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## Voters Will Decide Many Issues Tuesday

### Vara To Appear Before Civil Service After Tully Protest

A subpoena has been served on Ralph Vara, superintendent of the town water department, by the State Civil Service Commission asking him to appear before it at its Trenton offices tomorrow as the result of charges by Mayor Tully that Vara's promotion to the office was improper.

Vara was indicted, together with other town officials, on charges of violating the law in the conduct of town business. In his presentation to the civil service commission, Tully contended that "it is absolutely ridiculous to give a promotion and salary increase to an indicted man."

### VOTE IF YOU WANT TO HELP TOWN'S FUTURE—HYDE

Urging all citizens to vote in next Tuesday's municipal election, Elmer S. Hyde, commissioner of parks and public property, declared in a campaign statement yesterday that the voters will help to determine Belleville's future by the names in which they cast their ballots because of the important issues involved.

"This is an important election with many factors to be weighed by the taxpayers," Commissioner Hyde said. "The next four years will be crucial ones for many communities as tax rates have just about reached the saturation point, and Belleville must prepare to take progressive steps ahead in the future or fall into a state of retrogression."

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### ECONOMY IN TOWN SPENDING URGED BY MRS. RIFFIN

Mrs. Helen R. Griffin, the only woman in the race for the town's commission election, sums up her main objective in the slogan "Good Government at Little Cost." She has been a teacher in the recreation departments of the town schools for the past 8 years and active in political campaigns for 35 years, although this is the first time she has run.

"Since a wife is accustomed to budgeting and spending economically, a woman's touch would not be remiss in town government," she said. She made the point that commissioners should be interested only in Belleville and spend more time with their town duties.

She strongly favors an increase

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### Ask New Probe Of School Board; It Makes Same Request

Declaring that "we are aware of certain facts that were not included within the scope of the recent county prosecutor's investigation," the Belleville Citizens' Association last night announced that it had asked the state department of education to conduct an "independent" investigation of the Belleville Board of Education and its veteran business manager, Ruel Daniels.

Simultaneously it was learned that in a letter dated April 22, Eugene J. Kelly, president of the school board, had sent a letter to Kenneth Woodbury, assistant state

commissioner of education, recommending an inspection or criticism of its business department.

Edward J. Ackerman, who heads the executive committee of the Citizens' Association, declared that the information upon which the department to conduct its investigation, had been detailed in its communication to the department.

Ackerman said that "the grand jury presentation against the board and its district clerk also spotlighted a number of practices by the board that, in our opinion, warrants their removal from office."

He declared further that "three members of the board, together with the district clerk, have been

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### NOLL PUSHES FOR NEW FIREHOUSE ON HOSPITAL GROUNDS

A site on the County Isolation Hospital grounds once selected for the construction of a County Paintal Home, should be decided to the Town of Belleville for a new fire house to protect all our residents and particularly those residents in western Belleville, commission candidate Louis Noll stated yesterday.

"The county's decision to abandon its plans to erect a prison in the midst of one of our finest residential areas is not enough," Noll asserted. "The County agreed four years ago as the result of my negotiations to turn over the proper-

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### GOLDEN LISTS HIS PROGRAM IF HE IS ELECTED TO BOARD

His "many brushes with the town government and the Board of Education" administration resulted from his "determined effort to expose what I have regarded as improprieties and questionable practices," and he will continue to "fight for the public good," declared James R. Golden, candidate for the Town Commission in the May 11 election, declared yesterday.

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EVERYTHING'S FRIENDLY NOW — William Orchard (left), Belleville industrialist, and member of the Parental School Board of trustees, shakes hands with Arthur Bloemeke (right), president of the Belwood Home Owners Association, after the board of trustees announced that it had abandoned its plan to build the county parental home in Belleville. In the center is Elwood Russell of Belleville, a Freeholder.

Photo By Kandrak

### Will Ask For Firehouse On Abandoned 'Home' Site

Having won its battle against construction here of a county parental home building, the Belwood Home Owners Association announced last night that it would now ask the County Board of Freeholders to build a firehouse on the north grounds of the County Isolation Hospital, which the Freeholders had originally decided for use by the parental home.

"The news was revealed by Arthur Bloemeke, president of the Belwood group, who at the same time issued a general statement thanking everyone who had taken part in the fight against the home. 'We desperately need a firehouse to safeguard lives and property in the area,' Mr. Bloemeke declared. 'Other fire stations are too distant to provide adequate protection. We are going to ask the county for its co-operation.'"

Mayor Tully had previously appeared before the Freeholders to request that it not only provide the site but pay for the cost of constructing a firehouse. He contended that the county board should co-operate in helping to provide protection for patients in the hospital, as well as for home owners in the area. Tully offered to have the town pay for equipment, and the salaries of firemen.

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### ALBERTINE SAYS MAYOR IS TRYING TO HIDE RECORD

Holding that Mayor Tully had "resorted to the use of the 'big lie' in his campaign," Michael V. Albertine, candidate for the Town Commission, declared this week that the mayor "is a desperate man, racing madly in all directions in order to hide his failures from a critical public."

In his campaign statement, Albertine said:

"I am the law of Jersey City! I have found a fitting counterpart in Mayor James J. Tully. Mayor Tully's screams of 'stop-thief' is only a method of distracting the public from the true source of municipal corruption. His use of the 'big lie' makes him a fitting candidate for the honors of bush league demagogue."

"His batting average as a public administrator is so low that he senses the people of Belleville are about to yank him off the team. This is the reason for the multi-faceted tactics used by the mayor in the closing days of the campaign. He is a desperate man, racing madly in all directions in order to hide his failures from a critical public. He has refused to answer legitimate questions concerning such activities as political favoritism,

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### Churches Hold Bingo Games Under License

St. Peter's Church will hold its first bingo game this Friday following the primary election when raffles and bingo were voted in by a majority of more than four to one. The proceeds will be used to help meet school and other expenses. The church has been licensed to sponsor 35 weekly games, which will be held in its auditorium. The Church of St. Anthony was the first to schedule bingo under municipal license, presenting the opening game last Friday.

The Association leads students for tuberculosis in the schools, and also maintains a twice-a-month clinic for patients sent to

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### SCHOOL PROGRAM CALLED 'BELATED' EFFORT BY BOARD

A school expansion program which the Board of Education has been considering to meet overcrowding in classrooms, and provide for future facilities is "a belated and belated effort on the part of the Board to white-wash their lax and inefficient administration," the Belleville Citizens' Association declared yesterday. Some details of the program were revealed in a newspaper story last week.

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### ZOELLER IS NAMED BELLEVILLE T. B. GROUP PRESIDENT

Rudolph P. Zoeller, an active figure in Belleville's political and civic activities, has been elected president of the Belleville-Tuberculosis Association, it was announced yesterday.

Other officers are Mrs. Flora Lauden of Nutley, 1st vice-president; Nicholas J. Colaninno of Belleville, 2nd vice-president; 3rd vice-president, Joseph N. Day of Nutley; secretary, Mrs. William J. Vail, Nutley; treasurer, Mrs. F. J. McFadden, Belleville.

Zoeller announced that community X-ray clinics would be held this Saturday at the Belleville high school between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. All adults or school children living or working in Belleville and Nutley may have free X-ray photos taken at that time.

More than 360 residents in the Soto and Silver Lake areas were X-rayed last week, and almost 600 more in Nutley.

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### Here Are Candidates For Town Commission

Candidates for the Town Commission in next Tuesday's election, and their position on the ballot, follows:

- 1A, Isadore J. Padula
- 2A, Michael V. Albertine
- 3A, James J. Tully
- 4A, Kenneth D. Smith
- 5A, Robert C. Gruhin
- 6A, Louis A. Noll
- 7A, Harry J. Sullivan
- 8A, Joseph King
- 9A, James R. Golden
- 10A, Helen R. Griffin
- 11A, Anthony J. Brienza
- 12A, Edward G. Smith
- 13A, Elmer S. Hyde

### Must Choose Town Commission, Decide Charter Question, And Vote On Elective School Board

(Photos on Page 3)

In the most important election in its history, Belleville next Tuesday will choose five Town Commissioners from 13 candidates, decide the Charter Study question, and vote on whether or not to replace the appointive school board system with an elective board whose members would be chosen directly by the people at the polls instead of being appointed by the town's mayor. A record vote is expected, with 15,701 citizens eligible to cast their ballots.

### SULLIVAN WILL BE RE-ELECTED, HIS MANAGER PREDICTS

Predicting that Public Safety Director Harry J. Sullivan would be re-elected to office, N. R. Pico, his campaign manager, declared yesterday that "election campaigns always bring forth many revelations, charges, and counter-charges among the various candidates and their supporters, and in order to clarify atmosphere, this is a good time to state the commissioner's position."

"I believe it is extremely significant that the recent panhandling and thorough investigation of the town government by the Essex County grand jury did not reveal one single instance of mismanagement by Commissioner Sullivan."

"This man has been dedicated to the task of operating the most precarious department in the municipal government, and conducting its affairs in a most efficient, honest, and economical manner. I am sure that a careful examination of

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### TOWN BUREAU FOR JOBLESS, ANTHONY BRIENZA URGES

Creation of a "municipal unemployment bureau" where all those desiring help "may present their needs through a central bureau, thus helping not only the unemployed, but the entire town," was advocated yesterday by Anthony Brienza, candidate for the Town Commission, in a campaign statement.

"It is quite apparent that the unemployment situation has become more and more acute," the candidate said. "Experts tell us

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### Mark 30th Anniversary of Town's Program For Health

This month marks the 30th anniversary of Belleville's maternal and child hygiene program, and in the period since its inception the town's infant mortality rate has been cut from 83.3 per 1,000 births to slightly more than 13 per 1,000 last year, Health Officer Eugene T. Berry announced yesterday.

The program is supervised by Berry, and the town's health department has been under the direction of Commissioner Joseph King for the past 18 years.

The anniversary also marks Miss Angela Chapman's 30th year with the department. Miss Chapman is one of the two original nurses employed for the town's public health program.

In a report to Commissioner King, this week, Berry noted that a recent survey by the state department of health rated the Belleville program as "exceptionally high." The local plan is used as a model for visiting nurses and officials from other towns.

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### NOT SELLING OUT, SAYS JERGENS CO.

Reports that the Andrew Jergens Company, which manufactures a Franklin Avenue plant here, was about to be sold to Procter and Gamble, "manufacturers of soap and other products, were denied yesterday by company officials at the concern's main plant and offices in Cincinnati.

"Holding public office is a sacred trust," Smith continued. "It must be administered by efficient, capable and trustworthy commissioners."

He said his only campaign pledge is "to preserve with me the many fine traditions of this town, the great destiny of the town of Belleville, to be the servant, not the master of his neighbors, the voters."

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13 Candidates For The Town Commission, Including Four Incumbents, Await Verdict At Ballot Box After Vivid Election Campaign



Isadore J. Padula



Michael V. Albertine



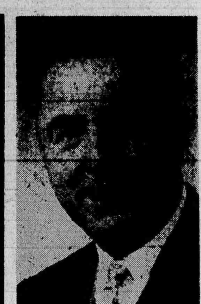
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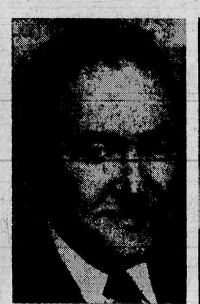
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Elmer S. Hyde

REVIEW 3 GOV'T. FORMS AVAILABLE UNDER CHARTER

This is the last of a series of articles relating to the proposal for a Charter Study Commission, which will be included on the May 11 ballot. The author is a candidate for the Charter Commission.

By Boyd Hartley

Let us recapitulate what we have said in this series. There are three forms of government, which can be adopted through the Charter Study in Belleville — the existing commission form, the mayor-council form and the council-manager form.

The commission form involves five commissioners, each in complete charge of a department. As administrative head, each commissioner determines what shall be done, who shall be hired or promoted to do it, and how much money is necessary to do it. Since the salary of each commissioner is \$2,250 and the mayor's \$2,750, each can only devote part time to town affairs; hence, authority must be delegated or a deputy director hired. As a Board of Commissioners, they adopt ordinances, determine the responsibilities of individual commissioners and adopt the budget of the town as required by the budget set up by each commissioner. The mayor is only chairman of the Board. There is no separation of administrative and legislative powers, there is no administrative responsibility for coordination of the entire municipal government, and authority to set up the budget is vested in the commission form.

The mayor-council form has an elected mayor and elected council. The mayor is the administrative head responsible for running the city and coordinating the activities of all departments. He works full time and may, if provided in the city charter, have a trained business administrator to assist him as well as the present heads of departments, such as police chief, fire chief or water superintendent. The Council, composed of five, seven, or more members, is elected either at large or from wards and, as specified in the city charter, The council adopts all laws and can override the mayor's veto. It is responsible for setting the budget and may reduce the Mayor's recommended budget if desired. It approves appointments of department heads and may veto the Mayor's removal of department heads. Since the council has no time-consuming administrative responsibilities, the councilmen receive only a token payment for their services. This form separates administrative and legislative powers of the city, but still provides checks and balances between the two fields of making policy and carrying it out. Most important, the adoption of the budget and, therefore, the establishment of the tax rate, is removed from the hands of the person responsible for directing the spending of the money.

The council-manager form is the most modern type and a direct parallel to the methods of modern business. An elected Council, composed of five, seven, or nine members, is elected either at large or from wards and at large as specified in the city charter. The council adopts all laws and is responsible for the duties of department heads, and may appoint a personnel board. It appoints and removes the city manager, the city clerk, and the city attorney.

A mayor is elected by the council from its members; he is chairman of the Council. Here again, the council has no time-consuming administrative responsibilities and receives only a token payment for their services. The city manager is appointed and removed by the council and is a person trained in municipal administration. He is the responsible head of the government and carries out the policy set up by the Council. This form also separates administrative and legislative powers and provides checks and balances between the two fields of making policy and carrying it out. In addition, if the administrative head of the city does not carry out the will of the elected representatives of the people, he may be removed without waiting up to four years for the next municipal election. Again, the adoption of the budget and establishment of the tax rate rests solely in the hands of the elected council.

The author of this series has been asked, "What about the cost of salaries? Now, we have only five men and a new form would require a five to nine man council and a mayor or city manager. This question can only be determined after adoption of a new form. However, statistics are available listing the salaries of such municipal officials in cities of comparable size. The mayor or city manager must receive a salary large enough to live on and commensurate with the responsibility, possibly about \$8,000. The position of councilman is often considered an honorary position and no salary is given in some cities; the average is about \$500 for our population class. Our present commissioners receive a total of \$11,750 yearly, to that must be added the salaries of any necessary deputy commissioners and deputy mayor. It is unlikely that a city the size of Belleville would need more than five councilmen, but let's say seven to be on the safe side. That is a total of \$11,500 per year.

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for the betterment of Belleville and all its citizens.

"I favor an elective school board so that the citizens of Belleville shall say who these members shall be. This is important because the school board not only spends our money but also sees to the training and education of our children."

"Belleville needs better transportation and parking facilities so that the full potential of our shopping center can be utilized."

"Belleville needs Health Stations in the Silver Lake section as a much needed convenience to the young mothers and thus eliminate the long trip to the town hall clinic."

"Belleville needs vigorous and affirmative effort in solving its problem of juvenile delinquency."

"Belleville needs and should have a non-salaried, non-political planning board that will bring to our town new industry and new building development."

