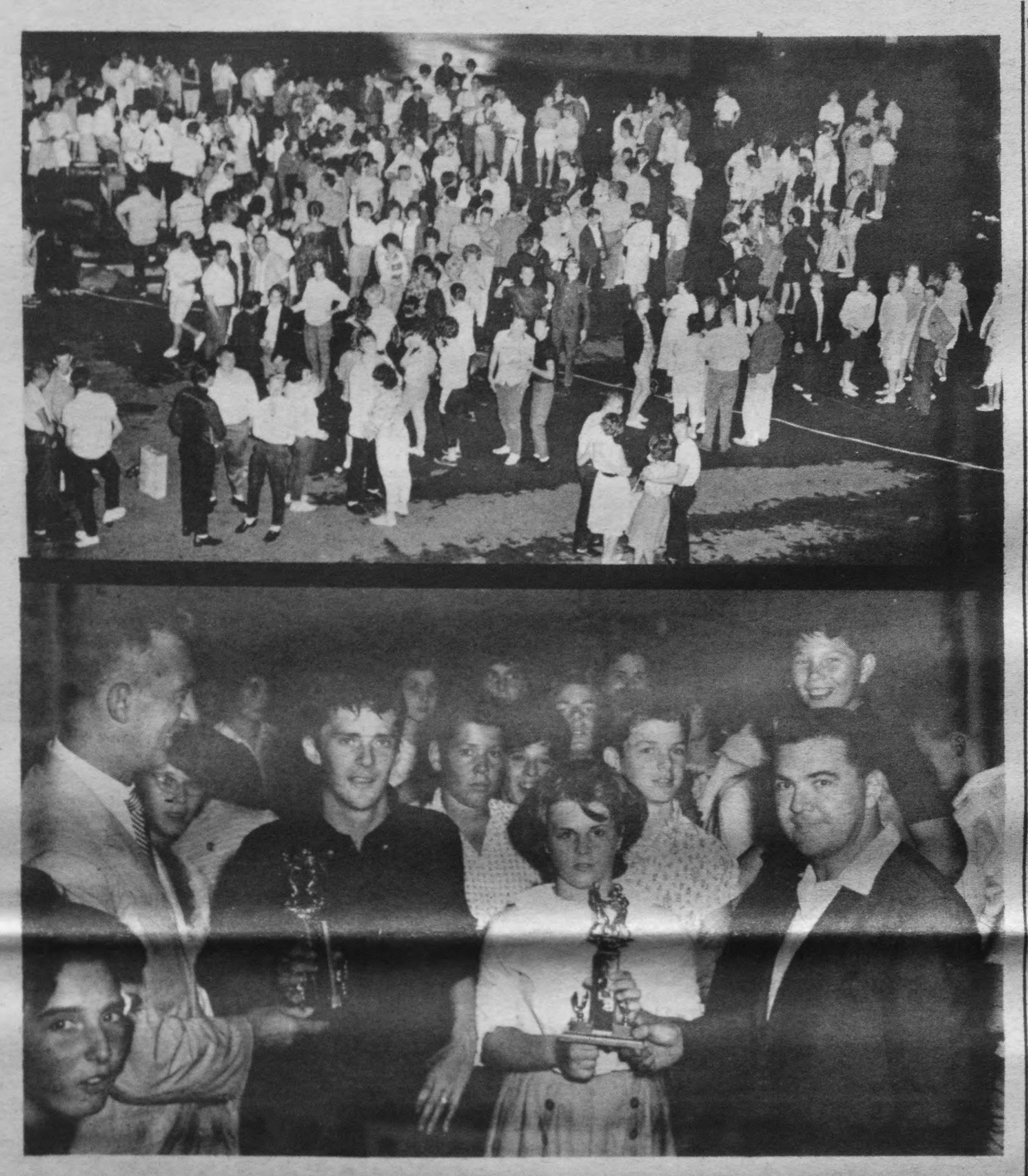


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PRICE FIVE CENTS



Tax Picture Getting Darker For Madison Township

The tax situation in Madison | the voters, the Board of Educa-Township doesn't have any silver lining. The tax problem is getting darker all the time.

tion can re-submit the same budget or reduce the amount. They can not raise the amount of money asked for in the budget. If the budget is defeated for the second time, it is then presented to the Township Committee. The Committee can adopt the budget or cut it. This has been done on several occasions in Madison. Despite the budget cuts the Board of Education has always ended up with a substantial amount of surplus. At the present time "free balances" or surplus money held by the Board of Education might amount to almost a half a million dollars. If the township committee refuses to take any action on the budget, the school budget is then presented to the state for their approval or reduction in the amount of money requested. The township committee has little or no voice in the expenditure of school appropriations and merely serves as a collection agency for the Board of Education.

Latest word from the Tax Assessor is that Veterans and Old Age Home owners will soon find that their exemptions have been reduced to practically nothing. According to George Fiore, Township Tax Assessor a veteran who is presently receiving an exemption of \$75 will find the assessment reduced to \$15. Fiore urged that veterans write their state and county officials and that veteran organizations take up the battle to restore the veterans exemptions.

Madison Township residents will probably have to pay more taxes in 1963, officials refuse to estimate the increase in taxes but speculation says that taxpayers will be in for a stiff increase. Many home owners have already received letters from their respective mortgage companies informing them of increases in the escrow accounts. Biggest spender of the Madison Township Taxpayers dollar is the Board of Education. The school budget will be adopted in January of 1963 and will then by voted on by the residents of our town. In the past years

With increased promotions in the police department, anticipated pay increases, increased costs of material and supplies all tend to increase the municipal budget. Added to the local tax picture is the County Tax. The county tax is based on the total assessments in the Town as the Township continues to grow the amount of county tax is increased steadily. Added to the local tax picture is the fire tax. At the present time there are four fire districts each with a different tax rate. Certain areas of Madison Township are in garbage districts and this tax is also added to the overall tax picture. Then there is the personal property tax. The personal property tax may be done away with next year. Thomas Miller of Old Bridge has long sought that this tax be abolished. According to Miller it will cost more in bookkeeping and collection services than can be received by the township. Increased services means increased taxes, everytime additional help is added to the local payroll, the tax is increased. New equipment calls for an increase in taxes. The tax picture in Madison Township is getting darker all the time.

THEY COULD HAVE DANCED ALL NIGHT:-(Top Photo) Over 150 Madison Township youngsters attended "Twisting Under the Stars" at the Madison Township High School. The program was sponsored by the Township Recreation Committee.

WINNERS:-(Bottom Photo) Left to Right Herb Tendler, Chairman of the Twist Dance; Bill Ackenback and Martha Ronson, Dance Contest Winners and Harry Messenger, Chairman of the Township Recreation Committee.

Twisting Under The Stars

Twist Contest held at the "Twisting Under the Stars" Night at Madison Township High the School on Route 516. The dance was sponsored by the Madison Township Recreation Committee.

Over 150 Madison Township youngsters showed up to hear the music of the Vibrents a popular local Rock and Roll band and to let off steam. Harry Messenger, Chairman of the recreation committee announced that the dance was highly successful and that further plans will be made for similar activities for the youth of the town in the very near future. Messenger praised the work of the Recreation Committee and the chairman of the dance Herb Tendler.

Members of the various first aid squads were on hand as well as members of the Madison Township Police Reserves. The affair was chaperoned.

Horse Show Planned

The Circle C Ranch on Englishtown Road will sponsor an open Western horse show on September 9th at the ranch.

The horse show is scheduled to get underway at 11:00a.m. and will feature a variety of speed events and various games on horseback.

Many riders and horses from various sections of New Jersey and other states will be on hand

the school budget has come through with flying colors. School budgets in neighboring communities have been defeated while the Madison budget has had little trouble passing.

If the budget is defeated by

Elections Set For Little League

According to Eugene Farrell president of the Laurence Harbor Little League the group will hold election of officers at the regular meeting of the group to be held on Thursday (tonight) at the American Legion Home on Summerfield Avenue.

The meeting will get underway at 8:00 p.m. Plans will be discussed for the Annual Little League Awards Banquet which will be held in the very near future.

All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

Farrell requested that all managers of both the major and minor league divisions turn in all equipment used by their teams during the past season.

Barn Dance Set

Madison Park Fire The Company and Ladies Auxiliary will stage its Second Annual Barn Dance on October 27th at 8:00 p.m.

The affair will be held at the Madison Park Fire House on Cheesequake Road and dress is optional.

The annual barn dance is one of the fund raising events sponsored by the company. The dances at the fire house have proven to be well received and enjoyed by those attending. Why not plan to attend.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or may be obtained from any of the members of the Fire Company or the Ladies Auxiliary. Refreshments will be available.

Library Closing

Mrs. David Watson, president of the Free Public Library of Madison Township, at the Circle, sponsored by the Woman's Club of Laurence Harbor, announces that the Library will be closed on September 4, 5 and 6.

The Library will then reopen on Tuesday, September 11 on its winter schedule. The hours will be Tuesday from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Wednesday 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Thursday 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Picnic Set

The Old Bridge Lions Club will sponsor a picnic at the Durhernal Lake on September 9th. Edsel Rutenbar of 8 Hilliard Road, Old Bridge is chairman of the affair and Norman Healey of 21 Hilliard Road is co-chairman.

Tickets may be obtained from any member of the Lions Club or may be purchased at Enders Luncheonette, Englishtown Road.

Annual Family Picnic And Bar-B-Cue Held

Mr. and Mrs. James E. White of 22 Princeton Road, Madison Park held their 7th Annual Family Picnic and Bar-b-cue at their home Sunday.

The annual affair got underway at 1 p.m.. On the menu were corn on the cob, hot sausage, chicken, hamburgers, hot dogs, stuffed cabbage, salads, water-

New RabbiTo Speak

Rabbi Leonard Zoll, the new day school of Temple Torah of Madison Township will have a "Meet the Rabbi" meeting Friday evening at 8:30 p.m. at the SayreWoods South School 19 on Cinday Street.

Rabbi Zoll will talk on reform Judaism. A question and answer period will follow. Refreshments will be served. All families interested in progressive liberal reformed Judaism have been invited to attend the meeting.

melon, coffee, cake and an assortment of liquid refreshments.

Those attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. George Lizanetz, and son Glenn of Woodbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lizanetz, Mr. and Mrs. Guido Gelato, Mrs. Sophie Lizanetz, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence White, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ginda and son "Jo-Jo" all of Perth Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Long and children Rosemarie, Les, Linda rabbi and principal of the Sun- | and Carrie, Mrs. Clara Farrell, Mrs. Clara Shagen, Mrs. Isabel Montano, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Montano and children Janice and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Montano and daughter, Charlene all of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and children David, Lorraine and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson of Lakewood; Miss Kathy and Lois Johnson of Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Austin of Cranford.

Miss Pauline White of Matawan, Mr. Larry Austin of Westfield, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fuchs of Irvington, Mr. and Mrs. George White and daughter Christine of Morganville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Henry White of Cheesequake and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ginda of Rahway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eveigan and children Gregory and Sandy, Mr. and Mrs. Koperski of Morgan.

Also attending the affair were Miss Lottie Salamon of Sayreville and Mr. and Mrs. Al Clayton of Cheesequake.

Glenn Lizanetz "Swivel Hips" won the "Twist Contest."

