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## CATHOLIC CLUB MARDI GRAS

It's time again for another climactic finish to a gala 1971 social season and the answer lies in the 14th Annual Rockaway Point and Breezy Point Catholic Club Mardi Gras, to be held this Saturday, Sept. 4, starting at 1:30 P.M. from St. Edmund's Church in Breezy Point.

President Bill Mullaly and General Chairman Frank Kelly and his committee advise that the line of march will be the same as last year, namely it starts at St. Edmund's and proceeds along the oceanside walk to the new Sugar Bowl, here it turns into Bedford Avenue up to the main roadway. At this point it turns left into Arcadia Walk then right along the rear of St. Thomas More Church and Hall to Ocean Avenue and right on same along the Bayside and then right again along Bedford Ave. to the Rockaway Coop shopping area whereas the entire parade and all the bands will break ranks and disband.

Please not for all interested (and we trust it will be a goodly number) the various bands engaged for the festivity will meet at 12:00 noon at the Breezy Point Basketball Court and compete amongst themselves for placement trophies as judged by our musical experts.

To assure the success of this huge undertaking for the delight and beautification of the entire beach may we humbly suggest each and every stockholder purchase a 1971 Mardi Gras Window Poster, and also a chance which affords all an opportunity to win wonderful cash awards while supporting a great cause.

The Catholic Club sincerely expect the same fine support of the beach populace, both concerning the record crowd entering the contest and parade (for which beautiful trophies are given for classified winners — in all categories.)

Volunteers are urgently needed for assistance on the line of march assignment — please attend the Catholic Club meeting on Friday night at 8:30 — be you a member of the club or not. Please everyone make an all out effort to either join or work on the Mardi Gras and continue to well deserved success and fame.

See you Saturday — oh, yes, please return your entry applications to either 66 Reid Avenue, c/o Point News, or the Catholic Club on Thursday and Friday nights. Final acceptance on Sat., by noon at the Sugar Bowl.

## STATES OF THE UNION

Last Saturday night (after the hurricane) the annual St. Thomas More Parish Party titled "States of the Union" played to a packed house. Over 600 parishioners and their friends had a marvelous time dining, dancing and imbibing in the liquid refreshments that were poured with abandon.

Father Joseph Keane, who organized this wonderful party, is heartily congratulated for the great job he did in making it a huge success. The committee who worked so hard was headed by John Durkin, Marie O'Neill (c/o tickets), John Price and Ronnie McCarthy.

The winners of the Parish Raffle were:

- \$1,000 1st prize: F. Vaccarino, 27 Beach 220th St.
- \$750, second prize: E. A. Horne, 11 Chester Walk.
- \$500, 3rd prize: N. Naveve, 204-37 8th Avenue
- \$250, 4th prize: Mrs. W. O'Meara, 18 Lincoln.

It was interesting to note that all were local winners this year. Father John Sexton, our pastor, was seen circulating wishing every-

one well. Our Democratic District Leader Sy Sheldon and his lovely wife made this event an occasion to visit the Point. Co-op Chairman John Carroll and most of our Directors attended. The new Rockaway Point Prexy, Frank Shine was seen tripping the light fantastic with his pretty spouse. Phil Simms provided the danceable tunes.

Father Sexton and Father Keane wish to extend their thanks to the committee and all those parishioners who supported the party.

## Breezy Marriage Encounter

Last Sunday night a group of interested married couples met at St. Thomas More's Parish Hall to experience a marriage encounter conducted by Father Charles A. Gallagher, S.J., and Father George Murphy, S.J. They were accompanied by two marriage teams who told how they found out about it and how it enhanced their family life.

Father Gallagher hopes that this is the first in a series of annual meetings at Breezy Point.

## HAPPY THOUGHTS



Gert Belford (another of our beach's glamorous grandmothers) along with her daughter Lizbeth Ryan, admiringly adore the beautiful twin girls, namely Margaret Ann, and Elizabeth Ann as they peacefully slumber during their christening party.

The christening was held at St. Thomas More R.C. Church on Sunday, August 29 at 3 P.M. and Judy (Belford) Carpenter and Jackie Ryan are the Godparents of Margaret Ann, while Mary Belford and Larry O'Laughlin are so honored to covet Elizabeth Ann. Congratulations to all the Ryan and Belford clan!!

## C.C. Getaway Social

The final shindig of the season and a real ball as past performances have proven, will be held this Sunday, Sept. 5, 1971 at the Catholic Club.

The merriment and dancing (by Frank Canade's Orchestra) begins at 7:00 P.M. and ends???

Entertainment chairman, John Vesey, has lined up a superlative floor show for this special occasion. Donations are still only \$5.00 a person and we suggest you call John McCullough at NE 4-2392 for your reservation. Naturally setups, food and beer, etc. are all included in this very nominal fee.

## Thanks

To Frank McNally (president of the Co-op) for bailing me out with his informative speech at our communion supper on a 3 hour notice.

To, all the committee chairmen, and the helpers for the excellent job throughout the season.

To, all the beautiful girls who helped make Ladies Night such a great success.

To, all the members, their friends and neighbors, who supported our Bazaar, Saturday Night Parties and the Mardi Gras.

To, God, for good health. To, my wife, for her understanding and patience.

Respectfully,

Bill Mullaly,  
Pres. of the Rock. Point.  
Breezy Point Catholic Club

## Editors' Note

So long for awhile — this being our season's final issue we sincerely wish to thank one and all for your appreciated support.

We trust you and yours will have a most happy and healthy winter and the good Lord willing, we will all meet again next spring.

The Owners and Editors

Gerard Jordan    Bettie Bertron  
John McManus    Chet Bertron

## C.C. Annual Memorial Mass

This Saturday morning at 9:30 at St. Thomas More R.C. Church, the Points Catholic Club will hold its Annual Memorial Mass for all deceased members.

President William Mullaly and chaplain Jerry Hennessey urge everyone to attend "as a daily prayer for our dead is a wholesome thought."

## DOWN SCREENS UP SHUTTERS

Betty Liana, Mike's lovely wife, always said the good byes to the paper. So we'd like first to say fare well to this wonderful Florida-based couple. Maybe they will visit us next year.

Before we say our adieu to our fabulous readers and great advertisers we want to review the Summer of '71. In General, it was a hot Sunny vacation. A little rain, and one heavy tropical storm did not detract from any of our enjoyment. The Gateway Problem is still with us, but not as the threat it was this time last year. Our Annual stockholders meeting drew 1200 residents, and the Point Breeze Assn. elections drew 500 voter members. Proof of the interest in local activities. The Bay Terrace Club opened and was a huge success. The Sugar bowl was revamped. The Barn became a mecca for Young people, Fran Jamin's Blarney was packed every Wednesday night, in the height of a recession our people spend money to have fun.

The inimitable Honey O'Farrell continued to report news and astrologically forecast our futures. Our reporter from Pelham, Jack McNally, a green politician, ran a very good race for the P.B.A. presidency and never lost his cool. Ann Parrillo, Tony Tacopina, Carol Bennett, Gene Stanbrough, Irene Walker our staunch local reporters were joined by Gale Degnan of Utica Walk who wrote the Turtle's Corner.

Our baseball reporters and those who kept you abreast of athletic activities on the Point, we gratefully Thank.

Special thanks to our volunteer Fire Departments and ambulance corps for their exceptional efforts. Our lifeguards for still another season, did a great job.

Rockaway Point News:

Dear Mr. Bertron:

Received the three editions in good condition and the Aug. 5th and 12th issues.

It's good to read—lots of friends acquaintances at Rockaway and Breezy Point and at Roxbury are still active. Sorry that some passed away. Hope the ones on the sick list will soon be on the well list. With many thanks, good health and happy days to You and the Staff. Sincerely,

Julia Hahn

P.S. — The late Arthur Eberle's Sadie and my nephew's wife Marion are sisters.

Good luck to young Bob Jones Jr. who left us on Monday to enter the Seminary in Connecticut.

This handsome young man whose wonderful family live on Doris Lane had a well deserved vacation here at his beloved beach prior to his departure.

Everyone wishes you Godspeed and every blessed success in your devoted calling! And our sincerest congratulations to your very highly esteemed family.

## Rep. Edward Koch on National Gateway

Mr. Gerard Johnson  
Mr. John Mc Manus  
The Rockaway Point News  
66 Reid Avenue  
Rockaway Point, New York 11697  
Gentlemen:

First let me thank you for your very kind letter and your including the statement which I made on the Breezy Point Co-op in your July 29th issue. Do keep me apprised of your community's activities and if I can be of assistance, please let me know.

May I suggest that you advise your readers that they should write to the members of the sub-committee in the House of Representatives before which the National Gateway presently is, urging that the Breezy Point Co-op land titles not be endangered.

There are two bills before that sub-committee, H.R. 6059, including the Breezy Point Co-op, and H.R. 8543 which excludes and thereby preserves the Breezy Point Co-op.

Your readers ought to know, as well, that my colleague and your Congressman, Frank Brasco, has worked very hard in support of his Breezy Point constituents.

Enclosed is a list of the members of the subcommittee to whom your readers should write.

Sincerely,

Edward I. Koch

Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation Members:

Roy A. Taylor, N.C., Chairman  
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## Labor Day Dedication

Just prior to the playoff game time (yet to be announced), on Monday — Labor Day, September 6th, Commissioner Tom Crawford, there will be a Memorial Flag raising ceremony paying our homage and respect to all of our deceased league's ball players. This year it will be especially dedicated to the late Ed Hanratty of Bayside, always one of the league's outstanding gentlemen and talented performer.

Please make every effort to attend and honor our never forgotten departed teammates.

## Glamorous Grandma



Ann Darcy (better known as Herb's Better Half) proudly displays the beautiful diamond chipped wrist watch she won by garnering 3rd place at the first annual Bay Terrace "Grandmothers Nite." Mrs. Frances Abbracciamento sponsored this rousing success and everyone looks forward to next year's event.

## POINTS SQUARE CLUB NEWS

The food was delicious — the music of Kay DeKruyff's accordion very singable and danceable — the refreshments stimulating — all to add up to fun for all last Saturday evening at the Points Square Clubhouse, when the men were host to the the ladies of the Square Club Auxiliary at Ladies's Night. It was one of the happiest occasions — wonderful to see old members — and some not so old — dancing the Alley Cat joining in the Hokey Pokey) — enjoyed by all in many a year.

