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TOWN OF BELLEVILLE

PRICE TWO CENTS

## STREET PAVING JOB FOUR YEARS OLD IS BEING PROBED BY TOWN

### Board Of Commissioners Favors Leasing Part Of Allotment In Passaic Valley Sewer

An official investigation is under way in town to determine whether the paving of Brighton avenue and Wallace street was properly accomplished when the streets were laid out about four years ago.

Property owners along the two streets have raised a cry against payment of assessments for the work because of what they term "the present bad condition" on the streets, which have been resurfaced several times.

It was revealed at Tuesday night's commission meeting that cross section maps of the work, which would show whether the proper excavation was made, were missing. Commissioner Patrick A. Waters and Town Engineer Albert S. Blank were directed to make an investigation.

Disappearance of papers showing cross sections was given as a reason for asking postponement of confirmation of the assessments. Gordon Grant, a Newark lawyer, represented taxpayers opposed to the assessments.

"Sad State of Affairs"

"It's a sad state of affairs when a council cannot obtain records to check assessments," Mr. Grant said. He was assured by Commissioner Waters, director of streets and public improvements, the papers would be found or corresponding figures produced. Mr. Waters said a discovery had been made regarding the assessments which would undoubtedly result in lowering the cost.

Commissioner Frank J. Carragher was the only objector to renewal of the license of the Capitol Theatre at \$250. The commissioner wanted to table the theatre's application a week until he could present a resolution requiring the theatre to remain closed Sundays or be liable to revocation of license. Other members of the board said a town ordinance governed Sunday closing and the prohibition could not be directed at an individual concern.

Passing on first reading an ordinance requiring Sunday closing of hardware stores "smacked of provincialism," according to Anthony B. Micone, an objecting hardware dealer. The ordinance provides a \$10 fine for a first violation and \$25 for each subsequent one.

The ordinance passed by a 3 to 2 vote, Mayor Samuel S. Kenworthy and Commissioners James Gibson and William D. Clark favoring and Commissioners Carragher and Waters opposed. A majority of hardware dealers of the town petitioned for the ordinance.

Harry Higgs of the engineering department was appointed assessment clerk at a salary of \$200 by Commissioner Gibson. Mr. Carragher objected on the grounds Mr. Higgs was already doing the work. Mr. Gibson said no one person was responsible for following assessments through the five departments where they are handled and for their being brought

up expeditiously for confirmation. The money would be otherwise delayed, Mr. Waters stated.

The request of the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission that Belleville lease an unused portion of its sewer capacity to Kearny was favorably regarded.

If the town grants a lease it will be the first municipality to cooperate in a "brotherly" manner with the sewer commission, according to William Gavin Taylor, consulting engineer, who represented the commission. Other municipalities have asked such unreasonable terms that negotiations with them were dropped, Mr. Taylor said.

Figures pertaining to revenue Belleville would receive as profit by leasing 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 gallons of its 10,000,000-gallon daily capacity, approximately 8,000,000 gallons of which are reserve capacity, were kept confidential. They will be announced when Town Engineer Albert S. Blank reports on the capacity the town will need in the next ten years. This probably will be within a couple of weeks.

Roughly, Mr. Blank estimated the town would not need more than a 4,000,000-gallon capacity in the next ten years. The town is using about 1,500,000 gallons daily of its capacity.

The reason for Belleville's large reserve capacity is that much land in the town is devoted to park and golf course purposes. Such use of the land was not foreseen when the capacity need was planned.

## Banking Firm Appoints Former Belleville Resident

Charles H. Urling, former resident of Belleville while doing special work for the First National Bank, has been appointed the district representative, with headquarters in Belleville, of E. Paul Young & Company, Inc., a well known New York investment banking firm.

Mr. Urling's sixteen years' experience in the banking field has been devoted mostly to the development of Savings Accounts. His new connection carries him one step further, providing a channel of investment for people who have accumulated funds in savings accounts and a complete information service for anyone who owns securities.

E. Paul Young & Company, Inc., has specialized in Public Utility Securities and the bonds and common stocks of Investment Trusts. It is identified with one of the oldest investment trusts, Financial Investing Company of New York, Ltd., and is the distributor for the securities of this Company in the State of New Jersey. Mr. Urling is making his home at 179 Washington avenue.

## WOMAN'S CLUB TO OBSERVE MUSIC DAY ON MONDAY

"Music Day" will be observed by the Woman's Club next Monday afternoon at 2:30, at the club house. The program will be presented by the music department under the direction of the chairman, Mrs. Leroy Bunnell, and will include vocal and instrumental solos.

Refreshments will be served under the direction of Mrs. William Engelman, chairman.

At the annual business meeting last Monday these officers were installed: President, Mrs. R. C. Whitfield; vice president, Mrs. Charles S. Smith; second vice president, Mrs. John J. Schaffer; recording secretary, Mrs. E. J. Mutch; treasurer, Mrs. W. V. Irvine; assistant treasurer, Mrs. J. K. Alexander; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. G. Shawger; assistant corresponding secretary, Mrs. George P. Oslin; club house trustees, Mrs. W. H. Jacobson, Mrs. H. B. Vail, Mrs. Porter F. Sheldon, Mrs.

Frank Brohal and Mrs. James Gibson; federation secretary, Mrs. W. P. Adams; chairman of committees: Fine Arts, Mrs. W. D. Cornish; legislative, Mrs. A. Fitzherbert; printing, Mrs. W. E. Wilson; Social Service, Mrs. S. H. Bootes; Civic, Mrs. August Stricker; nominating, Mrs. F. Kenneth Mase; By-Laws, Mrs. A. N. Streeter.

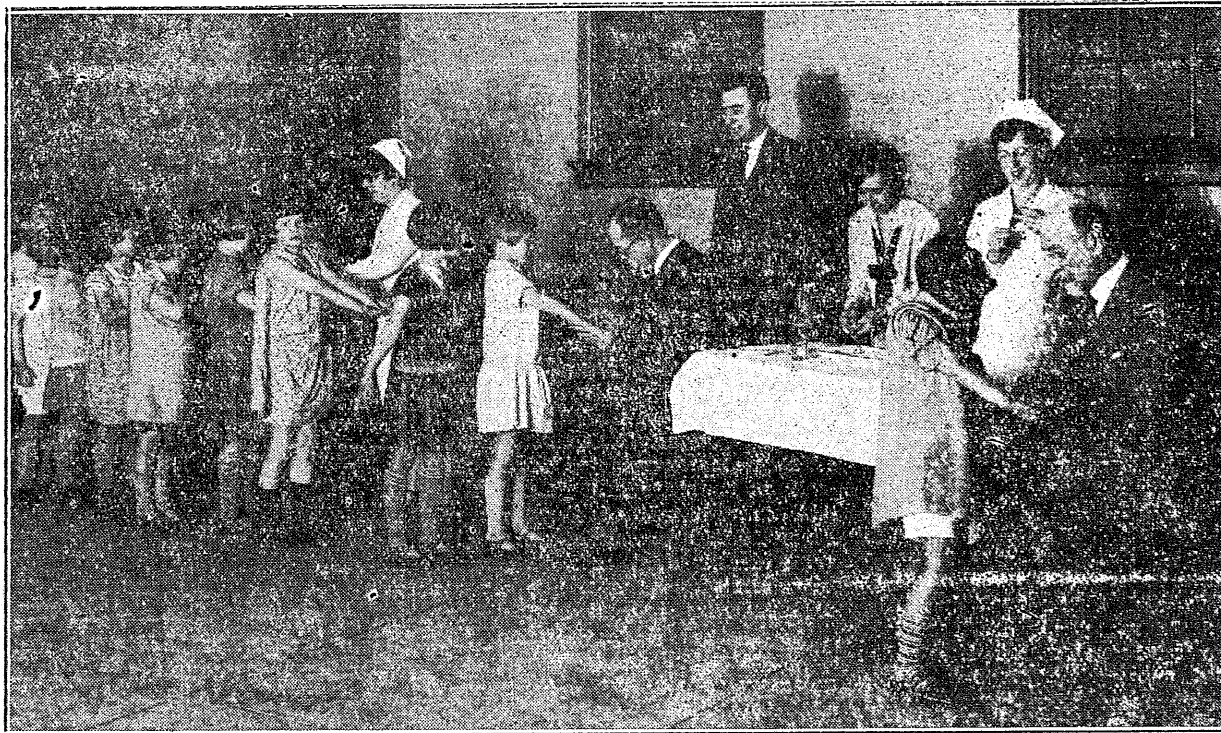
Delegates to the convention of the New Jersey State Federation at Atlantic City, May 8, 9, 10, 11, Mrs. R. C. Whitfield, Mrs. E. J. Mutch, Mrs. J. K. Alexander and Mrs. Thomas C. Stewart; Alternates, Mrs. N. A. Manderson and Mrs. W. H. Stone.

Mrs. W. P. Adams and Mrs. A. N. Streeter, past presidents, represented the club at 1002 and 1004 Broad street, Newark, where sales for the blind were conducted last week and spent the entire day Thursday assisting.

Cakes and other food stuffs were donated by club members and were sold in the tea room for the benefit of the blind.

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## How The Schick Test Works In Belleville Public Schools



## K. of C. Council Host To Other Councils

### Four Out Of Town Groups Entertained In Belleville

Belleville Council, No. 835, Knights of Columbus, played host to visiting members from Irvington, Jersey City, Nutley and Union City Councils, Monday. It remained for Nutley Council to provide the entertainment.

The Lecturer's Committee composed of John S. Herron, Leo Dempsey and James M. Lynch, Sr., did a good job and kept the members entertained until a late hour when refreshments were served.

The master of ceremonies was James M. Lynch, Sr. The senior is used advisedly for Jimmy "unhooked his vest and threw out his chest and said listen to this boy of mine" as Jimmy Jr., and his two sisters Regina and Bileen playing the piano and saxophone respectively accompanied him with his violin. The family made quite a hit and if Jimmy has any more at home Eddie Foy will have to look to his laurels.

Jimmy next presented Charles Thoma who though afflicted with a cold made a valiant effort to sing and despite the handicap the quality of his voice was evident. Alfred Frobose was next and accompanied Mr. Thoma; they presented a tap dance. These two young men show promise and it would not be a surprise to the Nutley members to see them break forth on Broadway.

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## Improvement Association Dance Scores Biggest Success Of Social Season

As predicted and confidentially felt by all who were intimately associated with the planning of the dance of the Belleville on the Hill Improvement Association, last Saturday's record turn out for the annual event at Elk's Hall surpassed any event on the town's social calendar. Nothing was left to be desired from both the social point of view or the entertainment features. Those who for various reasons were not present were the only losers and have at this early date resolved that they'll never miss another event the Hilltoppers will hold. More than 700 passed through the doors and the carnival spirit manifested itself at an early hour.

Music Puts Crowd In Mellow. Early indications were that the crowd came to enjoy itself and it did. Every last man, woman, yes and child too (there were quite a few preschoolers) entered the spirit or dance mood with a vim seldom witnessed at local affairs. Price excelled in serving the jazzologues which had the dancers on the floor for every number. The evening was crowded with novelties, not a moment being found wanting with idleness. The novelty dances proved special features for the crowd to make Whoopee. The lucky number dance prize—a console mirror—donated by Otis and Otis was won by Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson of Belleville. The prize of a handsome pair of ladies' shoe buckles for the Balloon Dance went to Miss Lillian Burns also of Belleville.

Mr. George Harrison, a member of the Association was the donor of a fruit basket made up from Nature's precious gifts grown in various corners of the globe and donated by Mr. Frank Wolenski of the Association was won by Mr. L. A. Schroeder of Irvington. The Five Dollars in gold offered as a door prize went to Mr. George Rawcliffe of Belleville. Cole's Studio And Belleville Gardens Well Received.

An unusual departure for a dance was seen in the presentation of two unique entertainment features. Dan Downey's Snappy Revue, now being presented at Belleville Gardens on Main street was all that the local night club advertised it to be. Owing to the revue just opening only part of the company put in appearance. Their singing numbers enlivened the crowd. Of more than passing mention was the stage presentation of Bob Cole's Dancing Kiddie Revue. The applause of the crowd and the repeated encores that some of the wee entertainers were requested to give left no doubt as to the high calibre of their performance. Especially pleasing was Bouncing Baby Betty Lott, the smiling, dimpled, tousled-haired vamp of vamps. Betty completely captivated her audience. Dorothy Nickles won favor with her tap dancing and Bob Cole himself literally had the crowd on their toes with his acrobatic dance. The Green Sisters from Jersey City were a pleasing sister act and their military tap dance was the best seen here in years. It seemed that very one remained until "Home, Sweet Home" was played for the ball room was just as crowded at 1 A. M. as at 9 P. M. Success is really a mild word for the description of this event which will be long remembered by all who attended.

Any parent who fears that the Schick test bothers children will get a different impression from this picture, which was taken last Friday morning in Public School No. 5, Greylock section. The town nurses in the picture are Jane Carlough, Jean Adams and Angele Chapman. The doctors are H. B. Vail and F. S. Bootay. Health Officer Eugene T. Berry is also shown.

Tests show that approximately ninety per cent of the school children who took the previous free service of the town health authorities in cooperation with the schools are now immune from Diphtheria.

## With Us Again

The Town Commission passed on first reading Tuesday an ordinance setting forth that clocks should be set ahead one hour the last Sunday in April and retarded one hour the last Sunday in September to conform with Daylight Saving

## Woman's Guild Gives Luncheon-Card Party

The May committee of the Woman's Guild of Christ Episcopal Church will give a luncheon and card party at the Food Craft Shoppe, 1004 Broad street, Newark, on May 10.

Mrs. Lloyd Nunn will be chairman and others assisting will be Mrs. William Irvine, Mrs. Joseph Kingsland, Mrs. George Kelsall, Mrs. Joseph Joule, Mrs. George Lang, Mrs. Ernest Harris, Miss Elizabeth Lloyd, Mrs. Guy Lemmones, Mrs. John H. Lancaster. The Guild President Mrs. Mary Lloyd will be hostess.

## American Legion Plans First Annual Dance

### Affair Will Be Held At Elks' Home On May 10.

The Belleville American Legion League of Athletic Development, the recently organized twilight baseball league, will hold its first annual dance at the Elk's Hall on Friday, May 10. The purpose of the dance is to raise funds to defray expenses of the league.

The league has already received many enthusiastic promises of support from the townspeople and a capacity crowd is expected at the dance. The ticket sale will be limited, as the Legion does not want to overtax the capacity of the dance hall. Every one is urged to procure their tickets at an early date.

The league is composed of the following teams, Bachelors, Capitols, St. Anthony A. C., John Daly Association, St. Peter's Dramatic Club, Park A. C., and the Bel-Nuts. There will be prizes awarded to the organizations disposing of the greatest number of tickets. The committee in charge is negotiating for the services of one of Essex County's most famous Jazz organizations, and the result of this negotiation will be later announced. There will also be popular entertainers to lend to the hilarity and joyfulness of the occasion. All of Belleville's prominent Whoopee Makers have pledged themselves to attend and bring their gangs.

The dance will be in the nature of a get-together for the teams which will be later battling three nights a week for the town championship. The Legion asks all citizens

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## Josiah H. DeWitt Buried In N. Y.

## Descendant of Old Belleville Family Died in Genoa On Tour.

Services were held Wednesday morning in St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, Fifth avenue and Fifty-third street, New York, for Josiah Hornblower DeWitt, a descendant of two old Belleville families. He died in Genoa, Italy, March 26, while on a pleasure tour of Europe. He formerly resided in East Orange.

Mr. DeWitt was a son of the late Josiah Hornblower DeWitt and Amanda Moss. He was a descendant of Josiah Hornblower, one of the early settlers of Belleville, whose memory will be honored April 24 when members of the Newcomen Society for the Study of the History of Engineering and Technology will unveil a tablet on his tombstone in the graveyard of the old Dutch Reformed Church, Main and Rutgers street. Josiah Hornblower died in 1809. He was the designer of a steam engine that preceded that of Robert Fulton for many years.

The DeWitt family for many years operated a wire factory on Mill street, Belleville.

John D. DeWitt, 161 North Ninth street, Newark, was a cousin of the man whose funeral took place Wednesday.

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## MERCHANTS BAND FOR TRADE AT HOME CAMPAIGN

A group of business men who are interested in the "Trade at Home" campaign which will culminate in the award of a Plymouth car to some Belleville person have formed a committee to interest other merchants in the proposition. Paul Westerman, of the Carson-Westerman Chrysler-Plymouth agency, has been named chairman of the committee, to be assisted by Berney Fenias, manager of the Capitol Theatre, as secretary, Leighton George and B. Shargel.

To stimulate the campaign the Capitol Theatre will cooperate to the extent of placing the Plymouth in the lobby of the theatre, arranging a display of articles from local merchants which will be given away there the last week of the campaign, composing a "trailer" for the screen, telling who the merchants are that are cooperating. The theatre will also mail announcements and other advertising matter for the merchants.

While advertising space may not be bought on the Capitol screen, this feature being contrary to Stanley-Fabian ethics, local merchants who participate will have their names mentioned on the screen. The Capitol Theatre has consented to do this because it feels that Belleville needs

closer cooperation among its business concerns. The theatre offers all assistance possible.

In order to be in the running for the car, local persons should ask merchants for tickets which will be given out for each \$1 purchase. The tickets should be deposited in a box at the First National Bank. The winner of the car will be drawn from the tickets in the box. The drawing will be done by some prominent citizen of the town at the Capitol Theatre, the exact date of which will be announced later.

