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PRICE FIVE CENTS

Cong. Hartley Opens Fire On Democratic Opponents

Addresses 1,500 At Rally Presided Over By Mayor Williams

Addressing over 1,500 supporters at his principal rally presided over by Mayor William H. Williams last week in Kearny High School Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., who, ten years ago, when he was first elected as a representative, won the sobriquet, "The Boy Congressman," said: "The greatest challenge to our people is whether we are going to permit the perversion of our system of government by accepting the theory that reforms in keeping with our time cannot be effected within the true conception of our Constitution."

Presents WPA Problem

A former WPA worker, a cripple, who claims he was given a hard job on the WPA after he had voted in the Republican pri-

mary, and even a harder job, when he failed to go to a Democratic rally, was introduced by Congressman Hartley. He is William Hallenback, married and father of five children, of 7 Sheridan avenue, Kearny. "When Mr. Hallenback began on the WPA," Congressman Hartley said, "he was given a job he could well perform. But he made the mistake of voting in the Republican primary. Perhaps it was coincidental, but as soon as this was learned, he was handed a pick and shovel. In spite of this he carried on. Last Monday night, however, they had a Democratic rally in Jersey City, and all the workers were ordered to take a ride. This man, a Republican all his life, stayed at home with his family. As a result when he returned to work the next day, he was given a task which even an able-bodied man would find difficult to perform, and he was forced to quit his job."

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Workers Enthusiastic At Meeting As Community Chest Drive Starts

Funds Will Be Collected By Canvassers Until November 15

The annual Community Chest drive is under way. It started yesterday and concludes on November 15.

A dinner for workers was held Tuesday evening in the Methodist Memorial Presbyterian Church when details were laid out in full for the appeal.

Floyd Bragg, president of the Welfare Federation, and Walter Warrick, campaign manager, were in charge of the meeting. In order to successfully put across the drive more house-to-house workers are needed.

Over 100 attended the dinner at the Methodist Church. Mayor William H. Williams, Supervising Principal of Schools Wayne R. Farmer and Judge Everett B. Smith spoke. Walter Warrick, general campaign chairman, presided. Floyd Bragg, president of the Welfare Federation, was introduced but did not speak.

The house-to-house committee has replaced all the old canvass record cards with new ones for each family in Belleville. Mrs. Irene McCormick and Walter Price, co-chairmen, reported. It is their plan this year to have canvassers report each three days of the appeal to captains, who in turn will report at the same intervals to the chairman. Cards for each family will be returned with notation of reaction to the appeal for a definite gauge of opinion as to the chest.

Judge Smith said that the Initial Gifts Committee had already been pledged \$3,000.

The town has been divided into eighteen districts with captains and workers as follows:

District No. 1—Streets to be canvassed: Main—Mill—East side of Washington avenue—Main street to Nutley line. Captain: Mrs. Elsie Lundy. 384 Stephen street.

District No. 2—Main—South side of Holmes street, East side of Washington avenue—East side of Union avenue—South side of Union avenue. Captain: Mrs. Elsie Lundy. 384 Stephen street.

District No. 3—North side of Holmes—East side of Washington avenue—Main street to Nutley line. Captain: Mrs. Elsie Lundy. 384 Stephen street.

District No. 4—Newark Line, West side of Washington avenue—South side of Belleville avenue to the East side of Union avenue. Captain: Miss Gertrude Kinnely. 35 Church terrace.

District No. 5—North side Holmes—East side of Union avenue—South side of Washington avenue. Captain: Mrs. Mae Holden. 81 Hornblower avenue.

District No. 6—North side Holmes—East side of Union avenue—South side of Washington avenue. Captain: Mrs. Mae Holden. 81 Hornblower avenue.

District No. 7—North side Holmes—East side of Union avenue—South side of Washington avenue. Captain: Mrs. Mae Holden. 81 Hornblower avenue.

District No. 8—North side Holmes—East side of Union avenue—South side of Washington avenue. Captain: Mrs. Mae Holden. 81 Hornblower avenue.

District No. 9—North side Holmes—East side of Union avenue—South side of Washington avenue. Captain: Mrs. Mae Holden. 81 Hornblower avenue.

District No. 10—North side Holmes—East side of Union avenue—South side of Washington avenue. Captain: Mrs. Mae Holden. 81 Hornblower avenue.

Special Issue Today

The Belleville News today is being distributed to each home in town. A total circulation of 6,500 copies of the paper affords advertisers the advantage of a blanket coverage. We are glad to offer this service to advertisers and afford residents an opportunity to become fully aware of the many features in the News.

Today we feature Civil Service and Belleville's chance to help elect a State Senator—Homer C. Zink—from Belleville. It pays to get the News each week. Always something of vital importance to you—something new each week that has not appeared in any other paper. Live local news. Full reports of church, social and club activities. Features—and local sports. Read the NEWS for NEWS and Buy in Belleville for bargains.

FLOOD WATERS WORRY PLANTS HERE

Mayor Williams Seeks Way To Fix Responsibility In Matter

Mayor William H. Williams would like to know who is responsible for the rush of water that flows east in Second River during storms, threatening to destroy plants along the stream, between Washington avenue and Main street.

"I'd like to know where there is a starting point to fix responsibility," said the Mayor in an interview with this paper last night. "Water is diverted into the river all along the line and our industries must suffer. Already the river has eaten away large sections of earth under plants near Main street and some of the plants are on the verge of toppling."

"The County Park Commission does not own any land in the section where the damage is threatened and, of consequence, is absolved from responsibility. The Freeholders hold the same attitude. The Water Policy Commission says the town acquires the headache and the U. S. Department of Navigation is only responsible for dredging waterways."

"With the master plan for drainage for communities west of us in mind, terrible flood conditions will face Belleville as, if and when additional water is shunted into the river. It is a matter for our board to investigate thoroughly."

Toys Wanted

An appeal has been made to residents of Belleville and civic associations by Director of Public Affairs Joseph King for various articles to be renovated by the Municipal Welfare Department to spread cheer among the less fortunate at Christmas.

"With the change of seasons and the advent of Fall," says the director, "our thoughts turn to the approaching holiday season."

"Have you considered that resources there are stored away in the recesses of your homes, which would bring comfort and great joy to someone less fortunate than yourself?"

"The Municipal Welfare Department is equipped to dress dolls, repair toys and remodel warm articles of clothing for which there is great need."

"Will you please search out all such articles for which you have no real need, and notify the Welfare Department—Belle. 2-1776 and officials will send their truck to call for the articles at your earliest convenience?"

Republican Rally

A Republican rally was held last night at the Joseph King Association headquarters, 414 Washington avenue. Harry Machette was chairman. Director of Public Affairs King introduced various speakers. Mayor William H. Williams and Director of Parks and Public Property Louis A. Noll also were present. Director of Public Safety William D. Clark is still ill at his home.

Speakers included County Chairman Percy Miller, Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., Henry Young, candidate for sheriff, assembly and freeholder candidates. Among those present were members of the County Board of Elections, Hartley Association, King Association and County Committee members.

RE SURE TO VOTE TUESDAY

George D. Scudder Wins Three Prizes At Newark's National Stamp Exhibit



George D. Scudder (Rev.) to his Elk friends, won three prizes Friday at the Eighth annual Stamp Exhibition at the Newark Philatelic Federation. Scudder, the grand award, the the Ridgefield Park Stamp Club

trophy and Downtown Stamp Cup, the best exhibit in Class A. His entry included a complete collection of Chinese stamps. "Rev's." Chinese collection began in Shanghai fourteen years ago. There were exhibitors from all over the United States.

Zink Says Democrats Have No Record, Depend On Abuse

Republicans Rely On Records, Local Candidate Says In Statement

Homer Zink, Belleville, Republican candidate for state senator, said today that the Democratic legislative candidates have no "record of accomplishment" and therefore "have no campaign open to them but one of personal abuse and of partisan criticism that misrepresents."

Zink said that the Republican candidates for the legislature rely upon their record and will "rest their case with the voters of Essex County, knowing that they constitute an intelligent, hard-headed jury."

"The Democratic candidates for legislative office in Essex County have no record of accomplishment on which to stand, so there seems to be no sort of campaign open to them but one of personal abuse and of partisan criticism that misrepresents, to put it very mildly."

"The Democrats appear to be in the position of the attorney with a poor case, who ends by attacking the lawyer on the other side. In this campaign, however, such attacks are not going to fool the voters, who have had all the facts before them for many months."

"The record of accomplishment by Republican legislators this year is a public one, duly set forth in the news columns and editorial pages of every newspaper in New Jersey last May and June. The voters are referred to any paper in the state, almost any day, during the period in question."

"There were then no speeches by candidates, for there was no campaign. The simple facts were set forth from day to day in the press."

"That was the time when the State budget was being reduced over a million and a half dollars. The Democratic Governor, himself, commended Senator Powell and me for our efforts. No one can laugh that off now."

"As Republican legislative candi-

PATTERSON SEES NEED FOR JURY REFORM

William J. Patterson of South Orange, Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Essex County, continues his campaign for the election on November 8 with the slogan of "improvement in the jury system and the best-conducted term in the history of the County." Mr. Patterson made fifty appearances last week in Newark and the suburbs and will continue his speaking appearances throughout the County in the remaining days of the campaign.

"I believe," declared Candidate Patterson, in an announcement released by Mayor Bernard M. Degnan, of West Orange, campaign manager, "that the office of Sheriff can and will, under my administration, be handled in a sound, business-like manner with up-to-date methods. The office may be likened to that of a corporation of which the taxpayers and citizens are the stockholders. It needs a trained business head. I believe I fit that bill. I have conducted a successful plumbing business for twenty years and I

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Election Tuesday Holds More Than Passing Interest For Belleville

Zink For Senator Is Giving Town Its Big Chance

As Tuesday, election day, nears Belleville finds itself interested in more than just a casual perusal of a sheet on which are listed many names of candidates in the general election.

The town has its big moment to vote for a native son for State Senator. Assemblyman Homer C. Zink, who has done a splendid job in the Legislature, seeks that high office as a Republican pitted against Gerald McLaughlin, Democrat, who defended "Bunnie" Sohl, the gun moll in the Borahurst murder here.

Belleville also can be counted upon to share in the interest for Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., who seeks re-election against Lindsay Rudd, in the Tenth Congressional District. Hartley has a club in Belleville that always rallies to his support and he has the backing of Mayor William H. Williams.

Another Belleville man, George J. Christie, 12 Division avenue, is an assembly candidate, for the Democratic ticket.

Civil Service Referendum

Aside from this slant on candidates Belleville also has a little matter of a referendum on Civil Service. A meeting to discuss the merits of Civil Service, as it affects municipal job holders was held Tuesday night in Exempt Fire Headquarters under auspices of the Junior Order. William Conrad, president of the local council, was in charge of the meeting which was open to the public.

"There has been considerable confusion in town," he said, "concerning the referendum in the coming election. Some persons believe civil service will affect only town hall employees, others think it will affect only police and firemen. Our meeting was to straighten out the matter."

The meeting was attended by a Civil Service Commissioner James

Civil Service Protects Workers At No Cost To Municipality

Trend To Plan Started In New Jersey Last Year

Belleville Ballots Next Tuesday

Besides Belleville two other towns in Essex—Millburn and West Orange—are among seventeen places in the state that will carry the question of adoption of the state-operated merit system—Civil Service—before voters on November 8.

Women Injured While Crossing Mill Street

While crossing Mill street at Montgomery place Friday night two local women were injured when struck and knocked into a ditch by an automobile driven by Nelson G. Rainforth, 84 Watson avenue, West Orange. The injured are Mrs. Alvira Weber, 34 Maple avenue, who was detained Friday night in St. Mary's Hospital, Passaic, for observation, and her daughter, Mrs. Alma Thompson, the same address, who was released from the hospital after treatment.

The trend toward Civil Service

for municipal employees started in the state last year when twelve municipalities and one Morris County placed employees under Civil Service by popular vote. While Civil Service has been available to municipalities since 1910 until last year, only eleven had adopted it. The last Essex County municipality to invoke Civil Service was South Orange in 1911.

Civil Service, generally conceded to be the most practicable safeguard against sacrifice of efficiency of public service to political expediency, grants job protection to practically all municipal employees except elected officials, assessors, treasurers, overseers of the poor, municipal clerks, lawyers and recorders.

Four Divisions

Other municipal employees fall into one of the four divisions of the classified service, which has job protection. The largest division is the competitive class, in which examinations are required for appointment and promotion. This group includes police, firemen, rank and file white collar jobs and supervisory or skilled labor jobs.

Other divisions are: Exempt class, which includes deputy commissioners, legal department assistants, secretaries to specified boards and jobs requiring physicians. No examination is required.

Non-competitive class, which includes unskilled jobs, exclusive of laborers. An interview with an examiner is required.

Labor class, which includes all regularly employed unskilled laborers. No examination is required.

Incumbents Protected

Employees holding jobs when Civil Service is adopted are not required to take any examinations or to submit to interviews. They are allocated to classifications by the Civil Service Commission and cannot be discharged except for economy or by formal charges substantiated at a hearing before the Civil Service Commission.

Though it may take several months for the Civil Service Commission to complete allocation of jobs, the job protection for incumbents starts as soon as election is over.

The commission has authority to reinstate any employee which it finds was unjustly discharged from a classified position. Civil Service officials must approve all salary payments and may allow payment to employees appointed after Civil Service is adopted only if appointment was in accordance with regulations.

These powers make it difficult for local officials to discharge employees for purely political reasons and also to make appointments purely because of political preferment.

Eligible Lists

To fill a vacancy in the competitive class, the local governing body must apply to Civil Service Commission for an eligible list. Civil Service will hold an examination, grade results and submit the three applicants with highest percentages to the local body as eligible. Any one of the three may be selected. Promotions are handled on the same basis.

Civil Service has only advisory control over salary levels and adoption of Civil Service cannot force a cut in salary. Civil Service does not require that a pension fund be created for employees.

There is no cost to the municipality for operation of Civil Service. The commission is entirely financed by state appropriation.

Police Chief Warns On Tavern Closing On Election Day

Police Chief George Spatz issues a warning to tavern keepers to be sure to comply with the law Tuesday, election day, as regards closing while the polls are open. The police will keep a strict watch on voting throughout the town, although no trouble is expected.

