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CALL TO ACTION

The following is the homily given by the Reverend Julie McPartlin, St. James Episcopal Church, Lake George, at a service on 9/12/01. Julie (Henry) is a summer resident of Hague.

Many of you know this national tragedy almost hit very close to home for us. Our daughter worked in one of the World Trade Center buildings. There are several in that complex. She called her father after the first plane went in to let him know she was o.k. and to tell him to turn on the TV. At that time we all thought it was an accident. Then the second plane hit and the tragedy unfolded from there. We did not hear from Happy again until 1:06PM. It was a long, terrifying morning.

At one point I was cleaning my desk. I had to do something, but it had to be something mindless. I have a daily calendar on my desk with a thought for each day. On this day it was a quote from Helen Keller that I would like to share with you.

"Truly I have looked into the very heart of darkness, and refused to yield to its paralyzing influence but in spirit I am one of those who walk the morning. What if all dark, discouraging moods of the human mind come across my way as thick as the dry leaves of autumn? Other feet have travelled that road before me, and I know the desert leads to God as surely as the green, refreshing fields and fruitful orchards". . . Helen Keller

Truly, we have looked into the very heart of darkness. Like Helen, we, too, must refuse to yield to its paralyzing influence. We, too, must seek to walk in the morning light. We, too, must trust that even the desert leads to God. In this time of national tragedy let us pray for the multitudes of people who need our prayers; for the injured and the missing, for the brave fire fighters, police, rescue workers and citizens who risked their lives to save others, for the innocent victims on the ground and in the airplanes, for families and friends who wait to for news and for all who grieve. Let us pray for this country, for President Bush, Governor Pataki, Mayor Giuliani, the Congress of the U.S. and all our leaders, for the leaders of the nations, for our enemies, and all who wish us harm, that God may turn their hearts to peace. And we pray for ourselves that God may use this tragedy to deepen our faith.

Your editor has spent countless hours on the phone - the Verizon one! - during the past month. Not only have I talked with a number of Verizon people, but I have talked with our Assemblywoman Little and the office of Senator Stafford. To date I have gotten a lot of (mis)information and since I don't know whom to believe I will not bore you with the details. I also wrote to the State of NY Dept. of Public Service and did get a reply on Aug. 31 stating they would review the matter and contact me when the investigation is completed.

Obviously Verizon made a big mistake when they decided to put Silver Bay customers in the Glens Falls telephone book. One report I got was that it was because Glens Falls was closer than Ticonderoga. I asked if they had ever been here! Another person I talked with at Verizon said they were going to have a meeting on the subject on August 31 and she would call me when they had decided what to do. Naturally I haven't heard anything more from her but I will still try to contact her again.

The Silver Bay subscribers please take note: I have it from a VERY reliable source (a Silver Bay resident) that when he called them way back when the phone book first came out that he was told he would be getting a \$50.00 refund for the inconvenience. I said "Good luck!" Believe it or not, on his last Verizon bill, he was credited with \$44.00+. So --- if I lived in Silver Bay I would write to its customer relations department and demand a refund. (Doesn't hurt to try.) If enough of you did this maybe they might figure it would be easier and cheaper to publish another Ticonderoga directory.

Here are the numbers you need:

•Verizon Customer Relations Office: 1-800-483-7988 (I apologize for the erroneous number given in the last issue) or write to Verizon, Customer Relations, Room 2001, 1095 Avenue of Americas, New York, NY 10036. Their website is www.verizon.com. The person I have gotten further with than anyone (and that's not far!) at Verizon is Debbie LaCroix. Her number is 914-741-7810. Tell her Dorothy Henry sent you!! :-)

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•Public Service Commission, Consumer Services Division, 1-800 342-3377 or write Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223.

Their website is: <http://www.dps.state.ny.us/>

•Assembywoman Elizabeth Little, 792-4546, Senator Stafford at 668-0178 If those of you who live in Silver Bay would like to keep your number in the Ticonderoga book, please write or call the above numbers. If it doesn't help this year, they might get the message to make the change back next year. In the meantime, get your money back!