Remember, friends — the Club is holding a Bingo on Thursday for an evening of fun and beautiful prizes. Cooperation and support at our last Bingo made it possible for us to make generous contributions to worthy organizations here at the Point. Thanks to all who have helped to make this summer such a successful one, financially and socially.

### Special Thanks

A special thanks to the children of Fulton Walk who ran a bazaar and collected \$100.00 for the missions. Those who participated are: Mary Beth Moffatt, Patricia Tietjen, Anne, Karen and Jeanette Donnelly, Joan Fitzgerald, Kathy Leahy and Diane Carr.

### Special Thanks to the Catholic Club

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Catholic Club for their donation to the church of \$500.00. There will be a Mass for Deceased Members of the Catholic Club on Saturday, September 4th at 9:30 A.M. in St. Thomas More Church.

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I certify that the statement made above are correct and complete. (Signed Gerard Jordan, Publisher)

See where our lovely neighbor Josephine Ruoff has contracted Dave Young and Goup Gormslak his helper, to build some new concrete decks and walks around her cute little homesite. Go to it lads and do your usual fine job for this charming neighbor!

Support Your Local Club

# CHRIST COMMUNITY CHURCH CHRONICLE

By MICKEY SUTHERLAND

Rev. Egbert Macklin, United Church of Christ, will be our guest speaker on Sunday, September 5th at 10:45 A.M.

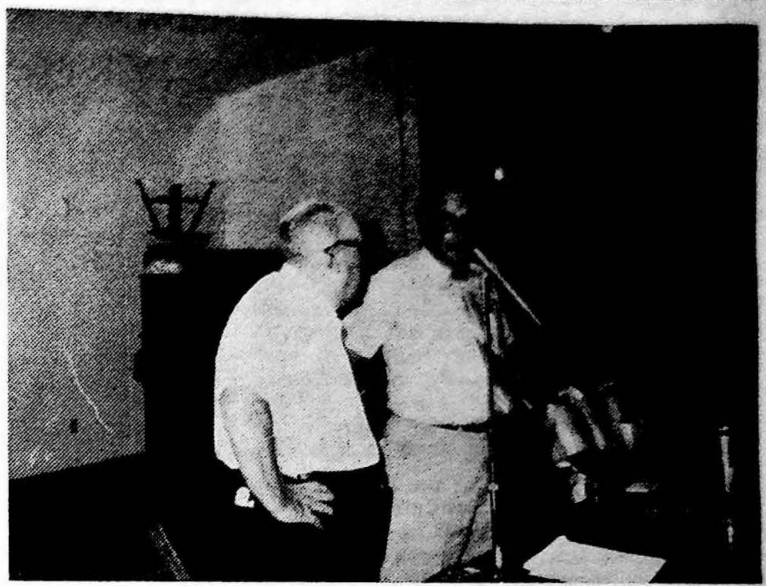
**SUNDAY SCHOOL** — under the guidance of Mrs. Ruth M. Brown, meets at 9:15 A.M. throughout the year. Children from 3 to 12 years of age are invited. Do come and enroll your children and bring their friends and visitors too.

**BIBLE STUDY CLASS** — under the guidance of Mrs. Loretta Bisset, is planned for teenagers and adults, starts at 9:30 A.M. in the main church and will be held for the last time this season on Sept. 5th. Do attend and learn a little more about the Bible and help in the discussion.

**MEMORIAL FLOWERS** — Anyone wishing to place flowers on the Altar at any time, are asked to please take an envelope (placed in the pews) and fill in the desired information and give to an usher or a member of the Altar Guild. These envelopes are for your convenience.

**LADIES GUILD MEETING** — The last meeting of the Ladies Guild will be held on Wednesday, September 8th at 8:30 P.M. At the last meeting the following were re-elected to office — President, Celia Morlock — Vice-President, Martha Peterson — Secretary, Helen Weiss and Treasurer, Anne Zeitel.

**BUS RIDE:** The Fellowship has planned a bus ride for Wednesday, September 22nd. They are going to visit the glass works at Flemington, New Jersey and then on to Peddler's Village. Anyone interested are asked to please contact Mrs. Madalyn Scheer at NE 4-4680. Reservations are \$11.00 per person which includes your meal at Peddler's Village. As there are only a few reservation left it is suggested that you contact Mrs. Scheer at once if you plan to go.



Cooperative General Manager Joe Stehn shown above addressing the recent Rockaway Point Association meeting, while President Walter McDonald and Treasurer Bill Ulbricht offer assistance during the informative question and answer period.

## Bay Terrace News

On Tuesday evening there will be a "Happy Hour" from 9:00 to 10:00 and on Thursday nites it will be from 8:00 to 9:00.

Remember all drinks are sold at half price, so come along with the bride and friends and commence a pleasant evening in the proper fashion.

Well, Charlie Cavanaugh of Reid Ave. has had a hard working summer renovating his abode but at long last (or so it seems to him and his family of helpers) it is really shaping up fine — although the recent "Doria" hurricane set him back several days!

Happy Anniversary to Dolly and Harry Blair, of Oceanside. They celebrated on August 29th. The best of everything to this grand couple.

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## Welcome Home

The smiling Irishman Tom Conlon of Market Street is home from Victory Memorial Hospital and looks great. He is very well on the road to recovery and thanks all of his neighbors and friends for their numerous cards and prayers, which in no small measure aided his resurgence to health.

Barrister Jack "Lover" Minett is coming along fine at the Veterans Hospital (at 23rd St. and First Avenue, (N.Y.C.) in fact he wants to come home already, a sure sign of a rapid recovery.

Please drop a card or pay a visit and keep him abreast of our community activities, which he loves. Good luck to the Finest . . . and Good health too!

## ROCKAWAY HIGH TIDES

Hours are given in E.S.T.

	A.M.	P.M.
Thurs., Sept. 2	5:06	5:30
Fri., Sept. 3	5:54	6:18
Sat., Sept. 4	6:42	7:06
Sun., Sept. 5	7:30	7:48

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Coop Manager Joseph Stehn visited the group and thanked them for their outstanding community effort and asked for a repeat performance in 1972. He also requested they continue their marvelous custom of decorating our cooperative area during the various holiday seasons.

The Committee thanked all for their efforts and especially Mrs. Frances Abbracciamento who handled the affair so beautifully.

**Mardi Gras starts at 1:30 P.M. from St. Edmund's Church. on Saturday, September 4, 1971**

**POINT BREEZE ASSOCIATION INC.**

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J. Fischetti, Pres.

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## Firemen and Friends

By IRENE WALKER

M may be for malicious but some-day may stand for Murder. The MFA (malicious false alarm) fire call last week resulted in a very severe injury to a member of the Breezy Pt. Fire Dept. I pray to God that no one is ever killed because of the actions of a selfish, unthinking joker.

The weather couldn't have been worse last Friday night but the turnout for the BLOOD BANK was fantastic. What made it even more amazing is that some people thought their blood donations were for the use of the fire department. The Blood bank belongs to the people of the community. It is released by us, which means we act as a middle man between you and the Red Cross.

She sings, dances and enjoys life to the hilt, her name is Alice Lee and she is 90 years young, and last Thursday she won the Grandma Contest at the Bay Terrace. It was like a mother-daughter contest since her own daughter Kay De Kruyff who is also a grandma was in the contest too.

Talk about rotten luck Past Chief Fred Willis who started a well deserved vacation began it in the Intensive Care Unit of Peninsula General Hospital. Out of danger but still resting I'm sure some get-well cards would raise his spirits, but knowing Fred you can't keep a good man down.

Hats off to Father Keane and his committee for a job well done. The time, planning, and efforts put into this annual affair at St. Thomas More was very evident and as the saying goes A good time was had by all.

Delightful and adorable are just two appropriate words describing the twins Margaret and Elizabeth Ryan in their christening outfits last Sunday. Their parents Donald and Betty Ryan not only produce beautiful children but provided all the ingredients for a real good time. I know god-parents are usually proud but I've never seen ones who smiled as much as god mothers Mary and Judy Belford and god-fathers Jackie Ryan and Larry O'Laughlin. Now that I think of it grandparents Gert Belford and Julie Ryan smiled a lot too. The twins brought the number to 6 for great-grandparents Mike and Mar-

garet Capiello.

Due to an emergency in my household I was unable to accumulate all the necessary information to introduce you to some of our members in the fashion they deserve.

May the wind be always at your back.

## HEARD 'ROUND THE POINT

By The ROVING REPORTER

Congratulations to Gin-Gin Cass who won the 6-7 yr. old (25 yard dash) for girls' in last week's R.P. Assn. races. Also to the Pfeifer brothers, Joe and Kevin who were on the winning relay team. They all received nice trophies.

Freddie Bertino, Jr. is finishing another year at the University of Bologna in Italy where he is studying medicine.

A word of thanks to Mrs. J. De Marco and children of lower Ocean Ave. for staging a Muscular Dystrophy Carnival on August 28th.

Happy birthday to Buster Brown who becomes 39 and on September 7th.

The Point was sure lucky last Friday when Hurricane Doria decided to pass us over. After hearing what happened along the East Coast we can be thankful for only some heavy rain and high winds.

Don't forget and support your Mardi Gras next Saturday either by parading, decorating your bungalow or just purchasing a Mardi Gras sticker. Remember this annual gala is only as good as you make it!

## Birthday Greetings

Happy birthday greetings to Mrs. Marge Capiello who turned a real young 76 on Sept. 1, 1971. This wonderful gal, along with Mike, her famous husband, is the senior ranking member of the R.P.V.F.D. Ladies Auxiliary and First Aid Unit, having served continuously since 1942.

Many, many more wonderful birthdays yet to come everyone wishes you.

## Confessions

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## YOUR STARS THIS WEEK

### Astrological Prognostications

By JEANNETTE O'FARRELL

**General Trends:** This full moon could trigger much violence — Also the possibility of hurricanes and earthquakes. People should try to keep calm until the wane of the moon.

**ARIES:** (March 20th to April 21st) This full moon warns you to watch your nerves and diet. Too much activities could cause a digestive upset-beware of too much intoxicating liquids. Eat and drink sparingly.

**TAURUS:** (April 21st to May 22nd) — A hectic social week is forecast for this full moon period. Be very careful when driving or traveling. Try to avoid quarrels with the mate or partner. Hold your temper.

**GEMINI:** (May 22nd to June 21st) — This full moon period promises to be a busy one — There could be much gadding about. Better watch the diet and continue to keep the blood pressure-down — Do not mislay the wallet or pocket book now.

**CANCER** (Moon children) — (June 22nd to July 21st) — As the moon controls your moods, do not let this full moon period cause a strain on the nerves. There could be much happy entertaining now, so, enjoy yourself to the fullest.