Any merchant, who desires to enter this campaign, should communicate with the committee for tickets and the method of getting them. Merchants already in line suggest that all who have not entered should do so. Merchants don't delay! He is a chance to convince Belleville folks that you have just as much merchandise as any store in New Jersey. Join the campaign and keep the trade in Belleville.

Ask your nearest merchant neighbor. He, no doubt, is already enthused. He will explain to you. You are obligated only to the extent that you have a desire to prove that your store is a leader and serves Belleville.

## D. of A. Committee To Hold Meeting

The good and welfare committee of Good American Council No. 10, Daughters of America, will meet at the home of Evelyn Hollweg, Walnut street on Wednesday afternoon.

Plans will be completed for a "get together" night at the regular meeting on April 19 where National and State officers will be present. Mary Lee entertained at cards on April 13.

## Blow Torch Starts Blaze In Store

Fire Tuesday afternoon caused damage to the hardware store of G. L. Whipple at 536 Union avenue.

The blaze started when articles in a back room were ignited from a blow torch with which Mr. Whipple was working.

## YOUNG MATRON IS HELD IN PLOT

## Lyndhurst Bank Employee, 28, Charged With Conniving To Embezzle \$14,000.

A young pretty woman, Mrs. Frances E. Doremus, 28, of Lyndhurst was taken into the United States marshal's office in the Federal building Friday on a bench warrant charging her with conniving with a depositor to embezzle a total of \$14,000 from the People's National Bank and Trust Company of Belleville, of which she was a trusted employee.

As a book-keeper, on the ledger containing the accounts of Edward Stanziale, a butcher, of 120 Eighth avenue, Newark, who was arrested Thursday,

today, it is charged, she made it appear that the account he had overdrawn was financially sound.

Indicted April 1. She was indicted April 1 with Stanziale, following her admission of the misappropriations, to Nathan H. Berger, the bank's attorney, of 776 Broad street.

Mrs. Doremus, according to Berger, had been employed by the bank only a few months, but had gained a reputation for honesty and industry that matched her appearance. In her confession, she is said to have told Berger that, when Stanziale offered her a small sum of money to cover up his overdrawings, she acceded because she needed the money. Later, however, when Stanziale is alleged to have continued overdraw her account, she wanted to quit services in spite of the money she gave her. He would not let her, however, she told Berger, and threatened her with exposure of her financial error if she did not go on covering him up.

The errors in Stanziale's account was discovered through a method of bank employs to check up on its employees, whereby bookkeepers moved unexpectedly to ledgers containing other accounts. Stanziale was accused Thursday his shop on a bench warrant by Deputy U. S. Marshall Eckerling, who also apprehended Mrs. Doremus. Bail of \$5,000 was set. Mrs. Doremus, though not living with her husband,

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# IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Edward L. Cyphers of Lighthouse street entertained at a family dinner party Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday and that of her daughter Doris Lou, aged two.

Mrs. C. G. Jones, Mrs. W. H. Jacobson and Mrs. A. Newton Streeter were bridge guests of Mrs. John C. Campbell of 125 Heller Parkway, Newark, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Robinson of 15 Prospect street entertained Thursday night at a family dinner at their home in celebration of the birthday of Mr. Robinson's mother, Mrs. W. D. Robinson of DeWitt Avenue. Table decorations were in yellow and white. After dinner they motored to Roxy's Theatre, New York City. Others attending were W. D. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Delzer, Mr. and Mrs. Brewster, H. Jones and daughter Frances and Letitia Robinson, daughter of the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Banta of Union avenue have returned from a visit of several days at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grimshaw who moved to Union avenue from Paterson eight years ago, have returned to be near Mr. Grimshaw's business.

Miss Susie E. Clark of Overlook avenue has returned after spending the winter with her brother, J. Randolph Clark of Los Angeles.

The Woman's Club gave a luncheon at the plant of the Borden's Farm Products Company, Orange and Nesbitt streets, Newark, Monday. There was a card party in the afternoon with Mrs. John J. Schaffer in charge. She was assisted by Mrs. W. H. K. Davey, Mrs. Elbert Carrough, Mrs. Preston Peterson, Mrs. Harold Miller, Mrs. Charles K. Fritts, Mrs. E. P. Noble, Mrs. Ira Cornell, Mrs. John Ray, Mrs. Herbert V. Hardman and Mrs. G. D. Haslam.

Mrs. Walter Gilby of Greylock Parkway has returned from a visit of several days in Philadelphia where she attended a school of instruction and conference of the Rebekah State Assembly of New Jersey, of which she is warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Gilbert entertained their Bridge Club Thursday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wells, of West Orange; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayes, of Montclair; and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bucher, of Belleville. High scores were made by Mrs. Wells and Mr. Hayes.

A bridge for members of the Neireid Boat Club will be held Thursday evening, April 25, at the clubhouse. The committee comprises Wit Hawarth, chairman; John Marwede and Kenneth Hardman.

Mrs. William B. Frey of 23 Davidson street gave a party Thursday afternoon for her daughter Vivian in celebration of her sixth birthday. Table decoration were in pink and white. Children present were Donald High and Richard Frey of Brooklyn, Bernice Fitch of South Orange and Dorothy Newton, Edith and Elizabeth Vogel, Marie Vaughn, Shirley Forrest and Gloria Dennies.

Mrs. Ellen Risley of Wildwood, president of Rebekah State Assembly, has been the guest of Mrs. D. J. Mayer of 201 Linden avenue the past week.

Richard C. Jones of Baltimore has returned after spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Jones of Academy street.

Mrs. George P. Oslin and daughter, Louise, of Belleville avenue returned Friday after a stay of two months at St. Petersburg, Miami and other points South.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Gurr, and daughter Jean of 44 Perry street motored to Philadelphia for the weekend.

Mrs. Norman H. Cooper was hostess Saturday at a luncheon bridge at her home, Rossmore place. Spring flowers were used for decorations. Guests were Mrs. W. E. Mackley, Mrs. A. S. Miller, Mrs. Donald B. Mellis, Mrs. J. R. Irwin, Mrs. G. Irwin Kyle, Mrs. Kenneth Mase, Mrs. Raymond Smith, Miss Edith Current, Miss Gladys McCormack, Miss Dorothy Stanier and Miss Marjorie Taylor of Belleville, Mrs. George Lintott of Bloomfield, Mrs. Lawrence Eskholme and Miss Viola Broadbent of Nutley, Miss Grace Vogt of Newark, Miss Rodger Broadbent and Mrs. Jean E. Witbeck of Montclair, Miss Clare Backs of Glen Ridge, Mrs. Leland C. Kyle of Nyack, N. Y. and Mrs. John Hall of Youngstown, O.

Pi Epsilon Pi, a sorority comprised of Belleville High School pupils gave a party at the Recreation House Saturday night. Guests were present from New York State, Caldwell, Har-

ison and Newark. Decorations were in the club colors, red and white. Mrs. E. E. Goodwin was chaperon. About forty attended. There was an initiation of three, Miss Madeleine Thompson, Miss Helen Hegeman and Miss Jane Vessie. Officers are: President, Miss Mildred Joiner; secretary, Miss Naomi Waters, and treasurer, Miss Dorothy Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ackerman of Forest street had as their week-end guest, Mrs. Ackerman's grandmother Mrs. Jennie Tompkins of Morristown Sunday they entertained at a dinner party in honor of Mrs. Tompkins's eightieth birthday. Her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeWeir of Brooklyn, were present.

J. Matthew Huggan of Malone avenue will give a dinner party this evening in honor of W. Cecil Dickinson of Balling, Tex. Mr. Dickinson will leave for east Pittsburgh Sunday. Claude W. Shine and Mr. Huggan will join Mr. Dickinson in Pittsburgh in July and travel to Texas for their vacations. Other guests at the dinner will be Mr. and Mrs. John Huggan, Mr. and Mrs. William Lawson of Budd Lake, William E. Berkey of Humiston, Ia., Mr. Shine of Water Valley, Miss, William McKenzie of Johannesburg, South Africa, Mr. and Mrs. David Steward and Miss Beatrice Newman of Rahway and William Huggan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Penter, who moved to Asbury Park from 104 Overlook avenue a month ago, entertained over the week-end in their new home. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. William MacKillop and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dickinson, Saturday evening was featured by a bridge party.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wiemer of DeWitt avenue entertained a card club Saturday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John DeGroat and Mr. and Mrs. George Schmeltz of Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Forshee of Nutley. High scores were made by Mr. Wiemer and Mrs. Forshee.

Mrs. Walter Gilby of Greylock Parkway gave a luncheon Wednesday for members of the district deputy's staff of the daughters of Rebekah. Those who attended were Mrs. William Wilto of Caldwell, Mrs. Robert Dawkins of Irvington, Mrs. Samuel Wishart of West Orange, Mrs. William Blake of Kearny, Mrs. William Small of Arlington, Mrs. George Redder of Newark and Mrs. Elton Wright of Washington, N. J.

Mrs. William H. Bradshaw of 80 Floyd street entertained the Wednesday Luncheon and Sewing Club Wednesday. Last Wednesday the group attended a matinee performance of "The Show-boat" in New York and lunched at Lauber's.

The So-Do-I Club of Belleville was entertained Wednesday at luncheon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Powelson of Franklin avenue, Nutley.

A card Party was given Monday night at the Recreation House by the Women's Auxiliary of the West Belleville Improvement Association. Refreshments were served Mrs. William Kull is president of the group.

The Tuesday Reading Club, a Belleville group, met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Brett of Heller Parkway, Newark.

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Hollywood Lodge, Daughters of Scotia, held a public card party, Tuesday night at the Elks Home. All card games were played. Refreshments were served.

The Riven Oak Social Club met Tuesday night with Charles Beer of 131 Malone avenue. The social session was preceded by a meeting of the directors.

Mrs. Michael Gorman, of 69 Bel-

mohr street was hostess at bridge Wednesday afternoon to Mrs. Harry Ahrens, Mrs. Harold Bailey and Mrs. John Allen of Nutley and Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Joseph Gorman, Mrs. Joseph Tedesco and Mrs. Robert Morrall of Belleville.

Miss Lizzie A. Rossman of Niantic, Conn., has returned after a visit of a week with her sister, Mrs. William W. Mellus of 166 Holmes street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Denman of 36

Prospect street have concluded a visit to Washington, N. J.

Mrs. Joseph I. Rue, Sr., of 92 Adelaide street gave a surprise bridge party Tuesday night for her daughter Miss Edith Rue. Carnations were used in a pink and white color scheme. Those present were the Misses Lillian Pesvey, Etta Conry, Helen Price, Beatrice Bryan, Irva Briggs, Florence Lariviere and Marjorie Owen and Joseph I. Rue 3d. High scores were made by Miss Lariviere and Miss Pesvey and consolation prizes went to Miss Price and Miss Conry.

Mrs. Robert MacGowan of 304 Greylock Parkway entertained at bridge Tuesday night. Those present were Mrs. Warren Rinn, Mrs. Andrew Ewing, Mrs. Burt Tiblin, Mrs. Albert Groff and Mrs. A. E. Kirchdoerffer of Belleville. Miss Camilla Whittles of Arlington and Miss Henrietta Knust of Newark. First and second prizes went to Mrs. Groff and Mrs. Tiblin and the consolation prize to Mrs. Rinn.

## Belleville Man Gets Honors At Newark Engineering College

Louis Ehresmann of 16 Rutgers street, has been appointed Assistant Business Manager of the 1930 Kem-Lec-Mec, the year book of the Newark College of Engineering.

Mr. Ehresmann is the Belleville High School and is taking the College Engineering course at N. C. E. C. president of the Student Body of the American Chemical Society, a member of the junior inter-school basketball team which won a championship. His fraternity is Sigma Omega, and his co-operation is with the Proctor and Company.

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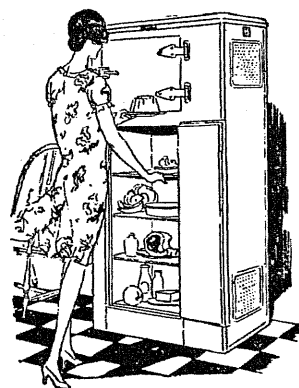
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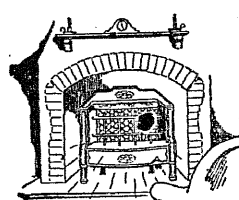


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Tonight, 7 p. m.—The Girl Scout  
boy will meet in the chapel.  
Sunday, April 21, 10:45 A. M.—  
Pastor's Sermon. The Second Anni-  
versary Sermon. All members and  
friends will be at this service to  
commemorate with the pastor.  
12 o'clock noon—Sunday School.  
7:45 P. M.—The Pastor's Sermon,  
"A Larger Vision."  
Monday, 7 P. M.—The Junior  
Christian Endeavor will meet.  
Monday, 8 P. M.—The Senior Chris-  
tian Endeavor. Topic, "The Wonder  
of the Bible." Leader, William  
Schaeffer. All young people and  
friends of young people invited.  
Tuesday, 7:30 P. M.—The Boy  
Scout Troop, F. H. Holmes, Scout-  
master.  
Wednesday, 8 P. M.—The Prayer  
and Praise Service led by the Pastor.  
Topic: "Spiritual Helps." Old and  
young cordially invited.  
Thursday, 8 P. M.—The interme-  
diate Christian Endeavor will meet in  
Chapel, Miss Violet V. Riper, con-  
ducting.  
On Wednesday afternoon, April 24  
a memorial ceremony will be held on  
the Cemetery grounds back of the  
old church, commemorating the fact  
that Josiah Hornblower brought to  
this country the first steam Engine.  
He was buried in the old cemetery  
about 114 years ago. This service  
is under direction of The Newcomen  
Society for the Study of the History  
of Engineering and Technology. Of-  
ficers for America of this society are  
Charles Penrose and C. E. Davies,  
and from England, the Hon. Secre-  
tary H. W. Dickinson, South Kensington,  
London. The public is invited.  
The time of service will be 4:30.

**WESLEY M. E.**  
Rev. Edgar M. Compton  
Preaching Sunday morning and  
evening by the pastor Rev. Edgar M.  
Compton.  
The regular monthly meeting of  
the Sunday School Board was held  
last evening in the church parlor.  
A motion picture entertainment,  
under the auspices of the 3 B's Bible  
Class will be given in the chapel this  
evening. There will be a feature pic-  
ture entitled "The Birth of a Race."  
Novelty reels will also be shown.  
On Tuesday, April 30th, the New-  
ark District Luncheon in the interest  
of the Home for the Aged at Ocean  
Grove, will be held in Centenary  
Methodist Church, Newark. Tickets  
may be had from Mrs. W. Brand  
Smith.  
The attention of the public is di-  
rected to a series of posters being  
displayed each week on the front of  
the church. Every week a different  
subject will be emphasized. The pos-  
ters are in color and convey a message  
in a most effective manner.

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Sunday School meets at 9:45 with  
classes for all ages.  
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Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Pastor  
Nelson will bring the message on  
Sunday night to the young people.  
All are invited.

## Songs Illustrated By Living Pictures At Grace Entertainment

Songs illustrated with living pic-  
tures will be the main feature of  
this evening's entertainment at the  
Grace Baptist Church. The soloists  
of the evening will be Marie Moniot,  
Ruth Schweiker, Judith Hyde, Lor-  
raine Ransom, Margo Hyde, Hazel  
Leonard, Helen Schneider, Gertude  
Davis, Zeda Chaffee, Alothea Stru-  
ble, Theodore Broom, and William  
Glenck.  
Recitations will be given by Bea-  
trice Bryan, Ethel Bryan, Mae Moore  
and Margo Hyde.  
There are twenty two girls from  
Troop No. 7, Girl Scouts, in the chorus  
and about sixty-five children in  
the entertainment.

## Officers Elected by Christian Endeavor

The Senior Christian Endeavor So-  
ciety of the Reformed Church held  
its annual business meeting in the  
chapel, Monday evening, April 15.  
The following officers were elect-  
ed: President, Everett Burden; vice  
president, Robert Wolf; secretary,  
Edith Lutz and treasurer, Elsie Mar-  
tling.  
The meeting night was changed  
from Monday night to Sunday night  
at 6:45 beginning May 5.  
A vote of thanks was given the  
Missionary committee for the work  
accomplished during the past year.  
An announcement of a lecture on  
May 3 at Park Presbyterian Church  
in honor of the Anniversary of the  
Goodwill Home and Rescue Mission  
was the last act the retiring Presi-  
dent, Miss A. Johnston, made.  
Mr. Wolf announced it is a plea-  
sure to be chairman of the Prayer  
Meeting Committee. He stated he  
received splendid cooperation during  
the year. An announcement that  
Northern District of New Jersey  
Christian Endeavor would be held in  
Newark on April 27 at the Y. W. C.  
A. was made.

## "B" YOU LUCKY?

An exceptionally large number of  
girls and boys of this community  
were evidently very studious as the  
largest number of answers were re-  
ceived from those trying to obtain  
two free tickets to the Capitol Thea-  
tre.  
These energetic youngsters ob-  
tained the Comic Section of the  
Belleville News and counted the num-  
ber of "B's" appearing in the adver-  
tisements. Many more than usual  
were correct, but as is customary, on-  
ly the first ten correct answers were  
recipients of two tickets each to the  
show. They are: Louis Ledogar, 59  
Campbell avenue; Emma England,  
10 Jerome avenue; Evelyn Abra-  
mson, 500 Washington avenue; Wel-  
sley Earl, 75 Bell street; Elwin Tay-  
lor, 79 Preston street; William Pet-  
rie, 242 Belleville avenue; Grace  
Gimbel, 46 New street; Lillian Hull,  
179 Garden avenue; Annette Muller,  
54 Campbell avenue and Lester F.  
Dunham, 227 Little street.