Dance Scheduled

The United Societies of St. Thomas Church will sponsor a dance to be held at the St. Thomas Auditorium on August 25th. Music for the affair will be furnished by "The Queensmen".

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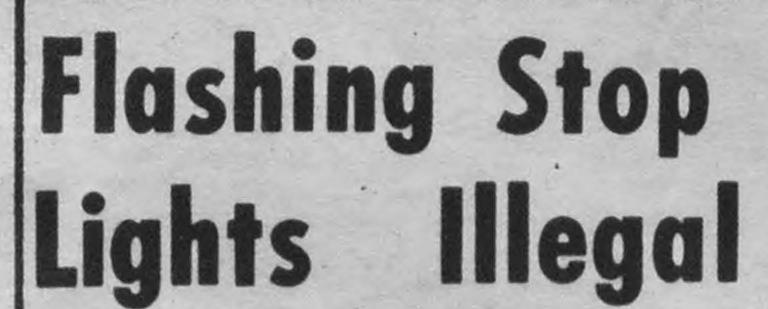
More Hot Water?

When the Township Committee established the Madison Township Water Authority by ordinance did they create another "monster"? The idea of a Water Authority for Madison Township was certainly a good one. Our Town has been troubled with lack of water and other problems concerning adequate water supply for the residents of Our Town. Practically all the water supply in town is controlled by privately owned companies. They are subjected to little control by local ordinances or laws. Water rates and the use of water are controlled by the company and the P.U.C.

Under

BOARD OF EDUCATION: Rumor has it that there are still several members of the Madison Township Board of Education who feel that the people didn't know what they were doing when they voted down the Junior High School referendum three times. We know of at least one member who would be willing to place the same thing before the voters. Understand that one Board of Education member recently elected will be moving out of Madison Township because of his employment? School election is slated for February and Madison Township Taxpayers will be presented with a school budget that's "out of this world". If the Board of Education keeps raising the taxes, they'll beat the Russians to the moon." Wonder if the maintenance contracts for the school owned buses will be placed out on bid this year? Or is this the year when they just award them? You think they have troubles in Sayreville?

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Things Flashing Stop are so "hot" at the Madison Township Police Headquarters Lights The Fence is working overtime. Quite a few of the troops are now aware as to what police officers are supposed to be promoted many of them are hot under the collar. Understand that if and when the Ordinance establishing number of officers is passed (nobody is taking bets that it won't pass) State. promotions will be held off until after the November elections. When the promotions are made Madison Township will have about the most "rankinest" police department in the state. All Chiefs and few Indians. The "white hats" will soon outnumber the "bluehats". Understand that one fellow in Old Bridge is forming a group made up of all ex-special Director. police officers. He's got quite a list to work on. SEWERAGE AUTHORITY: Wonder if the members of the Madison Township Sewerage Authority have looked at some of the streets tions. of Madison Township? Some of New Store Slated the roads have been made impassable for several weeks. We certainly hope that the contrac-For Old Bridge tors will put some of the streets back in the original condition. Some of the streets were in poor shape to begin with, but the "digging" didn't do them much good. The Sewerage Authority center's land and buildings. ought to open an office in the Old Bridge area to receive complaints from the residents in the area. Understand that a meeting was held between the center. Road Committee of the Township and members of the Sewerage Authority recently, we certainly hope they will come up with something? laundramat. CAR REPAIRS: Wonder if the Township has an ordinance about repairing motor vehicles in the streets? Touring through the complete by Christmas. township you will find motor vehicles in various stages of repairs on public streets. Some are up on blocks and some are up on jacks these could prove structure will front on Marsad FEUDING AND FUSSING: Rumor to be dangerous to youngsters. has it that the local G.O.P. is and Sadowski Drives. going to release a "bomb-shell" If a fellow wants to repair his own vehicle he should be made within the next few weeks. Well MADTY DI to do it on his own property not maybe not a "bomb" but at least MAKIY KEGAN in a public street. How about a fire cracker. The Dems and it Mr. Zoning Officer is there G.O.P. candidates will probably Licensed - Bonded something in the local ordinances start their campaigns following regarding this? How are we doing the Labor Day weekend, then PLUMBING with the fence ordinance? watch the action. Up until now things have been fairly quiet with HEATING Murtha getting in most of the Nationwide Mutual licks. Local Democrats are Insurance Company LO 6-4357 'pushing" tickets for the \$50per Agent - Frank J. Boniewski head affair slated for Spring 36 Eugene Blvd. South Amboy Lake sponsored by the County For Information Call-54 Pacific Blvd. Democratic Organization. Some PA 1-4756 Cliffwood Beach HI 2-3862 of the local Dems are a little "upset". Many think the price is too high and some feel that the money should stay in the SAYRE WOOD FORD Township for the local elections. Understand that the Local Democratic treasury is in poor condi-SLASHES FRANK'S RADIO-ELECTRIC & T.V. 121 North Broadway, S. Amboy PRICES! Of T.V._WASHERS_ REFRIGERATORS Electric Wiring and Supplies SEE US FRE LAST YEAR END CLEARANCE Where Neighbors Meet to ON ALL NEW Eat AND USED CARS SAVEUP TO \$1000 **NO REASONABLE OFFER REFUSED** SAYRE WOOD FORD Your Local Authorized Ford Dealer 500 Ft. South of Sayre Woods Center RT. 9, MADISON TWP., PA 1-4600



The marketing in New Jersey of an attachment which causes stoplights to continuously flash when brakes are fully or partially applied brought a warning from State Motor Vehicle Director Ned J. Parsekian that such devices are illegal in the

"The motor vehicle regulations specifically prohibit the use of such flashing lights on any motor vehicle, except as a means of indicating right or left turns," said Director Parsekian. "The use of the flashing type stop light, activated by application of the foot brake, is in violation of the law in New Jersey," added the

The Division of Motor Vehicles has alerted all enforcement agencies to enforce violations of this type and ordered rejection of such devices at vehicle inspection sta-

The Madison Township Water Authority seems to be interested in the purchase of water systems without any source of supply. To put it simply it would be like purchasing a bottle of soda and receiving only the container.

More interest should be paid to what the Water Authority is considering at this time. We would like to know the answer to the following questions:-

1. How many "secret" meetings were held out of Madison Township? New York, South Amboy and other places? 2. How does the Water Authority notify the press or the public that there is a meeting planned? 3. What is the connection between an "advisor" to the Water Authority and an investment company?

LOVE AFFAIR: That fellow in Old Bridge that was having a romance with a 58 year old grandmother was told to "cool" it by no other than grand-pop. Just to prove his point "granddad" threw the youngster down a flight of stairs. The "Loverboy" threatens to go to the police but he won't. He doesn't want his "true love" to find out about the little affair. Grand-mother now wants "Lover-boy" to return a watch and some other trinkets of appreciation, she finally realized that she was being taken for a "sleigh ride in July". To that fellow that's M-A-D-L-Y in love with that "five and dime" clerk she's stringing you along--she's got a boy friend with the Marines, he's due home in September. Watch the brush-off.

tion?

Plans to construct a \$50,000 supermarket at the Circle Manor Shopping Center were announced by Henry Sadowski, owner of the

Sadowski has been granted a building permit to construct a store 122 feet by 80 feet as an addition to the four store shopping

Presently in operation at the site is a dry cleaning plant. luncheonette, drug store, and

Work on the supermakret is scheduled to begin in a few weeks and the building is expected to be

It will then be leased to the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company. The 9,760 square foot

4. Just how much interest do you intend to pay on bonds sold by the authority?

It's A Shame

In the neighboring community of Sayreville quite a bit of noise and fuss is being made over the appointment of Borough Councilman Joseph Ziemba as assistant to the principal.

Ziemba is presently under indictment on charges of extortion, receiving a bribe and misconduct of office. Newspapers have been giving the situation the "big treatment."

Residents of Sayreville have formed organi - CALL PA 1-0476 for Sales & Service zation to press for the resignation of Mr. Ziemba and investigation of the entire affair. Perhaps Mr. Ziemba should be the one to ask for an investigation. It seems very strange. Ziemba has served as a teacher in the Sayreville School system and is still serving in that capacity. None of the "do-gooders" pressed for his resignation until he was appointed by the Board of Education as assistant to the principal.

Seems that these residents of Sayreville.

have forgotten that this is America and a person is supposed to be innocent until proven guilty. These people who are "preaching" for cleanliness in the situation have seemed to forgotten this.

We don't know if Ziemba is guilty or notguilty of the charges. We are not the jury. We do question some of the motives of several of the people who are pressing for his resignation!

Perhaps an investigation would clarify the stuation. We say investigate the investigators!



Discount City To Open September 6th

building faced with white brick.

42 individual departments and

will range from a pet shop to a

modern jewelry section. There

will also be household and cloth-

manager, approximately 300 per-

sons will be hired locally to work

in the department type store

which will be open from 10 a.m.

to 10 p.m. Monday through Satur-

day. The store is owned by

tached to the main building which

will contain almost 80,000 square

under construction the past six

weeks include year round climate

control, eight foot wide aisles,

handling more than 2,500 cars.

which are set for noon on Thurs-

The parking lot is capable of

The ribbon cutting ceremonies

snack bar, rest rooms.

A service garage will be at-

Features of the new facility

Terry Shops Inc., Newark.

According to William Webb,

ing departments.

feet of space.

The new store will obtain

Dental Nurses Course Set For Oct. 2nd

Middlesex County residents were invited today by Dr. Kenneth W. Iversen, dean of Union Junior College, Cranford, to apply for admittance to a year-long dental nurses course, which opens on October 2.

"Although the program is sponsored by our college and the Union County Dental Society, it is not restricted to residents of Union County. The program is available to all persons of post-high school age who can quality," Dr. Iversen said.

The UJC dean said there seems to be a misconception that the program is open only to Union County residents.

Dr. Iversen said September 15 is the deadline to apply for the program, which will be conducted on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 9 o'clock for two semesters.

All academic and professional

classes will be held at Union Junior College. The program provides for 90 hours of academic work and 90 hours of professional studies. In addition, all students will be required to take 45 hours of on-the-job training in the office of a dentist.

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Additional information on the program may be obtained from Miss Dorothea Wiersma, registrar, at Union Junior College. All applicants must be high school graduates or hold equivalency certificates, must be of post-high school age, and must pass appropriate aptitude tests.



NEW RATABLE: Sayreville Discount City will soon be added to the list of Township ratables. The new building which contains over 80,000 square feet of floor space will house almost 42 depart-

September 6th has been set for the tentative ribbon cutting ceremonies to officially mark the opening of the new 80,000 square foot Sayreville Discount City store located on Route 9, Madison Township.

The building is located opposite the Sayre Woods Shopping Center the single story, cinder block

Night Game Slated

The Madison Township Auxiliary Police Softball team will play the Holly Mounts of Sayre Woods South on Monday, August 27 at the Madison Township High School baseball field.

This will probably be the first night game in the history of Madison Township. Game time is scheduled for 8:30 p.m.

The lights have been donated by Monmouth County and admission to the game is free.

John Badun is manager of the Auxiliary Police Team and Mel Wood pilots the Holly Mounts. ments. Approximately 300 local residents will Letter Writing be employed at the center. Tentative opening Letter Writing date has been set for September 6th.

optometry.

South.

