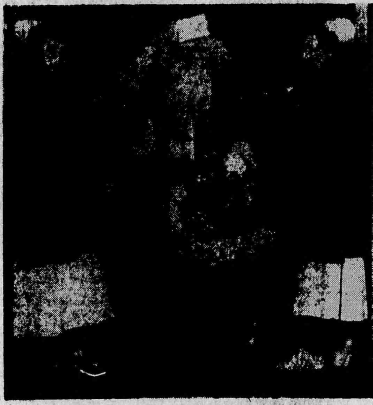


Christmas Pays Visit To 11-Year-Old, Belleville Girl At Clara Maass Hospital

Dolores Mascitelli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mascitelli, of 173 Belleville Avenue, had her very own Christmas party at Clara Maass Hospital. Photo at left shows Santa arriving at the hospital with gifts for little Dolores. Nurses and Dolores' school chums make him welcome. Next photo shows Dolores opening gifts from her friends, Jayne Altos, Barbara McKinnon, Patricia Scaglione, Craig Lukowiak, and Ronald Radier. Third photo shows Santa bringing more presents for the children, and giving a special "get well" to Dolores. Bottom photo shows children and nurse admiring gifts they got in a very special Christmas party. See page three for complete story.



Santa Welcomed At Hospital By Children



Dolores Receives Presents From Her School Chums



Santa Adds His Special Christmas Gift And Cheer



Children Admire Gifts They Received

MEYNER SATISFIED WITH HONESTY OF CIVIL SERVICE

Expresses Belief In Letters To Mayor Padula, Golden On McLaughlin Appointment

In letters received by both Mayor Isadore J. Padula and town critic James Golden, Governor Meyner has expressed the feeling that Civil Service is doing an honest and objective job in Belleville. The Governor said that state officials cannot understand the consternation caused by the recent examination for town purchasing agent.

The exam, given in October, has set off a whole chain of fireworks and criticism. Thomas McLaughlin, who had held the purchasing job on a temporary appointment, placed high in the exam. However, three of the unsuccessful candidates claimed the test was "farcical" and nonsensical.

In view of the criticism brought to his attention, Mayor Padula delayed naming McLaughlin to the post on a permanent basis. Both the Mayor and Golden had written Gov. Meyner explaining the circumstances and asking him for a further investigation.

Referred To Kelly However, at the last Commission meeting, Commissioners voted against the Mayor's stand and appointed McLaughlin to the post. However, in spite of the investigation promised by Gov. Meyner, he has referred Golden's queries to William F. Kelly, Jr.,

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MARCH OF DIMES OPENS TUESDAY

Blue Crutch Tag, Mother's March Are Special Events

The Belleville March of Dimes campaign will open Tuesday and continue through January 31. James J. Tully, municipal chairman reminded local citizens today.

Folders will be mailed out this week to all residents, and Tully urged them to enclose their contributions and return the folders. Containers will also be placed in all town stores.

Last year, \$1,805 was raised in Belleville, which placed it fourth among Essex County municipalities, Tully said. Leaders of the drive hope to exceed that figure in this year's campaign.

Other division leaders are Mrs. Henry Lewis who will head the Mother's March scheduled for one hour on the night of Tuesday, January 31; Mrs. Edward Rochau who heads the women's division; John Carrough, who heads the special gifts division; and William Glover, of Sweeney Lithograph Company, who heads the industrial division.

Among the features of the Essex County Chapter's campaign for funds to fight polio will be a "Blue

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Three Have Licenses Revoked By Gassert

Frederick J. Gassert, Jr., director of motor vehicles, today announced the revocation of driving licenses from three Belleville residents under the point system.

Martin A. Rakuruz, 19, of 430 Cortlandt Street; no driver's license, leaving the scene of an accident; and three speeding violations; license revoked for an indefinite period.

Richard E. Rudigan, 25, of 160 Belleville Court B; three speeding and one careless driving; license revoked indefinitely.

Lester MacEachern, 18, of 384 Joramont Street; speeding and three careless driving; license revoked two months.

January Belleville Conference names William Allison Boyd, Sr., architect, as its candidate in the Board of Education's first member election to be held February 8.

Town Commission adopts resolution ending rent control, effective here June 30. School budget is \$301,700 less than last year; budget total announced is

Kiernan Case Tabled For Two Weeks; Board's Finances Criticized At Meeting

School Board Election Slated For February 14

Eligible Voters Must Register By January 5; Candidates Must File Petitions By January 25 At Office Of School Board Secretary Daniels

In order to be eligible to vote in the annual school election on February 14, all persons must either be permanently registered in the signature copy register (permanent registration), or must do so 40 days prior to the date of the election. County Superintendent of Schools William S. Twichell said today. Thursday, January 5, is the deadline.

All persons who are citizens of the United States; who are 21 years of age at the time of the school election; who have resided one year in the state and five months in the county, and who are permanently registered in the district 40 days prior to the election, may vote, he said.

Persons not already registered in the permanent registry, may do so at the office of the local municipal clerk, or at the office of the County Board of Elections, Hall of Records, Newark. The office hours of the County Board of Elections are 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, Twichell said.

Local Secretary Unable The secretary of the local Board of Education will not be able to register voters; such registration must be done by the local municipal clerk or by the County Board of Elections, he warned.

Any person who is permanently registered in the County and who changes his residence from one municipality to another, must file or forward a change of residence at least 40 days prior to the date of the school election, Twichell said. This also may be done only at the office of the municipal clerk or at the office of the Commissioner of Registration, Hall of Records, Newark.

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Commission To Discuss Possible Vote At Next Regular Session; Golden Attacks Voucher Payments

Belleville Town Commission Tuesday night agreed to discuss the disputed Kiernan case at its next regular meeting on Tuesday, January 10. The move to discuss the matter at the next meeting came as a result of a request for action in the matter by Robert C. Gruhin, attorney for George F. Kiernan.

Kiernan, local mortician, had submitted a petition in November asking for an amendment to the town zoning ordinance which would allow mortuaries to be established in residential zones. The petition was properly signed by 1,421 registered voters and the signatures were certified by town clerk Mrs. Florence Morley on November 29.

The Walsh act, which sets forth the responsibilities for municipal governments, stipulates that in such a case the Commissioner must take action within 30 days. According to the law they can either approve the petition, or set a date to hold a referendum, or set a date to hold a referendum for a special referendum.

30 Day Period Expired The 30 day period expired this past Tuesday, and Commissioners had not taken any action.

Gruhin requested the Board, in view of the fact that the time limit had already elapsed, to set a definite date for the referendum. He pointed out that the courts have held it is the function of the Commissioners to adopt a resolution putting the referendum on a special ballot. Gruhin stated that it was not incumbent for his client to take any further action.

He said it was not a question of whether Commissioners agreed or disagreed with the petition, it was now their duty to abide by the law. In response to a query by Commissioner Kenneth Smith, town attorney Lawrence Keenan replied that if the Commissioners did not set a date, the matter would then go to court with the town forced to defend their action.

Padula interceded At this point, Mayor Padula reminded the Board that the petitions were submitted, valid, and in good order, and therefore they were obligated to act. He said he would introduce a resolution which would permit the operation of a funeral home anywhere in Belleville, and if that measure was defeated he would introduce a second resolution to place the question on a special ballot.

Joseph King moved to delay action until the next meeting because of the holiday season, and the motion was accepted unanimously. Gruhin accepted this decision for action at the next meeting.

