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## HOME OWNERS BEWARE!

# Strange Case of THE EVENING NEWS

If recent stories about land title in Madison Township appearing in the January 6th and January 7th publications of The Evening News were intended to spread confusion in the ranks of the residents of Madison Township, then the articles were highly successful.

If the stories were aimed to boost circulation of the Evening News, then they were probably successful.

We wonder if this was the prime purpose of the stories?

We wonder if the Evening News is trying to raise their circulation?

The Evening News, formerly known as the Perth Amboy Evening News has been in business in Perth Amboy for over a score of years. The newspaper primarily served the Perth Amboy area.

With the continued growth of Madison Township and surrounding areas the Perth Amboy Evening News became The Evening News.

Very little attention was paid to the ills and woes of Madison Township in the 1940's. There weren't that many people living in Madison Township to give a "tinkersdam about". With the growth of Our Town the Evening News launched out in the area.

We wonder just what the Evening News is trying to prove?

We wonder what the Evening News has against Our Town?

We would be quick to praise the Evening News if they had obtained a gigantic industry for Our Town.

We wonder if the Evening News is trying to "murder" Our Town?

At a time in our history when elected offi-

cialists need cooperation and aid from every source because of the transition from one form of government to another, the Evening News released this story.

The Madison American is only a small weekly newspaper as compared to the Evening News. We have a definite interest in the growth of Madison Township, we live here, we like it here. Certainly there are problems in Madison Township and there are growing pains, these are OUR problems and the residents of Madison Township will work them out.

We wonder what the interest of the Evening News is in Madison Township?

The articles that have appeared in the Evening News are utterly ridiculous. They imply that perhaps hundreds of residents of Our Town will have to vacate their homes from property because it might not belong to them because of faulty titles.

This is crazy!

The Madison American is only a little weekly newspaper, serving only the residents of Our Town, but we will challenge this "big giant". We will challenge the Evening News.

WE MAKE THIS OFFER.

For every home that the Evening News can produce in Madison Township with a defective or faulty deed the Madison American will pay the sum of \$10,000 for each such defect payable to their favorite charity. However, for every home in Madison Township where there is no defect or faulty title, the Evening News will pay \$10,000 to the favorite charity of the Madison American.

The MADISON AMERICAN  
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TO THE CHARITY DESIGNATED BY THE EVENING NEWS FOR EVERY HOME FOUND WITH AN IMPROPER OR DEFECTIVE TITLE IN MADISON TOWNSHIP.

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JAMES E. WHITE  
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**Exclusive**

After receiving several telephone calls regarding possible defective land titles in Madison Township, The Madison American after a few hours of searching various official and unofficial records which might throw some light on the subject came up with a very interesting story. The most interesting information was obtained from a "little old lady" in the Cheesequake area, who's been around for a long, long time. According to this little old lady, who requested that her name not be used, and out of respect for little old ladies we won't use her name.

Anyhow, according to this little old lady, she quickly recalls that her great-great grandfather, used to tell her great grandfather about Howard Von der Cheese.

Von der Cheese was a Dutch sailor who accidentally fell over the side of his ship, while he was swabbing the deck in the year 1628. The sailor after swimming in the water of Raritan Bay for hours came to land at what is now known as Steamboat Landing on Dock Road. The Dutch sailor, Von der Cheese or some pronounce the name Van der Cheese was greeted by an Indian maiden by the name of Equake. It was love at first sight and the pair decided to get married. Chief Equake of the Stomachacke tribe, the wise and foxy one asked the Dutch sailor what he wanted.

Von der Cheese or Van der Cheese said he wanted to farm the rich and fertile soil and raise a lot of little Von der Cheese's. Chief Equake then sold the entire surrounding land holdings of his tribe to Von der Cheese for the sum of 64¢, a subway token, three baseball cards and Get Out of Jail card from a Monopoly set. Von der Cheese and the Indian Maiden Equake were married in Indian fashion. According to the story told by the little old lady, that is where the name Cheesequake was derived from.