"Belleville needs a complete revision of its street lighting so as to bring it to maximum efficiency. There has not been an improvement in our street lighting in 30 years."

"My candidacy has been endorsed by the American Federation of Labor Union Local No. 2926, Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America and by Locals No. 50 A. F. of L. and No. 655 I.W.O.A. C.I.O."

"I have predicated my campaign on sound and clean cut issues and on personal integrity, honesty and ability based on more than 25 years of service and experience in the Department of Public Safety and its ramifications in all other departments of the Town Commission."

"I respectfully solicit the vote and confidence of the citizens of Belleville to elect me as one of the Commissioners on Tuesday, May 11th, and I solemnly and sincerely pledge that as a Commissioner I shall give myself full time to the welfare and betterment of Belleville and endeavor to make our town a better place in which to live, a better place to work and a better place in which to worship."

TULLY IS ELECTED TO SUCCEED YUDIN AS LIONS CHIEF

Mayor Tully Thursday was elected president of the Belleville Lions Club for the coming year, succeeding Wilford Yudin. Tully has served as chairman of the membership committee for the past term.

Other officers elected are William C. Smith, 1st vice-president; William J. Bowen, 2nd vice-president; Frank H. Bridge, Jr., 3rd vice-president; Victor L. Hart, secretary; Richard J. Hayes, treasurer; Donald Bray and William Giles, directors; Charles H. Charney, Lion Tamer; William A. Frey, Lion Twister.

All will be installed at a special ceremony to be held on May 27 at the For-Hills Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Tully are to head the delegation which will attend the 33rd annual convention of the New Jersey Multiple District 16 of Lions International, to be held at the Madison Hall, Atlantic City, June 18-20.

More Than 700 Turn Out For Padula's Card Party

Over 700 guests attended the card party Monday evening, sponsored by the Isadore J. Padula Voters' Association in the Elks Auditorium. A committee of 80 women were in charge of the refreshments and prizes, which consisted of silver pie servers donated by Isadore Padula.

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Rosary Society Members Make Marian Pilgrimage

St. Peter's Rosary Confraternity held a meeting on Monday to complete the plans for the Marian year pilgrimage to the national shrine in Washington, D. C. Rev. Joseph Kelly, moderator, will accompany the group, which will leave on Saturday.

During the social hour bingo was played and prizes were awarded the winners. Refreshments followed the business meeting and Mrs. Christopher Glennon was chairman for the evening, assisted by the following:

Mrs. Mary Garbely, Mrs. Margaret Fitzpatrick, Miss Nellie Kelly, Mrs. Gertrude Gilchrist, Mrs. Geneva Gohel, Mrs. Vincent Naylor, Mrs. William Risley, Miss Frances Hannan and Mrs. Alfred Calvo.

The next meeting of the Rosary Confraternity will be held on June 7 and Mrs. Joseph T. Pedraza will be hostess at the evening.

ASSOCIATION HITS HYDE'S 'POSITION' ON TAX QUESTION

Criticism of what it termed Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde's "inconsistent" position concerning taxes was contained in a statement issued yesterday by the Belleville Civic Association through John Cappel, its secretary. The Association has clashed before with both Hyde and John K. Golden, commissioner, charged that the group was a "paper" organization.

In its statement, the Association declared: "Our association was formed during the preparation of the 1954 Belleville municipal budget to aid in effecting a tax rate reduction and to keep the record straight concerning the facts and issues in the present town commission election, particularly in references to taxes."

"Frankly, we are amazed that so many of the candidates who are running have done nothing in the present year or at any time in the past to help reduce the tax rate or at least to keep it in bounds."

"We are concerned, however, with the inconsistent position of Commissioner Elmer Hyde, who refused to cooperate with the Citizens Budget Committee and who fought any reduction in the budget of his department, although he finally capitulated to citizen opinion against him."

"It is with the greatest amazement that we read the campaign literature of Commissioner Hyde, who now claims he is in favor of reducing the tax rate." Hydeville to elect me as one of the commissioners who fought the efforts of the Citizens Budget Committee, appointed by Mayor Tully, to reduce the tax rate.

"What does Commissioner Hyde mean when he says, 'a fair tax rate'? Does he mean any tax rate as long as it doesn't reduce his departmental budget? What has he ever done to keep Belleville's tax rate from increasing?"

"We don't think the people of Belleville will be fooled by Mr. Hyde's double-talk."

MISS FRANCES RAAB TO CELEBRATE HER BAS-MITZVAH RITES

Frances Donna Raab, daughter of Rabbi and Mrs. Albert L. Raab of 110 Cedar Hill Avenue, will celebrate her Bas-Mitzvah (confirmation) this weekend at Congregation Ahavath Achim.

The special consecration service will be conducted tonight at 8:30 by Dr. Albert L. Raab, rabbi of the congregation and the father of the celebrant. Dr. Seymour F. Fischer will chant the Hazzard. The Synagogue choir, under the direction of Miss Doris Cohen, will participate.

A special consecration solo will be offered by Doris Cohen.

"Kiddush" will be served by the parents of the Bas-Mitzvah following the service in the vestry room of the synagogue.

The Bas-Mitzvah ceremony will continue Saturday morning with services beginning at 9:30 o'clock. Frances will pronounce the appropriate benedictions and chant the "Hazzard" and then deliver her oration on the importance of the day.

Besides her father, she will then be addressed by her uncle, Rabbi David Raab of congregation Emanu-El, Westfield, New Jersey. Her grandfather, Rabbi Solomon Rook of Brooklyn, New York, will bless her.

Other members of the committee include Mrs. Victor L. Hart, Mrs. Esther Long, Alfred Del. Groso, Gilbert E. Howley, Stephen J. Raleigh and Detective J. Mallack.

All appointments are made by the judge of the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court of Essex County. The committee serves as a friend of the court in making a special study and investigation of each juvenile offender referred to it by the court.

RONCO APPOINTED TO JUVENILE POST BY COUNTY JUDGE

Attorney Leonard D. Ronco has been appointed referee of Belleville's Juvenile Conference committee by Harry W. Lindeman, judge of the Essex County Juvenile and Domestic Relations court, it has been announced.

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It determines what factors brought about the anti-social behavior complained of, and devises ways and means of setting up an individualized program to aid such juveniles so that they may be acceptable as a member of society.

On Monday evening at 7:45 in St. Peter's, the group will present the play again for the archdiocesan trophy, competing against Hudson, Bergen and Union counties. The public is invited to attend.

Plans are now in progress for the Opus Dei "Variety Show" to be staged on Saturday, May 15, in St. Mary's school hall. Nutley tickets are available for 90 cents each and more details of the production will be announced next week. Rev. Gerard Walsh is moderator of the Opus Dei club, which is only one month old.

ST. MARY'S HAS ANNUAL TAG DAY

Mrs. Peter Cantalupo of 31 Tyeport Avenue is chairman of the Belleville district of St. Mary's hospital annual Tag Day, to be conducted on Friday and Saturday, May 7 and 8.

Mrs. Cantalupo will organize a squad of high school girls who will be stationed at advantageous spots around Belleville. All contributions will go toward the building of a maternity wing to the hospital.

OPUS DEI GROUP WINS ESSEX COUNTY DRAMATIC CONTEST

The Opus Dei group of St. Mary's C.Y.O. won the Essex county one-act play contest this week from among 20 groups which competed. The play, "Write Me a Love Scene," was directed by Bernard Strain of Belleville.

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Miss Baldino, To Be May Bride, Honored At Shower

Miss Mary Baldino, of 15 Lafayette Place, was guest of honor at a surprise miscellaneous shower, given by Miss Christina Tozzi, of 9 Newman Avenue, on April 22.

Fifty guests attended the party from Jersey City, Lyndhurst, Belleville, and Nutley.

Miss Baldino will be married on May 16 to Ermen Tabasso, of Nutley, and Miss Tozzi will be maid of honor for the bride.

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# Tea and Politics Mixed At Five Big Parties This Week

By Regina Smardigke

The social scene was livened this week by five teas given candidates by various women. On Monday, Commissioner Joseph King was guest of honor at the home of Mrs. Vincent R. Del Guercio of 14 Hewitt Avenue. More than 50 women attended and Mrs. Joseph King and Mrs. Daniel Caprio poured. Mrs. Del Guercio

Mrs. Ruth Reynolds, president of the Women's Republican Club, entertained 20 guests on Tuesday and Kenneth Smith was the guest of honor. Mrs. William Irvine Sr., assisted by Mrs. Smith poured. Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde was among those present.

A silver tea for 110 guests was given by Mrs. Peter Cantalupo of 13 Tremont Avenue last Wednesday to honor Commissioner and Mrs. Harry J. Sullivan. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore J. Padula, Mrs. Gerald L'Esperance, assisted Mrs. Cantalupo in greeting the guests and Mrs. Columbia De-mario poured. The open house affair lasted from 1 until 3 p.m.

The friends and neighbors of Michael V. Albortine gave a tea last Tuesday in the Franklin Casino and more than 40 women attended.

A tea, sponsored by Mrs. Norman Lauterette, in honor of Mayorfully was held at the Women's Club Tuesday afternoon, attended by over 100 women. A cake in the replica of the Town Hall was donated by Mrs. Edward Roche, Mrs. Albert Raab, Mrs. Lester Verdon, Mrs. Gary Vanderbilt and Mrs. Michael Dacey poured.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan of 55 Clinton Avenue were feted on Sunday at a dinner in the Robin Hood Inn to celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary. Their two daughters, Joan and Patricia and son James Jr., were present along with their two married children, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan of Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Keown of West Paterson. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keown, formerly of Belleville, now of Atlanta, Ga., were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maize of 18 Forest Street and their friends, the Howard Holmes, drove to Princeton on Sunday afternoon to attend the concert given by the combined choirs of Vassar and Princeton Universities.

**VOTE 5-A**

**Belleville Needs**

**GRUHN**

Post by Cable Express

## 21ST BIRTHDAY OF WOMEN'S GOP CLUB

Thursday will be the 21st anniversary of the Belleville Women's Republican Club and a membership tea and birthday party are planned beginning at 2 p.m. in the clubhouse, 51 Rossmore Place.

This will also mark the last meeting of the season and at the business meeting which will precede the program, Mrs. Ruth Reynolds, president, will preside.

Refreshments and a large birthday cake will be served and Mrs. Edward Rochau will present a musical program of light operetta selections.



Mrs. Charles P. Hannon Mrs. Joseph Troina Mrs. Edward G. Mohr

## Maytime Nuptials For Three Brides

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth A. Groerer, daughter of Mrs. Elsie Groerer, 28 Fairview Place, and the late William F. Groerer, to Charles P. Hannon, son of Mrs. Evelyn C. Hannon of 26 Perry Street, and the late William F. Hannon, took place on Saturday in St. Peter's church. Rev. John Meyer, cousin of the groom, performed the ceremony and a reception followed at the Crystal Ball Casino.

The bride, given in marriage by Joseph Jauch, uncle of the groom, wore a Chantilly lace gown styled with two panels of acordion pleated nylon tulle. Her fingertip veil fell from a scalloped headpiece of pearls and lace. She carried a white orchid surrounded by white roses.

The maid of honor, Miss Evelyn Claire Hannon, sister of the groom, wore a ballerina gown of pale blue lace over nylon tulle and carried a cascade of yellow roses. The bridesmaids, Miss Mary Louise Morland and Evelyn Niederer, bridesmaids, were gowned in pink and carried pink roses. The flower girl was Miss Martha Lynn Kantenwein in yellow taffeta.

The groom had his brother, Harry J. Hannon, as best man and Edward Wehlan and Joseph Hughes ushered.

After a week and a half honeymoon in Daytona Beach, Florida, the couple will reside at 300 Branch Brook Drive.

At a ceremony in the Holy Family church in Nutley on Sunday, Miss Anne Louise Ciano, of 41 Cedar Hill Avenue, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Amedeo Ciano, became the bride of Joseph Troina, son of Mrs. Evelyn C. Troina of 8 Essex Street, Nutley, and the late Salvatore Troina. Rev. Anthony Benti officiated at the marriage and a reception followed in Ferraro's Hall, Newark.

The bride's gown was fashioned of Chantilly lace and nylon tulle, with an acordion-pleated skirt ending in a chapel length train. Her fingertip French illusion veil was held by a cap of lace and satin with seed pearls and sequins. She carried a prayer book with white orchids and lilies-of-the-valley.

Given in marriage by her brother, Michael Ciano, the bride was attended by Miss Antoinette Fierro as maid of honor, dressed in an aqua gown of pure silk and carrying a spring garden bouquet.

The brother of the groom, Frank Troina, served as best man and ushers were Carmen Guarino and Michael Sasso, Jr.

Mrs. Troina was graduated from Belleville high school and is employed as a bookkeeper with Wallace and Tiernan. Her husband, a graduate of Nutley high school, is with the Rielco Construction Company in Belleville.

After a motor trip to Florida the couple will live in Newark.



## William Wiersings Mark 55th Wedding Anniversary

"Marry a woman who is a good cook." That is William Wiersings' sage counsel to young men about to get married. He is in a unique position to give advice on the subject since the Wiersings celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on Sunday.

In the cozy kitchen of their home at 84 Cortlandt Street, Mr. and Mrs. Wiersings scoffed at the notion that careers and marriage don't mix. "We've been in business together here for 30 years," remarked Mrs. Wiersings, "and each of us does a share of the work." They conduct a breeding farm for small animals used in laboratory research.

"It started out as a hobby of mine," Mrs. Wiersings said, "and soon some of the big outfits like Hoffman-La Roche heard about the rabbits and guinea pigs I raised and began buying them."

Both born in Germany, Mr. and Mrs. Wiersings came to this country in 1890 and were married in Newark. Their evenings are taken up with watching television which "makes the time go quickly" according to Mr. Wiersings.

## Fewsmith Women's Guild Plan Card Party Social

The monthly meeting of the Women's Guild of Fewsmith Memorial Presbyterian church will be held on Thursday at 1 p.m. in the church hall. Preceding the business meeting refreshments will be served by Mrs. Eberhardt Lindauer's group.

A film on the "ABC's of Meat Cookery" and the "Art of Carving" will be presented with a narrative on each subject. All members are invited to attend.

Hugh Pace and Frank Van Baten of Belleville are co-directors of the musical and tickets may be obtained at the door or from members at 50 cents apiece.

Five Belleville women will present a skit entitled, "Little Nell" or the "Villain's Still Pursues Her." The cast includes Mrs. Willis Tice, Mrs. Robert McMinis, Miss Beverly Spotts, Mrs. Milton Zuber and Mrs. August Molt. Mrs. Frank Spotts is the director.

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# Miss Nancy Cafone Wed In Ceremony At Holy Family

Miss Nancy Cafone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Cafone, of 9 King Street, and Joseph Cancelliere, son of Mrs. Assunta Cancelliere, of 156 Franklin Street were married on Saturday in the Holy Family church, Nutley. Rev. Anthony Benti officiated at the ceremony and a reception followed at the Belleville Elks club.

The bride was gowned in navy blue and her fingertip veil was held by a cup of matching fabric. She carried a prayerbook and orchids.

Miss Alice Stefanelli was maid of honor and the Misses Helen Hudok and Mary Pastern were bridesmaids. The bride's niece, Miss Judith Ann Servideo served flower girl.

The groom had as best man Thomas Corino and Bill Natuzale and Bob Cataldo ushered. Frank Cancelliere was ring bearer.

