

## CHRISTMAS WHIRL FINDS BELLEVILLE GOING STRONG

### Organization Busy With Charitable Work; P. O. Open Till 6 Three Nights

The Christmas whirl has caught Belleville firmly in its grasp and the town is seething with excitement, bustle and preparation for the great feast next Wednesday. All over town organizations and individuals are competing in a contest of charity and Bellevillites of all degrees are jamming the local stores and the post office.

Christmas giving is being done this year on a scale never before realized in Belleville. The Rotary Club has laid in a store of toys and candy for children; the Women's Club has provided for many Christmas dinners to be given through the Community Service Bureau; the proceeds of Monday's Community Christmas Festival will be used for baskets; the Welfare Department will distribute clothing and toys; the Belleville Babies' Benefit has adopted a needy family and will give it clothing and toys and other Christmas things.

Many individuals and some organizations such as the Parent-Teacher Association of School No. 1, the Helen V. Davis Chapter of the World Wide Guild of Grace Baptist Church and others, have contributed funds to the C. S. B. to help in spreading Christmas cheer.

The big rush in the post office began yesterday when thousands of pieces of mail were started on their way to distant points. The post office will remain open until 4 o'clock Saturday evening and on Monday and Tuesday. P. O. employees are glad of the early rush for they feel that the usual Christmas Eve madhouse will be lessened.

## RAISES FINALLY LEAKED OUT

### Public Learns of School Board's Action Nine Days After Meeting

Salary increases totalling \$8,750 for 175 school employees were voted by the Board of Education December 3 in a private meeting held in the board rooms in School No. 8. Word of the raises leaked out Thursday morning, nine days after the meeting.

Each of the 175 will receive \$50 more per year and the increases are retroactive, dating from the beginning of the school year last September. Included among the fortunate were 161 teachers, ten janitors, three clerks and the attendance officer. There are 241 school employees in the town.

The raises were given to high school teachers previously receiving less than \$2,500 a year and to elementary teachers and other employees under \$2,400. Board president Herbert C. Schmutz said that the increases would be paid mostly from accrued balances.

Schmutz denied that the action was taken as a result of the recent demands of the Teachers' Association for a revision of the entire salary set-up in the schools. He claimed that the raises had been under consideration some time before the demands were made on November 22.

The meeting at which the latest increases were voted was entirely spontaneous, Schmutz said. The sub-committee of the board had met for individual conferences and suddenly decided to dispense with formalities and to discuss the raises. Members of the board had denied on the morning of December 3 that a meeting was to take place that evening.

For Super Special in Liquor See Page 3 for the Best Bargains of the Week. Washington Liquor Store, 477 Washington Avenue, Belleville.

## Horror of Nazi Bombardment of Coventry Vividly Described By News Writer

### Almost Total Destruction of City Told In Letter To Miss Eileen Lynch

A colorful and vivid word picture of the smashing assault on the city of Coventry, England, by the Nazi air squadrons on November 14, was described this week in a letter from England received by Miss Eileen Lynch of 175 Tappan avenue. Coventry is the city, which according to dispatches, was almost completely leveled to the ground by the German bombs. The letter to Miss Lynch was written by Thomas Handford, whose brilliant style and accurate descriptions are explained by the fact that he has received considerable newspaper training. He listed his address as "Wolston, near Coventry (?) Rocks, England." The question mark was occasioned by the fact that he did not know whether or not Coventry could still be called a town after the hell of that night. The letter follows:

I am still alive. I wrote a letter to you a few days ago, and in it I said that if I were killed, someone would write and tell you, as a matter of interest. Look at the postmark on the envelope, how I am wondering — is this a case of premonition? You tell me. The last two or three days have, as you probably know, been a nightmare for us all. Goering's Luftwaffe had a day out. I'll tell you about it, as much as I saw — I expect you are waiting to know.

It all happened on Thursday night, November 14, and bombers were over exactly eleven hours. As dusk fell, I was on my way home, when the moan of sirens filled the air, and far away I heard the "thrum-thrum-thrum-thrum" of a German — you cannot mistake them, especially after practice. I thought that this one was another mild raid — a three hour's shower of stuff — and then silence. The shattering blast from a nearby battery blew the last few autumn leaves around me, and the brilliant flash over the town spoke of the first incendiaries. More flashes — more incendiaries, then a dark red haze lit the sky, and I could see the ruby colored night clouds sailing away to the East.

### Studded With Shell Bursts

The A. A. boys began a glorious frenzy of accurate and withering fire, and the sky was studded with pinpoints of shell bursts. Then more planes arrived and then the bombs really did begin to whistle down! I was properly scared when two incendiaries fell on the road in front of me, and with my friend, I kicked them into the ditch where they could do no harm. We travelled on amid the thun-

## SEAL SALES ARE AHEAD OF '39

### Local and Nutley Health Officers Report Big Gains; Raised \$1,198 Here

Sales of tuberculosis Christmas seals are far ahead of last year in both branches of the Belleville-Nutley Tuberculosis Association, according to announcements made yesterday by Eugene T. Berry and Richard V. Fellers, health officers and chairman of the drive in the two towns.

The Belleville sales leaped to their highest point this week with checks totalling \$407.55 returned. These brought the total for the town to \$1,198.80 compared to \$1,059.45 a year ago yesterday.

Nutley, meantime, reported \$1,061.29 as compared to \$981.60 a year ago. This puts the two towns \$219.04 ahead of 1939 with a grand total of \$2,260.09 as compared to \$2,041.05. Berry yesterday continued to send out cards of thanks to all seal purchasers and to urge that returns be made at the earliest possible date.

der of the barrage and bursting bombs, and reached home O.K. After eating a meal, we proceeded to some high ground with great coats and steel helmets, and watched the fun. We stood near a clump of fir trees, and these shadowed us from being observed from low aircraft. The moon was brilliant, and all was bathed in cold silver light and the red glare increased over the city. Each squadron met terrific fire from our guns, and the trees were sighing and creaking in the gust blast — I was too, mentally, believe me!

Suddenly eight flares appeared, and seemed like eight motionless moons; they take a long time to fall. From the dark woods, and from around the city, they shot some of them down. The red streaks of tracer shells sped towards the flares, and they reminded me of railways on a map. But there were more of them, that's all. When a hit was registered, the flare sprayed a thin white for many yards. About this time, we heard a high whine, and my friend Tom stuck his head in a rabbit-hole — rather like an ostrich! I ran like hell behind one of those friendly fir trees — and waited. But anti-climax — it was only a piece of snell! Poor Tom — he was covered with earth around the neck and ears. Still you can't take too many risks.

### Bombs Too Numerous

All this time, the roar of aircraft engines had filled the sky as wave after wave of aircraft arrived. We stared up to heaven to see if we could see them cross the moon, but failed. In that

strong light, I wonder why they dropped flares, because one could see even the furrows in the fields nearby. Each hour passed with the incessant hum of aircraft, and measured, murderous hail of shells to stem the onslaught. We began to count the bombs for given periods. They came too quickly for even my agile tongue. More and more flashes lit the horizon — and at intervals, extra special bursts of flame like tremendous mushrooms could be seen, with crimson darts leaping upwards. A heavy frost began to fall, and we grew very, very cold so we set a course for home. I fell asleep lulled by gunfire and the ever-present bomb thuds; I was very very afraid for beloved old Coventry.

Next morning — that was Friday — yesterday, I hurried to our factory as fast as I could; and ordered out the ambulance — you remember I told you I was on the stretcher squad. Curiously enough, the first casualty was a broken thigh (femur between you and I) — a man had fallen off his bicycle at the gates. So the first aid fixed him up with a grand splint and we set off for hospital. For the first mile we had a clear run, though it was difficult to see in the half light, but farther on the road was lit up by a block of flames. The engine in the road made it rather difficult to keep an even keel, but at last we came more into the city. Please try to understand that there are no words that I know of, of sufficient degree to convey the utter horror and destruction which abounded. Really, Eileen, I am not (Continued on Page 8)

## Christmas Carol Festival Will Be Permanent

### More Than 1,000 Braved Bad Weather Monday Night to Hear Program at High School; John W. Meade Was Excellent as The Soloist

Belleville's Christmas Carol Festival was presented Monday night and came to stay. Begun as an experiment last year, continued this year with slight misgivings, its quality and results have decided the committee to make it a permanent affair which, it is hoped, will become a tradition in this town. Monday's festival in the high school was just twice as good as last year's: the caliber of the singing was better, twice as many people attended (despite the pouring rain) and the fund for Christmas baskets for needy families was doubled.

John William Meade was in excellent voice and thrilled particularly in O Holy Night, which he had to repeat. His low notes were slightly hidden by the organ but his glorious voice went over with enthusiasm. His most effective piece of the evening was the solo work in The Birthday of a King.

The chorus of several hundred voices did well under the baton of Mary Elizabeth Compton. It is no easy task to whip a group of this size together in five rehearsals but the response was encouraging. The audience, contrary to the general rule, showed no hesitancy in breaking forth in the numbers which it was supposed to sing.

Ruel Lahmer exhibited an always-improving Woman's Club Choral in two selections. Both were done without accompaniment but the ladies never dropped a half-tone in pitch. The second of the group was his own Lullay.

As usual the junior choirs, culled from three churches, delighted the audience which something is always captivated by the richness of youthful soprano voices. The children were under the able direction of Mrs. Anna Bunnell.

The Belleville Men's Glee Club knew it had a job to do and did it well. With less than a third of its members present, the group was melodic and harmonic in Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming and thrilling in Ring Out, Wild Bells. The men were with director Arthur Jacobus on every beat.

One of the real hits of the evening was the High School Glee Club, neatly trained by Mrs. Alice Wagner. Each number was exactly executed and the double net which did the difficult "Twas the Night Before Christmas" captured the heart of the crowded auditorium. It is a shame, however, that more of the high school boys do not consider it worth while to support the school glee club. With a dozen more boys the club would be unbeatable.

The entire evening was much enjoyed by the 1,000 persons who braved the weather to attend. The Christmas Festival is one of the mighty few real community programs in Belleville and the response to it made the whole thing worth-while.

### Early Copy Next Week Because Of Holiday

Next week The News will be published as usual on Thursday. Because of Christmas Day coming in the middle of the week, however, we find it necessary to establish a deadline of Monday evening for news and advertising copy. No material received after that time can be guaranteed publication in the December 26 issue.

### Will Conscript Twelve More Men In January

Belleville will be called upon to supply twelve men for compulsory military service between January 6 to 17, according to an announcement made Tuesday night by Colonel Edgar N. Bloomer, working head of the State Selective Service.

Essex County will send 331 of the state's 1,850 draftees next month. Belleville sent eight men in the November quota and is expected to be asked for a total of 229 before July.

## If You'll Light A Candle Girl Scouts Will Sing

Light a candle and place it in a front window of your home on Christmas Eve. This is the advice of Miss Edna M. Baun who will take the girl scouts of Junior Troop No. 9 and Senior Troop No. 19 on a tour of the town that evening.

The girls will stop before each house in which there is a lighted candle and will sing Christmas carols. The caroling will start at 7:30 and will continue until midnight. The girls will ride in a truck decorated with Christmas greens.

Miss Baun started the girl scout caroling eight years ago. The mode of transportation alone has changed — from going on foot to a horse and wagon to a truck.

## PLAN TWO EVENTS FOR PETREANS

### Supper and Barn Dances On Calendar; Christmas Party Tomorrow

The Petrean Club made plans Tuesday night for two major social events to take place in the next few months. Thomas Mullen was appointed chairman of a committee for a barn dance and Miss Agnes Lally was named chairman of a formal supper-dance committee.

The club will hold its Christmas party tomorrow night in St. Peter's Hall at which gifts will be exchanged and refreshments served. Miss Claire Boniface chairman of the Children's Christmas party committee which will be held in the same hall December 29, announced that plans are virtually complete for the event.

William J. Brady, president of the club, will head the committee of producers of a college-life play to be presented in the spring and will be assisted by Miss Marjorie Malcolm and Irving Kraft. The show will be coached by James A. Leonard.

The Conscription Committee, headed by Miss Dolores Hanly, announced that Christmas gift packages have been sent to members of the club who are in the various military services. Also on the committee are Miss Rose Conolly, Miss Doris Neary, Miss Marion Flanagan, Miss Mae Watson, Chester Davis, Jack Carolan and John Monaghan.

Davis was also appointed to the publicity committee. The next meeting of the club is scheduled for January 7. The house committee announced that the Petrean clubrooms will not be open New Year's Eve.

## Aloysius J. Welsh To Celebrate First Mass Sunday

Aloysius J. Welsh, son of Mrs. Mary Welsh of 152 Washington avenue, will celebrate his first solemn high mass in St. Peter's Church Sunday morning at 11. He will be ordained tomorrow at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception at Catholic University, Washington, D. C.

Rev. Joseph M. Kelly, pastor of St. Peter's, will deliver the sermon. Father Welsh will be assisted at his mass by Rev. John S. Nelligan of St. Peter's as archpriest; Rev. Walter Curtis of the Immaculate Conception Seminary, Darlington, deacon; Rev. Joseph Owens of St. Anthony's Church, Union City, subdeacon; and Rev. John Callahan of North Plainfield, master of ceremonies.

A breakfast in St. Peter's Hall will follow the mass. A reception will take place at the home of his brother, Hugh Welsh of 29 Prospect place.

Father Welsh was born in Belleville and was graduated from St. Peter's Parochial School, St. Benedict's Preparatory School and Seton Hall College. He studied at the Darlington seminary and at the North American College in Rome.

## School Communicable Disease Low, Board Hears

Communicable diseases in the public schools are at a low ebb, the Health Department reported to the Board of Education through School Superintendent Farmer Tuesday night. The report showed only thirteen cases in the entire school system.

Scarlet fever and mumps led with four cases each, split evenly in two schools each. The scarlet fever was reported in schools Nos. 1 and 4, mumps in Nos. 4 and 5.

## D. of A. Sponsors Christmas Party For Nursery

Good American Council 102 Daughters of America, through its Good and Welfare Committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Viola Ferrell, have arranged a Christmas party for the children of the Belleville Day Nursery. Gloria Colfax of Nutley, tap dancer, will perform and Goria Elliott of this town will sing to entertain the children. The affair will be held tomorrow morning from 10:30 to 12:30. Candy and gifts will be provided for each child.

For Christmas Delicious Celery Plunge Farm cor Franklin ave. & Jorammon st. —Adv.

## Bless Everyone



Again we say to you, even as Tiny Tim said in Dickens' Christmas Carol, "Bless You Everyone." May this Christmas be the merriest, happiest Christmas of all.

## BSA COMMITTEES ARE NAMED

### Schmutz Is Appointed Chairman of Nominating Group; Plan Dinner

The appointment of a number of committees was announced yesterday by Frank Chambers, chairman of the Belleville District Committee of the Robert Treat Council, Boy Scouts, which met Monday night at the Town Hall. A nominating committee with Herbert C. Schmutz as chairman, Hugh D. Kittle, Luther E. Van Pelt, John P. Dailey and W. Douglas Clark, Jr., was appointed.

Also named was a committee to promote the Robert Treat Council annual dinner consisting of Dailey, William E. Pirk and Harry Brumbach. The dinner will be held at Kresge's dining room on Wednesday, January 22. Dr. James E. West, Chief Scout Executive, will be the principal speaker.

A Belleville District Scouters' dinner will be held in the next few months. The committee responsible for this affair will be Clarence Robst, Carl Hack, Pirk and Clark. Those present at the meeting were Chambers, Clark, Van Pelt, Pirk, Hack, Kittle, Brumbach, Schmutz, Edward Reed, Paul Jones and Joseph W. O'Farrell.

## Manufacturers' Group Holds Annual Dinner At Yountakah

The Belleville Manufacturers' Association held its ninth annual off-the-record dinner at the Yountakah Country Club, Nutley, last Wednesday and was given a complete picture of the town by Mayor Williams and other town officials. Col. Roy Jones, head of the Procurement Division of the Air Corps of the Second District, spoke on "What the Small Manufacturer Can Do to Help the Defense Program."

Eighty-one were present at the dinner. Among the guests were Commissioners Clark, King, Nell and Waters; School Board President Schmutz; School Superintendent Farmer; Tax Assessor Coogan; Town Treasurer Sargeant and Auditor Alphonse Hart. Mayor Williams talked on the financial condition of the town.

## Schools Close Tomorrow For Holiday Recess

More than 6,000 Belleville school children will leave classrooms tomorrow afternoon for the Christmas holidays. The public schools, elementary and high, will return to classes Thursday morning, January 2. St. Peter's Parochial School will go back Monday, January 6.

## Must Renew Mercantile Permits By January 15

The final date for renewal of many mercantile licenses in town is January 15, Health Officer Berry notified merchants this week. If they are not renewed before that date, they will be revoked, he said. He recommended that the licenses be taken care of before the first of the year. Affected by the order are licenses for baby boarding houses, chicken markets, goat keepers, ice houses, plumbers and milk for both store and truck delivery.

## FIVE-POINT JUMP IN SCHOOL RATE SEEMS LIKELY

### Lynch Reports To Board; Junior High Next Year Not Expected

A rise of more than five points in the amount to be raised by taxation toward the 1941-42 school budget was foreseen in a preliminary budget report given to the Board of Education Tuesday night by James M. Lynch, chairman of the finance committee. Lynch looks forward to a total budget of \$678,121.67, of which \$497,703.13 must be raised by local taxation. The tentative figures provide for the establishment of manual training courses in eight of the elementary schools and for salary increases for teachers for the 1941-42 school year.

