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LAKE GEORGE WATER QUALITY

Limnologist Dr. Carol D. Collins, speaking before members of the Lake George Association Fund, reported on the scientific testing programs that have been conducted on Lake George water quality during the past 10 years. Most of the data used was collected by the R.P.I. Fresh Water Institute in Bolton Landing. Water clarity comparisons were based on a 1920 scientific study that found the clarity of the water averaged 34 feet; today, clarity is 3 feet less due to an increase in algae which thrive on pollutants.

Phosphorous, algae, coliform and chloride levels have increased yearly since 1980. The southern basin shows a greater increase than the northern basin by as much as 50%. The shorelines have far greater pollutant levels than does the lake's deep waters.

Storm water run off from construction and roadways, along with substandard septic systems are seen as the major causes for an increased level of pollutants entering the lake.

Dr. Collins recommended enforcement of storm and wastewater regulations and basinwide standards for septic systems as a means of controlling the degradation of water quality and the spread of milfoil.

NOTE: In Hague we have witnessed the scalping of culverts along NYS Rt. 9N and Rt. 8 this summer. Has anyone seen any control methods being used by the State of New York to prevent eroded sedimentation from the barren culverts from ending up in Lake George? . . . ac

PUTNAM BEACHES ORDERED CLOSED BY STATE

Across the lake from Hague in the town of Putnam, specifically in the cottage community of Glenburnie, two beaches have been forced to close by the State Department of Health. In a letter of August 3 to Thomas and Mary Ellen Ellipoulos owners, the beaches were declared unsafe for swimming after the health officials in-

spected the lake's soft muddy bottom a few feet offshore. The letter also stated that the beaches lack permits mandated by the state and do not have life guards, portable toilets, saving equipment and insurance, also mandated by the state.

The closing of these beaches effectively bars 20 families from having swimming access to the lake, as per their deeds. The Ellipoulos' stated that it would not be impossible to improve conditions at the beaches, but they do not plan to pay for the changes. "Everyone would have to pitch in together", they stated.

PEACE WITH THE EARTH CELEBRATION

"THE SPIRIT OF THE SABBATH" will be the theme of the Peace With the Earth Day celebration on August 19 from 12 - 7 PM at the Church of Blessed Sacrament and Hague Community Center, Hague, NY

Playshops such as flower arranging, story telling, nature walks, nutrition, oriental cooking, bird identification, geology talk and other leisure centered activities will take place all day for adults and children. Practical reflections will be offered on ways we might grow in sensitivity toward our environment. The evening will conclude with a sing along social and vegetarian pot-luck supper and tree planting ceremony. This event is open to the public and is free. For information call Barbara Fitzgerald, 543-8843.

TI ASSESSMENTS RAISED - CITIZENS IRATE

On July 1 the Ti assessors accepted the majority of the land-value figures supplied them by county-contracted property assessing company, Cole-Layer-Trumble. This has made for many disgruntled property owners, some of whom have taken the town to court over their increases. A number of businesses are included in the list, including the IP, NY Telephone and the Lake George Steamboat Company.

Supervisor Mike Connery stated that if these cases are won it will mean that everyone's taxes will go up. We in Hague can relate to that!

HAGUE HISTORICAL SOCIETY TRAVELS

Thursday, September 6th (Rain Date Friday, the 7th) the Hague Historical Society has planned a trip to Camp Sagamore, Racquette Lake, the last of William Durant's Great Camp Masterpieces.

Car pools will leave the Community Center parking lot promptly at 8AM for the almost two-hour drive to Sagamore. The tour of Sagamore will start at 10:00AM.

After touring Sagamore members will head for Old Forge and lunch at one of the interesting eating places there.

All are welcome to come. Please contact Robert Cole, President (543-6176) by September 4th for a total count to be made.

MOHICAN HOME BUREAU

The first meeting after our summer vacation will be held on September 4, 1990 at our new meeting place, the Hague Community Center. Meeting starts at 10 AM until you finish your project or care to leave. Bring your lunch, we furnish dessert, coffee and tea.

