



Zomar the Great amazes residents of Willowbrook Developmental Center with his chair-balancing act during the variety show in the center.

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## Variety show given at Willowbrook

Songs and dances and jokes made life a lot brighter last night for about 300 residents of Willowbrook Developmental Center.

The occasion was a musical variety show presented by Raven T. Chanticleer, fashion designer and entertainer from Manhattan. A staunch supporter of help for the aged, underprivileged and mentally retarded, he entertains at many benefits annually and makes at least one visit a year to Willowbrook.

Last night's show was coordinated through the center's central recreation department, headed by William Galoway. Residents were escorted to the auditorium in Building 3, some in special buses, others on foot.

## Willowbrook residents to take boat ride

The Marine and Aviation Anchor Club met yesterday in the St. George ferry terminal office and discussed plans for the annual John A. Somma Willowbrook memorial boat ride for the residents of the Willowbrook Developmental Center and other institutions July 9 at 1 p.m.

Children in private homes will be contacted to attend the boat ride and it was announced that Mrs. Somma will be in attendance.

The next meeting will be July 6 at 5:30 p.m.