

Supervisor Tells Dump Critics to Find a Site

Earle N. Cooper, supervisor of the Town of Nassau, last night fired a rebuttal to reported objections and a petition protesting the Town Board's purchase of a 100-acre site for a new sanitary land-fill dump. The petition, bearing 245 names, was filed with the town clerk Monday.

More fireworks are expected at tonight's town board meeting, scheduled for 8 p.m. in the Nassau Village Clerk's Office on Chatham Street.

"I told this group a month ago (at the Sept. 5 board meet-

ing) that if they would find us a piece of suitable property, we would buy it and not use the new site," said Mr. Cooper. No suggestions have been received, he added.

Under State Orders

The town is under state orders to have a sanitary land-fill operation in action by Jan. 1. An open dump presently is located in Brainard.

Town officials contend they spent four years seeking a new dump site, and conferred with Rensselaer County health offi-

cial before adopting resolutions last spring to purchase the site atop Curtis Hill on Nassau-Hoags Corners Road for \$3,000.

John Monahan of East Nassau, spokesman for the petitioners, claims that the purchase was handled in an improper manner, that the site is too rocky for a land-fill operation, and that such use would lower area property values.

Mr. Cooper points out that only certain types of refuse could be dumped at the site, there would be no burning, the

refuse would be covered daily except in the winter when it would be covered once weekly, the site would be fenced in and there would be established operating hours with a custodian in charge.

Second Petition

In reply to a second petition, bearing the same 245 names, which protests the effects to homes and water bodies by operation of an oil waste dump or Mead Road, owned by Loeffel Waste Oil of Nassau, Mr.

Cooper said the same complaint, made at the Sept. 5 board meeting, was referred to the Rensselaer County Health Department last month and the board is awaiting a report.

The Nassau Lake Improvement Assn., concerned with pollution from the oil waste in Nassau Lake, plans to discuss action against the Loeffel firm at an Oct. 9 meeting. The lake is unofficially classified for general recreation use by the State Water Resources Commission.

IN HIT-RUN CASE

Cohoesier Enters Innocent Plea

A 30-year-old Cohoes man pleaded innocent yesterday to driving the car that struck and seriously injured a five-year-old boy.

Frank Drobneck, 81 Melville Avenue, arrested early yesterday morning by Detective Captain Michael Robich for leaving the scene of an accident, had his case adjourned until Oct. 9 by City Court Judge Frank L. Brandt. Michael Duquette, the injured boy, is in "fair" condition in Cohoes Memorial Hospital.

when his car, stopped for a routine check, showed some evidence of having hit something. Michael was playing in front of his home at 11 Jackson Avenue Tuesday about 6 p.m. when he was struck by a vehicle and dragged for 25 feet along the street, police said. He is suffering from lacerations, possible fractured shoulder and internal injuries.

Captain Robich said the man at first denied knowledge of the accident and was released. He returned voluntarily a few minutes later "and admitted to certain aspects of the accident," according to police. Mr. Drobneck, father of five children, is free in \$100 bail.

Police began questioning him



Basic Trainee

Private Donald J. Cleary, 22, of Maple Avenue, Selkirk, has been assigned to A Company Third Training Reg. for eight weeks of basic training at Fort Dix, N. J. Husband of the former Joanne Cleary, he attended Columbia High School.

Castleton

LL Dinner Saturday At Firehouse

Castleton Little League's 12th "Father-and-Son Dinner" will be Saturday at 6:30 p.m. in the Castleton firehouse.

Due for honors are the Yankees, 1963 pennant winners, and members of the All-Star team, selected from the four-team loop. Both groups will receive trophies.

Mrs. John Cavey, auxiliary president, heads the dinner preparation committee. William D. Ennis, Little League president, will preside.

Miss Deborah C. Lyon, a 1960 graduate of Maple Hill High School and now a Wave, completed a 14-week training course at the U. S. Naval Air Base at Glynco, Ga., and was graduated as a certified air tower control operator.