Anyone caring to join our organization is welcome to come, meet us and enjoy learning arts and crafts, sewing, and many other things. Our dues are \$8.25 for the year. Dues will be collected at this meeting for the 90/91 season.

Our project for this meeting will be a Scissors Holder. Teacher will be Claire Best. Bring the following materials to meeting if you want to make this attractive holder:

- 1 sheet plastic mesh (7 hole = 1 in.)
- pink yarn
- white yarn
- 1/2 yd. gathered lace (1 1/2 in.)
- 6 small buttons
- scissors and needle

If you don't care to make this project bring one of your own.

Would like to announce two changes on our board. Cindy Coons has requested to be replaced as secretary as her schedule is very heavy with County Home Bureau. Her replacement is Betty Van Sleet. Ruth Huestis who was in charge of Craft Programming is being replced by Claire Best. We want to thank both Claire and Betty for helping us fill these positions.

We want to thank all our members for their efforts in making our booth at the Hague Arts and Crafts Fair on August 4 a huge success.

Hope you all had a nice summer vacation and looking forward to seeing you in September. Bring a friend who is interested in what Home Bureau is all about. . . Trudy Karmozin

HAGUE SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

On Saturday, August 25th, there will be a bus trip to Queeche, VT to the Vermont HIGHLAND GAMES. (Bagpipers, Scottish dancing, sheep dog trials, caber tossing - something going on all day.) The price of admission is \$5. Food is available on the grounds, but it is suggested, particularly if you are on a special diet, to provide some victuals of your own. The bus will leave the Hague Community Center parking lot at 8 AM, but riders should be on hand at 7:45 so that noses can be counted and the admission fee collected. Please have the exact amount so that change will not have to be made. The last day to sign up for this trip is August 20th. All Seniors (50+) who are residents (seasonal or year-round) of Hague are welcome to make this trip. If more than 48 people sign up for this trip, their names will be put on a reserve list and if there are cancellations, they will be called in order of sign up. BRING YOUR FOLDING CHAIR. Some protection is available from light showers, but should it rain hard, the trip will be diverted to the Bennington, VT Museum. (The cost of admission to this museum is \$3.50, so come prepared with that exact amount, too.) To register for the August 25th trip, phone 543-6161.

There will be a regular business meeting on Tuesday, August 28th at 1:30PM at the Hague Community Center. We hope tht Al Van Sleet will show his pictures of his historic flight with George Hanna.

MEMORIAL PLAQUE TO BE DEDICATED

A memorial plaque will be dedicated in honor of Dr. Harold R. Gelhaar at the regular 10 AM service of Grace Memorial Chapel on Sunday August 19.

The worship service will be conducted by the Reverend David Lawrence, while the dedication ceremony will be by a long time friend of the Gelhaar family - the Reverend Cornelius Van Leeuwen.

Middle age is when the best exercise is one of discretion. . . . Laurence J. Peter

HAGUE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

With the lack of agenda for the Z.B.A. on July 26, the meeting was cancelled.

HAGUE PLANNING BOARD - 8/2/90

Mark Bagdon and Bruce Rever from Bagdon Environmental Associates, Inc of Delmar, NY outlined the services their company can provide to assist communities with various planning needs from reviewing existing zoning, subdivision and sanitary codes to reviewing environmental assessment forms and environmental impact statements for proposed projects. This presentation was for informational purposes only so that the Planning Board, Zoning Board of Appeals and Town Board could be aware of available technical assistance if required.

A public hearing on the minor subdivision of a 1.09 acre parcel from Sec. 19, Block 01 Lot 39 located on Rt. 8 in Graphite was held at 8:00 PM. No one spoke for or against the proposal.

The regular meeting opened at 8:10 PM. The minutes were approved as read.