The Chest Drive Is On

October 31, 1938

Editor, Belleville News:

Yesterday 140 public-spirited men and women of this community began the house-to-house canvass for the Community Chest.

May we ask the citizens of Belleville, through your columns, to receive these loyal people courteously and, if at all possible, reward them with a pledge—a generous pledge consistent with ability to give? They are giving many hours of their time absolutely without remuneration to help six charitable and character building organizations to raise money for the coming year.

If our townspeople are as generous with their money as these canvassers are with their time and effort the goal of \$16,000 will be easy of attainment.

We particularly ask that you do not compel them to visit your home again and again to get a pledge. Please have your answer ready for them on the first visit. They have 5,300 homes to contact and have but twelve days in which to do it. If you are unable to give or don't want to give, tell them so in a nice way. Tell them the way you would like to be told if you were asking help for a charitable cause.

As for them, they have been instructed not to adopt an argumentative attitude, and to answer all questions courteously to the best of their ability. If they don't know the answers, the questions will be referred to the proper authorities for attention.

Thank you, Mr. and Mrs. Belleville Citizen for your anticipated cooperation and consideration. And thank you, Mr. Editor, for the nice publicity you have given the House-to-House Committee during this campaign. It has been of great help in securing helpers. Sincerely,

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Sunday school—9:45 A. M.
Public worship—11 A. M.
Young people's meeting—8 P. M.
Meetings of the boards—Tuesdays, 8 P. M.
Girls' clubs—Wednesdays, 7 P. M.
Boys' clubs—Thursdays, 7, 8 and 9 P. M.
Men's club—Second Tuesday, 8 P. M.
Woman's Missionary Society—First Thursday, 2 P. M.
Woman's Guild—Second Thursday, 2 P. M.
Fellowship Circle—second Tuesday, 8 P. M.
Boy Scouts—Mondays, 8 P. M.
Girl Scouts—Mondays, 4 P. M.

ST. ANTHONY'S R. C. CHURCH
55 Franklin Street, Silver Lake
Rev. Cataldo Alessi, Pastor
Sunday masses at 6, 7:30, 9 and 11 A. M. Children's mass at 9 A. M.
Devotions in honor of St. Anthony and St. Liberator every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. PETER'S R. C. CHURCH
William Street, Belleville
Rev. Joseph M. Kelly, Pastor
Rev. John S. Neilligan, Assistant Pastor
Sunday masses at 6, 7, 8, 9 (Children's) 10 and 11 A. M. Confessions Saturday from 4 to 6 P. M. and from 7:30 to 9 P. M.
Masses are held at 5:30, 7 and 8 A. M. the first Friday in each month. On Holy days of obligations there are masses at 5:30, 7, 8, and 9 A. M.

ST. ITALIAN BAPTIST
166 Franklin Street, Silver Lake.
Rev. B. Pascale.
Sunday—Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning worship (English), 11 a.m. Junior choir rehearsal, 3 p.m. Preaching service (Italian), 6:30 p.m. Men's meeting, 8 p.m. Ladies' meeting, 8 p.m.
Monday—Sunday School teachers' meeting every third Monday of the month at the parsonage, at 8 p.m. Board of Deacons and Trustees every fourth Monday at 8 p.m.
Tuesday—Baptist Young People's Union, 8 p.m. The Friendly Midgits (boys 8 to 13), every Tuesday at 7 p.m.
Wednesday—Every first Wednesday of the month Ladies Missionary Society at the parsonage, 8 p.m. Alpha Mu Omega every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
Thursday—Prayer meetings, 7:45 p.m. B. Y. P. U. executive meeting every first Thursday of the month.
Friday—Senior choir and male quartet, 7:30 p.m. Children's Bible hour every Friday, 4 p.m. "Gil-Gal" Girls every Friday at 5 p.m.
Saturday—Ladies Aid, at 1:30 p.m.
Note: This list of meetings does not include many social activities held at the Baptist Friendly House.

CONGREGATION A. A. A.
317 Washington Avenue
Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin
Regular Kabbalas Shabbos services will be held tonight at 4:45. The late Sabbath Eve Service will begin promptly at 9 P. M. Rabbi Dobin will officiate and will speak on "The Eternal Wanderer." After the service an informal discussion on current events will take place.
Sabbath morning services will begin at 9 A. M. The Junior Congregation will meet at 10. Rabbi Dobin explains the Torah portion of the week to the children every Saturday morning.
Sunday School will meet as usual on Sunday morning at 9:45. There are only two more Sunday mornings before registration for this term closes. All parents are urged to enroll their children this Sunday morning or by next week.

WESLEY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Edgar M. Compton, Pastor
Monday, 7 p.m.—Junior Choir rehearsal.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 4.
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Prayer and Praise Service.
Thursday, 4:00 p.m. Rehearsal of Boy's Choir 8:00 p.m. Rehearsal of the Senior Choir.
Friday evening, dinner served to those attending the concluding session of the Epworth League Institute, followed by Worship Service and the administration of

the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
Sunday, Church School at 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship at 10:30. Epworth League at 7:00 p.m. 7:45 p.m. Service in charge of Wesley Men. Judge Harry W. Lindeman, of the East Orange District Court, will be guest speaker.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL
Rev. Peter R. Deckenbach, Rector
Holy Communion and Sermon at 11 o'clock, topic: "What is Faith?" Evening Prayer and Address at 8, "The House of God." Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. The Girls Friendly Society will make its Annual Corporate Communion at the morning service.

GRACE BAPTIST
Overlook Ave. and Bremond St., Belleville
Walter J. Lake, Minister
Sunday Services
9:45, Church school and Junior Church, McComb class for adults. 11:00, Morning Worship—observance of Lord's Supper. Communion Meditation, "A Gospel Picture of Jesus," 6:45, B.Y.P.U. 8:00, Evening Worship—Sermon topic: "Peace, Is It Possible?"

BELLEVILLE REFORMED
Main and Rutgers Streets, Belleville
Rev. John A. Struyk, Pastor.
Sunday, November 6, 9:45 a.m. Church School 10:50 a.m. The pastor will speak on: "Lord, Remember me." 7 p.m. Young People's service. 8 p.m. Evening musical festival by the choir.
Tuesday, 7 p.m. Girl Scout Troop No. 9 meets in the chapel with Miss Edna Baun, captain.
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. Mid-Week service.

BETHANY EV. LUTH. CHURCH
Meets in Masonic Temple
Jerusalem Street
Rev. Willard H. Borchers, pastor
The morning service begins at 11 a.m. Sermon topic, "The Man, The Word, The Way."
At 8 p.m. a special service will be held for service groups of Belleville who will march into the church in a body. The event was planned by the Armistice Day committee, headed by Thomas Fleming. The sermon topic for this Vesper Service will be "Preparedness for Peace."

NEWARK
REDEEMER LUTHERAN
Broadway at Carteret Street
Newark, N. J.
Paul F. Arndt, Pastor
Morning service, 10:45. Sermon subject: "Faith Must Adventure." Celebration of Holy Communion.
Sunday School and Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
German service, 8:30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
276 Main Street, Passaic.
"Adam and Fallen Man" is the Lesson-Sermon subject for Sunday, November 6, in all Christian Science Churches and Societies throughout the world.
The Golden Text is: "He that is of the earth is earthly, and speaketh of the earth: he that cometh from heaven is above all." (John 3:31).

Food Sale—Luncheon
The annual all-day food sale and luncheon under auspices of the Missionary Society of Fewsmith Memorial Presbyterian Church will be held Tuesday.

Christian Endeavor Notes
Mrs. John Struyk, wife of the pastor of the Reformed Church, Sunday evening will address the Christian Endeavor Society. Miss Catherine Wood, secretary will conduct the consecration service and a verse of scripture will be read by each member. Robert E. Lee will preside. The teachers of the Sunday School will conduct the meeting on November 13.

TROOP NO. 2
Troop No. 2 held its regular meeting Tuesday evening of this week at the home of Catherine Murphy. Plans were discussed for a November dance and party, in which all the juniors will participate. This is expected to take place the Friday night after Thanksgiving, November 25.
Progress was reported on the Christmas articles being prepared for the children in the Arlington Orphanage.
The next meeting will be on November 14 at the home of Catherine Westlake.

Socials

Miss Regina R. Lynch, 160 Tappan avenue, will be hostess this evening to the E. N. C. Club. Those present will be Mrs. Kenneth Feldhusen, Arlington; Mrs. Sidney Brown and the Misses Ruth Chappel, Gladys Jacob, Marjorie Haslam, Ethel Bryan, Margaret Peterson, Rose Connolly and Justine Boylan.
Mrs. Harry Abbott, 14 Walnut street, entertained Tuesday afternoon at bridge for Mrs. Ernest Potter, Mrs. Horace Winslip, Margaret Norris, Mrs. Harry Fallows, Mrs. Frank Wadsworth, Mrs. J. K. Alexander and Mrs. Minnie Weber.

A group of eight women held a theatre party Wednesday in New York City. They attended a performance of "I Married an Angel." Those in the party were Mrs. Ira H. Cornell, Mrs. William Irvine, Mrs. Laury Stem, Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Herbert V. Hardman, Mrs. G. C. Miller and Mrs. George Oslin.

Miss Ruth Vessie, 7 Myrtle avenue, was hostess Wednesday evening to the Gamma Chapter of Sigma Nu Beta Sorority. Those present were the Misses Jean Rowley, Janet Moffett, Betty Vessie, Marion Clarkson, Grace McManus and Margo Hyde.

The Fortnightly Dessert Bridge club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Frederick Idenden, 38 Van Rensselaer street. Those present were Mrs. William D. Blair, Mrs. Norbert E. Bertl, Mrs. Malcolm Badall, Mrs. Harvey W. Mumford, Mrs. Raymond H. Patrick, Mrs. Howard G. Ryer, Mrs. Paul McDonnell and Mrs. William Terry.

Miss Virginia Hansen, 230 New street, will entertain the members of Miss Audrey Eppler's Sunday School Class of Wesley M. E. Church this evening at a masquerade halloween party. Present will be the Misses Elmyra Walters, Helen Brown, Winifred Ellsworth, Florence Gelok, Genieve Kice, Mary Lou Brabbin, Shirley Fritsch, Mildred Kerr, Jean Ochener, Violet Engs, Florence Hoffman and Vivian Vincent. Decorations will be appropriate to the occasion.

Miss Kay Macdonald, 72 Perry street, was hostess Saturday evening at a costume Halloween party. Guests were Miss Ruth Roland, West Orange; the Misses Regina Stark, Thelma Jansen, Janet Moyer, Veronica McLaughlin, and Doris Murray, Joe O'Hara, Gilbert Van Nostrand, William Radler, Jay Abrams, Walter Van Nostrand, Bernard Harvard and Bob Wheat.

Beta Chapter of Sigma Nu Beta Sorority met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Sally Garden, Bloomfield.

Patterson Sees

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have been active in the civic life of the County. I will give an honest, straight-forward service to all residents of the County and



WILLIAM J. PATTERSON

I will stress economy in the conduct of the Sheriff's office." On the subject of jury reform Mr. Patterson stated:

"I am for genuine jury reform and, if elected Sheriff, will use all the efforts of my office to improve on the present system. One of my plans would be to first make an independent survey of the entire jury set-up. I believe the present one is out-moded and can, in time, be greatly improved upon."

Mr. Patterson, resident of Essex County for the past forty years, believes that there should be closer co-operation between the Sheriff's office and all police departments in every community of the County.

Jr. Catholic Daughters

Last Saturday night Troop No. 1, Junior Catholic Daughters of America, were hostesses at a Halloween party in St. Peter's School building. Troops 1, 3, 4 and 5, with their counselors, were invited to the party. Games in the spirit of Halloween were played, with many amusing results. The traditional "ducking for apples" was also indulged in, with a few "almost disastrous" results. Rev. Joseph Kelly and Rev. Cyril were present.

Miss Mary Kinane, junior chairman, Westfield, once more travelled to Belleville with her juniors to help celebrate. Prizes were awarded for the prettiest, funniest and most original costumes. The prize for the prettiest costume was awarded to Re-

gina Mueller of Troop 2, and the other prizes were taken by two of the visiting Westfield juniors. After refreshments, the juniors formed a circle and sang the junior song and the "Good-night" hymn.

St. Mary's K. Of C. Plans Ladies Night Monday

St. Mary's Council, Knights of Columbus, will conduct a Ladies' Night, Monday evening in the school hall at 8:45 o'clock. The entertainment committee, under the direction of Jack Curtis, has made plans for recreation for all interests. Dancing, bowling, pool and card games will be favorites on the list of entertainment.

The annual charity ball of New Jersey Chapter No. 1 will be held at the Newark Athletic Club on Thanksgiving eve, Wednesday, November 23. Tickets may be had from J. R. Kilpatrick, 146 Linden avenue.

Entertains At Party

Spooks and witches reigned at 19 Fairway avenue Saturday night when Miss Helen Thalheimer entertained a group of friends at a Halloween party. Decorations were in orange and black. Autumn leaves, cornstalks and goblins transformed the basement of her home into a veritable witch



Hedy Lamarr, sensational co-star of "Algiers" with Charles Boyer, which starts Sunday at the Lincoln, Arlington, together with "Spawn of the North."

den. Those present were the Misses Eileen Dixon, Madeline Donnelly, Vera Menseel, Lorraine Gardner, Joan Tupper, Kay Fearon, Margaret Hoffman, Miss Thalheimer, Arthur Knierman, Joseph Thalheimer, George Townsend, Milton Smith, Franklin Thalheimer, Gerald Breninger, Ted Fearon and Bernie Fitzgerald.

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Halloween Awards

Miss Regina Muller, Miss Jane Gray, Nutley, and Miss Kathleen Fitzsimmons were awarded prizes respectively for the prettiest, most original and funniest costumes at the Halloween Dance in Belleville High School, Friday.

Regina wore a dancing costume and received a rhine-stone bracelet as her prize. Jane wore a dress covered with various colored leaves and received a pen and pencil set. Kathleen masqueraded as Minnie Mouse and was given a box of chocolates.

