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## Oakton College expects 10% drop in enrollment

by Anthony DeBartolo

During a relatively brief Tuesday night meeting of the Oakton Community College Board of Trustees, John P. Donohue, Vice President for Student Development, offered a preliminary report on student

registration for the new academic year.

Citing studies which suggest there will be a 47 percent decline in the number of area high school graduates available to attend college throughout the 1980's,

Donohue predicted Oakton will begin to feel the pinch this fall, with an expected 10 percent decline in total enrollment over last year.

Chairperson Cecile Vye  
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## FBI arrests Niles woman

FBI agents, with the assistance of the Niles Police, arrested a Niles woman and charged her with various drug violations on Wednesday, August 8.

Armed with a warrant for the arrest of Elena Vavadas, 8418 W. Crain st., FBI agents along with six Niles Police officers went to the Niles apartment at 11:45 a.m. Police sources said when no one answered the repeated knocks on the door it was necessary to force the door

open. The suspect was discovered inside the apartment.

Ms. Vavadas was charged with distribution of cocaine as well as possession of one ounce of cocaine, both crimes being federal offenses.

Related to the Vavadas arrest, FBI sources said on Tuesday that a string of drug-related indictments are expected within weeks involving Chicago-area residents.

## M.G. Board vetoes experts recommendation

# No stop light at Harlem & Shermer

by Anthony DeBartolo


The Morton Grove Board of Trustees, bowing to community pressure, passed over the recommendations of both the Village Planner and Administrator to install traffic lights at Beckwith Avenue's Harlem and Shermer intersections, as part of the Harlem/Beckwith/Shermer improvement project.

Over 70 area residents attended

Monday's meeting, with a dozen speaking out against the Beckwith traffic light during two and a half hours of debate, while the board considered a resolution providing \$115,000 for the project's Phase II design and engineering.

As it stands now, the Harlem/Beckwith/Shermer project, with construction set for the Spring of

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## Blase prohibits lottery video games in Niles

Niles Mayor Nicholas Blase notified Niles taverns and restaurants on Friday, August 10, that for the time being Niles will not allow the installation of Illinois lottery video games inside any Niles business.

Blase, who is also Niles Liquor Commissioner, sent a letter to all liquor establishments ordering them not to install the machines.

In part his letter said, "My problem in evaluating these video games is that they are more like a slot machine than they are the lottery we are used to. I do not believe that we can extend lottery provisions to include any and all gambling devices because it creates a hypocrisy in terms of our telling our local

people that they cannot play cards for money, or play pinball machines, or have Vegas nites in local church parish halls, or run their own lotteries to benefit worthy causes."

Blase added, "It seems to me that the State has overextended the definition of a lottery for the sake, of course, of getting more income. There must be a line drawn as to where we stop all of this and, in my own mind, the new lottery video game which is like a slot machine is an overextension of the limits of what we should be able to allow."

Blase said the matter will be taken up with Village Attorney Dick Troy to see what options the village has on the matter.

## Police investigate thefts at Niles Library

Police records indicate that the Niles Branch Library, 8320 Ballard rd., has suffered losses of over \$1,000 during a recent string of thefts.

Library officials reported to police that some time during the night of Tuesday, August 7, a tape recorder and a 16 millimeter movie projector were stolen.

This follows a theft of \$21 cash

from a desk drawer in a locked room between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Tuesday, August 7.

Police reports indicate that "many small items" had been taken from the library building during the past week.

The police investigation will include interviewing library employees.

## School District 71 opens fall registration August 30

Parents of students in grades 1 through 8 at Niles Elementary Schools are asked to pre-register their children on Thursday, Aug. 30 at the respective schools, between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. All fees will be paid at this

time, and students of the Culver School will receive individual schedules.

Parents of children who are new to the district are urged to register their children before the  
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## Increase cost of library addition

by Eileen Hirschfeld

Reporting on work in progress for an addition to the Niles Library, an architect from Orput and Associates told board members a total of about \$25,000 will result from changes to the original specifications. The meeting was held August 8 in the  
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## Niles paramedic graduates



Two Niles firefighters were among recent graduates from the paramedic course completed at St. Francis Hospital, Evanston. This brings to 17 the number of firefighter/paramedics in the Niles Fire Department.

The two are Jack Henriksen, 28, married and the father of a 2½ year old son, and Jeffrey W. Riemer, 25, due to be married in September. Riemer's father, William, is a recent retiree from

the department. The two were among 32 private and fire department personnel to graduate.

The course, covering a span of six months, and over 600 hours of classroom and clinical time in the emergency room, covers a myriad of subjects. Included are emergency medicine, coronary care and surveillance, I.V. therapy, obstetrics, and drug administration. This is in addition to a  
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## New eligibility rules for Homestead Exemption

Senior Citizens are now eligible for a Homestead Exemption during the year in which they turn 65. They no longer have to wait another year as was the situation with the Homestead Act prior to 1984. The Homestead Exemption has also been increased from \$1500, which it was prior to January 1st, 1984, and is now \$2000. However, this benefit will not be reflected on a Tax Bill until the second installment is due in the summer of 1985. Therefore, the 1984 Homestead savings will not be received until the 1984 Tax Bills are paid in full with the second installment in the year 1985.

The Senior Citizen Homestead Exemption provides tax relief by reducing the equalized assessed valuation of an eligible residence by \$2000 which can result in a tax savings of as much as \$180. This

savings is in the form of a deduction on the second installment of the real estate tax bill.

To be eligible for this exemption you must fulfill the following requirements:

1. You must be 65 years of age or older during the year for which you are applying.  
2. As of January 1st of the year in question you must either own the property or have a lease or contract which makes you responsible for the real estate taxes.

3. As of January 1st of the year in question the property must be your principal residence.

If you wish to file in person at the Niles Township Assessor's Office, your documents indicating the following will be examined, copied and returned to you at the time you file.

You must provide us with:

1. Proof of Age: Birth certificate, Baptismal certificate, Passport, Naturalization papers, or Social Security Form SSA-2458 showing date of birth. NOTE: married women submitting a document with their maiden name as proof of birth must also include a Marriage Certificate to show the change of name.  
2. Proof of Ownership: Warranty Deed, Quit Claim Deed, Torrens Certificate, Trustee's Deed, Deed in Trust with Trust Agreement, Executor's Deed, Owner's Title Policy: Schedule A, Proprietary Lease with a tax clause, or Articles of Agreement to Purchase with a tax clause. NOTE: Trust Deeds (Mortgages) and Release of Trust Deeds are not acceptable.  
3. Recent Real Estate Tax Bill: This will verify the Permanent Index Number of the residence for which you are seeking the Exemption.

If you have any questions, please call the Niles Township Assessor's Office at 673-9300 or visit us at 5255 Main St., Skokie, IL.

## Center of Concern schedule

The Center of Concern is open every weekday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Suite 4, 1580 N. Northwest Hwy. (823-0453).

Saturday, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29: Legal Counseling (also Wednesday, Sept. 26). By appointment only.

Saturday, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29: Individual Financial Planning, by appointment only. Call 823-0453.

Saturday, Sept. 29: Blood Pressure Testing, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., Suite 4, 1580 N. Northwest Hwy.

Tuesday, Sept. 4 and 5: 55/Alive Course (Driver Refresher Course), 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Lower Level Conference Room, 1550 N. Northwest Hwy. Registration required. Call 823-0453.

Tuesday, Sept. 18: Special Meeting, Speaker, Charles Slezak, of Secy. of States Office. He will talk and show film on the Defensive Driving Course we teach. Our teachers are: Jerry Harmon, Lester Ohn, Harvey Holz, Eugene Tempe and Roger Smith. Meeting is at 2:30 p.m., Conference Room on Lower Level of 1550 N. Northwest Hwy. Everyone is welcome!

Tuesday, Sept. 25: Bridge, 2 p.m. Conference Room, Lower Level, 1550 N. Northwest Hwy.

Wednesday, Sept. 5: Wills Program, by appointment only. Call 823-0453.

Wednesday, Sept. 12, 19 and 26: Weight Loss Support Group, in Suite 4, 1580 N. Northwest Hwy. Call 823-0453 for further information.

Wednesday, Sept. 12: Medicare Counseling, by appointment only. Call 823-0453.

Wednesday, Sept. 12: Senior Companion Meeting at 10:30 a.m. Lower Level of 1550 N. Northwest Hwy. Bldg.