Gruhin recommended that the Commissioners adopt the resolution themselves, rather than put it to a public vote, so that it use now system did prove objectionable, Commissioners could always re-

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ARSON CAUSE OF BLAZE IN AUTO AGENCY

Fire Chief White Finds Kerosene Sprinkled In Alto Auto Agency

"Definitely an arson job," is the way Fire Chief Harry White terms a fire started Wednesday in the Alto Lincoln-Mercury Dealers, at 20 West Orange Avenue. The investigation disclosed kerosene sprinkled in the show room and rear garage.

Firemen responded to a call at 1:18 a. m. to the agency where they fought a small blaze in the front show room in a matter of minutes.

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Defeat Of New High School Heads 1955 Events Here

The proposed new high school took an early lead in the headlines during 1955 and kept it until its final defeat in the November elections.

Among the other highlights of the year's news were appointment of Mrs. Edward Rochau as president of the Board of Education, the first woman to hold the post; ousting of Thomas P. Greco as building inspector and plans for expansion of the stadium area for recreation purposes, by Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde.

A month-by-month recap of the events of the past twelve months follows:

January The municipal ice rink since the January 1955 freeze. William A. Boyd wins town's first Board of Education member election by a 500 vote margin. A town budget which may result in a \$7 tax rate is introduced by Commissioner Kenneth Smith.

February Charles H. McGinnis is named deputy police chief by Commissioner Harry J. Sullivan, succeeding Kenneth D. Smith, now a town Commissioner, whose retirement became effective January 1. More than 10,000 have used

the municipal ice rink since the January 1955 freeze. William A. Boyd wins town's first Board of Education member election by a 500 vote margin. A town budget which may result in a \$7 tax rate is introduced by Commissioner Kenneth Smith.

March A four million dollar-plus school building program will be up to the voters April 25, the Board of Education decides, setting that date for a referendum. One question on the ballot will be to serve another year as lay members on the board.

"Operation Splash" headed by Recreation superintendent Robert Cook, sets under way to raise \$60,000 for construction of an outdoor swimming pool here.

Building inspector Thomas P. Greco loses his \$4,400 a year job when the position is abolished by Commissioner Kenneth Smith, on the heels of a resolution adopted transferring the job from Public Affairs director Joseph King to Public Works director Smith. At the same time, Smith names town engineer Matthew Sheehan that he would become building inspector March 1, with a \$7,000 salary.

Golden attacks the Kiernan case, throws his hat in the senatorial ring.

April Red Cross reports only \$102,421.64 of its \$250,000 goal received. Town Commission locks horns with Board of Education over proposed high school, with four of five Commissioners coming out against the \$3,658,638 referendum, at a dinner meeting of the Patrolmen's Benevolent

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One Man's Opinion

China Holds The Key To Peace Or Strained World Relations In 1956, Directly Involving Ourselves

By Ralph Eric Heinzen

The year just ending was a year of peace — the first complete year of peace since the Japanese invaded the Asiatic mainland in 1932 to weaken China in a long war of attrition and lay it open to Communist conquest. That war in China was the first skirmish in more than a double decade of wars on every continent and its consequences continue to dominate the world scene today.

China, starved into military inaction by a woeful food shortage at home, continues to be the world's No. 1 potential trouble-maker. If another war comes in the Far East, Red China's divisions will fight it. If division comes to the United Nations in 1956, China will be at the root. In this, One Man's Opinion, the United States, early in the New Year, must re-assess its position and, in view of the practical developments, must decide whether to continue its unpopular all-out support of Nationalist China or follow the line of least resistance and concede China's place at the Security Council table or in the UN Assembly to the Chinese Communists.

The United States must take a firm stand on the China imbroglio as soon as possible. The recent admission of 16 countries into the UN has made that necessary because the Assembly, expanded from 60 to 76 members, will present a new voting alignment in its 1956 sessions. We must find ourselves in the minority if the Assembly reaches a vote on the direct choice between Nationalist China and Communist China.

"Peace Loving Nations"

The "package deal" by which the 16 were admitted was, in effect, a repeal of the UN Charter. The article which has been the basis of the selectivity of this Charter, namely, that it provides that UN members must be "peace loving," it would be hard to fit any of the Russian satellites into that category.

Technically, this fact has no relevance to Chinese representation. But in practice, it is like a bribe to increase sentiment for a "realistic" settlement of that problem. If the UN is to be universal—that is, if it is to reflect the world as it is—mainland China would have to be seated.

Minorland China, non-self-governing Africa, Japan, Germany, Korea, Vietnam, and Switzerland are virtually the only political entities of significance not directly represented in the UN. Together, however, they comprise nearly 40 per cent of the world's population.

Enlarge Security Council

Switzerland does not with representation in keeping with a historical neutrality which even forbids the joining of League of Nations although acting as its host at Geneva.

One of the principal tasks of the new Assembly will be to expand the Security Council from its present 11 members to 13 or 15. The number 13 was selected on the basis of a 55-nation UN.

Of the additional Council members, at least one and probably two are expected to be from Asia. India would like a permanent seat but since this would involve giving veto power to the power of veto we certainly would not consent.

Arab-Asian Bloc Strong

Of the 16 countries admitted December 14, four are Communist satellites. The Soviet bloc thus becomes nine in number. Alone, this bloc is of particular significance in a 76-nation Assembly.

The Arab-Asian bloc, however, which now numbers 24, would control more than one-third of the votes if joined by the Soviet bloc. Important decisions must be taken by two-thirds majorities.

The temptation for the Arab-Asian bloc to seek the cooperation of Moscow could be high. For the Chinese would be great, and might be irresistible if the apparent trend toward extraneous UN membership by the United States continues. Indeed, Moscow's cooperation may be thrust upon the Arab-Asian bloc.

Hemisphere Influence Weakened

The United States, together with 20 Latin-American republics, previously strongly influenced the policy of the Assembly. In order to continue this influence it will be necessary to hold sway over all members of this bloc and find five more votes, a task which should not be difficult given imaginative leadership.

But there have been times when

COLONY CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Colony Club's second annual Christmas party for the girls at St. Anthony's Orphanage was sponsored last Sunday.

The party was a huge success with the usual cake, cream, milk, soda, and candy. Santa Claus presented every child a pair of flannel pajamas and a novelty suitable to the child's age. Much for the occasion was supplied by Hal Brown and his band.

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It was said that Rudolph might be tempted to peek a little. Besides, it wouldn't be fair to let him peek at the children's list of names.

He would be with Santa before he was with Santa. The winners of the letters follow:

Dear Santa Claus, I want a new toy baby doll for Christmas. I have my mother feed the little baby.

I read to my little brother. I want a little new dog for Christmas and I want a new toy.

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High School

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Association at the Fountain. The fifth, Commissioner Joseph King, announces his agreement with the school board to accept the roll in arguments over the school. With furor mounting, residents of the town met in a meeting; mayor gives stand which "bomb shelter". Little Zion (A.M.E. church marks 68th anniversary.

Tenants had, fear rent gouging, sent petition to town. To seek Commission action before controls are eliminated here June 30, 1956, they will be the limit.

Norman D. Lausterette, assembly candidate on the William Barrow, freemason, announced his 1,006 in the G.O.P. primary.

High school proposal rejected in second vote, voters turn back construction by 2,494 to 2,292. Additions approved 2,614 to 2,292.

Police department has had a new building, the district alone backs elected town Democratic chairman, with Mrs. Mary Anna vice chairman.