The amount earmarked for the increase was not made known, but Board President Herbert C. Schmutz did tell a teachers' committee present at the meeting that "I can say definitely at this time that the \$17,000 will not be in this year's budget." He was referring to the request of the Teachers' Association made several weeks ago in which it requested a change from the merit to the automatic system of salary increases.

Raises for the teachers will be included in the new budget, Schmutz declared, but "as to the exact amount I am not prepared to say." He claimed that the estimate of \$17,000 as the cost in the first year was too low, that the method would also have to be applied to other school employees and would mean \$23,000.

The increase in the amount to be raised in local taxes was increased also, Lynch stated, because of decreased state aid. He said that the state had cut its contribution from the per cent of approximately \$5,500. The state's share of the local budget will be about \$145,000, Lynch estimated. He pointed out that "we are on a continually decreasing state aid" policy.

The 1940-41 budget, approved in February, called for expenditures of \$662,862.76, which means an increase of \$15,258.91. The amount to be gotten by taxes, however, has risen from \$481,001.61, or an increase of \$16,701.52. This year's budget had dropped close to \$3,000 from 1939-40.

## To Leave Here

Some quarters chose to interpret the inclusion of a provision for manual training in the schools as an indication that the school board has decided against the establishment of a junior high school here. The Belleville school system was criticized last summer in a report by the State Department of Education because of the lack of such a course in the seventh and eighth grades.

With the opening of a junior high and the consequent absorption of those two grades into it, the manual training would be given in only one school and it would not be necessary to set up classes in eight elementary schools.

School Superintendent Farmer made a report to the board several months ago in which he stated that the courses could be set up at a cost of about \$7,000 — but he also concluded with a recommendation for a junior high. The third endorsement for the idea came from Dr. O. P. Dales who made a survey for the board and reported in November.

## Mayer Is Chosen Treasurer Of Board of Realtors

Arthur E. Mayer of 240 Greylocks parkway was elected treasurer of the Board of Realtors of Bloomfield, Glen Ridge, Belleville and Nutley at the annual meeting of the group held Monday night in Bloomfield. Mayer, who has his office at 338 Washington avenue, has been in the real estate business in town for many years.

Nathan N. Paul of Nutley, secretary-treasurer of Jacobs Realty Company of 484 Washington avenue, this town, was named to the executive committee. Other new officers include George T. Bowers of Nutley, president; Harvey E. Harris of Bloomfield, vice-president; and John Schumacher of Bloomfield, secretary.

Also named to the executive committee were Andrew E. Blossom of Nutley and Harry Werble of Bloomfield. The thirty-two members who attend the meeting also partook of a dinner served in Schumb's Restaurant.

## New Liquor Store Will Open Doors Today

The new Belleville Liquor Store at 163 Washington avenue will open its doors for the first time today. The store, which specializes in wines, will be operated by a family which has been a producer of fine wines both here and abroad for three generations. The new mart will feature the latest improved retail fixtures and indirect lighting and will carry a complete line of nationally-known wines and liquors. The public has been invited to use the free advisory service the staff in selecting and serving wines for occasions.

## LICENSE NOTICE

All Licenses, except Beverage, expire Dec. 31, 1940. Application for 1941 Licenses may be made at the Department of Revenue & Finance, Town Hall, from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and 8:30 A.M. to 12 Noon Saturday.

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## SECOND PERIOD HONOR ROLL

### High School

**Seniors** — Irving Berkowitz, Dorothy Banta, Elvira Donofrio, Frances Fabis, Betty Gray, Eleanor Harker, Irene Rogers, Juniors — Jean Duley, Jeanne De Niro, Shirley Frisby, Leonora Grover, Hugh Kittle, Ann Kishall, Henrietta Rader, Ida Takash, Thomas Winsky.  
**Sophomores** — Douglas Baird, John Bergamino, Marie Cooper, Marjorie Ebel, Doris Heath, Dolores Inaugurato, Fred Idendis, Bernard Lindemann, Irene Keddle, Louis Kittle, Doris McDonnell, Jane McNeil, Lillian Munro, Barbara Simpson, Robert Sibilia, Stanley Whetstone.  
**Freshmen** — Catherine Anderson, Harold Atkins, Marie Blaser, Glenna Clark, Betty Cooke, Bertha Hermann, Ruth McLaughlin, Donald Rochlin, Helen Walsh, Marjorie Wyrw.

### School No. 1

Grade 8 — Alyce Essayan, Jean Walker, Gladys Granger, Helen Morrow, James Worble.  
Grade 7 — Helma Tinkle, Evelyn McAllister, Robert Hopf, Ned Becker, Jean Martin.  
Grade 6 — Manfred Lindeman, Evelyn Koehler, George Moses, Edward Meeker, Dorothy Conner.  
Grade 5 — John Miller, Billy Cartwright, Edna Diechman.  
Grade 4 — Frances Whinyates, Priscilla Adams, Lorraine Roberts, Joseph Bergamino, Ralph Nacea, Marion Parker, Katherine Kella, James Brown, Herbert Brown.  
Grade 3 — Richard Lindeman, Agnes Bartholomew, Anna Comer, Joan Deichman, Rita McCann, Marcene Muller, Evelyn Adelheim, Barbara Gilbert, Mary DeJessie, Blanche Goodman, Arthur Dey, Lenora Heycock.  
Grade 2 — Frederick Zeliss, Shirley Laursen, Sidney Lawson, Lucille Parise, Marie Cleare, Edward Burns, Valeria Coleman, Carolyn Smith, William Klein, Roy Place, Sylvia Hixon, Claude Salisbury.  
Grade 1 — Jane Lee, Marjuerite Runions, Stephen Teemer, Margaret Brown, Shirley MacEachern, Sydney Tilk.

### School No. 2

Grade 6 — Marie Forziona, Mary Rovjohn, William Tortorollo.  
Grade 5 — Marilyn Svetell, Lillian Tortorollo.  
Grade 4 — Dorothea Barnett, Natalie Dymmek, Eleanor Jayson, Angela McIlwain, Russell Wilsey.  
Grade 3 — Richard Lontka, Salvatore Mignone, Nancy Reed, Connie Valse.  
Grade 2 — Frances Bilenky, Carl Buccino, Virginia Cook, Dorothy Revello.  
Grade 1 — Howard Barnett, Sarah Campora, Claire Dietz, Nancy Imbrosciano, Walter Minard, Jerry Pettilio, Barbara Stone.

### School No. 3

Grade 8 — Alfred Jennings, Kathleen Owens, Janice Whetstone, Betty Rivola, Alberta Gallacher, Doris Dickinson, William Gerard, Mary McCall, Kenneth Marycott.  
Grade 7 — Patricia Plummer, Elsie Aierstok, Marilyn Lothes, Jack Klos, Mary Duley, Janice Dunn.  
Grade 6 — Joan Bramhall, June Platner, Ruth Radee, Tommy Walsh, Shirley Crisp, Nicholas Hascourt.  
Grade 5 — James Hall, Marilyn Ackerman, Doris Cohen, Hazel Martin, Donald McEllicot, Marjorie Elsworth.  
Grade 4 — Mary Klos, Joan Riley, Eric Sheard, Bobby Struble, Joan McFadden, Allen Holzman, Vincent Miller.  
Grade 3 — Barbara Kirk, Jean Mosby, David VanDusen, Charles Seafoss, Herbert Wilson, Tom Hagood, June Boyd, Nancy Eberis.  
Grade 2 — John Massarano, Ronald Ryer, Ronald Krauss, Leonard Weinglass, Alicia Allen, Mary Elizabeth Gerard, Sylvia Hart.  
Grade 1 — Felicia Molyneux, Eleanor Mann, Carol Hartley, Joan Jirak, Joan Thompson, Marcia Walker, George Weston.

### School No. 4

Grade 8 — Theare Bass, Rita Marotti, Salvatore Perrone, Betty Kleinkecht, Domenico Le Fond, Lois Cole, Geraldine Donatiello, Grace Goglia, Anita Sibilia, Robert Cole, Samuel Iacangelo, Joan Carnie, Evelyn Genarelli, Sarah Gibson.  
Grade 7 — Ralph Melillo, Josephine Albertine, Jean Noto, Joseph Barbone, Louis Nistovicca, Salvatore Passafara, Matthew Petti, James Villano, Antoinette Buccino, Rose Campora, Lena May Davis, Geraldine Marchione, Donald Capanear, Clifford Heiss, Alfonso Porcella, Katherine

Li Mandri, Tracy Testarelli, Jennie Papa, Reubin Christy, Norma La Riano.  
Grade 6 — Joan Constantino, Theresa Bollotta, Angelina Busceni, Lorraine Caruso, Marilyn Marshall, Lucille Mucicgro, Marie Reddavid, Grace Summuro, Frank Porcella, Nettie Baruch, Marie Christian, Joseph Bonanno, Theresa Mabanese, Mildred Li Mandri, Rose Mele, Margie Pomponio.  
Grade 5 — Anthony Esposito, Ida Marzulli, Norma Filomena, Lucille Mucicgro, Grace Sammarco, Joseph Cancelliere.  
Grade 4 — Thomas Cuomo, Salvatore Tiburzi, Joseph Melillo, Vito De Meo, Irlia Pomponio, Rocco Ceo, Salvatore Sorice, James Bartow, Fred Baruch, Walter Johnson, Albert Scivetti, Kathryn Payne, Fred Torchia, Jennie Novichino, Paul Ferraioli, Michael Iacangelo, Allene Gibson, Anthony Calamia.  
Grade 3 — Salvatore Pelais, Anthony Stefanelli, Grace Gallico, Michalina Scuti, Phillis Sibilia, Rosalie Abanes, Mildred Averna, Concetta Bonfante, Ernest Curvin, Pauline Forman, Marie Porcella, Barbara Roselli, Frank Blotta, Billy Payne, Joseph Bonciani, Thomas Castucci, Marie Bruno, Amelia Notare, Dolores Venetiano, Theresa Zecca.  
Grade 2 — William Buchicchio, Anthony Calderone, John Zaccaro, Jean Le Pond, Doris O'Keefe, Albert Gibson, Domenick Jacobelli, Givo Manza, John Nicastro, Domenick Scuti, Carmen Sorice, Grace Cuozzo, Dolores Moretti, Grace Nistovicca, Rita Laccenza, Carmela Pasercchia, Norma Mele, Concetta Saulino, Jerry Clemente, Angelina Gialino, Domenick Buttilieri.  
Grade 1 — Vincent Nardello, Anthony Russo, June Marshall, Louise Di Morick, Catherine Stefanelli, Eleanor Di Giustin, Josephine Minichello, Marie Mineo, Donald Payne, Joan Juliano, Domenick Stangelino, Marie Marie Torchia, Jennie Novichino, Catherine Inelli, Josephine Serritella.

### School No. 5

Grade 8 — Muriel Atkins, Rosemary De Phillips, Marion Lanning, Irene Siodock, Curvin, Pauline Forman, Marie Porcella, Margaret Kneer, Clifford Kreiser, Doris Kessel, Ethel Rosamelo.  
Grade 7 — Helen Haley, Fern Kubec, Barbara Lanning, Phillis Sooy, James Devaney, Robin Snelker.  
Grade 6 — Huch Murphy, Merle Watson, Joan Hagenbusch, Ramon Thaler, Barbara Armstrong, Tony Dickinson, Robert Nielsen, Jane Tanis, William Naturo.  
Grade 5 — Conrad Herr, Robert Greenberg, Joan Pugh, Mildred Crawford, Richard Orr, Anthony Iannarone, Patricia Delaney.  
Grade 4 — Bernice Brophy, Claire Stein, Mildred Davis, Doris Gleney, William Russell, Jack Russell, Kathleen Robinson, Jack Cohn, Doris Keenan, Judith Selbiger, Wilma Lichbody.  
Grade 3 — Cynthia Cooper, Robert McNish, Carl Luhrs, Betty Jewell, Joan Kintzing, Cyrus Moore, Lyman Hooper.  
Grade 2 — Roger Hansen, Barbara Blinn, Jean Cheney, Beverly Garson, Elizabeth Robinson, Marilyn Scheie, Carmel De Phillips, Carol Melanus, Richard Dalatri, Massey Ford.  
Grade 1 — Joseph Torma, Elmer Korn, William Stanley, David Gruman, Dolores Russo, Wilma Cartwell, Frances Ferrara, Jane Charlton, Barbara Hart, Nancy Littlewood, Norman Killingsback.

### School No. 7

Grade 8 — Patricia Hunstinger, Marie Imperato, Alvin Outcalt, Suzanne Selzer, Viola Scribner, Norma Sorze.  
Grade 7 — Nan Chesley, Eleanor Gavilhusky, Anne Gerain.  
Grade 6 — Robert Cassin, Marion MeTiernan, Dolores Riley, Robert Selzer.  
Grade 5 — Rene Gleney, Laverne Outcalt, Ilana Pasquariello.  
Grade 4 — William Best, Leonora Borjyevski, Gerald Heinzman, Joyce Shaffer, Joan Sorze.  
Grade 3 — Gilda Del Guercio, Lois Ann Jepson, Louis Paterno, James Robinson, Henry Wachen.  
Grade 2 — Evelyn Denner, Shirley Hunstinger, Angela Lupo, Mildred Mayers, Nancy Paterno, Jean Tringano.  
Grade 1 — Shirley Buhl, Alberta Cohen, Bernard Danale, Leonard Giannetti, Steven Macanaga, Patricia Passera, Joseph Simone, Dorothy Snyder, Eleanor Taylor, Gordon Thompson, Helen Zimmerman.

### School No. 8

Grade 8 — Russell Arata, Carol Crowther, Gertrude Pappas.  
Grade 7 — Marion Casky, Mildred Hoffman, Grace Smille.  
Grade 6 — John Donhauser, Kathleen Flynn, Harriet Caskey, Shirley Sandford.  
Grade 5 — Theresa Boniface, Louise Campbell, Lois Jaculla, Eleanor Kiley.  
Grade 4 — Joseph Lane, Kelly McBride, Patricia Lister, Clemence Robinson, Arlene Rothwell, Robert Vivent.  
Grade 3 — Dominick DeSotro, Roanne

Robert Lane, John Lind, Robert Notta, Joyce Curran, Anita Sisselman, Lucy Tortorollo.  
Grade 2 — Donald Bridge, Joan Grover, Frances Hayes, Nancy Jackson, Robert Slick.  
Grade 1 — Janet Reichtold, James Bloom, Gail Campbell, John Carpel, Margaret Curran, Robert Donnelly, Paty Ann Flynn, James Hooper, Carl Sharp.

### School No. 9

Grade 8 — George Edwards, Louis Johnson, George Keating, Rosalie Distasio, Florence Riesler, Rose Watson.  
Grade 7 — Frank Takash, Beatrice Gieser, Billy Gross.  
Grade 6 — Leona O'Droney, Ann Hirschler, Mary Ann Carissimo, Maudelene Riesler, Dorothy Williams, Murray Gieser.  
Grade 5 — Barbara Baker, Carmel

### School No. 10

Grade 8 — Lois Black, Benny Mescho, Ruth Ness, Gladys Perry, Marilyn Zusi.  
Grade 7 — Flora Boniface, Teresa Dunn,

Russo, Jean Pulley, Robert Conklin, Siegfried Schindwein, John Distasio.  
Grade 6 — Joyce Coffey, Jean Gelin, Marie Melchione, Renee Zahler, Leonard Duci, James Thompson, Joseph Wells.  
Grade 5 — Anthony Schialle, Paul Vesey, Patricia Bailey, Ellen Di Giacomo, Clara Dowling, Elizabeth Lennox, Gloria Melchione, Lorraine O'Droney, Virginia Russo, Hope Wells, Marie Gerard, William Gerard.  
Grade 4 — Richard Jeannotte, Marjorie Goodhear, Catherine Fusaro, Audrey Stefanelli, Margaret Leone, Donald McCloskey.  
Grade 3 — Marcellene Kane.

### School No. 10

Grade 8 — Lois Black, Benny Mescho, Ruth Ness, Gladys Perry, Marilyn Zusi.  
Grade 7 — Flora Boniface, Teresa Dunn,

Dorothy Johnson, Barbara Lamsford, Robert Metinsky, Marilyn Werner.  
Grade 6 — Allen Cacciarelli, Donald Hayes, Josephine Forte, Nancy Fried, Jean Lane, Charlotte Mercurio, Paul Mischio.  
Grade 5 — Regina Coonan, Dorothy Hendrie, Audrey Lynna, John Sim, George Stichel.  
Grade 4 — Mary Ellen Alvino, Lorraine Barry, Edward Fitzgerald, Joseph Flannery, William Johnson, Lee Richardson, Anne Sim.  
Grade 3 — Patricia Ford, Donald Green, Robert Krumeich.  
Grade 2 — Carol Lynn Achley, Edward Costenbader, Patricia Donovan, Nancy Downey, Claire Ness, Colette Tupper.  
Grade 1 — Jeanie McEwan, Mary Ann Mercurio, Tony Noll, Robert Serpentelli, Frank Truina.



