Route 40 in the heart of Glasgow.

Schlavos' father also owned the Howard Hotel and Elk Hotel in Elkton for years before launching the restaurant in Glasgow.

ed highway," said Schlavos. "People traveled from Maine to Washington and south on that road, and they all stopped at our restaurant."

Regular trade came from both travelers and local people for whom the Glasgow Arms was the "only" place to eat in New Castle County.

"The same people would come through every week or every month," said Schlavos. "You could almost set your clock by it."

But the Glasgow Arms wasn't just a convenient place to stop, although

> Schlavos said the place was days before Interstate 95 opened.

"People would tell us they waited to eat until they got there," he said. "Even after the interstate opened and there wasn't an exit at

Newark, people managed to find us again."

A former Wilmington High School classmate of Schlavos once told him that the menu at the Arms was discussed and praised at a DuPont board meeting. "We were top-flight," said Schlavos. "We had things like Chateaubriand, filet mignon, crab imperial, lobsters from Maine - and the expensive items on the menu always sold better than the cheaper ones."

Cocktails and wines were the preferred beverages. "We had Dom Perignon, "That was before Route 40 was a divid- Chateau Lafitte Rothschild, good years, too" said Schlavos. "Some nights the bartenders could hardly keep up."

Hollywood people like Bette Davis and Robert Mitchum, appearing at the Wilmington Playhouse, would travel down to Glasgow for dinner after the show. "They'd rather eat here than at their hotel," Schlavos said.

Schlavos still has placemats from different periods in the restaurant's history, some with handwritten messages written on them by customers. "I even have placemats with poems customers wrote for us on them," said Schlavos.

The Arms was never a family restaujammed on weekends in the rant; it was a place to celebrate and have a special meal. "We had mostly adults except for college proms and after university football games," Schlavos said.

Over the years Schlavos worked there, he watched two or three generations of some families grow up. "I knew people who came here from Newark and Elkton and Havre de Grace and then their chilBelow, the original dining room of the Glasgow Arms, circa 1937.

Right, Constantine Schlavos stands in the Glasgow Arms' Colonial Dining Room, the first of many expansions.



dren came

here," said Schlavos. "We had a real association with people. We had the opportunity to meet them and keep them coming there."

The Glasgow Arms closed for the first time in December 1941.

"My father had added the Colonial dining room in 1939 and everything was going great," said Schlavos. "But they rationed gas and tires almost immediately after the bombing at Pearl Harbor and

substantial many had to close." Schlavos served in the Marines until 1947 and then went back to work at the restaurant which had reopened on VJ Day, 1945. "I was there at least 42 years, except for another year during the Korean War."

Constantine Schlavos added three more rooms until eventually the restaurant could seat 350 people. "Many times on Friday and Saturday nights you had to stand in line, even with reservations," said Schlavos. "People who came all the time wanted 'their table' and 'their waiter' - sometimes it could be a

we problem."

On Saturday nights, 75 employees, including 25 waiters and waitresses, three or four bartenders, five cooks and a chef served the hundreds of customers with busboys and kitchen help bringing up the rear.

"They would all be moving as best they could," said Schlavos. The enormous dishwasher in the kitchen, the "heart of the place," often had to handle up to 10,000 pieces of dishware an hour.

"After all, in those days you had as many as 12 dishes and plates for each diner," recalled Schlavos.

The atmosphere was as unique as the

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Gone to the great landmark in the sky

By DOUG RAINEY

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DROVE by the remains of the Glasgow Arms on a recent Sunday night.

The demolition crews had done their job quickly and efficiently. A landmark along Route 40 had fallen and was rumored to be be the site of fast food establishment.

The location had been vacant for some time and as it sat idle, it became clear that no savior was coming to rescue the restaurant.

The Glasgow Arms was well into its final descent when we moved to Delaware. But even nine years ago, it was still a place to go for a special occasion.

Once a year or so, at my wife's prodding, we would stop by, the last such time coming when my stepson graduated from high school. And while the place was a little tattered around the edges, it still had a sense of history that does not come from putting old washboards and gas station signs on the

We went back when in a final attempt to revive the restaurant it was converted into a pancake house. The idea was good, but the people didn't come. Perhaps it was a little too fancy for breakfast or a casual dinner. It wasn't too long thereafter, that it closed for good.

While I'm no expert on the subject, it appears that a few things brought on the end of the restau-



rant. First, was the continued trend toward casual dining and chain restaurants. We now demand cafes with 200 items on the menu, 150 of which come from a microwave oven, all served up in a fake Irish, Southwestern or country/western atmosphere.

Second was the end of special occasions. How often in this casual era do we dress up and go out? Blame it on demanding jobs, two wager-earner households, nonstop soccer games or perhaps just plain laziness. When we get home we want to put on our sweats and jeans and if we have enough energy, we take this attire to the local dining spot.

In such an environment, even the best restaurants

have struggled.

Also a factor were a host of other problems, management and otherwise, that people witnessed over the years resulting in some negative experiences. Along the way, there were missed opportunities that could have allowed the landmark to keep its personality while cashing in on the trend of the moment.

Ultimately, it may have been the location that doomed the Glasgow Arms. The once-convenient crossroads became a reminder of the numbing pattern of strip development that squeezed the Glasgow Arms into an island between Routes 40 and 896.

A day later, I got a letter from a public relations agency in Philadelphia touting the qualities of a new advertising campaign for Boston Market's new Boston Carver Extreme.

The campaign, the press agent wrote in a tone that strained credibility, was something of a stroke of genius because it reaches that 25 to

34 audience by combining beatnik poetry, emaciated young people and an ESPN TV sports announcer. She went on to write that it was an honor that the Philadelphia area was selected as the kick off point for such a campaign championing the idea that it was OK to eat something filling.

After reading the letter and sending it to the round recycling bin, I truly began to miss the Glasgow Arms.

■ The author is editor of the New Castle Business Ledger. He resides in Bear.

Diversions

THEATRE • EVENTS • EXHIBITS • NIGHTLIFE • MEETINGS

FRIDAY

STORYTIME FOR TWO'S 10:30 a.m. A 20 minute program just for two-year-olds at the New Castle Public Library. For information, call 328-1995.

BABY 8:15 p.m. The Chapel Street Players will be performing the musical Baby at the Chapel Street Theater,

Newark. For information, call 368-2248. COMEDY CABARET 8:30 p.m. Comedy night at Wilmington Comedy Cabaret presents Pete Jung, David P. Hardy, and Bob Knowlton. For information, call 652-

LIVE MUSIC 9:30 p.m. The Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant, Main Street, Newark, presents R&b, jazz, and rock music by the Tony Grandberry Quartet. For information, call 266-9000.

POETRY READING 8 p.m. Danny Glover and Felix Justice will be reading the poetry of Langston Hughes and speeches of Dr. Martin Luther King at Trabant University Center, University of Delaware Newark campus. For information, call 831-2791.

