

"Citizen of Year" Contest Nearing Its Deadline Of Dec. 27

Feature Sponsored By Two Service Clubs, Chamber Of Commerce, This Newspaper Is Accepting Nominations Until Date Mentioned

At this writing, six men and women have been nominated for selection as Belleville's "Citizen of the Year" for 1957.

Nominations will be received for two weeks more — the contest ending Friday, Dec. 20.

Announcement of the winner will be made in The Times-News for Dec. 27.

Conducting this feature for its second year are The Times-News, Belleville Kiwanis Club and Lions Club and Belleville Chamber of Commerce.

The committee in charge of all details, composed of William Frey, president, Belleville Lions Club; Commissioner Kenneth D. Smith, press, Belleville Kiwanis Club; and Mrs. M. J. Kwan, editor of The Times-News, will meet immediately after the close of the contest on Dec. 20 and choose the winner.

The number of nominations received by each nominee will be the determining factor in the choosing.

Act NOW — fill in and send (or bring) to the office of The Times-News, 328 Washington Avenue, the name of YOUR nominee so that he or she can be contacted when the time comes for final choice.

The purpose of this award contest is to promote greater recognition for the men and women who have contributed in an outstanding manner to the community of Belleville during the year. It is hoped to arrange some type of public affair for the presentation of the award.

Eligible to receive the title of "Citizen of the Year" is any resident or non-resident of Belleville who has achieved an act or series of acts in any field which has or have had a real effect toward the progress or betterment of the community.

Every resident of Belleville is invited to vote for his or her choice.

That is asked of you is to fill in the coupon on page two of this issue of The Times-News, bring it and it to The Times-News office.

The success of this project depends on the residents of Belleville — depends on YOU.

Harry Sullivan Association Christmas Party December 15

Hugh J. Mohen, President of the Harry J. Sullivan Association, announced this week that plans have been completed for the holiday season Christmas Party. The affair will be held on Sunday, December 15, at Christian's Restaurant, 751 Washington Avenue.

Plans have been completed for one of the Yule Season's outstanding affairs with a delicious buffet to be served and with entertainment in keeping with the season.

CYO To Hold Holy Hour

The CYO organizations from St. Peter's and St. Anthony's Churches will participate in the to be held one Sunday a month Essex County CYO Holy Hours to be held on Sunday, December 8, beginning in December. The services will be held in the evenings.

Youngster Swallows A Marble Rather Than Gum

Five-and-one-half-year-old Allen Schwartz will look twice before he puts a gum ball in his mouth in the future.

CITIZENS COUNCIL URGES MAYOR TO ACT ON PLANNING Calls On Padula to Obtain Commission Approval; Tells How Board Should Be Set Up

The executive board of Citizens Tax Council of Belleville has submitted to The Times-News for publication the following copy of a letter sent by the Council to Mayor Isadore J. Padula in which it repeats its approval of the creation of a Planning Board, as stated in a letter to the editor printed elsewhere in this issue of The Times-News.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The executive board of the Citizens Tax Council has gone on record favoring a Planning Board for our town. We feel, however, that it should be a non-political body.

We do not believe that a parking lot is the solution. One can walk to the avenue at any time of the day on night and find parking places within three blocks of any store one might wish to visit.

Most of our main shopping center is composed of one and two-story buildings.

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ANOTHER CHURCH IS BROKEN INTO

For the third time in less than two months, a Belleville Church has been the prey of a destructive fire.

This is the second time within two weeks that the church has been broken into.

Christ Episcopal Church of Washington Avenue was damaged considerably about two months ago when it was broken into.

An attempt to rob St. Peter's R. C. Church on William Street was made about a month ago.

Santa's Mail Box Ready

The Recreation Department announced this week that it again has placed the special Santa Mail Box in front of the Town Hall.

Santa will answer each letter sent to him through the special mail box and some of the letters will be chosen to receive special gifts.

THIRD SHOTS ONLY TO BE GIVEN Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 11 and 12, at 10 a.m.

WEDNESDAY DR. E. BROWN School One, A. J. School Nine, 9:45 A.M.; School Ten, 10 A.M.; School Two, 10:45 A.M.

THURSDAY DR. E. BROWN School Four and St. Anthony's School, 9 A.M.; School Seven, 10 A.M.; School Eight, 10:45 A.M.

Eligible to receive shots are children who received the first and second shots last Spring, and others who had the second shot.

The shots will be given AT THE SCHOOLS, with the children of St. Anthony's School receiving their shots at School Four.

Speakers, Officials At Dinner



Four of those who took leading parts in the 26th annual dinner of Belleville Manufacturers' Association Tuesday evening are shown above, left to right: John P. Daley, executive secretary of the organization, who handled arrangements for the affair; Mayor Isadore J. Padula, who spoke on Belleville, present and future; H. William Sawyer, president of the Association, who presided; Major Alexander P. de Seversky, who spoke on what was wrong with our national defense and what should be done about it.

POLICE, D.P.W. DO BIG JOB ON STORM; TWO WOMEN HURT

Belleville was turned into a massive traffic jam as the 24-hour snow storm piled upwards of 13 inches of snow on the area, clogging roads, making hill streets almost impassable and delaying homeward-bound commuters for hours.

The fall, which started Tuesday night, continued throughout the day and into Wednesday night until 10, leaving motorists stranded on roads and streets.

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Famed Aeronautical Leader Tells What Is Wrong In Defense

Hits Washington Complacency, "So What?" Attitude; Calls For One Armed Force Only, Larger Strategic Air Arm, More Missiles

Appearing before what its president, H. William Sawyer, called the best-attended annual dinner of Belleville Manufacturers' Association Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, at Fox Hills Restaurant, Major Alexander P. de Seversky told what he thought was wrong with the defense program of this country and gave his recommendations for improving the set-up.

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"Interior Motives" Not Benign Action, Mayor Padula Says

Tells Manufacturers He Is Working For Good Of Town In Advocating Redevelopment And Bringing Differer Segments Together

"You and I," Mayor Isadore J. Padula told the gathering of industrialists at the 26th annual dinner of Belleville Manufacturers' Association at Fox-Hills Restaurant Tuesday evening, "can appreciate the fine progress Belleville has made. Its record from Colonial infancy to our present atom age period has been one of courageous advance, despite three wars, the depression and periodic mass unemployment, all of which had a terrific impact on Belleville."

Mayor Padula, who has been a speaker at Association meetings since he took office, not only because of his top position in the municipal government set-up but also because, as Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, he has an intimate knowledge of the financial structure and position of Belleville, followed his opening words with a warning that "there comes a time in the life of a community when its citizens are no longer measured in spread development."

The speaker indicated that Belleville has reached its rebound and that Mayor Padula's "must take the form of redevelopment."

The Mayor referred to his sponsorship of a business meeting of commercial property owners and merchants, saying his purpose was to seek ways and means of securing Belleville of obtaining its proper quota of the town's share of the tremendous purchasing power to be noted throughout the country.

"I have heard," stated Mayor Padula, "that my efforts were labeled as 'politics'."

In the light of Webster's definition of "politics" — "the art of government or the administration of public affairs," Mayor said he was not condemning the label.

Mayor Padula added: "I stand before you tonight sincerely aware of any ulterior motives, and I have accepted the label of 'politics' with deep appreciation."