New Opening

Dr. Joseph Eisen, optometrist

today announced the opening of

a new office for the practice of

Dr. Eisen's location is at 5

He can be reached for appoint-

The Ladies Auxiliary of the

Mark Place and the corner of

Throckmorton Lane, SayreWoods

Week Set

William F. Ohnsman, Laurence Harbor Postmaster announced that the Post Office Department will participate this year in the 25th Anniversary observance of Letter Writing Week.

Ohnsman announced co-operation with the Post Office Department following a letter from James F. Kelleher, Special Assistant to the Postmaster General.

observance of Letter The Writing Week is during the period of October 7 to 13th.

Additional information about Letter Writing Week may be obtained from the Laurence Harbor Postmaster.

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PA 1-8434

Cheesequake Independent Fire Company will start their 1962-63 season with a card party to be T.J. The Card Party has been set

for Friday September 7th. Tickets are available at the door or may be purchased from any members of the auxiliary.

held at the fire hall.

Many valuable prizes will be

ment by telephone PArkway 1-8826 evenings and by telephone MI 2-3636 during the day. **Card Party Set**

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Willard Fester, Chairman and Raymond Korkowski, co-chairman of Post 332; Mrs. Rollin Rathbu, Chairman and Mrs. Jack Olsen, co-chairman of the annual carnival, wish to thank all of the residents of Madison Township who patronized the Third Annual Carnival sponsored by the group. Due to the rather rainy unpleasant weather, the spirits of the group were somewhat "dampened."

Thanks is also given to the various organizations that manned the different variety booths.

day September 6th will be attended by company officials as well as various local and county officials.

Dean's List

An area student at Thiel College was named to the dean's list at the conclusion of the second semester of the 1961-62 academic year. To be eligible for this honor, a student must attain a minimum scholarship quotient of 9.750 of a possible 12.00 average.

He is Dana Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Benjamin, 2 Rittner Lane, Old Bridge.

A freshman at the College, Benjamin was graduated from Rutgers Preparatory School.

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awarded and admission includes refreshments. Why not plan to attend.

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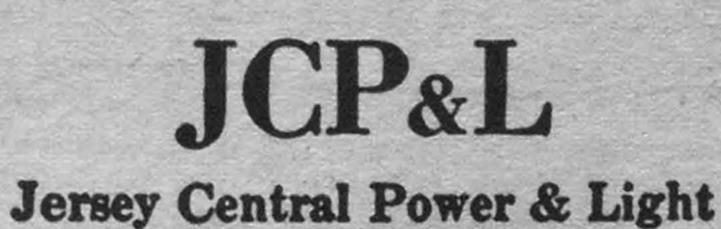


School?

Indeed it is. The Jersey Central Power & Light — New Jersey Power & Light Linemen's Training Schools at Allenhurst and Whippany are among the most exacting schools we know of. Here, under the careful tutelage and watchful eyes of skilled instructors, themselves veteran operating men, budding linemen learn the skills they will soon use on the job.

That job, of course, is helping to provide you with the best electric service possible.

On completion of the their training, they will join the almost 3,000 other JCPL-NJPL employees whose jobs are serving you, whose knowledge and experience is combined daily with the most modern equipment and facilities available to bring to you, the customer, the best electric service possible.



New Jersey Power & Light

Scouts To Participate In Camporee

Dr. Daniel J. Sullivan, manager of personnel relations for Johnson and Johnson, has been appointed general chairman of the Middlesex Council's Go-Roundup Camporee to be held on September 21, 22 and 23, 1962, at Camp Kilmer, according to Col. John A. Bradley, chairman of the activities committee of the Middlesex Council, Boy Scouts of America. The Go-Roundup Camporee will be a council-wide affair which brings together the three district groups and will encompass the establishment of a 3rd class city involving some 3000

PROPOSAL

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received in the Reception Room of the Office of the Director, Division of Purchase and Property, 2nd floor, Room 232-2, State House, Trenton 25, New Jersey, on September 6, 1962 at 2:00 P.M. and will be opened and read

scouts and leaders under canvas for a full weekend, according to Sullivan.

Sullivan stated that normally in the three districts they hold individual Camporees in the spring, but in anticipation of Middlesex Council's huge Council show scheduled for May of 1963, we will stage a never-to-be-forgotten scout and scout leader spectacle which will be a highlight of their camping experience and will also give council leaders an opportunity to learn first hand the problems relating to staging large scale participation events. The Camporee will be the larg-

est outdoor activity ever staged by the Council and will feature many of the activities displayed in the huge National Scout Jamborees staged every four years by the National Council, Boy Scouts of America.

events, obstacle courses, and other body strengthening activities will also be scheduled.

General James D. Alger, Commander of the II Army Corp with headquarters at Camp Kilmer, a former Scout himself, and long interested in scouting, made available all post facilities needed to stage the Camporee. The general public along with parents and friends will be invited to attend the outdoor spectacular on Saturday evening, Sept. 2, to enjoy a full hour and one half Arena show.

Work Completed

President The of the Cheesequake Fire Company announced today that work on the firehouse has been completed. The entire fire house has been painted.



immediately thereafter, for the following:

Sewage Plant Completion, N.J. State Hospital, Greystone Park, New Jersey

On the following branches of work: a) General b) Structural Steel

Bids must be (1) made on the standard proposal form, (2) enclosed in the special addressed envelope, (3) accompanied by a certified check drawn to the order of the Treasurer of the State of New Jersey, or a bid bond, any of which shall be in the amount of 5% of the bid, and (4) delivered at the above place on or before the hour named as no bid will be accepted after the hour specified. Bids not so submitted will be considered informal and will be rejected. The Director reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to award contract in part or whole if deemed to the best interests of the State to do so. The successful bidder will be required to furnish surety bond in the full amount of the contract, of a company authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey.

Plans and specifications, form of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work are on file and may be obtained upon application to the Director, Division of Purchase and Property, State House, Trenton 25, New Jersey, ondeposit of twenty-five (\$25.00) for each set, this amount to be refunded to the bidder upon return of such documents in good condition within 30 days after the award of the contract.

> DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY Division of Purchase and Property

Charles F. Sullivan, Director

The Camporee theme will be "Preparing for the space age thru personal fitness."

An invitation has already been extended to the National Air and Space Administration to schedule one of the seven astronauts to be the Camporee special guest, according to Sullivan.

Included in the program will be personal fitness competition events based on many of the fitness skills included in an astronaut's training program. Field 10:00 a.m.

Football Season Underway

Two Old Bridge Rams Junior Football Teams got off to a flying start last Wednesday with their first practice of the season at the Lions Field at the rear of the Voorhees School.

The teams now working under Nation "Pop Warner Rules", the "Miggets" and the "Peewees under the able coaching of Harvey J. Neilsen and Ray Blankenhorn have some 125 youngsters vieing for positions.

Their first game of the season has not officially been announced but will be in the later part of

the Old Bridge Athletic Association the two teams are aiming for top honors in the Madison Township Football League this coming fall.

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CITIES SERVICE

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Auto Technicians

Service and Repairs

The president also announced that the Board of Fire Commissioners had installed another siren location on Route 34. It is hoped that with the addition of the new siren the emergency alarm system has been improved.

Madison Township Special Police Officer B. Cohan, Instructor announced that the 1962 Hunter's Safety Course will be given on September 8, 1962 at



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Part Four **Charter Commission Report**

Township Committee Government Lacks the Tools of Management Required for Economical Service

modern government Every recognizes the importance of budgeting, personnel policies, purchasing and planning in providing economical and efficient service.

BUDGETING. The township committee form of government provides neither the time nor the facilities to do more than put the budget into the form required by state law--which is largely an accounting job--in the hope of keeping this year's expenditures from going too far beyond last year's. In a growing township, however, long range planning should be involved in preparing the budget. In addition, expenditure programs must be tested and judged in accordance with the needs of the township as a whole rather than the preferences of the committeemen who are assigned to supervise particular functions. Ordinarily, if there were a chief executive, it would be his job to develop a satisfactory budget and to present it to the township committee for its consideration. Because there is no chief executive the governing body must carry on this function as well as it can as part of its part time responsibilities. Furthermore, there is no single official responsible to the electorate for the content or execution of the budget. PERSONNEL. Madison Township presently employs more than 110 persons, and does not have an established civil service system. While the occasions for new appointments of township employees may not be frequent, they require the agreement of the five committeemen. This can lead to the practice of "apportioning" appointments among various sections of the township in a manner which does not promote the most efficient operations and is common where political qualifications are given as much consideration as merit and competence. The township does not have a personnel officer. Basic payroll records, including tax and retirement information and other deductions, are kept by the clerk who prepares the payroll. Except for the application forms used in the police department, there are no other personnel records. The clerk also keeps sick and vacation time records on all employees as reported by the various officials. This latter procedure gives some assurance that the various units in the township organization are observing the same sick leave and vacation policies. Retirement provisions are made only for policemen and veterans. A comprehensive personnel system would include recruitment, orientation, training and

advancement of municipal employees. It would also include the development of a position classification and pay plan; establishment of employee grievance machinery; administration of uniform policies with respect to vacations, sick leave, hours of work, and fringe benefits; maintenance of full and complete personnel records; and similar matters. Madison Township is not involved in civil service procedures, and although it does not require an elaborate personnel system, it does need a more comprehensive and adequate personnel program. Personnelactivities are normally considered a responsibility of a chief executive. The failure to provide such an executive has led to placing these activities, like so many others, in the hands of the township clerk. PURCHASING. Township purchasing procedures must also be carried out on an expedient basis under the township committee form, and are under the supervision of the clerk. Although material requisition and purchase order forms have been prepared, this system of ordering is followed consistently by very few of the departments or committeemen. Even if the system were followed, it is quite doubtful that the clerk would have sufficient time to devote to this activity, other than to prepare and send out the purchase orders. Various phases of good purchasing, such as analyzing purchases made, checking prices, developing relations with suppliers and other matters are of necessity being neglected.

PLANNING AND DEVELOP-MENT. The township has a planning board constituted in accordance with state statute. The planning board has retained an outside professional consulting firm to prepare a master plan of the township. It has taken several years to evolve this plan, and thus far the master plan map has been approved by the planning board but not by the township committee.

who devotes full-time to work directly related to planning activities. He enforces the township building code, cooperates with the engineer in enforcing subdivision controls and regulations, and works with the part-time zoning officer in enforcing the township zoning ordinance. In a rapidly growing township, building code enforcement alone is a full-time job, and when combined with zoning and subdivision work, all of these activities can be done with only minimal effectiveness. Township development has become a growing responsibility of good management, and many trained managers see this as one of their major contributions to the community. In Madison Towntownship to desirable commercial and industrial investors must be utilized if the tax rate is not

Joint Meeting Set

The Senior Citizens of Madison Township will visit the Keyport Senior Citizens at 1:30 this afternoon (Thursday August 23).