BIG BAND HIT PARADE 8 p.m. The legacies of Glenn Miller, Benny Goodman, and Tommy Dorsey live on at the Grand Opera House, Wilmington. For information, call 652-5577.

SATURDAY

HOLISTIC HEALTH 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. A holistic health fair & metaphysical expo will be at the Benedictine at Innisfail Spirituality Conference Center, Hockessin. For information, call 239-5703. BABY See Feb. 21 CONCERT 7 p.m.

Multiple Dove Award winner and 1996 Female Vocalist of the Year, Cindy Morgan will be performing at Mitchell Hall on the University of Delaware's Newark campus. For ticket information, call 368-4647

IRISH NIGHT 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Blackthorn will be performing at the St. Mary Magdalene Church, Wilmington. For information, call Susan Menson at 995-

HEIDI 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. The classic story of the endearing Swiss orphan comes to life in a musical adaptation at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, Pa. For information, call 610-388-1000 ext. 451.

BIG BAND HIT PARADE 8 p.m. The legacies of Glenn Miller, Benny Goodman, and Tommy Dorsey live on at the Grand Opera House, Wilmington. For information, call 652-5577.

POET/PERFORMANCE 4 p.m. Phillip Bannowsky will present Manchu Picchu: an Anti-Travelouge at Rainbow Books and Music, Newark. For information, call 731-7339 or 368-7738.

BASEBALL DINNER/DANCE 9 p.m. to midnight. The Susquehanna Old Timers are hosting their 25th annual baseball dinner-dance at the Perryville, Md., fire hall. For information, call Brandon at 731-4114. CONCERT 7:30 p.m. The 1997 Delaware All-State Orchestra will present a concert at Concord High School, Ebright Road, North Wilmington. Tickets are \$4. BIRD CARE 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tri-State Bird Rescue and Research will conduct a volunteer training workshop at their center on Possum Hollow Road, Newark. For information, call 737-9543.

FLEA MARKET 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Ladies' Auxiliary of Aetna Hose, Hook and Ladder Company will be hosting a flea market at the Fire Hall on Ogletown Road, Newark. For information, call 836-

MISS NEWARK noon. The Miss Newark Scholarship Pageant will be held at the Chapel Street Theater, Newark. For information, call 994-4377.

MUSICAL PROGRAM 2 p.m. In celebration of Black History Month, the Historical Society of Delaware will present a musical program entitled "Songs of a Faithful People" at the Delaware History Museum, Wilmington. For information, call 655-7161.

SUNDAY

HIKING INTO ARCHEOLOGY 1 p.m. Explore the visible contours of the land which reveal ruins, patterns, textures, and other clues to historic sites. Learn how archaeologists "read" these clues to flesh out a story of the past at the House & Barn complex, at White Clay Creek State Park, Newark. For

information, call 368-6900.

ORGAN CONCERT 2:30 p.m. Newarker David Herman will be performing at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, Pa. For information, call 610-388-1000

MYTH, MAGIC AND MYSTERY 1 to 4 p.m. A storybook tea party that includes short film adaptations of classic children's stories at the Delaware Art Museum, Wilmington. For information, call 571-9590.

NATIVE ANIMALS DAY 2 p.m The Ashland Nature Center is hosting a Native Wild Animals day at the Nature Center, Hockessin. For information, call 239-

RECITAL 8 p.m. Soprano Melanie DeMent will present a recital in Loudis Recital Hall, University of Delaware Newark campus. For information, call 831-2577. HILLEL SUPER SUNDAY 11 a.m. Hillel at the

to 8:30 p.m. Help for the home

Center for Horticulture,

658-6262.

gardener lectures at the Delaware

Wilmington. For information, call

ARTHRITIS SUPPORT 1 p.m. The

Center, Newark, For information,

arthritis support group will be

meeting at the Newark Senior

NUTRITION 7 to 8:30 p.m. Learn

the five fundamental elements of

weight management at the Medical

Center of Delaware through May

15. For information, call 428-6877.
PARENTS WITHOUT PART-

NERS 8 p.m. The Parents Without

Partners Brandywine Chapter will be meeting at Aldersgate methodist

Church, Fairfax. For information,

call 762-8272 or 610-793-3361.

SECOND CHANCE 7 p.m. A sub-

stance abuse and addictions meet-ing will be held at Agape Christian

Center, Wilmington. For information, call 654-4577.

■ FEBRUARY 28

call 800-292-9599.

■ FEBRUARY 27



Heidi, the classic story of the Swiss orphan, comes to life Sat., Feb. 22, at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. at Longwood Gardens, Kennett Square, Pa. The event is part of the Fabulous Fun Days for Families. For information, call 610-388-1000, ext. 451.

FEBRUARY 22

POST-POLIO SUPPORT 11 a.m. The Post-Polio Syndrome support group will be meeting at the Easter Seal offices, New Castle. For infornation, call 454-1355.

PHOTOGRAPHY 9 a.m. to noon. an intensive crash course in photography at the 4-H club, South Chapel Street, Newark. For information, call 831-8965

PROJECT WILD 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. An environmental education program at the 4-H club, South Chapel Street, Newark. For information. call 831-8965

BOATING SAFETY 8 to 5 p.m. The Delaware Safety Council will be offering the DNREC-approved Boating Safety Course at the Newark Senior Center, Newark. For information, call 654-7786.

AG IN CLASS 8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m. Potatoes, apples and pancakes: Agriculture in the Classroom, a teacher training workshop will be held at the Delaware Center for Horticulture, Wilmington, For information, call 658-6262.

FEBRUARY 23

PARENTS WITHOUT PART-EUS 8 to 11:30 p.m. The Parents fiduoit Partners Brandywine hapter will be meeting at the information, call 792-0735.

■ FEBRUARY 24

NEWARK ROTARY CLUB 6:15 to 7:30 p.m. The Newark Rotary Club will hold the meeting at the Holiday Inn, Newark. For information, call Jim Streit at 737-0724 or

CHORUS OF THE BRANDY-WINE 7:30 p.m. The Chorus of the Brandywine will hold its meeting at the MBNA Bowman Conference Center, Newark. For information, call 369-3063.

AAUW 7:30 p.m. Allan Loudell, program manager of WILM newsradio, will be speaking to the American Association of University of Women at the First Presbyterian Church, Newark. For

information, call 292-8648. NEW DIRECTIONS 7:15 to 9:30 p.m. A support group for persons with clinical and manic depression and their families and friends at the Aldersgate United Methodist Church, Wilmington. For information, call 368-7773.

■ FEBRUARY 25

QUIT SMOKING? 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Need a little support to quit New Castle. For information, call

EXTENDING THE SEASON 7:30

smoking? A support group for smokers trying to quit will be held at the Visiting Nurses Association,

SQUARE DANCE CLUB 8 to 10:30 p.m. The 2x4 Square Dance Club will hold its plus level dance at Wilson Elementary School, Newark. For information, call 368-

University of Delaware will be hosting its second bagel brunch of the spring semester at the Abe and Pearl Kristol Hillel Student Center, Newark. For information, call 453-0479.