"Government and economics are inseparable," said the speaker, "and it is the duty of government and refuse to lend the strength of government for the promotion of private enterprise in the interest of the community as a whole."

When a town becomes inflexible it is in step with neighboring communities which are giving serious attention to development and redevelopment or be left behind.

Mayor Padula described as "unfortunate" the common concept that every citizen knows as much about schools, taxes, health, etc., as the experts in these fields.

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Two Sets Of Brothers At Local Hospital Same Time Whether it's brotherly love or just that trouble comes in bunches is not clear, but in any event, two sets of brothers — usual fryers — were checked into Clara Mass Memorial Hospital recently for surgery.

Smith Refutes Article Commissioner Kenneth D. Smith made the following statement to The Times-News this week.

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ALL PARTS OF TOWN TO BE VISITED BY DISPLAY JUDGES Annual Decorations Contest Under Way; It Will Help If You Register With Rec. Dept.

CHURCH OBSERVES 33RD ANNIVERSARY Feasts Memorial Presbyterian Church will celebrate its 33rd anniversary with a program tonight, Friday, Dec. 6, at 7:45.

Little League Grid Play Nears Season's End; Coaches Lauded Belleville Football Little League has just completed its third playing season. This has been a season of the tightest competition yet in the League. As in the past, the coaches have done a remarkable job of taking their boys from "this is a football" to smoothly performing teams with a good knowledge of the basics and intricacies of the game, plus an understanding of sportsmanship.

Firemen To Hold Dance; Welfare Fund Benefits The tenth annual dance of the Firemen's Mutual Benevolent Association will take place Friday night, Dec. 13, at 9 o'clock in the Terrace Ball Room on Broadway Street, Newark.

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Lt. Cmdr. William Thomas Transferred To Norfolk, Va.; To Work On Navy Magazine



LT. CMDR. WILLIAM THOMAS

Lt. Commander William Thomas, recently stationed at the United States Navy Air Base, Sanford, Fla., has been transferred to the Navy Base at Norfolk, Va. where he has been named managing editor of Approach Magazine, a Navy publication on safety. He is a navy pilot serving as an instructor.

A native of Belleville, Lt. Commander was only recently promoted to that rank from Lieutenant Senior Grade.

Lt. Commander Thomas is married to the former Miss Mildred Weyman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weyman, of 177 East 5th St. They have two children, Billy and Gary. The Commander is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas, of 308 Graylock Parkway.

LOCAL STUDENT DIRECTS PLAY

A variety show, followed by dancing, was sponsored by the Youth Club of Fairleigh Dickinson University Saturday, Nov. 16, in the Rutherford campus gymnasium.

Director of the show was Austin Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts, of 33 Essex Street, Belleville. Others participating in the show included Barbara Young and Diane Wacker, both of Nutley.

LOCAL GIRL PRESIDES AT PROGRAM ON AUSTRIA

Miss Else Bergersen, of 189 Gaston Avenue, Belleville, presided at a program on "Austria, the Heart of Europe" given at Caldwell College for women in Caldwell Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, at 8:30, in the auditorium. Featured speaker was Alfred M. Korn, press attaché of the Austrian Embassy and deputy director of the Austrian Information Service.

Miss Bergersen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Bergersen, a senior at Caldwell College and president of the International Relations Club, which sponsored

the Austria program. She is active also in Ergo, philosophy honor society of the College, the Gentian Actress Guild and Mission Club.

LOCAL BOYS HONORED AT NEWARK ACADEMY DINNER

Two boys from Belleville were honored at a Midget Football awards dinner at Newark Academy Tuesday night, Nov. 26, to which their fathers also were invited. They were Eighth Grader Gerald Garcia, of 328 Washington Avenue and Sixth Grader Alan Cesta, of 36 Clerman Place. Director of Athletics Udele Stallings of Menchie presented both boys with Newark Academy sweater emblems, and congratulations were extended by Academy Headmaster Robert A. Butler of Milburn and Assistant Athletic Director Paul DeSario Jr. of East Orange.

HIGH SCHOOL SINGERS ENTERTAIN AT HOSPITAL

A group of Belleville High School girls, known as the "Singer's Dozen," entertained the staff and patients of Clara Maass Memorial Hospital Wednesday, Nov. 27, with an excellent rendition of Thanksgiving and other popular songs.

This chorale group, under the direction and coaching of Dr. Samuel Peck, sings beautifully and is a great credit to the school it represents. The following students make up the "Singer's Dozen": Virginia Alderson, Susan Bada, Joyce Baldwin, Jacquelin Parille, Shirley Sica, Lois VanDyke, and Betty Watt. They were accompanied on the piano by Grace Lombardi.

RAVLEY-SETON SETS ANNUAL RECEPTION FOR ARCHBISHOP

Sunday, Dec. 8, a reception in honor of the Most Rev. Thomas A. Boland, Archbishop of Newark, will be held by the Ravley-Seton League at Marylawn of the Oranges, Scotland Road, South Orange.

The program written, arranged and produced by Mrs. Marie J. Unger, a League member, will be attended by members and children of members. Mrs. William A. Caman is co-producer.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Teascher, of 665 Belleville Avenue, and daughter, Daphi Ellen, born Nov. 13, at Orange Memorial Hospital.

CITIZENS

(Continued From Page One) story firetrains, a good many of them vacant. No wonder so many of our citizens visit neighboring towns to do their shopping!

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the legal sanction of the Commission for the establishment of such a Board.

If this is obtained, the Citizens Tax Council will invite all active civic groups in town to send delegates to a meeting, time and place to be set later.

This Board should make a thorough study of the situation. When they have prepared a recommendation it should be published and set before the Commission for its approval.

It should be understood by all that the Commission is in no way bound to accept the recommendations of the Board. But it would be a step in the right direction and the recommendations would definitely be the will of the majority of the citizens of Belleville.

May we please be favored with your reactions to the above.

Sincerely, Citizens Tax Council of Belleville LOUIS DONATO, President.

261 Graylock Parkway Belleville, Nov. 30, 1957

LEADER TELLS

(Continued From Page One) and its democratic way of life as superior to Fascism and Communism.

"Pointing out that 'everybody agrees that free people must be invincibly strong,' the difficulty lay in no agreement 'as to how we should achieve that strength.'"

Outlining the development of

fighting power from high explosives such as TNT to nuclear weapons, the speaker said that the theory of "who gets the biggest with the muzzies" still holds good with earth-orbiting satellites.

Major de Seversky spoke as a proponent of strong air power, and when he referred to air power, he made it clear, he included space power. In this vein he outlined the progress in recent military technology and America's reaction to it. He was critical of the complacent attitude of official Washington when reports were received of this by Russia. He scoffed at the "So what?" advances taken. Then he set himself to answering that recurring question: "What is the cause of our great technological tardiness?" His answer: not any lack of knowledge or talent but "that our talent is condemned by military orthodoxy to labor within the confines of an outmoded, fallacious framework."

Getting down to specifics, Major de Seversky called for repeal of the Unification of Services Act of 1947 and creation of a new defense establishment "attuned to the technological realities of our time."

"The time is long overdue," he said, "for us to integrate our three services into one single military force, with one uniform, one promotion list and a single staff."

This country must, he went on,

There's a long - range striking force - ballistic, rocket and airborne - operating directly from the continent.

