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Tom Kelly named to NAIA All-American second team

College of St. Thomas senior Tom Kelly, 1766 Stanford Ave., added to his list of post football season honors last week, as he was named to the NAIA All-American second team.

Kelly, an offensive guard, is a two-time All-Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference and NAIA All-District 13 selection.

He was recently named St. Thomas' Most Valuable Player and Outstanding Offensive Player for the past season.

A Dean's List psychology student, Kelly served as a



Tom Kelly

co-captain of this fall's CST football team. He is a graduate of Cretin High School.

Low-cost health services available to area residents

The St. Paul Division of Public Health, in cooperation with other community health agencies, sponsors regularly scheduled free or low-cost early periodic screenings, senior citizens clinics, and supplemental food programs for women and children at five area locations.

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Senior citizen clinics on the first Thursday of the month from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Family Tree, 1599 Selby

Early periodic screenings on the third Tuesday of the month from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.

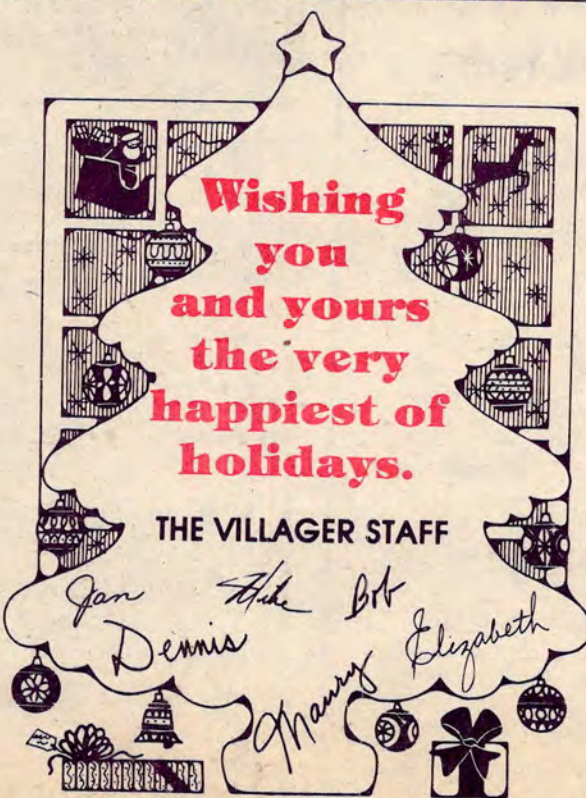
Cleveland High Rise, 899 So. Cleveland

Senior citizen clinics on the third Tuesday of the month from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

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Supplemental food program for women and children on the third Tuesday of the month from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

For any further information on any of the programs offered, call the St. Paul Division of Public Health at 227-7741.



THE VILLAGER STAFF

Israeli TV correspondent speaks at Temple of Aaron

Nachman Shai, who is in St. Paul as a fellow of the World Press Institute at Macalester College, will speak at 8:00 p.m. services Friday, December 30 at the Temple of Aaron, 616 S. Mississippi River Blvd.

Shai, 31, is a senior correspondent with Israel Television. For five years he has been a military correspondent and has earned a reputation as a commentator on the Middle East situation.

Shai has worked as a correspondent during recent wars and has also covered the Cyprus conflict. He was selected to go to Jerusalem to cover the visit of President Sadat.



Nachman Shai

On December 30, Shai will offer his impressions of Sadat's visit and the way it was received in Israel. Following his talk, he will be available for questions.

'Conflict of Rights' PPM/neighborhood struggle examined in film documentary

A locally produced film documentary examining the issues and events surrounding the Planned Parenthood/neighborhood struggle in Highland Park will be aired at 10:30 p.m. Monday, December 26 on KTCA-TV, channel 2.

Entitled "Conflict of Rights," the half hour documentary probes the feelings and opinions inherent in the controversy through interviews with individuals on both sides of the fence.

They include: Kit Briggs, then president of Planned Parenthood of Minnesota; Tom Webber, PPM executive director; John Healy, president of Citizens for Community Action; Gerry Lunzer, CCA secretary; Jean Druker, a member of Concerned Neighbors Coalition; and Maurice Mischke, publisher of the *Highland Villager*.

"Conflict of Rights" was produced as University of Minnesota Journalism

School project by Twin City residents Kathy Holmay, Richard Thomas and Rick Miller. According to Holmay, the film "was conceived to provide equal media coverage to both sides in this multi-faceted issue—coverage a 30-second snippet on the evening news isn't able to offer."

To elicit comments from Planned Parenthood and neighborhood representatives, the producers held a private showing of the film last August at the Highland Park Branch Library, just across the street from PPM state headquarters.

According to Holmay, a follow-up documentary covering some of the more recent events—both at the clinic, which only fully reopened after the documentary was already complete, and within the neighborhood groups—is contemplated for the near future should the necessary funds become available.

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It's not only Time that marches on... as these picketers, in front of Planned Parenthood's state headquarters attested to recently. Monday and Thursday mornings, the time PPM reserves for its abortion patients, always bring out more than the customary couple of placard bearing marchers. But when the word got out that a *Time* photographer would be on hand Thursday morning, Decem-

ber 8, the picketers' ranks swelled to about 70—including a half-dozen counter picketers who took up their posts in front of Planned Parenthood's doors. Shown at the left is the camera laden *Time* photographer Boyd Hagen. One of the shots he took that morning appeared as a backdrop for *Time's* story on abortion funding last week.

Photos by Bob Hanlon



**Joy
to
the
World**



**Christmas Services at
area Catholic churches**

HOLY SPIRIT

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 5:15 and 8:00 p.m.
Christmas Day at 8:00, 9:30, 10:45 a.m. and 12:00 noon.
CONFESSIONS: Thursday, December 22 from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Friday, December 23 from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m.

IMMACULATE HEART

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 4:00 p.m. and 12:00 midnight.
Christmas Day at 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 noon.
CONFESSIONS: Thursday, December 22 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Friday, December 23 from 4:00 to 5:00 and 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, December 24 from 11:00 to 12:00 noon and 1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

NATIVITY

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 5:00 p.m. (no 4:30 Mass) and 12:00 midnight (upper church only).
Christmas Day at 7:30, 8:45, 10:00, 11:15 and 12:30 (upper church); 10:30 (lower church).
CONFESSIONS: Before all Masses on Wednesday and Friday, December 21 and 23.
Thursday, December 22 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Friday, December 23 from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, December 24 from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

ST. GREGORY'S

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 10:00 p.m.
Christmas Day at 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.
CONFESSIONS: Friday, December 23 at 1:00 and 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, December 24 at 2:00 p.m.

ST. LEO'S

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 8:00 p.m.
Christmas Day at 8:00, 10:00 and 11:30 a.m.
CONFESSIONS: Friday, December 23 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, December 24 from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. and 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.

ST. LUKE'S

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 8:00 p.m. and 12:00 midnight (Carole Service at 11:30 p.m.)
Christmas Day at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. (upper church).
CONFESSIONS: Thursday, December 22 from 11:00 to 12:00 noon, and 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.
Friday, December 23 from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. and 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday, December 24 from 10:30 to 12:00 noon.

ST. MARK'S

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 8:00 p.m. (lower church) and 12:00 midnight (upper church).
Christmas Day at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. (upper church) and 10:10 and 12:00 noon (lower church). No 5:30 p.m. Mass on Christmas Day.
CONFESSIONS: Thursday, December 22 from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Friday, December 23 from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, December 24 from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

ST. THERESE'S

MASSES: Christmas Eve at 12:00 midnight (Carole Service at 11:30 p.m.)
Christmas Day at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
CONFESSIONS: Communal Penance Service at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 21.
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A check from the Highland Business Association for \$1237.54 was recently presented to Dr. David Frye (center), principal of Highland Park Senior High School, as the proceeds from this fall's annual Highland Village Art Fair. On hand for the check passing ceremonies were HBA secretary-treasurer Otto Hummer (left) and president Mike Murray (right) of Mid America State Bank of Highland Park. The presentation marked the third consecutive year that art fair proceeds have been donated to Highland Senior. The money will be used, according to Dr. Frye, to supplement and enhance the programs of the various school departments that participate in the annual three-day fair.

Photo by Bob Hanlon

**PERF Committee
meeting rescheduled**

The Highland Park PERF Committee meeting, originally scheduled for Tuesday, December 20 at 10:00 a.m., has been rescheduled for Wednesday, December 21 at 7:30 p.m. The location remains the same—room 211 of Highland Park Elementary School, 1700 Saunders Ave.

**Hockey assoc.
extends goals**

Applications for a new Midget Division of the Highland Area Hockey Association are now being accepted from youths 15 and 16 years of age. The boundaries of the association are I-94 on the north, the Mississippi River on the west and south, and West Seventh St. and Lexington Pkwy. on the south and east.

Approximately 300 boys, ages 6 through 14, are now playing on teams in four age groups. Seven traveling teams have been formed to play teams from other regions of the Twin Cities, and another 13 teams participate in intramural competition in the Highland area.

Further information on the association may be obtained from John Elioff at 646-6745.

**Hiawatha YMCA
schedules 1978
membership drive**

Carl Salisbury, 4044 S. Nokomis Ave., will lead 85 volunteers in the annual Hiawatha Branch YMCA Sustaining Membership drive which will get underway officially the week of January 2 and conclude February 14.

"Our goal this year," said Salisbury, "will be \$18,000 in dues and 1,100 members. This represents an increase of 13 percent in dues and 12 percent in members."

Salisbury explained that YMCA Sustaining Memberships help to insure that no youth will be turned away from a YMCA because of a lack of funds.

"These memberships will not get persons a place on the handball courts, but assist the YMCA in helping to support itself in providing programs for youth and adults in our community," Salisbury said.

During 1977, the Hiawatha Branch YMCA served 2,400 persons.

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Officer Friendly Saint Paul Police Department takes its show to area elementary schools

The beginning of the 1977-78 school year was also the beginning of a new police/community relations program in St. Paul public and parochial elementary schools.

Dubbed the "Officer Friendly Program," the concept grew out of conversations between St. Paul Police Chief Richard Rowan and Sears Foundation regional representative Richard Hartung.

The idea of uniformed police officers going into the schools—both to present a positive image of law enforcement within the community, and to "demythologize" the role of the police officer as presented on T.V.—dovetailed well with the recent decentralization of the St. Paul Police Department and its goal: police and community working together to reduce crime.

The next step for Chief Rowan was to present the proposal to public and parochial school officials. A meeting with Dr. Irma McGuire, assistant superintendent of elementary education in St. Paul, and Brother Theodore Drachmann, archdiocesan superintendent of schools, enlisted their unconditional support, and the Officer Friendly Program was given the green light.

Hi-Gro-Mac sets vacation time movies for kids

Special low-cost matinees for children will be shown during Christmas vacation at the Highland Theatre, on South Cleveland near Ford Parkway, according to Howard Guthman, president of the Highland-Groveland - Macalester Community Association.

Movies are scheduled to be shown at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, December 27 and January 3. Admission for persons of all ages is 75 cents.

The feature on Tuesday the 27th will be "Flight of the Doves," on Tuesday the 3rd, "Pufn Stuff." Cartoons will also be shown both days.

According to Jeff Hoel, chairman of the project for HiGroMac, the intended goal is to provide good, wholesome entertainment for area kids during the Christmas holidays.

Guthman indicated that if interest in the movies is high enough, low-cost movies may become part of HiGroMac's regular programming. All of the movies will be rated 'G.'

CST culls cross country captains

Sophomores Mark Malander and Kurt Roth have been named captains of the 1978 College of St. Thomas cross country team.

Malander finished 82nd in this fall's NAIA National Championship meet, while Roth was the 100th finisher in the race.

Wednesday, December 21

Officers from this area participating in the program are Gerald Bahrke, Dennis Conroy and John DeWitt—are all members of the police department's Team B-4, which serves the Highland, Groveland, Macalester, West Seventh and Merriam Park neighborhoods.

According to officer Bahrke, the program has so far met with an enthusiastic response from the kindergarten through third grade youngsters.

"The kids seem to really enjoy my visits," Bahrke said. "I know I do. For most of the kids the only exposure they've had to police has been through television shows. And it shows. One day while I was eating lunch with the kids at Mattocks School, a little second grader shouted, 'Look, he's eating supper!'

Freeman chosen Winter Carnival Prime Minister

Andrew W. Freeman, 903 Goodrich Ave., has been named Prime Minister of the 1978 St. Paul Winter Carnival.

A life-long resident of St. Paul, Freeman attended St. Paul Academy before obtaining his B.S. in Business Administration from Arizona State University.

He is an assistant vice president of Minnesota Federal Savings & Loan, has managed the firm's Macalester-Groveland office, and is currently the manager of the firm's Roseville office.

During the ten-day "Snowflake Fantasy" celebration (Jan. 27-Feb. 5), Freeman will join others in the Royal Family of Boreas Rex XLII in making numerous public appearances, including visits to shut-ins at hospitals, children's homes and rest homes, along with goodwill tours in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

as if policemen didn't do that sort of thing."

What Bahrke does when addressing a class is actually pretty simple. He'll explain his uniform and assorted police hardware to the students, tell them about his job and his family, offer them safety tips, and distribute safety literature, courtesy of the Sears Foundation.