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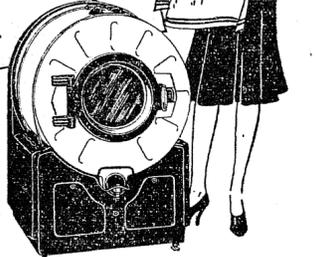
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# Two Wedding Anniversaries To Be Marked This Week

**William J. Crosses Will Be Hosts Tonight at The Down Town Club; Observance Sunday For The T. Russell Sargeants**

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Cross of New street will entertain this evening at dinner at the Down Town Club in Newark in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, after which the party will be continued at their home. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Summerfield of this town; Mr. and Mrs. George Coughlin of Short Hills, and Mr. and Mrs. William Steadman of East Orange. Mr. and Mrs. T. Russell Sargeant of Adelaide street will celebrate their twenty-fifth anniversary on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Cure, Mrs. Horace Winship, Mrs. Margaret Norris, and Mrs. Ernest Potter of this town attended a meeting of their luncheon and bridge club at the home of Mrs. Arthur Waller of Glen Ridge, and were entertained at a Christmas party.

Mrs. Frank Browne, Mrs. N. C. Uhl, Mrs. Claude Freed, Mrs. Harold Ford, Mrs. Weldon Melroy, Mrs. Raymond Vosburgh and Mrs. Philip Reide of this town were guests yesterday at bridge and a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Frank Kienle of Nutley.

Mrs. R. H. Minion of DeWitt avenue will entertain this afternoon at cards and a Christmas party for Mrs. Daniel Hyde, Mrs. George Hildebrand, Mrs. Horace Winship, Mrs. William Melton, Mrs. Charles Beer, Mrs. Minnie Weber, and Mrs. Mary Apperson of this town.

Mrs. H. G. Meyer and Mrs. A. E. Ewing of Greylock parkway were guests Monday at luncheon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Retaliata of Rutherford.

**At Bethany Church**  
Mrs. Philip Drentlaw of Bell street was hostess, Friday at a demonstration luncheon for the benefit of Bethany Lutheran Church. Twenty-six attended.

Mrs. Vincent Naylor and Mrs. Robert Morrall of Van Rensselaer street will be guests today at bridge and a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Horace Smith of Newark.

The Richard Breckenridges of Hornblower avenue will entertain Sunday at Christmas dinner for Mrs. Breckenridge's brother and sister-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Siebold and daughters Doris and Joan of Brewster, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dackerman of Norwood; and Mrs. Harold Harrington of Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kenneth Wands of Smallwood avenue had as their guests Saturday evening, Mrs. John Daly, the Misses Dolores Daly and Doris Mann, and John and Newton Daly of this town; Mr. and Mrs. Guss Hyer and daughter, Miss Elvyn Hyer and son Donald Hyer of Irvington; and Mrs. Bertha Becker of Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ewing of Greylock parkway entertained, Sunday at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ott and daughter Barbara, Mrs. Sarah Ewing and Winfield Walsh of Brooklyn.

Miss Mae G. Livingston of Howard place was among the guests Saturday evening at supper and a Christmas party at the home of Miss Althea Nichols of Montclair. Other guests were from Hackensack, Woodridge, South Orange, Montclair, Newark and Westfield.

**Return From Pennsylvania**  
Mrs. W. Gardner Edwards and son David of Howard place returned home Monday after spending a few days visiting with relatives in Pennsylvania.

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## Frances Berkowitz Is Wed To Harrison Dentist

Miss Frances Berkowitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Berkowitz of 20 Essex street, and Dr. Vivian M. Jacobs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Jacobs of 318 Cleveland avenue, Harrison, were married Sunday evening at 7 by Rabbi Rubin Dobin at The Clinton Manor in Newark. A reception for the families and immediate friends followed.

A formal white crepe gown with train and a long tulle veil were the bride's choice. She carried a small white Bible marked with white orchids. Miss Beatrice Berkowitz was her sister's only attendant. Gowned in flesh pink tulle she carried an old-fashioned bouquet. Irwin Greisman of New York was Dr. Jacob's best man.

Mrs. Berkowitz, mother of the bride wore a gown of champagne crepe with gold accessories and an orchid corsage; while Mrs. Jacobs was gowned in fuchsia chiffon with silver accessories. Her corsage was also of orchids. Mrs. Lottie Schwartz also of the Essex street address, grandmother of the bride, was present gowned in gray crepe with matching accessories.

Their honeymoon trip to Mexico followed by a sojourn in Florida will keep the young couple away for about a month. After that time they will live at 314 Harrison avenue, Harrison where the doctor conducts his dental practice. Miss Berkowitz was graduated from Belleville High School in 1937.

## Miss Rodenbeck Will Wed At Noon December 28

High noon is the hour chosen for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Rodenbeck, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Rodenbeck of 204 Berkeley avenue, Bloomfield and the late William Rodenbeck. The family lived until recently at 85 Bell street. She will be married on Saturday, December 28, to Warren M. Johnson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren M. Johnson of Kingston, New York, in Grace Baptist Church by Rev. Walter Lake. A reception will be held at Wille's Restaurant in Orange. Attended by Miss Miriam Day of Ocean Grove the bride-to-be will be given in marriage by her

brother, John, of Bloomfield. Mr. Johnson's best man will be his brother, Frank, of Kingston. James Theford of 180 Linden avenue and William Rodenbeck, Jr. of Asbury Park, also a brother of the bride-elect, will be the ushers.

Miss Rodenbeck's gown of white satin will be covered with a long tulle veil draped from a crown of seed pearls. She will carry white roses and her attendant will be gowned in periwinkle blue. After a brief honeymoon the couple will be at home at 94 Valentine road, Bloomfield. Miss Rodenbeck attended Belleville High School and Mr. Johnson, Kingston High School. He is employed at the Crocker-Wheeler Electric Manufacturing Company's plant in Amper.

## Vreeland Party Tonight

The annual Christmas party of the Henry Vreeland Woman's Relief Corps No. 32 will be held this evening at Montgomery Presbyterian Church following the regular business meeting at 8. Mrs. Gertrude Revere, corps president, will preside.



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# ESSEX COUNTY POLITICS

by Meador Wright

The ever widening ramifications of the Thomas A. Davis embroilments in Orange are sure to have some political influence. Too many people are involved and the defalcations were too flagrant to be forgotten very easily. The vigorous prosecution of the case by Prosecutor Wachenfeld's office increases the latter's political stature. Wachenfeld is from Orange and naturally knew Davis well. But he has insisted that the law must follow its course. The more strenuous the times the more impatient the public becomes with crimes such as Davis has admitted to. Public officials who condone or seem to condone crime are not likely to fare too well in this section during the next year or so.

Political strategists who are looking for a cue as to whom Governor-elect Edison will seek advice from should keep an eye on Wachenfeld. More than anyone else save perhaps Joseph M. Byrne, Wachenfeld is the key Democratic figure in Essex County. Chairman McMahon has the ear of Jersey City's influence will be paramount after Edison's inauguration. The publicity over the Montclair leader appears too tolerant about the past records of too many men whom he recommends for public office.

**Escaped Bossism Term**  
In the past public scandal has always inured to the benefit of Arthur T. Vanderbilt and his organization. No traffic with crime has been the key policy Vanderbilt has pursued during the two decades which he has been a Republican leader in Essex. This watchfulness has had a two-fold effect. It has enabled Vanderbilt to make several political come-backs and it has prevented his being tagged effectively with the term of political boss. Political bosses very seldom work in the Vanderbilt manner.

A member of the Essex Assembly delegation made the prediction a few days ago that Vanderbilt would "retire from leadership before the next primary." What this assemblyman forgot is that Vanderbilt has nothing to retire from. He holds no office save that of County Counsel. Everyone knows that he is the power behind the scene. But that position is a flexible one. If times seem not too propitious, Vanderbilt simply devotes more time to his law practice which is said to net him now a quarter-million dollars a year.

Political observers in Essex noted that the resolution last Saturday dissolving the Willie Clubs contained the suggestion that the new organization encourage a new type of candidate to seek local office to the end that the tone of government throughout the nation be improved. This was a simple invitation for independent Republicans to seek to oust organization candidates. This would apply equally in Essex even though the organization here bears also the title of "Clean Government."

**Mrs. Maude A. Jacobs Rites Saturday**

Despondency was blamed for the suicide of Mrs. Maude A. Jacobs of 44 Overlook avenue Thursday. The contents of the note which she left her husband, Raleigh Jacobs, were not divulged.

Jacobs said he last saw his wife when he left for work at 7 o'clock Thursday morning. When he returned at 7:25 that evening he found her sitting on a chair with her head in the oven of a gas stove and the jet open. Police and firemen gave artificial respiration but the woman was pronounced dead by Town Physician Martin M. Meehan. Assistant County Medical Examiner Berardinelli listed the death as suicide.

Mrs. Jacobs was fifty-four. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in the Irvine General Home. Interment was in Arlington Cemetery.

Mrs. Oscar Korn of Washington avenue has arranged a party for ten or twelve children to celebrate the third birthday on Saturday of her son, Abraham.

**William Mate, Russell Roberts Pedestrian Victims**  
William Mate, sixty-three, of Farley avenue, Newark, proprietor of a tavern at 501 Washington avenue, was said not to have been seriously injured when he was struck by a car in Little street shortly before 6:30 Saturday night.

**Man Saved From Asphyxiation In Carmer Avenue Home**  
What was described by police as a suicide attempt was frustrated yesterday morning by a telephone call from an unknown man. Police rushed to 79 Carmer avenue where they found Anthony Spasato, seventy-four, overcome by gas.

Examined by Town Physician Martin M. Meehan, he was found to have suffered no serious ill effects and did not require respiration. Police said that Spasato turned on two jets of the gas stove while his daughter, with whom he lives, was out of the house shopping.

**Legion Juniors Wrap Packages For Crippled Children**  
Junior members of Belleville Unit No. 105, American Legion Auxiliary under the supervision of Mrs. Joseph L. Kolinsky will wrap and pack gifts this week to be distributed among the ward patients at the Crippled Children's Hospital in Newark for Christmas. Senior members will assist the Juniors in making favors to accompany the gifts. They will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph J. Huemer of 179 Cedar Hill avenue.

The Christmas committee is completing plans for the party to be held for children of veterans at the Recreation House, Monday at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Kolinsky and Mrs. William A. Kant will deliver Christmas baskets to needy families on Monday. Any donations for these baskets should reach Mrs. Kant not later than Sunday at her home at 383 Cortlandt street. Anyone wishing to help the Auxiliary make children's dresses for the Red Cross please contact Mrs. William I. Labaugh of 62 Lloyd place, chairman, as soon as possible as these dresses are to be completed by January 15.

**Hemingway Novel Favorite Of Library Readers**  
Most popular among the fiction in the adult department of the Free Public Library this week are:

For Whom The Bell Tolls, Hemingway; Stars on The Sea, Mason; How Green Was My Valley, Llewellyn; Kitty Foyle, Morley; The Family, Fedorova; The Beloved Returns, Mann; Raleigh's Eden, Fletcher; The Stone of Chastity, Sharp; Landfall, Shute, and Gypsy, Gypsy, Godden. Books on Christmas featured in the adult department are:

New Plays For Christmas, Sanford; Christmas Tales and Christmas Verse, Field; Perfect Christmas, Heaton; Christmas Carols, Walter; Yuletide in Many Lands, Pringle; Book of Christmas Verse, Beeching; Bird's Christmas Carol, Wiggins, and Why The Chimes Rang, Alden.

**Carol Carswell On Program At Ridgewood**

Miss Carol Carswell of DeWitt avenue, clarinetist, accompanied Marie Wells, coloratura soprano of Verona, Tuesday evening at the concert given by the Ridgewood Choral Society at the Ridgewood Woman's Club. Miss Carswell and Marie Wells worked together in "Der Hirt auf den Felsen," which is the only composition of Franz Schubert written for piano, clarinet and voice. Miss Carswell, who is a student at the Julliard School in New York, is a pupil of Jan Williams and Charles Theford of South Orange. She is in the solo chair in the Nutley Symphony, the West Hudson, Fuld Hall and NYA orchestras. She was graduated from the high school last June.

## Chairman



Harvey Nielsen

## ALUMNI DANCE NEXT FRIDAY

**Harvey Nielsen Is In Charge; Expect Big Crowd At Meadowbrook**

Only five days remain in which to make reservations for the first annual High School Alumni Association supper-dance at the Meadowbrook a week from tomorrow night, general chairman Harvey Nielsen of 20 Beech street pointed out yesterday. No reservations will be accepted after Monday, he said.

Nearly 100 bids have already been taken up, he announced, but said that, should there be a demand for more than have been contracted for, arrangements can be made at the Meadowbrook to enlarge the space allotted to the affair. The committee has reserved one entire side of the popular night spot in Cedar Grove.

Bobby Byrnes will supply the music for dancing. His popular rhythms have become the hit of the nation during the past year. Preparations for the supper-dance, the first large affair to be staged by the association since its formation last spring, were begun in November. A number of hotels and supper clubs in North Jersey were visited by the committee before the Meadowbrook was selected. Janet Forhes has been Nielsen's principal assistant during the making of the plans.

The tables will be arranged according to classes with each graduating group in its own section. Nielsen said that classes as far back as 1893 will be represented. An escort bureau was established and is still functioning to aid those who find themselves without "dates." The members of the committee are:

Miss Janet Forhes of 97 McKinley street, Nutley; Miss Marjorie Breen of 83 Tappan avenue, Miss Genevieve Holland of 178 W. Whit avenue, Miss Patricia Field of 48 Schuler avenue, Miss Ann Donovan of 98 Liberty avenue, Miss Doris Prophet of

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| Fancy Pumpkin        | A&P Brand Grade A   | 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans   | 15c  |
| Flako Pie Crust      |   | 2 Pkgs.            | 19c  |
| Fruit Cocktail       | SULTANA Brand   | No. 1 Can          | 10c  |
| Fresh Prunes         | SULTANA Brand   | No. 2 1/2 Can      | 10c  |
| Sweet Cider          | MOTT'S Old Fashioned  | 1/2 gal. Jug       | 22c  |
| Grape Juice          | A&P Brand   | Pt. Bot.           | 10c  |
| Mixed Nuts           |   | Lb.                | 17c  |
| Assorted Chocolates  | WARWICK   | 5 lb. Box          | 99c  |
| Cigarettes           | Popular Brands  | Carton of 10 Pkgs. | 1.19 |
| Yukon Club           | GINGER ALE, CLUB SODA Fruit Flavor—Plus Deposit (Case of 12... 89c) | 3 Lge. Bots.       | 25c  |

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DUCKS	Extra Fancy Long Island's Finest	Lb. 19c		
SMOKED HAMS	10 to 12 lb. Average	Lb. 23c		
POT ROAST	BONELESS CHUCK	Lb. 29c		

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| Tomato Juice           | IONA Brand                | 3 24 oz. Cans       | 20c |
| Pineapple Juice        | A&P Brand                 | 3 18 oz. Cans       | 25c |
| Campbell's TOMATO SOUP |                           | 3 Cans              | 20c |
| Tomato Soup            | ANN PAGE Delicious        | 3 Cans              | 16c |
| Tomato Juice           | CAMPBELL'S                | 3 14 oz. Cans       | 17c |
| Sauerkraut             | Fancy Grade A             | 3 No. 2 1/2 Cans    | 19c |
| Del Maiz Corn Niblets  |                           | 12 oz. Can          | 9c  |
| Tomatoes               | Standard Quality—New Pack | Full Size No. 2 Can | 5c  |
| Green Giant Peas       |                           | 2 17 oz. Cans       | 23c |
| Campbell's Beans       | "Tender Cooked"           | 4 1 lb. Cans        | 25c |
| Ann Page Beans         |                           | 1 lb. Can           | 5c  |

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| Davis Baking Powder   |                                  | 2 12 oz. Cans     | 23c |
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| Swans Down Cake Flour |                                  | 2 2 3/4 lb. Pkgs. | 19c |
| Cake Flour            | SUNNYFIELD Results Guaranteed    | 2 2 3/4 lb. Pkgs. | 27c |
| Presto Cake Flour     |                                  | 2 Large Pkgs.     | 20c |
| Pure Extracts         | ANN 1 oz. Bot.                   | 2 9 oz. Bot.      | 21c |
| Shaker Salt           | DIAMOND CRYSTAL Plain or Iodized | 2 26 oz. Pkgs.    | 11c |
| Bisquick              |                                  | 2 Large Pkgs.     | 25c |
| Flakorn               | CORN MUFFIN MIX                  | 2 Pkgs.           | 21c |
| Gingerbread Mix       | DROMEDARY or DUFF'S              | 1 Pkg.            | 17c |
| Condensed Milk        | WHITE HOUSE                      | 14 oz. Can        | 10c |
| Salad Dressing        | ANN PAGE Creamy Smooth           | 1 Quart Jar       | 25c |

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| Pink Salmon            | COLD STREAM Alaskan       | 2 1 lb. Cans  | 25c |
| Light Meat Tuna Fish   |                           | 2 2 Med. Cans | 25c |
| Wet Shrimp             | SULTANA Brand             | 5 3/4 lb. Tin | 10c |
| Red Salmon             | SUNNYBROOK Choice Alaskan | 1 lb. Can     | 23c |
| Sunsweet Prunes        | Med. Size                 | 2 lb. Pkg.    | 15c |
| Calif. Prunes          | A&P Brand Med. Size       | 2 2 lb. Pkgs. | 25c |
| Quaker Oats            |                           | 20 oz. Pkg.   | 7c  |
| Rolled Oats            | SUNNYFIELD Quick Cooking  | 20 oz. Pkg.   | 6c  |
| Gorham's Silver Polish |                           | 1 Jar         | 23c |
| Brillo                 |                           | 2 Large Pkgs. | 25c |
| Chipso Flakes          |                           | 1 Pkg.        | 18c |
| Oxydol                 |                           | 1 Large Pkg.  | 17c |
| Rinso                  |                           | 1 Large Pkg.  | 17c |
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| Seedless Raisins     | A&P Brand                                | 15 oz. Pkgs. 6c   |
| Dromedary Dates      | Pitted                                   | 1 Pkg. 10c        |
| Maraschino Cherries  | 4 oz. Bot. 16 oz. Bot.                   | 10c 35c           |
| Plain Olives         | ANN 3/4 PAGE Jar                         | 12c 21c           |
| Stuffed Olives       | ANN 2 oz. PAGE Jar                       | 12c 21c           |
| Fruit Peel           | DROMEDARY—Citron, Orange, Lemon or Mixed | 2 3 oz. Pkgs. 13c |
| Jack Frost Sugar     | In Sealed Paper Bags                     | 10 lb. 45c        |
| Chiver's Marmalade   |  | 1 lb. Jar 21c     |
| Orange Marmalade     | ANN PAGE Pure                            | 1 lb. Jar 15c     |
| Preserves            | ANN PAGE 1 lb. Jar                       | 17c 19c           |
| Sparkle              | DESSERTS—ANN PAGE Gelatin or Puddings    | 3 Pkgs. 10c       |
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| Macaroni Dinner      | WITH CHEESE ANN PAGE                     | 8 oz. Pkg. 9c     |
| Mueller's            | MACARONI, SPAGHETTI or NOODLES           | 2 Pkgs. 15c       |
| Ann Page             | MACARONI, SPAGHETTI or NOODLES           | 1 Pkg. 5c         |
| Corned Beef Hash     | ARMOUR'S                                 | 2 1 lb. Cans 25c  |
| Sliced Beef          | ENCORE 2 1/2 oz. Jar                     | 12c 21c           |
| Baby Foods           | CLAPP'S—Strained                         | 4 Cans 25c        |
| Baby Foods           | BEECH-NUT—Chopped                        | 1 Jar 10c         |

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**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Armstrong of Laverne street entertained members of their family and close friends at dinner last evening in honor of the birthday

of their daughter Evelyn.