The following is a letter written on August 15 to Verizon by our Supervisor Belden.

Dear Customer Relations Specialist:

As the Supervisor of the Town of Hague, I am very disappointed in your latest Ticonderoga area telephone directory that does not include the residents and businesses that are located in the Silver Bay/Sabbath Day Point area of the Town of Hague.

There are numerous members of the Hague Volunteer Fire Dept. who live in that area and contacting these members by looking up their number in the new phone directory (Glens Falls) is impossible. This will have an adverse effect on this Volunteer Fire Dept. as they are currently fund raising due to construction of a new fire house.

The children of the Town of Hague, which includes the Silver Bay/Sabbath Day Point area attend the Ticonderoga Central School system. This could cause problems for the School District and their families.

Businesses will also suffer from this non-listing. Will they be compensated for their loss?

Without the directory people will now have to call information, AT A CHARGE, to obtain telephone numbers. The service that we all pay for in our phone bills is still being charged to these customers but they are not receiving the service. Will we be compensated for this expense?

Telephone calls to your customer service number elicited numerous responses as to why the listings are missing from the directory. (i.e. "Your 911 physical address shows you live in the Glens Falls area." or "You are not a customer of Verizon." etc.) We have found, that indeed most are Verizon customers, so that explanation doesn't hold true. As for the 911 address showing that they live in the Glens Falls area, you should be thanking your lucky stars that any calls, so far, are going through to the proper agency as they should. This system has worked extremely well for the past several years, let us hope that it will continue to work well even though Verizon seems to think they know our area better than we do!

In closing it is our opinion that you have made a grievous error and have not, at this point owned up to it. Numerous calls have elicited that it is the Marketing Divisions call as to placement. Therefore our recom-

mendation is to have your Marketing Division PRINT AN ADDENDUM to the Ticonderoga directory and mail it with a letter of apology to all those residents who were left out of the book.

Awaiting a prompt reply, I remain very truly yours, /s/ Daniel D. Belden, Supervisor.

GOING ONCE, GOING TWICE . . .

The Hague Specialty Shops will present an old-fashioned country antique auction on Saturday, Oct. 6. The auction will be held at Hague Creek Antiques, Rt. 8, behind the Hague Post Office. A variety of items from area antique and specialty shops will be featured. Preview will be from 8-10AM with the auction starting promptly at 10AM. All sales will be cash only, with no buyer's premium. Bring your own chair, rain or shine! Hague Specialty Shops: Carriage Barn Antiques, Graphite Mountain Stoneworks, Hague Creek Gifts and Antiques, Mt. Zion Gifts, Old Glory Antiques and Gifts, The Red Garage.

HAGUE SENIOR CITIZENS

The Hague Senior Citizens Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 25 at 1:30PM at the Community Center. The meeting will be a brief business meeting, and then we will drive to Ticonderoga to be introduced to the new hospital wing. On October 5 the Club will go to North Creek for the train ride on the Upper Hudson River Railroad (North Creek to Riparius) and lunch at The Copperfield. You must register for this trip no later than September 25 by phoning President Janet at 543-6807. Please arrange for rides BEFORE this date; don't wait to get to the Community Center (from which we will leave at 8:15AM). . . . ewa

HAGUE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

We have no report on Fire Department activities, but this writer can assure you that our men have been busy. During the last week in August daily trips were made to the Rowan Reservoir, off Watts Hill, to replenish the water supply there.

Our ambulances were busy, responding to 15 calls, logging 810 miles, and expending 112 man hours.

In a future issue we will detail all the things that volunteer firemen do besides fight fires - and transport water to thirsty reservoirs. . . . ewa

At this writing (Sept. 18) we are very, very dry . . . we have seen little (or no) rainfall in Hague for several weeks. We wish to caution everyone to be very careful with burn barrels, lighted cigarettes, and yes, your outdoor grille. . . . ewa

If you must choose between two evils, pick the one you've never tried before.