## Isadore J. Padula



### PADULA SAYS:

America free elections can freedom to choose one's candidates without fear of reprisals from anyone. We must never allow differing to each the point whereby neighbors become strangers and friends enemies.

**VOTE 1-A**  
**ISADORE J. PADULA**  
Commissioner

Paid for by A. Weber

# Local GOP and Dem County Committees Ready Plans

With election of officers by both the Republican and Democratic Belleville county committees, the two organizations are, tightening up their campaign plans, and both sides express confidence that their candidates will win the race for state and county offices.

Rudolph P. Zoeller has been re-elected to head the Clean Government group, and Ralph Vana has been chosen again as chairman of the Regular Democrats.

Vice-chairman to Zoeller will be Mrs. Ruth Fredericks, a bulwark of the Republican organization here. Other re-elected officers are Jessie P. Rue, treasurer, and Mrs. Mary Grace Hanson, secretary. Named as ward chairmen were: First ward, Clarence Place and Regina C. Henderson; second ward, Frank Baner, Jr. and Eileen Visco; third ward, Jessie P. Rue and Warren Johnson; fourth ward, Marion E. McFadden and Raymond Bennett. Robert E. Peppel is publicity chairman, and Warren Johnson is program chairman.

Zoeller said the ward chairmen were going to be called upon to provide leadership this year, instead of occupying relatively minor positions in the organization.

The chairman recalled the part played by the local committee in going on record as opposed to construction of a parental home here, and said he had been included in a local delegation which visited the County Board of Freeholders in the town's fight against the home.

Vana, who was indicted on April 6 by an Essex County grand jury on charges growing out of town purchasing practices, expressed satisfaction for what he termed was a "vote of confidence" in his re-election as committee chairman. He said the vote was unanimous.

Vana predicted that the Democratic party organization would continue to gain ground in Belleville, as well as in the county and state. Speaking of local issues, Vana called attention to the fact that the Democratic committee had joined the battle against location of the county parental home here.

All of the officers re-elected with Vana are party veterans, with the exception of John E. Connelly, named as secretary to replace Philip Newsome, who is didn't seek the office. They are Mrs. Mae Mead Mazza, who has been vice-chairman for 15 years; Mrs. Alice Solano, treasurer for the same period; and Thomas E. McHenry, sergeant at arms. Elected as ward leaders were James Bissell, first ward; Philip Newsome, second ward; Anthony Marino, third ward; Nicholas Raimo, fourth ward.

**VOTE 5-A**  
**Belleville Needs GRUHN**

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## Isadore J. Padula



### PADULA SAYS:

Orange is setting up a Master Plan. Caldwell has had a Master Plan since 1950. If elected, one of my first efforts will be to help set up a strong Planning Board, authorized to develop a Master Plan for Belleville.

**VOTE 1-A**  
**ISADORE J. PADULA**  
Commissioner

Paid for by Chester W. H.



Mrs. Joseph Cancelliere

The bride is employed by the Tung Sol Company in Bloomfield and her husband is with the Westinghouse Corporation in Bloomfield.

### Life at BHS As We See It

By Elaine Wische and Lois Bloemke

Graduation time is drawing near, and as happens each year, many of the members of the Senior Class have been fortunate in receiving scholarships from various colleges. The latest lucky one is Jack Haft, a member of Room 304, who received a \$1,600 (\$400 per year scholarship to Franklin and Marshall College in Pennsylvania. Editor of the Spotlight, school newspaper, Jack plans to pursue a medical career. Others who have received scholarships, so far are Eleanor Long, Harry Valente, Bob Kwik, Betsy Domencik, Carl Denzler, and Elaine Wische.

A freshman and a junior will represent the Belleville town-wide Junior Red Cross Council at Hood College in Maryland during the week June 27-July 4. They are Barbara Wische, of homeroom Cote B, and vice president of the council, and Howie Irving, from Miss Nelson's 204.

We are proud to say that the B.H.S. of Team is once again bringing home the bacon, having won their first two matches of the season.

# VOTE 2A MAY 11th But Vote Carefully!

THE COMMISSION YOU ELECT WILL BE YOUR OWN

# "IT'S TIME TO CLEAN" Vote Michael V. Albertine ON THIS PLATFORM!

- It's Time - -
- We had an elective Board of Education free from political control.
  - We had a responsible town wide civic committee to study and assist in forming policies to take care of such new needs as; additional school facilities and additional fire houses and equipment; and the need for off-the-street parking in shopping areas.
  - To encourage new industries to situate themselves in Belleville and to stimulate the growth of established businesses.
  - To streamline town departments in order to get the most and best service for every dollar spent.
  - To develop a modern building code and the enactment of a zoning ordinance that will preserve realty value in residential areas.
  - A study was made of our town government in order to ascertain whether it is the type best suited for Belleville.
  - Our town government adopted a "BUY IN BELLEVILLE" policy where the service and products of our local businessmen are equal to products obtained elsewhere.
  - A study was made of all transportation facilities in order to provide adequate transport services for the people of Belleville.
  - That a review be made of our method of assessing industrial and residential property in order to equalize tax responsibility.
  - That we had a published itemized statement of the Town's monthly receipts and expenditures.

If you agree with this ten point program, then you agree with me that:

# "IT'S TIME TO CLEAN" VOTE 2-A FOR MICHAEL V. ALBERTINE!

Paid for by Eric Albertine - Camp Mer.

# RE-ELECT

ELMER S.

# HYDE

## VOTE

## 13A



CONTINUE IN OFFICE THE ONE MAN WHO HAS DONE MORE FOR RECREATION IN BELLEVILLE THAN ANY OTHER ELECTED OFFICER!

Note the Following Recreational Services, Facilities and Program Provided Citizens of Belleville Through the Efforts of Elmer S. Hyde!

### Recreation Department Facilities For Public Use

#### Municipal Stadium

Indoor barbell gymnasium, Indoor bicycle training room, Indoor rifle range, Ladies and gentlemen's rest rooms, Showers, Outdoor running track, Baseball diamond, Floodlights for night basketball court, Softball diamond, Playground, Picnic area, Skating rink.

#### Recreation House

Two meeting rooms, Kitchen, Radio room, Rest rooms, Artist's garret, Playground, Basketball court, Parking area. 40 card tables and 90 chairs are available for loan at the 'Rec' House on a pick up and return basis.

#### William Street Playground

Open year-round, Basketball court, Floodlights for night basketball.

#### Louis M. Plansoen Playground

Basketball court, Tennis court, Playground, Shuffle-board, Horseshoes, Tot's area. Clearman Field is operated for Little League and for summer playground program.

#### Playgrounds Maintained

- |                              |                      |
|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Recreation House Playground  | 407 Joramelon Street |
| William Street Playground    | William Street       |
| Louis M. Plansoen Playground | Stephen Street       |
| Municipal Stadium Playground | Nelson Street        |
| Friendly House Playground    | Frederick Street     |
| # 1 School Playground        | Cortlandt Street     |
| # 2 School Playground        | Mill Street          |
| # 10 School Playground       | Belleville Avenue    |
| Clearman Field Play Area     | Union Avenue         |
| Branch Brook Playground      | Branch Brook Drive   |

#### Special Events

- |                                 |                   |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Twelfthnight Ceremony           | Municipal Stadium |
| Tour of Belleville Bicycle Race | Municipal Stadium |
| Easter Egg Hunt                 | Municipal Stadium |
| Fourth of July Celebration      | Municipal Stadium |
| Halloween Costume Contest       | Municipal Stadium |
| Home Christmas Display          | Throughout Town   |
| Stadium Christmas Display       | Municipal Stadium |
| Santa's Mail Box                | Town Hall         |
| Santa's Tour                    | Throughout Town   |

Continue This Worth While Recreation Program By

## RE-ELECTING COMMISSIONER

# ELMER S. HYDE

## VOTE 13A MAY 11th

Paid for by Elmer S. Hyde



# ROBERT C. GRUHIN

"YOUR CANDIDATE" PRESENTS THESE FACTS AND FIGURES - - -

## FROM PRESENTMENT TO INDICTMENTS WITHIN 10 YEARS!

The Record of the Last Three Administrations Is a Willful Refusal to Recognize the Right of the People to Have Proper Administration!

### 1942 - - - 1946

Commissioners  
Williams  
Waters  
King  
Noll  
Clark (Died in office)  
Mertz

The Board of Commissioners permitted a vacancy to continue (vacancy caused by the death of Commissioner Clark) from October 9, 1942 to July 27, 1943. The resultant squabble between Commissioners Williams and King resulted in a Grand Jury Presentment in 1944. (A situation where one commissioner operated two departments during the vacancy.)

### 1946 - - - 1950

Commissioners  
Tully  
Waters  
King  
Noll  
Williams (Resigned)

A wilful refusal from October 15, 1949 to May 9, 1950 (Election) to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Commissioner William H. Williams resulted in, again, one commissioner operating two departments.

### 1950 - - - 1954

Commissioners  
Tully  
Waters  
Sullivan  
Hyde  
King

**INDICTMENTS!**  
**YOU KNOW THE STORY**  
**Again - - One Commissioner**  
**Operating Two Departments**

Must Each Commission Re-adopt the Resolution of October 22, 1944, Adopted Following a Session with the Prosecutor and the Grand Jury, Which Resolution Concludes as Follows - -

"The commissioners recognise that five separate governments do not exist in fact or in theory but that we as board members individually and collectively pledge ourselves to cooperate to supervise our individual departments and jointly assume our full moral and legal responsibility in the management of all other departments."

## FACTS ABOUT YOUR TAXES - - AND FIGURES DON'T LIE!

TAX RATE	1954	\$6.32	1953	\$6.35	1952	\$6.26	1951	\$6.58
	1950	5.57	1950	5.57	1950	5.57	1950	5.57
INCREASE		.75		.78		.69		1.01

Use the above tax rates to figure out tax increases since the 1950 election.

Let us assume your home was assessed for \$5,000 in 1950, your tax was \$278.50. With the same assessment, tax rate increases cost you \$161.15 more.

Why is it necessary for you to pay more with increased ratables in 1954 of \$8,868,480, over the 1950 ratables.

1954	. . . .	\$49,859,352.00	. . . .	RATABLES
1950	. . . .	40,990,872.00	. . . .	RATABLES

Increased Ratables \$ 8,868,480.00      Increased Ratables

These increased tax ratables in 1954 alone brings in more than \$550,000.00 in tax money to the Town.

**YOU WOULD HAVE EXPECTED A SUBSTANTIAL TAX REDUCTION IN YOUR BILL. DID YOU GET IT? WAS THIS RATABLE GAIN PASSED ON TO YOU?**

**WHERE IS THAT ADVERTISED TAX REDUCTION?**

# NOW IS THE TIME--

"Join The Crusade For Better Government"

**Vote 5A**

**ELECT**

**Vote 5A**

# ROBERT C. GRUHIN

COMMISSIONER



# Charter

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Peter A. Torre, Civil Defense and Disaster Control Director for Belleville, who heads the Young Men in Government group, presided at an "overwhelming" victory for Charter Study in Tuesday's election. He also thanked the charter commission candidates for what he called "their civic responsibility in devoting their time to this most worthy cause without pay."

A statement by the organization listed ten of the 13 Town Commission candidates who had made known their views concerning Charter Study, either in letters to the Committee or in newspaper advertisements. The three remaining candidates made their positions

known yesterday in interviews with the Belleville Times-News.

Mayor James J. Tully: "I introduced the resolution at a Town Commission meeting which placed the Charter Study question on the ballot. I have long been aware of the weakness of the commission form of government, and have often suggested either the revision of the Walsh Act or a Charter Study which would be truly representative of all segments of our community—non-partisan, factual, and thorough."

Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde: "I voted to put the Charter Study question on the ballot. The primary requisite for good government, whether it be the commission form or the type of government advocated in the Charter Study, is good men with proper qualifications."

Anthony J. Brenza: "I am for the Study."

The Young Men in Government made the following notation:

Together with the other Town Commissioners, Public Safety Director Harry J. Sullivan voted in the Charter Study resolution. He was quoted as saying that "you can be certain of my full co-operation with the Charter Commission if the matter is decided affirmatively in the May 11 election."

Deputy Police Chief Kenneth D. Smith, "going on record in favor of Charter Study, pointed out that the matter is decided affirmatively in the May 11 election."

# STRIKE VOTE AT EDISON PLANTS

A vote on whether to strike for a 6 to 12 cent an hour increase in wages will be taken today by members of Local 401, United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America in the Belleville, Bloomfield and West Orange plants of the Thomas A. Edison Company.

In a statement issued to employees president Henry C. Ritter 3rd, declared that "a wage increase is of the question at this time when it is a hard, tough fight to keep our plant going."

He urged the workers to vote against a strike since "no one wins a strike."

enced by recent events in Belleville.

Robert C. Gruhin said: "I am in favor of a 'yes' vote on this vital question. My interest in good government is no doubt the same as yours."

Isadore J. Padula was quoted as saying that he favored the Study, but believed that the issue should not be decided at this time by public expressions of preference for any one of the several forms of government.

Commissioner Joseph King is for the Study, and Michael V. Albertaine has included it as one of his ten campaign points.

The statement declared that "James B. Golden, one of the most outspoken proponents in the commission form of government, pointed out that he was among the first to suggest a Charter Study for Belleville."

It noted further that "Louis G. Noll has made his position known in newspaper ads as favoring the Study," and Edward G. Smith and Mrs. Helen Griffin have also pledged their support.

# Voters

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The other candidates are Isadore J. Padula, Michael V. Albertaine, Kenneth D. Smith, Robert C. Gruhin, Louis A. Noll, James B. Golden, Mrs. Helen R. Griffin, Anthony J. Brenza, and Edward G. Smith.

Tully polled the highest vote for both terms of his office, with Waters, Hyde, Sullivan, and King finishing in that order. Padula was sixth, losing to King by 47 votes.

Noll, who was Public Safety Director in 1950, finished eighth, and Gruhin took 11th place. Brenza finished last with 440 votes.

The move for a Charter Study has been spear-headed by the Belleville Young Men in Government, and though the majority of the candidates for the Town Commission are on record as favoring the Study, some of them have made it plain off the record that they don't wish to be linked politically with the group as an organization.

In addition to voting for the Study itself, citizens may also cast their ballots for members of the Town Charter Commission. There are only five candidates on the ballot, and all are supported by the Young Men in Government. They are Mrs. Lenora B. Willette, James V. Gialoto, Raymond O. Smith, Boyd A. Hartley, and John J. Gibbons.

The elective school board referendum was placed on the ballot through a petition by the Belleville Citizens' Association to the Town Commission. Members of the Association include former members of the school board's lay committee.

Mrs. Florence Morey said that 16,347 persons had registered as

voters, but that she had received notice from Joseph C. Paul, acting Commissioner of Registration and Superintendent of Elections Joseph C. Paul that the registration list had been purged of 646 names, leaving 15,701 eligible to vote. This compares with 15,323 registered voters in the 1950 municipal election, of which 12,200 voted.

Among the election "angles" is the candidacy of Deputy Police Chief Kenneth D. Smith for the Town Commission. When the deputy chief first announced that he would be a candidate, Public Safety Director Sullivan advised him that he could not run for a political office under police department regulations, and that if he persisted he would be discharged from the department and lose his pension rights. Later, Smith re-entered the race, and Police Chief George Spatz filed charges that he was violating department regulations. Later it was announced that Smith would be called before the Employee Relations Board of the police and fire departments for a hearing, but such action is still pending. Commissioner Sullivan's last statement on the matter was that he was reconsidering the

charges in view of a legal decision favoring Michael A. Bontempo, Newark detective, who had also been warned that he would violate police department rules if he persisted in his candidacy in the Newark aldermanic race.