**LEO:** (July 22nd to Aug. 21st) — This should be a happy full moon period for you. Socially, it will be a hectic time, so, watch your step when walking or driving. A good week for gambling.

**VIRGO:** (Aug. 22nd to Sept. 21st) — Expect to do a lot of entertaining over this full moon period. It could be a very happy time for you, so enjoy yourself to the fullest.

**LIBRA:** (Sept. 22nd to Oct. 21st) — This full moon period finds you very busy indeed. It is a good social time so, let your personality take over, but, do not mislay your wallet or pocketbook. There is the danger of a robbery.

**SCORPIO:** (Oct. 22nd to Nov. 21st) — Watch your nerves over this full moon period. You could have too much entertainment to do. Eat light foods and do not overindulge when participating of intoxicating liquids.

**SAGITTARIUS:** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21st) — This hectic full moon period could cause a digestive upset, so try to take it easy when entertaining. A good time now to buy new type clothes or get a new hair do.

**CAPRICORN:** (Dec. 22nd to Jan. 21st) — Try to get some rest over this full moon period. It promises to be a hectic one. Your personality will shine now, so have a happy, happy time.

**AQUARIUS:** (Jan. 22nd to Feb. 21st) — Expect to do a lot of entertaining over this full moon period. It promises to be a hectic one. Do not eat or drink too much when the nerves are tense. There could be much gaiety around you.

**PISCES:** (Feb. 22nd to Mar. 20th) — This full moon period promises to be a happy one. Your personality will shine. If there is a weary feeling from too much gadding about, try to get off by yourself and take a short rest.

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## BEDFORD BANTER

By CAROLYN BENNETT

Last Sunday evening Bedford Ave. neighbors enjoyed what was possibly their most beautiful night of the season. More than 100 of them got together for a late afternoon and evening of good food, which included raw and steamed clams, corn, beer and soda, plus the many great dishes prepared and shared by each: chow mein, baked ziti, eggplant parmesan, sausages, meatballs, baked beans, salads, etc. Several hilarious races followed, with children winning prizes and adults enjoying their antics.

Probably the highlight of the evening was the bonfire after dark, where there was marshmallow roasting and a sing along. After grownups tried a few songs, Huey White got the youngsters started. (He looked like the Pied Piper with 30 children behind him.) They marched around the fire, and when he tired, they sat 'round it, singing everything from the Disney hits of yesterdays to the rock songs of today. The boys' specialty were the TV beer commercials.

One of the best numbers was a bit out of season — "White Christmas". I don't think anyone by the fire or sitting along Bayside will ever hear that song again without fond memories of a glowing beach fire, warm, friendly faces and the voices of happy children.

The party was such a success because people on Bedford work together and care about each other in a very unique way. Each one did his share in preparations, handling the party itself and cleaning up afterwards. But it wouldn't have happened at all without Huey White's efforts in planning and seeing it through. Many thanks from all of us, Huey, for a very special evening. It was appropriately called a "First Annual" because it MUST be repeated next year.

Something else to be grateful for — that Doria was a fairly considerate lady Friday night. There was very little damage here during the storm, except for some boats at Bayside. Then there were clear skies Saturday for the outdoor — indoor States of the Union Dance at the Church that night. Quite a few beautifully dressed ladies from Bedford along with their husbands enjoyed the continuous food, drink, music and fun: the Fallons, Gilbrides, Williams, Whites, Pierces, Bennetts, Meehans, Maureen and Tom Hennessey, Eileen O'Loughlin. Ann Boyhan was there but without Jim, since his recent toe operation makes dancing impossible for some time. But quite a few of their friends came back afterward for partying on the Boyhan's piazza — their back deck is an outdoor ballroom and great fun. Jim's not used to inactivity and is getting restless now. We hope he is back at paddleball and fishing before the season ends. Let the work go, Jim, till next year.

Their daughter, Kerry, had quite a scare Saturday evening when she was hit by a car as she waited to cross the road at Bedford Ave.

X-rays were taken and, fortunately, she suffered only a few bruises, but neither Kerry nor her family or friends will soon forget it.

We can be very proud of our young athletes along Bedford. At the annual swimming meet held last week at the Surf Club, quite a delegation from our walk competed and did very well. There were separate categories according to age, and some of our winners were: Richie Ryan, 1st; Charles Gilbride, 2nd; and others placing 4th in their individual meets: Kerry Boyhan, Chris Hyland, Patrick and Danny Duffy. Others who swam very well were: Gerry Williams, Tricia Hyland, Kathleen White, Jackie Bennett, Michael and Richard Kates.

Bedford Ave. can also boast of its young baseball and softball players who contributed so much to the Rockaway Point All Stars this year. The major and minor teams in both the boy's and girl's leagues crushed their Breezy Point competition in last week's games. Among the girl's softball stars were: Maureen, Pat and Ginny Bennett, MaryAnn and Regina Hyland, Carol and Mary Ellen Keenan and Claire Noonan. Jacky Willis and Jimmy Bennett played on the boy's team, capably coached by Kevin McCormick, a very versatile athlete from Bedford Ave. The Rockaway Point All Star team's record is a very impressive one throughout the years. Victory seems to be a habit with them.

With just two days to Mardi Gras and the Labor Day weekend, many of us are getting set for our last good time of the year. There may be weekends to enjoy here later on, but somehow it's never the same. That wonderfully relaxing, lazy summer feeling will be no more.

So let's enjoy the parade, the parties, each other's company, while they all last. Our farewells shouldn't be too sad. We're really fortunate to have it all to look forward to again next year.



These two hard working Elks are John Annunziata, Past Exalted Ruler and Jack Murphy, Chairman of the House Committee, just taking time out from their appointed chores for a moment of relaxation.

## PREVENT PIGEON POWER

By BEVERLY MARZUK

According to Roget's Thesaurus, the adjectives most descriptive are: annoying, pesky, pestiferous, bothersome, troublesome, maddening, offensive, and downright unhealthy. Put quite simply, these are dirty birds. I'm talking about pigeons. In my walks around Breezy Point I find them alarming to see ever increasing numbers of them on the bay side, telephone wires, and on the beach side. As we run for the early morning ferry each day we can see these feathered beachcombers devouring the pizza crusts, the cookie crumbs, the ice cream cones dropped thoughtlessly in the sand. These birds adapt themselves to any environment in which they are fed or encouraged to feed by careless litterers.

The pigeon, a descendant of a wild species "Columba livia," more correctly known as a Rock Dove, was domesticated centuries ago and mentioned in Egyptian writings dating from 3000 B.C. Since ancient times it has been valued for its homing instinct and is known to have been used by the Roman Army during the conquest of Gaul.

Economically, pigeons of a very special kind i.e. the King, Mondra and Carneaux breeds, are marketed as "squab," a highly nutritious delicacy. The sport of pigeon racing is popular in Great Britain, France and the United States, with Belgium the center of this activity. "Carrier" pigeons have been known to transport messages during war time or in spy activity and play a vital role in many mystery novels. Formerly large numbers of pigeons were used at "pigeon shoots" but modern manmade "clay pigeons" have replaced them. Pigeon fanciers keep a flock in the corner of an old barn or a small loft on the roof of a tenement.

The familiar pigeon is typical of the metropolitan landscape, found in flocks, preferring parks and squares wherever a few trees may afford a perch. Often this is the only bird seen by the children in the ghetto area where I work. In Venice when you have long forgotten the gondolas, the canals, the beautiful architecture in St. Mark's Square it is the pigeons and their accompanying dirt that you will remember. They breed the whole year round on sheltered ledges of cliffs, eaves of buildings, in beiries and steeples, under bridges, under the elevated subway structure. Their nest is a messy assemblage of debris, 2 eggs are laid, the incubation period is about 18 days. A breeding pair averages 6 or 7 broods a year. The coloring is slate-gray, sometimes with green and purplish iridescence on the head and neck, occasionally tan, even black and white. The sexes are indistinguishable but the male is the one with the inflated posture strutting and cooing in pursuit of the female. The preferred food is grain but they will eat seeds, peanuts, corn, bread, fruit, almost anything if desperate enough. They feed at bird feeders and drive away the small wild birds. Around garbage dumps they scavenge like seagulls.

The Breezy birds are "vagrants" meaning not cared for properly by a responsible owner. Many people are ignorant of the fact that pigeons are known to carry diseases harmful to man. The Department of Health's Bureau of Pest Control publishes a pamphlet in which it is stated: "Pigeons can be responsible for:

HISTOPLASMOSIS, a respiratory fungus ailment that comes from inhaaling spores in pigeon droppings,  
ENCEPHALITIS, a virus infection of the nervous system,  
TOXOPLASMOSIS, a cellular infection,  
SALMONELLOSIS, a bacterial food poisoning,  
CRYPTOCOCCAL MENINGITIS, an inflammation of the brain."

These diseases can cause serious illness and can even be fatal, therefore it is important to reduce the number of pigeons as a safeguard. The best way to do this is to withhold feed from these birds, and to discourage them from remaining on or near the buildings where you live or work. Their numerous droppings deface and permanently damage stone, metal, and wood. Your children play in the sand where these birds are wandering about.

For your health's sake, don't feed the pigeons no matter how cute you think they are. Don't allow your children to throw cookies, corn and dry cereals onto the sand; bury anything accidentally dropped. So that all garbage is contained and covered. Force these birds to live elsewhere by making them rely on "natural" foods as berries, grains, and insects rather than on handouts or littering.

On insets in buildings and cornices use wire mesh or chicken wire in such a way as to avoid a flat surface or ledge for the bird to walk on. On flat surfaces use a pigeon repellent in the form of pastes and sprays that irritate pigeon's feet but will not harm the bird. A friend of mine was slowly going mad from pesky pigeons on her air-conditioner. Finally she tried moth balls, but the dirty birds just kicked them off. Then she found the magic cure and don't ask me the scientific rationale. Someone told her that pigeons are deathly afraid of mice so she bought a sports rubber toy mouse and glued it to the air-conditioner. P.S. — no more pigeons.

If your problem where you live or work should become more serious check the Yellow Pages under "Bird Barriers, Repellents, and Control" for professional extermination advice.

So for your health's sake, don't feed the pigeons. Don't encourage their presence by dropping food in the sand. And the next time you are up on Time Square ask Father Duffy how he feels about pigeons.



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The text of the letter follows:

"On behalf of myself and Congressman Wydler, we request that you initiate a feasibility study of wetports, as a means of alleviating our congested airports.