SPECIAL TOWN BOARD MEETING - 8/20/01

The Hague Town Board held a special meeting on 8/20/01. The agenda covered updating the valuation of real property and the feasibility report submitted by Adirondack Engineering Associates on the proposed water district.

Michael Swan and Terri Ross of the Warren County Office of Real Property Tax Services spoke on what the process would entail. They would work with the assessor. While the assessor would gather and provide the data, the Office of Real Property Tax Services would run that data through the computers. The basic cost of the service would be \$3500.00 with an additional \$1000 for map changes and other incidentals. Mr. Swan stated that all of the state lands, the International Paper Co. lands and several private parcels, all of which are still in litigation from the 1999 re-valuation, will not be included. The Board agreed to subscribe to the service at the stipulated price.

The feasibility report from Adirondack Engineering Associates was reviewed. The \$7000 report with its several recommendations was accepted in its entirety without any modifications.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS 8/23/01

A public hearing was held on the Taylor property at Indian Kettles.. This would allow a 113% expansion of a lake side residence. Several people spoke in favor of project. There were no negative comments.

The variance application from Ms. Dimond had been tabled from the last meeting. She is requesting relief from the Hague Zoning ordinance for side yard setback (6 ft relief) and Lake Shore setback (46 ft. relief) for a boat rail launch system and a 200 sq. ft. accessory storage building. Ms. Dimond revised her request by changing the angle of her rail system so as not to interfere with her neighbors rail system. Approval granted.

Van Wirt application for relief from the Hague zoning ordinance for an expansion of a lake side residence of 240% was withdrawn.

Taylor (for Ferguson Trust) (see above public hearing) The variance request was approved.

Dock Doctors (for Ingrey) are applying for a variance for a 12 x 12 ft. deck which is 18 ft. from the lake and requires 32 ft relief from Section 160-50 B(b) Application was approved and public hearing set for Sep. 27.

IHH (Island Harbor House) Properties would like to subdivide a 25.34 ac. lot deeded as one parcel but identified on our tax map as three parcels into two lots. The larger 24.34 ac. lot will be conforming. The smaller lot of .539 ac. (1.1 ac. required) will not conform to minimum lot area and therefore will require relief from Section 160-23. Site review was scheduled for Sat., Aug. 25; public hearing on September 27.

PLANNING BOARD - 9/7/01

SUBDIVISIONS:

The IHH Properties. (See ZBA notes above). There was a conditional recommendation to Zoning Board to approve the subdivision based on the qualifications in the original resolution that was adopted on 9/15/00.

Takonis - Terrace Road Ext. Mr. & Mrs. Takomis would like to subdivide a 35 ac. lot into two lots. One lot of 8 ac. (in OCII) will be used for their future residence and the other lot will be gifted to Silver Bay Assoc. The gifted lot is completely surrounded by Silver Bay properties and will be merged with Silver Bay parcel 47-1-9 to make it a conforming lot of 44.74 ac.

McConaughy , 8382 Lakeshore Drive. Mr. McConaughy would like to subdivide a 47,567 sq.ft. lot into two lots, one with an existing residence of 26,860 sq. ft and a smaller lot of 20,707 sq. ft. The smaller lot will be merged with his residence lot to create a new lot of 2.42 ac. Both lots will be conforming in area and dimension.

Public hearings will be held on the three above projects. on Oct. 4 at 7PM.

REFERRAL:

Dock Doctors (for Ingrey), Bob Kat Lane in Arcady. The Dock Doctors are applying for a variance for a 12 x 12 ft. deck which is 18 ft. from the lake and requires 32 ft. relief from Section 160-50 B(b). The Planning Board recommended to the Zoning Board denial to the request as submitted.

TOWN BOARD - 9/10/01

The Hague Town Board held its regular monthly meeting on 9/10/01 with all members present.