Our jet-propelled Strategic Air Command must be quadrupled... We must intensify our ballistic missile effort... We must also exert our maximum effort to create the most efficient Continental Air Defense Through expansion of our communications, electronics and guided missile production of our early warning system and, above all, the rapid development of antimissile missiles for interception of the ICBM through the method of collision."

The Major's concluding remark was "The Sputnik has blessed us in disguise, warning light that must arouse us to action."

Major de Seversky was accorded a courtesy standing applause when he was introduced by Mr. Sawyer. The end of his speech was received with a thunderous standing applause of appreciation.

MAYOR SAYS

(Continued From Page One) fields.

"While we must accept the true concept of government by the people," the Mayor continued, "it must be realized that the people, the Mayor continued, must be sincerely inspired, cannot usurp the place of specialists."

Acknowledging that the firms represented in the audience was addressing may want to expand, Mayor Padula said "we want that expansion to take place in Belleville."

He cautioned, however, that possible expansion must take into consideration the social and cultural values of the community as well as the economic values.

Expansion must be dealt with as a long-range collective venture," declared the speaker.

In closing his talk, Mayor Padula cited the only statistics in his speech, saying that "the total sound value of all real and personal property in Belleville amounts to approximately \$149,000,000, and Belleville's total debt is approximately \$3,107,000."

Mayor Padula concluded his remarks with this peroration: "With teamwork among the people, industry, business and elected officials, and God's help, we can and will build Belleville into a fine, progressive city."

BIG JOB

(Continued From Page One) was on duty with his men, supervising the job of making Belleville's roads passable.

In one instance, because of congested traffic on Franklin Avenue, two of the town's snow plows were forced to back track through Newark in order to reach the main area of Belleville.

SCORING

(Continued From Page One) of the two teams are scanned.

Nutley has lost several games this year, but among its conquerors are such teams as Bloomfield, Clifton and Montclair. They also lost to East Orange. But at a time when the Panthers were the leading team in the county, Belleville, on the other hand,

They had been clearing the streets leading to Clara Maass Memorial Hospital.

An accident occurred at the outset of the storm and resulted in one woman being hospitalized at St. James Hospital, Newark.

A car driven by Mrs. Florence B. Blank, 38, of 24 Essex Street, slid on the ice Tuesday night at about 11:30 and hit the curb.

Mrs. Madeleine Bornmiller, 37, of 55 Division Avenue, a passenger in the car, received severe lacerations of the face and a fractured nose. Mrs. Blank also suffered facial injuries and both women were rushed to Columbus Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Bornmiller was removed to St. James, where she was under observation for possible further injuries.

ALL PARTS

(Continued From Page One) of Education. Many highly qualified people in our community are reluctant to offer themselves as candidates unless they are asked to do so by a responsible group.

To seek out and endorse such persons is the object of the Conference.

"Any organization interested in education and public schools should actively participate in this endeavor. Should they be prevented from doing so by an interdiction of their constitution or by-laws, it must be well to consider actively making an effort to change those rules which prevent them from doing their full potential for the good of public education."

All delegates to the Conference and all organizations participating might also forgo selecting one person from their midst, and making an all-out effort to secure the endorsement for their particular candidate.

No school board member presents any particular district, but acts as a trustee of the entire school district. Selecting the most qualified persons in the community should be the sole concern of each delegate."

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Miss Mary Hartigan Of Montclair Becomes Bride Of John Fitzpatrick Nov. 30

Our lady of Lourdes Church, West Orange, was the setting Saturday, November 30, of the wedding of Miss Mary Katherine Hartigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Hartigan, 20 Virginia Avenue, Montclair, and John Joseph Fitzpatrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fitzpatrick, of 82 Lighth Street, The Rev. Robert L. Daly officiated at the ten o'clock nuptial Mass.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of chantilly lace over taffeta, trimmed with seeded pearls. Her fingertip-length veil flowed from a small cap of chantilly lace and she carried a bouquet of white orchids, chrysanthemums and stephanotis.

Miss Sally Hartigan, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor. The bridesmaids were Mrs. James Hickey of Livingston, sister of the bridegroom and Miss Elaine Kosa of Montclair. They were all similarly attired in ballerina-length gowns of emerald green velvet with matching accessories. They carried bouquets of autumn chrysanthemums.

The best man was Bernard Fitzpatrick, brother of the bridegroom. Ushers were Martin J. Hartigan Jr., of Montclair, brother of the bride and Joseph Kondash of Nutley.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick is a graduate of Montclair High School and is employed by Northern New Jersey Mortgage Loan Office, Newark. Her husband is a graduate of Belleville High School and attended Boston College. He is presently a student at Seton Hall University.

A veteran of the Marine Corps in World War II, Mr. Fitzpatrick saw action in the Pacific Theatre of Operations. He is employed by Kahant Electrical Supply Co., Dover, N.J.

Following a wedding reception at Friar Tuck, Cedar Grove, the couple left for a two-week honeymoon in Florida.

They will reside in Randolph Township, where they have just finished building their own home.

NEWARK GIRL TO WED LOCAL MAN

Mr. and Mrs. James P. O'Donnell, of 35 N. Fourteenth Street, Newark, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Carol O'Donnell to Allan V. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Uno Anderson, of 32 Berkeley Avenue, Miss O'Donnell is a graduate of Barringer High School and Berkeley Secretarial School, Newark. She is employed with General Motors Acceptance Corp., Newark. Her fiancé is a graduate of Belleville High School and attends Fairleigh Dickinson University. He is associated with his father in Nason Metal Works.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Thomas H. Ryan, a brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Ewanian Reilly and Toy Schaufelberger.

Mrs. Ryan attended schools in Belleville and is employed by Yorg, Inc., Belleville. Her husband is a graduate of Newark College of Engineering and is attending Stevens Institute of Technology. He is associated with Esso Research and Engineering Division of Esso Standard Oil of New Jersey, Elizabeth, N.J. He is a member.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by her sister, Miss Barbara Dietz, as maid-of-honor. Miss Gail Cavannah and Mrs. John Butler were the bridesmaids. Regina Ryan, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

The bride wore a gown of blue and white chrysanthemums by her brother, John Michael Sheehan, the bride wore a gown of ice silk tulle, trimmed with Chinese embroidered panels of rose point. Chantilly lace and pearls. Her ice blue French illusion fingertip-veil was attached to a pill box trimmed with seeded pearls. She carried a white orchid on a prayerbook.

Miss Janet Krause of St. Claire Shores, Mich. was maid-of-honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Ann Hanlon of South Orange; Miss Mary Lou Wilkinson, of Linwood, N. J.; Mrs. Stewart Stern of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.; and Mrs. Eugene Henicke of Manlwood.

They were all similarly attired in cobalt blue velvet gowns with satin trim. Their bridesmaids were of matching feather caps. They carried old-fashioned bou-

quets of blue and white chrysanthemums.

Alfred Samaha of Colonial Terrace, N. J. was best man. Victor Habib of Interlocken, N. J.; Doctor Walter Evans of Oakhurst, N. J. and Alfred Skaf of West Amonkton, N. J. and Woodrow Jabour of Morristown, N. J. were the ushers.

