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# The Rahway Record

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# and Friday Mornings

TUESDAY GOOD AFTERNOON JULY 21, 1936 THE RECORD'S PROGRAM FOR A BETTER RAHWAY election of Councilmen and employes best-suited for the task the city, regardless of political affiliation, race or creed. the city, regardless of political affiliation, rac Formation of a non-partisan police commission. ufficient staff of trained men not controlled by politicians and appointed E. P. Ifill, 25 Montgomery street.

Constant activity of the police against mot of suspended sentences and no "killed tickets." A modern high school with complete equipment and facilities, including Formation of an industrial and mercantile commission which will furthe Formation of an industrial and instantial topolarial values, the interests of Rahway and advance local business welfare. Improvement in appearance of railroad station and viaducts. Demolition or improvement of unsightly buildings, municipal and private. An intelligent solution of the juvenile delinquency problem by co-ordi-An intelligent solution of the juvenile delinquency problem by co-ordi-

public welfare agenci Action which will take advantage of the offer of free land for a municipal

## Law Enforcement Saves People Money

as conditions warrant

insurance recently announced by the National Bureau are marked as guides to it. writing record of longer standing, already enjoyed ways in or near this city over the week-end. the lowest rates in the country.

longs to the law enforcement officials, patricularly petition for the widening of Main street, Common those of the Federal Department of Justice. The sen- Council, meeting as a committee of the whole, decided sational aspects of the drive of the "G-Men" on the following a lengthy hearing on the proposed improvehierarchy of America's public enemies, with whom ment in City Hall Friday. bank robbing was an important line of business, have dramatized. The insurance announcement is another scene in the drama. Although lacking gun-play or "ladies in red," it is equally exciting and the happy ending is that the insured banks will save, it is = estimated, nearly a quarter-million dollars in insurance premiums annually

The underwriters cite as another important factor making the reduction possible, the rule promulgated However, it might not be a bad idea to change the

In announcing the reduced bank robbery insur ance rates, the companies warn banks against relaxing their vigilance, especially since, with the daylight robbers scared off or in jail, there seems to be an i crease in night vault burglaries. The smart thing for the banks to do is forestall the night "safe cracker."

# the scrapbook History of Rahway From Newspaper Files Tuesday, July 21, 1936

# Rahway 65 Years Ago

From The National Democrat-July 20, 1871 A large number of the young men of the city are A large number of the young men of the city are aking steps looking to the organization of a first class rilitory commonly. Costainly, Babway, has anough military company. Certainly Rahway has enough the city.

moved from the river, petitions having been presented to the Freeholders looking to that end. that the engineer of the 9:23 from this city, has actu-which is most concerned with the ordinance look it women would have aided him, for he would have known that she ally refrained twice within the last two weeks from almost splitting the ears of those in this vicinity with it than any other member of Council. I know if I were "I am a member of that gang."

# Rahway 15 Years Ago

way for the past two years will be delighted to hear as many officials as possible look them over to see that maped us, were sent to get me. Mitchel didn't want to take you that the Ilderan Outing Club will stage a tournament they are right? Too many cooks may spoil the broth until tonight," he continued for the doubles championship of the city beginning but in the instance cited here, we have a case for too rapidly. July 28. few cooks. At least I think so which may or may not He could't help but believe her

Institution of Rahway Loft of Haymakers, No. mean anything.

751/2, was carried out in royal style Friday night by District Deputy Daniel A. Claire, of Elizabeth. There were 32 charter members. During the severe electrical storm here Friday ifternoon lightning played peculiar pranks at two resi-This Newspaper was Founded and is Maintained Upon the Principle of a dences. It tore a hole in the roof of the large six-Clear, Concise and Unbiased Presentation of All the Interesting News of the formily house of Logonh Freud Horrison street, and family house of Joseph Freud, Harrison street, and caroomed off burying itself in the ground and tore out a window frame and made a small hole in the roof of the residence of former Health Commissioner William Madison, chemist, 11 East Lincoln avenue.

TOTAL STREET, S

An attractive wedding ceremony was held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Paul's Episcopal Thurch where Miss Ruth Mintel of New York City, daughter of James T. Mintel, formerly of Rahway, nent with mudern equipment and a became the bride of C. LeRoy Ifill, son of Mr. and Mrs.

# Rahway 5 Years Ago From The Rahway Record-July 21, 1931

The last contingent from this city are enjoying nating the resources of our police and police court, schools, churches and camp life at the Girl Scout camp on Lake Tiorati, Bear Completion of the Milton Lake project, including restoration of the former and development of surrounding territory into a park and residential for the last period arrived on Wednesday are told in a nel letter from Miss Virginia Coan, camp-scribe. The a modern athletic plant on the site as soon Rahway girls will return here August 1.

Much activity is scheduled for the Wheatena Park this week. This afternoon at 3:30 a treasure hunt will be conducted by the directors, Miss Elysia Philipp and Mrs. Charles Rommel. The rules of the contest There is considerable food for thought to be de- are that the "treasure" is hidden somewhere in the rived from the revision in the rates for bank robbery park by those in charge, and certain stones and trees

of Casualty and Surety Underwriters. The revision A Rahway man died in Memorial Hospital, a brought a reduction of 20 percent to banks in 35 states. Woodbridge boy, 10, was dead upon arrival at the hos Most of the states not included were those on the pital and 11 persons received hospital treatment for eastern seaboard which, thanks to a favorable under-injuries as a result of automobile accidents on high-

Further consideration by the street committee A great deal of credit for the rate reduction be- will be made before definite action is taken on the

# by ding

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two years ago requiring banks to keep 85 percent of system lest an important mistake is caused some time. their insured money under delayed time clocks. This move greatly minimized the robber's possible loot. Add these vigilant measures of the banks themselves to the outstanding accomplishments of the law en- pose such a simple mistake was made and the proposi-

> has delayed meetings and has been condemned by such sticklers for doing things the right way as Council President Sam Morton and Councilman Al Feakes. Get things in on time, say they, and they are right. We all put things off until the last minute and Councilmen are no exception. It is admitted that their jobs and their private enterprise keep them on the hop. But at the same time, they sought the office and now should arrange things so that these last minute rushes become extinct Let's heed the advice of Morton and Feakes and get things ready 24 hours before the meeting as is supposed to be required.

eity. Steps are being taken to have the sunken boats re-Leonard. He is not the only one who has not okayed bit-just in case I trip again," Ken wed from the river, petitions having been pre-ited to the Freeholders looking to that end. WHAT'S THE MATTER?—A reader informs us Also, why not have the chairman of the committee A little more expert knowledge of done outside of causing a few extra meetings which will take the boys away from the home hearth two "I was there to... to warn you Ranway 15 Tears Ago From The Rahway Record—July 19, 1921 Tennis enthusiasts of this city who have deplored the fact that no city tournament has been held in Rah-the fact that no city tournament has been held in Rah-things authorized by the ordinance so why not have the truth. These men who kid-

NEWS ITEM :-

a salary of 25 Bones a week ISNT HALF BAD

# Three Days Time a Three Days Time • Dennis was caught in a maelstrom A-SERIAL of crime and intrigue that carried him from the prize ring into an-By Hilliard Schendorf other kind of fight—in which he was not lacking...

nals and gummen."