QUILTING BEE (SORT OF) 2 to 5 p.m. Bring old and discarded brassiere's to the Newark Arts Alliance Art House for this unique quilting bee. For information, call 266-7266.

TUESDAY

STORYTIME 10:30 a.m., 1:30 and 7 p.m. Fun-filled stories for children ages 3 to 6 at the Newark Free Library, Newark. For information,

call 731-7550. CONCERT 7:30 p.m. The Shue Strings and the Newark High School Symphonic Orchestra will present an "Orchestrated

Performance" in Loudis Recital Hall, University of Delaware Newark campus. For information, call 454-

■ FEBRUARY 26

CREATIVE MEMORIES 7 to 8:30 p.m. Learn how to turn precious memorabilia into keepsake, photosafe albums at the Newark Free Library, Newark. For information, call 731-7550.

LIVE MUSIC 9:30 p.m. The Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant, Main Street, Newark, presents folk, rock, blues, and country music by Linda McAdams. For information, call 266-9000.

MOLLY SWEENEY times vary. A production of a courageous woman's struggle for wholeness and a tentative date with a modern miracle at the Delaware Theatre Company, Wilmington, through March 15. For information, call 594-1100.

LIFE DRAWING 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Interested in practicing life drawing skills but don't usually have access to a live model? Bring a sketch pad and drop in at the Newark Arts Alliance, Newark. For info, call 266-7266.

■ FEBRUARY 27

WE ARE YOUR SISTERS 8 p.m. A stirring drama of African-American women at the University of Delaware, Mitchell Hall, Newark. For info, call UD1-HENS. WORKSHOP 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Became an effective advocate for your child at the Newark Free Library, Newark. For information, call 731-7550. OEDIPUS REX 7:30 p.m. The University of Delaware's Professional Theatre Training Program will be performing at Hartshorn Hall, Academy Street and East park Place, Newark, through March 2. For informa-

LIVE MUSIC 9:30 p.m. The Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant, Main Street, Newark, presents the Second Chance Blues Band. For information, call 266-9000.

■ FEBRUARY 28

tion, call 831-2204.

MOON BOUNCE AND BUBBLE TABLE 7:30 p.m. Work off the winter blues at the Newark Free Library. Newark. For information, call 731-4019.

BABY 8:15 p.m. The Chapel Street Players will be performing the musical Baby at the Chapel Street Theater. Newark. For information, call 368-2248. NHS ORCHESTRA 2 p.m. The Newark High School

Symphonic Orchestra will perform at the Eastern Division Convention of the Music Educators Nation Conference in the new Convention Center in Baltimore, Md. For information, call 454-2151.

COMEDY CABARET 8:30 p.m. Comedy night at Wilmington Comedy Cabaret presents Big Daddy Graham and Bob Knowlton. For information, call 652-

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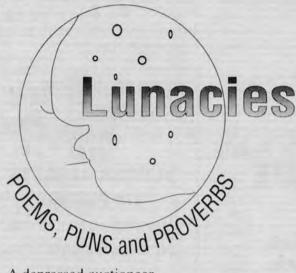
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By James C. McLaren

A depressed auctioneer Found his life mostly drear. He'd heard dull biddings through noon, night and dawn. To find things with briskness and spice He ventured way out on thin ice. Once again, he was "going, going, gone!!!"

A surprised Centipede, Never noted for speed, Had forever been stilled at a stall. He won hundred-foot race In the tiniest space Without ever moving at all.

How did the dry cleaning firm avoid legal action? It delayed pressing a suit.

What is the most sadistic mountain range? The Poconos.

A parental growl may not always suffice to quell a puppy's bark.

Bad dreams can be less stressful and brusque than one's awakening in the morn.

■ Author's note: Lunacies like these have been inflicted on my poor wife, children and colleagues for years. They have been greeted by both groans and guffaws - the latter, perhaps, to pacify the punster and offset a further barrage. To its victims, punning can be seen as a disease, since any laughter, however sparce, can be contagious. I hope Newark Post readersswill tackle this word-play nonsense with zest, thereby assuring them Eternal Joy and a letter from Ed McMahon.



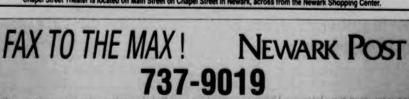
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him with their problems and he knows about 90 percent of municipal workers by name - most of whom address him as Carl rather than Mr. Luft. "I enjoy shooting the breeze with personnel," said Luft.

Among his successes on the job has been a 1990 bond referendum that overwhelmingly approved financing for a new water treatment plant, the police/municipal facility on Elkton Road, and 77 acres of new city parkland.

"Within three years of that referendum, we had accomplished all three goals," said Luft. "That's pretty good for the way government usually moves.'

A recession in the early 1990s almost derailed the promising beginning. "But I tend to react pretty quickly to things like that," Luft said. "I immediately instituted cost-saving measures which coincidentally gave us a chance to revamp a lot of things."

Together with budget cuts, the city restructured department functions and streamlined operations, which allowed them to keep up services and

Renaissance was not even on the horizon when Luft first arrived. "The downtown was stagnant," he recalled. "There were a lot of closed-down businesses."

Luft said a lot of the credit for the change goes to the businesses themselves and local residents. "Volunteers of all types are really important to this city," he said. "A very active group has shown outsiders what we can do.'

But to be fair, added Luft, the city administration has done a lot to fuel growth in Newark. Recent changes include a new city computer system, zoning changes like the telecommunications regulations aimed at making Newark more business-friendly, and continuing support for Main Street.

Luft pointed out that present-day Newark is maturing but not necessarily still growing. "As I said in this year's budget message, the city is now in a process of maturity, redevelopment, focus - whatever you choose to call it," said Luft. "I don't see too much more expansion of the town itself but rather in the services provid-

Despite his constant focus on service, Luft does not feel claustrophobic

The much-touted Main Street both living and working in a small community. "I don't mind," he said. 'When I take a walk down Main Street, I notice more things like trash on the ground - I'm always working, making notes of things to do."

Luft points to previous efforts that paid off in the same way. "When I was in the city park in Canandaigua with my kids, I noticed that it was getting run down - a lot of beer bottles were laying around," said Luft. "I worked on getting an alcohol ban in the park and it's still banned even though I've been gone for 10 years. I'm proud of that.'

Problem areas in Newark are still to be found. "The DelChapel (on South Chapel Street) and NVF (off Paper Mill Road) properties are both problems," said Luft. "NVF has a lot of potential and a beautiful view - I don't know, someone could put condos there, maybe.'

Luft does not see his job as coming up with the ideas, however. His job is to manage it and make it work. "If I had all the choices in the world, I think I'd like to see a performing arts center here, like a small Kennedy Center," Luft mused. "It will never happen - but I think I would be really good at managing it."

