

Cranford Gardens, Inc., (Real Estate)

- 7/7/38 - Cfd. Gardens, Inc., to start house on Tulip, between Orchard and Spring Garden St.
- 10/13/38 - Cfd. Garden Homes - Orchard & Tulip Sts., #3 Tulip open for show.
- 8/10/39 - Cfd. Garden Co. to build 9 homes on extension of West End Ave. At present they are building homes at Tulip & Beech and Tulip & Spruce. A. Welles Stump is pres. & Marvin Delagdish is treas. of the co. Mr. Stump built many houses in Beech and Spruce Sts.
- 12/14/39 - Cfd. Gardens, Inc., to build 9 homes on West End Pl., near Division St.

Cranford Glee Club

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11/15/35 from 11/15/45 (10 yrs. ago) Andrew Watson, organist & Choir-  
master at Presby. Church to conduct Cfd. Glee Club during  
coming season.

Cranford Hall

- See also "Town Hall" -/-

- 7/18/94 - Library closed for summer *LDL store Walnut + South Ave*
- 12/19/94 - Rebuilding begun Monday. Big window being put in ~~front~~ front. W.A. Shaw will use it as grocery store Jan. 1.
- 12/26/94 - Wesley A. Shaw store to have electricity. *(See Shaw)*.
- 1/30/00 - Frank Young (Cranford Hall Grocery) has quit owing to financial difficulties because of dead beats. Law firm of Bruce & Runyon straightening out the affairs
- 2/27/00 - Chas. Hudnut who has been acting manager of Cranford Hall Grocery, will become proprietor 3/15
- 25/28/98 - Cranford Hall involved in trolley plans (See Trolleys)
- 21/28/99 - Frank Young has bought "Cranford Hall Grocery" from W.A. Shaw
- 5/10/01 - A 3-yr. lease from owner of Cranford Hall by the Christian Science Church
- 7/9/01 - "Bow" windows removed from front of Cranford Hall, change looks. (leased to Chr. Sci. Church)
- 7/12/01 - Frosted Glass put in Cranford Hall, and upholstered opera chairs have been ordered

- Cfd. Hall (Cont.)
- 7/30/01 - Christian Science Church opened in Cranford Hall -2-
- 4/15/09 - New roof put on building used for some years by the Christian Science Church.
- Negotiations between owners and men who would like to start a YMCA, using "Cranford Hall."
- 5/5/10 - Christian & Miss. Alliance will begin services in old Cranford Hall Building at North & Eastman.
- 12/1/10 - Change in ownership of bldg. at North & Eastman, so Alliance Church will have to move.
- 12/22/10 - Cranford Hall (North & Eastman) is to be Cook's Theater starting 1/7/11.
- 5/29/13- Permanent Republican Headquarters to be at old hall at North Ave. & Eastman St.
- 10/29/14 - Old bldg. which was once Town Hall, a church, a movie house, Republican Club room, is being remodelled and 2 small store rooms will be made.
- 4/24/24 - Trees being removed from old Town Hall corner. It will be cut back. (Eastman St. & North Ave.)

Cranford Hall (Cont.)

6/24/43 - Cranford Hall, North & Eastman built in late 1880's  
by Wm. Bigelow, burned 5/29/22, reported 6/1/22. Jim  
Warner died 9/17/33.

Cranford Hall (Nursing Home)

7/13/39 - Twtnshp. Comm. Mtg. - Robert M. Rubenstein, N.Y. Atty., & associates are interested in leasing Greystone residence on Kaltenbach estate, together with garage & small portion of surrounding property for use as a private hospital or nursing home. Estate asked that taxes owed by apportioned & no foreclosure on said property for at least 2 yrs. According to proposal lease can run for 3 yrs. in 1-yr. periods, & at any time said property may be purchased for \$20,000. Estate would pay town \$175 monthly the 1st year, \$250 per month the 2nd yr. & \$350 per month for the 3rd year, for a total of \$9300. Br. M.M. Davidson (Ros.Pk.) medical consultant.

8/10/39 - Cfd. Twtnshp. Comm. Mtg. - Vote for Cfd. Hall, 3-2, for.  
(See Cfd. Twtnshp. Comm. Mtg. card.)

10/5/39 - Cranford Hall opened in 25-room residence built by Kaltenbach  
2/8/40 - Cfd. Hall would like to take maternity cases & minor surgery.  
Cfd. permit allows only convalescent cases.

2/5/42 - Twtnshp. Comm. received & filed recommendation for a hospital on Kaltenbach Estate from Cranford doctors. It is now a convalescent home.

Cranford Hall (Cont.) Nursing Home

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- 7/23/42 - Cfd. Twnshp. Comm. renewed lease for 2 yrs. with Cfd. Hall, but omitted an option to buy. (See Cfd. Twnshp. Comm. card.)
- 12/24/42 - Eliz. Biochemical Labs. of 1137 E. Jersey St., Eliz., purchased the lease for Cfd. Hall. Will continue operating it as a nursing and convalescent home.
- 12/31/42 - Geo. Dilcher of Roselle, night watchman at Cfd. Hall, killed by car on South Ave., near Centennial.
- 11/4/43 - Lease on Cfd. Hall to be renewed for 3 yrs. by Twnshp.

Cranford Hand Laundry

2/13/00 - Cfd. Hand Laundry - 9 North Ave.

Cranford Health Dept. (See Miscellaneous for earlier reports) -1-

- 9/26/18 - State law says that children of households to be excluded from school when contagious diseases is in the home.
- 10/10/18 - Flu Epidemic - everything closed.
- 10/17/18 - Christ. Science Church protests closing of church during Flu epidemic.
- 10/24/18 - Public schools may be re-opened 10/28, following flu epidemic. Presby. & Meth. Church bells will ring 7 AM if OK'd.
- 10/31/18 - Churches will re-open 11/3/18
- 11/7/18 - Edward Irving Towl 23, and his wife Martha Curtis Towl, 21, died 10/31 and 10/26, both from flu. Leave son 2.
- 1/30/19 - Hearing at Trenton State Bd. of Health on Chemical Co. Pollution.
- 9/17/31 - Willsey named Cfd. Health Officer, so he quits Bd. of Ed.
- 3/31/32 - All dogs quarantined as 2 strays shot by police are proved rabid. During past 5 mo., 7 mad dogs have been killed in Cfd.
- 9/27/35 from 9/27/45 (10 yrs. ago) Cfd. Physicians Club adopted resolution favoring full-time health officer, also compulsory vaccination and immunization.

9/29/38 - Sale of Raw Milk prohibited.

1/3/39 - W.J. Willsey reappointed Secy. & Health Officer & named registrar of vital statistics. (He was listed in obit as Health Officer 1931-1948\*).

1/19/39 - Eight dogs with rabies have been found in Cfd.

1/26/39 - All dogs ordered tied up to curb rabies spread.

2/2/39 - 3 more rabid dogs.

1/15/96 - 60 cases of measles. Schools supposed to open after Xmas recess, ordered to remain shut when more than 200 were not in school on opening date.