The music was furnished by

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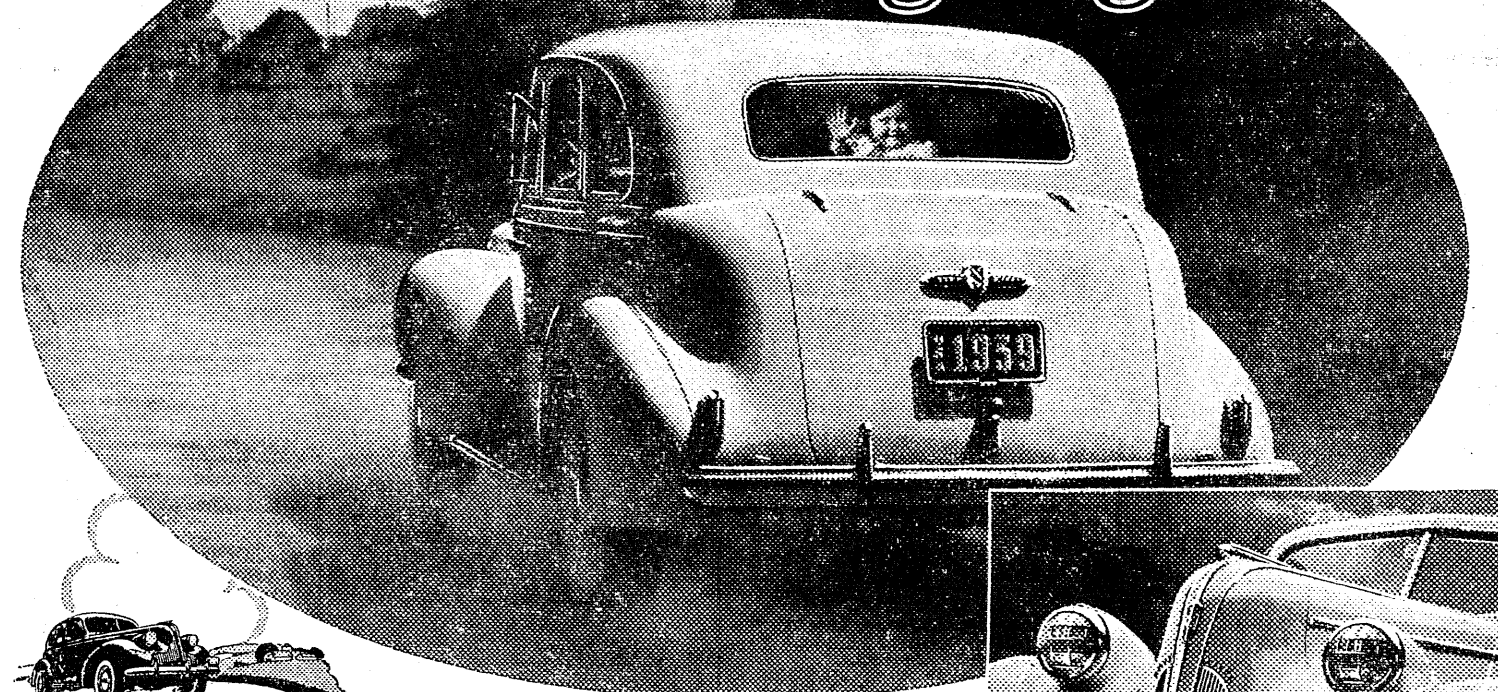
| Year | Population | Typhoid Deaths | Deaths per 100,000 |
|------|------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 1910 | 21,286,000 | 4,586 | 20.58 |
| 1911 | 22,916,700 | 3,883 | 16.94 |
| 1914 | 24,776,777 | 2,744 | 11.07 |
| 1917 | 26,528,213 | 1,963 | 7.40 |
| 1920 | 28,162,528 | 1,074 | 3.81 |
| 1923 | 29,590,000 | 936 | 3.16 |
| 1926 | 31,667,424 | 695 | 2.83 |
| 1929 | 33,984,261 | 531 | 1.55 |
| 1934 | 35,401,715 | 413 | 1.17 |

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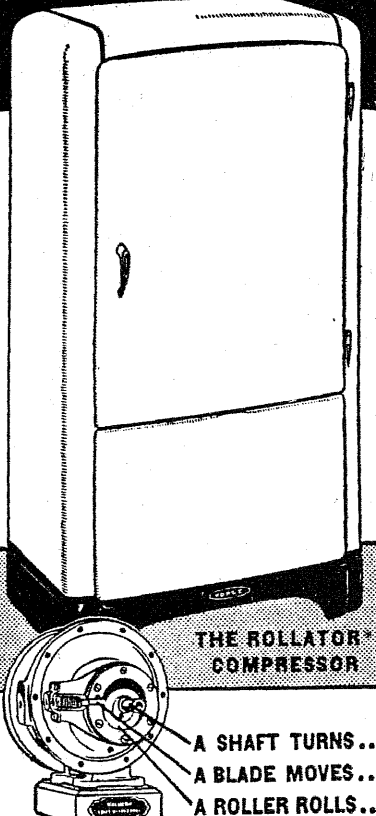
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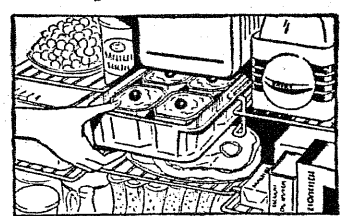
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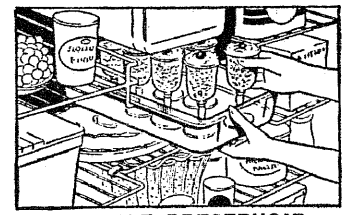


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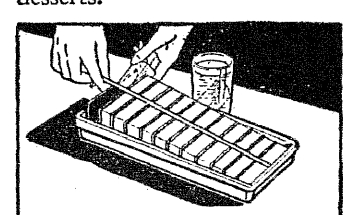
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SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Clair Poole, 18 Tremont place, will be hostess tomorrow evening at a masquerade party. Guests will include Miss Patricia Fleming, Bloomfield; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Fleming, the Misses Dorothy Hansen, Frances Hoover and Leona Maasz, Ralph Ebert, Paul Thompson, Edward Street, Elden Kunze and Thomas Lockwood.

Miss Dorothy Matt, 29 Parkview avenue, entertained the Pepsters, Thursday evening. Present were the Misses Veronica McLaughlin, Janet Moyer, Doris Murray, Regina Stark, Thelma Jensen, and Kay Macdonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney C. Sumnerfield, 365 Little street, celebrated their twenty-third wedding anniversary, Friday evening with a family dinner and theater party in New York City. They attended a performance of Victoria Regina, and afterward went to the Rainbow Room in Rockefeller Center.

Mrs. Floyd Bragg, 61 Prospect street, entertained her luncheon bridge club Wednesday. Those present were Mrs. Robert Cairns, South Orange; Mrs. Victor Legg, Maplewood; Mrs. Frank Gibson, Montclair; Mrs. Charles Hollenbeck, Caldwell; Mrs. Willard Y. Strange, Mrs. Hugh Currie and Mrs. Cecil Gerard.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt, 377 Union avenue, entertained Tuesday at contract bridge for Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sargeant, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert V. Hardman.

Mrs. Jack Shuttlesworth, 198 Smallwood avenue, entertained the One-O Bridge Club, Thursday evening. Those present were Mrs. Fannie Lock, Bloomfield; Mrs. Frank Broo, Mrs. Russell Best, Mrs. Fred Duffey, Mrs. William Lamerson, Mrs. August Muzzio, Mrs. Jack Lee, and Mrs. Christian Gabrielson. High score was made by Mrs. Shuttlesworth.

Mrs. Jack Robertson, Crescent terrace, entertained Tuesday at bridge club. Those present were Mrs. John Dolan, Mrs. Ernest Barker and Mrs. Renold Thompson, Nutley; Mrs. Everett B. Smith and Mrs. Alfred Van Dusen. Guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Jack Hicks and Mrs. Allen Crisp.

Mrs. Dudley Drake, 43 Adelaide street, entertained the Tat-Cro-Knitso Club Tuesday at luncheon. Present were Mrs. Louis Rusling, Irvington; Mrs. F. E. Dodd, Mrs. W. F. Wisschusen, Mrs. Chester DePuy.

Mrs. Carl Struble, 218 Joramoon street, entertained Tuesday afternoon at her bridge club. Those attending were Mrs. Griffith Casler, Montclair; Mrs. Lathrop Van Orden, Nutley; Mrs. Ernest Hodgson, Mrs. Harold Kenwell, Mrs. Frank Giraud, Mrs. William Robinson, Mrs. William Hunt, Mrs. Albert Borman.

Mrs. Robert Morrill, 35 Van Rensselaer street, entertained yesterday at bridge for Mrs. Horace Smith, Mrs. Clarence Brohawn, of Newark, and Mrs. Vincent Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kelsall and daughter, Ann, 70 Preston street, spent Sunday in Poughkeepsie where their daughter, Helen, is a senior at Vassar College. They had as a guest Miss Helen A. Stickle, Newark.

Mrs. Elmer Baldwin, 8 DeWitt avenue, entertained her bridge club Tuesday afternoon. Present were Mrs. Walter Carmer and Mrs. William Harbaugh, Newark; Mrs. A. A. Dalzell, Mrs. Leslie Woodruff, Mrs. Christian Peterson, Mrs. Louis Rau and Mrs. Clarence Hume.

Mrs. David Mitchell, 33 Fairview place, was entertained Friday evening at a surprise party by a group of friends in honor of her twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Bridge guests Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Bowden, 239 Greylock parkway, were Mrs. A. E. Corkill, Indian

Lake; Mrs. Harold Uttinger, Brookdale; Mrs. Harold Glass, East Orange; Mrs. George Horvath, Mrs. Eugene Berry, Mrs. Frederick Schofield, and Mrs. Edward Clegg.

Mrs. Clifton J. Keating, 484 Belleville avenue, will be hostess this evening to her bridge club. The members are Mrs. Lester Messeroll, Mrs. Alfred Swanson, and Mrs. Robert Davis, Bloomfield; Mrs. Andrew Torrance and Mrs. Aldridge Jacobson, Nutley; Mrs. Gustave Bergman, Irvington, and Mrs. Everett B. Smith.

Mrs. Harry Wykoff, 259 Hornblower avenue, entertained Wednesday for her bridge club. Present were Mrs. Laura Eveland, Bloomfield; Mrs. W. P. Adams, Mrs. Eugene Gavey, Mrs. Charles Garben, Mrs. Harry Fallows, Mrs. Frank Wadsworth and Mrs. Tracey Wilson. High scores were made by Mrs. Wykoff and Mrs. Wadsworth.

Mrs. E. T. Seeley, 164 Academy street, entertained her five hundred club Wednesday afternoon. Those present included Mrs. Charles Fritts, Nutley; Mrs. Harry Higgs, Mrs. Wilfred Booth, Mrs. Daniel Mellis, Mrs. Horace Winslip, Mrs. Margaret Norris and Mrs. Willis Ford.

Mrs. T. Russel Sargeant, 134 Adelaide street, was hostess last evening to her bridge club. Those present were Mrs. William Trost, Jersey City; Mrs. William Weber, Rutherford; Mrs. Edward Zellers, Newark; Mrs. Edward Eska, Mrs. P. A. Fort, Mrs. Arthur Clark, Mrs. William Hunt, Mrs. William Lee, Mrs. Clifton Smith, Mrs. William Irvine and Miss Rue Oerkvitz.

Attending their bridge club Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Howard Virtue, 90 Mertz avenue, were Mrs. Elmer Gibbs, Mrs. Herbert Bernard, Mrs. Arthur Kunze, Mrs. A. A. Dalzell, Mrs. Edward Scharfberg, Mrs. Harold Crane and Mrs. Leslie Woodruff.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kelly, Jr., 16 Belmoor street, entertained Thursday evening at a reception following the marriage of Mrs. Kelly's niece, Miss Marjorie Murray, Kearny, to Carlos Yahn, Mountainview, at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Kearny. In attendance were Mrs. Ethel Benjamin and Harold Brandwell, both Kearny. Thirty-three guests were present at the reception and were from Kearny, Mountainview and Belleville.

Mrs. John Meier, 31 Maier street, was hostess Wednesday evening at bridge. Those present were Mrs. Irving Chase, Cedar Grove; Mrs. Hurl Vreeland, Bloomfield; Mrs. Earl Jensen, Mrs. Herbert Mays, Mrs. Elmer Melchior, Mrs. Anna Chown, Mrs. Frank Dilk and Miss Marie Ericksen. Honors went to Mrs. Vreeland.

Mrs. Alvin Case, East Orange; Mrs. Esther Kane, Newark; Mrs. William Hammacher, Mrs. Victor Hart, Sr., Mrs. Victor Hart, Jr., Mrs. Margaret Norris and Mrs. Sue Metz attended their bridge club Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Noble Deering, Newark.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson and Mrs. Otto Schwartz, Nutley; Mrs. John Zetterstrom, Mrs. Ralph Wohlforth, Mrs. Edward Glaspey and the Misses Emily Murray and Catherine Barnes were guests Friday evening of Mrs. Lester Sorum, Brooklyn.

Mrs. Mortimer Murdy, 161 Tap-

pan avenue, entertained her bridge club Thursday evening. Those present were Mrs. Wesley Pikaart, Packanack Lake; Mrs. A. E. Ewing, Mrs. H. G. Meyer, Mrs. Leonard Stanton, Mrs. Charles Shurts, Mrs. Harold Gahr and Miss Florence Blauvelt. High scores were made by Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Shurts.

Bridge guests Wednesday evening of Mrs. William Eichorn, 274 De Witt avenue, were Mrs. George Bergmiller, Mrs. John Green, Mrs. Harold Wallwork, Mrs. William McNair, Jr., Mrs. James Shaw, Mrs. A. E. Peterson and Mrs. Virginia Eckert. High scores were made by Mrs. McNair and Mrs. Green.

The second in the series of card parties will be held at the clubhouse Monday at 1:30 p.m., when the past presidents will act as hostesses. They are Mrs. William F. Entekin, Mrs. Charles S. Smith, Mrs. R. Clifford Whitfield, Mrs. William P. Adams, Mrs. Frederick E. Dodd and Mrs. William M. Englemann.

On Thursday the Seventh and Eighth Districts will hold their fall conference at Montclair. The Literature Department will also meet on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Willard Y. Strange, 86 Division avenue, when two papers will be given. Mrs. John Pole will discuss "French Expansion," and Mrs. Ronald M. Beck will tell about "French Rulers and Court Life."