The bride's mother chose a copper brown lace gown with a full skirt and light beige accessories for her daughter's wedding. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a sheath dress of putty colored lace with matching accessories.

Following a reception at For Hills Restaurant, Newark, the couple left on an undisclosed destination for their honeymoon. For their traveling costume, Mrs. Samaha chose a charcoal brown flannel suit ensemble with a champagne satin blouse and matching portrait hat.

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Miss Sheehan is the daughter of Mrs. Matthew J. Sheehan and the late Mr. Sheehan, formerly of Belleville. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Abraham K. Samaha and the late Abraham K. Samaha of Asbury Park.

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The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pique de soie silk with Alencon lace appliques, studded with seed pearls. Her fingertip-length veil was attached to a pill box trimmed with seed pearls and rhinestone. She carried a bouquet of light pink Duchess Roses.

Miss Rita Carasim was maid-of-honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Alice Mender, Miss Marie Prieto and Mrs. Judy Cox of Richfield Village, Clifton. They were attired in ballerina-length gowns of red velvet and wore matching accessories. They carried white muffs with red poinsettias.

Serving as best man was Gerald Gradone of Newark. John Prieto, John DeVito of Newark and Harry Gruelke of Irvington were the ushers.

The bride is a graduate of Belleville High School and is a secretary with G. P. Sommer and Son, Newark. Her husband is a graduate of Barringer High School, Newark and Rutgers University. He is a Public Accountant and with M. D. Oppenheim and Co., Newark.

On their return from a two-week honeymoon trip to Miami Beach, Fla., Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, the couple will reside at 316 N. Twelfth Street, Clifton, N.J.

Bloomfield Girl Richard Concato Engaged To Wed

The engagement of Miss Paola Mary Hynes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Hynes of 11 Spruce St., Bloomfield, to Richard B. Concato, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Concato, of 31 Parkside Drive, was made known recently at a family dinner party.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Our Lady of the Valley High School, Orange, is associated with The Bank of New York, New York City. Her fiancé is a graduate of Belleville High School and

HOLY FAMILY P.T.A. PARTY, DEC. 10
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A Christmas party will be held following the meeting with each parent requested to bring in a \$1.00 gift for the annual grab bag.

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MISS VAN HOUTEN BECOMES BRIDE OF EDWARD MUELLER

Wesley Methodist Church was the setting Saturday, November 30, of the wedding of Miss Barbara Drake Van Houten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin I. Van Houten, of 428 Washington Avenue, and Edward Charles Mueller, son of Mrs. Edward Charles Mueller, of Spring Lake, N. J., and the late Mr. Mueller. The Rev. Clifford Hewitt officiated at the ceremony.

Mrs. Richard Glenn Sharp was the bride's only attendant. Winfield S. McCoy served as best man and the ushers were Michael Scullin, brother-in-law of the bridegroom and Richard Sharp. Mrs. Mueller is a graduate of Belleville High School and Drew University College of Liberal Arts. Her husband attended Northmouth Junior College and Drew University. He will enter the club neighborhood field.

Troth Announced Of Local Man To Hillside Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Marras, of 201 Williams Avenue, Hillside, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lynn Marras to Sheldon Philip Partnow, son of Mrs. Meyer Letztes, of 48 Belmont Street.

Miss Marras was graduated from Weequahic High School and is employed by Dr. L. J. Levinson at Beth Israel Hospital, Newark.

Her fiancé, a graduate of A.T. High School, Newark, is an electrician. A June wedding is planned.

SCHOOL 8 STUDENTS TO ENTERTAIN P.T.A.

The Parent-Teacher Association of School Eight will get a preview of the school children's Christmas show at the regular meeting of the organization, Monday evening, December 9, in the school auditorium.

The Girl's Glee Club, made up of students from the seventh and eighth grades, will sing several numbers under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Bonnet music supervisor and assisted by Miss Kathryn N. Conklin.

Refreshments will be served by the Refreshment committee, assisted by class room mothers of the fourth and fifth grades. They include Mrs. Fred Janni, Mrs. M. Atterton, Mrs. John Travers, Mrs. Fred Schneider, Mrs. Estelle Jockak, Mrs. Elmer Evans, Mrs. Nick Grands, Mrs. Paul Mulder, Mrs. Elizabeth Azenodo, Mrs. J. Lutz and Mrs. C. Tilles.

Newark Girl Heads Tap

Barbara Debus, 17, a senior at Columbia High School, Newark, was again chairman of TAP, "Teens Against Polio," for Essex County in connection with the March of Dimes drive for 1958. Her first official action will be the appointment of town chairman, including Belleville, for TAP in each County community.

Belleville Music Lovers To Hear Artists At Concert December 7



DONALD HULME



William Akers



Miss Hazel Ellsworth



GENE HOLLMAN

JUNIOR RED COSS PLANS PROGRAM FOR HOSPITAL CHILDREN

The Junior Red Cross Town-Wide Council met recently at the American Red Cross Chapter Hall, with members formulating plans to assist the children at the Essex County Hospital.

The members plan to purchase a hobby horse for the children at the hospital as well as collect costumes, make party favors, bibs, toy animals and other items to make these children happy.

Peggy Robinson, president of the Council, presided at the meeting which was attended by representatives and teacher-sponsors from all the public schools and St. Peter's Parochial school.

During the business meeting, School Two reported making 214 nut cups for Thanksgiving of which 75 went to the East Orange Veterans Hospital, 25 to Clara Mass Memorial Hospital and 110 to Essex County Hospital.

Mrs. Hilda Sherman is chairman of the Junior Red Cross and acts as advisor to the organization.

Boys and girls attending public, private or parochial schools may enroll in the Junior Red Cross during the month of December. The members serve in many useful ways and are taught first aid, water safety, care of sick and injured, ways of making articles for children in hospitals and other institutions.

The next meeting will be December 12 with School Five as hostess at the American Red Cross Chapter.

SCHOOL 3 P.T.A. MEETING TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

The Pre-School section of the Parent-Teacher Association of School Three will hold its monthly meeting at School Three, Room 201, Tuesday evening, Dec. 10 at 8:30 P.M.

Dr. Leslie Mintz, of Passaic will talk and show a film on "School Children's Vision". A question and answer period will follow.

Refreshments for the evening will be served by Mrs. L. Verzaat and Mrs. R. Layton.

CATHOLIC WOMEN TO MEET DEC. 12

The Catholic Women's College Club will hold its regular meeting Thursday, December 12 at Graunich's Restaurant, 359 Park Avenue Orange, Mrs. Fox of Arlington, president, will preside.

Mrs. John Lauter of Bloomfield, program chairman, has announced that in place of an entertainment hour, the members will work on the annual Christmas charity.

Members are asked to bring usable clothes, toys, and jewelry. They will sort these and gift-wrap them in preparation to sending them to Missionary Servants of the Most Holy Trinity at Sterling, N. J.

This organization furnished enough gifts last year to provide a Christmas party for needy children in the Washington, D. C. area.

Members of this club include women of St. Peter's and St. Anthony's R. C. Churches, Belleville.

St. Anthony Mothers To Elect Officers At Meeting Dec. 11

The Christian Mothers of St. Anthony's R. C. Church will hold their regular meeting, Wednesday evening, December 11 at the School Cafeteria on Franklin Street. Prior to the social gathering which will include a Christmas party and the exchanging of gifts, a business meeting will be held with the election of officers to take place.