"Increasing air traffic will necessitate the expansion of present airports as we of the metropolitan New York area are only too well aware.

"We realize that a considerable amount of study has already been done on wetports but very little has been produced in the way of comprehensive and conclusive results. Yet, wetports may offer a satisfactory alternative in by-passing many of the problems we now face in building conventional airports.

"We are not concerned only with congested airports but the noise and pollution problems — problems which are growing past the point of control if immediate steps are not taken to protect the people and the environment.

"The stated policy of the Congress and the Executive branch is to alleviate aircraft noise yet proposals have been made that will only increase the problem. The effects of aircraft noise have received increasing attention not only from government agencies but from the medical profession. Physicians and scientists have discovered alarming relationships between noise and health, including signs that high noise levels may lead to heart disease.

"In light of the very serious

congested airport problems and related problems of noise and air pollution, we urge that a comprehensive study of the feasibility of wetports be undertaken as soon as possible, and a report furnished for our information."

You may wish to make your views known to the Administrators of the two agencies we have contacted.

In that event, may I suggest you write to them in support of the study we have proposed.

Sincerely yours,  
Joseph P. Addabbo, M.C.

## Annual Softball Dance

On Saturday evening September 11th, at the Rockaway and Breezy Point Catholic Clubhouse, the eagerly awaited annual shindig and award presentation evening will be held. The fun starts at 9:00 P.M. and ends — who knows when!

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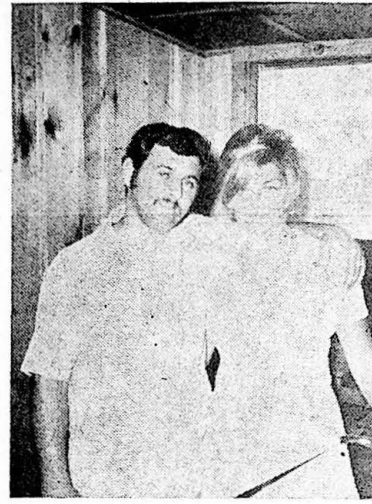
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The huge and happy throng who attended were dancing to and entertained by Kevin Flynn and George Leib Jr. and their quartet who really rocked the rafters.

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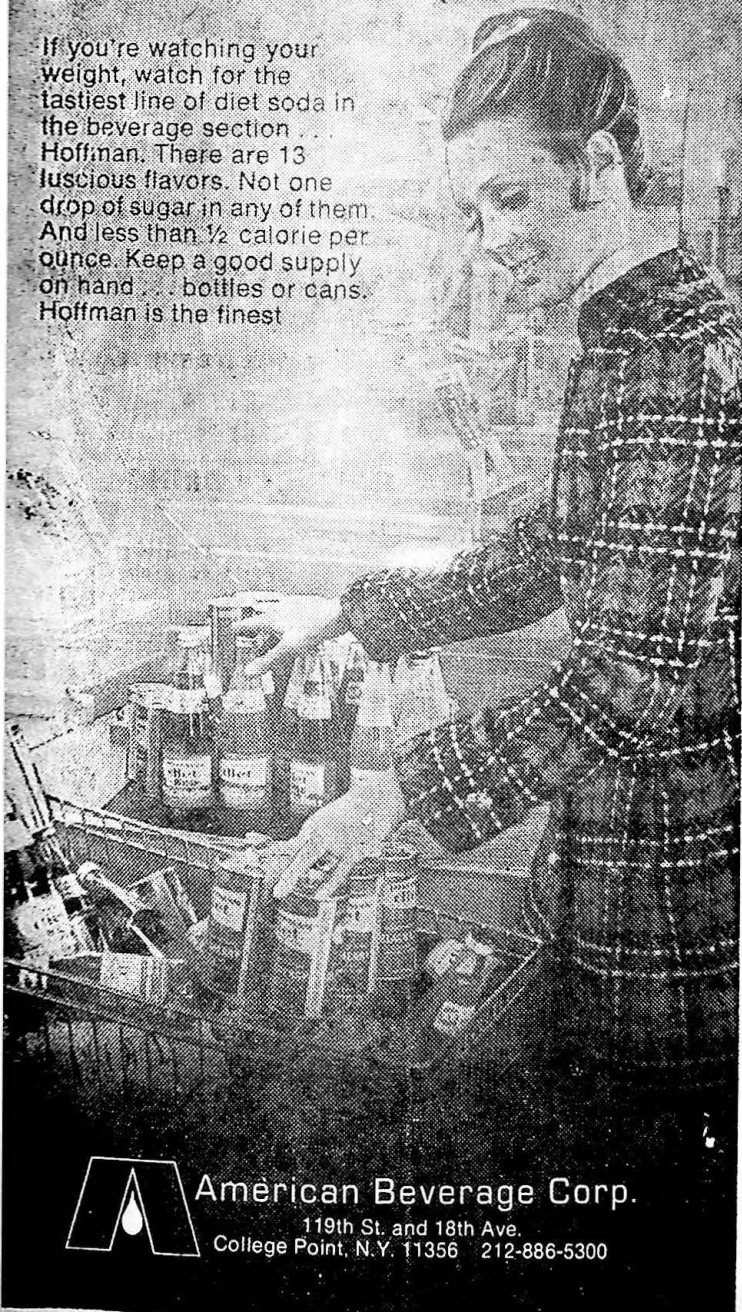
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Also in those days Morse & Gross and Friedberg operated the beach.

Also in 1919 the post office was near Kotter's orangeade stand.

Meet a real active old timer namely Artie Eberle whose father was president of the Breezy Point Association when Artie was a wee tot. Artie was a Point lifeguard for 12 years and also served in every fire department on the beach. He was King of the 1927 Mardi-Gras and also has served as a past president of the Points Square Club.

Al Neimeth first joined the beachcombers here in 1920!

This was also the year when a trolley car went from Beach 116th Street to Beach 145th Street and all those desirous of visiting the Point had to hoof it in. However, the area hereabouts was full of creeks and the Videograph picture

people constantly used it for an authentic African locale.

Kids along with Art Eberle used to earn 52c for returning each lost paddle (from the natives' canals) and receiving \$1.50 for each wagon or canoe they found drifting freely or else bogged down in the marshlands, during the filming of the movies.

In 1922 Art's father and John Brennan, the secretary of the Point Breezy Association, discovered a bomb on the beach at Fort Tilden. The army was alerted and dispatched 8 men and 1 officer to the scene. They carefully took the bomb to headquarters and while examining it there, it exploded and killed all nine men instantly.

Art Eberle vividly recalls the night that 16 people all drowned at Fort Tilden and the oceanside. The Sheepshead Bay Canoe Club sponsored a canoe party and some of the crafts floundered and sank despite heroic efforts on the part of the United States Army personnel and small craft skippers, who managed to rescue many persons, but unfortunately 16 still perished.

P.S. This column was presented to us in 1969 by the late Artie Eberle, a wonderful pioneer and true American who will be sorely missed by all who knew and loved him!

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### Rockaway L.L. Stars Rip Breezy's Best

As has become custom, all-star teams from Rockaway Pt. and Breezy Pt. met last week to decide which colony boasts the stronger Little League. In the minor League (10-12), Rockaway zipped Breezy 6-0 and in the major league encounter (ages 13-16), Rockaway smashed Breezy 21-3.

In the minor league game, Joe Schriener fired a six-hit, 9 k's shut-out for Rockaway Pt. M. Murphy, Breezy's hurler, alto pitched a good game, but his efforts were undermined by some sloppy fielding and a few key hits by Rockaway Pt. Rich Bailey's two run double was the big hit in a 3-run second inning, and after a walk, an error, and single by Frank McCarthy in the third, Tom Stray slashed a line drive double down the right field line, all but deciding the contest right there. Breezy mounted a serious threat in their last at-bat, but Buster Dundon's diving, tumbling catch of Murphy's drive up the right center alley ended the game, robbing Murphy of his 3rd hit

The major league game was decided in the first three innings, when Rockaway piled up a 12-2 league. "Goup" Gormley was the winning pitcher, flippin ga four hitter. Stars at the plate were led by Billy Ryan, Rockaway's major league MVP, who went 5-for-5 six RBI's. Steve Sluyk crashed a three run homer and had five RBI's for the day. Bob Pintauro cracked two hits and made the game's outstanding play at third base. Jim Carlson reached base five consecutive times on hits and walks. This game can be summed up best by looking at Rockaway Pt.'s first three batters, who reached base safely 14 out of 15 combined at bats on 8 hits, 5 walks and an error. Congratulations to all the boys from both teams, Rockaway and Breezy Pt., whose playing ability enabled them to participate in this year's all-star game.

Kevin McCormack

# SPORTS

By CHET BERTRON

## ARRIVEDERCI 'TIL '72

Today, Weisman's Warriors put it all together and trounced Bay Terrace 13-1.

It was a must win for Chuck Klein's team. Next Sunday, Sept. 5th they must beat Ronan's Paint to tie for the second half championship. After that??

Rudy Schaberick pitched his usual fine game for the Warriors, limiting Bay Terrace to six hits.

Jimmy Noonan, Roy Buescher and Billy Simmons were the big guns for Weisman with ten hits and eleven RBI's between them.

Kevin Smith and Danny Klein sparkled on Defense for the Warriors.

So, next Sunday at 12:30 it's all on the line, but Weisman's team is very confident. So are their faithful cheerleaders, Kathy Harnett, Laura Schreiner, Amy Hartung and their many followers.

Jack Harnett

## SOFTBALL DOINGS

Last Sunday the league completed all of the scheduled contests and when the smoke had cleared away from the battles it was apparent that the remaining three contenders are Ronan (4-1), Weisman (4-2) and R.P.V.F.D. (4-2). All three of whom seek that coveted title of second half champions.

The Blarney Castle team defeated the Catholic Club Unit (1-0) in a taut game highlighted by great pitching and defense. This lose dropped the blue and gold out of contention but they can still wreak havoc by defeating the R.P.V.F.D. team next Sunday.

Meanwhile the Big (Red Machine held onto a 2nd place tie by trouncing the Ducks (9-2).

Bill Basher and his pride team valiantly fought Phil Sheas, Ronan Paint aggregate and were on top throughout most of the contest only to be defeated by the lethal power of the R.P. attack in the 6th inning when they went ahead to stay, and thus remain in 1st place in the league standing.

This Sunday Sept. 5 our final day of play will be most exciting as three teams will be battling down to the wire to maintain an opportunity to grasp the gold ring!