Thursday, Sept. 20: Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m. Conference Room, 1550 N. Northwest Hwy.

Friday, Sept. 14 and Sept. 28, Creative Happenings (Arts and Crafts Class) 10 a.m., Suite 4, Conference Room, 1550 N. Northwest Hwy.

## Senior Citizens' NEWS AND VIEWS

News for all Niles Seniors (age 62 and over)  
from the Niles Senior Center  
8060 Oakton, Niles 967-6100 ext. 76

**SENIOR FORUM**  
The Niles Senior Center Forum will meet on Thursday, Aug. 16 at 1 p.m. All with an interest in helping to plan the center's programs and activities are invited to attend.

**MONTHLY MAILING PROJECT**  
The center's monthly mailing project will take place on Friday, Aug. 17 at 9 a.m. As always, volunteered assistance is greatly appreciated.

**MEN'S CLUB MEETING**  
The Niles Senior Center Men's Club will meet on Monday, Aug. 20 at 10:30 a.m. Following the regular business meeting, Ms. Terri McGee from the department of Health and Human Services, Social Security, will speak on Medicare at 11:30 a.m. Members have the option of purchasing their own luncheon at a cost of \$1 or of brown bagging their lunches. Coffee and a light dessert are provided at no charge.

**LEGAL ASSISTANCE**  
Appointments for the legal aid program are available for the afternoon of Monday, Aug. 20. Please call 967-6100 ext. 376 to schedule an appointment.

**SHADY LANE TRIP**  
The Niles Senior Center Men's Club is sponsoring a trip to Shady Lane on Tuesday, Aug. 21 at 10 a.m. The trip will feature the luncheon matinee performance of Tea for Two. The trip is currently filled and a waiting list does exist for the trip.

**SIXTH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
The Niles Senior Citizen Commission's Sixth annual golf tournament will take place on Wednesday, Aug. 22 at Tam Golf Course, 6700 W. Howard. The tournament is currently filled. Please call 967-6100 ext. 376 to be placed on the waiting list. The tee off time has been moved to an earlier time slot, 8:30 a.m.

**MEN'S CLUB BAR-B-QUE**  
The Niles Senior Center Men's Club will sponsor a bar-b-que on Friday, Aug. 24 at 12:30 p.m. Tickets are available and reservations will be taken up to 12 noon on Friday, Aug. 17. Please call 967-6100 ext. 376 for a reservation.

**INFLUENZA IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM**  
The Niles Senior Center will be sponsoring an influenza (flu) immunization clinic on Wednesday, Sept. 19 and Sept. 26 from 12 noon until 4 p.m. Niles residents 65 years of age and older may call 967-6100 ext. 376 to make a reservation for the flu clinic beginning on August 24. There will be 200 flu shots available on a first come first served basis. Appointments will be necessary. Anyone planning on receiving a flu shot at the Niles Senior Center is encouraged to discuss this with their private physician. Please bring a list of medications and wear a short sleeved shirt on the day of the appointment.

**RACE TRACK TRIP**  
Tickets are still available for the Tuesday, Sept. 18 trip to Arlington Park Race Track. The trip will leave the senior center at 11 a.m. and return at approximately 6 p.m. Tickets for this event will cost \$15.75. The afternoon will feature an afternoon in the Classics Club and the menu will feature one half baked spring chicken with champagne sauce. The trip is sponsored by the Niles Senior Center Men's Club but is open to all senior center registrants. Please call 967-6100 ext. 376 for a reservation.

**Leaning Tower Seniors**  
A delightful Puppet and Magic Show will be presented at Leaning Tower Senior Adult Center, 6300 W. Touhy Ave., Niles, on Monday, August 20 at 1 p.m. at the August Birthday Party. Ruth Poppenberg, whose professional name is Ruth Hill and Rudy Horn, have entertained at Leaning Tower Senior Center in the past and will honor us with a return engagement. Ruth has performed for over 20 years with her cast of dancing marionettes. Her "Stars in Miniature", created by Ruth herself, include puppets fashioned after such stars as Carol Channing, Pearl Bailey, etc. Rudy Horn is well known for his comedy and magic shows and his versatile personality. Leaning Tower Senior Adult Center has a Birthday Party once a month for all its members who have birthdays during that month. Refreshments are served and all members are invited to come and help celebrate.

**Village of Skokie**  
Ms. Nancy Clifton, Chicago Botanical Gardens, will present a program titled, Tree and Shrub Selection, to the Men's Group of the Smith Activities Center on Thursday, August 30, at 9:30 a.m. Please call 673-6500, ext. 338 for further information.

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## Niles hires purchasing agent and processing supervisor



Niles Finance Committee Chairman, Trustee Abe Selman (seated) recently announced that the village has acquired the services of two new employees as part of its continuing program of upgrading and streamlining village government. Mr. Robert Furst (left) has been hired as the Village Data Processing Supervisor and Mr. Andrew Buffa (right) as the village's first full-time Purchasing Agent. Both men will be working in the village's finance department.

Mr. Furst previously was employed at a dairy farm equipment manufacturing company, where he was the Assistant Data Processing Manager. Mr. Furst is thirty-three years of age, has a Bachelor of Science degree from Western Illinois University in mathematics with a minor in physics. He will be in charge of the village computer system.

Mr. Buffa was the purchasing agent, since 1981, in Glendale Heights and prior to that was in the purchasing department of the Heigh Food Stores. He has some ten years of experience in purchasing and is a member of the National Institute of Government Purchasing. He is thirty-five years old and served in the United States Air Force.

## Voter registration taken at Maine Township Hall

Maine Township Clerk Stephen J. Stolton is reminding eligible township residents that they can register to vote at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Rd., Park Ridge.

To be eligible to register, residents must be 18 years old on or before Nov. 6, United States citizens and residents at the current addresses for 30 days.

Two forms of identification must be presented at the time of registration, one of which lists the person's name and current address. Acceptable identification can include, but is not

limited to, a drivers license, library card, credit card, birth certificate, school ID or utility bill. Naturalized citizens must also present their naturalization papers.

The Town Hall is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and from 9 a.m. to noon Saturdays. Oct. 1 will be the last date to register at the township hall.

The Maine Township Town Hall is located between Potter and Greenwood on Ballard Rd. For further information call 297-2510.

## Temporary handicapped parking IDs at Township Hall

Under a new program, temporarily handicapped persons can apply for temporary handicapped parking identification cards at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Rd., Park Ridge, according to Township Clerk Stephen J. Stolton.

Applicants must have a physician's statement describing the person's disability, indicating the length of time the person will be considered disabled, and verifying that the temporary

disability meets one of the following criteria: non-ambulatory disability that would confine the person to a wheelchair; semi-ambulatory disability that would cause the person to walk with difficulty; or disability of coordination. The temporary cards are effective for the duration of the disability.

The Maine Township Town Hall is located between Potter and Greenwood on Ballard Rd. For information call 297-2510.

## Mill Run Playhouse sacrificed for mall expansion

# Golf Mill renovation to begin in fall

## Coast Guard Cadet applications available

The United States Coast Guard Academy has announced that it is now accepting and processing applications for appointment as Cadet, U.S. Coast Guard, Class of 1989. Applications are being accepted for both men and women.

Appointments as Coast Guard Cadets are tendered solely on the basis of an annual nationwide competition with no congressional appointments or geographical quotas. Applications for appointment must be submitted to the Director of Admissions, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, prior to December 15.

Candidates must arrange to participate in either the College Board Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or American College Testing Assessment (ACT) prior to or including the December 8, 1984 administration for the ACT and the December 1, 1984 administration for the SAT. The competition for appointment as Cadet is based on the candidate's high school rank, performance on either the SAT or ACT, and leadership potential as demonstrated by participation in high school extracurricular activities.

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Demolition work is about to begin on the Mill Run Playhouse, part of Golf Mill Shopping Center on Milwaukee Ave. on Chicago's North Side in Niles. The theatre, which for many years was the site of appearances by many of the most popular names in the entertainment industry, is to be torn down to make way for the extensive enclosure and expansion of Golf Mill.

Plans call for complete enclosure of the 24-year-old center, the addition of two more department stores and over 90 new mall specialty stores, including a food court.

"Golf Mill will look, virtually, like a whole new mall when this project is completed," said Martin J. Cleary, president of Jacobs, Visconti & Jacobs Co., the Cleveland, Ohio-based firm which will handle the project for the center's owners, Milwaukee Golf Development Company. "This area needs and deserves a larger, more upscale shopping mall and that's what we intend to provide."

