

Events of Rahway Churches, Their Organizations and Sunday Services


First Meeting of Girl Scout Club Held

Mrs. Harold Holmes presided at the first meeting of the Girl Scout Leader's Club on Tuesday. At the Girl Scout House. After reports were read by Mrs. Richard Conner, secretary, and Mrs. Ruby Kemmerer, corresponding secretary, plans were made for fall activities. A course for intermediate level will be given at the Girl Scout House each Wednesday from 1:30 until 3, starting November 1, and continuing through November 29, and ending November 29, on November 29. The club will entertain the council in a dessert meeting. A speaker will be announced later. The club will meet the third Tuesday of each month at the Scout House. Mrs. Ross Nichols reminded the group of the birthday party in honor of

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The sacred subject last Sunday at the Friendship Baptist Church by the Rev. C. H. Morrell was "Born To Be A King." The devotional service was conducted by Deacon Pritchard. Sunday school was held at 10:45 a. m. under the direction of Mrs. L. Anfield. The Baptist Young People's Union met at 6 p. m., led by Miss Elizabeth Anfield. Prayer service is held each Thursday at 8 p. m.

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THE REPUBLICANS' RECORD IN THE COUNCIL

When the independent voter seeks to make up his mind whether the Republican or the Democratic party will serve him better in the administration of the municipality, he is beset with no such perplexing questions as foreign policy and kindred problems of an international character that may seem a bit puzzling to the average citizen. Almost every phase of the management of the city's affairs can be reduced to a plain dollars-and-cents statement that permits arriving easily at a decision, as to which of the two political parties is giving him more for his tax money than the other.

To give the voters a close-up of the Republican party's accomplishments in Rahway since it has been given working control of the City Council, which body now sees eye to eye with the Mayor, observe these facts:

The municipality's budget for the fiscal year of 1944 was set up with economy as well as for the maintenance of efficiency in the City's services, as dual objectives. The tax rate was reduced four points, but this saving fails to adequately express how much more Rahway's home owners got for their money than before. Take the Street Department, as one outstanding example. The trimming of other expenditures permitted the purchase of two new trucks for the hauling of garbage, both of the very latest type. When these new motor trucks are put into operation, they will considerably lessen the inroads of the nationwide manpower shortage, one less man per truck being needed to load and operate them than for running the make-shift vehicles acquired under the preceding Democratic administration.

The office of building inspector, intended by the Democrats to be a full-time sine-cure was put on a part-time basis, not only saving the city \$1,200 in salary, but resulting in filling the inspector's post with a man of recognized technical ability, having every-day contact with difficult construction problems in his regular position.

In like manner, the political plum, which the Democratic strategists had made of the job of "Special Counsel to the Tax Lien Committee," was exercised at a considerable saving to the taxpayers. The Tax Lien Management Committee of the council, which the Democrats had set up as a prop for the special counsel's tenure of office, was promptly abolished at the very first meeting of the Republican council. Today all questions pertaining to tax foreclosures and the sale of property so acquired by the city are considered at open council sessions, while the tax receiver looks after the city's interests in the sale of fore-closure-acquired property.

Perhaps no more significant instance of Republican efficiency, compared with Democratic misrule, can be cited than in the last year of Democratic rule when the amount of "emergency" borrowing rose to \$64,000. This year's "emergency" borrowing, under a Republican administration, is not likely to exceed \$30,000, the major portion of which had to be appropriated for water lines, in connection with the Lawrence street paving job, and the remainder made necessary by the recent hurricane damage. It may be pointed out that excessive "emergency" borrowing tends to confuse the City's bookkeeping, so that whatever tax rate is set up under the budget does not represent the true tax needs of the city.

Other Republican accomplishments deserving of mention are: The obtaining of the consent of the Union County Board of Freeholders to take over and improve Lawrence and Ross streets, incorporating them in the County road system to the benefit of Rahway taxpayers, and the Brennan Field playground in the Fourth Ward, which has been added to Rahway's recreation facilities.