## K. of C. Council Host To Other Councils

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Their accompanist Ralph Wilkin-  
son favored with several piano selec-  
tions.  
Colds seemed to be the order of  
the day and the ever popular Al.  
Kirchdoerffer was right in style. Al  
showed the effects of this and the  
strains of "The Road to Mandalay"  
penetrated no further than Union  
avenue and Jerusalem street. His  
efforts were well received and he  
favored with several encores.  
The next act was the feature of the  
evening. Lieutenant Arthur J. For-  
tier, did some mathematical tricks  
with apparently no more help than a  
blackboard and a piece of chalk.  
His feats of adding columns of fig-  
ures at a glance kept the audience  
shaking their heads in dismay and  
puzzlement.  
Everyone voted the evening the  
best yet and Belleville Council im-  
mediately resolved to outdo it on  
their next trip to Nutley.  
A last minute request of State  
Deputy J. Connor French for the  
Belleville Council Degree Team to  
go to Carteret, N. J., to put on a  
First and Second Degree necessitated  
the cancellation of the regular Tues-  
day evening rehearsal of "The Thir-  
teenth Chair." The next rehearsal  
will be held on Friday evening at St.  
Peter's Annex.

## Permission Granted V.F.W. To Bring Back Dead From Siberia

Permission by the War Depart-  
ment has been granted the Veterans  
of Foreign Wars of the United States  
as a national body of foreign service  
men, to begin negotiations with of-  
ficials of the Soviet Republic, with  
the objective in view of bringing  
back to the United States every sol-  
dier, sailor and marine who now  
lies buried under the frozen tundra  
in the far-flung wastes of Siberia.  
In the dreary wastes of Siberia,  
seemingly forgotten lie many com-  
rades of the A. E. F., men who gave  
their all in the late great world cat-  
astrophe. Owing to the situation  
in which the United States finds it-  
self in its relations with the Soviet  
Republic, it has no been in a posi-  
tion to negotiate nor present a re-  
quest for permission to bring back  
to the United States the bodies of  
the men who did their bit on the  
frozen steppes of that far-away out-  
post of military activity during the  
late war.  
The decision of the government to  
permit the V. F. W. to open negotia-  
tions with the Soviet Republic indi-  
cates a confidence in the overseas  
men's group as well as a sincere de-  
sire to accord the A. E. F. Siberian  
heroes the same consideration as  
those who gave their all in Flanders  
fields.  
It has been the policy of the Gov-  
ernment, where conditions made it  
possible, to bring back home from  
foreign fields its soldier dead. In this  
instance the United States has not  
been an dis now in a position for  
direct negotiations with the Soviets.  
The opinion is expressed in official  
V. F. W. circles that the permission  
of the Soviet Government will be  
given and that the homeward-bound  
journey across the Pacific to the bi-  
vouches of the dead in the U. S. is  
not far distant.  
The last Session of the 70th Con-  
gress has completed its work and  
there were twenty-six measures re-

lating in whole or part to the veter-  
an or the dependents of Veterans of  
all was passed and signed by  
the President. A few of the laws  
backed by the vets are:  
Public Law No. 1031—A measure  
to amend the World War adjusted  
compensation act, as amended, by re-  
ducing the rates of interest on loans  
made by the Veterans' Bureau upon  
the security of adjusted service cer-  
tificates.  
Public Law No. 670—A measure  
extending relief to certain members  
of the Navy and Marine Corps who  
were discharged because of misrep-  
resentation of age.  
Public Law No. 950—A measure  
for the relief of soldiers who were  
discharged from the Army during  
the World War because of misrep-  
resentation of age.  
Public Law No. 952—A measure  
to enable mothers and widows of de-  
ceased soldiers, sailors and marines  
of the American forces now interred  
in the cemeteries of Europe, to make  
a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.  
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rades.

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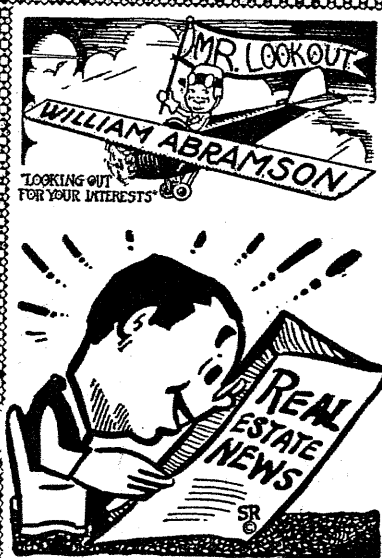
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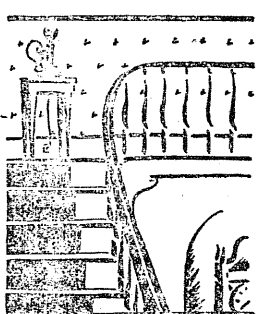
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# History In The Making As Regards Hornblower

## Engineers Plan Tribute To Pioneer Belleville Citizen Who Built Fire Engines Years Ago

Tribute will be paid to a little known pioneer in the development of the steam engine when the Newcomen Society for the Study of the History of Engineering and Technology unveils a tablet on the grave of Josiah Hornblower in the old Reformed church graveyard at Main and Rutgers streets next Wednesday afternoon.

These ceremonies will precede the fifth annual dinner and meeting of the American branch of the society at 29 West Thirty-ninth street, New York City. London is the headquarters of the organization.

The dedication of the tablet was authorized at last year's meeting of the American branch and a committee, consisting of Lenor R. Loree, president of the Delaware & Hudson Railroad; F. R. Low and C. E. Davies, corresponding secretary for America, was appointed. At the meeting in New York after the exercises at the grave, Mr. Loree will read a paper on "The First Steam (Fire) Engine in America."

Mr. Hornblower's engine, called in Colonial times a "fire" engine but really an atmospheric one, antedated by many years the steam apparatuses imported from England to run Robert Fulton's Clermont and the first locomotive on an American railroad. The Hornblower engine was used in mining copper from a shaft in the Schuyler mine, near what is now the corner of Belleville and Schuyler avenues in North Arlington.

Operation of the mine from drifts and tunnels bored into the hillside began about 1715, but by 1747 the shafts had been pushed down so far that further mining was unprofitable because of the difficulty of pumping water from the shafts by hand or horse power, the only means then available in the colonies.

Hearing that several mines in England were being operated by what were then called fire engines, Col. John Schuyler, proprietor of this mine, placed an order for an engine with Joseph Hornblower and his sons who were manufacturing the Newcomen of Cornish type apparatus at Cornwall, England. But in those days the laws of England prohibited the exportation of any machinery or skilled laborers who might set up an industry that would compete with manufacturing at home.

Therefore there was a lapse of about four years between the placing of the order and the building of an engine for Colonel Schuyler. It is believed that in the intervening time he used the influence he had with persons high in official life to circumventing of the restriction statutes. When the engine was at last ready, in 1753 Josiah Hornblower, fourth son of Joseph and at that time 24 years old, was chosen to take it to America and set it up there.

After a thirteen-week passage in a small scow, the engine reached New York on September 9, 1753, and upon being transferred to a smaller boat was floated through Newark bay and up the Passaic river to a point on the east bank nearly opposite the mouth of Second river at Belleville. Thence the engine was carted about a mile to the mine shaft.

Then Josiah Hornblower really began his task—that of getting it up in a land totally unprepared for and unfamiliar with such an apparatus. This job took him nearly a year and a half before the machine was ready to function, about March 12, 1755, nearly seven years after the order for it had been placed by Colonel Schuyler.

Simple in construction, the engine proved very effective in use but wasteful of steam and fuel. The pump cylinder had an inside diameter of ten inches and the wooden pump was six inches square. The capacity of the pump was 134 gallons a minute, approximately 180,000 gallons a day.

Instead of returning to England after he had set up the engine, Josiah Hornblower became superintendent of the mine, and on July 1, 1761 he and John Steardall leased the mine from the Schuylers for fourteen years at a rental of one-seventh the output of ore.

Fire seven years later seriously damaged the engine. Partly on that account and partly because of the unsettled conditions during the Revolutionary period, activity in the shafts was suspended for about a quarter of a century.

Meanwhile Mr. Hornblower had built a home on the opposite side of the river, in what is now Belleville, and had become proprietor of both a general store and a ferry. For a time later on he was superintendent of the mine under new lessees.

An energetic patriot in the War for Independence, he represented New Jersey in Congress, was a State Assemblyman for several terms, being for a time Speaker of the House, and presided as a magistrate over the lower courts. He died in Belleville on January 21, 1809.

Because the simple white slab

marking his grave in the Reformed Church cemetery had become so worn by the elements that the inscription on it was almost obliterated, the Newcomen Society decided to restore the inscription and place an appropriate tablet there also.

## Recorder Speaks At Lions Club Affair

### Discusses Playgrounds And Police Work At Weekly Luncheon

Conditions in Belleville as regards lawlessness are not so bad, said Recorder George A. Fitzsimmons last Thursday in a talk before the Lions Club.

While there are some stills in town it is a difficult task to eliminate them, he explained, discussing this situation. He pointed out that the laws, as constructed, make it a waste of time to bother to any extent with such offenders.

The Recorder traced the operation of his department and the police adding that the police department is "second to none" and Police Chief Michael Flynn is one of the "straightest shooters" he knows.

Additional playground facilities were urged by Mr. Fitzsimmons, who said somebody should ask the town to take care of this matter.

## More Teachers Signed Up In The Schools

### Task Of Compiling List For Next Year Nearly Finished.

#### One Teacher Leaves System

The Board of Education Monday in the High School accepted the resignation of Miss Marion G. Steere, as a teacher, to take effect June 30. The following reappointments of present members of the teaching staff were made: Helen Bailey, Robert Fagen, Viola Kroehl, Estelle Kachnick, Elizabeth Current, Regina Brennan, Pearl Aldersted, Helen Collard.

The following new appointments were concurred in: Elizabeth Kelleher, Murray Wilcox, Robert Folsom, Wilhelmina Pfister, Alice Walters, May Lewis, Anna Pruden, Charlotte Bray, Josephine Baltine, Iva Briggs, Marjorie Freiday, Eleanor Hagemann, Alice Kennedy, Augusta Musel, Christine Meyer, Grace Meyer. Clerks Ethel Schaffer, Edith Otten, Viola Curran were also reappointed.

**Coal Contract**  
The coal contract was awarded to Smith Brothers, coal to be supplied in sufficient quantities to heat all schools between September 1, 1929 and May 15, 1930 at the following prices: Rice, \$5.32, per ton; Pea, \$7.44 per ton; Stove, \$11.29 per ton.

Bids for grading school No. 5 were tendered by B. E. Daniels Co. of Nutley and E. W. Simpson of East Orange. They were referred for tabulation.

Permission was granted to the American Legion to use Clearman Field Monday, Tuesday and Friday evenings, and Saturday afternoons for baseball games, subject to any changes by the school.

Superintendent of Schools George R. Gerard reported that 312 of the 372 eighth grade pupils intend to enter high school in the fall. This, he said, will increase the high school roll to about 800.

A discussion, without any definite action, centered around the establishment of a junior high school. Details will be made public later.

Following Easter vacation over 100 entered the kindergartens. The board plans to equip a kindergarten at School No. 10, which will open in the fall at Belleville and Franklin avenues.

#### 1,500 Enjoy Milk

Approximately 1,500 school children are now partaking of milk which is served during the day. Crackers—will be added to the menu—soon, it was reported.

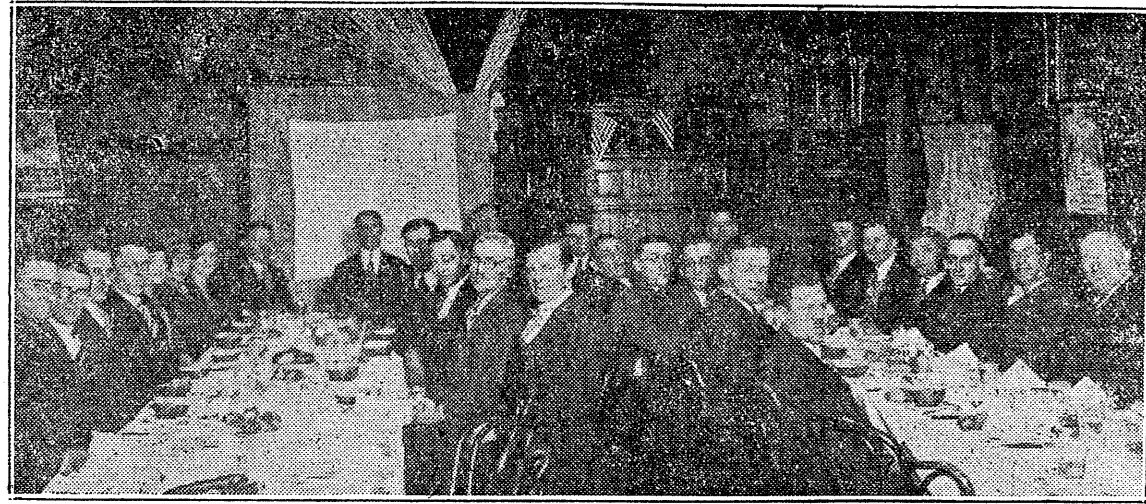
Distribution of milk for some time at a small profit made a surplus of funds which will cover cost of the crackers.

Pupils will receive the milk and two or three crackers for five cents each, the same as was paid for the milk alone.

The school savings account for all schools except 2 and 4 shows 3,389 deposits. The report for the other two schools shows on March 28, 628 accounts with a total deposit of \$2,837.30.

The grammar schools gave a physical training exhibit recently at which nearly 2,000 were present. It is proposed to hold a field day at Clearman Field in the latter part of May, at which time the general public will be invited to see the health and physical work in large numbers.

## Local Men Make Connection With National Organization



This picture was taken at a dinner given recently by the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club at its Club House, located at New and High streets, Newark.

The occasion was the first conference of managers of service stations appointed for the American Automobile Association of Washington, D. C., of which the New Jersey Club is the local official representative.

It was attended by Messrs. Harold Kortright and E. T. Paxton, proprietors of the Greylock Garage, who were awarded the appointment as station in Belleville for furnishing service to AAA members.

## American Legion Plans First Annual Dance

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zens desirous of giving the youth of the town an opportunity to develop athletically to buy tickets and attend for a good time is guaranteed to all.

#### Attend State Meeting.

Joseph Williams, Athletic Director of the Belleville American Legion attended the State meeting at the American Legion Athletic Directors which was held at Trenton, for the purpose of forming rules for the nation-wide American Legion Junior Baseball competition, on his return from the meeting Mr. Williams announced that Belleville would again enter a team. Last year the Belleville team nearly defeated the Irvington team which won the state championship, and it is predicted that the team which will be entered for Belleville this year will do even better.

The team to be picked is not to be confused with the Legion's Twilight league, for the twilight league will comprise of teams which have men over the age of sixteen and will only play in Belleville.

The plan on the Junior team is as follows: Teams in each town will compete for the honor of representing the town in the county play off and county winner will compete for the state championship. Later in the season the State champions will play in one of the major league parks in New York. No team can play any man who will reach his seventeenth birthday before September 15 of this year.

The Belleville Rangers, the team representing the legion so ably last year, have already agreed to enter the competition, and other good teams are expected to fall in line. Any team wishing to enter should get in touch with Mr. Joseph Williams, 84 Columbus avenue, Belleville, N. J.

## Belleville Man Injured In Crash

Frank Mahn, 25, of 12 Brighton avenue, was taken to Mountinside Hospital, Glen Ridge, with a possible fractured left thigh. Mahn was driving in Jerome place, and at Berkeley avenue an auto driven by J. B. Whitmore, 55 Watessing avenue, Bloomfield, was going south on Berkeley avenue, collided with the Mahn car.

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## Ranger Players Seek Games

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## Rotarians Hear Insurance Talk

### A. R. Loveridge, Broker, Tells Of Problems Concerns Face

A. R. Loveridge, a representative of R. C. Rathbone & Son, Inc., insurance brokers of 0 Maiden Lane, New York, addressed Rotarians Wednesday at luncheon in the Nereid Boat Club.

He spoke on some phases of insurance in particular industrial problems.

Willard Wharton and Albert Neuschwander were accepted as new members.

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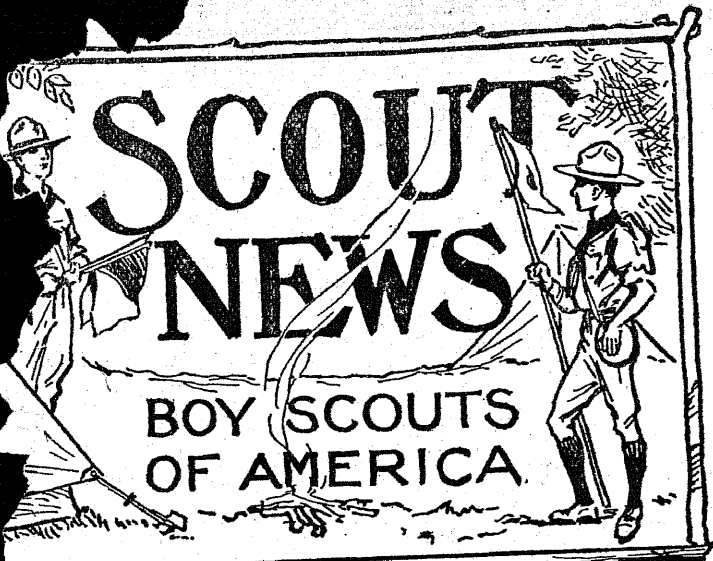
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## Thomas Lipton Gives Trophy To Sea Scouts of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Air Thomas Lipton Trophy, the world-famed yachtsman Sea Scouts of Brooklyn, N. Y. was presented in this country and has been in the care of the Brooklyn Sea Scout Council. The trophy, a loving cup of sterling silver awarded each year to the Sea Scout of Brooklyn doing the best work for Sea Scouting service to the community. The trophy states that the cup is one of the most beautiful in existence, of sea activities.

