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July 20 – August 2, 2022

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The Cortland Area Tribune, nicknamed The CAT is published and distributed every other Wednesday. Look for it at 100's of area businesses in Cortland, Dryden, Whitney Point, Groton, Homer, Marathon, Moravia, Ithaca, Tully & LaFayette. Here's some upcoming issues for you to look forward to!

August 3 – Need for "Speed" (Motorcycles, Cars & Race Tracks) Issue

Deadline 7/29

August 17 – Pamper Your Pets, Back to School & Pre-Labor Day Issue Deadline 8/12

August 31 – Fall Home Improvement, Fall is for Planting/Hunting & Labor Day Issue Deadline 8/26

September 14 – Fall Bridal & The Cortland Area Tribune's 18th Anniversary Issue Deadline 9/9

September 28 – Get Ready for Fall, Fall Antiques, **Columbus Day & Fire Prevention Issue**

PLUS Fall & Winter Travel Guide Insert Deadline 9/23

October 12 – Fall/Winter Car Care & Halloween (Corn Mazes & Pumpkin Farms) Issue Deadline 10/7

October 26 – Restaurant Guide/Catering & Pre-Thanksgiving Issue

Deadline 10/21

November 9 – Thanksgiving & Black Friday Issue

Deadline 11/4

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HOW ABOUT A FOUNTAIN OF "SMART"?

Have you ever seen a clever bumper sticker on someone's car in front of you at the red light or fast food drive-thru and thought, "That's a good one"! Do you have one on your car that's worth sharing?! The newest addition to The CAT is quotes from Bumper Stickers! If you have one to share with our $readers, please\ email\ it\ to\ tcatribune@gmail.com\ or\ call\ them\ in\ to\ 607-844-8228$

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TRIVIA OUESTIONS

See if you know the answer without looking it up! Answers in the back.

- 1. What's another name for a pork shoulder?
- 2. What does basting mean?
- 3. Burnt ends come from what cut of meat?
- 4. What part of the cow does brisket come from?

CHECK OUT THE BUSINESS SERVICE GUIDE!

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Saturday, July 23, 2022

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Ride will Begin @: 11:00 am ...

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CORTLAND COUNTY TRIVIA FROM THE CORTLAND COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

IN THE LAST ISSUE OF the CAT, we asked if you could tell us where there is a monument dedicated to a Civil War regiment raised out of Cortland. The regiment is the 76th New York Infantry and the monument is located at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

On July 1st, 1863, the 76th was the first Union regiment to engage in battle with Confederate soldiers at Gettysburg. They were commanded by Major Andrew J. Grover who was the first officer killed in the battle. The regiment suffered extreme casualties and this monument was dedicated by New York State on July 1, 1888 to honor the sacrifices made by the men in the 76th.

What is a sidepath and what does it have to do with Cortland County?



CREATURE FEATURE FIVE-LINED SKINK

A LTHOUGH WE PICTURE LIZARDS IN desert landscapes or on exotic islands, New York is home to three lizard species. The most common one is the **five-lined skink**.

Five-lined skinks measure only 5-8 inches long, including their tail. Their scales are smooth, giving them a shiny appearance. Juveniles are black with cream-colored stripes and bright blue tails. These fade as they age, so older skinks are mostly brownish, although breeding males are orange around their jaws.

Five-lined skinks are cold blooded. To maintain an optimal body temperature, they absorb radiant heat by basking on rocks and logs. They favor moist habitats with ample cover, like logs, brush piles and abandoned structures. In winter, they hibernate tucked in rocky crevices or buried under soil.

Skinks eat lots of spiders, crickets, beetles, flies, worms and grubs, helping to control populations of insects and other invertebrates. Meanwhile, raptors, crows, snakes, foxes, opossums, skunks, raccoons, moles and shrews eat skinks. In a bizarre survival mechanism, these lizards can spontaneously lose their tail, which thrashes on the ground, distracting the predator, and offering a window of escape. A new, shorter tail eventually grows back.

During breeding season, male five-lined skinks defend their territory against other males. Pregnant females lay their eggs

in a nest under rotting stumps, boards or rocks, occasionally forming communal nests with other females. Young skinks leave the nest a mere 1-2 days after hatching, ready to fend for themselves.

Article by Margie Manthey Photo by Patrick Coin, Wikipedia

TRUXTON COMMUNITY YARD SALE DAY SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

9am to 3pm

FIRST SATURDAY IN AUGUST IS the Annual Rt 13 Truxtom Community Yard Sale Day. Find deals and shopping fun starting in East Homer along Rt 13 through Truxton. Many families will be set up along the community ball field on Railroad Street in Truxton as well.

