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PRICE FIVE CENTS

May Offer Serum Free In Pneumonia Cases

Health Officer Tells of Effectiveness in Many Instances

In a report submitted to Commissioner Joseph King, Health Officer Eugene T. Berry suggested yesterday that the time has arrived when the Department of Health should offer free of charge a serum inoculation which has been found effective in many cases when administered early in cases of pneumonia.

The serum, which is composed of an anti-pneumococcus, has been found to be a deterrent in many cases. There were eleven cases of pneumonia in February, five being the bronchial type and six, the lobar. Mr. Berry reports that this is an unfavorable increase, being seven more than in January. In February, 1937, two cases were reported.

The serum has been found useful in the five types and, for the purpose of determining these, Mr. Berry believes that arrangements can be made with the Essex County Isolation Hospital laboratories to do this work.

Chicken pox ran rampant throughout the town in February, according to the health officer's report, when fifty-one cases were reported.

The following diseases were handed in to the Health Department: Whooping cough, 4; scarlet fever, 3; measles, 2; and diphtheria, 1.

Purim Carnival By Religious School

All Children and Parents Are Invited to Attend At Synagogue

The Religious School of Congregation A. A. A., will hold a Purim Carnival Sunday morning in the social hall of the congregation. The carnival will celebrate the Jewish holiday Purim, which was celebrated officially last Thursday. Miss Pearl Brown, of the Sunday School faculty, is in charge of arrangements for the event. A most interesting program has been prepared for the occasion. There will be a Purim play, recitations, musical selections, and a Purim song-fest.

Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin, in charge of the school, has announced that a special issue of the "Hatiqvah," the student newspaper, will be published in honor of the holiday, and will be distributed at the carnival. The hall will be decorated in the Purim manner.

Among those who will participate in the program are: Jerry Gorin, Harold Atkins, Israel Rosen, Norma Feldstein, Charles Levine, Henrietta Rader, Irwin Becker, Louis Zuckerman, Jerome Holzman, Annette Steinhauer, Katherine Miller, Rhea Holzman, Sidney Benjamin, and Neddy Becker.

Also, Donald Rochlin, Jerome Firtel and others. Admission to the carnival is free. All children and their parents are invited to attend.

Debate Heard By Republican Women

"Minimum Wage Bill" Was Topic at Local Woman's Club

The Belleville Woman's Republican Club met at the Woman's Clubhouse, 51 Rossmore place, Thursday afternoon. The president, Mrs. John F. O'Brien, Jr., presided.

After the business session there were two guest speakers, Assemblywoman Constance Hand and Miss Mary Dyckman, Orange, who talked on the pros and cons of the "Minimum Wage Bill," respectively, in an informal debate. Miss Dyckman is a social worker.

Mrs. Abbie Magee, vice chairman of Essex County, who had expected to be present and discuss "Women in Politics, and Their Splendid Opportunity," was prevented by illness, from doing so.

Under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Mayer, as chairman, there will be a public card party at the Woman's clubhouse, on Saturday evening, April 23.

Mrs. Laura Brand, 135 Main street, was welcomed as a new member.

Don't forget that Victor Hart, JEWELER, sells Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry on the Easy Payment Plan. 457 Washington avenue, corner Tappan avenue, Belleville, N. J.

Community Service Bureau Hears That Requests for Service Are on Increase

During Last Month Twenty-Nine Applications Were Received of Which Eighteen Were Accepted

The regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Community Service Bureau was held Tuesday evening, when it was learned that requests for service are very much on the increase.

During the month 29 applications were received, of which eighteen were accepted. Forty-nine per cent of the new cases were child guidance problems, referred by the schools. Mrs. Julia O. Reiner, executive secretary, explained that the bureau is equipped to do child guidance work in co-operation with the Essex County Juvenile Clinic, but the requests are coming in faster than the bureau is able to handle them. During the month letters were received from a county and state agency, thanking the bureau for its co-operation on individual cases. Another letter was noted from one of the bureau's clients, expressing deep appreciation for services rendered him during a severe illness in his family.

Mrs. Reiner reported that the bureau has just received its 1,000th application. This means that in eight years and two months one thousand families have been known to the agency. In other words, it might be said that approximately twenty per cent of the population of Belleville has received some service from the agency in the eight years of its history.

Although a great deal of progress has been made in widening understanding of the purposes of the agency there are still many who do not realize that the bureau is available to any troubled person, who wishes an opportunity to discuss his personal difficulties. Mrs. Reiner recalled that in the earlier days of the bureau cases were referred differently than they are now. Workers would receive reports of families with difficulties and, uninvited, would go into the homes. Very often a family would not wish any service from the agency and a great deal of time was put in without anything to show for it because of lack of understanding of what the agency had to offer. Now the bureau is sufficiently known so that people come voluntarily to ask for consultation.

In every instance individuals come to the office at the time of application or, in rare instances this is

not possible, the bureau makes sure the family wishes to have a call from a worker before this is arranged. Even with this present voluntary arrangement more people are asking time for consideration of their difficulties than can be accommodated. Mrs. Reiner pointed out that they are at present attempting to handle more work than can possibly be well done and the board is considering how they may meet this problem.

Sisterhood Arranges Purim Program

Two Plays, Folk Dances And Gift Exchanges on The Schedule

A special Purim program will be presented Tuesday night at the next Sisterhood meeting of the Congregation A. A. A., 317 Washington avenue.

The program, prepared by the study group, under the guidance of Mrs. Freda Tilkin, will consist of two plays, folk dances and the exchanging of food delicacies, a feature of this merry holiday.

"Joseph and His Brethren," depicting the Biblical story of Joseph, will be portrayed. Another play will be an original skit, based on the Purim custom of exchanging gifts.

Many Hear About Tuberculin Tests

About 500 Were Present At Meeting in the High School

About 500 attended the joint meeting of the Board of Education and Parent-Teacher Associations Friday night in the High School auditorium, to learn of "Tuberculin Tests," which are planned in the local schools.

Speakers were Rowan Whealdon, executive director of the Essex County Tuberculosis League, and Dr. Allan Ireland, head of the Division of Health, Safety and Physical Education. School Supervising Principal Wayne R. Parmer presided.

The Board of Education is inaugurating a plan to make tests of high school students and pupils of the seventh and eighth grades as soon as arrangements are complete. Because a child cannot be forced to submit to a test without parent permission, reasons were explained to parents.

Hartley Has Approval On Two Projects

Belleville Gets Grants for Linden Avenue Storm Sewer

Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., today informs this paper that he has WPA approval for Belleville to construct a storm sewer in Linden avenue, for which \$11,283 has been provided.

He also has advice on approval of a county-wide road improvement project, sponsored by the State Highway Commission for \$2,983,410.

A Night in Tel-Aviv, Palestine, Features Open House Planned By Congregation

Social Hall Will Be Decorated in the Palestinian And Oriental Motif for Fourteenth Anniversary

"A Night in Tel-Aviv, Palestine," which will be held on Sunday night, March 27. Opening the celebration will be an anniversary Sabbath Eve Service on Friday night, March 25. Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin, of the congregation, will officiate, and Leon Mones will be guest speaker.

On Saturday morning, March 26, at 10 A. M., an anniversary service will be held for the children. Rabbi Dobin will be in charge of the program then. The year book, which is dedicated to the Sisterhood of the congregation will be offered at the Sunday night event. Admission to all these events is free to all.

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Removed—One Shanty— Board at a Time

There's the story of the person who was presented with a house, one brick at a time. John B. Veroneau, 275 DeWitt avenue, has a better one than that.

Thieves removed his workmen's shanty, a board at a time, from in front of the building he was erecting at 15 Tremont place, in the Greylock Heights section of Belleville.

Directs Party



Mrs. Louis Noll

Plans have been completed by the Woman's Club for its Spring formal dance, which will be held tomorrow evening in Montclair Athletic Club. Several cocktail and dinner parties will precede the affair which is being directed by Mrs. Louis Noll. Between 375 and 400 persons are expected to attend.

Committee co-chairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Willard Strange, Mr. Noll, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Knox, Mr. and Mrs.

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Dog House Holds No Fears Now!

Local Man Takes Advice Of Advisory Master and "Barks" Correctly

Richard Vanderhoof, William street, was his own counsel last week before Advisory Master Matthews, who informed Richard he was "in the legal dog house. I'll give you two weeks to adjust this difficulty. Bark and get out."

The advice was well taken for Vanderhoof barked up the right tree when he hired Theodore Bellet, local attorney, who now has the dog house vacant for some one else. Monday Mr. Bellet saw to it that an agreement was effected as regards alimony payments which, it was said, Richard failed to make regularly to his wife, Mrs. Edith T. Vanderhoof, 449 Summer avenue, Newark.

Richard and his attorney are both pleased with the present status of the case, which is now filed in the harmonious rack.

Hit By Auto

Horace Oliver, 42, of 45 Belmont avenue, Silver Lake, was hit Sunday night by a car driven by Rocco Napoli, 30, 24 Frederick street, at the southwest corner of Belmont avenue and Alva street, according to the police.

Patrolman John J. Flynn reported that Oliver was taken to Columbus Hospital, Newark, where he was treated for back and hip injuries, and held for observation.

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Premature

A premature April fool joke was played on William Friel, an employee of the Town Hall last week.

Health Officer Eugene Berry received a phone call that Mr. Friel, who lives at 132 Belleville avenue, had the measles. He went post-haste to that address only to find that "Bill" had a touch of grippe.

The perpetrator of this joke, William "Pidgey" Dunn, a fellow employee of the Town Hall, knew that the latter was suffering from nothing more than la grippe, but he thought the joke was an ideal one to play on his buddy.

Town Commission Sets Tax Rate at 4.50 Pending Definite Figures on Three Items

County, State School Tax and Soldiers' Bonus May Cause A Slight Variation One Way or Another

Pending, of course, definite figures from the county, the State School tax and State Soldiers' Bonus tax, Mayor William H. Williams, director of revenue and finance, estimates the 1938 tax rate will be \$4.50 per \$100 assessment. This figure will vary a few points, one way or other, according to the final figures, which will be submitted on the three taxes listed.

The Mayor made this statement Monday night at a meeting of tax-

payers in Public School No. 8, Union avenue, where he read the 1938 budget in detail. Last year's rate was 3.75 and in 1936 it was 3.80. About 100 attended the meeting which lasted about two hours.

Tuesday night at a special meeting of the Town Commission a resolution was passed setting Tuesday night, April 5, at 8 o'clock, as the time for a public hearing.

Deferred payment of \$130,000 in bonds, which are due this year, means a saving of over sixty points in the rate, through efforts of the Mayor and support of State Auditor Darby who agreed to the action because of "Belleville's splendid financial record."

"In seven years Belleville has reduced its debt a million and one-half," said the Mayor.

Thus is dispelled the fear of a \$5.15 rate, as the Mayor had predicted before conferences which have been held over the period of a month with prominent business men and high public officials.

The total budget this year compared with last year with the 1937 figure first is as follows: Department of Public Affairs, \$80,150; \$76,575; Public Works, \$43,550; \$45,020; Public Safety, \$215,200; \$199,020; Public Property, \$24,050; \$23,155; Revenue and Finance, \$31,000; \$31,364.40; non-departmental, \$61,823.50; \$66,957.70; contingent, \$1,000; \$1,200; debt service, \$294,103.15; \$457,227.65; deferred charges, \$4,156.94; \$78,544.73; Hanly suit, \$734.76; \$810.51; cash deficit, 1938, \$5,248.86; 1937, none; local school tax, \$484,551.19; \$447,580.42; county tax (est.), \$173,000; \$151,698.65; state tax (est.), \$94,181.60; \$85,166.34; total general cash appropriations, \$340,250; \$342,241.71; assessment serial bonds, \$24,000; \$19,000; water operating, \$88,000; \$90,725; water debt service, \$40,200; \$41,131.74; anticipated surplus, 1938, \$8,000; 1937 nothing.

This budget totals \$2,015,200, against \$2,157,418.85 last year. Estimated State School tax is \$87,000, as against the actual amount of \$79,628.80, which was set last year and \$84,610.77 in 1936. Expected as

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Wu Shing Nan Safe In Canton, China

Local Young Man Teaches School After College Education Here

Friends of Wu Shing Nan, son of Wu She Chen, better known as Gim Hing, Chinese laundryman, 504 Washington avenue, will be glad to know that he is safe in Canton, China, where he is teaching school.

Two years ago Shing, who was graduated from Columbia University, left for China believing that his knowledge of English and Chinese made him better fitted to teach school in his native land.

He came to this country about six years ago filled with the spirit of youth and an ambition to learn English and American ways.

He conquered the staccato voice of the Chinese. He attended Cumberland and Michigan Universities.

Girl Scouts Seek Funds for Cabin

Party Will Be Held at Masonic Temple on April 8

A special meeting of the Girl Scout Mothers' Club was held Friday at the Recreation House. Plans were discussed for a party to be given Friday, April 8, in Masonic Temple. Mrs. S. Leonard Roelau is chairman. Included in her committee are Mrs. James Keddie, Mrs. C. L. Cox, Mrs. Benjamin Manley, Mrs. B. J. Woodhall, Mrs. Harold Corey, Mrs. Raymond MacPherson, Mrs. S. G.

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Lions Complete Entertainment Arrangements For Club's Sixth Annual Card Party

Barbara Chiarel, Eight-Year-Old "Baby of Swing" Who Has Met Success Will be on the Program

Arrangements are about complete for the entertainment of the sixth annual card party of the Belleville Lions Club to be held at the Meadowbrook, Pompton turnpike, Cedar Grove, Thursday evening, John P. Dailey, chairman, announced today.

Mr. Dailey states that he has been most fortunate in obtaining, among others, Barbara Chiarel of Bloomfield, known as "The Baby of Swing" to her listeners. Barbara, though only eight, has sung with much success on the stage and over the air waves. The young artist makes her own improvisations, lending a dis-

tinutive charm to each rendition. Barbara has appeared regularly over Station WHBI on Jimmy Shearer's popular program, and sang for Al's Kiddies program. The young songstress has become quite a hit on local benefit and charity performances. In addition, she has been outstanding in school, minstrel and church productions—a tried trouper. Barbara's talents are not confined only to singing. She is also an accomplished dancer, graceful and lithic.

Betty Rivolo, talented local dancer, (Continued on Page Seven)

Woman Recovers From Train Crash

Was Injured When Auto Was Pushed 125 Feet At Local Crossing

Mrs. Gertrude Neiss, 36, of 34 Bel-mohr street, was pinned in the wreckage of her stalled auto Thursday night when it was struck broadside by a southbound Erie Railroad train and pushed along the tracks for 125 feet at the Joralemon street crossing.

She suffered from internal injuries and was reported as "doing well" at the Hospital of St. Barnabas for Women and Children. Physicians said she will recover.

Mrs. Neiss was first taken to St. Mary's Hospital, Passaic, and later to the Newark hospital.

Thomas O'Neill, engineer, told police that the train had just left the Essex station and was traveling slowly at the time of the collision. John Dulino of 37 Howard street, Belleville, the station agent, said the watchman had gone off duty an hour before the accident, but had left warning lights on.

Gates at the grade crossing are not operated after 7 P. M., but a warning bell is sounded when the train approaches. Mrs. Neiss, alone in the car with the radio on, is believed to have heard the bell. Her husband, Joseph, is a proprietor of a restaurant in East Orange.

Valley Group Seeks School Flag Pole

Committee Will Appear At Next Meeting of School Board

Two representatives from the Home and School Group No. 9 School, Mrs. Paul Breen and Mrs. Alfred Baker, have conferred with the members of the Valley Improvement Association and the following committee has been appointed to co-operate with a committee of five from the Home and School Group in presenting a request for a flag pole for the school.

The committee will appear before the Board of Education on Monday evening. The association will be represented by Mrs. Angelina Botto, Anthony Di Nicola and J. J. Hewitt. Secretary O. A. Current was instructed to communicate with the Board of Commissioners relative to the demolition of an abandoned barn in Ralph street, which is in dangerous and unsightly condition due to depredations and lack of care.

The women members of the Good and Welfare Committee are busily engaged in knitting an Afghan, which will be ready for presentation on April 14.

At the bi-monthly meeting on Thursday, the members of the association will be entertained by Everett B. Earl with motion pictures. Mr. Earl is an experienced transcontinental traveler, and has many interesting reels.

Figurelli Enters Commission Lists

Former Recorder Declares He Represents All The People

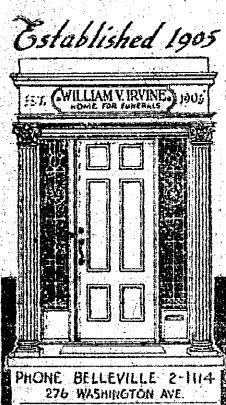
For the third time Samuel Figurelli will be a candidate in a commission race. Twice defeated, he tossed his hat into the ring this week.



Samuel Figurelli, a former recorder here, was made at a meeting of the Italian-American Association Sunday, at 108 Franklin

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Even though the family is of limited means, we have a service that is just as impressive and just as beautiful as the more costly ceremonies. Sincere dignity characterizes each.

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Churches

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Peter R. Deckenbach
Third Sunday in Lent. Holy communion at 7:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. Topic: "The Coming Church."
At the 8 o'clock evening service the guest preacher will be Rev. J. Fred Hamblin, rector of St. John's Church, Newark.

Newark school meets at 9:45 every Sunday morning. There will be a meeting of the vestry this evening.

Christ Church Boy Scouts of America, Troop 88, meets at the parish house each Tuesday evening; at 7:30. Raymond Patrick, 45 Essex street, is scoutmaster.

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at the Lenten service, the guest preacher will be Rev. Nelson B. Gildersleeve, rector of St. Agnes Church, East Orange.

There will be a food sale, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild, tomorrow afternoon at the parish house. Mrs. M. P. Apperson and Mrs. H. B. Winship are co-chairmen. Mrs. Winship will serve tea, assisted by Mrs. Elton B. Alger, Mrs. Robert Reilly, Mrs. William T. Robinson and Mrs. George Schmeitz.

The Altar Guild will meet on Monday evening, in the clubroom of the parish house. The directress, Mrs. J. Harry Edwards, will preside.

There will be a supper meeting of women's auxiliaries and evening guilds next Friday evening in St. Thomas' Church, Roseville and Park avenues, Newark, at 6:30 o'clock. The speakers will be Rev. F. L. Sauder, China, and Bishop Theodore R. Duldow. A number from Christ Church are planning to attend.

WESLEY M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Edgar M. Compton, Pastor.

Sunday, 9:30 A. M.—Church school.

10:45 A. M.—Morning church service.

7:45 P. M.—Intermediate Epworth League.

7 P. M.—Senior Epworth League.

7:45 P. M.—Evening devotionals.

Tuesday, 7 P. M.—Junior choir rehearsal.

7:30 P. M.—Boy Scout Troop No. 4.

Wednesday, 8:30 P. M.—Junior Epworth League.

4:45 P. M.—Preparatory membership class.

8 P. M.—Mid-week prayer and praise service.

Thursday, 8 P. M.—Senior choir rehearsal.

Friday, 8:30 P. M.—Boys' choir rehearsal.

Tonight at 8 o'clock, the candy committee will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Dorman to formulate definite plans for the making of candy eggs for Easter. As in former years work will begin ten days before Easter, under the supervision of Mrs. Dorman. There will be butter cream eggs or fresh coconut eggs, both covered with chocolate, in small and large sizes, decorated or plain. Orders are now being received.

Every Wednesday afternoon at 4:45, until Easter, the preparatory membership class meets with the pastor.

Next Wednesday evening the Woman's Missionary Society will accept an invitation from the Arlington M. E. Church, to hear Mrs. William Harms, Olive Hill, Kentucky Missionary Home.

On Friday, March 25, at 8 P. M., the Queen Esther Standard Bearers will sponsor a movie, "An Evening with Edgar Guest." Refreshments included in the price of admission will be served. The girls are anxious to have at least 100 present. School children will be admitted at half price.

The junior choir will sing Sunday morning.

The following officers were elected at a meeting of the Mothers' Club last Monday night: President, Mrs. Boxberger; vice president, Mrs. Davies; secretary, Mrs. Keating and treasurer, Mrs. Haufler.

The new officers of the Epworth League are: President, Theodore

Wyckoff; first vice president, Elizabeth Preston; second vice president, Nancy Miller; third vice president, Audrey Eppler; fourth vice president, Dorothy Hansen; treasurer, Robert Schmidt and secretary, Louise Hancock.

Pulpit flowers last Sunday were placed by John Ray, in loving memory of his mother.

BELLEVILLE REFORMED

Main and Rutgers Streets, Belleville
Rev. John A. Struyk, Pastor.

Tonight, 7:30 P. M.—Senior choir rehearsal in the church, under direction of the new organist, Mr. Edwards. Last Sunday he had a splendid choir.

Sunday, March 20, 9:45 A. M.—Church school. A class for every age, even a men's class, which is growing.

10:50 A. M.—Morning preaching service. The pastor will speak on "Christ, My Only Necessity." Everybody invited to worship at the old church.

7 P. M.—Young people's service. Everett Burden will speak. He is a product of the old church. He will bring some folks with him from the National Bible institute of New York.

8 P. M.—Evening sermon and prayer. The pastor will speak on "Christ Bearing the Cross." Old and young folks should attend this service. Strangers are welcome.

Tuesday, 7 P. M.—Girl Scout Troop No. 9 meets at the chapel, with Miss Edna Baun, captain.

Wednesday, 8 P. M.—Lenten service. The pastor will speak on "Our Relationship to Christ." A sacrificial offering is received.

Thursday, 7:45 P. M.—Young Women's Bible training class at the home of Mrs. Gnatz, 234 Stephen street. All young women are invited to join this class.

The Ladies' Aid Society will have a corn beef dinner at the chapel on Thursday night, March 24.

The newly elected elders and deacons will be ordained and installed in their respective offices on Sunday morning, April 3. The elders are Howard Goodale, Robert Steele Anderson and Harry L. Sturges. The deacons are George Zinkand, William Strassburger, Thomas Troien and Irvin Gilbert Belden. The elders in office are Paul D. Robinson, Frank Wadsworth and Albert Strauss. The senior elder is James H. Ackerman. The deacons are William Mackillop, Walter G. Price and Dr. Earnest C. Reock.