The Board opened the meeting with a moment of silence for Fred LaPann, Jane H. Pritchett and Jeffrey Scott Floor, all of whom died during the past month. The privilege of the floor was granted to those present. Joan Belden stated that over the Labor Day weekend a few visitors had an open fire cookout at the Town Park in violation of the park ordinance. Dottie Henry requested that as a member of the Park Advisory Committee she would like the committee to meet soon and not wait until spring '02 at which time it might be too late to address some of the issues that must be addressed. Dottie also requested that the Community Center parking lot be illuminated sufficiently well for people to see when attending events at night. Rudy Meola reinforced Dottie's point since he brought up the issue back in February and the whole Board affirmed that action would be taken; eight months later the problem had not been addressed.

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Again the Board expressed its intent to fix the problem.

Councilman Hourigan asked the Board to compensate Stan Burdick \$300 rather than the \$200 paid other performers, for his concert in the Town Park this summer. He stated that Burdick had incurred additional expenses for which he would like reimbursement. Councilman Megow reflected that this was an after the fact request but nevertheless went along with the request which was approved unanimously.

The Board Committee chairmen made their reports which for the most part were routine in nature.

- Specifications for a replacement of the highway garage roof are being prepared.
- Bathrooms at the Town Park will close after the Columbus Day weekend.
- The after school activities bus will start its runs on 9/11/01.
- Supervisor Belden stated that he and Debbie Manning have been visiting various properties seeking their approval for the 87 "Grant of Easements" necessary in order for the sewer project to proceed. The forms should be returned as soon as possible so as not to slow down the sewer project.
- He also notified the public of a letter of inquiry sent to Superintendent of Schools, Mr. McDonald, asking about the status of the Hague School parking lot (next to the Wesleyan Church in Hague). The School Board offered to deed the property to the Town of Hague in 1999. The Town Board accepted the offer. The transfer has not yet taken place.
- The Town Board authorized the Supervisor to advertise for the position of Clerk of the Works on the sewer project. The position will be funded by the grant and the person will be an employee of Clough-Harbour Engineers while the sewer is being built.

- Supervisor Belden stated that the pickup of junk cars under the U.S. grant will begin on Sept. 12.

Councilman Hourigan discussed the draft of a local law dealing with the removal of abandoned vehicles. It was the Board's position that the draft of a local law should include both junk cars and junk yards. Councilman Hourigan will submit a plan which will include both. The Board will review it and once finalized will hold a public hearing on the proposed local law to control junk vehicles and junk yards. The Zoning Administrator will be the enforcement officer.

- The Board reappointed Dave Martucci to a six year term as town assessor, effective 10/1/01. However, his hours will be expanded from the present four hours per week to eight hours per week in order to accommodate the public. The Board also approved the agreement with Warren County on the property valuation update.
- The contract with N.Y. State for ice and snow removal was approved.
- Reappointed Barbara Belden to the Board of Assessment Review.
- Approved a resolution to increase the publicity fund in the 2002 budget, not to exceed \$10,000.
- Set the date of 10/5/01 at 7PM for a public hearing on the Town's Comprehensive Plan.
- Accepted a petition from Orchard Road residents requesting cable
- Authorized the repairs of a fence at the cemetery on

West Hague Road.

The meeting was then adjourned in order to proceed to an executive session to discuss a personnel matter.

WEATHER NOTES

By Mary Lou Doulin

Let's savor these bountiful days of September. In the annals of beautiful late summer weather this year is at the top of the list. Bright days of endless sun and deep, clear blue skies with temperatures in the mid 70's have been going on for weeks. It has been the most enjoyable streak of gorgeous days and nights that we have experienced this year.

Radiational heat loss due to the crystal nocturnal skies have given us a forshadowing of the cold to come. The full moon earlier this month was almost like the light of day.

Pumpkins are passing from green to orange and the flowers are prime. There's lots of purple, gold and red colors to brighten the days. The apples are smaller this year but very sweet.