The cup is of sterling silver surmounted by a lovely modelled figure of a sailor holding the torch of peace and with an anchor symbol on the shield. Standing within the cup are the crossed flags of the American and British navies, while supporting the cup are modelled ships of the sea, the whole standing on a base of the sea.

On the ship is the inscription: "The Sea Scouts of Brooklyn, N. Y. are proud to receive the Lipton Trophy for their service to the community." The trophy is of the sea, the whole standing on a base of the sea.

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### LUCKY SCOUTS

Letters received from Washington, D. C. show that the War Department has given permission to the Scouts of the Queens Council, N. Y., to use part of the Camp Military Reservation which is their Boy Scout camp at River, N. Y., for hiking and study. The action of the Department was the result of negotiations of the Scout Association and F. Trusbee Distant, Secretary of War, Attorney Richard Newcombe, of the Queens Council, Boy Scouts of America and in recognition of the gift of the use of the land to the Scouts. The government has agreed that forest land to the Scouts is a great boon to Scout-ship and will give to the Queens Boy Scout Council the finest camping site in the area. They are grateful indeed to the War and the War Department.

### Wider Campaign

The result of a borough-wide campaign, the Queens Boy Scouts' Association raised more than \$10,000 last fall, part of which was used to purchase a 245-acre tract for a camp. It was Camp Newcombe in honor of Richard Newcombe, and in recognition of his work on behalf of the Scouts.

The camp is situated at Wading River and is immediately east of the Wading River lands, affected by the War Department.

A section of Upton National Forest, which the Scouts will use in the future, is a tract of 2,800 acres of beautiful land north of Middle Country and is a few miles from Long Beach in Suffolk County.

Another section of Upton National Forest, south of the tract mentioned, has been lent to the Scouts. It is a tract of 2,800 acres of beautiful land north of Middle Country and is a few miles from Long Beach in Suffolk County.

### WOOD TRANSFUSION

Carl Szegedi, 14, of 661 East 10th, Cleveland, Ohio, ran into a tree while coasting recently, and was seriously injured. Scout Marvin Brown, 15 years old, of 9114 Hillside, volunteered and gave a transfusion of his blood to save the life of his friend. Both of the boys are members of the Scout Troop and attending Technical High School in Cleveland.

## Regional Rule For North Jersey Is Only Way Out

### Expert Decides, In Analysis Of Transit Commission Report

Northern New Jersey, faced with a transportation system that leads to New York and to nowhere else, will have to entrust its future to a metropolitan district government if its problem is to be solved, according to an analysis of the 1929 North Jersey Transit Commission report by Philip H. Cornick, of the National Institute of Public Administration, to be published in the May issue of the National Municipal Review.

The complete Transit Commission project for improvement of Jersey transportation facilities comprises 600 miles of rapid transit lines, 14 new single track tunnels under the Hudson river, adequate intercommunication between all parts of Jersey, and between those parts and Manhattan, and requires an estimated expenditure over a 25 year period of approximately three quarters of a billion dollars.

To accomplish this, Mr. Cornick points out, cooperation between 265 municipalities and two states is essential. Such cooperation, involving as it does all the problems of adequate planning for urban land utilization, must in reality take the form of a metropolitan government; for financial autonomy, a separate debt limit, authority to levy taxes and special assessments, and power to construct finance and operate improvements of a regional nature, is obviously impossible with authority between hundreds of local units.

Commission To Be Elected. The proposal of the Transit Commission, of which Mr. Cornick approves, is the conversion of the North Jersey Transit District into the North Jersey Metropolitan District, to be governed by an elected commission.

"Just as every devout Mohammedan turns his face toward Mecca at least once a day, so a large percentage of the inhabitants of the North Jersey Transit District turn toward New York City," Mr. Cornick writes.

"But what of the pilgrim who would visit other shrines?" he asks. "Newark, Jersey City, Paterson, Elizabeth, Bayonne, Passaic, Hoboken, Perth Amboy, New Brunswick, Bloomfield, Rahway and Kearny, whose industries draw their daily streams of pilgrims even from New York City; the high class suburban residential communities of Englewood, Montclair, Summit, the Oranges, Plainfield and Morristown; the famous resorts of Asbury Park, Atlantic Highlands, Long Branch, Rumson and Shrewsbury; all of these too, have their devotees, and we owe to those unfortunate dissenters who live on one of the radial lines leading the New York and would make obeisance at an altar located on another of those lines."

In a great number of cases, they find it easier to journey into New York and then out again to their destination, rather than to cross the short distance intervening between the radial lines by the available circumferential means of travel.

"The first step in the proposed physical plan for improvement in Jersey transportation, was to be the construction of an interstate loop. The New Jersey portion was to intercept all commuting lines at points beyond the present congested terminals; the New York portion was to deliver and collect the commuters at a series of stations conveniently located along the backbone of the business section of Manhattan Island between 59th street on the north and the Battery on the south.

"The completed project would have comprised six hundred miles of rapid transit lines and fourteen new single track tunnels under the Hudson River; would have provided adequate means of intercommunication between all parts of the district, and between those parts and Manhattan Island; and would have required an estimated expenditure over a twenty or twenty-five year period of not less than three quarters of a billion dollars.

"The district commissioners now found themselves with a white elephant on their hands. They had succeeded first in proving that what had previously been looked on as a group of unrelated little problems, each affecting a separate section of the district, was in fact one big problem affecting the district as a whole. They had no difficulty next in providing a plan of construction which would solve that problem, and which presented no insuperable physical obstacles. So far, so good. But three quarters of a billion dollars is a lot of money, whether it is to be expended in one year or in twenty. Some effective organization with ample legal authority to find that money and to administer its expenditure had to be created.

"With the same energy they had shown in the other phases of their work, they set out to formulate the legal and financial plan. They soon found what other explorers in the field of government have discovered—that it is easier to plan a public work than to find an equitable method of apportioning its costs among the beneficiaries; that it is easier to pierce that state boundary line which may happen to run down the middle of that river; that it is easier to achieve unit control in train opera-

tion than to accomplish multiple unit control with 265 municipalities.

"Finally, the commission made the bold assertion that adequate planning for a comprehensive transit system was impossible unless all other essentials of urban land utilization were combined with it. Among those essentials for northeastern New Jersey, the report specified regional water supply systems, regional sewerage, and regional meadows reclamation—all of which are at present in the hands of special state commissions—and subdivision control, which except in one or two municipalities, is not being exercised at all.

"It proposed, therefore, as the prerequisite to transit construction, the conversion of the North Jersey Transit District into the North Jersey Metropolitan District, to be governed by an elected commission, that commission to have financial autonomy, a separate debt limit, authority to levy taxes and special assessments, and power to construct, finance and operate public improvements of a regional nature.

"When the North Jersey Transit Commission combined Sewerage, water supply, meadows reclamation and subdivision control with rapid transit, was it writing nonsense or molding history?" Mr. Cornick asks. "Time alone can tell," he replies. "In any event, a joint resolution providing for a commission to study the entire problem of regional government in New Jersey is now before the legislature in the state."

Mrs. H. Lester Hamilton and daughter, Constance, of Holmes street and her mother, Mrs. Frederick H. Brenn of 156 Parker street, Newark, returned Friday from a stay of two months at St. Petersburg, Fla.

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## Church Breakfast Served By Women

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Five hundred and thirty-four men attended the annual communion breakfast of the Holy Name Society of St. Peter's Church, Sunday at the school hall. The breakfast was served by the women of the parish after the men had received Holy Communion at the 7:30 o'clock mass. The mass was celebrated by Rev. Edwin J. Field, pastor of the church.

The speakers and their subjects were: Edward J. Hart, "History as the Confirmation of Ethical and Religious Development;" Charles F. X. O'Brien, county register of Hudson County, "Spiritual Ethics of Life Applicable to Daily Vocations;" Circuit Court Judge Edwin C. Caffrey, "God as the Primary Cause and Objective of Life," and Rev. Harold Purcell, C. P., editor of The Sign, a magazine published by the Passionist Order, "The Need of Social and Religious Commingling." Father Field also spoke.

Mr. Hart traced the history of the Catholic Church and told of the part it has played in the development of the arts, literature and science. Judge Caffrey related some of his experiences as a Common Pleas Judge before he went on the Circuit Court bench. He urged young men to be loyal to their church and their homes. He told of the increase of crime among young people and blamed it on the lack of religious training.

The toastmaster, Frank A. Neary, was introduced by William Watters, president of the society.

## Fourth Man Fights For Seat On Council

Another candidate has filed a petition for councilman from the Third ward of Bloomfield. James A. Wylie, former town engineer of Nutley, filed his petition with Town Clerk J. Cory Johnson Friday morning. He makes the fourth candidate who will seek the Republican nomination for councilman in the June primary. The other candidates are Daniel Shafer, Henry Albenson and J. W. Betts.

Mrs. Joseph King of 28 Malone avenue was hostess to a luncheon club yesterday.

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## Frigidaire Company Works Three Shifts

DAYTON, OHIO, April 18—With its mammoth plants operating overtime, many departments working at night, some on triple shifts and production of several models more than doubled, Frigidaire Corporation is making herculean efforts to meet an unprecedented demand for electric refrigerators. All records for compressor shipments were broken in March.

Orders received during the first week in April alone were sufficient to tax the factory capacity for several weeks. The Frigidaire payroll is the highest in its history and the corporation is experiencing a period of the greatest popularity its products have ever enjoyed, according to E. G. Biechler, president and general manager.

The organization exceeded its sales quota for the first quarter. March shipments were fifty per cent ahead of the month preceding and 35 per cent ahead of the same month last year. During March a total of 1040 carloads of finished products left the factories for all parts of the world. Units crated for export were 50 per cent more in number than during the same month of the preceding year.

"Prospects for April indicate still more broken records," said Mr. Biechler. "We have already doubled scheduled production of our popular models. March orders and shipments were ahead of forecasts and as a consequence April shipments will be the greatest in our history."

"People called at Frigidaire display and sales rooms last month in steadily increasing numbers to inspect new models. The percentage of floor sales was the highest we have ever experienced. General warm weather prevailing this spring has had something to do with the unusually early demand. But the introduction

of the new Frigidaire cold control, through which the user can obtain any necessary temperature for dessert making has, we believe, contributed even more to present phenomenal conditions.

"More than 25,000 of these cold control devices have been ordered as special equipment for machines in the field, which is a fair indication as to what people best able to judge of the value of this device actually think of its particular advantages. It is not merely a temperature adjustment for the food compartment but it is primarily a device for controlling freezing speeds in the dessert and ice trays and is capable of producing near-zero temperatures in the freezing compartment at the turn of a handle."

The newest household model, with a capacity of four cubic feet for food storage, selling at the lowest price in Frigidaire history seems destined to become the most popular model yet introduced. Although production has been increased twice in the past four weeks the factories are thousands of orders behind on this particular model and the demand is increasing steadily, according to Mr. Biechler.

"The average user will put more things in an electric refrigerator than she will in an ice box," he said. "For this reason we have felt that a cabinet with a storage compartment of five cubic feet was the smallest we should build for general use. But there has been a long and insistent demand for a smaller household model, which we have been forced to supply with a four cubic foot cabinet. This is a beautiful unit, equipped with the cold control, self-sealing ice trays, and other exclusive features which have helped to make Frigidaire the choice of the majority. In refrigerating results it equals any of our highest priced models."

Two outstanding features of the month were the marked increase in sales of household equipment and the increase in the number of installations made through power and light companies. Frigidaire Corporation recently began the policy of shipping its smaller household units completely assembled, ready to plug into an electric outlet. As a result, power companies are increasing their retail sales of the corporation's products.

## JAPAN DELEGATES APPROVE NASH "400"



Nash manufacturing principles and merchandising policies received the unqualified approval of these overseas visitors who were guests at Kenosha Nash headquarters last week. The party was headed by Seishichi Iwasaki (center) of the Aoi Motor Car Company, Nash distributor in Tokyo. Mr. Iwasaki, a graduate of Cornell University, is the Japanese employers' delegate en route to the International Labour Conference in Geneva. He is also president of the Tokyo Gas Company and vice-president of the Tokyo Chamber of Commerce.

## Cut Ground Hazards At New York Airport

NEW YORK, N. Y., April 18—Early opening of New York City's municipal airport, Floyd Bennett Field, was forecast by Clarence Chamberlin, consulting aeronautical engineer for the airport, with the awarding of contracts for nearly a mile and a half of broad concrete runways to eliminate the hazards of landing and taking off of heavy transport planes.

Mr. Chamberlin, hero of the New York to Germany flight, recently returned from an aerial tour of Europe inspecting its principal airports. In Floyd Bennett Field he is incorporating every possible modern feature which will add to the security and efficiency of commercial aviation.

New York, without an airport of its own, has hitherto had to depend on ports located far out on Long Island or in New Jersey. The time required to reach the heart of the city

from any of the flying fields materially reduced the saving in time effected by inter-city air passage. The site selected for the municipal airport is on Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, within easy access of Manhattan.

A roughly rectangular port, consisting of 380 acres, has been laid out. In the ample space reserved for administration and terminal buildings, hangars, etc., Mr. Chamberlin hopes to build one huge structure combining under one roof all airport service units. One concrete runway 3100 feet long parallels Flatbush avenue in front of the proposed port building; another runway 4,000 feet long is to extend at right angles to the first, the far northeast corner of the port. In the contract just awarded for these runways, the third of their type to be built in America, a width of fifty feet is specified. It is probable, however, that when complete they will be 100 feet wide, for it was found that the cost of the fifty foot runways was considerably lower

than the original estimate. As a consequence, and in view of the greater utility of the 100 foot strips, plans are being prepared to add fifty feet to the width of the runways.

Mr. Chamberlin has repeatedly stressed the importance of hard paved runways because of the danger of operating heavy planes on ground which becomes rutted in wet weather and dusty in dry.

### Paved Runways for Army

WASHINGTON, D. C. April 18.—Authorization of an expenditure of nearly \$800,000 for paved runways at Army Air Service flying fields by the last Congress is expected to result in a definite appropriation during the extra session.

As drafted, ten Army air fields are named in the authorization. Of these Randolph Field, Texas; Langley Field, Va., and March Field, California, are to be equipped with the most extensive installation. At March Field concrete has already been specified.

## Nash Co. Issues Earnings Report

KENOSHA, WIS., April 18—At a meeting of the directors of The Nash Motors Company held April 10, 1929 the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.50 per share was declared payable May 1, 1929 to stockholders of record at the close of business April 20, 1929.

The company reported that for the first quarter, covering the months of December, January and February, after all expenses of manufacturing, including depreciation, selling and administration and providing for taxes, state and federal, the net income amounted to \$4,118,870.49 as compared with \$2,604,378.12 for the same quarter a year ago, an increase of 58.1 per cent.

In commenting on the report, President C. W. Nash said, "The management feels that the earnings report is very satisfactory, particularly in view of the extremely cold weather during January and February which prevented dealers throughout a large portion of the country from making delivery of cars. Despite these adverse weather conditions January sales ran 77 per cent beyond January last year, and February exceeded last February 33 1-3 per cent. And with the more favorable weather of March, the first month of our second quarter, the popularity of the new "400" series, which was so pronounced during the fall, again manifested itself with the result that sales rose 44 per cent. beyond March, 1928."

"Orders on hand for April indicate that this month will show another great increase in sales and will emphasize again the high standing of our product with the public."

"Export sales are setting new records also, with business for the first quarter of this fiscal year 25 per cent greater in volume than the corresponding period last year. March export sales showed a further gain with nearly 32 per cent increase over March 1928."

"It is our belief that there never has been a line of cars giving owners more generally satisfactory service than this "400" series. Reports from the field show that the Nash dealer organization is in excellent condition and looking for continued big gains in business. Both as to the character of its product, and as to the prosperous status of its dealers The Nash Motors Company believes it occupies the most favorable position in its history."

## Seaman Named

### Director In Nash

KENOSHA, Wis., April 18—(Special)—The appointment of Harold H. Seaman, president of the Seaman Body Company of Milwaukee, a half interest in which is owned by The Nash Motors Co., to the board of directors of Nash Motors, was announced here today by C. W. Nash.

Mr. Seaman, who has long been recognized as an outstanding leader in the automobile body building industry, has been closely identified with Nash Motors ever since its inception, and has played an important part in the success of the great Wisconsin manufacturing organization. His appointment to company directorship comes at the peak of Nash manufacturing achievement and is considered another mark of recognition of the success won by the famous "400" Series of cars.

"Mr. Seaman finds a warm welcome at the Nash directors' board," President Nash said today. "It is a real pleasure to make this announcement of his well merited advancement and to bring him even closer into the management of all Nash Motors Company affairs. His judgment and counsel have always been valuable assets to the company and his executive ability and untiring energy have earned the respect and confidence of us all."

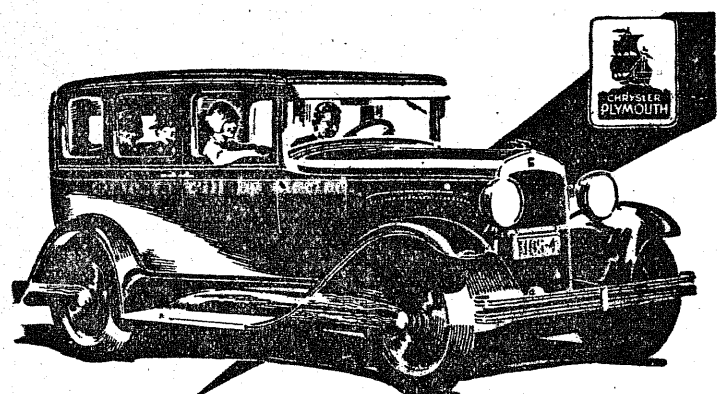
"In achieving the Salon bodies for the "400" Series of Nash cars, Mr. Seaman and his organization have climaxed a remarkable success in the world's coach building field and one that is recognized in Europe as well as in the United States. It is my opinion that the entire Nash organization is to be congratulated on this addition to the directorship."

