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Early Morning Fire Hits Madison



HOT TIME IN THE OLD TOWN: Firemen probe through wreckage of frame farm house in Old Bridge following the blaze which destroyed the house and barn near the Englishtown border

of Madison Township. The fire occurred early Tuesday morning. The cause of fire was not determined at this time.

An unoccupied two story frame farm house and an abandoned barn were burnt to the ground on Pension Road, Old Bridge, in an early morning fire on Tuesday. The alarm, which was sounded at 4:13 A.M., alerted

the South Old Bridge Fire Co., the Englishtown Fire Co. and the Cheesapeake Fire Co. All three responded in a matter of minutes but the fire had made much headway before being re-

ported.

The buildings were owned by Morris Tiech, Brooklyn, New York. There were no injuries. An estimate of damages was unavailable.

Officials Resign

Three officials of the Sayre Woods South Football Association resigned at a recent meeting of the group. Edward Hammel resigned from the office of president; Joe Curran resigned as head coach and Frank Frey resigned as secretary, the last named at an earlier meeting.

Dem Meeting Set

The Laurence Harbor Democratic Club will hold a social affair on Saturday evening at Byrnes Hall according to Robert Knight, club president.

The affair, which will be open to the public, will feature entertainment and refreshments. John Spellman is social night chairman.

Proceeds from the event will be used to aid the activities of the club in the local area, Knight said.

Meeting Held

A regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Madison Park Volunteer First Aid Squad was held at the home of Mrs. D. McCumsoy recently. Plans were made for future fund raising projects and the annual installation dinner to be held after the election of new officers which will be held in March.

The membership will be open at the next regular meeting to be held on February 20th at the home of Mrs. Paul Kurus, 3098 Borden-town Avenue, at 8:30 p.m. Any woman over the age of 21 who would like to join the Auxiliary may do so by contacting any of the members.

Bd. of Ed. Election

The legal voters of Madison Township will have the opportunity to vote in the annual school election which has been set for Wednesday, February 13, 1963. The polls will open at 2 p.m. and close at 9 p.m.

Three members of the Board of Education will be selected for three year terms and two members for a two year term. The Board of Education is composed of nine members.

Also on the ballot with the selection of Board of Education will be the question of the Budget for the schools. The budget is probably the greatest in the history of Madison Township.

Voters will also be asked to vote on a question of acquiring two land sites one in the Cliffwood Beach area and the other in Sayre Woods South. The question is part of the Board of Education school expansion program and asks that the amount of \$98,000 be appropriated from Current Expense free appropriation balances.

There are seven candidates for the three year term on the Board of Education and three candidates for the two year terms. Seeking re-election to the Board are four present members of the Board of Education. William Kerr of Morristown Road, Cheesapeake, Richard Pine of Disbrow Road, Cheesapeake a former resident of Cliffwood Beach, and William Joyce of Old Bridge are Board of Education members seeking re-election to the Board for a three year term.

The campaign race for the Board of Education has been one of the quietest elections in recent years and attendance at the various meetings has been scant. There seems to be little talk in regards to the school election in the township.

The Board of Education on three occasions submitted a Junior High School referendum to the voters of Madison Township and three times the school expansion was voted down. The Board of Education is now considering the building of elementary schools scattered throughout the township. This plan sponsored by the Board of Education has been bitterly attacked by at least one member of the Board. Richard Pine lashed out at the proposed school site for the Cliffwood Beach area pointing out that the school was going to be built in a location where there are few houses and that the majority of youngsters would have to cross dangerous Route 35 to get to school.

Other candidates for the Board of Education have also attacked the present proposal of the school expansion calling it unsound and unsafe.

Bernard Herman a candidate for three year term from the Sayre Woods South development attacked the candidacy of William Kerr and William Joyce according to the Sayre Woods South resident "both Kerr and Joyce are interested directly or indirectly with a contract or claim against the Board of Education". Herman's claim comes from a recent legal notice published by the Secretary of the Board of Education, William A. Collinson, secretary. The legal advertisement read in part "A member of the Board of Education must be at least 21 years of age, a citizen and resident of the school district for at least two years immediately preceding his or her becoming a member of such Board, and must be able to read and write. He or she shall not be interested directly or indirectly in any contract with or claim against the Board." Mrs. William Kerr has been employed as a secretary for the school system for several years and Mrs. William Joyce is employed in the library at the High School.

The voting in the Board of Education election is expected to be light. This is one of the few years that candidates seeking election for the Board of Education have not been "unofficially" backed by the major political organizations in Madison. The school election is set for Wednesday, February 13th.

Skating Party Held

The Little Women's Club of Laurence Harbor sponsored a skating party at the South Amboy Roller Skating Rink for the benefit of the March of Dimes.

Mrs. Raymond Parks of the Women's Club of Laurence Harbor, presented a check for \$63.50 to Mrs. Olga Becker, executive secretary of the Middlesex County Chapter of the National Foundation.

Edward Kipila produced the posters which were used in advertising the party.

Predict Passage Of School Budget

The Madison American predicts the passage of the "super-duper" school budget because not enough residents will take the time out to vote in the annual school election. A good many of the voters will merely turn out and vote for candidates for the Board of Education race.

We predict the passage of the school budget because the voters in Sayre Woods South will turn out in large numbers to vote YES on the proposed budget.

You doubt us? Take a look at the present membership on the Board of Education. There is not one member of the Board of Education from the Laurence Harbor area. Madison Park and Cliffwood Beach are also without representation on the Board and what's more there are no candidates from any of these three areas. The combined voting numbers of these three areas is greater than Sayre Woods South. It will just be a question of time that Laurence Harbor, Madison Park and Clifford Beach will lose out on representation on the Township Committee and all other elected Boards. The handwriting is on the wall.

The problems in Laurence Harbor and Cliffwood Beach are not the same as in Sayre Woods South. One example:- The parents of Laurence Harbor for years have been paying transportation so that their youngsters wouldn't have to cross dangerous Route 35. The roads in the Laurence Harbor-Cliffwood Beach area are narrow and there are no sidewalks. The average income in the Laurence Harbor-Cliffwood Beach area is lower than in Sayre Woods South. Perhaps an increase of \$75 to \$100 increase in taxes wouldn't hurt the residents of Sayre Woods South financially but even an increase of \$50 would greatly hurt many of the residents of the Harbor area. The die has been cast and there is no turning back the budget will be approved because not enough voters in the Laurence Harbor-Cliffwood Beach area will turn out and vote. It will be too late after Wednesday, February 13th to cry about it.

School Board Election Set Feb. 13 Polls Open 2 P.M.-9 P.M.

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Why Not Apartment Houses

We have received many telephone calls and have been engaged in quite a bit of conversation on our recent editorial stand on "garden apartments". We are still of the opinion that the apartments would represent a good stable ratable for Our Town.

Perhaps the greatest problem facing Madison Township residents is the ever increasing school tax. The needs for the school system are great. Additional class rooms will have to be built sooner or later.

In order for the tax structure to level off in Our Town additional ratables are needed. Madison Township must continue to expand. Additional homes must be built.

With home development additional youngsters are brought into an already "crowded" school system and taxes derived from the home don't even take care of the youngsters added to the school system. A four bedroom home in Madison Township probably is taxed for a little over \$400. If there are two children in the home, we're already losing money just on the school situation.

With garden apartments the number of youngsters added to the school system are few. With additional adult population the spending power is increased and more business will be located in the Township.