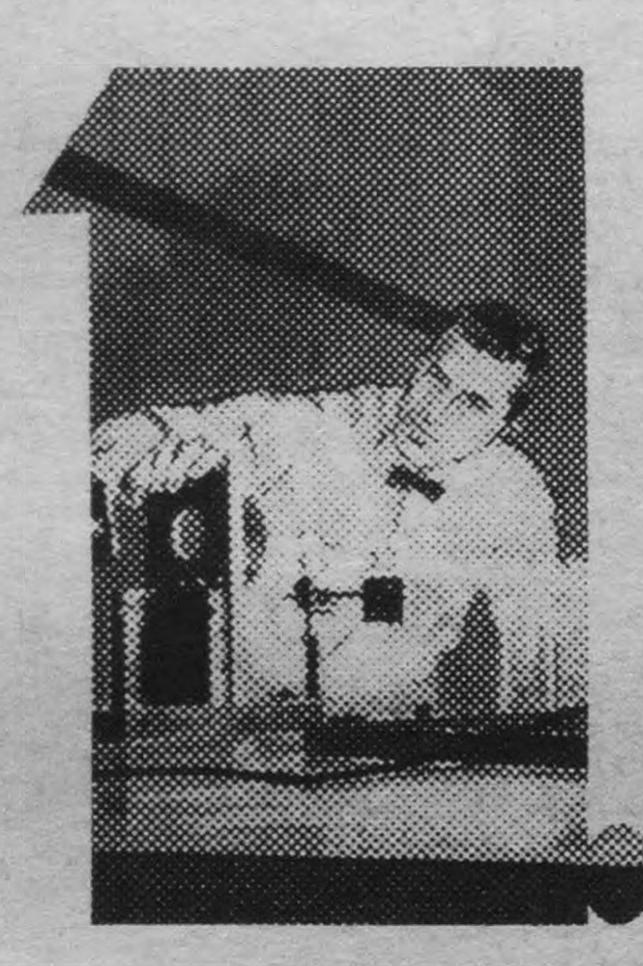
The joint meeting will be held at the Recreation Center of St. John's Methodist Church on Route 35, Keyport.

Members of the Madison Township group will meet at Byrnes Hall on Route 35.

its future needs require that the township government adopt and install efficient tools of management, which may also be used as effective means of township development.







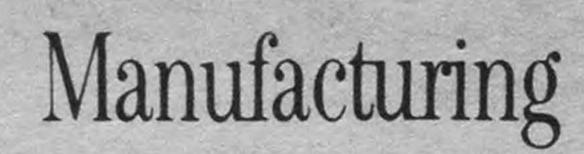


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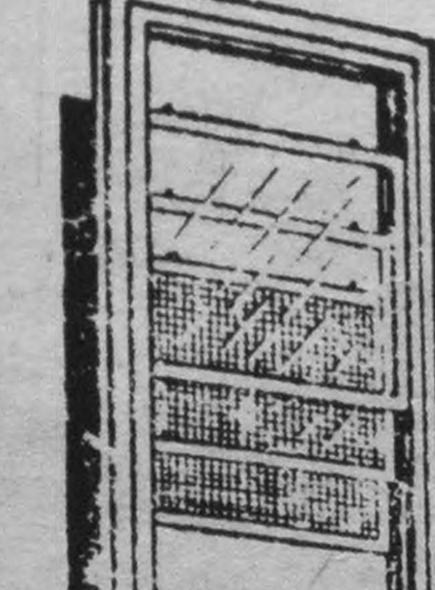
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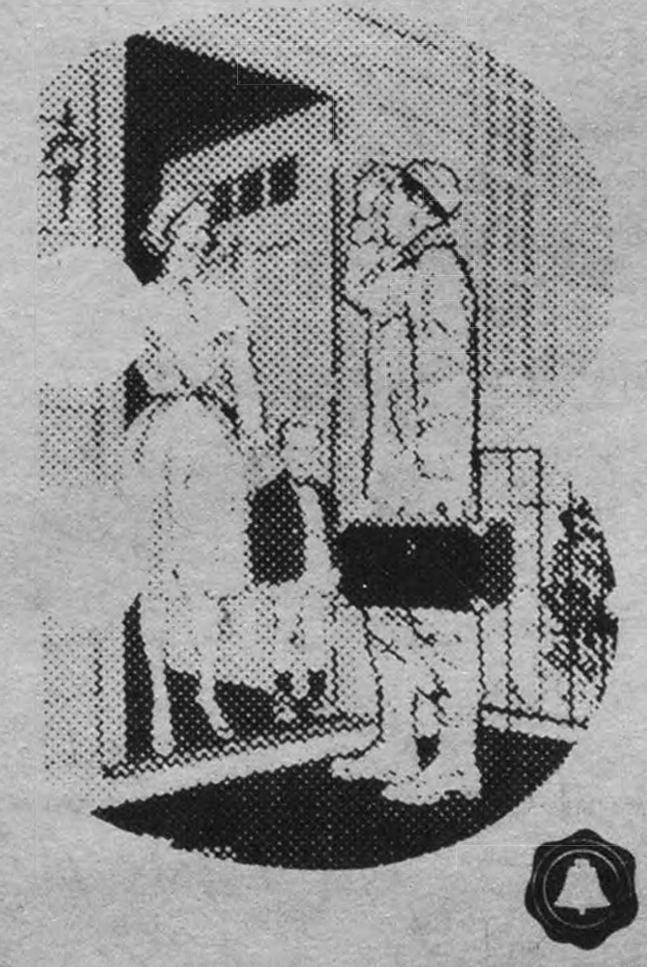
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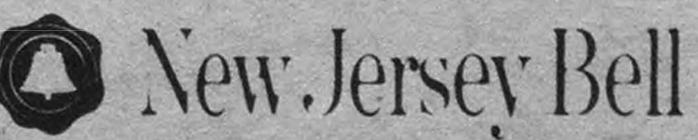
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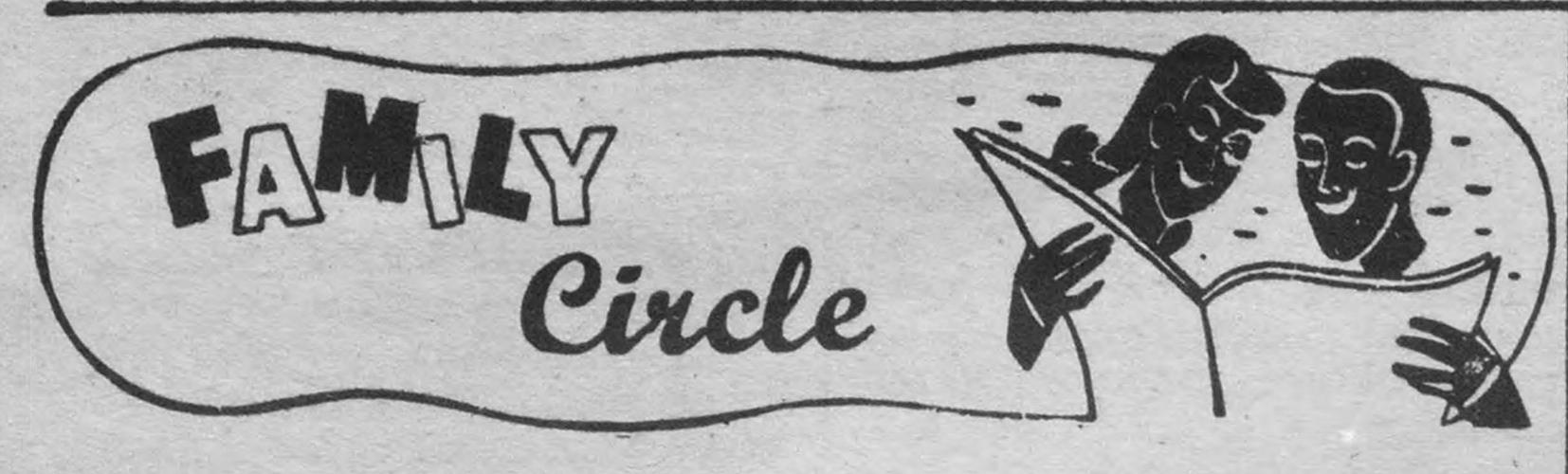


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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. EARL CASLER of 61 Pacific Blvd., Cliffwood Beach they will celebrate their 32nd Wedding Anniversary next Thursday. . . Miss MARIE GAUB of Route 9, Browntown, has returned from a six week tour to Europe. . . Miss GAUB was the guest of two cousins Mrs. JOHN her CARAVAN of St. Veit and Mr. and Mrs. M. SEDLAK of Villach, Austria. . . the trip was made by Pan American Jet. . . Happy Birthday to JAMES DE MARCO of Highway 35, Laurence Harbor he will celebrate his 8th birthday on Wednesday. . . Best Wishes to Mr. FRITZ POWELL of Central Avenue, Old Bridge he will celebrate his birthday on Wednesday. . . "FRITZ" isn't telling his age but we know he's over 35 cause he claims he voted for Hoover. . . you sure it wasn't Birthday Wishes to Lincoln? RAY RYAN of Highway 34, Cheesequake he will celebrate his birthday on Wednesday. . . CAPTAIN IRMA V. WOISARD of the Army Nursing Corps visited with her sister Mrs. PEGGY SCANLON of Shoreland Circle, Laurence Harbor Captain WOISARD is stationed at Ft. McClellan, Alabama. . . ROGER MILLER, THOMAS STAUBACK and WILLIARD RYAN all of Cheesequake are spending the week with the 4-H Club Camp at Stokes Forest. . . Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES "DOC" COL-LIER of 31 Brandeis Road, Madison Park are enjoying a vacation in Florida. . Mr. WALTER SCHLECHTING of 94 Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor is a patient at the Perth Amboy General Hospital. . .WALTER was injured working on a Township truck recently. . . Happy Birthday to LINDA PICURI of Clemson Road, Madison Park she will celebrate her 14th birthday on Saturday. . .Birth- | be 15 next Thursday. . .Happy Wishes BARBARA day to ZAWARTKAY of Summerfield Avenue, Laurence Harbor she will be seven years old on Saturday. . . Happy Birthday to CARL ZAHN of 18 Culver Court, Old Bridge he will celebrate his 2nd birthday on Friday with a party ... Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL O'LEARY of 61 Woodshore West, Knollcroft, Cliffwood | wishes to Mrs. PAT HOFF of Beach they will celebrate their 9th Wedding Anniversary on Mon- | she will celebrate her birthday

day. . . HARRY and PEG WIN-GLER and children ALICE and MICHAEL have moved from Clemson Road, Madison Park to New York. . . they will be missed by their neighbors. . . Miss PAT KAYS of 3 Beverly Road, Old Bridge has returned from a vacation in Pennsylvania . . . The CARL MILLER's of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake are taking day trips on their vacation this week. . . Mrs. GLORIA KASE and daughter CAROL of Highway 9 Browntown are enjoying a vacation in Florida... Birthday Wishes to BILLY BEN-DER of Washington Avenue, Central Park he will celebrate his 13th birthday on Saturday. . . Best Wishes to BOBBY RINGER of 25 Clemson Road, Madison Park he celebrated his first birthday on Friday and again on Sunday with a Family Party... CLYDE and RACHAEL BOWNE of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake have returned from a few days vacation in the Poconos. . . Birthday Wishes to MissGERRIE SCHLICHTING of 94 Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor and Mr. ROBERT OUADE of 218 Hillcrest Avenue, Laurence Harbor they celebrate their 20th birthdays on Tuesday and GERRIE BAKED THE CAKE??. . .Best Wishes to Mr. BOB LEWICKI of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake he will celebrate his birthday on Friday. . . Birthday Wishes to Mrs. KATHERINE SPAREN-DERO of 1 Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge she will celebrate her birthday on Wednesday ... Twelve year old LILY COMSTOCK of 5 Duke Court, Madison Park received five stitches in her head from a pool accident. . . the COMSTOCKS have just recently moved to Madison Township. . . Birthday Wishes to Miss SUSAN PAYNE of 64 Princeton Road, Madison Park she will Birthday. . . Best Wishes to ROUTE 9 LARRY HOUGHTALIN of 94 Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor he will celebrate his 13th birthday on Sunday. . . Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT WATKINS of Amherst Court, Madison Park they will celebrate their 2nd Wedding Anniversary on Monday. .. Best Highway 35, Laurence Harbor

Benefit Game To Aid Families Of Trooper Crash Victims

New Jersey residents will honor the three state troopers who were killed in the line of duty on the N.J. Turnpike June 11 at a benefit softball doubleheader in Jersey City Aug. 27.