The Spring communion will be held at the morning service, April 3. New members will be received at this service.

FEWSTHURST MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN

O. Bell Close, Minister

Sunday school—9:45 A. M.

Public worship—11 A. M.

Young people's meeting—8 P. M.

Meetings of the boards—Tuesdays, 8 P. M.

Girls' clubs—Wednesdays, 7 P. M.

Boys' clubs—Thursdays, 7, 8 and 9 P. M.

Men's Club—Second Tuesday, 8 P. M.

Woman's Missionary Society—First Thursday, 2 P. M.

Woman's Guild—Second Thursday, 2 P. M.

Fellowship Circle—second Tuesday, 8 P. M.

Boy Scouts—Monday, 8 P. M.

Girl Scouts—Mondays, 4 P. M.

BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Harry Pfunk, Pastor

8 Noltan Street
Belleville 2-1555

Sunday, March 20, Church service at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. in Masonic Temple. Morning sermon: "Selfishness." Evening sermon: "Pilate, A Judge." Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. in the Recreation House. Young people at 7:15 in the Temple.

Saturday, March 19, apron and food sale in the Recreation House, under the auspices of the guild. Business begins at 1 and lasts until 9 P. M. Refreshments will be served all day.

Tuesday, March 22, the ladies will meet at 2 P. M. The Sunday school

teachers will meet in the Recreation House at 8 P. M.

Thursday, March 24, regular meeting of the church choir at the home of Mrs. Reed, 42 Oak street.

CONGREGATION A. A. A.

317 Washington Avenue
Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin

Regular Kabbalas Shabbos services will be held by the Congregation at 5:30. Sabbath morning services will begin at 9 A. M. The Junior Congregation will hold its children's service at 10. Rabbi Dobin explains the Torah portion of the week to the children every Saturday morning.

The Purim Carnival of the Religious School will take place on Sunday morning. All parents and children are invited to attend. More details of the carnival will be found elsewhere in the issue.

The Progressive Judeans will hold a recreational meeting at the synagogue on Monday evening. All members are urged to attend.

The Sisterhood of the Congregation will meet on Tuesday evening. A special Purim program will be presented that night. Mrs. Freda Tilkin is in charge of the special program for the evening.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 the Maccabean Boys Club will have a regular meeting. All members of the group are asked to attend this meeting. Many important matters concerning future activities will be taken up.

The regular committee night of the Congregation's standing committees will take place on Thursday night.

The week-end of March 25 to the 27 will be the anniversary week-end of the Congregation. More information will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The sixth session of the Belleville Institute of Public Affairs will take place on Wednesday night, March 30, at 9 P. M. The topic for discussion will be "Woman's Place—At Home or in a Career."

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

Walter J. Lake, Pastor

Sunday Services.

9:45 A. M.—Church school and junior church.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Sermon topic: "Give Us This Day, Our Daily Bread."

6:45 P. M.—B. Y. P. U. Joint meeting with other groups at Wesley M. E. Church.

8 P. M.—Evening service in charge of B. Y. P. U. Rev. Lake will speak on "Can You Build a New World?"

Weekday Meetings.

Friday 8 P. M.—Senior choir rehearsal.

8 P. M.—Meeting of the McComb class in the church.

Saturday, 8 P. M.—Young people's bowling evening.

Monday, 6:30 P. M.—Men's Club bowling tournament.

8 P. M.—Helen V. Davis Chapter of the W. W. G. will meet in the home of Mrs. Arthur Davis, 167 Church street, Nutley. The program, "Window Views," will be in charge of Mrs. Elmer Hyde.

Tuesday, 1 P. M.—Luncheon under sponsorship of Women's Auxiliary in the home of Mrs. Winkelman, 155 Forest street.

Thursday, 4 P. M.—Girl Scouts.

6:30 P. M.—Junior Choir.

7:30 P. M.—Campfire Girls.

8 P. M.—Mid-week service—continuing discussion on "The Origin and Growth of Our Bible."

ST. PETER'S R. C. CHURCH

William Street, Belleville

Rev. Joseph M. Kelly, Pastor

Rev. John S. Nelligan, Asst. Pastor

Sunday masses at 6, 7, 8, 9 (Children's) 10 and 11 A. M.

Confessions Saturday from 4 to 6 P. M. and from 7:30 to 9 P. M.

Masses are held at 5:30, 7 and 8 A. M. the first Friday in each month. On Holy days of obligations there are masses at 5:30, 7, 8, and 9 A. M.

ST. ANTHONY'S R. C. CHURCH

55 Franklin Street, Silver Lake

Rev. Cataldo Alessi, Pastor

Sunday masses at 6, 7:30, 9 A. M. and 11 A. M. Children's mass at 9 A. M. Devotions in honor of St. Anthony and St. Liberator every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

NUTLEY

ST. MARY'S R. C.

Melrose Street, Nutley

Rev. James J. Owens, Pastor

Rev. James Grotzback, Asst. Pastor

Sunday masses at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 o'clock. Holiday masses, 6, 7, 8 and 9 o'clock. First Friday masses, 6 and 7 A. M. Communion at 8 A. M. Confessions, Saturday, 3:30 to 6 P. M. to 7:30 P. M., always heard on vigils of holy days.

Communion Sundays: First Sunday 8 o'clock mass, Rosary; second Sunday, Holy Name, 8 o'clock mass; third Sunday, 8 o'clock mass, Children of Mary and Angels Sodality.

Meetings: Rosary Society, first Sunday, at 3:30 P. M.; Angel's Sodality and Children of Mary, third Sunday at 3:30 o'clock. Thursday evening after second Sunday, Holy Name meeting.

Knights of Columbus meeting, second and fourth Monday, 8 P. M.; Catholic Daughters of America, first and third Monday, 8 P. M.

Sunday school after 9 o'clock Mass every Sunday from October to June. October and May devotions every Tuesday and Friday evenings during those months at 8 P. M. First Friday devotions, 8 P. M.

Choir rehearsals, Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. Boy Scouts, Thursday, 7 P. M.; Girl Scouts, Tuesday, 3:30 P. M. Daily masses, 6:45 and 7:30 A. M.

Christian Endeavor Notes

Rev. Everett Burden will be the speaker before the Reformed Christian Endeavor Society this Sunday evening. Robert F. Wolff, treasurer, will preside.

Rev. Burden was very active in the society a few years ago, when he was the secretary, Fred H. Woodward, Jr., being the president at that time. Mr. Burden was also very active in the Essex County Christian Endeavor Union where he was the superintendent of the institutional department. He lived in this town a great many years. Mr. Burden was recently ordained a Baptist minister, but still is continuing his education at the National Bible Institute of New York City, where he is now residing.

The following Sunday, the Ladies' Aid Society will conduct the service.

A nominating committee has been chosen by the president, John C. Radin, Jr., as follows: Catherine Wood and Elizabeth MacFadden, secretary.

Resolution Passed For Good Friday

Nutley K. of C. Helps to Call Attention to Significance of Day

St. Mary's Council, Knights of Columbus, at a meeting Monday adopted a resolution concerning the observance of Good Friday, April 15, as a legal holiday.

The resolution related in brief that inasmuch as the Supreme Council at San Antonio, Texas, and the State Council at New Brunswick, the legislature of New Jersey and Russell J. Nonarow, state deputy, all have decreed that Good Friday be observed as a legal holiday, that St. Mary's Council "requests a complete observance of this Good Friday by the public at large and all mercantile establishments of this district."

"It has been noted as one of the disquieting characteristics of the age, the growing and prevalent tendency to ignore the observance of this state holiday by proprietors of commercial enterprises," it was pointed out, and "this particular day is set apart as a day of deep devotion and meditation throughout the Christian world, commemorating the Death of Jesus Christ, the Second Person of the Blessed Trinity, and many Christian nations are at this present time facing bloody conflicts in order to preserve certain Christian principles and ideologies; and

The Council through its officers and members hopes to impress upon all who are within their range of immediate influence, the vital importance of refraining from unnecessary commercial pursuits on this day.

An active committee will be appointed to contact the proprietors of the mercantile establishments of this district, requesting that they remain closed and that they thus co-operate in observance of the day, affording their employees a like opportunity of observance.

Deputy Grand Knight Raymond Sachs reported that all arrangements have been made for the Communion breakfast to be held at the Yountakah Country Club, March 27 in conjunction with the Holy Name Society.

Charles V. Scanlon reported that the first season of the public speaking class had been successfully completed.

Phil Thoma reported that the bowling league will send its picked team into competition with picked teams from several leagues in this vicinity.

Six Holy Days:

1. Circumcision, January 1; 2. Ascension Day, 40 days after Easter; 3. Assumption, August 15; 4. All Saints, November 1; 5. Immaculate Conception, December 8; 6. Christmas, December 25. Lenten devotions, two evenings each week.

CEDAR HILL CHAPEL

(Non-Sectarian)

Ohlson and Highland avenues, Nutley

Lord's Day services: 9:30 A. M. Bible school for all ages; 7 P. M. worship and "Remembrance of Lord's death till He come;" 8 P. M. gospel service. Jack Montgomery, National Bible Institute, will be the speaker.

Tuesday, 8 P. M.—Adult Bible study at home of Mr. and Mrs. Kneekworth, Caldwell.

Friday, 8 P. M.—Prayer and Christian Doctrine at home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. F. Young, 50 Overlook terrace, Nutley.

A cordial invitation is extended to attend these services.

NEWARK

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

Broadway at Carteret Street

Newark, N. J.

Paul F. Arndt, Pastor

Morning service, 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Church's Treatment of Jesus." Sunday school and Bible class, 9:30 A. M. German service, 8:30 A. M. Wednesday, mid-week Lenten service, 8 P. M. Sermon subject: "Learn of Me: How to Bear Witness." Special music by our vested choir at all services.

Dinners Changed Daily

Fish and Chips Our Specialty

Belleville

Oyster and Chop House

501 Washington Ave., Belleville, N. J.

OBITUARY

Services Held for Edwin D. Van Houten Was Descendant of Early Settlers in This Town

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 P. M. at the William V. Irvine Funeral Home, 276 Washington avenue, for Edwin Doremus Van Houten, 61, of 205 Washington street, Bloomfield, a descendant of the early settlers of Belleville, who died suddenly of a heart attack Saturday morning while visiting at the home of a friend, C. E. Alexander of 168 Watchung avenue, Upper Montclair. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Van Houten was born in Belleville and lived here until 1909, when he went to Glen Ridge until 1930. He then lived in Vineland until last October when he went to Bloomfield.

Mr. Van Houten was a rug salesman more than forty years. When he retired seven years ago, he was connected with W. & J. Sloane, New York. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Nutley and a charter member of the Nereid Boat Club of Belleville.

Mr. Van Houten leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary Schaffer Van Houten; a daughter, Mrs. Norman E. Jensen of Bloomfield; a brother, Louis K. Van Houten of Belleville, and one grandchild.

Requiem Mass for Mrs. Julia Neary Mother of Former Town Commissioner Died Monday

A High Mass of Requiem was offered yesterday morning for Mrs. Julia Neary, 35 Hornblower avenue, in St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church by Rev. John S. Nelligan as celebrant, assisted by Rev. Joseph M. Kelly, pastor of the church and Rev. Francis Fallon of Good Counsel Roman Catholic Church, as deacons. Mrs. Neary died Monday night of complications after a year's illness. She was buried in St. Peter's Cemetery.

As charter member of the St. Peter's Social Society, Mrs. Neary was very active in church affairs, being connected with that society for forty-three years, having been a Belleville resident for that length of time. On the occasion of her fiftieth wedding anniversary, about ten years ago, she was feted by the society.

She was also a member of the Rosary Society of the church and of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Mrs. Neary, who was seventy-seven years old, was born in Glen Cove, Long Island.

She leaves two sons, Frank, 56 Van Houten place, a former town commissioner, and William, of Belleville, and three daughters, Mrs. Rosemary Bessmer, New Haven, Conn., Mrs. Lucy Fried of the Hornblower avenue address and Mrs. Anna Robertson of 73 Baldwin place.

Services Tonight For Mrs. Bechtoldt Local Resident Had Been In Ill Health for Two Years

Funeral services will be conducted tonight by Rev. O. Bell Close, pastor of Fewsmith Memorial Presbyterian Church, at the William V. Irvine Funeral Home, 276 Washington avenue, for Mrs. Caroline Bechtoldt, wife of George A. Bechtoldt of 151 De Witt avenue, who died Wednesday night at Orange Memorial Hospital. She had been in poor health for about two years. She was born in Newark fifty-three years ago, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Kraeutler, and was educated in Germany. Burial will be in Ridgeland Cemetery, Delaware.

Mrs. Bechtoldt is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Katherine Hesse and Mrs. Eleanor Metz, both of Bloomfield; two grandchildren, three brothers, John Kraeutler of Belleville and Gustave and Emil Kraeutler of Newark, and two sisters, Mrs. John Grossgebauer of Paterson and Mrs. Ernest Trench of St. Petersburg, Fla. She was a member of the Women's Guild of Fewsmith Church, and was active on the sunshine committee of the church.

Cornelius W. Kievit

Cornelius Washington Kievit, 83, of 112 Gregory avenue, Passaic, former advertising manager of the Passaic Daily News, now the Herald-News, died Tuesday night at the home of a son, Peter W. Kievit, 283 Joramole street, this town. He had been living with the son temporarily.

Mr. Kievit retired from the News in 1926. He joined the paper in 1900. He belonged to Benevolent Lodge, Knights of Pythias; Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias; Woodland Temple 1, Pythian Sisters; Passaic Lodge, F. & A. M., and the Passaic Masonic Club. He was grand representative of Benevolent Lodge 29 years, and chaplain six years of the

FROM THE PULPIT

Facing Life—Alone.

By Rev. Harry Pfunk
Pastor Bethany Lutheran Church.

Jesus was a vagrant preacher with no place to lay his head. There were many parties in the time of Jesus, but he belonged to none. There were many churches in Palestine when Jesus lived, yet even here the Master could not go to his own church pew as church people can today. Most people, even the very poor, had some place to go, some place where they shut the door upon the world and—rejoice. He was worse off than the foxes who had holes, worse off than the birds who had nests in the trees. Jesus represents humanity—through all ages.

Man is a homeless creature. Man's attempt to find security is a tragic thread linking the generation of men. The very essence of Christianity—to give the only possible security to man, the merging of the soul with God—is overlooked. This essential of the Christian message is overlooked because it conflicts with the strongest tendencies in human nature—self-preservation. Most of us are home seekers. We want a place wherein we can gather our belongings, a place to which we can always return from all our wanderings. We seek homes for the mind and spirit. That is why we not only build houses of brick and stone, but also social systems and ecclesiastical orders in which we can find rest.

To the best of our ability we lay the foundations and erect our dwelling places and surround them with strong fortifications and expect them to last forever. We do it by building political philosophies and perpetuating them in parties with all their rules, property rights and privileges. We do it in international affairs by creating boundaries and attempt to stabilize them in treaties which are to last forever. We do it, yes, in religion, with our creeds, our theologies, our ecclesiastical institutions. Indeed, we do recognize our mistakes and imperfections of our labors when first conceived. But this puts its venerating hand upon our work; the imperfections are explained away, our creeds are declared infallible and our systems—sacred. We place halos around the heads of the founders of our systems and institutions and declare impious any criticism of what they created. We are 100 per cent loyal when we resist change, but rebels if we strive for it. No matter that a same study of history tells us that the great creators were men who first had to destroy in order that they could build.

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Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Meyer and son, Jack, 305 Greylock parkway, spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. Meyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Meyer, Phillipsburg. Mrs. Meyer was hostess Thursday evening to her bridge club. Those present were Mrs. Charles Shurts, Mrs. J. H. Fritts, Mrs. Leonard Stanton, Mrs. Harold Gahr, Mrs. A. E. Ewing, Mrs. Welsley Pikaart and Miss Florence Blauvelt. High scores were made by Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Meyer.

Mrs. Eleanor Brooks and Mrs. Harold Benson were guests Monday at luncheon and bridge at the home of Mrs. George L. Sexton, Upper Montclair.

Mrs. William J. Cross, 185 New street, entertained Wednesday for her contract bridge club. Those present were Mrs. G. E. Schaefer, New York City; Mrs. Sidney Summerfield and Mrs. Harry Kintzing.

Mrs. William Hunt, Mrs. William Irvine, Mrs. Clifton Smith, Mrs. P. A. Port, Mrs. Russell Sargeant and Mrs. William Lee were guests yesterday at a St. Patrick's Day luncheon and bridge of Mrs. Edward Zellers, Newark, at the Newark Athletic Club.

Mrs. John Denike, 345 Union avenue, was hostess Wednesday at her sewing club. Those present were Mrs. Charles Carswell, Mrs. Matthew Atkinson, Mrs. Fred Sohle, Mrs. Oscar Hicks and Mrs. Russell Abel.

A group of eight held a luncheon and theatre party Saturday in New York. They saw a performance of "On Borrowed Time." Those in the party were Mrs. Russell King, Verona; Mrs. Frederick Foster, Nutley; the Misses Natalie Beebe and Norma Moore, Bloomfield; Mrs. John Hewitt, Mrs. Joseph King and the Misses Norma Drake and Laura De Puy.

Mrs. F. E. Dodd, 86 Division avenue, entertained Saturday evening at cards for Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Carough, Mr. and Mrs. Brand Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brumbach.

Mrs. H. L. Hamilton, 173 Holmes street, entertained Wednesday evening at two tables of bridge. Guests were Mrs. John Pole, Newark; Mrs. LeRoy Long, Mrs. George Cameron, Mrs. Ira Cornell, Mrs. William Irvine, Mrs. Ernest Alden and Mrs. A. E. Doty. High scores were made by Mrs. Irvine and Mrs. Pole.

Mrs. Charles Carswell, 378 De Witt avenue, was hostess Friday evening at two tables of pinocle. The guests were Mrs. Dora Lay, Nutley; Mrs. James Craven, Mrs. Fred Sohle, Mrs. Albert Babcock, Mrs. A. G. Scholtz and the Misses Margaretta Gedney and Myrtle Kroeger. High scores were made by Miss Gedney and Mrs. Scholtz.

Miss Mae G. Livingston, 10 Parkside drive, with a group of friends Monday evening, attended a performance of "The Three Waltzes" in New York City.

The Fortnightly Dessert Bridge Club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. William D. Blair, 131 Overlook avenue. Those present included Mrs. Norbert E. Berti, Mrs. Frederick Idenden, Mrs. Malcolm Bendall, Mrs. Paul McDonnell, Mrs. Howard G. Ryer and Mrs. Jane Truscott. Mrs. William Terry was the guest of the afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Babbitt, 330 Greylock parkway, was hostess Wednesday afternoon at bridge to Mrs. Henry Squire, Mrs. Eleanor Brooks, Mrs. Marion Frazier and Mrs. Daniel Guldner.

Miss Kay MacDonald, 72 Perry street, entertained Wednesday evening at the opening meeting of her club. Those present were the Misses Thelma Jensen, Janet Moyer, Regina Stark, Dorothy Matt and Ruth Drentlau. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Leslie Woodruff, 229 Joralemon street, was hostess last evening to her bridge club. Those present were Mrs. Louis A. Noll, Mrs. John Denike, Mrs. Michael Volpe, Mrs. George Goeke, Mrs. Willard Strange, Mrs. Chris Peterson and Mrs. Louis Rau.

Mrs. Harry Fallows, 75 Rossmore place, entertained her bridge club Wednesday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Laura Eveland, Bloomfield; Mrs. W. P. Adams, Mrs. Frank Wadsworth, Mrs. Harry Wykoff, Mrs. Tracey Wilson, Mrs. Charles Garben and Mrs. Eugene Gavey.

Mrs. Margaret Norris, 275 Hornblower avenue, had as her guests Tuesday at luncheon and bridge Mrs. Arthur Waller, Glen Ridge; Mrs. A. E. Owens, Mrs. Augustus Frank and Mrs. Frederick Baldwin, Bloomfield; Mrs. Ernest Potter, Mrs. Horace Winship and Mrs. Frank Cure.

Mrs. Henry Hutchison, 95 Tappan avenue, entertained her bridge club Tuesday afternoon. The members are Mrs. Victor Bostrom, Mrs. Edward Clegg, Mrs. John Manger, Mrs. Raymond Haythorn, Mrs. Walter Gray, Mrs. George Schmeltz and Mrs. Harvey Sheppard.

Mrs. Carl Jensen, 64 Center street, entertained Wednesday evening for the All Wool and a Yard Wide Club. Those present were Mrs. Neils Madsen, Bloomfield; Mrs. Julius Meyer, Mrs. Paul Meyer, Mrs. Henry Hahn, Mrs. Herbert May, Mrs. Edward Cassin and Mrs. J. H. Sedley.

Mrs. Eugene Gelshen, 130 Washington avenue, was hostess Monday evening at two tables of bridge.

Bridge guests Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Dickinson, 152 Cedar Hill avenue, were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin, Nutley; Mr. and Mrs. James Peters, Orange; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Y. Strange, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waters and Dr. and Mrs. Donald Brown.

The Jolly Five Hundred Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Nelson, 39 Linden avenue. Those present were Mrs. Robert Bryan, New York; Mrs. J. K. Alexander, Mrs. N. S. White, Mrs. Charles Clause, Mrs. Edward Mudd, Mrs. Rutherford Stell, Mrs. John Staudt and Mrs. Ernest Potter. High scores were made by Mrs. Clause and Mrs. White.

Mrs. Raymond Vosburgh, 85 Fairway avenue, will be hostess today to her bridge club. Those present will include Mrs. Frank Kienle, Nutley; Mrs. Herbert Walker, Mrs. Harold Ford, Mrs. Ronald Brown, Mrs. Harry Nees, Mrs. Weldon Melroy and Mrs. Philip Reide.