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food at one time. "My father had all kinds of antiques there," Schlavos recalled. "There were suits of armor everywhere, there was a treasure chest with a miniature cannon on it, antique guns and crossbows on the walls and even a dagger that belonged to Philip the Second of Spain."

Around the rooms which were all paneled in solid hardwoods stood cases with rare china and glassware collected by Schlavos father. "People came from everywhere to see the stuff," said Schlavos. "The paneling alone would cost \$500,000 today."

Constantine Schlavos sought and received permission from the Lord Provost to use the coat of arms of the Seat of Glasgow, Scotland, as part of the business. "He had an exact duplicate made to hang in the restaurant and that's where the name of the restaurant came from," said Schlavos.

His father retired in the 1970s but he still came to the restaurant every day until his death in 1985. "He just couldn't let go," said Schlavos.

Constantine Schlavos' children and grandchildren were all involved in the restaurant as waitresses and chefs at some point over the years. "The only one still in the restaurant business is my oldest son who is executive chef at Michael's Restaurant on Churchman's Road," said Schlavos.

Changing times and the cost of food eventually made the Glasgow Arms too expensive a proposition. "You couldn't get the same food quality anymore even if people would pay for it," said Schlavos.
"The enormous Maine lobsters we used to serve regularly would cost \$50 to \$60 now-and it all happened in a few short years."

In 1989, Schlavos sold the restaurant to John Koutoufaris and its golden years were over. It became the Glasgow Meetinghouse and then a pancake house until closing suddenly in January 1995.

"I put my life there but I don't

miss it," said Schlavos, who now pursues his former avocation of portrait artist fulltime. "I told someone once that if they gave me \$3 million to buy it back but I had to run it, I wouldn't take it. Too much red tape now."

A friend called to sympathize when the demolition began. "I told him I didn't really mind,' said Schlavos. "It was sadder the way it was just sitting there empty like that"



'Upgraded' Arby's will open in April

A new and upgraded version of an Arby's Restaurant will open in the center of Glasgow by April, according to company officials.

"This will be a brand new look for Arby's," said Christy Gilligan, vice-president of development. "It's a full-blown version of the one that was recently renovated at Price's Corners."

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St. Mark's, Hodgson claim mat titles

Nationally ranked Spartans dominate CR, Glasgow

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

DOVER - The St. Mark's High wrestling team's statement was loud and clear Wednesday night.

The Spartans dominated Glasgow (56-6) in the semifinals and whipped previously undefeated Caesar Rodney 43-12 in the finals to capture the Delaware High School Dual Meet Championship at Delaware State University.

The victories capped a wonderful dual-meet season for St. Mark's (14-2) which saw its only two defeats come at the hands of Blair (N.J.) Academy - the nation's topranked team - and Nazareth (Pa.) -

ranked fourth in the country at the time, The Spartans, not only are the number one team in Delaware, but the ninth ranked team in the country - the highest any Delaware team has ever been ranked.

"I feel people get what they deserve," said senior captain and the state's top-ranked 135 pounder Jason Bastianelli, who earned a technical fall in the championship match. "This team, with as hard as it's worked, definitely got what it deserved."

With St. Mark's leading 12-9 on the strength of pins by L.A. Collier (103) and Bruce Kelly (119) after five bouts, Bastianelli recorded his tech fall to stretch the

"This is a real good dual meet team," Bastianelli said. "We have seven guys who are ranked number one in their weight class. We have the big dogs and they came through

The lead was cut to 17-12 when top-ranked Aaron Harris, of CR, nipped Mike Collins 14-13 in a thrilling see-saw bout.

That, however, was the last victory the Riders would get.

David Williams, with an escape in the 145 pound bout's waning seconds, earned an 8-7 decision to give the Spartans a 20-12 lead. Topranked Kyle Talley followed with a technical fall at 152 and Justin

See SPARTANS, 23 ▶

Silver Eagles finally top Smyrna

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

DOVER - It's been a long and steady journey, but the Hodgson Vo-Tech wrestling team finally destination reached its Wednesday night.

After several years of coming close, the Silver Eagles finally knocked off Smyrna 41-20 and captured the Delaware High School Division II Dual Meet Championship.

The win also completed an undefeated season for Hodgson, which not only included the win

over Smyrna, but also wins over perennial Division I powers William Penn and Salesianum.

"There's been a lot of guys who were part of this program who are part of this championship," said Hodgson coach Jerry Lamey. "We're like a family. This is our first championship and it feels good. But this is definitely a family championship."

Trailing 22-20, Anthony Adams, bumped up a weight, tilted the match Hodgson's way with a 12-3 major decision over Smyrna's Billy Pressley in the

See HODGSON, 23 ▶

Gordon returns to knock off Hens

By MARTY VALANIA

For most of last Thursday night's basketball game between Delaware and Maine it looked as if John Gordon's return to his home state would be uneventful. Then came the game's final two minutes.

The former St. Mark's High star, held to just three points with less than three minutes remaining, scored the Black Bears' last nine points to lift Maine to a 56-52 victory over Delaware.

Gordon's surge began with a three-point shot from the right wing that gave Maine a 50-48 lead with 2:53 to play in the game.

His heroics continued with another three-point shot - this one in the face of Blue Hen guard Tyrone Perry, who was in perfect defensive position - to break a 50-50 tie with just 53 seconds remain-

"I didn't think he'd shoot there," Perry said. "I was right on him. But he's a prime-time player and he showed up at the end of the game."

Gordon, a sophomore, then connected on three-of-four free throws in the final 18 seconds to seal the victory.

"People just guard him so tight," said Maine coach John Giannini, of Gordon's slow start. "They deny him the ball, they put two or three people on him. They'll even leave other guys open just to guard John.

We don't have enough firepower NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER surrounding him to get him the ball all the time.

> "But to his credit, he'll do whatever he has to do for us to win. What a tremendous player it takes to do that."

> Maine's victory, and more importantly Gordon's performance, was a source of great joy for the more than 400 family, friends and fans in the Gordon contingent at the Carpenter Center.

> "I just couldn't get it to fall in the first half," said Gordon, who is 6-1 in the Carpenter Center dating back to the high school state championship game his senior year at St. Mark's. "But in the second half, at the end, I don't know what it is, but I can just knock them down."

> Gordon is averaging 14 points per game this season and has scored 20 or more on five occasions this season. Also, the 5-foot, 10-inch guard is leading the America East conference in free throw percentage (68-of-80 for 85 percent average) and is 19th among the nation's free throw percentage leaders.

> "I thought we did a good job on [Gordon] most of the game," said Delaware coach Mike Brey. "Then, he hit the big shots. He's a great

If you're a St. Mark's or John Gordon fan and missed these latest heroics, Gordon and Maine will return to Newark for the America East conference tournament Feb. 28



NEWARK POST STAFF PHOTO BY KELLY BENNETT

Former St. Mark's star John Gordon helped Maine top Delaware.