UP TO NOW Ken Dennis, who is to fight for the championship of the world in how, but he'd find a way. Hall- up a 14-year perfect atten 36 hours, ends up in the mud at the base of a barberry bush, where ing a passing cab, he helped her record to Robary meetings a mysterious girl who precipitated herself into his life when he was in and climbed in after her. Wardell of the first part he captured by a gang of gamplers and gangeters accorder to he to the the the state. aptured by a gang of gamblers and gangsters, escapes as he is about Chapter VIII

Dennis was not hurt. He rubbed the back of his that I only wanted to help get you; part of railroad week ... heck gingerly; a handful of mud slid oozingly down. heck gingerly; a handful of mud slid oozingly down. he fell, He was kinda stuck on couldn't find a handcar. The me," she said. "But, now that you hadn't used one in 10 years

 "Are you hurt, Mister?"
 Ken looked up. Just over the low ledge that had
 tripped him as his erstwhile prisoner shoved him back ward, appeared the round, red face of a blue-coated
 minion of the law. minion of the law.

"No, I think not, but I feel like I had just come out "Than what?" "Well, than expose .... myself Drivers Unhurt

f The cop pushed back the forcement authorities and the well conceived under- tion was held up several days. Every one of those days branches at fault with his night- the gang! Dennis found himself Dennis could feel her arm tremforcement authorities and the well conceived under-writing rules of the insurance companies, and you have the formula for lower insurance rates. With minor changes, the formula can be applied to any kind of property insurance. If every commu-nity will perform its law enforcement duties and help keep losses at a low cost level, the effort will be re-flected in lower insurance rates. The practice of shoving resolutions and has been condemned flected in lower insurance rates. The data duties and has been condemned

decorative stone bench and hold-ag onto a lion's paw, with a pair "But why were you going to warn car. He'll shoot us down in our towed to a garage. Maher' (handauifs) me?"-The question had puzzled tracks rather than have us testify was able to proceed under its "Oh, hello," he said ruefully. believe that she was interested (To b

Fancy meeting you here." The humor fell rather flat. "Found her getting away. Sa ou fall, and didn't know-what wa Thought it might he a good idea to bring her back and let her "But I tell you. officer, he fell,

I was going for help. Isn't that so . . . Ken?" she demanded hope-"No, it is not!" Denriis said in-"You pushed me over and want . . ." "But dear . . ." she paused for

lack of words. "Do you want to prefer charges?"

earnest statement. Then she wasn't working with



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In the bright, sunny days of vacation time, when you want to leave all care and worry miles behind you, it will be a great help to know that your valuables of all kinds are safe from thieves, from fire or from destruction by any other causel--The place for valuables is in the Safe Deposit Department of The Rahway Savings Institution. Here steel and concrete walls, massive steel doors, and modern time-locks will sefeguerd smell

articles in a Safe Deposit Box. A Safe Deposit Box offers complete protection for important fee is trifling.

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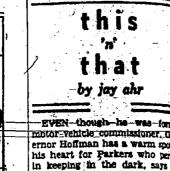
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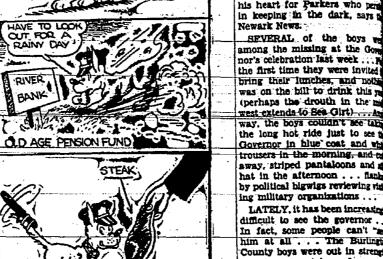
DOG IS OFFICIALLY

MADE MEMBER OF

POLICE FORCE.

# THE RAHWAY RECOR





risk her life to THE WPA wants to be sur

PRANK W. Wardell with Poor kid, he thought. He'd take letter of congratulation to and care of her. He didn't know just Prank W. Wardell for having

... to further danger."

you were captured with me?" name? "I just convinced Mitchel that A HANDCAR race between I was really true to the gang and sections crews was proposed

ficult to see the governo

however, as a token of appre-tion to Harold for keeping

Parkers out of the clutches of

New York authorities who anxious to have them alter

The headlights from a speedy As Cars Collide-lack touring car blazed through

power. Patrolman Vannetti vestigated.

"DULL CARE" Behind

business and personal papers, and smaller valuables. The rental

# Institutio



# Rahway Awaits Big Soap Box Der

# **Civil Service** Is Subject of **Council Meet**

Markey Says Police Committee Has Had Time To Report on Changes

Not Asked To Act by Group, Says Attorney Civil service control of

city departmental appoint-

Councilman Markey started th Councilman Markey started the discussion when he asked what had been accomplished by the po-lice committee regarding a letter received from Mayor Barger in Pebruary suggesting that consider-Give Awards ation be given to police department

Markey presented a copy of the Winners In Derby Will letter which was read and spread on the minutes. The letter was published in The Record following the February meeting when it was introduced. Markey said he felt

City Attorney Herer said th ger's letter had been received. At cash that time he advised the councivil aervice regulations through

ter now that action has been baseball bat. started to place the matter on the

ballot in referendum. Leenard Favors Plan committee for an opinion on civil beam flashlight. service. Boresch declined to express his views until he saw a copy candy. of the latter while Councilman Bell's 5c-10c-\$1 Store, pair of Admitted To Bar of the letter while Councilman Bell's Leonard said he favored civil serv- longies. fce but wanted to know more about

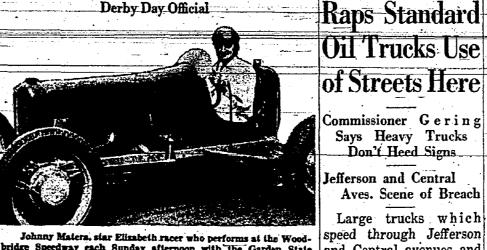
Herer suggested that copies of

by ding

We common folk should gain some small measure of consolation after reading of the pillable plight of poor Mr. Julan T. Bishop, of Greenwich, Conn, and Carthage, N. C. It is true that some of us lost ourtomes and many of us lost out jobs and all of us have felt, to some extend, the squeeze of curtailed earnings, but that is just a mere triffe when compared to the hardships enlured by Mr. Bishop.

He lost \$188,190 in stock market operations during the four years beginning January, 1929, and is he downhearted? You're darn toolin', he's not. le springs from good, old, lardy American stock—at ast he industry as much and he's going to fight right back to his last 20,000 acres.

Now At \$249.50



Derby Day Official

ments Was a topic of bridge Speedway each Sunday afternoon with the Garden State lengthy discussion during Matera will be at the finish line in the role of honorary judge in tothis week's Common Council ses- morrow's big All-American Soap Box Derby.

**Give Awards** 

Important \_\_\_\_\_

-Many local business men have

o adopti nie Laddie Shoes. note emerge to the city to suprovimate.

Herer said. Councilman Plunkett, sponsor Williams Electric Co., Boy Scout that the city was not in a position of the civil service plan, said there flashlight. was no need for the police commit-W. T. Grant Co., shirt and tie. hall. Construction of the intertee to trouble itself with the mat- Oxman's, Davis professional nal sewer system link to the Bidney's Army Store, sweater. tion were deemed more important Mishaps Caused Here To Main Gift Shoppe, pen and pen- by Leonard.