Future visits will also include tours of his squad car and demonstrations of his specialty—fingerprinting.

Approximately 70 schools through St. Paul are currently involved in the Officer Friendly Program, with more to be added next fall if all looks good. It is estimated that participating police officers will meet with youngsters about 840 times before the end of the present school year.

Boosalis named 'Young Achiever'

Peter Boosalis, a senior at Highland Park Senior High School, was recently named by WCCO Radio as a "Young Achiever."

The tribute is given by the station to outstanding Minnesota high school students for their accomplishments in non-athletic activities.

Boosalis is president of the student council, editor-in-chief of the Highland Yearbook, president of the ski club, and holds the top office in his church youth group.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Boosalis, 2100 Niles Ave.

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Free CC ski clinics slated

The St. Paul Parks and Recreation Department is holding a series of free cross country skiing clinics at the Highland Chalet, Montreal and Hamline.

The four remaining clinics will be held from 1:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays, December 22 and 29, and Fridays, December 23 and 30.

Skis are available free of charge to all clinic participants. The classes run approximately 1½ hours and cover the fundamentals of ski techniques and tips on clothing and equipment.

Story hour changed

Pre-school story hour at the Highland Park Branch Library, 1974 Ford Pkwy., will resume at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, January 12, 1978, and continue on Thursdays through the end of May.

The switch is due to anticipated changes in library hours. All four- and five-year-olds are welcome.

PPM 'Fund for Choice' to take up slack in Medicaid abortion payments

by Michael Mischke

Having experienced what Executive Director Tom Webber called a "marked increase" in requests for financial assistance since the Congressional deadlock on government-paid abortions began five months ago, Planned Parenthood of Minnesota recently announced the creation of a "Fund for Choice" to pay for first trimester abortions for those women unable to obtain Medicaid assistance.

At a press conference, called by Planned Parenthood December 6 to announce creation of the fund, Webber read from a prepared statement: "All women, regardless of financial means, must have available to them the option to terminate an unplanned pregnancy. Recent action of the Congress has largely curtailed the use of Medicaid funding for abortion care. This limits the ability of low-income women to exercise legal rights and, in effect, discriminates against the poor."

At the time of the announcement, Planned Par-



Tom Webber, Planned Parenthood of Minnesota executive director, fields a question during a press conference as Stanley Gregory, PPM president, looks on.

Photo by Bob Hanlon

enthood was still hopeful that Medicaid assistance would be restored for low-income women, though Webber felt the chances of money being made generally available to abortion recipients in 1978 were "less than 50/50."

The answer came only a few days later when the House and Senate finally reached a compromise. The new measure will prohibit Medicaid payments for abortions except for cases in which: the life of the woman is in danger if the fetus is carried to term; two doctors determine the woman risks "severe and long-lasting physical health damage" from the pregnancy; or the pregnancy results from rape or incest that was "promptly reported" to a law enforcement or public health agency.

According to Webber, no

one knows exactly what long-range impact the Congressional action will have on the availability of financial assistance for women unable to afford an abortion. "However, there will certainly be no substantial assistance for low-income women in 1978," Webber said.

Which is where Planned Parenthood's Fund for Choice is intended to come in.

Scheduled to become operational January 1, the fund will provide financial assistance to Medicaid-eligible women in obtaining first trimester abortions. Established through private donations, the fund currently contains \$250,000, of which \$200,000 was donated by Minneapolis businessman Benjamin Berger and his wife.

There were about 2,500 Medicaid abortions in Minnesota in 1976, costing an average of \$150 each or about \$375,000 in total, Webber said.

According to Time magazine, had the recent restrictions on Medicaid assistance for abortions been in effect in 1976, it would have cut off government funding in two-thirds of the 260,000 abortions that were financed by the Medicaid program that year—or about a quarter of all abortions in the U.S.

Park projects gain Met Council OK

Applications for state and federal funds for development of two parks in the area recently gained the approval of the Metropolitan Council.

In all, the council and the State Planning Agency evaluated 78 applications with an overall price tag of \$8 million. Of those, 46 applications were approved, at a total recommended cost of \$1.8 million.

The two parks in the area are Dunning Recreation Area, for paving of walks, tennis, basketball and volleyball courts, parking lots and other improvements, ranked third in priority; and Friendly Hills Neighborhood Park in Mendota Heights, for extension of city water and sewer, ice rink, lighting, and construction of a park pavilion, ranked 20th.

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Constitutional law course at Metro U

G. Theodore Mitau, 1787 Bohland Ave., former chancellor and distinguished service professor of Political Science in the Minnesota State University System, is teaching a special course this winter at Metropolitan State University.

The course, Constitutional Law, will focus on the principles and methods of constitutional law and its interpretation, with special application to the problems of public administration.

This class meets from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. Thursdays, January 12 through March 16 in the Metro Square Building, downtown St. Paul. The deadline for Metro U students and others interested in registering for the course is Friday, December 30.

Professor Mitau will present periodic lectures, but the primary mode of instruction will be the Socratic method involving discussion of cases in class. Reading and discussions will center on the everyday application of U.S. Supreme Court decisions.

Registration forms and fee information are available at the Metro U coordinating centers located in Metro Square Building and the IDS Center in Minneapolis, or by calling 296-3946.



Sandy Fenner, 640 W. 7th St., has been selected to represent Midway Sign Co. as a candidate for the St. Paul Carnival's Queen of the Snow's. A 1973 graduate of Derham Hall High School, Ms. Fenner is currently employed at Twin City Federal in downtown St. Paul.

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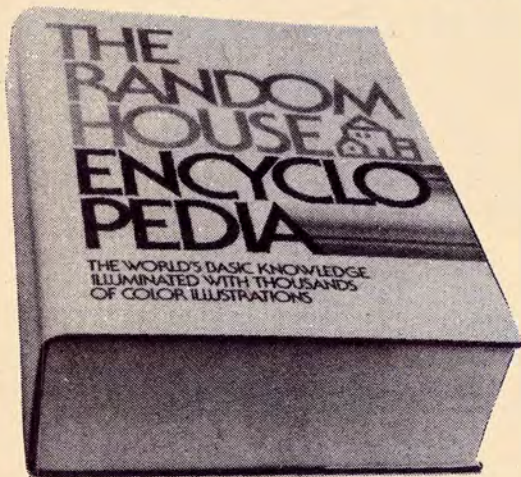
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Highland class of '68 plans reunion

Plans for the ten-year reunion of the Highland Park Senior High School class of 1968 are currently underway. Class members who would like to help with the plans are invited to contact Barb Minor (698-4978) or Alice Woog (432-8965) any day after 6:00 p.m.

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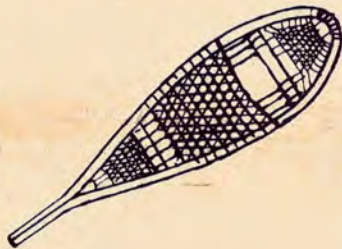
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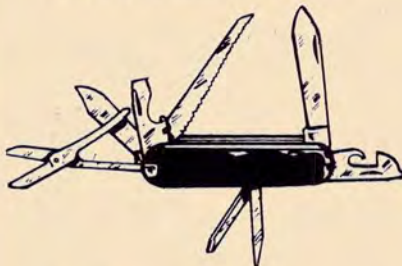
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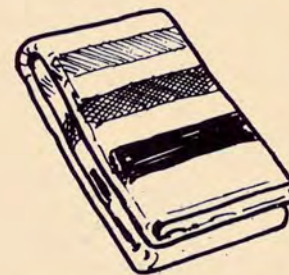
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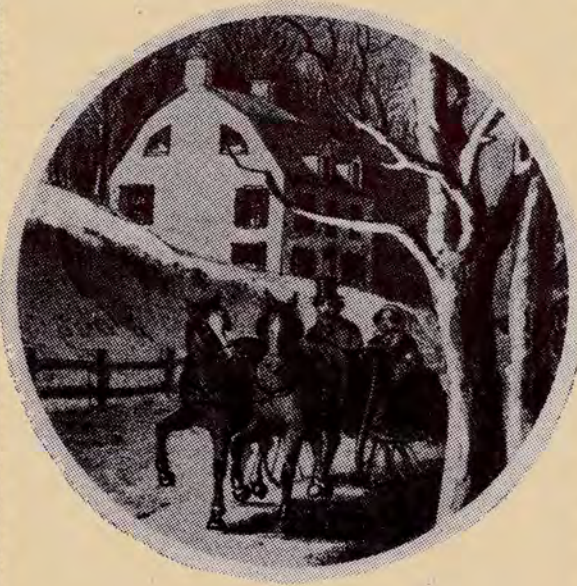


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If there's a time of year when nostalgia sets in for us 'older folks', it has to be during the Christmas season. Most likely, it's much the same for those who celebrate Chanukah, too.

But not everybody takes the trouble to put those memories down in print, the way Alfred Muellerleile did some time ago. Al...for those of you who don't already know him...is an old master of the typographic arts. For many years, he headed up North Central Publishing Company, a printing establishment located on Fillmore Avenue in Riverview Industrial Park. Several years ago in a move to retirement, he kicked himself upstairs to Chairman of the Board...which gives him more time now to spend at home [277 Stonebridge] and to do whatever the spirit moves.

In early 1975, while relaxing in snowless Florida, Al's spirit was moved to jot down his recollections of a Christmas season during his early childhood back in his native town of Madison Lake, Minnesota. "Alfred's Christmas" worked out so well that it became the subject of North Central's 29th annual book for its now rather long Christmas list. It was beautifully hand set...now that he has the time...by the selfsame Al Muellerleile.

Al, of course, is a bit older than I. But so very much of what he recollected squared with my rather similar German-oriented rural-small town background, that I couldn't put the book down once I started reading it. I soaked it all up in one sitting.

Did you ever fill a woodbox for the kitchen range or a pot-bellied stove? Here's the way Al recalls it, a day or two before Christmas:

"Alfred, be sure to fill the woodbox. I have a lot of baking to do this afternoon."
"Yes, Mama."

He went out to the woodshed and began to load his arms with wood that had been split in the early fall for the cookstove. He had learned early when assigned this chore to vary the pieces of wood: some very small pieces, some medium sized and some large ones. With this assortment of sizes his mother could control the fire in the stove to get the proper amount of heat for different kinds of cooking and baking.

It wasn't all work, however. Al also brings to mind the old "Flexible Flyer" and "belly-flopping" on ice-covered slopes. But I had almost forgotten about "cisterns" until I reread this little graphic description:

He went to the sink and, pumping some water from the cistern into a hand basin that was always in the sink, washed his hands and face. Wiping himself on the roller towel that hung next to the sink, he poured the wash water out and placed the basin upside down on the side of the sink.

And who among you [fellows, that is] remembers back to when altar boys changed to special black tennis-type shoes? So as not to mess up the sanctuary carpeting, I presume. Maybe, then, this recollection of Al's rings a bell with you:

After the mass the servers entered the Sanctuary and extinguished the candles. Then as one held the book the other took the green felt-like cloth and covered the altar. The book was replaced on the Epistle side of the altar, and the boys returned to the sacristy. They took off their surplices and cassocks and removed their cloth shoes and put them in the pigeon-holed boxes provided. By this time their leather shoes had gotten cold, and after putting them on, they wriggled their toes and stomped their feet in an effort to warm them up.

Any old-timer with a rural or small town background can also identify with Al's description of a small boy's bath in those pre-indoor-plumbing days:

His meditation was interrupted when Mama called from the kitchen, "Alfred, I have the tub ready. You will have to take a bath."

He went into the kitchen. The metal wash tub was in the center of the kitchen floor. It had been filled with warm water from the reservoir. He undressed, climbed into the tub and began to splash the water over his body. Much to his embarrassment, his mother came into the kitchen, took the wash cloth and gave him a good scrubbing. As she left he climbed out of the tub, dried himself and put on the clean suit of underwear his mother had left on the kitchen table.

(I can still remember, as a very little tyke, the arrival at our home of a comparatively huge man-sized, folding-type, rubber and fabric-backed bathtub...what a luxury!

Of course, the tradition in those days was to decorate the tree on Christmas Eve, along with bringing out all the hidden toys and goodies. And how well do you remember candles in their holders, "clipped to the ends of the branches with care lest they start a fire when lit." They had to be something of a fire hazard, especially when the tree got a little dry. How well I remember our first string of colorful electric lights.

Christmas does make a deep impression on the young...as much as ever, I would think. We learn about receiving first, of course...the giving comes a little later. Honest, I can still remember much of what I got from "Der Kristkind" between the ages of four and nine. I also remember some of the big things that I would have liked to receive, but which "Santa couldn't afford."

Well, perhaps via "Alfred's Christmas" of more than sixty years ago, we've brought back some memories of your own younger days and holiday times of the past...even if those days don't go back nearly so far.

And even if you can't recapture entirely the same kind of thrills the young experience at this time of year, we're hoping you do have a memorable holiday season among family and friends...realizing once again that it's more blessed to give than to receive.

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WHERE CREDIT IS DUE

To the editor:

No doubt you recall the article in *Time* magazine a few weeks ago on "The New Morality" in which Tom Webber, executive director of Planned Parenthood of Minnesota, was quoted and seemingly implied some kind of Catholic monopoly in the opposition Planned Parenthood has experienced to its abortion clinic in our neighborhood.