Blue Hens regroup, roll past New Hampshire

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

The University of Delaware basketball team hopes its rout of New Hampshire Saturday signaled a turnaround in a season that is rapidly approaching its climax.

The Blue Hens, after dropping three straight America East games to fall into fifth place in the standings, rebounded to rip the Wildcats 81-54 in one of their best all-around efforts of the season. Delaware has just one game remaining (Saturday

at Towson State) before the conference tournament begins Feb. 28 at the Carpenter Center. The winner of the tournament earns an automatic berth into the NCAA Tournament.

The game, the final regular season home game, also was a history making one for senior forward Greg Smith who, with his game-high 29 points, eclipsed Ken Luck's school all-time scoring mark of 1,613 points.

"There's no question that the team rallied around him, not only Greg but all the seniors," said Delaware coach Mike Brey. "We played a good all-around game.

"We were efficient offensively and got back to playing good defense."

Delaware, which entered the game connecting on just 43 percent of its field goal attempts from the field, shot a sizzling 57 percent against the The game was broken open as the Hens, lead-

ing 13-11, outscored New Hampshire 28-9 in a nine-minute span toward the end of the first half.

The win improved Delaware's conference record to 8-9. The Hens are in fifth place in the

St. Mark's edges Sallies in overtime

By ERIC FINE

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

MILLTOWN - St. Mark's 40-38 overtime win over Salesianum showed exactly why rivalries are

The intensity and sheer hustle on display at the Spartans' gym last Friday made scoring an especially difficult prospect. Passing and dribbling — bread-and-butter skills for two teams well accustomed to the half-court game - were no walk in the park, either. Much of the game was a stalemate.

"This is their Holy War," St. Mark's coach Lee Sibley said.

There were turnovers galore, and too many jumpshots clanged into the night. But several things saved St. Mark's:

o Defense.

o The Sals' inability to match up with 6-foot-6 Steve McManus.

o And Brian Borkowski's clutch play in the second half.

Borkowski failed to score in the game's first 16 minutes and had a tough time handling the ball against Sallies' pressure. But the junior point guard came back to score nine second-half points, including two free throws with 3.7 seconds left in the overtime period that won the game.

"I was just thinking I wasn't going to miss," he said.

The team cleared out the left side, and he was fouled while going up for a jumper from about 10 feet. It was his confidence, he said, that pulled him through.

"I do have a lot of confidence. It doesn't matter if I'm 0-for-5." Borkowski said.

He attributed his team's difficult first half, in which it trailed 28-21, partly on the thorough scouting job of Salesianum's coaching staff. But scouting reports take a back seat to the majesty of a rivalry.

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ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

ANTHONY ADAMS - HODGSON

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

THAT A DIFFERENCE a year makes for the Hodgson Vo-Tech wrestling team and Anthony Adams.

If there was any bout that summed up Hodgson's championship wrestling season, it was the 152-pound bout of this year's Division II state championship match.

It was really a microcosm of the Silver Eagles

In last year's state championship match between Hodgson and Smyrna, one of the pivotal bouts was between Hodgson's Anthony Adams and Smyrna's Billy Pressley.

With the bout knotted 5-5, Pressley caught Adams and pinned him. Smyrna picked up six big points, a lot of momentum and went on to win the

A year later, with the Silver Eagles trailing 22-20 entering the 152-pound bout, there was Adams getting ready to face Pressley again.

"I wanted to wrestle him," Adams said. "I knew all week that it could come down to this and I was ready."

This time Adams, who moved up a weight class from 145 to 152 to face Pressley, didn't take any chances and dominated the entire bout. He won 12-3 and Hodgson not only took a lead it would never relinquish, it didn't lose another bout in the match.

"It feels so good," said an excited Adams after the match. "This was the time for me to redeem myself. All that hard work in the wrestling room paid off.

"We knew Smyrna was real good. But we also new we could beat them."

Local wrestlers ranked highly

Many local wrestlers are ranked Hughes (Lake Forest),. among the state's top six according to the Delaware Wrestling Alliance.

Here are the rankings heading into this weekend's conference tournaments.

103: 1- L. A. Collier (St. Mark's); 2- Aaron Jester Brian Conway (Glasgow). (Hodgson); 3- Greg Quailes (William Penn); 4- Jamie Skinner (Howard); 5- Ralph Degliobizzi (Salesianum); 6- John Shelor (Caesar Rodney).

112: 1- Harry Blendt (Smyrna); 2- Eric Beaman (Cape Henlopen); 3- James Taylor (Hodgson); 4- Jon Benson (William Penn); 5- Jamin Williams (Milford); 6- Son Le (Caesar Rodney).

119: 1- Bruce Kelly (St. Mark's); 2- Nick Sullivan (William Penn); 3- Justin Mills (Christiana); 4 - Travis Johnson (Smyrna) 5-Brian May (Hodgson); 6- Jason Street Tower Hill.

125: 1- Tommy Davis (Salesianum); 2- Ed Papiro (Hodgson); 3- Kent Robinson (Smyrna); 4- Eric Huffstutler (Lake Forest) 5- Dan Stogner (Woodbridge); 6- Jim DeVary (Caesar Rodney).

130: 1- Pete Laucirica (Hodgson); 2- Mike Macey (Salesianum); 3- Wade Cecil (Laurel); 4- Brian Vettori (Glasgow) 5 - Joe Andreoli (St. Mark's), 6 - Jesse Dixon (Dover).

135: 1- Jason Bastianelli (St. Mark's); 2- Seth Kopp (Dover), Justin Bellman (Newark); 3- Doug Reynolds (Caesar Rodney); 4- John Lesley (Smyrna) 5- Dino Rodriguez (Sussex Central); 6- Jason Foster (Hodgson).

140: 1- Aaron Harris (Caesar Frankie (Smyrna); 2- Jason Moore (Sussex Central); 3- Mike Collins (St. Mark's); 4- Chris McArthur (Mt. Pleasant); 5- James Romesburg (Newark) 6- Eric Goldsborough (Wm. Penn).

145: 1- Jesse Savage (Sussex Central); 2- David Williams (St. Mark's); 3- Anthony Adams (Hodgson); 4 - Alfred Fowler (William Penn), 5- Shawn Watkins (Indian River), 6- Mike Statts, (Concord).

152: 1- Kyle Talley (St. Mark's); 2- Phil Carlino (Milford); 3- Jonah Pratt (Caesar Rodney); 4- Geoff McCloskey (St. Elizabeth), 5- Josh stoygq Odepdaridge); 6- Malcom

160: 1- Jesse Glanden (Caesar Rodney); 2- Justin Jackson (St. Mark's); 3- Jamie Adams (Sussex Central); 4– Jason Anker (Hodgson) Brandon Bailey (Salesianum); 5-Tony Salvatore (Mt. Pleasant), 6-

171: 1- Jordan Elliott (William Penn); 2- Chuck Hackett (Glasgow); 3- Mike Kissinger (St. Mark's); 4- Ryrico Nocks (Sussex Central); 5- Millard Dixon (Milford); 6- Joe Crumlish (St.