Leenard Favors Plan cil set. He asted members of the police Saltzman Amusement, 200-foot suport in rejecting the proposals. You May Be Next

Barger said he had obtained utility bag. data on civil service but didn't Kirstein's Drug Store, Brownie University. He obtained his law Continued on Page Two Continued on Page Two just between you and me You and me iashight ment and basket of choice fruit from fruit department. Continued on Page Two George R. Hoffman, Boy Scour tashight. Kawut's Bakery, choice cake. McCollum's Emporium, large can of Ovaliting from grocery depart-ment and basket of choice fruit from fruit department. Continued on Page Two Just between you and me Continued on Page Two Just between Continued on Page Two George R. Hoffman, Boy Scour tashlight. School in Newark. He is affiliated with the firm of Colyef and Gnich-tel in Newark. Morss is prominent in work of the Young Republicans and Jun-tior Chamber of Commerce. He is

pencil.-. Harry Newman, "Stamp Callec-

from fruit department. McCrory's 5c-10c store, fishing rod. A. R. Goldblatt & Co., pen and Ward.

Harry Newman, "Stamp Callec-tor's History of the U. S." J. C. Melick, pair of knickers. Rahway. Bottling Works, case Morion Bros.—Main & Milion

# of Streets Here ommissioner Gering Says Heavy Trucks Don't Heed Signs efferson and Central

Aves. Scene of Breach Large trucks which speed through Jefferson

and Central avenues and endanger lives as well as damage these light traffic streets were condemned by Charles A. Clering of Jefferson avenue, a mem-City Won't Desert ber of the Board of Education, during the session of Common Woodruff Bldg. For Council this week. Masonic Temple "goes flying across Central avenue and if there is anything in the way, it would be just too bad," was one of the primary objects of Ger-Leonard Reports Sewer through the street and many times and Schools More never halts at the "stop" sign at brough Jefferson and Central avethat the police committee had had contributed prizes which will be Rahway will continue to use the nues four times daily in violation awarded to the numerous winners Woodruff Building for its city of- of the light traffic street ordinance,

Cierk Baldwin said copies had been isations, the following awards have street were turned down. mailed to all committee members, been donated by Rahway business. The club offered the structure, dishes in houses have ratiled as "Keep Back" tomorrow, they ash. city was to make alterations which. He suggested warning signs at Graham MacNamee, radio an Miller's Shoe Store, pair Bon- it was estimated, would cost \$7,800. Westfield and Jefferson avenues to nonnoer, will agree. At the na Moving costs would bring the denote the end of the street and

port from the police committee ball glove. asking me to take any action." Beverage Shop, case of Cocca Leonard said he had given the outlined by Gering,

# \_\_\_\_\_ **1936 ACCIDENTS**

Council gave him unanimous Date; Drive Carefully, House Numbering

(Not including yesterday) utomobile accidents ..... Cars involved .

begin at 2 p. m. The kind of thrills which the youngsters will get are depicted in the expression of the youngster shown above, proud at after the professional models. stanticent time to tomstate the inter-ter to present a report on it. Get NG Coyr, Sars Boresch Councilman Boresch of the po-Box Derby. In addition to the prizes awarded by outside organi-received a copy of the letter. City Clerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldwin said copies had been been donated by Bahway business. Cerk Baldw All Types Of Cars Will Be Viewed In City's Major Event

Tomorrow's His Day

nonncer, will agree. At the nabe giving the boys a chance and pion and make the trip to Akron, bridge Speedway.

Ordinance Passes

Wednesday night.

particular heat.

# Tru Fruit Beverages. Names, Numbers. Ages and Addresses of Boys Entered in Soap Box Derby 12 58 Ed Shell, 111 East Scott avenue ... 20 Wallace Van Vliet, 50 Oak street .

Are 21 Walter Hurd, 205 Jaques avenue . 22 Archie McIntyre, 27 River road ... . 11 23 Leon Paul, 63 Jaques avenue ..... 11 94 John LaGuardia, 66 West Milton avenue 25 James Jones, 228 Maple avenue . Walter Parks, 188 Maple avenue ... 9 27 Richard Hurd, 205 Jaques avenue . 11 28 Arthur Lewis, 299 Central avenue . 12 29. Robert Zwiebel, Rahway 12 30 John Stephan, 39 Walter street 31 Herbert Wendt, 19 Thirza place . 2 Edward Talbot, 6 Midwood drive CLASS A 12 51 Walter Boyle, 21 Church street 12 52 George Knapp, 219 Central avenue ..... Jack Somerdyke, 142 Stone street ...... 10 54 Harry Consy. 35 Grove street ..... 11 55 Harold Roach, 182 Nassau street, Clark . 14 79 Rudolf Greive, Rahway

# Central assence. Gering said. A Cranford Dairy truck travels after the professional models.

to all committee members, been donated by Rahway Disiness in the table of the structure in the structure in

used the hope that all Namee was struck by one of the [All-American Soap Box Derby will

race is 175 pounds or less. Weights No Pushing Cars will start from a standing owed. Two will be placed on a Dunphy.

 longies.
 S. P. Haliday Est., sweater.
 H. Russell Morss, Jr., 101 Semi-Gries Bros., pair of pajamas.
 Persons injurce
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 ings deemed menaces passed final reading during this week's meeting of Common Council. Both will be sponded in a marvelous manner with some unique designs and the ulty mer
 be there?) will see all types of cars, Young Rahway has re-official.

the civil service law and oblained from Trenton and this te obtained from Trenton and this was ordered. He said that it was not up to Council to decide the two pairs of shoes. To Answer Questions Barger said he had oblained utility bas. Barger said he had oblained utility bas.

for delivery. ( ) I favor civil service.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Street Address

( ) I do not favor civil service.

CIVIL SERVICE STRAW VOTE Do you favor or disapprove of the plan to place appoint ments to city departments under the control of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission? Express your opinion in the space provided below and bring or mail this coupon to the office ( The Rahway Record. You may also hand it to your carrier boy

Blanchard Stell, Jr., 28 Thorn street Wallace Gordon, 57 Gampbell street \_\_\_\_\_ Charles Logoyda, 85 Church street \_\_\_\_\_ 

Edward Ward, 233 Church street ..... Emil Modia, 184 Westfield avenue Willard Taylor, 193 West Milton avenue Vincent Cerchario, Rahway Carl Rich, 187 Irving street Edward Brennan, Lake avenue Fred Simmen, 159 Sione street Harry Schoelppie, 18 Orchard street Walter Ensor, 10 Kearney avenue/ George Pehsim, 41 Lennington street John Walsh, Rahway Vincent Roberts, Rahway Bichard Wraight, 97 Pierpont street