Come on out and support your teams and make it a fitting climax to a great season!

Good luck to young "Jake McGuire of the "Ducks" who along with Michael King of Reid Ave., departed from our shores recently to return to New Mexico to college. Have a good year lads!

## 2nd Half Standing

Thru Sunday, Sept. 5th

Team	Won
Ronan Paint	4
R.P.V.F.D.	4
Weisman Lumber	4
Catholic Club	3
Pride	3
Ducks	2
Blarney Castle	2
Bay Terrace	1

### Schedule for Sun., Sept. 5th

A.M.	
11:00	Pride vs. Bay Terrace
P.M.	
12:30	Ronan Paint vs. Weisman Lumber
2:00	Catholic Club vs. R.P.V.F.D.
3:30	Ducks vs. Blarney Castle

## C.C. Golf Outing

Thanks to the efforts of President Bill Mullaly and chair Bob Esposito some 50 members and paying guests had an wonderful golf day at the far Forsgate Country Club, Jersey on Wednesday, Sept.

After a wonderful buffet supper the gang sang their way home (aboard the bus) to the 10th at Blarney Castle, where the tire day was relieved.

## Old Timers Still Going Strong

To prove there is life in the old carcasses yet, the old timers will cross bats once again on Saturday, September 11, at 10 sharp.

Please note the change of venue as the league's All-Star game will be played at Wengler Oval at 10 P.M. Therefore we must have a contest of fun, beer and endurance prior to same.

Everyone over 35 who fully enjoys a wonderful and memorable day, please keep this in mind. (Bring along \$1.00 for the "Chip-In").



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### RPA SWIM MEET

The following are the results of the RPA Swimming meet held at the Breezy Point Surf Club pool on Aug. 23, 1971.

- 25 Yards — Boys 6-7
    1. Richard Deach, 2. Jimmy Block, 3. Doug Beach.
  - 50 yards — Boys 8-9
    1. Shawn Roche, 2. Joseph Murach, 3. Chris Murphy.
  - 75 yards — Boys 10-11
    1. Raymond Kyne, 2. Jeremiah Murphy, 3. John McElduff.
  - 100 yards — Boys 12 and over
    1. Greg Wurm, 2. George Doan, 3. Kevin Madden.
  - Relay — 200 yards  
Boys up to 15 years  
Greg Wurm, Joe Petrone, Joe Pfeifer, George Dolan.
  - 3 leg race — Boys 6-7  
Tommy Henderson, Patrick Hughes
  - 3 legged race — Boys 8-9  
Billy Fleming, Jeffrey Fewer.
  - Boys 10-11  
Michael Orvis, Frank McKenna.
  - Potato Race — Boys 6-7  
Jim McVeigh.
  - Boys 8 & 9  
Joseph Murach.
  - Boys 10 & 11  
John McElduff
  - Boys 12 & Over  
Scott Beh
  - Wheel Barrow Race — Boys 6- & 7  
Greg Beach, John Tobin.
  - Boys 8-9  
John Roraty, Michael John Stah-
  - Boys 10 & 11  
Kerry Kearney, Jeremiah Mur-
  - Boys 12 & Over  
Chris McVeigh, Brian Madden.
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Case of Beer
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- gg Toss — Ice Bucket & Blanket

- Tom and Anne Tobin.
  - Log toss — 1 bottle of rye  
Larry Sturgis.
  - 15 yds. — Boys 6-7
    1. Jeffrey Dene, 2. John O'Rourke, 3. Richard Beach.
  - 25 yards — Boys 8-9
    1. Shawn Roche, 2. Charles Gilbride, 9. Bobby Dene.
  - 50 yards — Boys 10-11
    1. Richard Ryan, 2. Pete Tennyson, 3. Richard Bailey.
  - 100 yds. — Boys
    1. Jim McCarthy, 2\* Greg Morgillo, 3. John Johnson, 4. Kevin Maddon.
  - Boys Relay to 14 years
    1. Jim McCarthy, 2. Pete Tennyson, 3. Pat Malloy, 4. Jeff Minett.
  - 15 yds. — Girls 6-7
    1. Mary Jean Maddon, 2. Elaine Tennyson, 3. Kathy Greene.
  - 25 yds. — Girls 8-9
    1. Lee Canavan, 2. Evelyn Maddon, 3. Carolyn McKeown
  - 50 yds. — Girls 10-11
    1. Regina Maddon, 2. Mary Beth Moffatt, 3 Barbara Keenan.
  - 100 yds. Girls
    1. Diane Heilregel, 2. Chris Canavan 3. Maureen McKeown.
  - Girls Relay — 12 & Over
    1. Diane Heilregel, 2. Lori Wright, 3. Carol Fullum, 4. Chris Canavan.
  - Girls — 12 and Under
    1. Mary Beth Moffatt, 2. Ann Donnelly, 3. Karen Donnelly, 4. Pat Tietjen.
- \* 28 Fulton Walk.
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### FIELD DAY

The following results are from the RPA Field Day held Saturday, August 21, 1971.

- 25 yards — Girls 6-7
    1. Virginia Cass, 2. Mary Beth Murphy, 3. Elizabeth Murphy.
  - 50 Yards — Girls 8-9
    1. Lee Canavan, 2. Michele Dow, 3. Mary Carol Tennyson.
  - 75 yards — Girls 10-11
    1. Regina Madden, 2. Maureen Mallon, 3. Candice Beh.
  - 100 yards — Girls 12 & over
    1. Kathy Dolan, 2. Nancy McSavery, 3. Maureen Healy.
  - Relay 200 yards  
Girls up to 15 years  
Candice Beh, Mary Ellen Cullum, Barbara Keenan, Doreen Cuneo.
  - 3 leg race — Girls 6-7  
Mary Beth Murphy, Elizabeth Murray.
  - 3 legged race — Girls 8-9  
Mary Carol Tennyson and Susan McVeigh.
  - Girls 10-11  
Regina Madden and Eugenia Murphy.
  - Potato Race — Girls 6-7  
Nancy Kearney
  - Girls 8 & 9  
1. Margaret Mallon
  - Girls 10 & 11  
Sharon Kerrigan
  - Girls 12 & over  
1. Candice Beh
  - Wheel Barrow Race — Girls 6 & 7  
Mary Beth Murphy, Annette Malloy.
  - Girls 8 & 9  
Lee Canavan, Michele McVeigh.
  - Girls 10 & 11  
Regina Madden, Debbie Christian
  - Girs 12 & Over  
Joanne Campbell, Laura Marino.
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Young Ed McNoble, better known as "Fed" to his legion of friends, is shown wrapping up not only a bundle of papers (as he is manager of the Ryan Bal Paper Distributors) but in reality is also wrapping up another summer season. He departs soon to begin his freshman year at Cortland State College, in Cortland, N.Y.

All the luck in the world to another fine youngster — of which our beach is full of — and of whom we can all be very proud indeed!

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### TriTeen Agers' Note

Dear Friends and Parents of TriTeen Agers,

In spite of the bad weather, Friday, the donations made by you on Saturday were gratefully appreciated. A total of \$283.07 was collected by the members of TriTeen who showed up for the special meeting and volunteered their help. Of the 65 cards sent out 17 members responded. A grateful Thank you to Alice Schneller, Joanne McQuillen, Eileen and Jeanne Reverend, Debbie and Lori Wright, Patty O'Day, Chris Roethal, Debbie Thompson, Susan Boles, Tom Fulton, Jim (Pie) O'Brien, Mike (Crumpet) McCloud, and Bill Atwood for the unselfish effort made in door to door collections. A Special Thank you to Eileen Dunne and Connie Ficco who are not Teenagers and not members of TriTeen but worked as hard to make it a successful drive. Joe Boughal and Mike Cappilli also came and offered their help—Thank you both. Any help offered is always gratefully accepted.

Friends and parents if you are ever in the vicinity of TriTeen, when it is open (October 1, through April 30) please feel free to drop in and see what your donations are accomplishing. I'm sure you will be pleased. Again many Thanks for your help at this time.

TriTeen Association, Inc.

Wonderful to see Ann and Jim Phee of Taverner, Florida up for a visit with Rose Neibling of 12th Avenue.

This great couple were here neighbors for years both on the Bayside and 12th Ave.

Since Jim's retirement they have been enjoying the relaxed living of the Keys. They will also attend a family wedding while here and visit many more friends.

### QUEENS QUICKIES!

News is at a premium — here ever — Our baking of cakes contest had as the winner Master Kelly, with John Raimondi the runner up.

The Minizar was a financial success to the tune of \$116 repaid by Jim Khoury, Chris Smith and John Raimondi. The winner of the race was Miss Pat Heffernan of 219th St.

Our adult party drew a crowd of over 100 people. The night was weather perfect and the affair deemed a success. The bungalows were ingeniously decorated: the Scharbricks winning first prize followed closely by the Rudolph Walsh's and Valli's. The Liza contest was a struggle for a while — Mary Ellen Ruddy and Bernadine Whelan emerged the winners. Incidentally we, Queens, have a jazzy portable dance floor and we rent it out. See Jeanne Brienza of No. 49 for details.

Birthdays — Marie Brien, Frank Wilkisson, Julie Daly.

In the hospital: Mary Lai's mother and Anna Maloney. Remember them with an "Ave."

Walter Korochek walked to the ocean — and went in the water milestone — and in the right direction.

Sunday, August 15th was a test for our lifeguards. Great waves and great crowds of people. All went well. Felicitations.

Ed Owen's back from Europe. Jo Ann Valli Conlon, back with her groom for 2 weeks while her groom got some time to Uncle Sam. Another newly wed seen on the walk — Sue Miller. Dr. Grace Altenauer at a pediatric convention in Vienna for 3 weeks. Kitty Wallace on well-earned vacation from the John Hospital Nursery. Marie Brennan on vacation from her government job. Enjoy!

Any news anyone?

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This is it! Mardi Gras is with us. Prizes for bungalows, floats, comedy, originality. Decorate or dress up, or both. Free ice cream and trophies for bungalows and costumes and floats.

I understand Bay Terrace has called a draw in the Softball League. That's what I call gentlemen.

They tell me there will be a float entered depicting "Irish Nite" and a donation.

Irving Walk had its annual Kiddie Party this past Saturday. Events were too numerous to mention, but the moms and dads who worked hard were outstanding in their efforts.

Girls and boys are in the Bay Terrace enjoying a Friday nite get together when 3 blasts on the siren sounds. Boys run to firehouse, door jammed. A boy kicks in fire house door so engines can run. Boy gets to bleed. Ambulance comes and takes him to Peninsula Hospital and checked out. Cut artery, cut ligament. Result: 3 days in hospital and how many days on crutches. But he did his duty. He responded to false alarm!!!

