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To all those who have so recently left the "Heavenly Hills of Hague" due to death, we dedicate this issue of "The Hague Chronicle."

James J. (Jim) Broderick, 79, of Graphite, died unexpectedly on Thursday, September 14 at his home. He is survived by his wife, Margaret (Mig) sons, Lawrence of Alzenau, West Germany and Michael of East Morport, NY, and four grandchildren. A memorial mass will be celebrated at 11AM Tuesday Sept 19 at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Hague.

Jim and Mig retired to Hague and have made this their permanent home since 1975. They have been loved and respected by all with whom they have come in contact.

When the present staff of THE HAGUE CHRONICLE took over the publication of the paper in June 1979, Jim and Mig were among the first volunteers, Mig as editor and Jim took over the job of mimeographing the paper, with help from Ev Lee. The two of them brightened the day of publication with their jokes and humorous stories and were a vital part of the operation of getting out the paper. Jim was also a charter member of the Hague Planning Board and chairman of the Site Plan Review Committee, and served the Board and Town faithfully, until his resignation in January 1986.

As a special tribute to Jim, several of his friends and neighbors shared their thoughts and recollections of him:

"The word for Jim is grace. In every sense of the word, he was grace personified" - Virginia Shattuck.

"A fantastic neighbor and friend for the past 14 years." Joan Belden

"A terrifically nice man, always a nice word and friendly greeting for everyone. I remember once when I was running past their house to North Pond - on my way back they were both out at the road waving me on with flags and cheers, like it was a big event for Graphite!" Fred LaPann

"I will always have happy memories of Jim and me, working together on The Chronicle, as well as being fellow members of the Hague Planning Board." Ev Lee

"Once when I was helping with The Chronicle, I said to Jim 'I guess the girls are off to the "Lost Horizons" Club, meaning of course Mig's study group *The New Horizons*. Jim replied with his usual twinkle in his eye 'I hope they will find their lost girlhoods at Lost Horizons.'" Ery DeGraff

"A really true blue friend. So glad our paths have crossed for 14 years." Dottie Henry

"He was not only a gentleman, but a gentle man." Georgina Lindquist

"A true gentleman, always polite, considerate, warm-hearted, friendly and concerned for all." Laura Meade

"A good neighbor and trusted friend" Jake and Mary Frosier

"A true and valued friend who will always remain special in my memories." Bertha Dunsmore

"His presence and foresight contributed greatly to the effectiveness of the Planning Board. Dick Bolton

After page 7 of this issue had been completed and printed, we received word of the death of John Crabbs, on September 15 in the Vermont Medical Center as the result of an automobile accident on July 4. He was the son of Bertha and the late Edward H. Crabbs, Hague. As a youth he was a summer resident of Hague and moved here permanently several years ago and operated a business in Ticonderoga. He is survived by his mother, two brothers, David and Edward H. Jr. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 12 at 1PM at the Church of the Cross, Ticonderoga.

HAGUE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Hague Historical Society is combining its September meeting with the Senior Citizens' trip to Old Forge and the Fulton Chain of Lakes trip on September 20.

The October meeting will be held on Thursday the 19th at the Hague Baptist Church annex. The special teaching direction of the Silver Bay Boys' School will be the subject of discussion. Slides of Old Silver Bay Boys' School photos will round out the evening.

HUNTERS' BREAKFAST

Starting Saturday and Sunday, October 21 and 22, the Hague Fish and Game Club will be serving breakfast, starting at 5AM and will do so each weekend of hunting season.

The club will also be holding a turkey shoot on September 23 from 10AM to 3PM. Refreshments available.

The regular meeting of the Hague Fish and Game Club will be held September 19 at the clubhouse.

HAGUE SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

There will be a meeting of the club on Tuesday, September 26. This will be preceded by a car-pooling trip to the Bolton Landing Nutrition Site, which will leave the Baptist Church parking lot at 11:30AM. Please sign up at the Town Hall (543-6161) PRIOR to September 19, for the ladies at the Nutrition Site must be advised of our coming one week in advance.