Elizabeth).

189: 1- Pete Santoro (St. Mark's); 2- Gary Curry (Milford); 3- Joe Sheehan (Salesianum); 4-Jason Higgsin (Hodgson); 5- Mike Viera (Smyrna), 6- Gabe Hart

275: 1- John Testa (St. Mark's); 2- Marcelle Roberson (Caesar Rodney); 3- Joe D'Amico (Salesianum); 4- Pat Reed (Indian River); 5- Josh Gregory (Dickinson); 6- Matt Graviet (Cape Henlopen).

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Glasgow girls keep winning

By MARTY VALANIA

NEWARK POST STAFF WRITER

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Most high school basketball coaches strive to have their teams playing their best heading into the state tournament.

That's normally easier said than done. However, the Glasgow High girls team may be actually accomplishing just that.

The Dragons pummeled Alexis I. Dupont 51-22 Friday, marking the second time in a week that they routed a team that they beat by just one point earlier in the season.

"I think we've begun to see the light," said Glasgow coach Larry Walker, who saw his team improve its record to 13-6 overall and 9-4 in the Blue Hen Conference's Flight A. "We're starting to do a lot of the little things right and it's showing up

in our games."

Glasgow, after leading 9-3 after the first quarter, scored 22 consecutive points on its way to a commanding 31-7 halftime lead.

"I was actually speechless at halftime," Walker said. "I always wondered what I'd say if we played a perfect game and now I found out. That first half was just about per-

Walker feels one of the keys to his team's improvement comes from better offensive execution. Early in the season, the Dragons had a tough time scoring at all and routinely shot very low percentages in

"We're moving the ball really well now," he said. "We're getting open shots and we're getting layups. Everything is starting to click on

"We're also playing good

defense and doing a good job of

boxing out." Tia Ennis led the Dragons with 17 points while Chelesha Harding

added 15. "Tia played a very good game," Walker said. "She was hitting her outside shot and looked very good. Chelesha also played another strong

Glasgow (after games with Newark and Howard this week) has just one game remaining before the state tournament.

"Hopefully, we're peaking for the state tournament," Walker said. "I'm very pleased with the way we are playing right now. We have 11 good players on this team and everyone is contributing.

"This is the first time we've ever had this many quality players on the same team. They're all playing a role and doing a good job.'

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Bridgewater 4, Mite Blue 1 -

Goals: J. Holston; Assists: B. Hampton, K. Morris.

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Annual Blue-Gold game will have definite local flavor

This year's Blue-Gold All-Star football game will definitely have a local flavor.

Newark High coach Butch Simpson will be the head coach of the Gold team. His staff will also have definite Newark connections with the Yellowjackets' defensive coordinator Mike Brogan and former Newark High and University of Delaware star Lenny Richardson also being on the staff. The 42 annual game will be played June 28 at Delaware Stadium.

"Really, it's an honor to be a part of this game," Simpson said. "Although, I feel a little guilty coming in at the end like this to coach and getting the recognition when there are people that work behind the scenes all year around to put on this type of game.

"I'm really in awe of people like that, that have that kind of commit-

There will also be a host of local players participating in the game with Newark, which finished 10-2 and advanced to the state championship game, leading the way with four players on the Gold squad. Newark's Barry Zehnder, Duevorn Harris, Jeff Knight, Kewann Young will join Christiana's Andrew Allen and Jamin Burchfield and Glasgow's John Babb on the team. Harris was the state's Lineman of

The state's Offensive Player of the Year, Mike Watkins, will represent St. Mark's in the game, as will Mike Maguire.

Caravel's Matt Rice was picked to be a member of the Blue team, which will be coached by Brandywine's Larry Wheeler. Hodgson's Jabarr Truitt is also a member of the Blue team.

Another local connection comes from this year's All-Star game chairperson, Peggy Sullivan, who

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lives in Newark.

Sullivan, who is the first chairperson in many years to get that honor twice, was also the chair in 1991. That was the first year the game was played under the lights.

"It's a real honor to get to do the game again," said Sullivan. "And we have some great coaches. And it's great that Butch Simpson gets to do the game again since he really has a great understanding of what the game is all about."

The game marks the second head coaching stints for both Simpson and Wheeler, who opposed each other in the 1985 game.

Other local participants in the game include: (from Christiana) Michael Bolin - Ambassador, Jennifer Prinski - cheerleader; (from Glasgow) Kina Thornton Ambassador, Mary Rifenburg -Band, Gabrielle Dockery - cheerleader; (from Newark) Justin Bellman - Ambassador, Tanasha Sylvester - Ambassador, Kenneth D. Brown, III - band, Heather Marie Price - band, Amanda Castelli cheerleader; (from St. Mark's) Lauren Hazewski - Ambassador, Janet Jurjans - Ambassador, Leslie McGregor - band, Ann Roberts band, Gena Camoirano - cheerleader; (from Caravel) Kati Salony -Ambassador, Megan Biddle Ambassador and (from Hodgson) Natalee Schueler - cheerleader.

Babb, Harris college bound

Newark's Harris signed a letter of intent to play at Colgate next season.

The Red Raiders play in the Patriot League at the I-AA level. The school is located in Hamilton, By MARTY VALANIA

The 6-1, 250 pounder was a firstteam all-state performer on offense and defense this past season. He also represented Delaware last summer at Boys State in Washington,

"When you talk about a true student-athlete, you're talking about Duevorn," Simpson said, "I know he feels good about the direction Colgate is looking to take its program and the commitment the school has for football."

Glasgow's Babb, a 6-4, 240 pounder, will join Harris in the Patriot League next fall, signing to attend Lehigh University.

The second-team all-state selection, who chose Lehigh over Lafayette, expects to play tackle for the Mountain Hawks.

Newark duo turn Hokie

Former Newark High stars Butch Patrick and Butter Pressey, after spending one year at Hargraves Military Academy - a prep school in Virginia - signed letters of intent to play at Big East powerhouse Virginia Tech next fall.

"It's one of the greatest accomplishments I've experienced in all my years at Newark," said Simpson, who had both Pressey and Patrick in the same backfield on the 1995 team that advanced to the state championship game. "Butch was determined to play I-A football and did what he had to do to do it.

"Butter spent the better part of the last two years doing what he had to do to qualify academically for Division I. It's a testament to both of them."

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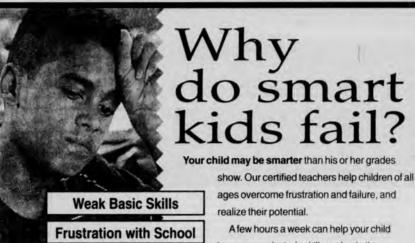
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SPRING SPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Newark American signups

The Newark American Little League will be registering 8-18 year old youths on Sat., Feb. 22 from noon to 2 p.m. Registration will be at the VFW hall, which is located off Elkton Rd. behind City Hall. For more information, call 368-8026.