JVJ has been responsible for all architectural, engineering and leasing activities and daily management of the center since last year.

The first phase of this two phase project to begin this fall. It will include the complete enclosure of the mall area between the existing JC Penney and Sears

stores and construction of an enclosed mall area north of Sears to allow year-round climate control throughout the center. Phase One will also include the expansion of the mall stores area to make room for 91 new specialty stores, the addition of at least one department store and appropriate parking lot improvements. Phase One is scheduled for completion by Spring, 1986. No firm dates have yet been set for the second phase which will include the addition of another department store.

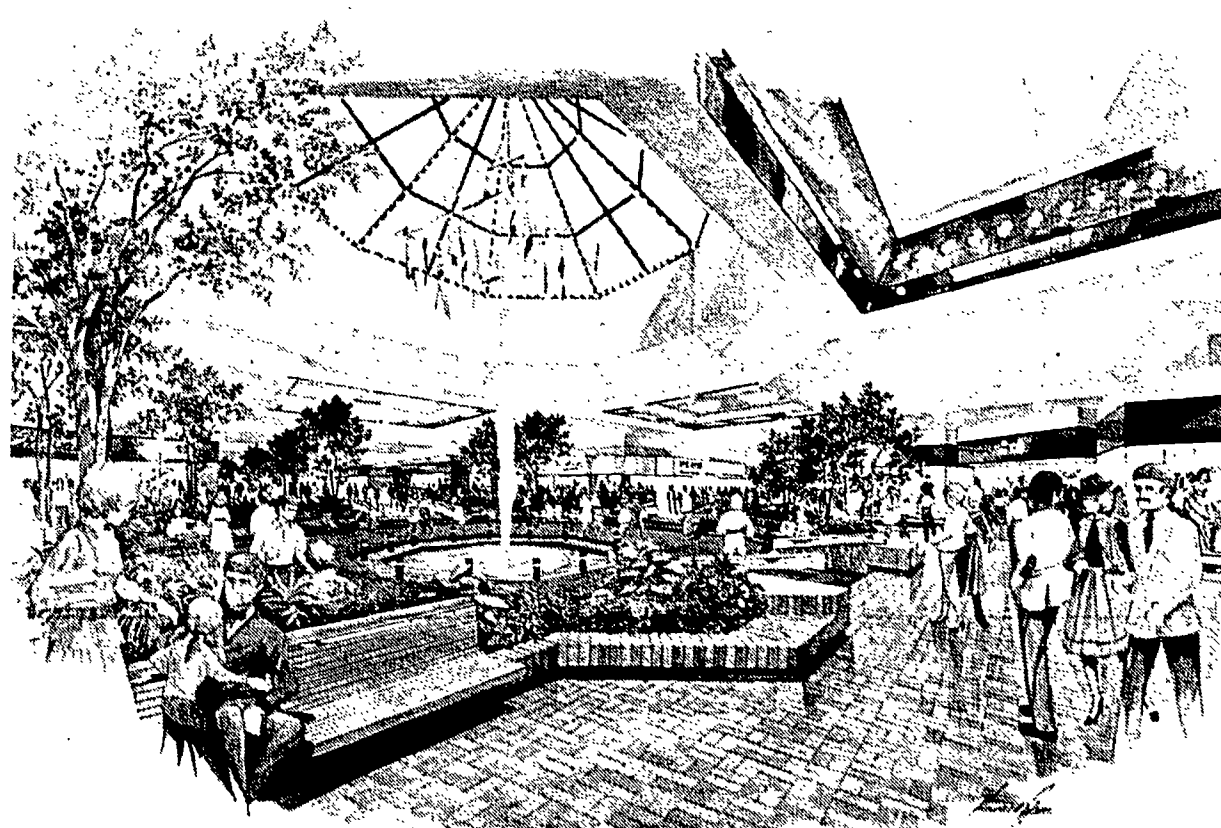
Negotiations with one of the two department stores to be added to Golf Mill are expected to be completed shortly. An announcement will be made at that time.

Among the highlights of the mall's new design is the food court. Located near mid-mall, just inside the center's east entrance along Milwaukee Ave., the food court is planned to feature two theme restaurants and 16 more food establishments offering a wide variety of snack and food specialties.

The redesigned mall's interior will also feature enclosed access to the center's office tower. The tower's lobby will be opened to become a part of the mall. A number of stores will also be added in the area.

Upon completion of Phase One, Continued on Page 30

## Enclosure of Golf Mill planned



The much publicized Golf Mill renovation will begin this fall as the 24 year old shopping center will be completely enclosed. Additional plans call

for the building of two new department stores and construction of over 90 new stores.



## Ladies Auxiliary officers



At their July Dinner Dance, the Ladies Auxiliary of the North American Martyrs Knights of Columbus Council #4338 of St. John Brebeuf Church, installed the following officers: front row - Mrs. Joseph Bradtke, President and Mrs. Edwin Zalesny, Vice President; second row - Mrs. Robert G. Bianchi, Secretary and Mrs. Walter Zalesny, Treasurer. The Ladies Auxiliary compliments the work the Knights do, especially in regard to handicapped children, the Catholic Youth Organization and the Newman Foundation.

## Holy Family to begin Hospice program

Holy Family Hospital has recently signed an agreement with Rainbow Hospice, a Des Plaines-based volunteer hospice organization, to provide inpatient services to terminally ill patients.

"Our agreement with Rainbow Hospice is to provide medical back-up on an inpatient basis for those persons who require acute care services, and to provide physician referrals to patients who don't have their own family doctor," said Maureen Booth, Director of Planning.

The agreement, which took effect in July, outlines the responsibilities for both Rainbow Hospice and Holy Family Hospital. Rainbow Hospice is an organization staffed by volunteers who will provide training to nursing and other hospital support staff, and offer bereavement care to the patient's family and friends. Holy Family will provide inpatient services to Hospice patients who require the services of an acute care facility, offer medical consultation to the Hospice, and provide pharmaceutical services to Hospice patients on a 24-hour a day basis.

Dr. Lawrence A. Stone, a member of Holy Family's Medical Staff and a specialist in Oncology, has agreed to serve as Medical Director to the Hospice and will also serve on the Hospice Advisory Board.

"In a time of need, this is an example of our community resources working together to care for our residents," said Maryann Korba, Oncology Nurse Clinician and Coordinator for Holy Family's Cancer Care Team. For more information on Holy Family's Cancer Care Program, call 297-1800, ext. 1158.

Rainbow Hospice invites area residents to participate in a "Day at the Races," at 12 noon, Sunday, Sept. 16 at Arlington Park Race Track. The event includes a thrilling day at the race track and a delicious Sunday brunch. Tickets are \$25 per person. All proceeds will be used to support the Hospice program. Call 699-6023 for ticket information.

## David G. Michniuk

Navy Airman Apprentice David G. Michniuk, son of George J. and Kathleen T. Michniuk of 1016 Peterson, Park Ridge, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

## Senior Citizen News

### Morton Grove Senior Citizens 965-4100

#### SENIORS NEED SERVERS

Individuals interested in serving Morton Grove seniors in the areas of housekeeping, companionship, shopping, transportation, and odd jobs around the house, are needed almost daily. Call the Senior Hot-Line, 965-4658, Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and noon.

#### LICENSE PLATES

Illinois' proposed fifty percent license plate fee reduction for persons who qualify for Circuit Breaker property tax relief is awaiting final approval by the governor. The bill has been passed by the Illinois Legislature and, if signed into law as written, would go into effect for 1986 license plate renewals.

#### SENIOR OLYMPICS

The Six-County Olympics for age 55 and above, are on August 16 and 17 at Elmhurst College. Events for both, participants and spectators include: shuffleboard, bicycling, trap shooting, swimming, table tennis, basketball free throws, archery and many more. For information about registration, location, and starting times call Olympics headquarters (Park Ridge Senior Center), 823-2114.

#### SENIOR CENTER FILMS

Three controversial short films will be shown at 10 a.m. on Tuesday Sept. 4 in the Village Hall Senior Center. "Dawn Flight" is the story of a young glider pilot's first aerial test, "Death of a Peasant" is an actual World War Two incident involving a young Yugoslavian peasant, and "The Diary" is the animated story of Adam and Eve according to Mark Twain. The free showings will be aired in the air conditioned Senior Center. Lemonade and coffee will also be available.