Mrs. William Brown, Basking Ridge; Mrs. Harry Higgs, Mrs. E. T. Seeley and Mrs. Willis Ford attended a meeting of the Cozy Sewing Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Fritts, Nutley.

Mrs. Sylvester Frazer, 207 Washington avenue, will have as her dessert bridge guests today, Mrs. Arthur Kunze, Mrs. George Newman, Mrs. David Mitchell, Mrs. Walter Babbitt, Mrs. Eleanor Brooks, Mrs. A. A. Dalzell and Mrs. Howard Richardson.

Mrs. Kenneth Swarthout, Mrs. Harold Wallwork, Mrs. John Green, Mrs. William McNair, Jr., Mrs. N. C. Thompson, Mrs. Elsie Sandford and Mrs. Alvin Linke were bridge guests Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ruth Morrisson, 170 Little street.

Mrs. Walter Mackley, 96 Rossmore place, entertained her luncheon bridge club Wednesday. Those present were Mrs. Elbert Rhoades and Mrs. Jean Whitbeck, Nutley; Mrs. Norman Cooper, Mrs. James Irwin, Mrs. Burton Whidden, Mrs. Irwin Kyie and Mrs. Allen Turner.

Mrs. Anna Ross, Mrs. Catherine Macdonald, Mrs. Eva Starritt and Miss Alice Wilkens attended a meeting of the J. A. B. Girls Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Gretchen June, Jersey City. Others present included Mrs. Elsie Herwig, Lyndhurst; Mrs. Adele Sullivan, Mrs. Celest Wells and Mrs. Dorothy Thierfelder, Jersey City. Mrs. Sullivan's birthday was celebrated. Bridge was played and high scores made by Mrs. Herwig and Mrs. Wells. Decorations were in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

Mrs. August Plenge, Jr., 667 Joralemon street, was hostess yesterday at luncheon to Mrs. Richard Kline and Mrs. Harry Olthoff, Millburn; Mrs. Richard Gibbs, Caldwell; Mrs. Theodore Nerozzy, Bloomfield; Mrs. William Klehm, West Orange; Mrs. Richard Breckenridge and Mrs. James Metz.

Mrs. Vincent Naylor, 23 Van Rensselaer street, had as her guests yesterday at cards, Mrs. Clarence Brohawn and Mrs. Horace Smith, Newark and Mrs. Robert Morrallo.

Mrs. Richard Garraway and the Misses Isabel Abbott and Christine Meyer attended their bridge club Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elsie Thomas, Newark. Others present were Mrs. Rene Vialle, Newark; Mrs. Herbert Wagner, Bloomfield; Mrs. Frederick Swanson, West Orange; Mrs. Albert Thomas, West Livingston.

The Busy Bees met Monday afternoon at the Recreation House. Those present were Mrs. Olive Jenkins, Mrs. Helen McNeil and Mrs. Agnes Thoma, Nutley; Mrs. Florence Barnett, Mrs. Kate Utter, Mrs. Abbie Morehouse, Mrs. Helen Hickman, Mrs. Sophie Lukowiak, Mrs. Nellie Norton, Mrs. May McAllister, Mrs. Grace Maguire, Mrs. Anna Seniff, Mrs. Isabel Bechtoldt and Mrs. Catherine Gimble.

Mrs. H. L. Hamilton, 173 Holmes street, was hostess Wednesday afternoon to her duplicate contract bridge club. Those present were Mrs. F. S. Booty, Montclair; Mrs. Wayne Parmer, Mrs. William Engelmann, Mrs. LeRoy Long, Mrs. George Cameron, Mrs. Kenneth Mase and Mrs. Otto Breunich.

Mrs. Sidney Summerfield, 365 Little street, entertained Tuesday afternoon at bridge for Mrs. William Mellick, East Orange; Mrs. Edward Davis, Mrs. William Cross, Mrs. Joseph Martell, Mrs. Walter Weiss, Mrs. William Owens and Mrs. Horace Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geiger and daughters, Doris and Alberta, 26 Jerome avenue, spent the week-end with Mrs. Geiger's brother, Rev. Joseph Fischer, Jamaica, L. I.

Mr. and Mrs. William Terry, 11 Bell street, entertained Friday evening at cards for Mrs. Mary G. Livingston, Mrs. H. W. Burrington, Miss Mae G. Livingston and Alvin Brant and William Terry.

Mrs. Albert Bormann, 45 Mertz avenue, was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Griffith Casler, Montclair; Mrs. William Robinson, Mrs. Frank Giraud, Mrs. William Hunt, Mrs. Harold Kenwell, Mrs. Carl Struble, Mrs. Lathrop Van Orden and Mrs. Ernest Hodgson.

Mrs. Lester Sorum, Brooklyn, entertained the members of her club Friday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Cook, 162 Cedar Hill avenue. Those present were Mrs. Otto Schwartz, Nutley; Miss Elaine Curran, Caldwell; Mrs. John Zetterstrom, Mrs. Edward Gaspey, Mrs. Ralph Wohforth and the Misses Emily Murray and Catherine Barnes.

Mrs. Edward Eska, Mrs. Arthur Clark, Mrs. Russell Sargeant, Mrs. William Hunt, Mrs. William Irvine, Mrs. P. A. Port, Mrs. William Lee, Mrs. Clifton Smith and Miss Rue Oerkvitz will attend their bridge club this evening at the home of Mrs. William Trost, Jersey City. Others attending will be Mrs. Harry Hull and Mrs. William Weber, Rutherford and Mrs. Edward Zellers, Newark.

Mrs. John J. McCarthy and son of 202 Union avenue have been at the Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bell have been enjoying several days in Atlantic City. They were guests at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel on the boardwalk.

Rev. Benedetto Pascalle, pastor of the First Italian Baptist Church, will leave tomorrow to spend a week in Connecticut. He will speak at preaching missions in Italian churches of Bridgeport, Meriden, Ansonia and nearby cities.

Woman's Club NOTES

The Belleville Woman's Club Monday elected the following officers: Second vice president, Mrs. John Denike; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Benjamin A. Jacobson; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Frederick Idenden; trustees, Mrs. James K. Alexander and Mrs. W. H. K. Davey. These committee chairmen were also named: Civics, Mrs. Louis A. Noll, Jr.; nominations, Mrs. George A. Goeke; by-laws, Mrs. Charles S. Smith.

The Civics Department had charge of the program and Mrs. Idenden introduced Judge Everett B. Smith, who discussed "Legal Implications of Automobile Accidents," using photographs in illustration. Types of accidents, causes of them and courts these cases reached, in and out of the state, were explained. Hurry and haste, were mentioned as the greatest causes of accidents.

The Garden Department yesterday had an interesting day when a movie on "Life of Plants and Trees" was shown at the clubhouse by a Rahway concern. Hostesses for the day were Mrs. William Entekin, Mrs. Morris Rochlin, Mrs. Charles Schmidt and Mrs. Harry C. Naylor.

Another in the series of dessert bridges will be held at the clubhouse on Monday at 1:30 P. M., when the hostesses will be Mrs. George P. Oslin, Mrs. Floyd F. Bragg, Mrs. Norman H. Cooper, Mrs. Ronald M. Beck, Mrs. Andrew G. Salkeld, Mrs. Laury G. Stem and Mrs. DeRuse S. Tillou.

Coming Events

Tonight—Patrolman's Benevolent Association 27th Annual Ball, Elks Home.

Tomorrow Afternoon—Food sale, Auspices Ladies' Guild, Christ Episcopal Church Parish House.

Tomorrow—Apron and Food Sale, Recreation House, Auspices Bethany Guild.

Saturday Evening, March 19—Woman's Club Dance, Montclair A. C.

Sunday Morning—Purim Carnival by Religious School, Congregation A. A. A.

Sunday Morning, March 20—Purim Carnival at Synagogue of Congregation A. A. A. Play will be given.

Monday Night—Meeting of Board of Education, No. 8 School, 8 P. M.

Tuesday, 1 P. M.—Luncheon, Women's Auxiliary, Grace Baptist Church at Home of Mrs. Winkelman, 155 Forest street.

Tuesday Evening—Father and Son Night, Christ Episcopal Boy Scout Troop.

Wednesday Night—Meeting Macabean Boys of Belleville Synagogue, 317 Washington avenue.

Thursday, March 24—Corned Beef Dinner, Ladies' Aid, Reformed Church.

Thursday Night—Meeting Valley Improvement Association. Motion pictures by Everett B. Earl, Transcontinental Traveler.

Thursday Evening, March 24—Lions' Club Sixth Annual Card Party, Meadowbrook Club, Cedar Grove.

Thursday Evening—Testimonial Dinner to Commissioner Joseph King at Parillo's Restaurant, Harrison street.

Friday, March 25 to 27—Fourteenth Anniversary Celebration, Congregation A. A. A.

Friday, March 25—Congregation A. A. A. commences celebration of its fourteenth anniversary.

Friday, March 25, 8 P. M.—Movie, "An Evening with Edgar Guest," Queen Esther Standard Bearers, Wesley Church.

Sunday Night, March 27—Open House, Social Hall, Congregation A. A. A., 317 Washington avenue.

Wednesday Night, March 30, 9 P. M.—Sixth Session Belleville Institute of Public Affairs, Synagogue, "Woman's Place—At Home or in a Career."

Friday Evening, April 8—Party Girl Scout Mothers' Club in Masonic Temple. Benefit Log Cabin Fund.

Saturday Night, April 16—Community Passover Seder at the Synagogue. Supper reservations limited.

Easter Sunday Morning, April 17, 6:30 A. M.—Sunrise service in charge of Christian Endeavor and Men's Bible class.

Friday Evening, April 22, 8 P. M.—First Annual Entertainment in New Edifice, St. Anthony's Church.

Saturday Evening, April 23—Public Card Party, Woman's Club, Auspices Belleville Woman's Republican Club.

Tuesday, May 10—Municipal election.

Saturday, April 23—Annual Ball, Polish-American Democratic Club, Veterans' Hall.

Elopements of Two Couples Announced

The wives of two Belleville men take this means to announce their marriages which followed elopements some time ago.

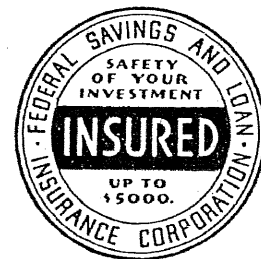
Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Pearl, daughter of Sergeant and Mrs. Charles Pearl, 22 Ralph street, and Homer W. Estelle, son of Mrs. Florence Estelle, 76 Tappan avenue, were married June 17, 1937, at Yonkers, N. Y. The attendants at that wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Russel Bennett, Irvington.

Mr. Estelle is a graduate of Belleville High School, Class of 1931. He is a chanceman on the Belleville police force and conducts a gas station

business at Little street and Washington avenue. The Estelles live at 444 Washington avenue.

The other marriage took place in Elktown, Md., and concerned Richard Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, 7 East Overlook avenue, and Miss Wanda Stawash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stawash, 31 Banford place, Irvington. This marriage occurred September 14, 1936.

The attendants were James Dorch of this town and Miss Grace King, Irvington. Mr. Peterson, who is a credit investigator, is a graduate of Belleville High School, class of 1931. The Petersons now live at 421 South Eighteenth street, Newark.



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Townpeople who have not already permanently registered or those who have changed their address since they last voted, may register or transfer at the office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Belleville, N. J., between the hours of 9 A. M. and 4 P. M., each day except Saturday, when the hours are 9 A. M. to 12 M., or on Tuesday evening, March 22, from 7 to 9 P. M.

All persons who have lived within the State one year, in the County five months and are twenty-one years of age, are eligible to register.

Absolutely no transfers will be made on election day; it is therefore necessary that all persons who have changed their address sign the required transfer card.

Last day to register, April 12.

Last day to transfer, May 5.

FLORENCE R. MOREY,

Town Clerk.

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SCENE: Dinner is over! Outdoors, roads are slippery and snow is falling.

DAD: "Storm or no storm, I promised Joe Williams I'd drive over and settle that business deal tonight."

MOTHER: "But Dad! It's an hour's trip each way... and the children and I are counting on you for a game tonight... is Joe such an admirer of your youthful beauty that he has to SEE you?"

DAD: "Of my what...? Oh, ...you mean call him up?... Of course!...Why not?"

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INTERVIEWING OUR PUPILS

By Marie Fitzsimmons

The year 1921 was an eventful one for it was the year that Edith Atkinson, one of our prominent pupils, was born, in Newark. At the age of four, Edith and her family introduced themselves to Belleville.

While in the eighth grade at No. 5 School, Edith played the role of Buttercup in the operetta, "H. M. S. Pinafore," which proved to be a great success. After graduating she enrolled at Belleville High for a four-year course.

Edith has been an active member in most of all the activities of the high

school. She joined the glee club and was in many concerts given by this club. She is a member of the Debate Club and finds it very interesting. The Riding Club, under the direction of Miss Margaret Leahy, is a favorite activity with Edith. For three years Edith has been a member of the Essex County Chorus, and the Capella Choir. In her senior and junior years she has been treasurer of International Artists' Society. This year she is one of the members of the Monad staff, who is doing all she can to make it the best book of its kind ever published.

Rules That Apply to John Marshall Oratorical Contest

1. Choose a phase of the subject that is not old.
2. Select the subject that offers a chance for an appeal to the emotions.
3. Take the constructive rather than destructive side.
4. Give a good analysis of the origin of the problem and its present status.
5. Crystallize all your thinking in a single declarative question.

Part B:
1. Elimination contest No. 1 (to be held in class) March 17-22. In this contest the students will be judged on their communicativeness, sincerity and animation. Three people shall be chosen from each section of Public Speaking Class. Mr. Kachel judging.

2. Elimination contest No. 2 (to be held in the auditorium after school) March 24, is the date. The judges for this contest are: Mr. Kittle, Mr. Glasgow, Miss Rush and Mr. Shepherd, Mr. Charlton.

The following chart is the method by which the judges shall decide the winner.

THE JUDGES SHEET

The Construction of the Speech.

Specific Purpose
a. Exact understanding
b. Exact conviction oration
(Possible 10 points) Credit 10 score

Interestingness
a. Familiar, concrete, varied, vital and striking
(Possible 10 points) Credit 10 score

Main Idea
a. Must define
b. Answer questions "How," "In what way" and "To what extent?"
(Possible 10 points) Credit 10 score

Speech Details
Illustrations, examples, statistics and testimony
(Possible 10 points) Credit 10 score

Introduction
Did the student arouse interest?
(Possible 10 points) Credit 10 score

Conclusion
Did the summary have appeal?
(Possible 10 points) Credit 10 score

Voice
a. Was the voice articulate?
b. Did the student emphasize the word in the appropriate place?
c. Did the student enunciate well?
d. Was the tone around and full?
(Possible 20 points) Credit 20 score

Pronunciation
Did the student accentuate properly?
Credit 10 score

Visible Code
a. Did the student speak with his whole body?
b. Was the body controlled?
c. Was the posture natural?
d. Did he look around the room?
e. Anything the judges might deem essential to a good speech
Credit 10 score

Total score

Name Home Room

This form below is to be handed to the judges before the contestant makes his speech.

Subject

Duration

Agree or Disagree

General End

Statement of Aim

Central Idea

Obverse

Sub-ideas:

1.

2.

3.

4.

Order of Importance of Sub-ideas (by number)

Introduction (if necessary)

Conclusion

Greatest obstacles to attainment of purpose

How do you propose to overcome them



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THE HUMOROUS SIDE OF SCHOOL

QUESTION—What did Sir Walter Raleigh say to the Queen when he had spread out his coat?
Small Child: "Step on it, kid."

Latin is a dead language,
As dead as dead can be;
It killed off all the Romans,
And now it's killing me.

Queen: The gym is so warm to-night there are plenty of fans here. Necking isn't modern.
When Anthony visited Cleopatra he fed her honey and Nectar—Nec-ked-her.

Man—I want a yard of pork.
Butcher—What's that?
Man—Three pigs' feet.

CLUBS

DEBATE CLUB—Teams have been chosen for debates.
Question—Resolved that more states should adopt a unicameral system of government.

The affirmative side is represented by Marcella Fisk, Janet Waldie and Amy Hardman.

The negative will be represented by Mary Sullivan, Dorothy Hansen and Edward Ostroski.

The opening address for the negative will be given by Mary Sullivan. Second speaker will be Dorothy Hansen. The rebuttal will be given by Edward Ostroski.

The opening address for the affirmative will be given by Marcella Fisk, the second speaker, Janet Waldie, and the rebuttal will be given by Amy Hardman.

CHESS CLUB—Each Wednesday afternoon a meeting of the Chess Club is held. Before the game is played, Norman Cotter, faculty advisor, explains the fundamentals of chess.

Many splendid suggestions have been given by the members of this group. All are invited to the meet-

ings. Even if you are not an expert chess player, come and learn the game.

RIDING CLUB—An important meeting was held on Tuesday. The group made plans for the future. Margaret Leahy is faculty advisor of this group.

RADIO CLUB—Officers were elected for this club on Tuesday as follows: President, Griffith Casler; vice president, Robert Strecker; secretary and treasurer, Edward Mazur.

A crystal set will be made by the group. George Reinke is faculty advisor. Meetings are held every Tuesday in Room 206. Why don't you join?

DOROTHY PERKINS ROSE.

I climb all over the garden gate,
A dainty, spicy little pink rose;
I'm smiling always, early and late,
My shiny green leaves I think everyone knows—
My name is—Dorothy Perkins.
—Lillian Sylvia Price, Belleville.

SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC VALUES OF THE INDUSTRIAL ARTS

By John B. Charlton
Instructor, B. H. S.

I have already written much about the various aspects of industrial arts which could be carried out in other parts of the school curriculum. Each has offered various opportunities to emphasize the importance of printing or one of the industrial arts subjects as a socializing and economic factor in our educational program. Often our shop courses are introduced for no other purpose than to do a certain amount of production work for the boards of education. Unless the work that has to be done can be worked into our regular shop program, supplementing and stimulating the shop activity program rather than monopolizing and exploiting the pupil and teacher time, it has no place in the educational program. A good many of our well prepared industrial arts teachers are prone to drift along satisfying the whims and fancies of individuals in authority rather than to practice the ideals and techniques of the leaders in the field of industrial arts. Many of our well prepared shop teachers just drift along with the teachers who are well prepared from a practical standpoint to teach shop subjects, but have not the professional preparation to practice these accepted pedagogical principles. Most shop teachers are satisfied with so-called "busy-work" and do not care to administer a real educational program.

The above facts are sufficient evidence to justify the confinement of shop activities to the basement dungeons, and to justify the selection of none-too-well qualified teachers. In addition to this there is a universal practice of assigning so-called "dumbbells" to shop courses. Until we, as qualified industrial arts teachers, realize the necessity of the highest type of preparation, the practice of accepted shop activities and the proper justification of our program in the total educational scheme, we will all take a back seat in education. We must stand up for our convictions and the recommended practices of our leaders in the field, even to the point of dismissal from our positions. We must not exploit our boys and girls when they should have a heritage in the industrial arts program, rich in content, challenging in activity, and complete with the other educational offerings of our curriculum by the highest type of correlation and integration.

I agree with Dean M. Schweickhard when he says that, "as a matter of fact the industrial arts are the human activities arising or developing from the necessity of performing certain operations upon the natural resources of the earth in order to make them more fit for human use or consumption. These activities and operations have to do with securing the raw materials, handling, transporting, treating, and transforming the shape, nature, and appearance of them. They involve all

phases of industrial activity, and so demand the vocational service of large masses of adult workers, and attract the interest of children who are educated to become future citizens." (Schweickhard, Dean M., "Comparative Objectives of Industrial Arts Education," Education, June, 1932, p. 569.)

Since industrial activities, or the activities attendant upon the furtherance of the industrial arts of the world, are so closely bound up with



John B. Charlton

so many phases of human life, from both the consuming and the producing standpoint, it seems reasonable that some attention should be given them in our public schools.

Many of our shop teachers make provisions for an enriched program in their courses of study, but do not avail themselves of the opportunity or lack the initiative to carry them out in their prospective school situations. Their programs are so dominated by the domination idea of saving money for the boards of education or actuated by the catering to certain administrative individuals that often their offerings are merely pure exploitation of child labor.

The Pi Box

By Richard Stimson

"Success consists not so much in sitting up nights as in being awake in the daytime."

We can prove that success is made up chiefly of dollars and cents—success. See?

The English classes which are studying journalism will do the editorial work and the printing classes, the mechanical work of producing an issue of a newspaper soon.

John S. Charlton, the printing teacher, spoke at the Parent-Teacher Association meeting Tuesday. Leonard Kachel, instructor in public speaking, also spoke. Bob Cole presented some of his dancers and singers, and refreshments were served.

Bob Malcolm Never Wild or Excited

Bell Boy Player, However, Is Hard, Fast Player

By Bill Engelmann.

This year on Belleville High School's basketball team there was a calm, cool, collected young player who, through the whole season, never seemed to lose his head or become wild when the playing became hard and fast. At all times he was quick, alert, always playing hard, but never wild or excited. I am sure that every one who saw Bob Malcolm play will agree with me.

During the season that has just closed, Bob was teamed with Bill Farmer, who played the other forward. These teammates were often spoken of as the "Scoring Twins." Malcolm racked up eighty points this season. He was especially noted for his unanny eye when it came to "swishing" those long shots from away out. Time and again he came through with one of those thrillers when the team needed them the most.

The last game with Lyndhurst was probably Bob's last, because he is now a senior in B. H. S. and hopes to graduate this year. The letter that he earned for basketball this year is his first. He might have had more "Bs" than this, but in the past his abilities in athletics have been confined to the teams of the Belleville Royals, an athletic club of which he is a member.

Other Sport Topics.

Coach Smith had indoor practice last Monday for pitchers and catchers in the high school gym. Pitching looks like the weakest department for this year's team. The indoor track team is still winning honors for itself. This time it was Charles "Buddy" Holweg, who came through with winning colors. He won second place in his division of the 880-yard run at the Manual Training track meet in New York. I hear the Cobra Athletic Club is having a card party March 26.

What some courses have to say about the general purposes of industrial arts:

(To be continued)

School Banking

March 15, 1938.