Miss Lyon, only Wave in the 29-member class to complete the course, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Leland D. Lyon of Stony Point Road, Castleton. Dr. Lyon is president of the Schoadack Central School Board of Education.

After a visit home, Air Tower Control Operator Lyon reported to her new post at the Corpus Christi, Texas Naval Air Base.

The Rosary Society of Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church, Castleton, will hold its communion breakfast Sunday at Vita's Restaurant, South Main Street, following the 8 a.m. Mass at the church.

Mrs. Herbert Murphy, general chairman, announced that the principal speaker will be a "Maryknoll Sister." Mrs. Franklyn Haberkorn is ticket chairman. Mrs. Michael Kelly will be toastmistress.

Guiderland

Canvass Set By Democrats

Guiderland Democratic women will be knocking on doors next week in a house-to-house canvass to bolster this year's election hopes.

Also planned was a rally and dance on Nov. 2 at a place to be announced. A prominent Democrat is being obtained for the occasion.

Democratic candidates are William A. Jones, supervisor; John Van Auken and Joseph Ferraioli, councilmen; Millard Orsini, superintendent of highways; William T. Mahoney, town clerk; and James A. Doran, justice of the peace.

Mr. Van Auken, Mr. Ferraioli, Mr. Mahoney and Mr. Doran were unsuccessful candidates in recent elections.

Church Bazaar Opens Tomorrow

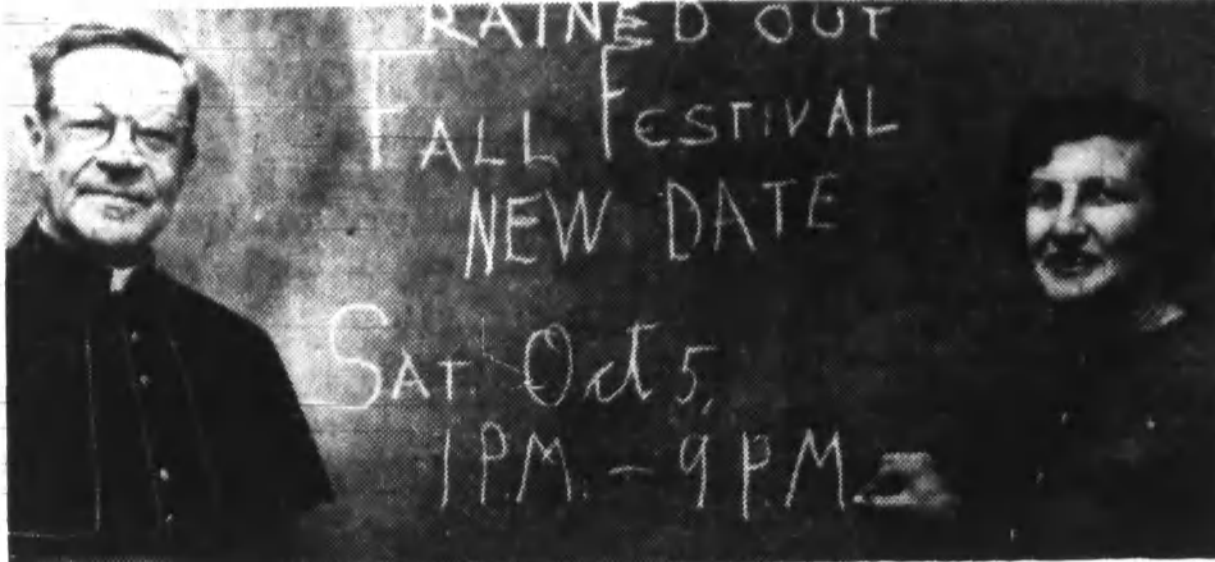
"A Gay Nineties Saturday in the Park" will be the general theme of the auction-bazaar of the Voorheesville Methodist Church tomorrow and Saturday.