Looking ahead to October: A cruise of 2 hours on the Lac de St. Sacrement on Friday, October 6. We will carpool to Lake George. The boat leaves Lake George at 11AM. Meet in the church parking lot at 9:40AM. If we have a group of 20 or more, the price of the cruise is \$8. We voted that we would have lunch on our own at the restaurant of our individual choices. Don't forget: a contribution toward your driver's gasoline would be appreciated. Sign up for this trip by September 27. Indicate if you need a ride or can provide one.

A REMINDER: The Senior Citizens bus to Glens Falls, originally scheduled for September 20 will make the Glens Falls trip on Thursday, September 21. This is a one-time only deviation from the normal Wednesday schedule.

Happy 93rd birthday to Mary Barth, a long-time summer resident of Hague, on Oct. 12

CARILLON GARDEN CLUB BAZAAR

The Carillon Garden Club will be holding its annual bazaar on Saturday, October 14 from 10AM - 2PM at the United Methodist Church in Ticonderoga. Featured will be all types of crafts, homemade baked goods, white elephants, plants, jewelry and drawing for the quilt which was made by a group of ladies from the Garden Club. This will be a good opportunity to get a head start on your Christmas shopping. Coffee and . . . will be served.

HAGUE FIRE DEPARTMENT ANNUAL HAM DINNER

The Hague Volunteer Fire Department will hold its annual Columbus Day ham dinner on Saturday, October 7 from 5 - 7PM at Silver Bay Association. \$6.00 for adults; \$4.00 for children. This will be for the benefit of a new ambulance, for which a fund has just been started.

DOG LEASH LAW

Again, we would like to remind our readers that Hague has a dog leash law. There is also a law prohibiting dogs from running loose in the Adirondack Park. A lamb was recently killed by a dog running loose and people have been frightened by dogs. It is legal to shoot a dog if he is endangering other animals, people, or property. WARNING - If your dog is one of those running at large, you are subject to a stiff fine or impoundment of dog. If you see a dog running loose, please report it to our dog warden, Perry Girard immediately, 543-6763.

SILVER BAY PROPERTY OWNERS

At their August meeting, the Silver Bay Property Owners elected the following officers: President, Paula Hartz; First Vice President, Steward Parlin; Second Vice President, Louis (Nick) Bolton; Treasurer, Ethel Andrus; Secretary, Cathie Burdick; Social Secretary, Jacqui Badger.

The new officers met to discuss plans and issues for 1990. A letter was drafted and sent to the Lake George Park Commission regarding the proposed wastewater regulations. The letter expressed support for the intent of the regulations, but concern that their economic impact had not been fully assessed, and disappointment that the Commission had not used existing regulations to deal more effectively with hot spots. The letter also stressed the need to work with the towns to develop workable regulations that communities can wholeheartedly support.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS - AUGUST 24, 1989

At the Z.B.A. August 24 meeting two public hearings were held:

1) Ray Laundree requested an area variance to create a sub-standard lot.

2) Mrs. Doran requested an area variance for a deck.

At the regular 7:30PM meeting Mr. Laundree's variance was unanimously approved with the following condition: a separate septic system would be used in lot 3 (above mentioned).

The Droese area variance to create a sub-standard lot was unanimously approved. APA approves automatically when a road bisects the property and in this case Summit Drive does just that.

The Doran variance was tabled for lack of all necessary information.

John Caffrey, lawyer for a group of neighbors of Northern Lake George Resort (formerly Silver Bay Lodge, and owned by the Martucci family) presented his appeal of Hague's Zoning Administrator's determination of zoning statutes of said property. After discussion a public hearing was set for Thursday, September 21 at 7PM. Note the date of the regular meeting has been changed to September 21 and will immediately follow this public hearing.

HAGUE PLANNING BOARD 9/7/89

The minor subdivision of Sherwood and Gardner Finley to create 2 conforming lakeshore lots and to include a 100' shoreline lot with a conforming lot on the west side of NYS Rt. 9N just north of Sabbath Day Point was approved as presented.