#### SHARED HOUSING

Throughout the country, senior adults, parents and young families are undertaking an innovative and successful new venture, sharing their households and their lives with one another. The cooperative benefits of shared housing provides financial advantages, a sense of independence and security, and the companionship of another person. For more information, call the Senior Shared Housing Program, 894-4500. Senior Shared Housing is a federally funded program which covers the northwest suburbs, including Maine and Niles Townships.

#### PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

The aging process itself increases susceptibility to drug effects. Various normal changes in the way the body works contribute to this state of affairs. Take, for example, the problem of "invisible overdosing." The usual drug dosages recommended for adults are based on the assumption that the medication will be removed from the body fast enough to prevent an excess from building up in the body. With age, the organs that remove these medications (liver and kidneys) become less efficient, even in healthy individuals. Thus, a "standard" dosage schedule for the "average" adult liver or kidney often leads to an accumulation of the drug in an older person. Then, if the elderly patient suffers fatigue, confusion, or depression, the symptoms may be written off as evidence that he or she is merely "growing old." Whenever seeing a physician, seniors should always inform their doctor of medications they are already taking.

#### WIDOW AND WIDOWER GROUP

The "Widow and Widower Support Group" is being offered by the Village Hall Senior Center for six consecutive Tuesdays beginning on September 18 from 1:30 to 3 p.m. The group is designed specifically to meet the needs of those who have lost a spouse within the past two years. Judi Ungashick, counselor from the Family Counseling Service of Evanston/Skokie Valley, will lead the discussion. Please call Bud Swanson at the Village Hall, 965-4100, if you wish to participate or need transportation.

## Condo laws discussion planned

"Revisions to the Illinois Condominium Property Act: Their Meaning and Impact on Condominium Living" will be discussed at 8 p.m. on Thursday, September 13 at the Mayer Kaplan Jewish Community Center, 5050 Church St., Skokie.

Scott J. Linn, attorney, will examine the changes in the law and analyze their impact on taxation of condo property assessments and Association board meetings. This educational program is free to members of the Mayer Kaplan JCC and \$2 for non-members. For additional information, call Adult Services Department, 675-2200 Ext. 202.

## Bridge at JCC

Two new Duplicate Bridge games are added to the schedule at the Mayer Kaplan Jewish Community Center, 5050 W. Church St., Skokie.

The new games will be held on Sundays from 7:10-15 p.m. starting September 9 and on Wednesdays from 12:30-3:30 p.m. starting September 12.

The other Duplicate Bridge games are scheduled on Mondays from 12:30-3:30 p.m. and on Wednesdays 7:30-10:45 p.m. Instruction classes in all levels of Bridge and a supervised-play group will begin the week of September 16. For registration and fee information, call Adult Services Department 675-2200, Ext. 202.

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GOLDEN VALLEY MICROWAVE POPCORN ORIGINAL BUTTER \$1.49 6 PACK \$1.99



## SCHOOL NEWS

### OCC Final Fall Registration

Final Registration for fall semester classes at Oakton Community College will be conducted Aug. 20-21 at both OCC/Des Plaines, 1600 E. Golf rd. and OCC/Skokie, 7701 N. Lincoln ave. Fall classes begin the week of Aug. 27.

Students may register for fall classes from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. on those two days. Tuition for in-district residents is \$17 per credit hour. In-district residents between the ages of 60 and 65 will receive a 50 percent reduction in tuition. Persons over 65 who meet income guidelines are eligible for free tuition.

Late Registration will be conducted at both OCC campuses Aug. 27 through 30, from 1 to 2 p.m. and 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. A late charge of \$10 will be assessed.

For further information about Final or Late Registration, call the OCC Office of Admissions, 635-1700 (Des Plaines) or 635-1400 (Skokie).

### Marillac school openers

Marillac will hold Book Day, Thursday, Aug. 16 in Room 110-111. Books will be sold to seniors from 9-10 a.m.; sophomores from 10-11:30 a.m.; juniors from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. and freshmen from 1:30 to 3 p.m. Lunchbreak is 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Schedules will be distributed to students having met tuition, fees, Health Office emergency form and Student Directory requirements.

Orientation day is Friday, Aug. 24. Freshmen and sophomores attend school from 8 a.m. until noon and juniors and seniors attend from noon to 2:30 p.m. Half day sessions will be conducted Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 27 and 28 from 8-11:45 a.m. for all classes. First full school day is Wednesday, Aug. 29. Identification photos will be taken August 30 and 31.

Marillac's "Sing-Along 1" for members of the Chorale will be held all day Friday, Aug. 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. A combination of fun and games, this lengthy rehearsal will begin

music study for the Chorale's 12-day first European Concert Tour, April, 1985. Members should bring a sack lunch.

The first rehearsal for Marillac's "Guys and Dolls" Show Choir will be held Wednesday, Aug. 22 from noon to 4 p.m. Members are asked to come ready to work.

### Governmental accounting course at OCC

Oakton Community College will offer this fall, for the first time, a Governmental Accounting course concerned primarily with fund accounting (governmental and not-for-profit agencies) and accounting for partnerships.

The course (ACC 262) will meet each Thursday, from 7:30 to 10:20 p.m. at OCC/Des Plaines, 1600 E. Golf rd. and is open to anyone who has completed Principles of Accounting 141 and 142, or the equivalent.

Most of the course will be devoted to the concepts of fund accounting and reporting as related to state and local governmental units. The balance of the course will cover fund accounting and reporting as it relates to hospitals, colleges and universities, plus other not-for-profit organizations.

Governmental Accounting will be taught by Irwin A. Lyons, MBA and CPA, director of Governmental Services at Friedman, Einstein, Raemer & Schwartz, Certified Public Accountants. He has more than 13 years of public accounting experience and has worked extensively in the governmental area.

For further information, call Paul Grosso, accounting program coordinator, 635-1778.

### Elmhurst College officer awarded



Michael E. Dessimoz of Niles, director of admissions and financial aid at Elmhurst College since 1979, recently received a recognition award from the Illinois Association of College Admissions Counselors for his long and valuable service and outstanding leadership in the profession and in the association.

He has served the IACAC as president, as chair of several committees, as director of the summer institute and as delegate to the national association. On numerous occasions he has served as spokesman for the association on radio and television.

A graduate of Loyola University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in history and a master of education degree in guidance and counseling, he began his professional career as a high school teacher in Chicago.

Before joining the Elmhurst College staff, he served as associate director of admissions at Loyola and as assistant director of admissions and records at Oakton Community College.

Dessimoz also is a member of the Illinois Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers and the Illinois Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators. He has served on the financial needs advisory committee of the Illinois State Scholarship Commission and is a former member of the Illinois Cooperative Seminar Series Planning group.

In the Niles community, Dessimoz has been active in St. John Brebeuf parish, as past chairman of the school board and past chairman of the parish's festival.

He and his wife, Mary Ellen are the parents of three children: Mark, Claudine and Michele.

### OCC offers pre-engineering curriculum

Students interested in an engineering career can complete the first two years of their studies by enrolling in the pre-engineering program at Oakton Community College. The pre-engineering program is designed to prepare student to continue studies toward the baccalaureate degree in engineering at four-year colleges and universities, all major schools, including the University of Illinois at Urbana and Chicago, Illinois Institute of Technology and Northwestern Technological Institute accept Oakton credits, allowing students completing the OCC program to enter as juniors.

"Students completing our pre-engineering curriculum are fully prepared to continue at four-year colleges and universities. And many students who transferred are now working successfully in various fields of engineering, such as aerospace, civil, electrical, industrial and mechanical engineering," said Dr. Frederick Salzberg, pre-engineering program coordinator.

For further information about the pre-engineering curriculum, call Dr. Salzberg at 635-1861.

## SCHOOL NEWS

### Cabinet earns blue ribbon



Maine East industrial education student Mike Jeriffa of Niles proudly displays his walnut gun cabinet, which earned him a blue ribbon at the recent Northern Illinois Industrial Education Exhibit. The gun cabinet is a gift for Mike's uncle.

### OCC offers sign language course

A basic sign language course will be offered this fall for the first time at Oakton Community College.

The initial idea for the course was born last spring when the OCC Theater Association presented the play "Children of a Lesser God," which was the story of a young deaf girl and her struggle to find herself.

"So many people became interested in the deaf community and sign language itself that we decided to make this particular skill available to our entire College community," said Denis R. Berkson, theater/speech coordinator and director of the play. "Not only will this course be good for people who are generally interested in sign language, but many different types of businesses are looking for people who have this skill because many businesses deal with people of the deaf community."