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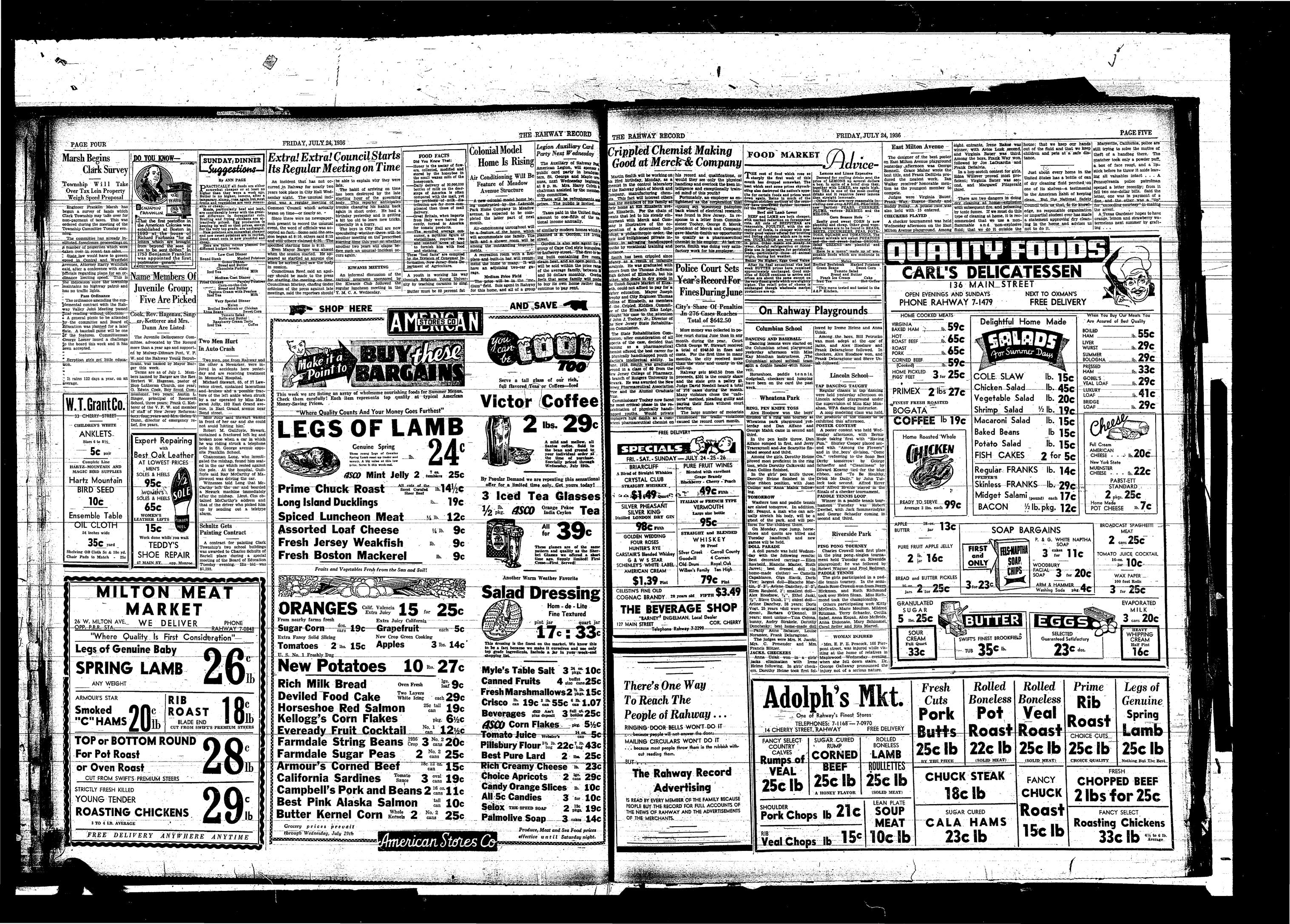


most spills are caused and a spill will ruin a boy's chances in his

- 11 55 Melville Osborn, 138 Seminary avenue 11 61 John Barton, 78 Oliver street ...... 11 62 Robert Larson, 265 Hamilton street 11 63 Melvin Hopkins, Bahway 12 64 Peter Ward, 182 Main street 12 65 Everett Swann, Jr., 50 Evans street
- . 11 68 Robert Costello, 295 Jefferson avenue 9 William Bitchie, 43 River road .... 12 70 Donald Auge, 65 Stanton street ..... 71 David Smith, 71 Main street ..... 72 Thomas Haggerty, 58 Barnett street 13 73 Michael Muke, 42 Broad street

# 13 76 Thomas Maloney, 37 Teneyck place ... 14 77 Fritz Gusmer, 95 Maple avenue ...













his number before the ordinance emergency. was passed on final reading.

commission which The Record urged more than a year ago. The Big news. Common Council job and should accomplish a good in Westfield and got the boys to-

man." The address was 36 Semi- learn not to come early after meetone. How can a person be expect- start would be impossible kept the ed to remember the names of min- press boys away. isters in this period when they are the churches in the city?

We invite both local political portunity they muffed. parties to see The Record next ies to see The Record HEAV sday. Something of interest It's too bad that Tony is being

proposal. Doesn't anyone disap- Bilt Tony shouldn't feel too bad-

kill a fine idea just because they control of things in the street dehave the false impression that to partment, did he? do so will be taking a rap at a

Manager Samuel Engelman of the Rahway Theatre comes through with another innovation, that of taking moving pictures in historic old\_Rahway-Be-on-deck-tomor row if you want to be "mugged" for the movies.

It's good news to hear tha Health Officer Fred Williams is on mend. He's a familiar figure we like to see about town. Fred know where to get treatment. He hled himself to Rahway Memorial Hospital where he received the best of care. Even has a radio in his room, we understand.

### Joe Feinberg tells us he is preparing a brief on civil service. Has promised to give us a copy, too.

Business has been so rushing in police court that it is understood consideration is being given to the employment of a stenog to help catch up with the work which has piled up around George Stewart's neck. George-keeps-pretty well caught up but it's an endless task A simple little arrest causes plenty of work in the record bureau. Despite the fact that the sum-

mer is generally regarded as a poor season for churches, the noena services being conducted a St. Mary's and St. Mark's are largely attended each week. Don't be surprised if there is no City Twilight League next year. there is little interest in the cir-

cuit this season and nobody seems

to care whether the boys play or not. On a number of occasion this season, games have been postponed because of damp grounds which could have been placed in laying shape with a half-hour's We hear that applications are

eing considered for a full-time

hysical director at the Y. M. C. A.