Another phase of the campaign that has attracted interest is the candidacy of Noll, who won a reputation as a hard-hitting commissioner when he directed the police and fire departments as public safety director.

The hottest race revolves around the candidacy of Mayor Tully, who has charged that some of the candidates who have attacked him had joined in a political alliance with Commissioner Waters in an effort to divert attention from the indictments and seek to shift responsibility onto his shoulders. The mayor has declared he opened the investigation into purchasing practices in Town Hall after his return from service in the Marines, and that when the grand jury subsequently took action, his opponents had attempted to make it appear that he was in some way partly responsible for the situation that led to the indictments.

The mayor-determined to know

why his opponents did not support his effort to suspend Ralph Vasa and Hugh Welsh from office "if they are sincere in their expressions of concern about the situation in the public works department," Welsh, deputy public works commissioner, and Ralph Vasa, superintendent of the water department, were both indicted by the grand jury, together with Commissioner Waters and James L. Waters, former water department superintendent, and brother of the commissioner.

Tully named Robert C. Gruhin,

James B. Golden, and Michael V. Albertaine as having joined with Commissioner Waters in an effort to defeat him at the polls, but all four called the statement "ridiculous." Golden claimed it was his interview with the county prosecutor's office which led to the grand jury investigation. Gruhin charged that the entire Town Commission was responsible for not maintaining tighter control of town business, and said the mayor's responsibility lay in the fact that he had counter-signed vouchers for bills paid by the town.

**VOTE 5-A**  
Belleville Needs  
**GRUHIN**  
Paid for by Gruhin Supporters.

**ELECT**  
**KENNETH D. SMITH**  
for  
**COMMISSIONER**



- KENNETH D. SMITH**  
Stands For
- Harmony and Coordination of Board of Commissioners
  - Charter study referendum
  - An elective school board
  - The attraction of new industry to Belleville
  - Relief from mounting property taxation
  - Better street lighting
  - The intensification study and work to reduce juvenile delinquency
  - Improvement in parking conditions and traffic control
  - Strengthening our Civil Defense
  - Health stations in the western section of Belleville
  - A non-political, non-salaried planning board
  - A qualified citizens committee to serve on non-salaried advisory boards and councils

TO THE BELLWOOD PARK ASS'N  
SHOULD GO THE CREDIT

The entire town owes a vote of thanks to the Bellwood Park Ass'n for their unceasing fight in bringing about the Stoppage of the proposed Parental Home. This action resulted in relieving the town of additional tax dollar plus the nuisance which would have resulted to the community.

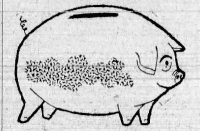
Mr. Arthur Blomeke, President Mr. William Mish-kind and their fine group of officers brought together for the first time all the civic organizations in Belleville and through this strength and cooperation finally won out.

Proving that organizations of this kind standing together could bring about Better Government for Belleville.

**VOTE 4A**  
**Kenneth D. Smith**  
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**WE SHOULD RE-ELECT JAMES J. TULLY COMMISSIONER**

**BECAUSE - -**

Under the Walsh Act each commissioner is the absolute ruler of his department, and he alone, and no one else, is responsible for its operation. To hold that the Mayor as such is responsible for the recently uncovered irregularities in another department is a deliberate misrepresentation to the people of Belleville, and those who claim so are unfit to hold public office.

Donald O'Brien  
50 Franklin Place  
Belleville, N. J.

**vote 3a**

**MAYOR JAMES J. TULLY**

**MONDAY** Election Eve. **MAY 10 7:45 P.M.**

**on Channel 5 WABD**

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Straight from the shoulder to the People of BELLEVILLE

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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

I wish to thank my many friends who started the \$1 campaign for funds, and the many, many more friends who contributed, to make this television appearance possible. These good citizens gave of their money and effort so that I could come into your home in this manner to counteract the vicious rumors of the present election campaign.

**James J. Tully**

**FOR**

**PERFORMANCE not PROMISES**

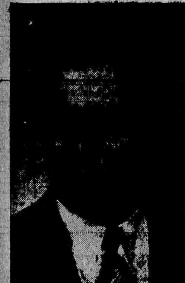
**RE-ELECT JAMES J. TULLY COMMISSIONER VOTE 3A**

**Mayor James J. Tully**

- Director of Revenue and Finance.
- President, Essex County League of Municipalities.
- Executive Board Member, N. J. State League of Municipalities.
- Executive Member, Municipal Finance Officers Association of United States and Canada.
- Former Finance and Supply Officer, Headquarters Battalion, Third Marine Division.
- Captain, Marine Corps Reserve.
- Chairman, Belleville March of Dimes for the last eight years.
- Vice-President, Belleville Lions Club.
- Mayor Tully was New Jersey's youngest mayor when he took office at the age of 25 in 1946, and he is now one of the youngest mayors in the nation. He was twice elected to office as high man by a total of more than 6,500 votes each time. He served as director of Parks and Public Property during his first term.
- An enlisted Marine Corps veteran of World War II, he won a battlefield commission at two Jima where he was wounded. He remained in the Marine Corps Reserve at the end of World War II, and was recalled to active duty in the Korean conflict, serving fourteen months and rising to the rank of Captain.
- Mayor and Mrs. Tully and their four children live at 21 Myrtle Avenue. The mayor heads his own real estate and insurance firm in the New Marine Realty Building at 385 Washington Avenue, Belleville. He has been a resident of Belleville 34 years, was educated in Belleville schools and at Columbia. He is a member of numerous civic and fraternal organizations in Belleville and Essex County.



# KENNETH J. DWYER NAMED REGISTRAR OF ST. PETER'S



Kenneth J. Dwyer, of 40 Essex Street, has been named Registrar of St. Peter's College, Jersey City, it was announced by the Very Rev. James J. Shanahan, S. J., president of the college. Dwyer's office will serve both the College of Arts and Sciences, and the School of Business Administration, and will be in charge of the records of all enrolled students.

Until now, each school has had its own Registrar, and Admissions office for matriculated and new students. The new Admissions Director will be Vincent P. McInerney.

In 1936 Dwyer, a graduate of St. Peter's Prep School and St. Peter's College, was appointed Registrar of the Evening School of Business at the college, and served until 1942, when he went overseas as a member of the Signal Corps in World War II. He became Registrar of the College of Arts and Sciences in 1949.

The editors of the 1951 Pennock Book, College Yearbook, dedicated to Dwyer and McInerney in gratitude for the guidance and direction they have given us.

A former native of Newark and long-time resident of Jersey City, Dwyer now lives in Belleville with Mrs. Dwyer and their three children, William, 6½; Thomas, 4½; and Anne Marie, 2½.

# B.H.S. GOLF TEAM RIDING HIGH ON WINNING STREAK

The highest men in the Spring Sports division are the members of the golf team of Belleville High undefeated to date.

While the Belles boys baseball side men are having a tough time keeping their teams in the win column, the Team of the Golf team have sailed over their first two opponents.

This team opened their season against Millburn with a 3½ to 2½ victory. Last Friday they successfully kept their record intact by clubbing an eager Bloomfield team 8½ to 7½ on the Forest Hill's greens.

Low man on the score card was Belleville's Gordon Weigman, who shot an 81. Another Bellboy, Roddy MacPherson, shot an 85 which was good enough to net Bloomfield's best man, Luke Folkens, who managed only an 89.

Belleville's third best was Dick Botticelli who matched his opponent Warren Johnson, both shooting 91.

The Belboys' record goes on to the line tomorrow when they meet Montclair Academy on the opponents' green.

## Vara

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Vara requesting him to appear before me on Friday morning, May 7, at the office of the Department of Civil Service in the State House, Trenton, to determine whether or not the action of this Department was proper in the appointment and retention and I shall take testimony under oath as he may desire.

Earlier, Tully had called upon State House to request an appointment or face an investigation.

Tully had also announced he would not sign vouchers for Vara's pay increase while the latter remains under indictment.

"The public works director," said, "promoted Mr. Vara, although there are many employees in the public works department, who have served longer than Vara, whose records are unquestioned, and who certainly should have a chance for this position which is one of the highest paid and most responsible in the town government."

"One of the five persons elected May 11 will become director of public works. The people are entitled to know what action the new director will take regarding Vara. Up to now, all candidates have been evading this issue. In fairness to the public they should make their positions known before election day."

In another statement, the mayor said that town commission candidates Robert Grubin and Michael Albertine are "waging a desperate campaign of lies to the public attention from the case of Ralph Vara and other indicted members of the Waters political machine." Tully declared: "Neither Grubin nor Albertine have dared to advocate the retention of Vara, or even to question his salary increase and promotion, made by the Waters machine, who admits that Grubin has visited him at his home on several occasions. I challenge these candidates to state their position on the Vara case."

Tully said that Albertine is now "openly pushing the defense of the indicted director of public works, by publicizing and circulating the statements of the indicted commissioner in the newspapers and at political meetings."

The mayor also said Grubin and Albertine have resorted to "a fantastic string of lies and distortions in an attempt to cover the issue of Vara's suspension." He charged that the two candidates have been "hoaxing" with Vara at home parties.

Citing what he declared were examples of "falsehoods and distortions" by the candidates, Tully said: "Rumors are being spread that I plan to have the veterans housing projects demolished and to erect commercial structures in their place. This is nothing but a deliberate lie. I was the first to bring the veterans housing projects to Belleville, and I would do nothing to harm the interests of any veteran. I am a veteran myself, and I served two tours of duty with the Marine Corps both overseas and in the United States."

"Neither Grubin nor Albertine did anything to aid the Citizens Budget Committee in its study to reduce the tax rate, but now Grubin is trying to say that our hard-earned tax reductions are a myth," Grubin is trying to hide his lack of interest and lack of civic activity in the past. The tax rate has been reduced 26 points since 1951 with no help from him."

It was announced that the mayor would make a television appearance over station WABR Channel 5, next Monday, at 7:45 p.m. Tully said the appearance would be made possible by friends and supporters who urged me to go on TV to counteract vicious rumors being circulated in this campaign, and who started a dollar contribution fund to pay for the television time."

## NEW PLAYGROUND TO BE DEDICATED

Last Tuesday's scheduled dedication of the Louis M. Plancone playground was rained out, and Robert Cook, Recreation Director, has announced that the dedication will take place Saturday morning at 10 o'clock on Stephen Street and Belleville Avenue. Rev. Struyk will give the invocation.

Speakers will be Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde, Louis M. Plancone and Cook. Father Gerald Walsh, of St. Mary's in Garden, will give the Benediction. Upper grade students of the No. 9 school will witness the dedication and the public is invited.

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**GIFT FROM THE BROWNIES** — Brownie Troop No. 38 presented Rev. James K. Morse, pastor of the Fewsmithe Presbyterian church, with a tree and planted it in front of the church. Pictured from left to right are Mrs. Alfred Moore, Rev. Morse, Carolyn Moore and Mrs. Kenneth Jones, leader. Kneeling, left to right, are Linda Durkee and Ann Baker. As each Brownie put a twig of dirt around the tree, Elinor D'Angelo recited Joyce Kilmer's "Trees" and Rev. Morse closed the ceremony with a prayer.

## Double Family Celebration Held

This family gathering was photographed at the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Cosmo DiDonato, and the 67 birthday of Mrs. DiDonato's father, Ralph DiMarco, of Belleville. Those appearing are, left to right: Ralph DiMarco; Mrs. Harry DiKik; Mr. and Mrs. DiDonato's daughter; John DiDonato, Mr. DiDonato's father. Mrs. Paul Beck, the DiDonato's other daughter; Mrs. DiMarco; Mr. DiKik; and Mr. and Mrs. Cosmo DiDonato.

## CYO Junior Dramatic Winners



The cast of St. Mary's Parish, winner of the Essex County CYO junior dramatic finals held at Seton Hall University Little Theater, South Orange, is pictured left to right: Andrew Connolly, Jack Del Favero, Alice Morgan, and Colleen Heron. The play, "Write Me a Love Song", was directed by Bernard Strain.

Robert Donnelly, June Barbarula, Doris Durkin, and Alfred Stasium, of the senior group of the CYO, acting in the same play. Tuesday night, also won on the county level and the two groups will represent Essex in the archdiocesan competition at St. Peter's School, Belleville, on Tuesday.

## ELSIE MITSCHKE TAKES LEAD IN BOWLING TOURNEY

Mrs. Elsie Mitschke, of 188 Mill Street, rolled an overwhelming series of 633 to take the lead in the Ninth Annual New Jersey State Women's Bowling Tournament at Echo Lakes last Saturday.

Mrs. Mitschke piled up the pins by knocking out three gammas of 248, 188, and 317.

Winning honor on her this morning of four children also rolled a 539 series in the doubles and 550 series in the fours. She had a total of 1712.

This is 35 pins better than last year's Class A winner. Up to Saturday Mrs. Mitschke had been a consistent bowler rolling her best game of 256 and making a series of 429.

On Saturday, however, her hook ball began hitting and she turned in the most spectacular performance of the three-week-old tournament.

The tournament will continue this Saturday and Sunday on the grounds of Echo Lakes with Mrs. Mitschke being the favorite for winning honors.

## 25TH ANNIVERSARY FOR DIDONATO'S

Father is Honored On 67th Birthday At Same Occasion

A double celebration was held by Mr. and Mrs. Cosmo DiDonato, of 44 Hancox Avenue, and family on April 17, when they were hosts on the event of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary and Mrs. DiDonato's father, Ralph DiMarco, of Belleville, celebrated his 67th birthday. The birthday cake and congratulations were added as a surprise touch to the family affair.

The party, including 75 family, friends and members of the 25-year-old wedding party, were present for the happy occasion, held at the Casa Mana, in Teaneck.

Mr. and Mrs. DiDonato were married on April 14, 1929, at Holy Family Church and have lived in Nutley ever since.

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## BELLEVILLE TAKES LAST PLACE IN TRIANGULAR MEET

Belleville's track men added a defeat to its record Monday when they came out a poor third in the Belleville-Nutley-Passaic triangular meet.

The home team was able to take three firsts, two of them captured by Joe Mignon, Mignon had an easy time of it as he leisurely loped home in the 100 and 200 yard dashes. He stopped the clock at 1:11 in the 100 and in the 220 the hands read :25.

The other first was turned in by Bob Grulich, tying with Cordey from Nutley. The youth cleared the bar at 5 feet, 2 inches in the High Jump.

Break down for the meet follows:

Track—100 yards: 1st Joe Mignon, Belleville; 2nd, 1st, Joe Mignon, Belleville; 4th, 1st, Podgolski, Nutley; 2nd, Frank Cassar, Belleville; 3rd, 1st, Salek, Passaic; 2nd, Vauth, Nutley; 3rd, Steve Cohen, Belleville; 1 mile relay, 1st, Passaic; 2nd, Nutley; 3rd, Belleville, Belleville's team; Cassar, Bessmer, Mignon.

Field—High Jump: 1st, Bob Grulich, Belleville; 1st, Cordey, Nutley.

Shot Put: 1st, Tolue, Nutley; 2nd, Nutley; 3rd, Nutley; 4th, Bob Grulich, Belleville.