Let's face it a merchant must have customers in order to expand his business. The problems of sanitation, police protection, parking, recreational facilities do not exist with "garden apartments" these are maintained by the owners of the apartment house.

If the water pressure is low or the garbage can dented this does not become a problem for the Township committee or the water authority, the apartment dweller merely gets in touch with the superintendent of the building.

Call School System-Not Police

A recent early morning visit to the Madison Township Police Department brought to our attention a very serious problem. The police dispatcher behind the desk was busily answering the telephone in less than twenty minutes we counted forty telephone calls requesting information as to whether or not school would be open.

This could result in a serious accident. Supposing that someone was trying to reach the police headquarters to report a fire or other accident and they couldn't place their call because all the lines were tied up with youngsters requesting information concerning school.

"Poor weather days" information regarding the closing of schools is broadcast over Radio Station W.C.T.C. 1450 on the dial. The announcements start at 6 a.m. in the morning.

We would suggest to the Board of Education that some sort of recording machine be rented and placed on a special line to give out information regarding the closing of school automatically. Then all a student would have to do is telephone a given number and they would receive the information.

In the interest of safety please refrain from calling the police department concerning the closing of school.

Under The Fence

INSIDE STORY: We hear that the inside story on the proposed gas station in Sayre Woods South for Cindy Street and Route 9 is that the courts have ordered the Zoning Board of Adjustment to rehear the case. Actually the gas station is being built in a "commercial zone" according to the Zoning Map of 1956. This map shows a commercial zone for 300 feet on each side of Route 9. I guess the reasons presented by the Zoning Board Attorney for denying the approval of the application weren't convincing enough in court. Understand that another "gas station" may be erected in the middle of Sayre Woods South? We feel sorry for the people that will be neighbors to the proposed gas station. We realize that the lights and noise will probably upset them and we wouldn't want one next door to us. Actually they might be better off to try to sell their houses to a rival oil company to erect another gas station cause they are still probably in the 300 foot commercial zone.

WATER, WATER, EVERYWHERE: Well BILL LAMBERT stepped out as chairman of the Madison Township Municipal Commission (Water Authority) and was immediately appointed Executive Administrator for the Authority. We wonder if the job will end up at a salary comparable to the executive director for the Sewerage Authority? Wonder how come the secretary for the Authority wasn't given a crack at it? Understand that she does quite a bit of work? The Citizens committee for a fair Water Rate is still pounding the Township Committee and the Water Authority. We still can't see what the Township Committee is holding a joint meeting with the Water Authority and the Citizens Committee for? The Township Committee created the water authority by ordinance and other than appointments really haven't a thing to do with the water authority. Understand that one member of the Citizens Committee For Fair Water Rates was an

Ex-FBI man, another worked with the investigation committee for Senator McCarthy and another is an accountant? Overheard at a recent meeting "some people take the gas pipe in a suicide, in Madison it looks like we'll take the water pipe."

BOARD OF EDUCATION: Things might be coming a little complicated in the Guidance Department--we understand that things aren't as peaceful as they seem in the High School. We think that Mrs. Mary Dwyer is doing a terrific job. We recently walked into the high school and didn't pick up any "official guides" and just sauntered down the hall to the office of the business manager. We noticed several things. One: quite a few of the seats in the various classes were empty. Two: one teacher believed in being relaxed, he had his foot in the middle of the desk while lecturing the class. Three: The school was pretty dirty with paper and cigarette butts on the floor (could stand some dusting). FOUR: We didn't notice anyone using the much publicized hallway class room. Betcha could make a lot of room in the school if we did a little shuffling around.

LAY THAT PISTOL DOWN: That fellow in Southwood must be nervous or something we understand he answers the door with a pistol in his hand. Understand a fellow made a delivery to the house when he saw the gun. . .he dropped the package and took off to the hills. They move by night: Understand that several doctors and businessmen are looking for one family that pulled out of Madison Park, they moved at night leaving behind quite a few bills. There ought to be a law, but then they'd only break it.

TAX MAP: We have asked many

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many times about when the Tax Map for Madison Township would be completed. At the recent meeting of the township committee the township engineer when queried about the completion date for the tax map said that it might be finished in "ten or twenty years". We wonder if he means ten or twenty years from today or ten or twenty years from when the project was first started in 1956? We know of one way to get the tax map completed in one year. Let developers come in and build houses all over the place and when they file the maps of the developments the Tax Map would be completed. Whole lot of maintenance going on? Gee teacher wonder if we could sell the place back to the Chesequa Indians, they used to use the place for a burial ground. Hell, the Indians wouldn't take it back. Well if we can stick out our mortgage payments and the taxes we might see the thing completed cause most of us have thirty year tgages.

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Herman Asks That Joyce and Kerr Step Out Of Board Race



Bernard Herman

Bernard Herman, a candidate for the school board, lashed out at William Kerr and William Joyce, also school board candidates, charging that a conflict of interest exists where both Kerr's and Joyce's candidacy is concerned.

Herman, who hails from Sayre Woods South and is 34 years of age and resident of the township for over four years, said that Kerr and Joyce, whose wives are employed by the Madison Township Board of Education, should withdraw from the school board election which will be held on February 13.

The candidate from Sayre Woods South said that the N. J. State Board of Education Candidates Law clearly states "THAT ANY CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL NOT BE DIRECTLY INTERESTED IN ANY CONTRACT WITH OR ANY CLAIM AGAINST THE LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION". This law, Herman stated, applies directly to both Kerr and Joyce, since both their wives, Mrs. Alice Kerr and Mrs. Betty Joyce are employees of the Board of Education and hold signed contracts with the Board of Education. Therefore both Kerr and Joyce are in a direct violation of the election law, according to Herman. "They should withdraw from the race."

Mrs. Kerr is employed as a secretary. Mrs. Joyce is employed in the high school library.

William Kerr was one of the proponents of the move by the board to fire Dr. Sample, the present superintendent of schools.

Kerr was also involved in a fiasco whereby a head custodian was hired and fired at three consecutive board meetings,

Kerr being involved in the firing of the individual. Both Kerr and Joyce have been on the board for 9 and seven years, respectively. Their lack of foresight has been demonstrated by their lack of sufficient facilities in the present school system. For five years Kerr and Joyce have been telling the people of Southwood development that it was not feasible to put up a building on the site of the present six room Southwood School. Kerr and Joyce are proposing a 17 room addition for this "not feasible" site.

"Is this being consistent?" Herman asks.

Herman continued, "Kerr and Joyce have proposed a school site in Cliffwood Beach on one side of a heavily traveled highway, when most of the people live on the opposite side of the road. The pedestrian accident statistics for this particular highway are very high, but this was forsaken in a face saving idea of these people, who, in the past, have tried to pass a referendum in spite of the township's needs. The children of Madison Township are the losers in a game such as this which is played by Kerr and Joyce. With as bad a record of inefficiency and inconsistency as these two board members show, I certainly think it is time for a change."

Officers Installed

Rev. Walter M. Slattery, pastor of St. Lawrence Church, presided at the installation of new officers and reception of three new members into the St. Lawrence Holy Name Society, recently.

New officers for 1963 are president, Charles Crozier; vice president, Lawrence Butala; treasurer, Bernhardt Schweitzer; secretary, Angelo Glimmarino; and marshal, Paul Nadeau.