**Plunkett Drafts Radio Ordinance** 

IN SCIENCE STREET, STRE

# ouncilman Plans Law To Cover Interference With Police System Councilman Plunkett is having

an ordinance prepared which will John J. Coffey, well-known real regulate electrical apparatus which estate and insurance man with of- might interfere with the police fices in Irving street is, as far as radio system soon to be installed. we have been able to ascertain, the first person in the city to change his building number to conform kett has found that other commuith the new code. In fancy gold nities with police radio systems letters, one sees the number "1449" have such ordinances. He pointed on his door. Next door is the City out-the-dangers of interference Hall which is number 146 Irving with transmission and reception of street and on the other side is 140 important messages in times of Irving street. Mr. Coffey changed important messages in times of

Plunkett said he would present Congrats to Mayor Barger for naming the Juvenile delinquency of Common Council. his ordinance at the next session

V. F. W. and Young Republicans started a meeting on time Wedneswere also in on the ground floor in day night for the first time in two advocating the plan. The five per-years. President Sam Morton had -sons-chosen-are all-worthy-of-the-to-officiate at an Elks' installation

gether early. The newspaper boys, tired of wasting an hour waiting In the letter to Council advising for meetings to start, didn't apof the appointments, Mayor Bar- pear until after the session was un-ger listed one "Rev. H. W. Hage der way. Even a reporter will nary avenue where Rev. H. W. ings are late so many times.\_A late Hagenau, pastor of Zion Lutheran alleged baseball game in Riverside Church lives. The error is a minor Park and the feeling that a prompt

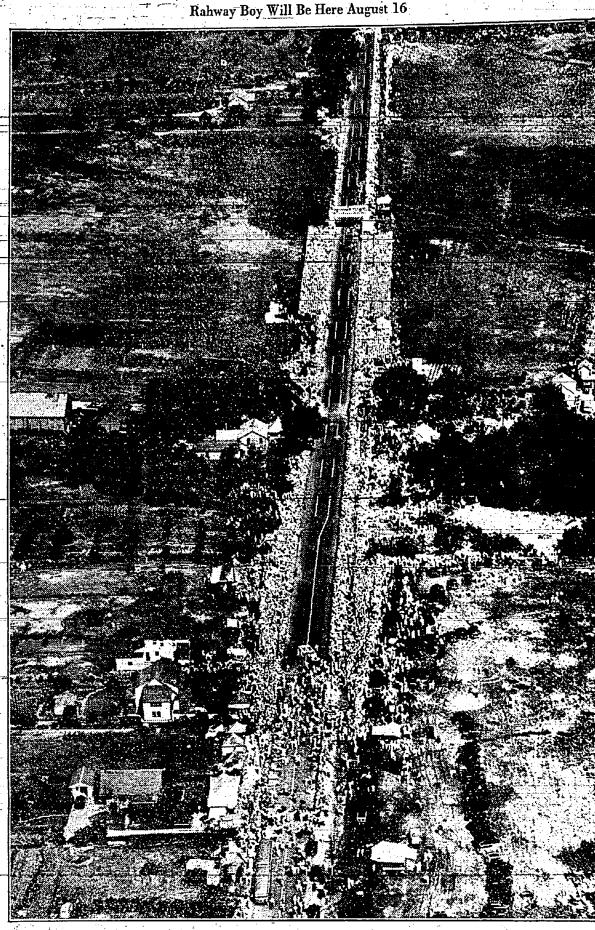
being shifted around at many of Councilman John Markey sort of put his colleague, Tony Boresch, Congrats are also due Jack he asked what the police commit-Leonard for finally presenting his tee had done on Mayor Barger's report on the proposal to purchase letter of February suggesting con-or rent a new City Hall. Nice sideration of changes in the police work, Jack. You certainly must rules. It's too bad some of the boys have weighed the proposal from all didn't heed the advice of The Recangles judging from the time you ord urging some sort of action. had it in your consideration. But It remained for Jim Plunkett, a at that you were faster than some minority member, to take the bull of the WPA projects we could men- by the horns and start things moving. Now Markey and some of the boys are crying about the op-

Thesoay. Something of interest to both will be contained therein. We had planned to tell about the idea today but the space had to be given over to the boys in the All-American Soap Box Derby. Civil Service ballots continue to come to The Record and thus far there is not a person against the broposal. Deep't anyone disan.

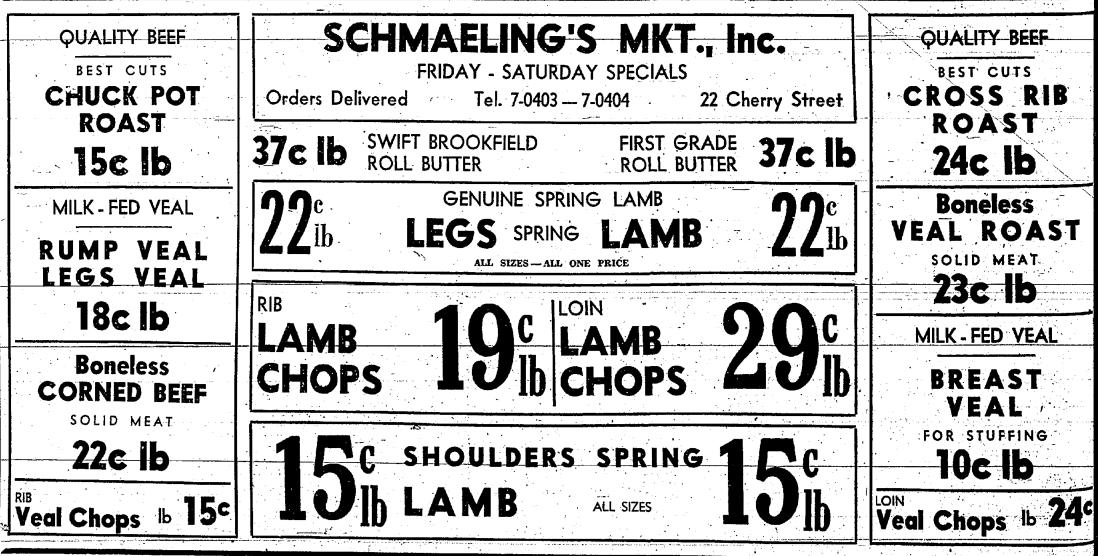
prove? It hardly seems possible. Iy about the whole thing when he recalls that John Markey quit the We understand that enemies of police committee chairmanship at im Plunkett, who the end of last year when the desuggested the plan, are quietly con- partment was in the midst of the ducting a campaign against it as most important investigation ever hey-fear-that-its popularity will conducted here. Let's see, John ruin Jack Barger's chances. It's never did reveal why he guit the too bad to see anyone willing to committee to rush over and take

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FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1936



do so will be taking a rap at a political opposite. Some day our political parties will give service with a copient when Hans Flues for and stop being mud-slinging machines concerned more with public welfare. Free Schwarting, who spells of their cars at hit with public welfare in the ditter of the speak Wednesday night, for Health Officer Free Williams, service with a capital "S." made service with a capital "S." made service for their cars for the range than welfare in the wing service for their cars for the range than welfare in the wing service for their cars for the range that with public welfare for gressive move like his building de files conce f



M. James Keeshan Funeral Tomorrow

Funeral services for M. James Keeshan, 191 Elizabeth avenue, will be held in St. Mary's Church tomorrow at 9 a. m. when a requiem mass will be said. Burial will be in home. He had lived here about 40 years and was employed for-

arrangements.--

Last Rites Held For Frank Plum

brief illness.

singer of Philadelphia. The Pettit Funeral. Home had charge of arrangements. Former Rahway Man Dies In Scarsdale

from Penn State College. He served as a sergeant durin the World-War-was a member o

Delta Upsilon and the N. Y. A. C. Surviving are his father, George D. White, Newark; his wife, Gladys Birmingham White and a son, George D. White 3d.