Come out shopping August 6th from East Homer through Truxton and shop the huge assortment of sales! From antiques and collectibles, furniture, kid's items, you name it there will be a large offering! Local businesses have special stop and shop deals too. Visit participating businesses and spend \$20 to earn a special deal at another local business. Truxton Outpost is offering a free cookie or ice cream cone, Franks' gas station and sublicious location offering a special 10% off everything except beer and fuel, special corn Maze pre-purchase ticket price at Trinity Valley are a few deals already set.

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City of Cortland Clerk's office, starting salary \$27,446, FT, benefits, retirement plan. Pay rate increases after four years to \$38,148.

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different types of fish that go in ponds.

T'S POND SEASON AND I do get people asking me about the

One is the Premium Sarasa comet. They have a deeper red

color than standard comets, with less white. Most have long

fins, some have white "noses" or finnage. Maximum length is

about 12 inches plus finnage. The Regular standard Sarasa

has a more defined red and white pattern, And they seem to

have an endless variety of patterns. Maximum length is also

Shubunkins are a hardy comet style fish with a red/black/

white/blue/yellow/ calico pattern with a mix of metallic,

Almost as pretty as koi, but sturdier, and don't get as big. The

Domestic Koi born in the USA sport a variety of colors,

patterns and scale types. Koi can live for decades and get up

Koi do like to munch on plants or dig in their pots. A few Koi in

a well planted pond is no problem, but a lot of koi with a few

maximum length is once again about 12 inches.

MIKE'S FISH TANK

POND SEASON



THUNDER MOUNTAIN SPEEDWAY

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JOIN US SATURDAY JULY 23RD to celebrate our 30th year of racing! There will be a full card of racing on the docket along with a DJ hosted Pre & Post Race Party! We will be having a cornhole tournament with cash and a grand prizes starting at 5PM! There will also be giveaways and booths set up on the concourse! Come celebrate with us! thundermtnspeedway.net (607) 849-7889 Thunder Mountain Speedway is a three-eighths-mile banked clay oval hosting weekly stock car racing on Saturday nights from April through September. The speedway has undergone numerous improvements since Karl Spoonhower returned to ownership in 2013, including the complete resurfacing of the track's clay, an expanded/reconfigured turn three, a reworked entrance road, new lighting and a general clean-up of the concession stands, bathrooms, and the facility.

Thunder Mountain offers a family atmosphere, stadium-style concrete hillside seating for 2,500 spectators, concession stands offering delicious food items, novelties and more. Parking and camping on the premises are always free. All seating is general admission. Tickets are sold at the gate on race night.

Weekly racing at Thunder Mountain is headlined by the powerful big-block/small-block Open Modifieds with or without sail panels. Other regular divisions include Crate vs. Open Sportsman, DIRTCar Sportsman, DIRTCar 358 Modifieds, 600cc Modifieds, Street Stocks and Factory Stocks.

FILLMORE DAYS FEATURING BATHTUB RACES AT FILLMORE GLEN STATE PARK

The FRIENDS OF FILLMORE GLEN State Park are proud to announce that Fillmore Days and the ever popular bathtub races will be returning to Fillmore Glen State Park, Route 38 in Moravia on August 11-13, 2022. Fiberglass, cast iron or custom tubs (the sky is the limit) will compete for the title of fastest vessel to slosh to the finish line.

Fillmore Days starts on Thursday August 11th with the Forge the Gorgeous trail run at 6pm. Choose either a 3.5 or 7 mile loop through the scenic state park. Sign up at https://fingerlakesrunners.org/race/forge-the-gorgeous-2022/. Online registration is required and is open until 6:00 PM on August 10, the night before the race.

Friday, August 12 will feature live entertainment by Perform 4 Purpose All-Stars starting at 6pm. They will be followed by Jim VanArsdale and the Healers from 7:30 to 9 pm. Food and beverage vendors will be onsite as well as massage therapists. Soothe the body, mind and soul!

On Saturday the gates open at 10 am. The day's event will include a parade, bathtub races, pedal car derby, food and craft vendors, and a family fun area. The festive parade of tubs, held prior to the race, is being expanded this year to include walking entries in three categories, Cleanest Entry, Best Historical Costume from 1850, and Best Use of Bathroom Accessories. All entries must be family friendly and entrants be willing to have fun! Winners will be selected in each category.

Youngsters from 4 to 8 may again may participate in a Pedal Car Derby. We provide the cars, just bring a helmet and wear close toed shoes. A Family Fun Field will allow kids of all ages frolic and play games at their leisure throughout the day.