My response to *Time* is this:

Two eminent rabbis of this area, their congregations and yours truly have been working very hard against the Planned Parenthood abortion clinic in St. Paul's Highland Park.

Most of my neighbors of various faiths and I resent giving Catholics all the credit.

Annette Levine (Jewish)
Vice President
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FROM YELLOW TO TRUE BLUE

Tolerant Mr. Mischke:

You certainly were generous to give so much space to so intolerant a writer [*Misch-Masch*, Dec. 7]. Mr. Caine must have had a very bad nightmare. He has nothing to show to back up his false statements.

Keep up the good, true blue journalism in your paper. You have our continued support. We like the truth.

Albert J. Motsch
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A CHRISTMAS STORY

To the editor:

This story was sent to our home and we'd like to share it with your readers to think about during this joyous season:

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MORAL MALAISE

Morality in America is fast flying out the window. Television, the press, and the movie industry bear some responsibility for this fact; they love to play up anything sensational or different; and they tell us indirectly that because it's happening, it's "acceptable." They would have us believe that the general bulk of society accepts what they call the *NEW* morality.

Homosexuality, long considered a perversion, is now being spoken of as a "chooseable" life-style. Instead of treating the illness, they would have us accept and condone a "life-style" resulting from lack of it.

Common-law marriage, long considered "living in sin" or at best only indulged in by those without morals, is now heralded as a sensible life-style. (Never mind responsible commitment to each other!)

Divorce, long thought of as a cop out (in many cases), is now not only acceptable, but almost necessary for the "in" group.

Abortion, always acknowledged as the killing of an innocent victim, the unborn fetus, is now spoken of as "medical care." What happened to the Hippocratic oath?

National public figures—our so-called leaders and models—commit heinous crimes and if they go to trial at all, get off with 1½ year sentences, while the uneducated, whose crime may have been a result of real need, sit in prison for years!

All these crimes have been around a goodly number of years—read the Old Testament—but they were classified as crimes and weren't labeled "changing life-styles". Hedonism...here we come.

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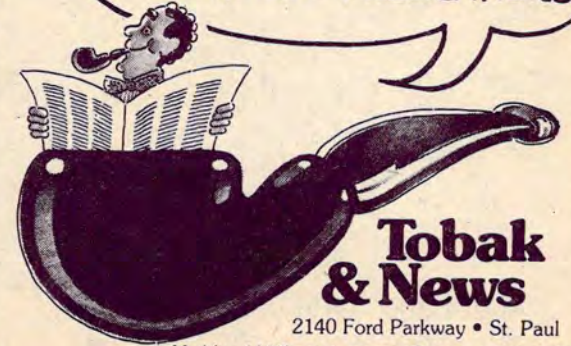
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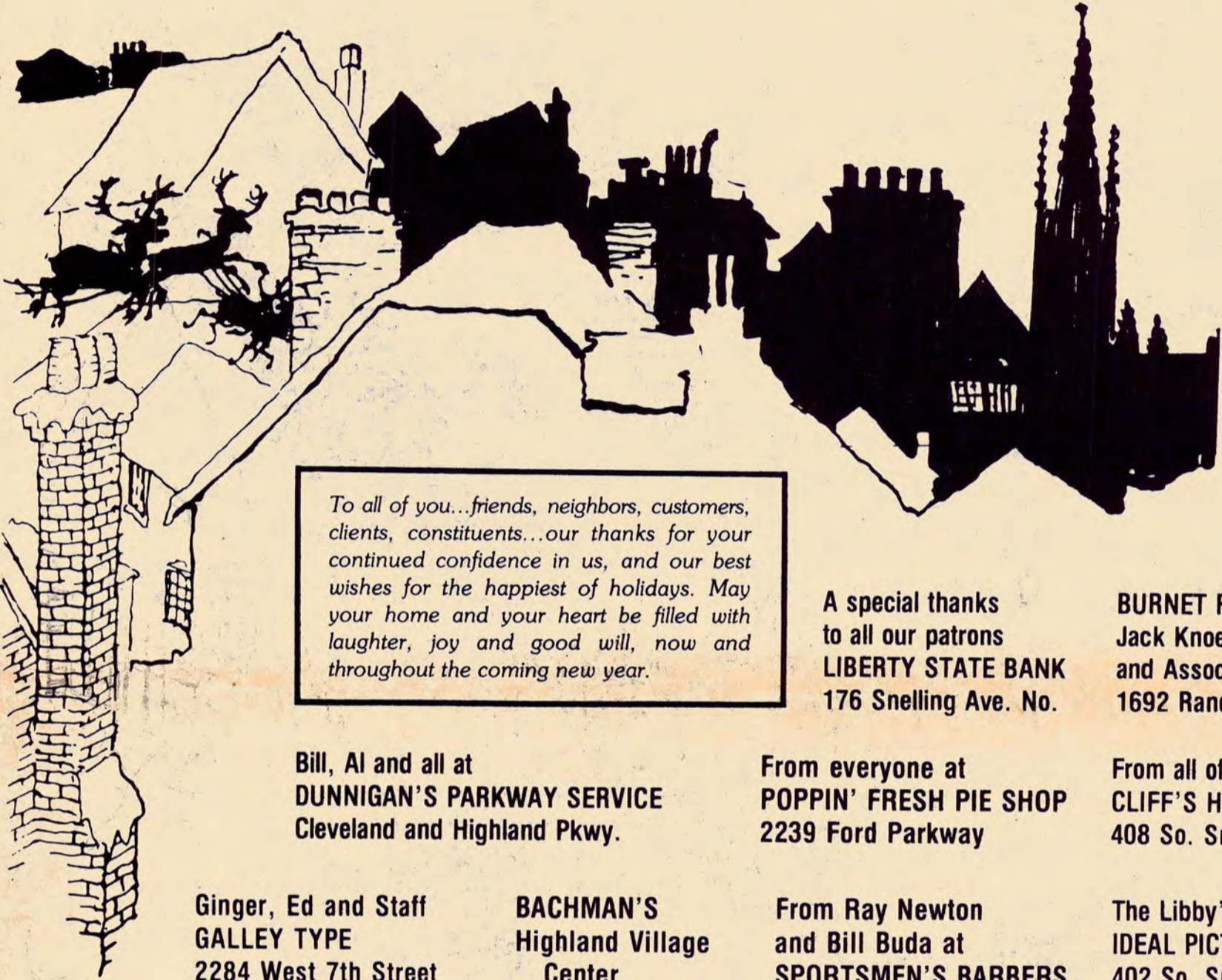
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Morton W. Ryweck, executive director of the Jewish Community Relations Council, Anti-Defamation League of Minnesota and the Dakotas, will be the guest speaker.



College of St. Thomas soccer coach Joe Flood, was recently named NAIA Soccer Coach of the Year. Flood's 1977 team captured the MIAC championship, and the NAIA district and regional titles. Six of his players—Jim Boateng, Bob Cherry, Joe Neuberger, Reuben Pedrosa, Paul Selle and Paul Zilka—were selected to the all-MIAC and all-District 13 teams.

Science Museum announces separate funding agreement

The St. Paul-Ramsey Arts and Science Council and the Science Museum of Minnesota recently announced an agreement which provides for separate fund-raising efforts for the museum.

The final allocation to the museum from the council will be for operating expenses through fiscal year 1978 in the amount of \$150,000.

Edward R. Titcomb, chairman of the Science Museum board, said the new arrangement seemed advisable because of the ambitious expansion program of the museum. Construction is more than half completed on the new 90,000-square-foot Science Museum of Minnesota across Wabasha St. from the site of the present Arts and Science Center.

When completed, the new museum will house the William L. McKnight-3M Omnitheater and three floors of exhibit space depicting the physical and natural sciences.

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63B I-Rs set search committee meeting January 9

District 63B Independent-Republican Chairman John Drew and Chairwoman Mary Sibilling have announced plans for a search committee for potential candidates for city, state and district elections in 1978.

The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, January 9 in the Community Room of Northern Federal Savings and Loan, located at the corner of Cleveland and Pinehurst Ave.

The meeting is open to all residents of District 63B, or the area bounded by the Mississippi River on the south and west; St. Clair, Finn, James, Snelling, Palace, Pascal, and back to James on the north; and Lexington, West 7th and Homer on the east.

Free movies set at library Dec. 28

An afternoon at the movies will be presented at the Highland Park Branch Library at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 28 for children home from school during Christmas vacation.

Movies will include: *The Case of the Elevator Duck*, *Badger's Bad Day*, and *The Emperor's New Clothes*. All are welcome to attend the free movies.

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The winter graduation, the first since 1970, will be held in Jeanne d'Arc Auditorium. A baccalaureate Mass will be held at 4:30 p.m. the same day in Our Lady of Victory Chapel.

Commencement speaker will be Reatha King, recently named president of Metropolitan State University. She will speak on "The Joys and Responsibilities of Being a Liberated Woman."

Proceeds will be spent on reforestation of a yet to be determined local park which has experienced a significant loss of trees. The replanting will take place in the spring or summer of 1978.

Transit Thursday was sponsored by the MTC and other public agencies to encourage use of alternatives to the single-passenger automobile. Many major Twin City employers took part by promoting alternatives available to their own workers. Several of the employers made a contribution equal to what their employees paid in bus fares (with an equivalent amount for car poolers) to a tree fund.

MTC chairman Doug Kelm reported that about 5,000 additional passengers rode MTC buses on Transit Thursday.

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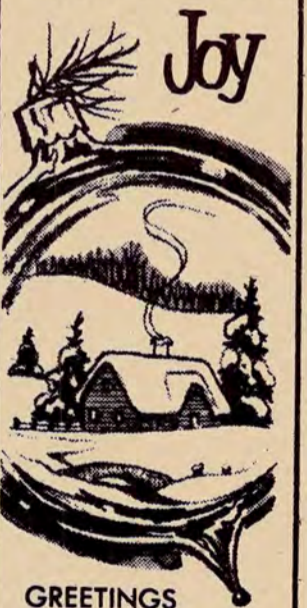
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It was a befuddled Saint Nick who found himself at the Minnesota Department of Transportation last week applying for a special usage permit to travel the state's highways and biways. Seems Santa's overloaded 9 RP sleigh will slightly exceed MN/Dot's road weight limitations this year. Thus he was heard to exclaim ere he drove all agape, "I could wrap all my presents with these miles of red tape!"

City Jr. High proposals sought

The Northwest Area Foundation Citizens Advisory Committee for the Junior High Schools is still seeking proposals to build public confidence in St. Paul public junior high schools.

Proposals are sought that address improving the accuracy and completeness of information communicated to residents of St. Paul about the junior highs, and that improve the educational environment, discipline in the schools, and attendance.

People wishing to submit proposals should contact the St. Paul Department of Secondary Education at 298-4444 and request a copy of the guidelines for proposals. The last date the Committee will accept proposals is December 28.



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With 13 Minnesotans in the lineup, there's a certain logic in Notre Dame scheduling home games in Minnesota over the holiday season.

The schedule, initiated last year in St. Paul when the Fighting Irish played a series with the University of Minnesota, will be repeated this year at the Met Center in Bloomington when the University of Notre Dame takes on Harvard University Thursday, December 22 and Boston College Friday, December 23.

The East-West series pits the physical game of the WCHA representatives against the stylish hockey of the eastern schools in the two 7:30 p.m. contests. Tickets for the games are \$3.00 (reserved lower level) and \$2.00 (general admission upper level).

Coach Lefty Smith's Irish will skate six forwards and seven defensemen from Minnesota, including John Friedmann, a 1976 Graduate of Highland Park Senior High. John, a sophomore majoring in business and communications, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Friedmann, 1720 Hillcrest.

Fr. Mitchell named new St. Leo pastor

Archbishop John R. Roach has announced the appointment of Reverend John E. Mitchell as pastor of the Church of St. Leo the Great, 2055 Bohland Ave.

Father Mitchell was ordained in 1954 and has since served as an assistant pastor at Nativity Church, St. Paul, at St. Timothy's and Resurrection churches in Minneapolis, and for the past nine years as pastor of Guardian Angels parish in Hastings.

Three chosen Carnival guards

Three Highland area residents are among the nine guardsmen chosen to protect Boreas Rex and the Royal Family from the harassment of Vulcanus Rex and his notorious Krewe during the 1978 St. Paul Winter Carnival.

The three are: Daniel Jara, 1880 Ford Pkwy.; Michael D. Killa, 2047 Grand Ave.; and Gary Quiggle, 1082 Lombard Ave.

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After a recent weekend sweep over the University of North Dakota, Notre Dame was in seventh place in the WCHA with a 5-9 conference record.

The Boston College Eagles, who hold a 33-31-1 edge over the Crimson of Harvard in competition since 1918, are currently ninth in national hockey ratings. Harvard leads Notre Dame 3-2 in games played between 1922 and 1977, while Notre Dame holds a 6-4 record over Boston College since 1970.

Coaches of the three teams, Ceglarski, Smith and Cleary—will speak at a noon Blue Line luncheon at the Leamington Hotel on Thursday, December 22. John Mariucci will emcee the luncheon, which is open to the public.

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Blood pressure screening slated

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January activities slated at Pike Island Nature Center

A full month's worth of free weekend activities has been planned for January at the Pike Island Nature Center. The center is located within Fort Snelling State Park at the confluence of the Mississippi and Minnesota Rivers.