The subdivision of the 1.09 acre parcel was approved with the condition that lots currently shown on the Town of Hague Tax Map as Sec. 19 Block 01, Lots 39.2 and 40 be deeded to the same person or persons. (This land transaction occurred in 1981 without jurisdictional approval. The conveyance of 1.09 acres was less than the minimum lot size requirements for the zoning district, but would have been permitted had it been combined with Lot 40. This retroactive subdivision was filed to legalize the transaction. The combination of Lot 39.2, owned by Christopher Lehr and Lot 40, owned by Christopher and Jean Lehr, would then become a conforming lot for the zoning district.)

Mr. Takonis, owner of the southern lot of the Richard Baker Terrace Road subdivision of Sec. 47, Block 1, Lot 8, requested modification of the conditions imposed on his lot of the 4-lot subdivision. A site visit was scheduled to determine if the conditions of subdivision approval had been fulfilled. . ac

To perform well elites need tending and nurturing. They need attention, and would rather be persecuted than ignored. With the masses it is the other way around -- like weeds, they thrive best when left alone. . . Eric Hoffer

HAGUE TOWN BOARD AUGUST 14, 1990

With the privilege of the floor, Mrs. Geraldine Loughlin of Overbrook Rd. Ext. and Donald Best of Cape Cod Village questioned whether something could be done about the flooding of their properties.

The only communication this month is the one in which Supervisor Bolton will apply for a landfill closure grant after meeting the two restrictions required for eligibility

Committee reports include: temporary repairs to the Chamber building sewer system; vandalism occurred at the Town Shed - no charges were filed but culprits were warned if there is a next time, there will be charges; eventually the culvert problems on Split Rock Road will have to be addressed - for now repairs have been made; Robbins Shattuck Rd. has been redesigned where it meets Dodd Hill Rd; a public telephone has been installed at the Chamber building in the park.

In unfinished business: At 181 points Hague is first on priority list for a 3 million dollar grant request Hague will make to the state. Survey by Clough Harbour Assoc. will see if this sewer project is financially feasible. John Breitenbach, Recycling Coordinator brought us up to date. Changes must be made for our recycling and landfill closure plan. Compactor may have to be moved closer to the entry gate. If anyone has any ideas for making recycling easier or better, contact John Breitenbach at 543-6161. Supervisor Bolton tells us that Warren County has markets for used paper, plastic and tin.

New business: Supervisor Bolton in a motion, received unanimous approval to sign an agreement with the LGPC on waste water regulations. Bolton Landing, Lake George, Queensbury, Hague, and the mayor of Lake George are all involved; a motion was approved to hire C.P. Sign Co. of Crown Point to prepare a sign to be placed on the front of the new community center at a cost of \$2,475; passed unanimously was Resolution #14 opposing the 1990 Environment Bond Act (land acquisition by the state) - will be on the Nov. 1990 ballot. At the county level an agreement has been reached with Resource Integration Systems Inc. for recycling center; amending 1990 budget for operation and maintenance plan and vector investigation on municipal landfills by Clough Harbour Assoc (Cont. on page 4)

WARREN COUNTY SEWER PROJECT

Town Board (Cont. from p.3)

An open meeting between assessors and town attorney on 8/16/90 at 7:30 AM will be held to discuss law suits by the state and counter suit by Hague re: assessed valuation of state land

Resolution #13 was passed to permit the first principal payment on the community center bond anticipation note. It includes principal and interest and means that 20% of the building will be paid for. You may remember this is a 5-year bond. . . GL.

FLYOVERS IN THE ADIRONDACKS

Low-flying military jets are a problem in New York's six-million-acre Adirondack State Park. The park lies under two Strategic Air Command training routes, one of which crosses nine public wilderness and canoe areas. These routes are mainly used by B-52 and FB-111A pilots conducting mock bombing runs into the Fort Drum Military Reservation near Watertown, about 15 miles from the park's western border. Some fly as low as 500 feet over parts of the park. On top of that, National Guard units from at least four states use parts of the park for training runs.

State officials have met repeatedly with the military, and last fall an agreement was reached that decreased the number of flights over certain wilderness areas in the southern Adirondacks. Defense Dept. and State environmental officials also agreed to set up a program to monitor these flyovers.