3-2 vote gives green light for committee reorganization dinner meeting in Franklin Casino.

Tour of Belleville bike races to be held. Commission turns 10 in a down-up on bog site for school purposes. Deal reverts to town body after commission fails to act on Board's request for deal.

Hyde will submit recreation plans. William Boyd says school can be erected for no more than original figure. Board studying west side of stadium as school site.

Workers back at Eastern Tool after 37-day strike with five retroactive pay boost granted by Economy in government is theme of town meeting with Commissioner Smith singled out for criticism of public works projects.

Seven principal after retirement of Mrs. Catherine Handicaps.

Adult education to be held here the fall, sponsored by the Board of Education with Herman Knipfel director. Mrs. Frederick Hendon is president of the Women's Republican Club here.

Plan recreation for stadium site. Recreation for stadium site, with Commissioner Euseb Hydre revealing plans for full development of area. Superintendent Robert Cook submitted drawings to Commission for review.

Rev. R. T. Painter Hansen, pastor of Bethany Lutheran Church, breaks ground for new building.

June Flood in East Stroudsburg, Pa. Mrs. Elizabeth Deibel, of Liberty Avenue.

Funeral services held for Town Engineer Matthew Sheehan. Town-wide drive for victims of the flood areas in the north-east gets underway. Official charter is presented the Kiwanis Club. Schools open with record enrollment of 5,433. St. Anthony's new school welcomes 150 pupils on Monday.

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March Of Dimes

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Crutch Tag Day Tuesday conducted by members of the local American Legion Auxiliary.

James J. McMahon, president of Essex County chairman for the March of Dimes said last night: "The slogan for the 1956 campaign will be 'Polio Is Not Locked Yet.' Infantile paralysis will strike and strike hard during the next year. Thousands of polio patients from former years still need help. Research must continue and doctors and nurses must still be trained to cope with the crippling disease. While the Salk vaccine has been effective, it is not a cure for the county of polio's annual threat. There will be no let-down in the number of funds in every community of Essex."

Pay Raise (Continued From Page One)

system of 230 teachers. The new guideline raises the minimum for teachers with four years training to \$3,600 and the maximum to \$4,100. The minimum this year is \$3,200.

The new minimum for teachers with five years training is \$3,800 and the maximum is \$4,300 in 15 steps. The present base is \$3,400 and the maximum as received is \$3,700.

Teachers with 60 years training would start at \$4,000 and advance to \$4,800 in 16 annual steps.

In conjunction with the teacher pay raises is a program that would, in effect, fix the maximum of principals at about 30 per cent higher than teachers with a corresponding amount of training.

No funds were provided to give salary boosts to 27 janitors and nine other maintenance men in the school system. Those, however, who have not already reached the maximum pay for their category will receive \$150 increases.

Golden Criticizes In other business, Commissioners heard some suggestion and sharp criticism from town critic James Golden concerning the manner in which expense vouchers were paid by the Board. Under the present system, each department submits its own vouchers and the bills are almost automatically paid. Golden suggested that a new system be adopted which would give each department a check on the other four. He said a system of checks and balances in the payment of expenses was fundamental.

Golden proceeded to question several specific payments which were made by Commissioner Smith, Sullivan, Hyde, and King. In each case, Commissioners perused the satisfactory account of how and why the money was spent.

Golden admitted that all the sums in question were minor amounts, but he said the custom

of the town was to pay for the old back of assessment. The law compels the mailing of the tax bills before January 1. The town must pay the tax delinquencies to be filed with the County Tax Board by January 10.

Placed with a refusal of more than half the municipalities in the county to comply with his order, they met with the local tax assessors and gave instructions on how to meet the deadline.

The worst hit will be the home owners in Newark, Belleville, and other towns.

Clifford Faust is named to succeed Sheehan as Planning Board member. Board of Education will hold high school question in second session. Board will also consider a plan to deed land on west side of stadium if people want it.

High school religious instruction is started. Town writes of off in financial condition from party who moved are bankrupt. \$115,000 of money to help pay for the site question will be voted upon in the November general election.

October Former Mayor William H. Williams and his wife stop off here before a three month tour of Europe. Miss Marjorie Leely named executive director of Red Cross. Father John P. Hourihan, pastor of St. Peter's church, leaves to accept position as director of the Newark Apostolate for Deaf and Hard of Hearing. Commission sets up next recreation committee, with Max Schwartz, Corney, and Theodore Witke, tenants, first members.

Town Commission puts end to record of Education hopes to build new high school on west side of stadium, with a 3-2 vote; Padula and Sullivan in the minority.

Commissioner Euseb Hydre announces recreation department has completed plans for a football field and tennis courts. Hydre, a member of the State Department of Education wants the Washington Avenue site for high school after personal inspection of town. Police department has had a new building, the district alone backs elected town Democratic chairman, with Mrs. Mary Anna vice chairman.

3-2 vote gives green light for committee reorganization dinner meeting in Franklin Casino.

Tour of Belleville bike races to be held. Commission turns 10 in a down-up on bog site for school purposes. Deal reverts to town body after commission fails to act on Board's request for deal.

Hyde will submit recreation plans. William Boyd says school can be erected for no more than original figure. Board studying west side of stadium as school site.

Workers back at Eastern Tool after 37-day strike with five retroactive pay boost granted by Economy in government is theme of town meeting with Commissioner Smith singled out for criticism of public works projects.

Seven principal after retirement of Mrs. Catherine Handicaps.

Adult education to be held here the fall, sponsored by the Board of Education with Herman Knipfel director. Mrs. Frederick Hendon is president of the Women's Republican Club here.

Plan recreation for stadium site. Recreation for stadium site, with Commissioner Euseb Hydre revealing plans for full development of area. Superintendent Robert Cook submitted drawings to Commission for review.

Rev. R. T. Painter Hansen, pastor of Bethany Lutheran Church, breaks ground for new building.

June Flood in East Stroudsburg, Pa. Mrs. Elizabeth Deibel, of Liberty Avenue.

Funeral services held for Town Engineer Matthew Sheehan. Town-wide drive for victims of the flood areas in the north-east gets underway. Official charter is presented the Kiwanis Club. Schools open with record enrollment of 5,433. St. Anthony's new school welcomes 150 pupils on Monday.

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Mr. And Mrs. Vaccaro Feted On 35th Anniversary

A party at the Robin Hood Inn, Clifton, marked the 35th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Natale Vaccaro, of 172 Holmes Street recently. The affair was given by the couple's six children, and their sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mario Faggiano, of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. William LaFerrara, of Livingston; Mr. and Mrs. Al Vaccaro, of Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Lou Fusaro, of Belleville; and Misses Ann and Jean and Nathan Vaccaro, at home.

The Young Democrats of Belleville held a Christmas party at St. Anthony's Parish house for the children of St. Lucy's Orphanage, Newark. Twenty-seven children, accompanied by their parents, and refreshments were provided by the committee headed by Jack Matcovich, of Santa Claus, and Mr. and Mrs. James Sweeney, Mayor Theodore J. Padula, assisted.

Although Jackie Melville, of 71 Upham Street, was stationed at Bainbridge, Md., with the Navy, he was surrounded Christmas Day and Monday by members of his family. Dividing his time, he made sure he enjoyed a Merry Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Melville, his brother, Mr. George M. Melville, his grandmother, his cousin, James MacMurray, and uncle John Reilly. The family will also visit him New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Oeschwald, of 450 Franklin Avenue, has as guests Christmas Day their daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Jacek, Jr., and Kathy, of Manassas, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Werner, and Suzanne, of Livingston.