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## SELECT GIRL SCOUT CHIEF FOR NUTLEY AND BELLEVILLE

The Belleville-Nutley Girl Scout Councils have engaged as joint director for the coming year Miss Jean Hoffman of Morristown.

Miss Hoffman is a "golden eagle" and has had eight years' experience in scouting, in addition to several summers' work as camp councillor. She will take up her duties July 1.

James L. Miller has accepted the chairmanship of the camp with assistance of Mrs. A. G. Mitchell, Mrs. Elmer Stevens, Miss Flora Loudon and Mrs. Stanley Crossdale. Transportation will be in charge of Mrs. Max Buchenberger and Mrs. J. F. Walsh. Mrs. Stevens will act as financial secretary. Applications may be made now for not less than two-week periods.

Arrangements have been made for four courses to which second class scouts are eligible. Dr. Albert F. Jackson will instruct first aid classes. The first was held Tuesday at 4:30 o'clock at St. Paul's parish house.

Miss Mary Loudon will direct a course in home nursing, the first class to be held tomorrow at 4 o'clock at St. Paul's parish house. Mrs. Louis C. Oakley will teach cooking at her home, 126 Kingsland road, the first class to be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Miss Marie Probert will give a talk on hostess requirements this afternoon at 4:45 o'clock at Vincent Methodist Church.

## Freeholder Crane Addresses Group

### Many New Members Added At Meeting In Nutley Women's Club

The regular monthly meeting of the Nutley Republican Club was held at the Woman's club house Monday evening, at 8:30.

In addition to the transaction of regular business and discussion of legislative matters of the moment, the club had as its guest and speaker the Hon. Z. G. Crane of Caldwell, who has been a member of the Board of Freeholders of the County for nine years. Mr. Crane is in charge of County road construction and supervision and spoke of several very interesting facts.

In speaking of our County institutions he said when the new hospital at Soho is finished there will be no finer hospital in the East. He commented on the new wing at Caldwell penitentiary, as being up to date in all ways, also of the splendid care given the patients of Mountain Sanitarium but remarked about the need of more beds to accommodate those awaiting admission.

The following new members were added to the club: VanDyke Mac Bride, S. B. Parrot, A. Hatch; James B. Ashworth, Mrs. Charles Judels, N. O. Lindstrom, Mrs. Lillian Laffin, C. F. Herstreith, H. M. Soutar, Christian Lauer, Dr. Lillian Thompson Jenkins, G. W. Saunders, F. H. Norton, Henry T. Lefferts, O. R. Jones, Louis Steul, E. F. Wright, J. H. Jones, Rikame Pikart, Leon A. Carson, Mrs. A. S. Wilder, G. L. Hickok, H. M. Morbach, Jr., A. F. Linstrom, R. H. Beitel, C. J. Wadsworth, Miss Theodora Mallaby, Mrs. H. H. Halstead, Mrs. H. J. Muller, Mrs. Joseph Mutch, Elizabeth D. Walker, William T. Jancovius, Max C. W. Buchenberger, Samuel E. Blair, Beatrice W. Sherman, Dr. Horace Tatum, H. W. Corb, Louis T. Fenton and Leonard A. Thompson.

## University Women Elect Officers

At a meeting of the Nutley branch of the American Association of University Women, held at the home of Mrs. Walter Schaefer of the Enclosure, the resignation of the president, Miss Elizabeth Bostock, was accepted with regret. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Robert Winternitz; vice president, Miss Maritta Palmer; corresponding secretary, Miss Ann Wallace; recording secretary, Miss Adelaide Gros; treasurer, Mrs. Hartley Humphrey.

The next meeting will take place May 10 and be open. There will be a talk on Czechoslovakia.

Reservations for the annual meeting of the state division must be made by check to Mrs. W. Kenyon Johnson, 44 Adelaide avenue, New Brunswick. The meeting will be held at the New Jersey College for Women April 20.

## On Advertising

There was a man in our town. And he was wondrous wise. He swore by all the gods above he would not advertise. But one day he did break this rule, and thereby hangs a tale. The ad was set in real small type and headed Sheriff's Sale.

## Nutley Chamber Calls For Lights

### Disagrees With Traffic Engineer On Control Following Several Accidents

The Directors of the Nutley Chamber of Commerce have written to the Essex County Board of Freeholders, disagreeing with the conclusion of County Traffic Engineer Hawley S. Simpson that traffic lights are not necessary at Union Avenue and Center street and Passaic avenue and Center street, Nutley.

Mr. Simpson, replying to a request of the Nutley Board of Commissioners, following several accidents at the intersections mentioned, that lights be installed there, said that the only requirement was the enforcement of the stop-street regulation.

The Chamber of Commerce in its letter recommends that a comprehensive system of traffic control is needed both in Franklin avenue and Center street, county roads.

## Activities Listed In The Churches

The Mission Helpers of Grace Episcopal Church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul A. Rigo of Highfield lane. Miss Elizabeth Pettit, from the National Council spoke last night at the social evening for parents, which was given at the parish house by officers and teachers of the Sunday school.

Circle 1 of Vincent Methodist Church, Mrs. Albert F. Jackson, leader, met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Meith of Vreeland avenue. Circle 3, Mrs. R. M. Scott, leader, gave a luncheon Monday at the home of Mrs. R. H. Beitel of Prospect street. The Standard Bearers met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. G. R. B. Symonds of Wayne place.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. W. Sneathen of Vreeland avenue. Circle 1 will hold a cake and food sale all day Saturday in Lee's Building. The social planned by the Ladies' Aid and Men's Club for tomorrow evening has been postponed.

The White Church League of Franklin Reformed Church met Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Men's Association will entertain the champion bowling team this evening at the Community House. There will be an entertainment provided. The pastor's class in religious instruction will be continued Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

The Men's Bowling Club of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church met Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. There was a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Junior choir rehearsal will be at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

A measuring party under auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary will be given this evening at the home of Mrs. Samuel St. Hill, 168 Chestnut street. Confirmation class will meet Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

An interclub track meet by the Federation of Churchmen's Clubs was held Tuesday evening in Park School auditorium. There were contests of various kinds and humorous races.

A reception for parents of pupils of Grace Episcopal Church Sunday school was held at the parish house last night by officers and teachers of the school. Miss Elizabeth Pettit from the National Council of the Episcopal Church was the speaker.

The tennis courts of St. Paul's Congregational Church on the church grounds have been reconsecrated and are ready for play. Andrew Van der Groef will be in charge.

## 3 Boys Arrested In School Thefts

Lad, 11, Seized In Cellar Of Nutley Institution.

### Accuses Two Chums.

Petty thefts of money from Nutley public schools was believed solved Monday with the arrest of three boys ranging in ages from 11 to 14 yesterday by Captain John Jameson.

Captain Jameson after receiving a telephone call that a boy had broken a cellar window and gained entrance to Spring Garden School Sunday searched the building and found an 11-year-old youngster hiding on a shelf in a closet.

Taken to headquarters, the boy confessed to the robbery of the High School and Park School with the aid of two older boys, 13 and 14, during the last three months. A total of \$50 was taken from teachers' desks. They were released in the custody of their parents for arraignment tomorrow in Juvenile Court.

## Two Homes Raided By Thieves

Thieves, believed by police to be the same who have been operating in Belleville, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge for several months, entered two homes in Nutley Thursday night.

Mrs. Walter P. Ings of 42 Cathedral avenue Friday morning expressed the belief thieves who made off with small jewelry valued at about \$200 were at work on the second floor when she and Mr. Ings returned home shortly after 10 o'clock Thursday night. Mr. Ings found the rear door open after discovering the second floor ransacked.

Police believe a key was used in this instance. A half-inch jimmy was used to pry open a rear window in the home of Mrs. William Harris Arnold of 98 Whitford avenue. A similar tool was used in recent robberies in neighboring towns.

A linen closet and two bureaus in the Arnold home were pried open. Mrs. Arnold is at her New York home. Police were unable to determine the loss. The entry was discovered by an employee Friday morning.

## Former Nutley Pastor Preaches In England

Rev. Harold W. Schenck of Newark, former pastor of the Franklin Reformed Church, who has been invited by a committee on the interchanging of speakers and preachers between America and Great Britain to fill preaching engagements in England during the months of July and August, is one of a group of ten to participate in this work.

The object of this is to promote a better understanding between these two countries. Mr. Schenck is expected to sail for England on June 29.

## Many Attended Bible Class Affair

### Interesting Program Given At Vincent M. E. Church

More than seventy-five attended the fourth annual banquet of the Everywoman's Bible Class of Vincent M. E. Church last Thursday evening. Mrs. Walter Ings, who is the class leader, presided. Violin solos were rendered by Emmanuela Santi of Italy and New York City. Mrs. R. Perthel and David Smith sang a duet.

Addresses were made by the school superintendent, Perry Sneathen, and a class teacher, Rev. A. E. Chenoweth. The dinner was served by members of Circle Four, of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, Mrs. Joseph Mutch, Mrs. A. S. Wilder, Mrs. W. O. Sutcliffe, Mrs. Louis Egan, Mrs. E. C. Sykes, Mrs. Elizabeth Montague, and Mrs. Wade Marks.

## Entertains

Mrs. Louis Welmer of Evelyn place entertained Tuesday night Mrs. A. S. Wilder, Mrs. James M. Vreeland, Mrs. Horace Tatum, Mrs. Henry Meyer, Mrs. John C. Fruit, Mrs. Clifford George, Mrs. W. E. Carluough, Misses Ida and Sarah Falkenburg, Mrs. Arthur P. Dickerson, Mrs. Harry Longstaff, Mrs. Robert Drummond and Mrs. Louis Evans, Mrs. Welmer is chairman of the coming fair of the Ladies' Aid Society of Vincent M. E. Church and these women are heading the different booths at the fair.

## Option By Cirrus Taken On Airport

### Signs Ten-Year Lease For Use Of Pine Brook Field.

The American Cirrus Engine Company of Belleville has signed an optional ten-year lease for use of the Pine Brook airport, after withdrawing its application for space at the Newark Airport, it has been announced by company officials.

On April 8 in a letter to Newark officials, Allan C. Hoffman, vice president of the company, wrote that he was returning the unsigned application for space at the Newark Airport, partly because of the length of time taken in negotiating for property and also because the company deemed it more advisable to locate elsewhere.

The letter thanked Newark officials for their "heartly co-operation and courtesy," and expressed the hope that inasmuch as the company plant is in the Newark area, opportunities to use the airport would ensue later to the benefit of the company and the city.

The company plans to hold its test and demonstration flights at the Pine Brook field, as well as a service station for Cirrus engines. It will share the field with the Union Airways, Inc., which has a flying school there.

## Pick Police Car

A hit and run driver picked the Nutley police patrol for his target in Kingsland road Tuesday night. Patrolman Amelio Lordi, was leaving the house when he heard the collision. The police machine, parked at the curb, was slightly damaged. The driver of the other car got away.

## Nutley Church To Present Plays

With casts made up exclusively of local talent, the ways and means chapter of Grace church, Nutley, will present three little plays in the Nutley High School auditorium on the evenings of Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27.

The productions will be "The Bracelet," "The Unseen," a one-act play from the pen of Alice Gerstenberg, and "A Dollar Down," adapted by William B. Gellathly from the story "Hot Waffles," in the Saturday Evening Post, written by Dorothy De Jagers.

## John Jeff, Meat Dealer At City Market, Dies.

John Jeff, fifty-seven, a produce and meat dealer in the Newark City Market many years, died suddenly at his home at 59 Linden avenue Saturday morning.

He had not been ill, his wife said, and got up early that morning as usual. After tending the fire, he became nauseated. His wife helped him to a couch and called Dr. James R. Irwin, who declared him dead.

Mr. Jeff leaves his wife and two children, four and six. Funeral services were held at the home Monday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. Peter R. Deckenbach, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, officiated. Burial was Tuesday morning in Clinton Cemetery, Irvington.

## Second Annual Dance

The second annual dance of the Robert Treat, Loyal Orange Lodge, and its sister group, Lady Treat Lodge, will be held at Masonic Temple, tomorrow. Andrew Eng is chairman of the men's group, and Mrs. Roberta Bentejac, women.

## Attorneys Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel I. Siegel of 99 Little street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rebecca Siegel, to Eleazer Barth, an attorney whose office is in Military Park Building, and who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Barth of 551 Eleventh avenue, Paterson.

Miss Siegel, a graduate of Barringer and of New Jersey Law School also is a practicing attorney with office in Newark. She is a charter member of Tau Epsilon Delta Sorority.

Mr. Barth attended Alfred University and was graduated from New Jersey Law School. He is a member of Humboldt Lodge of Masons and is past grand chancellor of Alpha Phi Pi Fraternity. The wedding probably will take place in June.

## Testimonial Dinner For Judge Minisi

One of the outstanding events to take place during the coming week will be the monster Testimonial Dinner-Dance to be held in the Newark Elks' Club, Broad street at Clinton avenue, Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in honor of Judge Anthony F. Minisi, recently appointed judge of the District Court of the Second Judicial District of Essex.

Arrangements for the Testimonial dinner dance were made by a general committee comprising 100 representatives of various civic, social, fraternal, legal, business and war veterans' organizations and societies of Newark and nearby towns. Those attending the affair will be seated between 7:15 and 7:30 while the organ is playing. Each person attending will be assigned to a numbered seat at the table. Dinner will be served at 7:30. Judge Minisi, general chairman will present the Toastmaster Judge Nicholas Albano. Judge Albano will introduce the speakers who will include Governor Morgan F. Larson, State Senator Joseph G. Wolber, County Clerk John H. Scott, Judge Walter D. Van Riper, Mayor Jerome T. Congleton, Mrs. Helen D. Berry and the Italian Consul Dr. N. Simone of Newark.

Judge Minisi was born in Newark and educated in the Public and Law schools of this city. During his third year at law school he gave up his studies to become a part of the vast Army taking part in the World War. He went to Camp Dix and became a part of the 312th Infantry Regiment, 78th Lightning Division. The Division was then under the command of Major General Hugh L. Scott, now Chairman of the New Jersey Road Commission. From a private in the rear rank Minisi the student-rookie was soon promoted to corporal and later became a sergeant. While on the battlefields of France his soldierly qualities were further recognized and soon he was commissioned a Lieutenant. Upon his return to America after the Armistice he became a member of the 78th Division Reserve. He is now a Captain of Infantry. Minisi resumed the studies of law and soon successfully passed his bar examination. In 1923 he became Counsellor-at-Law. He was always taken an interest in veteran welfare. He served for two years as Commander of the Teddy Roosevelt Post American Legion, two years as President and seven years as Trustee of the 312th Infantry Association. Three years as Vice Commander of the Veterans' Alliance of Essex County. In 1925 and 1926 he served as a member of the New Jersey Legislature. In 1928 he was made Parliamentarian of the House. When the Legislature for 1929 was organized he became Secretary to the Speaker of the House. He resigned this position when Governor Larson appointed him Judge of the Second District Court of Irvington.

Members of the Executive Committee in charge of the Testimonial Dinner-Dance are: Jules E. Tepper, general chairman; J. Glenn Anderson, Chairman Committee of Arrangements; Ralph A. Villani, Chairman Ticket Committee; Colonel Richard Hartdegen, Chairman Reception Committee; Edward Fenias, Chairman Speakers Committee; Carlos V. Girod, Chairman Publicity Committee; Anthony A. Calandra, Chairman Testimonial Committee; Joseph W. O'Loughlin, Chairman Committee on Decoration.

Newark's war veterans are well represented not only on the committee but among the speakers. Jules E. Tepper, Carlos V. Girod, Frank Lanzara and Thomas A. Graham on the committee are 312th members while in the list of speakers there is Judge Walter D. Van Riper who served as Sergeant-Major with the 312th during the World War.

A special platform will be constructed for invited guests. 1200 persons are expected to attend. The mayors of all municipalities in Essex County, members of the Legislature and City Commissioners have been invited.

## Country Club Diners Undisturbed By Blaze

Fire in a kitchen ventilator at Yountakak Country Club, failed to alarm diners or disrupt service Sunday night. The alarm was telephoned to police headquarters shortly after 8 o'clock. Firemen responded with more than usual alacrity, recollecting a blaze that destroyed a former club-house on the property years ago.

The blaze was caused by grease and soot in the ventilator. No serious damage was done.

## NUTLEY YOUTH AND HIS PUPPETS TO TRAVEL CHAUTAUQUA CIRCUIT

Osmond Molarsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Molarsky of 62 High street, a freshman at Swarthmore College, will show his puppets this summer on the Chautauqua circuit, which will include Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut and Vermont. The puppets are well known in this vicinity, having been shown in the schools, Newark Library and Museum and Montclair Art Museum and schools.

Molarsky, who is nineteen years old, has been exhibiting the puppets about five years. When a child, he saw a show in Gloucester, Mass., put on by Lillian Owens. This made such an impression on him that he began work of his own. From stocking rag dolls, he experimented in carved wood and papier mache. All the clothes, curtains and theatre properties have been made and designed by him. The puppets, numbering thirteen, stand about two and a half feet high. Various critics who have seen them feel that their activity and tricks are remarkable, especially the character of Mobile Zeek, the colored sheik.