The Republican council has passed an ordinance establishing uniform rules for sick leaves, vacations and leaves of absence to be granted the city's employees; a Rooming House Code, enacted into law so there would no longer be a lack of understanding of requirements, and marked progress made toward obtaining Class A fire insurance rating, through the enactment of a Fire Code and the improvement of the City's fire-fighting system.

The foregoing represents a bare outline of what Republican efficiency has been able to accomplish in the brief space of a year's time. On the basis of so reassuring a record, the Republican party has every right to ask for the support of each and every one of its candidates at the election on Tuesday, November 7. If you want good city government, vote Republican.

WHY MUST WE SUFFER?

In thousands of homes this winter there will be a shortage of heat, just as for three years there has been a shortage of gasoline for many millions of car owners, with drastic rationing enforced in its use. This situation is not going to be overlooked when the voters go to the polls on the 7th of November, for there has been absolutely no necessity for the slightest of rationing in this country of either fuel oil or gasoline.

Three years ago, when the papers were filled with the discussion of a possible shortage of gasoline in this country, because of increasing war demands, not a single move was made by the Government, for over a year, to prevent a shortage or to increase production. In fact, the New Deal habit of putting off until the last moment, the solution of every critical situation, delayed for more than a year the laying of a pipeline from the oilfields of the Southwest to the eastern coast, which only reached New Jersey a year ago last month.

But, instead of increasing the output the past three years, the amount pumped in 1940, of 1,351,000,000 barrels,

was reduced over 30,000,000 barrels in 1942, with no figures available for last year. Furthermore as a seeming favor to the large oil companies, to provide them the least amount of competition possible, the appeal of hundreds of independent oil companies, that has constantly been made to the Administration, since the war began, to increase the price of crude oil 35 cents per barrel, has gone unheeded to this day, the "indispensable" man even permitting Congress to adjourn without passing the bill, long before Congress, placing a subsidy on oil, so that producers would receive from 20 to 35 cents a barrel more than what they were getting when the war started.

And what has happened? Not only have millions of users in the United States, last year and this, been deprived of needed gas and fuel oil, but the low price of crude oil has actually forced over 10,000 wells two years ago to shut down, and last year over 13,000 to stop producing. Just when there was the greatest demand for every drop of oil that could be pumped in this country. The owners were simply unable to continue to pump their almost dry wells at the ceiling price for oil, maintained by the Government.

Not only did these thousands of wells stop pumping, but these same independent companies were prevented from making further explorations and from bringing in any more "wildcat" wells, because the price did not justify such an expense.

Here is an item, the ceiling price of which has been maintained below the cost of production for thousands of small oil producers, evidently to favor the big producers, that has put out of business thousands of the smaller ones. And these small wells cannot again be put into operation without great expense, either in swabbing them out or in drilling new holes.

Is it any wonder that the oil people of the states of Oklahoma and Texas are enraged at such treatment, yet the oil people of those states are merely considering the effect the situation has had upon their business, which, of course, does not give consideration to the millions of homes throughout the United States deprived of fuel oil for heating and of gasoline for their cars, because of such a short-sighted, arbitrary program.

These outraged millions of American citizens all have votes, and they are going to register their protest on November 7, directly to the "indispensable" man seeking a fourth term, who has been the primary cause of this unnecessary shortage in gasoline and fuel oil.

just between you and me

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Also under Democratic rule, we have had the spectacle of a contractors' supply business being carried on the side by the holder of the building inspector's job. That those who apply for a building permit and file the required plans and specifications should loudly protest against having to have these passed on by one thus directly or indirectly identified with their business, is only natural.

The building inspector's duties call for a fair knowledge of construction methods and materials, in addition to unquestionable integrity of character. So the Republican council majority were confronted with rather a tough assignment as to who would fill this bill. But find him they did, as Republicans always have a way of finding the right man for the job.

Richard J. Evans, the city's building inspector, the man whom they induced to accept the position, was construction superintendent for John Lowry, Inc., New York building construction contractors, who erected John D. Rockefeller Jr.'s Radio City Music Hall, and other structures of like magnitude. Mr. Evans naturally knows what is going on in the construction and constructional material field. It isn't likely that an applicant for a building permit will ever put anything over on Building Inspector Evans.