She remembers that the deed was written on the back of a white-calf with huckleberry juice. Being a tricky and cunning Indian it is quite possible that the land deeded to Van der Cheese or Von der Cheese reverted back to Chief Equake. If this is the case then it is quite possible that hundreds of homes and buildings constructed on land in the Cheesequake area might be in doubt. After paying taxes on the property for years and years the homeowners might sometime find out that the land belongs to Chief Equake.

The actual whereabouts of Von der Cheese is not known but one rumor widely circulated is that he now resides in California where he operated a hamburger joint. His slogan is You've never had a cheeseburger until you've had one made by Von der Cheese.

Many long time residents of the Cheesequake area search the woods at night for the white-calf with the deed to the area written in huckleberry juice.

This story is no more ridiculous than some stories on land titles appearing in other newspapers.

**Under-The-Fence**

**HAPPINESS:** It happened in the Harbor. Happiness is big and little things. Happiness is like getting a laundry cart from your husband so he doesn't have to take the clothes to the laundry. Happiness is like putting the damn thing together after your husband lost the instruction sheet. Happiness is like watching the laundry cart while you're doing the laundry so that no one will steal the laundry cart. Happiness is like you got the laundry home nice and clean after dodging all the mud holes in the roads in the Harbor. Yes, happiness is big and little things.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT:** Out-gunned. Pity Patrolman "Cliff" Jaeger of the Madison Township Police Department. It appears that Patrolman Jaeger now has two bosses. Jaeger was assigned

**Begins Reserve Naval Training**

**GREAT LAKES, ILL. (FHTNC)**—Richard D. Nolan, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Nolan of 430 Ocean Blvd., Cliffwood Beach, N. J., recently began his two weeks active Naval Reserve training duty as a Seaman Recruit at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Naval Reservists receive training in such subjects as naval history and organization, customs and courtesies, gunnery, seamanship, first aid, swimming, shipboard drills and sentry duty.

After completing this active duty training Jan. 4, he will return home where he will rejoin his local unit.

**Completes Combat Training in Japan**

**CAMP FUJI, JAPAN (FHTNC)**—Marine Lance Corporal Thomas E. Gnizdowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gnizdowski of Laurence Harbor, N. J., recently completed four weeks of combat training at Camp Fuji, Japan.

The training commenced with squad size tactics and was terminated with a battalion field exercise.

He is currently serving with the Okinawa-based Third Marine Division, the Seventh Fleet's amphibious force in the Far East.

**Begins Naval Training With Navy Reserve**

**GREAT LAKES, ILL. (FHTNC)**—Guy W. Hart, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. George G. Hart of 1210 South Concourse, Cliffwood Beach, N. J., recently began his two weeks active Naval Reserve training duty as a Seaman Recruit at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

**Completes Navy Basic**

**GREAT LAKES, ILL. (FHTNC)**—James A. Christison, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Christison of 73 Princeton rd., Parlin, N. J., completed basic training recently at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

The nine-week training includes naval orientation, history and organization, seamanship, ordnance and gunnery, military drill, first aid and survival.

During the training recruits receive tests and interviews which determine their future assignments in the Navy. Upon completing the program they are assigned to service schools for technical training or to ships and stations for on-the-job training in a Navy rating specialty.

Naval training produces the power in seapower by supplying qualified personnel to man the ships, planes, and shore stations of today's Navy.

to assist Captain Wallis of the Bureau of Traffic and Safety. From the reports it appears that Jaeger does most of the work, cause the Captain's report often reads "See Patrolman Jaeger's report for details". Now it appears that Lt. Rodger Blair is also assigned to the Bureau of Traffic and Safety. The department also has charge of assignment of School Crossing Guards. We'll admit that we have a lot of school crossing guards but the total salaries of the three police officers amounts to something like \$20,000. The superintendent of schools in Madison is receiving something like \$17,000 and we believe has a little more responsibility. Now all we have to get in the Bureau of Traffic and Safety is a civilian something like New York City Traffic Coordinator Barnes and then we can all "dance".

**TAKE FIVE**  
**REV. JAMES SILVER**

Pastor Laurence Harbor Community Church

I received the following "Recipe for Life" in the mail sometime ago. I don't know who sent it or who the author might be, but I want to express my thanks to them. It sounds like a truly satisfying dish.