Dance Set

The Cheesequake Fire Company will hold its annual dance on Feb. 23 at the firehouse on Route 34. Music will be furnished by the Bednar Brothers Sycopaters. The public is invited to this ever-popular affair. Refreshments will also be available. If you and your wife or girl want a good time, the time is February 23 and the place is the Cheesequake Firehouse.

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OPEN LETTER

TO THE VOTERS OF MADISON TOWNSHIP

My name is Richard Pine, I am a member of the Madison Township Board of Education serving my sixth year with the Board. I am presently seeking re-election to the Board. My campaign has been vigorous and I have personally tried to meet as many voters of Our Town as possible, perhaps when I called at your home you were out visiting.

Here are some of my views about the school situation in Madison Township:- I did not vote against the school budget and have never voted against any school budget. The superintendent feels that this is the amount of money necessary to run the schools. I do believe however, that a large amount of the "free balance" or surplus funds be used to lower the tax rate.

I was in favor of the Junior High School program because this was recommended by the Superintendent of Schools as being the best program for the youngsters in Madison Township. However, when the voters of Madison Township voted down the proposal on three occasions it was quite obvious that such a program would not receive approval at this time.

I am definitely against the location proposed by the Board of Education for the school in Cliffwood Beach, hundreds of youngsters would have to cross Route 35 in order to reach the school.

I have supported the Superintendent of Schools in the majority of his programs and have voted for the re-hiring of the Superintendent of Schools this enabled him to come under tenure in Our Town.

I have no relatives working for the Board of Education and I am not interested in any contract with the Board of Education. I am interested in the welfare and safety of the hundreds of youngsters in the Madison Township School system and I am interested in the voters of Madison.

Won't you please support me on Wednesday, February 13th Vote for Pine Number Five lever on the ballot.

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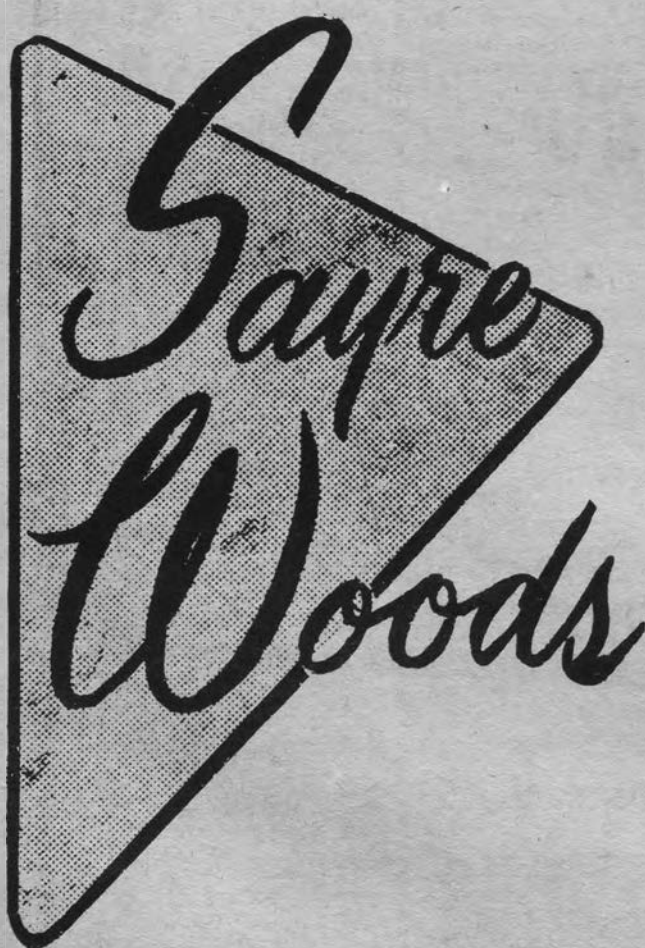


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"Voice From The South"

(The views and writings expressed in this column are not necessarily the views of the Madison American or the publisher)

Republicans are hoping that the efficient job being done by the SWS Republican Club president, Robert Gavlin will not go unnoticed. . . . Many feel that he is the dark horse of the convention and if he gets the blessing of Municipal Chairman, Don Borst he will be on the slate. . . . Democrats apparently will be given a variety of choices in the April Primary. The most consistent names to crop up from SWS are: Bob "Jack" Sapir, Edward McLane and Allen Wein-gartner. . . . Recently, two new names were tossed in the pot. . . . we hear Marc Gordon and William Lambert. We still feel as have stated in the past, a man with real estate background would be ideal in our governing body. . . . He would be the most likely one to help bring in industry. . . . A candidate like this would be a winner. . . . And now to find one.

People are wondering who the vandals are who have been defacing the road signs in SWS. The windows of our new firehouse have been replaced and broken many times. Could this be the work of children with too much time on their hands? Cheese and crackers! With all the sidewalks and driveways not shoveled out you think the parents would be able to keep the youngsters busy? Whatever happened to the good old days when youngsters used to come home loaded with homework and the parents made sure that the youngsters did the homework, before they were allowed to play.

What is the inside story on the proposed Gas Station for Cindy Street? The residents in the affected area are more than just a little disturbed because they were never officially notified. Why did an official tell them that it was a closed hearing and they wouldn't be permitted to speak? Is a single advertisement in a newspaper sufficient legal notification for this hearing or are the residents in a 200 foot area supposed to receive individual letters as they did in the past? Are we that desperate for ratable that a residential zone must be reclassified for this gas station? The reasons given for disapproval are still the same. What new evidence could have been presented to warrant approval? The proposed site is an entrance to SWS at Route 9. Can anyone deny the fact that this would constitute a traffic hazard? Recently, one car travelling south on the highway skidded off the road, through the wood fence and into someone's backyard. The hole in the fence and the crumpled play-gym are still there for anyone to see just before the proposed site.

Residents of Sayre Woods South are watching the results of the Madison Park-Central Park feud with the Municipal Water Commission with keen interest. Many residents of SWS are just realizing that it CAN HAPPEN HERE. The water situation in Madison reminds this writer of the "Old West" where a few ranchers owned all the water holes and the settlers were told you wanna drink the water, podner, well you got to pay for it. And settler WE'RE paying for it.

RICHARD PINE a candidate and present member of the Madison Township Board of Education has been pounding the pavement

in SWS the past week. Pine a salesman for Gallo Wine has picked up much support in SWS. Dick has been presenting his views over policy of the Board. There were few transportation problems when Pine served as chairman of the Transportation Committee. Pine refused to be "screened" by the Better Education Committee. His argument was that he would rather see a few more residents attending Board of Education meetings and less screening. We agree. Pine was instrumental in opening up executive sessions to the press. He stated on many occasions that an informed press can inform their readers. What ever happened to this idea. There is no "smoke screen" with PINE on the Board.

Community Theatre Players announce that tickets are now on sale for Tennessee Williams' gripping drama, "STREETCAR NAMED DESIRE". Theatre 60, which produced Stalag 17 and many other hits, is presenting "STREETCAR" March 29 and 30 at the Madison Township High School Theatre.

Ray Kiem is directing the production which stars Marlene Ellman, Buddy Guarino, Nina Hallikas and Marilyn and Roger Johnson in the leading roles. Mr. Kiem believes that "STREETCAR" is the most ADULT PLAY to be seen in this area and is planning many imaginative techniques in the telling of Williams' most successful story.