Irving Walk had its Kiddie Party this past Saturday and we will see that new faces won the races. Some were so new they weren't on beach 2 or 3 years ago.

Have a happy —  
Mark Leitriem will be 3 years old September 17th.  
My Alice and Alison will enjoy a birthday in mid September.  
Greaneys of Irving Walk have a son who likes his V.W. Bug!  
has a sister who will eat anything.

Brian McQuillan has a happy Sept. 8th. Mr. Assumption College met Miss Deauville Tina Marshall and No. 1 son seems happy.

Brian McQuillian caught a mess of blue fish off Surf Club beach other nite.

Erin's melody is a melody as the Irish travelers are home.  
Lost: Surf casting rod and Garcia reel, Monday, Aug. 23rd or 24th, Aug. 29th. Reward. Please return to Paul Basher, 41 Kildare St. Paul, who was and is an outstanding seller of Mardi Gras cards, donating his share as a reward for the return of rod and reel. He is his brother's friend. It was his brother's rod and reel he lost. General gap? Don't believe it!!!

We hope Gerry McCarthy of Oceanside recovers soon from his wounds which were caused in the line of duty.

Mary and Ed McQuillan of Irving Walk threw a h-l of a cocktail party last Saturday. Among the guests were the Reillys, Leitrems, Stanbroughs, Greaneys, and the Gillespies and McGiverns.

The Breezy Point Association gave its trophies and medals out at club last Saturday, Aug. 28th. We had 400-500 people in attendance. Needless to say it was a noisy group.

No. 2 daughter has been picked to represent King's County hospital at the New York State Fair. She will be gone over Labor Day weekend. But she feels she is doing her job selling R.N. education. That's the action is!

So until next week when the Green Berets (and the new White Ladies) march by, have a wonderful winter and remember "Irv and Friends" is looking over the beach this winter.



The Walk will have its grand finale beach party on Friday, Sept. 3rd. Movies of the Bay Terrace Block Party will be featured and free beer and live music will add to the festivities. Exact location for the party can be pin-pointed by listening for the strains of music somewhere in the sand at the south end of the Walk. That social lioness, Helen O'Gara, plans to attend and report on how late the various local watering spots remain open. She recently made a survey and promises to elaborate on her observations.

Our college students have departed to their hallowed halls leaving their sponsors sifting the sands for lost coins. Rumor has it that a mini-bank plans to open next year for a day or two to provide greenbacks for the head-scratching daddies.

The softball series has ended and the last Father-Son game terminated with a score favoring the Middle-Aged Maulers, 2-0. The Father-Daughter game was a Mets special with the girls conquering 6-5.

Yours truly wishes to thank everyone for helping in the Presidential campaign. Special appreciation goes to the young people for the spirit and energies expended in making the effort a lively one.

## Results of Basketball Leagues

Standings of OPEN Division at end of regular season:

1. Newport Walk
2. Breezy Buffoons
3. Boone's Farm Bombers
4. Bayonne Baccalas
5. Roxbury Barn
6. Ats Katz
7. Malmadorfs

### High School "A" Division

1. Paper Shack Red Eyes
2. Rinky Dinks
3. Clippers
4. Ryan's Raiders
5. Flyers
6. Champions

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3. Satchmos
4. G. G. & W.
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## A GRAB BAG OF THISA & THATA

By HONEY O'FARRELL

Hi Folks: Say, wasn't that Grandma Contest something? The Bay Terrace was just filled to the rafters Thursday night and what gorgeous and glamorous looking grandmas. It was hard to believe that these gals were really grandmas. (We had a couple of Great Grandmas too.) There was Kay DeKreuff's mother, Mrs. Anne Lee from Newfoundland (she's 90 years old). Then there was Grandma Rellas of Ocean Ave. (she's 80 years old), and there was Mrs. Hanretty of Bayside. The winners were selected by applause and the audience sure had a hard time to pick the winners. Among the finalists were Ruth E. Brown, Kay DeKreuff, Ann Darcy, Eleanor McNoble, Tess Smith, Ann Carney, Vera Lynch, and Mrs. Hughes. Well, the winners were finally chosen and first prize went to a 90 year old Great-grandmother, Mrs. Lee. Second prize went to Grandma Rellas (81 years old), and third prize went to Ann Darcy. It most certainly was a night to remember and Frances Abbracciamento plans to run the contest every year.

Don't forget we're having Irish Night at the Bay Terrace on Friday night, Sept. 10th. There will be a "happy hour" from 6 to 7 o'clock, then you can get a Corned Beef and Cabbage plate for \$3.95. This will be a gala night, so come on over. Ya hear?

Here's congrats to all the folks who worked on the "State of the Union" night. It was a huge success (and the weather was with us too). The food and music was delightful and delicious. (I particularly liked the fried chicken and corn on the cob.) It was a very good party.

And say, that Christening Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ryan had for the new baby twins was a christening to remember . . . and such beautiful baby presents. Wow — and, did you see the proud look on the grandparents' faces? 'Twas a sight to behold. (Incidentally, we saw another grandparent pushing a baby carriage with a new baby in it. It was Dotty Holl, and, she had a most happy look on her face.)

The Buckleys, of Oceanside are entertaining Sister Daniel O'Sullivan of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Order. She's from Ball State University of Muncie, Indiana. She plans on taking a trip to Ireland around Dec. 17th. Here's hoping she has a wonderful time.

Now hear this: We're in the Planet of Virgo, and here's some Virgos who have birthdays coming up. Alphabetically — There's Grace Frank and Francine Armellino, Ruth E. Brown, Betty Bertron, Caroline Bennett, Mildred Duffy, Mike Darcy (he's in the Navy on the S.S. Enterprise), John Holl, Tom McNoble Jr., Edward McNoble, Jeff Minnett, Jeannie McNally (of Oceanside), Edna Neimeth, Lois Palmer, Mary Potter, Joanie Valentine, Kath-a-leen Valentine, and Pat Williams. Then, we have a little later on some Libra birthdays coming up. There's Chet Bertron, Jerry Jordan, Lisa Armellino, Glenn Flynn, Kay Hartnett, and Pudgy Williams. Happy birthday to one and all. And, before I forget it — don't forget the "Day at the Races." It's Monday, Oct. 4th at Belmont Park. See Marie Zagari of 216 Oceanside for tickets. And, if you want a small 9 inch television set, it's at 229 Oceanside; it's \$35.00. It's in excellent working condition. Also a combination radio-phonograph, hardly used, for \$15.00.

Say, has everybody got their costumes ready for the Mardi Gras? We hear it's going to be bigger and better than ever — and, now, alas I must come to the part where I say "adieu" until next summer. God has been good to the O'Farrells — we had a ball . . . and, if you're in Marbella, Spain, around Nov. 15th — take the Mediterranean cruise with us. Then, after Jan. 5th, it's Miami Beach for us. So, as the fella says, "Come on down" and join us . . . in the meantime, be good, ya hear?

And, as Jimmy Durante would say as he fades in the distance: Good night, good night, and so long. And, once more please to remember who loves yez.

We have been advised that the report which appeared in our August 12th issue relative to Midge Strack and Jack Steinert getting married was in error.



Bill and Noreen Stahl pictured dancing at the Catholic Club during the famous Italian Night activities, are part owners of the famous Mohawk Restaurant in Richmond Hill. This charming young couple were the guest of John and Marge Vesey of Thetford Lane.

Being experts at the culinary art they congratulated co-chairman Bob Esposito and Jack McGoorty for their superb lasagna and salads which were made short work of by the throng attending! Need we say more?

### C.Y.O.

The C.Y.O. requests that all traveling team shirts be returned to Mr. Nagel immediately.

## Welcomed Guest

Fr. Walter T. Gouch, C.S.P. rector-Carroll House of John H. Kins Medical Inst. and also a time residents of Breezy Pt. as his house guest this week most Rev. Thomas J. Mardz D.D. Bishop of Wilmington, I. Both father Gouch and the Bis. celebrated mass at St. Edmund's Church which the parishioners appreciated most sincerely.

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Numerous Irish refugees came to the U.S. as indentured servants, meaning they had to labor a certain number of years (for those who paid their transportation) before they were set free . . . Bigoted politicians passed the notorious Alien and Sedition laws in an effort to put a damper on crusading Irish journalists. Although many newspapermen were jailed their friends continued publishing the truth until the anti-American laws were finally junked . . . Journalism's mighty Horace Greeley was an Irish-American.

Between 1820 and 1920 more than 5,000,000 Irish immigrants reached our shores . . . More than a thousand American cities and villages were named after cities, villages and counties in Ireland. For example: Baltimore . . . The lunacy of bigotry: Lies circulated about Irish immigrants during the 1800s were also used to whip up hatred against their refugees years later. And the same falsehoods are being spread by rabble-rousers today. A century ago there were "restricted" hotels in New England — to keep out the Irish!

The rampant bitterness of anti-Irish bigotry is strikingly exemplified by this fact: There was a law banning the erection of Catholic churches in New York until 1785 . . . Britishers managed to form numerous Tory regiments, but they tried and failed to raise Irish regiments to fight against the Continental Army. As a matter of fact, many Irishmen emigrated from their native land just to enlist with the Yankee Doodlers: 5% of Washington's Army were Irish.

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated here long before the Revolutionary War . . . The Friendly Sons of St. Patrick (organized in 1771) contributed big coin to the Revolutionary cause. Washington was one of its honorary members . . . On St. Patrick's day during the war Washington's orders issued Irish passwords . . . National Anthem composer Francis Key was Irish-American. So was Comdr. John Barry, the first officer commissioned in the U.S. Navy.

Early Irish immigrants had a rugged time. They were forced to accept low-paying jobs and live in slums — where numerous families were wiped out during periodic cholera epidemics . . . The sweat of the Irish laborers went into the building of most railroads and canals in New England. Many of the workers perished because they lacked adequate living facilities. Their average pay was 30 cents a day.

There are Irish-Jews in Ireland — but anti-Semitism has never tainted that nation . . . When U.S. films dealing with anti-Semitism were prohibited there, citizens were baffled since the problem is unknown in the Emerald Isle . . . During every U.S. war the Irish added glory to their fighting traditions. When the Civil War exploded there was a call for an all-Irish regiment in New York. About 1,000 volunteers were needed. 7,000 responded.