Mrs. Lloyd C. Nunn, acting president, has called a meeting of the Board of Trustees and a meeting of the Board of Directors at the clubhouse on Friday, November 11, at 1:15 and 2 p.m., respectively.

The Cosmopolitan Club of Belleville held a party at the Belleville Elk's Auditorium on Thursday evening, attended by a large audience. Besides games the audience was given the pleasure of meeting several of the candidates to the various County and State offices at the election to be held on Tuesday. Among those introduced by James A. Leonard were Assemblyman Homer C. Zink, Gerald McLaughlin, William Patterson, Henry Young, Jr., Congressman Fred Hartley, Jr., and Lindsay Rudd.

The chairman of the affair was Charles B. Tedesco, who informed the audience that it is the plan of the organization to bring them such parties throughout the winter season. At a meeting of the organization held on Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, Charles Powers; vice-president, Nicholas Comeskey; secretary and treasurer, Mr. Tedesco.

Local Reformed Church Choir Plans First of Series of Musical Services

Group Will Be Heard First Time This Sunday Evening

The first of a series of Musical Services will be rendered by the choir of the Belleville Reformed Church on Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

The service will open with the playing of A. Dvorak's "Largo" (New World Symphony). The choir will sing "O Taste and See," J. H. Rogers, with incident-

tal solo by George Price; "Lift Up Your Heads," E. L. Ashford; "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," F. E. Peace, with a duet by Miss Edna Baun and Mrs. Elsie Sutphen; and "Peace I Leave With You," J. Varley Roberts, with Miss Grace Martling, as soloist.

During the service Peter J. Edwards, Jr., organist and choir director, will present a short organ recital, consisting of "Prelude and Fugue in C Major," J. S. Bach; "Le Cygne," C. Saint-Saens, and "Pilgrims Chorus," Richard Wagner.

The organist will close the service with the playing of Woodward's "Scherzo."

The active members of the choir

Belleville Chapter Honors Eastern Star Officers

Belleville Chapter, O.E.S., tendered a dinner and reception in honor of Miss Lillian Harris, right worthy associate grand conductress of the Order of the Eastern Star of New Jersey, at Masonic Temple, Joramoon street, last night. Guests included Mrs. Ruth O. Ellor, most worthy grand matron; August C. Ullrich, most worthy grand patron; their staff of associate grand officers; past grand matrons, past grand patrons, worthy district deputies and grand representatives. Dinner was served promptly at 6:00 p.m. Members of the order and Master Masons were invited to attend the reception in the Chapter Rooms at 8 p.m.

Peace Program

A special peace program will be presented by the Sisterhood of Congregation A.A.A., 317 Washington avenue, in the social hall of the Synagogue on Tuesday night at 8:15 o'clock.

The speaker will be Mrs. Noah Kasen, Maplewood, whose topic will be "Women and Peace." Mrs. Kasen is a well-known authority and has addressed many groups all over the State. Mrs. Abram Atkins, newly-appointed Peace chairman of the Sisterhood, is in charge of the program. A social hour will follow.

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IMPORTANT ELECTION FOR BELLEVILLE

Election Day will be on Tuesday. Every qualified voter in Belleville should go to the polls and vote, for no New Jersey election in recent years has been so important from the national, state and county viewpoints.

Belleville finds itself in the unique position of having—for the first time in its history—a candidate for the State Senate, Assemblyman Homer C. Zink, who is experienced, honest and able. It was Belleville's candidate who, as Assemblyman, fought against new taxes and governmental spending. It was Assemblyman Zink, with State Senator Clifford Powell, Burlington, who lopped off over a cool million dollars from state appropriations after a conglomeration of legislators had submitted an appropriation bill that was utterly out of order. It was obvious that the original appropriation bill would be rejected. It also was perfectly obvious that no one at Trenton—no one except Zink and Powell—desired to tackle the paring down process. They went through the bill with a fine-tooth comb and, for their efforts, New Jersey taxpayers may thank their lucky stars they are over a million dollars better off.

So when the ballots are clicked off Tuesday, if Belleville thinks in terms of appreciation for a conscientious official, it will give Homer Zink a big vote. While glancing over the names, too, another of Belleville's friends appears. He is Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., who has done an excellent job in Washington these many years. Congressman Hartley, too, has conscientiously performed his duties, and performed them well. Never has he been too busy to look after the interest of his district—never has he failed to vote according to the best interests of America, regardless of party. Fred Hartley goes to the tape with a splendid record of achievement. He deserves to be re-elected, as does Zink deserve to go to the Senate to carry on where Rev. Dr. Lester Clee left off.

And while both of these men are Republicans, if Belleville wants to be motivated by the desire to vote for another friend and neighbor, a glance down the Democratic slate reveals George J. Christie, who lives in Division avenue, a candidate for the Assembly. Mr. Christie, locally, is a newcomer to politics. In the columns of this paper today he voices a statement for himself and his colleagues, as worthy of presentation.

Aside from the personal element Tuesday, Belleville has another question to answer via the ballot on the machine. This is whether Civil Service shall be established here. Repeatedly, this newspaper has stated that Civil Service has a two-fold purpose of distinct advantage to taxpayers. It protects capable employees from the whims of ruthless politicians who may desire to use public jobs as pawns to get votes. The politician who would promise a job for votes is a rank outsider when Civil Service enters the picture. The other purpose is that the movement protects the taxpayer to the extent of having competent office holders at work. Belleville already has about eighty per cent of its public office holders under some form of protection, so why not the other twenty per cent—especially since most of those in the twenty per cent class hold key positions, where competent officials are most needed?

DENTAL CLINIC

One morning each two weeks nine of the thirteen local dentists will alternate donating their services at a clinic for school children. The first year only examinations will be made because the Board of Education does not have funds to carry the work more detail. Following examinations,

cards will be sent to parents as regards the condition of the teeth of their children. The dentists, who are cooperating, and the school authorities are to be complimented in this work.

WARNING TO MOTORISTS

With storms and more dangerous driving conditions resulting from ice and snow just "around the corner," it behooves motorists to be prepared for all emergencies, Motor Vehicle Commissioner Arthur W. Magee warns today.

Decreased speed and greater caution are the first considerations for the prevention of accidents but Commissioner Magee has some practical suggestions that have to do with the car itself. He urges checking the windshield wiper and defroster; have tire chains ready; brakes tested for simultaneous gripping and lights in condition to penetrate falling snow.

Other precautions that are a guarantee against winter accidents are as follows:

Apply brakes with clutch engaged before you ordinarily would in dry weather.

Don't depend on the horn.

Don't ride with the windows entirely closed. To do so prevents the use of hand signals and the possible danger of carbon monoxide gas.

Take curves slowly and don't attempt to pass cars on hills or grades.

Keep the windshield free from sleet and rain that turns to ice and obscures vision.

Give pedestrians ample time in which to cross street.

Pedestrians should walk slowly and carefully and not to rely on the ability of all motorists to stop on snow and ice.

SECOND RIVER FLOODS

Several Belleville industries, bordering on Second River, are in a precarious plight as regards floods when the stream assumes mill-race proportions, as was the case on many occasions last July. Mayor William H. Williams fears for the safety of industrial buildings, some of which are now partially undermined. He has been and still is endeavoring to fix responsibility for the rush of water so that expense of walling up the river—a costly procedure—will not fall on the ledgers of the firms, which are innocent sufferers. The County Park Commission, which is beautifying the section as Branch Brook Park Extension, does not own any land where the washouts have occurred and, therefore, are absolved of any blame. The Essex County Freeholders hold the same. The Water Policy Commission says it has nothing to do with the situation further than suggest it is Belleville's headache. The U. S. Department of Navigation is likewise out of the picture, officials say, because that body only dredges rivers and has no appropriation to wall up streams to protect buildings.

Now along comes a master plan of diversion of water from towns west of Belleville into Second River. It is easy to picture what will happen to lower Mill street if any more water tries to pass the way of Second River. The industries are entitled to some protection and, because of the tremendous cost, Belleville is in no position to do anything about it. Perhaps the Mayor may be able to fix responsibility on those who divert water into the stream. If so he will be doing Belleville a distinct service and the industries involved, as well. His job, however, is no easy one. He has his work cut out.

THE COMMUNITY CHEST

The Community Chest drive got under way Wednesday and will continue until November 15. The goal set this year for the six participating agencies is \$16,000—a small amount for Belleville's 30,000-odd inhabitants to raise to care for the worthwhile projects involved. The Community Service Bureau, which does such humanitarian work through the capable efforts of its executive secretary, Mrs. Julia O. Reiner; the Visiting Nurses' Association, Boy and Girl Scouts, Silver Lake Community House and Red Cross will share in the budget. Belleville help this cause. It has been several years since Belleville went over the top. Courteous men and women will call at each house in town for a donation. If you can't give—that's all right. But if you can and don't, you are not doing your civic duty. The canvassers do not get paid. They are trying to maintain these worthwhile community affairs. They are persons who love Belleville—willing to work for it—die for it, if need be. Let's help out if we can by giving as much or as little as our pocket-books will allow. Make this a banner year in Belleville. Charity and brotherly love are needed in the world today. Let's show the rest of the communities that have chests that Belleville GOES OVER THE TOP.

UNTIE HIM!



THIS WEEK

by "Guardian"

The views expressed in this column are entirely those of the writer and not necessarily those of the Publishers or Editors of the Belleville News.

The advertising people tell us that any worth while idea, if repeated enough, can be "sold" meaning, of course, that the idea will take root and bring results. Well, we feel that the ideas about next Tuesday's election that we have been expressing are sufficiently worth while to justify continued repetition.

A great many political economists throughout the world are expressing the theory that the days of the democratic form of government are numbered and point to the growth of the totalitarian dictatorships—Russia, Italy, Germany, and now Japan—as evidence of the trend towards despotic centralization—and as justification for their statement that Democracy is on the way out.

We do not share that belief, but we do insist that the decision as to whether this government of ours is going to continue as a real Democracy, is going to continue to offer us freedom of personal action, thought and speech, —if it is going to continue to keep the living standards in this country higher than anywhere else in the world, —it is going to be because the people who vote want it that way.

That imposes a very direct responsibility upon you, Mr. and Mrs. Citizen, to vote and to express through the candidates for whom you vote, —based on the principles that they express in campaigning for office, how you want this country to continue to be governed, —and to express through your vote that you want this country to continue to be a Democracy. That is the only effective way you have to express your desires, —going to the polls and voting.

We have no sympathy whatever with a person who is qualified to vote and who fails to register. We have no sympathy whatever with any person who came to this land from a foreign country and who is enjoying the privileges of

residence here and the standards of living that exist here, who does not take out naturalization papers and vote. We have no sympathy whatever with the individual who says, "Oh, the machine politicians are running the whole business, —what good is my vote going to do?"

It is only because so many people feel and act that way that the machine politicians get away with it. The balance of power in this country is now and always has been the independent voter. Though there are millions of people who vote strictly in accordance with party lines and will vote for the party nominee whether he be saint or devil, there are sufficient numbers of independent voters who vote regardless of party lines for the candidate who they feel best expresses their views—to take any election away from the rank and file of regular party voters.

Of course your vote counts just as much as any other vote in the whole country.

If you don't vote, if you don't exercise the privilege that Democracy gives to you, you are cheating yourself, cheating your family, cheating your community, cheating your country —and we repeat that any citizen who has the privilege of voting and who deliberately does not vote, does not merit the privilege of citizenship or residence in this country and should be filled with a thorough sense of personal shame.

Strong words, but we mean them.

And so the first thing to do is vote. Do your part. Speak your piece. Have your say on Tuesday. How you vote is your business but whether you vote or not is everybody's business.

Enough has been said about the fundamental issues at stake in this election to make repetition here unnecessary.

Just vote.
Yours 'til next week,
"GUARDIAN"

Aunt Flo's Column

If you are looking for the "Silver Lining," come out from behind the clouds.

G. C. Writes:

Dear Aunt Flo: I wish you could tell us what to do. We have had nothing but hard luck for the past two years. My husband is only working on a part-time job, my young daughter cannot find work and I have a son twelve years old, still in school. We have used what little money we saved and I am about at the end of the rope. My daughter can do typing and shorthand and is nice appearing, but she is so discouraged, too, that when she starts out for a job she tells me before she leaves that she knows she will not get it. There is not a day but that we sit and cry over our troubles. I do not mind for myself so much but what about my children, what sort of a future is in store for them? Please answer me.

My dear G. C.: I like the unselfish spirit you show when you say that you do not mind the hard luck you have endured but that you are concerned about your children. That simple statement tells me that you are not a quitter. But, my dear, you must be hiding behind the clouds pretty much or you would not have this young daughter of yours also imagining that she will not get a job before she even applies for one. You are using the wrong psychology. I am sure. Youth is of itself expectant of good and optimistic, not so easily discouraged. I wonder, therefore, if you have not influenced the girl into

your way of thinking.

Try to follow out a new plan and see what happens. The next time the girl tells you that she is going to apply for a job, send her off with a good pat on the shoulder and tell her that you have a feeling this is her lucky day. This will help the girl tremendously. Then, instead of crying, go about your housework in a happy frame of mind, telling yourself how lucky you all are to be well, even if you haven't got a lot of money. When Junior comes home from school join in his chatter about the ball team he is playing on and tell him how nice it would be if he got a newspaper route so that he would have some spending money. (You know some of our greatest men started as newsboys, so no need to be ashamed of that.)

When Dad comes home, don't greet him with misty eyes and a long story about the things you are not able to buy, but tell him instead that you hear business is picking up and you feel sure he will soon be able to get a full time job. At first this will all seem like a lot of make-believe and it may take some maneuvering on your part to put it over like the real thing, but I'll just wager that if you can keep it up for two solid weeks you are going to see a difference in your home and you will wish that you had come out from behind the clouds long before.

After all, we are just as happy as we think we are. If we will not allow the sunshine to seep in, how are we ever going to find the

silver lining?

Dear Betty: I think you will be very much happier if you take mother's advice in this case. If you begin to make dates at twelve you are very apt to be a "Past Number" at sixteen, and after all sixteen is such a glorious age—I think it is worth waiting for. Sophisticated girls are not as popular as you think—be your own sweet self.

AUNT FLO

Address your problems to Aunt Flo, care of Belleville News, 11 Mill street, Belleville.