HAGUE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

On Saturday, September 22 the Historical Society members will be going to the Bolton Landing Museum and the Lake George Museum. All members will be advised of the time of departure from the Community Center. Luncheon arrangements are still pending. If you wish to go on this interesting trip to local museums, please register at once with President Jerry Crammond at 543-8054. . . . ewa

HAUNTED FORT

The Ticonderoga Festival Guild and Fort Ticonderoga are joining forces again for a scary evening at Fort Ticonderoga on Oct. 19 and 20 and also on Oct. 26 and 27. Fort will be open from 6:30PM to 9PM. Admission is \$6.00 for everyone. Tickets may be purchased at the Fort. For information on tickets, call 585-2821.

The first meeting for the cast is being held on September 27 at 5:30PM at the fort. For information on this, call Cathie Burdick at 585-6716.

REDEDICATION OF CARILLON PARK

On Saturday, September 8, 2001, the Carillon Park in Ticonderoga (opposite the sewer plant) was rededicated with much pomp and circumstance. The triangular park is the work of many people, including Theresa Lonergan, who spear-headed the project and Virginia LaPointe and Andy Powvorznik who kept it going. Stop by and sit on one of the memorial benches and enjoy the quiet atmosphere.

NATURE NEWS
by Laura Meade

Can you tell the difference between a cricket and a grasshopper? When I heard a lot of "chirping" a few nights ago, I wondered if it was a cricket. Such a lot of noise under the bathroom closet from midnight to dawn. Who could sleep? As I shone a flashlight beam toward the "singer", it became quiet but would not appear "on stage". So I waited until morning, hoping it would emerge from its hiding place.

My plan was to catch it in a jar or box and take it outside. As I saw the first morning light I tip-toed toward the closet, when something black with long hind legs that moved quickly went under the cabinet.

I was sure the long-legged critter was the cause of the screeching the night before. Hoping to confine it to one location, I stuffed paper towels under the edge of the cabinet. Surely it would get angry or tired by night-fall and be quiet. But no! It had a wonderful time singing to itself (and me) for hours.

The next day about noontime, I saw a similar bug perched on the screen door. Was this the same cricket, waiting to come in for the night?

That piqued my curiosity, so I took a close look with the purpose of positively identifying the difference between a cricket and a grasshopper by researching a nature book.

When I opened the Time-Life Encyclopedia of Gardening (titled "Insects") I was astonished at the multitude of pests, marauders and diseases that gardeners and farmers have had to contend with over the centuries. On the first page of this book it says "mankind has had to contend with the same 50,000 plant diseases and over one million kinds of insects that our ancestors did." Fortunately only a small number of pests and diseases are likely to strike in any one area and scientists have developed different methods of control. One can be intrigued by the subject of insects.

Was "my" black cricket a pest? When it came to night chirping, it was indeed! Was the "bug" on the screen door also a cricket? Charts, graphs and photos revealed the differences.

Few people understand the complexities of insect life, even to lifetime gardeners. But JoAnn DeFranco took it upon herself to take three courses on garden pests at the Cornell Cooperative Extension in Elizabethtown, NY. Now she has more knowledge than most of us. I learned that crickets and grasshoppers are relatives and that their sounds are produced by rubbing two parts of the body together, usually by rubbing the forewing against a hind wing.

HAGUE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

A meeting of the Hague Comprehensive Plan Committee was held on August 27 for the purpose of going over the public comment notes which were taken

at the informational meeting on August 21 where approximately 60 residents were in attendance.

The following notes were submitted to the committee for review by Stuart Mesinger of the Chazin Co

1. Increase the beach fee for non-residents. I believe we previously considered and rejected this proposal.
2. Increase the boat launch fee for non-residents
3. Consider the use of the old fire department building for parking.
4. How will we obtain formal public hearing input from seasonal residents?
5. Address traffic control and safety on 9N approaching the Island Harbor turn.
6. How should the Town become a four-season destination, and do we want to?
7. Does the Town need a police force?
8. Should the Town increase the capacity at the boat launch, for example by adding floating docks?
9. Recommend the installation of sidewalk and other streetscape improvements at the same time the streets are opened for the sewers.
10. Limit tourist accommodations to two stories
11. Allow the Planning Board to consider visual impacts when reviewing development (I think this comment was in reference to tourist accommodations.)
12. Discount unbuildable areas when calculating developable area.
13. Establish regulations for soils that are unbuildable or poorly suited for development and that have no sewer.
14. Address telecommunication towers.
15. Provide for local protection of wetlands.
16. Recommend that the power lines in the hamlet be placed underground.
17. Recommend that cable conduits be put into the road when it is opened for the sewer.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR:

"IN EVERYTHING WE MUST CONSIDER THE
END" John Adams

A Blueprint for Further Damage to Lake George

"The comprehensive plan says that historically Hague has been a tourist town. That's true, but Now it is principally a residential community with a healthy mix of tourism too.