The new year at the nature center will start off with a snowshoe hike at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, January 1.

Another snowshoe hike will be held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, January 7. The hike will be followed by a 4:00 p.m. movie entitled *By Nature's Rules*. On Sunday, events will begin at 2:00 p.m. with a film, *Proper Winter Clothing*, and will conclude with a 4:00 p.m. snowshoe hike.

For variety, a cross country ski hike of Pike Island will be held at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, January 14. Reservations are necessary (726-9247). The movie *Ice Safety* will be shown at 4:00 p.m. that day. The following day, a film entitled *The Stream* will be screened starting at 2:00 p.m. An hour later, another snowshoe hike will commence.

At 1:00 p.m. Saturday, January 21, a snowshoe expedition around Fort Snelling will be conducted. Reservations are required. The next day, the film *Energy to Burn* will be shown at 2:00 p.m. Snowshoe games will be played following the movie at 3:00 p.m.

On the last weekend of the month, a program on keeping warm with snow will be given at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, January 28. At 4:00 p.m. the film *Around a Big Lake* will be shown. On Sunday, a snowshoe hike will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will be followed by the movie *The Mourning Dove* at 4:00 p.m.

Christmas Seals selling strongly

The Ramsey County Christmas Seal campaign has reached 65.3 percent of its \$175,000 goal, according to H. Vincent Hagstrum, Christmas Seal chairman. The campaign is finishing its ninth week with Christmas Seal contributions slightly above totals set at this time last year.

Christmas Seal funds furnish classes and summer camp for children with asthma, assist adults suffering with emphysema, provide school smoking education programs for elementary children, supply training for health professionals, and support research.

The Ramsey County Lung / Christmas Seal Association has available free literature and films on lung disease. Persons wishing additional information on any programs or wanting literature or films, should contact the Lung Association at 224-4901.

Agency seeks home aides

St. Paul residents interested in becoming Home-maker-Home Health Aides are being sought by Home Services Association, 1954 University Ave.

The association, a United Way agency, trains aides to give professional health care to those in need who are not in an institutional residence.

Aides give assistance to the elderly, the handicapped, those who are convalescing at home, and to families that have a parent in the hospital. Aides are supported and supervised by the agency's nurses, social worker and home economist, as well as by the Public Health nursing staff.

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Saturdays: 10:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Sundays: 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve: 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Christmas Day: Closed

New Year's Eve: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

New Year's Day: 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

During Christmas vacation (December 26 through January 6) all local skating rinks will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, 1:00 to 5:30 p.m. and 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

HILLCREST

Congratulations to the Junior Royalty winners Mike Erb and Sheila Cutting, the Prince and Princess candidates, and Barb Hiti and Barry Beisel, the West Wind candidates from Hillcrest. Anyone who would like to obtain tickets for the West Wind coronation or the King Frost and Queen of the Snowflakes coronation should call Hillcrest and let Mike, Doug or Jane know how many you need.

Hillcrest is still looking for those kids interested in wrestling this winter. If you're one of them, just give us a call and let us know.

High school girls who are interested in playing volleyball or floor hockey this winter should contact Jane at Hillcrest or stop in at any open gym night at Horace Mann School. For further information on any programs offered at Hillcrest Recreation Center, call 698-1435.

The staff at Hillcrest would like to extend their best wishes for a happy holiday season to all.

LINWOOD

Congratulations to our 1977 Linwood coronation winners. They are: Prince Mark Faulkner, Princess Jodi Gertz, South Wind princess candidate Dee Dee Dzik, South Wind prince candidate Mike Pappenfus, Lady-in-Waiting Maria Rydell, and Prime Minister John Barry.

Prince Mark and Princess Jodi will represent Linwood in the Junior King Frost and Queen of the Snowflakes coronation, to be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 25 at the St. Paul Civic Center. Royal candidates Mike and Dee Dee will represent Linwood in the South Wind coronation at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, January 19 at the Martin Luther King Center.

HOMECROFT

Congratulations to our Junior Royalty coronation winners: Bill Bremer, Sue Jansen and Sue Fournier.

From all of us at Homecroft to all of you in Highland, may you have the happiest of holiday seasons.

DESNOYER

Howdy from Desnoyer Park!

We need three boys for Desnoyer's Junior Royalty coronation on Tuesday, January 11. If you're interested, just contact Virginia or Steve at the center.

The Desnoyer rink is almost ready, but will only be available for general skating this year. The rink is located on the south side of the building.

From all of us to all of you, Merry Christmas!

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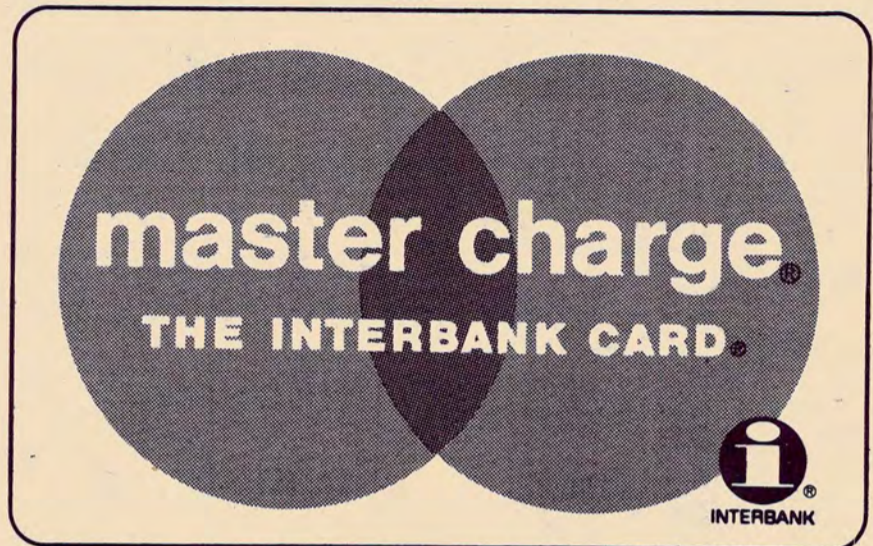
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State Auditor issues annual report on Minnesota's cities

The 19 residents of Funkley—the smallest city in Minnesota—spent \$47.00 apiece for city services last year, while those living in Minneapolis spent \$379.00 per person, according to a recently released report by State Auditor Robert Mattson. Mill Citians threw in another \$115.00 each for capital outlay. Funkleyites had no capital expenditures.

Mattson's annual report on per capita receipts, disbursements and indebtedness of Minnesota's cities covers calendar year 1976. Of Minnesota's 168 cities with populations of more than 2,500, 22 had a year-end per capita debt of at least \$1,000.00.

Of the ten largest cities—Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Bloomington, Rochester, Edina, St. Louis Park, Richfield, St. Cloud, and Minnetonka—only one, Minnetonka, had per capita debt of more than \$1,000.00. The figure for Minnetonka was \$2,177.00. Per capita debt in Minneapolis was \$475.00, St. Paul \$489.00, and Duluth \$256.00.

The report showed 30 Minnesota cities with populations of at least 20,000, with five having more than 50,000.

Junior Royalty coronation set

Merriam Park Community Center and the St. Paul Parks and Recreation Department will host the Merriam Park Junior Royalty Coronation beginning at 9:00 p.m. Friday, January 6 at the Community Center, 2000 St. Anthony Ave.

Candidates chosen to represent Merriam Park in the South Wind and the city-wide Junior Royalty Coronation will be selected that evening. The event is open to the public free of charge.



Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children, 2215 E. River Road, Mpls., was the recent recipient of a \$1250 check, donated by the Gopher State Jim Beam Bottle and Specialty Club. At the presentation were, left to right: Charles Coe, 1385 Alaska, founder and first president of the club; Ollie Coe, state club director; Jerry Boler, district clubs director; Stephen Van Guilder, 424 S. Hamline Ave., hospital board treasurer; Robert Mirick, hospital board chairman; Helen Basset, hospital administrator; and John Fisher, club president.

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The technique used for the pictures is called thermography. Film which is sensitive to infra-red rays is used to show the amount of thermal energy radiating from the objects photographed. These photos demonstrate the amount of heat a house is losing.

The display is open now through February 28, 1978 at its downtown location from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Bloomfield elected to board of ACLI

Coleman Bloomfield, 1748 Hampshire Ct., chairman of the board and president of Minnesota Mutual Life, has been elected to a three-year term on the board of directors of the American Council of Life Insurance (ACLI).

A national organization, the ACLI conducts a variety of programs on behalf of the life insurance industry.

Bloomfield is also a director for the Minnesota Title Financial Corporation, the First National Bank of St. Paul, United Hospitals, Inc., and the North Star Research Institute. He serves on the board of directors and executive committee for the Minnesota Insurance Federation, and the St. Paul United Way.

New Year's Eve Ball scheduled

Members of the community are invited to attend the Sons of Jacob Synagogue's annual New Year's Eve Ball Saturday evening, December 31. The evening will begin with a full-course dinner at 8:30 p.m. Leo Fine and his orchestra will provide music for the night.

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Catholic League forms for religious and civil rights

The recently-formed Minnesota chapter of the Catholic League for Religious and Civil Rights will undertake a massive membership drive during the next few months, according to John Lamb, president of the state organization.

Minnesota is the first state to have a chapter of the national Catholic League, an organization often described as the Catholic counterpart to the Jewish Anti-defamation League.

Lamb said the state group hopes to increase its membership from 2,000 to 20,000 by next year. The campaign for members has been underway in the St. Paul-Minneapolis Archdiocese for a few months, and a drive in the St. Cloud Diocese is in the process of being organized.

The national Catholic League was organized in 1973 and has been active in education and litigation involving the rights of Catholics and others not to be defamed or discriminated against because of their beliefs. The national group has a membership of more than 20,000.

Catholics and others interested in joining the state chapter may write to the Minnesota Chapter, Catholic League for Religious and Civil Rights, 3100 S. Humboldt Ave., Mpls. 55408.

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Pigskin Puzzle

OK, sports fans. The object here is to identify all 28 NFL teams by the brief descriptions given below. By way of example and to give you a hand [though admittedly a limp one], we've even made No. 1 a gimme. The answer, of course, is the Detroit Lions. No sweat, you say? OK then, have at it. All winners will receive at home, absolutely free, 24 times a year, for as long as they live within this newspaper's distribution area, a copy of the Highland Villager.

Oh yeah. So they don't cry foul who may have seen or heard similar puzzles floating around this season, an admission: this is not wholly a Villager original, but a slightly edited and, we hope, more challenging version.

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2. Army insects _____
3. I.O.U.s _____
4. Gold Rushers _____
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28. Irish uprisings _____

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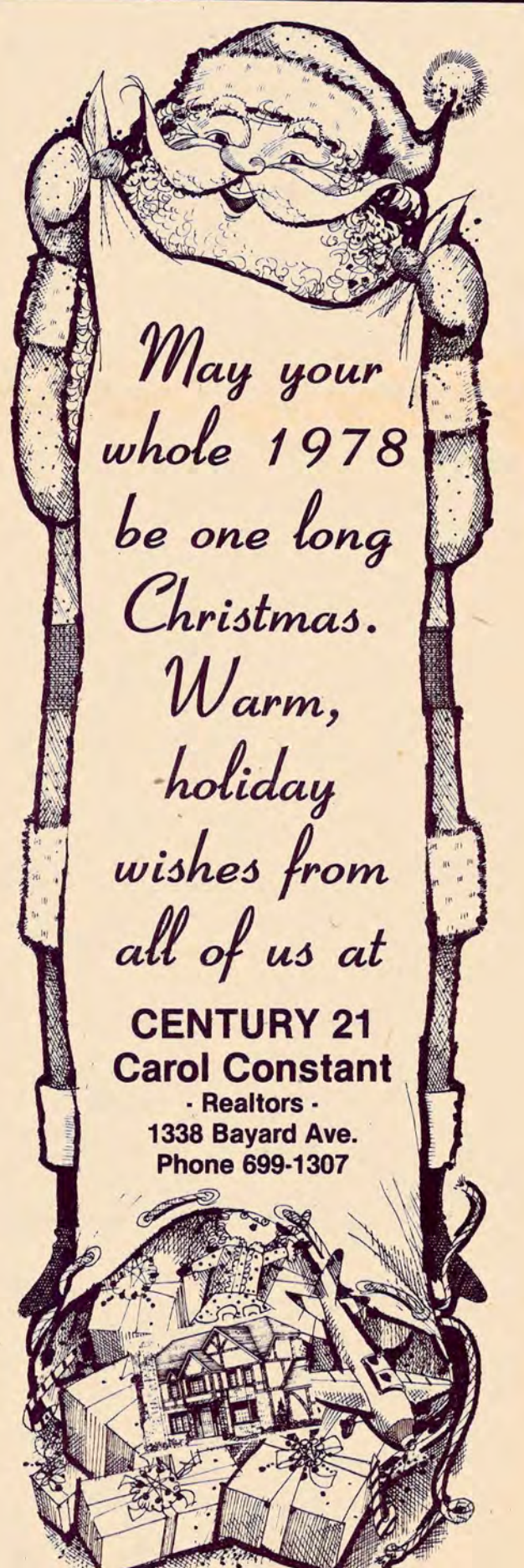
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1,000	24	150,000 to 1	11,538 to 1	5,769 to 1	24,000
200	75	48,000 to 1	3,892 to 1	1,946 to 1	15,000
100	150	24,000 to 1	1,846 to 1	923 to 1	15,000
50	224	16,071 to 1	1,236 to 1	618 to 1	11,200
25	448	8,036 to 1	618 to 1	309 to 1	11,200
10	578	6,228 to 1	479 to 1	239 to 1	5,780
5	1,157	3,114 to 1	239 to 1	120 to 1	5,785
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**Twin Cities MDA
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The newly-elected executive committee members of the Greater Twin Cities Area Chapter of Muscular Dystrophy Association, 1821 University Ave., took office this month.

