

EASTON

Easton News Items should be given Miss Thompson by Tuesday noon or may be sent direct to The Journal Office in Greenwich. MISS KATHRYN THOMPSON, Easton Correspondent

Badges Indicate Summer Readers

The bright blue and red letter badges appearing around Easton are being worn by members of the Election Year Reading Club. This activity for boys and girls is sponsored by the Easton library, a member of the Southern Adirondack library system.

A badge denotes that the wearer has already read at least one book since July 6, the beginning date of the club. It also states the reading team, Stars or Stripes, to which the child belongs.

All area boys and girls are invited to join.

CONTEST NEARS END

The contest to design an official seal for the town of Easton will end next Thursday, August 1. Seal designs should be submitted to Mrs. George C. Houser Jr., town historian, by that date.

LOCAL BRIEFS

—Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Lowe of Searsdale spent the week end at their home here.

—Miss Mary Dinger of Amsterdam, Holland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elton Borden and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Snell announce the birth of a son Sunday, July 21, at Leonard hospital in Troy.

—Visiting at the home of Mrs. Edna Brophy and family are her uncle, Samuel Wallace, and his son, Billy, of Sotiland.

—Mrs. Henry Schreijack was hostess for the Easton Book club picnic last Wednesday afternoon at her home on route 40.

—Mrs. Warren Nulty and son, James, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. David

Harrington at their camp at Caroga Lake.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greninger of Highland Lake, N. J., are spending several days with Mrs. F. M. Briggs.

—Dr. and Mrs. Phillip H. Peters and daughter, Phillipa, have returned home after spending a vacation at Pemaquid Point in Maine.

—Several people attended the Easton Volunteer Fire company No. 1 annual clam steam held at the Stillwater Rod and Gun club Sunday afternoon.

—Mrs. Arthur Grainger entered her mother's and father's wedding certificate and their wedding invitation and her grandmother's and grandfather's picture for an anniversary held in Wilton Sunday.

—United Methodist church will hold regular church service at the church Sunday, July 28, at 10:45 a.m. Wear picnic clothes and attend the picnic immediately after the church service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rapp on Beadle Hill at 12 p.m. Those attending should take a covered dish or two loaves of nut bread, table service and a card table and folding chairs. Swimming is available.

TO REPEAT SLAUGHTER

By popular request, two additional performances of Slaughter on Tenth Avenue have been added to the New York city ballet's final week of performances at the Saratoga Performing Arts center. The revised programs will be on Thursday evening at 8:30 and the final performance of the season on Sunday afternoon at 3:30, when the company will dance Bizet's "Symphony in C," "Haydn Concerto" and "Slaughter on Tenth Avenue."



MISS GREENWICH LAUNCHED

A new river houseboat built by four Greenwich boys is now anchored in the Battenkill upstream from the bathing beach. The picture shows the boat and two of the boys who designed and built it, Tom Barber on the left, and Tim Griffith. The other boys who shared in the labor of building the craft and the cost of materials are Steve Patrick and Tom Kennedy. The boat is a raft measuring 8 feet by 8 feet, with a cabin superstructure. It is equipped with four barrels which keep it afloat. The craft was built in a barn on the farm of Tom's father, Robert S. Barber. Thursday afternoon Mr. Barber hauled the Miss Greenwich to the launching site on a tractor-drawn wagon. The boys plan to use the boat as a raft for swimming and fishing. The cabin may be used for sleeping quarters.

Holstein Show Will Be Held On Saturday

The Tri-County Black and White show will be held Saturday, July 27, at the Washington county fairgrounds at Greenwich, starting at 10 a.m. Professor Hilton Boynton of the University of New Hampshire will judge the show.

Special showmanship classes will be called at 9:45. Participants will be in two age groups. Those who have not reached their 14th birthday will be in the junior showmanship class. The senior showmanship class will be judged in the show pavilion.

David Morrow, advertising manager and associate editor of the World, will take pictures. Miss Sally Ayers of Whitehall, 1988 Washington county dairy princess, will be ribbon girl for the day.

Light refreshments will be sold by the Junior Holstein club. Members are invited to take luncheon dishes and sandwiches to share for a buffet during the noon recess.

Production awards will be given in two classes, aged cow and dry cow. A first and second best udder award will be given in the 2-year-old, 3-year-old and aged cow classes. A trophy will be awarded to the grand champion female.