Pvt. Joseph Grosso, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Grosso, of Franklin Street, spent Christmas at home. The family celebrated the 78th birthday last night of Mrs. Grosso's mother, Mrs. Michael Mongello, of 10111 Street.

Nicholas Iaimo, of 25 Harrison Street, said commander of the Italian-American World War veterans, recently attended a convocation of the organization in Newark, Princeton and Trenton.

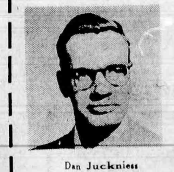
KATHRYN LOVE HIT-RUN VICTIM

Mrs. Kathryn Love, 55, of 103 Overlook Avenue, died Monday at 11 a. m. in Newark's Meridian Medical Center. Just two hours after a hit and run auto struck her as she was walking across Broadway in Newark, Police said, she was thrown 30 feet by the impact.

Two hours later, Newark Detectives Thomas Swangin and Charles Doherty arrested Lin C. Gillette, 18, at his home at 2345 Lincoln Avenue. Police said Gillette, who is in the auto admitted that he drove the auto. He said he stopped after the accident but then he became frightened and drove away without finding out what he had struck. Police impounded the car, which had dents in the right front fender and hood, and charged him with causing death by auto and leaving the scene of an accident.

Witnesses said that Mrs. Love, a telephone operator at L. Ramberg & Co. and formerly a telephone operator at The Newark News, was about to stop at the Woodside diner for a snack before returning home from a visit to friends. Passby obtained the license number of the fleeing car and detectives traced it back through the auto registration. The funeral of Mrs. Love will be held this morning at 9 from the Samuel W. Brown Funeral Home, 287 Center Street. A High Requiem Mass will be offered at 10 a. m. in St. Mary's Church, Nutley. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery, North Arlington.

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MISS BENEDETTO TO BE MARRIED



Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Benedetto, of Emmett Street, of the engagement of their daughter, Florence, to E. McIntire, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. McIntire, of Newark, and the late Mrs. McIntire.

Miss Benedetto was graduated from Belleville High School and is employed by New Jersey Bell Telephone Company, Newark. Mr. McIntire attended Irvington Technical School and served four years with the Navy. He is employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Miss Thomas Troth Told

Announcement was made on Christmas Eve of the engagement of Miss Patricia Ann Kane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Verripo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominie Verripo, of 10 Hunt Lane, Nutley.

The prospective bride and her father attended Nutley High School.

Rosary Confraternity Postpones Meeting

The Rosary Confraternity of St. Peter's Church has postponed its regular meeting until January 9 because of the holidays. The club will assemble at 8:30 that date at the old school.

Mrs. Gustave Jaglowski will be chairman of the social hour, assisted by Mesdames Myron Baron, Norman Starn, William Cuniff, William Bell, William Paganini, Veronica Comely and Eugene McLoyle.

ESSEX COUNTY TECHNICAL SCHOOL STARTS JANUARY 3

Second Semester Runs From January 3 To March 19 in Newark, Bloomfield, Irvington

The second term of the evening program at the Essex County Vocational Schools gets under way during the week of January 3. The training is open to any resident of Essex County or person working in Essex County who is employed or has been recently employed in occupations related to the training. The courses are designed to increase the skill or knowledge of the worker in the trade or industrial pursuit in which he is employed. Evening classes available at the various centers are:

Staten Avenue and First Street, Newark — Auto Chassis, Blueprint Reading, Electrical Fundamentals, Industrial Chemistry, Machine Shop, Machine Tool Operation, Mechanical Drafting, Offset Presswork, Power Plant Engineering, Fraying, The Setting, Welding.

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Help Cerebral Palsy Fund



The Cerebral Palsy Fund has \$9 more towards its goal today as the result of some wonderful Christmas spirit on the part of these two Belleville youths. Robert Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, of 31 Jefferson Street, and his friend Bill Montesano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Constant Montesano, of 17 Chestnut Street, went out carolling on Christmas Eve. Neighbors in the area gave the boys \$9 for their Christmas hymns. This week the boys decided to give their money to the Cerebral Palsy Fund.

Dolores Only Child Left In Hospital For Christmas

Is there a Santa Claus? Just ask pretty 11-year-old Dolores Mascitelli, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mascitelli, and see. Dolores, who lives at 173 Belleville Avenue, has been in Clara Maass Memorial Hospital for 16 days with symptoms of rheumatic fever. She was the only child left in the children's ward over the holiday season, and it looked like Christmas would be far from gay and festive for Dolores. But then several members of the hospital staff decided that Christmas should come to Dolores, right in the hospital, as long as she was unable to go home for the occasion.

They proceeded to make plans for a special Christmas party, complete with a tree, friends, presents, and a jolly Gentlemen himself. Through the cooperation of Evan Thomas, superintendent of schools in Belleville, five of Dolores' close friends from the sixth grade at School No. 8 were given permission to leave school early and attend the party. Helping to bring Christmas to Dolores were Craig Lukowick, Ronald Radner, Patricia Seung, one, Jayne Altoz, and Barbara McKinnon. Kneegs Department Store in Newark thoughtfully sent their own Santa Claus, loaded with presents for Dolores and her friends, to complete the Christmas picture.

All these wonderful preparations came as a complete surprise to brown-eyed Dolores. Santa and his friends trimmed a special tree for Dolores and a wonderful time was had by all. It must give the people who participated in Dolores' Christmas celebration a very warm and special feeling just knowing they gave a pretty little girl a Christmas party she will never forget.

TOTS AT SOHO GET T. V. SET

A television set was donated for use at Essex County Hospital by Al Calabrese, of the A&H Television and Radio shop. The set was mailed for the children in the tuberculosis ward.

Fifteen members of the Red Cross Staff Aid service met to discuss the effectiveness of Red Cross service in the community. Attendance were Mesdames Marjorie Durkee, Jean Conklin, Marion Peppel, Christine Plenge, Helen McGowan, Gertrude Barrielle, Harriet Popping, Olivia Patricia, Mary Breckenridge, Shirley McEligott, Ethel Price, Elsie Carter, Kay White, Josephine Holmes and Miss Marjorie Leely.

Conference Delegates
Attending the conference of Delaware and New Jersey Red Cross chapters Friday and Saturday in Atlantic City were Mrs. Jessie Denzler, Home Service chairman; Mrs. Irma Ryer, Motor Service chairman; and Miss Marjorie Leely, executive director.

Recognition Night
Mrs. Patty Wash, Recognition chairman, presented service bars to members having one to four years service Wednesday night during ceremonies marking recognition of new members. Miss Leely spoke on "Importance of the Volunteer in Red Cross." Mrs. Winifred Tucker was in charge of the social which followed.

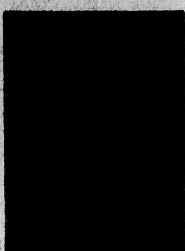
Holy Name Society Elects Officers At Holy Family
Anthony J. Bissell was elected president of Holy Name Society, of Holy Family Church, at a recent meeting. He will preside for the coming year. Also chosen were Louis D'Angelo, vice-president; Louis Tomasetta, secretary; Joseph Mello, treasurer; and Carl Gallina, sergeant-at-arms.

The new officers will participate in a solemn investiture ceremony on Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, in the church. The modern Rev. Francis Blake, will officiate.