Advance ticket sales guarantee an attendance of 12,000 and a crowd of 15,000-20,000 is expected, according to Michael Ventola, state chairman of the Troopers Benefit Fund of the Cities Service Oil Co.

Proceeds from the games will benefit the families of the three late troopers, Milan Simcak of Paramus, Joseph DeFrino of Lyndhurst and Arthur Abagnale of Cliffside Park. The men were killed when a truck ran into them while they were investigating and assisting at an accident scene in Kearny.

dium, which was donated for the purpose through the cooperation of Mayor Thomas Gangemi. He is honorary chairman of the affair, and will officiate at a pregame ceremony along with mayors of several other communities, including the three in which the troopers lived.

The first game will feature the North Hudson League All-Stars vs. the Bayonne Brotherhood League All-Stars. The second will feature the Charles Kita Softball League All-Stars vs. the Mayor Gangemi All-Stars. PA 1-4470. The Father Nativo's St. Lucy's OLD BRIDGE TAXI SERVICE Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps of CL 7-2210 Newark will perform at the pregame ceremony, and between games the Jersey City Recrea-COMPLETE CATERING SERVICE tion Department Band will play. Tickets may be obtained from 80 0ROOF1 FULL QT. FIFTH 100 FULL QT. 10ROOF FIFTH

Ventola at the Cities Service Oil Co., 390 Halsey St., Newark. Tickets may also be obtained at the door.

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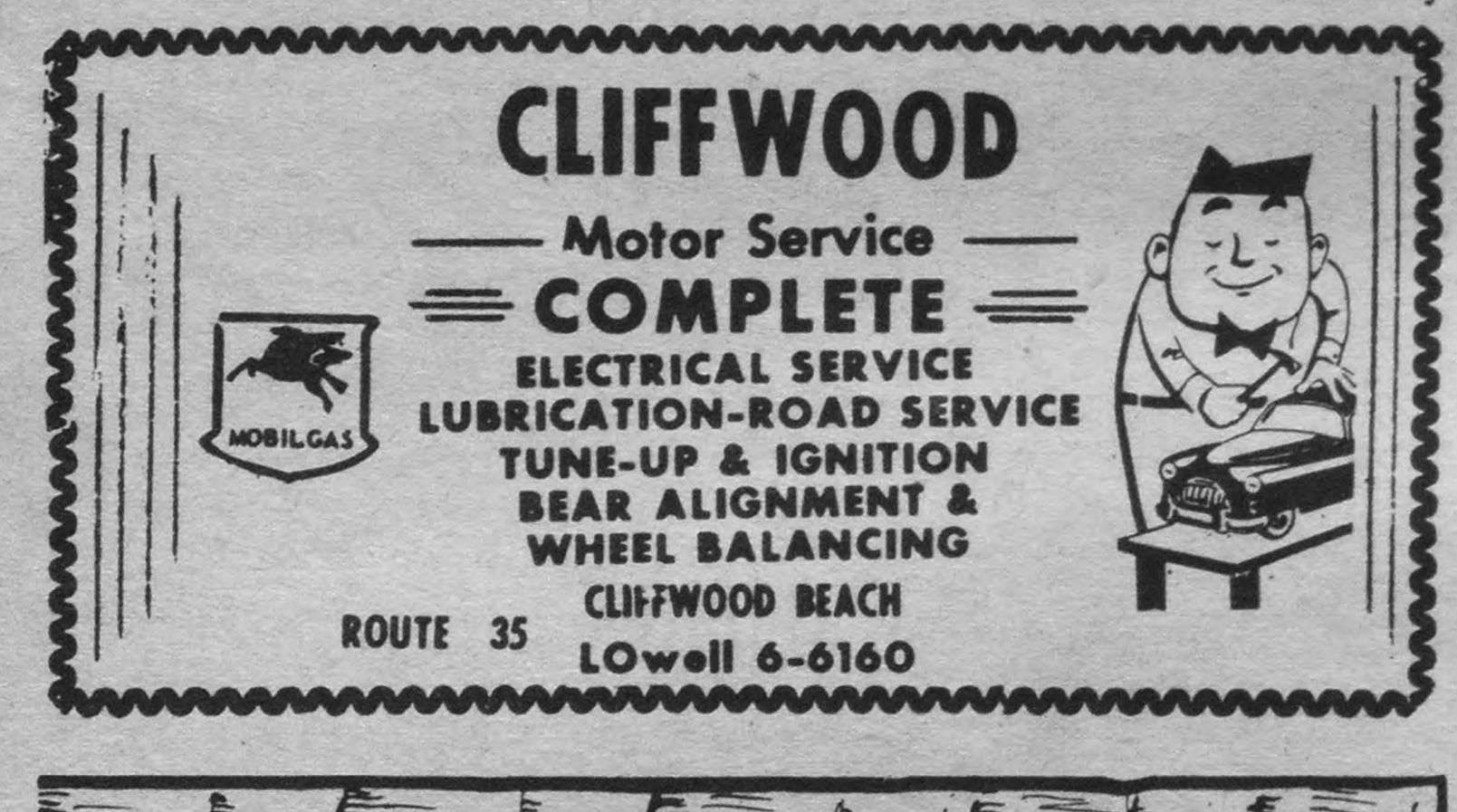
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The games will be played starting at 7:15 p.m. under lights of the Jersey City Roosevelt Sta-

on Tuesday. . . Don't forget the candy JOE! TOM HOUGHTALIN of 94 Laurence Parkway has 5 stitches in his foot because of a swimming accident. . . Birthday Wishes to Mrs. CARMEN KELLY of 127 Washington Avenue, Central Park she will celebrate her birthday on Monday...



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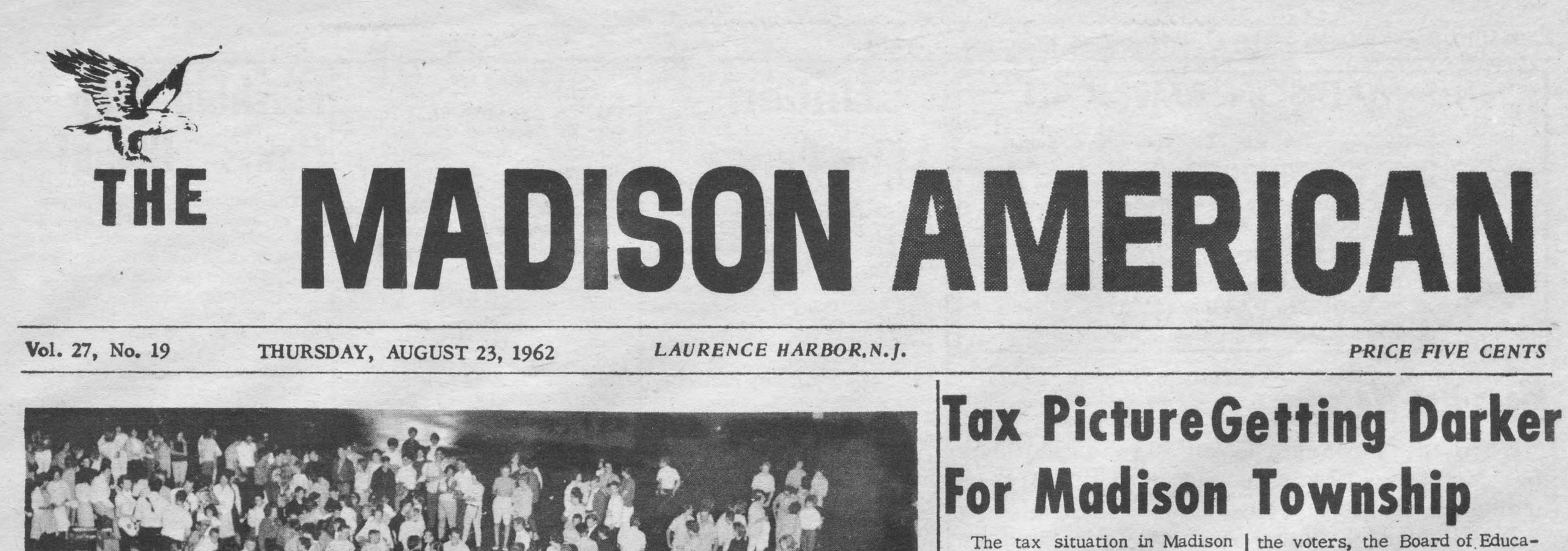
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Township doesn't have any silver lining. The tax problem is getting

tion can re-submit the same budget or reduce the amount. They can not raise the amount of money asked for in the budget. If the budget is defeated for the second time, it is then presented to the Township Committee. The Committee can adopt the budget or cut it. This has been done on several occasions in Madison. Despite the budget cuts the Board of Education has always ended up with a substantial amount of surplus. At the present time "free balances" or surplus money held by the Board of Education might amount to almost a half a million dollars. If the township committee refuses to take any action on the budget, the school budget is then presented to the state for their approval or reduction in the amount of money requested. The township committee has little or no voice in the expenditure of school appropriations and merely serves as a collection agency for the Board of Education.



darker all the time.

Latest word from the Tax Assessor is that Veterans and Old Age Home owners will soon find that their exemptions have been reduced to practically nothing. According to George Fiore, Township Tax Assessor a veteran who is presently receiving an exemption of \$75 will find the assessment reduced to \$15. Fiore urged that veterans write their state and county officials and that veteran organizations take up the battle to restore the veterans exemptions.

Madison Township residents will probably have to pay more taxes in 1963, officials refuse to estimate the increase in taxes but speculation says that taxpayers will be in for a stiff increase. Many home owners have already 'received letters from their respective mortgage companies informing them of increases in the escrow accounts. Biggest spender of the Madison Township Taxpayers dollar is the Board of Education. The

With increased promotions in the police department, anticipated pay increases, increased costs of material and supplies all tend to increase the municipal budget. Added to the local tax picture is the County Tax. The county tax is based on the total assessments in the Town as the Township continues to grow the amount of county tax is increased steadily. Added to the local tax picture is the fire tax. At the present time there are four fire districts each with a different tax rate. Certain areas of Madison Township are in garbage districts and this tax is also added to the overall tax picture. Then there is the personal property tax. The personal property tax may be done away with next year. Thomas Miller of Old Bridge has long sought that this tax be abolished. According to Miller it will cost more in bookkeeping and collection services than can be received by the township. Increased services means increased taxes, everytime additional help is added to the local payroll, the tax is increased. Farrell requested that all New equipment calls for an in-The tax picture in Madison Township is getting darker all the time.