Activities will open with a family style supper tomorrow from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Bazaar booths will feature homemade candy, baked goods, needle work, plants, canned goods and other items.

Bethlehem Buys 2 Leaf Collectors

The Town of Bethlehem has purchased two vacuum leaf collecting machines which will be used in the fall cleanup this year, it was announced by Bertram Kohinke, town supervisor.

Mr. Kohinke has requested residents to rake leaves to the edge of the roads and the collecting machine will come by regularly.



GIVING OUT A RAINCHECK

The rained out fall festival of Christ The King Church, Westmere, will be held Saturday at the school grounds on Sumpter Avenue between 1 p.m. and 9 p.m. The event was originally scheduled for last Sunday. Included will be games, entertainment, rides for the children, and dancing in the social hall from 6 to 9 p.m. Reminding residents of the new date are The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Leo B. Donovan, church pastor, and Mrs. Ruth Shannon, a committee member.

Sch'dy County Budget Hits Peak - \$13 Million

The proposed 1964 budget for Schenectady County—submitted Tuesday to the Board of Supervisors by County Treasurer Howard S. Howell—is the largest in history, \$13,134,410.11.

It is \$808,596.61 higher than 1963. Most of the increase is due to the rising cost of the county's welfare program, which will account for \$4,605,984.25, or more than a third of the budget. This figure represents an increase of \$645,958.25 over 1963 welfare costs—and is more than double the 1962-63 welfare cost increase.

The board's finance and bud-

get review committee has 15 days to study the proposed outlays.

Other Features

Other features of Treasurer Howell's proposed budget include:

- Schenectady city anticipated tax rate of \$15.36 per \$1,000 assessed valuation, up 72 cents over the 1963 rate;
- Glenville rate, \$16.32, up 77 cents; Niskayuna, \$32.64, up \$2.78; Rotterdam, \$26.11, up \$1.22; Princetown and Duaneburg, \$2.64 each, up \$1.54;
- Real estate taxes are ex-

pected to raise \$5,649,362.11, an increase of \$331,679.11 over 1963 real estate tax income;

- In addition to higher welfare costs, increases are slated for 60 new county positions (\$202,811), increments to employees (\$93,668), reserve for uncollected taxes (\$55,000), and debt redemption (\$38,000);
- Salary increases of \$1,500 a year for the district attorney and county clerk, whose annual salaries rise to \$12,000 each; the planning director gets a raise from \$8,820 to \$12,000 also.

Latham Scientific Firm to Expand

Heavy demands by national agencies on Mechanical Technology Inc. of Latham have spurred expansion of the company's Albany Shaker Road facilities.

President Harry Apkarian said work originally planned for next summer has already been started to help the company fulfill contracts from the Department of Defense, NASA and the Atomic Energy Commission.

With the new building, the company plans to double its 15,000 square feet and increase its scientific staff from 50 to 150 by next fall, he said. Building costs are estimated at \$250,000.

MTI is engaged in research,

development and manufacturing projects, many in advanced research for space projects, nuclear power plants, naval machinery, gas turbine power plants and earth moving equipment.

The new building will be a two-story office structure with a high bay manufacturing and development shop. Laboratory equipment, machinery and furniture for the large addition are estimated to add \$150,000 to the costs of expansion.

Amsterdam Firemen Seek Raise in Pay

Amsterdam's firemen asked the Common Council Tuesday night for a \$1,000-a-year raise "to bring their wages into line

with those paid firefighters elsewhere in the area."

Amsterdam fireman Robert Forbes told the aldermen that the local firemen now get about \$4,210 a year, compared with, for example, "Schenectady, where the pay is about \$5,200 and likely to go up to \$6,000 a year in 1964."

Calling the bid for \$1,000 raises "conservative," Mr. Forbes said that "Amsterdam firemen are among the lowest-paid in the state, and that some men work at two jobs to make ends meet."