ROAST

24c lb

**Boneless** 

VEAL ROAST

SOLID MEAT

23c lb

MILK - FED VEAL

BREAST

FOR STUFFING

10c lb

VEAL



goes to the boy with the fastest car at Akron.



GOAT OF ALL. Above is Ha

Akron national event.

FOR BEST DESIGN. Charles F. Kettering, vice president of General Motors, will award this trophy to the boy who has the best designed car at the national finals.

WELCOMING CHAMPS. Looking pleasant just before the big race is this group of 1935 city c Rahway's hope in the national event will pose for a similar picture August 16. 

ONE FOR RAHWAY?. The three winners in the national finals will

WELCOME - IN CHAMPIONS

divide these handsome trophies.

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OR GOOD BALANCE. The boy

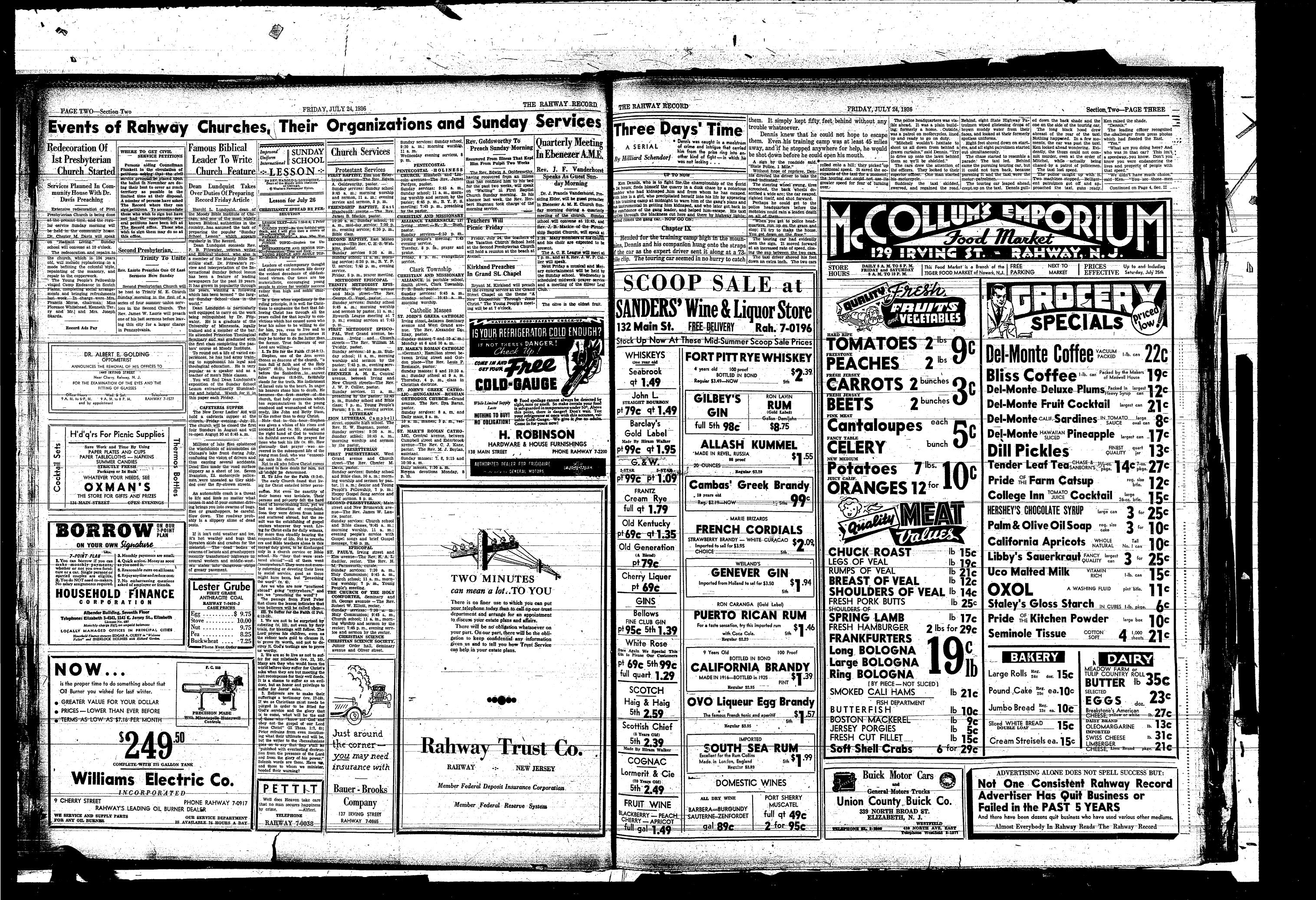
at Akron whose car is picked as

best balanced will get this radio

receiver from the Toledo Scale

Company.









# The Rahway Record

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Clear, Concise and Unbiased Presentation of All the Intere-City, and Upon the Basis of a Progressive Editorial Policy.

# and Friday Mornings

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GOOD MOBNING JULY 24, 1936 THE RECORD'S PROGRAM FOR A BETTER RAHWAY Selection of Councilmen and employes best-suited for the task of re g the city, regardless of political affiliation, race or creed. nation\_of\_a\_non-partisan-police\_comm

Maintenance of a police department with modern equipment and-Suspended sentences and no "killed tickets."

Formation of an industrial and mercantile commission which will further tended by the citizens of Elizabeth and tickets are the interests of Rahway and advance local business welfare. Improvement in appearance of railroad station and viaduots. Demolition or improvement of unsightly buildings, municipal and private. nating the resources of our police and police court, schools, churches and

athletic field and construction o

# Death Waiks The Highway

The gods of recklessness are devouring thousands cess." of lives each month on American highways---and there is no limit to their appetite.

500 people met accidental deaths—the largest num- cently a person who had been kept there over night ber for that period since 1931. Fireworks were re- was in such an exhausted condition that it was some sponsible for a smaller number of fatalities than usual time before he recovered. -but that greatest destroyer of all, the carelessly operated motor car, chalked up a grisley record. And every weekend witnesses similar occurrences. If, in a single disaster such-as an earthquake or a fire, as many people were to be killed as have been killed in Carthy, 76, of East Grand street, died last night. The accidents in the last month, the world would be aghast. deceased leaves three daughters: Miss Hannah Geyer, But the great tragedy is that accidents are not 84 West Grand street; Mrs. William Jones, Hillside; inevitable. Nine out of ten are preventable, and easily Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, Newark; and one son, Daniel preventable. Carelessness, recklessness, ignorance and McCarthy, 84 West Grand street; eight grandchildren stupidity are the principal causes of accidental injury and seven great-grandchildren. and death, and surely they can be cured-through

Death walks the highway. He strides through

our homes. He is an unseen visitor at every place of bridge. amusement. He is apt to put in his appearance in the There will be a big water carnival in Sewaren There will happiest hours. The deaths that follow accidents can Sunday afternoon starting at 2 o'clock. There will happiest hours. The deaths that follow accounts can be eliminated almost 100 percent if we will only make a small effort, and learn that a foolish act that saves a minute or provide a brief, futile thrill can send us or others into eternity. No graver problem faces the American people than the accident problem—and its colution is entirely up to the people.