Tickets are available from Community Theatre members, or at the following stores: Sayre Woods Jewelers, Browntown Sweet Shop, and May Cleaners. Organizations wishing to buy a quantity of tickets for fund-raising purposes should call Martin Press, 31 Mabaline Rd. Sayre Woods South, PA 7-0499 for complete details. Tickets are priced at just \$1.00 each. Admission at the door for people who have not purchased tickets in advance will be \$1.75.

Meeting Held

Members of the Playmakers met at School 20, Sayre Woods South on Wednesday.

Readings and final casting for three one act plays which will be directed respectively by Faye Zubowski, Dorothy Dorff and Harry Wagner were on the agenda.

Casting for a one act musical segment directed by Bobbie Carlson.

New members are cordially invited to join the Playmakers.

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Garland Attacks Proposed School Site



James B. Garland, Candidate for a two-year term on the Madison Township Board of Education, today attacked the Board's proposed condemnation proceedings for land in the Golden Circle Industrial Park. This area, which was set aside by the Planning Board to induce industry into the Township and is the township's only hope of tax relief, is now the object of a Board of Education Referendum which would obtain the land for school building purposes. This is just another example of confused and irresponsible action on the part of the Board of Education and is indicative of their ever-present lack of concern for the taxpayers and children of Madison Township, Garland stated. He further emphasized that on the one hand the Board states that the township needs industrial ratables to help underwrite the cost of school expansion, and then in direct contradiction of their statements, proceed to ask the voters to condemn the industrial ratables they claim they need.

Condemnation proceedings to a taxpayer, he stated, is one of the most despicable actions to be faced with. It is repugnant to any person owning land or other physical property to have their property condemned without due cause. In the current proceedings, there is no cause. There is no cause because the acreage to

which the Board desires access is probably the most undesirable piece of real estate for housing school children that anyone could elect to obtain. The acreage borders on the southeast corner of the Industrial Park and has only one route of access. To the northeast and south it is bordered by clay pits 75-100 feet deep; impenetrable marshes, and an unbroken expanse of nothing.

This is the site that the present Board and my opponents Lindley Higgins and Gerard Gower would have the children of Knollcroft and Cliffwood Beach occupy during their elementary school years. This site, Garland stated, due to its proximity to the above mentioned areas is such that no school transportation could be provided. The children of Knollcroft and Cliffwood Beach would be forced to cross and walk along Route 35 where in the last 18 months four adult pedestrians have been killed by speeding cars. It must also be remembered, Garland stated, that the planning board with the expert assistance available to them, has zoned this area "Industrial".

My opponents for the two-year term, the Better Education Committee, and the Board of Education have all endorsed the condemnation proceedings described herein. I am unalterably opposed to this site, Garland stated, and if I am elected to the Board of Education, the residents of Cliffwood Beach and Knollcroft can rest assured that their children will not be faced with such a dangerous journey to such a despicable school site. Garland further asked each and every voter to turn out in record numbers on February 13th, not only to vote down this irrational referendum but to also cast their ballot for him as the one candidate who has offered a sound school expansion program that combines economy with school needs.

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REGISTRY AND ELECTION
NOTICE
TOWNSHIP OF MADISON

Notice is hereby given that qualified voters of the Township of Madison not already registered in said Township under the laws of the New Jersey governing permanent registration may register or transfer with the Township Clerk or notify said clerk of change of residence at the Clerks office, Municipal Building, Route #9, Old Bridge in the Township of Madison during the following hours; Daily except Saturday 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. up to and including March 7, 1963 or direct to the Middlesex County Board of Elections, 313 State Street, Perth Amboy, N. J.

On Thursday March 7, 1963 the registration books will be closed until after the forthcoming Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, April 16th, 1963

Notice of change of residence or application for transfer of registration shall be made either by written request forwarded to the Township Clerk or the County Election Board on forms provided by said Township Clerk or Board or by calling in person at the office of the Township Clerk or County Board of Elections up to and including March 7th 1963

Notice is also given that said District Election Board will meet in their respective polling places, hereinafter designated between the hours of 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on

TUESDAY APRIL 16th 1963

for the purpose of conducting a Primary Election for the nomination of the following candidates to be elected at the General Election in November:

- One (1) State Senator
Four (4) Members State Assembly
Two (2) Members of the Board of Chosen Freeholders
Seven (7) Members of Town Council

In addition to the nomination of candidates to the aforementioned offices the election of two members one man and one woman of the local County Committee of the Democratic Party from each of the 11 election districts totaling 22 members in all for a term of one year and two members, one man and one woman of the Local County Committee of the Republican Party from each of the 11 election districts totaling 22 members in all for a term of one year.

Notice is hereby given that qualified voters of the Township of Madison not already registered in said Township under the laws of New Jersey governing permanent registration may register with the Township Clerk, or notify said clerk of change of residence, at the clerk's office, Municipal Bldg., Rt. 9, Old Bridge in the Township of Madison during the following hours: Daily (except Saturday) 9 A.M. to 4 P.M., or direct to the Middlesex County Board of Election, 313 State Street, Perth Amboy, N.J., at any time between Wednesday, April 17, 1963 and Thursday, September 26, 1963 for general election.

Notice of change of residence or application for transfer of registration shall be made either by written request forwarded to the Township Clerk or the County Board of Election on forms provided by said Township Clerk, or Board or by calling in person at the office of the Township Clerk or County Board of elections up to and including September 26, 1963

On Thursday, September 26, 1963, the registration books will be closed until after the forthcoming General Election on Tuesday, November 12th, 1963

Notice is also given that said District Election Board will meet in their respective polling places, hereinafter designated between the hours of 7 A.M. and 8 P.M. on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1963

- One (1) State Senator
Four (4) Members State Assembly
Two (2) Members of the Board of Chosen Freeholders
Seven (7) Members of Town Council

THE AFORESAID PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD AT THE FOLLOWING POLLING PLACES:
The aforesaid General Election will be held at the following places:

DISTRICT ONE:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Deep Run with the dividing line between the Boro of Sayreville and Madison Township (said dividing line being the center line of the South Amboy and Bordentown Turnpike), and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Northeastly along the aforesaid dividing line to the center line of Cheesequake Road; thence (2) Southeastly along the center line of Cheesequake Road to the center line of the Old Water Works Road; thence (3) Northeastly along the center line of the Old Water Works Road to the center line of N.J.S.H.D. Route 9; thence (4) Southerly along the N.J.S.H.D. Route 9 to its point of intersection with N.J.S.H.D. Route 34; thence (5) Southerly along the center line of the N.J.S.H.D. Route 34 to its point of intersection with the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County; thence (6) Southwestly along the aforesaid dividing line to the center line of the prolongation Southwestly of Deep Run; thence (7) Northwestly along the center line of Deep Run to a point in the center line of N.J.S.H.D. Route 9; thence (8) in a Northerly direction along the center line of Route 9 to a point where said center line intersects with the center line of N.J.S.H.D. Route (Temporary) 18; thence (9) Northwestly along the center line of said Route 18 to a point where Temporary Route 18 intersects with the center line of Deep Run; thence (10) along said

center line of Deep Run in a Northerly direction to the point and place of beginning.

FIRST ELECTION POLLING PLACE:
Polling Place: Cheesequake Fire House Highway #34, Cheesequake.