Hague currently is a peaceful place to live. We enjoy clean air, clean water and minimal traffic congestion. It is a town of simple joys and a healthy sense of community. In ways it harkens back to a less complicated time. Combine that with spectacular lake and mountain scenery and one can understand why the residents love living here so much.

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The main reason Lake George is so clean is due to the tree and vegetative cover on the mountains. This plan would encourage development on steep slopes with the justification of more regulation and review. That is a joke, because in Hague there is little or no enforcement. There should be NO development on steep slopes, period.

The one point all agreed upon was the protection of Lake George, yet almost every proposal would ensure the degradation of Lake George. Development is the #1 threat to Lake George, yet this plan only encourages it. It does so by allowing more density also.

Clearly interests of the residents are being subverted. This plan in the end offers lip service to the residents and gives the store and lake away to vested commercial interests." . . . Mary Lou Doulin

COLLEGE FINANCING

"You almost need a college degree to figure out the best strategy to fund your child's future education."

Parents eagerly want to give their children the skills necessary to succeed in this fast-paced employment environment of the future. However, with a public college degree today costing almost \$50,000.00 and a private school degree costing almost \$100,000 and up, parents worry how they will come up with the money.

Cornell Cooperative Extension has made available a short newsletter that will give you some do's and don'ts for college financing. Becoming informed about savings and investment options is the best way to help make smart choices about your children's future. Call 668-4881 or 623-3291 or write Cornell Cooperative Extension, 377Schroon River Road, Warrensburg, NY 12885 for a free copy of this newsletter.

DUCKS BE GONE!

Get rid of ducks, geese, sea gulls etc. on your raft, dock, lawn and beach. This worked for a resident who had these critters visiting on the raft each summer for 34 years. Order out of "Whatever Works" catalog. These are listed as Birdie Barriers - 2 for \$35.99 and Three Whirly Wheels - 3 for \$27.99. For catalog, call 1-800-499-6737

The Birdie Barrier's magnetic system disturbs the magnetic field for a 20' radius - no batteries or electricity. It is safe for birds, people, etc. It really works! The Whirly Wheels are gigantic pinwheels. Not a bird of any type on the raft from May to the present.

PROPERTY OWNERS OF SILVER BAY

The Property Owners of Silver Bay held two meetings this summer. At the July 17 meeting, Mark Kubricky described the innovations and construction at the hospital. At the August 17 meeting, Mark Johnson gave an update on the Silver Bay Association and Lu

Megow reported on proceedings in the town of Hague.

Nominating committee members Stan Burdick and Hank Geils submitted the following slate for 2001-2003 officers: President Gerard Van Heest; 1st V.P., Martha Van Patten; 2nd V.P., Hank Geils; Recording Secretary, Charles Gosselink; Corresponding Secretary, Meredith Behr; Treasurer, Ethel Andrus. The slate was elected unanimously.

The group voted to send letters from the association to Verizon and to our legislators protesting the omission of Silver Bay residents from the Ticonderoga Area phone book. It was also decided to hold one meeting per summer in future years, with the main focus being an update on area concerns.

At the conclusion of the meeting, retiring president Cathie Burdick presented the gavel to Jerry Van Heest.

Road clean-ups were carried out at the end of July and August. Participants in these two projects were Carol Babinsky, Ruth Barone, Meredith Behr, Bruno Brauner, Dorothy Brauner, Stan Burdick, Jack Dreyer, Jean Dreyer, Ginny Geils, John Geils, Paula Hartz, Charles Holliday, Spear Johnson, Rose Mastandrea, Steward Parlin, Jerry Van Heest. One more session will be scheduled at the end of September.