The sign language course (SPE 125) is being offered Tuesday and Thursday, from 12:30 to 1:45 p.m. and Monday and Wednesday, from 6 to 7:15 p.m. Both sections will be at OCC/Des Plaines, 1600 E. Golf rd. and taught by Amy Dixon, certified sign instructor, who had a major part in "Children of a Lesser God". Fall classes begin August 27. An intermediate sign language course is scheduled for the spring semester, Berkson said. For further information, call Berkson, 635-1870.

### OCC info on Cablenet Channel 92

News about classes and programs at Oakton Community College can be viewed 24 hours a day on television channel 92 in areas served by Cablenet.

Cablenet currently serves a dozen Chicago suburbs, including Des Plaines, Glenview, Northbrook and Park Ridge in the Oakton district.

### Special focus Psychology course at OCC

A special section of Psychology of Personal Growth (PSY 106-650) for career changers will be offered this fall at Oakton Community College/Des Plaines, 1600 E. Golf rd. on Tuesdays, from 7:30 - 10:20 p.m.

The three-credit hour course will be taught by Geraldine Aiuppa, OCC career placement counselor. The course will emphasize the process and issues of life and career planning for students exploring college majors and career choices. In addition, the course will provide students the opportunity to review basic concepts of humanistic psychology and to increase the effective use of advanced interpersonal communication skills.

"We will focus on rediscovering and building an awareness of personal wants, needs, abilities and interests, and how these relate to changes in the workplace," Ms. Aiuppa said. "At the same time, we will explore alternative lifestyles and emerging career fields along with traditional occupations and job outlook."

Students will be encouraged to develop a personal definition of the meaning of work and job satisfaction, and to apply learned decision-making skills and

### Kindergarten orientation set at Niles Elementary South

Kindergarten children and their parents are asked to attend a kindergarten orientation at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 5, at Niles Elementary School (South), 6935 W. Touhy ave.

At this time the kindergarten program, bus schedules, class schedules, and pupil insurance, available if desired, will be explained in detail. Please bring all pre-registration materials, a birth certificate, and \$12 for book and workbook fees. Completed health forms are also to be brought in at this time.

Parents new to the district or parents who have not registered their child for kindergarten are urged to do so any day Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. This will help us in planning bus schedules and having proper furniture, equipment and supplies for your child. You may call Eugene

H. Zaleski, 647-9752, for further information.

Children must be five years old by December 1, 1984 to be eligible for kindergarten.

The Parent-Teacher Association will serve refreshments for the parents in the school cafeteria. A special

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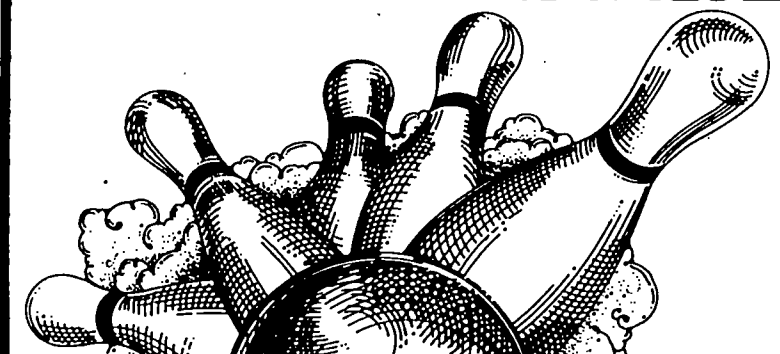
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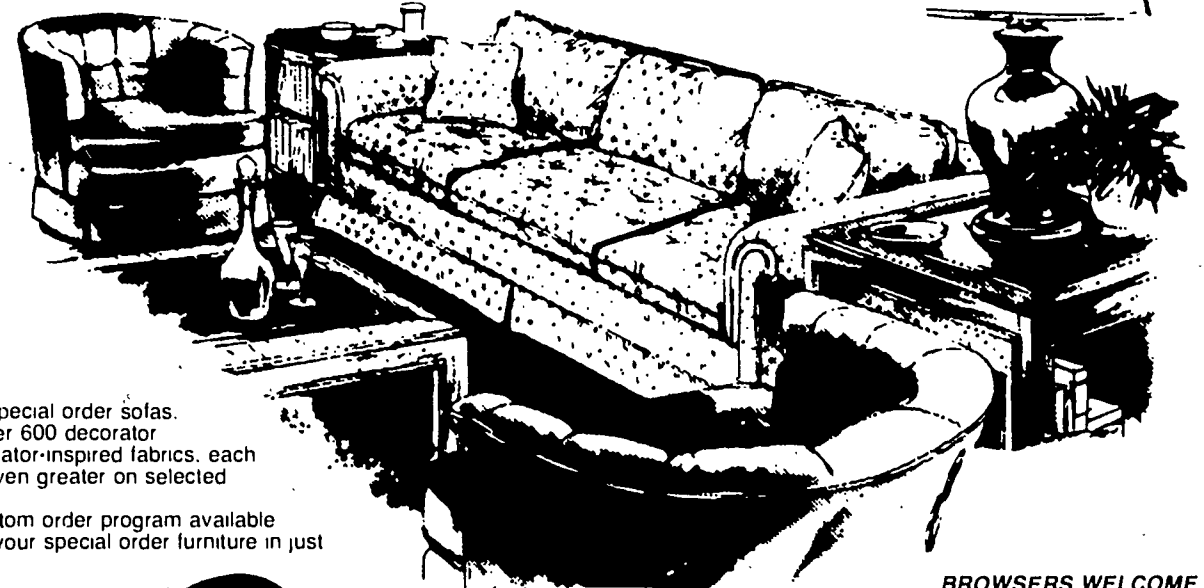
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## letters to the editor

### Village shouldn't pay for handicapped transportation

Dear Editor:

I have noticed recently there have been several letters and articles from a Mr. Hall, complaining about Niles lack of providing transportation for the non-mobile handicapped. I really find this hard to understand, why Mr. Hall cannot understand the task he is asking of the village.

Mayor Blase has kept the taxes down all these years and has done his very best for the people as have the rest of the people in village government.

Mr. Hall is asking for a lift on the buses for wheelchairs for which the cost would be astronomical; not to speak of the extra insurance and provision for two or three drivers trained to handle this type of problem. Let I sound unsympathetic toward Mr. Hall and others, let me assure you I am not. My husband is totally confined to a wheelchair and I, myself, have a handicap, but we don't expect the village to take care of us. Unlike Mr. Hall, who lives in a facility which might consider providing their own transportation, we are home owners and are not eager to assume the burden of more taxes, which would most likely be

necessary to provide this service. I don't know of any other community that provides this service other than Chicago and they have much more money to work with than the Village of Niles.

The village listened to the suggestions that a sidewalk be put in near the Venture store for the people of Plaza II mainly. Mr. Hall is a resident of this facility. At one time a survey was taken as to the people who would use the service of which Mr. Hall speaks and the response was very light. Mr. Hall seems to feel the people at the nursing home were not asked. I don't know about this, but why shouldn't these individual nursing homes provide this service; they are being paid well to care for these people.

I am sure every American is very grateful to all our veterans, handicapped or otherwise, but let's be realistic about it and stop blaming the village for not caring. I am certain, as soon as it is feasibility, the Mayor will do everything to equip a bus for this use. He is a very compassionate man, as well as a good mayor.

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### 'I should have won contest!'



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For 16 years I have planted "fiery crimson red" celosia at each boulder on each side of the driveway. I prepare my entire garden and landscape for winter from the harsh northeast "snowy" winds. I have made custom burlap covers (so they can breathe) for each one of the tiers on the poodle cut juniper uprights.

People stop and ring my doorbell. Joggers, walkers and automobiles all ask me questions and want my advice. I've gotten to know a couple from California who come each year on vacation. They walk from the Leaning

Tower YMCA on Touhy ave. to Bunker Hill. They took pictures back to California to try to duplicate my landscape. Another man told me that he'd know when we moved because the celosia would be gone. A neighbor across the street on Caldwell told me he bought his house just so he could look at my landscape out of his living room window.

The year-round enjoyment of the appearance of my landscape and garden at 6969 Concord Ln. is well worth all the effort and constant care.

Donna Tamborello

### Complaint about beautification contest

Dear Editor:

Getting back to the contest! As long as the judges got technical now so would I. There is No Originality in a beautiful lawn. No brains are needed for this, just a little common sense fertilizer or chem lawn & in your own time 3 evenings a week.