Raymond Johnson of Easton is chairman of the show. Members of the show committee are Arliden Olson, Mrs. John Barnwell, Dave Mosher, Edward Skiff, Neal Rea, Edward McNeil, Sherman Harrington and Terry Hoag.

Officers of the Tri-County Holstein club for 1968 are: President, Elwood Arnold, Amsterdam; vice president, Addison Gillis, Argyle; secretary-treasurer, Kenneth Moore, Valley Falls; junior club advisor, Mrs. John Barnwell, Eagle Bridge; news reporter, Mrs. John Mosher, Greenwich; directors, Lawrence McNeil, Argyle; Jack McClenning, Fort Edward; Lawrence Peck, Schuylerville; Frank Cipperly, Valley Falls.

24 Girl Scouts Are Camping at Elsworth Farm

A group of Hayseeders from Camp Little Notch, the Girl Scout camp near Fort Ann, are camping from Sunday to Friday at the Gateway farm, home of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Elsworth and family, near North Greenwich. The group of 24 girls and 4 counselors set up their own tents and are cooking their own meals. The next group will go to the farm in August.

The counselors are Miss Ellie Vangulis of Holland who is spending the summer working at Camp Little Notch; Miss Ann Quick, whose parents are in Brazil; Miss Natalie Naumoff of Schenectady, who will attend college in the fall, and Miss Ruth Beaton of Texas who teaches school in New Mexico.

The Girl Scouts have been gathering beans, weeding the garden, carrying milk pails early in the morning, helping to load and carry rocks and helping with the hay. They ride the horses, play with the St. Bernard dogs and pet raccoon and Monday they had a water fight in the brook. They will help to pluck chickens Thursday and that evening will have a hay ride.

Youngsters Pass Tests At Beach

For the past two weeks swimming lessons have been given at the Battenkill beach. Friday the polywogs, minnows and paddlers were tested to see how much progress they had made during the lessons.

The polywogs who passed were: Leslie Nolan, Michelle Nolan, Eddy Sharp, Christine Oliver, Lisa Flynn, Timmy Trinkle, Bobby McKernon, Ronnie McKernon, Bobby Brown, Kathy Roberts, Cobey McReynolds, Tammy Meek, Lili White, Carol Knight and Lucina Hughes.

The minnows who passed were Margaret Martin, Randy Fung, Jeff Lathrop, Paul Fiek, John Bardwell, Susan Bardwell, Danny Cook, Eddie Cook, Kathy Jilek, Robin Roberts and Jerry Nash.

The paddlers who passed were Donna Gardephe, Karen McReynolds, Vicki Meek and David Brown.

The second session of lessons are beginning immediately. Any newcomers should enroll with the lifeguards as soon as possible.

Hyde Collection In Glens Falls Open to Public

The Hyde collection at 161 Warren street, Glens Falls, is open to the public without charge from 2 to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday during the year and during the summer is also open the same hours on Saturdays.

This collection of art is housed in the Hyde house at 161 Warren street. This home, a replica of a Florentine palazzo of the Renaissance period, became a trust property on the death of Mrs. Hyde in 1968, and was opened to the public the following year. It is administered by a 15-member board.

The paintings in the collection include works of the 15th to 20th century artists. Represented are Rubens, Van Dyke, Rembrandt, Renoir, Picasso, Degas and Braque. There are temporary exhibits, and concerts, art classes and lectures are included in the program.

Base of Fountain Has Been Rebuilt, More Donations

The base of the fountain in Dutch park, where a new statue will be placed soon, has been completely rebuilt. The cost of this work was \$50, as there was considerable volunteer labor and materials.

Harold Palmer of Hudson Falls, a former Greenwich resident, has arranged to have new fancy work corners made for the base by the Sandy Hill Iron and Brass company.

Recent contributors to the fountain fund are: Mr. and Mrs. John Gervet, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wondersam, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hendy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Saward, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Washburn of Silver Springs, Md., formerly of Greenwich.

GRANTS APPROVED

The state has approved pure water grants to seven upstate communities. Included is one to Saratoga Springs for \$15,632. An award to Mechanicville totals \$4,528. Glens Falls received a grant of \$7,237 and Sewer District 1, town of Bolton, received \$2,872.

NO HOLD HEARINGS

Albany is among five cities in the state in which public hearings will be held to investigate New York state's public welfare system. The hearings are expected to begin late in August. At the hearings the

joint legislative committee will revise the social services law and ask individuals and organizations to testify. Other cities designated include New York, Rochester, Buffalo and Syracuse. The hearings in Albany will start August 30.

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