F.Y.I.

- The Ticonderoga Historical Society will be resuming its normal hours of operation on Wednesday, September 5th. The Hancock House will be open Wednesday through Saturday from 10AM to 4PM.
- The Clifton West Garden Fund has gotten off to a good start. If you would like to contribute to the garden in memory of Clifton West, historian for Hague for many years, you may send your contribution to The Clifton West Garden c/o Bertha Dunsmore, Hague Community Center, Hague, NY 12836.
- Stan Burdick, curator of the Hague Cartoon Museum, thanks the volunteers, especially Tom James who covered the museum every Thursday evening, and our Friday afternoon volunteers: Phil Mann, Dottie Henry, Babette Rogers and Blackie Fitzgerald. The regular staff did a good job as always: Pete Hutchinson, Shirley Smith and Stan Burdick. (Stan, as you know, totally volunteers his time, and donates his collection for public viewing.)

• Middle School Open House scheduled for Sept. 27 at 6:55 in the Middle School cafeteria.

• LINE DANCING at the Community Center every Monday at 7PM. Come join the fun.

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- Parkinson's support group meets at Moses Ludington Nursing Home on the third Wednesday of each month.
- Osteoporosis exercise class meets each Tuesday afternoon from 1:30 to 2:30PM in the hospital cafeteria.

SOUNDINGS

BORN: A boy, Charles Wesley, on July 24, 2001 at Albany Medical Center to Rick and Lisa Scanlon, Colonie. Grandparents are Ellie & Bob Scanlon, Sabbath Day Point.

BORN: A girl, Anna Assunta, to Joseph and Theresa (Denno) Gagliardi, Glens Falls on Aug. 24 in Glens Falls Hospital. Grandparents are Anna and the late Bernard Denno, Hague and Nauio and Anne Gagliardi, Queensbury.

BORN: A boy, Max Lawler, to Kathryn Barber and James Lawler on August 31, 2001 in Fairbanks, AK. Grandparents are Ann and John Barber, Sabbath Day Point.

MARRIED: Nicole Christine Foster, daughter of Judy and Peter Foster, Hague, to Peter Chapman Weber, son of Diane & Robert Weber of Mequon, WI on June 9, 2001 at the Lake George Club in Diamond Point. Nicole and Peter plan to live in St. Charles, IL.

MARRIED: Jane Frasier, daughter of the late Clifton (Jake) and Mary Frasier, Hague, to David Connelly, East Greenbush, NY at their home in East Greenbush on July 28, 2001.

DIED: Jane H. Pritchett, 76, New York City and Silver Bay, NY, on August 14 at Glens Falls Hospital. Mrs. Pritchett has been a summer resident of Silver Bay since 1959. She is survived by her husband Dr. R. A. Rees Pritchett, daughter Susan Pritchett Post, one grandson and one granddaughter, all of Alexandria, VA

DIED: Jeffrey Scott Floor, 45, son of William and The Reverend Marjorie Floor, Sabbath Day Point, in Jacksonville Beach, FL on September 1, 2001. A gifted artist, he won recognition for his artistic talent in Jacksonville Beach. Besides his parents Jeffrey is survived by his sister Cynthia, her husband, Crispin Shakeshaft and niece, Willa.

ATTENTION POND OWNERS

The Warren County Soil and Water Conservation District has FISH FOR SALE! This year is the sixth of the expanded program which includes species other than trout. The District now offers Brook and Brown Rainbow Trout; Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass; and Minnows! If you are interested in stocking your pond, contact the District

at 51 Elm St. in Warrensburg or call 623-3119 (Mon - Fri, 8-4:30PM) The e-mail contact is: john12@nycap.rr.com

DEADLINE FOR ORDERING IS FRIDAY, SEPT. 28, 2001. PICKUP WILL BE OCTOBER 5.