The society has pledged \$960 towards the new school. Charles A. Fanelli is the retiring president.

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Miss Watts Is Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Eric E. Watts, of 137 Floyd Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Emma Eleanor, to Pvt. Robert A. Fralley, U. S. Army, son of Mrs. George L. Fralley, of 36 Merz Avenue, and the late Mr. Fralley.

The engagement was made known at a dinner for the family on Christmas Day. On Monday an open house party was given in honor of the couple by friends and relatives.

Miss Watts was graduated from Belleville High School and is employed in the traffic department of the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company. Pvt. Fralley was also graduated from Belleville High School and attended Rutgers University. He is now stationed at Fort Campbell, Ky.

Miss Walker To Be Wed

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Margaret Albert Walker, of 382 Washington Avenue, and William W. Walker, of Irvington, to Ferd Bohlen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bohlen, of 119 Bremond Street.

Miss Walker is a graduate of Belleville High School and is employed by the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, Newark. Mr. Bohlen is a graduate of Newark Technical School and is employed by the Doric Press, Verona.

MARIE NATURALE BECOMES ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mario Naturale, of 140 Fairway Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marie, to Michael Testa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Testa, of 121 Baldwin Place, Bloomfield.

Miss Naturale, a graduate of Belleville High School, is employed by Tung-Sol Electric Inc., Bloomfield. Mr. Testa, a graduate of Bloomfield High School, served two years with the Army in Korea. He is associated with T. M. Testa, contractors, Bloomfield.

Claire Cofone Is Affianced



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cofone of 30 Frederick Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Claire, to William Vecchione, son of Mrs. Frank Vecchione, of 116 Union Avenue, and the late Mr. Vecchione.

Miss Cofone was graduated from Belleville High School and Newark Preparatory School. Mr. Vecchione is a graduate of Arts High School and served in the South Pacific.

The Stork Club

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Roujan, of Arlington, announce the arrival of a son, David Alan, born December 20 at Orange Hospital Center. Mrs. Roujan is the former Lorraine Kline, of Belleville.

New Members Join Evening Women's Club

The Evening Membership department of the Women's Club welcomed new members to the group at a Christmas party held at the home of Mrs. Elmer S. Hyde, of Rossmore Place, Clifton.

Toys were collected to be turned over to the club toy workshop, for distribution to needy children.

The department will collect discarded eye glasses for the "New Eyes for the Needy" drive, under the direction of Mrs. Robert B. Reilly.

A trip to the Alfred H. Meese Nursery, Totowa, is planned in January for members of the club. Toys will be collected for a laboratory there for mentally and physically handicapped babies, a federation project, will be collected by the club.

Plans are also in progress for an auction to benefit the project, with Mrs. James Dunn and Miss Margaret Walker co-chairmen.

TEACHERS GROUP SETS SCHOLARSHIP

The Belleville Teachers Association Scholarship Committee had its organization meeting in the high school last Tuesday. The purpose of the meeting was to implement an action taken by the full association last year, to initiate and finance a full one-year scholarship for one of the Belleville High School graduates to one of the State Teachers Colleges in New Jersey.

The Scholarship Committee members are Charles Schultz, president of the Association; Michael Rosenthal, vice-president; Mrs. Eleanor Arthur, secretary; Samuel Slikkin, guidance director; and Mrs. Gregoria Morra, senior counselor. The committee elected Slikkin as chairman. Applications for the scholarship will be made available to interested students during February of next year, and the committee will decide on the winner in the latter part of May. Several members of the Future Teachers Club in the high school have expressed interest in applying for the scholarship.

This scholarship is one of the methods used by the Belleville Teachers Association to attract students to the teaching profession. Slikkin said. It is also hoped that the recipient of the scholarship will eventually qualify for and apply for a position in the Belleville Schools system, he added.



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SPOTLIGHT on SPORTS

By Bob Gorlin
1955 In Review

The last 12 months was a good year for sports in Belleville. In High School athletics the Blue and Gold enjoyed good seasons in basketball and football while the Department of Recreation continued to increase its activities and added touch football to its expanding program. It was a 12-month period in which we saw many unexpected happenings. So let's turn back the pages and see if you recall some of the highlights of 1955.

In basketball the 1954-55 court season was a highly successful one as Coach Herman Wische, expecting to go no place, went on to field one of the best quintets in Essex County with Richie Veith later being selected for All-State honors. Veith spearheaded Belleville right into the Essex County Tournament. Against Nutley he scored 38 points, only six less than the entire Maroon team as the Bellboys won the decision, 51-39.

When it came to thrilling basketball, Belleville gave the fans their money's worth in the Essex County Tournament before bowing to West Side in a triple overtime thriller, 55-54. That game has to go down as the "contest of the year." In the first game a foul shot by Frank Casazur after the game was officially over, provided the margin of victory in the 56-55 upset victory over fourth seeded Irvington Tech and famed high scorer Fred Hopke.

In the Belleville-West Side game the climax would even make "Frank Merriwell's" tales seem calm as both Wische and Walt Barki tried to out maneuver the other. The final three minutes of the regulation game and three overtime periods took close to one hour to run off. Although only a total of three points were tallied by both teams in the two overtime sessions the crowd was in frenzies. Each team as soon as got possession of the ball stayed in a tight spot with no opposing player ever coming close to the ball handler. When only a few seconds remained a time out was called and an out-of-bounds play was set up in order to get off the last shot. Twice that happened; one time Belleville failed and the other time West Side missed.

It was in the third overtime period that Veith was fouled. He made the first but the second which would have clinched the thriller, was no good. Seconds later Ralph Kunze gained the hero's role when he scored the winning basket from under the hoop. That one field goal was the "death knell" of the underdog five which captured the hearts of non-partisan observers.

The Varsity Club elected Art Leadbeater as president of the sports minded organization. Other officers selected were: Fred McQuilkin, vice president; Marty O'Connell, treasurer; and Norm Leach, secretary.

Pat Grosso, Pat Caruso and Tom Mack paced the Bloomfield College scoring attack during the winter season with the former B. H. S. trio almost scoring at will. In one game Grosso bombed the hoop for 50 points for an Essex college record in a 109-92 victory over Paterson State. Caruso had set the record previously when he tallied 42 points against the same Paterson State five in an earlier fray.

Jim McConnell closed out a brilliant collegiate career at Niagara University when he was selected to play in the New York-New Jersey All-Star game. Another former Bellboy performer who had much success on the hardwoods was Bob Dilworth, at the University of Maryland.

After the close of the scholastic season the Varsity Club honored the Belleville High cagers at the ninth annual banquet with seniors Veith, Casazur, Ed Nicholls and Ron Kabat receiving individual trophies. Vin DiFilippo, director of health and education at Seton Hall University and a popular basketball official was the guest speaker.

In March the Big Ten Conference expanded its program and rolled into Lake in basketball in an organized league with 14 member schools playing a nine-game loop schedule.

The Varsity Club decided to revamp its program and in place of the usual basketball banquet will hold an all-sports luncheon in the spring to honor members of the basketball, baseball, crew, track and bowling teams.

The Bellboy bowling team, coached by George Lees, won the place-offs in the North Jersey Interscholastic Bowling League after placing second behind Bloomfield. Each of the squad members received trophies. Ron Bergamini led the team in average with 174 and was followed by Mike Higgins, who finished with 167. The totals were the third and fourth best in the kegging circuit.