Room	Teacher	Pc.
105	Brewster Jones	100.0
110	Elizabeth Kelleher	100.0
115	Ethel Jennings	100.0
203	Mrs. Penelope Allen	100.0
303	Elinor Rush	100.0
308	Alma Gray	100.0
309	Gregoria Condon	95.3
109	Ole Nelson	91.7
Cafe	John Charlton	70.6
202	Ethel Knox	70.3
211	Paul Brennan	67.6
209	Samuel Blair	64.9
311	David Fulcomer	59.3
302	Elsie Sandford	59.0
7	Esther Kietzman	56.7
112	Olithia Thorne	55.2
6	Hershel Saunders	50.0
8	John Hefferman	46.2
307	Walter Hack	42.5
111	Norman Cotter	40.7
104	Anna Underwood	39.5
102	Regina Brennan	38.1
116	Elinor Allison	38.1
310	Arthur Schultz	37.5
304	John Taggart	37.2
114	Evan Richardson	37.0
10	John Dufford	35.7
Lib.	Paul Jones	35.0
204	Helen Holberg	34.2
Cafe	Herbert Bitterman	33.3
107	Blanche McDonald	32.4
210	Linnea Andree	32.4
9	Horace Sheppard	32.3
113	Frank Spotts	30.0
117	P. Webster Diehl	30.0
103	Myrtle Allen	29.0
108	Mrs. Anne Snedeker	29.0
Cafe	Thelma Weidman	28.2
205	Mary Dye	23.7
206	Murray Wilcox	23.3
206	George Reinke	19.5
Lib.	Lucy Wishart	12.5
Average for school, 52.1 per cent.		

In College Club

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Mar. 18.—Betty Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gibson, 57 Fairway avenue, Belleville, N. J., has been admitted to the Wilson College German Club, Miss Elsie Pokrantz, head of the German department, announced today.

Miss Gibson was one of two girls elected to the group, which restricts its membership to students with high grades in German courses. At its meetings this year the club is studying modern German.

Miss Gibson is a freshman at Wilson. She prepared for college at Belleville High School.

READ THE NEWS

THE OUTDOOR WORLD

By Bob Bangert

FREE—A full season of music and friendliness by our musical feathered friends. Let's all get together this year and form a drive to make them comfortable. Some night when you can't find anything to do, just go down the cellar and make a small bird house. It doesn't have to be an elaborate apartment house, just a few boards put together to keep out the rain will satisfy them. Even a tin can with a hole drilled in it will do for them. Don't let them down this year. Let them have a place to breed this year without the cat's getting a mouthful.

Well, it looks like Spring is just around the corner. Soon all the trees will be turning green, when the temperature starts to rise. You know folks, there are some back yards

in this town that would look like a million bucks if a little time was taken to plant a few seeds, and start a garden. Maybe some of you older men don't realize the fun there is in creating something. Planting the seeds, watching them sprout up out of the ground, and later having a harvest of beautiful flowers in your own back yard. Let's put this down in our book and start soon.

With the Spring will come the garter snakes. See, as soon as I mention the word snake you all make a face. Why I don't know. You should be happy, because if it weren't for these little fellows eating the insects and parasites in our gardens, we would have a lot of work ahead of us. Besides, they are more afraid of you than you think.

Stamp Column

By Roderick MacDonald

Victory Stamp.

Driven back at every point from France and Belgium, and practically deserted by her allies, Germany realized that the game was up. After a brief exchange of notes with the Central Powers, the Allied War Council at Versailles arranged the terms for an armistice. On November 3, the Austro-Hungarian government signed the terms, and at 5 A. M. on November 11, 1918, in the Forest of l'Aigle, near Rethondes, two days after the Kaiser had abdicated and fled to Holland, there took place the signing of the treaty which was a simple and business-like affair. The two German plenipotentiaries were admitted in silence, without recognition or rising. They signed the historic document first, followed by President Wilson for the United States, since the French name (Etats Unis d'Amerique) came first alphabetically. Hostilities ceased at 11 A. M. on November 11, 1918. Besides the withdrawal of the German armies from the left bank of the Rhine, etc., the Germans were to surrender all their submarines, fifty destroyers, airplanes, locomotives, freight cars and motor trucks; to repatriate all prisoners and exiles; to make reparation for the damage done by their invading armies, and to pay for the upkeep of the Allied armies of occupation.

A Victory postage stamp of three-cent denomination was issued March 3, 1919, to commemorate the successful outcome of the World War. The stamp is arranged horizontally, and is printed in purple. The design presents a standing figure of Liberty Victorious, back of the figure appears the American flag; at the left are draped the British and Belgian flags, and at the right the Italian and French flags. The figure of Liberty is helmeted, the upper part of the body is encased in scale armor, and a flowing skirt falls to the feet. The right hand grasps a sword, the left arm is partially extended, and the hand holds a balance scale representing justice. This stamp was first placed on sale March 3, 1919, at Washington, D. C.

The writer of this column will greatly appreciate any comments from readers.

Battery Men Galore On H. S. Roster

Twelve Pitchers and Eight

Catchers Report to

Coach Smith

By Victor Tesone.

A baseball meeting was called to order by Frank B. Smith, coach, Monday. Mr. Smith was very well pleased with the results. Twelve pitchers and eight catchers were present.

Returning veterans are Bill Farmer, Vincent Riccio, Eddie Banta, Vincent Sorrentino, catcher.

The rest of the candidates will be called out as soon as weather permits. Returning veterans are Mitchell Mosier, Jerry Lepre, Bill Farmer, Vincent Riccio, Eddie Banta, Vincent Sorrentino, Albert Zuzzo, Chet Kuchinski, Adolph Paul, Joe Sullivan, Tony Fancone, Jim Craven and Bob Jackson.

All home games will be played at Clearman Field.

WHAT DO YOU LIKE TO DO?

We'll bet a plugged nickel that you have some story tucked away that your teacher thought was pretty good, but never was printed. Or, perhaps you take to writing verse. We like both serious and humorous poems. Bring whatever you have to one of the editors and when you pick up a News the next Friday you may see your masterpiece on the high school page!

What do most boys do in study period the day before a test? They draw airplanes! And the girls are drawing pretty faces! Well, why not share these pictures with others? We could use a few.

If you don't take to any of these arts, at least you have opinions. Every one does! Put these in the form of a letter and we'll print them (provided, of course, they are interesting to the majority of the students).

Come on! Turn in something, and see what a kick you get out of seeing it in print!

RICHARD STIMSON, Managing Editor.

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Areme Chapter, O. E. S.
Meets in Masonic Temple, Joralemon street, second and fourth Monday of each month.

American Legion
Belleville Post No. 105
Meets first and third Mondays of each month at the Legion Chateau, 170 Washington avenue.

Belnew Sisterhood, Dames of Malta
Meets first and third Thursdays of each month in Odd Fellows' Hall, 121 Broadway, Newark.

Belleville Assembly No. 3
Order of Rainbow for Girls
Meets first and third Tuesday of each month at Masonic Temple, Joralemon street.

B. P. O. Elks
Belleville Lodge No. 1123
Meets on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at the Elks Home.

Belleville Lodge No. 108
F. & A. M.
Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in Masonic Temple.

Belleville Craftsmen's Club, No. 409
Meets first Wednesday night of the month at Masonic Temple.

Belleville Council No. 215.
Sons and Daughters of Liberty
Meets first and third Mondays in the Elks' Home.

Belleville Council No. 163
Jr. O. U. A. M.
Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Belleville Chapter, O. E. S.
Meets first and third Thursdays of each month at Masonic Temple, Joralemon street.

Belwood Park Improvement Association.
Meets second Thursday of every month at 8:30 P. M., Recreation House, Garden avenue and Joralemon street.

Court Sancta Maria, C. O. of A.
Meets second and fourth Tuesday of each month at St. Peter's Hall.

Everyman's Bible Class
of Belleville
Meets at the Masonic Temple, Joralemon street, near Washington avenue, every Sunday at 9:30 A. M. (interdenominational).

Joseph King Association
Meets the second Saturday of each month at its headquarters, 414 Washington avenue.

Lions Club
Meets Thursday noon at Forest Hill Field Club.

Private George A. Younginger Post No. 275, Veterans Foreign Wars
Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month at Veterans' Hall, Belleville avenue and Stephens street.

St. Peter's Social Society
Meets every Thursday night in the Church Hall.

Hill-Top Improvement Association
Meets at Recreation House first and third Thursdays, 8:15 P. M.

Congregation A. A. A.
Meets every first Thursday at Synagogue.

General Sedgewick Circle
Ladies of the G. A. R.
Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens street.

Young Republicans of Belleville, Inc.
Meets on the third Wednesday of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Hall, 241 Stephens street.

Ladies' Auxiliary of Congregation A. A. A.
Meets every other Tuesday at Synagogue.

Progress Club
Meets every other Monday at synagogue.

Colored Women's Welfare Council
Meets every Tuesday at 47 Belleville avenue. President, Mrs. A. Woodson; secretary, Mrs. G. Peterson.

Belleville Camp 196
Patriotic Order Sons of America
Meets second and fourth Fridays of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Ass'n
Meets first and third Mondays in St. Peter's hall.

Ladies' Auxiliary
Younginger Post, V. F. W.
Meets second and fourth Wednesdays at Veterans' Hall, Belleville avenue and Stephens street.

Star of Belleville, Circle No. 595
Companions of the Forest of America
Meets second Wednesday of each month at Knights of Columbus Home, 43 Rossmore place.

Knights of Columbus
Meets first and third Monday at

WHEN THEY MEET

St. Peter's hall.
Clan Stewart, No. 273
Order of Scottish Clans
Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month at Elks' Club.

Good American Council No. 102
Daughters of America
Meets first, third and fourth Mondays of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Good Will Council
Loyal Ladies of Royal Arcanum
Meets first and third Monday at R. A. Home, 137 Broadway, Newark.

Belleville Chess Club
Meets every Monday at Recreation House, Joralemon street and Garden avenue, at 8 P. M.

Belleville Rotary Club
Meets Wednesday noon at Forest Hill Golf Club, Belleville avenue, Belleville-Bloomfield line.

Harmony Lodge 25, I. O. O. F.
Meets first and third Mondays of each month in the Masonic Temple in Joralemon street. Officers are: Noble grand, R. A. VanEssestine; vice grand, W. E. VanEssestine; recording secretary, Halley Hickok; financial secretary, Chester Chinnock; and treasurer, Howard Holmes.

Ladies' Auxiliary of A. O. H.
Meets at St. Peter's on the last Monday of each month.

The Regular Republican Organization
Meets the second Friday night of each month at the Elks' Home.

Belleville Post 105
American Legion Auxiliary
Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Legion Chateau, 170 Washington avenue.

Polyphonic Music Club
Meets last Monday of each month at the Stratton studio, 325 Union avenue.

Holyrood Lodge, Daughters of Scotia
Meets second and fourth Thursdays, Legion Chateau, Washington avenue.

North Star Chapter
Order of Eastern Star
Meets first and third Tuesdays in Odd Fellows Hall, Newark.

Valley Improvement Association
Meets twice each month on the second and fourth Thursday. Meetings start at 8 P. M. at the Essex House, Stephens street. Ora A. Current, secretary.

Michael A. Flynn Chapter
No. 27, Disabled American Veterans of the World War
Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Veterans' Hall, Belleville avenue and Stephens street.

N. J. Division, A. W. W. P. A.
Meets third Friday of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Fire Callmen's Association
Meets second Monday of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home at Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Women of the Mooseheart Legion
Belleville Chapter No. 516
Meets first Thursday of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Royal Court 41
Order of the Amaranth
Meets the second Thursday of each month at the Masonic Temple.

Fred A. Hartley Association
Meets third Thursday of each month at the Exempt Firemen's Home, Joralemon and Stephens streets.

Woman's Club
51 Rossmore Place
Meets at the club house the second and fourth Mondays of each month. 2nd parties at the club house the first and third Mondays of each month.

Belleville Woman's Republican Club
Meets the second Thursday of each month at the Woman's Club house, 51 Rossmore place.

Younginger Naval Patrol
Meets every Friday at 7:30 P. M. at Veterans' Hall, Belleville avenue and Stephens street.

Suburban Chapter
Order of De Molay for Boys
and Mothers Circle meet the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Masonic Temple.

Belleville Political and Social Club
Meets first and third Tuesday of each month at its clubhouse, 276 Belleville avenue.

The South End Improvement Association. Meets the second Wednesday of each month at 248 Mill street.

American-Polish Democratic Club
meets second Thursday at 200 Mill street.

Testimony Given In Bus Strike

Warning Issued in Jersey City, it Was Stated

The National Labor Relations Board Monday heard testimony in a hearing on complaints against Garden State Bus Lines by the NLRB, concerning treatment of drivers.

The company operates one line from Clifton through Passaic, Nutley, Belleville and Kearny to Jersey City. The strike occurred on this line in November, 1936. The company also operates a Ridgewood-New York line.

A Jersey City official told striking bus drivers to form a company union and warned them the city would not allow a national union to organize them, one of the drivers testified Monday morning before Special Examiner Henry J. Kent of the NLRB.

Stanley Smith of 94 Union avenue, Nutley, a driver, said the strike was broken by threats that Bernard L. Johnson, bus supervisor of Jersey City, would revoke the drivers' hack licenses. Johnson was the official who told the strikers to form a company union, the witness testified.

Chester Sitgreaves of Nutley, another bus driver, testified that at a conference Johnson said:

"I am a mouthpiece for Mayor Hague. Mayor Hague doesn't like national labor unions because of something that has happened here in the past."

Smith was the first witness. Under examination by Will Maslow of New York, counsel for the NLRB, he said the strike was called five days after he and others joined the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. He said twenty-seven of twenty-nine drivers on the Passaic line struck but the strike lasted only three days.

He said on the third day a Mr. Lupton, an insurance broker, went to a union meeting and told the men, "You are crazy to strike. Jersey City won't let Kreuger (Joseph Kreuger, president of the company) sign a contract with your union."

Smith said Lupton told them if they did not settle, Jersey City would revoke their hack licenses. He said Kreuger, whom a committee called on that night, also said Johnson would suspend their licenses unless they settled by 9 P. M.

Smith said the men finally agreed to go back and then Kreuger pointed out it was after 9 o'clock and said their licenses had been revoked. He said they would have to see Johnson, Smith testified, and a committee called on the supervisor, who gave them the directions to form a company union.

Smith said shortly afterward instructions on how to resign from the Brotherhood were posted in the garage, along with a form letter of resignation.

Union Formed.
Smith testified that, after the 1936 strike was settled, a company union was formed, but he said when it submitted a contract to the company the company refused to consider it.

He said in April, 1937, the men went back to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. After they did so, Smith said, Kreuger told them their action would have to be "agreeable to Jersey City."

Smith on cross examination by Bernard Sperba of the company's counsel admitted no strike vote had been taken before the 1936 strike, saying he had been told the strike was on.

He also admitted one of the contentions of the drivers was that they should not have to clean their own buses and that Kreuger granted this after they went back to work.

Sperba moved to strike out all Smith's testimony referring to Johnson, claiming it was irrelevant. Kent ruled he would not bar it, since he assumed Johnson would be linked more closely to the issues in the case. He said if this were not done he would consider a motion to strike out the Johnson references.

Counsel for the company, Zazarino & Sperba of New York, tried today to have the examiner separate the complaints involving the Passaic line from those concerning the Ridgewood line. Counsel contended the NLRB does not have jurisdiction in the Passaic line complaints because it is an intra-state line. Kent refused to separate the cases, although he indicated he might do so later if sufficient grounds were submitted.

Among the specific complaints against the bus company it is alleged the company refused to bargain with the drivers, threatened to discharge men for union activity and did discharge two men for this reason.

READ "THE NEWS"

Elation!

Joseph Wiener, 17, 5 Davidson street, saw red when his bicycle was stolen Friday night from in front of Veterans' Hall.

He reported the theft to the police at 8 A. M., Saturday morning, and at 8:45, Mrs. Frederick Woodward, 131 Main street, discovered the bicycle in her driveway and Joseph turned pink with satisfaction when the bicycle was returned to him.

D. of A. Notes

Good American Council, Daughters of America, will celebrate its fourteenth anniversary Monday night at lodge rooms, 243 Stephen street.

Plans will be made for the initiation of candidates and a budget radio party to be held March 28.

The council will take an active part in the Daughters of America rally Tuesday night when the national councilor will be guest of the Essex County unit.

Candidacy Announced

Frank A. Palmieri recently announced his candidacy for Representative of the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey. Mr. Palmieri, who is thirty-three years of age, was born in, and has been a life-long resident of Bloomfield. He is running as a labor candidate, being a member of the Metal Lathers Local 102, Essex Trades Council.

He has been very active in civic, social and political affairs, and is known in industrial circles, being president of Palmieri Brothers, Inc., an engineering and contracting firm. He is also secretary of the Metal Lathing Contracting Association of New Jersey.

Voiture Meeting

Essex County Voiture 127, La Societe des 40 Hommes at 8 Chevaux, will hold a promenade tonight at 463 Central avenue, East Orange. Voyagers from East Orange have challenged other voyagers to a baseball game. Harold Weber of Maplewood, will be chairman of entertainment. Grover C. Ashby, Montclair, is chef de gare.

Grasshopper Club

Retiring president, Harry Leish of the Grasshopper Club, turned over the gavel, books and paraphernalia of that office to the new president, Edward Petzel, last night at the corned beef and cabbage supper in Bergen's tavern.

Mr. Leish has been the incumbent for the past ten years.

Addresses Accountants

George Hedden of the Prudential Insurance Company addressed the I. A. S. Forum, an organization of accountants, last night at the Essex House in Newark.

"Machine Accounting" was the subject of the address given by Mr. Hedden, who resides at 117 Hornblower avenue, Belleville.

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THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS — 1934 Packard 1100 Model Sedan, \$465; 1934 Hudson Sedan, \$245

Officers Named by Rainie Committee Candidate Denies Rumor He Will Drop Out Of Race

Temporary officers were elected last night at a meeting of the John M. Rainie Campaign Committee as follows: Chairman, Clifford W. Young; vice chairman, Fred G. Fredricks; secretary, Raymond A. Adams and treasurer, Wallace Shaw. The meeting was held in the Rainie home, 103 Tappan avenue.

Mr. Rainie addressed the committee, emphasizing his experience. He also stressed the fact that he is running independently, although friendly with all the present commissioners.

He emphatically denied a report that he might withdraw from the race.

Committees were named for house-to-house canvas and publicity, the chairman of the latter being Robert G. Southerin.

Budget

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The State Soldiers' Bonus tax is \$7,181.60, against \$5,537.54 last year and \$5,213.64 in 1936. County tax anticipated amounts to \$173,000, with last year's figure actually \$151,698.65 and 1936, \$144,568.24. Local school district tax this year is \$484,551.19, against \$447,580.42 last year and \$690,177.02 in 1936, and local purpose tax is \$609,267.21, against \$445,009.00, 1937, and \$205,966.60, 1936. The total of figures in this paragraph amount to \$1,361,000, against \$1,129,454.50, 1937, and \$1,130,576.57, 1936. Relief funds in 1937 totaled \$71,841.75 and 1936, \$48,573. 1936. No figure was given for this year.

In order to arrive at the balance of \$2,013,200 there is added to the \$1,361,000 figure, anticipated revenues, \$492,000, 1938; compared with \$887,964.35, 1937, and \$801,857.07, 1936; dedicated revenues, water utility, 1938, \$136,200; 1937, \$140,000; 1936, \$134,797.41, and dedicated revenues, assessments, \$24,000, this year.

A detailed budget—item for item—appears elsewhere in this paper.

Would Pay Debt.

Arthur E. Chiappari, secretary of the Belleville Taxpayers' and Civic Association and president of the Italian-American Association, questioned advisability of putting off payment of the debt.

Mayor Williams replied that the state had granted the permission only because Belleville is in a top-notch financial position. He said his observation has been that the law of diminishing returns begins to function when the tax rate hits the \$5 mark.

"If the \$130,000 were included in this year's budget," Williams said, "the rate would jump another fifty-eight points and next year our tax collections would be away off, with the result that the 1939 tax rate would necessarily show another huge increase."

Mr. Chiappari also questioned advisability of appropriating \$2,500 for municipal advertising, which item last year was placed in the budget at \$5,000.

As regards the budget, the Mayor asked Mr. Chiappari what he "would suggest."

"I have no suggestions, I am seeking information as to whether the lengthening of bond payments was effected to reduce the tax rate."

Mayor Williams declared that by spreading the payments over a longer period the rate was reduced and the cost to the town about one-third of one point in the tax rate.

"If, by spending a few cents, I can have my tax bill cut many dollars, I am satisfied," said the Mayor. "And, in these trying times I think the average taxpayer feels the same."

"In view of the predicted raise in rate," asked Mr. Chiappari, "is the inclusion of \$2,500 in the budget, as against \$5,000 last year justifiable?" It seems to me that industry will be scared away."

Enhanced Prestige.

"I believe advertising has enhanced the prestige of Belleville," stated the Mayor. "Belleville is still going places. The town of Belleville owns \$800,000 worth of property—out of ratables—must we not tell some one we have that property for sale? Are we going to sit by the side of the road? I'm for maintaining the advertising at a reasonable figure."

At this point the Mayor was given a round of applause, adding that "General Motors wouldn't cease advertising if the price of its automobiles were increased, would it?"

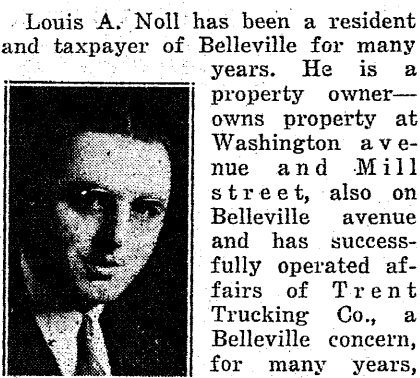
"The realigning of bond maturities," the Mayor continued, "will bring tax relief not alone in this year, but for the next three years. The best financial minds in the state are agreed that a \$5 or \$5.50 tax rate would bring into play the law of diminishing returns in regard to collections, so actually more money will be received at a lower rate."