This year's officers are: Vern Hall, president; Dave Chilson, 1st vice president; Mrs. Marlene Drabelis, treasurer; Mrs. Elsie Loeffler, secretary.

New chairmen of the standing committees are: V. Richard Zarling, Jerry Bergdahl, Kathy Robson, Dave Johnson, Mrs. Vern Hall, Marlene Drabelis, Roxanne Murphey, Patricia Adams, Dallas Leier and Dave Chilson.

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in THREE Weeks
January 11**



The second annual Minnesota 100 Club Benefit Hockey Game will pit the St. Paul Police pucksters (above) against the Minneapolis Police squad. The game will be played at noon Saturday, January 7 at the Augsburg College Ice Arena. Proceeds will aid families or dependents of policemen and firemen who suffer loss of life or health in the line of duty.

**Criminal justice
committee seats
open January 1**

The Metropolitan Council is seeking applications from persons interested in serving on the Council's Criminal Justice Advisory Committee.

The committee, which consists of local elected officials, professionals in the criminal justice field, and citizens, is responsible for helping identify local and regional needs in the law enforcement, judicial and corrections areas.

The committee also makes recommendations to the state on the spending of approximately \$3 million in federal crime control funds allocated to the Twin Cities area each year.

Citizens or professionals who are interested in appointment to the committee must make application to the council through its "open appointment" process. Application forms can be obtained by contacting Rosemarie Johnson of the council staff at 291-6461.

**St. Kate's receives
\$25,000 endowment**

The College of St. Catherine has received a gift of \$25,000 to set up an endowment fund for needy chemistry students, according to a recent announcement by president Sister Alberta Huber.

The donor is Helen (Mrs. Francis J.) Jordan of Detroit Lakes, a 1926 graduate of the college. She was a chemistry major at St. Catherine's.

The gift is the largest single contribution ever received by the college from a living graduate, S. Alberta said. It will be used to establish the Helen Steinford Jordan Scholarship Fund.

Paper drive set

A paper drive will be conducted by the Immanuel Lutheran Church Hi-League, 104 S. Snelling Ave., from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday, January 14.

Pick-up service can be arranged anytime between now and that date by calling the church office at 699-5560. Proceeds from the drive will go toward the Young People's summer camping program.

**Aerial heat-loss photo display
comes to Liberty State Bank**

Residents of city planning district 13 will get a chance to see infra-red aerial photos of their homes at Liberty State Bank, Snelling and Selby, from January 3 to 27.

The heat-loss photographs will be available for inspection from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, and from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Fridays.

A specially-trained team will be on hand to interpret the photos and discuss

energy conservation techniques.

Homeowners planning on viewing the photos should know the amount and type of insulation in their homes, and the exact location of their house, including the nearest intersection and the number of houses from the corner.

The photos have been on display since October in the downtown Northwestern National Bank Building. That display will continue until February 28, 1978.

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Metro Council approves \$19.3 million MTC budget

The Metropolitan Council recently approved the Metropolitan Transit Commission's 1978 capital budget while directing the MTC to prepare a plan to provide "appropriate" service for handicapped people in the metropolitan area.

The council said the plan should contain a list of options for providing service for the handicapped and a specific timetable for implementation of the plan. The council asked the MTC to submit the plan to its transportation subcommittee by February 15.

The 1978 MTC budget is \$19.3 million and covers all planned capital expenditures for 1978. The major expenditures include the renovation of Nicollet, Northside, Snelling and

Shingle Creek garages at an estimated cost of nearly \$4 million, and the construction of a new \$9 million garage at the Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport.

The budget also includes \$900,000 for a new maintenance facility near I-94 and Cleveland Ave., \$700,000 for a bus layover terminal in Minneapolis, \$900,000 for building and repairing passenger shelters, \$500,000 for service and maintenance equipment, \$600,000 for purchasing 16 small buses, and \$600,000 for park-and-ride sites in Roseville, Hopkins, Burnsville, Golden Valley and Highland Park.

Teacher of year search underway

The 15th annual search for the Minnesota Teacher of the Year is now underway.

The program is sponsored by the Minnesota State Fair, the Minnesota Education Association and the Minnesota Congress of Parents, Teachers and Students.

Nomination forms are currently being distributed to local school boards, PTSA chapters, county agents, service organizations and MEA local associations.

In addition to being nominated for national honors, the Minnesota Teacher of the Year receives a \$500 scholarship from the State Fair.

Postal Service gives last-minute mailing suggestions

So it's almost Christmas and you forgot to send a greeting or gift to a friend in a distant city? Now what?

U.S. Postal Service officials have several suggestions to assure letters and parcels reach their destinations before December 24:

Mailgrams can be sent as late as 5:00 p.m. on December 23. Delivery will be made by the next night to any city in Canada or the United States.

A Mailgram is a low-cost written message transmitted by Western Union and delivered by the Postal Service.

Christmas gifts weighing up to 70 pounds will be delivered the next day, if sent by Express Mail to an Express Mail city. Delivery is guaranteed on time or money will be refunded.

Express Mail may be sent locally from the Elway Station, 1715 West Seventh St.

'Safety hotline' offers advice to motorists

Motorists with complaints about vehicle safety problems will find a willing listener and possible help by dialing (800) 424-9393, a toll free "Auto Safety Hotline" offered by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).

The hotline offers information on vehicle recall campaigns, in addition to helping motorists resolve vehicle safety problems, said Joan Claybrook, administrator of NHTSA, a division of the U.S. Department of Transportation.

Motorists calling the service should be ready to state the year, make and model of their vehicle and the vehicle identification number. If a safety problem is being reported, the motorist should briefly describe the problem and give the odometer mileage.

Hotline operators work from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Central time, Monday through Friday. Weekend and after-hours calls are recorded and operators then return the calls.

Beauty pageant set

Unmarried women between the ages of 17 and 28 are being sought for the Miss Minnesota Universe Pageant, which will be held Sunday, March 5 at the Majestic Ballroom in Cottage Grove.

The pageant is the official preliminary to the Miss USA and Miss Universe contests. Entry blanks may be obtained from the Miss USA-Universe regional office, 1821 University Ave., 55104.



An exhibition of oil paintings by Highland Park artist Janet McCloud Lefevre will open with a reception from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, January 5 at Unity Church, Portland and Grotto Ave. The paintings will be on display for public viewing from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. through January.

Bloodmobile stops at JCC

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Jewish Community Center from 2:00 to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, January 18.

The Red Cross urges all people who are able to donate a pint to do so. Donation appointments can be made by calling 454-5544 or 452-2134.

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Calls from Santa set December 22

The Highland Park branch of the American Cancer Society will sponsor its annual "Calls-from-Santa" program on Thursday, December 22.

For a tax deductible contribution of \$2.00, a child of the donor's choice will receive a telephone call from Santa Claus on that day. Contributions may be sent to the American Cancer Society, c/o Sally Prifrel, 1697 Eleanor Ave., 55116. Calls will be made from 9:00 a.m. to noon, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m., and 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

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Postal services to be curtailed during holidays

There will be no regular mail delivery or lobby window service at post offices and their stations and branches on Mondays, December 26 and January 2 in observance of Christmas and New Year's Day. Special Delivery, however, will be provided on those days.

On Saturdays, December 24 and 31, mail will be picked up from residential collection boxes on a regular schedule. There will be only one collection, however, from one and two star boxes as late in the day as possible to connect with the last mail dispatch.

There will be no collection service on Christmas or New Year's Day.

On Monday, December 26 and January 2, mail will be picked up from one and two-star collection boxes as late in the day as possible to meet first class service standards.

Normal mail service will resume on Tuesday, December 27 and January 3.

'U' interior design course scheduled

A course on Interior Design will be offered through Continuing Education for Women, Extension, University of Minnesota, on Tuesday mornings from 9:30 a.m. to noon, January 3 to March 14.

The course, which will meet at McNeill Hall on the St. Paul campus, is an introduction to the basic elements and principles of design and their use in the floor plans of residential interiors.

Lectures include drafting, lettering, layout, furniture selections, lighting and color. Credit applies to certificate or degree programs.

For more information or a bulletin listing all credit and noncredit courses offered through Continuing Education for Women, call 373-9743.

Mac to host city planning symposium

Macalester College will host a four-day symposium January 24-27 entitled "Planning and Managing the City: Neighborhood Conservation." There is no admission charge for any of the sessions, all of which will be held in the college's Janet Wallace Fine Arts Center Concert Hall.

David A. Lanegran, associate professor and chairman of the Macalester geography department, is director of the symposium. More information may be obtained from him by calling 647-6504.

Recycling center expands

Recycling Unlimited, the collection center formerly located at 1352 Summit Ave., has expanded and is now operating at 1325 De Coursey Drive (Rosen Road) near Midway Stadium.

The following recyclable materials can be dropped off at the site any day between 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.:

Glass (clean, whole, and free of metal), tins cans, aluminum, metals, newspapers, cardboard, ledger paper, IBM cards, rags, drain oil, and strained grease drippings.

Pick-ups can also be scheduled for a large volume of materials.

With the assistance of CETA employees and St. Paul Scouts, two satellite stations are also currently

operating—one at the Dodge Nature Center, 1797 Charlton in West St. Paul, the other at St. Paul Academy/Summit School.

The collection center at Dodge Nature Center operates on the third Friday of the month. For further information, call the center at 455-4531.

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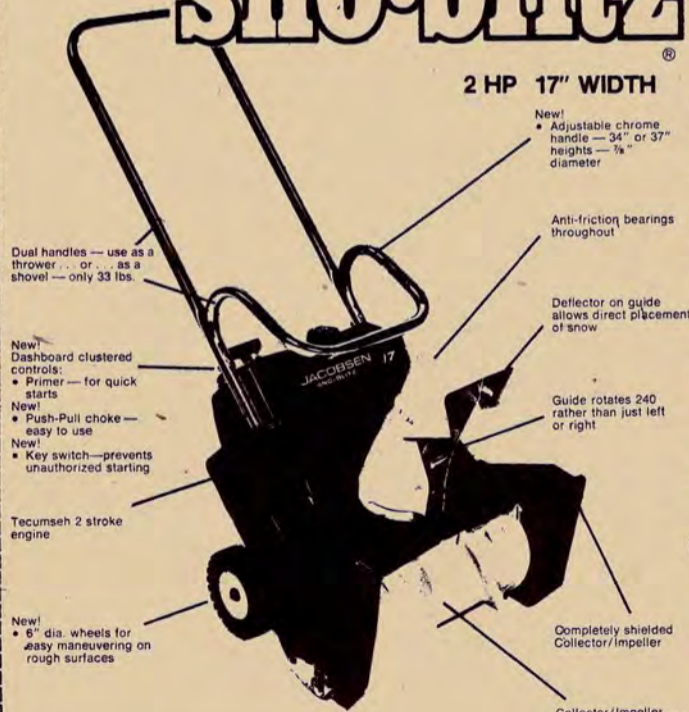
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The Highland Villager

'Christmas is for kids'

by
Jane
Rachner

**The big heart (and lap) of
Santa Claus—Frank Gates**

The 15 below temperatures didn't cool the enthusiasm of the hundreds of children who arrived at the Highland Theatre at 9:00 a.m. December 10—an hour before the film "Digby, the World's Largest Dog" filled the screen.

They came for one reason: to see Santa Claus, alias Frank Gates.

Perhaps you've read about this Santa in newspaper stories by Bill Farmer and Oliver Towne. Perhaps you remember the pre-energy crisis days when the Gates home, with its brilliantly flashing "Ho! Ho! Ho!" won the Junior Chamber of Commerce homes and grounds lighting award. Or perhaps you recall that in 1971, WCCO recognized Frank Gates' big-heartedness with its Good Neighbor Award.

A lot of Twin City residents play Santa at Christmas time, but generally for family, for friends, or for money. And though they all might agree with Frank that "Christmas is for children," some mean it's only the kids that have all the fun.

When Frank Gates says it, he means it's the best time of the year to enjoy children—so special, in fact, that for the past 16 years he's been taking the week before Christmas as half his annual vacation from Neil and Hubbard Heating and Air-Conditioning Co. He devotes that time each year to making children happy—not just with candy canes (although he gives away up to 7000 a season, all paid for out of pocket), but with his warm-hearted friendliness and natural rapport.

Frank Gates doesn't ask a penny for his efforts, although he occasionally gets an anonymous dollar bill in the mail, and he gratefully accepts the check Twin City Federal mails him each year to help defray his expenses. When I asked Frank just how much he spends at Christmas time, he said, "If I told you, people would think I was crazy."