Among others are Hans and Fritz, Pickanninies, the Nancy Brig, Clementina and Samantha Ann and a scene from "The Merchant of Venice."

Last winter Molarsky assisted Edna St. Vincent Millay in directing a play, "Two Slatterns and a King," at the Little Theatre, Swarthmore. One of his ideas was that Chance, the principal character, dress like a clown and repeat the act of the prolog in the play. Molarsky is ambitious to become a theatrical producer. He was part author last year at "The Unfinished Symphony," an operetta written and produced by Nutley High School students.

## Hat For Half Dollar At Belleville Lions' Club

William MacNair of 185 Linden avenue, has a new hat. It's a perfectly good, non-breakable black derby of the latest style, and he bought it for fifty cents Thursday at the regular meeting of the Lions club at the Elks' Home.

The hat, donated by A. E. Louchner as an attendance prize, was won by Brewster H. Jones. As he isn't partial to the type, he gave the headpiece to the club to be raffled off for the benefit of the charity fund. Twenty-five cents a member was asked and in a few minutes \$9 was added to the fund and Charles Gebhardt was wearing the hat, which didn't quite fit. "Who wants it for a half a dollar?" he cried.

"I," responded Mr. MacNair, who had been sizing up the head-piece and thought it would fit him. It did. Recorder George Fitzsimmons talked on his experience as police judge in Belleville. He stressed the need of play places for children, saying frequent complaints come from people annoyed by boys playing in the street.

## Birthday Party.

A party was given Vinnie Fuller in honor of her tenth birthday on April 11 by her mother, Mrs. Florence Fuller. Favors were baskets and umbrellas of lavender and yellow, as were the decorations.

Twenty-seven helped celebrate. They are, Ruth Fuller, June Fuller, Helen Ruff, Bernice Ruff, Margaret Hancox, Gladys Perry, Janet Dear, Esther Mooney, Olive Pratt, Bessie Rietzel, Helen Kessel, Margaret Jones, Jacqueline Sturns, Doris Iscota, Philip Dettelbach, Ruth Sherman, Eleanor Barrett, Margaret McNair, Adeline Adler, Ellen Conry, Ellen Muller, of Belleville, Emily Niederer of Kearny, Joyce and Irene Ward, Barbara Chrenp, of Newark; Audrey Buttery and Ethel Hanner of Irvington.

Games were played. A banjo solo was played by Jacqueline Struma, Helen and Bernice Ruff gave violin selections as did Helen Kessel who was accompanied at the piano by Bessie Rietzel. Dancing was then enjoyed. Refreshments were served with the assistance of Mrs. Irvin, Mrs. A. Storms, Mrs. F. Ward, Mrs. J. Chrenko, Mrs. W. Hanner, Mrs. J. Buttery, and Miss M. Sweeney. Vinnie received many pretty gifts from her friends.

## Dinner and Dance

A midnight supper at the John J. Daly Association headquarters at 83 Harrison street, Belleville, will follow a dance of the association at the Belleville Elks' Club tomorrow night. Vaudeville acts by entertainers of the Belleville Gardens Hotel will be presented between dances.

## Award Jannarone Contract For Paving

### Mayor Cook Introduces Ordinance On Taxicabs

The contract for laying new concrete pavement, curb and sidewalks on Bloomfield avenue, from Daily street to Harrison street, and on Orange street and Melvina street, Nutley, was awarded Tuesday night by the Commissioners to Carmen Jannarone. The bid was \$65,033. The town had appropriated \$97,000 for the work.

Mayor Ernest P. Cook introduced an ordinance which was passed for a hearing April 30, providing for licensing and operation of taxicabs. It specifies the owner must post with the town, a surety bond or insurance policy for \$5,000 for each vehicle operated, for the protection of passengers of others who might be injured. Maximum fare charges are established at forty cents the first half mile for one or two passengers, ten cents for each quarter mile thereafter, ten cents for each three minutes of waiting and twenty cents for each additional passenger. When hired by the hour, the maximum charge is fixed at \$3.50 for the first hour and \$3.00 for each additional hour, while a flat rate of \$30 is established for engagement by the day, or ten hours.

The owner is required to purchase a license at \$10 per year and drivers at \$2 per year. The driver must be twenty-one years old and a citizen. Cruising and parking of vehicles outside of designated areas are prohibited. A fine of \$25 of thirty days in jail or both, is applicable for violation of any section of the ordinance. Ordinances providing construction of concrete pavement, curb and sidewalk in East Center street and Walnut street, south to Washington avenue, estimated to cost \$35,000, and installation of water connections in those streets, estimated to cost \$2,800, were passed for hearings April 30.

A petition from Teresa Gennaro, 161 Mt. Prospect avenue, Newark, to change a corner of Union avenue and ing street from residential to business zone, was referred to the Zoning Board of Adjustment. Also referred to this board was a petition from Stanley Sabatino of 33 High street, Newark, to change the zone on the west side of Bloomfield avenue, between Laurel and Emily avenues, to a "two-and-one-half-family" zone.

Abraham Slaaf of Yale street objected to an award of \$1,000 for acquisition of fifty feet of his property for extension of that street. The board upheld the offer of the Board of Assessors. Commissioner Sherwood declared \$20 per foot was a fair award for unimproved property.

Frank Bucknow of 130 Grant avenue said smoke from the Hudson Hat Company at Park and Washington avenues created a health menace to residents in that neighborhood and children in Washington avenue School. The matter was referred to Health Officer Eugene H. Sullivan.

Mrs. Anna B. Warner of 72 Cathedral avenue wrote that a neighbor filled in a ditch used to drain storm water from property in that section, installing a pipe too small to carry the water. Surrounding property was flooded as a result, she declared. The matter was referred to the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

## Given Shower

Miss Josephine Kirkleski was recently tendered a miscellaneous shower at her home on Chase street. The guests included the Misses Alma and Helen Nugent, Fay and Helen Gudduck, Marjorie Palata, Helen uskin, Doris Deibis, Sally Toth, Anna Purket, and Helen, Sophie and Julia Kirkleski and Mrs. Frank Kirkleski, of Nutley; Miss Dorothy Shorter and Miss Lillian Herrig, of Bloomfield; Miss Lydia and Josephine Peters, Mrs. Joseph Basile, Mrs. Maud Curtis and Mrs. C. E. Basile, of Newark, and Mrs. Frank Chesney, of New York City.

Miss Josephine Kirkleski will be married to Charles Basile of Newark on April 27.



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### SHORT CUTS IN THE SCHOOL

Short cuts in education—hasty steps by school officials, impromptu acts of expediency by teachers, snapshot judgment by parents of pupils—often prove the longest way to the goal.

Ill-considered short cuts can lead to disturbing consequences, and—in many instances—to waste of community funds, to impairment of school morale, to a wrong attitude on the part of the pupils.

Short cuts in the schools can be as detrimental as in any other activity of life. That they can be the bane of existence is evidenced in our daily lives by the jaywalker who perils his life to cross the street in midblock; the fellow who tramples the lawn at street corners; the chap who dashes zig-zaggedly through crowded traffic just to gain a second of time; the automobile driver who takes the turn at fifty an hour with consequent strain on outside tires.

There is the misguided youth who washes the starboard side of his face and neglects the highways and byways of ears and neck; the individual who jumps to the closing chapter of a book to know how the plot comes out; who wants to leap headlong into the game but is loath to undergo the necessary period of training; who indulges in snap judgment rather than endure the discomfort of thinking his way to logical conclusion.

Short-sighted short cuts find their parallel in the schools. The new member of the School Board who wants to control the school policies before he has become acquainted with the school needs thorough experience in taking a short cut. The teacher who wishes to get into the school system through influence of friends or other means before she has prepared herself by proper training and practice-teaching is taking the short cut. The pupil who quits school in order to get to earning money is taking the short cut. The parent who wants the child passed on to the next succeeding grade in spite of the fact that the child's foundation is not adequate is advocating the short cut. The pupil who loafs in school and manages to get through to graduation partly on bluff is taking the short cut.

The school officials who promote policies tempered by local pressure, where these are not for the best interest of the young people, are taking short cuts. The executive who sacrifices the school's interests for public favor is taking the short cut. The teacher who goes to the Board of Education on school problems or the school official who deals directly with the teacher rather than through the regular channel of the superintendent's office, is taking the short cut. The parent who condones antagonistic sentiment to school or teacher on the part of the pupil is encouraging that pupil to take the short cut. The community unwilling to finance adequately the deserving school program is taking the short cut. The school district which affords a six-month school while its neighbors operate nine months is taking the short cut. The parent who unloads on the school all responsibility for pupil attendance, progress and behavior is taking the short cut.

The business of education is a seasoned profession, evolved by thinking men and women, based upon years of research and experience. Advocates of short cuts in it should think before lending support to doubtful departures.

### THE TALLEST TOWER

Work has already been started on the Chrysler building in New York, which will overtop the Woolworth building by 17 feet. Plans have now been drawn for a 63-story structure, the Bank of Manhattan building, which will be 840 feet high, 31 feet more than the Chrysler.

The new skyscraper, located in the heart of the financial district, on historic Wall street, will be a conspicuous addition to the astonishing skyline of the most amazing city of the modern world. To anticipate the inevitable flood of questions, however, it is worth noting that the Bank of Manhattan building, when completed next year, will be the tallest office building in the world, but not the tallest structure ever reared by man. The Eiffel Tower, with its 984 feet, has held that record for 40 years and is likely to retain it for several years more.

### MODERN BOYHOOD

The kites flown this Spring are not homemade. They are manufactured in mass production, and sold for a nickel or a dime or some such sum. They represent the industrialization of one of boyhood's last old-fashioned privileges.

The old swimmin' hole has vanished, replaced by the sanitary and regulated swimming pool. Fishing becomes annually more difficult for boys living in the growing cities. Supervised play has taken the place of "one old cat," and hockey has replaced shinney. Now the boys are buying manufactured kites. For the sake of their contentment, we hope they never learn what they're missing.

Reports from Washington say that women of the Nation control 41 per cent of its wealth. This is surprising information. We always believed they controlled 99 per cent of it.

Calvin Coolidge recently paid New York City a visit and got back to Northampton without any of the metropolitan reporters discovering what he came to New York for. As a remarkable achievement this probably stands out as the greatest Calvin Coolidge ever performed.

The Waterbury American declares that "the bill board must go." If the women of America have decided this form of outdoor advertising must be eliminated it seems probable that the days of the bill board are numbered.

## TRAVEL TRIFLES

The transatlantic passenger liners give the American railroads at the ports a travelling party each year which exceeds the complete population of the state of Maine.

In Paris the oldest house is now a laundry. It was built 250 years before Columbus discovered America. It may be found on the Cite, near the Cathedral of Notre Dame.

Nine German cities which keep track of the number of American tourists who visit them annually, report an annual total of about 80,000, the cities favored most being Berlin, Cologne and Munich.

Americans visiting Switzerland seem to go mostly to Interlaken, Lucerne, Geneva, Vevey, Montreux, St. Moritz and Lausanne, in all of which resorts nearly one-fourth of the visitors are from America.

Dresden china was really originated in Meissen nearby. There in 1700, Johann Boettger was experimenting for a process to make gold and discovered the art of making white porcelain which has been made there ever since. Meissen is an interesting town with its cathedral and beautiful castle.

The Swiss tourist industry is intimately linked with its watch industry. An Englishman visiting the canton of Neuchatel in 1680 needed repair work done on his watch. A clever locksmith was asked to try his skill, and he was inspired by success to attempt to make a watch himself. Thus started the great Swiss industry.

Precisely 80 years to the day before the "Graf Zeppelin" landed in Lakehurst the first German transatlantic line was inaugurated by the departure from Hamburg of the sailing ship "Deutschland."

The national museums of the Paris district comprising the Louvre, Luxembourg, Cluny, Versailles, Saint Germain, Laite, are in a flourishing condition. The number of new exhibits acquired each year is in the thousands, and the sale of reproductions of works of art brings in a profit of \$46,880.00 a year. About two million tourists from all lands visited the museums annually.

The oldest restaurants in the world, all of them much frequented by tourists, are the Bratwurstglocklein at Nuremberg, where sausage has been eaten for 525 years, the Mitre Hotel at Oxford, which has a service of 500 years, the Cafe de la Regence in Paris, which has been open for 200 years and the Ratskeller in Bremen, built in 1405. The Capello Nero of Venice also counts its age in centuries.

If all the passengers who visited Europe in a year, were to catch hold of each other's hand, they would stretch a line from Albany to Buffalo, or from Chicago to St. Louis.

In spite of the unkind attention which the English Channel has in the minds of those who do not swim across it, over three million passengers a year cross it in the steamers between France and England.

All strangers entering Cologne by auto now receive at the outskirts of the city, free of charge, a small map showing the route by which the center of the city can best be reached, and giving the location of the hotels, garages, and public buildings en route. Different maps have been prepared for every one of the ten main streets leading into the city. In Berlin the German Automobile Club furnishes special "pilots" to guide tourists to their destination.

One of the most popular of Paris exhibitions is the Concours Lejune, held in August and September. This is a show reserved to small inventors who exhibit their ingenious household devices and toys, hoping to gain recognition and wealth.

Persons who wish to see the Midnight Sun must be in Norway at the North Cape from May 14th to August 1st, at Tromsø from May 21st to July 26th or at Bodo from June 5th to July 13th.

The first advertisement printed in a newspaper was a "Travel Ad," in the Gazette de France, July 4th 1631, advertising the waters of Forges.

According to reliable estimates about 30,000 Americans visit Holland annually, spending each year about a million dollars.

Taxis are not favored by visitors to Rome; they prefer horse-drawn cabs. To meet this demand 600 new ones are being licensed. The horses must be "young, well-fed and robust" with drivers wearing neat, well-tailored uniforms, officially designed.

As an illustration of the manner in which tourists use airplanes in Germany, the Tempelhof airport states that in the month of August eighty planes either arrived or departed each day, carrying in that month 6,257 passengers and 200 tons of freight.

Although Czechoslovakia has been on the tourist map of Europe only since the war, nearly ten thousand American and Canadian find it worthy of a lengthy visit each summer. em-rbt Zofasb oWrat feq-rdl du d

In response to the universal demand from American tourists for quaint English inns a concern called "Trust Houses Ltd." has been formed giving a list of 35 inns. Nor has the mere gathering finished to job. We read in the circular that the traveler "even in a 15th century hostelry may be sure of a hot bath, clean linen, well-cooked meals attractively served, and efficient, modern service."

The first known record of a ship is on an Egyptian monument, 4,000 years old. It was propelled for forty oars.

Of passengers who leave American continental ports for Europe, it is found that nearly 11 per cent are Canadians, nearly 10 per cent are foreigners returning to Europe after a visit to America and Canada, nearly 28 per cent are immigrants returning to their native lands and a little over 50 per cent are strictly American tourists.

For the amusements of overseas visitors, London has 470 theatres, 64 parks comprising 91,000 acres, 197 bus routes, 40 day coach trips, 65 steamship trips, 122 golf courses, 615 tennis courts, 49 dance-halls, 171 historic buildings and 624 restaurants.

The cheapest air trip in the world is to be had in Germany at Bad Oeynhausen, Westphalia, where for \$5 a passenger can fly over half of Germany in about three hours.

Cagnes-sur-Mer, France, has been discovered by American artists. This little medieval town near Nice promises to supplant Paris as a center of American painters. They find there unlimited subjects for painting, together with living expenses much more moderate than those in the city.

For the benefit of those whom the word "Dolomites" is but a name, which some associate with "The Dolomites," it may be explained that the Dolomites are part of the Alpine chain of mountains in the northeast of Italy. Previous to the Great War part of the Dolomite country was in South Tyrol, Austria, but the new frontier line has brought the whole district of 45 square miles within the confines of Italy. It is a region full of tourists the year round.

Iceland, though a northern island, is misnamed. Instead of vast areas of unmelting ice-fields, the surface is highly volcanic, with vast areas of lava field. There are hot springs and geysers and a great volcano is liable any moment to sudden eruption, but collectors have found 130 different varieties of flowers growing there.

Parknasilla, Ireland, is in the same latitude as lower Hudson Bay, but is in such a sheltered situation that the vegetation is sub-tropical, with palm trees lining the roads, very much as in the West Indies.

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It may be humane to kill a shattered hope just to put it out of its misery.

There isn't anyone much more out of the picture than the professional hero who has lost his job.

The inferiority complex would be fine if the right people had it.

Nobility of character lends a touch of beauty to the homeliest face.

Some men command respect by just looking wise.

The girl who knows her carats gets the best engagement ring.

The good we do should be for the good it does, more than for the reward it brings either here or hereafter.

Even the woman with a good carriage usually prefers to ride in an automobile.

Some times an exploded theory doesn't even wake up the theorist.

The only possible excuse that legislators have for making so many new laws is that so many of the old ones get broken.

Wisdom isn't so much knowing, as knowing when you don't know.

Living beyond your means will drive you to extremes.

## The Voice of Others

### A. S. Micone Writes Commission Anent Hardware Closing

Editor The News:

Attached herewith you will find a true copy of a letter which has been mailed to the Town Commissioners.

I feel that this matter should be brought to the public and trust that it will receive your co-operation and support.

I am,

Very truly yours,

ANTHONY S. MICONE.

April 12, 1929

Board of Commissioners,  
Town of Belleville,  
Belleville, N. J.  
Honored Sirs:

A representative of some Women's Club of this Town approached me last week asking that I affix my name to a petition, to be addressed to your Honorable body, memorializing you to bring about the closing of Hardware stores, and other places of business dealing in house furnishings and other commodities.