Forum

ANENT POLITICS

Editor Belleville News:

To divert attention from Mr. Ely's Hague sponsorship for both State WPA Administrator and for Democratic Senatorial nominee, Mr. Ely's boast that he would, if elected, be proud to be a "rubber stamp" for the President was broadcast. But when a clamor arose that that would be in conflict with the whole spirit of our Constitution, which fixes the executive and legislative departments of our government as separate and distinct and contemplates the exercise of independent judgment by members of Congress, there was another attempt to change the subject.

Now Candidate Ely and Senator Smathers are insisting that liberalism is the issue in the Senatorial campaign, that Ely stands for it while Barbour is a reactionary. Again the Ely outfit has "put its foot in it." For the five-year record of W. Warren Barbour in the U. S. Senate is public property, and it proves beyond the slightest question that Mr. Barbour is a liberal, that he supported all liberal measures presented during his incumbency.

Mr. Ely has no record in national affairs, and his liberalism is purely a matter of words and promises. However, it is with some reason asked how he can be such a great liberal in view of his close affiliation with Mayor Hague, Democratic boss of New Jersey. Is he a liberal for campaign purposes only?

INDEPENDENT.

ANENT MINUTEMEN

Editor, Belleville News,

The Minute Men Civic League of Belleville hereby desires to express its thanks for all the courtesies extended through the various articles appearing in your paper regarding the opposition to the Garden State Bus Lines, Inc.

Without your cooperation the task would be somewhat difficult. The writer desires to explain, generally, the attitude of the league toward this bus line.

1. We are opposed to the bus route operating on the following streets, Greylock parkway, Linden, Division and Hornblower avenues for various reasons, particularly because these streets are residential streets.

2. We desire to see that the laws of the State of New Jersey or any ordinances that the Town of Belleville may have regarding the operation of this bus line, are obeyed.

3. We have our doubts that any public convenience and necessity for the operation of this bus route exists at all.

4. So far as a five-cent fare is concerned into the City of Newark, we believe that this matter should be considered between the Town Commission of Belleville and the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, so that a thorough understanding of the matter may be had.

Very truly yours,
F. J. DALY.

Speaks of Election

Editor of The Belleville News,

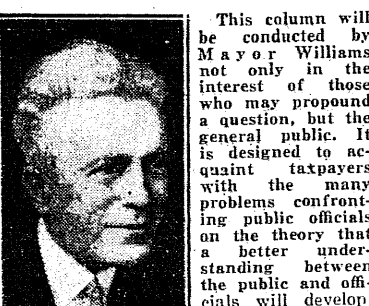
Why close our eyes to facts. The Senatorial contest here in New Jersey is between the money crowd and the American people. The very fact that one tenth of one per cent of our people at the top have an income greater than the combined income of fifty per cent of our people at the bottom proves there are class distinctions in this country and these class distinctions range from luxurious living down the scale to economic slave existence.

It is a fact the money class is controlled by a group of capitalists of greater or less degree, known in the parlance of the street as the financial barons or the money crowd. This group comprises about eight per cent of our population and control, through holding companies, with few exceptions, our banks, utility corporations, chain stores, railroads and big business. It is quite natural this group should select one of their kind as candidate for the office of U. S. Senator on the Republican ticket.

Municipal Management

by Mayor & Finance Director, William H. Williams

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This column will be conducted by Mayor Williams not only in the interest of those who may propose a question, but the general public. It is designed to acquaint taxpayers with the many problems confronting public officials on the theory that a better understanding between the public and officials will develop.

CIVIL SERVICE PROTECTION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

by MAYOR WILLIAM H. WILLIAMS
Belleville, N. J.

Analysis of the number of employees of the Town of Belleville and the Board of Education indicates a total number of 335 persons, of which 267 or 80% now enjoy tenure or the right to earn tenure or have continuance of office, while 68 persons or 20% do not receive this consideration. This analysis and the exclusion of municipal employees from the benefits of Federal and State Social Security and reasons detailed further on prompts me at this time to recommend the adoption of Civil Service regulations.

Our taxpayers should not be expected to train new people every few years — conducting public business is today recognized as requiring specialized training, which training can only be obtained by actually working for a municipality — our colleges are installing courses in public administration as they realize the absence of available trained people to capably handle public business — many of our employees have served 5 to 15 years — our town has been repeatedly complimented on the capable type of employees we have and on their thorough knowledge of their jobs and the laws pertaining to their jobs which latter is far more important than many folks realize.

Civil Service will guarantee a 100% merit system to Belleville taxpayers, assuring continuity of employment to the employee rendering consistent attention to his municipal job and assuring taxpayers of having on their payroll competently trained employees, free from political pressure from within and without his own department. The adoption of Civil Service regulations will stabilize the present policy of this Board and prevent return by any subsequent Board or Department Head to the unethical and costly spoils system, thereby enabling taxpayers to concentrate on studying which candidates for public office are most capable to conduct public management problems and eliminate from consideration the untrained candidate who relies on gathering to himself a group of electioneering agents.

The engagement, retention or dismissal solely on the basis of

competent service must be vital to the taxpayer stockholders of Belleville as it is to the stockholders of private corporations where training and adaptability control the selection and retention of employees. Industrial and commercial leaders do not select for employees such persons as are able to gather up the most votes for the election of a president, treasurer or secretary of their corporation. They do select employees because of specific training for specific positions. With practically all of our employees now having specialized training on their various jobs, we would be lacking in the exercise of sound judgment to permit our staff of municipal employees to be disturbed because of what in the minds of some officials may be considered unfavorable political performances. All municipal employees rendering competent service are as equally entitled to the opportunity to retain their positions as the 80% now assured of proper protection and deserve as fair treatment as extended to industrial and commercial employees.

For many years progressive industrial and commercial leaders have not permitted the discharge of trained employees without having their cases studied by a Personnel Director, one of whose duties is to see that the investment made in developing the new employees is not lost to the business corporation by a hasty or purely personal decision of a department head. The selection of a new manager, treasurer or president of a corporation rarely affects the operating employees of their business house. Under Civil Service regulations covering municipal employees, we will eliminate the periodical interference with the taxpayer's business — will maintain trained men and women on jobs on which valuable records are being handled daily, records covering homes and business properties, and will aid in preventing many of the errors which develop while new employees are learning their jobs.

By the voters approving placing employees under Civil Service, we will have established another business method that the most progressive industrial and commercial house has. The Civil Service Commission acts in the capacity of the Personnel Director to see that fairness is extended to taxpayers stockholders of our Municipal Corporation whose dollars aided in training their staff of employees, fairness will be extended to the employee whose opportunity of livelihood must not be interfered with without sound business reason or for only so-called political reasons, and where sound cause for removal of an employee is substantiated before the Civil Service Commission, fairness will be extended to the municipal department head. Adoption of Civil Service for Belleville employees will be another step in the forward looking program that has brought most favorable commendation to Belleville.

I can be assured that the general operating policies which have been so instrumental in developing a sound and strong management of the business of Belleville will be maintained.

Meador Wright's

PIQUANT POLITICS

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One of the invariable duties of a political columnist is to predict the results of elections. Far too often these predictions are little more than guesses, and not infrequently are colored by the personal wishes of the writer. In the estimates that follow, the last mentioned factor is not present.

In a political unit as large as Essex there is a fixed pattern of voting. Except as new factors enter the picture, voters tend to vote in the way they have voted in the past. Since the same factors are never present two years in succession, the total vote is never the same. The average vote cast for members of the general assembly is an excellent test of party strength.

With twelve candidates in each group, the factor of personality is largely eliminated. This is true likewise of freeholder candidates, but to a lesser extent. Last year the average Republican majority for assembly candidates was 27,000 votes. For freeholder candidates, approximately 30,000. The Republican assembly majority for the past seven years has averaged approximately 14,000.

With the above figures as a background, let me list the new factors that are present in the coming election. These are: First, a new Democratic leader in County Chairman James J. McMahon. The Montclair leader is credited with being a smart organ-

izer, especially of the lowly and underprivileged.

Second, is the larger number of WPA workers. This is undoubtedly an important asset for the Democrats.

Third, is the dissension within the Republican party. The situation this year with the Clean Government wing of the party nominated its candidates, only to lose control of the party chairmanship and machinery to the other group, is without a recent parallel.

Ely To Win

United States Senator: Ely to win, but by a small margin, probably not more than the 44,000 by which Governor Moore won last year. The superior leadership of Ely's campaign plus the anticipated New Deal trend of the country are decidedly in his favor. Barbour should carry Essex by from 10,000 to 25,000.

State senator: Gerald McLaughlin, Democrat may run as much as 5,000 votes ahead of his assembly colleagues. Homer C. Zink to win by from 5,000 to 20,000. Sheriff: Henry Young, Jr., Republican, is the center of the Democratic attack. Commissioner Franklin's followers are supposed to be working pretty generally for William J. Patterson, Democratic candidate. Results close, but favor Young.

Assembly candidates: Republicans to win by from 10,000 to 25,000.

Favors Fred Hartley

Congressional candidates: A. Hartley to defeat Lindsay Rudd of Bloomfield by a comfortable majority.

and not just a few—vote William H. J. Ely, senator.

GEORGE ROY,
Roseland, N. J.

BELLEVILLE REPUBLICANS!

**BE SURE TO VOTE
ON NOVEMBER
8TH**

HOMER C. ZINK

BELLEVILLE VOTERS

For Services Rendered And To Insure The
Same Quality of Service From Our
Representative In Congress
SHOULD VOTE FOR
FRED A. HARTLEY, Jr.

Congressman-10th New Jersey District

Belleville Taxpayers in all probability have not had the opportunity to know of the valued services rendered to the Town of Belleville through his official office by Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr.

His constant attention in bringing to a successful conclusion Belleville's many requests for Public Improvements which were dependent on the aid of Federal Funds has been an important factor in our realizing the benefits of such projects as our High School addition — the needed paving of many of our streets — the construction of our new sidewalks and various other Town improvements which have been accomplished at a very small direct cost to Belleville Taxpayers.

Belleville Taxpayers perhaps do not know that it is Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr. who is always first to advise your local Public Officials by telegram of any changes of Federal Legislation or changes of policy by which the interests of Belleville might be effected.

Belleville is only one Town in Congressman Hartley's District.

The Newark Star Eagle in editorial advice to their readers on November 2, 1938, confirms the sentiment above expressed when they say: "Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr. of the Tenth District is outstanding for his faithful and untiring service. It is questionable whether any Representative in Congress has done a more capable job for his district and for the Nation. He should be re-elected!"

The great majority of our Belleville Taxpayers — busily occupied with their own daily problems perhaps are not aware they have been the beneficiaries of the active interest Fred A. Hartley, Jr. has given in his attention to duties for the welfare of the people of his Congressional District.

As Mayor of Belleville — who has had to cooperate closely with our Congressman in working for the benefits we have realized, I appreciate the great value he has been to the Taxpayers of Belleville. Other members of Belleville's official family are also aware of his courtesy and the availability of himself and of his staff of assistants to us when we go to Washington on official business.

The Newark Sunday Call shows they too recognize his excellent type of service when they say to their readers through their Editorial columns, "No member of Congress represents his constituents more conscientiously than Mr. Hartley."

Belleville voters when they elect their own Board of Commissioners do so without regard to whether a candidate is Republican or Democrat. They select the candidates who in their judgment will produce the best results and spend their tax dollars with care and caution.

Belleville Voters have shown they do recognize — accomplishment — experience and attention to their official duties.

Fred A. Hartley, Jr. is endowed with the energy and qualifications which make for a good public official.

May I, therefore, in the interests of the Taxpayers of our own Municipality, ask that our voters use the same discretion as they do in their local elections and select their candidates — on a basis of accomplishment — ability and service.

I urge you to do this by re-election of Fred A. Hartley, Jr.

WILLIAM H. WILLIAMS
82 Rossmore Place

Vote Civil Service for Belleville!

November 2, 1938

To the Voters of Belleville:

On General Election day — Tuesday, November 8th, the voters of Belleville will have the opportunity of approving or rejecting the adoption of Civil Service regulations to govern the selection, promotion, retention and removal of their municipal employees.

The matter of Civil Service has not been rushed into without proper and careful study.

I have long been an advocate of the principles of Civil Service. In February, 1937, I issued a comprehensive statement advocating that Belleville submit the question to the voters in the general election of 1937. My recommendation did not then meet with the approval of the entire membership of our Board of Commissioners and failing to obtain approval, the matter was laid over for future consideration.

However, in 1937 three of our municipal neighbors — Nutley, Orange and Irvington submitted the question of Civil Service to voters and in each municipality Civil Service was approved and adopted by the vote of the people.

In eight municipalities of Essex County where Civil Service has been submitted to the voters—Civil Service has been adopted. It has never been defeated in an Essex County Municipality!

My position on the adoption of Civil Service is the same as in early 1937. I sincerely believe adoption by our voters will be a distinct benefit to Belleville — I urge our voters to approve it — I believe the voters of Belleville recognize the advantages and will vote for adoption of Civil Service.

On every public question it is natural that opposition develops. I respect the right of opinion of those who might unselfishly and conscientiously object to Civil Service principles, but on the other hand I have little patience with those, who, motivated by selfish interests—personal dislikes or political ambitions—become active in an attempt to deny the benefits of Civil Service to our citizens and employees, which benefits are widely recognized and endorsed by authorities on Municipal Management and the Editorial columns of our leading newspapers.

I propose to speak very frankly regarding the objections which have come to my attention.

I am informed through the press of the recent formation of Belleville Police Chancemen's Association for the purpose of fighting the adoption of Civil Service. I am very frank in saying that their motive appears to be selfish. They are not conscientiously opposed to the principles of Civil Service because it was only at our last meeting that an attorney represented some 24 Chancemen in a petition to have them included in the Civil Service schedule.

In the first place, to comply with their request the Board of Commissioners would have to appoint each of the 24 Chancemen as part time policemen at a STIPULATED SALARY AND PASS AN ORDINANCE CREATING SUCH JOBS. Sufficient time for the adoption of an ordinance did not exist before Election Day. If it was possible or desirable to adopt such an ordinance, it would be meaningless and without value because there is not a single instance where chancemen have been included in the regulations or schedules of Civil Service in the State of New Jersey.

This, as their own attorney agreed at our meeting, could not be done and their attorney agreed with the opinion rendered by Town Counsel when he said, "Many attempts have been made to include chancemen in the provisions of the Civil Service Law, but no one as yet has found a way to do it."