## The Need-For Building Codes

New construction-both residential and nonresidential-which has been an event of the last year, places a definite responsibility upon every community. That responsibility is to pass and enforce adc-

entirely inadequate for modern conditions. In smaller Landisville, and a helper received severe lacerations communities, there are often no building codes at all. and burns when their vehicle swerved off the road, Five Apply For A man can erect a firetrap that will endanger his turned over, and burst into flames. neighbor and there is no law to stop him.

tinguish one after it has started. And nothing does street were received by Common Council at its meet-more for fire prevention than a building code "with ing Wednesday night. One petition contained 22 sig-torth in it?" Strete were received by Common Council at its meet-cants for bagatelle machines and ing Wednesday night. One petition contained 22 sig-skee ball alleys. St. Clair Kinch teeth in it." Such a code has been prepared by the natures from taxpayers owning more than 909 feet requests the permit for the latter National Board of Fire Underwriters, and has been of property while the other was signed by six persons apparatus at 242 Maple avenue. adopted in many areas. It should be adopted uni- owning 277 feet of property. versally.

the trouble to find out.

Any town lacking a modern building code should avenue. remedy the situation at the earliest possible time. Every existing code should be revised periodically, for like an automobile or a suit of cloths, it can get out of date. Equally important, the code must be enforced aggressively and without fear or favor-an unenforced law is worse than none at all.

## Nocturnal Play **On The Playgrounds**

persons in Rahway misunderstand the meaning of after all, this is a family newspaper and I must keep of the average American family is not food or clothing or rent or playground." In the last week, vandals have "play- within the boundary of good taste even though it does any of the vital necessities of life fully" destroyed property on two playgrounds, and at interfere with my style of writing. (That reminds me according to the Industrial News present supervisors are unwilling to make preparations until the day they are to be used lest these un-

ground equipment is stored was broken into and en- anything, he deserves a lot of credit. A person of less Utility Information Committee. tered a few days ago and much equipment maliciously courage would probably have contented himself with destroyed. The games used on the Roosevelt School starting a whispering campaign against the great 000,000 a year. Clothing costs and playground have been stolen, either completely or in Democratic Demagogue, Franklin D. Roosevelt, but Automobiles dent the national part, or broken. Bulletins and chalklines for games not little Julian. No, sir! He's a real sportsman and pocketbook to the tune of \$2,900,ave been removed at night.

for which the playgrounds are to be used. They can-real money to voice ins semillients. The runs an adver-not believe that the city and the WPA, and the Recre-tisement in a sporting magazine and boldly announces more than the total cost of feeding ation Commission expend time and money to build that "in the event of President Ropsevelt's re-election, the nation,

these recreation centers so that vandals may enjoy the supreme pleasure of destroying their work at night. But if anyone does labor under this impression, let him understand that it is false. The hours of work and the dollars that are spent on playground developthis Newspaper was Founded and is Maintained Upon the Principle of a ment are so that spare hours may be pleasantly and he profitably spent in Rahway this summer.

FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1936

# the scrapbook History of Rahway From Newspaper Files Friday, July 24, 1936

# Rahway 65 Years Ago From The National Democrat-July-20, 1871

EXCURSION .- Resolute Temple of Honor, of sufficient staff of trained men not controlled by politicians and appointed after competitive examinations open to outside as well as Raliway residents. Constant activity of the police against motor code violators, a minimum in a grand excursion to Long Island, on Friday the A'modern high school with complete equipment and faculties, including a 28th inst. These excursions are always largely at-

alloted 800 to both cities. The following from the Bayonne Herald is a speci-An intelligent solution of the juvenile delinquency problem by co-ordi-ing the resources of our police and police court schools aburdles and men of the compliments we frequently receive from our brethren of the press and others privately as well Completion of the Milton Lake project, including restoration of the former lake and development of surrounding territory into a park and residential coming as it does from so ably conducted a paper as coming as it does from so ably conducted a paper as Action which will take advantage of the offer of free land for a municipal the Herald, always filled with entertaining local gossip. "The National Democrat of Rahway comes this week pressed down, running over in ads, inclosing an illustrated supplement .- The Democrat is ably edited, carefully published, and deserving of its present suc-

We understand that the lock-up at the station house is in a very unhealthy and impure condition, During the recent Fourth of July weekend, close unfit for a person to remain in on a hot night. Re-

## Rahway 15 Years Ago From The Rahway Record-July 22, 1921

After an illness of four months; Patrick Mc-

law, through force of public opinion and, perhaps most important of all, through education of the individual. Use trides through of the Exempt Fireman's Association for the big Old Home Week affair to be held next week on the Final preparations will be made tonight at a meetour homes. He is an unseen visitor at every place of builder in East Milton avenue just above the draw-

also be let.

# Rahway 5 Years Ago

Two petitions protesting against the proposed It is obviously better to prevent a fire than to ex- widening of Main street from Milton avenue to Poplar The police committee has been

Complaining that they have in every manner com- bagatelle machines while applica Good building does not necessarily mean expen-sive building. Certain materials and designs will re-tard the start or spread of fire where others, perhaps menthal of this city and Solomon Miller, of New York, William A. Huggan. 125 St. George more expensive, will not. It is possible that many sub- have applied to the Supreme Court for a premptory avenue, and Bauer's, Inc., 125 Irv. standard buildings are erected without their owners writ of mandamus to command Building Inspector knowing that they are taking needless risks. They John Larson to issue a permit for the construction of Wants Lots Placed simply don't know how to build safely—and don't take of a two-story frame dwelling at the intersection of In Business Zone Pierpont street, Coddington street and St. George

# just between you and me

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The Playgrounds From reports, it would seem that some person or big further and say that Julian has a heap of guts, but, The largest item in the budget thoughtful vandals destroy their hard work. The building in Riverside Park where the play-a Yale man, which Mr. Bishop happens to be, admits is and they lead margin, says the Review, which is margin, says the Review, which is when he fights, he does not hide behind an ambush of 000,000 a year. Electric service in Surely, no one believes that this is the kind of play for which the playgrounds are to be used. They can-real money to voice his sentiments. He runs an adver-has mounted to \$9,000,000,000,000; al-

MAKES ONE BEAUTIFUL ACCORDING TO FAMOUS VIDER BEAUTY-EXPERT THE NEW NEWS ITEM : DAILY DOZEN-FAMOUS SCREEN GEE HONEY YOU'RE GETTING | FROM HOLLYWOOD-MORE BEAUTIFUL EVERY LET'S GET TW YOR WIF TONIGHT AVING TOOTH HER MAYN **OPPANC** CARMEN AT THE MET!

LAUGHS FROM THE DAY'S NEWS!

YAWNING EXERCISES THE

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not come back until things Grant Stores Outing will go to Canada and t Bertrand Island ave changed."