OCTOBER EVENTS AT FORT TICONDEROGA

Oct. 6-7 - Native American Harvest Moon Festival
9AM - 5PM. Reenactors portraying 18th century life of the Eastern Woodlands Indians including village life, teachings, craft work, blanket trading, battle preparations, afternoon skirmishes, singing, dancing, and games. This program is a New York State Humanities Month Event sponsored by the New York Council for the Humanities.

Oct. 10 - "Using Historic Photos to Conduct Research", 7PM. This lecture will be given by Christopher D. Fox, The "Anthony D. Pell" Curator of Collections at Ft. Ticonderoga. Held at the Thompson-Pell Research Center of Ft. Ticonderoga. It is free and open to the public. A New York State Archives Week Program.

Oct. 19-20 - Haunted Fort, 6:30 - 9PM.

FOOD PANTRY

Announcement of the open food pantry is made and hung up on the Community Center bulletin board, the Post Office and the Hague Market. If you have a problem, call Georgina Lindquist at 543-6095 and we will try to accommodate you.

GLENS FALLS SYMPHONY

On Sunday, October 14, 2001 at 4PM at the Glens Falls High School, the Glens Falls Symphony Orchestra will present "Variety is the Spice". This is the first of four concerts presented by the orchestra during the next season. On the program will be "Brahms" . . . Haydn Variations; "Tchaikovsky" . . . Variations on a Rococo Theme with Julie Albers violincello soloist, and "Elgar" . . . Enigma Variations.

The next concert will be the "Holiday Pops" concert, always a favorite, to be held on Sat., Dec. 8 at 7:30PM and Sunday, Dec. 9 at 4PM.

ROTARY CLUB OF NORTHERN LAKE GEORGE

The Rotary Club of Northern Lake George continues to meet each Tuesday at 7:30AM for breakfast and meeting. The programs for the coming few weeks are as follows:

September 25 - Club Assembly
October 2 - Peter Benvit, "Survival of the Polar Ice Cap"

October 9 - Tom Mowatt, *Illustrator, Educator, Craftsman*

October 16 - Alice Grether, "A Regional Treasure"

October 23 - Richard Merrill, "Returning Stoddard to Lake George"

The Rotary Club welcomes visitors to all meetings.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2001

September

- 22 Hague Historical Society trip (p2)
- 25 Senior Citizens meeting - 1:30. (p.2)
- 25 REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES - 12Noon - 9PM
- 27 Middle School Open House, 6:55PM at Cafeteria
- 27 Zoning Board of Appeals - 7PM

Line Dancing at Community Ctr. every Monday at 7PM

- 5 Comprehensive Plan Public Hearing 7PM (p4)
- 6 Firemen's Spaghetti dinner at firehouse (p8)
- 6 Hague Specialty Shops Antique auction (p2)
- 7 Planning Board - 7PM
- 9 Town Board - 6:30PM
- 17 Blood Pressure Clinic - Community Ctr. 1PM
- 18 Carillon Garden Club - 11AM, Community Bld
- 19 & 20 Haunted Fort (p4)
- 26 & 27 Haunted Fort (p4)

HAGUE FIREMEN'S DINNER

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2001

5-8PM

AT THE NEW FIREHOUSE ON WEST HAGUE ROAD

MENU

SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT BALLS	SALAD
GARLIC BREAD	DESSERT

ADULTS \$7.00	CHILDREN - \$5.00
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A good way to end the summer season and bid fond farewell to all your friends

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES HAVE BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2001 FROM 12NOON - 9PM. ANYONE WHO HAD ALREADY VOTED ON SEPT. 11 BEFORE THE POLLS WERE CLOSED MUST VOTE AGAIN ON THE 25TH. PREVIOUS VOTES WERE NEGATED. ABSENTEE BALLOTS WILL STILL BE COUNTED.

NEW LANDFILL HOURS - SEP. 16-30 MON. THURS. FRI. SAT.
OCT. 1 - DEC. 31 - MON. THURS, FRI, SAT.

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