Plans will be furthered for the Christmas Breakfast which is to take place, Sunday, January 5, following the 7:30 Mass.

Times-Social-CYO Dance Dec. 12. The entertainment committee of the Catholic Youth Organization of St. Anthony's R. C. Church are holding rehearsals in preparation for their annual Christmas dance to be held Saturday evening, December 28 at the church hall. Miss Angela Brynede is director of the variety show.

Local Musicians And Student To Perform At School Ten

Miss Hazel Ellsworth and William Akers, local pianists and organists, and founders and directors of the "Music To Enjoy" group will appear at the second concert of the season, Saturday evening, December 7, in the auditorium of School Ten, Belleville and Franklin Avenues, at 8:15 P.M.

Gene Hollman, well known bass soloist, and Donald Hulme, a student in accordion, will also perform.

Miss Ellsworth maintains a private studio at 275 Little Street, teaching organ and piano. She is organist and choir director of Fawcett Presbyterian Church.

A teacher of piano and organ in Belleville and New York City, Mr. Akers is a local resident with a studio at 254 Little Street. He is organist and choir director of Jan Hus Church, New York City, and director of the New York Synphonic choir.

Mr. Hollman is soloist at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York, and has appeared in numerous shows on Broadway and in summer stock. He is also an outstanding Television artist.

The young accordionist, Donald Hulme is a student of Charles Muzio and has impressive lists of major concerts behind him.

Local Woman Elected To Lutheran Executive Board

Mrs. John Leonard, of 24 Elmwood Avenue, Belleville, was elected a member of the executive committee of the Lutheran Service Bureau Auxiliary at a meeting Monday, Nov. 18, in Redeemer Lutheran Church, Irvington, Mrs. Leonard is a member of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Nutley.

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Among the girls who made the trip were Lynn Armstrong, Mary Arine Alber, Judith Berg, Doreen Bradley, Betty Bortolano, Sharon Davis, Dorothy Fern, Carol Frances, Laura Johnson, Janet Pappageall, Janet Robertson, Laura Ruppel, Patricia Shaw, Virginia Travers, Dorothy and Beorgette Uchol and Cathy Zeil. Acting as chaperones were Eileen and Marilyn Uchol, and the Mesdames W. Alber, Peter Bortolano, J. Robertson, L. Johnson, C. Pappageall, Y. Travers and R. Travers.

At the first meeting of Girl Scout Senior Troop 19 at the Reformed Church, Main Street, Miss Veronica Suddzinski was elected president of the group. Other officers are Oliva Schleckner, vice president; Grace Rapp, secretary and Thomasina Hamilton, treasurer.

As part of their Christmas program, the scouts are making corsets, pins and earrings which will be on sale within a few days. Orders may be placed with the troop president, Miss Suddzinski, by telephoning Plymouth 4-7003 or with any Senior Scout.

Mrs. A. Verhagen is leader of the troop.

Intermediate Troop 9, under the leadership of Mrs. Verhagen, meets at the Reformed Church and is actively engaged in badge work. In addition to their regular service activities, the girls have engaged in several social affairs including a Halloween party, a Court of Honor and a Christmas party, Tuesday, December 10.

Officers of the troop include Nancy Webber, treasurer; Barbara McGuire, secretary; Rosemary Ayers, reporter, and Nancy Morrell, Alice Springer, Carol Leahy and Angela Macducho, patrol leaders.

Intermediate Troop 2, accompanied by their leaders, Mrs. M. Mmanan and Mrs. A. Gesla attended the Flower Show and Branch Brook Greenhouse Friday afternoon, November 15. Those who made the trip were Mary Connolly, Dorothy Dolan, Lynn Eisel, Joan Hoffman, Gail Kenworthy, Mary Lloia, Jo-An Manganis, Carol Pines and Diane Southwell.

Mrs. Alfred Moore, public relations director of Belleville Council of Girl Scouts, is again making an appeal to the women of Belleville to volunteer their services as Girl Scout Leaders.

Mrs. Moore stated that there are still several troops inactivated because of lack of leadership. Several hundred potential girl scouts are being deprived of scouting because their troops remained closed.

Any mother who has a girl eligible for scouting would volunteer her services for the living room."

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Local Red Cross Workers To Attend Conlab Dec. 6 and 7

The Fourth Annual New Jersey-Deleware Regional Conference of the American Red Cross will take place at Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, Atlantic City, N. J., Friday and Saturday, December 6 and 7. General Alfred M. Gruenther, National Red Cross President, will be guest speaker at the Friday night Session while Bryan Field, famous sportscaster and inspirational speaker, will address the delegates at the Saturday luncheon.

Representatives of the Belleville Red Cross who plan to attend include Dr. Frank Di Ruggiero, chairman of the 1956 Red Cross Fund Campaign; Mrs. Herbert Tucker, chairman of the Volunteers and Miss Marjorie Leuly, executive Director of Belleville Chapter of American Red Cross.

Parents of pre-school age children are urged to attend these meetings. Present at the session were Mrs. P. Delauntes, Mrs. J. McGinnis, Mrs. J. Brown, Jr., Mrs. K. Reeves, Mrs. A. Espinoza, Mrs. K. Carey, Mrs. C. Dries and Mrs. H. Tucker.

To enable the mothers to be present at this meeting, Girl Scout Troop 98 members, under the supervision of their leader Mrs. Herbert Tucker, acted as baby sitters.

Woman's Republican Club Plans Christmas Party

The Belleville Woman's Republican Club viewed a film on Cancer at their meeting, Tuesday, November 26, at the Woman's Club, 51 Rossmore Lane.

During the business meeting, final plans were made for the groups annual Christmas party

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Letters To The Editor

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 Editor, The Times-News:
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THOMAS MAGLIONE
 46 Washington Ave.
 Belleville
 Nov. 26, 1957

THANKS FIREMEN FOR QUICK ACTION
 Editor, The Times-News:
 During the recent flu epidemic, my wife had to be rushed to the hospital and our local firemen came to our aid.

M. SGT. JACK HEN, U.S.A.
 133 Linden Ave.
 Belleville
 Nov. 25, 1957

APPS POLICE DEPT. FOR LACK OF ASSISTANCE
 Editor, The Times-News:
 Having been a lifetime resident of Belleville, I have found it necessary to call on Belleville Police Department only once for assistance. I have found that they are unhelpful and inefficient.

MILDRED CATALDO
 47 Overlook Ave.
 Belleville
 Nov. 15, 1957

CITIZENS TAX COUNCIL WANTS PLANNING BOARD
 Editor, The Times-News:
 The executive Board of the Citizens Tax Council of Belleville has passed a resolution to urge the establishment of a Planning Board.

LEE H. GARSON
 22 Howard Place
 Belleville
 Nov. 23, 1957

GOLDEN WRITES AGAINST PRESSURE GROUPS, PLANNING BOARDS
 Editor, The Times-News:
 Any assault upon the press is generally regarded as a cardinal sin which politicians "shy away from" like the plague.

ROBERT A. MAYERS
 40 Overlook Ave.
 Belleville
 Nov. 23, 1957

HYDE WILL GET THIS WRITER'S VOTE FOR RUTAN-ESTATE STAND
 Editor, The Times-News:
 Many "political observers" seem to feel that Commissioner Hyde is committing political suicide with his recent stands on the county park and the gasoline station, both involving Rutan-Nutley.