I refused to sign this petition, not because I make a practice of opening my store on Sunday, but for the reason that I believe that this is a matter touching the individuals concerned, and should not be subject to municipal restrictions.

It raised the mooted question of strict Sabbatarian observance, and this differs greatly with locality. My personal feeling in the matter is that with such people as may have certain scruples as to this matter, they should feel free to follow the dictates of their convictions in his respect.

It is my feeling that any action by your Body in such a matter would smack too much of provincialism, such as one would expect to meet in small rural communities where the inhabitants appear to have very little to interest them other than attending to the affairs of others. In the greater metropolitan areas in this country, the tendency is to leave these matters to the individual and not to impose restrictions which are usual with "small town" and the usual "small town" idea upon this question.

I hope that you will not be misled into taking a step which will savor of the rural viewpoint upon the matter. Obviously, if their idea were carried to its logical conclusion, every place of business should be closed, that no discrimination might be shown, and this would be a bit medieval, to use a mild characterization.

## Jokes

While on a holiday trip to New Zealand, Dr. Henry van Dyke had an amusing experience when visiting a school for little children. The children had been taught to say, in reply to the question, "What would you do if a fire broke out in this building?" "We would rise in our places, step into the aisle and march quietly out of the building," and they repeated this in chorus several times. Dr. van Dyke came into the room and took a seat on the platform and the teacher asked the children, "What would you say if I told you that Dr. van Dyke is to speak to you this morning?" They promptly replied in chorus, "We would rise in our places, step into the aisle, and march quietly out of the building!"

A correspondent wrote as follows: "Dear Editor—Please tell me the name of the most reliable fortune teller."

The editor wisely replied, "Dun and Bradstreet, New York City."—U. S. Publisher.

Mistress (to cook from the country)—Well, what do you think of our gas fires? Cook—I think they're wonderful, ma'am. Why, those in the kitchen haven't gone out since I came here over a week ago.

At a public school examination in free-hand drawing a pupil appeared without a pencil. He was promptly taken to task by the teacher. "What would you think of a soldier without a gun?" she demanded. "Why," stammered the boy, who happened to be a member of this school's training corps, "Why, I should think he was an officer."

The prosecution had a strong case against Paddy. His hat, which all the inhabitants could identify, had been found on the premises. Paddy, however, denied all knowledge of the headgear, and swore that he was not

within a mile of the place at the time of the outrage, and so well did his witnesses corroborate his statement that he was able to prove an alibi. Paddy was found "not guilty" but seemed reluctant to leave the dock. The magistrate, thinking he did not understand the verdict, explained: "Well, my man, you are discharged; you need not wait." If ye please, yer honor," replied Paddy, "I'm waitin' for me hat."

A bright boy in a Western city was asked to write an essay of two hundred and fifty words on an automobile ride. A studied effort resulted in a fair description of a family ride abruptly terminated by a sudden crash into a telegraph pole. "Now," wrote the boy, "I have one hundred words. The remaining one hundred and fifty are what father said when the crash came, and it would not be best to repeat them."

Terrence stood in the Union station waiting for the Medford train. The busy doors were swinging in and out and the people were bustling to the long and crowded trains. Suddenly a nervous man, with a natty grip and an Easter lily, rushed in. He looked around in a dazed way, while the lily swayed with sympathetic emotion, and at last he spied Terrence. He took the Irishman by the arm. "I say, my friend," and he pointed across the room, "is that clock right over there?" Terrence gazed at the wall, and, dodging the lily, turned around with a look of pity on his ruddy face. "Begorra, an' it ain't nowhere else, sorr."



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### Nature's Record Generally Good

Whenever I cum across ennything in natur that I kant explain, then I kno at once that it iz right, for nature never made enny blunders in the animals; if she has failed ennywhere, it iz in man.—Josh Billings.

### Winner In Definition Contest

Probably the month's best in the British schoolboy's definition of "etc.": "Something to make people think more than you do."—Terre Haute Tribune.



# NUTLEY SOCIALS

Mrs. Gilbert R. Livingston and Miss Fay Livingston of Nutley avenue, with Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Schuyler of New York, left Saturday for a short stay in Washington.

W. B. Corning of Westerly, Staten Island, is spending two weeks with his sister, Mrs. Frederic H. Sanford of Nutley avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Perry of Brooklyn has been a guest of Mrs. Cornelius J. Clark of Nutley avenue.

Mrs. Dalton DeWitt of Kingsland road entertained at luncheon and bridge Friday.

Miss Helen Keyes, Miss Eulah Symonds and Miss M. E. Bellinger attended the opening reception in New York of the new club-house for professional women Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Clark of Raymond avenue have returned from a motor trip to Washington and Virginia.

Mrs. Daniel W. Lamouree of Bloomfield avenue entertained at luncheon Friday.

The Standard Bearers of Vincent Methodist Church met Monday night at the home of Mrs. G. R. B. Symonds of Wayne place.

The social evening planned by the Ladies'Aid and Men's Club of Vincent Methodist Church for tomorrow night has been postponed indefinitely.

Circle 2 of Vincent Methodist Episcopal Church was entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. E. L. Hale of Hillside avenue. Guests were Mrs. W. E. Carrough, Mrs. Walter Ings, Mrs. Harry Lambert, Mr. J. M. Romaine, Mrs. G. R. B. Symonds, Mrs. H. N. Smith, Mrs. Edward VanDuzer, Mrs. L. G. Wiemer and Mrs. Louis G. Wiemer.

Pupils and Helen Keyes School of Dancing gave the final favor party of the season Friday night at her studio. In the beginner's department were Edgar Sergeant, Irma Luxton, Jane Hale, Elinor Hancock, Vincent Kane, Norman Peterkin, Joy O'Neil, Dorothy Havell, Florence and Lois Bickell, Ann Watson, James Young, Charles Pierson and Stewart Mathies. Advanced juniors participating were Mary Louise Bozelle, Philip Saunders, Roxanne Wright, Richard Meyer, Edgar and Leslie Luxton, Walter Schaefer, Grace Fister, William Bozelle, Mach Stewart, John Davis, Ruth Ginsberg, Helen Muller, Jane Welch, Emily Cunningham, Jean Sweeney, Audrey Walker, Martha Schaefer, Thomas Moore, Jane Barry, Constance Machacek and Donovan Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bather of Prospect street had as guest over the week-end, Mrs. R. C. Bied and Miss Susie Hoffman of Woodhaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kurz and children David and Richard are home from Asbury Park.

Miss Margaret Rusby, a student at New Jersey College for Women and brother Leonard Rusby, a student at Rutgers College spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rusby of Beech street.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Garratt of Sylvan place entertained at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of their son Richard's fourteenth birthday. The guests were, George Bickel, Ernest Bickel, Robert Searle, John Garratt and Halsey Miller.

Mrs. W. H. Dealy of Hillside avenue entertained Saturday at luncheon and bridge. The guests included Mrs. Edward S. Crystell, Mrs. J. Henry Hazzard, Mrs. Albert W. Lively, Mrs. J. W. Janiver, Mrs. Howard W. Stoddard, Mrs. Walter F. Reinheimer, Mrs. F. S. Hunt, Mrs. Ernest H. Cousins, Mrs. George T. Jancovius, and Mrs. F. Carol Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eville of Rutgers place have returned after a few days' visit in New Rochelle, New York.

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occasion being his birthday. The guests will be Donald and Bud Ellis, Bobbie Davis, Frank Bailey, Harold Oakley, Jack Thompson, Graham Gardner and his cousin Patty Foster.

Mrs. William Meith of Vreeland avenue entertained Monday afternoon. The guests included Mrs. A. B. Dickerson, Mrs. William Edwards, Mrs. E. E. Hickson, Mrs. W. L. St. John, Mrs. W. Myles, Mrs. Robert Drummond, Mrs. D. W. Lamouree, Mrs. A. F. Jackson, Mrs. Horace Tantum, Mrs. Elmer Hampson, Mrs. Harry Gardner, Mrs. Martin Johnson and Miss Martha Moore.

Mrs. R. H. Beittel of Prospect street entertained the following guests Monday afternoon: Mrs. A. M. Christenson, Mrs. George Winter, Mrs. A. H. Sharp, Mrs. A. P. Owen, Mrs. Henry Stewart, Mrs. G. L. Ashmore, Mrs. Frank Gardner, Mrs. G. R. Mackey, Mrs. J. C. Whitworth, Mrs. Norman MacDonald, Mrs. Hinckley Mitchell, Mrs. A. W. Faith, Mrs. Edwin Scott, Mrs. F. H. Harper, Mrs. H. Wright, Mrs. A. T. Poos, Mrs. P. A. Prior, Mrs. A. W. Scotcher, Mrs. C. E. Wood, Mrs. J. C. Fruit, Mrs. William McMahon, and Mrs. Charles Hawkins of New Orleans.

Thornton Vail of Maple place is recovering from an injury to his foot which for a time was quite serious.

Mrs. Frank Anderson of Mountainview avenue entertained at bridge this afternoon. The guests included Mrs. Dudley Shephard, Mrs. W. L. Lamouree, Mrs. Dalton DeWitt, Mrs. Perham Scorso, Mrs. Howard Clark, Mrs. Roswell Young and Mrs. Howard Wolfers.

F. L. Case, who is one of the College debating team that successfully met the Rutgers team March 28, has left on a Western trip to assist in debating several colleges including Denison and Ohio Wesleyan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of Prospect street entertained for their son Bobby, on the occasion of his ninth birthday Saturday afternoon. The guests were Franklyn Bailey, Don Ellis, Raymond Laffin, Bud Ellis, Robert Searle, Stewart Mathies, George Hartley, Sidney Worler, John Davis, John Thompson, Richard Huntington and Graham Gardner.

Mrs. Frances Strout of Philadelphia is visiting her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinzel of High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Davis of Hartford, Conn., have bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Ayres, of Sylvan place.

Miss Sadie Mahony of Laurel, L. I., was dinner guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris of Beech street.

Mrs. Richard S. Carmel of Satterthwaite avenue entertained Friday at luncheon-bridge. The guests were Mrs. Donovan Ellis, Mrs. Howard Olcott, Mrs. LeRoy Gardner, Mrs. Robert Miller, Mrs. Paul Thompson, Miss Harriet Hayes and Mrs. Eugene Fuller.

Mrs. R. B. Colwell of Prospect street entertained at luncheon-bridge Friday. Guests included Mrs. H. D. Gunther, Mrs. P. D. Cunningham, Mrs. Norris Flanner, Mrs. James Corley, Mrs. E. C. Schwarzenbeck, Mrs. J. S. Herron, Mrs. J. P. Leonard, Mrs. Herman Muller, Mrs. J. M. Juch, Mrs. E. M. Kimbark, Mrs. Ernest Weischedel.

Mrs. Jessie Slingerland has returned to her duties at Park School after being at her home in Sharon Springs where she was called by the illness of her father.

Mrs. A. S. Wildey of Vreeland avenue, entertained over the week-end her brother and his wife Mr. and Mrs. George Montague of Long Island. Mrs. Elizabeth Montague, Mrs. Wildey's mother, returned to Long Island with her son to spend a week.

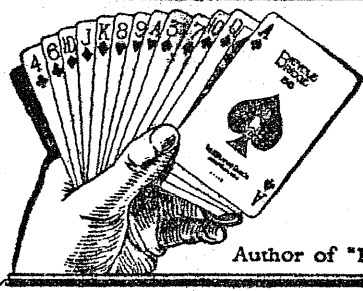
An International Relations Luncheon was given Wednesday, under the auspices of the League of Women Voters at the Youtakak Club. The speaker of the afternoon was Dr. Sampaio, Consul General of Brazil.

Mrs. G. R. Livingston was in charge of the tickets.

Mrs. A. S. Wildey and son Frank and Mrs. Wildey's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Montague of Vreeland avenue and Mrs. Aaron Mathies and son Stewart of Satterthwaite avenue have returned from a trip to Washington, D. C. where they spent several days.

Mrs. Clifford Hadfield of East Orange and Mrs. Charles E. Targett of Waverly terrace, Bloomfield, were guests Friday of Mrs. Robert P. Laffin of Beech street.

Miss Edith Nichols of Brooklyn was week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earle LeFevre of Beech street.



## How to Play BRIDGE

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ARTICLE No. 17

There has been much discussion as to the advisability of bidding four or more of a suit headed by the ace king without an outside trick. Practically all players agree that such a bid is a losing bid if the bidder is left in to play the hand, but they also agree that the information given by such a bid is of the greatest value to partner if the opponents win the final declaration. In other words, such a bid is weak as an offensive proposition but strong from a defensive standpoint. For example, suppose as dealer you hold the following hand:

Hearts—10, 6  
Clubs—8, 4, 2  
Diamonds—9, 8, 7, 6, 3  
Spades—A, K, 7, 4

If you bid one spade on this hand and are left in to play it, you probably will go down a trick or so; but even then you doubtless will have saved a game by doing so. On the other hand, suppose you bid one spade, second hand bids two hearts and all pass. Your partner now knows what to lead—and how often that information saves the game!

From a defensive standpoint there is no doubt as to the value of bidding top cards, such as ace king suits with four or more, on the opening round. If you pass such a hand, the contract may be too high to justify a bid on the second round.

For example, suppose the dealer passes with the foregoing hand, second hand bids one heart, the dealer's partner passes and the partner of the heart bidder says "three hearts". What can the dealer do then? His hand is too weak to bid three spades, so he is forced to pass and his partner, without the information given by the spade bid, is forced to guess as to the proper lead and is more apt to guess wrong than right.

Don't hesitate to bid a suit containing top cards on the first round of bidding and thus anticipate an adverse declaration that otherwise might puzzle partner as to the proper lead. Such bids are always sound defensive bids and the advantages of bidding them more than outweigh their disadvantages.

For example, here are two hands where the lead is an important factor:

Hearts—A, 7, 6  
Clubs—10, 8, 5  
Diamonds—Q, J, 9, 7, 5  
Spades—Q, 9

Y B Z

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No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A bid one heart, Y bid two diamonds, B bid four hearts and all passed. What is Y's proper lead? The only lead that would have saved game is a heart, but how many players would be able to guess that lead? The normal opening is the queen of diamonds and with this opening A B will easily score game. Z's hand was as follows:

Hearts—5  
Clubs—9, 6, 3, 2  
Diamonds—8, 4, 3  
Spades—A, K, 5, 3

He said after the hand that he didn't consider the hand contained a sound opening bid. That probably was true from a bidding standpoint, but not from a defensive one. Don't hesitate to make these bids as dealer, or as defensive bids on the first round, provided, of course, the preceding bids are not too high.

Here is another hand showing the importance of the opening lead:

Hearts—K, J, 7, 4  
Clubs—10, 8, 5, 2  
Diamonds—7, 6, 3  
Spades—A, 8

## Spring Garden P. T. A. Has Regular Meeting

Feature Is Presentation To Schools Of Stilliticon Machine.

The regular meeting of the Parent Teacher Association of Spring Garden School was held Tuesday night. Frank Rusby led the Community singing.

The soloist of the evening was Mrs. William Smith, who sang two groups of songs. A feature of the evening was the presentation by the Association to the school of a Stilliticon Progressive Machine.

J. L. Redstone of New York, a still film operator, demonstrated the working of the machine.

The Parent Teacher Association also presented to the school ten silk American flags and a New Jersey State flag and Confederate Battle flag. Harry Little gave a talk on the history of the flags.

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the 26th day of March, 1929, in a cause wherein Natale Federico and Josephine Federico, his wife, are complainants, and you, Lena Federico, your wife, Standard Oil Company of N. J., and M. R. Austin Company are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, on or before the 27th day of May, 1929, or the said bill will be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to foreclose two certain mortgages made by you, Anthony Federico and Lena Federico, your wife, as owners, to Natale Federico and Josephine Federico, his wife, the first bearing date October 30th, 1926, and recorded in the Essex County Register's Office on February 8th, 1927, in book 7-53 of Mortgages, pages 260-261, and the second bearing date July 13th, 1928 and recorded in the Essex County Register's Office on July 18th, 1928, in book 0-64 of Mortgages, pages 563-564, conveying premises in the Town of Nutley and Belleville, known and designated as lot No. 33 on map of Home Site Place Tract, surveyed August 3rd, 1906 by Frank T. Shepard, Surveyor, and being the same premises conveyed to you by Leonardo Citrano, et ux., by deed dated September 21st, 1926, and recorded in the Essex County Register's Office in book 7-44 of Deeds, pages 342-343, and to forever debar you from the right of redemption of said lands and premises.

DOMINICK DE MURO, Solicitor for Complainants, 132 Prospect Street, Passaic, New Jersey.

Y B Z

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A bid one diamond, Y passed, B bid one no trump and Z passed. A bid five diamonds and all passed. What is Y's proper opening lead? The only lead that will defeat the bid is the ace of spades, followed by the eight. A will win this trick and lead a diamond which Z will win with the ace. Z will then lead a spade, which Y will trump and thus defeat the contract by one trick. Any other lead by Y with the foregoing hand will give A B the game and rubber.

The lead is so very important in Auction, and even more so at Contract, that too much thought cannot be devoted to a study of sound leads. When a positive direction as to the proper lead can be given on the first round, don't hesitate to make the bid even with only four or more to the ace king and no outside tricks.

Here is a tricky hand just submitted by a correspondent:

Problem No. 20

Y B Z

Hearts—Q, J, 4, 3  
Clubs—10, 9  
Diamonds—9, 8, 7, 6, 3  
Spades—A, 9

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A passed, Y bid one club. If B passed, what should Z bid with the foregoing hand? An analysis of this hand and the holdings of the other three players will be given in the next article.