THEY COULD HAVE DANCED ALL NIGHT:-(Top Photo) Over 150 Madison Township youngsters attended "Twisting Under the Stars" at the Madison Township High School. The program was sponsored by the Township Recreation Committee.

WINNERS:-(Bottom Photo) Left to Right Herb Tendler, Chairman of the Twist Dance; Bill Ackenback and Martha Ronson, Dance Contest Winners and Harry Messenger, Chairman of the Township Recreation Committee.

Horse Show Planned

The Circle C Ranch on Englishtown Road will sponsor an open Western horse show on September 9th at the ranch.

The horse show is scheduled to get underway at 11:00a.m. and will feature a variety of speed events and various games on horseback.

Many riders and horses from various sections of New Jersey and other states will be on hand

our town. In the past years the school budget has come through with flying colors. School budgets in neighboring communities have been defeated while the Madison budget has had little trouble passing.

school budget will be adopted

in January of 1963 and will then

by voted on by the residents of

If the budget is defeated by

Elections Set For Little League

According to Eugene Farrell president of the Laurence Harbor Little League the group will hold election of officers at the regular meeting of the group to be held on Thursday (tonight) at the American Legion Home on Summerfield Avenue.

The meeting will get underway at 8:00 p.m. Plans will be discussed for the Annual Little League Awards Banquet which will be held in the very near future.

All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

managers of both the major and crease in taxes. minor league divisions turn in all equipment used by their teams during the past season.

Twist Contest held at the "Twisting Under the Stars" Night at Madison Township High School on Route 516. The dance was sponsored by the Madison Tendler. Township Recreation Committee.

Twisting Under The Stars

Over 150 Madison Township youngsters showed up to hear the music of the Vibrents a popular local Rock and Roll band and to let off steam. Harry Messenger, Chairman of the recreation committee announced that the dance was highly successful and that further plans will be made for similar activities for the youth of the

town in the very near future. Messenger praised the work of the Recreation Committee and the chairman of the dance Herb

Members of the various first aid squads were on hand as well as members of the Madison Township Police Reserves. The affair was chaperoned.

Library Closing

Barn Dance Set

the

Madison Park Fire The Company and Ladies Auxiliary will stage its Second Annual Barn Dance on October 27th at 8:00 p.m.

The affair will be held at the Madison Park Fire House on Cheesequake Road and dress is optional.

The annual barn dance is one of the fund raising events sponsored by the company. The dances at the fire house have proven to be well received and enjoyed by those attending. Why not plan to attend.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or may be obtained from any of the members of the Fire Company or the Ladies Auxiliary. Refreshments will be available.

Mrs. David Watson, president of the Free Public Library of Madison Township, at the Circle, sponsored by the Woman's Club of Laurence Harbor, announces that the Library will be closed on September 4, 5 and 6.

The Library will then reopen on Tuesday, September 11 on its winter schedule. The hours will be Tuesday from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Wednesday 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Thursday 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Picnic Set

The Old Bridge Lions Club will sponsor a picnic at the Durhernal Lake on September 9th. Edsel Rutenbar of 8 Hilliard Road, Old Bridge is chairman of the affair and Norman Healey of 21 Hilliard Road is co-chairman.

Tickets may be obtained from any member of the Lions Club or may be purchased at Enders Luncheonette, Englishtown Road.

Annual Family Picnic And Bar-B-Cue Held

Mr. and Mrs. James E. White of 22 Princeton Road, Madison Park held their 7th Annual Family Picnic and Bar-b-cue at their home Sunday.

The annual affair got underway at 1 p.m.. On the menu were corn on the cob, hot sausage, chicken, hamburgers, hot dogs, stuffed cabbage, salads, water-

New RabbiTo Speak

Rabbi Leonard Zoll, the new day school of Temple Torah of Madison Township will have a "Meet the Rabbi" meeting Friday evening at 8:30 p.m. at the SayreWoods South School 19 on Cinday Street.

Rabbi Zoll will talk on reform Judaism. A question and answer period will follow. Refreshments will be served. All families interested in progressive liberal reformed Judaism have been invited to attend the meeting.

melon, coffee, cake and an assortment of liquid refreshments.

Those attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. George Lizanetz, and son Glenn of Woodbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lizanetz, Mr. and Mrs. Guido Gelato, Mrs. Sophie Lizanetz, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence White, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ginda and son "Jo-Jo" all of Perth Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Long and children Rosemarie, Les, Linda rabbi and principal of the Sun- | and Carrie, Mrs. Clara Farrell, Mrs. Clara Shagen, Mrs. Isabel Montano, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Montano and children Janice and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Montano and daughter, Charlene all of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and children David, Lorraine and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson of Lakewood; Miss Kathy and Lois Johnson of Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Austin of Cranford.

Miss Pauline White of Matawan, Mr. Larry Austin of Westfield, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fuchs of Irvington, Mr. and Mrs. George White and daughter Christine of Morganville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Henry White of Cheesequake and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ginda of Rahway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eveigan and children Gregory and Sandy, Mr. and Mrs. Koperski of Morgan.

Also attending the affair were Miss Lottie Salamon of Sayreville and Mr. and Mrs. Al Clayton of Cheesequake.

Glenn Lizanetz "Swivel Hips" won the "Twist Contest."

Dance Scheduled

The United Societies of St. Thomas Church will sponsor a dance to be held at the St. Thomas Auditorium on August 25th. Music for the affair will be furnished by "The Queensmen".

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More Hot Water?

When the Township Committee established the Madison Township Water Authority by ordinance did they create another "monster"? The idea of a Water Authority for Madison Township was certainly a good one. Our Town has been troubled with lack of water and other problems concerning adequate water supply for the residents of Our Town. Practically all the water supply in town is controlled by privately owned companies. They are subjected to little control by local ordinances or laws. Water rates and the use of water are controlled by the company and the P.U.C.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION: Rumor has it that there are still several members of the Madison Township Board of Education who feel that the people didn't know what they were doing when they voted down the Junior High School referendum three times. We know of at least one member who would be willing to place the same thing before the voters. Understand that one Board of Education member recently elected will be moving out of Madison Township because of his employment? School election is slated for February and Madison Township Taxpayers will be presented with a school budget that's "out of this world". If the Board of Education keeps raising the taxes, they'll beat the Russians to the moon." Wonder if the maintenance contracts for the school owned buses will be placed out on bid this year? Or is this the year when they just award them? You think they have troubles in Sayreville?

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Things are so "hot" at the Madison Township Police Headquarters Lights is working overtime. Quite a few of the troops are now aware as to what police officers are supposed to be promoted many of them are hot under the collar. Understand that if and when the Ordinance establishing number of officers is passed (nobody is taking bets that it won't pass) promotions will be held off until after the November elections. When the promotions are made Madison Township will have about the most "rankinest" police department in the state. All Chiefs and few Indians. The "white hats" will soon outnumber the "bluehats". Understand that one fellow in Old Bridge is forming a group made up of all ex-special police officers. He's got quite a list to work on. SEWERAGE AUTHORITY: Wonder if the members of the Madison Township Sewerage Authority have looked at some of the streets of Madison Township? Some of the roads have been made im- New Store Slated passable for several weeks. We certainly hope that the contractors will put some of the streets back in the original condition. Some of the streets were in poor shape to begin with, but the "digging" didn't do them much good. The Sewerage Authority ought to open an office in the Old Bridge area to receive complaints from the residents in the area. Understand that a meeting was held between the Road Committee of the Township and members of the Sewerage Authority recently, we certainly hope they will come up with something? CAR REPAIRS: Wonder if the Township has an ordinance about repairing motor vehicles in the streets? Touring through the township you will find motor vehicles in various stages of repairs on public streets. Some are up on blocks and some are

Flashing Stop llegal

The marketing in New Jersey of an attachment which causes stoplights to continuously flash when brakes are fully or partially applied brought a warning from State Motor Vehicle Director Ned J. Parsekian that such devices are illegal in the State.

"The motor vehicle regulations specifically prohibit the use of such flashing lights on any motor vehicle, except as a means of indicating right or left turns," said Director Parsekian. "The use of the flashing type stop light, activated by application of the foot brake, is in violation of the law in New Jersey," added the Director.

The Division of Motor Vehicles has alerted all enforcement agencies to enforce violations of this type and ordered rejection of such devices at vehicle inspection stations.

The Madison Township Water Authority seems to be interested in the purchase of water systems without any source of supply. To put it simply it would be like purchasing a bottle of soda and receiving only the container.

More interest should be paid to what the Water Authority is considering at this time. We would like to know the answer to the following questions:-

1. How many "secret" meetings were held out of Madison Township? New York, South Amboy and other places? 2. How does the Water Authority notify the press or the public that there is a meeting planned? 3. What is the connection between an "advisor'' to the Water Authority and an investment company?

LOVE AFFAIR: That fellow in Old Bridge that was having a romance with a 58 year old grandmother was told to "cool" it by no other than grand-pop. Just to prove his point "granddad" threw the youngster down a flight of stairs. The "Loverboy" threatens to go to the police but he won't. He doesn't want his "true love" to find out about the little affair. Grand-mother now wants "Lover-boy" to return a watch and some other trinkets of appreciation, she finally realized that she was being taken for a "sleigh ride in July". To that fellow that's M-A-D-L-Y in love with that "five and dime" clerk she's stringing you along--she's got a boy friend with the Marines, he's due home in September. Watch the brush-off.

For Old Bridge

Plans to construct a \$50,000 supermarket at the Circle Manor Shopping Center were announced by Henry Sadowski, owner of the center's land and buildings.

Sadowski has been granted a building permit to construct a store 122 feet by 80 feet as an addition to the four store shopping center.

Presently in operation at the site is a dry cleaning plant, luncheonette, drug store, and laundramat.

Work on the supermakret is scheduled to begin in a few weeks and the building is expected to be complete by Christmas.

It will then be leased to the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company. The 9,760 square foot

4. Just how much interest do you intend to pay on bonds sold by the authority?

It's A Shame

In the neighboring community of Sayreville quite a bit of noise and fuss is being made over the appointment of Borough Councilman Joseph Ziemba as assistant to the principal.

Ziemba is presently under indictment on charges of extortion, receiving a bribe and misconduct of office. Newspapers have been giving the situation the "big treatment."

Residents of Sayreville have formed organization to press for the resignation of Mr. Ziemba and investigation of the entire affair. Perhaps Mr. Ziemba should be the one to



ask for an investigation.

It seems very strange. Ziemba has served as a teacher in the Sayreville School system and is still serving in that capacity. None of the "do-gooders" pressed for his resignation until he was appointed by the Board of Education as assistant to the principal.

Seems that these residents of Sayreville have forgotten that this is America and a person is supposed to be innocent until proven guilty. These people who are "preaching" for cleanliness in the situation have seemed to forgotten this.

We don't know if Ziemba is guilty or notguilty of the charges. We are not the jury. We do question some of the motives of several of the people who are pressing for his resignation!

Perhaps an investigation would clarify the s tuation. We say investigate the investigators!



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42 individual departments and

will range from a pet shop to a

modern jewelry section. There

will also be household and cloth-

manager, approximately 300 per-

sons will be hired locally to work

in the department type store

which will be open from 10 a.m.

to 10 p.m. Monday through Satur-

day. The store is owned by

tached to the main building which

will contain almost 80,000 square

weeks include year round climate

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The parking lot is capable of

The ribbon cutting ceremonies

handling more than 2,500 cars.

which are set for noon on Thurs-

snack bar, rest rooms.