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 and call upon our people to take cognizance of this week by mailing early and patronizing the postal facilities to the fullest extent during this period.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Town of Belleville, New Jersey to be affixed.
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 Town Hall this 4th day
 of December in the year of
 Our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven

ISADORE J. PADULA
 MAYOR

of necessity be somewhat higher than in shops with larger turnovers. Neither is the situation due to a lack of parking facilities, as so many seem to think. One can walk down the avenue almost anytime of the day or night and find available parking space within three blocks of any shop one might want to visit.

The Citizens Tax Council of Belleville does not have \$300,000 to play with or anywhere near that amount in its treasury. But we do have a few dollars—far more important than dollars—the enthusiastic backing of a great many of our citizens. These are the people who make or break the shops in our town.

We believe that a Planning Board should be set up by the people, for the people of Belleville. We would like to see as a first step, the Board of Commissioners legally sanction the establishment of a Planning Board.

We feel, however, that the Planning Board members should be free of politics and should not be appointed by the Commissioners. They should be elected by the people.

We are contacting all active civic groups in town, requesting that they send delegates to a meeting to be called in the near future. This group should select a Planning Board from among the leading residents of Belleville.

We believe that the Planning Board should make a detailed study of the situation from every aspect. When the Board has prepared a recommendation it should be published and then placed before the Commissioners for their approval.

Further, that any recommendations by the Planning Board should be strictly in the interests of the residents of Belleville and not the industrial organizations situated here.

Editor, The Times-News:
 Any assault upon the press is generally regarded as a cardinal sin which politicians "shy away from" like the plague. Rather than antagonize the scribes, who often get away with murder in imposing their own views upon the public, it is expedient to check attitude is espoused that is equivalent to cowardice.

Contra to that approach, I feel any person presenting himself to the public as either a public official or an aspirant to public office is obligated to improve the position of his constituents prominently proclaimed in news publications.

Too many false impressions are largely unfamiliar with the newspaper, "pundit" copy which only presents a one-sided story—the reporter has been in town, withstanding their sincere intention to sponsor what they regard as needed reforms.

S. E. Lieberman, news editor of The Times-News, a veteran newsman and born in town, writes in another article, "The business element of the area in this locality is not being considered more than it is getting. Results can be expected only when those who are familiar with the town, rather than those who are not, are the ones who are writing the news."

Mr. Lieberman should ascertain what occurred during the failure and folding-up of dormant organizations. He should respect the right of each citizen to be heard by consent of the governed, not pressure groups which seem to be suggesting.

It is my contention that Belleville, the last community in the county to hold out against the boards and clamoring hordes of agitators for special interests should hold off from these unnecessary and expensive propositions until it has been proven that its own administration cannot function and govern as efficiently upon the home-owners.

Mr. Lieberman's task is to elect Commissioners who will stand for the people, not merely merchants. He should acquaint himself with the fact that Belleville citizens don't want public officials that yield to pressure groups. We like to feel decisions are resolved upon merit and moral principle, not force and threat of political reprisal.

I shall never subscribe to the editorial in his editorial in his Nutley paper which appeared recently and applied to other types of pressure groups, equally objectionable. They are harmful wherever they are. Let's not encourage their existence.

JAMES R. GOLDEN
 42 Tappan Ave.
 Belleville
 Nov. 29, 1957

LITTLE LEAGUE
 (Continued From Page One)
 With the wind-up of the football season at hand, it might be well to give credit to the coaches who have guided the boys so well and to the sponsors whose contributions make Football Little League possible.

Here are the teams and their captains: Lightweight Division: Kewanee Club, Jack Byrnes and Ed Howell. Lions Club, Dawson Bloom and George Lister. Varsity Club, Frank Donnelly and Tom Corino. Elks Club, Teddy De Grosse and Harvey.

Robert Woodman, club director supervised the election of officers: Jane Wittek, who was last year's girls' midwest champ, was elected president. Pat Ukaro, last year's boys' midwest champ, was elected vice-president, and Mary Jane Richter was chosen secretary-treasurer. Richard Farnam was chosen boys' team captain and James Grosch was chosen girls' team captain.

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TWO SETS
 (Continued From Page One)
 The same day, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pignatelli, of 223 Walnut Street, Montclair, brought in their two sons for surgery. Actually they brought in only their elder son Joseph, age eight. Tuesday morning for an appendectomy. While Joseph was on the way to the hospital, his younger brother David, age 4½, developed a pain in his tummy, so the doctor ordered him into the hospital also—for an appendectomy.

All five boys have returned to their homes.

Madassah Chapter Meetings To Be Held Dec. 12, Dec. 19
 Because of approaching holidays, Belleville-Nutley Chapter of Madassah will hold its meetings a week earlier than usual.

The December board meeting will take place at the home of Mrs. Haris Gailly, 80 Perry Street, Belleville, Thursday, Dec. 12, at 1 P.M. All board members are asked to attend.

The regular meeting of the Chapter will be held Thursday, Dec. 19, at 8:30 P.M. at Ahavath Achim Temple, Academy Street, Belleville. The theme of the session will be "Yemenite Chanting."

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BIKE CLUB STARTS; OFFICERS ELECTED
 The Recreation Department's Belleville Bicycle Club started its 1957-58 season Saturday, Nov. 30, with an organizational meeting. All of last year's champions will be with the club again and look forward to a good season. The club extends a welcome to all boys and girls to attend Saturday's meeting at the Municipal Stadium at 9:30 A.M.

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What Police Rookie Does To Become A Good Officer The following article was prepared by Police Chief G. R. Spatz of Belleville. Chief Spatz, in submitting the item for publication, pointed out that he regards police work as a highly technical profession and a rookie should be trained just as a young man is prepared to enter any other profession. The chief is most enthusiastic about the courses set up by The Association of Police Chiefs of Essex County, about which he writes here and, as he says, he trusts his association colleagues hope the idea will spread into other New Jersey counties.

Another program is advanced police training. This program is for policemen, other than rookies, with a few or more years of experience. Another program would be known as specialized training. This program is for policemen interested in such subjects as fingerprinting, photography, etc. A course in basic training has been concluded at the Police Academy. This was the seventh course in this training since the school started and the class was graduated on Nov. 15.

At the civilian defense headquarters building in Livingston there is a five-day course for superior officers being conducted. The subjects being covered are police administration, development of leadership, problems of a police chief, planning for future problems, etc. This is a department, command and control of personnel, management, welfare of personnel, public relations, disposition of juvenile offenders, reporting by a chief, jurisdiction of agencies of various levels, training programs and police responsibilities in major disasters.

Through the co-operation of the New Jersey State National Guard, the Police Academy is located in the West Garden moory. Through the co-operation of the Essex County Board of Freeholders, a police training program is now being conducted at the Essex County Civilian Defense headquarters building in Livingston.

The president of the Association of Chiefs of Police appointed a group of police chiefs to be known as an educational committee. One chief headed this committee as chairman; the rest of the group is split up into three smaller committees of various levels, each headed by a co-chairman. It is the duty of these three sub-committees to prepare or arrange and conduct a police training program in various types of police work, such as basic police training. This program is for young men just entering the police profession.