John Bunge and his Old Time Fiddlers will perform from 2-4 pm. Capping off a daytime of fun will be a movie in the Fillmore Room.

More information and applications for registering a tub, entering the parade, becoming a vendor or volunteering for the event, please visit friendsoffillmoreglen.org or email fofgnsp@gmail.com. Registrations are accepted until August 8.

There will be a \$5 parking fee for

the park; admission to Fillmore

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Car Derby. plants is a snack break. Koi are not quite as hardy as goldfish especially during hot summers or long freeze-overs in Winter.
Butterfly Koi are a special, long-finned variety of koi. Very graceful in appearance and movement, these get as big as their standard cousins.
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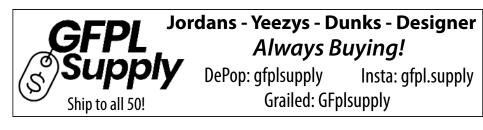
matte, and oversized scales.

Premium Koi are domestically bred to get the very best of colors and patterns. Prices may be a bit higher due to that fact.

Imported Koi: The Japanese got about a 2000 year head start in selectively breeding Koi and it shows when these fish are imported to the states.

They are much more expensive than domestic koi, but the whites are creamier, reds deeper, blacks almost jet black, and markings much more defined.

Once established, imported koi do as well as domestic and get just as large.



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Tully Community Day







147TH ANNUAL **TUESDAY, JULY 26 TO** SUNDAY, JULY 31

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2022 Fair Schedule

Tuesday, July 26

Fair Officially Opens at 5 p.m.

(Free Gate and Grandstands All-day) Little, Jr., & Miss, B.C. Fair......10 a.m., 12 & 2 p.m Pay-one-Price Carnival Rides (\$20)...6-10 p.m. Broome County Fair Kickoff Parade. Antique Tractor Pulls. ...6 p.m. After the Parade

Wednesday, July 27

| Demo Derby |
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| Free Gate |
| Pay-one-Price Rides (\$20)12-5 p.m. |
| Kiddy Tractor Pull1-3 p.m. |
| Demo Derby7 p.m. |
| Grandstand Admission: General: \$5. Child (5-12): \$2 |
| Grandstanids open at 5 p.m. |
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Thursday, July 28

| Out of Field Tractor P | alls |
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| Free Gate | until 12 p.m |
| Cattle Barns Open and 4-H Shows | 9 8.0 |
| 4-H Horse Shows (@ Horse Arena) | 9-11 a.n |
| Pay-One-Price Rides (\$20) | |
| Out of Field Tractor Pulls | |
| Free grandstand event | |
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Admission Tickets

| \$7. | General Admission (13 and up) |
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| | Youth Admission (5-12) |
| | - Child Admission (5 and under) |
| | All individuals under 12 years old must be accomposited by an adult. |

FREE Admission: All-day Tuesday Before 12 p.m. Wednesday, Friday and Sunday After 5 p.m. on Sunday

Friday, July 29

| Black Cat Hell Driver Stun | t Show |
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| Free Gate | until Noon |
| 4-H Open Dairy Show | |
| 4-H Horse Show Fun Class | 9 a.m. |
| Pay-one-Price Camival Rides (\$20) | 12-5 p.m. |
| Black Cat Hell Driver Stant Show | |
| Grandstand Admission: General S5 Ch | 18 (5-12): 82 |
| Grandstands open at 5 p.m. | |

Saturday, July 30

| Super Stock & Modified Tractor | Palls |
|---|---------------|
| Rides Open. | 12 p.m. |
| Semi-Truck Pride and Polish Parade | 12 p.m. |
| Semi-Truck Pull. | 1:30 p.m. |
| Super Stock & Modified Tractor Pulls | |
| Grandstand Admission: Oesenl. \$10 Chil Grandstands open at 5 p.m. | 8 (5-12): \$5 |

Sunday, July 31

| Demo Derby | |
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| Free Gnte | until Noon |
| Rides Open | |
| Pay-one-Price Camival Rides (\$20) | |
| Demo Derby | |
| Grandstand Admission: Gereni 58 Chi | 18 (5-12): 52 |
| Ormahanda open at 12 p.m. | |
| Free Gate | after 5 p.m. |
| Fair Official Closes. | |

The 147th **Broome County Fair**

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A S PART OF THEIR 50TH Anniversary celebration, Cortland Repertory Theatre is presenting a variety of children's shows during July. CRT welcomes to Cortland the Bright Star Touring Theatre, a national touring company based in Asheville, North Carolina. These unique 2-actor productions are entertaining and educational for kids as well as adults. With a mission to challenge, engage and delight audiences all over the world, Bright Star has performed for audiences large and small from Seattle to Manhattan to Moscow.