Mayor Williams said that state laws were not kind to the municipalities, citing Chapter 60 of the budget act and the law which forces towns to pay 100 per cent of the state and county taxes, although only sixty or seventy per cent may be collected.

He pleaded for prompt payment of taxes, as by the operation of Chapter 60, which provides an overlay for the previous year's delinquencies, those who pay are penalized for those who fail to pay.

ACTIVITIES ALONG THE POLITICAL SECTOR

Louis A. Noll



Louis A. Noll has been a resident and taxpayer of Belleville for many years. He is a property owner—owns property at Washington avenue and Mill street, also on Belleville avenue and has successfully operated affairs of Trent Trucking Co., a Belleville concern, for many years, employing Belleville men. He is civic minded, being vice president, Belleville Lions Club; chairman, executive committee, South End Improvement Association, responsible for Mill street parkway; member, B. P. O. E. 1123; Belwood Park Improvement Association; Belleville Political Club; Parrillo Association and organizer, Good Government League.

William F. Entreklin

(A Biography by a Friend.)

Age 46—married—two children. Resident of Belleville for over sixteen years. Educated in public schools—Bellefonte Academy—Penn State College. Past experience—illuminating Engineer—Factory Production Supervisor—Sales Executive—Technical Advisor. Present occupation Insurance Executive.

One of organizers and campaign manager—Belleville Community Chest. Helped organize Civic League—originated and managed Belleville's First Community Fourth of July celebration.



William F. Entreklin

Designed and wrote the specifications for the first coordinated Traffic Signal System in New Jersey (Washington Ave.), freeing sixteen policemen for other duties. Designed and wrote specifications for Belleville Police Telephone and Telegraph Recall system. Re-coded Town and introduced non-interfering type fire alarm boxes and Repeater system. Built independent fire alarm power supply and organized Signal Division. Motorized—revamped and rebuilt Police Department equipment. Rehabilitated and modernized Fire Fighting equipment. Instituted protection method for local industries.

Michael A. Flynn

Twenty-nine years and six months without a complaint from a resident of this town against him is the record Michael A. Flynn made as chief of police of Belleville. He was born in Bridge street, Belleville, when there were no numbers on the houses. He attended St. Peter's Parochial School, leaving there when thirteen years old. His first job was winding bobbins in the DeWitt Wire Cloth Company. For seventeen years he was employed in the Heller Brothers Steel Mill, Newark, as a roller, when a man had to be a man to hold down a job of that type. The chief was a famous baseball player with the old Woodstocks.

In 1906, after a strike at the Heller Brothers plant, he went to the Belleville Copper Rolling Mill for only a few months.

In November of that year he was appointed a constable here with Sergeant Charles Pearl. Three months later, January, 1907, the Belleville police force was organized with Chief Flynn, Sergeant Pearl, William Swinn and Joseph Hannon. The last two now are dead.

Chief Flynn's biggest case was the breaking up of the arson ring, in Silver Lake section, when eleven convictions were obtained, but only five served sentences.

He retired as police chief July 26, 1936.

Double tragedy visited his home in 1918 when word came that his son, Michael, was killed in France and at the same time his daughter, Theresa, died at his home, 24 Van Rensselaer street.

He has besides his wife, who was Miss Mary Conroy, two sons, John J., a patrolman on the police force, and Joseph, a lithographer, at Sweeney Lithograph Company, and two daughters, Mrs. Everett Sooy, 21 Howard place, and Margaret, who lives at his home.

Other items questioned were one of \$4,700 for automobile insurance and the inclusion of \$2,450 as anticipated revenue from building permits.

Other speakers were Edwin R. Ackerman and M. C. Graham, president and treasurer, respectively, of the taxpayers' association, and Joseph R. Kilpatrick and Joseph Donlon.

BIOGRAPHIES OF CANDIDATES

ANENT BIOGRAPHIES

The Belleville News offers weekly this page for candidates to set forth biographies. Each candidate may write his own biography and it will appear from now until election on this page. This is in keeping with the policy of this newspaper to maintain its independent attitude and to show a fairness to candidates and taxpayers, alike, who are interested in municipal election on May 10. This newspaper takes no part in preparation of the biographies and leaves it to the candidates to set forth as fully as they desire, within reasonable limits, what they have accomplished. We believe that such biographies, if properly prepared, will afford Belleville voters a better opportunity to study the qualifications of each one who seeks public office. It is our aim to see, that as far as this newspaper is concerned, Belleville's municipal campaign is conducted on a high level. We are pleased to offer this service for the good of the town.

Elmer S. Hyde

Elmer S. Hyde, 275 Little street, is a highly successful broker with offices at 87 Maiden lane, New York City. He specializes in surety bonds. He is president of Elmer S. Hyde, Inc., which firm he organized and developed to the largest of its kind in the United States. He is also president of the Beverly Corporation, and is a member of the finance board of the New Jersey Baptist Convention.



Born in New York City, February 6, 1897, Mr. Hyde attended public schools there and reached the top of the ladder the hard way, starting in business at thirteen for the Illinois Surety Company at \$2 per week. When he was fifteen he was soliciting business for the same company and continued in that line until the time of the World War, when he enlisted in the 417th Telegraph Battalion, which immediately found its way to France, where Mr. Hyde was engaged in much of the severe fighting. After the Armistice he went into Germany with the Army of Occupation, returning to America in May, 1919.

At that time he continued in business where he left off and in 1921 married Miss Jessie Barber of New York. The couple moved immediately to Belleville and took up residence in Little street, where they purchased the home which they now occupy. Subsequently Mr. Hyde purchased other property in Belleville.

The same year he started his own business, which was successful from the beginning. From that year until the present not only has Mr. Hyde been active civically, but his wife also has played a part in Belleville's civic growth.

Mrs. Hyde is vice-president of the Woman's Club and has been interested with her husband in many charitable projects in Belleville and elsewhere in the state, as well as church activities. Mrs. Hyde is president of the Newark Home for the Aged. Mr. Hyde is president of the board of trustees of Grace Baptist Church and has played a very important part in its financial affairs.

Mr. Hyde is a member of Belleville Post, American Legion; Newark Athletic Club and fraternal organizations. He is a member and one of the organizers of the Community Service Bureau and president of the Men's Club of Grace Baptist Church.

The Hydys have seven lovely children, Helen, Judith, Margo, Audrey, James Irwin, Arthur and Beth.

Figurelli.

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A. P. Chiappari, president, who is secretary of the Belleville Taxpayers' and Civic Association, introduced Mr. Figurelli.

Figurelli said he was running independently and "held no animosity for any one."

He explained he can be responsible only for his own statements in the campaign and considers himself a candidate of "all the people" promising only "good, efficient and honest government" if elected.

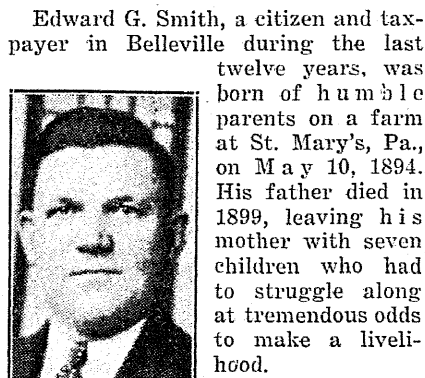
Other speakers were Nicholas Colaninno, Gerardo D'Allesio, Charles Tedesco, Sr. and Angelo Domenick.

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READ THE NEWS

Edward G. Smith



Edward G. Smith, a citizen and taxpayer in Belleville during the last twelve years, was born of humble parents on a farm at St. Mary's, Pa., on May 10, 1894. His father died in 1899, leaving his mother with seven children who had to struggle along at tremendous odds to make a livelihood.

Edward, who was a precocious child, was the only one in the family to graduate from high school. Being conscientious, energetic and insistent he finished high school with the unique distinction of neither being absent or tardy during four years, although he was forced to walk to and from school a distance of three miles, daily. Besides his studies he helped with his share of the daily chores, morning and evening.

Upon graduation he completed a special course at Penn State College. He taught school four years at the meager salary of \$40 per month. During vacation and off days, he was employed as clerk and carrier in the post office.

Then came the World War. Mr. Smith offered his services and enlisted in the U. S. Regular Army. His promotion was rapid. Within eleven months he was promoted from private to sergeant, first class. He successfully passed a rigid test for entrance to the Officers' Training Camp at Jacksonville, Fla. Had hostilities not ceased on that memorable day, November 11, 1918, Sergeant Smith, undoubtedly, would have been commissioned. His handling of men and conscientious efforts in saving government supplies gained for him the respect and confidence of every officer and enlisted man in the camp.

Mr. Smith has been conducting a successful restaurant business in Forest Hill section of Newark the last seventeen years and attributes his success to his diligent and tireless efforts and irresistible command of confidence and respect.

Mr. Smith lives with his family at 232 Ralph street. He is the proud father of three children, Edward, Jr., 14; Marilyn, two and one-half; and Richard, one. Mr. Smith will be forty-four on election day.

Patrick A. Waters

Seeking his fourth term on May 10, Patrick A. Waters stands out as a commissioner who has, at all times, held the welfare of Belleville and its citizens as the paramount issue in every controversy that has arisen during his incumbency.

Born sixty-two years ago on the same spot at which he now resides and from which he has never moved, his name and the name of his brother, John Waters, who served as Mayor for twelve years has, during that period, spelled progress to the Town of Belleville.

His mother and father settled here seventy years ago in 1868 and the family has since then kept an uninterrupted residence.

Commissioner Waters has served as Director of the Department of Public Works for the twelve years he has been in office and is justly proud of his accomplishments during that period. He points with pride to the pamphlet recently published by the New Jersey Chamber of Commerce showing the per capita cost for the operation of his department as the second lowest in the State of New Jersey. This cost of \$1.61 per person is a decided contrast to a neighboring municipality with a cost for similar functions of \$3.05.

The commissioner has the enviable record of being employed by the E. A. Wood-Neally Corporation of Belleville for the past forty-five years and is now superintendent of the weaving division of this plant.

His charitable works are known from one end of the town to the other and many a desperate family have been sent back on the road to happiness by the aid which he has always so freely given.

Living in Belleville all his life, working in Belleville all his working life, and, serving Belleville conscientiously all his political life, he can be justly termed as a real Bellevillite in every sense of the word.

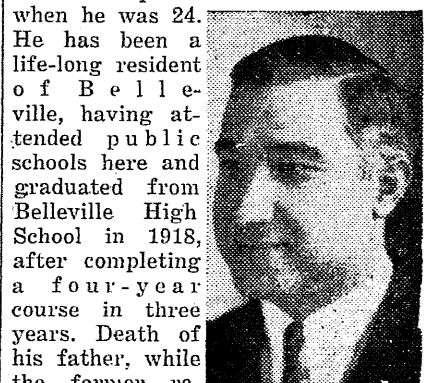
Headquarters Opened by Former Police Chief Flynn

Candidate for commissioner former Police Chief Michael J. Flynn, has opened his headquarters at 510 Washington avenue.

Chief Flynn bases his appeal to the voters of this town on his record as police chief.

Samuel Figurelli

Samuel Figurelli, who served for a full term as recorder, was appointed to that post when he was 24.



He has been a life-long resident of Belleville, having attended public schools here and graduated from Belleville High School in 1918, after completing a four-year course in three years. Death of his father, while the former recorder was in his junior year of high school, placed the burden of supporting his mother on Samuel's shoulders, during the World War, when his only brother was in service of Uncle Sam.

Mr. Figurelli, from the time he was a youngster, wanted to be a lawyer. He says he wanted to "champion the cause of the underprivileged and neglected," because his own life had been such a difficult one. During his high school career he worked from 6 o'clock in the morning until 8, when he would dash off to school. Without any study periods in his last two years of high school, he always knew his lessons by sitting up studying, sometimes as late as 4 o'clock in the morning. After school and until 9 o'clock at night, Mr. Figurelli also worked. After graduation he attended New Jersey Law School, from which he was graduated as an attorney, later becoming a master in chancery and counselor-at-law, thereby qualifying to practice before all the courts of the state. During his law school days he also worked diligently, and walked many miles, through lack of transportation facilities to and from his place of study. Perseverance won for him and he passed his bar exams the first time, as he was later to do as a master in chancery.

Back in high school days Mr. Figurelli was called "dependable Sam" by his teachers, because, despite his handicaps, he always had his lessons completed on time. He was a member of the high school debating team and won in prize declamation contests. After graduation he became president of the Belleville High School Alumni Association. He was interested in the original Parent-Teacher movement in Belleville, almost twelve years ago, has been connected with all civic movements, interested in welfare matters and active in the Community Chest drives. He is a member of several civic and fraternal organizations, including the Belwood Park Improvement Association, in which section he lives.

Mr. Figurelli is thirty-eight. His wife's name is Marie and the couple have two children, Anthony, six, and Paul, four.

Hyde Workers Hold Various Meetings

General Committee Gains
Twenty-five More
Members

Group meetings in various homes were held this week for Elmer S. Hyde, candidate for the town commission. His campaign committee meets each night at headquarters, next to the Capitol Theatre.

The general committee of fifty was augmented this week by twenty-five additional leaders, who expressed a willingness to aid in Mr. Hyde's campaign.

King to Be Given Testimonial Dinner

Prominent Officials Have
Been Invited To Attend
'Affair at Parrillo's'

Congressman Fred A. Hartley, Jr., the local town commissioners have been invited to attend the testimonial dinner to Joseph King, director of Public Affairs, to be held Thursday



Congressman Hartley night at Parrillo's restaurant, Harrison street.

About 350 are expected to attend the affair, which is sponsored by the Joseph King Association, whose headquarters are at 414 Washington avenue.

The committee in charge is headed by John Drentlau and includes Walter Weiss, George Haslam, Nelson Chamberlain, Edward O'Connor, Eugene Berry, Anthony Di Lio, Halsey Douglas, John Hewitt and Christopher Cuttingham.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1938

Time is one's best friend, teaching best of all the wisdom of silence.—A. B. Alcott.

ADVERTISING PAYS

When Mayor William H. Williams called a meeting Monday night of taxpayers in Public School No. 8 to discuss the tentative town budget, a question was raised as to the advisability of spending for municipal advertising this year \$2,500, as against \$5,000 last year. One person said that with the predicted tax rate of 5.15, no outsiders would consider Belleville from either a home standpoint or industrial.

Which brings to mind that a few years back Mayor Williams said "Belleville should be sold back to its own citizens." Confidence, he pointed out, must be restored and taxpayers given the type of government of which they could be proud.

Gradually Belleville faced about from the direction in which it was going, advertising reached out to the county, which changed its opinion of Belleville—it spread to the Metropolitan area the following few months and, eventually, Belleville's reputation, whether you agree in idea or not, was broadcast in newspapers, the length and breadth of the land, some of it in newspaper editorial form, the cost of which editorial comment was exactly nothing to Belleville.

Does advertising pay? Well, it has paid most progressive businesses and towns before. Advertising pays merchants in their local paper, too. The best and only way to move articles from shelves is first to let the consumer know the articles are there. No one ever succeeded by his hiding talents under a bushel—no merchant ever prospered unless he advertised, and no town became bigger and better unless it "touted its own horn." Let's keep Belleville out front. It is easy to drop out of a race—to quit! The one who plugs to the end, tired sometimes, comes to the tape first. Belleville has hurdled its most difficult problems. It would be a shame to slip to the rear of the field now with victory in sight as the town sees the home-stretch looming before it. Let's go down the stretch with all we've got and watch Belleville cross the line first.

Maurine Hathaway once said:

A good thing to remember,
And a better thing to do,
Is—work with the construction gang,
Not with the wreckin' crew.

HELP THE GIRL SCOUTS

In an effort to raise funds for the Girl Scout Cabin in South Mountain Reservation, the Girl Scout Mothers' Club plans a party in Masonic Temple on Friday evening, April 8. It is hoped that all who are able will assist the mothers and girl scouts in this worthwhile endeavor. The girls, and those who support them, are precluded by virtue of participation in the Community Chest from soliciting funds to further their cabin plans and have taken, therefore, the party plan. It is the duty of each one of us to see that the party meets with success.

RUBBING OUT A PAPER STREET

The way is paved for the establishment of a playground of some sort at Public School No. 9, with the proposal to vacate Mansion place, a paper street in the valley. For many years children at No. 9 School have had no playground, unless one wants to call a litter strewn field a playground. Streets were utilized for games and, while traffic is not extra heavy in the particular section, little lives were endangered. It is hoped the playfield will be provided as soon as possible. Another feature of the proposed vacation of the street is that it will open up some more land for industry, off in the direction of Nutley and along the Passaic River.

JUST AROUND THE CORNER

Spring is just around the corner—in fact Monday will be March 21, the first day when winter will be over and we can start thinking about where to go for that summer vacation. A year ago we were exulting over a snowless winter. February lived up to its reputation. It was not a hard month, but it was a mean one. Now March is half gone, a month which ushered itself in none too hopefully, but which has not been half bad. We will be glad to bow it out two weeks hence to see if April showers will bring May flowers.

MEASLES ON THE INCREASE

In a little over two short months thus far this year the United States Health Department warns that in the country there have been 246,882 cases of measles and that this will be a "measles year." Locally to date there have been few cases, nothing to become alarmed over, however, significant of the fact that parents should not consider measles too lightly. The illness is particularly dangerous to children under the age of five. A doctor should be summoned at the first signs of measles. The notion that measles is just another disease to every child is misconceived. Once was the time children looked upon measles as something "to catch" to skip school. It is a serious problem, as all wise parents will recognize.

ERRONEOUS FIGURES

False impressions have been created by a published statement, erroneously showing that Belleville stood twenty-eighth in a group of thirty-one municipalities in its ability to meet its liabilities.

In other words, the report stated that this town was at the bottom, or nearly so, of the list of towns that could not liquidate its debts.

It is regrettable that this statement was published, Mayor William H. Williams says, as further analysis by the agency responsible showed that it was wrong and that Belleville stood eleventh in the list and was only separated from fifth place by a meager number of points.

Belleville's financial status has been bettered by leaps and bounds since 1931. At that time there was much talk of its insolvency and the taxpayers were expecting, momentarily, to hear that the town was bankrupt.

All that is changed now. Belleville's citizens can point with pride to its financial growth from the doldrum days of '31.

COMING EVENTS—



THIS WEEK

By "GUARDIAN"

Certainly the events of the past week make a joke out of International Law. Germany, by force of might, has annexed Austria to the Third Reich without giving the people of Austria a chance to say anything about it, and this on the theory that they are all Germans anyhow, so what Germany does about them is Germany's business and not the business of any other country. It is almost as though the State of New York, by force of might, annexed the Province of Ontario on the thin excuse that basically most of the inhabitants in each were members of the same race.

We do not object so much to what has been done as to the way it was done. If a majority of the folks who live in Austria want to be annexed to Germany, that is their business it seems to us, and they should be given all reasonable encouragement. But, if a majority of the people who live in Austria want to remain independent, then there should be enough decency in international relations to let them stay independent.

Maybe that reasoning is not sound—for had it prevailed in the 1860's, in this country, there would not have been a Civil War, but most certainly it was the doctrine that Woodrow Wilson fought for in his now famous shattered "Fourteen Points." It is reported that there is to be an election in Austria early in April. If Germany wants the good opinion of the world, then let that election be an honest, free, secret election with Germany committed to abide by the result, if the residents of Austria vote against annexation. Such a course would greatly increase the esteem that the world feels today for the land of Der Fuehrer.

We have mentioned previously our conviction that elected and appointed officials want to do a good job and want to serve the people they represent well and to the best of their ability. That point was clearly brought out by New Jersey State Treasurer Albright, in a talk this week in Belleville, during which he made a plea for the people of this state to give credit where credit is justly due and refrain from unjust criticism of public officials who were doing their utmost to fulfill the responsibilities that were theirs.

If we ever heard a man who talked with conviction, who was impressed with the necessity of his doing the best job he knows how to do, that man was Treasurer Albright. We echo his sentiments that as citizens we should be less prone to criticize and more prone to give a pat on the back to earnest, well intentioned officials—whether elected or appointed—who have done and are doing a good job.

Treasurer Albright pointed out that sixty-three per cent of the people pay no taxes and that, therefore, sixty-three per cent of the people are not tax conscious—and he did not hesitate to vigorously take a position that he knew was unpopular in advocating in this state the restoration of the Sales Tax, with a view to using the money so raised for unemployment relief.

We have always contended that a Sales Tax was the finest method of taxation and that our tax laws should be such that every one, no matter how meagre their income, should be required to pay some tax so that they would be tax conscious.

If, as Treasurer Albright says, sixty-three per cent of our people pay no direct taxes, how can we expect a majority of our people to be tax conscious? How can we expect a majority of our people to insist that public money be properly used, how can we expect them to insist upon a balanced budget and sane governmental economy? Put through a general Sales Tax everywhere and everybody will become tax conscious and then the present tax situation will be speedily remedied.

We are in receipt of the following letter from Belleville's own Assemblyman, Homer C. Zink: My dear "Guardian":

Thanks for your recent reference to me in your column. I have delayed writing, hoping to be able to give you some assurance that the session of the Legislature would be short and that the number of new laws would be few.

We seem to have gotten off on the wrong foot at Trenton this year, and I don't know when, if ever, we may expect to get back in step.

I can assure you that some members of the Legislature are doing all in their power to develop a constructive program. At the moment, however, the outlook is about as discouraging as I have ever seen it. Thanking you again for your kind words, and appreciating your support, I am

Very truly yours,
Homer C. Zink.

Thank you very much. If the Assembly and Senate of the State of New Jersey were filled with men of your vision, it would be wonderful. Yours 'til next week,
"GUARDIAN."

SPRING CLEANING FOR FURNACES IMPORTANT

"Now is the time to use your good common sense to avoid burning your home. Run your furnace so it will keep you warm, but not burn you up."

This is the warning given by a fire prevention engineer, who says that the way you operate your heating plant at the end of winter, after months of hard use, may decide whether you will have your house a week from now—or a blackened ruin instead.