Discus: 1st, Tolue, Nutley; 2nd, Aurichio, Nutley; 3rd, Joe Seerfelle, Belleville.

Broad Jump: 1st, Schulz, Nutley; 2nd, Simon, Passaic; 3rd, Cassar, Belleville; 3rd, Nitti, Nutley.

Final points: Nutley, 52; Passaic, 31½; Belleville, 24½.

## LETTERS To The Editor

About Parental Home

To The Editor, The Nutley Sun:

The people of Belleville generally, and our Association specifically, certainly had good cause to salute your newspaper for its fine support in the town-wide opposition to the Parental School problem. Just as we resolved. You embodied the highest traditions of the Fourth Estate in your editorial encouragement of the civic drive. We are sure that no newspaper could have done better. Nutley, in this case, certainly lent a helping hand to Belleville.

The County's decision not to build the Parental Home in Belleville was the culmination of a civic campaign that simply provided evidence of the results that can be obtained from the concerted efforts of the citizens in the practical application of democratic principles.

All the Belleville commissioners, commission candidates, civic groups and citizens who supported the drive are, too, to be commended. Although some did more than others, to single out one individual or group as being primarily responsible for the result would be an injustice, as it was a town-wide achievement.

And our County officials are to be congratulated and respected for their recognition of the weight of public opinion, even though it was contrary to their opinion and self-interest.

We want to take this opportunity to state how proud we are to be citizens of Belleville and Essex County. We want to pledge ourselves to active participation in any governmental and civic affairs that concern us. We know that our voices in government can be heard, and we intend to continue to use it, for the common good.

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## To Be Wed



Mr. and Mrs. John E. Nagy, of 254 Stephen Street, Belleville, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Adrienne, to 217½ Warren L. Dorrer, of Philadelphia.

Miss Nagy attended Belleville schools. Her fiancé attended Philadelphia schools. He has completed a tour of duty at Anchorage, Alaska, and is now stationed at Colorado Springs, Colorado. A date for the wedding will be set in the near future.

## BELLEVILLE PAIR WED IN NUTLEY

### Cafone-Cancelliere Wedding Held At Holy Family Church

The wedding of Miss Nancy Cafone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Cafone, of King Street, Belleville, and Joseph Cancelliere, son of Mrs. Assunta Cancelliere, of 186 Franklin Street, Belleville, took place at Holy Family Church, on Saturday, Rev. Anthony Benti officiating. A reception was held at the Belleville Elks Club.

The bride's gown was of nylon tulle, and her veil fell from a cap of nylon tulle. She carried a prayer book with orchids.

Maid of honor for the bride was Miss Alice Bellesville. Bridesmaids were Misses Helen Duden and Mary Pastana. Judith Ann Servino, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Thomas Corino served as best man, and ushers were Bill Nuttall and Bob Cataldo. Frank Cancelliere, nephew of the bridegroom, was ring bearer.

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lin said that during his campaign for office four years ago, he had proposed the following measures to improve the efficiency of municipal administration, and guard against any malpractices:

"I insist that each department head should submit a separate resolution for the payment of all bills. The practice in the past has been to submit one resolution at the Town Commission meetings for the payment of all bills. These bills should not be lumped together for payment as a group, but be carried out."

"Each departmental bill should be submitted for approval and payment by separate resolution covering each department, and the commissioners, and the establishment of proper responsibility for the operation of each."

"The spirit and intent of the law as to competitive bidding for repairs, improvements, and purchases should be carried out."

Mr. Grubin said that in another announcement in the same campaign he had called for the equal distribution of departments among the commissioners, and the establishment of proper responsibility for the operation of each.

"These statements were made by me four years ago, long before the present indictments," Mr. Grubin declared. "When I said, after the indictments were returned, that the responsibility for what transpired was chargeable to the whole board, and that the director of revenue and finance was responsible for signing vouchers and checks in 1950 and 1951, I didn't make the statements for mere political advantage."

"My record in this campaign has been one of consistent, constructive action. My speeches, statements, and press releases were based upon the stand I have taken in connection with town government over the years. If any suggestion had been followed, the disgraceful situation in Belleville today could reasonably have been averted. The record speaks for itself. I said the same things before this election, but they were ignored. The fact that the shoe now pinches is the fault of the incumbents, and not mine."

Mr. Grubin also attacked Mayor Tully's figure, indicating a reduction in Belleville's tax rate, declaring in effect that the mayor had juggled the figures in order to create what he declared was a "fictitious" claim.

"Not only is the claim of a tax reduction fictitious, but the fact that new rates have added approximately \$9,000.00 to the tax rate ignores the fact that these additional rates should have produced substantial reductions in the tax rate, but they haven't, even though the rates are 20% higher than they were in 1950."

## Isadore J. Padula

I have repeatedly insisted that overall plans be made to improve the safety and service of our school playgrounds. Now comes the report from the Public Recreation Association of New Jersey in which it is stated, "Schools should be planned and designed for use by all age groups... Recreation and education are complementary, both aimed towards improving living conditions in the community and the nation."

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# SPOTLIGHT on SPORTS

By Bob Gorlin

## Little Leaguers To Parade On Saturday

The Belleville Little Leagues, comprised of more than 300 youngsters between nine and 12 years of age, will get the 1954 baseball season under way when all youths in the American and National Leagues along with "farm" loop players participate in a parade through Belleville streets. The players will converge at Town Hall and will start marching at 1 p. m. with Clearman Field being the destination. Both major leagues will be completely uniformed for the parade.

At Clearman Field Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde, director of parks and public property, will toss out the first ball. During the Saturday afternoon program all eight teams will see action with four games going a distance of two innings each. The regular season will start Monday with the Aces meeting the Bombers.

Starting at 2 p. m. the abbreviated contests will pit the Aces against the Bombers, Clippers against Demons, Yanks against Giants and Cubs against Dodgers.

## Romano Accepts New Job At Hasbrouck

Joe Romano, a favorite figure in athletic circles in Nutley and Belleville, will move on to the "greener" pastures of Hasbrouck Heights starting with the September semester. The switch isn't exactly a surprise since it was reported in this column early in February that Hasbrouck Heights officials had approached the Belleville resident as he was in the midst of a highly successful basketball campaign.

On the outside looking in, in respect to the coaching picture, Romano couldn't possibly overlook the generous contract presented by Hasbrouck. It is estimated that Romano was offered in the neighborhood of \$5,600 in a package deal that includes head coach of basketball and either assistant coach in baseball or football. It is reported that the basic teaching salary at Hasbrouck will be \$4,900 with \$500 for basketball and \$200 for being an assistant.



Before coming to Nutley last September, Romano was head coach of baseball, football and basketball and also served as director of athletics at Wharton High School. At Nutley he was coach of cross country.

In addition to coaching at Hasbrouck during the winter, Joe is now kept busy as freshmen baseball coach at Fairleigh Dickinson College in Rutherford. The Knights so far have won three of five decisions. It is known that the Board of Education did not want to lose Romano, Selected as All-State shortstop in 1931, he also served as captain of the basketball team while attending Nutley High School. Romano was a popular choice of Superintendent of Schools Dr. Ehud Priestley for a coaching position, but the football package deal bringing in Jack Lewis along with two aides from Pennsylvania prevented the Belleville resident from gaining a foothold.

In an effort to keep Romano in Nutley a new position of equipment manager was to be set up for the first time with a salary of about \$400 going with the job.

With that increase Romano was all set to stay at Nutley, but then the Hasbrouck contract came through last week with the small Bergen County system agreeing to all previous financial demands. Romano, a family man, couldn't possibly turn down the offer. His basketball contract calling for \$500 at the Group 2 school is even more than Dave Broffman receives at Nutley. Broffman received only \$400 last winter and the previous year John Garnevis was paid the puny sum of \$300.

Although Romano will move on to Hasbrouck Heights to teach and coach he won't cut off all Belleville and Nutley ties. Joe will continue to live with his family in Passaic Avenue and will also remain as baseball coach of the Nutley Post 70 Junior American Legion diamond entry in the Essex County division starting next month.

Romano, recognized by a major league baseball scout as one of the top coaches in the entire state, will soon bow out of the Nutley picture. To Joe, I want to wish the very best of luck in his new endeavor. I am sure that anyone who ever knew Joe from playing with him, against him, or watched him coach boys will join me in a sincere tip of the hat. Hasbrouck Heights, an up and coming system which knows what it wants, is to be congratulated for signing one of New Jersey's most respected members in the scholastic coaching profession.

## Cafone Hobbling On Crutches

Rocco Cafone, Belleville High School's versatile athlete, will soon lose away his crutches after undergoing a successful knee operation recently at St. Barnabas Hospital in Newark. Speaking with Cafone he told me he still doesn't know what his status is for the Fall football season. All college scholarship offers will depend on the doctor's recommendation.

## Bowls 633 Series In Women's Tourney

Mrs. Elsie Mitschke, of 188 Mill Street, spilled the pins for a brilliant 633 series Sunday to take over the lead in two Class A divisions in the ninth annual New Jersey State Women's Bowling Association championship tournament, which completed the first of three weekends of action.

The Belleville keeper, 44, and the mother of four children, the oldest 21 and the youngest 2 1/2, has been bowling since 1944. Mrs. Mitschke's 633 series, an average of 211 for the three games, is the highest total she has ever rolled. Her best previous high was a 623. A hook ball bowler, she shattered the pins for games of 233, 183 and 217. The winning score in the tournament last year was 619.



Photo By Kunder

THREE OF A KIND — Ed Littig of Belleville, one of the best bicycle riders in the country, and his two sons, Ed, Jr., and John, take a practice spin in preparation for the "1954 Tour of Belleville" bicycle races which will attract some nationally known riders here Sunday. Littig will take part in the 25-mile senior race. Ed, Jr., 11, at the left, is entered in the stock bike race and John, 9, will compete in the midget races. Littig was runner-up in the national championship run in 1945, and set two records for the distance between New York and Philadelphia, riding both as a single and in tandem. He was counted out of last year's initial "tour" when he piled up and broke a wheel. A rider for 30 years, he is chief coach at the Belleville Bicycle Club.

## Sunday is the Day For Champ Bicycle Races; 200 Compete

By Bob Cook

The 1954 "Tour of Belleville" bicycle races will get underway at the municipal stadium this Sunday at 1:00 p. m. It will be run on the streets which surround the stadium. The start and finish line is on Nolton Street at the north end of the stadium. The course will be from Nolton Street to Greylock Parkway, to Passaic Avenue, to Division Avenue, and back on to Nolton Street. The distance of one lap is exactly one mile.

Some 60 riders are expected in the 25-mile Senior Race with about 200 competing in all six events scheduled for the day. The race order follows:

One mile stock bike race, open to all youngsters who live in Belleville; one-mile Class A midget bike race; one-mile Class B midget bike race; one-mile A.B.L. of A. juvenile race; five mile A.B.L. of A. junior race; and 25 mile A.B.L. of A. senior race for points toward the nationwide "best-all-around" title.

Officials will be designated by the Amateur Bicycle League of America. Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde will be the honorary starter.

The "Tour of Belleville" is promoted by the Belleville Bicycle Club, a recreation department activity. Forming the committee for the big race are: William Murphy, Alf Goulet, Joe DeBacco, Ed Littig and myself as superintendent of recreation.

Belleville will again be privileged to see John Chisello of Somerville perform in the senior race. John was last year's national best all-around champion. In Belleville's race last year, he set the national 25-mile record in winning. John and others will have their sights set on breaking the record this year.

For the safety of the riders, the police department will close all of the streets to traffic while the races are in progress. Residents along the course are asked not to park in the streets.

The "Tour of Belleville" bicycle classic gets good support from certain of Belleville's business firms who generously donate prizes. Some of these are DeBacco Bros., Belleville Hardware, Yudins, Roy's Sport Shop, Franklin Casino, and Broadway Electric. Other prizes are donated by sports-minded individuals and also by manufacturers of bicycles and accessories.

"B.A.R." sanction to the "Tour" means that the race has been designated as one in which riders may earn points toward an enormous trophy symbolic of being the best-all-around bike rider in the country. "B.A.R." races are run throughout the season during the entire season. Each race is over a different distance. Ours will be the 25 mile in the series.

Ed Littig will be Belleville's outstanding entry in the senior race. Other top riders in the race will include Oliver N. Ward of Washington, D. C., winner of the German "100"; Rudy Hendrick of Arlington, Va., winner of the 1953 Grand Prix; and George B. Edgar, Pennsylvania State Champion for more than eight years.

## ST. ANDREWS NEXT FOR LOCAL ROWERS AFTER PHILLY WIN

By Bob Cook

Straining against a strong tide, and a lively opponent in LaSalle high school of Philadelphia, Belleville high's paddle pushers recorded their third straight win over a mile course on the Passaic last week in 6:46, or one second better than the Philadelphia teammen.

This Saturday Belleville travels to Middletown, Del., to meet St. Andrews' Prep School in two 4s. Last week's race was a tight squeeze from start to finish against LaSalle, which Belleville met for the first time. (A contract's already been signed for another try between the two next season.)

Belleville jumped ahead half a length at the start, out to the half mile St. Andrews' had pulled even. The decision hung in the balance for the last half mile, right up to the final 20 yards, then the Blue and Gold pulled ahead to win by four feet.

The locals are looking forward to another go in the next season. More than that, they are dreaming nights of the National Schoolboy Championships to be held this year at Worcester, Mass., on May 28-29. Belleville took the title at Washington, D. C., two years ago.

Sandwiched in between Kent and the nationals is the quintance with Poughkeepsie and Arlington.

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## RODINO TO ASK OWN STATUS FOR A-BOMB STRATEGY

Congressman Peter W. Rodino, Jr., completed yesterday the draft of a bill which he will submit to Congress for the creation of a separate department of atomic fission under the Secretary of Defense, which would give the newest defense arm a status independent of the army, navy and air force.

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## PADULA SAYS:

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## Administrators Turn Down Big Ten Basketball League

By Bob Gorlin

In a startling about face it was decided by a decisive six to three vote of Big Ten representatives that an organized basketball league would not be put into operation for the 1954-55 season. The decision came as a complete surprise at the Tuesday afternoon meeting and completely overshadowed the naming of Nutley High School principal Edward Assmus as president of the Big Ten Conference. The meeting was held at Nutley High School.

Organized last year and immediately taking in basketball, it was automatically expected that basketball would be the next sport to field a league. That was until the administrators took complete command and voted to take a "wait and see" attitude.

The only conference members voting for the basketball league were a trio of coaches who fought an uphill battle. In favor of the Big Ten taking in basketball were Dave Broffman, of Nutley; George Cella, of Bloomfield; and Angelo "Butch" Fortunato, of Leeds.

## Leads Administration

Leading the fight against an organized league because of so called "pressure" being put on the coaches was Columbia principal Robert Amstutz. He was joined by Kearny, East Orange, West Orange, Irvington and Belleville. Orange did not vote. Voting against the Big Ten from Belleville was Coach "Jitzy" Wishe.

Before the balloting actually took place each representative known his respective feelings on the subject.

Definitely opposed to the basketball plan was Bill Foley, athletic director of Bloomfield High School. He cited the problem of pressure, yet Cella from the same school system was definitely opposed to his superior's opinion and questioned Foley if he minded the pressure when he was the king of the state's football coaches.