Later in July, an encore performance of The Little Mermaid is offered on Thursday, July 28 at 10:00 AM. Also, Upcycled Cinderella is presented on Friday, July 29 at 10:00AM. In this fun adaptation, when the scheduled performers fail to arrive for the day's performance, the janitors "Dustmop" and "Binny" decide to take over and create a hilarious take on the classic fairy tale. One of Bright Star's most popular shows, Upcycled Cinderella shows that, with a little creativity and ingenuity, you can make the most of any situation.

All performances will be held at the Little York Pavilion, 6799 Little York Lake Road in Preble. Tickets at \$5.00 per person (kids under 2 are free) and may be purchased by calling 800-427-6160 or by visiting the CRT Box Office at 24 Port Watson Street in Cortland. Tickets are also available through CortlandRep.org with ETIX, for a small additional charge. CRT cautions that ETIX is the only approved online ticket service; others charge significantly higher rates for tickets and are not approved by CRT. Tickets may also be purchased at the door, at the Pavilion.

Tickets are also available for CRT's final mainstage summer production of Disney and Cameron Mackintosh's Mary Poppins, which runs from August 3 - 20. Visit www. cortlandrep.org for more information.

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POMPEY AND FABIUS HISTORICAL Societies to meet July 20

7PM

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12th Annual Cortland County Airfest - July 23 -NY-222, Cortland cortlandairfest.org

Annual Finger Lakes Cheese Festival - July 24 - Sunset View Creamery, Odessa

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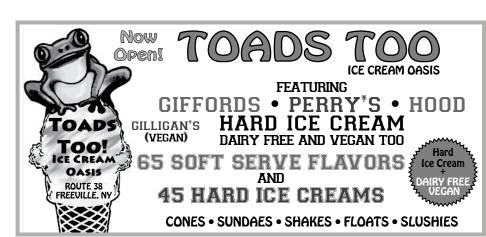
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Participation in the program is based on financial need, and there are several ways to qualify for the ACP's benefits. If you qualify, enrollment is simple and once completed, your discount will be automatically applied to your monthly broadband internet service bill.

Qualifications to Participate in the ACP

There are several ways to qualify for the program:

- 1. Your income must be at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines;
- 2. You already qualify for and participate in programs like Medicaid, Federal Public Housing Assistance, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, commonly called Food Stamps), Federal Public Housing Assistance, SSI, WIC, or Lifeline:
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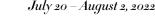
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Today, Shute's Water Systems is run by Scott Shute and Matt Farkas, and Shute's Excavation is run by Todd Shute. Scott's wife Becky runs the office with Mark Shute's daughter Jill. The family attributes the majority of its continued success from recommendations it receives from satisfied customers.

Shute said many municipal water systems contain calcium and magnesium, which as "hard" substances, form scale and create problems in water heaters, dish washers and plumbing systems.

Water purification can include the removal of iron, sulfur, chlorine and bacteria in a chemical-free process. Softening the water is also important and has many benefits, not only for family members, but for plumbing systems and appliances too.

"Uncontaminated water is essential for good health," Shute said. "Foul-smelling or unusual odors from your water should make you question your water's quality and safety."

Many families throughout Central New York use well water as a source of drinking water and for all its household needs. Unfortunately, water containing hydrogen sulfide gas has a distinctive "rotten egg" odor which is especially noticeable when running hot water.



Shute said the danger lies in a gradual chemical reaction

"Hydrogen sulfide gas will corrode plumbing metals such as iron, steel, copper and brass, and the exposed metal parts in appliances such as dish washers and washing machines" Shute said. "Also, corrosion of iron and steel pipes from ferrous sulfide, or 'black water,' that can darken everyday tableware, discolor copper and brass utensils and alter the appearance and taste of cooked foods."

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Owners, Geoff and Dawn Potter opened their shop the first of July with antique furniture, glassware, primitives, tin ware, woodenware, jewelry, textiles, and a host of a variety of items that would be of a great interest to visitors, customers, passersby, and others.

Not only will the Country Moose host antiques and collectibles, but they will also be offering a variety of crafts, handmade by several quality crafters, who take great pride in their product. Their work is remarkable, and one that we are very proud to support. Their crafts will include items such as dolls, aprons, pot holders, towels, cloth books, jewelry, Scentsy items, local craft vendors, stained glass, travel cups, and a whole lot more! More items come in every day so stop back and check out the inventory!

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available to give appraisals and accept items for consignment. Just give us a call! Geoff and Dawn Potter are on board to give appraisals, plus make sure that every purchase is what you want and are happy with.