In Recreation Department basketball leagues W. & W. Sweet Shop beat the Bishops, 42-40 in the Intermediate loop, King A. C. tripped the Cavaliers, 54-44 in the Junior circuit, School No. 5 won the Elementary School League beating School No. 3, 31-23, and the Lescaups eked by the Shorellette, 26-25 for the girls championship.

Winner of the "Tour of Belleville" was Rupert Walti, of Brooklyn. He defeated John Chiselko, of Somerville, who won the title two years in a row. Chiselko finished in fourth place.

In the spring, four members of Bill Bennett's crew at Belleville High School were rowing with the Rollins College varsity at Winter Park, Fla. In the varsity shell were Frank Thompson, Ed Grey, Norm Gross and Bud Bilensky.

When the baseball season rolled around everyone expected this to be one of the best Bellboy diamond teams in recent years. But the veteran team never did materialize. Belleville, instead of fighting for a top berth in the Big Ten, floundered throughout the season and finally limped home badly outdistanced in next to last place. One of the bright notes was the pitching of right handed hurler John Bartell. He hurled a 4-0, no-hit game against Columbia in Big Ten competition.

In crew the Blue and Gold climaxed its rowing season by placing fourth in the National Schoolboy Rowing Championships. In the qualifying heat, Bennett's oarsmen placed second to Washington and Lee High, of Arlington, Va.

The golf team finished in eighth place in the New Jersey Scholastic Golf Tournament among 32 competing schools in the 21st annual event. The divot diggers compiled a team score of 337. Lakewood was low with 325. Top Blue and Gold golfer was John Morano, a 15-year-old freshman, who scored the difficult 18-hole course with an 82. He had a 37 for the second nine at the Colonial County Club. Finishing behind Morano were Anthony Gaeta, 86; and Irwin Pisch, 87.

Belleville Romps To 70-45 Victory Over West Orange

Blue And Gold Courtmen Notch Third Victory In Five Contests; Long's 20-Takes Scoring Honors

By Dave Thaler

Giving a SRO crowd a belated Christmas gift Tuesday, the Blue and Gold of Belleville defeated the Cowboys of West Orange by a 70-45 count.

In an attempt to put the Bellboys on the victory path once again, coach Herman Wische altered his starting lineup. Tom Cullen moved from the pivot to the forward slot and "Zeke" Weinstein moved into the center spot. Johnny Bartell moved a few steps backwards to become a guard, instead of a forward, while Dom Klein, only sophomore on the varsity, played the other guard. Only Joe Long was in his familiar position, forward.

Belleville asserted itself right at the outset. They threatened to pull away several times, but in each case the Cowboys came galloping back.

Belleville Out In Front
This type of play was characteristic of the entire first half. In the second quarter the Blue and Gold went out in front by as much as ten points, but West Orange quickly closed the gap to six points as the first half was drawing to a close.

There were exactly two seconds left to play in the first half of the game, when Joe Long had the ball for the Bellboys. Prieto took a look at the clock, glanced at the two men guarding him, and then unleashed a long, long one-handed shot that was more of a hook than anything else. Unbelievably, the crowd watched the ball bounce high off the backboard and into the nets. That shot gave the Blue and Gold an eight point lead, and something for Prieto to tell his future grandchildren.

The shot must have placed the Cowboys in a state of shock, for the Bellboys noted the scoreboard thirteen times to start the third quarter before West Orange could get going.

Second Half Tap
This drive started right with the tap that started the second half. Long took the ball and drove all the way to give the Blue and Gold a ten point lead. Bartell and Klein snub jump shots to make the score somewhat lopsided. Long then sent a beautiful driving shot, as he was being fouled. Long added to the lead by the Belleville lead which was forever growing. The score was lopsided, but it became ridiculous when Weinstein added eight points to the mounting lead, with three shots and two fouls.

During this time the Cowboys had racked up all of four points. They trailed by 23 points and seemed to be waiting for the buzzer to end their misery. The buzzer did sound, finally, but before Belleville, with the help of Tom Cullen's ten quick points, had hit their highest total of the year, 70 points.

Junior Varsity
In the game preceding the

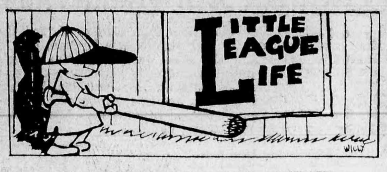
Former Bellboy Player



Belleville's Charles McGuire will be in the starting lineup when the basketball team of Newark College of Engineering goes against Drew University on Saturday, January 7. The game is scheduled to be played at NCE in the college's Campbell Hall Gym. Coach Fred Bauder is shown giving McGuire a few important tips on the art of ball control. McGuire is a forward on the team. When is not playing, he is kept busy with his engineering studies. A graduate of Belleville High, where he played varsity basketball, he is now in his Junior year at NCE.

Travers Successful Coach

Belleville's Charley Travers, who graduated last year from Seton Hall University, is making a successful debut as a basketball coach this year. His Carteret School team has won its first three games.



For the first time in Belleville's history, the Little League will have a field all its own. In the past they have used the facilities of the town, the Board of Education, and the Recreation Department. This set-up has enabled them to have access to the field for only a few hours a night. However, this new field, which is still in the preparatory stages, will offer the boys a chance to use the field at any time.

The new field will be located in back of the Montromery Presbyterian Church on Mill Street. The field has already been graded and seeded, but the biggest part of the job still lies ahead. The bleachers, dug-outs, flagpole, fence, and scoreboard have to be put up. According to official Little League rules, the distance between the pitching mound and home plate will be forty-four feet, and the distance between the bases, sixty feet. The distance along the right and left-field foul lines will be 175 feet, while it will take a one hundred eighty foot blast to clear the fence in dead center.

To build a field with all the aforementioned features, it will take time, money, and a great deal of labor. However, when the field is completed, the people of Belleville will have a Little League field they can truly be proud of.

GIRLS RIFLE CLUB RECEIVES AWARDS

Twenty-one awards were presented to eight members of the Recreation Department Girls Rifle Club last Monday night by Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde at the semi-annual award night in the range at Municipal Stadium.

Those who received awards were Nancy Ritter, pro marksman and marksman; Carol Gilchrist, pro marksman and marksman; Lillian Hollister, pro marksman through fourth bar; and Joyce Meyers, marksman through fourth bar.

The girls were awarded medals, brassards, and diplomas, all sanctioned by the National Rifle Association, of which the Club is a member.

John A. "Jack" Boyd of Essex Street is instructor for the Club in a voluntary capacity and Commissioner Hyde thanked him for the splendid job he is doing.

Boyd last summer attended the Small Arms Firing School held at Camp Perry, Ohio.