New York's Mayor Hall really celebrated St. Patrick's Day in 1870. He reviewed the parade wearing a green suit, green tie and green kid shoes . . . Irish colonists were banished from Virginia in 1621. They emigrated to New England . . . The infamous Know-Nothing party was directed mainly against Irish Catholics. And like all bigoted outfits in this country — it eventually was buried in oblivion. Bigots can defame a nation's democracy — but democracy always destroys them . . . Thomas Mott (the founder of Hunter College) was born in Ireland.

Four natives of Ireland and five of Irish descent inked the Declaration of Independence . . . Just two years before the great Andrew Jackson was born — his parents arrived here from Ireland . . . Civil War hero Philip Sheridan marched in St. Patrick's Day parades. So did Edgar Allan Poe, Robert Fulton and Samuel Morse, who invented electric telegraphy, of course . . . Victor Herbert and Stephen Foster are inspiring examples of Irish artistic genius.

Say a prayer of thanks for Thomas Dongan, the Irish governor of the English province known as N.Y. during the 17th Century. He is responsible for the charter which set up public schools here — and also promulgated the doctrine of religious liberty . . . A group of Irish colonists introduced Methodism in the U.S. . . . St. Patrick's Cathedral was erected here from funds raised by local Catholics . . . James Duane (he was the initial Big Town Mayor after the Revolution) came from County

Galway . . . The Irish gave New York Dr. John Byrne — one of the earliest researchers in cancer.

The most eloquent tributes to Irish soldiers cannot match the glory they reaped on battlefields — from Valley Forge to Iwo Jima. Their deep hatred of tyranny was the reason the Irish were the first to advocate independence for the 13 colonies. When the British Parliament investigated the causes of the Revolutionary War their report noted the war could not have been won without the aid of Irish Minute Men . . . The sparkling record of Irish soldiers during the War of Independence was the major reason freedom of religion was guaranteed in the Bill of Rights.

Which is why the rainbow always wears a bit of the green — and some of the gold in all Irish hearts.

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May the next 25 years treat you with excellent health and every kindness!!

Everyone wishes Florence Wegman of Reid Ave. a rapid and complete recovery from her recent operation. A card of get well sent to her at the Peck Memorial Hospital, Brooklyn, would certainly speed along her pace.

Last Tuesday Jackie Dunn and some nineteen other fishing bugs had a marvelous day's outing aboard the "Apache II".

Herb Darcy (having a great vacation) reports that John Holl won a prize for reeling in the first catch of the day.

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Vin Dunn took his nephews out on the same vessel on last Thursday, but the impending hurricane scared the fish — but all aboard fully enjoyed the happy day's outing.

Notice — the 1st half playoff game between the R.P.V.F.D. and the Catholic Club team will be played, at Wengler Oval, this Friday, September 3rd, at 6:00 P.M.

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Despite the hurricane warnings the eager and aggressive ambitions of the west end children were not deterred. The athletic activities were held at the foot of 222nd Street and "Uncle Jim" himself was the starter.

The judges consisted of Mrs. Dorothy Dunne, her daughter Dorothy, Danny Krebs and John Pendergast.

Special thanks go to the following young people without whose help the party would not have been a success. Their many hours of hard work and planning was exceeded only by their enthusiasm.

Party Chairlady: Susan Boles — Co-Chairlady: Terry Sullivan  
Committee Members: Terry Caraway and Jackie Boles

**Donations Committee:**

Chairlady: Maureen Dunne — Co-Chairlady: Caryn Crowley  
Committee Members: James Reda, Patty Lores and Dianne Trabelsky

**Assistant helpers:**

Laura Soles, Tricia Higgins, Kitty Mahoney and Marianne Rooney.  
All of the children, regardless of the races, received fine prizes, lollipops and refreshments.

A word of thanks should go to "Uncle Jim" — this is the twelfth year that he has taken it upon himself to give the children in our community a memorable, exciting, and pleasurable day.

Cash prizes were awarded for first, second, and third places in the competition. The results are as follows:

**Baby Race:** John Zobel, Bobby Higgins, Karyn Kupeci; 3 yrs. **Girls and Boys:** James Power, Patrick Ewald, Ray Bartoli; 4 yrs. **Girls and Boys:** Lucy Schmidlein, Danny Zobel, Kathy Mulholand; 5 yrs. **Girls and Boys:** David Kane, Laurie Siggliano, John Pendergast; 6 yrs. **Girls and Boys:** John Fallon, Robert Kane, Nancy Gentile; 7 yrs. **Girls:** Joann Siggliano, Agustà Ewald, Hotdog Boles; 7 yrs. **Boys:** Sean Mahoney, George Torpe, Joseph Carlson; 8 yrs. **Girls:** Maureen Dunne, Marybeth Shea, Donna Heffernan; 8 yrs. **Boys:** John Kane, Paul Bruder, Chris Zobel; 9 yrs. **Girls:** Joan Mahoney, Pat Loris, Caryn Crowley; 9 yrs. **Boys:** Joseph Mc Mahon, Craig Powers, James Reda; 10 yrs. **Girls:** Liz Zobel, Jackie Boles, Cathy Carlson; 10 yrs. **Boys:** Arthur Bartoli, Mark Bruder (James Shea); 11 yrs. **Girls:** Mary Verderami, Patricia McMahon, Eileen McNamee; 12 yrs. **Boys:** Danny Sullivan, Cris Reda, John Schmidlein; 12 yrs. **Girls (Egg Throw):** Susan Boles and Eileen Schmidlein, Jeannie Zobel and Kathy Kane.

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All these fine youngsters are the lads who cheerfully deliver your morning and afternoon papers in fair weather and foul and are employed by Tom Ryan and Ed Ball. Kneeling, l-r, Ed Daily, Mike Murphy, J. R. Gallery, Center row, l-r, Fed McNoble, mgr., Tom O'Day (rear), Gary Thompson and Jim O'Brien, Rear row, Mike McCloud, Casey Hughes, Tommy Fulton, and Chris Girard.  
 Good luck to one and all as they prepare for another school term and especially to Fed McNoble who enters Cortland College come September!

### Good Times

The Surf Club put on its Annual extravaganza last weekend (Fri. Sat. and Sun.) this year, called, Good Times. It was a trip down memory lane with a host of songs from every decade starting with the roaring twenties.  
 Sunday night over 400 Pointers gathered to cheer and applaud a cast that must have numbered eighty people. Al and Helen Greeley, Ed and Ronnie Degan (daughter Gale, our reporter, was in the show deliberately, dad was unexpected addition to the twist routine), Honey O'Farrell, Dr. Joe and Marge Butler, The Steve Kives, Bea and J. Murphy (son John was a lead perform in virtually every act — and looked like a modern day Donald O'Connor) were a few of the celebrities present.  
 Il particular note was the Andrew, oops, Lacey Sisters' rendition of Bei Mir Bist Du Schon, and Eleanor Parker's, oops Mary Ann Taylor's 42nd St.

The Teen Age dance held on Tuesday night at the Parish Hall was a huge success.  
 The theme of the evening was "Revival of Rock and Roll" and the hall really rocked, believe you me!



Attention local anglers! There are fluke in Jamaica Bay, and Bill Malloy of 42 Graham Place has the fish to prove it. Last Wednesday accompanied by his son Pat and daughter Denise, he went fishing on the bay side of the rocks. Each pulled in a whopping 8 1/2 lb. fluke, plus six other beauties, the proof that the big ones don't always get away. The 9 flukes had a total weight of close to 40 lbs.

### Ocean Ave. Gala

Under a starlit sky and balmy breezes 100 Ocean Avenue residents and friends gathered for their annual steak party last Saturday night.  
 Led by Kathleen Griffiths, the renowned accordionist of Catskill fame, all joined in to wish Chef Fuzzy Farrell a toast by singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Chef Fuzzy was assisted by Burger King Angelo Russo.  
 Jack Murphy followed with his famous rendition of "On a Clear Day," with an encore of "Daddy's Little Girl." Jane Fitzmaurice gave her version of "Swanee" while Ann McSherry tendered a lovely version of "Summertime." Joe Collins (Mr. Dupont) sang a few Irish ditties and the incomparable team of Edna Neimeth and Cyril

### BOZO CLUB NEWS

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 Flag, even though it is only on magazine paper, when they are decorating their houses and buns. Show your colors, and be thankful to God that you are living in a country which is free.  
 One other thing — make a visit over to the Catholic or Protestant churches, and say a few prayers. You will feel better in your heart, and God will love you for it. Father Crowley, the pastor, and Father Rogers, will also be glad to see you. Please don't tell me that you will be too busy, so make it a MUST.  
 Who was the platinum blonde who was cutting in on Gene Fayco's romance with Jim Dillon the Bozo's Sunday afternoon? Better watch out Gertie for Jim's neighbors on Roxbury Ave.  
 Gerdie and Tinker couldn't make the dance, because Tinker was out and couldn't make it.  
 Hear tell that Mike Liana, who recently wrote all of his Catholic Club cronies, may soon be up here for a visit!

Billington did their interpretation of "Tiny Bubbles." Edna also loved this with a few bird songs.  
 C. P. King Pfeifer was busy trying to drum up a few jobs for his roto-rooter business.  
 A word of thanks to the chairman, Dick (Papa Bear) Butler, Frank Balcer, the mixologist, Joe Chapple for the sours, Joe F. Jerry Jordan and anyone we may have forgotten for a job well done.  
 The night was perfect, the entertainment delightful and all who attended had a great time. Needless to say the shindig lasted till the wee hours."  
 Yesterday the Annual Altar Society outing to Rye Beach, N.Y. was held and from all reports a wonderful time was enjoyed by everyone in attendance.