Action on the proposed parking lot on the west side of NYS Rt. 9N, opposite "The Hummingbird Shop" was tabled until the proposed lot was staked out and brush removed so the site-review committee could better evaluate the lot's impact on traffic.

Ray Laundree's proposed 3-lot subdivision was reviewed. Mr. Breitenbach, Jr. said that Mr. Laundree would grant a R.O.W. across the lot immediately to the west of Rt. 9N to proposed lot #3 so that lot #3 would not be land-locked. The Board requested that Mr. Breitenbach inquire of Town Counsel if a restriction could be placed on lot #3 that would negate any legal requirement of any property owner with adjacent land to the most westerly property line of lot #3 to grant a R.O.W. over their land in the event a home is constructed at the top of the hill.

The Board recommended to the Zoning Board of Appeals that the Zoning Administrator's determination concerning the status of the Northern Lake George Resort (formerly Silver Bay Lodge) be upheld.

The Planning Board discussed the proposed Lake George Park Commission Wastewater regulations. The Board moved to send a letter to the L.G.P.C. expressing agreement with the need to protect the quality of Lake George, but objecting to fees, accuracy of monitoring devices, lack of scientific agreement as to discharge standards, enforcement and supervisory capabilities of the Park Commission due to limited manpower, and the transfer of wastewater management from municipalities that have A.P.A. approved sanitary codes to the L.G.P.C. The Board agreed that installers of septic systems should be trained and certified.

TOWN BOARD - SEPTEMBER 11, 1989

When Dick Bolton, Supervisor, opened the Sept. 11 meeting of the town board he gave privilege of the floor to Ruth Robbins, who commented on the lack of parking spaces for tourists at the town park. It seems that some were disturbed when told it was "residents only" parking and felt they were not being welcomed. Laura Meade then spoke about an incident with low-flying planes and her complaints to the proper authorities. It was recommended the town board write a letter to the commanding officer of Plattsburgh Air Force Base suggesting he look into the matter and possibly find a solution. The supervisor will be going to Nebraska on October 10 to the SAC (Strategic Air Command) along with other supervisors from the Adirondacks to participate in a program to help understand the need for practice low-level flights in this area. Each supervisor is paying the necessary costs himself.

Laura Meade, as naturalist, informs us that Jabe's Pond is an excellent choice for a wilderness experience for the disabled and is willing to take them there.

Letters and Communications:

- 1) Neil Kelleher is introducing a bill making flag burning a crime (requested by our American Legion)
- 2) John Breitenbach, Jr. sent a letter to the Lake George Affairs Committee in which he opposed the Lake George Park Commission's waste water regulations, stating that Hague already has a fine system to regulate our septic.

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- 3) Ron Pote and John Breitenbach, Jr. received certificates for attending a planning seminar.
- 4) Letter from Dept. of Equalization and Assessment stating real property rates and percentages to be paid. 12% per annum - or 1% a month through August 1990.
- 5) Letter of thanks from Mary Alice Hall for flowers sent during her illness.

Dan Belden, Highway Superintendent, says signing up for junk car removal is slow and reminds us that the dept. cannot go on someone's property without their permission. He also stated they are building a new loading ramp at the town shed under state rules (materials supplied by state) and there will be additional lighting. The Dept. is still looking for a full-time worker. Anyone interested please call Belden at town shed.

In new business:

- 1) Please keep your dogs tied up. Complaints have been made about loose dogs. A sheep was killed.
- 2) Resolutions 32-34 passed to transfer moneys from one category to another.
- 3) Resolution 35 passed to cancel contract with Al-Tek for plumbing, heating, air conditioning at new Community Centre and authorizing Bolton to award contract to low bidder Walt Demhal.

Board meeting in October will be held on the 17th at 6PM. APA representative (who cancelled Sept.) will be there) and Dick will update us on his Nebraska trip.

Art Steitz brought up the problem of speeding through town (day or night) and the supervisor assured him it would be resolved.