If you are a vendor and would like to display your crafts in our shop, please send photos of your items, along with a brief description, The Country Moose is very happy to consider placing your items in the shop. Consignments are very reasonable and designed to allow vendors to make money. Just stop in and talk with Dawn, who will walk you through the process.

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CRT PRESENTS REGIONAL PREMIERE OF STAGE ADAPTATION OF AGATHA CHRISTIE'S "MURDER ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS"

FOR THE FOURTH PRODUCTION IN their 50th Anniversary season, Cortland Repertory Theatre proudly presents the regional premiere of a new play based on a classic novel: Agatha Christie's *Murder on the Orient Express*, adapted by one of America's premiere playwrights, Ken Ludwig. Performances at the Little York Pavilion in Preble will run from July 20th – 30th with evening shows at 7:30 PM. Matinees are available on July 22nd, 24th, and 27th at 2:00 PM. Tickets may be purchased by calling 800-427-6160 or by visiting the CRT Box Office at 24 Port Watson Street in Cortland. Tickets are also available through CortlandRep.org with ETIX, for a small additional charge. CRT cautions that ETIX is the only approved online ticket service; others charge significantly higher rates for tickets and are not approved by CRT. The GPS address for the Little York Pavilion is 6799 Little York Lake Road in Preble.

This imaginative stage adaptation of Christie's most popular mystery takes the audience on an elegant but ill-fated train trip. On a winter's evening in 1934, a snowdrift stops the luxurious Orient Express literally in its tracks. By morning, it is one passenger less; an American tycoon lies dead in his compartment, stabbed, his door locked from the inside. With a long list of suspects, detective Hercule Poirot must identify the murderer before they strike again. While the novel has seen film and radio adaptations, this is the first stage version, which is being produced across the country in many regional theatres. Whether the story is familiar or not to the viewer, surprises are in store for everyone.

Murder on the Orient Express is directed by CRT's Producing Artistic Director Kerby Thompson, who previously won SALT awards for directing Our Town and Saturday Night Fever. He has directed two other Christie plays - Cards on the Table, Appointment with Death - as well as Mamma Mia!, Million Dollar Quartet, and 1776. Stage Manager Anna Vu leads the creative team comprised of Darin V. Himmerich as Scenic Designer (CRT's La Cage Aux Folles, Saturday Night Fever) and Costume Designer Wendi Zea, who has designed for many of CRT's Christie productions. Frequent CRT designer Seth Asa Sengel returns to create the sound landscape, and Lighting Designer Matthew Webb (Saturday Night Fever, Our Town) also returns. Taylor Barr joins the CRT team as Props Designer,with Technical Director Dana White, Jr. and Assistant Stage Managers Carli Shapiro and Tess Vocalina completing the creative team.

Michael Antico, previously seen at CRT in *Born Yesterday* and *Newsies*, takes on the pivotal role of detective Hercule Poirot. Other returning CRT actors are Nicholas Wilder (*The Complete Works of Shakespeare Abridged, The 39 Steps*) as Orient Express owner Monsieur Bouc, Catherine Gaffney (*Over the River..., Our Town*) as boisterous American Helen Hubbard, Bill Coughlin (*Over the River..., Born Yesterday*) as shady businessman Samuel Ratchett, and Mikey LoBalsomo (*Hair, Kiss Me Kate*) as his long-suffering assistant, Hector MacQueen. Also returning from *Over the River...* earlier this summer are Cara D'Emanuele portraying Princess Dragomiroff and Alice K. Johnson as Mary Debenham. In their CRT debuts are Anna Gion as Countess Andrenyi, Danny Adams as Colonel Arbuthnot, Rebecca Tucker as Greta Ohlsson and Brennan Lowery as Michel the train conductor. Completing the cast is Performing Intern Weston Pytel as the head waiter.

CRT offers a "Friday Night Talk Back" after the evening performance on July 22nd, at which a Q & A session with the actors, director, designers and crew takes place. Tickets are available for CRT's final summer production of *Disney and Cameron Mackintosh's Mary Poppins*, and for The Bright Star Touring Theatre's productions of *The Little Mermaid* on July 28 and *Upcycled Cinderella* on July 29, both at 10:00 AM. Visit <u>www.cortlandrep.org</u> for more information.

Photo (L-R): Catherine Gaffney as Helen Hubbard, Anna Giom as Countess Andrenyi, Michael Antico as Hercule Poriot, Nickolas Wilder as Monsieur Bouc and Brennan Lowery as Michel in Cortland Repertory Theatre's regional premiere production of "Murder on the Orient Express", running July 20-30.

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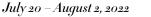
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