A service garage will be at-

Terry Shops Inc., Newark.

According to William Webb,

ing departments.

feet of space.

The new store will obtain

Dental Nurses Course Set For Oct. 2nd

Middlesex County residents were invited today by Dr. Kenneth W. Iversen, dean of Union Junior College, Cranford, to apply for admittance to a year-long dental nurses course, which opens on October 2.

"Although the program is sponsored by our college and the Union County Dental Society, it is not restricted to residents of Union County. The program is available to all persons of post-high school age who can quality," Dr. Iversen said.

The UJC dean said there seems to be a misconception that the program is open only to Union County residents.

Dr. Iversen said September 15 is the deadline to apply for the program, which will be conducted on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 9 o'clock for two semesters.

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classes will be held at Union Junior College. The program provides for 90 hours of academic work and 90 hours of professional studies. In addition, all students will be required to take 45 hours of on-the-job training in the office of a dentist.

Additional information on the program may be obtained from Miss Dorothea Wiersma, registrar, at Union Junior College. All applicants must be high school graduates or hold equivalency certificates, must be of post-high school age, and must pass appropriate aptitude tests.



NEW RATABLE: Sayreville Discount City will soon be added to the list of Township ratables. The new building which contains over 80,000 square feet of floor space will house almost 42 depart-

September 6th has been set for the tentative ribbon cutting ceremonies to officially mark the opening of the new 80,000 square foot Sayreville Discount City store located on Route 9, Madison Township.

The building is located opposite the Sayre Woods Shopping Center the single story, cinder block

Night Game Slated

The Madison Township Auxiliary Police Softball team will play the Holly Mounts of Sayre Woods South on Monday, August 27 at the Madison Township High School baseball field.

This will probably be the first night game in the history of Madison Township. Game time is scheduled for 8:30 p.m.

The lights have been donated by Monmouth County and admission to the game is free.

John Badun is manager of the Auxiliary Police Team and Mel Wood pilots the Holly Mounts.

ments. Approximately 300 local residents will Letter Writing be employed at the center. Tentative opening Letter Writing date has been set for September 6th.

New Opening

Dr. Joseph Eisen, optometrist today announced the opening of a new office for the practice of optometry.

Dr. Eisen's location is at 5 Mark Place and the corner of Throckmorton Lane, SayreWoods South.

He can be reached for appointment by telephone PArkway 1-8826 evenings and by telephone MI 2-3636 during the day.

Card Party Set

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Cheesequake Independent Fire Company will start their 1962-63 season with a card party to be held at the fire hall.

for Friday September 7th. Tickets are available at the door or may be purchased from any members of the auxiliary.

Many valuable prizes will be awarded and admission includes refreshments. Why not plan to attend.



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Due to the rather rainy unpleasant weather, the spirits of the group were somewhat "dampened."

Thanks is also given to the various organizations that manned the different variety booths.

day September 6th will be attended by company officials as well as various local and county officials.

Dean's List

An area student at Thiel College was named to the dean's list at the conclusion of the second semester of the 1961-62 academic year. To be eligible for this honor, a student must attain a minimum scholarship quotient of 9.750 of a possible 12.00 average.

He is Dana Benjamin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Benjamin, 2 Rittner Lane, Old Bridge.

A freshman at the College, Benjamin was graduated from Rutgers Preparatory School.

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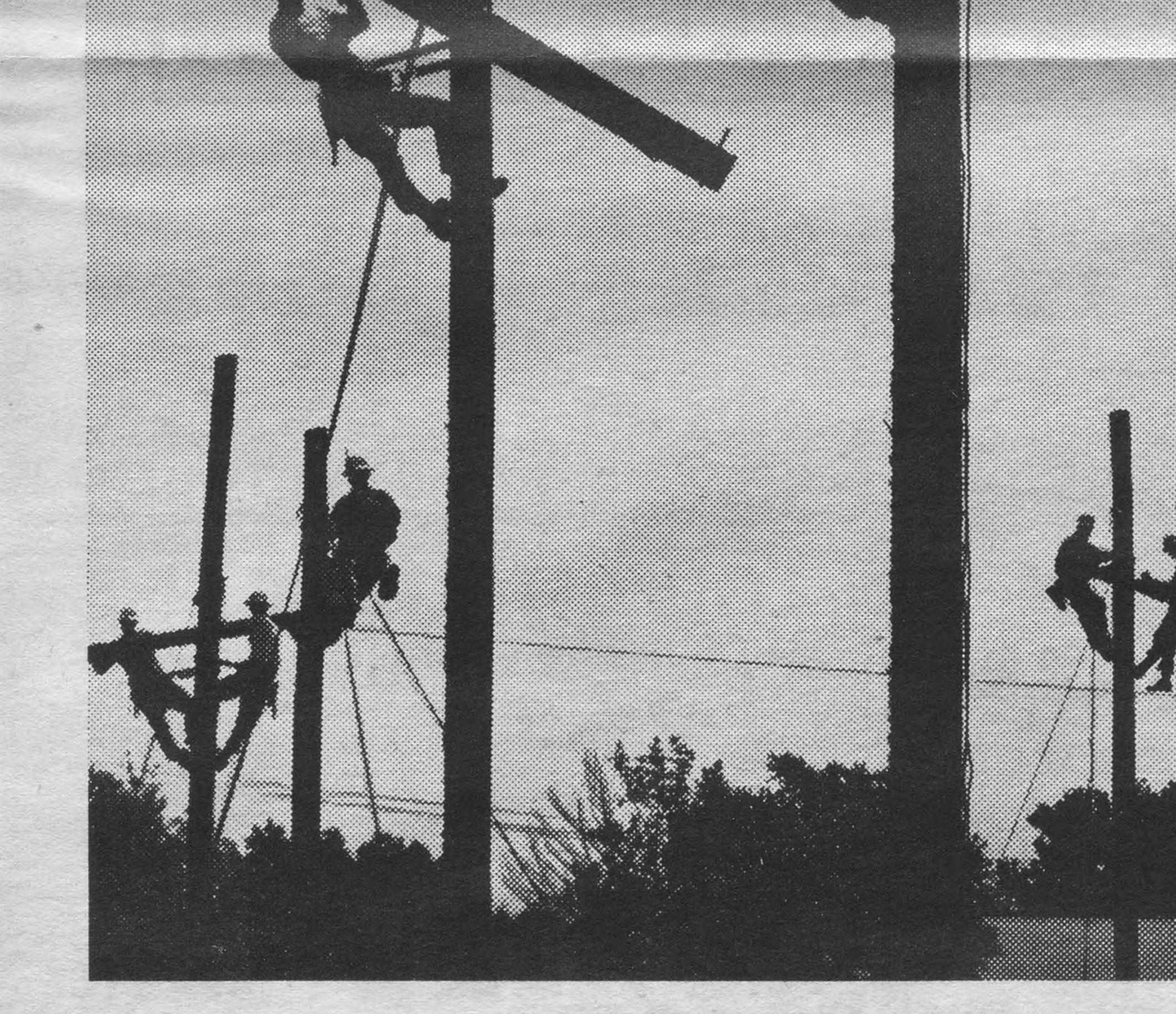
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Scouts To Participate In Camporee

Dr. Daniel J. Sullivan, manager of personnel relations for Johnson and Johnson, has been appointed general chairman of the Middlesex Council's Go-Roundup Camporee to be held on September 21, 22 and 23, 1962, at Camp Kilmer, according to Col. John A. Bradley, chairman of the activities committee of the Middlesex Council, Boy Scouts of America. The Go-Roundup Camporee will be a council-wide affair which brings together the three district groups and will encompass the establishment of a 3rd class city involving some 3000

PROPOSAL

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received in the Reception Room of the Office of the Director, Division of Purchase and Property, 2nd floor, Room 232-2, State House, Trenton 25, New Jersey, on September 6, 1962 at 2:00 P.M. and will be opened and read Scouts of America. immediately thereafter, for the following:

scouts and leaders under canvas for a full weekend, according to Sullivan.

Sullivan stated that normally in the three districts they hold individual Camporees in the spring, but in anticipation of Middlesex Council's huge Council show scheduled for May of 1963, we will stage a never-to-be-forgotten scout and scout leader spectacle which will be a highlight of their camping experience and will also give council leaders an opportunity to learn first hand the problems relating to staging large scale participation events. The Camporee will be the largest outdoor activity ever staged

by the Council and will feature many of the activities displayed in the huge National Scout Jamborees staged every four years by the National Council, Boy

The Camporee theme will be "Preparing for the space age thru personal fitness." An invitation has already been extended to the National Air and Space Administration to schedule one of the seven astronauts to be the Camporee special guest, according to Sullivan. Included in the program will be personal fitness competition events based on many of the fitness skills included in an astronaut's training program. Field

events, obstacle courses, and other body strengthening activities will also be scheduled.

General James D. Alger, Commander of the II Army Corp with headquarters at Camp Kilmer, a former Scout himself, and long interested in scouting, made available all post facilities needed to stage the Camporee. The general public along with parents and friends will be invited to attend the outdoor spectacular on Saturday evening, Sept. 2, to enjoy a full hour and one half Arena show.

Work Completed

President The the of Company Cheesequake Fire announced today that work on the firehouse has been completed. The entire fire house has been painted. The president also announced

that the Board of Fire Commissioners had installed another siren location on Route 34. It is hoped that with the addition of the new siren the emergency alarm system has been improved.



Sewage Plant Completion, N.J. State Hospital, Greystone Park, New Jersey

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Bids must be (1) made on the standard proposal form, (2) enclosed in the special addressed envelope, (3) accompanied by a certified check drawn to the order of the Treasurer of the State of New Jersey, or a bid bond, any of which shall be in the amount of 5% of the bid, and (4) delivered at the above place on or before the hour named as no bid will be accepted after the hour specified. Bids not so submitted will be considered informal and will be rejected. The Director reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to award contract in part or whole if deemed to the best interests of the State to do so. The successful bidder will be required to furnish surety bond in the full amount of the contract, of a company authorized to do business in the State of New Jersey.

Plans and specifications, form of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work are on file and may be obtained upon application to the Director, Division of Purchase and Property, State House, Trenton 25, New Jersey, ondeposit of twenty-five (\$25.00) for each set, this amount to be refunded to the bidder upon return of such documents in good condition within 30 days after the award of the contract.

> DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY Division of Purchase and Property

Charles F. Sullivan, Director

Madison Township Special Police Officer B. Cohan, Instructor announced that the 1962 Hunter's Safety Course will be given on September 8, 1962 at 10:00 a.m.

Football Season Underway

Two Old Bridge Rams Junior Football Teams got off to a flying start last Wednesday with their first practice of the season at the Lions Field at the rear of the Voorhees School.

The teams now working under Nation "Pop Warner Rules", the "Miggets" and the "Peewees under the able coaching of Harvey J. Neilsen and Ray Blankenhorn have some 125 youngsters vieing for positions.

Their first game of the season has not officially been announced but will be in the later part of September under the auspices of

the Old Bridge Athletic Association the two teams are aiming for top honors in the Madison Township Football League this coming fall.