Even though Foley made it known he was opposed to the plan, Cella went ahead and voted for the court sport along with Broffman and Fortunato. Cella is chairman of Essex County Basketball Tournament. Assmus, a former faculty man.

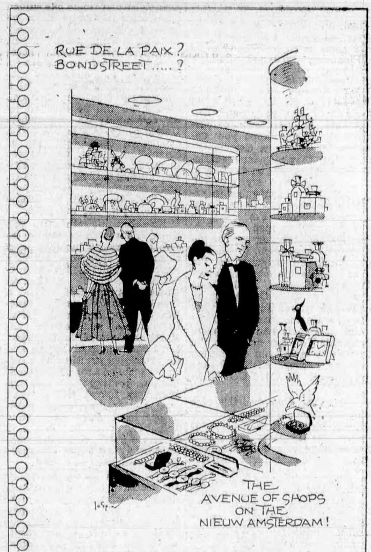
When originally set up the Big Ten took in basketball with the hope that it would revive the sport. That is currently being accomplished. The original plan was to start out with basketball and spread to basketball, track and football. Going into the meeting most of the representatives took for granted that the question would go through.

Why Schedule Big Ten?

Broffman asked the question, "Why did they tell us to get all the other Big Ten members on the schedule?" Another question raised was "You talk about pressure, you mean to say they want any in basketball?" In connection with tournaments one coach asked "You conduct a baseball league and still have a Greater Newark Tournament, yet you don't think that is too much?" Cella was most outspoken over the verdict and let his bitter feelings known.

In voting against basketball, Wishe explained to me following the meeting that if the program didn't have the full cooperation of the administrators this was not the time to organize it.

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including ceilings, roofs, gut-  
ters, etc. Estimates on request.  
30 years' experience; estimates  
reasonable. Ben Robbins,  
150 West Street, PL 9-1516.

CARPENTER CONTRACTOR,  
Specializing in alterations, por-  
ches, Kitchens, Garages, etc. All  
work done with precision tools.  
For latest work, at reasonable  
prices call Fred Baber, PL 9-1916.  
tf

ALTERATION, HOME REMOD-  
ELING; will repair and modern-  
ize your home from basement to  
attic. Financing arranged. Call  
PL 9-2515 day or night; free esti-  
mates. Frank Cauldron, PL  
9-1919 or PL 9-1800. 4-16-54 tf

CARPENTRY & MASONRY  
N. ALL ITS BRANCHES; por-  
ches, garages, additions, Plaster-  
ing, brick stoves, concrete walks  
and walls. Estimates on request.  
George V. Oliver, 78 Nulley Ave.  
Nulley, N. J. Nu 2-3332. tf

Decorators & Painters  
JOSEPH LUCIANO, CONTRAC-  
TOR, expert workmanship, es-  
timates cheerfully given. Nulley 2-  
4195.

## Electricians

COMPLETE ELECTRICAL SER-  
VICE, commercial, industrial,  
residential. Outlets, lights, switches  
installed. Essex Electric Co. PL  
9-1919 or PL 9-1800. 4-16-54 tf

## Excavating

VOCATURO, excavating, land-  
scaping, topsoil, screened and  
unscreened, land clearing. A. Vo-  
caturo, 46 Berton Place, Nulley.  
Call Nulley 2-7479 or Plymouth  
9-6640. 2-25-54 tf

## Floor Covering

RUGS — Wall to wall carpet. Lin-  
oleum, tiles. Summer rugs.  
Meads-Miller Company, 143 Frank-  
lin Avenue, telephone Nulley 2-  
4305. 2-25-54 tf

## For Rent

COMFORTABLE BED ROOM, for  
business man, good closet, High  
School section, near all buses. Re-  
ference exchanged. Call PL 9-8407.  
tf

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT  
ROOM, near bath, for busi-  
ness man. Buses pass door. For  
other rooms. PL 9-7187. 4-23  
tf

SEASHORE, Shipbottom, N.J.,  
rent from owner and save! Cot-  
tage, \$55, upper apt. \$39, lower  
apt. \$29, weekly rates quoted.  
Guarded Bay bathing 5 minute  
walk, ocean bathing 8 minute walk.  
Hwy. 22, 4-22-54 tf

FOUR ROOMS, modern apart-  
ment, tile bath and kitchen, heat  
and hot water supplied. \$85  
monthly. Ready May 1st or 15th.  
Call PL 9-2224. 4-23-54 tf

GARAGE, 122 Hornbaker Ave.  
Belleville, Call PL 9-4921. 5-14  
tf

3 LARGE ROOMS, furnished or  
unfurnished, for business couple.  
Private home. 365 Main St. Bel-  
leville, N. J. 2-4224. 4-23-54 tf

THREE ROOMS, modern apart-  
ment, furnished, private en-  
trance. Call Plymouth 9-9357. 5-7  
tf

FOUR ROOMS, in new home.  
Heats gas, electric, hot water  
and refrigerator supplied. Avail-  
able immediately. Business couple.  
Call Plymouth 9-9823.

347 MAIN ST. Private efficient  
apartment, utilities supplied. In-  
quire Mrs. Carey PL 9-7338. 5-21  
tf

## For Rent

LARGE DOUBLE SLEEPING  
ROOM, next to shower & bath,  
with private kitchen privilege. 200  
Jordanston St. 5-14  
tf

COZY FURNISHED FRONT  
ROOM, private bath and kitchen  
privilege. Call after 7 p.m. Ply-  
mouth 9-9225. 5-7  
tf

8 ROOM HOUSE, 152 Holmes St.  
—improvements, available July  
1st. PL 9-1626.

FURNISHED ROOM, newly paint-  
ed, convenient transportation.  
28 William St. 5-21  
tf

## For Sale

THOUSANDS of yards of materi-  
al for dresses and draperies at  
great savings. SLIP COVER  
SPECIAL. 3 pcs. set with 6  
cushions custom made from wash-  
able bark cloth with zippers. \$69.  
Curtains, bed spreads and drapes  
made to order. Visit our store and  
see materials galore. Open even-  
ings except Tuesday and Wed-  
nesday. Free delivery. 143 Frank-  
lin Road, No. Arlington, Kearny 2-  
0087. 10-9  
tf

GOOD OPPORTUNITY. Taverna  
with hall and building for sale  
in Kearny. Call Nulley 2-840. 5-7  
tf

1937 OLDS, 4-door, runs well. Ra-  
dio and heater, good tires. Call  
Plymouth 9-7479 after 6 p.m. 5-7  
tf

DINING ROOM SUITE, 6 chairs.  
Can be seen any time by ap-  
pointment. Call PL 9-2336. 5-7  
tf

MISCELLANEOUS. 2 Lacquered  
gold grained lamp tables; 1 lav-  
atory Lady's hand chair; 1 green  
club chair, like new; 1 lamp with  
shade. PL 9-5923. 5-14  
tf

MISCELLANEOUS. Marble top  
table, Walnut Library table (early  
American). Mahogany Tansy  
Chair, chair for small child and  
rocking chair, all with cane seats.  
William Weiss, Quinton St.  
Belleville. 5-14  
tf

SIAMSESE KITTEN, female, thor-  
oughbred, \$200. Call Plymouth  
9-7640. 5-21  
tf

FOR MOTHER'S DAY, control  
bred, healthy parakeets. Bird  
cages and brackets. \$10. Call Ply-  
mouth 9-3424. 5-7  
tf

RUG, 8 x 15 Aqua broadloom,  
with pad, used 2 months. Cost  
\$100. Will sell for \$100. PL 9-  
1732.

1947 NASH, 2 dr. sedan, clean  
car, fair mechanical condition,  
good tires, rhd., private party.  
Priced to sell, \$195. PL 9-5508.

MISCELLANEOUS. Several coats  
of your home from basement to  
attic. Financing arranged. Call  
PL 9-2515 day or night; free esti-  
mates. Frank Cauldron, PL  
9-1919 or PL 9-1800. 4-16-54 tf

WHIRLPOOL WASHING MA-  
CHINE, very good condition  
\$50. Call PL 9-1403 evenings.

GAS REFRIGERATOR, Electro-  
lux, \$25. Call PL 9-5346 after  
7 p.m.

AUTOMATIC THOR, spin washer,  
like new. Call PL 9-5282.

## For Sale - Real Estate

MULTIPLE LISTING assures the  
greatest satisfaction to buyers  
and sellers of real estate. So be  
sure you consult a realtor member  
of the Multiple Listing Service.  
Resciniti, 4244 Clinton Street,  
Belleville. Telephone PL 9-4408.  
tf

FOR COLORED FAMILY: 2 mod-  
ern baths, oil furnace steam heat,  
modern kitchen, other improve-  
ments. Reasonable. James Owens,  
143 Carlisle Ave. Paterson, N. J.

## Gutters and Leaders

ROOFING AND SHEET METAL  
WORK, Arlington Street Metal  
Co., 11-13 Argyle Pl. No. Arling-  
ton, N. J.

## Help Wanted Male-Female

GIRLS AND BOYS, part time,  
mornings, to help in Luncheonette  
for the entire summer. No expe-  
rience necessary. Pleasant sur-  
roundings, good salary, apply at  
once, 926 Corland St. PL 9-  
4694. 5-21  
tf

## Help Wanted - Female

EXPERIENCED OPERATORS  
wanted on ladies dresses. Union  
shop, excellent wages, variety  
with pay, excellent working con-  
ditions. Telephone Nulley 2-9826.  
Glenda Dress Co. 664 Passaic  
Ave. Nulley. tf

## Instructors

PIANO AND ORGAN STUDIO,  
122 Elmwood, 275 Little  
St., Belleville, N. J. PL 7-2539. tf

DOES YOUR CHILD NEED  
HELP IN READING?  
Send him to me—rate 75c per half  
hour. Young children require short  
frequent periods. 202 Highland  
Ave. N. Jones, formerly with Bel-  
leville schools. PL 9-3407. 4-16  
tf

## Tutoring

High school and grade  
school subjects by qualified high  
school teacher. Call Nulley 2-4-  
5-7  
tf

## Junk Dealers

ALWAYS PAYING TOP DOL-  
LARS; rugs, 3c lb. iron, brass,  
copper, metals. Singer sewing ma-  
chines, furnaces, papers, 35c per  
100 lbs. Immediate pickup by. Kear-  
ny. 2-1155. 5-21  
tf

## Junk Dealers

ATTENTION! I buy papers and  
magazines, scrap iron and  
metal; rugs, mattresses, stoves;  
bathrooms and furnaces. Immediate  
pickup. Telephone Nulley 2-9768.

## Lost

"TOPSY", old tan and white fe-  
male dog, vicinity of Brenon  
St. Has poor eyesight and hearing.  
Reward. Call PL 9-6300.

## Mason Contractors

D'ARC & DEVITO, 217 Fairway  
Ave., Belleville, N. J., specializing  
in garages, sidewalks, brick stoops,  
patios, sidewalks, etc. All work  
guaranteed. Plymouth 9-0952 or  
Humboldt 3-0909. 4-16-54 tf

## Mattresses

CUSTOM MATTRESS MAKERS,  
complete line of bedding. Matt-  
resses made to order. Renovating  
day service. Buy direct and  
save. Made furniture. Floor cov-  
erings. Open evening until 9, Sat-  
urday 6, 85 Franklin Ave. Nulley  
2-0774. 4-16-54 tf

## Property Improvement

NEW SIDEWALKS and repairing  
New lawns and repair. All labor  
and trucking. V. Sampaio,  
73 Garner Ave., Belleville, N. J.  
PL 9-5559.

## Roofers

IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS CALL  
HAROLD HARRISON, roof ex-  
pert, leaders and gutters installed.  
All kinds of roof repairs, chimney  
repairs and slate repairs. 315  
Hestruet Street, Kearny or tele-  
phone Kearny 2-5497.

ROOFING CONTRACTOR; all  
work done by owner. Asphalt  
roofing our specialty. Also siding,  
painting and ceilings. Prompt ser-  
vice. All work guaranteed. Geo.  
Francisco, 182 Forest St. PL 9-  
1873. 5-19  
tf

## Rug Cleaning

RUG CLEANING, repairing and  
storage. Furniture and wall to  
wall carpet cleaned in your home.  
Meads-Miller Company, telephone  
Nulley 2-4395. 2-25-54 tf

## Tile Contractors

ALTERATIONS and repairs  
evening. R. H. Moorhead, tile  
and marble contractor, Macdonald  
Drive, Plainfield, N. J. Phone  
Mountain View 8-2533-R.

## Trucking

MOVING and all kinds of truck-  
ing. Michael Conover — tele-  
phone Plymouth 9-6389; if no an-  
swer call after 6 P. M.

## Upholstering

REUPHOLSTERING done by ex-  
perts. Wide variety of samples.  
Meads-Miller Company, telephone  
Nulley 2-4395. 2-25-54 tf

## Wanted To Buy

TOWING FREE! Highest prices  
paid for cars and trucks for  
wrecking. Philo Auto Wrecking  
Co., 34 Stover Avenue, Kearny.  
For immediate pick-up call  
Nulley 2-4555; after 6 p. m.:  
Bigelow 2-7450.

ATTENTION: We pick up old  
magazines, newspapers, or we  
pay 40c per 100 lbs. if you de-  
liver to us. Also pick up rugs,  
iron, soap, metals, batteries, etc.  
Resciniti, 4244 Clinton Street,  
Belleville. Telephone PL 9-4408.  
tf

## Wanted To Rent

TWO ADULTS, 2 children (10 &  
18 yrs) want to rent one family  
home in Belleville. Write Bel-  
leville Times, Box 241.

YOUNG COUPLE, expecting first  
child, desire 3 or 4 room apt.  
rent, \$50. Call Kearny 2-7676.  
tf

FIRST FLOOR OR BASEMENT  
APT., 4 or 5 rooms, June-July.  
Business couple, in 40's, no chil-  
dren, no pets, no smoking. No  
Humboldt 3-3970, home, Hum-  
boldt 4-3772. 5-21  
tf

YOUNG BUSINESS COUPLE de-  
sires 4 rooms with heat, in a  
2 or 3 room home. Call Journal  
Square 2-5926 after 6 p.m.

## Work Wanted

ODD JOBS DONE, rubbish and  
dirt removed; cellars and yards  
cleaned. Dump truck to hire. Mon-  
day 2-2521 6 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. 5-7  
tf

CHILDREN'S DRESSES made  
up by experienced dressmaker.  
Call between 10 and 12 a.m. or  
4 or 6 p.m. PL 9-1928. 5-7  
tf

RELIABLE WOMAN, to do part  
time housework. Write Box 240,  
Belleville Times, Belleville. 5-7  
tf

ALTERATIONS on ladies suits,  
dresses, etc. Call PL 9-0922.  
Miss Parris, 217 Greylock Park  
Way, Belleville. 5-14  
tf

ODD JOBS DONE, very reason-  
able. Call PL 9-7646 anytime. 5-7  
tf

STORM SASH TAKEN DOWN;  
screens put up; will paint. Win-  
dows washed; reasonable. Call Ply-  
mouth 9-9495. 5-14  
tf

RELIABLE WOMAN wishes to  
care for child in her home while  
mother works; hours 8 to 5 p.m.  
PL 9-1948. 5-14  
tf

LADIES WORK by white woman,  
high-class work, as ironing, etc.  
2-1155. 5-21  
tf

## Vote

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"Experienced men with a sound  
background and no political  
ambitions. Those elected to  
the future of our invest-  
ment in Belleville. Every citizen  
should go to the polls on Tuesday  
and elect five men who will have  
the complete confidence of the  
people. Five men who will work in  
harmony and produce a type of  
government geared to serve the  
people and not the political ambi-  
tions of a chosen few."