The judges never got out of

the car! There is more to making a home beautiful than a lawn and some imagination. I myself spend a lot of time outside. Not 8 hours a day because I take care of 2 kids, a house and an elderly lady in a wheelchair across the street. Niles residents, even if they always work on their homes, wanted their place to look special

and put their best foot forward. My street got paved the day before and the lawn got burned 2 feet in off the curb!

Submit My Letter

To The Judges

Diane Lantz

7538 W. Kirk Drive

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### Highway motoring safety tips

They often occur without warning and they can turn a happy family vacation into a life or death situation.

They are the highway emergencies caused by mechanical failure, and the AAA-Chicago Motor Club says every driver should know what to do if one occurs.

In a sudden highway emergency, don't panic. Slow down gradually and pull well off the road. If you need help correcting the problem, raise the hood, tie a hankerchief to the antenna, activate the emergency flashers and wait for help to come. Stay well out of the path of traffic and place flares behind the car.

For specific emergencies, AAA-CMC recommends these procedures:

**Brake failure.** Because newer cars are equipped with dual brake systems, you may have some brake pressure left when the brake warning light illuminates. Applying greater force than normal may bring the car to a stop. Otherwise, pump the brakes, shift into a lower gear and gradually apply the parking

brake. As a last resort, slow down by sideswiping something such as a guard rail or a mound of dirt. Steering loss. A belt failure can cause the steering system to lose power assist. Try exerting greater force while turning the wheel. If there is no control at all, sound the horn, flash the headlights and bring the car to a stop. With some help, you should be able to turn the wheels by hand and push the car off the road.

**Fires.** If the flames seem to be fed by gasoline, get everyone as far from the car as possible in case the gas tank explodes. Electrical fires under the hood sometimes can be put out with an automobile type fire extinguisher or a blanket. If you decide to open the hood, keep your head turned away to avoid flames which might leap out.

**Overheating.** When the "hot" indicator flickers, turn off all accessories. Open windows and turn on the heater, bringing the engine slightly above idle if you're in stop-and-go traffic. If the "hot" light stays on, pull off the road and wait for the engine to cool. Add water to bring the

coolant to the proper level and use tape to repair a broken hose. Proceed directly to a service station for permanent repairs.

**Blowouts.** These occur suddenly and make control of the car difficult. Keep a firm grip on the wheel and brake gently. Slamming on the brakes can throw the car into a spin. Ease the car off the road.

**Collision.** When a crash is inevitable, you sometimes can minimize the severity. A head-on crash is the worst, and should be avoided even if you have to hit a stationary object or sideswipe other vehicles.

AAA-CMC says the use of seat belts and child restraint devices will reduce injuries in an accident. Locking all the doors will reduce the chance of being ejected from the car. Driving 65 mph will make the crash less serious than if you were driving 75 mph.



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## The Business Picture

### Business women plan meeting

"The Work Woman and Her Family" will be the topic of discussion at the August 21 meeting of the O'Hare Ten Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association. Carol Hoffenkamp, Clinic Service Coordinator for the Maine Township Mental Health Center, will be the discussion leader. Hoffenkamp is a member of the National Association of Certified Social Workers and has been an individual and family therapist at

the Center for seven years. For more information about the 6:30 p.m. meeting in Rolling Meadows, call Joanna DeZutti at 437-6900.

Newly elected officers were installed by Katherine Menefee at the July meeting. The new officers are Toni Lonigro, president; Dorothy Gawn, vice-president; Sue Cram, recording secretary; and Rhoda Wilson, corresponding secretary.

### Northwestern Business College registration

Northwestern Business College will hold registration for the fall quarter August 15-17 at its present location, 4959 W. Belmont ave.

Classes will begin Wednesday, September 5, at the school's new facility at 4829 N. Lipps ave.

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### 1st Nat'l of Morton Grove names Woods VP

Craig M. Woods, controller of the First National Bank of Morton Grove, has been appointed a vice president, announced president Randall J. Yenerich. He joined the bank, a subsidiary of Mid-Cisco, Inc., in 1981 as controller and will continue in that capacity.

Woods, a certified public accountant, previously was affiliated with the CPA firm of Bamsley & Kiener. He is a member of the American Institute of CPAs and Illinois CPA Society.

A University of Illinois graduate, he resides in Park Ridge with his wife Mary and their children, Maureen and Timothy.



### Women in Construction scholarship recipients

O'Hare Suburban Chapter of the National Association of Women in Construction will honor its scholarship recipients at the Tuesday, August 21, meeting. Anne Reo of Mount Prospect, majoring in Engineering at the University of Illinois, and Darla Root of Hampshire, majoring in Architecture at the University of Illinois, will each receive scholarship awards from the chapter.

The meeting will be held at the Navarone Restaurant, 1950 E.

Higgins rd., Elk Grove Village. Social hour is scheduled for 5:45 p.m., with dinner at 6:45 p.m. Reservations for dinner at \$8.50 may be made with Arlene Chmielewski, LPM Co., Des Plaines, at 299-1950.

The regular business meeting of the local chapter of the National Association of Women in Construction will follow the program. Guests and all women interested in the construction industry are invited to attend.

### Callero & Catino collecting for Muscular Dystrophy

ERA Callero & Catino Realty, 7800 Milwaukee ave., Niles will be at the intersection of Milwaukee and Oakton Sts. on Saturday, August 18 collecting donations for the Muscular Dystrophy Association. The fund raiser is part of an ongoing national effort of ERA Real Estate brokers across the country to raise donations for Muscular Dystrophy.

This is the eighth consecutive year that the Realtor has collected funds to fight the disease and

is the second effort made by them this year. On May 19, in cooperation with the Village of Niles, they sponsored a children's fingerprinting program. Their goal this year is to raise over \$1,000 to help "Jerry's Kids".

All interested residents are invited to drive by Milwaukee and Oakton Sts. between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Saturday, August 18 or stop by ERA Callero & Catino's office any time with your donation.

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### CTA September passes to sell at reduced rates

The CTA's September 1984 monthly passes will sell for reduced rates as a result of a settlement of a law suit approved today (August 2) by the Honorable Anthony Scottillo. The class action suit challenged the imposition of a surcharge upon July 1981 monthly pass users.

The September 1984 full fare monthly pass will sell for \$37, a reduction of \$3, and the senior citizen/disabled pass will sell for \$16, a reduction of \$2.

The September pass will go on sale August 25 at CTA bus garage, rapid transit terminals, and the CTA Treasurer's office on the seventh floor of the Merchandise Mart. At other established outlets, including most currency exchanges, the passes will go on sale on August 27.

These reductions will be for the September 1984 passes only.

### President of North Shore Multiple Listing

Robert B. Green has been elected president of the North Shore Multiple Listing Corp. Ray Anderson of Hokanson & Jenks was elected secretary-treasurer of the organization.

Green is president of M-G-M Realty, Inc. the 20 year old firm which is headquartered in Skokie and also maintains offices in Niles, Chicago and Buffalo Grove.

### Program for recently unemployed at Horwich JCC

An introductory session, providing an overview of a free, 5 week program for recently unemployed, will be held from 9 a.m. until 10 a.m. on August 20 at the Bernard Horwich Jewish Community Center, 3003 W. Touhy ave.

The program, sponsored by the Center in collaboration with the Northern District of the Jewish Family and Community Service, and the Samson Katz Center of the Jewish Vocational Service, will offer qualified participants

- a weekly support group discussion.
- a structured job-seeking skills program, offering practice sessions in resume writing, telephoning and interviewing.
- a weekly stress management program.

Sessions will be conducted by vocational counselors from the Jewish Vocational Service, a Jewish Family and Community Service social worker and a physical education specialist from the Horwich Center.

Participants in the introductory session will be given an opportunity to meet with these facilitators and to discuss their qualifications and the program's feasibility relative to their situation.

For more information, call Minna Davis at 761-9100.

### Frederick S. Clarke

Cadet Frederick S. Clarke, son of Ramon A. and Sarah R. Clark of 5011 Lee st., Skokie, received practical work in military leadership at the U.S. Army ROTC advanced camp, Fort Bragg, N.C.

### It's business as usual for Oakton instructor

Bob Matthews has been minding his own business for about six years, which should be a big help this Fall when he teaches others to do the same in the newly-created Small Business Management (MGT 160) class at Oakton Community College.