Scores of residents have complained about the flights. Environmental groups too, have protested, some questioning the military's finding that the flights have no significant impact on the nesting practices of such endangered species as the bald eagle and the peregrine falcon.

One environmental group, the Adirondack Council, has published a booklet, much like a bird-watcher's guide, with drawings and descriptions of various military planes to give those who want to complain about noisy flyovers a better idea of who is responsible.

Still, not everyone is complaining. While some local governments have passed resolutions opposing them, others have issued statements of support for the military.

And one Saranac Lake resident, Robert Moody, in a letter to his local newspaper last year, said he was proud to see the planes.

"Fly boys and girls, train hard, remain the best in the world," he wrote, "and when my buddies and I are out hunting and fishing and you zoom overhead, we will all shout, 'That's one of ours.....'" . . . Sam Howe Verhovek

To be able to fill leisure intelligently is the last product of civilization. . . Arnold Toynbee

A small audience of 11 attended the Aug. 7 informational meeting concerning the sewer project for Warren County which includes wastewater facilities for our own hamlet of Hague. Shawn Yeltman and Jim Ryan of Clough, Harbour, Assoc. gave an excellent detailed presentation covering every area from funding to time frame.

This study for the west shore and southern lake basin (including above mentioned Hague facility) will result in design and construction drawings and specifications for wastewater facilities in those areas.

Funding is through NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation, municipal and local assistance grants with the technical assistance supplied by Clough, Harbour Assoc., planners and engineers and P.C. Environmental attorneys Holan and Straub.

The major issues in a feasibility study will include alternatives and construction costs. An environmental impact statement will be drafted with the following issues to be addressed:

1. Historical and archaeological resources
2. Natural resources.
3. Construction related impact
4. Socio-economic impact
5. Growth inducing impact.

Since our interest is in Hague you will be interested in knowing we will be a separate part of the project, because of our location in the county. Helped by a survey in our community two summers ago, Clough Harbour was able to zero in on a number of areas for the collective procedure, a wastewater treatment plant.

By the year's end the alternatives for and needs of Hague will be identified and public hearings can begin. Possible construction may begin in 1992.

HAGUE FIRE DEPARTMENT EMERGENCY SQUAD

Business was slow for the Hague Emergency Squad in July. (This is GOOD news)

7 calls - 678 miles - 61 patient hours and 4 mutual aid calls.

The fund drive for the new fire truck and the new ambulance continues. The food and rummage sale was very successful and added to the fund.

Ed: Please remember the Fire Department when you leave for the winter. We hope you won't need them, but one never knows. They are really a very dedicated group of men and women, on call 24 hours a day to serve you.

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ART SHOW

Featuring award winning artist Marion Malley Walsh at Hancock House, Ticonderoga August 11 through August 28. Mrs. Walsh's works include oil and pastel paintings of a wide range of subject matter.

Gallery hours are from 10AM to 4PM.

LAKE GEORGE JAZZ WEEKEND

Saturday, September 8, 2-6PM: Janet Grice Group, Dakota Staton, the Vibration Society.

Sunday, September 9, 2-6PM: Michele Rosewoman, Toshiko Akihoshi Jazz Orchestra featuring Lew Tabackin.

Presented by the Lake George Arts Project. (518) 668-2616. Free admission.

BLOODMOBILE TO COME TO TICONDEROGA

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Ticonderoga on Thursday, August 23 from 11 AM to 5 PM at the First United Methodist Church on Wicker St.

There has been a lot of publicity about problems in area blood centers, but understand the lab work on this drawing will be under the supervision of the Greater Upstate Regional Blood Center in Syracuse.

If you would like to make an appointment to expedite your time, call 585-6321. Also, if you have any questions about donating, call the above number or the American Red Cross, Adirondack Chapter in Glens Falls, at 518-792-6545.

CARILLON GARDEN CLUB BAZAAR

The Carillon Garden Club will once again present its annual bazaar, which will take place on August 18 at the United Methodist Church in Ticonderoga. The tables will be full of hand-crafted items for the early Christmas shopper - White Elephant tables; home-baked items - jewelry and scarves; live plants featuring a special purchase of early fall chrysanthemums; and light refreshments will be available.