And what is Mr. Evans' compensation? The answer is that the Republican majority in the Council prevailed on him to accept the part-time post at a remuneration, which means a \$1,200 yearly saving to the city, compared with what was formerly paid. With little prospect that

there will be a revival of building on a worth while scale until after the end of the war, this part-time arrangement is working out most satisfactorily, furnishing a representative illustration of the Republican policy of wise economy.

Undoubtedly another plum has vanished from the tree of politics, that Democrats understand so well how to make yield the most fruit. It will be prudent to bear this in mind, when you Mr., Mrs. and Miss Voter step into your balloting booth on election day, Tuesday, November 7. The Republican candidates, each and every one of them, is deserving of your support.

From our EARLY FILES

Rahway 50 Years Ago

A prominent young man of Leetown bumped his head against a pumpkin last Sunday evening, on Lewis street, which very mysteriously fell from the top of a tree, when he was on his way to call on his best girl. He felt much Eddie-fied by the collision.

Miss Mary Blume, of this city, who was for several years a compositor in this office, we are pleased to learn, has again been appointed to a position in the composing rooms of the government printing office, at Washington.

Rahway 25 Years Ago

With practically a unanimous vote of the large number

Need For Action On Sewer Stressed

The Board of Health has voted to log the memory of the Common Council relative to a sewer at Irving and Hamilton streets, where a private sewer is serving the public and alleged to cause nuisance where it empties into the Robinson branch of the Rahway river at the Hamilton street bridge.

Need of Leaders In Boy Scouts

The Rahway-Clark District committee of Boy Scouts met at the Y. M. C. A. last week and listened to an address from Field Executive William G. Smart, stressing the need for thoroughly trained leaders through an intensive program. The functions of each scout in the development program were outlined. A. Y. Mottlau is chairman of the training committee. District Commissioner William C. Schuler outlined local troop conditions and gave an optimistic outlook for the future. Others participating were: J. F. Wright, James Egolf, Edwin J. Elmer, Thomas Shell, Robert Shell, Lannon Field, Joseph Schuster, K. G. Schottler, T. E. Droeg, Malcolm Laubach, Walter L. Garthwaite, George MacGregor.

Scheitlin Visits Veterans' Hospital

State Reimbursement Chairman Fred Scheitlin, visited the veterans' groups, Mrs. Joseph Waechter, Mrs. Fred Scheitlin and Miss Virginia Stankiewicz represented the auxiliary of the Marine Corps League.

Rahway 15 Years Ago

Speaking on the progress of Christian Mission, Robert Speer, secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church and former moderator of the General Assembly, addressed a large group at Church Night Fellowship dinner held at the Presbyterian Church last night. "There are those who say, 'There will live to see the day when the Christian religion will be as dead as the religions of Greece and Rome.'"

Rahway 10 Years Ago

The new \$20,000 addition to the Monte Christo on Campbell street, will be ready for use as soon as dyeing and bleaching equipment is installed. Representatives of the Leamold Textile Record yesterday, 12,000 square feet, the building will provide room for the local firm, which specializes in bleaching used in the manufacture of hosiery.

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THAT'S WHY YOU NEED FRESH, CLEAN
ESSO WINTER OIL... NOW!

GASOLINE POWERS THE ATTACK—
DON'T WASTE A DROP

OIL MUST LUBRICATE
AS MUCH AS
1945 SQUARE INCHES
OF MOVING SURFACE
EVERY ENGINE REVOLUTION
—AND ONE NEGLECTED
INCH MAY MEAN
SERIOUS DAMAGE!



REMEMBER...HELP'S SHORT
THESE DAYS AND THIS IS OUR RUSH
SEASON. IF YOU'VE PHONE BEFORE
YOU COME, WE CAN SCHEDULE
YOUR WORK WHEN IT'S MOST
CONVENIENT ALL AROUND!



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LET YOUR ESSO
DEALER DO IT!

CARE SAVES WEAR

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