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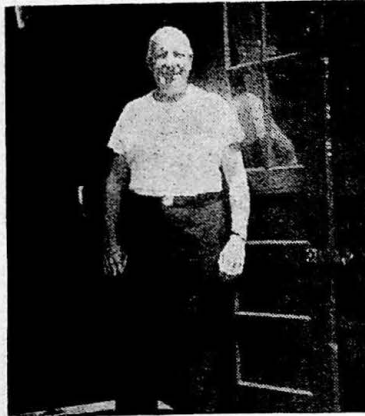
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# THE ROXBURY SIREN

By BADGE #411

Dear Friends and Neighbors,  
 Now that the summer season is almost over, the Roxbury Volunteer Fire Department, wishes to thank the residents of Roxbury for their wonderful cooperation and financial support you have given them. Also thanks for the personal encouraging letters of appreciation you have sent us for the services which we have rendered. It is also the time of the year, when places like Roxbury celebrate their Mardi Gras. Also signifying the time when the summer residents are thinking of closing their bungalows and putting up the shutters. While talking about the Mardi Gras, it is well to remember, when putting up exterior decorations, to avoid fire hazards. If you are putting up electric displays, keep them away from any other inflammable material decorations. Also do not overload your electric system. One way to judge the carrying capacity, is to remember a 100 watt lamp carries about one ampere. Quite a few bungalows have only a carrying capacity of 30 amperes. Add our decorations to the amount of electricity you normally use and you can judge if you are overloading your wiring. If you overload the wires, they may become hot enough to create a fire. During the Mardi Gras the Roxbury Fire Department will be on special alert. During the rainy, windy storm last week, our firemen walked the beach, ready to be of help if they were needed. About 12 firemen stayed at the firehouse over night in case the electric signal system would be effected by the storm. To those summer residents who will be putting up the shutters, and will leave the beach till next spring, we offer a few suggestions of

caution, Make sure the electricity is shut off and the fuses removed. Dispose of all oily rags and old paints. If these oily rags are left laying too long, they could create spontaneous combustion, and cause a fire. If your bungalow is raised off the sand, be sure to remove any inflammable rubbish from underneath. If possible, enclose this area so children cannot get underneath it. It has been found several times, that children like to play house underneath bungalows. They may even start fires to keep warm. Shutterup the bungalow with fire resistant material. Check outside  
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Henry Meyers, the congenial mixologist of the Roxbury Barn, remembers some sixty years ago when he used to purchase huge five cent ice cream cones in the original Barn concession. We take this opportunity to wish Ed Smith of 12th Avenue, the new owner and his entire staff, every success in their spirited venture. Drop in and while away a most pleasant afternoon or evening. The price is right and your companions are tops.

# ROXBURY LITTLE LEAGUE

The Roxbury Little League season was officially closed with the fabulous awards night held at St. Genevieve's parish hall. The affair was chaired by Frank Radice with help from his lovely wife Lorraine and, of course, the capable committee.

Eddie Lennon, the M.C. for the evening, opened things with the Pledge of Allegiance. He then introduced our hosts Fr. Crowley and Fr. Rodgers, Joe Stehn, G.M. of the Coop, Ted Feimer, Pres. of the People's Assoc., Mrs. D. Kaufman, Pres. of Girls Softball League, George Levendoski, Commissioner of the Men's Softball League and Joe Wolf, Pres. of the Little League. Father Rodgers then said a short prayer and the delicious turkey dinner was served.

The meal was prepared by Mr. Vic Belakas, Roxbury's finest caterer. Thanks again Vic and Jean.

Following dinner the awards were presented to the boys by Met Star Jim McAndrew, with an assist from Little League Vice President Walter Leavens.

Little League awards were:

- 1st Place — Aces
  - 2nd Place — Eagles
  - 3rd Place — Shamrocks Cardinals
  - M.V.P. — Jeff DeFilippo
  - Batting — Jack Lennon
  - Pitching — Walter Knox
  - Rookie — Dennis Stefanac
  - Sportsmanship — K. Mack
- Pee Wee League Awards
- 1st Place — Cardinals
  - 2nd Place — Aces
  - 3rd Place — Eagles
  - 4th Place — Shamrocks
  - M.V.P. — Howard Kane
  - Pitching — Thomas Ford
  - Rookie — Timmy Feimer
  - Sportsmanship — Scott W.

After the awards were presented Jim McAndrew gave an inspirational talk for young and old which he followed with a question and answer period. There is another way to describe the way he handled all questions, but Father Rodgers then closed the night with a few well chosen words and we all went home.

Thanks are in order for all who helped in any way to make this year such a success.

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Many thanks to my relatives, good friends, clubs and the 'Mottley Crew' from in front of the candy store for their prayers, get well wishes, flowers, gifts etc., during my recent intervals in the hospitals,  
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**Ladies Auxiliary of the Roxbury Square Club**

By **ELLIE NAUS**

We had our last meeting before Mardi Gras, at which our new officers took over, namely — Vi Romann, Pres.; Eileen Freely, Vice Pres.; Ann Calder, Secy.; Ann Shaughnessey, Treas. These girls were installed at our dinner on August 10th at the Park End Tavern. It was a wonderful night, with a superb dinner, music by Bob Heckmann and games and dancing. Flo Herrmann did a good job organizing this affair, and the women really enjoyed themselves.

We are looking forward to all our members congregating for the parade on next Sunday.

Wishing all a Happy Mardi Gras.

**Medal of Valor Award**

Word has just been received from the Dept. of the Army that Sgt. Edward F. McAlarney, son of Edna and Ed McAlarney of 10th Avenue, grandson of Ida and Frank Moser of Doris Lane, and fiancée of Gail Degnan, daughter of Ronnie and Ed Degnan of Utica Walk has been cited for the Bronze Star and also the Soldiers Medal for Valor stemming from his heroic action on the night of July 13, 1971 in Viet Nam which prevented the death of one individual and the injury or death of others while assigned to the 173rd Assault Helicopter Co.

Sgt. McAlarney is presently assigned to the 131st Military Intelligence Company — Box 55 APO 96308 San Francisco and would appreciate hearing from friends from the Point.

**Ladies Auxiliary of the Mayor's Committee**

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We wish all our patrons a safe and healthy winter and hope to see you all again next summer.

**THE ROXBURY SIREN**

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incoming electric wires, for wear in the insulation. They have been known to rub each other, creating sparks and a possible fire. Make sure that your water lines have been drained properly to prevent rupturing the pipe due to freezing. Please remember, the Roxbury Fire Department is on call 24 hours of the day all the year round and are ready to help you in case of sickness, accident or fire. Again we appreciate the support you have given us, and hope you will return in the spring, feeling healthy and happy to start another wonderful season.

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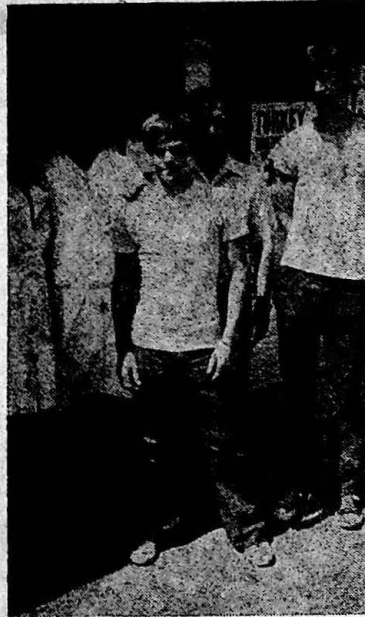
## Ladies Auxiliary of Mayor's Committee

By SUGIE DOLIVA

John Corrigan was Captain of the week for the Mayor's Committee. On Saturday night, August 21, he really gave us quite an evening. George McCloskey was the entertainer along with "The Goldiggers." A high spot of the summer's fun. The Goldiggers were none other than some of our talented young ladies from Roxbury. They were — Eileen McCloskey, Kathy McCloskey, JoAnn McCloskey, Eileen Dear, Christie Dacchille, JoAnn Connelly and Mary-Pat Thurston. They gave a fine performance.

Three of the girls — JoAnn McCloskey, Chrisie Dacchille and Mary-Pat Thurston, did a specialty act of "The Andrew Sisters," and were they ever good! It really brought back memories for everyone. I must mention George McCloskey's son, George, who did such a swell job of playing the organ for the musical accompaniment. We all enjoyed George McCloskey's songs throughout the evening. He is always so pleasant and easy to listen to. How about that number "Some Where My Love", that George sang with his lovely daughter Eileen! We all sang Happy Birthday to Joe Engel and Alice Klein and then enjoyed the delicious corn beef sandwiches. It was nice to see such a good turnout at the Club.

The Inaugural Ball was held Saturday, August 28th. We started out in great form with a cocktail hour on the Patio. Robert Taphouse, our outgoing Mayor was chairman of this affair for our new Mayor — Eugene McEnroe. Everyone had a ball, dancing to the music of Bob Heckmann's band. It was a regular Roxbury night as Bob called upon all the singers in the audience. It is always nice to hear our regular entertainers and we certainly enjoyed hearing all the new ones too. Jimmy Clifford, our genial MC introduced Eugene McEnroe who received a standing ovation. Eugene's opponent, our lovable Herbie Ries had us laughing in the aisle with his speech. He is really what you call a good loser. His wife Viola is one of the beautiful people. Eugene then called upon the different men he chose for aldermen (Dottie Taphouse is a Women's Lib — so she made alder-lady) That was the highlight of the evening which brought so much fun and stories. Seated on the dais was Betty McKinley, our President of the Ladies Auxiliary and her husband Garrett; Robert Taphouse, our outgoing Mayor and his lovely wife Carol; Eugene McEnroe and his wife Mary — a great girl; yours truly, outgoing President of the Ladies Auxiliary and her husband Curley. A great evening and we continued dancing until the wee hours.



Pictured above are your diligent and congenial Trunz personnel of the Roxbury Super Market who served you so faithfully all season and look forward to your continued support. L.-R. — Mary Carpenter, John Panagakos, Peter Wikarek, Mgr. Tom Scotto and Terry Cashin. Enjoying their days off were Cathy McCloud and Tom Antenen.

### BOZO CLUB NEWS

Our Chinese Night, and dance, (Aug. 28, 1971) with all the chicken chow mein, and shrimp chow mein that you could possibly eat, was at your disposal. Our Chinese cook, "Our Wong Chu Thornton," did his usual good job, with the assistance of the Hong Kong chinese waiters. The new young members are givin "it" a big push, and we all want to thank them for their efforts. Live music by Joe Prince.

Well, next weekend, Sept. 4, 5, 6 (Labor Day) we at Roxbury, start our annual Mardi Gras, with kiddies parades, costumes, floats and there will be prizes for the prettiest, most comical, most original, floats, and costumes. I would hate to be a judge on any of the above, as one is nicer than the other. That is Saturday afternoon, Sept. 4, 1971 — for the children. The following is for men and women Sunday afternoon, Sept. 5, the clubs on the beach with their marching bands, and bugle, fife and drum corps will strut their stuff. Sunday evening, we all go gallivanting, New Year's calling, frolicking, rambling, or what ever you want to call it, by visting all the clubs, platforms, by having a couple of short beers (18 ounces).

Bob Coleman is feeling fine, and is behind the bar again. We all miss Jim Stanton very much and hope to see him at the club over the weekend, please don't fall us, Jim, and we will be seeing you.

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