Mrs. Peter Johnson of Smallwood avenue gave a Christmas bridge party yesterday afternoon at which gifts were exchanged by those present. Mrs. William Ross of Montclair, Mrs. Edward Church and Mrs. Herbert Vreeland of Bloomfield and Mrs. Harry Leiss, Mrs. John E. Hudson, Mrs. Alexander Ross and Mrs. George Newman of this town participated.

The Ladies' Pinochle Club held their Christmas party last evening at the home of Mrs. John Comesky of Prospect street. Mrs. Rudolph Zoeller Jr., Mrs. Leroy Hilton, Mrs. Edward P. Rochau, Mrs. Harry Hood, Mrs. William Hood, Mrs. Charles Hood, Mrs. Thomas Andrews and Mrs. Loretta Dow were present.

Mrs. Curtis Mitchell of Reservoir place entertained Tuesday for the Stitch and Chatter Club. Eight were present.

The Monday Sewing Club will meet Monday in the Recreation House to make up the Christmas baskets which it will distribute

**New Books At Library**

"For Us, the Living," Bruce Lancaster. A story of early Kentucky. It is the tale of Abraham Lincoln's life there, and of young Hugh Brace, who found a true friend in Abe. The lives of the keel-boaters and packers who traveled the Wilderness Road to the West make this book an exciting picture of our country when it was growing up.

"Tale of Three Cities," by D. L. Murray. A vivid novel set against the backgrounds of Rome, London and Paris, about the year 1870, when the French Empire was betrayed by its leaders. Deodato, the main character, is a lay brother who lived to become an officer of the Empire and a great sculptor, and Ludovica, the Italian aristocrat who loved him, gave her last loyalty to France.

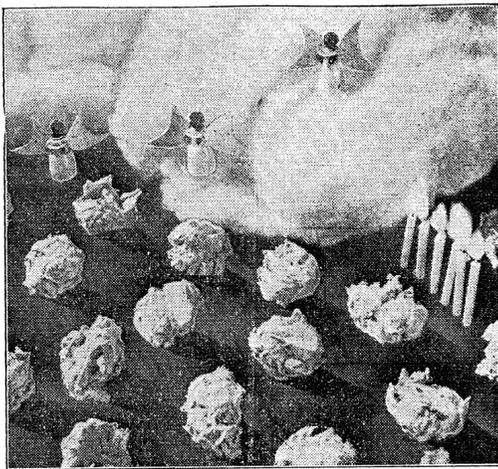
"No Surrender," by Katharine Newlin Burt. A profound story of a courageous girl, left with a huge estate to manage, struggling against the misunderstood planning of Jed, the brother of her dead husband.

New books of fiction in the seven-day collection are: "The Bright Pavilions" by Walpole; "Uncertain April" by Page; "Weep No More" by Du Maurier; "Heaven's Dooryard" by McIntire; "Sylvia Lyndon" by Diver. In the non-fiction department are: "Witchcraft" by Seabrook; "Letter of Credit" by Weidman; "Such Was Saratoga" by Bradley; "Why England Slept" by Kennedy, and "Spy and Counter-spy" by Voska.

next week to needy families. The club's annual Christmas party will be held in the Recreation House December 30.

Miss Mary Rogazzo of Belmont avenue, was hostess at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Esther Reale of North 6th street, Newark, at the Rogazzo home on Saturday evening. Miss Reale will wed Albert Rogazzo on Saturday, January 4 at St. Anthony's Church, at 5.

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**Coffee Divinity**

- 2 cups sugar
- 1 cup double-strength coffee
- 1/2 cup white corn syrup
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 egg whites
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 cup chopped nuts

Make the coffee freshly for this purpose and combine with sugar and corn syrup in a saucepan. Cook stirring constantly until sugar is dissolved. Then cook without touching until a firm ball is formed when dropped in cold water. If you have a candy thermometer it should register 265 degrees when the mixture is finished. Remove from the heat. Add salt to the egg whites and beat until stiff; slowly add coffee syrup in a thin stream beat-

ing constantly as you would if making boiled frosting. When mixture will hold its shape add vanilla and chopped nuts. Drop by spoonfuls on waxed paper and set in a cool place.

No Christmas assortment of candy would be complete without fudge which you may vary by adding nuts, raisins or chopped marshmallows just before pouring into the pan.

**Chocolate Fudge**

- 2 cups sugar, granulated or light brown
- 4 squares chocolate
- 3/4 cup milk or cream
- 2 to 4 tablespoons butter
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

Place sugar and chocolate in top of double boiler over steam until chocolate is melted; mix well. Add milk and cook over direct heat until the mixture forms a soft ball when dropped in cold water. (Candy thermometer should register 238 degrees.) Remove from the fire and cool until lukewarm without stirring. Add the salt, vanilla and butter and beat until creamy. When sufficiently firm turn quickly into a buttered pan. Cut in squares.

For an added flip to those Christmas boxes try this quick and simple recipe:

**Nut Brittle**

- 2 cups granulated sugar
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon soda
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 cups nuts

Heat the sugar gradually in a clean smooth skillet. Stir constantly with the bowl of a spoon until a golden syrup is formed. Remove from the fire and stir in quickly the salt, soda and vanilla. Pour the syrup over a layer of nuts in a greased pan. When cold, crack into small pieces.

**Yesteryear.....**

**Five Years Ago**

A delegation from the Belleville Teachers Association asked the Board of Education for full or partial restoration of the salary cuts which had been imposed on them three years previously when the town was in sore financial straits. Board President John P. Dailey said the board was in favor of the restoration but definite action must await preparation of the budget for 1936.

State A. B. Commissioner D. Frederick Burnett upheld the local excise board's rejection of Ray L. Vogel's application for tavern license at 72 Holmes street on the grounds that "there were already enough saloons in the neighborhood."

Miss Ellen Conry and Miss Muriel Ochsner, seniors at the high school, were awarded first and third prizes in the Broad Street Improvement Association (Newark) essay contest.

The citizens' committee appointed by Recorder Smith recommended 1) cooperation of parents in solving recreation problems of the town's youth; 2) greater use of school buildings for evening recreation; 3) additional recreation centers; 4) suitable place for ice skating.

**Ten Years Ago**

An ordinance providing for the opening of Forest street from Greylock parkway to the Nutley line at a cost of \$12,000 passed first reading.

William Wanthouse was unanimously elected president of the Valley Improvement Association.

Three employees at Town Hall were given notice, effective December 31. Their places were to be taken by Arthur S. Ackerman in the treasurer's office, Thomas W. Fleming and Miss Grace Gimble in the water department.

**Twenty Years Ago**

Mrs. F. E. Dodd was elected president of the Belleville Improvement Association. Other new officers were Mrs. Dudley Drake and Mrs. Lewis Rose, vice-president; Mrs. G. Rae Lewis and Mrs. James Howland, secretaries; Mrs. William Jacobson, treasurer.

Andrew Bagnalls was named noble grand of Harmony Lodge, I. O. O. F. Other new officers: Howard Holmes, Edward Colton, Edward Hampton, Robert Lauer, John Gibson.

The Board of Education declared that the new \$90,000 bond issue for the erection of the Passaic Avenue School will not be sufficient for its construction.

**Twenty-five Years Ago**

The Commission set the machinery in motion for the paving of Bremond, Bell, Beech, Floyd and Preston streets.

The Rev. Wilson S. Phraner was ordained after serving as head of Montgomery Presbyterian Chapel for more than a quarter of a century.

A minor riot ensued in the Belmont avenue firehouse when agitators for the recall petition attempted to hold a meeting there.

The North Belleville Taxpayers Association urged the establishment of a crosstown trolley line.

Fire damaged the Seton Leather Company plant in Cortlandt street to the extent of \$1,000.

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All Work Guaranteed  
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**RADIOS**

All Models — All Prices

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- PILOT
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**AND WE HAVE AN UNUSUALLY FINE SELECTION FOR EACH MEMBER OF THE FAMILY**

Our Store is filled with Gifts For All — Gifts of distinction and charm — Gifts that are priced to meet your needs. Shop and Buy right here in Belleville — at FELDMAN'S and you'll really save money.

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**ROBES & HOUSE COATS**

A Gift She'll snuggle into with delight.

1.98 to 3.25

Full Fashioned Silk Hosiery

59¢ to 1.50 pr.

**Gifts For The Growing Boy**

**Mackinaw COATS**

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Various Styles, Sizes and Colors

**GIFTS FOR THE BABY**

**SNOW SUITS**

All Colors and Materials. An Ideal Gift for Baby.

1.98 to 5.95

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**MEN'S SHIRTS**

Nationally known brands, Van Heusen, Arrow, etc. — All weaves and patterns.

Sizes 14 to 17 1/2.

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**SKI HATS**

An Ideal Present for the Young Miss — All Colors

59¢ to 1.19

**FREE DELIVERY**

**Feldman's Department Store**

115 WASHINGTON AVE. Phone Belleville 2-2760 Belleville, N. J.

The Christmas Story

There is no story more beautifully and simply told than the original one which symbolizes the Christmas that we now celebrate.

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Cesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed.

(And this taxing was first made when Cyrenus was governor of Syria.)

And all went to be taxed, every one in his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem.

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.

And so it was, that while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not; for, behold, I bring to you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord has made known to us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning the child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.

But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

Answering That Questionnaire

Those who are interested in the Adult School have put it squarely up to the folks who have attended in the past — do you want it or not? That is the only way of finding out what is likely to happen before the leaders spend considerable time and money on lining up a program.

When an effort was made to resume the school early in the fall, it flopped because there were not enough folks interested. It did not mean that the plan was dead forever. Other adult series have had their failures but they have usually come back.

The folks who have been asked to return the questionnaires can be most helpful by complying with the request.

It would seem that in a town of this size, a successful program of this kind could be carried on annually. People want to learn. They want to occupy their spare time and there is no better way than through taking a course or two in the adult school program.

We hope that the replies to the questionnaire are favorable for we think that interest in this type of community activity is a healthy sign. There are too few of these activities at present and for this one to be definitely lost would be unfortunate.

Not Too Much To Ask

Although it is not snowing as this is being written, there is no telling when the white flakes may suddenly start coming down. Nothing decorates the landscape with more beauty than a snowfall, but within a few hours it becomes a nuisance which troubles most people.

After the first real fall of snow this season, we noticed the number of people who forgot to do anything about removing the snow or ice from the walks in front of their houses.

It seems to us that everybody should try to be considerate of the other fellow. Shoveling a walk is not too much of an effort. Or, if you feel that it's going to tax you physically, the youngster down the street will probably jump at the chance to do the job for an extra quarter or two.

What do you gain if, because you were too lax and thoughtless, your neighbor falls on the walk in front of your house and injures himself, perhaps seriously? In addition to probably feeling quite bad about it, you would face the possibility of having to pay for his doctor bills or even have a suit on your hands.

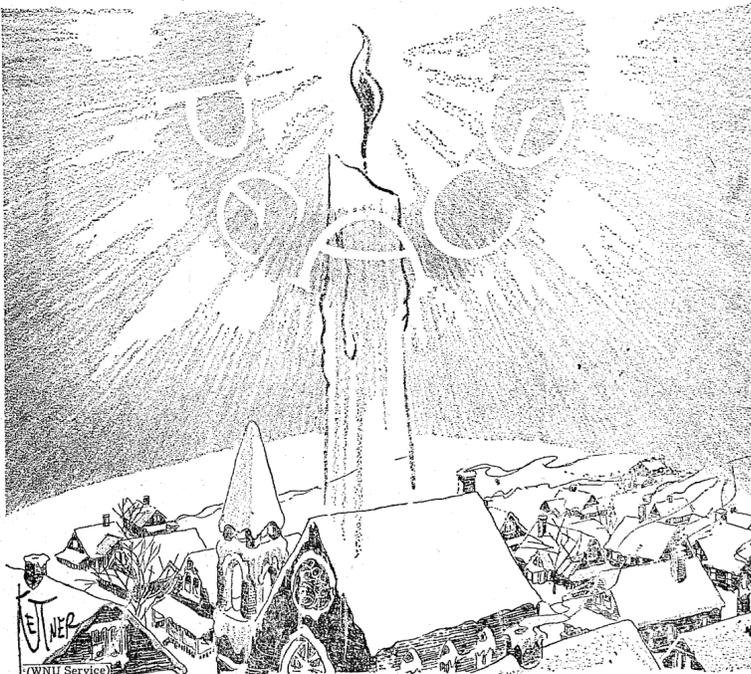
Even the owners of vacant lots which have walks in front of them have a responsibility. Whether or not a house is on the property has no bearing on the point. We think this is one of the little jobs that all of us can do to help make life pleasant for other folks. So the next time it snows don't wait for the sun to come out and melt the snow and ice away. Get out and do it yourself.

Christmas Fire Hazards

Each Christmas there appear on the market more electrical decorations for the Christmas tree and more gadgets to delight the youngsters. There is only one warning note that we would like to make. Be sure that your Christmas tree light wiring is in good condition. Do not waste money on

cheap appliances for the sake of a few pennies. If you are planning to have electric trains or other electrically operated toys, inspect them to be certain that there are no uncovered wires or other defects. Do not take the chance of spoiling the holiday by a fire.

Christmas Blessings



LETTERS

Bureau Appreciates It

From Mrs. Julia O. Reiner Executive Secretary Community Service Bureau 338 Washington Avenue

To the Editor of the News:

May we take this opportunity to thank you for the whole-hearted cooperation The Belleville News has given us throughout the year. We are most appreciative of the splendid editorial which you wrote last week on cooperating with the Holiday Bureau, which we believe will help to spread Christmas cheer farther this year than ever before.

Likewise we value the opportunities which we have had all through the year to tell your readers something of the problems in our community which we are working to correct.

As a member agency of the Welfare Federation we find the space you have given us most helpful in informing our supporters of current problems and developments in our program of service to families and children.

From John J. Hewitt Overseer of the Poor 250 Mill Street

To the Editor of The News:

Relative to the recent news articles that appeared in The Belleville News, may we take this opportunity of thanking you and

the residents of Belleville who have participated so generously. Due to the combined efforts, we have received a great many Christmas toys, which are being processed and made ready for distribution. In addition to that, we received some very useful articles of wear-

ing apparel, which are being prepared for immediate distribution. The generous response will be the means of providing Christmas joy as well as lasting warmth and affection throughout the coming year. Best wishes for the season's greetings.

1939 AUDIT TOWN OF BELLEVILLE, N. J.

- RECOMMENDATIONS
1. That tax sales be held in strict accordance with the statutes in that all municipal liens properly saleable be included in the sale.
2. That all delinquent charges be accumulated to the lien against any property in accordance with Town Ordinance, if no lien exists the charge is to be included in the next tax sale and a certificate obtained.
3. That all cancellations of personal taxes by the board be listed correctly in the minutes and reflected on the tax records.
4. That the statutes relative to temporary appropriations be followed strictly.
5. That the foreclosed property register now operated manually be made a part of the machine bookkeeping system.
6. That the minutes of every meeting be signed by all the board members present at the meeting.
7. That care be exercised by the Court Clerk in following up cases appealed to the County Courts.