Canal LL signups

Canal Little League will hold late signups Feb. 22 from 9 a.m. to noon at the major baseball clubhouse next to Peoples Plaza. For more information call Mike Poore, 834-0160.

City of Newark baseball signups

The City of Newark will conduct youth baseball leagues for boys and girls ages 6-12. There will also be a girls' softball league for girls ages 10-18.

There are no tryouts and cuts. Registration fees are \$29 for Newark residents and \$34 for non-residents. Call 366-7074/7060 for more information.

City offers softball/baseball clinic

The city of Newark will conduct a baseball/softball workshop for boys and girls ages 6-7 from 9-10 a.m. March 15 & 29 and 8-10 year-olds from 10:15 a.m. to 11: 15 a.m. on the same days. Fundamentals will be stressed. For more information, call 366-

Newark Babe Ruth softball signups

Newark Babe Ruth is expanding its league to include girls softball. There will be a 13-15 year-old division and a 16-18 year-old division. Signups will be held at Wilmington Sports Feb. 22 from 10 a.m.

City has men's softball team signups

The City of Newark is now accepting new teams for its men's softball leagues. Openings exist in both the Blue (Mon./Wed.) and Gold (Tues./Thurs.) leagues. A 36-game schedule will be played on Newark fields. Entry fee is \$420. For more information, call 366-7074/7060.

Roller and street hockey clinic at YMCA

The Western YMCA on Kirkwood Highway will be holding roller and street hockey clinic featuring the Philadelphia Flyers Director of Fan Development, Greg Scott. The clinic will March 8 for ages 7-9 and 10-16 for roller hockey and 10-16 for street hockey.

For more information, call 453-1482.

Soccer official clinic

There will be an entry level soccer referee clinic at Goldy Beacom College student center Feb 22-23. The clinic will run from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Feb. 22 and 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Feb. 23. The fee

There will also be a recertification clinic March 1 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Easter Seals volleyball tourney

Registrations are still being accepted for the Easter Seals/Canada Dry Volleyball Challenge March 8-9 at the University of Delaware. Registration deadline is Feb. 28. For more information call 324-4444.

Kirkwood Soccer Club spring program

Registration for the KSC instructional league spring program will close Feb. 28. Registration will be held Feb. 22 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the club's complex. Children ages 5-17 are eligible. For more information, call 328-9228 or 996-5325.

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Hens get ready for tournament

► HENS, from 22

league's standings just a half game behind Hofstra. Maine is a half game back in sixth but tied in the loss column with nine.

There is a big difference between finishing the regular season in fourth or fifth position, or sixth. The fourth and fifth place teams will play each other in a quarterfinal game while the sixth place team will face Hartford, which was 11-5 entering the week. The Hawks also own two very convincing wins (92-83 and 91-62) over the Blue Hens.

Boston University entered the week in first place with a 15-1 record while four-time defending champion Drexel was second with a 14-2 mark.

The euphoria of the New Hampshire win was short-lived, however, as the Hens dropped a 77-65 decision to St. Joseph's Tuesday night. The Hawks are one of the Atlantic 10's top teams and are ranked 22 in the country in this week's RPI rankings.

"We did some nice things in spurts, played well in spurts," said Brey. "But to beat a Top 25 team in their place, you have to play for 40 minutes.

"Overall it was one to come up play and have some fun. Now we have to go back and get ready for conference play.

"If we beat Towson, we're no lower than sixth. If we don't, we could still finish seventh."

Tourney tickets on sale

Tickets for the America East men's basketball tournament to be held Feb. 28 through March 2 at the Carpenter Center are now on sale. University of Delaware forward Peca Arsic battles for rebound in a game against Maine.

The tournament will begin Friday, Feb. 28 with first round games at 7 and 9 p.m. The four quarterfinal games are scheduled for Saturday, March 1 at noon, 2, 7 and 9 p.m. with the semifinals slated for Sunday, March 2 at 1 and 3

p.m.

University of Delaware season ticket holders may purchase their tickets in person at the Delaware Field House or by calling 831-2257. Others may purchase tickets by calling Ticketmaster at 984-2000.

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St. Mark's nips Sals

► HOOPS, from 18

"The intensity level is raised, and both teams will do anything to win," he said. "They knew exactly what we were doing. They overplayed our whole offense."

"Give him [Borkowski] credit," Sibley added. "I was ripping him the whole game."

The coach also praised McManus, who scored a game-high 16 points and carried the offense in the first half, and defensive stoppers Joey Indica and Mike Wright.

"It just feels good," said Indica, a senior. "This my last year, so I'm not going to get a chance to play them again. So it feels even better."

The Spartans trailed by as much as 10 points during a forgettable first half. But two baskets by McManus — one on a breakaway dunk that woke up the crowd — and Indica's jumper pulled the home team to within 24-21.

But the Sals' scored four unanswered points to close out the first half, then added another at the start of the second half to open a 30-21 lead. But the Spartans scored the next 10 points behind McManus' six points and single baskets by Iudica and Borkowski to take a 31-30 lead — their first of the game.

And the basket was one to behold, with Iudica diving out of bounds to save a loose ball near midcourt, Wright retrieving it, then somehow bouncing a perfect pass with his back to the basket to Borkowski. The Harlem Globetrotters couldn't have pulled that off any better.

The score seesawed the rest of the way. Salesianum scored to go up 32-31, but Borkowski's 3-pointer put St. Mark's back up 34-32. The Sals' Gary Nolan tied the game at 34-34, and the half ended with Matt Willard's desperation heave and McManus' tip being well off

The overtime started with Borkowski and Nolan trading baskets.

Iudica put St. Mark's back on top 38-36, but Sallies again tied the score. The Spartans called a timeout with 19 seconds left, then put the ball in Borkowski's hands. The rest is history.

Spartans overpower everyone on way to title

➤ SPARTANS, from 18

Jackson toppled number one ranked Jesse Glanden 7-2 at 160. Mike Kissinger got a forfeit at 171 and Pete Santoro recorded a pin at

In a battle of two of the state's top heavyweights, the Spartans' John Testa controlled Marcelle Robinson 5-2 to provide the final margin of victory.

"The kids really wrestled well," said St. Mark's coach Steve Bastianelli. "This team takes a lot of pride in each other and really feel for each other. This was a true team and they all did a great job."

Hodgson tops Smyrna, completes climb to top ► HODGSON, from 18

152 pound bout.

The win avenged Adams' loss to Pressley in a bout that played a pivotal part in last year's championship match.

"That was a big match for us," Lamey said. "Last year, Anthony got pinned by Pressley and this year we get a major from him. That was just huge."