Appointed

Charles M. Heiden of 1336 Wemple Lane, Schenectady, has been named by the General Electric Co. to be general manager of GE's New Business Development Operation. The Schenectady-based unit, just organized, will seek new manufacturing and service opportunities for assignment to GE departments.

Siena Priest In Radio Show

The Rev. Norbert F. Lehr, OFM, of the Siena College faculty, will be moderator of a new program, "Insight and Outlook," over WKKW, starting Sunday at 12:30 p.m.

The weekly 15-minute program will feature discussions on topics of current interest from the Catholic point of view. It will also feature interviews with individuals active in various phases of Catholic life.

In addition to his teaching duties at Siena, Father Norbert is also vice president of the Franciscan Institute of Radio and Television, as well as faculty advisor to WVCV-FM, Siena's radio station.

Latham

Rev. Cornelius Takes Pulpit

The Rev. William T. Cornelius, former pastor of the Wesleyville, Pa., Baptist Church, this week assumed his new duties as pastor of the Latham Community Baptist Church.

Mr. Cornelius a native of Philadelphia, is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary.

He was ordained Sept. 15, 1952, in the Imanuel Baptist Church, Wilmington, Del.

New Parsonage

In Latham Mr. Cornelius, his wife and four children will occupy the newly purchased parsonage at 22 Dover Street. He will preach his first sermon Sunday.

Latham Community Baptist Church, organized June 30, 1959, is a mission project of the American Baptist Home Mission Society. The church occupies a building on Forts Ferry Road. The church had been under the leadership of the Rev. Henry Habel of Schenectady.

Parker Again Heads Group

George W. Parker of 184 Rowland Avenue, Delmar, will take office for his second consecutive term as eastern zone director of the Photographic Society of America this week in Chicago.

He is a four-term president of the Albany Camera Club and has been active in the Hudson-Mohawk Camera Clubs Association and the New England Camera Club Council.

Story Program Starts in Delmar

It's story time again at the Delmar Public Library as Mrs. Jeanne Herrmann begins her fall program for four-year-olds.

Story time is being held Tuesdays at the Clarksville Elementary School, Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Delmar Library, and Fridays at Glenmont Elementary School. Sessions start at 9:30 a.m. and last for one hour. Children attending kindergarten may register at the Delmar Library.

Rensselaer

Bid Weighed For Pipeline Under River

The Rensselaer Common Council last night awarded an \$8,250 contract to Mott-Manbeck Machinery Co. of Latham for a backhoe-loader for the city's public works department. Only one other firm submitted a bid—Circle Leasing and Sales Co. of Schenectady at \$8,375.50.

The council was asked by the Army Engineers to consider an Albany manufacturer's desire to install pipeline under the Hudson River with a pumping station for water intake on Patroon Island.

The new instake for Steiner Tissue Mills, the one that serves the city's public water supply on the east bank of the river.

Objections

Objections to the proposal must be filed with Army Engineers by Oct. 15, the council was advised. The matter was referred to committee for study.

The council authorized the city treasurer to advertise tax delinquent property on Second Avenue for sale at a \$150 minimum bid; approved the \$1,535 sale of delinquent property at 5-7 Partition Street to Victor E. Johnson of Delmar, and permitted Robert Yonkers to lower his curb at 12 Lincoln Terrace.

Elsmere Firemen To Seek Funds

The Elsmere Fire Co. will conduct its annual fund drive Sunday with a house-to-house canvass at 2 p.m.

The company of 60 active members responded to a record number of 72 fire calls in the past year. It holds drills each week and has contributed over 3,500 man-hours of time for fire training purposes.