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He is a member of Belleville Lodge, No. 108, F. & A. M., Wesley Methodist Church and Belleville Rod and Gun Club. He is married to Muriel Hendricks of Belleville. Mr. and Mrs. Budd plan to travel, starting this winter with a trip to Florida.

For the past seven years, Mr. Budd has assisted director of agencies in Prudential's Motor Vehicle Bureau, which insures fire in the Empire Building and directs the activities of district agencies in New York City and Westchester County.

Earlier, he was regional manager in New York City, and was regional manager in New Jersey State Police. He is a member of the Municipal Police Administrators Association of Essex County, which is co-operating 100 per cent in this police school. We of the Association of Chiefs of Police of Essex County are very proud of this police school and we hope that it will spread to other counties where there are no county police schools at the present time.

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This Is For You

Belleville Chamber of Commerce is in process of being re-organized, reactivated, built up to the strength and vigor a Chamber of Commerce should enjoy.

This rejuvenation treatment will be given in the Chamber at a mass meeting in Town Hall Monday evening, Dec. 9. A steering committee, formed informally last week in order to get the ball a-rolling, will start the meeting, point the way it thinks a Chamber should proceed and then let those present take over.

The existence of a Chamber of Commerce has been recognized. Edward Lititz, secretary of the Chamber, has taken an important part in the re-organization program since its beginning. The membership of the steering committee assures no domination of the Chamber by the mercantile segment of Belleville. This means that this is no merchants association being formed or re-formed; it is an effort to revive interest in an all-inclusive Chamber of Commerce.

Here is an organization you and every other resident of Belleville and every man and woman who earns his or her livelihood in Belleville can and should join. Its requisite for membership is as simple as it is all-embracing; an interest in the welfare and progress of Belleville.

A Chamber of Commerce offers a forum broader than that of any other group for the expounding of ideas for the betterment of our town. Here anyone may air his opinions on any subject affecting the welfare of Belleville.

By having divisions for the different elements of our diversified population, the Chamber of Commerce should attract professional men and women, industrialists, residential and business property taxpayers, merchants, tradespeople, civic-minded individuals.

The broadness of a Chamber of Commerce's scope cannot be exaggerated. Its potential influence for the good of the community cannot be over-estimated.

The meeting room in Town Hall Monday evening should be crowded to capacity with as representative a gathering of Belleville men and women as ever has assembled in one place here. And everyone present should take an interested and prideful part in setting up a large and strong Chamber of Commerce.

Honesty Is The Best Policy

The long-winded, tortuous, hired engineers' report with which the New Jersey Highway Authority sought, at last week's conference with interested Essex towns, to explain why it refuses to open the tollgate at Belleville Avenue to allow traffic out of the Essex Plaza tolltrap is a condemnation of the Authority's methods and its mentality. It smells strongly of dishonesty.

Boiled down, the report simply says that the Authority cannot right itself with the law because it would lose money. No question of moral responsibility, no question of the wording of the Act of Legislature which created it, no question of right or wrong — merely a question of money.

It is obvious from this sorry demonstration and from past experience that the Authority has no intention of opening the Hoover Avenue ramps as an outlet for traffic caught in the tolltrap, nor has it any desire to help relieve the tragic traffic congestion at Bloomfield Avenue.

The only alternative is to force the Authority to comply with the law. This can be done in one of two ways: either by a taxpayer's suit or by an act of Legislature. The Nutley Sun calls upon Senator Donald C. Fox and the new Democratic Essex County Assembly delegation to introduce a bill in Trenton which will force the Authority to comply with the intent of the law and eliminate the tolltrap by building a north-

bound exit ramp and a southbound entrance ramp at Belleville Avenue.

By its own report, the Authority estimates the cost of the two ramps at \$2,200,000 — which, obviously, is grossly exaggerated. It also estimates the cost of opening one wicket in the tollgate to allow the exit of cars by the Hoover Avenue ramp at \$390,000. Commissioner John Lucy and Supt. of Public Works Dudley Shepard reply that they will be glad to do it for \$150.

As the Nutley representatives pointed out, there is need of but one free wicket, cut off from the rest of the tollgate by stanchions or chains and leading only directly to the Hoover Avenue ramp. They pointed out that Hoover Avenue is a county road and its widening and upkeep to insure traffic safety is a problem for the county and not for the Authority.

Yet the Authority argued against the use of the Hoover Avenue ramp by insisting that Hoover Avenue cannot handle the increased flow of traffic. It is obvious that the Authority's hired engineers are guessing and merely looking for a convenient argument against doing something the Authority does not want to do.

Typical of the grand manner in which any Authority functions with other people's money is the argument advanced in the Authority report that to open one free wicket, the extreme barrier in the existing tollgate, it would be necessary to rebuild the entire tollgate from end to end.

The Essex toll plaza was originally designed for 18 lanes. It now has 12 lanes open, six in each direction. You can go there whenever you want, in or out of rush hours, and you will find that almost never are all twelve wickets open. During the middle of the day, one can find, often, only six gates open.

In its report, the Authority predicts that because of the normal increase in traffic it will be necessary to open two more lanes — even though it does not use all twelve now. Therefore, it argues, none of the fourteen could be spared as outlets for traffic headed into the Hoover Avenue ramp. Instead, the Authority says it would be necessary to widen the shoulder had built two new lanes, cut off from the rest of the tollgate by a permanent barrier. The cost of the construction of those two segregated lanes would, the Authority estimates, be \$305,000 and the cost of two new through lanes, to increase the capacity from 12 to 14, would be an additional \$35,000.

What unadmitted nonsense for an Authority to submit for serious study! As the Nutley representatives made clear, the shoulders exist, the wicket exists, the ramp exists. With ten or twelve rubber stanchions, the cost of which would be less than \$150, the exit lane could be marked off and Hoover Avenue could drain off much of the congestion from the Bloomfield Avenue ramps.

The major point which the Authority seeks, conveniently, to forget is that it has no legal right to collect tolls at the Essex Plaza from motorists seeking to use the free section of the Parkway between Belleville Avenue, in Bloomfield, and Central Avenue, in Irvington. It must either provide an exit lane between Belleville Avenue and the tollgate or it must create a free wicket and let the trapped cars out at Hoover Avenue. It's as simple as that.

Yet the Authority argues that it cannot think of waiving the 25-cent toll on cars passing through the tollgate to reach Hoover Avenue. It might, under considerable stress and strain, consent to cutting the tolls to 10 or 15 cents. Why doesn't Senator Fox, or the Essex Assembly delegation, tell the Authority the facts of life — that you cannot cheat forever.

The Authority is unwilling to cooperate. It must therefore be put against the wall. It must be compelled by law to build entrance and exit ramps between Belleville Avenue and the tollgate. Otherwise the law which provides for free use of the Parkway between specified points in Essex County would be in daily violation.

Since the Authority flaunts its dishonesty, it must be taught that honesty is the best policy.

R.E.H.

One Man's Opinion

Time Is Running Out For France To Meet Algerian Demands For Political Self-Dependence, Or Face Revolt

By Ralph Eric Heinzen

Time is running out in North Africa. The day is near when France will face a political alternative: either to grant Algeria some degree of independence, within or without a North African Federation friendly to the West, or to face the necessity of waging an all-out war against the Moslem land which since its conquest by Marshal Bugeaud, in 1840 has been incorporated in the Republic of France, the same as any French province.