1 cup of good thoughts  
1 cup of kind deeds  
1 cup of consideration for others  
2 cups of sacrifice for others  
3 cups of forgiveness  
2 cups of well beaten faults  
Mix these thoroughly and add - tears of joy and sorrow and sympathy for others. Flavor with little gifts of love and kindly service. Fold in 4 cups of prayer and faith to lighten other ingredients and raise the texture to great heights of Christian living. After pouring all this into your daily life, bake well with the heart of humankindness. Serve with a smile.

Prayer: O Father in Heaven, help our life on earth to be filled with the love and goodness of Jesus Christ. May we not leave out any of the ingredients necessary to make our life acceptable to the Savior. Amen.

**FEUDING AND FUSSING:** Quite a bit of feuding and fussin going on in the township. Many claim that the promotions of the police officers at the New Years Day meeting were illegal. Some claim that under the Falkner Act, appointments and promotions must be made by a Business Manager. They claim that since Joseph Leo was appointed Acting Business Manager the appointments and promotions are illegal because the "act" doesn't make any provision for an Acting Business Manager. So it might just be possible that the only "real" official in the entire township is Mary M. Brown, the Township Clerk. We don't think there will be a dull moment for some time.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION:** Look for a combination of candidates to run for the Madison Township Board of Education. The main reason for such a ticket would be to present a United Front and also to help split up the cost of a Board of Education campaign, which can prove to be expensive. We understand that the Board of Education will seek to take \$250,000 surplus funds and use it for school construction. We wonder where they build up such tremendous surplus funds. Each year we hear the same story, this is not a loaded school budget, every item has been pared to the bone. We guess Richard Pine, a former Board of Education member was right when he voted against the school budget last year. Pine claimed that some of the accounts were "loaded". Wonder where they came up with a quarter of a million dollars surplus. How much surplus money do you have after paying out all amounts each week?

**DOWN BUT NOT OUT:** The Democratic Party may have lost the November election but don't count them out of the box. We understand that they have more candidates seeking the primary nomination for the unexpired term as the result of Gavlin's resignation, than they received votes in the November election. Many of the Democratic Workers have finally realized that they lost the election and have now decided to re-unite. The slogan of the Democratic Party seems to be passed around the town as "Stay Alive For 65".

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
of  
**BUDGET HEARING**

To all interested taxpayers  
of Fire District #1 Madison  
Township Laurence Harbor  
Middlesex County N.J.

A special meeting will be  
held in the Fire House on  
Laurence Parkway in Laurence  
Harbor Tuesday January 14,  
1964 at 7:30 P.M. to discuss  
the merits of the proposed  
1964-1965 Fire District Budget.

**Robert J. Martin**  
Clerk of the Board

# Home Owners Have Complete Title Protection

Robert V. Sharkey, vice president of the Merritt Building Corp. today assured the residents of the Central Park area that they were in no jeopardy of losing their homes because of defective titles, in a statement he said:

"In fairness to the homeowners of Central Park and the Upper

Central Park Developments in Madison Township and to the builders of these developments. The following facts should be as widely publicized as the erroneous information which appeared in the Evening News of January 6th and January 7th, 1964.

The facts are #1 Prior to constructing any homes in Central Park or Upper Central Park we paid for and obtained a fee title policy from a reputable and substantial title company, insuring the title to these lands.

#2 - Every purchaser in these developments was advised of and

encouraged by the closing attorney to purchase a fee title policy when they took title to their individual properties. In the Upper Central Park Development (Anchor Park) to which specific reference is made in the Evening News of January 7th, 1964 every purchaser did

in fact purchase a fee title policy.

#3 - Purchasers in Central Park or Upper Central Park have absolutely no reason to be concerned about the title of their properties, they have had and continue to have complete protection.



Officers and directors were named recently at a meeting of Madison Township Kiwanis Club. (left to right) Ira Tilton, Freehold Kiwanis (Sponsor), the Rev. Charles E. Wolling, Robert Cotton, Walter Hatton, William A. Collinson, Clark T.