- County Courts. (Standard Recommendation.)
10. That a cash book be installed for the building department receipts.
11. That applications for building permits be received and kept on file covering every permit issued.
12. That voided permits be retained and attached to the proper stubs in the permit books.
13. That on all applications for use of the Recreation House, a definite notation be made as to whether to be charred or not with proper reason if not charred.
14. That the Unfunded Capital Improvement be financed.
15. That the assessment taxes be collected in strict accordance with the statutes.
16. That formal bids be solicited for all purchases of materials and supplies in excess of \$1,000.00.
17. That reports per R.S. 54-149 and R.S. 54-152 required to be made by the collector be prepared and filed for subsequent years in accordance with the statutes.
18. That publication of the yearly audits be made no later than thirty (30) days from their receipt by the town.
19. That the surety covering Recreational Supervision Lister be rewritten to cover receipts as well as Petty Cash Fund.
20. That deposits be made by the Court Clerk in definite amounts so that receipts of any day can be readily traced to the bank statements.
21. That complete and descriptive duplicate cash bill receipts be given by the Court Clerk for all such moneys received as outlined in a previous comment.
22. That the treasurer examine the two accounts Reserve for Outstanding Checks and Reserve for Unremitted Bond Coupons with a view to clearing these accounts from the records by suitable bank action.
23. That the outstanding taxes of 1921 to 1938, inclusive, be examined by the officials with a view to cancelling uncollectible personal taxes by board resolutions.
24. That petty cash funds be closed out and reopened in accordance with a previous suggestion.
25. That the accounts, personal property sold at auction and its reserve be cleared from the books as outlined in a previous comment.
26. That the Street Opening Deposits Account and the Building and Other Permits to be Refunded Accounts be examined and all balances not considered refundable be transferred to Budget Operations Account, both transfers from Reserves, placing this money actually in Surplus Cash.
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28. That the overpayment accounts in the Trust Section be acted upon in accordance with a previous comment.
29. That the Unapplied Cash Account be treated as suggested by a previous comment.
30. That the treasurer examine the two accounts Reserve for Outstanding Checks and Reserve for Unremitted Bond Coupons with a view to clearing these accounts from the records by suitable bank action.
31. That the overpayment accounts in the Trust Section be acted upon in accordance with a previous comment.
32. That the completed improvements in the Capital Section, comprising, local improvements be assessed in 1940 in accordance with a previous comment.
33. That every effort be made by the officials in charge of the water rent billings to eliminate errors both undercharges and overcharges.
34. That any unused balance of improvement authorizations on completed jobs in the Capital and Water Capital Sections be rescinded by resolution.
35. That the unfunded items of Improvements in Progress in the Capital Section, \$237.48, be funded from available financing authorizations.
36. That the treasurer effect collection from the City of Newark of \$230.78, as outlined in a previous comment.
37. That open charges for taxes and assessments against the Board of Education or Town of Belleville be investigated as outlined in a previous comment.
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Explanations in dark type are made by Mayor-Finance Director Wm. H. Williams.

BALANCE SHEETS — CURRENT ACCOUNT

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES, showing financial data for Jan. 1, 1939 and Dec. 31, 1939.

STATEMENT OF BUDGET OPERATIONS ACCOUNT

Table with columns for DEBIT and CREDIT, showing budget operations data for 1939.

The Directors, Officers and Staff of THE FIRST NATIONAL join in wishing you A Very Merry Christmas and Happiness Throughout The New Year THE First National Bank of Belleville

Christmas ICE CREAM Special Christmas Molds of Bells, Santa Claus Poinsettias, Wreaths and Various Others 20c each or \$2.00 doz. CALL EARLY HAFNER'S Free Delivery 448 WASHINGTON AVE. BELLEVILLE

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Belleville's Friendly First National Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation I desire to express my appreciation of the assistance and courtesies rendered by the Town officials during the course of the audit. I hereby certify that the above report is a true and correct report of the financial accounts of the Town of Belleville, County of Essex, for the year 1939 as obtained from the books and papers of the Town presented to the auditor, supplemented by personal inquiry and investigation and I believe it to be a true report of the financial condition of the Town. Respectfully submitted, s/s WALTER R. DARBY, Commissioner of Local Government and preceding comments are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. s/s D. A. MULVILLE, Auditor Trenton, N. J., September 26, 1940.

# CLASSIFIED ADS

Classified Ads for the News may be left at The News Office, 328 Washington Avenue, or telephone BELLEVILLE 2-3200 before 10 A.M. on Wednesdays for a competent Ad taker to help you.

## Free Tickets For The Capitol

Look for your Name — It may be listed among the Classified Ads today — for a Free

### CAPITOL THEATRE GUEST TICKET

If it is here call at the Belleville News Office — 328 Washington Avenue with the ad showing your name.

Now Playing At The Capitol Theatre

## GARY COOPER in "THE WESTERNER"

ALSO

### "HIT PARADE OF 1941"

with KENNY BAKER and FRANCES LANGFORD

**FOR SALE**

RE-UPHOLSTERED living room sets, \$35 up. Dining, bed, and breakfast sets, odd tables, chairs, radio couches. Free delivery. Terms. Moving and storage. Roberts, 78 Washington avenue. Be. 2-3658. 5-2-40-1f

**LEHIGH ANTHRACITE**

Nut \$8.60, Stove \$8.60, Pea \$7.50 COKE \$10.75

Wood's Coal Co., Newark, N. J. Telephone Market 3-4461 11-7-40 1f

**YOUNG, milk-fed turkeys; live or dressed.** Ricca, 86 Laverne street, Belleville. Call Belleville 2-1256. 1-2

**WELL rotted cow manure; two cubic yards, \$5.** Bonny Dell Farms, Rutherford 2-6100. 1f

**TABLE-SIZED PHILCO radio;** just needs new tubes. Cost \$20 when new. Also boy's large racer auto suitable for boy up to nine years. Like new. Both reasonable. Call Belleville 2-1323-J.

**GRATIS TO YOU, James M. Lynch of 175 Tappan avenue, is the Capitol Theatre guest pass which we are holding for you at the office of The Belleville News. Call it this week, please.**

**REUPHOLSTERED Louis XV love seat \$85, 2 leatherette chairs, \$10, each, 3 piece living room suite, fabric. Leatherette House, 66 Washington avenue. High grade upholstery done.**

**CHARLES JOHNSON**  
Carpenter & Builder  
18 Bridge St., Belleville  
Alterations, Roofs, Siding  
Gutters, Cement Work  
Phone Belleville 2-2770

**REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**

Near School Number 3 and High School, also transportation. Fine section, 6 rooms, garage, breakfast nook, fireplace, screened porch, deep lot, only \$550. cash. Price \$5350. A real opportunity. DEGENER  
444 Washington Ave., Belleville 12-19

**HELP WANTED**

GIRL, white or colored, for general housework; part time. Call Belleville 2-4391-R, 293 Greylock parkway. 12-19

**WOMAN for general housework;** part time every day. Prepare dinner essential. 3 room apartment, oil burner; no laundry. References required. Write Box IN Belleville News Office. 12-12

**MUSICAL INSTRUCTION**

BEST and Latest music instruction given at your home. Violin, piano, guitar, banjo, saxophone, trumpet, clarinet, trombone, etc. 75c a lesson. Instruments loaned. Don Clark and Associated Teachers, 41 Lincoln avenue, Newark. Call Humboldt 3-0255. Instruments bought, sold and repaired. Wholesale prices. 1-2

**FOR RENT**

LARGE garage suitable for small factory at 72 Little street, Belleville. Rent \$20. per month. Address A. Hadley, 72 Little street.

**BELLEVILLE: 3 Rooms; heat and hot water; \$42. 5 rooms; all improvements; \$35. Sheehan, 78 Stephens street. Call Belleville 2-3277.**

**NUTLEY: 6 room house near buses and schools; \$40. Sheehan, 78 Stephens street. Call Belleville 2-3277.**

**FOUND**

SMALL round enameled pin set with seed pearls; Friday, December 13, in front of Elks Club at about 2 P. M. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement at The Belleville News Office.

**SAVINGS PASSBOOK Number 31008 of The First National Bank of Belleville. Finder please return to bank.**

**SAVINGS PASSBOOK Number 29137 of The First National Bank of Belleville. Finder please return to bank.**

**SAVINGS PASSBOOK Number 30361 of The First National Bank of Belleville. Finder please return to bank.**

**FURNISHED ROOMS**

FURNISHED ROOM for light housekeeping; also single room. All improvements; reasonable. 357 Washington avenue. 12-26

**LARGE, cheerful front room** three windows. Convenient to bath; constant hot water. Central location between Union and Washington avenue buses. \$4 Gentleman only. 242 Greylock parkway; call BE 2-2856-J.

**LARGE, cheery room for one** Quiet residential neighborhood convenient to transportation. Gentleman preferred. Call Belleville 2-1619-J. 12-11

**VERY LARGE FRONT ROOM** three windows, large closet. Furnished attractively as bedroom-sitting room; next to bath. Select residential area. Rossmore place. Call Belleville 2-2475-W. 1f 8-1-4t

**TWO NICELY furnished rooms** Kitchen and bedroom; plenty of heat and hot water. Gas and electricity furnished. Inquire 207 Linden avenue.

**WORK WANTED**

**GIRLS AND BOYS of High School** age desire work after school and in the evenings. Will mind children, help with housework, etc. Write Box 10D, Belleville News Office. 10-10-40 1f

**HAVE YOUR WINDOWS cleaned** by The Belleville-Nutley Window Cleaning Company at reasonable rates. Stores and offices; private homes a specialty. Call Bigelow 3-7528. 12-19

**WOMAN would like part time work daily.** No heavy work. Will mind children. Call Belleville 2-1952-W.

**WHEN NEXT YOU pass the office of The Belleville News, Samuel Ferguson of 131 Beech street, stop in and we will give you your Capitol Theatre guest pass.**

**JUNK DEALERS**

DEALER in all kinds of junk; iron, paper, metals, tires, tubes, rags, batteries, etc. Used Singer Sewing Machines wanted. J. Resciniti, 36 Clinton street, Belleville 2-2211-W. 1f

**DECORATORS**

Painting Paperhanging  
**CHARLES W. ENGLAND**  
28 King Place, Belleville, N. J.  
Belleville 2-1569  
Estimates Furnished On Request 6-6-40-1f

**JOHN H. GEIGER**  
Paper Hanger — Plasterer  
Painter — Decorator  
Fine Workmanship  
Moderate Prices  
202 Greylock P'way BE. 2-2128 4-25-40 1f

**ENTERTAINMENT**

**SUPPER DANCE, High School Alumni; Meadowbrook, Bobby Burns orchestra, semi-formal, December 27. Bids \$2.50, advance reservations only. Escort service, call Belleville 2-4553-J or Belleville 2-4123-R. 12-19**

**HELP WANTED**

GIRL FOR general housework daily from 2 P. M. until after dinner. Good cooking and serving essential. No heavy work. References required. Call before noon Belleville 2-4350.

**GIRL for dental office in Belleville.** Write Box 13R Belleville News Office.

**WILL YOU HELP yourself to an evening of pleasure?** H. Hall Turton of 259 Little street? Simply call at the office of The Belleville News for your Capitol Theatre guest pass.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Public notice is hereby given that bids will be received for the demolition of 89 Magnolia Street by the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Belleville on Monday evening, December 23, 1940, at 7:30 P. M. in the Council Chambers. Said demolition is to be done in accordance with specifications on file in the office of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the Town of Belleville**

**Coming Events**

Today  
Henry Vreeland Woman's Relief Corps meeting and Christmas party at Montgomery Church Hall. 8.  
High School Freshman Dance in New Gymnasium, 8:30.

Tomorrow  
Good American Council, Daughters of America, Christmas party for Children's Day Nursery at Veterans's Hall, 10:30 A.M.

Saturday  
Food Sale auspices Woman's Guild Montgomery Presbyterian Church at the Church, 10 A.M.

Sunday  
St. Anthony's Field Club Christmas party for children of Silver Lake in St. Anthony's Hall, 4.

Monday  
Meeting of The Board of Commissioners, Town Hall, 7.

## Fixin's for the Turkey



**CRANBERRY Sauce, dressing, giblet gravy and mince meat** plus just naturally seem to accompany just turkey.

Here are recipes for several kinds of dressing that may be served. Choose one. If all of it cannot be packed into the turkey (and it should not be packed in too tightly) put what is left into a greased baking dish and lay strips of bacon or salt pork on the top. Bake separately for thirty or forty minutes after heat in the oven is reduced to 300 degrees. With the temperature control of a gas range you are always sure of accurate heat.

**Bread Sauce**

10 whole cloves 1 large onion  
3/4 lb. small 1 pt. milk  
broken 1 tsp. butter  
pieces of Cayenne  
stale bread pepper  
(no crusts) Salt

Stick whole cloves into the onion and put into milk. Simmer until onion is perfectly tender. Then remove the onion and pour hot milk through strainer onto the bread and let it soak for an hour. Place in a saucepan and simmer, add butter, cayenne and salt to taste. Stir constantly and when hot bring to a quick boil and serve.

In certain sections of this country, Bread Sauce is traditionally served with Christmas Dinner. It is very good with the turkey.

**Standard Dressing**  
(12-16 lb. turkey)

1 1/2 lb. loaf 1 tsp. salt  
bread, stale 1/2 tsp. white  
(12 cups pepper  
bread 1/2 cup minced  
crumbs) onion  
1/2 lb. butter

Remove crusts and cut bread into one inch cubes or crumb. Melt butter and combine with all the other ingredients. Mix well.

**REPAIR WORK**

Quality Work — Low Prices  
Quick Service  
**ADAMS SHOE REPAIRING**  
7 Overlook Avenue  
Telephone 2-2696  
Shoe Repairing — Hats Cleaned

**ELECTRIC Trains repaired, cleaned or refinished.** Adults must transact business. No delivery service. Lionel engineer. Frederick J. Pixley, 269 Hornblower avenue, Belleville, N. J. 1-2

**YOU CAN BE THE means of mending someone's sorrow at Christmas.** Send us old clothes and toys and we will fix them up for the poor. Municipal Welfare Department, 250 Mill street, Belleville 2-1776. 12-12

**FREE RADIO inspection and testing tubes.** Authorized dealer for Philco, R.C.A. and G. E. We specialize in car radio motor noise. Radios installed from \$1.50 and up. For quick service, day or night, call Belleville 2-2940. Writable Radio Service, 78 Washington avenue, Belleville. 11-28-40 1f

**PLEASURE FOR AN EVENING** will be your reward if you will call at the office of The Belleville News, A. D. Snook of 436 Jorammon street, and pick up the Capitol Theatre Guest Pass we are holding for you.

**PUBLIC SALE**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I, William H. Williams, Mayor and Director of the Town of Belleville, N. J., will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash the following properties in the Town of Belleville, County of Essex and State of New Jersey:

**FIRST TRACT:** 55 Greylock Place, Block 430, Lot 7.  
**SECOND TRACT:** 59 Magnolia Street, Block 745, Lot 50.  
**THIRD TRACT:** 72-74 Continental Avenue, Block 617, part of Lot 20, located on the North side of Continental Avenue, 10934 feet westerly from Cella Terrace (59x100).

Said lands have been acquired by the Town of Belleville by deed and or through tax lien foreclosure proceedings. Said lands will be sold in accordance with R.S. 40:80-26 et. seq. and also in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled, "An Act concerning Municipalities," Chapter 152 Laws of 1917, and the acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

Said sale will be conducted in the Meeting Room of the Commissioners (sometimes called the Council Chambers) on the second floor, Belleville Town Hall, on Friday, December 20, 1940 at 4:00 P. M.

Said properties will be offered for sale on terms and conditions which will be stated prior to the sale, which conditions can be seen at the office of the Town Tax Assessor, and will be sold in accordance with said terms and conditions to the highest bidder for cash.

Said sales will be subject to confirmation by the Board of Commissioners. The Town of Belleville reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Minimum bidding on First Tract will start at \$298.45. Minimum bidding on Second Tract will start at \$150.00. Minimum bidding on Third Tract will start at \$500.00.

**WILLIAM H. WILLIAMS**  
Mayor and Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance. 12-19

## DOGS

by Laurence Torley

Although canine history gives many cases of breeds of pure-bred dog developed by the ruling class, the majority of the varieties that have appeared within the past century trace back to very humble beginnings. Some of the most popular of the 109 breeds recognized by the American Kennel Club can be credited to coal miners, sheep and cattle herders, farmers, watchmen, weavers, canal boat captains, butchers — in fact practically all the trades, crafts and occupations are represented.

In the United States, today, the working man from the lower income groups is still the backbone of the sport of dogs. He breeds an occasional litter, raises and trains the ones he considers best, and carries a few dollars selling the others as pets. Although he does not have a great deal of time, he manages on weekday by getting up an hour earlier; and on weekends he competes in the bench shows or field trials that are within reasonable distance of his home.

**Not Get-Rich-Quick Sport**

Many small breeders have made considerable money by selling out-celery that is raw or has been scanted in butter.

**William R. Gallagher**

A requiem mass was offered yesterday morning in St. Peter's Church for William R. Gallagher, thirty-seven, of 52 Division avenue who died Saturday after a month's illness in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gallagher of 422 Union avenue.

He was born in Newark and lived there previously to moving to Belleville several years ago. He was formerly a radio repairman and salesman and more recently an employee of the P. Ballentine & Sons brewery. Mr. Gallagher was a past president of the William A. Ruckel Association and a member of Local No. 268, Beer Bottlers' Union. He leaves, besides his parents, his widow, Mrs. Agnes P. Gallagher; two daughters, two brothers and five sisters.