Such a war would risk stirring up the enmity of every Arab land from Tangiers to the Red Sea — including, of course, the pro-Russian rulers of present-day Syria and Egypt.

It is a strange quirk of history, incidentally, that France is involved, today, in one of the great struggles of history only because a Moslem ruler, the Dey Musseft, slapped a French Consul, Deval, with a fly whisk during a discussion of a deal in shoddy wheat, in April, 1824. To avenge the insult to his consul, Paris ordered armed intervention and after an unsuccessful three-year naval blockade of the Algerian coast had to order a punitive army to land.

For an army that had been trained by Napoleon, Algeria was no match and since more than a century the relationship between France and Algeria had proved mutually profitable until, after World War II, old Arab nationalism, headed by the Pan-Arab agitators, provoked an Algerian demand for independence.

The Algerian problem is more complicated than most of the problems of Africa because Algeria is not a French colony. Algeria's relations to France are somewhat like Alaska's relations to the United States, only even closer. The Algerians are not a French colony, but the central government in Paris.

Algeria is divided into three political departments: Bone, Algiers and Constantine, which are equal, for administrative purposes, to a French colony. The Algerians, who comprise the French Republic.

In reality, however, the Algerian native is a second-class citizen. He has little to say about French government policy. His status is little above that of any foreigner in the United States. He is poor and deprived, he has been an easy victim of Pan-Arab agitators, while the more fortunate Arabs of Morocco and Tunisia resisted stubbornly because they had something to defend.

The great blow is to combine those three distinctly Moslem peoples — Moroccans, Tunisians and Algerians — into a North African Federation. There is no doubt that that is one of the major purposes of the present visit to this country of the Sultan of Morocco, who stands to head the coalition if it can be created now.

The United States finds itself once again opposed to France. For obviously selfish reasons the United States does not want the new Moslem Federation in North Africa to come under the moral leadership of Colonel Nasser — hence under the red star of Moscow.

We want the federation of North African Moslem people to be dependent upon us and to align itself with us politically and morally.

We can look back 150 years to the day when our young country sent an expedition force of sailing frigates to take reprisal on the Barbary Coast pirates, the sea rovers of the African shore lands.

Tunisian Takes Lead Washington's decision to facilitate the supply of arms to the former French protectorate of Tunisia is a bold move.

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Three Barbary Coast States In Union



The above map shows the three Moslem states of French North Africa which are seeking federation. They once comprised the Barbary Coast, a haven for pirates who preyed on shipping in the Mediterranean and forced the young American Republic, more than a century and a half ago, to send frigates to shell them into compliance with our order that American shipping must be left alone.

The parties to tackle the question from a different angle without the need for an abjectance, M. Bourguiba has offered to integrate Algeria into a North African federation which then would establish a link of interdependence with France.

To achieve this aim, Tunisia and Morocco have announced their readiness to give up part of their newly acquired sovereignty. Thus all parties most directly concerned with the Algerian question would make the necessary sacrifice for its solution.

The new federation would be linked closely with the West and, M. Bourguiba said, it might favorably consider joining the projected European common market. It also would work wholeheartedly with the United Nations.

Independent Tunisia finds itself in the paradoxical situation of having an ill-equipped army of 6,000 strong while the Algerian National Liberation Front conducts the underground struggle against France with an army estimated at 65,000.

At times, Algerian nationalist fighters "overflow" into Tunisia in such numbers that there are far more Algerian than Tunisian

nationalists, who oppose any negotiations with France prior to a recognition of independence by the Tunisian Government and that the United States and Great Britain were anxious to intervene before the deal was closed, even though it was distasteful to France.

A usually well-informed source insists that M. Bourguiba had set November 25 as a deadline for Western arms deliveries and that since such delivery he would have signed an arms agreement with Czechoslovakia, under negotiation for some time, following Egypt and Syria into Moscow's tent.

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How Communists Won China Is Told Students

The ability of the Chinese Communists to unify the "province" of China is the reason for their success in that country. This was the point stressed by Henry E. Lieberman, foreign correspondent for the New York Times, as he spoke before the Junior and Senior Classes of Belleville High School Monday, Nov. 25. Mr. Lieberman, who was interrupted behind the Bannock Curtain for a short time after the Communists gained control of the mainland, explained the circumstances which existed before, during and after the Chinese civil war, showing how the situation was a favorable one for the

were first indoctrinated toward Communism, and then the entire structure of the country was changed. Associations for every conceivable purpose were formed, and for the first time, the Chinese people "belonged" to something. The speaker explained the advantages and disadvantages of the Communist regime as affecting China. He told of the different attitudes of the Chinese people toward their new government, and how some feel suppressed by the government while others are proud that for the first time they have a strong national government. The areas of brainwashing, political opposition, religion and the standard of living also were covered by Mr. Lieberman. After his talk, the correspondent was questioned by a panel composed of four students. The students, all of them Seniors,

Belleville, Teaching Here Famed Fencer, Resident Of

Commissioner Elmer S. Hyde announced this week that Walter Hauber has accepted the position of instructor in the recreation girls fencing program.

Mr. Hauber, who has been a resident of Belleville 20 years, resides at 410 Belleville Avenue. He has a truly wonderful background in the sport of fencing. Robert E. Cook, Superintendent of Recreation, said that, although Mr. Hauber was rather reluctant to talk about his personal achievements, he finally dug out some of the facts.

Starting at the age of ten years and taught by his European (Swiss) trained father, Walter Hauber has built a considerable list of achievements in his chosen sport. Canadian born, he won the championship of the Province of Quebec before coming to New Jersey and becoming a citizen of this country.

Since his removal here he has fenced at New York Athletic Club and has participated in every national championship for the past 15 years, never finishing out of the first 15. He worked with the 1948 and 1952 Olympic squads and also helped to train the U.S. Penetration teams for many years. Among numerous titles he has won are N. J. state champ in sabre and epee (this several times), divisional champion, All-Eastern epee champion, the McConell trophy and the International epee championship of 1948, which he won without losing a bout.

Mr. Hauber, while fencing at New York Athletic Club, earned the distinction of defeating two



WALTER HAUBER

world champions: Captain Harold Oliva of Mexico and Baron Von Drakenburg of Sweden. Currently Mr. Hauber is instructor of fencing at Fairleigh Dickinson University. His other interests include shooting and skiing.

The girls' fencing program is conducted by the Recreation Department at the high school each Monday evening from 7 p.m. to 8:30 and is open to all Belleville girls of high school age.

To See Sammy Kaye Film

At its meeting Tuesday evening, Dec. 10, the Sisterhood of Congregation Ahavath Achim will see a film, "Assignment Children," in which Sammy Kaye, the comedian, is starred. This feature is being presented by Mrs. Hyman Levitt, program vice-chairman, in connection with Social Action Month.

Mrs. Seymour Fersko, Sisterhood president, will preside at the session in the Academy Street building.

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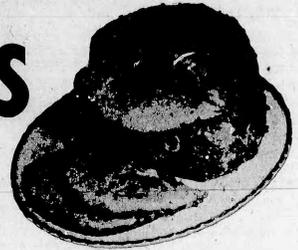
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