Donlin, Treasurer, William Griffiths, (Seated) William Fritz, vice president, Kenneth V. Smida, President, Harry Gross, Freehold Kiwanis (Sponsor), and William Rice, Secretary.

## Garland Hits At Screening Committee

James B. Garland of Central Park, a candidate for a 3 year term on the Madison Township Board of Education today accused the Better Education Committee of deceiving the people of Madison Township in the announcement of their endorsement of 4 candidates for the Board of Education.

"The announcement of their endorsement", Garland stated, "mentioned a screening committee and gave the impression that all candidates were screened." "This is a bold faced deception" Garland stated, "as the only candidates who might have been screened were the four who were endorsed. The other six candidates in the race were not even given the courtesy of an invitation to be screened."

### Seek New Members

President Howard Sonnabend announced that the Laurence Harbor First Aid and Safety Squad now has openings for new members. Additional first aid members are needed by the squad especially persons that are on steady night shift or shift workers.

Following appointment to the squad, members will be taught the various methods of first aid and will receive Red Cross First Aid Training upon completion they will be issued First Aid Cards. Instructions are given by qualified instructors.

"Furthermore", Garland continued, "the four endorsed candidates are all members of the Better Education Committee. Messrs Untersee and Petersen served on the Screening Committee last year, Mr. Steinhart was one of the founders of the Committee and Mr. Booth is also a member."

"I do not question the right of any Organization to endorse its own members", Garland stated, "but I do object to this Organization giving the impression that the endorsements were impartial and based on qualifications determined by a screening."

"Five members of the Better Education Committee now serve on the Board of Education." "This year they are trying for six and absolute control." "Independent thinking by these members of the Board is non-existent; they are like puppets on a string." "I call on the four endorsed candidates to renounce their ties with this Committee and begin to think for themselves and work for the people of Madison Township and not for their own selfish interests" Garland concluded.

## Readings Set

Additional readings for "Picnic", the new production which will be staged by the Community Theatre Players of Madison Township, will be held on Sunday (Jan. 12) at 8:30 p.m., in the Old Bridge American Legion Hall. The Pulitzer Prize winning show which is being directed by Phyllis Elfenbein, is scheduled for an opening at the Madison Township High School auditorium in April.

## Award Prizes For Christmas Displays

The Woman's Club of Laurence Harbor presented three cash awards to residents of Laurence Harbor and Cliffwood Beach for the most attractive outdoor Christmas displays.

The first award went to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Krebe, 15 Boulevard E., Cliffwood Beach, for the life size nativity scene made of masonite which was erected on the lawn. In the background the windows were painted with scenes of the city of Bethlehem.

The second award went to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clement, 19 Woodshore E. Cliffwood Beach. The house was outlined with twinkling blue lights, and a life

size lighted Santa Claus stood in the doorway.

The third award went to Mrs. Evelyn Moorman, 397 Valley Ave., Laurence Harbor. This display represented the entrance to toy land with large toy soldiers and elves made of masonite, with the house outlined with white twinkling lights.

One of the most beautiful displays in the area was the Lions Club nativity scene at the Laurence Harbor Circle.

The judges were: Mrs. George Makuk, president of The Woman's Club of Laurence Harbor; Mrs. G. A. Percheski Jr., past president of the Rosary and Altar Society of St. Lawrence.

## Seek Authorization For High School

At the School Board election on February 11th, the voters of Madison Township will be asked to authorize the expenditure of \$263,000 of surplus money to

build and equip an eight-room addition to the Madison Township High School. This new two-story annex will be connected to the present two-story wing and will extend out from the front of the building toward Route 516. It will provide eight additional academic classrooms plus the equipment and facilities necessary to service them. The added rooms will increase the student capacity by 240 but more important, they will ease the academic classroom shortage.

High School addition is completely separate from the elementary building program for which a Bond Issue was voted in June, 1963. This High School construction is to be financed from free balances and surplus funds and will require no additional appropriations or expense to the taxpayer.