The sale will open at 10AM and continue until 3PM. Proceeds of the sale are used to beautify the communities of Ticonderoga and Hague.

VIEWPOINT

The following letter was recently received by the editor from David S. Soliday Jr. It is printed in its entirety.

Re: Hague Bass Tournament

Hague officials may be unwittingly "killing the goose that lays the golden egg." Let me explain. I have been fishing the lake for over 55 years and have seen a decline in the size and number of bass being caught . . . and my fellow fishing pals agree with this statement. We remember when you could only legally fish for bass in the month of August. We were told by the authorities, and we agreed, the Bass were on their nests or guarding their young in the early months of the summer. I remember swimming around the old Uncas dock and seeing swarms of small bass being herded by their mother. No more, however.

I have been present when the Bass Tournament fishermen weigh in their catch. To me it is a sad and somewhat pathetic sight. Many of the bass are females and many are obviously full of roe. All the fish are then dumped into the shallow boat slip . . . and some go belly up. Perhaps there are those who believe these fish will somehow find their way back to their nests or young ones and that all will live happily ever after. They must also believe in the tooth fairy. The Tournament participants have fast boats that can cover very efficiently every foot of the shoreline in almost a matter of minutes when you consider the number of boats involved. In spite of the equipment . . . boats and all . . . the catch appears to be getting smaller each year . . . and in my view this trend will continue. The bass cannot forever compete with this annual onslaught.

Keep the Tournament if you will but make a new rule: "All female bass must be released where caught."

SILVER BAY PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION

The August meeting of the Silver Bay Property Owners will be held on Wednesday, August 22. Speaker for the evening will be Mary-Arthur Beebe, Executive Director of the Lake George Association. Also present will be a representative from The Nature Conservancy who will speak on the acquisition of lands (in particular on the east shore across from Silver Bay) and the on-going fund raising effort. Refreshments will be served at 7PM and the business meeting will commence at 7:30PM.

HERITAGE DAY CELEBRATION

Ticonderoga's Heritage Museum is celebrating its third annual HERITAGE DAY on Sunday, August 26 from noon until 4PM on the Heritage Museum's grounds. Great things are planned for this day, including horse and buggy rides in the park, kite demonstrations, Ticonderoga Model Airplane Club's exhibit, tours of the museum and the hydro plant, paper craft workshops, and many other interesting events.

One major attraction is the FIRST ANNUAL TICONDEROGA CHILI CONTEST. This will be open to the public. Everyone is a judge! Taste them all and decide on which one is the best. Contestants are needed, so get out your equipment and come join the fun.

Flea market tables will be available on a consignment basis. Bring your own set-up - spaces can be rented. At 2PM an auction will be held. Items are needed for this auction. These will also be auctioned off on a consignment basis. There will also be a Fun Run for all ages, using the park trails. Raffle tickets for a Lake George brunch cruise on the Lac du St. Sacrement will be on sale.

Sounds like a FUN DAY!

NEW LANDFILL HOURS

Beginning September 11 until October 31, the Hague Landfill be open from 12 Noon to 5 PM six days a week. It will be closed on WEDNESDAYS.

FROM OUR ASSEMBLYMAN, NEIL KELLEHER

RECYCLING STARTS AT HOME - Consistent, everyday recycling is critical to any solid waste program. The best place to begin is at home. Many of you already may be recycling newspapers, returning bottles and cans and separating glass and plastic from the rest of your garbage. This habit takes little more than four minutes a day and makes an enormous difference. It saves landfill space and cuts down on the number of bags you take to the landfill every week. If you pay by the bag, recycling literally saves you money.

The items you separate and save are not trash, but resources. A plastic soda bottle could turn into a lawn chair and your recycled newspapers could be your next box of stationery.