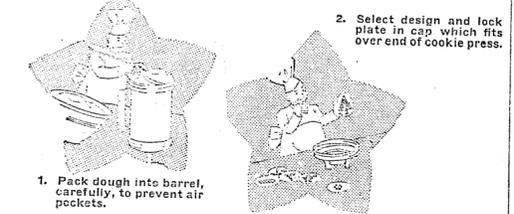
## Busch & Sons' Bracelets

Adorn N. J. Shore Beauty



Miss Mary Kelly, of Deal, displays an Eighteenth Century reproduction on her right wrist, and a dainty filigree band on her left, both moderately priced items from Busch & Sons, Newark — and both attractive Christmas gifts any girl would be delighted with. The string of pearls around her neck are genuine Japanese cultured pearls, also available at the Busch stores.—Adv.

## Christmas Cookies



**CRISP cookies in amusing shapes** are one of the joys of Christmas. Children treasure them and often choose a favorite which they refuse to eat. Grown-ups smile at the cookies and try to recapture the Christmas thrills of childhood. The entertaining shapes of the cookies are made with a cookie press, cookie cutters, or with a knife. With a cookie press you can make little cakes in the shape of flowers, Christmas trees, puppies, stars and even camels. Trim them with candied fruits, icing, colored sugar, nuts and colored candies to dazzle the eye.

It's fun to bake cookies in your gas range and to design clever decorations for them. Christmas cookies make a wholesome Christmas gift that will delight a person of any age.

Here are recipes to use with the cookie press:

**Peanut Butter Cookies**

1 cup butter 1 cup moist  
1 cup granulated peanut butter  
ed sugar 2 tsp. soda  
1 cup brown 2 tbsp. boiling  
sugar water  
2 eggs, beaten 1/2 tsp. salt  
3 cups sifted flour

**Norwegian Crowns**

1/2 cup butter 2 hard cooked  
1/4 cup sugar egg yolks  
1 cup sifted 1/2 tsp. almond  
flour extract

**Two at Royal**

**Movie Times**

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**Carole LOMBARD**  
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in 1940's great drama  
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"DEAD END KIDS" in  
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Featured at the Royal Theatre in Bloomfield are three days starting Sunday are Carole Lombard and Charles Laughton in "They Knew What They Wanted." Lupe Velez in "Mexican Spitfire Out West" is the associate feature.

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**FRANKLIN—NUTLEY**

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Sun. — "Arise My Love" 1:40, 5:14, 8:48, "Cherokee Strip" 3:38, 7:12, 10:38.  
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Wed. — "Golden Fleeing" 3:15, 8:05, 10:10, "Haunted Honeymoon" 2:40, 6:30, 9:12, "Law of the Pampas" 1:30, 5:20, 8:50, "Golden Fleeing" 3:15, 8:50, "Haunted Honeymoon" 2:40, 7:15, 10:00, "Law of the Pampas" 1:30.

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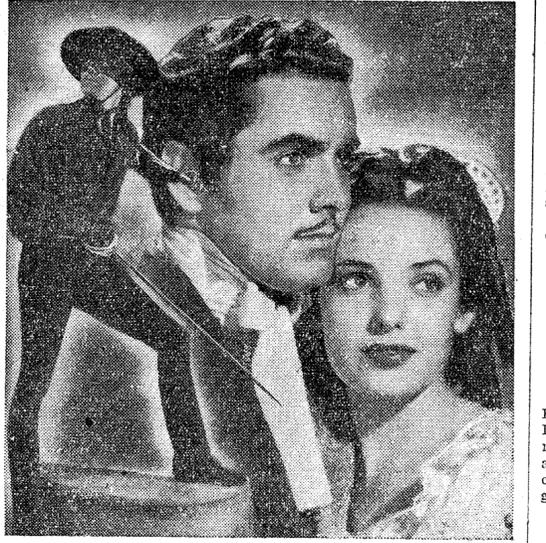
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## Arrives on Christmas



"The Mark of Zorro" starring Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell opens a four-day showing at the Capitol Theatre on Christmas. In the supporting cast are Basil Rathbone and Gale Sondergaard. "One Night in the Tropics" with Allan Jones and Nancy Kelly is the companion feature.

## Romantic Film at Franklin



This is a romantic shot from the picture "Arise My Love" with Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland, which comes to the Franklin Theatre in Nutley on Saturday for four days. The co-feature will be "Cherokee Strip" starring Richard Dix.

**NEWS CLASSIFIED ADS BRING RESULTS**

Local Dancers To Participate In Newark Program

The Fogarty sisters, Marie, Maureen, Virginia and Frances, students of the Margaret Sheehan School of Dancing of this town, will dance at a Christmas party which will be given Saturday afternoon by the Susan Coleman Democratic Club of Newark at the Catholic Daughter's Club on Mt. Prospect avenue in that city.



MERRY Christmas: ... Are you managing to keep up with all your holiday parties?

This is the time when good fellows get together. And the bartenders go to work. It is a daily calendar of carrying on—from eggnog party to eggnog party, winding up with everyone singing "We Won't Get Home 'Til Morning" ... The stock alibi is "It only happens once a year!" ... First of the Christmas affairs was that of the popular Boosters' Club at Pal's Cabin Monday ... It started off as a luncheon session and wound up with a 2 A.M. snack.

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"shooting a line" when I say that. As we bounced over debris, rather too often for our broken Lemur's good, I stopped my driver, and got in the back to support the leg. Sort of give it springs to absorb shock. Fire engines from far and near were playing jets on the whole route to town—this on only one road. Shattered buses looked grotesque—they were flame blackened girders only, though some were practically turned inside out from bomb blast. Familiar buildings were all gone or damaged heavily. One's heart sank, as the seriousness of the entering buildings was realized.

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Bethany Lutheran Men's Group Presents Program of Movies

The Men's Club of Bethany Lutheran Church last week presented a movie, "Hot Off The Press," and an entertainment. It was the first affair which made use of the auditorium and recreation rooms of the new church. Acts of entertainment were staged by Miss Joyce Lemberg of Arlington, Mrs. Joseph Jordan, Mrs. Walter P. Sutton and Hugh race. Refreshments followed the entertainment. Committee chairmen were Evan Meyer, movie; Pace, entertainment; James Clark, tickets, and Arthur Sholty, refreshments.

Nutley Boy On Bicycle Hits Truck Here

George Demery, fifteen of 31 Union avenue, Nutley, escaped injury shortly after 7 o'clock Friday night when he allegedly rode his bicycle into the side of a light delivery truck at the intersection of Union and Little street. George Rader, twenty-one of 360 Little street, driver of the truck, told police he was driving north on Union and started to turn into Little when he saw two boys approaching from the opposite direction on bicycles. He stopped but, he said, Demery crashed into the side of the truck. Taken to the office of Dr. William Taffet by Rader, he was said to be unharmed.

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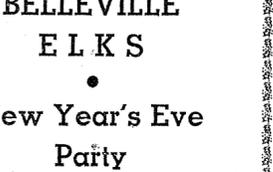
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# The Woman's Desk

by PEGGY PATTERSON

### Scrooge Still Lives

Although the Scrooge of Dickens' Christmas Carol was created, like most of that renowned author's characters, out of an ardent desire to rectify the failings of humanity, his prototype is seldom in evidence to most of us today. He has, it seems, been shamed out of existence by an endless recitation around the Christmas hearth of his innermost misdeeds. And that is good; but other men have risen who should be properly haunted by the ghosts of their own joyous boyhood Christmases until they are utterly ashamed to entertain certain thoughts which we have heard them voice. They will say, for instance, that Christmas has been so commercialized that it is simply an enormous financial investment; and they will utter the profanity that they wish it was.

They will contend, also, that Christmas is to be celebrated only for the sake of the children in their families. To chalk this attitude up to a pretense of sophistication is to dismiss it too lightly; to sympathize with the comfortless philosophy which lies behind such declarations more closely approaches the solution, and yet, smacks of an abominable patronage on our part.

Better, we would say, is the plea which we make to these people, and to the many who through actual weariness from seasonal preparations give expression to impatience or boredom, that they cease resisting the noble impulses which are really theirs. We do not ask that they instantly and publicly renounce their opinions; in fact we can even condone a magnificent bravado on their parts which will make them comport themselves quite as usual. All we ask is that they quietly ask themselves why they, and practically all of their fellow men, are busy about the business of assembling and giving gifts.

### Christmas Gifts

Even the most unspiritual cannot but trace the origin of this custom to the First Christmas; what they unfortunately lose sight of is the fact that the analogy exists just as truly today. The Magi unhesitatingly selected their most precious possessions as gifts for the Child even as we generously choose our remembrances to mark the day which we observe in His name. Through the centuries gifts have been exchanged under varying circumstances but never has it been possible to separate them from that golden glow of sacrifice and forethought which is the essence of the great feast.

Our own forbears surely, who had not access to the ample merchandise we know today, gave of long hours of handwork in order to supply the desires of their dear ones. Does it matter, however, whether you cut the wood and forged the iron that made your little boy's sled or gave of your time and patience in a crowded modern department store where an enormous maze of gifts made your selection arduous? No, you and your ancestor were giving equally of the same precious element—the love that sets a Christmas gift apart from any other. Every token you or I have purchased is magically touched with it or, indeed, we would not have taken the first step toward purchasing it.

### Children's Day

Children are peculiarly "of" Christmas. They are for the most part not giving but receiving, even as their Little Master received His gifts. Christmas is "for" us, their elders. Many of us, fortunately, through established religious practices, will make special spiritual preparations for celebrating Christmas Day; but some who have sacrificed to "give gifts in His name" will be really unprepared for that day. Let no one decry the privilege of buying, wrapping and distributing his material expressions of affection; and let no one forget to draw apart quietly on that great day and await his gift from his Birthday Child—a flood of holy peace. This is the sort of Christmas it is our pleasure to wish for you.

### Christmas Gifts

At no other season are our favorite magazines crammed so fully with worthwhile suggestions for decorating, entertaining and cooking; and, ironically enough, at no time do we have less opportunity to digest them. Since most of us are not creative we need the stimulus of fresh ideas badly at this festive season. May we offer this suggestion if your arrangements are not already completed?

First, that you make a list of the decisions yet to be made; such as the best location for your Christmas tree, the most effective outdoor decorations and the pos-

## BLAMES TRUCK PARKED WRONG

### Cuozzo Vehicle On Left Side, Says Montclair Man After Crash

Otto Bethke, thirty-six of 502 Bloomfield avenue escaped unscathed early Friday morning when his car crashed head-on into a parked truck in Belleville avenue near New street. The truck was operated by Grady W. Cheek, thirty-six, of 58 Belmont avenue and owned by Charles Cuozzo, contractor of 94 Magnolia street. Bethke said the truck was parked on the wrong side of the street.

No one was injured Friday afternoon in a collision at Belleville avenue and Cortland street. The drivers of the cars were said to be Lois H. Rainer, thirty-one, of 2401 Lake street, and Michael F. Bino, thirty-four, of 667 North Seventh street, Newark.

There was no one injured in the accident at Overlook and Union avenues at 6 o'clock Thursday night. The drivers were Herbert Jenkins, twenty-one, of 75 Beech street in a station wagon owned by the Washington Liquor Store, and Frank Terhune, forty, of 69 Lake street, Nutley.

The drivers of two cars involved in an accident at Rutgers and Stephens streets a half-hour later were William Schwarz, thirty-two, of Bloomfield, and Albert Welder, twenty-three, of North Bergen.

Two men were slightly injured in an accident at De Witt avenue and Lloyd place at 7:15 Monday morning. They are Joseph Giordano, fifty-two, and his son, Francis, twenty, of 78 Harrison street, Nutley. The elder Giordano was thrown from the car by the force of the impact. Francis was driving the car which collided with a light delivery truck operated by Miss Cecilia Gengaro, twenty-four, of 214 Holmes street. The Giordanos were treated in St. Mary's Hospital.

Mrs. Edwin Hylos of 32 Prospect terrace, East Orange, suffered a possible arm fracture Monday night in an accident at Main and Rutgers streets. She was a passenger in a car driven by her husband, Edwin, fifty-eight. The driver of the other car,

## Girl Scouts Will Present Christmas Operetta

The Girl Scouts of Junior Troop 9 and Senior Troop 19 will present a Christmas operetta, "The Christmas High Jinks," for the Sunday School entertainment of the Belleville Reformed Church next Thursday evening. The operetta is coached by Miss Edna M. Baun, scout leader of both troops.

The chorus groups will be accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Dunkinson at the piano. The prompters will be the Misses Betty Reif and Margaret Revill.

The cast includes Carol Crowther, Joan Nelson, Corinne Dutcher, Betty Connelly, Rita Gilchrist, Florence Perret, Ruth Plumear, Eleanor Bossett, Muriel Alper, Mary Lu Bodkin, Bella Geller, Sylvia Annunziato.

Five Christmas songs will be sung by a group of junior and senior girls. Frances McEvoy, Joan Constantino, Joan Britchford, Myrel Brocholdt, Betty Cassidy, Evelyn Kohler, Alice Pole, Harriet Janovs, Helen Ve-

Jicky, Mildred Hoffman, Jean Calahan, Dorothy Paul, Ruth Della Badia, Dorothy Yasinchak and Josephine Ciardi.

The Junior Chorus who do the action and drills throughout the songs is composed of Marie McCann, Edith L. Jlow, Barbara Bendel, Lillian Henger, Joan Lombard, Anna Constantino, Edna Deighan, Peggy Goerke and Nancy Hollander.

The climax of the operetta will be reached when all characters and chorus groups wish upon a wishing ring and Santa appears to distribute many gifts and a box ofainties to every member of the Sunday School.

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Pickles DWARF FRESH CUCUMBER jar 10c	Honey, Clover Bradshaw's lb. 15c
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Cherries PATRIOT MARASCHINO 5-oz. bot. 10c  
Paper Napkins BEARDSLEY'S MARCAL BOX OF 80 5c  
Prep. Mustard Beardsley's 8-oz. jar 9c  
Ketchup HEINZ TOMATO 2 14-oz. bds. 35c  
Baked Beans HEINZ Tom. Sauce 18-oz. can 11c  
Thin Mints TERRY CHOC. lb. pkg. 19c  
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Pulled Figs Single Row 1-lb. pkg. 23c

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FANCY CRANBERRY SAUCE 17-oz. can 10c  
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FLAKO PIE CRUST 2 pkgs. 19c

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# SPORTS BEFORE YOUR EYES

By Joe Duval

## Danger On Wheels

Our colleague of the woman's page, Miss Peggy Patterson, last week had some mighty pertinent remarks to make about the dangers which threaten youngsters on bikes every time they trundle their wheels out of the garage. In her opinion, it is time that more municipalities, and that includes Belleville, joined that parade of cities which are taking very definite steps to control the menace. Miss Patterson looked at the question, not only from the child's point of view, but also that of the motorist. We agree that some regulatory action is necessary, in fact, is overdue. The local VFW started a bicycle club several years ago that was to teach safety lessons to juveniles on wheels. But somehow or other the movement seemed to peter out.

Miss Patterson has expressed very well the thoughts that flash through practically any motorist's mind at the sight of "Bicycle Ahead!" She expects to bring forth some very definite suggestions for a crusade here and asks her readers to "count the number of times that you catch your breath and say, 'Children shouldn't be allowed to use bicycles on these main thoroughfares.'"

Right you are, Miss Patterson. Just last Saturday a fifteen-year-old boy narrowly escaped death on Union avenue when his bike skidded into the side of a truck and there have been many instances of a similar nature. A nine-year-old Belleville boy is still in bad shape from injuries sustained a couple of weeks ago in Main street.

Some parents have mighty big qualms about getting bikes for their kids because they know that the youngster realizes none of his responsibilities on the highway. The juvenile court with young people with a sense of responsibility as judges and cops has been very successful in many cities. In others licensing by the police department has proved effective. What Belleville needs to control this danger on wheels should become a matter of study by the elders of the town.

## 50-to-1 Shot

A clear-cut warning to hunters and fishermen not to get mixed up with the Fish and Game Commission is contained in the annual report of that body released last week. If you are caught, the chances are fifty-to-one that you will be convicted and fined. Last year there were 799 convictions against sixteen acquittals. Leading causes for arrests were fishing and hunting without license, 209 cases; giving false information, fifty-one; Sunday gunning, forty-three; having a loaded firearm in a vehicle, thirty-nine; hunting in a closed season, thirty-eight; and having an automatic firearm, thirty-four.

During the year the commission released 112,019,158 fish in the various streams and lakes of the state. Yellow perch formed the biggest part of the population with 103,600,000, but there were also brook, brown and rainbow trout, large and small-mouth bass, bluegill sunfish and shad. The nearest stocked waters to Belleville are Branch Brook and Weequahic Park lakes in Newark, Clark's Pond and Notch Brook in Bloomfield, Deepaval Brook in West Caldwell, Nichols Pond in Nutley, and Verona Lake.

The report says that rabbit hunting in this district appears to be getting better each year. "In Essex County bag limits were procured almost to the end of the season." Fishing in June was said to be satisfactory and bass and perch are increasing. "The dredging of the Passaic River has reduced fishing to almost nothing."

There are only three days left in the annual deer season, including today. The bucks with three-inch horns started scurrying for shelter Tuesday morning but they will again be safe for Santa after Saturday. Reports from all sections of the state indicate larger deer herds than ever. Game wardens base their assumption on the fact that there have never been as many deer killed by automobiles on the highways. "Hold your fire until you see the horns of the buck," is the warning of the Fish and Game Commission, and be sure to wear your red coat. You can't have with you any rifle or firearm smaller in calibre than twelve-gauge or any missile but buckshot. Hunting at night or any time with dogs is banned."

