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### RENDERING PUBLIC SERVICE JUST FOR LOVE

Rye is a unique community in that its Mayor and City Councilmen work just for the love of public service. It is unique because there is not a single community in Westchester and possibly the entire country where its public officials are motivated simply by a desire to do the very best they can without any regard for personal remuneration.

And we can say with justification that the high calibre of the individuals who fill these important offices is largely the result of this policy. Rye has been able to attract candidates for public office who were in no way concerned with any emolument. They look to other pursuits for a living; they do not feel it necessary to obtain compensation from the public treasury because they are imbued with the spirit of public service.

This comment has been inspired by the action taken by the City Council when it voted unanimously to adopt a report opposing remuneration for the mayor and councilmen. A year or more ago the question was raised as to whether or not they should be paid and a non-partisan citizens' committee was appointed to make a recommendation. The committee, composed of high-minded gentlemen from both the Republican and Democratic parties, made a very complete study and determined that the best interests of Rye would be served by electing the mayor and councilmen to serve on a purely voluntary basis. It was their conclusion that men and women of greater stature would serve voluntarily who would not make themselves available for public office if there was any pecuniary gain.

It is gratifying to report that every member of the council agreed with the findings of the committee. They are ready to devote long hours, and at the same time invite some degree of criticism, in administering the affairs of the city. Their job is no sinecure. Frank, open-minded decision on any question is bound to create diversity of opinion and they are reasonably certain to alienate some of their neighbors and friends.

We do not always agree with the position taken by the city council, but we have never had occasion to believe that it was motivated by anything short of a sincere desire to serve what it considered to be the best interests of Rye.

### Water Show Being Held At Golf Club

An all-star water show featuring professional and amateur swimming and diving champions will be held at the Rye Golf Club pool on Sunday, July 7 at 8 p.m.

A Westchester professional diving group, which will provide a comedy routine, includes Chuck Fulton, an outstanding diver from Colorado State University, Dick Bennett, Westchester diving champion, and Tim Mahoney, a former All American prep school diver.

Exhibition diving will be handled by John Bono of Rye who is Section I high school champion and Frank Rapp, the County YMCA diving champ.

Glen Partelow, captain of the swim team at the University of Connecticut will demonstrate the butterfly stroke as well as a long underwater swim.

Water ballet with a "holiday theme" will be interpreted by the following girls under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Purdy: Sharon Gregory, Maureen O'Shea, Mattie Owens, Cori Ball, Lynn Gerleman, Laurie Rowgo, Bertie Bockeloh, Nancy O'Keefe and Evelyn Sherburne.

The entire show is being planned by Gerald Ambrose, R. G. C. Pool

### Dickerson Promoted To Army First Lieutenant

Terry W. Dickerson, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Dickerson, 3 Mohawk Street, was promoted to Army first lieutenant during ceremonies at Ft. Huachuca, Ariz., May 14.

Lt. Dickerson, a test officer at the proving ground, entered the Army in May 1967 and was last stationed at Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

A 1961 graduate of Edison High School in San Antonio, Tex., he received a B.S. degree in 1967 from the University of Washington, Seattle, Wash.

Before entering the Army, he was employed as an electrical engineer at the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard in Honolulu, Hawaii.

### Library Summer Closing

Beginning on July 6, the Rye Free Reading Room will close at 12:30 on Saturdays during July and August in addition to being closed as usual all day Wednesdays. Patrons are reminded that they may borrow books until October 1 excepting recent publications, classics on reading lists, or other books in demand.

Director and coordinated by Mrs. Edmund B. Sullivan of the social program committee.

### Gia Quinto Giving Talk On Counterfeit Drugs

"Counterfeit Drugs" will be the subject of a talk by Daniel Gia Quinto, pharmacist and owner of the Rye Beach Pharmacy, at the Kiwanis Club meeting at the Rye Golf Club Tuesday night.

Mr. Gia Quinto, who is also president of the Quin Research Laboratories, has been a Rye resident for the past 23 years, and during that period has been twice president of the Kiwanis Club.

At the club meeting Tuesday night, Lieut. Gov. Anthony Latella of the Westchester North Division of Kiwanis paid his official annual visit to the Rye club, accompanied by four other members of the Port Chester club.

### Won Scholarship

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Florence Avenue, will enter Buena Vista College in Storm Lake, Iowa in September.

The Peter Bishop Scholarship Fund has recently been incorporated as a trust fund under the direction of the officers of the Rye Presbyterian Church. The award of this scholarship will be made annually by a committee consisting of the president of the Board of Trustees of the Rye Presbyterian Church, the principal of the Rye High School, the Clerk of Session and the pastor of the Rye Presbyterian Church.

After the death of Peter Bishop, the son of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Bishop, in the summer of 1965 many contributions from friends and family and members of the Rye Presbyterian Church were sent to the church with the hope that in some way the memory of Peter Bishop might not be lost.

These funds now represent a total capital holding in securities and cash of approximately \$18,000; and contributions each year from interested persons continue to increase its effectiveness. The ward this year is a scholarship of \$800.00 for the academic year 1968-69.

Dr. and Mrs. Bishop have often expressed their amazement and gratitude for this fund and hope that in the years to come it may be of great assistance to many young people.

### Starting Softball League

The City of Rye Recreation Department will conduct a boys softball league starting the week of July 8. All boys 13-17 years of age (as of July 1, 1968) interested should pick up an application blank at the Youth Center, 281 Midland Ave. Games will be played at Midland School Field starting at 6:30 P.M. Boys will be assigned to teams in a draft to be held Monday, July 1.