As the National Board of Fire Underwriters points out, "Cold weather brings an increase of fires every year. Homes are burned, people are maimed for life and others die in agony as the fire losses mount higher.

"Don't force your furnace or stove. If you can't get enough warmth, call in a heating expert. Also call him if you find any broken parts or other defects such as holes in the smoke-pipe, or a dirty or defective chimney."

You know what would happen to your car if you neglected to have it properly lubricated, and necessary repairs made. Your furnace is in the same category. It can't operate efficiently and safely without periodic expert attention and cleaning.

The use of common sense will save lives and property from destruction by fire now.

New Jersey Today

Trends in Industrial Location.

Prepared for the Belleville News by Russell Van Nest Black, consultant-director, New Jersey State Planning Board.

In its studies of industrial trends, the National Resources Committee finds that certain recent shifts in location have served to change significantly the national urban pattern. The movement westward with the frontier has been retarded since 1890, but movement of industry still continues today for various reasons.

Some industries, such as cotton textile, have moved from New England to the South Atlantic states during the post-war period. From 1919 to 1929, the number of cotton textile plants in the four major textile states of New England decreased from 324 to 241, while the number in the South Atlantic textile states increased 646 to 730. At the same time, the average size of the New England plant also decreased, while that of the Southern plant increased. In 1899, over half the wage earners worked in the New England and the Middle Atlantic states. By 1933, this had declined to forty per cent, but the intensity of this trend, too, has diminished in the most recent period.

In general, there seems to be a tendency for industries to be less tied to the region in which they originally located. The concentration of industry in given regions is becoming somewhat less marked. In 1900, three states did over a half of the slaughtering and meat-packing in the United States. In 1933, it took six of the leading meat-packing states to account for half of the business.

Certain types of industry have moved from the centers of the cities to peripheral areas, while industries with large capital investments in huge and complex plants and requiring concentrated pools of labor have shown less tendency to follow. This is particularly true of the larger cities. But there is no evidence of a marked dispersion of industry from the cities into the country. In 1933, slightly more than one-third of the nation's wage jobs were located in the principal cities of the thirty-three "industrial areas," and about twenty per cent in their industrial peripheries, while only twenty-five per cent of all the wage jobs were in the non-industrial, non-urban areas. In general, then, it may be said that the number of industries that are changing their location is decreasing, although the movement from the urban centers to the metropolitan peripheries remains significant.

This happens to be the case in New Jersey. According to trend studies made by the State Planning Board, from 1918 to 1934 there has been a decided trend toward the concentration of manufacturing plants and employees in the most highly industrialized regions of the state. In most industrial groups, the concentration achieved by 1918 merely continued through 1934 without abatement. The rural areas of the state during this period made no net gains.

BUTTERCUPS.

Bright yellow buttercups smiling in the sun,
Little children gather them one by one,
Carry them home and tend them with care,
So that all who see them their beauty may share.
—Lillian Sylvia Price, Belleville.

PIQUANT POLITICS

By MEADOR WRIGHT

THE immediate present in New Jersey politics is strikingly dominated by the status quo. None of the several antagonistic groups has—or so it appears—sufficient strength to assume the political offensive. The Clean Government wing of the Republican party bravely launched its Hudson investigation at the beginning of the year. But so far very little has been accomplished. The poll books are still in Registration Commissioner Stoebing's vault, and Stoebing is still sick and a commissioner. Hague remains in Florida and Arthur T. Vanderbilt continues to commute about America by airplane. But seldom does a stalemate in political warfare last very long. Every election is a major battle, and in America the frequency of elections is fixed. The periods between elections serve the same purpose as the intervals between military offensives. Politicians take stock of their strength just as do field commanders. They note also the temper of the voters, and shift their own tactics to conform to this ever changing composite mind of the public.

Uncertainty as to what this mass mind is thinking tends to limit action. Politicians do not move until they feel sure of public reactions. Very often they make mistakes, but such mistakes are more likely to result from misjudgment than from a lack of proper caution.

But the present inaction, in my judgment, is merely the calm before the storm. Great political happenings are on the New Jersey threshold. The two-party tradition is strong in American politics, but a third-party movement in New Jersey appears to me as distinctly probable. I base this conclusion on two basic premises. The first is that the Democratic party here is definitely on the decline. The second, that a united front by the Republican party is impossible.

The hostility between the Hoffman wing of the G. O. P. and Clean Government has become stronger even than that between Clean Government and Hague, which Heaven knows is strong enough. So long as open warfare between the factions meant certain domination by the Democrats such a war was not likely to be declared. But with Democratic prestige lowered, an independent Republican movement might conceivably have a chance of success.

Should Harold G. Hoffman win the gubernatorial nomination in 1940, a fusion ticket would be the natural and almost inevitable move from Clean Government. If such a ticket were to find the national trend away from the Democratic party, then anything might happen. A few Democratic desertions would bring that party's strength within the state to one-third or less of the total vote. Who the Governor would be under such conditions would be impossible to predict. It might be Clee or Hoffman or the Democratic nominee. The important thing is that the third-party candidate would have an even chance.

The resignation of Col. William H.

Voice of the People

Not Interested in Politics.

Editor, News:

It has been brought to my attention recently that reports are being circulated that I am actively supporting one of our candidates for town commissioner. I wish to emphatically deny that I am working for any individual or allied with any political group in the town.

Possibly these reports arise from the fact that there may be another gentleman who bears the same surname as myself, who is interesting himself in the candidacy of one of our commission aspirants, as Ackerman is not at all a rare name. But let me reiterate that my sole interest in the town is as a citizen and taxpayer and not as a politician or political henchman.

Very respectfully yours,
EDWIN R. ACKERMAN,
President, Belleville Taxpayers and Civic Association.

Lions Complete

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has also agreed to perform in her specialty, an acrobatic dance. Although only eleven years old, Miss Rivolo has made a reputation for herself wherever she has performed.

Charlotte Goodman, seven-years-old, Irvington, will do her song and dance specialty. Charlotte has recently returned from California, where she had a screen test and took part in the making of one "short." Her work was outstanding, and the Lions Club is very fortunate in obtaining this young lady.

In addition to these entertainers, specialties will be rendered by the talented members of the Meadowbrook Orchestra, which includes Howard Delana, the orchestra's trio and at least two other specialties, which will be announced next week.

Kelly as Collector of Internal Revenue has left the Democratic party in Essex more unsettled than ever. I have heard the sentiment expressed a number of times that Kelly did not get a square deal. But even the most loyal of Kelly's supporters admit that the future of the party leadership is uncertain. If Hague stays back of Kelly, then Kelly will remain the Democratic leader here, seems to be the consensus of opinion in Democratic circles. But so far, Hague has given no indication of where he stands. No doubt he will watch closely the reactions of Democrats here. Personally, I have been unable to find a rational answer to the whole Kelly episode. Too many facts missing, or may be missing.

I have heard a dozen names mentioned as possible successors to the internal revenue job. Most logical of these is that of Col. William Freiday of South Orange. Active two or three years ago, Freiday has had little to do with politics recently. But this very inaction may be the most likely factor in favor of his appointment. He has not been unfriendly with any of the major factions within his party, but has merely dropped out for business reasons. His appointment is logical and should have approval in that it would be considered a selection on merit. But the situation is so complex that it would take a prophet to guess what actually will happen.

Washington
Snapshots
by JAMES PRESTON

It is still pretty early for talk of adjournment around the Capital City but there are definite indications already that an early curtain is in prospect for this session of the seventy-fifth congress.

A quiet canvass has just been made in both houses and June 1 seems to be the deadline set by most members, with May 1st a long-shot bet and May 15 a strong possibility.

To clear the boards—barring any new legislative proposals from the administration's leaders—the members have only to dispose of the tax and relief bills, the big navy measure, three big departmental appropriation bills, the long-disputed wage-hour proposal and the rather ambitious plan of the administration to reorganize several branches of the national government.

Behind the desire for an early adjournment, of course, is the hard campaigning faced by most of the members before the polls open next November.

If necessary, many observers believe Congress may let some of the more bitterly fought legislative proposals slide until the next session. That would be more expedient than losing valuable time away from respective election districts.

The press gallery spectators are telling a story about a certain southern congressman who has hit upon a new way of "impressing" the folks back home.

He asked permission to extend his remarks in the Congressional Record—a privilege meaning that his prepared "speech" could be printed in the record without actually being delivered. But before sending his speech to the printer he carefully inserted no less than eleven notations of "applause." That is to indicate that his "speech" was "interrupted" that many times by "applause" as he "addressed" his colleagues.

There is nothing in the regulations governing the conduct of government department heads if they wish to show their anger at newspaper editors by sending telegrams or letters. But, by official ruling of the Comptroller General's office last week, it isn't up to the taxpayers to foot the bill.

The ruling was made in connection with a 3,676 word telegram sent by a WPA official to a newspaper editor whose paper had castigated the WPA on several counts. The telegram had been charged up to government expense, but the Comptroller General refused to approve payment.

It's this "watch dog" branch of the government that the administration seeks to abolish through passage of the reorganization bill.)

WRIT BITS
by John E. Smith

RIGHT TRIUMPHS.

Whene'er injustice stalks abroad,
And evil in the saddle rides,
Then I reflect: these pass, but God
Who is the Power Supreme abides.

What if the wicked prosper here,
And flourish as the "green bay tree,"
In time, we'll find they disappear,
And fade out, and they cease to be.

The life that is of faith devoid,
And builds upon material things,
Eventually will be destroyed.
But Faith, the life Immortal brings.

By Faith, Truth, Love, these glorious three,
We conquer life, by these we rise;
The soul's triumphant trinity,
By which we mount up to the skies.

Local Budget Notice

LOCAL BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE, County of Essex, for the fiscal year 1938.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following statements of revenues and appropriations shall constitute the local budget for the year 1938:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that said budget be published in The NEWARK EVENING NEWS and NEWARK STAR EAGLE in the issues of March 16th, 1938 and in the BELLEVILLE NEWS in the issue of March 18th, 1938.

NOTICE is hereby given that the budget and tax resolution was approved by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Belleville, County of Essex on March 15th, 1938.

A HEARING on the budget and tax resolution will be held in the MUNICIPAL BUILDING, Belleville, New Jersey on April 5th, 1938 at 8 o'clock in the evening at which time and place objections to said budget and tax resolution of the Town of Belleville for the year 1938 may be presented by any taxpayer of said municipality.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the budget annexed hereto and hereby made a part hereof is a true copy of the budget approved by resolution of the governing body on the 15th day of March, 1938.

FLORENCE R. MOREY,
Town Clerk.

STATEMENT

(Required by Section 202)

	1938	Actual 1937	Actual 1936
STATE SCHOOL TAX (Est. for 1938)	\$87,000.00	\$79,628.80	\$84,610.77
STATE SOLDIERS' BONUS TAX (Est. for 1938)	7,181.60	5,537.54	5,213.64
COUNTY TAX (Est. for 1938)	173,000.00	151,698.65	144,558.24
LOCAL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX (Act.)	484,551.19	447,580.42	690,177.02
Local Purpose Tax	609,267.21	445,009.09	206,016.91
	\$1,361,000.00	\$1,129,454.50	\$1,130,576.58
TAX RATE (Estimate for 1938)	4.50	3.75	3.80
RELIEF FUNDS		71,841.75	48,573.00

ANTICIPATED REVENUES

	1938	1937	Realized in Cash in 1937
1. Surplus			
a. Cash	\$11,843.06	122,000.00	122,000.00
b. Non-Cash	4,156.94	15,454.86	15,454.86
3. Miscellaneous			
a. Tax Search Fees	\$800.00	\$800.00	\$875.00
b. Interest on Taxes	38,650.00	45,000.00	39,859.62
c. General Licenses	20,500.00	18,500.00	20,634.37
d. Building and Other Permits	2,450.00	1,900.00	2,483.50
e. Sewer Permits	1,000.00	850.00	1,035.00
f. Health Department	1,900.00	1,500.00	1,917.40
g. Police Court Fines	2,500.00	2,000.00	2,525.00
h. Interest on Assessments	9,000.00	15,000.00	9,098.81
i. Gross Receipt Buses	6,700.00	6,000.00	6,706.04
j. Lodi Sewer Lease	3,000.00	7,000.00	3,000.00
k. Franchise Tax	30,500.00	36,000.00	30,570.99
l. Gross Receipt Tax	15,000.00	9,950.00	26,569.22
m. Rent on Town Owned Property	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,495.50
	135,000.00	147,500.00	148,770.45

4. Special Items Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of S.A.

a. Trust Cash	\$9,303.71	\$105,000.00	\$105,000.00
b. Capital Surplus	19,000.00	63,089.87	63,089.87
c. Sale of Foreclosed Property	14,500.00	75,000.00	14,587.91
d. State Aid Street Lighting	1,000.00		
e. Anticipated Water Surplus	8,000.00		
f. Water Surplus	15,000.00	16,728.40	16,728.40
g. Assess. Coll. Delinq. and Fut. Inst.	23,000.00		
h. Lodi Sewer Lease	1,000.00		
i. Excess cash in 23,000 bond issue	696.29		
j. Excess Gross Receipts		1,368.22	1,368.22

5. a. Delinquent Taxes	91,500.00	261,186.49	200,774.40
b. Tax Title Liens	196,000.00	258,088.00	259,709.07
	53,500.00	83,735.00	55,148.29
6. Total Items 1, 3, 4 and 5	\$492,000.00	\$887,964.35	\$801,857.07
7. Tax Levy			
a. Local Purpose Tax	609,267.21	445,009.09	175,340.96
b. Local School Taxes	484,551.19	447,580.42	447,580.42
c. County Taxes	173,000.00	151,698.65	151,698.65
d. State Taxes	94,181.60	85,166.34	85,166.34
8. Total General Revenue	\$1,853,000.00	\$2,017,418.85	\$1,661,643.44
Dedicated Revenues			
Water Utility	136,200.00	140,000.00	134,797.41
Assessments	24,000.00		
	\$2,013,200.00	\$2,157,418.85	\$1,796,440.85

	1938 Budget Amount	1937 Budget Appro.	Transferred To	Transferred From	Net Appro.	Exp. and Res. For 1937	Unexpended Bal. 1937
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS							
40 Shade Tree	\$5,000.00	\$4,875.00	\$800.00		\$5,675.00	\$5,603.46	\$71.54
41 Poor Department Administration	15,000.00	13,925.00	2,700.00		16,625.00	16,528.94	96.06
42 Poor Department and Hospital	25,000.00	26,500.00		\$3,500.00	23,000.00	23,000.00	
43 Building Department	500.00	600.00		75.00	525.00	503.20	21.80
44 Health Department	17,150.00	17,425.00	75.00	476.00	17,024.00	16,730.17	293.83
45 Garbage Disposal	13,400.00	13,200.00	198.00		13,398.00	13,398.00	
46 Zoning Board	100.00	50.00	78.00		128.00	108.00	20.00
47 Town Share WPA Project	4,000.00						
	\$80,150.00	\$76,575.00	\$3,851.00	\$4,051.00	\$76,375.00	\$75,871.77	\$503.23

	1938 Budget Amount	1937 Budget Appro.	Transferred To	Transferred From	Net Appro.	Exp. and Res. For 1937	Unexpended Bal. 1937
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS							
50 Salaries—Engineering Department	\$10,900.00	\$10,870.00			\$10,870.00	\$10,621.84	\$248.16
51 Roads—Salaries—Supplies	21,100.00	22,350.00		\$250.00	22,100.00	22,053.53	46.47
52 Sewers—Salaries—Supplies	10,350.00	10,600.00		250.00	10,350.00	10,311.91	38.09
53 Engineering Department Supplies	1,200.00	1,200.00			1,200.00	1,140.21	59.79
54 Street Signs							
	\$43,550.00	\$45,020.00		\$500.00	\$44,520.00	\$44,127.49	\$392.51

	1938 Budget Amount	1937 Budget Appro.	Transferred To	Transferred From	Net Appro.	Exp. and Res. For 1937	Unexpended Bal. 1937
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY							
60 Street Lighting	\$28,500.00	\$27,500.00		\$600.00	\$26,900.00	\$26,880.75	\$19.25
61 Police and Fire Pension Fund	5,840.00	5,600.00	100.00		5,700.00	5,675.48	24.52
62 Police Salaries	85,500.00	82,550.00	100.00	1,300.00	81,350.00	81,246.90	103.10
63 Police Department Maintenance	5,000.00	3,000.00	1,400.00		4,400.00	4,299.18	100.82
64 Fire Department Salaries	61,400.00	58,425.00		100.00	58,325.00	58,197.00	128.00
65 Fire Department Maintenance	3,300.00	2,800.00	100.00	200.00	2,700.00	2,675.56	24.44
66 Recreation	5,500.00	5,135.00	200.00		5,335.00	5,319.47	15.53
67 Town Clerk's Salary	2,500.00	2,500.00			2,500.00	2,500.00	
68 Town Clerk's Pt. Pst. Sta. Misc.	750.00	600.00	300.00		900.00	875.60	24.40
69 Stray Dog Collection	810.00	810.00			810.00	810.00	
70 Signal	4,700.00	4,000.00			4,000.00	3,994.85	5.15
71 Telephone—Telephone Operator	3,300.00	3,100.00	400.00		3,500.00	3,455.07	44.93
72 Recorder	1,500.00	1,500.00			1,500.00	1,500.00	
73 Election	6,000.00	1,000.00	300.00		1,300.00	1,238.53	61.47
74 Ambulance	600.00	500.00			500.00	494.29	5.71
	\$215,200.00	\$199,020.00	\$2,900.00	\$2,200.00	\$199,720.00	\$199,162.68	\$557.32

Menu for the Week

FRIDAY
Breakfast
Ready-to-eat Cereal
Baked Eggs
Coffee
Hot Rolls
Luncheon
Coffish Cakes
Celery
Dinner
Baked Fish Fillets, Creole Sauce
Buttered Potatoes
Pineapple Salad
Peach Pie
Tea

SATURDAY
Breakfast
Orange Juice
Cereal Cooked with Dates
Whole Wheat Toast
Milk or Coffee
Lunch
Casseroles of Vegetables and Rice
Head Lettuce Salad
Tokay Grapes
Milk or Tea
Dinner
Baked Pork Tenderloin
Baked Potatoes
Broccoli au Gratin
Tomato Salad
Rolls
Peanut Brittle Tapioca
SUNDAY
Breakfast
Braised Grapefruit
Prepared Cereal
Scrambled Eggs
Milk or Coffee
Dinner
Roast Leg of Lamb
Mint Ice
Parsley Mashed Potatoes
Cooked Whole Cauliflower
Avocado and Orange Salad
Coffee
Supper
Oyster Stew
Toasted Rolls
Crisp Celery
Spice-Nut Cake
Coffee or Cocoa

MONDAY
Breakfast
Tomato Juice
Ready-to-eat Cereal
Shirred Eggs
Coffee
Toasted
Luncheon
Cheese Fondue
Coleslaw
Canned Peaches
Tea
Dinner
Creamed Oysters with Celery
in Bread Cases
Buttered Beets
Bread Pudding
TUESDAY
Breakfast
Grapefruit
Ready-to-eat Cereal
Whole Wheat Rolls
Coffee
Luncheon
Creamed Mushrooms on Toast
Lettuce Salad
Tea
Dinner
Vegetable Soup
Cold Pork, Chili Sauce
Buttered Noodles
Mashed Turnips
Lemon Cream Pie

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast
Stewed Prunes
Ready-to-eat Cereal
Poached Eggs
Coffee
Rolls
Luncheon
Lamb and Potato Hash
Grapefruit Salad
Coffee Cake
Tea
Dinner
Roast Duck, Fruit Stuffing
Baked Sweet Potatoes
Buttered String Beans
Ice Cream
THURSDAY
Breakfast
Orange Juice
Ready-to-eat Cereal
Toasted Rolls
Bacon
Coffee
Luncheon
Welsh Rabbit on Toast
Carrots and Peas
Baked Apples
Tea
Dinner
Braised Minute Steak
Buttered Potatoes
Fried Onions
Ice Cream Cake