## Almost Persuaded Pastor's Sermon

Rev. David L. Bucchi, pastor of the Bayview Presbyterian Church announced today that "Almost Persuaded" will be the name of the Pastor's sermon topic at this Sunday's 11:00 a.m. Worship Service. Church School meets at 9:30 a.m.

There will be a special Session Meeting at 12:15 p.m. A Baptism Instruction Class will be held at 2:00 p.m. at the manse. The regular Sunday monthly Trustees' Meeting will be held at 8:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. Junior High Fellowship will meet at 7:00 p.m.

On Sunday night, the Pastor is requesting an "informal conversation" with all high school students (both members and friends of Bayview) to be held at 7:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

There will be a Deacon's Meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room on Monday, December 13th.

According to Kenneth V. Smida, principal of the High School, "The addition of eight classrooms to the High School will enable us to eliminate the scheduling of academic classes in facilities not designed or equipped for academic instruction. We will also be afforded room space for more flexible scheduling of extra-curricular student activities, such as the Year Book and clubs, which are an essential part of the High School program."

Approval by the voters will permit ground to be broken for this annex in the Spring of 1964 with completion sometime during the school year, 1964-65.

It must be emphasized that this

## Meeting Held

The regular monthly meeting of the Laurence Harbor Elementary P.T.A. was held Monday, Jan. 6, at the Memorial School. Mrs. Wm. Laughlin presided at the meeting.

Mr. Earle Potwin introduced the candidates for the Board of Education. Each spoke briefly. They were as follows - Phillip Untersee, Dick Pine, Mrs. Henry Kosabucki, James Garland, Leonard Booth, Ralph Steinhart, Charles Thompson, Robert J. Nixon, Herbert Peterson and Eugene Vroom.

The P.T.A. is sending a letter to the Township Council regarding the hazardous condition on Bayview Dr. in Laurence Harbor.

Mrs. Harold Crowther was named chairman for Bus Transportation (school bus). Anyone interested in helping may contact Mrs. Crowther.

Mrs. Charles Thompson, Chairman for Life Membership, announced she will call a meeting this week.

Mrs. Alexander Kapperer, Program Chairman, announced next month's meeting will be "Founders Day."

Mrs. Frank Kryzdzewski, Ways and Means Chairman, announced there will be a rehearsal for the Minstrel Show Sunday, Jan. 12 at the school. If not enough people show up, the minstrel will be cancelled.

## Special Meeting Set

The Madison Township Planning Board will conduct a special meeting to be held tonight at 8:00 p.m. at the municipal building at the intersection of Route 9 and 34, R.D. #1, Old Bridge, New Jersey.

The announcement of the meeting was made by Mary M. Brown, Secretary of the Planning Board.

## Ten File in Board Race

Ten candidates have filed petitions for four Madison Township Board of Education seats which will be up for grabs in the annual election on February 11.

Eight candidates have filed for the three openings for a three year term and two candidates have filed for the one one year term, according to William Collinson, secretary of the board.

Those filing for the three year terms are present incumbents Mrs. Henry Kosabucki of Cheesecake; Leonard Booth of Central Park; and O. Herbert Petersen of Madison Park. Other candidates are Richard Pine of Cheesecake; James Garland of Central Park; Eugene Vroom of Sayre Woods South; Charles Thompson of Cliffwood Beach and Ralph H. Steinhart of Sayre Woods South.

The two candidates for the one year term are Philip A. Untersee

of Central Park who is the incumbent and Robert J. Nixon of Laurence Harbor.

Six of the ten candidates have served on the Board of Education for varying times. Leading the list of veterans in point of board service are Richard Pine, former president and Mrs. Henry Kosabucki. Both have served six years. Leonard Booth and Charles Thompson have served three years. Herbert Petersen and Phillip Untersee have served less than one year.

Geographically the candidates stack up as follows: Cheesecake, Mrs. Kosabucki and Pine; Central Park, Garland, Booth, Untersee; Sayre Woods South, Vroom and Steinhart; Cliffwood Beach, Thompson; Laurence Harbor, Nixon; Madison Park, Petersen.