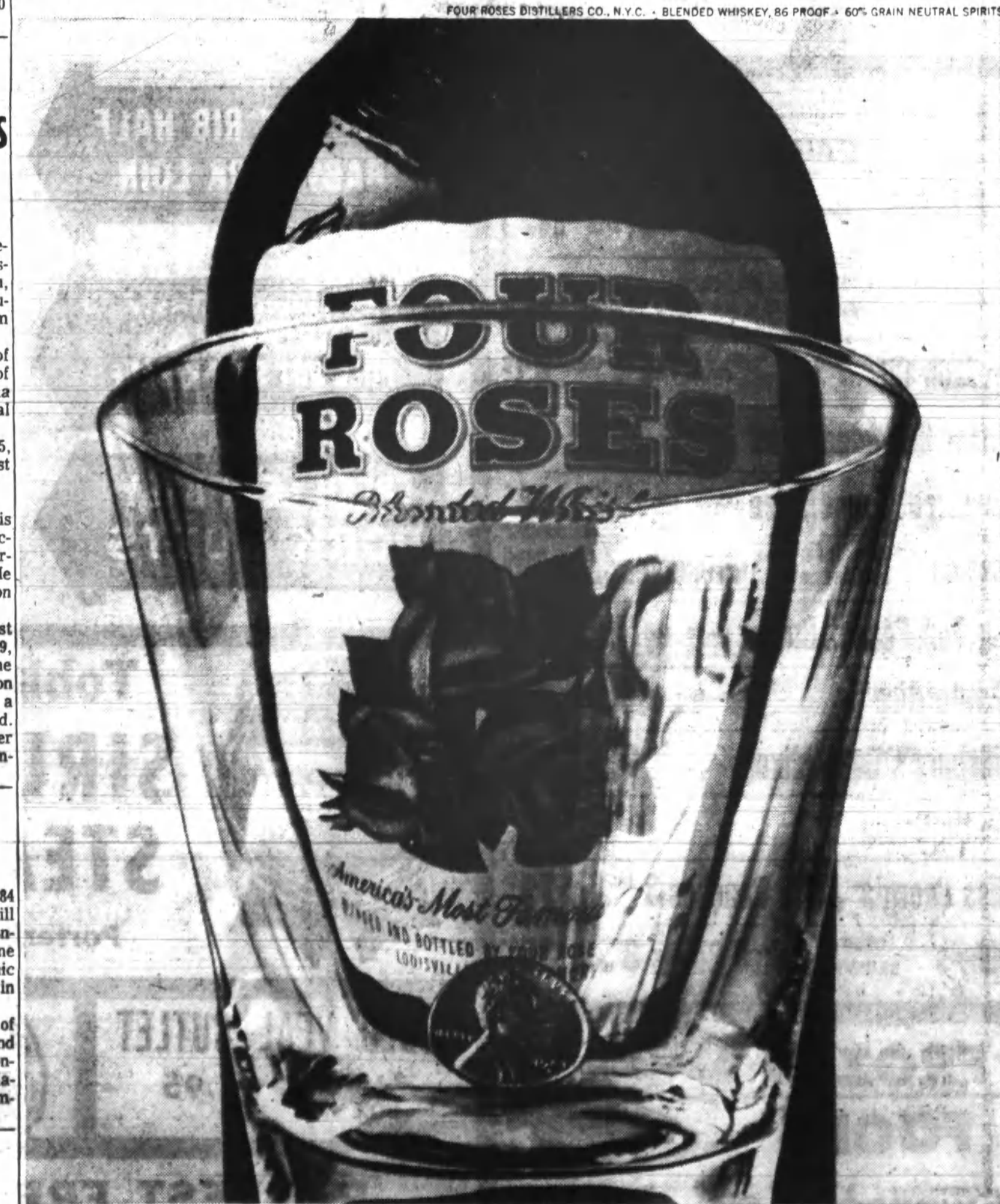
Castleton Scouts To Camp-o-ree

Castleton Boy Scout Troop 53, sponsored by the Castleton Kiwanis Club, will participate in the Capital District's fall Camp-o-ree at Camp Rotary.

Boys interested in joining the troop may attend meetings at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays in the McKnight Fire House.

Series Steam Saturday

A World Series clamsteam will be held at the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post No. 1040, American Legion, in Delmar on Saturday at noon.



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