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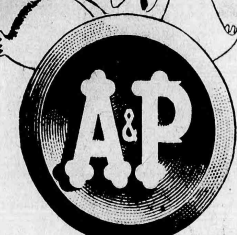
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Richardson's Mints	3 1/2 oz. 25¢
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Candy Bars	Chocolated All 50 varieties 6 for 25¢
Gum	Stick and candy coated All 50 varieties 6 for 19¢
Salted Peanuts	A&P brand 18 oz. 23¢ 10 oz. 45¢
Salted Cashew Nuts	A&P brand 6 oz. 29¢
Salted Mixed Nuts	A&P brand 6 oz. 43¢
Pistachio Nuts	A&P brand in shell 4 oz. 39¢

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Potato Chips	8 oz. 37¢ 17 oz. 55¢
Vpri-Thin Pretzels	8 oz. 25¢
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E-Z Pop Popcorn	In its own popper 4 oz. 35¢
TV Time Popcorn	2 29¢
Popcorn	Jane Parker 19¢
Cheetos	3 oz. 25¢ Fritos 29¢
Adams Korn Kuris	A tasty snack 4 oz. 25¢
Rock Lobster	Lucky Star brand 5 1/2 oz. 53¢
Grah Meat	American Herbs brand 5 1/2 oz. 53¢
Mixed Glams	Blue Point 10 1/2 oz. 27¢
Anchovies	Imported 2 oz. 27¢
Sardines	Imported 2 3/4 oz. 31¢
Bonito	Southern Star—solid pack 2 45¢
Tuna Fish	Star-Kist—chunk style 8 1/2 oz. 35¢
Armour's Treet	Luncheon meat 12 oz. 35¢
Deviled Ham	Underwood's 2 2/4 oz. 31¢
Sausage	Armour's Vienna 2 35¢
Manhattan Dill Pickles	Plain, quart 31¢
Libby's Ripe Olives	King 8 1/2 oz. 29¢
Stuffed Olives	Sultane brand 10 1/2 oz. 63¢

Refreshing Beverages

Yukon Club	All varieties 2 29 oz. 27¢
Ginger Ale	Canada Dry, Hoffman, White Rock, plus dep. 2 bottles 45¢
Club Soda	Canada Dry, Hoffman, White Rock, plus dep. 2 bottles 45¢
Apple Elder	Mott's or Red Chest 1/2 gal. 43¢ gal. 73¢
Hi-C Orange Drink	44 oz. 27¢
Krugger's Root Beer	12 oz. 6 37¢
Canada Dry Glamer	No 16 oz. 25¢
Canada Dry	Ginger Ale or Club Soda, plus dep. 6 bottles 79¢

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Del Monte Asparagus	Mary Washington 14 1/2 oz. 40¢
Del Monte Early June Peas	All green 2 17 oz. 39¢
Del Monte Diced Carrots	2 16 oz. 35¢
Brandywine Mushrooms	Stems and pieces 2 2 oz. 29¢
Libby's Cut Wax Beans	2 2 oz. 25¢
Libby's Lima Beans	2 2 1/2 oz. 27¢
Libby's Fruit Cocktail	30 oz. 39¢
Del Monte Bartlett Pears	16 oz. 27¢ 29 oz. 39¢
Fruit Cocktail	A&P brand—our finest quality 30 oz. 37¢
Libby's Apricots	Unpeeled halves 17 oz. 23¢
Purple Plums	A&P brand—our finest quality 30 oz. 25¢

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Nestle's Chocolate Bars	Plain, Almond or Crunch 10 bars 41¢
Manhattan Sweet Mixed Pickles	22 oz. 31¢
College Inn Cocktail	2 26 oz. 25¢
Ocean Spray Cocktail	Cranberry Juice 2 16 oz. 45¢
Grapefruit Juice	A&P brand 2 18 oz. 19¢
Orange Juice	Various brands 3 6 oz. 17¢ 2 18 oz. 25¢
Marshall's Kipperd Herring	Imported 8 oz. 37¢
Minute Tapioca	16 oz. 25¢

Libby's Apricot Nectar 2 12 oz. 23¢

Pancake Flour 2 20 oz. 23¢

Mustard

Ann Page Regular or Salad	8 oz. 9¢
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Mayonnaise

Ann Page pint	91¢
Ann Page quart	53¢

French Dressing

Ann Page Regular or Chef style	8 oz. 17¢
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Chili Sauce

Ann Page	12 oz. 25¢
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Maraschino Cherries

No stems Astoria or Grandee	8 oz. 23¢
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Crispo Fig Bars

	12 oz. 27¢
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Yukon Club Beverages

All varieties—plus deposit 6 12 oz. 45¢

Coca-Cola

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Campbell Soup

Shrimp	2 10 oz. cans 59¢
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Minute Maid Blended Juice

	2 6 oz. cans 29¢
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Sunkist Lemon Juice

	2 5 1/4 oz. cans 27¢
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Libby's Orange Juice

	2 6 oz. cans 35¢
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Dole's Pineapple Chunks

	13 1/2 oz. cans 21¢
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Excelsior Sandwich

	8 oz. 39¢
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Breaded Shrimp

A&P's famous brand Cap'n John's	10 oz. 53¢
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Fish Sticks

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Instructions Given For Getting Licenses By Mail

More than 45,000 automobile registration renewal application forms are being printed daily at the Motor Vehicle Division, in Trenton, in preparation for mailing to licensed passenger car owners during January. Motor Vehicle Director Frederick J. Gassert, Jr., told The Times-News, in connection with the conversion program of licensing New Jersey drivers and passenger car owners under the direct mail order system, which goes into effect on March 1.

The passenger car renewal application form is a business card, 3 1/2 by 7 1/2 inches, bearing the name and address of the car owner, a description of the vehicle, and a photograph of the car. The form is to be filled out by the owner, and a portion of the application form will be validated and becomes the owner's registration.

A Belleville car owner receiving the application form in the mail from Trenton has the choice of using the direct mail order method or he can renew, as before, through the Belleville motor vehicle agency.

In using the mail order plan, a passenger car owner is required to complete the application form, sign it, and send a check or money order in the exact amount printed on the form to Trenton in a special return envelope. The 1956 registration should not be enclosed. Car owners are cautioned not to send cash.

The same form may be presented to any motor vehicle agency and upon payment of the fee, the agent will validate the form and issue the registration.

There will be no new plates issued until the conversion renewal, and license plates now on vehicles will be retained and validated by means of metal inserts in previous years.

The monthly distribution schedule of passenger car renewals is determined by the Division of Motor Vehicles. A stagger system will spread out the work load equitably over a period of 12 months and eliminate the usual March rush period and congestion in future years.

Until such time as it takes to bring all passenger car owners to the conversion stagger, an expiration date is assigned to each registration. The date of expiration will be not less than three months nor greater than 16 months from the date of issue.

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COUNTY CONSULTS PROPERTY OWNERS ON FLOOD CONTROL

Combines Survey Of Third River Banks With Preparation For New Franklin Ave. Bridge

Coincident with the relocation of the Third River and the construction of a new bridge in Franklin Avenue Essex County Highway Department engineers have begun discussions with private property owners in Belleville and Nutley regarding their cooperation in reducing the flood menace by correcting conditions on private lands fronting on the river.

County Engineer Curtis Colwell, said that the relocation of the stream under the new bridge will be a major flood control effort, but he feels that private owners of riverfront lands can improve conditions to further relieve the flood menace.

Colwell said that he has had several conversations with Samuel Lobnitz, of Lobnitz Mills, which is located on a curve of the river near Harrison Street. It is at the edge of the Lobnitz mill property that the town and county will reduce a cause of frequent floods by eliminating a sharp angle in relocating the river.

Colwell said that the county now has its plans and specifications prepared for the new bridge and expects work to start as soon as an appropriation becomes available from the county's 1956 bond issue.