Matthews, 37, came to Oakton four years ago as a part-time instructor. Last year, he was hired on a full-time basis to coordinate and teach Introduction to Business class sections offered at Oakton. And from what his students say about him - he is quite a good teacher.

Bill Cekan, of Kenilworth, who's entering his junior year this fall at the University of Illinois, Champaign, said he believes Matthews' work experience has helped in the classroom.

John Straley, another of Matthews' students, credits his teacher with providing the incentive to start up his own business, Michael John, Ltd.

The 19-year-old Park Ridge resident said he was initially impressed with Matthews' teaching style. "He really puts his heart into it," Straley said. "He's very organized, but he's not your typical 'three-piece-suit' type of guy," he explained.

Straley's new company, which he co-manages with another of Matthews' students, Mike Pesola, is the combined inspiration of a University of Illinois Entrepreneur Workshop attended by Straley, plus the ideas he learned in Matthews' Introduction to Business class.

Despite his excellent reputation as an instructor, Matthews said he never planned to teach. He enlisted in the Army at the age of 18, where he had the opportunity to do some teaching and found that he seemed to have a knack for it. By the time he was 21, Matthews was out of the Army, married, going to night school at Wright Junior College in Chicago, and managing a finance office.

"I went to work at American National Bank and became division manager, then continued with night school, earning a bachelor's degree in Production Management and an M.B.A. from DePaul," he said.

Matthews said he always had been interested in small businesses, which led him to do a paper in school on "How to Buy a Small Business."

"There really wasn't much available when I went to research small businesses," he explained.

### It Makes Sense To Prepay Your Mortgage

by Martin Lippeth

Manager, Peerless Federal Savings Mortgage Dept.

Not long ago, a person would have been considered foolish to have prepaid his or her mortgage; however, because of a much lower rate of inflation and because of an increasing desire to reduce the personal financial risk associated with large debt, many people are doing just that.

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The increased equity can be used as an additional downpayment if a new house is contemplated, can be used as collateral if a future borrowing need arises, or can simply result in enabling a person to begin saving for retirement at a much earlier age. In any case, increased equity can mean increased peace of mind.



"I found that you might be able to run IBM with an M.B.A., but small business is a whole different matter. When you have a small business, you do everything from sweeping the floors to managing the finances. And if you don't sell - you don't eat."

Still, the idea of starting his own small business appealed to Matthews, who had found through his research that the office supply business probably would be a good one to get into.

Matthews opened Irving Park Office Products at 6033 W. Irving Park rd., Chicago, four years ago. Just over two years ago, though, he also found himself in the hardware business.

"There was a hardware store about two doors down that was there for many years," he said. "After they closed, people started coming into my store asking for (hardware-related) things. I never planned to be in the hardware business, but the demand was there and I'd say that it now makes up about 20 percent of the business."

"The best part of having a small business is being your own boss," he said. "It's a lot of hard work and I'm still learning, but there can be a lot of satisfaction, too."

Small Business Management is being offered Mondays at OCC/Des Plaines, 1600 E. Golf rd., and Thursdays at OCC/Skokie, 7701 N. Lincoln ave. Both classes are scheduled from

7:30 to 10:20 p.m.

For further information about the class, call Matthews, 635-1814. Shown above is OCC instructor, pausing during a business day in his hardware store.

## The Business Picture

### Golf Mill State Bank reports earnings increase

Golf Mill State Bank, Niles, reports a 31.4% increase in earnings for the second quarter over the same period last year. Golf Mill State Bank continues its steady upward climb with an impressive first half Net Income of \$36,000, as compared to \$408,000 in 1983.

At June 30, 1984 the Bank showed assets at a record high of \$90.8 million as compared to \$75.5 million at June 30, 1983, for an increase of 20.4%. "This growth reflects the satisfaction our customers have experienced with our service and our community concern," stated Raymond J. Wojnar, President. "It is also evidence of customer confidence in the soundness and security of Golf Mill State Bank."

According to Wojnar, this strong first half results from the Bank's willingness to make funds available back in 1982 to help the

borrowing customers weather the economic storm. The professionalism of Golf Mill State Bank's staff is also cited as a more profitable financial service institution. "Our staff has learned to turn challenge into creative accomplishment," Wojnar said, "and we look forward to making 1984 another record breaking year."

The five Premier Banks, which includes Golf Mill State Bank, Grayslake National Bank, Libertyville National Bank, First National Bank of Mundelein and The Premier Bank of Vernon Hills, have combined total assets in excess of \$350 million. The corresponding combined legal lending limit of \$3.6 million makes it possible for the individual Banks to respond to their customers' larger credit requests.

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## NILES POLICE BLOTTER

### Stolen car later recovered

A Niles resident reported his auto was stolen during the night of Friday, August 10.

The car, a 1976 Lincoln Continental, was parked in front of the resident's home in the 8400 block of Oriole st. when it was stolen.

After being notified that the car had been stolen Niles Police radioed a description of the vehicle to neighboring police departments.

On Saturday, August 11, the car was found by Des Plaines Police and returned to the owner. There was no sign of the thief when the car was recovered.

### Patient reported missing

A resident of a local nursing home was reported missing on Saturday, August 11.

Officials of the Golf Mill Plaza II Nursing Home, 8555 Maynard, notified police when a 65 year old male patient was found missing.

Nursing home officials said the missing man had never walked away from the home before. He was described as having a limp and possibly using a cane.

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### Church burglarized

Nearly \$1,000 damage was done to a local church during a burglary on Friday, August 10.

Officials of St. John Lutheran Church, 7429 Milwaukee ave., said that a burglar entered the building by climbing through a side window he had first broken.

Once inside the church the burglar ransacked a number of

classrooms. He then pried open the door to the pastor's office. A number of office desks and cabinets were forced open by the burglar.

Additionally, police report the burglar found donor envelopes and opened a number of them.

Church officials estimated the damage to the church at \$1,000.

### Purse stolen from car

A 17-year-old Lincolnwood woman told police her purse was stolen from her auto while at a Niles restaurant on Tuesday, August 7.

The Lincolnwood woman had parked her car and went inside to Brown's Chicken, 7305 Waukegan rd., leaving her purse in the car. The woman told police the car was left unlocked.

When she returned to the car the purse had been taken.

The purse contained money and the Lincolnwood woman's driver's license.

### Investigate suspicious fire

Niles firemen were called to a local church when garbage was apparently set on fire on Friday, August 10.

According to police, a janitor cleaning up after bingo had placed bags of garbage outside a door. At 11:40 p.m. police and firemen were called to the church to put out the fire which had ignited among the garbage.

The fire was quickly extinguished and police are investigating to determine the cause of the fire.

### School windows broken

A local school was vandalized during the night of Thursday, August 9.

Officials of Nelson School, 8901 Ozanam st., told police that two 24 inch by 46 inch windows were broken. The replacement cost of the windows was placed at \$300.

School officials told police they suspect youths congregate at night on the side of the school building judging by the debris found there.

### \$800 rings missing

A 25-year-old McHenry resident reported losing over \$800 in jewelry while at a local banquet hall on Thursday, August 9.

The woman said she had taken off two rings while washing her hands in a washroom at the White Eagle, 6839 Milwaukee ave.

When she realized she had misplaced the rings she called the banquet halls, however, the rings were gone.

The replacement value of the rings was set at \$800.

### Home burglarized

A Niles home was burglarized on Friday, August 10.

The home, located in the 9100 block of Courtland ave., was broken into some time between 6:45 a.m. and 7 p.m. The burglar gained access to the house by prying open a rear window.

Once inside the house the burglar ransacked three bedrooms as well as a dining room buffet and china closet.

The owners of the home were on vacation and were expected to submit a list of missing items to the police when they return.

### Lockers broken into

Two area residents had their lockers broken into at a local athletic center on Friday, August 10.

A 33-year-old Skokie resident and a 34-year-old Skokie resident told police that between 6 p.m. and 8:10 p.m. a thief broke into their lockers at Nautilus, 8273 W. Golf rd.

The thief, who opened the locked combination locks, took \$90 from one of the residents and \$100 from the other.

### Child's safety seats reduce accidents

By Secretary of State Jim Edgar

The number of young children killed or injured in motor vehicle accidents in Illinois has declined since the Child Passenger Protection Act went into effect July 1, 1983.

Fatalities involving children age 4 and younger declined from 19 to seven and injuries were reduced from 1,831 to 1,608 during the first six months the law was in effect, compared to the same period a year earlier.