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## STARLINGS HALT PALS 26-22

### Must Keep Up Victory Pace To Win First Round Championship

Team	W	L	Pct
Starlings	4	0	1.000
Imperials	3	1	.750
Chiefs	3	1	.750
Penguins	3	1	.750
Cardinals	2	2	.500
Mohawks	2	2	.500
Panthers	1	3	.250
Junior Rosery	1	3	.250
Junior Pals	1	3	.250
Angels	1	3	.250
Junior Senators	0	4	.000

The Intermediate Basketball League has been whittled down to a single leader, the Starlings, after four weeks' competition. The Birds won a close contest over the Junior Pals 26-22 while their previous contender for the league lead, the Imperials, suffered a hard defeat at the hands of the Panthers, 31-29. Scoring honors for the Catmen went to Peck, Mosco and Labori, each tallying eight points. Johnny Fredericks led the losers with an equal amount. To keep the first round championship the Starlings cannot afford to lose a single contest as the Imperials, Penguins and Chiefs are right on their heels with only one loss each.

Team	W	L	Pct
Pals	4	1	.800
Rhodes	4	0	1.000
Lewis	4	0	1.000
Kastner	0	1	.000
H. Candura	0	1	.000
Yingling	0	1	.000
R. Candura	0	1	.000

Team	W	L	Pct
Rosery	2	0	1.000
Wheeler	2	0	1.000
Schaecker	1	1	.500
Leiss	1	1	.500
H. Valentino	0	1	.000
W. Valentino	0	1	.000
R. Valentino	0	1	.000

Team	W	L	Pct
Cardinals	1	3	.250
Letta	1	3	.250
Petrella	0	4	.000
Handley	0	4	.000
Dunkley	0	4	.000
Zakutney	1	2	.333
Barna	3	1	.750

Team	W	L	Pct
Senators	0	4	.000
Hochstadt	1	3	.250
Gobielson	1	3	.250
Triano	2	1	.667
Haimrich	1	2	.333
Johnson	2	0	1.000
McGregor	1	0	1.000

## SENIOR LOOP ENDS FIRST ROUND ALL TIED UP

### Three Teams In Deadlock For Lead; Play It Off In March

Team	W	L	Pct
Baldwin Brush	4	1	.800
Haffner's Floaters	4	1	.800
Belleville Rosery	4	1	.800
Eastons	4	1	.800
Royals	4	1	.800
Senators	4	1	.800

The first round of the Senior Basketball League ended Tuesday night in a blaze of deadlocks. Of the six teams in the loop, three tied for first and three for last. The knotty situation will not be played off until after the end of the third round, some time next March.

The first round showed some startling reversals of form. The champion Eagles have been unable to get together so far and finished in the second half of the league after absorbing the worst beating of the season to date, a 48-31 trouncing at the hands of Haffner's Floaters.

Belleville Rosery, sponsored by Vic Pomponio, returned to the picture as a local court power. The team which had to drop out of the schedule last year after a miserable showing, was replaced by the former Pals who tripped the Royals 35-31 in an extra period Tuesday night.

The utter collapse of the Senators was furthered Tuesday by a 46-31 trouncing handed them by the high-flying Baldwin Brush quintet.

Team	W	L	Pct
Rosery	4	1	.800
Bowlen, Pirates	4	1	.800
Klein, Pirates	4	1	.800
Weisel, Chiefs	4	1	.800
McDermott, Mohawks	4	1	.800
Moschino, Starlings	4	1	.800

## Wellmont Five Wants Games

The Wellmont Theatre basketball team would like to book games with senior teams for Saturday mornings at their court, Hillside School, Montclair. Those interested should write to Frank Hyland at the Wellmont Theatre, Montclair.

## Manufacturers "B" League

Team	W	L	Pct
Swedish Ven. Blind	2	1	.667
Carson Newton	2	1	.667
Pitt. Plate	2	1	.667
Hyatt	2	1	.667
Belleville Prod.	2	1	.667
Wallace & Tiernan	2	1	.667
Centerless Prod.	2	1	.667
Sonsborn	2	1	.667
Bart Lab.	2	1	.667
Borden's Ice Cream	2	1	.667
Eastwood	2	1	.667
Napier Hat Co.	2	1	.667
Heller Bros.	2	1	.667
Federal Leather	2	1	.667
Viking Tool	2	1	.667
Carson Newton	2	1	.667
Marks	2	1	.667
Jech	2	1	.667
DeSili	2	1	.667
Pizzino	2	1	.667
DiOrto	2	1	.667

## Home of Maurrie O'Connor Ransacked; Loot Unknown

The value of the loot taken from the home of Maurrie O'Connor of 18 Fairway avenue Wednesday night has not been determined. Police said it would be necessary to await O'Connor's return from Florida. The home of the Hendricks field golf pro was ransacked. Entrance was gained by breaking a small piece of glass in the rear window. Thieves operated in three widely-separated sections of the town Saturday night. All the breaks were reported Sunday morning and police began immediate investigations, although all the thefts were small.

The National Grocery Company store at 222 William street reported that someone attempted to break in the building but were unsuccessful. Joseph M. Niedzinski of 11 Brookline avenue, Nutley, said that a small quantity of lumber was taken from a home which he is building at 20 Springer street, this town. James Rutherford of 159 Franklin street said that a radio

## New Yorker Faces Charge Of Drunken Driving

James A. Maguire, forty, of 545 West 150th street, New York, was held in \$250 bail Sunday night and will appear December 30 before Recorder Smith on a charge of drunken driving. Maguire's car was involved in an accident in Belleville avenue about 150 feet west of Columbus avenue. The two cars were driving in opposite directions when the crash occurred. The second car was driven by James J. O'Dea, forty-five, of 60 Walnut street and with him in the car were Mr. and Mrs. William H. Robinson of 18 Howard place, this town, and Mrs. Lawrence Heelan of 300 Woodside avenue, Newark. All escaped injury but Maguire was taken to the office of Town Physician Martin M. Meehan who pronounced him under the influence of intoxicating liquor and unfit to drive.

Team	W	L	Pct
Drake's Bakery	30	9	.801
Hyatt	29	9	.762
Pitt. Plate	26	13	.666
Wallace & Tiernan	26	13	.666
Tiffany	23	16	.594
Eastern Tool	22	17	.564
Kooler-keg	18	21	.462
Federal Leather	17	22	.435
Martin Dennis	17	22	.435
Tung Sol	16	23	.410
National Box	15	24	.385
Viking Tool	13	26	.330
Chase Brass	10	29	.256
Tobacco Machine	9	30	.231

Team	W	L	Pct
Federal Leather	18	14	.564
Cullen	13	19	.405
C'mano	13	19	.405
Eastons	13	19	.405
Fritz	14	18	.438
Noga	16	16	.500

Team	W	L	Pct
Hyatt	29	9	.762
M'ski	15	21	.415
Brady	12	17	.414
MacSwartz	10	19	.345
D'Chess	14	18	.438

Team	W	L	Pct
Hyatt	29	9	.762
Lyman	15	14	.519
Klemz	15	14	.519
Kohler	13	17	.435
McNair	13	17	.435

Team	W	L	Pct
Wallace & Tiernan	26	13	.666
Walker	13	17	.435
S'more	13	17	.435
Shoydt	12	18	.400
R'nister	10	19	.345
Klemz	11	20	.353

Team	W	L	Pct
Pitt. Plate	26	13	.666
Steele	15	14	.519
D'nally	15	14	.519
G'max	15	14	.519
Stout	16	14	.533

Team	W	L	Pct
G'clone	14	15	.484
V'Houten	13	13	.500
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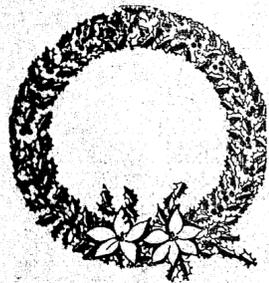
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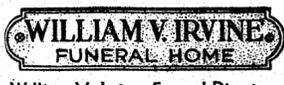
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### In The Churches

#### Reformed

Main and Rutgers streets. Dr. John A. Struyk, Pastor. Tomorrow, 7:30, choir rehearsal at the church under direction of the organist, Howard Seammom. Sunday, 9:45, Church School omitted. Morning preaching service, 10:50; the pastor will speak on Old Testament Prophecies on the coming of Jesus Christ. Children's service, 4, at the church; recitations and songs by the children of the beginners department, of which Mrs. W. G. Price is superintendent, and the children of the primary department, of which Mrs. Thomas Trovati is the leader. The main school and choir will assist in the service with carols and instrumental music. Today the women of the Missionary Society are having their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. William Adams of Rossmore place at 2. Wednesday, Christmas morning service will be held at 10. The pastor will speak on "Welcome to Jesus Christ." The annual Christmas offering will be received at this service. The Board of Consistory has decided to purchase suits for the basketball team of the church. The team of ten young men plays every Monday night at the high school gym. Thursday, December 26, 8:00, in the chapel, the annual Christmas exercises with Christmas tree and Santa Claus. All welcome. December 29, the winter Communion will be celebrated.

#### Christ Episcopal

395 Washington Avenue. Rev. Peter R. Deckenbach, Rector. Sunday, Holy Communion at 7:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. "The Angels' Song." Children's manger service and Christmas pageant at 4. There will be a morning session of the Sunday School and the evening service will be omitted. The kindergarten group will present "A Christmas Carol Comes to Life." The primary grades will have a series of sketches, "Christmas in Foreign Lands" and the older children of the Sunday School will give "The Nativity," a reading and a pantomime, at the manger service. Gifts will be presented which will be distributed to children of the town by the Young People's Fellowship. The Ladies' Guild will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, December 26, at 2, followed by a Christmas party. On Christmas Eve there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 and a sermon by the rector, "A World of Peace." On Christmas Day Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10. The junior choir will sing.

#### Bethany Lutheran

Joralemon and New Streets. Rev. Willard H. Borchers, Pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class, 9:30. Morning worship service, 10:45; sermon topic, "Problems of Prophets." Sunday evening at 8 the choir will present the Christmas cantata "On Wings of Angel Song." Mrs. Walter P. Sutton is the director. The Christmas Eve candlelight service will be held Tuesday at 11. The Christmas message is entitled "Lo, This Is Our God." The Sunday School Christmas program will be held December 26 at 7:30 in the Sunday School auditorium.

#### Fewsmith Presbyterian

O. Bell Close, Minister. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Public worship, 11. Young people's meeting, 8 p.m. Meetings of the boards, Tuesdays, 8 p.m. Girls' clubs, Wednesdays, 7. Boys' clubs, Thursdays, 7, 8 and 9. Men's club, second Tuesday, 8. Woman's Missionary Society, first Thursday, 2. Woman's Guild, second Thursday, 2.

#### Montgomery Presbyterian

Mill street and Montgomery place. Rev. F. J. Milman, P.A.D. Sunday, 11 a.m. — Christmas service. Dr. Milman will preach on "The Visit of the Wise Men." A program of special Christmas music has been arranged for the senior and junior choirs with solos by Betty and Doris Kleinknecht and William E. Rochau. Sunday 7:30 p.m. — "White Gifts for the King," a Christmas pageant with living pictures. Regular Sunday services: Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Bible class, 9:45; Junior C. E., 6:30 p.m.; Senior C. E., 7 p.m. Today the Board of Deacons will meet at 8 p.m. The Ladies Auxiliary will hold a cake sale Saturday beginning at 10:30 a.m.

#### Congregation A.A.A.

317 Washington Avenue, Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin. The regular game night for all the Youth groups and their friends will be held tonight at 7. Sabbath Eve services tomorrow night from 8:15 to 9:15. Rabbi Dobin will preach on "Pagans in our Temple." Sabbath morning services at 9:30. Regular weekly class in Bible and Commentaries will meet at 3:15 Saturday to be followed by afternoon services. Sunday School will start at 9:45. Junior League of Belleville will meet at the home of one of its members on Monday evening. Daily Hebrew School will take place in the morning during the week of the Christmas vacation. The club groups will also meet at 10. The Sunbeam Girls will meet Tuesday. Chanukah, as recorded elsewhere in this issue begins Tuesday night and Chanukah candles are lit every night of the eight day holiday. Tickets for the Chanukah Feast of the Religious School may be procured from any pupils of the School.

#### Grace Baptist Church

Overlook Avenue and Bremond Street, Belleville, Walter J. Lake, Minister. Sunday services: 9:30 a.m. — Sunday Church School; McCombe class for adults, 11 a.m. — Morning worship, special Christmas music by the choir sermon on "The Light Shines," 7 p.m. — B. Y. P. U., senior and intermediate, 8 p.m. — Christmas pageant "Spirit Incarnate" directed by Mrs. W. Douglas Clark, Jr. Christmas Eve service: 11:30 p.m. — Candlelight service. There will be special music by the choir and the congregation will join in singing the great Christmas carols. The pastor, Rev. Walter J. Lake, will speak briefly on "Midnight Melody." Choir under the direction of Mrs. Edw. Chesley. Miss Betty Sharp, organist. Deacon John Sherwood will assist in the candlelight arrangements. Weekday meetings — Tomorrow 7 p.m. — Sunday Church School Christmas party. Saturday 7:30 p.m. — the young people will decorate the church. Monday 8 p.m. — Goodwill World Wide Guild Christmas party.

#### Wesley Methodist

Rev. Edgar M. Compton. Sunday, 8:30, Church School; 10:45, morning worship; 6:45, Epworth League vesper service; 7:45, evening worship. Monday, 7, Junior Choir rehearsal. Tuesday, 7:30, Boy Scout meeting Troop 301. Thursday, 8, rehearsal Senior Choir. Friday, 4, rehearsal Boys' Choir. The annual Christmas Candlelight Service will be held Sunday afternoon at 5. Guest soloists will be Harriet Pauley, soprano, and Gordon Gaines, baritone, both from New York. Billy Taylor of the Boy's Choir and Alisa Green of the Junior Choir will also sing solo numbers. All choirs will participate in the program. The Epworth League will go carolling through the town Christmas Eve. There will be a Sunrise Service at 7 Christmas morning. The Christmas entertainment for Intermediate, Junior, Senior and Adult Departments of the Sunday School will take place at 8 tonight in the chapel. The Primary Department will hold its party tomorrow evening at 8, the Beginners Saturday afternoon at 2.

#### Everyman's Bible Class

Meets in Masonic Temple, 126 Joralemon street; George W. Trantor, leader. A special musical program is planned for Sunday morning from 9:30 to 10:30 and many Christmas selections will be given. Leader George W. Trantor will devote his time to a talk on music. The meeting will, of course, be in the Masonic Temple. Last Sunday's attendance was fifty-two. This coming Sunday is Christmas Sunday and all members are urged to attend and bring their friends.

#### Little Zion

157 Stephens Street. Rev. Albert W. Woodson, pastor. Sunday School 10 a.m.; morning service 11:30 a.m.; evening service 8 p.m. Wednesday, Prayer Meeting at 8. Thursday, Choir rehearsal at 8:30. Fourth Sunday of each month, Missionary meeting at 3:30. First Friday of each month,

#### Montgomery Church Children's Party December 27

The junior and intermediate departments of the Sunday School of Montgomery Presbyterian Church are rehearsing a Christmas play, "Hanging the Stockings for Santa," which will be presented on Sunday, December 30, as part of the congregation's Christmas party. Mrs. Edward Rochau, director, has called a meeting of the cast of twenty members for Friday evening at 6:45 at the church.

#### Red Crossers Receive V. S. Certificates

At ceremonies in the Glen Ridge Congregational Church last week, seven members of the Belleville Chapter of American Red Cross, received volunteer service certificates for having completed the prescribed eight-week course in Staff Assistance of the American National Red Cross. They are Mrs. Thomas W. Fleming, Mrs. Harvey B. Thompson, Mrs. William H. Williams, Miss Betty Sheehan, Miss Doris Scharfenberg, Miss Doris Solean and Miss Eileen Lynch. Mayor A. H. Elder of Glen Ridge, Mayor Speers of Montclair and Mayor Newell of Bloomfield spoke. Walter Davidson, assistant manager of the eastern area of the American Red Cross, came from Washington and spoke on "The Spirit in Wheels."

#### Mrs. John R. Brown

Mrs. John R. Brown, sixty-seven, of 150 Academy street died Monday morning after an illness of three years. The former Ruby Machette was born in Nutley and had resided here more than forty years. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. James R. Irwin of 37 Clearman place; a brother, Harry M. Machette of 26 Lincoln terrace, and a sister, Mrs. Elmer Reynolds of Nutley. The Rev. Edgar M. Compton of Wesley Methodist Church officiated at the funeral services last evening in the Irvine Funeral Home. Interment will take place this morning at 10:30 in East Ridgewalk Cemetery.

#### Mrs. Salvatore Scarpello

A solemn high mass of requiem was offered Friday morning for Mrs. Salvatore Scarpello, the former Vittoria DeFazio, of 124 Heckel street who died December 9 after a brief illness. She was a member of Columbus Circle No. 1107, Companions Forest of America; Loggia Celestia No. 195, Order of Sons of Italy; and Societa' M. S. Adolorata of St. Anthony's Church. Interment was in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

#### Newark

#### Kedeemer Lutheran

Broadway at Carteret Street, Newark, N. J. Rev. Paul F. Arndt, Pastor. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject, "The Power of the Gospel." Sunday School and Bible Class 9:30. Also a German service at 8:30 a.m.