## Heads Local PBA 127



Patrolman Kenneth Berry of Old Bridge is sworn in as President of the Madison Township P.B.A. #127. Administering the oath of office to the newly elected president is Patrolman Valentine Arcuri, Secretary of the local unit. The election of officers was made because of the recent promotions of patrolmen in the local police department.

## Continue Water Fight

Joseph G. Hoff, chairman of the Laurence Harbor Democratic Club's Fair Water Rates Committee announced that plans for an area meeting for all organizations and associations in the Laurence Harbor and Cliffwood Beach sections of Madison Township will be held to form a non-partisan group to continue the fight for fair water rates and better water and service.

This action took place during a meeting to the club at Byrnes Hall, Route 35. The meeting was conducted by Robert Knight, club president.

Hoff stated that invitations will be dispatched to all civic and other groups this week by Mrs. Daniel Baxter, committee secretary.

Robert Knight, club president, reported that many residents of the area have expressed a sincere interest to continue this fight for better water service and fair rates.

### Budget Hearing Set

Robert J. Martin, Clerk of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Fire District #1, Laurence Harbor-Cliffwood Beach announced today that a special meeting will be held at the Firehouse on Laurence Parkway in Laurence Harbor, Tuesday, January 14th, 1964.

The meeting will get underway at 7:30 p.m. and all interested persons are invited to attend. The proposed Fire District Budget will be discussed.

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## Aid Squad Report

Captain John Di Giovanni of the Laurence Harbor First Aid and Safety Squad announced his report for the month of December.

The four vehicles of the squad covered a total of 1,242 miles and a total of 212 man hours were volunteered by the members of the squad in the performance of their duties. There were a total of 77 first aid calls for the month of December as follows:—Emergency Transports, 24; Transports, 19; House calls, 13; Building, 3; Highway Accidents, 14; Fire calls, 1; Dog bite, 1 and 11 miscellaneous calls.

A total of 502 pounds of oxygen were used by the squad for the month of December.

## Final Fire Report

Chief William Vanderhoeff of the South Old Bridge Volunteer Fire Department, in his final report for the year 1963, announced that the fire department answered a total of 410 alarms during 1963. This figure, he emphasized, set a new record for the department for a single years activities.


The alarms were broken down into 304 brush fires, 66 house fires, 19 auto fires, 1 railroad box car, 2 bridge fires, 1 plane crash, 5 general alarms, 7 false alarms, 2 lost boys, 1 boy removed from a tree and 2 cats removed from trees.

The Chief wishes to thank his officers and men for their fine cooperation and assistance during the year, as well as the members of the neighboring fire departments who helped out during the year.

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### Jaycee Week Proclamation

Whereas, the Mayor, Council and departments of Madison Township recognize the service rendered to this community by the Madison Township Jaycees, and

Whereas, the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce and its affiliated state and local organizations have set aside the week of January 19-25, 1964 to observe the founding of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and to commemorate such founding by activities of a community nature, and

Whereas, this organization of young men has contributed materially to the betterment of this community throughout the year,

Therefore, I Donald Macrae, Mayor of Madison Township do hereby proclaim the week of January 19-25, 1964 as JAYCEE WEEK and urge all citizens of our community to give full consideration to the future services of the Madison Township Jaycees.  
Date 1/6/64

Donald Macrae  
Mayor

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**LEGALS**

for the preparation and disbursement of payrolls, which existed in the township government on December 31, 1963 may be continued until February 1, 1964 unless the manager shall direct that the permanent provisions of the Administrative Code relating to these matters shall be installed prior to that date; provided, however, that the manager or acting manager, shall discharge all of the functions with respect thereto previously discharged by the township committee or any township committeeman.

**SECTION 2 REFERENCES IN OTHER ORDINANCES**

Any and all references in any prior ordinance to an administrative committee of the former township committee shall be taken and construed to mean the municipal manager, to whom all such functions, powers and duties are hereby transferred.

**SECTION 3** All record, equipment and all other property of any kind or description of the Township of Madison now in possession of or under control of employees or officers of the former government of the township, shall be transferred to the corresponding office, board or department provided herein and if none provided, then to the office of the Municipal Clerk.