Listed here are some suggestions to help

reduce the amount of garbage you produce at home and at the office:

- * Buy bulk items to avoid overpackaging.
- * Buy milk in glass bottles or paper cartons, not plastic jugs.
- * Use newspapers as packing material; recycle newspapers.
- * Start a compost pile by yourself or with neighbors.
- * Avoid buying disposable products.
- * Use cloth diapers - one plastic diaper takes 300 years to biodegrade in a landfill.
- * Buy paper, not foam, plates and cups.
- * Use both sides of scrap paper.
- * Keep a coffee mug and eating utensils at work, avoid plastic utensils.
- * Start a paper recycling program at the office.

Are you getting too much "junk mail?" To have your name removed from national mailing lists write: Direct Marketing Association, 11 W. 42nd St., New York, NY 10163.

IN YOUR DAILY ROUTINE . . .

- * Buy unbleached coffee filters.
- * Water lawns in the mornings to minimize evaporation.
- * Clean walkways with a broom, not a hose.
- * Use cedar blocks instead of moth balls.
- * Plant a tree.
- * Run washing machine and dishwasher only when full.
- * Insulate your hot water heater.
- * Install low-fluorescent bulbs; they require 75 percent less energy than incandescents.
- * Buy a fuel-efficient car.
- * Keep tires properly inflated - it saves on gas.
- * Clean the lint screen from your dryer frequently
- * Request a free or low-cost home energy audit from your utility company.

NOTE CARDS ON SALE

The youth of the Hague Baptist Church are selling note cards with a picture of the church. This landmark church is sketched in black and white and would make a very nice gift to remember Hague by. 12 in a packet for \$2.50. Contact Carolyn Dykstra at 543-6535, or Chris Kuzianik at 543-6191. The proceeds will be used to help refurbish the annex which is used for Sunday School.

Delegating work works, provided the one delegating works too. . . . Robert Half

SOUNDINGS

BORN - A girl, Darcy Ann, to Dennis and Lisa Johnson, Ticonderoga, in Glens Falls Hospital on June 25, 1990. Maternal grandmother is Joan Andreasson, Friends Point, Hague.

BORN - A girl, Emily Alanna, to Astrid and Richard MacDowell, Emerson, NJ, on July 18, 1990. Proud grandparents are Mac and Marilyn MacDowell, Silver Bay and Tenafly, NJ.

BORN - A boy, Brendan John, to Richard and Lorraine (Feibusch) Carberry, Tequesta, FL on July 28. Proud grandparents are Dick and Jean Feibusch, Hague.

BORN - A son, James Hamilton Kerr Bruner, Jr., on July 28, 1990 to Gretchen (Schwarz) and Jamie Bruner in Albany, NY. Proud grandparents are Muriel and Bob Schwarz, Clifton Park and Hague.

BORN - A boy, Daniel Scott Jr. to Daniel S. and Billie Steitz, Graphite, on August 5, 1990. Grandparents are Joan and Art Steitz, Hague.

MARRIED - Robert J. DeLarm, son of Mr. & Mrs. James DeLarm, Hague, to Beth Garrett, on June 9 in Kerrville, TX.

MARRIED - Robert Russell Schwarz, Jr., son of Robert and Muriel Schwarz, Clifton Park and Hague, to Kathleen Lynn Flannery, Warren, NJ on July 14, 1990. Kathie and Bob will be living in Somerville, NJ.

DIED - Mrs. Alvin C. (Nancy Crawford) Welling, 70, summer resident of Friends Point, Hague, on July 21 at Arlington Hospital, Arlington, VA. Surviving are her husband, Maj. Gen. Alvin C. Welling, a daughter, two sons and four grandchildren.

Marine Pfc. KYLE J. MAY, son of Georgianna May of Route 1, Hague, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at U.S. Army Ordnance Munitions and Missiles Command School, Redstone Arsenal, AL. A 1988 graduate of Ticonderoga High School, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1989.

JOHN WATERS, son of Mr. & Mrs. Francis Waters, Hague will be leaving on August 24 for Saudi Arabia. He is the personal attendant, body guard and driver for his battery commander.