The Silver Eagles, with all the momentum, went on to capture the last four bouts as well as Jason Anker (9-0), Tom Donahue (pin in 4:22), Jason Higgins (7-3) and Jeff Guessford (pin in 3:25) all won.

Aaron Jester, Brian May (119) and Ed Papiro recorded a 10-4 win at 125. Pete Laucirica then got a big pin at 130.

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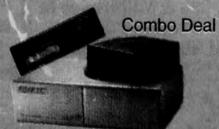
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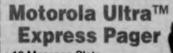
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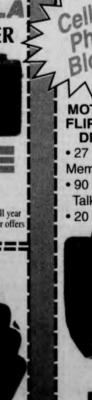
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Angelica Thompson, infant

Newark resident Angelica Destiny Thompson died Saturday, Feb. 1, 1997, of sudden infant death syndrome in Christiana Hospital.

Miss Thompson, 2-months-old, is survived by her parents, Cindy and Dante Thompson of Newark; maternal grandmother, Janice Culler of New Castle; paternal grandparents, Lester and Gloria Thompson of Washington D.C.; and maternal great-grandmother, Catherine Mercaldo of Virginia.

Both service and burial were private.

The family suggests contributions to the SIDS Alliance, Columbia, Md. 21044.

Leona J. Pouser, store owner

Newark resident Leona J. Pouser died Monday, Feb. 3, 1997, of congestive heart failure in Newark Manor Nursing Home.

Mrs. Pouser, 76, and her husband, Joseph Sr., operated Pouser's Rod & Reel from their home for about 40 years until his death in 1990. They repaired fishing rods and reels and made fishing lures.

She is survived by her son, Joseph Jr. of Wilmington; sister, Marie Amoroso of New Castle; five grandchildren and 10 great-grandchil-

A service was held Feb. 7 at John F. Yasik Funeral Home. Burial was in Silverbrook Cemetery.

John Stoops, business owner

Former Newark resident John L. Stoops died Monday, Jan. 20, 1997, of cancer in Columbia JFK Hospital, Lake Worth, Fla.

Mr. Stoops, 49, moved to Lake Worth, Fla. in 1987, where he owned Builder Services Pest Control.

He is survived by his wife of 22 years Carolyn Stoops; daughters, Vicky Smith of Georgia and Tanya Stoops of South Carolina; son, Bill Moody of Florida; father and stepmother, Coleman and Sonja Stoops Sr. of Townsend; brothers, Coleman Jr. of Newark, Rick of New Castle, and Bruce of San Diego, Calif; sisters, Karen McCall of Middletown, Maureen Brown of Lancaster, Pa., and Denise Woolsey and

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Ida Yates, buyer for LeRoy's Style Shop

Newark resident Ida Mae Yates died Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1997, at home.

Mrs. Yates, 84, retired in 1972 from LeRoy's Style Shop, Wilmington. She was a buyer for 17 years. Her husband, William F., died in 1994.

She is survived by her daughters, Barbara Fisher of Elkton, Md., and Sandra L. Day, with whom she lived; sisters, Mary Barnes of New Castle, and Bess Wilson of Wilmington; seven grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, and a great-greatgranddaughter.

A service was held Feb. 7 at McCrery Memorial Chapel, Marshallton. Burial was

The family suggests contributions to Compassionate Care Hospice of Delaware, Newark 19702.

Frederick B. West, retired from Chrysler

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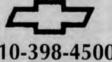
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Hochheimer Charlene Annette Gilchrist

Julia Rose Gilchrist (daughter) PETITIONER(S)

TO Paul Clark Charlene Annette Clark

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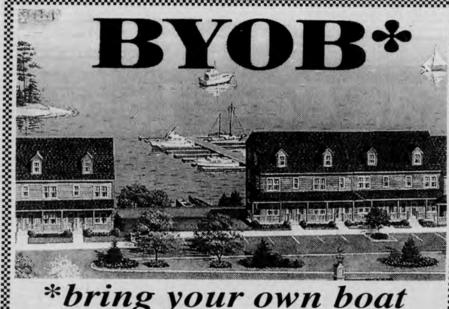
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COLONIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION WEEK **MARCH 3-7, 1997**

March 3-7, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. March 5, 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Any Colonial School

Carrie Downie, Castle Hills, Commodore, Delaware City, Pleasantville, Wilmington Manor, M.L. King, Jr.

Children whose parents live in the Colonial School District and who will be five years old on or before August 31, 1997, should be registered for kindergarten during the week of March 3 to 7. Parents/guardians should bring the child's birth certificate, Immunization records, and proof of their residence.

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IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME OF Andrea Nickerson

PETITIONER(S)

Andrea Anne Green NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Andrea Ann Nickerson intends to present a Petition to the Court of Common Pleas for the State of Delaware in and for New Castle County, to change his/her name to Andrea Anne Green Andrea A. Nickerson

Petitioner(s) DATED: 2/14/97 np 2/21,2/28,3/7

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CITY OF NEWARK DELAWARE

COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
February 24, 1997 - 7:30 p.m.
1. SILENT MEDITATION & PLEDGE OF AL-2. CITY SECRETARY'S MINUTES FOR COUN-

CIL APPROVAL:

A. Regular Council Meeting of February 10,

*3. ITEMS NOT ON PUBLISHED AGENDA: A. Public (5 minutes per speaker)

B. Council Members ITEMS NOT FINISHED AT PREVIOUS

None
5. RECOMMENDATIONS ON CONTRACTS & BIDS: A. Contract 96-25 - Towing Services

B. Authorization to Waive Bidding Procedures to Purchase Four Copiers
*6 ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING &

PUBLIC HEARING: *7. PLANNING COMMISSION/DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS:

A. Request for a Minor Subdivision for Property Located at 1206 Cooch's Bridge Road to Add a Single-Family Parcel to the Property Adjacent to South College Avenue (Resolution Presented)

8. ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING:
A. Bill 97-5 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 2, Administration, By Prohibiting the Possession of Certain Weapons in All City Parks (2nd Read.

B. Bill 97-6 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 20, MV&T, By Bringing the Code Into Conformity with Present Street Configurations as They Relate to No Left-Turn Restrictions (2nd Read. 3/10/97)

C. Bill 97-8 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 17, Housing & Property Maintenance, By Providing for a Mandatory Minimum fine for Certain Rental Violations (2nd Read. 3/10/97)

D. Bill 97-10 - An Ordinance Amending Ch. 20 MV&T, By Designating a Portion of Manns Avenue an IPR District (2nd Read. 3/10/97)
9. ITEMS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLISHED

AGENDA: A. COUNCIL MEMBERS:

B. COMMITTEES, BOARDS & COMMIS-Planning Commission Minutes for

February 4, 1997 C. OTHERS: None 10. SPECIAL DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS: A. Special Reports from Manager & Staff:

1. Approval of Wholesale Water Purchase Agreement with United Water Delaware B. Alderman's Report & Magistrate's Report *OPEN FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

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