'He then goes on 'to state that he is preparing to dispose of "equipment in good condition to raise between five and six thousand quail, a large log cabin, and leases for shooting privileges on 20,000 acres of land." Boy, that sort of strikes me asbeing downright poverty stricken. My old heart aches for anyone in such tought straits. If Mr. Bishop were not so opposed to New Deal policies, -I-would suggest that he get a job on some PWA project and try to scrape up enough pennies to keep the wolf away from the door of his little old log cabin on the 20,000-acre lot. Of course, there are-a-lot-of-unsympathetic-persons who will say. unkind things about Julian. They'll say that he is yellow; he can't take it, and similar low forms ofcriticism. They may even suggest that the country would be a whole lot better off if he and his kind would go to hell-pardon me-out, now, and not bother sticking around until after Election Day. But I don't believe in kicking the underdog, even if he does live in a swell kennel with four or

I don't know the gentleman in question and I'm W. T. Grant store at 777 Broad description on request. Jul the county authorities in the construction of the pro-posed new bridge at East Hazelwood avenue, Mayor Trembley states that work will go ahead immediately on the project, and that other building contracts will on the project, and that other building contracts will should call his attention to a small quotation from a speech delivered by John N. Lewis at a recent luncheon of the National Press Club. Mr. Lewis said, "I'd like to save America from the agony and convulsions that have happened in other coutries where those who had quate building codes designed to prevent fire. Most of the larger cities of the country have build-ing codes—though some of them are out of date and entirely inadequate for modern conditions. I are in a precarious position entirely inadequate for modern conditions. I are in a precarious position from its property to St. George sprites will do well to remain avenue on the playgrounds only, ar everything tried to hold on to it too long." Good-by, ind to hold on to it too long." Good-by, avenue. The request has been re-medieval ages, because the are in a precarious position are in a precarious position

Amusement Permits

A request from E. M. Andrews. Jr. asking that two lots at the southwest corner of Westfield an Jefferson avenues be placed in the business instead of the residential one has been referred to the Boar of Adjustment. Andrews wants to establish a retail floral business of the city, he wrote Common Counci COSTS MORE TO RULE THAN



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# THE RAHWAY RECORD

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Hollywood, Calif. All for the cause of charity your screen stars took over Wi Field last week . . . and staged dizziest, daffiest, dumbest has game since the donkeys left Re

George Jessel wanted to a telephone at third to keep touch with friends . . . Geo Burns wanted a ground rule keep Gracie away ... Bing Cro wanted to ride his race h around the base lines (to no one objected reme

nta Anita last year), Several members of the "k man's team" wanted the inplayed by an alarm clock ins of three outs . . . rememb 7-run rally in the second that staged against them last ye

## Dog\_Census\_ A recent "dog census" co

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loyes of the 17 stores

ed in Cheyenne, Wyo., ren that Pal and Micky are the common names . . . alth ocratic titles like King and . . and ultra modern mor like Zephyr are bestowed. This year's Western rodeo ion is "Hot Tamale" hais . Gallon hats are now passe,

of A Connecticut postman the W. T. Grant Company in day off after 49 years of set Northern Jersey had their joint What did he do? Spent part o picnic at Bertrand Island Park, day riding with the partel Lake Hopatcong, Wednesday. Over man.

800 attended, including the entire personnel of the store in Rahway. National Politics... Upon arrival at the park, a series of novelty races and con-tests were staged, such as the bot-pears in the July issue of

tle race, exclusively for the store Breeder and Sportsman": managers; the beach ball race, bal- "In event that Roosevelt loon race, sack race, three-legged elected at the coming Now

race and other similar contests for election the entire Horsest the girls and a ple-eating contest farm, located near Carthage exclusively for the stock clerks of Carolina, will be offered due to the fact that the Later in the atternoon, a bathing will immediately move to C beauty pageant presented the most The property is complete, wi ful of the girls in the employ ficient, equipment in good of the W. T. Grant Company. A tion to raise between five a special orchestra was engaged to thousand quail. Large-lo furnish music during which time with bedroom, ilving room a number of dance contests were hitchen fully equipped. Fine staged. Kennils recently built to accom To finish off the day properly, a date twelve dogs. Also t

dinner was served to the entire (roughly broken quail dogs. I party in the main dining hall of station wagon-guns-boat the park. The arrangements were fishing equipment. Leases in the hands of a committee head- shooting privileges on 20,000 s ed by M. E. Burtt, manager of the of land will also be for sale Bishop, Carthage, N. C."

Night Sprites Recently there has been a

RAHWAY, N. J.

THE RECORD'S BACKGROUND CLUDES MORE THAN 100 YEARS OF CITY SERVICE

VOL. 113, NO. 2793 Published Tuesday Noons and Friday Mornings **Record Asks Two Parties To Talk On Local Issues** 

Political Groups Are Offered Free Space In Offer Designed To Aid Electorate In Coming Election; No Mud Slinging

Is Part Of Community Service Program

As part of its program of community service The Record this year will sponsor a plan of interest to every citizen if the co-operation of the local political parties can be obtained.

Today, we are offering to donate space, free of charge, to the two political organizations which will soon ask the public to support them in the November election. We are inviting each party to contribute articles for publication each week with the argumentsbeliefs and other assertions of the party explained. There are only two restrictions. First of all, no

mud slinging will be tolerated. Secondly, each article must not be longer than two typewritten pages, double-spaced. Writing must be on one side of the paper only and at the bottom of the second page must appear the signature of approval of the committee chairman.

Anyone Can Be Author Anyone Can be Antone This does not mean that the chairman must write the articles The name of the author is not im-portant but the articles must be In Rahway River Park approved by the chairman and bear his signature or they will not Several hundred boys from Ne

appens to be.

Vacation Camp Is In Rahway Today

be published. Several hundred boys from New be published. Several hundred boys from New Jersey are present to participate in the past have been marked by mud slinging which is not only distance. If the Pirst Annual Y. M. C. A. Home-Vacation Camp Round-up today in Rahway River Park. Home, vacation camp programs accept articles where one party are conducted in many "Ys" in this state for the boys who do not attend permanent, campa, provid-ing camping programs similar as possible to these in Y. M. C. A.

slinging mud. Belleve Voters Interested The large congregation of

and the millionaires don't like frame in the part of lime and him must be ease of the short the primers in the court the primers in the court of the short the primers in the court the primers into court. Any and his master becomes is court the primers into court the primers into court. Any and his master becomes is court the primers into court the court the court the primers into court. Any and his master becomes is court the primers into court the primers into court. Any and his master becomes is court the primers into court the primers into court. Any and his master becomes is court the primers into court the primers into court. Any the primers into court the primers into court the primers into court the court the court the primers into court. Any the primers is primers into court the primers into court the primers into court the primers into court. Any the primers into court the p Kendall Oll, Sunce Lab. are stan-dards of good car performance. Bee the Norge

Things looked black for Bob Costello in the photo at left center

RAHWAY, N. J., TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1936

there was plenty of activity at the All-Derby sponsored by the Chevrolet Motor Com- taken immediately after his car had crashed in the second heat. One

THE PAST IS GONE

dards of good car performance. Bee the Norge William Ritchie, 43 River road, Monton Bros. Main & Milliam Williams Electric Co., 9 Cherry St. filled in his spoked wheels with ce-

when they register



his car which had potato baskets for the front and rear. Most of the boys in this class William Ritchië, 43 River road, \_\_\_\_\_\_Continued, on Page Eight

WE FACE TO-DAY