HAGUE AMERICAN LEGION

Regular monthly meeting of Hague Post 1538, American Legion, will be held at the Legion Home on Wednesday Sept. 5 at 7:30PM. The Post will also host the meeting of the Warren County Organization, American Legion, on Wednesday, September 12 at 7:30PM which all Legion members are welcome to attend.

Legionnaires and guests will enjoy the annual end of the season steak roast at the Legion Home on Labor Day, September 3, during which the winner of the annual money doll raffle will be picked.

MOSES-LUDINGTON HOSPITAL SERVICING OUR COMMUNITY

In addition to providing emergency services, special care for the seriously ill and confined patients, a Maternity Dept. and a Mental Health Unit for out-patient and those requiring a long stay environment, Moses-Ludington Hospital offers clinics for Cardiology (3rd Tues. of every month) Dr. Arthur Levy; Neurology (every other Monday) Drs. Rup Tandan and Jonathan Dissin; Urology (every Wed.) Dr. Raymond Maddocks; Oncology (every Thursday) Dr. Vincent Koh; Podiatry (last Fri. of every month) Dr. Bruce Harold; Rheumatology (1st and last Tues. of every month) Dr. Lee Bartholomew. A call to the hospital (585-2831) to make an appointment for any of these clinics is all that's needed.

Drs. Koh and Maddocks are on staff at the Glens Falls Hospital; Drs. Levy, Tandan and Dissin are with the Medical Center in Burlington, VT; and Dr. Bartholomew is the former Head of Department of Rheumatology at Albany Medical Center. We are fortunate to have such qualified doctors servicing our clinics.

Also on staff at the hospital are Dr. Patricia Nobel, specializing in Pediatrics; Dr. Claire Wilmot and Dr. Jack Nobel, Surgery; Dr. Abdul Hameed, Psychiatry. An appointment for these specialized services can be made by calling the Doctor's office.

The hospital is here to service you and provide quality care to the community.

Work hard and save your money and when you are old you will be able to buy the things only the young can enjoy.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

August

- 16 Square Dance - Community Center, 7:30PM
- 18 Carillon Garden Club Bazaar, 10AM-3PM see p5
- 19 Peace with Earth celebration - Noon - 7PM - p.1
- 20 LGPC monthly meeting - Community Center-10AM
- 22 Silver Bay Property Owners - 7PM - CC - p.5
- 23 Bloodmobile - U.M. Church - 11AM-5PM - p5
- 23 ZBA - 7:30PM
- 25 Senior Citizens trip to Highland Games - p2
- 26 Heritage Day - Ti, Noon - 4PM - p6
- 29 LGPC informational meeting on recreational uses of lake - 7PM - Community Center

September

- 3 LABOR DAY-Fare thee well, our summer friends
- 5 American Legion meeting - 7:30PM - p7
- 4 Home Bureau - 10AM - Community Center - p2
- 6 Hague Historical Soc. trip - p2
- 6 Planning Board meeting - 7:30PM
- 7 EARLY DEADLINE FOR THE HAGUE CHRONICLE
- 8-9 Jazz Weekend at Lake George - p5
- 9 GRANDPARENTS' DAY
- 11 Town Board meeting - 6:30PM

LAKE GEORGE, 1922
Teresina M. Huxtable

Steaming up dark waters that are well defined by pines
Looking up the carbon stacks make straight and sturdy lines
Sagamore and Horicon, their boilers like some forge
Are churning to the rhythm through the waters of
Lake George.

Mothers, cats, and children carrying more than they
could take
Disembark at Hulett's or at Baldwin up the lake.
Children shriek about the decks, the ladies cluck and scold:
"There's no excuse to run so loose, although you're
ten years old."

Dinner served with scenery in Horicon's main hall
Roger's Rock is passing by in moonlit early fall.
Some stopped to think about the Ranger trapped by Indian Joes
Who changed his fate and changed the cliff
and proudly strode off through the snow

Who can now remember about that night so far away
Sagamore ran aground while pushing through Blair's Bay.
Later she was seen by some, half-sunk and half asleep
You could paddle through her dining hall and steal what
you could keep

---Courtesy Audrey O'Brien

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