The question of Chancemen has been controversial in our towns when Civil Service has been adopted, but to date I know of no municipality that has been able, even if they so desired, to include Chancemen as Civil Service employees.

The Chanceman, as we all know, is a substitute or extra police officer. He serves at large assemblages where extra policemen are needed—or to augment our regular police force. Each Chanceman is employed or available for employment by private business or industry. For those who are so employed they, as other workers, are beneficiaries of Social Security legislation. The municipal employee does not receive the benefits or assurance of Social Security legislation.

The Chanceman is not a regular employee—he is not in the same category as the municipal employee either from the viewpoint of service to the town or of experience and value in the service of the Taxpayer. For the greater majority, our municipal employees have been in the active service of our Taxpayers for many years — they are well trained in their duties — their experience in municipal service is an asset. This cannot be said of the Chanceman who aspires to the position of Police Officer. Regular Policemen and Firemen will be included in the Civil Service group.

The Chancemen must realize that even if it was possible to extend Civil Service coverage to them it would benefit comparatively few as I cannot figure that we will have the need for many years to come to add 24 policemen to our force.

The twofold purpose of Civil Service is to protect the employees and to insure the retention of men and women trained on their jobs in the service of the Taxpayer.

I cannot consider their opposition as valid or reasonable, but rather an extremely selfish attitude in attempting to deny the public and the public employees the advantages to be had from Civil Service because they cannot qualify under the provisions of the law.

All the members of the Board of Commissioners were sympathetic to their request, but it was and is beyond our authority to help them.

If any citizen sincerely feels that any employee of the Town of Belleville will be either incompetent or untrustworthy under Civil Service, then they certainly must feel that such employee, if any, is not fit to hold public office whether or not Civil Service is adopted.

If this type of objector is sincerely motivated he should bring to the attention of the Board of Commissioners his reasons and if his reasons have foundation, bring charges to remove such persons, if any, from a position of public trust. That would be the "above board" manner to render a service to fellow taxpayers and remove his objection to Civil Service rather than attempt to defeat a measure widely regarded as a benefit to Taxpayers and public employees alike as evidenced by the Editorials of our leading newspapers which advocate Civil Service adoption.

This insidious whispering by some who do not have the fortitude to state publicly that which they whisper—can only serve to severely injure the character of such employee or employees as has been selected as the target to be used as a basis FOR THEIR OPPOSITION to Civil Service.

Another type of objection comes from some who are politically ambitious and desire the door be kept open for the promising of jobs as bait to political workers in

pre-election days. Killing this vicious practice is sufficient reason alone to warrant adoption of Civil Service.

The adoption of Civil Service thwarts this type of political manipulation. Civil Service once and for all shuts the door to those who would have the Spoils System reinstated in Belleville.

It is commendable and I am gratified that each and every member of our Governing Body voted for the resolution to have Civil Service submitted to our voters.

In contrast to the type of objections as have been outlined and, which appears to be the main objections to Belleville's adoption of Civil Service, may I submit to you comments as expressed by the editorial columns of three leading newspapers which represent impartial and unselfish opinions of agencies familiar with governmental needs?

On March 31st, 1937, the Newark Evening News in its editorial columns commenting on the Princeton Local Government Survey, advocating Civil Service for municipal employees said, "It seems strange that Civil Service has not been adopted more widely by LOCAL GOVERNMENTS." "The adoption of Civil Service always MARKS A STEP TOWARDS BETTER GOVERNMENT," and "Public employees are entitled to the protection of Civil Service and similarly THE PUBLIC INTEREST SHOULD BE PROTECTED."

And again on October 27, 1937, the Newark News in its editorial said: "Civil Service is so obviously superior to the pap and patronage plan of job dispensation that its advantages require no elucidation." "Without the protection the merit system affords, public employees are at the mercy of politicians. CIVIL SERVICE IS THE BEST SET-UP THAT HAS BEEN DEvised TO BRING EFFICIENCY TO PUBLIC POSITIONS AND A MEASURE OF JUSTICE TO THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO FILL THEM. Accordingly it is to the advantage of the public and the public employee to vote 'YES!'"

The editorial columns of the Newark Sunday Call express their opinion of Civil Service when they stated on April 4, 1937, "The fact is that despite the impressions created by the bad manners and laziness of a few, the majority of public employees are as energetic and conscientious as their superiors require them to be. They are not much different from workers in private business."

The Newark Ledger, November 4, 1937, in support of Civil Service adoption said editorially, "Especially gratifying was the result of the referendum on Civil Service. CIVIL SERVICE TRIUMPHED WHEREVER IT WAS ON THE BALLOT. The Civil Service proposal was vigorously opposed by political interests."

This statement by the Newark Ledger endorses my oft expressed public statement that "Good government methods are the best politics."

Our own Belleville News has been a consistent advocate of Civil Service and by the following quotations from its editorial columns sums up the question from a local viewpoint. On April 9th, 1937, they said editorially, "To the citizens interested in good government rather than who comprise the personnel, this trend must be reassuring. Civil Service is destined to be THE RULE RATHER THAN THE EXCEPTION IN LOCAL GOVERNMENTS. We are pleased but not surprised to find Mayor Williams thinking ahead of those who are striving for the correction of ills in Governmental affairs and continuing his efforts to place Belleville in the forefront of progressive activity." And again on September 9, 1938, the Belleville News said, "The adoption of Civil Service Regulations is another step in the right direction of our Municipal progress and its approval by the members of our Governing Body is indeed a splendid gesture to remove our Municipal Employees from the possibility of political influence and RENDER BELLEVILLE LESS POLITICAL IN NATURE." And further interesting data is contained in their editorial of September 30, 1938, "It is interesting to note that taking into consideration all employees of the Town of Belleville and the Board of Education—80% of our Taxpayer employees have the benefit of tenure or the right to earn continuity of office. The remaining 20% is composed of our Municipal Employees who for the greater part are men and women long residents of Belleville—products of our own school system — coming from taxpaying families of many years standing — and many owning their own homes in Belleville, and holding responsible key positions. In view of the fact that it is possible for folks who come into our employ from beyond our Town borders to earn tenure of office, it seems rather inconsistent that members of our own home town families should be denied the advantages we offer folks coming from other cities and states.

I have deemed it necessary and in the best interest of our Municipality to lay the above facts before the voters of Belleville. In addition to your public officials there are many of our Taxpayers who have constantly urged Civil Service for Belleville. Those favoring its adoption have not waged any strenuous campaign to attract votes for Civil Service.

However, since minority groups and certain individuals have become active in campaigning against Civil Service in Belleville, I am determined that such groups shall not prevail in their efforts to confuse our citizens and deprive our taxpayers of the benefits to be derived by the adoption of Civil Service.

I ask you to consider its merits as it is advocated by impartial, non-participating and authoritative leaders in contrast to actions of those who would defeat it on purely selfish motives or personal dislikes for individuals who come within the field of Civil Service regulation.

The referendum on Civil Service for Belleville will appear on the upper left hand corner of the voting machine as shown below.

QUESTIONS

Question

YES NO

"Shall the provisions, of Subtitle 3, Title 11, Civil Service", of the Revised Statutes be adopted?"

I sincerely urge you to give it favorable consideration so that Belleville may have the benefits CIVIL SERVICE has brought to other municipalities which have adopted it for better Municipal Management.

I urge you to vote "YES" for Civil Service!

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM H. WILLIAMS,

Mayor and Finance Director.

P.S. — Sincere appreciation is extended to the many civic-minded groups which have given me opportunities to discuss the merits and methods of Civil Service. I also appreciate the keen interest shown by citizens calling at my office or by their correspondence.

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Armistice Day Plans Made By American Legion Auxiliaries

"The biggest Armistice Day observance since the war" is being anticipated by American Legion Auxiliary members throughout the country, according to Mrs. Charles Hoffman, Americanism chairman of the local Auxiliary Unit. Auxiliary units in more than 9,000 cities and towns will cooperate with their Legion posts in celebrating the anniversary of victory and peace.

"Armistice Day this year will be the twentieth anniversary of the signing of the Armistice which ended the World War," Mrs. Hoff-

man explained. "Recent events have aroused wide public appreciation of the value of the peace and security that day brought to our country, and have stimulated a patriotic determination to maintain America's peace and freedom. For the first time this year, Armistice Day is a national legal holiday by act of Congress. For these reasons the American Legion Auxiliary is expecting the most inspiring observance of the day since the war."

Department presidents and secretaries of the American Legion Auxiliary from every state and from the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, and the Panama Canal Zone met at national headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana, Tuesday and Wednesday, for the Auxiliary's annual Presidents' and Secretaries' Conference. National officers and chairmen of national committees also attended.

With Mrs. James Morris, new National President, presiding, the conference heard plans for 1939 activities presented by the chairmen in charge of the different parts of the national program. Methods of developing the program were discussed. The conference was held earlier this year than ever before in order that plans for 1939 may be in the hands of all Departments by Armistice Day.



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Lad Injures Ankle

Robert Hagerman, fifteen, 60 High street Saturday received an ankle injury while playing at the Recreation House, Joralemon street and Garden avenue. After treatment at St. Mary's Hospital, Passaic, where he was taken in the police ambulance, the lad was taken home by Patrolmen Anderson and Holly.

GROUPS TO ATTEND ARMISTICE RITES

Legion And Auxiliary At Masonic Temple Affair

Belleville Post, No. 105, American Legion, with Commander Otto Breunlich, and the auxiliary, headed by President Mrs. Joseph J. Huemer, will attend the Armistice Memorial services at 8 p.m. Sunday evening in Masonic Temple, Joralemon street. Rev. Borchert of Bethany Lutheran Church will preach the sermon.

Mrs. Huemer and the auxiliary chaplain, Mrs. Edwin Ackerman, Commander Breunlich, Mrs. Alicia Gannon, president of George A. Younginger Post, V. F. W. Auxiliary, Commander of the post, George Weston, Mrs. Theresa Vreeland, Gold Star Mother, Mayor William H. Williams and other town officials will participate in the Memorial service at 11 A. M. on Armistice Day at the Town Hall victory monument.

Each organization will place wreaths in honor of those who have died in service. At 8 P. M. all veteran organizations will take part in the parade, starting at Greylock parkway.

On Tuesday Mrs. Huemer, Mrs. Ackerman, and Mrs. Arthur Christie attended Navy Night at the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. building in Broadway, Newark, sponsored by Newark Post No. 10.

Mrs. Huemer and Mrs. William Labaugh Wednesday attended the

Veteran Memorial Life-saving Foundation at Passaic and tomorrow Mrs. Huemer and delegation will attend the joint installation of Montclair Post and Auxiliary.

The newly elected Junior Auxiliary is as follows: President, Miss Virginia Ackerman; vice-president, Miss Ruth Shannon; secretary, Miss Maude Christie; treasurer, Miss Doris Eleanor Huemer; historian, Miss Alberta Allen; sergeant-at-arms, Miss Evelyn Ackerman; and chaplain, Miss Joyce Shannon. Miss Maude Christie is retiring president. Mrs. Arthur Christie is Junior Auxiliary chairman and is making plans for the installation of officers.

The second Essex County American Legion Auxiliary meeting was held yesterday at Irvington Service Men's Club. Mrs. Harry Kendall presided. Mrs. Huemer and delegates, Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Labaugh, Mrs. Christie and Mrs. F. G. Fredericks attended.

Declared Tipsy After Accident In Newark

Harry Vernson, forty-three, Hancock avenue, Saturday was pronounced drunk by Dr. A. J. Maciejewski, assistant police surgeon in Newark, after Vernson had been arrested by Radio Patrolmen Stafford and Delaney for driving into a group of laborers at the Erie Railroad crossing on Mt. Prospect avenue, injuring Peter Opidsano, thirty-five, 655 Stone street, Newark. Opidsano was treated at St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, for facial lacerations.

Daniel McFadden, 20 Broadway, Newark, who saw the accident, made the complaint. Vernson was arraigned before Judge Seymour Klein in Second Pre-

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LECTURES START AT SYNAGOGUE

The first in the new series of lectures sponsored by the Congregation A.A.A., was held last Wednesday night in the Social Hall of the Congregation, 317 Washington avenue. The speaker was Rabbi Wentworth A. Matthews, Chief Rabbi of the Ethiopian Jews in America, head of the

Rabbinical Seminary of Ethiopian Hebrews, and Spiritual Leader of the Commandment Keepers Congregation in Harlem. His topic was "The Relationship of the Ethiopian Falasha Jews to World Jewry."

Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin, who is arranging the series, introduced Sam J. Kogan, chairman, who, in turn presented Rabbi Matthews. At the outset, Rabbi Matthews deplored the lack of knowledge and information about the Falasha Jews of Ethiopia. He said

that it was the duty of Jews everywhere to seek out information about their brethren in other parts of the world. The Rabbi then presented a short resume of his work here in America, and showed the connection between his congregation and the Falasha Communities in Ethiopia.

After the lecture, an open forum took place in which the audience asked some very interesting questions of the speaker. About 225 people attended the meeting. The next lecture will be held on Wednesday night, November 16. The speaker will be Rabbi Elias Levi of Rangoon, India, the only Rabbi in the country. All are invited to attend.

Local Resident Named To Alumnae Advisory Council

Mr. Charles H. Berle, 22 Fairview place, was named today as a member of the newly organized Alumnae Advisory Council of New Jersey College for Women. Announcement of the appointment of Advisory Council members in each of the counties within New Jersey and in key cities out of the state, was made by Miss Margaret T. Corwin, dean of the college.

The Council was created so that high school students who would like an informal opportunity to secure information about New Jersey College for Women may turn to an informal alumna living near her for this purpose. Members of the Advisory Council have assured the college that they are ready to do what they can to answer questions in the minds of prospective students or their parents, and have expressed their readiness to be called upon by letter, telephone or personal visit when they can be of assistance.

Cassin's Halloween Party

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Cassin, 65 Ligham street entertained thirty-five guests at a Round the World Cruise Halloween party Saturday night. The "hold" or cellar of the ship was decorated with ocean views and a realistic rail. Passports with funny pictures and tickets for kissing the Blarney Stone in Ireland, riding a camel in Egypt, and captain's table were features. At 12 o'clock Father Neptune took charge of the ship, putting the passengers through the usual ritual at crossing the equator. The costumes represented thirty countries with the prize for the best going to Mrs. Frank Bartel who wore a fifty-year-old authentic Czechoslovakian costume. Stephen Martin, as a bride, was voted the funniest.