"However, Neil and Hubbard don't dock me when they give me time off to play Santa. If, for instance, the St. Paul Association for Retarded Children or Bethesda Infirmary or some other organization needs me some afternoon before I take my Christmas vacation, my company is great about it. The boss knows how much people count on me."

The Highland Business Association counted on Frank December 10, and promptly at 9:00 a.m. Frank arrived. Standing on the sidelines, watching and listening, I felt like I was attending a Demonstration School for Santas—that's how good Frank is. Parents who brought pre-schoolers didn't have to worry about fears or tears with this expert Santa. He never hurries his conversation with the children and always calls them by name as they leave. "O.K., Jill, be a good girl now." "Goodbye, Pete, and Merry Christmas to you, pal."

Frank's middle name must be Sensitivity, because he even guards against possible Christmas morning disappointment. "A puppy, you say? Well, if I have a puppy, I'll sure drop it off at your house. But it might be too cold Christmas Eve to have him on the sleigh."

Or maybe Frank's middle name is Solicitude, because his Santa patter is sprinkled with advice like "Look both ways before you cross the street," and questions like, "Do you keep your sidewalk real clean? You wouldn't want anyone to slip and fall on your sidewalk, would you?"

Or would Surrogate be the perfect middle name? As Santa, Frank acts as stand-in for parent and teacher, stressing the simple rules of everyday behavior that usually require a bit of nagging before they become established habits. "Do you finish all your lessons at school?" asks Frank. "Do you wash your face and hands and comb your hair?" "Did you eat all your vegetables last night?" "Do you hang up your clothes and keep your room neat?"

That Saturday morning in the theater lobby, even 25-

year-old usher Jim Flick got some fatherly advice from Santa. "Go easy on those late hours, Jim," said Frank.

If Frank and his wife, Gloria, had raised children of their own, how well-behaved those kids would have been. Mrs. Claus, you see, shares every bit of her husband's fondness for children. She has always helped with the Christmas time activities, as I found out when I visited the Gates home one Wednesday noon.

Although Mrs. Gates works days for a doctor, she's off on Wednesdays and was home fixing lunch for her husband. Sans velvet and fur, Santa Gates looked much younger than his 59 years, with clear, sparkling blue eyes and hardly a touch of gray in his hair. Since he appeared much slimmer than the jolly elf he impersonates, I asked him, "Aren't you just one of Santa's helpers who dresses up to look like him?"

"No, I'm the real thing," said Frank. But Mrs. Santa Claus, under questioning, admitted the fakery involved. It is she who creates Santa's bowlful of jelly by pinning a pillow to Frank's



It was always a little spooky sitting way up there on Santa's lap. But a gentle word and an understanding ear from the kind old elf soon allayed Bobby Hoel's fears. Bobby, age 2, is the son of Jeff and Carolyn Hoel, 352 Macalester.

T-shirt and tying the pillow to his middle. And it is she who sets pincurls in the white hair of Frank's beard and headpiece each morning of the seven-day period that he devotes to being Santa. "But Frank doesn't forget to make his vacation my vacation too," says Gloria. "He takes me to the Lexington for lunch each day."

As I looked around the room, I spotted a trophy topped with a gold Santa and inscribed "In Appreciation for Being Our Santa." There was also a silver cup with the message, "We love you, Santa, from the Gaertner kids."

Later, Gloria confided to me something that Frank doesn't like to talk about—the curtailment of his

Christmas activities by a doctor's orders. The heart that thousands of children know is as good as ever, but the heart that his doctor knows is not.

Two years ago, a heart attack left Frank with permanent damage and strict rules against shovelling, sweeping, and too much excitement. You would never have dreamed he had such a problem if you saw him that Saturday in the Highland Theater lobby. Not only was his conversation tireless, but when the loudspeaker gave out with "Rudolph, the Red-nosed Reindeer," he leapt to his feet and danced an uninhibited jig.

If Frank Gates is right, Christmas is for celebrating

childhood. So maybe Uncle Gates, as he is called by his young friends the rest of the year, has a lesson for us all. Let's celebrate whatever vestige we've retained of the innocence, trust, imagination and capacity for light-hearted joy that we had as children.

And if you and your children would like to celebrate it this year with a very charismatic Santa Claus, just drive up in front of 22 No. Griggs, just a half block off Summit, any evening this week.

Frank Gates will be there with his candy canes, his good advice, and a big "Ho! Ho! Ho!" for everyone who drops by.



When the kids get a little older, Santa has to meditate a while to find the right answers. Giving the right jolly old elf a lapful when he appeared at the Highland Theatre on December 10 were (left to right) Lora, Jeff and Lisa Sinna of 407 So. Snelling.



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The next training class will begin February 13. For more information, call 291-1111, ext. 290.

Talking Out Of School

by
Bill Rosenbloom
and
Carl Nelson

We're scratching our heads over this one:

Several issues ago in Talking out of School, Eleanor Weber, St. Paul School Board member, explained the purpose of the new PER law. "PER," she stated, "will give the community members a formal way to participate in the allocation of budget dollars, raised by taxation, through choosing educational goal and objectives."

That sounded so good to us we decided to participate.

We later discovered that the first PERF committee meeting (these committees are based on high school attendance areas) for Highland Senior High School was held on December 8 at 9:00 a.m.

No notice of the meeting was given to the community, and only school principals attended. The principals selected Vince Gorr of Highland Elementary School as the convener of the next PERF meeting.

With the idea that people—most of whom work during the day—might also have something to contribute to educational goal setting, we called Mr. Gorr to ask that he set an evening meeting next time. Our conversation went something like this:

We: It's our understanding that the PER process is meant to encourage community participation.

He: That's correct.

We: On that basis, we were wondering if you might schedule the next PERF meeting in the evening to allow working people to participate.

He: No, the meeting has already been set for December 20 at 10:00 a.m.

We: Don't you think community involvement is important?

He: Yes, but this meeting is not **that** important. It deals mostly with mechanical matters.

We: What if a community member has something to add—

He: The time of the meeting will not be changed.

We: Will future meetings be in the evenings?

He: Yes, so this is really a compromise.

We: Wait a minute. Who is compromising?

He: As I said, this meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m., and future meetings will be in the evenings.

Assorted pleasantries. Good-byes. End of conversation.

Following that phone call, we made several more to school officials to determine just how important community involvement in the PER process was going to be. Compromise public participation? Who was kidding whom?

A few days later, a memo to Highland Senior High PERF committee schools was dispatched from Mr. Gorr's office. "Strong negative reaction on the part of community representatives to a morning meeting has necessitated changing our PERF committee meeting," it began.

The meeting, whose purpose will be to compile the results of the various PERL meetings already held for forwarding to the office of the director of curriculum, has been rescheduled for Wednesday, December 21 at 7:30 p.m.

And speaking of community involvement, we wonder if Don Sonsalla, principal of Highland Park Junior High, wasn't overdoing it a bit last week when he dismissed the entire school at 12:30 p.m. to hold his PER meeting.

We understand, however, that though there are supposed to be two community members for each faculty member when goals are set at a PER meeting, only three community members were present at the December 14 meeting. Sounds more like a faculty meeting to us.

Catholic Appeal Fund goals set

Archbishop John R. Roach recently announced the goal of the tenth annual Catholic Appeal Fund Drive.

The goal of the 1978 Appeal is \$2,725,000, or 7.2 percent more than was raised last year. The 1978 campaign will run from January 29 through March 8, and will involve all 221 parishes in the 12-county Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Funds from the Appeal will support charitable, educational and religious programs and services for Archdiocesan Catholics.

Problem solving therapy series set

A series of classes in faith therapy for family problems is being offered at 8:00 p.m. Thursdays at the St. Paul Church Center, 1671 Summit Ave.

Classes will focus on "Dealing with Destructive Emotions" from January 5 through February 9 and will be taught by Chaplain John Gilmore, juvenile court chaplain of the St. Paul Council of Churches. For further information, call 646-8805.

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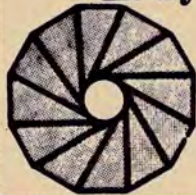
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Opera, orchestra to ring in the new year

The new year will be rung in with champagne and song when the Minnesota Opera Company and the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra host their New Year's Eve Party on Saturday, December 31 at the Minnesota Club, 317 Washington.

Festivities get underway with a champagne supper at 8:30 p.m. Music and dancing will continue through the end of the year and into the next.

Tickets to the party are \$50.00 per person, \$25.00 of which is tax deductible. All proceeds from the event will be divided equally between the Minnesota Opera Company and the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra. Reservations can be made by calling the Minnesota Opera Company at 221-0256.

Reception set for library's art exhibit

The public is invited to meet the artists and enjoy musical entertainment and refreshments at the opening reception of the Minnesota '78 Art Exhibit from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Saturday, January 7 at the St. Paul Public Library, 90 West Fourth St.

Chimera Theatre announces its 1978 subscription series

Chimera Theatre Company has announced the five plays that make up its 1978 subscription series. Of special note are the world premiere of a new musical and a new Irish play directed by Tomas MacAnna of Dublin's Abbey Theatre.

The world premiere musical—*The Devil's Disciple*—leads off the series on January 27. Based on George Bernard Shaw's book of the same name, the musical takes a swash-buckling, Shavian look at the American Revolution. New York based Jack Eddleman, who directed last summer's "Fiddler on the Roof," returns to Chimera to direct this premiere production, which will play through March 5.

John Steinbeck's *Of Mice and Men*, directed by Warren Frost, follows on March 17 through April 16. Set in the Depression era, this moving drama trails a roving farmhand as he moves from place to place to protect his simple-minded

Chimera to present Christmas films for children

Two special children's films, *A Christmas Carol* and its 1971 musical version, *Scrooge*, will be shown during the coming holiday season at Chimera Theatre in St. Paul.

The final showing of the earlier, most well-known version of Charles Dickens' immortal tale will begin at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 21. Tickets are \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for students and senior citizens.

Weekday matinees of *Scrooge*, starring Albert Finney and Alec Guinness, are scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, December 27-30. Admission is \$1.00.

Both films will be presented in the Crawford Livingston Theatre within the St. Paul Arts and Science Center. Tickets will be sold at the door.

friend.

Tomas MacAnna, who directed Chimera's 1973 production of *Borstal Boy*, will direct Irish playwright Brian Friel's *The Freedom of the City*. Set in Northern Ireland, this suspenseful drama skillfully conveys the nervous humor of three Irish demonstrators trapped in a building surrounded by a panicked British army. *The Freedom of the City* will be performed April 28 through May 28.

Plays scheduled for the summer months include the rock opera *Jesus Christ Superstar*, which will play June 9 through July 16; and *Sherlock Holmes and the Curse of the Sign of Four*, July 28 through August 27.

All productions will play Thursdays through Sundays in the Crawford Livingston Theatre in the St. Paul Arts and Science Center. For further information about the subscription series, call Chimera's box office at 222-0792.

WHERE TO GO & DO WHAT TO

The Villager's Guide to Food, Fun & Entertainment



Penumbra, St. Paul's only professional theatre company, takes a critical look at that decade of disaffection known as the '60s in Ed Bullins' Obie Award-winning play, "The Taking of Miss Janie." The show, which opens this Thursday, December 22, will run through January 21 at the Hallie Q. Brown Theatre, 270 N. Kent St. The play stars, from left to right: (standing) Terry Bellamy, Jay Patterson, Gordon Crouce, G. Travis Williams, and Ruth Lassila; (in the foreground) Laura Drake, Abdul Salaam El Razzac, Shauntel Duray and Tia L. Mann.

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An exhibition of sculpture by Minnesota artists Susan Lucey, Sharon Hare and Molly Mason is now on display in the Minnesota Gallery of the Minneapolis Institute of Arts. "Paradigm, Paradise, Paradox" will continue through January 29.

All the artists work with large-scale environmental sculpture. Their common concern is the access of the viewer into the work and his movement within it.

Lucey produces replicas of replicas to examine the effect when one duplicates the real or removes oneself from the real. Hare works with geometric forms to explore the relationship between form and viewer. Mason transposes natural forms into other media to reach almost magical essences within forms.

The three are also teachers: Lucey at the University of Minnesota-Minneapolis, Hare at St. Cloud State University, and Mason at the University of Minnesota-Morris.

Como downhill ski lessons set

Registration is now being accepted for the 1978 season of the Como Ski School. Cost for the eight one-hour downhill skiing lessons is \$20.00 for juniors (ages 6 to 16) and adult skiers.

Adult lessons begin January 4 and are offered Wednesday afternoons and Monday through Thursday evenings for beginner, intermediate and advanced skiers.

Junior lessons begin January 7 and are held every Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. for beginner, intermediate and advanced skiers.

The Como Ski School also offers Apprentice Instruction classes for skiers interested in training as instructors.

Applications may be made in person at Midway Stadium, 1000 N. Snelling, or Como Ski School, Hamline and Arlington Avenues.

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Date	Film
Jan. 3	Enter the Dragon
Jan. 10	I Heard the Owl Call My Name
Jan. 17	The Discreet Charm of the Bourgeoisie
Feb. 7	Lord of the Flies
Feb. 14	Great Expectations
Feb. 21	The River Niger
March 14	The Boys in the Band
April 4	Three Sisters

WHERE TO GO & DO WHAT TO

The Villager's Guide to Food, Fun & Entertainment

Carnival softball tourney slated

Entries for the 12th annual invitational St. Paul Winter Carnival Slowpitch Softball Tournament will be accepted starting December 27.