LAKE GEORGE PARK COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

The Lake George Park Commission held two public hearings on September 14 in Lake George regarding the new waste disposal regulations which they intend to put in effect November 15. At the second hearing (in the evening) Ken Engler, Jr., David Martucci and Dr. Robert Kritzer were all there from Hague (and possibly others). Ken Engler shared his notes with us and we will try to give you some of his observations.

Dave reiterated Dick Bolton's comments made at the informational meeting held at Silver Bay, that Hague had an approved E.P.A. sanitary code for the past 12 years and has been on top of the situation. He stated that the towns with such codes will have their authority taken away from them, if these regulations are approved.

During the past summer at least four or five malfunctions were reported and corrected in Hague.

Ken Engler spoke on the subject of the privies on the islands. There are nearly 400 of them in use during the summer months, some of which are very near the water's edge. (It is noted here that privies are allowable, and actually are probably one of the best ways for solid waste disposal. However, how many of us want to go back to that method?)

Jane Gabriels, Bolton Landing, made the statement that 20% of Hague people don't even know where their septic systems are. She favors lifting the moratorium only if stormwater regulations are promulgated and suggests that LGPC clarify the old/new Department of Health regulations.

No questions were answered - this was strictly a public hearing, with Michael Connor serving as hearing officer.

The LGPC has extended the public comment period to September 21. Letters can be sent with your comments up to that time to the Lake George Park Commission, Box 749, Lake George, NY 12845. Regulations may be seen at Town Hall.

OMISSION in August Hague Chronicle - Sorry!

MARRIED - Katherine Anne Sanborn, daughter of Don and Anne Sanborn, Silver Bay and Summit, NJ, to Sami Mitra of New Delhi, India on July 2 at The Pavilion on Slim Point, Silver Bay. They will make their home in Bloomington, IN.

ADIRONDACK BALLOON FESTIVAL

Beginning at SPM with the official opening ceremony in Crandall Park, Glens Falls, THE BENIHANA "Get Into the Picture" will get underway. Congressman Solomon will be aboard the FLYING BROOK hot air balloon when it lifts off.

On Friday at SPM, balloon launch at Adirondack Community College campus. First flight of London Financial Times 100' tall balloon.

Beginning at 6:30AM on Saturday, all activities on Saturday and Sunday will take place at Warren County Airport, Queensbury.

For information on the 1990 Balloon Festival write: Walter Grishkot, Adirondack Balloon Festival, Box 883, Glens Falls, N.Y 12801. Telephone- 792-2600 or 793-6098.

Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it. . . George Santayana

WILLY C'S JULY/AUG/SEPT WEATHER NOTES

I hope the majority of you had the good fortune to be here this summer. If you were, then you already know what the weather was like, so for those less fortunate I will review the highlights. July had eight 3H days; hazy, hot and humid; some 2H days, super summer days; 5 days with temperatures of 90° and above; 3 at 94°, the high for the month. The low was 57° on the 12th. We had 14 days when we had rain or a trace of rain for a total of 3.09" for the month. Two days when we had thunderstorms producing 1.07" of the total and a top wind speed of 28 1/2 MPH. We lost 49 min. of daylight in July and the water temperature was 73 1/2° at 4:30PM on the 10th. "Say Hey Willie May's", not too shabby a month.

August didn't have as many 3H days, but more 2H days. Only one 90° day, for a high for the month, on the 3d. The low was 48° on the 27th. Top wind speed, again 28 1/2 MPH. More calm days than in July. Three days with thunderstorms. The evening of the 15th we had one of those glorious electrical displays that lasted for better than an hour and a half and yet was not intimidating. Mother Nature usually only favors us with one of these displays a year, and so for that was the night. But the very next night, on the 16th, we had the full eclipse of the moon and Mother Nature blessed us with a perfect setting for this event. Clear, calm and warm was the order for the evening. We had 16 days with rain or a trace of rain for a total of 3.509" for the month. Burlington, VT had over twice as much rain as did points to our south. The water temperature hit 76° during August, our high for the summer. We lost 1 hr. and 21 min. of daylight as the sun makes its way once again toward the southern hemisphere. So you see August was also a "g-r-r-e-a-t" summer month as Tony The Tiger would say. Both July and August proved to be warmer than normal and warmer than last year, with about normal rainfall.