Here is another query from a correspondent:

Problem No. 21

Hearts—none  
Clubs—A, Q, 10, 9, 7, 6, 3  
Diamonds—Q, 9, 8  
Spades—A, 10, 4

Y B Z

No score, rubber game. If Z dealt, bid one no trump and A passed, what should Y bid with the foregoing hand? An analysis of this hand and of no trump take-outs will be given in the next article.

Here is a hand where the play is the all-important feature. Figure out your plan of play and compare with the analysis that will be given in the next article:

Problem No. 22

Hearts—K, Q  
Clubs—A, K, 10, 7, 5, 4  
Diamonds—K, J, 6  
Spades—A, 7

Y B Z

Hearts—9, 8, 5, 2  
Clubs—9, 6  
Diamonds—10  
Spades—K, Q, 9, 8, 6, 5

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and passed. A passed, Y bid one no trump, B bid two hearts, Z bid two spades and passed. Y bid two no trump, B bid three diamonds, Z bid three spades and all passed. A opened a low heart which B won with the ace. B returned a low heart and all followed suit. How should Z play the hand from there on?

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## O. E. S. Chapter Meets In North Newark

North Star Chapter, No. 84 O. E. S. installed officers Tuesday evening at 711 Broadway, North Newark. The Worthy Matron is Mrs. Laura Dobbins of North Newark; associate matron, Mrs. Caroline Fisher of Belleville; Conductress, Mrs. Ella Guerin, of Newark; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Grace Schmitt of Nutley; Retiring Maroon, Mrs. Mable Sanderson, of Nutley acted as Marshal for the installation ceremony.

Tag Day In Nutley

Nutley "Heart Tag Day," for the benefit of the Volunteers of America took place Saturday. On the committee were Rev. Charles P. Tinker, Rev. Arthur C. Roosenraad, Mrs. Frederic H. Sanford, Miss Emma L. Mott, Mrs. William J. Vail, Mrs. Charles H. Lawrence and Mrs. J. D. DeWitt.

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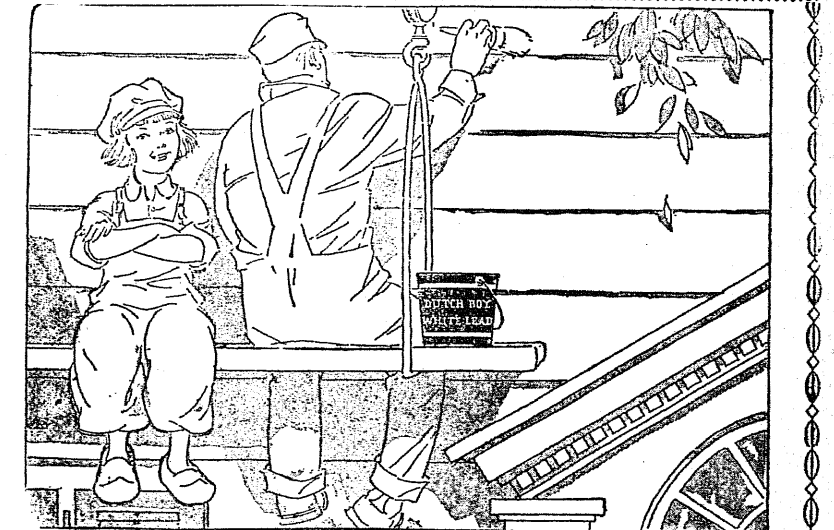
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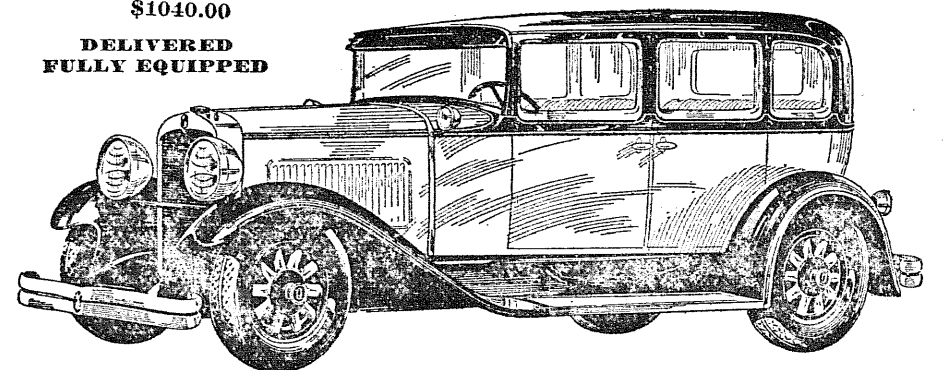
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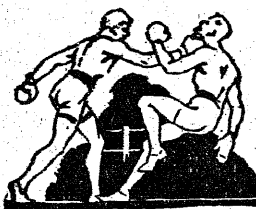
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# Doings in the Field of Sports



## St. Peter's Prepare For Opening Game In Legion League

The baseball team sponsored by the St. Peter's Dramatic Club underwent a strenuous workout, Saturday afternoon, at Clearman Field in preparation for their opening game in the American Legion League with the Capitols.

About twenty players reported for practice at the field. Twenty-six members of the club have announced their intention of trying for the team.

The team is being coached by John "Sugar" Flynn, who is assisted by "Biddy" Carragher and Joe Lister. About the beginning of May the team will be out to a squad of 15 who will thereafter represent the club.

Among the candidates who have reported for practice to date are: Out field—Johnson, Kinnealy, Gorman, Brady, Hood, and Spillane; infield—Mallack, Lamb, Comiskey, Irving, Ashworth, Leonard, Lukowiak, Herkness, Howley, and Wengel; Pitchers—Curran, Flynn and Hannan; Catchers—Marshall and Welsh.

The starting lineup for the opening game has not as yet been picked, but it will be the best the club has to offer. Another practice is scheduled for next Saturday afternoon and all candidates for the team will be given a chance to show their wares before the coaches.

## Nutley Tramples Upon East Side

Nutley High School's ballplayers opened their season by trampling upon East Side High, 16 to 3 at Park Oval, Saturday.

Nutley showed great hitting power, walloping every pitcher East Side put in for a total of sixteen hits. East Side collected eight hits, combining three of these in the sixth inning to score their only three runs.

Nutley started right off in the first inning by gathering five runs on four hits a walk and a couple of misplays on the part of East Side.

Fenrich, a new pitcher who relieved Baykowski at the end of the fifth showed up very well. He was touched for three hits and three runs in the first inning he was in the box but soon settled down and held the opposition scoreless the last three innings. Fenrich climaxed his creditable performance by striking out three of the invaders in the last inning.

Wallace, Stager and Jacques shared the hitting honors for Nutley while Cann and Cuzzo each connected for two hits to bolster East Side's amount. Saturday Nutley meets St. Benedict's Prep at Park Oval. Game starts at 3 o'clock.

Nutley High School		
R.	H.	E.
W. Sentner, 2b.	3	2
Wallace, c.	3	3
Jacques, r. f.	3	4
Stager, 1b.	0	3
Gibney, c. f.	2	2
Fenrich, p.	0	0
Baykowski, p.-l. f.	3	0
J. Sentner, 3b.	0	1
*Sherwood	0	0
Jones, i. f.	1	1
Faith, i. f.	0	0
Roman, 2b.	0	0
Connors, 3b.	0	0
Hohenstein, 3b.	0	0
	16	16

East Side High School		
R.	H.	E.
La Berth, i. f.	0	2
Cann, 2b.-p.	0	2
3otti, 3b.-p.	0	0
Cuzzo, r. f.	1	2
Naparrano, s. s.	1	0
Coyte, p.	0	1
Martin, c. f.	1	2
Serratelli, c.	0	1
Aldi, 1b.	0	2
Owken, 1b.	0	1
Grabowski, p.	0	0
	3	9

\*Sherwood pinch-hit for Jones.  
Score by Innings.  
E. S. H. S. 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—3  
N. H. S. 5 2 3 0 1 5 0 0—16  
Two-base hits—Wallace, Martin, Jacques. Three-base hits—Wallace, Stolen bases—Crawford, Cuzzo, 7; Wallace. Left on bases—Nutley, 7; East Side, 5. Struck out—by Baykowski, 6; by Naparrano, 1; by Gatti, 2; by Fenrich, 4; by Grabowski, 2. Winning pitcher—Baykowski. Losing pitcher—Coyte.

## Intertowns Open With A Victory

The Nutley Intertowns outslugged the Crema Aces in a slugfest to win out 27-18 at the School No. 7 diamond in Belleville. "Jack" Luozzolo, operario, and Yonno hit homers "Ints" while J. Jannarone

clubbed one out for the Cremos. Next Sunday on the same diamond the Intertowns will clash with the Belleville Hilltops. For games all midget nines should write to Louis Luzzi 14 Federal street, Belleville. The score.

Crema Aces		
R.	H.	E.
Apes, 3b.	1	2
L. Jannarone, s. s.	2	0
J. Jannarone, 1b.	4	4
R. Jannarone, 2b.	3	3
T. Jannarone, p.	2	3
Vitello, i. f.	1	2
Lernry, c. f.	1	1
Vaccarelli, r. f.	2	2
Villacaro, c.	2	2
	18	19

Intertowns		
R.	H.	E.
Pernry, i. f.	3	1
Riccardi, c. f.	3	0
Cap, p.	4	3
F. Tuozzolo, 3b.	3	3
Liquori, c.	2	3
J. Tuozzolo, s. s.	4	3
F. Jannarone, r. f.	3	2
Viccono, 1b.	3	2
Natale, 2b.	2	4
	27	24

Umpire—Hood.

## Comets Win Opener

The Nutley Comets turned their first game of the season into victory by downing the Third Wards of Newark, 6-4 Sunday, at the Sonneborn Field. Burrell and Leonard shared the pitching honors for the Comets. Burrell, after a faulty first inning was well high invincible. Leonard handled the Warders with ease, striking out five out of the seven batters.

Montgomery of the Comets took the batting by gathering three hits. Leibotz starred for the losers.

Comets		
R.	H.	E.
Davies, i. f.	0	0
Montgomery, 2b.	1	3
Barnes, s. s.	1	1
Olsson, c. f.	1	0
Bohler, 1b.	1	1
Hohenstein, 3b.	1	0
Thoma, r. f.	1	0
Lynch, c.	0	1
Burrell, p.	0	0
Leonard, p.	0	0
	6	6

Third Wards		
R.	H.	E.
Wahiky, s. s.	0	0
Milner, c. f.	1	1
Leibotz, 1b.	1	2
Max, 3b.	1	1
Jacobs, i. f.	0	1
Seigel, r. f.	1	0
Stein, 2b.	0	0
Witzman, c.	0	2
Laron, p.	0	0
Witzman, p.	0	0
	4	7

## NUTLEY CUBS TRIM FALCONS

Last Sunday at the Cubs' Oval the Falcons were the victims in the first game losing 8-5 to the Nutley Cubs. "Ray" Faith, on the mound for the victors, was in tip-top form, allowing but six hits and sending no less than twenty batters to the bench via the strikeout route.

The game was a nip and tuck affair for the first seven innings when the Cubs forged ahead to keep the lead to the finish. Cullari, Gorman and Faith shared the hitting honors for the Cubs. Hepp, Ihde and "Walt" Kellett did the heavy stick work for the Falcons.

Nutley Cubs		
R.	H.	E.
Orlando, 3b.	1	1
Lubertozzi, c.	1	1
Gorman, s. s.	2	3
E. Cullari, c. f.	2	2
Connors, i. f.	0	0
Crawford, 1b.	1	1
Juliano, r. f.	1	0
Phillips, 2b.	0	0
Faith, p.	0	2
	8	10

Falcons		
R.	H.	E.
Adamski, i. f.	0	0
Ihde, 2b.	1	1
Kepp, c. f.-p.	1	2
W. Kellett, s. s.	1	1
Mason, 3b.	0	0
Mc Nally, c.	1	1
Day, 1b.	0	0
Fitzpatrick, r. f.	1	1
Kierstead, p.	0	0
Brown, 1b.	0	0
Murren, r. f.	0	0
E. Kellett, i. f.	0	0
	5	6

## AMERICAN LEGION LEAGUE OPENS ON APRIL 27TH

The opening date of the American Legion Baseball League has been advanced from Monday, April 29, to Saturday afternoon, April 27. The Capitols and St. Peter's will battle one another then.

A gala program is being planned which includes a parade of all the teams, officials and town commissioners starting at the Town Hall, proceeding along Washington avenue to Joralemon street to Union avenue and to Clearman Field. Mayor Kenworthy will throw up the first ball with the Commandant of the American Legion to receive it.

At the Legion meeting it was also decided to close entrants into the league and proceed as a seven team league. Several new rules were made up dealing with umpires and the Legion executive board, as is shown in the league rules. The Park A. C. contract for players was submitted and accepted by the league.

Plans were furthered for the Legion Dance to be held May 10 at the Elks' home. Each club was given an allotment of tickets to sell in order to put the thing across.

Following are the rules:

1.—All League Games will be played on the Twilight Basis.  
2.—Each league team shall be composed of not more than eighteen members. Each team shall on April 27th file a preliminary roster with the Belleville American Legion Athletic Director. After June 15th each team shall be limited to eighteen players. They shall on said June 15th submit their final roster of eighteen players and will not be permitted thereafter to play any other than those named on the final roster.  
3.—A coach will be assigned to each club in the league. This assignment is to be made by the Athletic Director of the American Legion.

4.—An executive committee shall be formed which will have control over all executive, administrative, and all disputative matters in the league. This committee shall consist of one delegate appointed by each team, and also each coach assigned to the teams by the Athletic Director. The Athletic Director shall be the Chairman of said Committee. Said committee shall, on organization, select such other officers as it shall deem necessary.

5.—No player can transfer from any one team in the league to any other team in the league, unless said player shall give notice in writing of his intention to transfer two weeks previous to his playing on the team to which he is transferring. Said written notice to be given to the Athletic Director. No transfers, however, are to be allowed after June 15.  
6.—All games played shall stand even though there be changes in the make up of teams entered in the league.

7.—All umpires, scorers and other game officials shall be selected by the Executive Committee.  
8.—Announcements as to prizes and Trophies to be awarded shall be made before June 15.

9.—The making of schedule shall be left to the Executive Committee, in the event of postponement of any league games for any reason whatsoever, the manner of playing off the postponement shall be entirely in the discretion of the Executive Committee.

10.—The rules of Organized Baseball shall govern in this league, excepting those instances where the league has formed a rule which is inconsistent with rules of Organized ball.

11.—Seven innings shall constitute a league game, excepting in the case of ties, or weather conditions, the umpire shall determine in his discretion the duration of the game.  
12.—All players must lay in uniforms.

13.—Each contesting team shall furnish the umpire with one new baseball at the beginning of each league game and the umpire is to return ball to the team at the end of the game.

14.—Umpires shall have full power to dismiss any player from the field for misconduct and report the same to the executive committee.  
15.—All matters of misconduct of players or teams shall be dealt with by the executive committee, and the executive committee shall have full power to impose any penalties as to suspension that it may deem fit.  
16.—The league shall adopt as its official ball the D. and M. baseball.

## PUPILS GIVE TRAINING STUNTS

The annual physical training exhibition of Belleville High School was held Friday night in the gymnasium before an audience of 500. Many had to stand.

Sophomore girls appeared in a gymnastic exhibition and a mazaruka. Freshmen girls danced a schottische and gave a wand drill. An Indian club drill and a waltz were given by junior and senior girls and a relay race was run by sophomores and freshmen.

The boys worked in teams, Lee Rutan leading. Rope skipping, tumbling, rope climbing and work on the bars were among the activities. Apparatus work was done by girls as well as boys.

Albert K. McBride and Miss Muriel H. Mayo, directors of physical training at the school, were in charge.

## Separate Team Loses To St. Benedict C. C.

St. Benedict C. C. nine turned in a 6-4 victory over Belleville Separates Sunday morning at Celluloid Oval. It was the first contest of the season for both teams and both put up a fine brand of ball despite the poor condition of the diamond. The Saints were credited with one error and the Separates had a clean sheet.

The visitors got in the running in the second frame, when Purcell singled, stole second and tallied on Wood's double. Woods died on second base as Bob Kaiser retired the side. The Saints in their half retaliated. Vogler singled and advanced to second on a passed ball, then chased all the way home on Chip Freibott's drive down the third base line.

The Saints got in a run in the third session and one in the sixth. They bunched enough hits in the eighth to get in three runs. The Separates threatened in the first half of the ninth, when they batted out three runs before Kaiser tightened and retired the side.

Woods, losing pitcher, had fourteen strike outs, but walked four men and was nicked for eight hits. Kaiser had eight strike outs, gave but one free trip to first base and allowed eight hits.

The Saints will take on the Nutley P. C. Sunday morning at the same Park Oval at 3 o'clock.

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## Bell Nuts Prepare For League Game

The "Bell Nuts" will be the eighth team in the Belleville American Legion Loop. The team is composed of former Nutley and Belleville High stars and will be managed by Harry Metz.

Practice has been called for Friday night at which time all candidates are expected out. Manager Metz has signed the following array of stars to perform for his nine; At first will be seen Lanky Bob Mutch

of Belleville High fame; second base will be handled by Harry Metz with Irv. Lamb holding down the hot corner. Fred Macaluso of the Nutley Collegiates will cavort around the short field.

In the out field will be seen Johnny Metz, Burley and young Moniot. As slab artists the Bell Nuts have Bill Moniot and Burley. Moniot will play in outfield when Burley pitches. Johnny Lamb will hold down the catching job with Jack Kellet in reserve.

The Bell Nuts will open their league season on May 2, playing the Bachelor Club at Clearman Field.

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