Urging Hyde's re-election, Robert  
Smith, campaign manager for  
commissioner Hyde, pointed to what he  
called Hyde's "splendid record in  
the town recreation department,"  
and cited his influential position in  
the business world.

"Commissioner Hyde has a record  
of accomplishments since he  
sawed office four years ago," Mr.  
Smith declared. "He has built the  
recreation program into a fine me-  
dium of service for the town, and  
especially for the children. The  
municipal stadium, in a rundown  
area, is now a fine recreation cen-  
ter. Hyde took office, has become  
a clean, spruced-up site of civic  
pride, brought about by good  
management and efficient opera-  
tion."

"There is much to be accom-  
plished in Belleville, and the over-  
riding body must formulate policies  
and adopt a financial program that  
will safeguard the investment of every  
home owner. Hyde's sound and  
successful background in the busi-  
ness world will be a strong factor  
in carrying out the town's business.  
He has fought vigorously for what  
he believes is right, often providing  
the only opposition to proposals  
not offered in the best interests  
of the taxpayers."

"The commissioner has been re-  
sponsible for a recreation program  
that has increased its activities 300  
per cent. The National Recreation  
Association — whose members re-  
present recreation departments  
throughout the nation — has  
declared Hyde for the excellence of  
his program. There is no other  
man here, any man in town, who  
Hyde's sincere effort to save his  
town."

SURROGATES NOTICE  
ESTATE OF HENRY C. BARKHOFF,  
deceased.

Notice of Settlement  
Notice is hereby given that the accounts  
of the estate of HENRY C. BARKHOFF,  
deceased, will be audited and  
settled by the Surrogate and reported  
for settlement to the Essex County Court,  
Probate Division, on Thursday, the 26th  
day of May next.

MARIETTE G. BARKHOFF,  
Jr., Executor.  
BAILEY, SCHINCK & BENNETT,  
Attorneys.  
164 Broad Street,  
Newark 2, N. J. Fees: \$8.00  
TN 2-7.

LEGAL NOTICE  
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that  
the Town of Belleville will sell at public  
sale to the highest bidder all its right,  
title and interest in the lands and im-  
provements in the Town of Belleville  
described hereinafter, and not needed for public  
use.

Said lands and premises will be sold to  
the highest bidder in accordance with the  
provisions of R. S. 40-48-25 et seq. and  
the provisions of the town and county  
ordinances, on Thursday, the 26th  
day of May next.

First Tract: 150 Franklin Avenue,  
Block 166, Lot 9.  
Minimum Bid \$600.00.  
Second Tract: 729 Washington Avenue,  
Block 174, Lot 18.  
Minimum Bid \$400.00.  
Special Condition for  
Tract 174, Lot 18. Sale  
will be made to the highest bidder  
interested in any person  
in and to the title of  
person, the property in-  
cluding structures lo-  
cated on the premises.

JAMES J. TULLY,  
Director of the Department of  
Revenue and Finance.  
Nulley 2-4124.  
TN 5-7.

SURROGATES NOTICE  
ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE B. DYERS,  
deceased.

Notice of Settlement  
Notice is hereby given that the accounts  
of the subscriber, Trustee of the Trust  
created for the benefit of Anna B. Dyers,  
et al, under the Will and Testament of  
JOSEPH B. DYERS, deceased, will be  
audited and settled by the Surrogate and  
reported for settlement to the Essex County  
Court, Probate Division, on Thursday, the 26th  
day of June next.

FIDELITY UNION TRUST COMPANY  
STOCK & BONDS, Attorneys.  
150 Broad Street,  
Newark 2, N. J. Fees: \$8.00  
TN 5-28.

LEGAL NOTICE  
TAKE NOTICE that application has  
been made to the Surrogate of the County  
of Belleville, N. J., to transfer the  
Estate of Thomas J. Tully, deceased,  
to the County of Essex, N. J., and that  
the said application has been granted by  
the Surrogate, and that the said Estate  
of the Late WILLIAM TULLY, deceased,  
will be audited and settled by the  
Surrogate and reported for settlement  
to the Essex County Court, Probate  
Division, on Thursday, the 26th day of  
July next.

JOSEPHINE B. DYERS,  
Trustee.  
STANLEY TOMASZEWSKI,  
331 Van Hook Avenue, Clifton, N. J.  
TN 5-7.

SURROGATES NOTICE  
ESTATE OF GEORGE HICKS, deceased.

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ESTATE OF GEORGE HICKS, deceased.

## Mark

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One of the outstanding develop-  
ments in the field of medicine  
since the organization of the pro-  
gram has been the elimination of  
the once dreaded child killer, diptheria.  
The last case in Belleville was  
reported in 1942. Smallpox, which  
also once took a heavy toll of  
the people, has been eliminated.  
Berry predicts that the menace of  
whooping cough will also disap-  
pear through the use of portacine  
inoculations, and "hooster  
dances."

The health department conducts  
two "baby-keep-well" clinics —  
one at town hall and the other in  
the James H. Shaver school at  
Silver Lake. Each station is open  
to the public twice a month, with  
a pediatrician and two nurses in  
attendance.

Although the clinics are con-  
ducted for mothers who do not  
make regular visits to a physician,  
they are primarily centers for  
teaching mothers how to keep ba-  
bies healthy. In addition to admin-  
istering inoculations and booster  
shots, the doctors carefully re-  
hears the growth of each child and  
instruct the mothers on care, man-  
agement and feeding. Sick chil-  
dren are not treated at the clinics,  
but mothers are helped in taking  
steps to assure the welfare of the  
youngsters.

During 30 years of service, the  
baby-keep-well program has im-  
munized 9,952 children against  
diphtheria. More



Isadore J. Padula



# VOTE 1A ELECT ISADORE J. PADULA

As Your Commissioner

Belleville Citizens Deserve  
Better Government

## VOTE 1-A

- Belleville is Big Business. Belleville Taxpayers are entitled to a government in which the sound advice of Attorney Isadore J. Padula is used.
- We recommend Mr. Padula because of his fine Educational and Professional Background.
- We recommend Mr. Padula to you because he is Dignified, Honest, Sincere, and Honorable.
- A change is needed in the personnel of our Commission Board.
- Do your share to affect this change. Vote for Mr. Padula.
- Mr. Padula is a Must in any group of Candidates. As a voter, you should support Mr. Padula because of his understanding of Belleville's problems.
- Remember Belleville's Problems are your Problems - Vote for Attorney Isadore J. Padula - and give Belleville Good Government.

# VOTE 1A ON MAY 11th

Paid For By Jerry and Mike Cajanear, T. Focelli

## Fellow Citizens:

May the 11th is as good a time as any to start to clean house. If you are truly interested in the town you live in—raise your children in—and spend your money in—You'll Get Out and Vote.

The trouble is, we've all been asleep at the switch. It's our fault as citizens, not taking an interest, that scandalous conditions in Belleville have lasted. The "let George do it" attitude, should be over. There is, however, one man in this town that doesn't fall into that category! He's been fighting alone, fellow citizens, but a few people heard him, and listened, and knew right off the bat, that this man was a fighter, for the right kind of clean government we're entitled to. A few politically ambitious people don't care for this man, because he's honest. Naturally it hurts these few, because he's hitting close to home, on many of the wrongdoings that have been going on in this town of ours. Regardless of who tries to take claim to the present investigation at the Prosecutor's office, James R. Golden is the first to have brought to light these alledged irregularities, and reported them to their proper channels.

Over a year ago, he reported to the present board of commissioners, the drastic situation, that has come upon us, a parental home in our midst. Plus many, many more things of civic interest, he has brought to the attention of the board, but they wouldn't listen. Kind of hard we guess, for men in office to listen to a mere private citizen, but this shouldn't be, friends. Remember we're paying the freight. The first thing you know, the voice of we people won't mean a thing, then whose fault will it be? Yours and ours, if we don't vote for a man who has the courage to fight, loud and hard for cleaner government in our town. He's been doing this friends, for you and us.

This is a serious business we're all involved in, don't just vote for a man, because you know his name, his suave attire, his power of pocket-book. Look to the man with sincerity, integrity, honesty and courage, who will fight for right, in the interest of the people. Know your candidate s, as we know James R. Golden, who possesses all of these qualities. The man with ability, who will do things for the people of Belleville.

## VOTE 9-A

On Your Voting Machines, Friends

May 11th

Paid for by interested citizens, for good clean government.

# VOTE 7-A on the 11<sup>th</sup> of MAY

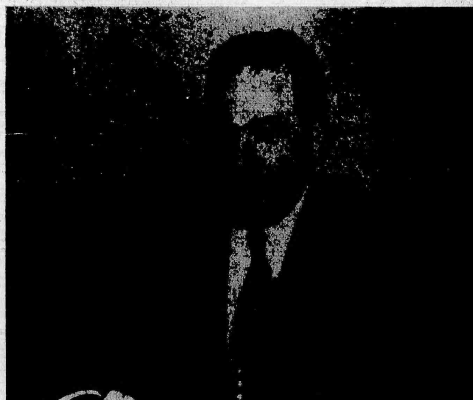
TO MY FRIENDS,  
THE CITIZENS OF  
BELLEVILLE:

As the present Commission Election campaign draws to a close, the citizens and voters of Belleville are deciding their selection of the five most capable candidates as their representatives on the next Board of Commissioners.

I particularly urge each and every citizen to vote for the five candidates they feel are best qualified to serve all the citizens of our town during the ensuing four years. I will appreciate your earnest consideration of my candidacy when you select your five candidates.

At this time I should like to express my sincere gratification for the support and assistance given in my behalf by my many friends and the members of the Harry J. Sullivan Association during the present campaign. I am also deeply gratified at the endorsement of my candidacy by many Labor and other organizations throughout the County of Essex.

Respectfully yours,  
HARRY J. SULLIVAN



HARRY J. SULLIVAN

H armonious cooperation of Police and Fire departments  
A ble and resourceful leadership  
R etainment of our low crime and accident rate  
R ecord of Harry J. Sullivan speaks for itself  
Y outh program for our children with P A L

J udicious to everyone at all times

S afety in our homes and on the streets  
U nderstanding and experience in Public Safety problems  
L abor's endorsement for office  
L ifelong resident and civic leader of Belleville  
I ntense devotion to duty  
V igoorous law enforcement  
A ccessible for constructive criticism  
N oted for achievement in office.

# VOTE 7-A

Attend The HARRY J. SULLIVAN "OPEN HOUSE" at the Belleville Elk's Club tomorrow, Saturday evening, and Meet HARRY J. SULLIVAN

Paid for by N. R. Pico, Campaign Manager



# GRACE BAPTIST TO HAVE MISSIONARY AS GUEST SPEAKER

Elmer Adams, missionary of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, will speak at the meeting of the Goodwill Circle of Grace Baptist church Monday, at 8 p.m. Adams and his wife, the former Laura Kathryn Buckingham, were appointed by the Foreign Society in September, 1952, with designation for Burma. They were reassigned to the South India field in September, 1953, when they were refused visas by the Burmese government.

Adams is a graduate of Linfield College, McMinnville, Oregon, has done graduate work at the University of Washington and holds the degree of Doctor of Education from the State College of Washington.

For 15 years he has been a teacher, principal and superintendent in the public schools of Washington. His special interests are rural education and school-plant planning. He has been a U. S. O. director and Y. M. C. A. secretary. Throughout his educational life he has been active in Christian work as Sunday school teacher, B. Y. Y. worker, in Baptist summer camps as H-Y director and responsible leader in each church he has attended.

# QUARTER CENTURY CLUB HONORS 4 LOCAL RESIDENTS

Four Belleville residents, Lydia Clark of 19 Sanford Avenue, Sanzo Vazzano of 39 Naples Avenue, Claire Conroy of 692 Mill Street and Giovanni Asti of 21 Naples Avenue, were honored at the Lehn & Fink Products Corporation Quarter Century Club first annual dinner held at the Military Park hotel, Newark, each received an award.

The Quarter Century Club was formed by the company in order to give well-deserved recognition to its 101 employees who have served continuously for 25 years or more.

Asti, who is senior member of the Belleville group with 34 years service to the company, Conroy with 33 years, Vazzano with 27 years and Clark with 25 years service, were installed as charter members of the club and all were presented with 14 carat gold wrist watches by Edward Plaut, Lehn & Fink President.

# Tri-Towners Plan Card Party And Fashion Show

A benefit card party and fashion show will be given by the Tri-Town Business & Professional Women's Club of Belleville, Bloomfield and Nutley, on Friday evening, May 14, at 7:30 in the Bloomfield senior high school cafeteria.

The proceeds from this party will be used for the purchase of a large screen television set for a yard in Essex Mountain Sanatorium. Mrs. Hazel White, public health nurse for the town of card party committee.

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**P.T.A. NO. 1 HAVE FENCING GUESTS**

The Parent Teacher Association of school No. 1 held a Mother and Daughter meeting on Thursday, Robert Cook and members of the Girls' Fencing Team as guests. Miss B. Garrigus, home economic advisor of Public Service, demonstrated sandwich making and party fare.

The following officers were installed by Mrs. Dwight Streeter, recording secretary of the Essex County Council of Parent Teacher Associations: President, Peter Walker; vice-president, Mrs. Paul Vitre; honorary vice-president, Paul Brennan; treasurer, Mrs. Augustus Kien; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Kondreck and recording secretary, Mrs. Herbert Tucker.

New Vice-President For Sweeney Lithograph Co.

The National Association of Manufacturers has announced the appointment of John A. Wilkens, vice president, Sweeney Lithograph Co., Inc., Belleville, N. J. to serve on one of its important policy committees during the ensuing year.

Mr. Wilkens will serve on the NAM's International Relations Committee which deals with major international issues affecting the national economy.

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**PUBLIC SERVICE**

**OFFICERS OF ELKS' AUXILIARY** — After a successful year which brought many new members into the organization, new officers of the Ladies' Elks Auxiliary were installed. Pictured left to right are the new officers, Mrs. Paula Tobin, treasurer; Mrs. Joyce Browksi, secretary; Mrs. Peggy Hoffman, the retiring president; Miss Helen Del Grosso, president; Mrs. Marie Barrett, vice president.

**Joseph H. Hall President Of Pru's Athletic Group**

Joseph H. Hall of 147 Floyd Street has been inducted as president of the Prudential Insurance Company Athletic Association.

Hall, who has been with the company 43 years, is one of the original organizers of the Association which was formed in 1911. A former outstanding basketball and baseball performer, he has been instrumental in organizing various intra-company sports leagues.