Teams will compete this year in three separate divisions: men's, women's, and an all-new 35-years-and-older division.

For more information, call Don Hisdahl at 429-1394 or 429-4088.

Regina High sets Christmas concert

The public is invited to Regina High School's annual Christmas concert at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 21.

Carols will be sung in Spanish and English, and after the concert, Regina's Parents' Club will host a reception. Tickets are \$1.50 for adults, and \$.75 for children under 12.

Regina is located at 4225 S. 3rd Ave., Mpls.



Pianist Claudio Arrau will be one of three guest artists to appear with the Minnesota Orchestra in New Year's concerts at Orchestra Hall and O'Shaughnessy Auditorium.

Arrau to perform in Minnesota Orchestra New Year's concerts

Three guest artists will appear with the Minnesota Orchestra under the baton of music director Stanislaw Skrowaczewski in New Year's holiday concerts next week. Performances are scheduled for 8:00 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, December 28 and 30 at Orchestra Hall, and at 8 p.m. New Year's Eve at O'Shaughnessy Auditorium.

Eminent pianist Claudio Arrau will perform the Brahms Concerto for Piano and Orchestra No. 1 in D-minor. Renowned throughout the world as one of the finest keyboard masters, Arrau is making his 36th tour of the United States and Canada this season. He

last performed with the Orchestra in December 1974.

Anthony Elliot, the Orchestra's associate principal cellist, will be the soloist in the world premiere performances of a new work by prolific Black composer Primous Fountain, the Concerto for Cello and Orchestra.

Joseph Longo, the Orchestra's co-principal clarinetist, will appear as soloist in the performance of Weber's Concerto for Clarinet and Orchestra No. 2 in E-flat major, the first performance of this work at a subscription concert.

For advance reservations, call the Orchestra Hall box office at 339-3600 or Dayton's ticket offices.

DINING

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Mothers flourishes in a fine St. Paul neighborhood

THERE AREN'T a lot of independent PR guys around the Twin Cities. PR means public relations, which means assuring that a company or a person comes across right to the public.

Mostly what a PR man does (not all, of course, but mostly) is try to get his clients mentioned favorably in as many places (newspapers, TV, magazines — the media) as possible.

Most big firms have PR departments where staffs grind out news releases about promotions, transfers, acquisitions and other activity that shows the place exists.

Those in-house staffs may be one reason there aren't a lot of independents around anymore.

They drop out and do other things. Even if they've been rather spectacular at their former craft.

A CASE IN POINT is one Robert Kost, a 50ish gentleman with the energy of a life guard at a girls' school swimming pool.

Most of Kost's PR work was in St. Paul. He learned his craft at Murphy Motor, then went on to KSTP, from which after a couple of years he cut himself loose to try it on his own.

Which went fine for a while until the recession of the early 70s hit and Kost found pickings slim.

Then he struck out on another course. Food entrepreneurship. In other words: the restaurant business. As proprietor of a couple of places called Mothers and Rogers at 1399 and 1397 St. Clair, there's still a lot of PR involved, but now he's his own client and what he's selling is the image of a hot little double restaurant in the center of a city neighborhood that does most of its business there but wants to spread out. The Kost PR imagination was at work when he planned his menu. At first the place was merely "the old Rogers Chow Mein joint."

Now Kost has broadened his ethnic thrust. While one may still indulge a keenly edged appetite for Chinese food, Kost also serves up just about everything Italian.

For instance: Spaghetti, lasagna, hot dago sandwiches, homemade soups and chili. And (non-Italian or Chinese) fried chicken.

And don't be surprised if one of these days Kost decides to add

Greek and Polish items to his menu, or perhaps some English fare. For one of the ideas the fertile Kost mind has hatched is establishing a round table of director-advisors and the way it looks now the nationality spread could be extensive.

Mothers is also deeply into the selling and promotion of wine cocktails. For instance, there are wine-based Strawberry Senioritas (like a strawberry margarita), Sunbursts (like a Sunrise), Orange Smashes (like a Wallbanger), and others.

Another of Kost's future plans is Twin Cities-wide delivery, of which any midnight victim of near starvation who happens to be housebound knows there is next to none.

FOR THE MOMENT, however, Mothers and Rogers nestles quietly at its corner, and patrons come and go placidly through the 40s decor, which a

While Kost serves as a major domo, head man, and general manager of the affair, there is a "helper" around. Pat Kost is Bob Kost's wife, and any conversation between the two about business reveals an active partnership is underway.

THE ORIGINAL Rogers Chow Mein was founded in 1946 by Roger Larson and Harlow Richardson. Bob and Pat Kost bought the St. Clair spot in 1971 and kicked the sales volume from \$5,000 a year to \$100,000, according to Kost.

Not long after, they took over a store next door and opened Roger's Dining Room (featuring Pat's Italian Spaghetti), destined to become a Mothers.

There is take-out service at Rogers daily from 11:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. and at Mothers from 5:00 to 10:00 every night by Sunday.

by **KEN WISNESKI**



Above at Mothers waitress Kathy Polejewski pours for Ramsey County deputies on a coffee break. At right, Pat Kost, Bob's wife, flips burgers behind the scenes.

friend of Kost's recommended he leave untouched when the proprietor suggested updating.

It is a place for couples, and students, and police and firemen and families. A night out that doesn't break the bank in an atmosphere reminiscent of the old parlor at home. (Along with beer and wine). The walls are lined with photos of Kost's former activities and of the owner posing with celebs.



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Workshops, films for youngsters to be offered at Institute of Arts

Workshops on West African art and printmaking will be offered for young people during January at the Minneapolis Institute of Arts.

Young people ages 7-14 will explore West African art and culture in a workshop on Sunday, January 15. Students will illustrate an African tale and learn a counting game played by African children. Tuition is \$4.00.

In conjunction with the special exhibition, "The Golden Age of Rembrandt, the museum will sponsor a drawing and printmaking workshop for students ages 6-14 on Sunday, January 29. Tuition is also \$4.00.

Registration information for both workshops is available at the Arts Resource and Information Center at the museum (870-3131).

Two Family Theatre films will also be shown during

Queen of Snows fashion show set

The eighth annual Queen of Snows Fashion Show and Luncheon, sponsored by the Women's Division of the St. Paul Winter Carnival, will be presented Wednesday, January 25 at the Minnesota Ballroom of the Radisson Hotel. The reception will begin at 11:00 a.m. with a luncheon served at noon.

The event honors the 1977 Queen of Snows and her court.

The 23 candidates for the 1978 Queen of Snows title will be introduced and will model fashions from local stores and shops. Dee Arnold and Mrs. Harold Levander, Jr. will provide the commentary.

The luncheon, traditionally a sellout, is open to the public. Reservations can be made with Mrs. Donald Zalk, 3044 Shorewood Lane. Cost is \$6.75 per person.

Area residents elected to Minn. Orchestra boards

Six Highland area residents were elected to the governing bodies of the Minnesota Orchestral Association at the annual meeting on December 9.

New members on the board of directors include Frank H. Coyne, 662 Goodrich Ave., who was also elected association treasurer; Joseph Micaloff, 7 Montcalm Ct.; Daniel Wilder, 740 River Dr.; and Harry L. Holtz, 714 Woodridge Dr., Mendota Heights.

Elected to the association's executive committee were Mrs. Thelma Hunter, 1175 Orchard Place, Mendota Heights; and Harry Holtz.

The association is the sponsoring organization for the Minnesota Orchestral Board members were elected to three-year terms; executive committee members to one-year terms.

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Caravan offers dance workshops

Twin Cities' dancers and musicians are invited to attend a special "Music for Dancers" workshop, offered by Caravan Dance Collective, 330 No. Prior Ave., as part of its December intensive course with guest artist Diane Elliot.

Ted Kalmon, Music Director at the University of

Illinois Dance Department, will conduct the two sessions, scheduled for December 26 and 27 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Both sessions will be held at Dome City, 1507 University Ave. SE, and are open to the public with an admission fee of \$2.50 per session.

Cricket Theatre joins 'The Club'

Welcoming in the New Year at the Cricket Theatre will be the production of Eve Merriam's *The Club*, which opens Friday, December 30 at 8:00 p.m.

Compiled from misogynist songs and jokes of 19th century England and America, the play spotlights a crew of moustache-twisting, cigar-smoking women who sing, dance and wisecrack their way through an Edwardian men's club.

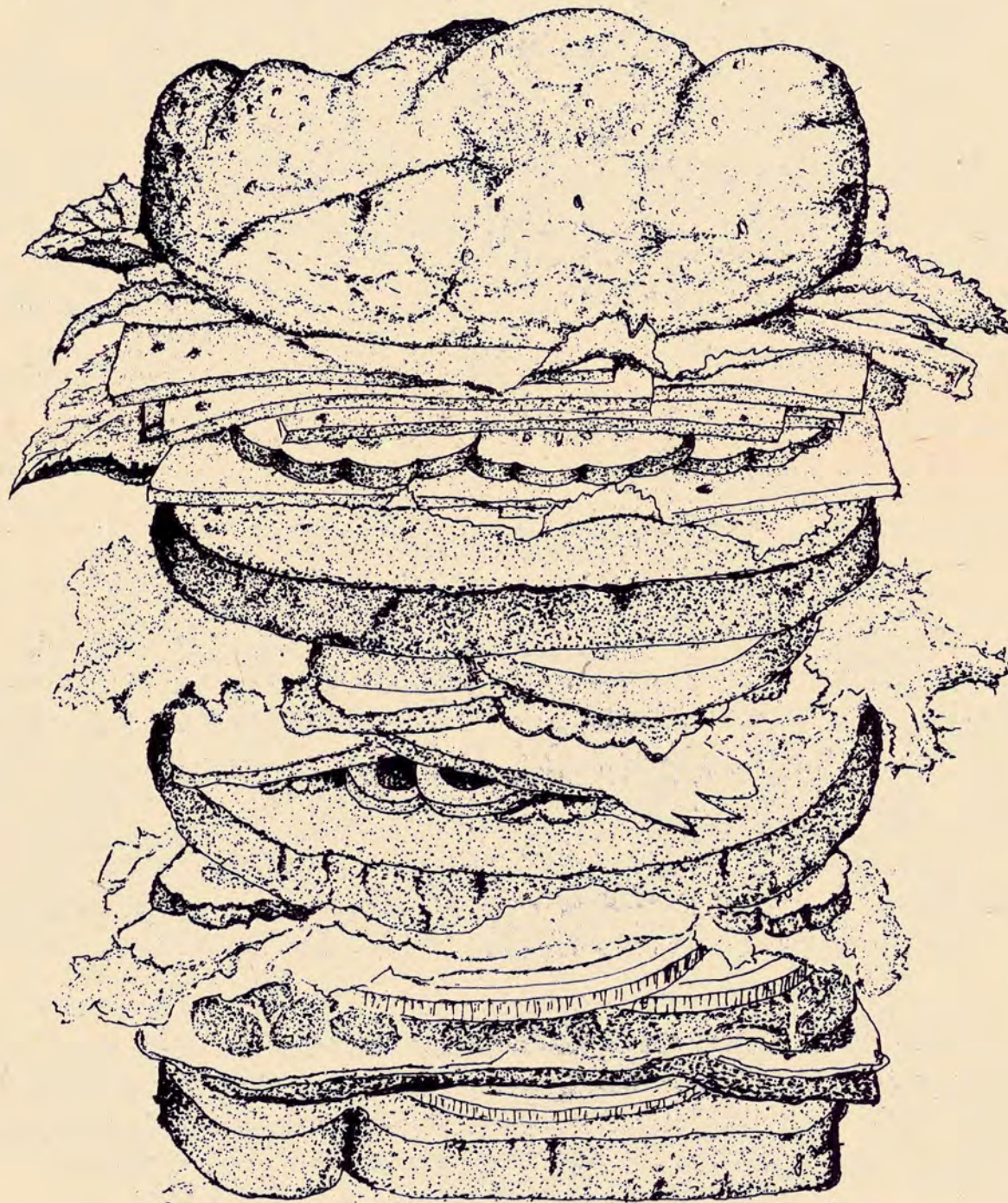
The Club will run weekends through January 21. For ticket information, call the Cricket Theatre box office at 379-1411.

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Saint Paul 'Snowflake Fantasy' to feature over ninety events

From mini-boggan races in Highland Park to a "Saintly City Cat Show"—the more than 90 events scheduled as part of the 1978 Saint Paul Winter Carnival will kindle the spirits of all those inhabitants of King Boreas' frosty realm.

Set to officially open on January 27, this year's "Snowflake Fantasy" in-

cludes the following "people participation" activities that all are invited to enjoy:

International 500 Snowmobile Race. The race will begin January 23 in Winnipeg, and finish in St. Paul at Lake Phalen on January 26. Entry forms are available from the carnival office, 131 Metro Square, 222-4416.

King Boreas Downhill Skiing and Demonstrations. Free downhill skiing instructions will be given at the Capitol Approach area from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. January 30 to February 3. Equipment will be provided.