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Part Four Charter Commission Report

Township Committee Government Lacks the Tools of Management Required for Economical Service

modern government Every recognizes the importance of budgeting, personnel policies, purchasing and planning in providing economical and efficient service.

BUDGETING. The township committee form of government provides neither the time nor the facilities to do more than put the budget into the form required by state law--which is largely an accounting job--in the hope of keeping this year's expenditures from going too far beyond last year's. In a growing township, however, long range planning should be involved in preparing the budget. In addition, expenditure programs must be tested and judged in accordance with the needs of the township as a whole rather than the preferences of the committeemen who are assigned to supervise particular functions. Ordinarily, if there were a chief executive, it would be his job to develop a satisfactory budget and to present it to the township committee for its consideration. Because there is no chief executive the governing body must carry on this function as well as it can as part of its part time responsibilities. Furthermore, there is no single official responsible to the electorate for the content or execution of the budget. PERSONNEL. Madison Township presently employs more than 110 persons, and does not have an established civil service system. While the occasions for new appointments of township employees may not be frequent, they require the agreement of the five committeemen. This can lead to the practice of 'apportioning" appointments among various sections of the township in a manner which does not promote the most efficient operations and is common where political qualifications are given as much consideration as merit and competence. The township does not have a personnel officer. Basic payroll records, including tax and retirement information and other deductions, are kept by the clerk who prepares the payroll. Except for the application forms used in the police department, there are no other personnel records. The clerk also keeps sick and vacation time records on all employees as reported by the various officials. This latter procedure gives some assurance that the various units in the township organization are observing the same sick leave and vacation policies. Retirement provisions are made only for policemen and veterans. A comprehensive personnel system would include recruitment, orientation, training and

advancement of municipal employees. It would also include the development of a position classification and pay plan; establishment of employee grievance machinery; administration of uniform policies with respect to vacations, sick leave, hours of work, and fringe benefits; maintenance of full and complete personnel records; and similar matters. Madison Township is not involved in civil service procedures, and although it does not require an elaborate personnel system, it does need a more comprehensive and adequate personnel program. Personnelactivities are normally considered a responsibility of a chief executive. The failure to provide such an executive has led to placing these activities, like so many others, in the hands of the township clerk. PURCHASING. Township purchasing procedures must also be carried out on an expedient basis under the township committee form, and are under the supervision of the clerk. Although material requisition and purchase order forms have been prepared, this system of ordering is followed consistently by very few of the departments or committeemen. Even if the system were followed, it is quite doubtful that the clerk would have sufficient time to devote to this activity, other than to prepare and send out the purchase orders. Various phases of good purchasing, such as an-

alyzing purchases made, checking prices, developing relations with suppliers and other matters are of necessity being neglected.

PLANNING AND DEVELOP-MENT. The township has a planning board constituted in accordance with state statute. The planning board has retained an outside professional consulting firm to prepare a master plan of the township. It has taken several years to evolve this plan, and thus far the master plan map has been approved by the planning board but not by the township committee.

who devotes full-time to work directly related to planning activities. He enforces the township building code, cooperates with the engineer in enforcing subdivision controls and regulations, and works with the part-time zoning officer in enforcing the township zoning ordinance. In a rapidly growing township, building code enforcement alone is a full-time job, and when combined with zoning and subdivision work, all of these activities can be done with only minimal effectiveness. Township development has become a growing responsibility of good management, and many trained managers see this as one of their major contributions to the community. In Madison Township, especially, every opportunity to present the merits of the township to desirable commercial and industrial investors must be utilized if the tax rate is not

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Joint Meeting Set

The Senior Citizens of Madison Township will visit the Keyport Senior Citizens at 1:30 this afternoon (Thursday August 23).

The joint meeting will be held at the Recreation Center of St. John's Methodist Church on Route 35, Keyport.

Members of the Madison Township group will meet at Byrnes Hall on Route 35.

its future needs require that the township government adopt and install efficient tools of management, which may also be used as effective means of township development.









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Bell Telephone Laboratories is constantly working to increase America's lead in communications. For example, the transistor and the solar battery were invented right here in New Jersey, by the people at Bell Labs. They are now working on tomorrow's communications-devices that send thousands of phone calls over beams of light—communications satellites and many other things that were just science fiction a few years ago.

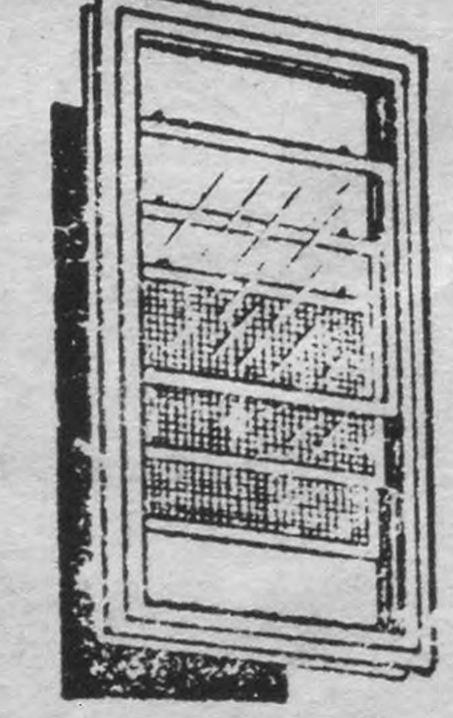
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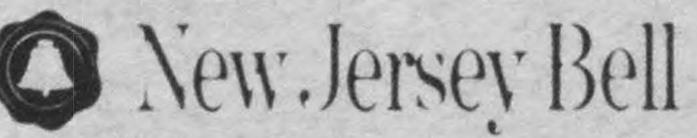


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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. EARL CASLER of 61 Pacific Blvd., Cliffwood Beach they will celebrate their 32nd Wedding Anniversary next Thursday. . . Miss MARIE GAUB of Route 9, Browntown, has returned from a six week tour to Europe. . . Miss GAUB was the guest of two cousins Mrs. JOHN her CARAVAN of St. Veit and Mr. and Mrs. M. SEDLAK of Villach, Austria. . .the trip was made by Pan American Jet. . . Happy Birthday to JAMES DE MARCO of Highway 35, Laurence Harbor he will celebrate his 8th birthday on Wednesday. . . Best Wishes to Mr. FRITZ POWELL of Central Avenue, Old Bridge he will celebrate his birthday on Wednesday. . . "FRITZ" isn't telling his age but we know he's over 35 cause he claims he voted for Hoover. . .you sure it wasn't Lincoln? Birthday Wishes to RAY RYAN of Highway 34, Cheesequake he will celebrate his birthday on Wednesday. . . CAPTAIN IRMA V. WOISARD of the Army Nursing Corps visited with her sister Mrs. PEGGY SCANLON of Shoreland Circle, Laurence Harbor Captain WOISARD is stationed at Ft. McClellan, Alabama. . . ROGER MILLER, THOMAS STAUBACK and WILLIARD RYAN all of Cheesequake are spending the week with the 4-H Club Camp at Stokes Forest. . . Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES "DOC" COL-LIER of 31 Brandeis Road, Madison Park are enjoying a vacation in Florida. . . Mr. WALTER SCHLECHTING of 94 Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor is a patient at the Perth Amboy General Hospital. . .WALTER was injured working on a Township truck recently. . . Happy Birthday to LINDA PICURI of Clemson Road, Madison Park she will celebrate her 14th birthday on Saturday. . . Birthday Wishes to BARBARA ZAWARTKAY of Summerfield Avenue, Laurence Harbor she will be seven years old on Saturday. . . Happy Birthday to CARL ZAHN of 18 Culver Court, Old Bridge he will celebrate his 2nd birthday on Friday with a party ... Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL O'LEARY of 61 Woodshore West, Knollcroft, Cliffwood Beach they will celebrate their 9th Wedding Anniversary on Mon-

day. . . HARRY and PEG WIN-GLER and children ALICE and MICHAEL have moved from Clemson Road, Madison Park to New York. . . they will be missed by their neighbors. . . Miss PAT KAYS of 3 Beverly Road, Old Bridge has returned from a vacation in Pennsylvania . . . The CARL MILLER's of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake are taking day trips on their vacation this week. . . Mrs. GLORIA KASE and daughter CAROL of Highway 9 Browntown are enjoying a vacation in Florida... Birthday Wishes to BILLY BEN-DER of Washington Avenue, Central Park he will celebrate his 13th birthday on Saturday. . . Best Wishes to BOBBY RINGER of 25 Clemson Road, Madison Park he celebrated his first birthday on Friday and again on Sunday with a Family Party... CLYDE and RACHAEL BOWNE of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake have returned from a few days vacation in the Poconos. . . Birthday Wishes to MissGERRIE SCHLICHTING of 94 Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor and Mr. ROBERT QUADE of 218 Hillcrest Avenue, Laurence Harbor they celebrate their 20th birthdays on Tuesday and GERRIE BAKED THE CAKE??. . .Best Wishes to Mr. BOB LEWICKI of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake he will celebrate his birthday on Friday. . . Birthday Wishes to Mrs. KATHERINE SPAREN-DERO of 1 Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge she will celebrate her birthday on Wednesday ... Twelve year old LILY COMSTOCK of 5 Duke Court, Madison Park received five stitches in her head from a pool accident. . . the COMSTOCKS have just recently moved to Madison Township. . . Birthday Wishes to Miss SUSAN PAYNE of 64 Princeton Road, Madison Park she will be 15 next Thursday. . . Happy Birthday. . Best Wishes to ROUTE 9 SOUTH AMBOY HOUGHTALIN of 94 LARRY Laurence Parkway, Laurence PA 1-1998 LO 6-6694 Harbor he will celebrate his Harbor he will celebrate his 13th birthday on Sunday. . . Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT WATKINS of Amherst Court, Madison Park they will celebrate their 2nd Wedding Anniversary on Monday. . . Best wishes to Mrs. PAT HOFF of Highway 35, Laurence Harbor she will celebrate her birthday

Benefit Game To Aid Families Of Trooper Crash Victims

New Jersey residents will honor the three state troopers who were killed in the line of duty on the N.J. Turnpike June 11 at a benefit softball doubleheader in Jersey City Aug. 27.

Advance ticket sales guarantee an attendance of 12,000 and a crowd of 15,000-20,000 is expected, according to Michael Ventola, state chairman of the Troopers Benefit Fund of the Cities Service Oil Co.

Proceeds from the games will benefit the families of the three late troopers, Milan Simcak of Paramus, Joseph DeFrino of Lyndhurst and Arthur Abagnale of Cliffside Park. The men were killed when a truck ran into them while they were investigating and assisting at an accident scene in Kearny.

dium, which was donated for the purpose through the cooperation of Mayor Thomas Gangemi. He is honorary chairman of the affair, and will officiate at a pregame ceremony along with mayors of several other communities, including the three in which the troopers lived.

The first game will feature the North Hudson League All-Stars vs. the Bayonne Brotherhood League All-Stars. The second will feature the Charles Kita Softball League All-Stars vs. the Mayor Gangemi All-Stars. The Father Nativo's St. Lucy's Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps of Newark will perform at the pregame ceremony, and between games the Jersey City Recreation Department Band will play.

Ventola at the Cities Service Oil Co., 390 Halsey St., Newark. Tickets may also be obtained at the door.

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