Local Girl In Cast Of "Wooden Slipper" Show

When "The Wooden Slipper" is presented by the Little Theatre Workshop Group of New Jersey College for Women November 10, 11 and 12, a Belleville student will appear in the cast. Alice Claire Helminger '39 of 24 Essex street has been selected by Professor Jane Inge, director of the production, to appear in the role of Adele Zigmeyer.

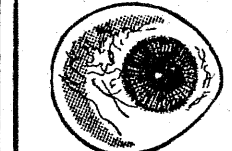
Miss Helminger has appeared in a number of previous productions including last year's "Paolo and Francesca," "Merrily We Roll Along" in her sophomore year and in freshmen plays. She was chairman of make-up for her class Junior Show and is assistant photography editor of Quair, her class yearbook. Miss Helminger was awarded a music scholarship in her sophomore year.

To Install Officers In Harmony Lodge

The newly elected officers of Harmony Lodge No. 25, I.O.O.F., will be installed by Acting District Deputy Grand Master Joseph Sell on Monday evening, in the rooms of Harmony Lodge, Masonic Temple, Joralemon street. A large attendance of members of the local Lodge is expected, as well as delegations from other lodges in the district and Grand Lodge officers.

Turkey Supper

The Ladies Aid Society of Redeemer Lutheran Church, Broadway at Carteret street, Newark, plans to hold its second annual turkey supper and bazaar at the Parish House, 100 Grafton avenue, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, from 5.30 until 8.30 P. M. Mrs. Charles Huemer is chairlady.



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When the demonstration had subsided and the audience began filing out of the theater the hubbub of voices paid eloquent tribute to the production genius of

Darryl F. Zanuck. The 20th Century-Fox vice-president, who is already known for many of the screen's most memorable achievements, is said to have poured all the resources of his company into "Suez." As a result the picture has so many spectacular elements that people of the most divergent tastes found themselves in complete accord in declaring "Suez" stirring entertainment.

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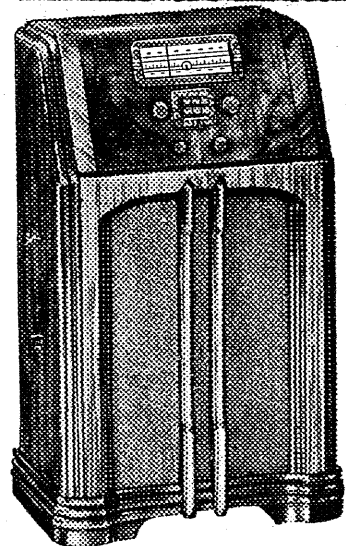
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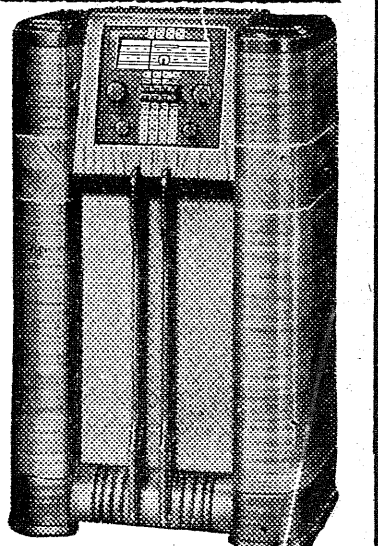


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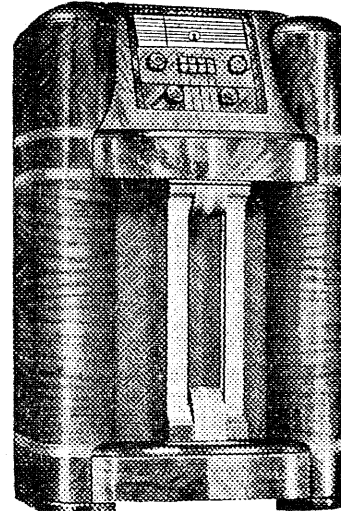


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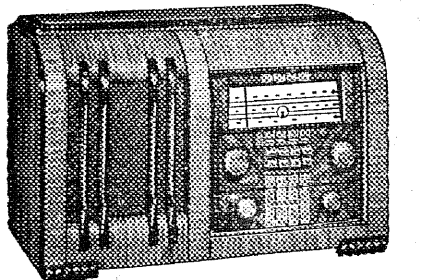


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SPORTS

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By Joe Duval

The sports world is on the move again. Football is lengthening its stride as it comes into the homestretch and already basketball is getting ready to cut in. From this vantage point it looks like a big year for Belleville basketball. All four leagues will be functioning under the supervision of the Recreation House and it is no idle rumor that it will be a real race in each. Naturally most of the interest will center around the Industrial and Senior leagues as it has in the past, but some of those Junior and Intermediate games are guaranteed to make you hoarse.

Vic Pomponio has strengthened his Senior champion Belleville Rosary and expects to repeat last year's triumph. Outside of league competition, the Rosary will play some of the leading senior teams of the state. Ray Meehan, Al Cuklin, Joe Shanahan, Felix Clark, Joe Grosch, Bill "Scotty" Simpson, Pat McNally, Jim McCann and "Chang" Kennedy are expected to bear the brunt of the punishment for the champs.

BELLEVILLE-NUTLEY FARTHER APART

"Belleville and Nutley are farther apart than ever," said George Stanford, "because of your article of last week. Belleville is always pulling stuff like that, and that's what has kept the high schools apart all this time. It is Belleville who is seeking this game, not Nutley. We mind our own business here and we wish you would do the same. . . . We do not want Belleville on our schedule. . . . What makes you think it is a natural rivalry, anyway? You can't prove that. . . . We played Belleville on our schedule several times and every time they pulled something. . . . And what about all those riots at Belleville? You did not mention those. . . ."

This is just a sampler of the denials which came over the wires Wednesday morning when we called Mr. Stanford to get his views on the projected Belleville-Nutley patch-up. He denied that any of the Nutley school board members were in favor of resumption of the game (which information we got from a reliable source in Nutley). He denied that the townspeople of Nutley wanted the game back (which is contradicted in The Nutley Sun: "There is a growing sentiment among the folks whose opinions mean something that it's about time both groups acted their age.") He resented most of all that we "said Nutley played a set-up schedule," which, of course, we never said at all. We merely pointed out how weak certain Nutley rivals were on the offense. Our point in this was to show that, on the whole, Belleville's 1938 foes (past history and 1923 results do not interest us now) have better records for the season than have those of Nutley.

Mr. Stanford demanded that we make a blanket retraction which unfortunately we cannot do, since some of last week's statements, at least, are true. Those about which we have been misinformed we regret exceedingly; but before we can retract them we must have proof to the contrary. When that proof is submitted and we are shown in error, we shall be more than glad to retract. We hope we are big enough to admit that we were wrong, but until such a case is proved we stand pat. To this end we invite Mr. Stanford or any other Nutley citizen to write to us—we cannot guarantee exact quotation of verbal conversations. But we do promise full publicity to any correspondence.

If last week's paragraphs unjustly criticized anyone, we sincerely regret it—but note the word "unjustly." It is our sincere purpose to put Belleville and Nutley back on each other's schedule, to persuade people to let bygones be bygones, at least to try to get along as human beings should. At the present time anything which helps to that end looks good, anything contrary is to be avoided.

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An interesting little document came into the office this week: the activities of the State Board of Fish and Game Commissioners. As a tribute to the energy of the state it is a monument; as testimony to uncontrolled rapaciousness in the past it is mute evidence. During the year ending June 30, the Commission liberated 30,656 pheasants, of which 14,049 were home-grown. 12,943 quail, 28,953 rabbits and 28 raccoons were sent forth to provide merry sport for the fads and lasses.

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE 300 SEATS?

Last year there was usually plenty of room for all comers at the football games at Clearman Field. Last fortnight when the Irvington visitors arrived there was no room for them and they had to stand. The stands ordinarily reserved for the visiting rooters were filled with the overflow of the Belleville stands. This is inhospitable to say nothing of being disheartening to spectators.

Back in the field house are stands which would seat about 300. Because they were in a slight state of disrepair, they were shoved into exterior darkness when a few dollars would have repaired them sufficiently to care for the overflows which are more or less habitual at Clearman these days. Suggest the athletic council see what it can do for the extra guests who will probably pop in for the Kearny and Good Counsel games.

IN THE BOWLING SPOTLIGHT

Oldtimer Ernie Blume broke up the pins Friday with 212-235-191-638. . . . R.C.A.'s Harold Grandjean, whaled the life out of them with 242-208-206-556, but same team's Dick Jacobs set season high with 267-228-230-734. . . . All sorts of brother combinations and feuds in the No. Nwk. League: four Viventi boys on Griggs & Mead, three Schneiders with Micon's Hardware, the Howleys with the Belleville Aces, the Rossi brothers roll for Hoyer Products as do the Dellaguzzo boys, Tom and Bill Sweet both bowl on their own team, the Bedford's split, one with the Lucky Spares, the other with Baldwin Brush.

ZEBRAS TACKLE KEARNY SATURDAY

Due To Be Hot After Two-Week Rest; Belleville Outweighed

Refreshed from a two-week rest, Coach Frank Smith's hot-and-cold Zebras tackle tough little Kearny tomorrow afternoon at Clearman Field.

The Bellboys have alternated their temperature for the past month and are due to be hot tomorrow. Against Bloomfield they were cold, against Bayonne hot. West Side found them frigid, Irvington torrid. Last Saturday, when it was their turn to be cold, they had the day off. In the normal

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| 38 Kuchinski | 17 Tietze |
| 21 Slavin | 18 Tietze |
| 23 Frunzi | 19 Tietze |

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| Belleville: 1 Marotti, 3 Brindisi, 5 Bechtold, 6 E. Hollweg, 9 Thoma, 10 Langlands, 12 Sullivan, 13 Fias, 15 Weinberger, 18 Lepore, 20 Lelong, 21 Gallarano, 24 Reeves, 25 McAlister, 27 Engel, 36 Kane, 39 Smith, 40 Avazier, Kearny: 14 Mazzola, 15 Caputo, 17 Cavalli, 18 Burgess, 19 Kumpke, 20 Finkelstein, 23 Silver, 27 Kirkes, 28 Bruno, 34 Hedgie, 35 Hakim, 36 Santopietro, 38 Glen, 39 Patterson, 41 Hapold, 46 Heslin. |
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cycle, Kearny is due for a little sizzling when the clubs meet.

Belleville is in good physical shape for the contest, and Smith will probably start the eleven which has gone to the post almost every Saturday so far. The line, reading from left to right, looks something like Tietze, Zuzzo, Tesone, McAlister or Bruno (in the center), Monaghan, Tenpenny and Stellatella. These gentlemen have set up a forward wall which is one of the toughest in the district. First downs are few and far between for the opposition.

Hollweg, Kuchinski, Slavin and Frunzi are a quartet of backs any coach would be pleased to have. Hollweg directing the strategy, Kuchinski passing and kicking, Slavin running the ends and Frunzi bucking the line.

Kearny Averages 168

Kearny will come to town with a team averaging 168 pounds to the man—five more than Belleville. Coach Neil Sands' boys have had an up-and-down time of it this season, their record at the present time standing at two wins, three defeats and a tie.

Victories came over Newark Central and West Orange, defeats from Montclair High, Hillside, and Irvington. The latter defeat came last Saturday and was by the margin of one touchdown. West Side was held to a scoreless tie, thus indicating that Kearny can summon plenty of defensive power when needed.

Comparative scores in reference to tomorrow's game will only drive the prognosticator up a tree. Judging from the Irvington results, Belleville should win, 20-0. But when we turn the mirror over and compare each with West Side, Kearny should be able to eke out a win by the margin of a safety or a field goal.

The Sandmen will probably line up in back of the ball as follows, from left to right: Elwood Hill, Bill Stralk, Jim Black, Chris Hamilton, Tony Rodriguez, Captain Bill Smith and Chet Landers. The backfield is light and shifty, and ranges in weight from quarterback Jack Foy's 147 to fullback Bob Forfar's 180. Halfbacks Jim McAlister and Phil Graham are about midway between them.

BITTEN BY DOG

Harry Phelps, 380 Washington avenue, Sunday was treated at St. Barnabas's Hospital, Newark, for a dog bite on his right wrist.

Jim Ward



Ward, who hails from Ridgefield Park, is the backfield star of the Admiral Farragut Naval Academy eleven which will line up next Friday against La Salle Military Academy in the Little Army-Navy game at Ruppert Stadium, Newark. Advance ticket sale has already passed the 9000 mark.

REC. BASKETBALL TO START NOV. 21

Final Meeting Of Managers Next Monday At Rec. House At 8 P.M. Lister Announces

With a last tune-up meeting of the managers of the teams scheduled for 8 o'clock Monday night in the Recreation House, 407 Joralemon street, the various Belleville recreation basketball leagues are all set to start hacking away at each other for the respective crowns of the Senior, Industrial, Intermediate and Junior circuits.

Edward Lister, Director of Recreation, disclosed this week that complete schedules for the four leagues would be announced at the meeting next Monday. He stressed the importance of the presence of every team manager and requested that they all appear on time.

Practice games will be played the week of November 14 and actual league play will start the following week with the Seniors leading off Monday November 21.

Basketball Practice Starts With Dozen Hopefuls

Basketball practice preliminary to the general call for candidates started Monday in the High School gym under the guidance of Coach Al McBride.

An even dozen court hopefuls turned out for the first practice: Co-captains Jack Clark and Adolph Paul, Pat Tortorello, Darrell Zink, Bob Gibler, Jerry Ferrara, Ray Campbell, Jack Avazier, Pat Barbone, Leon Tierney, John Hanly and George McKay. Last year's freshman squad is also working out with the embryo varsity.