However, the Illinois Department of Transportation estimates that as many as 75 percent of the parents and legal guardians required to put children under age 6 in approved child safety seats or safety belts are not using safety seats correctly.

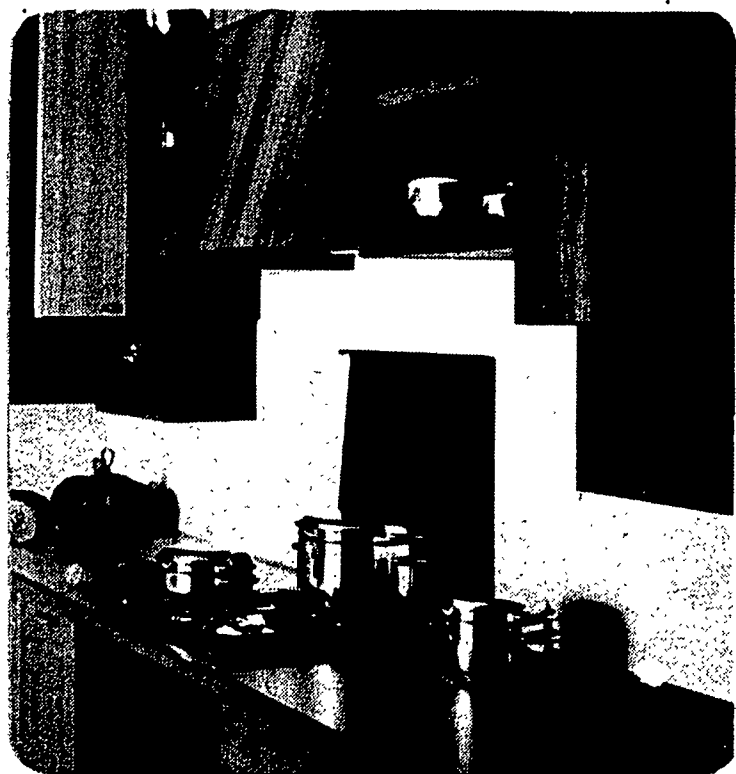
Follow the manufacturer's instructions carefully and use the safety belt to attach the safety seat to the car. Children can be protected further if all occupants in a vehicle use safety belts.

The law requires that children through age 3 be strapped into federally approved safety seats while traveling in the family car. Children 4 and 5 must be in safety seats or restrained by safety belts.

Parents or guardians who fail to obey the law can be fined a maximum of \$25 for a first offense. The penalty can be waived if the parents or guardians show in court that they possess an approved safety seat. A second violation could bring a fine of up to \$50.

The Department of Transportation provides a directory of safety seat programs, which includes a list of more than 125 agencies that have child restraint safety seat loaner/rental/sell-at-cost programs currently active in Illinois. For a copy of the directory, write to the Division of Traffic Safety, 2300 S. Dirksen pkwy., Springfield, IL 62764.

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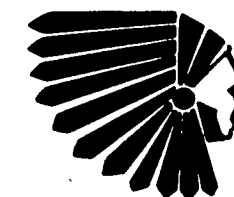
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Bank of Lincolnwood	\$300	\$500	yes

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## NILES PARK DISTRICT

### "Dress Up Day" at Jozwiak Park



The Niles Park District Day Camp recently held "Dress Up Day" at Jozwiak Park. Winners for the best dressed were (pictured left to right): Alex Karchevsky and Tracy Katz. Both came dressed for the event as Boy George.

### Family Trip to The Muppet Show!

The Niles Park District is offering a Family Trip for children of all ages to see "The Muppet Show-On Tour". This is a Muppets play with life-size characters. See Kermit, Miss Piggy and more of your favorites on stage! It's a spectacular song, dance and variety show-Muppet Style.

Our tickets are for Saturday, Sept. 15. The bus will leave the Rec. Center, 7877 Milwaukee ave. at 1:30 p.m. and return about 5:15 p.m. Tickets are \$8 per person for Niles residents and \$12 for non-residents. Cost includes ticket

and transportation. The show is at the University of Illinois Chicago Circle Pavilion. Register before Aug. 23 at the Rec. Center.

### Soccer Fun Day

This Soccer Fun Day will provide an opportunity for youngsters to see what soccer is all about and how much fun it can be. Instructors and coaches will be on hand to help the youngsters sharpen their skills. The date is set for Saturday, September 8 at Golf Mill Park at 11 a.m. Call 967-6633 for more information.

### Niles girls undefeated champs

For the first time in Niles history, a girls' softball team has completed their season with a perfect 10-0 record. The 13 year old Niles traveling team, managed by Rick Sheridan and ably assisted by coaches Tony Leva and Dennis Gonka and bat attendants Ann Sheridan and Susie Flynn swept their conference beating such formidable opponents as Skokie Youth, Skokie Travelers, Deerfield, Des Plaines, and Sauganash.

In the fifth game of the season, their perfect record on the line, they defeated a determined Skokie Youth team 9-8 in an 11 inning game under the lights at Jozwiak Park. Highlighting the season was their final victory over Deerfield, 10-8 on Deerfield's home field.

Continually demonstrating their defensive prowess for the Niles team, at left field was Colleen McAuley, protecting center field we found Kelli Leva and playing right field Sandy Stergios. Rarely did a ball get by this dynamic trio. Locking up the infield was Debbie Byk at third base, Amy Gonka playing short stop, Carol Ann Barrett at short center, Margie Sheridan covering second and Danna (Stretch) Callero protecting first. The pitching/catching team of Mary Sheridan and Jennifer Pierski caused much anguish to many a worthy opponent. Recently Mary has been lauded as best pitcher in the league.

In addition to their superior defense, their strength at the plate was evidenced by the numerous base hits of all the players including several game winning home-runs by Amy Gonka.

Flexibility is a key item to the success of any team and the flexibility of Niles was evident in the ability of their support players. Backup pitcher Lori Salm led the team to several key victories with Julie Flynn and

### Breakdancing class



Students from the Niles Park District learn new steps in the popular breakdancing class which is offered this summer at Grennan Heights.

### Maggie's Mini Slim & Trim

Registration is now being taken for Maggie's Mini Slim & Trim Exercise classes which begin September 10. Classes are held on Monday and Wednesday at 9 a.m., 9:45 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m., 7 p.m. or 7:45 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday classes are at 5 p.m. 4 weeks of classes (8 sessions) cost \$10 (non-resident fees are double). Register at the Niles Park District office, 7877 Milwaukee ave. Call 967-6633 for more information.

### Ladies Choice Brochures

The 1984 Fall Ladies Choice Brochures are now available at the Rec. Center, 7877 Milwaukee ave. All registrations are taken on an in-person basis, first-come, first-serve. Trips are for ladies only. The following is a list of some of the places we'll be touring: International Friendship Gardens, Arlington Park Race

Track, Chicago Board of Trade, Chicago Merchandise Exchange, Arts, Crafts and Antique Sale, Water Tower Place. We'll view the graduation ceremony at Great Lakes Naval Base, see the award-winning musical "Pirates of Penzance" and "Annie". Register early to avoid disappointment!

### Chicago Sting to kick-off LTY Soccer League

On Saturday, Aug. 25, the Leaning Tower YMCA is kicking-off their Indoor Soccer League with an Indoor Soccer Clinic featuring a member of the Chicago Sting! All youths grades 4-8 (boys and girls) who are interested should come to the Y and register as soon as possible. The League begins Saturday, Aug. 25 thru Oct. 27, 12:15-3 p.m.

The Indoor Soccer League will consist of Soccer modified for gym use, combining the fun of playing on teams while learning skills in passing, throwing, goal kicking, and game theory. Teamwork, sportsmanship, fun and values education are stressed. All boys and girls who register participate! Free team jerseys, soccer manuals and certificates.

There is also instructional Indoor Soccer on Tuesdays for 2nd-4th grade from 4-5 p.m. and Wednesdays for 4th-6th grades from 4-5 p.m.

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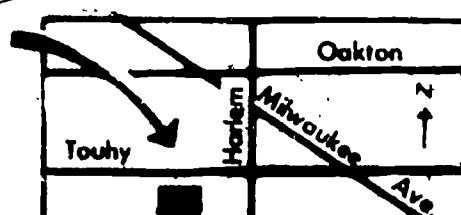
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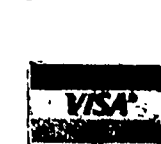
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