DISTRICT TWO:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerlines of the Old Bridge-Englishtown Road, Marlboro Road, and New Jersey State Highway (Temporary) Route 18 (also known as the Old Bridge-Matawan Road) and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Southwestly, along the center line of the Old Bridge-Englishtown Road, following its various courses, to the dividing line between Monroe Township and Madison Township, (said dividing line being also known as the centerline of the Matchaponix Brook); thence (2) Northerly and Easterly, along the dividing line between Madison Township with the Borough of Spotswood, East Brunswick Township, and the Borough of Sayreville, to the centerline of Deep Run; thence (3) Southeastly, along the centerline of the Matchaponix Brook; thence (4) Northerly, along the centerline of the New Jersey State Highway (Temporary) Route 18 (also known as the Old Bridge-Matawan Road); thence (5) Northwestly, along the centerline of New Jersey State Highway (Temporary) Route 18, to the place of beginning.

SECOND ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: Old Bridge Ambulance and Emergency Squad, Englishtown Road, Old Bridge.

DISTRICT THREE:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad with the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County, and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Southwestly along the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County, to the intersection of the centerline of the Laurence Harbor-Morristown Road, with the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County; thence (2) Northeastly along the centerline of the Laurence Harbor-Morristown Road to the intersection of the centerline of the Road to Oschwalds Brick Yard; thence (3) Northwestly and at right angles to the centerline of the Laurence Harbor-Morristown Road, to a point in the dividing line of the Borough of Sayreville and the Township of Madison (said dividing line being also known as the centerline of Cheesequake Creek); thence (4) Northeastly, along the aforesaid dividing line, following its various courses, to the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad; thence (5) Southeastly, along the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad to a point; thence (6) Northeastly, and at right angles to the centerline of the aforesaid Railroad, to the intersection of the centerline of the Westerly end of Woodland Avenue; thence (7) Northeastly, along a line to the intersection of the centerline of the Westerly end of Ravine Avenue; thence (8) Southeastly along the centerline of Ravine Avenue to a point distant 100 feet Northwestly from, and measured at right angles thereto, the Westerly line of Shady-side Avenue; thence (9) Northeastly, and parallel with the Westerly line of Shady-side Avenue, to the centerline of the New Jersey State Highway Route 35; thence (10) Southeastly, along the centerline of the aforesaid highway, to the centerline of Margarets Creek; thence (11) Northeastly, along the centerline of Margarets Creek, following its various courses, to the Westerly bank of the Raritan Bay; thence (12) Southeastly, along the Westerly bank of the Raritan Bay, to the intersection of the centerline of Seidlers Beach Road prolonged Northeastly, the Westerly Bank of Raritan Bay; thence (13) Southwestly, along the centerline of Seidlers Beach Road, and the prolongation Southwestly of the centerline of Seidlers Beach Road, to a point in the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad; thence (14) Southeastly, along the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad to the place of beginning.

THIRD ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: First Aid Building, Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor.

DISTRICT FOUR:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad with the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County, and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Northeastly, along the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad to a point, said point being the intersection of the prolongation Southwestly of the centerline of Seidlers Beach Road; thence (2) Northeastly, along the prolongation Southwestly of the centerline of Seidlers Beach Road and along the centerline of Seidlers Beach Road to the Westerly shoreline of Raritan Bay; thence (3) Southeastly, following the Westerly shoreline of Raritan Bay to the intersection of the dividing line of Middlesex County and Monmouth County, with the Westerly shoreline of Raritan Bay; thence (4) Southwestly, along the dividing line of Middlesex County and Monmouth County, following its various courses, to the place of beginning.

FOURTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: Wrode's Bar and Grill, Route 35, Cliffwood Beach.

DISTRICT FIVE:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad with the dividing line of the Borough of Sayreville and the Township of Madison (said dividing line also known as the centerline of Cheesequake Creek), and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Northeastly along the aforesaid dividing line, to the Westerly shoreline of the Raritan Bay; thence (2) Southeastly, along the Westerly shoreline of the Raritan Bay, to the centerline of Margarets Creek; thence (3) Southwestly, along the centerline of Margarets Creek, to the centerline of New Jersey State Highway Route 35; thence (4) Northwestly, along the centerline of New Jersey State Highway Route 35 to a point; thence (5) Southwestly, parallel with, and distant 100 feet Northwestly from, and measured at right angles thereto, the Westerly

line of Shady-side Avenue, to a point in the centerline of Ravine Avenue; thence (6) Southwestly, along the centerline of Ravine Avenue, to a point in the Westerly end of Ravine Avenue; thence (7) Southwestly along a line to the Westerly end of Woodland Avenue; thence (8) Southwestly, and at right angles to the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad, to a point in the centerline of the New York and Long Branch Railroad; thence (9) Northwestly, along the centerline of the aforesaid Railroad, to the place of beginning.

FIFTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: First Aid Building, Laurence Parkway, Laurence Harbor.

DISTRICT SIX:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the Old Bridge-Englishtown Road, Marlboro Road, and New Jersey State Highway (Temporary) Route 18 (also known as the Old Bridge-Matawan Road) and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Southeastly, along the centerline of Marlboro Road, to the centerline of Hillsboro Road; thence (2) Southeastly, along the centerline of Hillsboro Road, to the dividing line between Monmouth County and Middlesex County; thence (3) southwestly along the aforesaid dividing line, to the centerline of the Matchaponix Brook; thence (4) Northeastly, along the centerline of the Matchaponix Brook, said centerline being the dividing line between Monroe Township and Madison Township, to the centerline of the Old Bridge-Englishtown Road; thence (5) Northeastly along the centerline of the Old Bridge-Englishtown Road, to the place of beginning.

SIXTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: South Old Bridge Fire House, Englishtown Road.

DISTRICT SEVEN:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the South Amboy-Bordentown Turnpike with the centerline of Ernest Road, and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Easterly, along the centerline of Ernest Road, to the centerline of New Jersey State Highway Route 9; thence (2) Southeastly, along the centerline of New Jersey State Highway Route 9, to the centerline of the Old Water Works Road; thence (3) Southwestly, along the centerline of the Old Water Works Road, to the centerline of Cheesequake Road; thence (4) Northwestly, along the centerline of Cheesequake Road, to the centerline of the South Amboy-Bordentown Turnpike; thence (5) Northeastly, along the centerline of the South Amboy-Bordentown Turnpike, to the place of beginning.

SEVENTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: Madison Park School, Harvard Road, Madison Park.

DISTRICT EIGHT:

Beginning at the intersection of the centerline of the Old Bridge-Englishtown Road, Marlboro Road, and New Jersey State Highway (Temporary) Route 18 (also known as the Old Bridge-Matawan Road) and from said beginning point running; thence (1) Southeastly, along the centerline of New Jersey State Highway (Temporary) Route 18 (also known as the Old Bridge-Matawan Road), to the centerline of Deep Run; thence (2) Southeastly, along the centerline of Deep Run, to the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County; thence (3) Southwestly, along the aforesaid dividing line, to the centerline of the Hillsboro Road; thence (4) Northwestly, along the centerline of Hillsboro Road, to the centerline of Marlboro Road; thence (5) Northwestly, along the centerline of Marlboro Road, to the place of beginning.

EIGHTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: Old Bridge First Aid and Rescue Squad of Madison Township, Inc., Marlboro Road, Old Bridge.