GUESS THE SCORE

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| National Box | 11 | 7 | 1019 | 874 |
| Kooler-keG | 10 | 8 | 926 | 863 |
| Mono Service | 10 | 8 | 949 | 858 |
| Federal Leather | 10 | 8 | 916 | 822 |
| Class Brass | 7 | 11 | 971 | 832 |
| Sonneborn | 6 | 12 | 1001 | 847 |
| Tung Sol | 6 | 12 | 981 | 847 |
| International | 6 | 12 | 910 | 808 |
| Scientific Glass | 3 | 15 | 914 | 801 |
| Martin Dennis | 2 | 16 | 911 | 847 |

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| Noga | 247 | 194 | 214 | Whipple | 177 | 184 | 161 |
| Czarno | 191 | 143 | 167 | Lehman | 155 | 158 | 158 |
| Rosario | 130 | 125 | 173 | Miller | 205 | 176 | 173 |
| Cullen | 125 | 150 | 147 | Volpe | 147 | 147 | 200 |
| Fritz | 193 | 143 | 158 | Peiffer | 193 | 164 | 127 |
| Rinaldi | | | | | | | 168 |

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| Caruso | 173 | 222 | 194 | Porro | 204 | 182 | 212 |
| Higgins | 222 | 172 | 163 | Lister | 140 | 172 | 163 |
| Glynn | 148 | 191 | 173 | Chenney | 187 | 189 | 183 |
| Stout | 223 | 192 | 189 | Francis | 187 | 145 | 151 |
| Sawyer | 158 | 233 | 180 | Blume | 212 | 235 | 191 |

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National Box

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| F'man | 158 | 192 | 212 | S'lin | 162 | 195 | 183 |
| M'bauer | 178 | 129 | 157 | Tinney | 237 | 215 | 187 |
| Smith | 192 | 181 | 173 | Johnson | 210 | 188 | 174 |
| Reiff | 222 | 184 | 165 | Griffin | 158 | 233 | 224 |
| Reilly | 202 | 176 | 163 | G'jean | 242 | 208 | 206 |

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| Dutton | 170 | 141 | 174 | E'con | 157 | 197 | 223 |
| Venezia | 141 | 180 | 172 | Jinks | 192 | 174 | 138 |
| Oliva | 162 | 144 | 144 | M'kins | 148 | 188 | 193 |
| Chavon | 192 | 223 | 173 | Thoma | 188 | 184 | 244 |
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| Burnes | 157 | 184 | 205 | Gleason | 157 | 142 | 183 |
| Lesser | 150 | 165 | 159 | Pandolfi | 116 | 116 | 116 |
| M'ler | 190 | 159 | 176 | Zika | 166 | 165 | 212 |
| M'Carthy | 168 | 139 | 150 | S'elli | 158 | 143 | 202 |
| Fubini | 157 | 224 | 181 | Maguire | 162 | 158 | 163 |

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| Sullivan | 189 | 172 | 165 | H'man | 168 | 167 | 171 |
| Foss | 189 | 172 | 165 | LaGrave | 168 | 167 | 171 |
| Dacey | 147 | 243 | 188 | Robbins | 175 | 175 | 161 |
| Walker | 140 | 127 | 197 | Rapp | 146 | 187 | 161 |
| MacNair | 222 | 223 | 188 | Nomie | 162 | 149 | 155 |

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Scientific Glass

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| A. Ohlson | 212 | 152 | 163 | L'ward | 151 | 167 | 167 |
| Kain | 161 | 170 | 170 | Beams | 165 | 225 | 196 |
| Walker | 151 | 167 | 167 | Choi | 152 | 173 | 173 |
| W. Amend | 167 | 135 | 205 | Gant | 175 | 179 | 186 |
| C. Ohlson | 171 | 170 | 156 | C. Bly | 153 | 153 | 172 |
| Ross | 160 | 160 | 160 | H. Bly | 162 | 167 | 193 |

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| C'pek | 188 | 142 | 186 | S'more | 178 | 198 | 145 |
| Rhodes | 148 | 155 | 162 | Fort | 133 | 133 | 133 |
| Walker | 151 | 167 | 167 | Choi | 152 | 173 | 173 |
| S'more | 181 | 157 | 166 | H'fson | 157 | 147 | 142 |
| Klemz | 186 | 191 | 170 | Hahn | 138 | 158 | 158 |

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Tavern League

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| Sweets Pike Tav. | 14 | 4 |
| Vacature Ser. Sta. | 10 | 5 |
| Lee's Tav. | 7 | 5 |
| Reno's Tav. | 10 | 8 |
| Echardt Tav. | 9 | 8 |
| Corner Tav. | 7 | 8 |
| Lawlor's Tav. | 6 | 12 |
| Buchner's Tav. | 3 | 15 |

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| Byrnes | 158 | 188 | 166 | Ventura | 151 | 158 | 182 |
| Gordon | 165 | 166 | 166 | Blume | 146 | 160 | 212 |
| Tarrant | 200 | 202 | 192 | Akers | 200 | 229 | 178 |
| T'ron | 212 | 192 | 187 | Snyder | 148 | 187 | 196 |

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Pike Tav.

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| G'jean | 210 | 201 | 211 | Jackson | 159 | 200 | 244 |
| Sawyer | 177 | 191 | 192 | Wirtz | 149 | 190 | 223 |
| Wolky | 157 | 188 | 187 | S'ont | 172 | 173 | 162 |
| Pachike | 189 | 205 | 193 | Hassam | 198 | 198 | 198 |
| Dowd | 188 | 181 | 214 | B'ngy | 199 | 199 | 180 |

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Budweiser Beer

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| Ostapko | 194 | 213 | 213 | Lee | 187 | 176 | 220 |
| Baues | 167 | 156 | 155 | V'bach | 241 | 170 | 231 |
| H. Schott | 154 | 156 | 138 | McJels | 189 | 192 | 167 |
| Stevens | 188 | 174 | 182 | Cavaliere | 163 | 176 | 175 |
| Stiles | 181 | 145 | 193 | Kuppler | 181 | 174 | 176 |

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Lawlor's Tav.

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| Smith | 173 | 188 | 188 | Zazzali | 225 | 189 | 255 |
| Wilson | 206 | 178 | 142 | D'arest | 201 | 179 | 163 |
| Richard | 180 | 202 | 140 | Klemz | 225 | 190 | 160 |
| B'vett | 190 | 160 | 229 | Volpe | 181 | 234 | 190 |
| Malach | 180 | 214 | 195 | Cutler | 186 | 178 | 184 |

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OFFICERS ELECTED BY YOUNG MEN'S DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Support Of Group Pledged To Civil Service Movement

The following officers were recently elected at the regular meeting of the Young Men's Democratic Club of Belleville, Inc., an affiliate of the Essex County Young Men's Democratic Club: Harry J. Sullivan, who was campaign manager for former Police Chief Michael J. Flynn in the last Commission election, president; Timothy J. Monaghan, secretary and treasurer, and Raymond A. Peck, recording secretary. Other officers and committees will be appointed at the next regular meeting.

Support Civil Service

A resolution was adopted supporting Mayor William H. Williams and the town officials in their efforts to adopt Civil Service in the town through the medium of the ballot on next Tuesday.

The Young Men's Democratic Club wishes it to be known that its articles of incorporation insist that members must be one hundred percent with the Democratic County Committee in Belleville, and any work that the Democratic chairman, Eugene Kivlen, has to offer the club will be carried out wholeheartedly on next Tuesday.

HARTLEY ATTACK

(Continued from Page 1)

Hallenback told reporters, after the meeting, he was employed on the paving project in Fourth street, Harrison. His last job on the WPA was shoveling concrete. He said he was back on the relief rolls.

"Ladies and gentlemen, is there any wonder, therefore, that I am devoting myself to the greatest effort that I am capable of to protect the independence of everyone on the WPA. This issue may not be settled before November 8. They may be successful in coercing those on the WPA through fear of the loss of their jobs to do their bidding, but no matter how long it takes, I am going to continue to lead this fight until once and for all the question of the personal liberties of every one of our citizens is settled, and the relief problem and its administration taken out of politics," the congressman said.

Everyone's Fight

"This fight is yours just as much as it is mine. I am going to ask each of you here tonight to do your duty between now

P., editor of the "Catholic World," has chosen as his subject, "This Changing World." Rev. John P. Boland, chairman of the New York State Labor Relations Board, will discuss "Attainable Employer-Employee Relations," on January 18.

and election day. I am going to ask you to ring your neighbor's doorbell, to call your friends on the phone, or to write them a letter, urging their support of my candidacy. I have been available to you 365 days of the year, I have given you the best representation I am capable of. I haven't been a partisan politician, for I placed the interest of my district and my country above all. If you will work between now and election day as sincerely for me as I have worked for ten years, there will be no recount necessary. It will be an election by acclamation.

"But let not Mr. Lindsey H. Rudd and his associates think for a moment that by taking potshots at me that my attention and that of the people of this district will be distracted from the greatest issue of this campaign, and that is whether or not those on the WPA are to be protected from intimidation and coercion by Democratic bosses from one end of the state to another.

"When this matter was first called to my attention little did I conceive the extent to which the Democratic organization had gone in its attempt to whip the WPA workers into a political machine. I am astounded by evidence that has come to me from one end of the state to the other exposing practices which certainly should arouse every self-respecting citizen to join in repudiation. Picture, if you will, men and women in distress, heads of families, earning 13 to 20 dollars a week, many of them without leather on the soles of their shoes, forced night after night to trudge from door to door under orders to canvass their districts. Imagine these men and women, many of whom haven't even gas or electricity in their homes, nor food on their tables, being forced to contribute to a campaign fund, and all of it under threat that if they don't produce they lose their jobs.

Imagine in a free country like ours, playing such politics with human misery, forcing men and women to vote as they are told or starve.

As Regards Labor

The congressman referred to the attack he has made on my Labor record by Rudd. He is either displaying a woeful lack of understanding of the issues involved, or is deliberately misrepresenting my position. All during my fourteen years in public office I have staunchly championed labor's cause," he said.

"In my early days as a Kearny councilman I was the first to recognize organized labor in the award of municipal contracts. As a member of Congress, I voted for every progressive measure for labor. As a member of the labor committee, I exposed the practice of unscrupulous contractors in the pay envelopes of their employees working on Federal projects. As a result of these efforts, several contractors were removed, and the prevailing wages of labor protected. But, my adversary overlooks this service to labor and holds up my vote and successful motion to recommit the first Wage and Hour Bill as complete evidence of what he calls my anti-labor record. Well, that's

what he thinks. Let me read to you what labor's own national leader has to say on this subject, and may I remind you that this comes from one whose representatives attend our committee hearings and every session of Congress when measures concerning labor are before the House. Men who know the record, and even the unrecorded votes, of every member.

"June 27, 1938 Honr. Fred A. Hartley, Jr., House Office Building, Washington, D. C. My dear Congressman: In conformity with the traditional non-partisan political policy of the American Federation of Labor to support its friends in election to Congress, I am sure that labor and its friends will actively participate in your renomination and reelection to the Federal House of Representatives.

"According to our records you have voted favorably for all labor measures sponsored and approved by the American Federation of Labor.

"Please be assured of the earnest and undivided support of the American Federation of Labor in your campaign for renomination and reelection. Very truly yours, William Green, President, American Federation of Labor."

"But now let me refer specifically to my motion to recommit the Wage and Hours Bill. On this I read you a copy of a letter dated October 21, 1938, and addressed to Mr. Vincent J. Murphy, Secretary of the New Jersey State Federation of Labor.

"Dear Sir and Brother: According to information I have received reports are being circulated in the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey that Representative Fred A. Hartley, Jr. had voted against organized labor's interests by moving in Congress to recommit the Wage and Hour Bill. This is absolutely untrue.

"Representative Hartley made the motion at the request of the American Federation of Labor for the purpose of having obnoxious provisions in the bill eliminated and amendments made that would be in conformity with the desires of the labor movement. Enclosed is a copy of a letter I wrote Representative Hartley on June 27.

"I am also enclosing a copy of a telegram sent to all members of the House requesting them to vote to recommit the bill.

"Representative Hartley has been ready and willing at all times to take any action in the interest of Labor requested by the American Federation of Labor. In committees and on the floor of the House he has proved his sympathy with remedial legislation by his acts.

"I hope that you will give as much publicity as possible to the fact that in making the motion to recommit the Wage and Hour Bill for the purpose of amending it properly it was done at my request.

"Every effort should be made to bring about the reelection of Representative Hartley. Let it not be said after the election that labor was ungrateful to a real, consistent friend.

"With best wishes and kindest regards, I am fraternally yours, (signed) William Green, President, American Federation of Labor."

Congressman Hartley pointed

out that the two Democratic congressmen from Essex County, O'Neill and Towey also voted to support Hartley's motion.

He told of a leaflet given to relief clients as they left the relief offices in West Hudson last week, which urged his defeat. The pamphlet told that Hartley voted against an increased appropriation for relief in June.

"They don't tell you," Hartley continued, "that I voted the same as the Democratic chairman of the appropriation committee, Woodrum, and the Democratic majority of the leader at the time, Joseph Robinson. So once again the man who would take my place finds himself at odds, not alone with me, but with distinguished Democrats as well."

"The greatest faker of all is the politician who proclaims his humanitarianism through the spending of someone else's money. The cheaper the politician the more he costs the country. No decent American citizen would permit those in distress to go unaided, but there are certain cold, hard facts which cannot be ignored. The people support the government. The government does not support the people. You get nothing for nothing, and anything your government does for you you pay for and with interest. Its one source of revenue comes from your pocketbooks in the form of taxes. The continuance of an uncontrolled spending policy can bring but one result. It will destroy our source of revenue so that instead of sharing wealth, we will be sharing poverty.

"Mr. Rudd would put everyone on the WPA at \$13.90 a week. He would offer young America the brilliant hope of a future on the WPA. What I want to do is to start the wheels of industry moving. I want to see smoke coming from the stacks of every plant in the United States. I want to put the 37½ billion dollars of frozen private capital to work so that men and women may go back to their regular jobs and plan a real future for their children."

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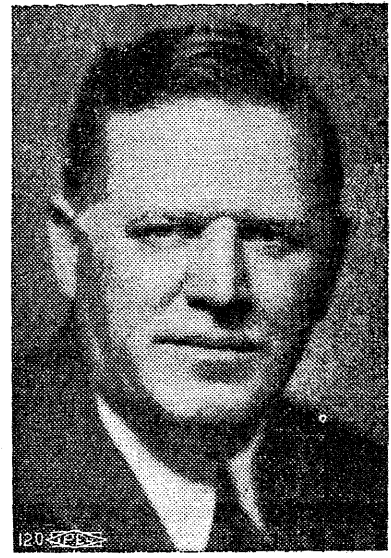
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