And now we are into September and the first part has been super. .44" of rain the first day, but then beautiful weather through the 10th. Three 2S days and five 3H days. Starting on the 5th, each day got a little warmer and more humid until we hit 90° Sunday the 10th. Today, the 11th, a weak cold front is moving through. Little rain is expected. The air temperature at 10:40AM is 67°, the water temperature 72°.

Thus the summer hath past. The lake is almost devoid of boats this grey day, and we know that all too soon the fall colors will be upon us. No frost yet, but tiny pockets of color, mostly on individual branches, have

already appeared. Certain areas, up around Newcomb, NY, for example, have broader areas of color, but nothing like that here at Lake George. By next issue we shall be in full autumnal blaze. Enjoy.

VIEWPOINT

The following is a letter written by Alison Y. Craig, Hague, to Michael P. White, Ex. Dir. Lake George Park Commission regarding: "Proposed Regulations for Wastewater Discharge."

"Dear Mr. White:

"I have reviewed the proposed regulations for Wastewater Discharge and I am in complete agreement that we must preserve the quality of Lake George, but I disagree with the regulations as proposed for the following reasons:

"1. Implementation schedule does not allow sufficient preparation time to:

"a. Train and qualify enough septic installers to meet the demand for new septic systems that would be needed under this plan;

"b. Provide enough man-power to inspect existing septic systems and installations of new systems;

"c. Provide nearby approved discharge sewage lagoons or sewage treatment facilities to handle pump-outs. (At present, during the summer season, it may be 4 to 5 days, or longer, before septic tanks are pumped out after being filled to capacity);

"2. Fees that homeowners with on-site septic systems would be required to pay are to be used to pay for staff and program costs necessary to review the applications for septic system permits. This is an expense that does nothing to improve existing systems.

"3. Communities with A.P.A. approved sanitary codes should be allowed to continue administering their codes so as to allow the L.G.P.C. to use its limited personnel in areas that have no codes or enforcement procedures for failing systems.

"4. The L.G.P.C. could better serve as a resource center for municipalities with approved codes by providing expert advice, based on improved scientific knowledge, for the design of alternative methods of wastewater treatment for individual systems, cluster systems, and municipal systems. In addition to the training and certification of installers, this same training should be required of local Planning Administrators.

"I feel very strongly that the Park Commission does not have the ability to ensure compliance with the code for the entire Lake George Park. The elimination of local supervision and enforcement will result in deteriorating water quality rather than in an improvement."

TRASH, GARBAGE, JUNK OR WHATEVER

Did you know? Every Sunday more than 500,000 trees are used to produce the 88% of newspapers that are never recycled. (Hague Landfill recycles newspapers. Place them in a paper bag.) American consumers and industry throw away enough aluminum to rebuild our entire commercial airfleet every three months. We throw away enough glass bottles and jars to fill the 1,350 -foot twin towers of New York's World Trade Center every two weeks. We throw away enough iron and steel to continuously supply all the nation's automakers.

The ordinary bag of trash you throw away is slowly becoming a serious problem for everybody. Not only are we running out of resources to make the products we need, but we're running out of places to put what's left over. Write the Environmental Defense Fund at: 257 Park Ave. S., New York, NY 10010, for a free brochure that will tell you virtually everything you need to know about recycling.

The few minutes you take to learn how to recycle will spare us all a lot of garbage later.

IF YOU'RE NOT RECYCLING YOU'RE THROWING IT ALL AWAY.

Ed: These frightening statistics are from the EDF Ad Council. Let's all make an honest effort to do something about America's waste problem.

SCHOOL TAX BILL HAS ARRIVED!

I'm sure you have all received your school tax bill by now. They were received in Hague the day after Labor Day. Very appropriate, since we will all have to labor diligently to pay it by the end of the month.