DAIRY ITEMS

93 SCORE BUTTER
Cut fresh from tub. 1 lb. 33c

EGGS—Jersey White
Large size. Dozen carton 35c

SWISS CHEESE
Imported... 1/2 lb. sliced 21c

GRATED
CHEESE 2 reg. cans 19c

CANNED GOODS

CHERRIES—Royal
Anne 1 Lgst. can 29c

COFFEE—Vacuum
Packed 1-lb. can 22c

BARTLETT
PEARS 2 lgst. cans 35c

Sweet Garden
PEAS 2 No. 2 cans 23c

STAPLES

5 TOILET TISSUE
1000 sheet rolls. 21c

AMMONIA
Cloudy 2 qt. 17c

SCOURING
CLEANSER 2 reg. cans 5c

WASHING SODA
2 1/2 lb. pkg. 4c

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PROPERTY		1938 Budget Amount	1937 Budget Appro.	Transferred To	From	Net Appro.	Exp. and Res. For 1937	Unexpended Bal. 1937
80	Public Library	\$12,170.00	\$12,135.00			\$12,135.00	\$12,125.82	\$9.18
81	Public Property Maintenance	5,500.00	5,260.00	\$175.00	\$119.18	5,315.82	5,291.86	23.96
82	Public Property Salaries	5,130.00	4,760.00	119.18		4,879.18	4,879.18	
83	Public Property Maintenance Town Owned	750.00	1,000.00		175.00	825.00	794.14	30.86
84	Town Share WPA	500.00						
		\$24,050.00	\$23,155.00	\$294.18	\$294.18	\$23,155.00	\$23,091.00	\$64.00
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND FINANCE								
90	Mayor's Appropriation	\$500.00	\$400.00	\$100.00		\$500.00	\$497.63	\$2.37
91	Tax Collector's Department, Salaries	11,800.00	11,440.00		\$100.00	11,340.00	11,329.72	10.28
92	Tax Collector, Ptg., Adv., Pst. and Misc.	2,500.00	3,000.00			3,000.00	2,772.24	227.76
93	Treasury Department Salaries	5,860.00	5,730.00			5,730.00	5,726.56	3.44
94	Treasury Department, Ptg., Pst., Adv., Misc.	1,800.00	1,800.00		200.71	1,599.29	1,524.70	74.59
95	Tax Assessor's Department, Salary	7,500.00	7,944.40		550.00	7,394.40	7,386.26	8.14
96	Tax Assessor, Ptg., Pst., Adv. and Misc.	1,040.00	1,050.00			1,050.00	1,038.98	11.02
		\$31,000.00	\$31,364.40	\$100.00	\$850.71	\$30,613.69	\$30,276.09	\$337.60
NON-DEPARTMENTAL								
100	Salary—Board of Commissioners	\$9,450.00	\$9,230.00			\$9,230.00	\$9,230.00	
101	Town Attorney	2,500.00	2,440.00	\$1.38		2,441.38	2,441.38	
102	Exp. for Co. and State Tax App.	500.00	400.00			400.00	350.00	\$50.00
103	League of Municipalities	175.50	175.50			175.50	175.50	
104	Memorial Day Exercise	200.00	200.00			200.00	200.00	
105	Armistice Day Expense	300.00	300.00			300.00	300.00	
106	Insurance, Auto	4,700.00	4,100.00	79.72		4,179.72	4,179.72	
107	Insurance, Buildings	2,391.97	1,300.00		\$350.00	950.00	813.00	137.00
108	Bonds for Employees—Forgery	3,127.86	2,700.00	16.10		2,716.10	2,716.10	
109	Codification of Ordinance		800.00	500.00		1,300.00	1,275.70	24.30
110	Fire Hydrant Services	4,500.00	4,500.00			4,500.00	4,500.00	
111	Yearly Audit	3,500.00	3,500.00		7.43	3,492.57	3,467.50	25.07
112	Compensation Insurance	6,000.00	7,000.00	92.33	1,080.08	6,012.25	6,012.25	
113	Passaic Valley Sewer	12,954.71	14,315.00	1,149.69		15,464.69	15,464.69	
114	Union Outlet Sewer	547.20	547.20			547.20	547.20	
115	Nutley Sewer	3,726.26	2,000.00	849.00		2,849.00	2,849.00	
116	Property Foreclosure	4,000.00	7,500.00		1,100.00	6,400.00	6,400.00	
117	Licenses	250.00	200.00	100.00		300.00	254.30	45.70
119	New Equipment, Inst. of System	500.00	750.00			750.00	750.00	
120	Municipal Ind. Adv.	2,500.00	5,000.00	500.00		5,500.00	5,460.13	39.87
		\$61,823.50	\$66,957.70	\$3,288.22	\$2,537.51	\$67,708.41	\$67,386.47	\$321.94
121	Contingent	\$1,000.00	\$1,200.00			\$1,200.00	\$1,102.31	\$97.69
DEBT SERVICE								
122	Bond Retirement	19,000.00	43,000.00			\$43,000.00	\$43,000.00	
123	Interest on Funded Debt	62,567.00	66,410.00			66,410.00	66,410.00	
124	Interest on Floating Debt	1,000.00	750.00			750.00	504.16	245.84
125	Soldiers' Bonus and State Highway	10,200.00	10,200.00			10,200.00	10,200.00	
	Deficiency in Funds		7,500.00			7,500.00	7,500.00	
	Sinking Fund General	7,089.90	7,089.90			7,089.90	7,089.90	
	3 Per Cent Temporary Debt		612.75			612.75		612.75
	Serial Fund Bonds Chap. 60	5,000.00	60,000.00			60,000.00	60,000.00	
	Interest on Serial Fund Bonds	33,471.25	34,690.00			34,690.00	34,690.00	
	General Refund Bonds Chap. 233	110,000.00	180,000.00			180,000.00	180,000.00	
	Interest on General Refunding Bonds	41,462.50	46,975.00			46,975.00	46,975.00	
	Down Payment Cap. Imp.	750.00						
	Down Payment 1937 WPA Project	3,562.50						
		\$294,103.15	\$457,227.65			\$457,227.65	\$456,369.06	\$858.59
DEFERRED CHARGES								
	Emergency, Demolition Building		\$228.00			\$228.00	\$228.00	
	Emergency, Poor Department		11,000.00			11,000.00	11,000.00	
	Town Share Improvement, Not Bonded		63,089.87			63,089.87	63,089.87	
	Over Expenditure, 1935 Budget		132.64			132.64	132.64	
	Over Expenditure, Water		4,094.22			4,094.22	4,094.22	
	Eleventh Ward Building and Loan	\$2,150.00						
	Filling in Pettit Paint	990.00						
	Filling in Pettit Paint	250.00						
	1936 Budget Over Expenditure	149.90						
	Prior Year Taxes Remitted	388.79						
	Return of 1936 Foreclosure—Property Dept.	150.00						
	Return of 1936 Liquor Fees	19.20						
	Over Expenditure, 1936 Reserves	59.05						
		\$4,156.94	78,544.73			\$78,544.73	\$78,544.73	
	Hanley Suit	734.76	810.51			810.51	810.51	
	Cash Deficit	5,248.86						
	Local School Tax (Actual)	\$484,551.19	\$447,580.42			\$447,580.42	\$447,580.42	
	County Tax (Est.)	173,000.00	151,698.65			151,698.65	151,698.65	
	State Tax (Est.)	94,181.60	85,166.34			85,166.34	85,166.34	
	Total, General Cash Appropriation	\$1,512,750.00	\$1,664,320.40	\$10,433.40	\$10,433.40	\$1,664,320.40	\$1,661,187.52	\$3,132.88
	Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	340,250.00	342,241.71			342,241.71	342,241.71	
	Total General Appropriation	\$1,853,000.00	\$2,006,562.11			\$2,006,562.11	\$2,003,429.23	\$3,132.88
DEDICATED APPROPRIATIONS								
Assessments—								
	Serial Bonds	\$24,000.00	\$19,000.00			\$19,000.00	\$19,000.00	
Water Utility—								
	Water Operating	\$88,000.00	\$90,725.00			\$90,725.00	\$85,655.14	\$5,069.86
	Water Debt Service	40,200.00	41,131.744			41,131.74	40,999.01	132.73
	Anticipated Surplus	8,000.00						
		\$136,200.00	\$131,856.74			\$131,856.74	\$126,654.15	\$5,202.59
	GRAND TOTAL	\$2,013,200.00	\$2,157,418.85	\$10,433.40	\$10,433.40	\$2,157,418.85	\$2,149,083.38	\$8,335.47

Seventy Years a Musician

By Daniel I. McNamara



WALTER DAMROSCH, A.S.C.A.P., dean of American musicians, climbed as a tiny child upon the piano stool of his parents' home in Breslau, Silesia, more than seventy years ago, to embark upon an unparalleled musical career. Today at seventy-six, symbol of American musical culture the world over, the tall, distinguished-looking, vigorous and alert Damrosch bridges a gap between the classicists of the last century and the modernists of today. His proudest boast is, "I am an American musician."

Walter Damrosch's earliest memories of his father, later the famous American conductor Leopold Damrosch, are of his being host to the elite of European musicians. The Damrosch home was a rendezvous of artists. Here were entertained Wagner, Liszt, von Bülow, Clara Schumann, Joachim, Aner and Rubinstein. Wagner was godfather for another Damrosch boy, his namesake, who died in early childhood.

The elder Damrosch brought his family to America when Walter was nine and soon became a leading figure in the New York musical scene. Walter's education was extended by trips to cultural centers of the Old World, during which he renewed his childhood acquaintances with Wagner and Liszt. He was twenty-three when his father was fatally stricken while conducting a series of Wagnerian operas at the Metropolitan, and the young man took over his baton, promptly to become recognized as the leading exponent of Wagnerian opera in the New World.

Conductor at the Metropolitan, impresario of his own German opera company, conductor of the New York Oratorio Society and of the New York Symphony Orchestra, composer, author, lecturer and educator, he has been a leader of American music for more than five decades. He has been honored with doctorates by New York University, Princeton, Columbia, Brown, Pennsylvania, University of New York State and Washington and Jefferson College.

He is president of the National Institute of Arts and Letters and a member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters.

His radio broadcasts on music appreciation have been received with growing acclaim for ten years. Now, with a weekly audience of more than seven million, these lectures are generally regarded as his crowning educational achievement.

One of his four grand operas, "The Man Without a Country," first performed May 12, 1936, was selected for reproduction by the Metropolitan as a feature of its 1937-1938 season.

A vigorous exponent of Americanism in music, Damrosch has conducted premieres of many American compositions. He is a member of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers.

Recently, upon being felicitated on completion of an important musical task in the midst of many duties, he remarked with characteristic energy, "So much more remains to be done that I long for at least one hundred more years of life."

WHAT THE NATION IS READING

AUTHORITATIVE NOTES TO SAVE YOU TIME IN FINDING GOOD BOOKS

By the Faculty of Brothers College of Liberal Arts, Madison, N. J.

For seasoned travelers, or for those making a first trip to Florida, U. S. One (Modern Age Books, N. Y., 95c), is a god-send. Compiled by the Federal Writers' Project, American Guide Series, and sponsored by the U. S. Highway Association, it gives mile-by-mile directions for travel along Route One from Maine to Florida.

The book is divided into sections, making it easy to plan a trip through any one region. Road conditions, mileage, and accommodations are given in great detail. The route passes through fourteen states, and while not the most direct, takes the motorist through more interesting country than the coast route. All points of interest, except in large cities, are mentioned, including those to be found on side roads branching from U. S. One. Fascinating bits of history of old towns, homes, churches, colleges, inns, etc., add color to what might be "just another trip." Descriptions are supplemented by thirty excellent photographs, and an intriguing list of dishes, native to each state, with recipes, is given.

So pack a copy of U. S. One in your bag and follow the trail that has carried thousands to the Sunny South. Don't forget that you can put the book into reverse for the homeward journey.

Proportional representation has been advanced as a means to safeguard democracy in this age which sees it threatened on every hand. The strongest argument in favor of this system seems to be that it will make every one's vote count whether he votes with the majority or not. In theory the system seems workable, and it has been used to advantage in some communities in this country, but in practice it tends to confuse the voter and might easily lead to such complication in government as to destroy the system which it aims to protect. But every American should be interested in a plan which claims to make better government possible. Read about it in Proportional Representation—the Key to Democracy, by George H. Hallett, Jr., with the cooperation of Clarence Gilbert Hoag. (The National Home Library Foundation, Washington, D. C., 25c.)

It is only fair to call attention to the fact, however, that this book sees one side of the issue and fails to present adequately the obstacles in the path of the system which it advocates.

The Garden City Publishing Company has reprinted a useful book in Decorative Draperies and Upholsteries (\$2.98). Sixty-four excellent full-page color plates by Edward Thorne illustrate a wide range of specific problems in interior decoration, in house, office, hotel, shop, and theatre. Accompanying them are clear descriptions by Henry W. Frohne. The book is unusual in showing draperies as the key to the other elements of decoration—furniture, floor coverings, walls, and windows; it is practical, as the materials shown are all available in the present-day market. Both the amateur and professional decorator will find it full of suggestions.

Everyman's Class

The continued interest in the contest between the Red and Blue armies continues at the Everyman's Bible Class meetings.

Sunday the class will observe father and sons' day. Every member is urged to bring their father or son as a guest of the class. A special musical program has been arranged. The following Sunday the Essex Suburban Federation of Bible Class will conduct the services. This service will prove most interesting to the men of Belleville, as the federation program on such occasions have always proven most interesting.

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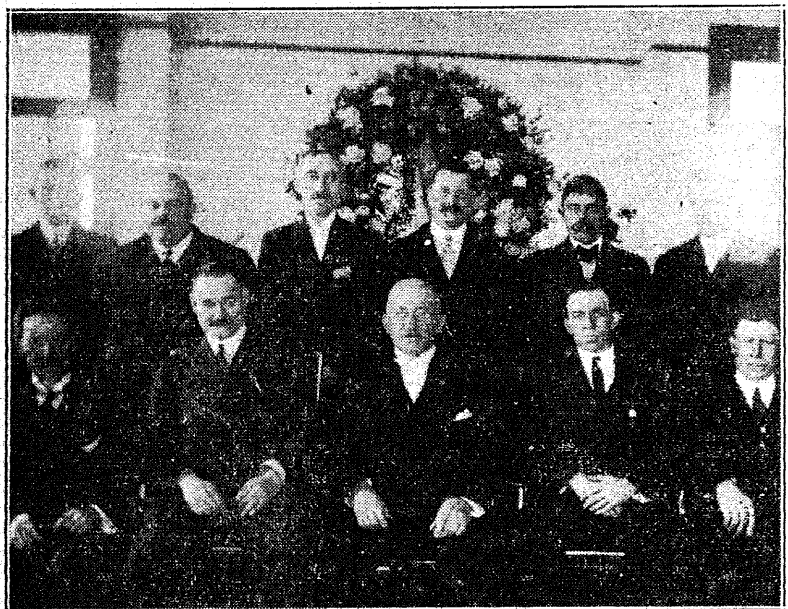
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Looking Back One Quarter Century



During 1914, those pictured above, served this town as its governing body. This was the last councilmanic body of the town. First row, left to right: Frank J. Carragher, councilman; the late George Daniels, councilman; the late John C. LaFaucier, Mayor; the late Joseph Manning, councilman; Freeholder John H. Waters (who appeared in this picture by request). Second row: Leroy Vermeule, treasurer; the late Joseph A. Connolly, town attorney; Edward E. Mathes, town clerk; the late Edmund Bechtoldt, councilman; the late Edward O. Cyphers, councilman and Samuel Cascarth, councilman.

Accident Between Bus and Automobile Couple Injured at Union Avenue and Joralemon Street

An accident occurred at 3 A. M. yesterday morning, at Joralemon street and Union avenue, where a Public Service bus and a private car collided.

The car, which was driven by Harold Mitchell, 24, 231 Brighton avenue, in which his wife Blanche Mitchell was riding, was proceeding south in Union avenue.

The bus was driven by Thomas McDermott, Littleton road, Morris Plains, and was making a left turn from Union avenue preparatory to going west on Joralemon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell were taken to St. Mary's Hospital, Passaic, in the town ambulance, driven by Fireman Harry White, and accompanied by Patrolman Ray Demgard.

It required four stitches to sew up a laceration on Mr. Mitchell's chin and one stitch on his forehead. He was also suffering from abrasions on right hand.

Mrs. Mitchell's injuries required three stitches on her chin. Two of her upper front teeth were knocked out and she also suffered a cut over her left eye. She was kept for observation at the hospital as it was thought she may have a back injury.

Both drivers were given summonses to appear before Recorder Everett B. Smith, Wednesday.

Officers Nominated By Elks Lodge Installation Will Take Place on Monday, March 28

Officers were nominated Monday by Belleville Lodge of Elks as follows: Exalted Ruler, Harold Gahr; esteemed leading knight, Emil Kastner; esteemed loyal knight, Wallwin H. Masten; esteemed lecturing knight, William Priestman and John Monaghan; tiler, William McCoy; secretary, Arthur E. Mayer; treasurer, Jack Deeny; trustee, Raymond B. Yerg.

Exalted Ruler Harold Cavanaugh was named delegate to the State Elks' Association and Mr. Gahr to the Grand Lodge. Elections will take place at the next meeting, two weeks hence.

Scouts Advance in Silver Fox Patrol

The Silver Fox Patrol of Christ Church Boy Scouts of America, Troop 88, met at the home of Robert Weiss, 92 Malone avenue, Wednesday evening. Those present were the leader, John Idenden, William Allen, Herbert Bohler, William Frame, George Maginness, David Nelson, Ernest Reock and Roy Wagner.

Reock passed second class compass and second class safety; Allen, second class thrift and Weiss, first class signalling and first class handcraft.

Two-thirds Shirk Tax Responsibility State Treasurer Declares Sales Tax Should Have Been Maintained

"Don't you think every man ought to pay his share of the cost of government—only his share?"

Thus queried State Treasurer William Albright Wednesday at a meeting of Belleville Rotary Club in Forest Hill Field Club, where he spoke on "The Romance of Service, or the State We're In."

The treasurer pointed out the burden of national, state, county and local taxation falls, according to statistics, upon only one-third of the people, while two-thirds pay no taxes.

Answering his own question, Mr. Albright said that the average man does not want to pay his share, he "would rather be in the two-thirds class. As long as this condition exists we will have an emergency relief situation."

The Sales Tax.

A discussion by the treasurer of emergency relief led up to the question. He declared "in my humble opinion New Jersey would not be facing the problems it is today—its back would not be up against the wall, women and children starving, if the sales tax had been maintained on the books. At least, all would have paid some share in the tax instead of placing the burden squarely on the shoulders of those who own property."

He cited a case of a neighbor with five children whose tax amounted to \$57 a year, the neighbor complaining of the amount and, still not realizing, that it costs more than the tax involved to pay for the education of his children.

"I own a 160-acre farm in South Jersey, which I rent for \$20 per month," he stated, adding that "the taxes this year are \$783. They have a small tax rate down there—\$9 and something."

The treasurer declared the state and municipal lines are widely separated, but in many instances close articulation of both are necessary—"there is a link that cannot be broken if both are to survive."

Co-operation.

He stated: "Just yesterday the Governor signed a request of your Mayor (William H. Williams) which permitted Belleville to lower its tax rate by co-operation of the State Sinking Fund Commission. When the Mayor appeared before us with the request we said: 'Yes we will be glad to help Belleville if we can.'"

He told of the occasion when he took office, explaining that it had been pointed out to him that "one day a week would be enough on the job."

Mr. Albright declared that he found it scarcely possible to handle the job efficiently and well by "staying in Trenton from Monday until Friday."

"Most men in public life compare favorably with those in industry," he stated. "Too many people are constantly awaiting the opportunity to shoot poison darts at public officials."

Mr. Albright declared he was "amazed, astounded and startled last week to see an effort made to take a paper surplus of some sixteen millions from the Sinking Fund Commission for relief." If this should be done, he said, "the cream of its portfolio would disappear and the credit of the state, which is No. 1 with its sisterhood of states in the nation, would be ruined."

Mayor Williams introduced Mr. Albright, who was a guest of Assemblyman Homer Zink.

The club was led in singing by Henry Holst, with Alex Berne at the piano. William J. Orchard sang a solo.

A committee, consisting of Philip Dettelbach, chairman, George Gerard and Wilbur C. Brooks, was named by President Thomas McHale to sponsor the candidacy of Rev. Peter R. Deckenbach, as district governor.

Next week there will be a debate on whether a referendum should be held in the nation before the United States enters any war.

Participants will be Philip Dettelbach, Wayne R. Palmer, Dr. Barney Schaffer and Wallwin H. Masten.

Legionnaires to Honor
County Commander Doyle

William J. Doyle, county commander of the American Legion, will be honored by Newark Post 10, American Legion, April 5, at the Mosque. Doyle is past commander of the post. Essex County American Legion posts and other veterans' organizations have been invited to attend. Commander Samuel M. Hollander will preside.

Thomas J. Dungan, Joseph C. Stahl, Charles Duerr and John H. Laux, as past commanders, will be assisted on arrangements by Frank V. Lanzara, Niles G. Bergholtz, August C. Young, William P. Cohen, John H. Lambert and Dr. Myron Weiss.

New Member Welcomed by Round Table Music Club

The Round Table Music Club, under the direction of Mildred Drentlau, local piano teacher, welcomed a new member, Grace Eckstein, at a meeting Saturday.

A discussion, "How I Practice" was conducted at the conclusion of piano solos by the pupils.

Doris Heath, program chairman, arranged a Wagner meeting, assisted by Dorothy Cataldo, and augmented by several victrola records of the Wagnerian operas.

Refreshments closed the afternoon. The Junior Round Table will meet the fourth Saturday of the month at Miss Drentlau's home, 370 De Witt avenue.

Cole Pupils Entertain

Constance Vales, 72 Harrison street, and Angela McIlwrid, 104 Harrison street, Soho section, pleased an enthusiastic audience, at the Parent-Teacher's Association meeting at Belleville High School Tuesday night by singing and dancing.

Constance, who is five years old, gave a novelty rope tap dance, while Angela, as the "Chocolate Soldier Man," presented a military tap.

Both children are pupils of Bob Cole's dancing school.

Off to Bermuda

Mrs. Albert Glicksman, 179 Lincoln place, Irvington, will leave on a six-day cruise to Bermuda tomorrow.

Among her friends, who will wish her a bon voyage, will be Miss Mary Sullivan, 138 Joralemon street, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quirk and son, Nutley, formerly of Belleville.

"Education" is Theme Of P.-T. A. Congress Seven Northern Counties to Have Part in Program At Morristown

"Education" will be the theme of the Northern Conference of the New Jersey Congress of Parents and Teachers, which will be held April 1 in Morristown High School. The conference will include all seven northern counties. Mrs. W. B. Berthoff, Sr., Bergen County, northern director and acting state legislative chairman, will preside.

The morning session will start at 10 o'clock and Mrs. Walter L. Bowen, Riverton, state president, will give the keynote address. The conference will adjourn at 1:30 for luncheon and the afternoon session will start promptly at 2 P. M. John A. Spargo, superintendent of the Nutley schools, will be the main speaker in the afternoon. During both sessions reports will be given by the seven county chairmen and four state chairmen. The conference will adjourn at 3:30 P. M.

As the high school cafeteria can only accommodate 300 for luncheon, reservations should be sent to Mrs. Robert Armstrong, 152 Morris avenue, Morristown, not later than March 27. There are many restaurants near the school that can care for those not registered.

Local presidents and publicity chairmen of Essex County are requested to bring posters and other

St. Anthony's Committee Makes Plans for First Annual Entertainment and Dance Building Fund Committee Enlists Aid of Large Group For Affair to be Held in Auditorium Of New Edifice

Arrangements have been made to hold the first annual entertainment and dance by the St. Anthony Building Fund Committee in the new edifice auditorium of St. Anthony's Church, Franklin and Lake streets, Silver Lake, on Friday evening, April 22, at 8 P. M. Music will be furnished by two well known orchestras.