### Honored At Cortland

Miss Sandra Lee Keys, a 1968 graduate of the State University of New York College at Cortland, has been named as a member of Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities for the year 1967-68. Miss Keys is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Keys of 56 Cedar Place.

### Gets Degree At Illinois

Mary Joan Smith of 75 Brevoort Lane, was awarded a Master of Science degree from Illinois Institute of Technology in commencement ceremonies June 7.

### Referendum Passes

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Rye has reached the two percent from its previous 1.75 percent. Actually the board would thus be permitted to raise about \$346,000 to meet its expenses. However, the board will only use \$171,000 of that amount.

The taxpayers will pay an added \$2.79 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation or \$35.19 per thousand as the tax rate for the 1968-69 school year.

Following announcement of the passage of the referendum, members of the board expressed their gratitude to the voters who cast their ballots during the 14 hours of voting at the high school.

### Jeff Grandy's Par Brings Victory in Apawamis Club Member-Guest Tourney

Jeff Grandy of the host club sank an 8-iron for a natural eagle deuce on the par-4 18th hole to bring his team a victory with an even-par round of 72 (gross) in the one-day member-guest better ball tournament held at the Apawamis Club on Saturday. His guest and teammate was Dale Lindsey, Jr. of the Round Hill Club in Greenwich. In the runner-up spot was Jack Lawson who hosted Tom Hodgman of Stanwich. Their team was two strokes off the pace at 74.

Low net winners were Abel Brand of Apawamis teamed with John Black from the Greensboro (N.C.) Country Club who fired a 62. Second place net honors, at 63, went to Bill Vanneck whose guest was Perry Brown of the Stanwich Club.

In spite of ideal weather conditions, it was a bleak day for Jerry Danford and his guest from the Westchester Country Club. On a "sudden death" match of cards, their team, although tied and "in the running", lost in both gross and net competition.

Dr. Richard B. Hadley, playing with his 13-year-old son, Jeff, took top honors in the annual father and son Tourney on Sunday after another "sudden death" match of cards with Jim Casey and his son, Doug. The Hadleys were 2 over par (gross) in the match-play vs. par (Pinehurst system) event played for the Basil Harris Memorial trophy. Young Hadley added the winning touch to his father's consistently steady game with longer drives off the tee coupled with flawless play out of traps and on the greens.

The laurels for low net went to George Haley and son, Ted, who were tied at 3 up on par with Sam and Bobby Watkins. The Haleys won on a match of cards with a birdie on the first extra hole.

### Graduated From Brandeis

Christopher Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morgan, 100 Glen Oaks Dr., received a Master of Arts degree in mathematics from Brandeis University. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Rochester.

### New Haven College Graduate

Robert L. Crandall of 245 Central Avenue received his B.A. degree on June 16 from New Haven College.

### Union College Graduate

Ting Pau Oei, an economic major, son of Mrs. Jacqueline W. C. Oei, 25 Rosemere Street, was

### Cadet Hugh Ardleigh Gets West Point Appointment

Cadet Candidate Hugh C. Ardleigh, 21, son of Mrs. Irene C. Ardleigh, 50 Florence Ave. graduated from the U. S. Military Academy Preparatory School at Ft. Belvoir, Va., May 29.

Ardleigh is one of 130 graduates of the preparatory course who received appointments to West Point. He will report to the academy July 3 to join the class of 1972.

Ardleigh, whose father, Joseph D. Ardleigh, lives on North Stanwich Road, Greenwich, Conn., graduated in 1965 from Rye High School.

### Burnet Candidate

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Mr. Burnet declared: "My candidacy throughout this campaign will reflect the basic conservatism that is the mainstream of the Republican Party nationally. In New York State the Conservative Party is the only exponent of this philosophy. Mr. Reid's position has degenerated to the point where his own county chairman has repudiated him. The voters in the 26th congressional district will do the same in November."

Mr. Burnet continued: "Conservatives, Republican and disillusioned Democrats will find their home on Row C this year. The result will be a close three-way race which will signal the end of Mr. Reid's reign in Westchester."

"Neither Reid nor his Democrat Siamese twin Davidoff represent the correct Conservative viewpoint nationally or in Westchester. I will bring this message home during my campaign. Here and now, I challenge both my opponent to debate the real issues on platforms in every corner of the district."

Mr. Burnet added: "I want to thank everybody who worked for me in the primary and with their continued support we will rewrite political history in the 26th congressional district."

### Book and Needle Club Elect Staff of Officers

The Book and Needle Club held its annual picnic luncheon meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Fred W. Schinkel, 26 Rock Ridge Drive, Town of Rye. The election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. Fred W. Schinkel, president; Mrs. Fred Schaefer, vice president; Mrs. Sydney McBride, treasurer; Miss Dorothy P. Tuthill, recording secretary; and Mrs. Peter Buehrman, corresponding secretary.

One of the main purposes of the Club is to support the school in Stark, Ky., in connection with "Save the Children Federation."

### Teaching Creative Dancing

The Rye Recreation Department has added a new innovation to its Summer Day Camp program by scheduling Creative Dance for girls 6 to 8 years old and 9 thru 13 years old on Tuesdays in the morning starting July 9 and running consecutively through to August 20. Each class will be one hour in length and will be taught by Mrs. Renee Ganassi. Further information may be obtained by calling the Recreation office at WO 7-6120.

awarded a B.A. degree at Union College commencement exercises June 16.