DISTRICT NINE:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the centerline of Temporary Route 18 and the centerline of Route 9 and running thence; (1) Southerly along the centerline of Route 9 to the centerline of a stream flowing into the South River known as Deep Run; thence (2) Westerly along the center line of Deep Run to the south Westerly corner of lands of Herbert and Anna Gaub; thence (3) Northerly along the Westerly line of the aforesaid Gaub tract, said line also being the Easterly boundary of Sayre Woods South section 2, to the centerline of Throckmorton Lane; thence (4) Westerly along the centerline of Throckmorton Lane to a point formed by the intersection of the centerline of Throckmorton Lane with the center line of Gaub Road; thence (5) Northerly along the centerline of Gaub Road to a point in the centerline of Temporary Route 18; thence (6) Easterly along the centerline of Temporary Route 18 to the point and place of beginning.

NINTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: School No. 18, Sayrewoods South.

DISTRICT TEN:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the centerline of Temporary Route 18 with the centerline of Gaub Road and running thence; (1) Southerly along the center line of Gaub Road to a point in the center line of Throckmorton Lane; thence (2) Easterly along the center line of Throckmorton Lane to a point formed by the intersection of the centerline of Throckmorton Lane with the extension of the Westerly line of lands of Herbert and Anna Gaub; thence (3) Southerly along the line of Gaub, said line also being the Easterly boundary of Sayre Woods South section 2, to a point in the centerline of a stream flowing into the South River known as Deep Run; thence (4) Westerly along the centerline of Deep Run to a point in the centerline of Temporary Route 18; thence (5) Easterly along the center line of Temporary Route 18 to the point and place of beginning.

TENTH ELECTION DISTRICT Polling Place: School No. 19, Sayrewoods South.

DISTRICT ELEVEN:

Beginning at a point of intersection of the centerline of N.J.S.H.D. Route 34 with the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County and running thence; (1) Northerly along the center line of N.J.S.H.D. Route 34 to its point of intersection with N.J.S.H.D. Route 9; thence (2)

Northerly along the center line of N.J.S.H.D. Route 9 to its point of intersection with Ernest Road; thence (3) Southerly along the dividing line between Madison Township and the Boro of Sayreville to Cheesequake Creek; thence (4) Southerly along the center line of Cheesequake Creek to a point set at right angles with Laurence Harbor - Morristown Road distant Southerly 200 ft. more or less from the center line of Meeker Avenue; thence (5) Easterly along said line to a point in the center line of Laurence Harbor - Morristown Road said point being distant Southerly 200 ft. more or less from the center line of Meeker Avenue; (6) Southwestly along the center line of Laurence Harbor - Morristown Road to the dividing line between Middlesex County and Monmouth County; thence (7) Southerly along said dividing line to the point and place of beginning.

ELEVENTH VOTING DISTRICT: Polling Place: Cheesequake Fire House, Highway #34, Cheesequake.

MARY M. BROWN
Township Clerk

dated Feb. 7-14

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE LIMITING AND PROHIBITING PARKING ON CERTAIN DESIGNATED AREAS OF CERTAIN STREETS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MADISON".

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MADISON, COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AS FOLLOWS:

1. In the interpretation of this ordinance, the following words and phrases, unless the context shows another sense to be intended, shall be held to have the meanings hereinafter stated:

(a) Parking is defined as the standing or waiting on any street, road or highway of any vehicle not actually engaged in the receiving or discharging of passengers or merchandise; provided, however, that this shall not include vehicles standing in obedience to traffic regulations or traffic signs or signals.

(b) Vehicle shall mean any device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported upon a street road or highway, except a device which is operated upon rails or tracks.

2. It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle in or upon the following areas of U.S. Highway Route 9 for a distance of 1225' south of the Ernest Road intersection along the westerly side of U.S. Route 9, and for a distance of 1577 feet north from the entrance to the Villa Nova Restaurant along the easterly side of U.S. Route 9.

3. It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle upon the following area of Old Matawan Road and New Highway #18 for a distance of 800' along the southerly side of the interchange of said roads beginning at the intersection of Sunset Avenue and extending to the Willis School entrance.

4. Appropriate signs showing "No Parking Any Time", rectangular in shape with long dimension vertical with white background, red letters and border, will be erected at the first and last point where parking is prohibited at intervals no greater than 250 feet.

5. It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle on the northerly side of the interchange of Old Matawan Road and New Highway #18, for a distance of 800' feet along the northerly side of the interchange of said roads beginning at the intersection of Sunset Avenue and extending to the Willis School entrance.

6. Appropriate signs reading One Hour Parking, rectangular in shape with long dimension vertical, with white background, red letters and border will be erected at the first and last point where parking is limited to one hour duration at intervals not greater than 250'.

7. Every person who violates or fails to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by paying a fine not to exceed \$50.00, or by imprisonment not to exceed 15 days or by such fine or imprisonment, in the discretion of the magistrate.

8. All ordinances or sections of ordinances, amendments thereof or supplements thereto, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

9. This ordinance shall take effect immediately after final passage and publication according to law.

The above ordinance was duly passed on first reading at a meeting of the Township Committee held at the municipal building on Route 9, R.D.#1, Old Bridge on Monday, February 4, 1963.

The ordinance will be heard for second and final reading at a meeting of the township committee to be held on Monday, February 18th, 1963 at 7:30 P.M. at the Municipal Building, Route 9, R.D.#1 Old Bridge. Objections against passage of said ordinance will be heard at that time.

By order of the Township Committee.
MARY M. BROWN
Clerk
Township of Madison

PUBLIC NOTICE

Take notice that bids will be received by the Township Committee of the Township of Madison at a regular meeting of the Township Committee to be held on Feb. 18, 1963, at 7:30 P.M. or as soon thereafter as possible at the New Town Hall, Highway 9, Old Bridge, New Jersey, for the following purposes: Either, to furnish, repair, replace or maintain in first class condition, including replacement of tires, servicing of cars, and loan of a car when rental is being serviced, on a contract basis, payable monthly and expiring January 31, 1964, with a provision to lease from month to month for at least three additional months in 1964 five (5) 1963 cars and one (1) Station Wagon under the same terms and conditions of this bid. . . 5-1963 cars and 1 1963 Station Wagon, 8-cylinder, 4-door sedans, to be rented for police

work, cars to be equipped as follows:
AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION
HEAVY DUTY 50 AMP GENERATOR
HEAVY DUTY SEATS
HEAVY DUTY SPRINGS
HEAVY DUTY SHOCK ABSORBERS
LARGE HEATERS WITH TEMPERATURE CONTROL DEFROSTERS
LEATHERETTE SEAT COVERS
15" WHEELS 7:10 x 15, TIRES AND TUBES
2 ARM RESTS
2 SUN VISORS
HORN RING
SNOW TIRES TO BE SUPPLIED FOR WINTER USE
BACK UP LIGHTS
LIGHT UNDER HOOD
CIGARETTE LIGHTERS
NO HANDLES ON INSIDE OF REAR DOORS
SEPARATE OUTSIDE SPOT LIGHT
2 SEPARATE OUTSIDE REAR VIEW MIRRORS
ELECTRIC WINDSHIELD WIPERS
DELUXE STEERING WHEEL
HEAVY DUTY ROLLER BEARINGS IN FRONT WHEELS AND REAR AXLES,
HEAVY DUTY BATTERY
HEAVY DUTY FAN
HEAVY DUTY RADIATOR
INSIDE TRUNK LIGHT
INSIDE TRUNK RELEASE
MINIMUM 265 H.P. ENGINES

or; in the alternative to sell to the Township of Madison five (5) 1963 cars and one (1) Station Wagon, 4-door sedans for police work with the foregoing equipment (except at least 265 h.p. engines) and provided in the case of such sale delivery shall be made on or before March 31, 1963. In the case of Rental Bids, Bidder must specify what arrangements will be made on replacement of tires, servicing of cars and loan of car when rental car is being serviced.