The committee is as follows: Rev. Cataldo Alessi, pastor, and Rev. Thomas A. Gillick, curate, honorary chairmen; Angelo Domenick, Sr., chairman; Miss Marie A. Scritella, secretary; Miss Mary A. Paucice, treasurer; Peter D'Avella, chairman reception committee; Frank A. Palmieri, ad. committee; Michael Spasato, arrangement committee; Thomas C. D'Avella, entertainment committee; Miss Scritella, patrons and patronesses; Mrs. Madeline Musco, flower committee, assisted by the following: Frances Albertine, Salvatore Alarino, Josephine Androsiglio, Celeste Bagno, Anthony Coco, Nicholas Coco, Ralph Codomo, Peter D'Avella, Thomas D'Avella, Mr. Domenick, Ni-

cola Domenick, Giuseppe Falco, Anthony Forgione, Louis Gintella, Pasquale Giordano, Rocco Giordano, Louis Goglia, Domenick Granese, Vicenzina Grieco, Vincenzo Grieco, William Hunt, Frank Fuselle, Lena Ianna, Philip Maas, Pat Megaro, Margaret Moro, Madeline Musco, Virginia Paserchia, Mary Pennetti, Matthew Petti, Josephine Rossi, Mary Salzano, Filippo Sammarco, Emilio Sciaraffa, Michael Spasato, Josephine Taibi, Lena Tribune, Edna Tuorto, Leonard Zaccane and Frank Ziccaro. Thomas D'Avella is chairman of the Building Fund Committee. The list of patrons and patronesses will be announced later.

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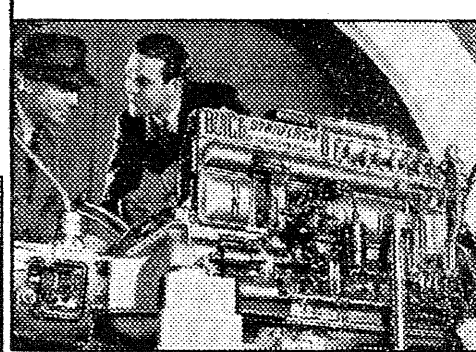
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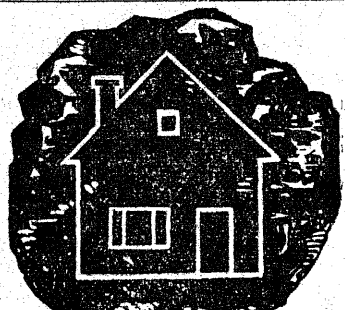
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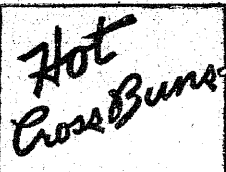
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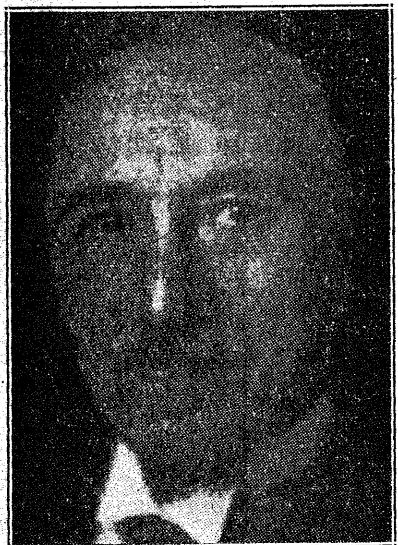
Know Your Neighbor

A WEEKLY FEATURE

Edward E. Mathes, Has Held Many Offices In Belleville - Enjoys Fellowship of Elks

Has Been Active in Community Life of Belleville and Done Much for the Civic and Social Welfare of Town

Edward E. Mathes, 104 Little street, who was director of Revenue and Finance here in 1914 to 1922, has held many offices in Belleville. Mr. Mathes, who was born April 5, 1864, has been water purveyor, township clerk, clerk of the Board of Health and town clerk from 1908 to 1914.



Edward E. Mathes

He was commissioner in 1914, when the late John H. Waters was Mayor and the late John Caldwell was the other commissioner. He was re-elected commissioner in 1918 with Mr. Waters, John Hannan, Edward Livingston and Robert Minion, who made up a five-man board.

From 1898 to 1920 he was secretary of Eastwood Hose and Truck Company. He lived then at 2 Factory street. He was assistant chief of the town volunteer fire department and is at present a member of the

Exempt Firemen Association.

He is agent for a fire insurance company and has been treasurer for thirty years of the Belleville Building and Loan. Mr. Mathes had been on the first board of directors of the Peoples' National Bank and Trust Company.

He has been a depositor since 1905 of the First National Bank. He believes that Mrs. Frank Verian, 128 Washington avenue, holds savings account book No. 1 in that bank.

He is a trustee of the Belleville Lodge of Elks, past exalted ruler, and a member of board of governors, and a member of the Grand Lodge of Elks.

He numbers among his friends, Joseph Weston, The Old Village Blacksmith. Among the past exalted rulers of the Elks, whom he has known, are George Brooks, Henry Underwood, Joseph Jule, Martin Griffith, Morris Lobsitz, George W. Davis, W. Brand Smith and, among the members of the Elks whom he knows best, are William Kliebe, Henry Gemeinhardt, Charles H. Kelly, former Police Chief Michael J. Flynn, Eugene Mougell, Harry Miller, George Miller and August Pabst, who was first secretary of the Belleville Lodge, and the late George Siebold, Thomas Malcolm, George W. Stanier.

Mr. Mathes was born in New York City, on the East side in Delancey street, just off the Bowery. He was educated in New York and Brooklyn schools. He has been at the silversmith trade for the past forty-three years, being with Tiffany Company for that period and for thirty years he has been foreman of the jewelry and silverware case department. Also for thirty years he has been a representative of the Tiffany Mutual Aid Society. For twenty years has been treasurer of the Tiffany Silversmith Mutual Aid Society.

Before coming to Belleville he lived in Carnarie, where he met his wife, who was Catherine Kope, whom he married April 5, 1885, at St. Paul's Chapel, New York City.

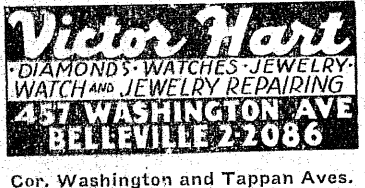
He has six daughters, who are Mrs. Pauline MacDaniel, Montclair; Mrs. Edna M. Glass, Lakewood, Ohio; Mrs. Gladys M. Hallie, Bloomfield; Mrs. Lucille Bischoff, Bronx, New York; Mrs. Shirley Vought, Montclair and Miss Hortense Mathes, Belleville and four sons, Edwin Newton Mathes, Cleveland, Ohio; Howard Gerhardt Mathes, Newark; Walter Mathes, Cleveland, Ohio and Woodrow J. Mathes, Belleville.

•For Chest Colds

Distressing cold in chest or throat, never safe to neglect, generally eases up when soothing, warming Muterole is applied.

Better than a mustard plaster, Muterole gets action because it's NOT just a salve. It's a "counter-irritant"—stimulating, penetrating, and helpful in drawing out local congestion and pain.

Used by millions for 30 years. Recommended by many doctors and nurses. All druggists. In three strengths: Regular Strength, Children's (mild), and Extra Strong. Approved by Good Housekeeping.



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Judeans Elect

Officers for Year

Group Plans to Hold Its Fourth Anniversary Party

The Progressive Judeans Monday night elected a new set of officers for the coming season and made tentative plans for a fourth anniversary affair to be held April 9.

The officers are: President, Leon Feldstein; vice president, Irving Levine; recording secretary, Pearl Lindenbaum; corresponding secretary, Doris Rosenblum; and treasurer, Jeanne Goshinsky.

The fourth anniversary affair will be staged in the new social hall of the Congregation A. A. A. William Smith was appointed chairman, and will be aided by the following committees: Refreshment, Doris Rosenblum and Pearl Lindenbaum; entertainment, Jacob Levine, Paul Schmitzer and Leon Feldstein; tickets, Irving Levine; door committee, Jeanne Goshinsky, Muriel Hirsch, Sylvia Mayne and Beatrice Berkowitz; decoration, Jerry Markowitz and Abraham Haber.

Hot Stuff

A boiling pot caused a fire alarm box to be pulled in the Silver Lake section yesterday morning.

Mrs. Frank Ramo, 67 Heckel street, was cooking soup on her gas stove and had left her culinary duties momentarily to attend to other work around the house. In the meantime the pot started steaming, the vapor gushing from the window.

A passerby saw the steam and thinking the house was on fire, pulled the fire alarm box. Silver Lake fire department responded all ready to extinguish a fire which, of course, was found unnecessary.

Store Entered

Thieves entered a chain store at 494 Union avenue, Wednesday night and stole cigarettes, candy and frankfurters. Working from the cellar, they used a brace and bit to bore holes in the floor of the store. In this manner they made a small opening through which they crawled in to the store. They left by the front door. This is the third place recently entered in this fashion in town.

SUNDAY DINNER Suggestions

By ANN PAGE

MOST foods will cost a little more this week. Meats, particularly lamb and hindquarter beef, are higher, egg prices, though still cheap, are feeling the withdrawal into storage of excess production. Fish is none too plentiful so that egg and cheese dishes will be called on for fast days.

Oranges, grapefruit and apples are the best fruit values. Bananas, strawberries and pineapples are also fairly plentiful and reasonable.

No vegetable with the exception of new asparagus is expensive but few except spinach and the roots and tubers can be considered cheap. Lettuce and tomatoes are reasonable.

Here are three seasonal menus.

Low Cost Dinner

Meat Loaf with Tomato Sauce
Mashed Potatoes Buttered Spinach
Bread and Butter
Cheese Preserves Crackers
Tea or Coffee Milk

Medium Cost Dinner

Fried Chicken Cream Gravy
Sweet Potatoes Green Lima Beans
Bread and Butter
Lemon Pie Milk

Very Special Dinner

Roast Beef New Potatoes
Buttered Asparagus or Broccoli
Combination Salad
Rolls and Butter
Strawberry Meringue Torte
Coffee

Bosses Won't Hire People with Halitosis (BAD BREATH)

People who get and hold jobs keep their breath agreeable

With the best to choose from these days, employers favor the person who is most attractive. In business life as in the social world, halitosis (unpleasant breath) is considered the worst of faults.

Unfortunately everybody suffers from this offensive condition at some time or other—many more regularly than they think. Fermentation of food particles skipped by the tooth brush is the cause of most cases. Decaying teeth and poor digestion also cause odors.

The quick, pleasant way to improve your breath is to use Listerine, the quick deodorant, every morning and every night.

Listerine halts fermentation, a major cause of odors, and overcomes the odors themselves. Your breath becomes sweet and agreeable. It will not offend others.

If you value your job and your friends, use Listerine, the safe antiseptic, regularly. Lambert Pharmaceutical Company, St. Louis, Mo.

Don't offend others - Check halitosis with LISTERINE

Woman's Club Dance

(Continued from Page One)

William Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. William V. Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. Francis McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. William Entekin, Mr. and Mrs. Laury Stem, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bragg.

The junior club is represented on the committee by Dorothy Gardner, Helen Hyde, Virginia Crockett, Doris Soleau, Betty Shurts and Catherine Comesty.

Additional reservations have been made by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Russell, Mr. and Mrs. David Fulcomer, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mack, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mayer, Frank Spotts, Evan Richardson, Henry Abramson.

Among those who will entertain at home before the dance are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morton, New street and Mr. and Mrs. William V. Irvine, Washington avenue.

In addition to the list of patrons and patronesses which was published in the Belleville News last week, are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gahr, Mr. and Mrs. George Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kavanaugh, Mr. and Mrs. William Priestman, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. George Goeke, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kaden, Mr. and Mrs. William Rivola, Kiernan's Funeral Home, Dr. and Mrs. George Kaden, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Virtue, Mr. and Mrs. J. Claude Powers, Dr. and Mrs. Morris Rochlin, Mr. and Mrs. Birdsall Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. T. Russell Sargeant, Mr. and Mrs. Everett B. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stewart.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of the County of Essex, New Jersey, to transfer to Mortimer Jonas, for premises located at No. 213 Belleville avenue, Belleville, New Jersey, the Pleasure, Retail Consumption License C-5 heretofore issued to Emanuel De Nola for premises located at No. 213 Belleville avenue, Belleville, New Jersey.

Objections, if any, should be made immediately, in writing, to Florence R. Jones, Town Clerk of Belleville, New Jersey.

MORTIMER JONAS, 213 Belleville Avenue, Belleville, New Jersey

(Chancery G-502)

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey, Between The Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a corporate body, complainant, and Anna Blackburn, et al., defendants. Fl. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House in Newark, on Tuesday, the Twelfth day of April next, at two o'clock P. M., all the premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, Essex County, New Jersey.

Beginning on the Western line of Union Avenue at a point therein distant eighty-nine feet and twenty-one hundredths of a foot Northerly from the intersection of the Northern line of Division Avenue with the Western line of Union Avenue; thence North sixty-eight degrees twenty-eight minutes West one hundred feet and one one-hundredth of a foot; thence North twenty degrees forty-five minutes East thirty-eight degrees South sixty-eight degrees twenty-eight minutes East and parallel with the first course one hundred feet and one one-hundredth of a foot to the point of Beginning.

Being known as No. 235 Union Avenue, Belleville, N. J.

The approximate amount of the Decree to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of Nine Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-eight dollars and eighty cents (\$9,278.88), together with the costs of this sale.

The premises are to be sold subject to current taxes.

Newark, N. J., March 7, 1938. JAMES A. McRELL, Sheriff. (318.50)

A. J. Rossbach, Solr. 41-3-18-1-X

(Chancery G-493)

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey, Between The Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a corporate body, complainant, and John J. Stunis and Ethel E. Stunis, his wife, defendants. Fl. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House in Newark, on Tuesday, the fifth day of April next, at two o'clock P. M., all the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, Essex County, New Jersey.

Beginning on the Southern line of May Street at a point therein distant one hundred feet East of the intersection of the Southern line of May Street with the first course one hundred feet to May Street; thence westerly along the same fifty feet to the point and place of Beginning.

Being lots No. 69 and 70 on Block No. 3 on No. 1 Maple Park, Belleville, N. J. Being the same premises conveyed to John J. Stunis and Ethel E. Stunis, husband and wife, by Sixth Ward Building and Loan Association of Newark, by deed of even date and recorded herewith.

This is a purchase money mortgage given to secure the purchase price of the premises above described and herein mortgaged.

Including all materials, equipment, furnishings or other property whatsoever installed or to be installed and used in and about the building or buildings now being erected or to be erected upon the lands above described, which are necessary to the complete and comfortable use and occupancy of such building or buildings for the purposes for which they were or are to be erected; including in part all awnings, screens, shades, fixtures and all heating, lighting, ventilating, refrigerating, incinerating equipment and appurtenances thereto (the said John J. Stunis and Ethel E. Stunis, his wife, having declared that it is intended that the items above enumerated shall be deemed to have been permanently installed as a part of the realty).

Being known as 71 May Street, Belleville, N. J.

The approximate amount of the Decree to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-three Dollars and Forty-one Cents (\$3,733.41), together with the costs of this sale.

Newark, N. J., February 28, 1938. JAMES A. McRELL, Sheriff. (327.50)

Stuckel and Suckel, Solrs. 41-3-18-4-X

Local Man Plays

At Shubert Theatre

William Tracy Has Part In College Comedy, "Brother Rat"

William Tracy, 87 Rossmore place, is a feature player in the production of the Monks and Finklehoffe, college comedy, "Brother Rat," which is appearing at the Shubert Theater this week.

Mr. Tracy, who was born in Newark, was educated in that city and pursued his dramatic study in the Academy of Dramatic Arts, New York City, and there came to the attention of George Abbott, producer of "Brother Rat."

He portrays the part of "Mistral Bottom," the newly entered cadet ("rat" to his fellows) at Virginia Military Institute, where the action of the play takes place.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BELLEVILLE

In the State of New Jersey, at the close of business on March 7th, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts	\$81,311.78
2. Overdrafts	26.26
3. United States Government securities	51,622.41
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	327,027.81
5. Banking house, \$128,400.00 Furniture and fixtures	139,974.07
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	97,196.56
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	353,316.53
9. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	281,969.03
10. Cash items not in process of collection	7,329.15
13. Other assets	7,329.15
Total Assets	2,050,416.35

LIABILITIES	
14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	429,622.15
15. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,060,536.42
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	227,410.00
17. United States Government and postal savings deposits	24,900.00
18. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	5,768.52
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	34,732.53
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	1,715,644.46
Total Deposits	1,748,237.54

27. Interest, taxes, and other expenses accrued and unpaid	7,510.92
28. Other liabilities	7,539.71
29. Capital account:	
Class A preferred stock, 1,000 shares, par \$57.50 per share, redeemable at \$57.50 per share	57,500.00
Class B preferred stock, 1,000 shares, par \$50.00 per share, redeemable at \$50.00 per share	50,000.00
Common stock, 2,000 shares, par \$50.00 per share	\$100,000.00
Undivided profits—net	\$200,000.00
Reserves for contingencies	14,396.22
Total Capital Account	296,996.31

Total Liabilities	2,050,416.35
MEMORANDUM: Loans and investments pledged to secure liabilities	
31. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	51,500.00
32. Total pledged (excluding redemptions)	51,500.00

33. Pledged:	
Against United States Government and postal savings deposits	25,500.00
Against deposits of trust department	15,000.00
Total pledged	51,500.00

State of New Jersey, County of Essex, ss: I, Luther E. Van Pelt, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LUTHER E. VAN PELT, Cashier. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of March, 1938.

EDWARD BRIDGENS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: ANDREW L. BOYLAN, HERBERT M. VANDERVOORT, EDWARD H. YERG, Directors.

(Chancery G-521)

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey, Between The Bloomfield Savings Institution, complainant, and Herbert S. Cusack, et al., defendants. Fl. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House in Newark, on Tuesday, the Twelfth day of April next, at two o'clock P. M., all the following tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, Essex County, New Jersey.

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Union Avenue therein distant one hundred and eighty-two hundredths of a foot from the intersection of the same with the southerly line of Union Avenue; thence (1) along Union Avenue south twenty-three degrees forty-four minutes west eighty feet; thence (2) north sixty-six degrees forty-six minutes east eighty-one and thirteen hundredths feet; and thence (3) north thirty-two degrees forty-nine minutes east eighty-one and thirteen hundredths feet; and thence (4) south sixty-six degrees forty-six minutes east one hundred feet to the westerly line of Union Avenue and the point and place of Beginning.

Being known and designated as lots Nos. 23 and 24 on map entitled "Map of property owned by Mrs. Jennie D. DeWitt at Belleville, Essex County, New Jersey," dated November 10, 1900, Francisco & Barkhorn, Surveyors.

Being commonly known as No. 277 Union Avenue, Belleville, N. J.

The approximate amount of the Decree to be satisfied by said sale is the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Forty-seven Dollars and Thirty-nine Cents (\$3,347.39), together with the costs of this sale.

Newark, N. J., March 7, 1938. JAMES A. McRELL, Sheriff. (320.16)

Arthur V. Talmage, Solr. 41-3-18-4-X

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST

BANK book from Peoples' National Bank and Trust Company, No. 8679. Finder return to bank. a8t-3-4-38-60A

BANK book No. 21816, the First National Bank, Belleville, N. J. Finder please return to James R. Raymond, 24 Coeyman avenue, Nutley, N. J. b4t-3-4-25-178A

FOR RENT

FURNISHED room, private family, near bus line. Phone Belleville 2-2084R. b4t-3-4-38-61A

FURNISHED or unfurnished room for business couple or gentlemen. Board optional. Call evenings or Saturdays, 227 Little street, first floor. Belleville 2-2110. b1t-3-18-38-186a

FURNISHED room in nice locality for gentleman. Convenient to trains and buses. References required. Call Belleville 2-2653W. a4t-3-11-18-25-4-1-38-179A

FURNISHED room. Comfortable, well lighted bedroom suitable for gentleman. Strictly residential district. Near all transportation. Rent reasonable. Belleville 2-1088. b1t-3-18-38-183a

ONE-FAMILY house, six rooms and bath. All improvements. \$38.00. Available May 1. 16 Smith street. b1t-3-18-38-184a

PIANO TUNING

PIANO Tuning—J. Edward Lay, "The Piano Doctor," endorsed by the Ernest Stevens piano studios of Montclair. Also tuner for Belleville schools. Established 20 years. Belleville 2-8053. btf-9-17-37-528.

SITUATION WANTED

NEAT colored girl wishes position as maid or second floor girl. Sleep in or out. Good references. Telephone Mitchell 2-3765. a1t-3-18-181A

For Sale

HOOSIER kitchen cabinet—oak. Phone Belleville 2-1078. b1t-3-18-38-57A

COW MANURE

WELL rotted cow manure; two cubic yards, \$5. Bonny Dell Farms, Ruthersford 2-6109. btf-10-1-37-545.

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ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts	1,512,189.39
2. Overdrafts	14.26
3. United States Government securities	941,924.25
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	729,871.65
5. Banking house, \$97,712.68 Furniture and fixtures	107,762.68
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	255,686.26
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	309,984.43
9. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	498,221.66
13. Other assets	20,235.53
Total Assets	4,385,890.76

LIABILITIES	
14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,074,499.60
15. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,336,952.01
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	300,968.76
17. United States Government and postal savings deposits	86,990.16
18. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	18,616.11
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$56,390.16
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$154,589.57
Preferred stock retirement fund	\$4,706.30
Total Capital Account	488,296.47

Total Liabilities	4,385,890.76
MEMORANDUM: Loans and investments pledged to secure liabilities	
31. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	33,304.00
33. Loans and discounts	35,904.00
Total pledged	69,208.00

State of New Jersey, County of Essex, ss: I, Francis J. McFadden, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCIS J. McFADDEN, Cashier. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of March, 1938.

JOSEPH F. HOWLEY,