Weekend Weather

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Fritos	4-oz. 19¢	29¢
TOURN BROTHER	1/2-lb. 23¢	
Crackers	1/2-lb. 25¢	49¢
POTATO CHIPS	1/2-lb. 25¢	59¢
Chipzels	1/2-lb. 25¢	49¢
Potato Chips	1/2-lb. 25¢	59¢
IDEAL PLACED QUEEN	1/2-lb. 49¢	
Stuffed Olives	1/2-lb. 49¢	
Napkins	1/2-lb. 27¢	

BAKERY

Fruit Stollen	Virginia Lee 43¢
Coffee Cake	Orange Coconut 35¢
Golden and Marble Pound Cake	49¢
Snack Rye Bread	19¢
Munich Style Rye Bread	21¢
Stuffing Bread	15¢
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Dates	Dromedary 8 1/2-oz. pkg. 19¢	

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EAST O SEA

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friendships, solid progress and
high happiness. May it become a
year to be fondly remembered
for all that it meant to
you and yours.

The Season's Greetings

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Our Best Wishes of the Season C. CORINO & SONS TRUCKING AND CONTRACTING EXCAVATING

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A FRIEND

COUNTY REQUESTS TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT HOOVER AVE.

East Passaic Avenue May Be Given Two Chunks To Reduce Traffic Congestion

The county highway department has asked for the installation of traffic lights at the intersection of East Passaic and Hoover Avenues. The intersection of East Passaic and Hoover Avenues, at the edge of Belleville, where a grave traffic hazard has been created by the opening of a new roadway in the former Erie canal bed as a by-pass for the Belleville Avenue highway on the Garden State Parkway.

County engineers began this week, a traffic study at the intersection to provide a basis for installing the new traffic lights at East Passaic Avenue.

County Engineer "Curt" Colwell said that it is likely there will be two outlets of East Passaic Avenue in Hoover Avenue, separated by an island, one allowing traffic to turn left into Hoover Avenue and the other allowing a continuous direct flow of traffic into the new canal bed highway.

Colwell said that the county has not yet been able to convince the State Highway Department to hand over the land needed for the widening of East Passaic Avenue southward from Centre Street to the new Parkway bridge. The State had also been asked to park the strip left over after Parkway construction.

Colwell said that he hopes work will start early in the year on the relocation and repaving of East Passaic Avenue, the final link in the continuous highway parallel to the Parkway.

Heavy Truck Driver Runs Into Belleville Living Room

A 10-ton truck driven by Thomas J. Madigan, 54, of 52 Woodland Avenue, Nutley, rammed across the front lawn, through the front porch and pushed its way through the front wall of the living room of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bergen, 2, 626 Jerusalem Street, last Monday at 2:15 p.m.

The crash brought down the Christmas tree. Mr. and Mrs. Bergen and their two children, who were in other parts of the house, escaped injury.

According to Belleville police, the accelerator on the truck stuck as it traveled in Jerusalem Street. Madigan suffered an injury to his hand and was treated at Columbus Hospital, Newark, and released.

So They Say



... but he told the truth when he spoke about the satisfaction always given at The Franklin Casino. That's no exaggeration.

So They Say

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LOW, LOW PRICES EVERYDAY!

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Fine Taste
Stuffed Olives 6 1/2 oz. pail **33c**
French's Mustard 4 oz. jar **10c** 1 lb. jar **14c**
Fre-Mar Fancy Stuffed Olives 7 1/2 oz. bot. **53c**
Aster Sliced Va. Peanuts 10 oz. 30c 3 oz. **21c**
Aster Sliced Cashews or Mixed Nuts 4 1/2 oz. **39c**
Fyne Taste Fancy Dill Pickles 4 1/2 oz. **31c**
Planter's Salted Cocktail Peanuts 10 oz. **37c**
Lad's Fair Choc. Covered Thin Mints 2 1/2 oz. **35c**
Flavor-Kist Bleu Cheese Crackers 7 oz. **29c**
Keebler Club Crackers 4 1/2 oz. pail **35c**

Handy Holiday Hints!

Hygrade
Potato Chips 6 1/2 oz. cello **29c**
Mother Goose Sirrws 10 oz. **10c**
Ideal Wooden Spoons & Forks 10 pkgs. **10c**
Sutherland Paper Plates 2 pkgs. **25c**
Sweetheart Cold Drink Cups 10 oz. 2 of a **17c**
Hygrade Pretzels Crispy de Luxe 4 1/2 oz. can plus 10¢ **1.39**

Fancy Holiday Mixers!

Giroux Grenadine 8 oz. bot. **27c**
Fre-Mar Pitted Cocktail Olives 2 1/2 oz. bot. **29c**
Ber-Pirk Beverages Ass't. Flavors 6 1/2 oz. **49c**
Midtown Club Beverages 7 1/2 oz. bot. **25c**
Ginger Ale, Club Soda Hoffman 7 1/2 oz. bot. **45c**
Cocktail Onions Super & Spice 3 1/2 oz. bag **19c**

Ocean Fresh Seafoods
Fancy Cuban
Lobster Tails ALL LARGE SIZE **98c**
Selected
Shrimp lb. **75c**

Make That One for the Road! . . .
COFFEE!
Mild, Mellow
Fyne-Taste Coffee **75c**
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Lady Fair Coffee **85c**
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Turkeys 16 to 24 lbs. lb. **47c** 10 to 14 lbs. lb. **52c**
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Delicatessen Features
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Delicious Boneless & Skinless Pork Shoulder
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Salami lb. **59c**
Kitchen Fresh
Potato Salad or
Coke Slaw lb. etc. **33c**

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Sardines Imported 2 3/4 oz. cans **39c**
Stokely's
Tomato Juice 46 oz. can **25c**
Fre-Mar Hawaiian
Pineapple Juice 2 46 oz. cans **49c**
For a Quick Meal
Treet Luncheon Meat 12 oz. can **33c**
Stern's-Kosher
Pickle Spears qt. jar **23c**
Red Cross-Colored or White
Paper Napkins 2 pkgs. **19c**
Fancy White Meat Tuna
Chicken of the Sea 7 oz. can **35c**
Party Time Favorite
Ritz Crackers 16 oz. pail **33c**
Broadcast Corned Beef Hash 1 lb. can **28c**

Ideal for Your Party Appetizer
Vita Brand
Lunch Herring 16 oz. jar **43c**
Vita Brand
Party Snacks 8 oz. jar **35c**

May We Suggest for Your
New Year's Breakfast! . . .
Food Fair large Grade "A"
White Eggs, Sliced Bacon,
Lady Fair White Bread and
a Delicious Cup of Food Fair
Coffee.

NEW LOW PRICE!
Abbott's Ice Cream
(Thrill Pack)
1/2 gal. pkg. **89c**

Dairy Fair Values . . .
Spreads Like Butter - Sharp
Cheddar Spread lb. **61c**
Mayfair
Cheese Slices 8 oz. pkg. **29c**
Mayfair - Natural
Swiss Slices 8 oz. pkg. **39c**
Mayfair
Cream Cheese 8 oz. 33c 2 3/4 oz. pkg. **25c**

Frozen Food Values
Excelsior
• Cheeseburgers
• Buttered Beef Steaks
• Beef Sandwich Steaks
YOUR CHOICE 8 oz. pkg. **35c**
Excelsior Breaded Veal Cutlet 7 oz. pkg. **59c**
Excelsior Calves Liver 8 oz. pkg. **59c**
Roman Pizza Pies 7 oz. pkg. **29c**

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables
Sweet, Red, California
Emperor Grapes 2 lbs. **29c**
Crisp, California
Pascal Celery large stalk **15c**
Best for Eating
McIntosh Apples 3 lbs. **29c**
Large Size Selected - Firm Slicing
Lemons 6 29c **Limes** 6 29c **Tomatoes** 4-5 per cent **19c**

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