If you have had your head in the sand for the past couple months, you may not have realized that the taxes in Hague were going up 14% while in Ticonderoga taxes went down about 1%. If you can't understand that discrepancy, you are certainly not the only one. Last month we tried very hard to explain it to our readers. We also mentioned that we were going to circulate a petition from the taxpayers to the Board of Equalization and Assessment, as suggested at the public meeting which was held on July 28 before a capacity crowd at the Town Hall. The Town Board has retained the Albany law firm of Roemer and Featherstonehaugh to take our problem before the courts. Over 600 taxpayers signed the petition. Attorney Richard Burstein, representing the law firm, stated that this petition could make the town's

case stronger. The petition will be sent to the law firm shortly. The Hague Chronicle will keep its readers informed on any further development.

As stated in the lengthy article in the August issue, we would urge all tax payers to write "PAID UNDER PROTEST" on their checks. Anything we do to get their attention might help. . . DJH

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING the Ticonderoga Festival Guild upon the occasion of its 10th Anniversary. Introduced by Senator Stafford and adopted in Senate on June 20, 1989.

WHEREAS, The Ticonderoga Festival Guild was founded in 1980 for the purpose of promoting, developing, sustaining, and delivering the Performing Arts to the residents of Ticonderoga and to surrounding communities; and

WHEREAS, It has accomplished this goal by bringing performing artists of extremely high caliber to Ticonderoga during the summer months; and

WHEREAS, The Guild sponsors evening concerts for adults and daytime presentations for children during July and August, as well as special events throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, Since 1980, the Ticonderoga Festival Guild has effectively improved the quality of life in Ticonderoga by providing a significant source of cultural enrichment to area residents, thereby making the community a more attractive place in which to live and work; and

WHEREAS, Visitors and residents of outlying communities have also benefitted from the Guild's cultural and artistic contributions to the area; and

WHEREAS, The Guild is constantly striving to maintain its high standard of quality performances, while at the same time trying to increase the number and diversity of its programs in order to reach an ever-wider audience; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate the Ticonderoga Festival Guild upon the occasion of its 10th Anniversary; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Ticonderoga Festival Guild.

By order of the Senate
/s/ Stephen F. Sloan, Secretary

CONGRATULATIONS to the Ti Festival Guild. Keep up the good work.

BORN - A boy, Jeffrey Lawrence, to Joann (Megow) and Richard Fortier, Crown Point on July 13 in Moses Ludington Hospital. Proud grandparents are Norma and Lu Megow, Cape Cod Village, Hague.

MARRIED - Tracey Michelle Stull, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Stull, Hague, to Stephen Huczel, Norwood on June 10, 1989 in Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Hague. They will make their home in Norwood

MARRIED - Salli Skahan, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Donald R. Skahan, Hague and Somers, NY to Drew Johnroe, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, on August 19, 1989 in Grace Memorial Union Chapel, Sabbath Day Point. They will make their home in Steamboat Springs, CO.

MARRIED - Jane Pferd, Sabbath Day Point and Convent Station, NJ, to Paul Bearer, Summit, NJ on August 19, 1989 at Hague Town Hall.

DIED - Frances A. Sullivan, 76, Route 8, Hague on August 1, 1989 at her home.

DIED - Mary A. Carpenter, 71, New Hague Road, Hague, on August 9 at Saratoga Hospital, Saratoga Springs, NY. Survivors include 2 sons, three grandsons, two granddaughters and one great-great granddaughter.

DIED - Dr. Harold Reid Gelhaar, 91, Queensbury on August 21 at his home. Dr. Gelhaar practiced dentistry in New Jersey from 1921 to 1964 and in Sabbath Day Point until 1985. He is survived by his wife, Florence, three daughters, eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

DIED - Philip F. Grey, Jr., 70, formerly of Glenburnie and Forest Bay, on September 8, 1989 in Oldsmar, FL. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn, a son and a daughter, and three grandchildren.

DIED - John T. Sullivan, 71, Lake Shore Drive, Hague, on September 11, 1989 at Moses Ludington Hospital. Mr. Sullivan was born in Port Henry and spent several of his boyhood years in Graphite. He is survived by his wife, Betty, one son, one daughter, two grandchildren, and two brothers.

