

## Youth Corps applications being sought

Commissioner of Environmental Conservation Peter A. A. Berle today announced that the Department is now accepting preliminary applications from local governmental jurisdictions for the 1977 Youth Conservation Corps (YCC) Program. Application will be accepted from any public organization which administers non-Federal public lands and waters. Projects should be designed to develop or conserve national resources.

In 1976, a total of \$1,134,000 was shared by 37 locally sponsored projects and one sponsored by the Department of Environmental Conservation. Grants may cover up to 80 percent of the eligible cost of a project. Deadline for submission of local proposals for the 1977 YCC

Program is November 1, 1976. "The Youth Conservation Corps is a program of summer employment combined with environmental education for young men and women aged 15 through 18, who work and learn together," Commissioner Berle said. "The Corps is open to youths of all social economic and racial classifications whose applications are randomly selected in a lottery system."

The Department of Environmental Conservation has been designated by the Governor as the State agency having program responsibility for all aspects of YCC operation in New York, except for any projects conducted on Federal land. The Department has the option of using



**METALS FOR THE BODY STUDIED IN CLARKSON NSF PROGRAM-** Christopher DeCamp, of Latham, is shown preparing a sample for analysis in the chemistry labs at Clarkson College. He is involved in a summer research project at the College. Funded by a National Science Foundation (NSF) grant and a National Institute of Health National Heart and Lung Institute grant, DeCamp will be a senior chemistry major at Hamilton College in Clinton, in the fall. He and nine other students from Clarkson and other northeastern colleges are spending their summer in the NSF program under the direction of the Clarkson chemistry department and Professor Donald Rosenthal. His adviser is Professor Lauri Vaska.

## Sports editor Kane joins Post Star and Times

Michael Kane, Courier and Freeman sports editor and photographer, has resigned his position to take on the duties of sports writer at Post-Star and Times in Glens Falls. Kane has been staff photographer for the Courier and Freeman since June, 1974. He assumed the post of sports editor at the paper in May, 1975. He will assume his new duties in Glens Falls on September 1.

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## Health advisory council invites local comments

The Board of Directors of the North Country Subarea Health Advisory Council, Central New York Health Systems Agency will meet on September 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Dining Room of the Kinney Nursing Home, Edward John Noble Hospital, Gouverneur.

The Council will review the following health proposals: Decertification of Six (6) SNF Beds-A. Barton Hepburn Hospital SNF Unit, Ogdensburg. Expansion of Renal Dialysis Service-A. Barton Hepburn Hospital, Ogdensburg. Decertification of 11 acute Care Beds (9 Bed, 2 MS) Central St. Lawrence Health Services, Potsdam.

**WHAT'S THE STORY ABOUT CANNING LIDS?**

Many new manufacturers of canning supplies have lids on the market—lids which have no guarantee as to safety for use in food preservation. If you used some of these lids last year, you will want to check any remaining jars carefully for tight seal, corrosion of lids, or sealing compound dropping into jar of food.

If you are thinking of using these lids this year, check with Cooperative Extension for information on some testing, we have access to from Pennsylvania State as well as recommendations from Cornell. Penn State results indicate excellent sealing quality for Ball, Anchor Hocking, Klik-it, and Torque Rite (brand supplied after Goodwill reference last summer). Kerr and BerNARDin were not tested by Penn State, but are recognized quality manufacturers. Lids with any plastic parts are questionable. Call or write and we will share the information.

Individuals or organizations wishing to comment on these proposals may do so by writing to Clyde E. Gardner, North Country Subarea Health Advisory Council, SUNY at Canton (Box 61) Canton, New York 13617. (Tel. 315-386-4551). Written comments must be received no later than September 10, 1976.

The Council will also conduct its regular business meeting with reports from the By-laws and Nominating Committees. The public is invited to this meeting.

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## Grace D. Patten

Mrs. Grace D. Patten, 85, of Lawrenceville, died Sunday evening (Aug. 15, 1976) at the Alice Hyde Hospital in Malone where she had been a patient for four days.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Anderson Funeral Home in North Lawrence with the Rev. Carl Hadley, pastor of the Southern Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Hillcrest Cemetery in Lawrenceville.

Calling hours at the Anderson Funeral Home are 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday. Surviving are two sons, Robert and

David, both of Lawrenceville and eight grandchildren.

Mrs. Patten was born in Helena Aug. 29, 1892 the daughter of Frank and Ella Eldridge Dupee. She graduated from Potsdam Normal School and prior to her marriage taught in Groversville. She married Howard Patten in Lawrenceville in 1920; he died in August 1970. After their marriage she taught in several of the old district schools in this area. After her retirement, she was a painting instructor in area nursing homes.

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