The Township Committee of Madison Township, Middlesex County, N. J. reserves the right to waive any information in or to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Township Committee,
MARY M. BROWN
Clerk
Madison Township, N. J.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals are invited and will be received by the Township Committee of the Township of Madison, Middlesex County, New Jersey at a regular meeting to be held at the Municipal Building on Route #9 in the Township of Madison on Monday, Feb. 18, 1963 at 8 P.M. Eastern Standard Time.

Specifications for the proposed work prepared by the Engineer have been filed in the office of the Township Clerk and may be inspected there during business hours.

Bids must be on the standard proposal form, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Engineer at 107 Main Street, Sayreville, New Jersey, and must be in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of the bidder and addressed to the Township Committee of the Township of Madison, New Jersey and must be accompanied by a certified check for a sum not less than ten (10) percent of the bid payable to Irving Colacci Township Treasurer.

The Township Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, if it be in the best interests of the Township to do so.

Bids will be accepted on any or all of the listed items. Bidders shall bid on all quantities under each listed item. The Township Committee reserves the right to decide the broken stone award among two or more quarries, if said division is deemed to be in the best interest of the Township.

All materials shall conform to current specifications of the New Jersey State Highway Department.

All quantities as listed are approximate and the Township Committee reserves the right to increase, decrease, or omit any item or items as may be deemed in the best interest of the Township.

Specifications may be obtained from the Engineer upon the payment of a non-refundable fee of two dollars, said fee to cover the cost of printing.

Item A. The furnishing to Township trucks F.O.B. Quarry the following grades of broken stone:

1. 200 Tons 1 1/2" stone
2. 100 Tons 3/4" stone
3. 100 Tons 5/8" stone
4. 100 Tons 3/8" stone
5. 100 Tons Grade A Screenings
6. 500 Tons Road Stone

Item B. The furnishing at pit or plant to Township trucks the following:

1. 500 Tons Road Gravel, Grade B
- Item C. The furnishing at plant to Township trucks the following:

1. 500 Tons Bituminous Concrete Patch Material
- Item D. The furnishing and delivery, by approved distributor, to various locations in the Township the following Bituminous Materials:

1. 100,000 Gals. Asphalt Oil Grade MCO-1-2-3 (F.D.A.)
2. 100,000 Gals. Asphalt Oil Grade RCO-1-2-3 (F.D.A.)
- Item E. The furnishing, delivery, applying, and rolling by approved methods to various locations in the Township the following Bituminous Materials:

1. 500 Tons Bituminous Concrete, F.A.B.C., 1 1/2" thick
2. 500 Tons Bituminous Concrete, F.A.B.C., 2" thick
- Item A-1. The furnishing, delivery and spreading by approved methods to any location within the Township, the following materials:

1. 200 tons 1 1/2" stone
2. 100 tons 3/4" stone
3. 100 tons 5/8" stone
4. 100 tons 3/8" stone
5. 100 tons Grade A Screenings
6. 500 tons Road Stone

Item B-1. The furnishing, delivery and spreading by approved methods to any location within the Township, the following materials:

1. 500 tons Grade B Road Gravel

BY ORDER of Township Committee
MARY M. BROWN Madison Township, N. J.

Voice From The West

By Side-Saddle Sam

He moved out from the city
Where Education was the best.
He came to Madison Township
And settled in Sayre Woods West.

Friends and relations from far and near
Had sympathy for this pioneer.
He wasn't the kind who looked for trouble.
How could he know that sessions would double?

Reeling from water and sewer bill punches
Next thing he heard, they cut out school lunches.
He kicked himself for being a fool
Who moved to a town with a two-room school.

Good Education is not debatable.
Without it this town will get no ratable.
Industry asks before it bids,
"Do your schools have room for our kids?"

Our friend from the West was filled with pity.
Decided to sell and return to the city.
After three brokers, he was overcome
To find that the buyers, weren't as dumb.

Letters

Herb Gordon
The Madison American
Box 231
Laurence Harbor, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Gordon:

I have just read your column in the January 17, 1963 edition of the Madison American.

I happened to be in O'Hara's dining with my family the night that the "Peewees" had their dinner. My husband and I who are members of the Junior Order United American Mechanics and the Daughters of America, respectively, noted with surprise and disappointment that 2 or 3 Confederate flags were in position behind the main table and pushed in a corner was "old faithful" - the American flag. It seems to me that in this day and age when patriotism and pride in our heritage is so important that those in whom so many young and bright minds are entrusted might try to instill our country's ideals in their hearts if only by placing the American flag in its rightful place of honor. This to me is more important than hooded sweatshirts and letters.

Sincerely,
Marlene Barton
(Mrs. Seth Barton)
South Amboy, N.J.

Meeting Set

It was announced that a meeting of the 4-H Browntown Sodhoppers will be held on Monday evening, February 11, at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gaub on Route 516, Browntown.

It is requested that all members be present as important business will be discussed.



MICHAEL A.

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States "10-20" Years To Complete Tax Map

Gary Murtha, a resident of Sayre Woods South, asked the Sixty Four Dollar question at the meeting of the Madison Town

ship Committee. He asked Town ship Engineer Fred Kurtz how long it would take for the municipality to complete the tax map.

"It will take 10 to 20 years to complete the tax map," answered the engineer, much to the amazement of the questioner.

Kurtz said that there are many complexities involved in a large project like a tax map. The engineering firm under contract to our town for the completion of the map, Lennox Associates of Springfield, has many intricate problems to contend with in work of this nature.

Kurtz cited an example. He said that a man from West Virginia owns land in Old Bridge. Investigations shows that the parcel has been subdivided many times and that the cost for the property search alone cost \$7,000 to \$8,000.

The engineer said that there were over 7,000 lots which are questionable. He said that prior to the end of World War II, property owners never had to file for subdivisions. "Discrepancies will be popping up for years to come," Kurtz stated.

Murtha asked, "Isn't it costing the town money not to have the map finished?" Kurtz replied that it did cost money because

many people are not being taxed because the township does not know who owns the land, and in many cases the people themselves don't know who owns the lands.

The township committee, on a motion by Mayor John Keating, voted to apply for a \$50,000 grant under the federal government's Accelerated Public Works Program to finance the planning and construction of town hall addition and an additional building to the road department facilities in Browntown.

According to the terms of the Washington program, the township must match a federal grant. In this case the total amount of the local improvements would amount to \$100,000. Keating said that the township already has its half of the money to match the federal aid.

When asked in the public portion of the meeting about the Electric City project, Keating assured the questioner that no approvals had been given to build in Madison Township.

Keating announced that the meeting between the Committee for Fair Water Rates and the Municipal Utilities Authority will be held on February 27.

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Rehearsal Set

Henry Muller, assistant director of Streetcar Named Desire, took issue with reports that there is some controversy over the subject matter of the play. Mr. Muller felt that it is insulting to the residents of Madison Township to infer that they are not ready for an adult theme in a drama. "If you want to find vulgarity or obscenity in a work of art, you frequently can, but any sensitive person will only enjoy the emotional uplift of the artists' message."

The Theater 60 production of Tennessee Williams' play will be presented March 29 and 30 at the Madison Township High School. Tickets, at one dollar each, are now available from members of Community Theater Players, Sayrewoods Jewelers, The Browntown Sweet Shop, and May Cleaners.