Junior Tennis Tournament. The tourney will be held in the St. Paul Indoor Tennis Club January 27 to 29 and is open to all boys and girls 18 years-of-age or

younger. Contact Jack Johnson: 774-2121.

Tennis Tournament. Open to men and women, this singles tournament is sanctioned by the Northwest Tennis Association. Contact Bill Kridle: 636-5100.

Radar Run. Snowmobilers are invited to drive their machines over a quarter-mile track and have their speeds recorded on radar from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday, January 29. Contact Roger Runyon: 566-5050.

Checkers Tournament. All are invited to participate in the open checkers event, sponsored by the Minnesota State Checker Association, at the Happy Chef Restaurant in Roseville February 4 and 5. Contact Henry Cunningham: 788-5276.

Sleigh and Cutter Parade. Vintage sleighs and cutters

will be paraded at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, January 29 at Como Park. To enter, contact John Cina: 433-3268.

Amateur Talent Show. Singers, dancers, musicians, magicians, jugglers, comics and other talented performers of all ages are invited to audition. The show will be held at 7:00 p.m. Friday, January 30 at the Prom Center. Applications are available at 131 Metro Square (222-4416).

Bridge Tournament. Duplicate bridge will be played February 3 to 5 at the St. Paul Armory. Beginners will play in the evening. Contact Nelsine Stuhlman: 457-2447.

Cat Show. Cat owners may enter their pet in the Saintly City Cat Show at Stem Hall, St. Paul Civic Center, January 27 to 29. Contact Barb Thoreson: 772-2244.

Carnival Park. Kids of all ages are invited to Como Park, the scene of Carnival Park during the ten-day 92nd anniversary celebration. Carnival Park will be the setting for a giant snow slide, snowman building contests, ice sculpturing contests, competitions and outdoor winter sports demonstrations.

Five Mile Running Race. Joggers in Boreas' realm are invited to participate in its first Winter Carnival race at 6:00 p.m. Saturday, January 28. The race will be divided into an open category for anyone under the age of 40, a master's category for those over 40, and a women's division. Contact Steve Hoag: 690-5488.

Broomball Tournament. Both men's and women's teams can enter the world's

largest Broomball Tournament (January 27-29). Deadline for entries is January 23. Contact Paul Howard: 484-3358.

Klondike Kate Casino. Sponsored by the Jaycees, this casino is designed like an Alaskan frontier bar and features "Klondike Kate" who is selected by audition. Prospective "Kates" should call Dr. Eugene Arnal: 225-8272.

Ice Sculpturing Contest. All are invited to chisel their way to fame and fortune in this contest at Carnival Park January 28. The competition, with separate categories for professionals and amateurs, will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Contact Art Murray: 922-1459.

Square Dance Festival. This annual do-si-do fest will be held from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m. Saturday, January 28 at the Civic Center Auditorium. Contact Tom Carol: 457-1610.

Archery Tournament. Bow and arrow enthusiasts are invited to enter the target competition February 4 and 5 at Bwana Archery Lanes. Contact John Larson: 774-3020.

Ski Jumping Championships. Registered skiers in the central division of the U.S. Ski Association are invited to compete in this spectacular event from 1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday, January 29 at Harrington Hill. Junior skiers can participate in a separate competition at 7:00 p.m. February 2 and 3 at Harrington Hill. Contact Dick Wakefield: 777-3151.

Backgammon Tournament. All backgammon players are invited to par-

ticipate in this tourney February 4 and 5 at the University Club. Contact Lee Silverstein: 698-4436.

Bel-Rae Polka Carnival. Polka fans will dance and twirl at the Bel-Rae Ballroom in Moundsview at 6:00 p.m. Saturday, January 28. Contact Tony Jambor: 786-4630.

Chess Tournament. The tourney is open to all chess players from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. January 28 and 29 at the Iowa Hi Rise. Contact Dave Kuhns: 489-2418.

Table Tennis Open. Players of all abilities are invited to participate in this state tourney January 28 and 29 at Apache Plaza. Contact Don Larons: 724-9666.

Little Canada Slo-Pitch Softball on Ice. Both men's and women's teams are invited to participate in this winterized softball on Ice Gervais from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. January 28 and 29. Contact Michael Fahey: 484-3261.

King Boreas Cross-Country Ski Tour. All are invited to tour the ten-kilometer course at Keller and Phalen from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. January 29. Contact Shirley Hale: 298-7404.

Mutt Races. Pet dogs will pull sleds across White Bear Lake from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. February 5. Contact Betty Anderson: 566-8539.

The World's Original Ice Fishing Contest. Fun, fish and a hole await Carnivalites of all ages who join the 5,000 fishermen crowding the ice on White Bear Lake from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. January 29. Contact Ray Asmus: 331-6330.

Squash Tournament. The Minnesota State Squash Racquets Association will include men's singles and doubles and women's singles in its tournament January 23 to 27 at the University Club and Commodore Hotel. Contact Brian Ross: 559-0306.

Handball Tournament. Handball enthusiasts are invited to participate in the tournament at the Midway YMCA January 30 to February 4. Contact Lou Di-Virgilia: 645-4631.

Beard and Moustache Contest. Anyone desiring to grow face fur is eligible to

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Olympia to present 'The Clown Show'

The Clown Show, a tale of a family circus whose existence is threatened by a nasty circus-hater named Pantalone, is currently being staged by the Olympia Arts Ensemble at its theater, 200 No. 3rd St., Mpls. The show, which includes a workshop/demonstration for kids of all ages, will continue December 21-23 and 26-30. Show time is 7:30 p.m. and admission is \$1.75. For more information, call Olympia Theatre at 333-4858.

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Two college courses offered at Jewish Community Center

Two classes sponsored by the Inver Hills Community College-Oneida Education Program will be taught at the JCC beginning in January. Classes may be taken for credit or strictly for their educational benefit. "Adolescent Psychology" begins January 9 and runs for 11 weeks, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Mondays. Fee is \$34.50 and three credits may be obtained by taking the course. "Death and Dying" starts January 4 and runs for 11 weeks, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. Fee is \$34.50 and the class also offers three credits. Tuition assistance is available. Further information may be obtained by calling Terry Crowley at 227-7803.

Winter Carnival (continued)

enter this event. Beards and moustaches will be judged separately on January 27. Contact Je Francis: 339-0385.

Racquetball Tournament. Top racquetball players throughout the midwest may participate in this tournament at the Court House February 3-5. Contact Harold Show: 224-9428.


Badminton Tournament. Shuttlecocks will be flying at Mariner High School February 4. Players of junior high school age and older are welcome. Contact Barbara Horwitz: 690-5421.

Mini-Boggan Race. Children under 13 are invited to

participate in this annual event at Highland Park Hill the morning of February 4. Race time is 9:00 a.m. until noon. Contact Mike Jay: 488-5756.

AAU Swim Meet. National AAU swimmers of all ages are invited to swim competitively in this two-day event February 4 and 5 at Parkview Junior High School. Contact Doug Hanson: 774-5781.

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Jewish Community Center

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION

A week of international sports competition for youth will be held January 2-6 at the Jewish Community Center in St. Paul and at the Yahud Center in Jerusalem when the JCC team takes on its Israeli counterpart. The two centers will exchange scores to determine winners in events which include track and field, swimming and diving, racquetball, tennis and badminton. If you're a JCC member in grades K-3 or in junior and senior high, you can register to join the team by calling Michael Witenstein at 698-0751.

SNOW TUBING SCHEDULED

An afternoon of snow tubing at Highland Park for fifth and sixth grade Center members has been scheduled for 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Sunday, December 5. After the hearty outdoor exercise, youngsters will come back to the JCC for hot chocolate and rolls. Cost is \$1.00 (if reservations are made before December 23) or \$1.50 the day of the event (if space permits). Reservations and payments should be made at the Center front desk. See you on the slopes!

JCC YOUTH BASKETBALL

JCC youth basketball is now in full swing. Come watch the action on Sundays. Pee Wees play at 1:15, Midgets at 2:15, and Junior High at 3:15 p.m. You may also watch the Little Dribblers learn to play at 1:30 p.m. The final registration date for the Midgets and Junior High leagues is December 25. Contact Rich Danov at 698-0751.

NEW YEAR'S CLOSINGS

The Jewish Community Center will be open on Sunday, January 1 during its regularly scheduled Sunday hours. The Center will be closed all day on Monday, January 2.

**Inver Hills Oneida Center offer
continuing ed. courses for adults**

A wide variety of continuing education courses will be offered to area adults this winter by the Inver Hills Community College/Oneida Education Center off-campus college program.

Most winter courses will begin the first week of January.

The 1978 winter quarter classes include:

Accounting Cycle, Business Mathematics, Financial Management for Owners of Small Businesses, Life-Career Planning, English Composition, Introduction to the Human Services, Helping Skills in Human Services, Death and Dying, Introduction to law Enforcement, Ballet, Basics of Modern Dance, Adolescent Psychology, Beginning & Intermediate Typing, Interpersonal Communications, History of St. Paul's West 7th St. Area, Community, Neighborhood Planning, Conversational Spanish (Intermediate), Giving the Job Your Best Shot, and Business Correspondence Workshop.

Class locations include

the Park Square Court Building, downtown YWCA, West 7th Community Center, West Side Neighborhood House, Adult Continuing Education Center, Homecroft School, Jewish Community Center, and Oneida Education Center.

Anyone interested in registering may call Kathy Shannon or Terry Crowley at Oneida Education Center (227-7803)

**Center compiles
volunteers' list**

A comprehensive list of summer volunteer opportunities for young people is currently being compiled by the Voluntary Action Center of St. Paul.

The list will be distributed to schools and other youth-serving organizations in early 1978. Additional listings are being sought by the Center from agencies and organizations with a need for young volunteers. Those needing youth volunteers this summer should call the Center at 222-0561 during office hours Monday through Friday.

HPWC to meet

The Highland Park Women's Club will meet at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, January 5 in the home of Mrs. Larry Windrum, 1648 Highland Pkwy. Mrs. L.S. Mercer will present a travelogue at the meeting.

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graduates—Courtemanche and Medernach from Henry Sibley, Brennecke from St. Paul Open School, and Coyle from Cretin. During their years in college, the four will receive a regular NROTC scholarship which pays their tuition, fees, cost of textbooks, uniforms, and \$100.00 per month.

Holiday hosts

Keep your drinking guests alive

'Tis the season of holiday hospitality and friendly parties which usually involve alcoholic drinks and driving, a particularly dangerous combination.

Alcohol is implicated in more than half of all fatal crashes nationwide. In Minnesota, of the fatally injured drivers tested last year, nearly two-thirds had been drinking before the crash. More than half those tested had blood alcohol levels at or above .10 percent, the point where driving is illegal in Minnesota.

Holiday party hosts can take several practical steps to help guests avoid a vehicle crash due to too much drinking, according to Minnesota Public Safety Commissioner Edward Novak. He offered the following suggestions:

*Always serve food with alcohol. High-protein foods—cheeses and crackers, pizza, cheese-sausage balls, pickled or deviled eggs, sour cream and cheese dips, cold cuts—are recommended because they slow absorption of alcohol into

the blood.

*If alcoholic punch is served, use a non-carbonated base. Alcohol is absorbed faster when combined with carbonated mixes. Have non-alcoholic drinks available for guests who prefer these drinks.

*Keep several jiggers or shot glasses at the bar for guests who mix their own drinks. Pouring with standard measures helps prevent excessive intake.

*Remember, the body gets rid of about one drink per hour. The process cannot be speeded up by physical exercise, black coffee or cold showers. These only turn a sleepy drunk into a wide-awake drunk.

*About an hour before the party ends, switch to non-alcoholic drinks and a lunch.

*There is always a chance some persons will drink too much. Do all you can to see they do not drive. Suggest, and even insist, that someone else drive home. Take them home yourself, or have them stay overnight.

MPR schedules holiday programs

Minnesota Public Radio will present three special holiday programs over Christmas weekend.

A festival concert of modern Christmas works for chorus and orchestra, recorded earlier in the month at Orchestra Hall, will be broadcast at 8:00 p.m. Friday, December 23. The Minneapolis Civic Orchestra and the choirs of Westwood Lutheran, Westminister Presbyterian and Plymouth Congregational churches will perform works by Debussy, Honegger, Stravinsky, Finzi and Lockwood.

On Christmas night, Garrison Keillor will bring listeners a good, old-fashioned Christmas with "A Prairie Home Christmas," at 7:00 p.m.

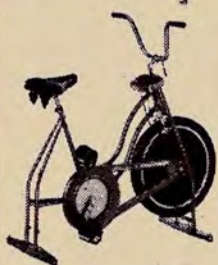
Tenor Luciano Pavarotti will be featured in a recital, recorded earlier in the year at Orchestra Hall, at 8:00 p.m. Monday, December 26. Pianist John Wustman will accompany Pavarotti in works of Giordani, Legrenzi, Beethoven, Donizetti, Rossini, Verdi and Tosti.

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Registration and testing for the winter quarter of Intensive Day English classes at the International Institute of Minnesota 1694 Como Ave. will be held from 9:30 to 2:30 p.m. on January 4 and 5.

The winter quarter will consist of two six-week sessions: January 10 to February 17, and February 27 to April 7.

Classes meet mornings and afternoons, Monday through Friday. For more information, call the institute at 647-0191.

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