DIED - James L. Cooke, 43, of Pottersville, formerly of Hague, on September 11, 1989 in Hague. He is survived by his parents, three sons, two daughters and a grandchild.

HOME BUREAU

The Home Bureau will meet at the Hague Baptist Church annex on September 19 at 10AM. They will be working on a Halloween project. On October 3 the project will be a Mr. & Mrs. Santa on a hoop.

PRIMARY RESULTS

In the Republican primary elections held on September 12, the results were as follows: For Warren County District Attorney, incumbent H. John Hendley lost to Attorney William E. Montgomery III with a 3 - 2 margin.

Locally, Mark Mortucci garnered 71 votes to 87 for Clinton Frasier, who was declared the winner. Elections will be held on November 7.

Guy Graves, Sabbath Day Point, was the winner of the Money Doll which was raffled on Labor Day by the American Legion.

LANDFILL HOURS

EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 11 TO OCTOBER 31, THE HAGUE LANDFILL WILL BE OPEN FROM 12 NOON TO 5PM. CLOSED WEDNESDAYS.

ADIRONDACK CENTER MUSEUM EXHIBIT

An exhibit entitled "Field, Forest and Stream" opened on September 8 in the Adirondack Center Museum in Elizabetown. The exhibition will combine a variety of historical and modern day works of art focusing on the out of doors. A perfectly formed trout fly, a finely carved gunstock, a faithfully restored guideboat; these examples of specialized craftsmanship will be displayed beside photographs and paintings of wildlife and historical items from the Museum's collections centered around hunting, fishing and trapping in the Adirondacks. Also featured will be a magnificent mounted deer, an example of the taxidermist's considerable skills.

All works will be on exhibit until Sunday, October 15 when the Museum will close for the season. Open every day from 9 to 5 and on Sunday from 1 to 5. For more information please call the Museum at 873-6466.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR SEPTEMBER and OCTOBER 1989

Sept.

- 19 Fish and Game Club meeting - 7:30PM-Clubhouse
- 20 Senior Citizens bus trip to Old Forge -(see p2)
- 21 Senior Citizens bus to Glens Falls (note chg. of date)
- 21 Zoning Board of Appeals - Public Hearing, 7PM,
Regular meeting, 7:30PM (note change of date)
- 26 Lake George Park Commission Stormwater Technical
Work Group meeting - 9:30AM at Lake George Town
Center. Open to public.
- 30 Rosh Hashonah

October

- 2 Fire Department meeting - 7:30PM - Firehouse
- 4 Senior Citizens bus to Glens Falls
- 4 Chamber of Commerce - 7:30PM - Town Hall
- 4 American Legion meeting - 7:30PM - Legion Home
- 5 Planning Board meeting - 7:30PM - Town Hall
- 7 Firemen's Ham Supper - Silver Bay Assoc.- 5-7PM
(see p 2)
- 9 COLUMBUS DAY observed - Offices closed
- 9 Yom Kippur
- 12 Columbus Day - Traditional
- 14 Carillon Garden Club Bazaar - see p. 2
- 17 Town Board meeting - 6:30PM (Note change of date)
- 21 and 22 - First weekend of Hunters' breakfast at Fish
and Game Club - see p 2

The following was a part of the message delivered by Rev. C. Van Leeuwen at the memorial service for Dr. Harold R. Gelhaar on September 2, 1989 at Grace Memorial Chapel. It is attributed to Dr. Gelhaar a number of years ago in a conversation with Rev. Van Leeuwen and we think is much too good not to share with all our readers.

"I find that one of the most disturbing aspects of aging is my growing inability to recall important information, like the Greek alphabet, the gross national product of Lebanon, or where I put my bedroom slippers and glasses. This becomes particularly pronounced when I go upstairs to get something. Halfway up I realize that I have no inkling of what it is I am going upstairs to get. Should I go back downstairs and try to remember what it was I needed? Or should I continue on up and look around for something that needs bringing down? Unable to decide, I resort to sitting on the landing, only to discover after two minutes, that I have completely forgotten whether I was originally upstairs coming down, or downstairs going up."

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