Two new members of the cast have been announced by Ray Kiem, director of "Streetcar." Al Gaztambide and Peter Halikas have been added to the cast. Mr. Kiem also invited anyone who is interested in working on the production to attend the next rehearsal Sunday at 8:00 P.M. in the Old Bridge American Legion Hall.

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The Ladies Auxiliary of the Laurence Harbor First Aid and Safety Squad held their annual installation of new officers at a meeting at the squad headquarters.

Installed were Mrs. Shirley Therien, President; Mrs. Angeline Perise, 1st Vice President; Mrs. Jean Therien, 2nd Vice President; Mrs. Janet Sonnabend, Treasurer; Mrs. Mary Ann Therien, Secretary; Mrs. Joyce Osborne, Chaplain; Mrs. Maureen Paxton, Sgt. At Arms and Mrs. Joanne Karanicola, Chairman Sick and Shut in Committee.



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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM SMITH of 686 Grove Avenue, Laurence Harbor they will celebrate their Silver (25th) Wedding Anniversary on Sunday. . . Birthday Wishes to CINDY CARROLL of 177 Norwood Avenue, Laurence Harbor she celebrated her first birthday on Friday. . . Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH LUGO of 13 Stoneybrook Drive, Old Bridge are proud new grandparents. . . their son DAVID and his wife presented them with a spanking new daughter. . . LORI LYNN. . . Happy Birthday to JAMES E. WHITE of 22 Princeton Road, Madison Park he will celebrate his birthday on Monday along with Edison. . . Best Wishes to Mrs. MARGARET GARRABRANT of Seaview Avenue, Laurence Harbor she will celebrate her birthday next Thursday on Valentines Day. . . so does Miss GAIL BRYNE of Old Bridge. . . Don't forget the Date is February 14 all you husbands. . . Birthday Wishes to JOHNNY DECKER of 8 Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge he celebrates his 6th birthday this week. . . RICHARD CRESSMAN the Texas oilman (he works for Texaco) of Highway 9 Cheesequake is a patient at St. Peters Hospital. . . get well soon RICHARD. . . Mr. and Mrs. JOHN O'BRIEN and daughter SUSIE are new residents of 24 Clemson Road, Madison Park. . . Birthday Wishes to WAYNE "BUTCHIE" FREDERICKS of 20 Brandeis Road, Madison Park he will celebrate his birthday on Friday. . . Miss SUZANNE BENDER of Laurence Harbor became the bride of Patrolman JERRY PALUMBO of Summerfield Avenue, Laurence Harbor in St. Lawrence's Roman Catholic Church, they are

honeymooning in Florida and upon their return will reside in the Harbor area. . . Birthday Wishes to TERRANCE ANTHONY GLEASON of 46 Washington Avenue, Central Park he will celebrate his 5th birthday on Tuesday. . . his father EDWARD will celebrate his birthday on Friday of next week. . . Best Wishes to BOBBY DEFOE of 59 Fourth Street, Old Bridge he will celebrate his 10th birthday on Saturday. . . STEPHEN and LILIAN BRUST of Disbrow Road, Cheesequake were honored guests and crowned King and Queen of 1963 at the HARUGARI CLUB, Allentown, N. J. over 200 persons attended the affair. . . Mr. and Mrs. HENRY DELBASCO of Morristown Road, Cheesequake and Mr. and Mrs. STEVE WICHOWSKI of East Brunswick were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. BRUST. . . LILIAN received a beautiful Rhinestone Crown and a bouquet of yellow carnations. . . STEVE and LILIAN both received yellow King and Queen Ribbons. . . DAVID WATSON of Forest Avenue, Laurence Harbor is back behind his desk at the Office of Tax Collector. . . DAVE has his right "Wing in a Sling". . . ever hear of a guy that everything happens to me. . . That's poor old Dave. . . he was hospitalized last year too. . . BOB KELLET of Clemson Road, Madison Park has returned home from the hospital. . . Mrs. MILDRED HOWE of Cottrells Road, Cheesequake is a patient at St. Peters Hospital. . . Birthday Wishes to TOMMY POGIRNICKI of 3 Yale Road, Madison Park, he will celebrate his birthday on Monday. . . Happy Birthday to BARBARA DESENO of Central Park

she will celebrate her birthday on Monday. . . Best Wishes to HAROLD DENNY of 4 Summerfield Avenue, Laurence Harbor, he will be three years old on Sunday. . . Miss LORI FREDRICH of 9 Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge is bedded down with the measles. . . THERE'S A WHOLE LOT OF VIRUS GOING ROUND quite a few Madisonians are suffering with the virus. . . take care. . . Mrs. JESSIE BUNTING of Columbia Road, Madison Park is recuperating at home with a broken wrist. . . Best Wishes to EILEEN RYAN of 18 Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge she will celebrate her 15th birthday on Saturday. . . Best Wishes to Mr. RAY CARROLL of Norwood Avenue, Laurence Harbor he celebrates his birthday on Sunday

. . . Happy Birthday to RICHARD MIGNONE of 103 Southwood Drive, Old Bridge he will be 16 on Tuesday. . . Mrs. GEORGE HANSON of Anchor Blvd., Cheesequake will be entering the hospital this week. . . Mr. JAKE LOESCH celebrated his 88th birthday on Sunday at the home of his granddaughter Mrs. John Low of Disbrow Road, Cheesequake. . . Mr. LOESCH is one of the original founders of the Cheesequake Volunteer Fire Company and one of the old timers in the area he operated a farm for many, many years. . . Friends and relatives dropped in to give their regards among them were his seven grandchildren and nine great grand children. . . everything was "JAKE" with JAKE. . . Some of the children to make their confirmation today at St. Lawrence RC Church are. . . FREDRICK KENGETTER, DENNIS HENDA, LAURENCE CASEY, JOSEPH HOFF, MATHEW WILKES, RONALD HOFFMAN, PATRICIA SPELLMAN, MARILYN DECKER, KATHLEEN CARROLL, MARY KOHLOFF, PATRICIA HAGEMAN, THERESA RATHBUN, EARL RUTAN, MAURICE NADEAU. . . Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. STANLEY PEER of 110 Blvd. West Knollcroft they celebrate their 34 Wedding Anniversary Friday. . . Happy Birthday to BOBBY THOMPSON of 82 Furman Blvd, Cliffwood Beach he will be 12 on Monday. . . News for the Family Circle Write Mrs. IRENE WHITE, 22 Princeton Road, Parlin, BIRTHDAY--- WEDDING ANNIVERSARY--- BUSINESS TRIP --- VACATION --- VISITORS or VISITING. . . IT'S ALL NEWS FOR THE FAMILY CIRCLE.

De Lisa Heads Old Bridge Ambulance

Eugene DeLisa has been elected president of the Old Bridge Ambulance and Emergency Squad for his third consecutive term. Other officers installed were Robert Davis, vice president; Edward Dowling, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ethel Callari, treasurer; and Richard Oasen, recording secretary for the third year.

The new line officers are Marsdon Reese, captain; James Callari, assistant captain; Dowling, first lieutenant; Stanley Pietrowitz, second lieutenant; Thomas Desrosiers, chief driver; and James Platt, sergeant-at-arms.

Oasen and DeLisa were named as delegates to the New Jersey First Aid Council. Alternates are Desrosiers, Dowling, and Pietro-

witz. Callari, was named a trustee for one year; Ann Raupp for two years; and Edward West for a three year term.

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