#### Church of Christ, Scientist

"Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" is the Lesson-Sermon subject for Sunday, in all Christian Science Churches and Societies. The Golden Text is: "Thus saith the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; . . . I am the Lord; and there is none else." Among the Lesson-Sermon citations is the following from the Bible: ". . . And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. And God said, Let there be light; and there was light." The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook: "Immortal and divine Mind presents the idea of God: first, in light; second, in reflection; third, in spiritual and immortal forms of beauty and goodness."

#### Chanukah Feast Observance

The annual observance of Chanukah, the Jewish Festival of Lights, will begin Tuesday night and extend to January 1. This holiday is considered one of the minor festivals in the Jewish calendar because its observance is not mentioned in the Bible. Rabbi Rubin R. Dobin, of Congregation A. A. A. in explaining the meaning and customs of the holiday said that according to the Jewish calendar, Chanukah falls on the twenty-fifth day of Kislev. It is celebrated in commemoration of the courageous campaign waged by the Maccabees of old against the overwhelming hordes of Antiochus Epiphanes when he sought to conquer Palestine in the year 165 B. C. The holiday is also known as the Feast of Dedication to remind Jews of the purification and rededication of the Holy Temple in Jerusalem three years after it was defiled by the Syrian general and king. It is observed eight days because of the miracle wrought when a flask of holy oil for the Temple, which under ordinary circumstances should last but one day, burned for eight days until new oil could be obtained. The observance of the holiday was ordained by Judas Maccabees and the elders of that age to bring to the minds of the Jewish people the courageous and victorious stand made by the Jewish armies against the tyrants of Greece and Syria. It is a constant reminder of the steadfastness and firmness so characteristic of the Jewish people, the Rabbi said.

#### Candlelighting Ceremony

Chanukah is principally observed in the home and synagogue by the lighting of Chanukah candles set in an eight-branched Menorah, with an additional candle for the "Shammos" or the servant candle. The custom is to light one candle the first night, two the second night and so on. The lighting is preceded by the chanting of appropriate blessings and the singing of the popular hymns, "Haneiros Hallalu," and "Mooz Tsur." Many interesting customs are observed during the holiday. The children receive Chanukah gifts, they play a game, "tremel," a teetotum, with Hebrew lettering on its sides. It is a tradition to eat "latkes," small potato pancakes on the evening of the holiday. Among the observances planned by the Jewish community, according to an announcement by Rabbi Dobin is a pre-

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## Thursday Nighters At Cards In Recreation House

**Mrs. Rutherford Stell Entertains For The Jolly Five Hundred Club; The H. V. Hardmans Are Supper Hosts**

The Thursday Nighters met last week at cards at the Recreation House. Those present included Mrs. Charles Kraemer, Mrs. Clarence Morehouse, Mrs. Chester Hickman, Mrs. Helen Cook, Mrs. Michael Carragher, Mrs. John Lukowiak, Mrs. Frank Lukowiak and Mrs. Anna Seniff of this town; Mrs. Anna Metro of West Orange, and Mrs. Philip Thoma, Mrs. Olive Jenkins and Mrs. John Jameson of Nutley. High scores were made by Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Morehouse and Mrs. Metro.

Mrs. Rutherford Stell of Little street was hostess Thursday to the Jolly Five Hundred Club. Those attending were Mrs. J. K. Alexander, Mrs. Ernest Potter, Mrs. Charles Clause, Mrs. Edward Mudd, Mrs. John Staudt of this town; and Mrs. Robert Bryan of New York City. High scores were made by Mrs. Clause and Mrs. Mudd.

The Herbert V. Hardmans of Union avenue entertained Monday evening for their supper club. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. T. Russell Sargeant of this town.

Mrs. John Daly, Mrs. H. Kenneth Wands and Mrs. George Turner of this town were guests Thursday evening at bridge at the home of Mrs. Raymond Brand of Bloomfield. Honors went to Mrs. Daly.

Mrs. Arthur Erickson, Mrs. William Hunt, Mrs. William V. Irvine, Mrs. William Lee, Mrs. Clifton Smith, Mrs. T. Russell Sargeant and Miss Rue Oerkvitz of this town will attend their bridge club this evening at the home of Mrs. William Trost of Jersey City. Other members attending will be Mrs. Joseph Ricker of Hackensack, Mrs. William



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## January Date Is Selected For Owen-Taggart Nuptial

Miss Florence Owen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Owen of 356 De Witt avenue, has selected January 18 as the date for her wedding to D. Newman Taggart, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Taggart of 350 Sixth avenue, Newark.

The Rev. Dr. O. Bell Close of Feunsmith Memorial Presbyterian Church will officiate at the ceremony, which will take place in the Owen home. A reception will follow in the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark.

Mrs. William P. Glenck, Jr. of 129 Bremond street will be Miss Owen's maid of honor, Harry L. Taggart of Indian Lake, brother of the bridegroom-to-be will be best man. The couple will reside at 20 Birchwood terrace, Allwood, after a short wedding trip.

## Junior Red Cross Praised By School Board

The Junior Red Cross was commended by the Board of Education Tuesday night for the "splendid job" it is doing in the town. Charles A. Gebhardt, Jr., chairman of the teachers' committee, reported that the J. R. C. had collected a total of \$437 in the high school, nine public schools, St. Peter's Parochial school and from the teachers.

He pointed out that many woolen clothes for the war relief fund had been collected and that the schools had responded well to the appeal of the Municipal Welfare Department for clothing and toys. Many gifts for distribution among the patients at the Essex County Isolation Hospital have also been received. J. R. C. is under the direction of Mrs. William H. Williams, wife of the Mayor and a teacher in Bloomfield High School.

## WPA Nursery School Children To Have A Party

There will be Christmas cheer at the WPA Nursery School at V. F. W. headquarters Monday morning when the Social Service Department of the Woman's Club holds its party for the children there. Toys donated by the Junior Woman's Club will be presented by a Santa.

Mrs. Charles S. Smith, chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. Frank J. Ackerman, Mrs. Samuel H. Bootes, Mrs. Andrew Ewing, Mrs. Joseph Kilpatrick, Mrs. Arthur E. Mayer, Mrs. Morris Rochlin, Mrs. Henry Squires, Mrs. William Wilson, Mrs. Herbert V. Hardman, Miss Florence Blauvelt, Mrs. William D. Cornish, Mrs. Lloyd C. Nunn, Mrs. John F. O'Brien, Jr. and Mrs. Laury G. Stem.

## Will Present 'St. Anthony's' Drama Tomorrow, Sunday

More than 500 children attended the first performance of the drama "Patricia" given at St. Anthony's auditorium on Sunday by the Children of Mary Sodality under the direction of the religious teachers, Maestra Pie Filippini Sisters.

Carmella Colucci portrayed the part of Patricia, a Roman maiden of nobility; Augusta, Empress of Rome, was Anna Godino; Octavia, Emperor's daughter, Marie Capanean; Flavia, A Greek slave, girl, Teresa Spatarano.

The drama will be repeated again tomorrow evening at 8:30 and on Sunday evening at 8:30.

About fifty of the Maestra Pie Filippini Sisters of Villa Walsh, Morristown, were guests of the Maestra Pie Filippini Sisters of St. Anthony's Parish at the Sunday afternoon performance. Miss Mary Rinaldi entertained with piano selections and Miss Marie DelGuercio, with violin solos.

## Second Recreation Department Dance January 6

The Recreation Department will sponsor the second in its series of dances at the Friendly House on January 6, according to an announcement made yesterday by Jerry Bonavita, who is chairman of the committee on arrangements. The dance will be preceded by several basketball games of the West Belleville Senior League.



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## New Arrivals

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To Mr. and Mrs. John G. Snyder of 253 Little street: a son, John Gorman Jr., in St. James Hospital, Newark.

To Mr. and Mrs. Anthony F. Pinadella of 259 William street: a son, Eugene, in Presbyterian Hospital, Newark.

To Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knab of 23 Mt. Pleasant avenue: a son, Richard Emil, in American Legion Memorial Hospital, Newark.

To Mr. and Mrs. George M. Hoffman of 31 Parkview avenue: a son, Charles, in St. Michael's Hospital, Newark.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roselli of 80 Heckel street: a son, Frank O'Brien, Jr., in Columbus Hospital, Newark.

To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bernier of 17 Bellevue avenue: a son, Raymond Peter, in Montclair Community Hospital.

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## Heads Parillo Association

Robert Scott was elected president of the Parillo Association Monday night at a meeting held in Parillo's Tavern, Mill and Harrison streets. He succeeds George Copeland. His first act was to proclaim the seventh annual dinner of the association for April 24. Other new officers include Freeman Barnett, vice-president; John Lanza, secretary; John Lindgren, treasurer; and Thomas Figurelli, sergeant-at-arms.

## Hold Victory Dinner

A "victory dinner" to celebrate the sales of 583 new installment shares since the latest series opened October 9 was held by the North Belleville Savings and Loan Association at the Forest Hill

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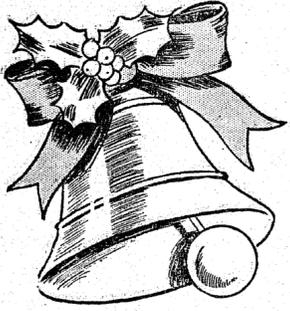
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Town Clerk

# Christmas Parties Headline Town's Social Activities

**Yuletide Spirit Pervades Bridge Clubs; Mrs. Edward Clegg Hostess on Tuesday; Mrs. Peter Johnson Entertained Also**

Mrs. Edward Clegg of Greylock parkway entertained Tuesday at a Christmas party for her bridge club. Those present included Mrs. Victor Brostrom, Mrs. Jack DeGroat, Mrs. Elizabeth Haythorn, Mrs. Henry Huthison, Mrs. John Manger, Mrs. Harvey Shepherd and Mrs. Walter Peters of this town. Mrs. M. C. Garrabrant of this town was the guest of the afternoon. Mrs. William Cross of New street was the hostess the same day to her bridge club and, entertained at a Christmas party. Those present were Mrs. Edward Davis, Mrs. Sidney Summerfield, Mrs. Walter Weiss, Mrs. William Owens, Mrs. Joseph Martell and Mrs. Horace Knox of this town, and Mrs. William Mellick of East Orange.

Mrs. Peter Johnson of Smallwood avenue entertained yesterday for her bridge club at a Christmas party. Those attending were Mrs. John Hudson, Mrs. Harry Leiss, Mrs. A. E. Ross, Mrs. George Newman and Mrs. Robert Armstrong of this town. Mrs. Edward Church of Bloomfield, and Mrs. William Russ of Montclair.

Mrs. Harold Kroeger, Mrs. A. E. Ewing, Mrs. H. G. Meyers and Miss Florence Blauvelt of this town were guests, Tuesday evening at bridge and a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Leonard Dahl of Arlington.

Mrs. Frank Dorman of Cedar Hill avenue entertained last evening at a Christmas party for the members of her bridge club. Those present were Mrs. Herbert Bernard, Mrs. Elmer Gibbs, Mrs. A. A. Dalzell, Mrs. Arthur Kunze, Mrs. Edward Scharfberg, Mrs. Harold Crane and Mrs. Howard Yirtine of this town. Mrs. Leslie Woodruff, also of this town was a guest.

Mrs. Joseph Gorman of Tappan avenue entertained yesterday afternoon for her card club at a Christmas party. Those present were Mrs. Robert Morrall, Mrs. James Lackey, Mrs. Charles Zehnbauer of this town, and Mrs. Harold Bailey of Nutley.

Mrs. Luther Van Pelt of Malone avenue will be hostess this afternoon at a Christmas party for her bridge club. Attending will be Mrs. James M. Lynch, Mrs. George Bauerhenn, Mrs. Arthur Aegerman, Mrs. Fred Frey, Mrs. Charles Thompson and Mrs. C. P. Hansen of this town, and Mrs. David Hawkins of Nutley.

Glen Ridge Guests  
Mrs. Ernest Johnson, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. Ira Cornell, Mrs. William Irvine, Mrs. Laurie G. Stem, Mrs. G. C. Miller and Mrs. Herbert V. Hardman of this town attended their contract club yesterday at the home of Mrs. George Oslin of Glen Ridge, formerly of this town.

Mrs. Russell Abel of Forest street entertained, Tuesday at a Christmas party for her sewing club and in honor of the birthday of Mrs. George Kimmeler of Bremond street. Those present were Mrs. Matthew Atkinson, Mrs. Charles Carswell, Mrs. John De-Nike, Mrs. Oscar Hicks and Mrs. Fred Sohnie of this town.

Mrs. Harold Gahr of Greylock parkway will entertain her bridge club this evening at a Christmas party. Attending will be Mrs. Leonard Stanton, Mrs. H. G. Meyers, Mrs. Mortimer Murdy, Mrs. A. E. Ewing and Miss Florence Blauvelt of this town, Mrs. Charles Shurts of Nutley, and Mrs. Wesley Pikaart of Hackensack Lake.

Mrs. Fred Schweitzer of Overlook avenue was hostess Monday evening at bridge to Mrs. Joseph Bowden, Mrs. George Horvath and Mrs. Eugene Berry of this town.

Mrs. Kenneth Foley, Mrs. Richard Garraway and Miss Isabel Abbott of this town will attend a meeting of their bridge club this evening at the home of Mrs. Alfred Thomas of Livingston.

Miss Agnes Wharton of Stephens street and Miss Josephine

Wharton of Holmes street were guests Tuesday at supper and bridge at the home of Miss Helen Risenhardt of Newark.

Mrs. William Hunt of Union avenue entertained Tuesday at two tables of bridge for guests from Bloomfield, Nutley and Belleville.

Mrs. John Green of Birchwood drive was hostess last evening at bridge to Mrs. William McNair, Jr., Mrs. Elise Sandford, Mrs. James Lampman, Mrs. George Morrison and Mrs. Russell McShane of this town, Mrs. Harold Wallwork and Mrs. Eugene Larcher of Montclair.

Mrs. Ferdinand Springfield of Jordan street entertained yesterday at luncheon and cards and a Christmas party for the So-Do-I Club. Those present were Mrs. John Gunderman, Mrs. Harry Wiest, Mrs. August Bennett, Mrs. Samuel Kenworthy, Mrs. George Lec of this town, and Mrs. Alvin Powelson of Nutley.

Miss Marion Butler of Union avenue entertained Thursday evening at a Christmas party for the Deb Elle Aires. Those present were the Misses Nancy Lynch, Mary Lou Brabbon, Hope Ross, Beatrice Corey, Dorothy Voelter, Catherine Walsh, Dorothy Thompson of this town.

## ALL ACCORDING TO HOYLE

Entire Red Cross Slate Elected; Annual Reports Made

Everything went according to Hoyle at the annual meeting of the Red Cross Thursday night at the Woman's Club and Frank L. Chambers and the rest of the slate put up by the nominating committee was again chosen to direct the affairs of the Belleville chapter for another year.

The other returning officers are B. Thomas Aitken and William J. Horgan, vice-chairman; Russell K. Rose, treasurer; and Mrs. Thomas W. Fleming, secretary. After elections the rest of the meeting was given over to annual reports or committees.

Mrs. William H. Williams, head of the Junior Red Cross, reported that enrollment in her division is 100 percent among the students in the grade schools and the high school. All of the schools are repairing toys and collecting clothing for distribution through the Welfare Department. The Juniors will also distribute Christmas baskets through the Community Service Bureau.

Members of the High School Teachers' Committee met recently with Mrs. Williams to plan activities to be conducted through the home rooms at the school. She entertained Monday for the pupil council members from each school at which time the council reported on their activities.

Mrs. Harvey B. Thompson, chairman of the production committee, informed the Red Cross Chapter that the first two quotas of 250 garments had been completed and shipped overseas during the year and that the third quota, which already has eighty garments on hand, will be shipped January 31.

All materials for the last quota will be furnished without cost but the findings, packing boxes and transportation of the finished garments to the export warehouse must be paid for by the Chapter. To date this has amounted to about \$20.

Mrs. Thompson's all-important production committee includes Miss Esther Adams, who is in charge of the distribution of all knitting materials. Mrs. Howard Thompson of Wesley Methodist Church, Mrs. Henry L. Sturges of Dutch Reformed Church, Mrs. Sidney Sheard of Christ Episcopal Church, Mrs. O. Bell Close of Fewsmithe Memorial Presbyterian Church, Mrs. John Hokanson of Montgomery Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Albert Benz of St. Peter's Catholic Church, Mrs. Clara Weinglass of the Sisterhood of Congregation A. A. A., Mrs. Benjamin A. Jacobson of the Jewish War Veterans' Auxiliary, Mrs. William J. Labagh of the American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. John F. Gannon of the V. F. W. Auxiliary, Mrs. John Gibson of the Woman's Club, Miss Catherine Comsky of the Junior Woman's Club, and Mrs. Charlotte Masters of Mutual Benefit Employees.

### Used Car Market Good

There is no better time to buy a used car than the present, according to a statement recently made by D. E. Ralston, general sales manager of Oldsmobile. In discussing the present used car market Mr. Ralston said, "I honestly feel that used car buyers today are in the most advantageous position they have been in for many months in the past and in my opinion the smart buyers are the ones who are recognizing this and will make a deal while conditions hold true."

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AMERICAN HOUSE FANCY QUALITY PT. JAR **15¢**

**TOMATO JUICE**  
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Fancy Shelled **ALMONDS** NEW CROP 1/2-LB. Cello. PKG. **23¢**

**DAIRY MAID**  
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**MARASCHINO**  
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SOFT AS OLD LINEN 1000 Sheet ROLLS **13¢**

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