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**Peaches** DEL MONTE 29-oz. can **27c**  
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**Peaches** IDEAL, Yellow Cling, Sliced 1/2's 29-oz. can **26c**

**Pablum** Oatmeal, Rice and Barley Cereal 8-oz. pkgs. **31c**

**Peas** GREEN GIANT 17-oz. cans **37c**

**Cookies** Lemon Creme & No. 20 14 1/4-oz. pkg. **29c**  
Creme Sandwich

**Ajax** CLEANSER Combination Offer 2 14-oz. cans **21c**

Get FREE Medium Size Package FAB with each deal pack

**COOKIES, CRACKERS**

Chocolate Chips 31c  
Town House 36c  
Premium Saltines 27c  
Arrowroot 19c  
Brownies 39c  
Vanilla Wafers 33c  
Cookies 29c

**FLAKO FEATURES**

Flako Flakorn 2 11-oz. pkgs. 37c  
Cuplets 11-oz. pkgs. 19c  
Cookie Mix 15-oz. pkgs. 37c

**CANDY DEPARTMENT**

Luden Peanuts 19c  
Hershey Miniatures 29c  
Lemon Drops 17c  
Fruit Slices 29c  
Charm's Sour Balls 25c  
Jelly Drops 19c

**LA CHOY FEATURES**

Bean Sprouts 14c  
Chop Suey LA CHOY 19c  
Noodles LA CHOY 31c  
Soy Sauce LA CHOY 10-oz. bottle 11c

**MISCELLANEOUS**

Milk LOUELLA EVAPORATED 4 11-oz. cans 87c  
Tea Bags IDEAL 10-oz. pkgs. 21c  
Tomato Juice IDEAL 2 18-oz. cans 23c  
Beans IDEAL 2 15-oz. cans 31c  
Spratts Assorted Dog Rinnall 12-oz. pkgs. 21c

**CLEANING NEEDS**

Dif Hand Cleanser 21c  
Dif Household Cleaner 2 11-oz. pkgs. 29c  
Florient COLGATE DEODORANT 3 11-oz. pkgs. 79c  
Palmolive Soap 3 Bath Cakes 35c  
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Laundry Soap OCTAGON 3 cakes 25c  
VEL 12-oz. pkgs. 72c  
FAB 12-oz. pkgs. 72c  
Octagon Cleanser 2 11-oz. pkgs. 19c  
Soap ROQUET CASHEMERE 2 11-oz. pkgs. 25c  
Soap ROQUET 3 Bath Cakes 35c

**IT'S NATIONAL BABY WEEK**

BECH-NUT, GERBER'S CLAFFS  
Baby Foods Shrimps 5 11-oz. pkgs. 49c  
BECH-NUT, GERBER'S CLAFFS  
Jr. Foods 6 11-oz. pkgs. 89c  
Meats Swift Chopped 31c  
Orange Juice 3 4-oz. cans 25c  
Banana Flakes KANANA 19c  
Castile Soap JOHNSONS 19c  
Evenflo 19c  
ZBT Baby Powder 4 11-oz. pkgs. 25c

**PANTRY NEEDS**

Chow Mein China Hearty 51c  
Kraft Oil 37c  
Laddie Boy Chicken Dog Food 21c  
Laddie Boy Beef Dog Food 21c  
Calo Cat Food 2 11-oz. pkgs. 27c  
Bread Crumbs DEVONSHIRE 15c  
Pie-T-Fine Assorted 3 4-oz. pkgs. 25c  
Pie Filling LEMON 2 4-oz. pkgs. 25c  
Gravy with Beef KRAFT 10-oz. can 49c

**PILLSBURY FEATURES**

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**Short Ribs** 49c  
**Fresh Ground Beef** 39c  
**Lamb Chops** 39c  
**Legs or Rumps Veal** 49c

**Lamb Liver** 33c  
**Bacon** 49c  
**Lamb Hearts** 33c  
**Skinless Franks** 55c  
**Fish Sticks** 45c  
**Shrimp** 65c  
**Turkey Dinner** 89c  
**Shrimp** 75c

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**Strawberries** BIRDSEYE Sliced 2 10-oz. pkgs. **47c**

**Birdseye Asparagus** 15-oz. pkgs. 45c

**Birdseye Broccoli** 2 15-oz. pkgs. 49c

**Birdseye Peas** 2 15-oz. pkgs. 33c

**Ideal Lima Beans** FORD 15-oz. pkgs. 23c

**Mixed Vegetables** BIRDSEYE 2 10-oz. pkgs. 21c

**Orange Juice** IDEAL 2 8-oz. cans 33c

**Grape Juice** WELCH 2 10-oz. pkgs. 21c

**French Fries** IDEAL Potatoes 2 pkgs. 27c

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## More "So. Pacific Tales" From Miss Wharton's Log

Our roving friend, Miss Agnes Wharton, of 334 Stephens Street, ex-principal of the South 10th and Waverly Streets school in Newark, has had many an "enchanted evening" since we last had a letter from her. The latest installment in her 99-day jaunt through the South Pacific and those "far away places with the strange sounding names" which she has visited are guaranteed to make every reader tear off for the nearest ship to book passage. "And away we go!"

Since visiting New Zealand we have had many and varied experiences in many strange and interesting places. The ports visited are listed below with brief comments.

Melbourne: March 4. The second city in size and importance in Australia where our visit happened to coincide with that of the gracious Queen Elizabeth II. Some of us had a glimpse of the lovely city as the smiling and greeted the anxiously awaiting crowd of loyal subjects and visitors from foreign parts. Due to a strike of longshoremen, the Caronia had to anchor some distance from the dock, necessitating our going ashore by launch. There was no difficulty in going ashore, but by the time we were ready to return to the ship a storm had developed causing the ocean to be so rough that the going was dangerous. About 90% of the passengers developed mal de mer so "a good time was not had by all." I was one of the 10% who did not succumb to that unpleasant malady, I am glad to say.

Sydney: March 6 and 7. Two interesting days were spent here, viewing the sights for which this city is famous. Van Clur House, Mrs. Mac Quarie's chair, Baudwick race course, cathedrals of St. Andrew and St. Mary and the zoo, where we were introduced to kangaroos, koala bears, platypuses and other fauna indigenous to Australia. On Sunday some new found friends drove a cruise acquaintance and me out to the Bush country and gave us some of the native flavor of this island continent. Once more we had a small example of international goodwill.

Guadalcanal: March 11. Sad indeed it was to witness what the ravages of war had done to this little island which played such an important part in the second World War. We stood in admiration, realizing what bravery had been exhibited by our soldiers when they stood fast and defeated the Japanese.

Port Moresby: March 13. Here we witnessed native dances, the most important being the Cassowary Dance. Only men who have killed a man have the right to wear the Cassowary feathers in their headgear for the execution of this dance. Other savage dances of New Guinea include the Devil's dance, in which the performers wear gigantic and grotesque headgear with their bodies covered with

grass and palm leaves. How "native" can people be?

Bali: March 17-18-19. Beautiful, romantic, exotic Bali—a picturesque contrast to modern civilization. It is difficult to imagine we are living in the 20th century when we view the terraced farms and rice paddies being cultivated by wooden plows drawn by water buffalo. The Balinese are a proud people and work hard to produce copra, bamboo, cattle and kopak for export. The law forbids the exporting of rice as every grain is needed for home consumption.

Singapore: March 22. Founded by Sir Stamford Raffles in 1819, the Crown Colony of Singapore is situated two degrees north of the Equator and is often referred to as the "crossroads of the East." Besides that it is certainly the shopping center of the world. After driving past the Botanical Gardens, the Ford factory, the Chinese temple, the Raffles hotel, the day was given over to shopping for wares from every part of the globe. Needless to say, we all spent as much as we could spare, perhaps more!

Manila: March 27. Here we enjoyed Philippine hospitality, but were "treated" to the most intense heat of the whole cruise. It was interesting to think ourselves back to the part played in Manila Bay in 1898 and again the importance of Manila in the war of the 1940's. Many Japanese ships are "resting" in the Bay where they were sunk in 1942.

Japan, March 31—April 6. Kobe, A warm welcome awaited us here, and we enjoyed polite differential treatment throughout our stay. The many fountains and temples made us realize how different

this Oriental country is from our own. Yokohama: Another welcome and a drive to Tokyo just 22 miles distant from Yokohama where we were given a welcome party at the Imperial hotel. At the time of our visit, the cherry blossoms were at their peak and as we drove over the mountains to Fujiyama Park and revelled in the beauty of the many, many blossoms, only Jerseyites could not help thinking of a certain park in a certain town.

The Japanese people seemed glad to give the United States credit for helping them to better conditions in their educational system. Since the war they are on the 6-3-3 plan and education is compulsory through the 9th grade. Hawaii: Honolulu. We reached beautiful Honolulu on April 13 and after being decorated with leis by lovely girls in native dress, we proceeded on a tour of the island of Oahu. The whole country is neat, clean and attractive. We passed banana groves, pineapple

fields and a profusion of varicolored hibiscus and oleander. "Heavenly" is the adjective used frequently by the enchanted visitors. Los Angeles: April 20. "Old Home Day" with "open house" at the home of Belleville friends, Mr. and Mrs. T. Rothery and Miss Edith Comstock. Among those present were the following former Jerseyites: Mrs. Harold Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mackey, Miss Alvie Coomer, Miss Janet Housley, Mrs. Grace Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas, Miss Ida Kirk and Mrs. Mary Donaldson.

It was a gala party, one to be long remembered. Acapulco: April 24. A fine visit to Mexico's Riviera, as a farewell to foreign parts as we gladly head home to our friends whom we all hold dear.

Most sincerely,  
Agnes Wharton

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## OPEN HOUSE!! OPEN HOUSE!! OPEN HOUSE!!

The Citizens of Belleville are cordially invited to attend an Open House in honor of Public Safety Director Harry J. Sullivan, at the Belleville Elk's Club, tomorrow, Saturday, May 8th, 1954, at 8:00 P.M.

The Harry J. Sullivan Association has arranged this Open House in order to provide the citizens of our town the opportunity to meet and acquaint themselves with its standard bearer.

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## HOLY FAMILY BAZAAR HELD

Holy Family Church, at Brookline Avenue, will hold its annual Bazaar this coming week from Tuesday through Saturday. A special children's Bazaar will be held on Sat-

urday afternoon, May 16, at 2 o'clock. President of the church societies and those who will staff the booths during the affair are acting as members of the Bazaar committee. The Holy Name Society, with its president, Frank Malizia, will sponsor two booths at the Bazaar. Mrs. Grace Stetela will be in charge of the Mt. Carmel Society, which will serve Italian

tono pies. Mrs. Micheline Restaino heads the Rosary Society, which will sponsor a grocery booth. Mrs. Cecina DeFuria will be at the head of the St. Lucy Sodality, which will sponsor a picnic booth. Nicholas Colaninno heads the school P.T.A., which will have a raffle booth, and Joseph D'Alonzo heads the Guard of Honor, which will also have enterprises. The affair will benefit the fund to liquidate the church

debt, now in the neighborhood of \$280,000 due to the erection of the parochial school and convent. Holy Family School now has 450 children and will top the 500 mark in September. The first graduating class from Holy Family will receive their diplomas in June, 1955.

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## HADASSAH WOMEN ATTEND MEETING

Six delegates have been named by the Belleville-Nutley chapter of Hadassah to attend the 27th annual Spring conference for the Northern New Jersey Region being

held in Asbury Park at the Berkely-Carter Hotel, from Tuesday through today.

Mrs. Jerome Hamburger, chapter president; Mrs. Sidney Rogoff, Mrs. Abe Weinstein and Mrs. Herman Goldberg, of Nutley, and Mrs. George Sorin and Mrs. Donald Weissman, of Belleville, are the chapter's delegates. Several other members are attending daily sessions. Mrs. Donald Weissman, vice-

president in charge of programs, has been requested by the region on several original and entertaining programs presented by the local chapter during the year.

In honor of Israel Independence Day, the Nutley-Belleville chapter of Hadassah will conduct services and serve as hostesses at Temple B'nei Israel, tomorrow evening, at 8:30. Mrs. Hamburger will lead the services and Mrs. Harry Chershow, Mrs. Frank Edelman, Mrs. Aaron Cor-

don and Mrs. Abraham Weinstein will participate. Rabbi Dausig will speak on "Hadassah's Role in Israel."

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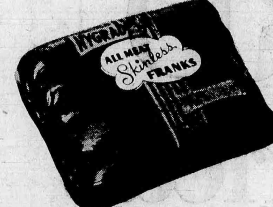
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**Black Pepper** Fre-Mar Pure Ground 4-oz. can **39¢**  
**Green Beans** Fre-Mar French Style No. 303 can **15¢**  
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**Mrs. Simms Table Syrup** 12-oz. jar **23¢**  
Delicious table syrup, for waffles and pancakes!

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Assorted flavors, delicious (ally candies).

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Delight the kiddies with tasty chocolate Tootsie Rolls!

**Reed's Root Beer Candy** 7-oz. cello pkg. **19¢**  
You'll like the true root beer flavoring of these delicious candies!

**Serto Imported Tomatoes** No. 3 **39¢**  
Solid pack imported Italian peeled tomatoes!

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# A GALA VARIETY SHOW PLANNED BY SCOUT UNIT 301

The three Scouting Units of 301 of Wesley Methodist Church are planning a huge Variety Show for the benefit of the Cub Pack, new camping equipment for the group and newly formed Explorer

Post. The show will be presented on Wednesday evening, June 2, at 8 o'clock at School No. 8 on Union Avenue. The best talent of North Jersey, both professional and amateur, is being lined up for this affair.

With charters for the three units, Wesley is now sponsoring the entire Scouting program under the banners of the Boy Scouts of America. It may also be interesting to know that the Cub-Pack has two sets of twins registered in its fold—Alfred and

Harry Findlay of 266 Homblower Avenue and James and Frank Lennox of 387 Cortland Street. This is believed to be a record for the Robert Treat Council and even perhaps the entire National Council.

John Lennox is the advisor leader of the new Explorer Post. Clarence Buck is scoutmaster of the group and Ed Anderson is cubmaster of the Cub Pack.

Eric Hulme, father of Donald Hulme, the famous Belleville accordionist, will be chairman of

the Variety Show, assisted by Eldon Shawyer, program and planning; Cliff Kraft, tickets; Ed Anderson, publicity and committeemen at large; Clarence Buck, John Lennox and Bob Martin.

Further details will be announced as plans are formulated for the show.

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A program on traffic safety will be presented at the DeMolay meeting Tuesday evening at 8:30 in the Masonic Temple, 126 Jordenwood Street. The guest for the evening, C. Stewart Mead, educational consultant of the New Jersey Automobile Club, and

Foundation for Safety, will discuss the situations encountered when operating a motor vehicle. He will demonstrate various testing devices which illustrate reflex reactions to traffic situations and emergencies and will inform the guests on methods which the general public can employ to prevent accidents.

A discussion period will follow Mead's address and the public is invited to attend.

# OFFICERS ELECTED AT P.T.A. NO. 8

Mrs. Alex M. Glichrist was re-elected president of the school No. 8 P.T.A. at a recent meeting. Other officers elected for the coming year include Mrs. Sal Iannelli, vice-president; Miss Viola Broadbent, vice-president; Miss Eleanor Walsh, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Anthony Priolo, recording

secretary and Mrs. George Rowan, treasurer.

Guest speaker of the evening, Mrs. M. Fraser, discussed the United Nations and its many services and members were invited to take advantage of the planned tours through the United Nations building and to attend at least one session.

Officers will be installed on May 24th, at the regular meeting. Refreshments will be served by the mothers of the classes of Miss Stacy Yaskell, Miss Eleanor Walsh,



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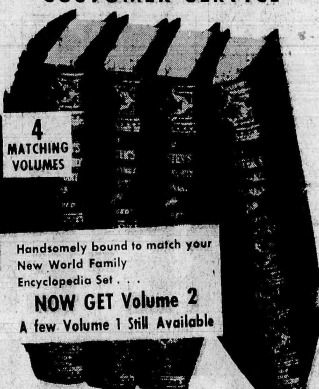
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