**SECTION 4 SEVERABILITY CLAUSE.** If any section or part of this ordinance shall be declared invalid by judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction, such section or part shall be deemed to be severable from the remainder of the ordinance which shall not be affected by any such judgment.

**SECTION 5 REPEALER.** All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**SECTION 7 EFFECTIVE DATE**  
This ordinance shall take effect on January 31, 1964 after final passage and publication, the council having duly adopted an emergency resolution fixing such effective date in accordance with Optional Municipal Charter law.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Take notice that the foregoing ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Madison, Middlesex, New Jersey, held in Townhall, Route #9 on January 6, 1964 and that the same will be further considered for final passage at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Township of Madison, Middlesex County, New Jersey, to be held in Townhall, Route #9, on Jan. 20, 1964, or as soon thereafter as said matter may be reached at which time all those interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the same.

Township of Madison Council  
Mary M. Brown, Clerk

**NOTICE**

**SPECIAL MEETING**

**MADISON TOWNSHIP PLANNING BOARD**

A special meeting of the Madison Township planning board will be held on the 9th of January, 1964, at 8:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building, intersection Route 9 & 34, RD #1, Old Bridge, New Jersey.

MARY M. BROWN  
Secretary

Jan. 9th

**LEGAL NOTICE**

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING SALARY SCHEDULES AND FIXING THE MANNER OF PAYMENTS OF SALARIES FOR VARIOUS OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MADISON."

- Section is hereby to read as follows:
  - Department of Public Works:
    - Public Works Administrator \$ 6,300 per year
  - Administrative Personnel
    - Municipal Manager 15,000 per year
    - Acting or Deputy Manager 6,500 per year
    - Sec. to Manager 80 per year
    - Municipal Clerk 5,600 per year
    - Deputy Municipal Clerk 75 per year
    - Council Steno. (part time hourly basis) 1,50 per hour
    - Twp. Councilmen 1,000 per year
  - Department of Finance
    - Tax Assessor (full time basis) 6,200 per year
    - Tax Collector (part time basis) 2,100 per year
  - Other Public Officials
    - Twp. Magistrate 3,300 per year
    - Violations-Clerk 1,000 per year
    - Deputy Ct. Clerk 67.50 per week
    - Welfare Director 1,000 per year

The foregoing schedule and rates of pay shall be retroactive to January 1, 1964.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Take notice that the foregoing ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Madison, Middlesex, New Jersey, held in Townhall, Route #9 on January 7, 1964 and that the same will be further considered for final passage at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Township of Madison, Middlesex County, New Jersey, to be held in Townhall, Route #9, on Jan. 20, 1964, or as soon thereafter as said matter may be reached at which time all those interested will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning the same.

Township of Madison Council  
Mary M. Brown, Clerk

**Three Resign**

The members reviewed their achievements of the past year. The outstanding achievement of the committee resulted in the adoption by the Municipal Utilities Authority of four of the six recommendations made by the Committee for Fair Water Rates at a joint meeting with the Water Authority and the Township Committee on February 27, 1963.

The following members submitted their resignations: Donald Tierney, Arthur Bottone and Salvatore Salvo.

They resigned because there would be a conflict of interest with their new responsibilities in the Municipality of Madison Township and the Committee for Fair Water Rates.

**LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of Fire District No. 4 of Madison Township that the regular Fire District election will be held on Saturday February 15, 1964 at the Madison Park Fire Company between the hours of 2 P.M. and 6 P.M.

At the said election, one (1) candidate shall be elected to the Board of Fire Commissioners for the term of three (3) years. Also the appropriation of \$22,696.75 shall be voted upon. This sum being deemed necessary to maintain the Fire District for the year of 1964.

Any legally registered voter of this Fire District may obtain a petition to become a candidate to the office of Fire Commissioner by applying to the Clerk of the Fire District at his home, 16 Georgetown Road, Parlin, N. J. All candidates must file their petitions with the Clerk of the District no later than 12:00 midnight, February 8, 1964.

Joseph H. Ryan  
Clerk

Dated: January 11, 1964

**PROPOSED BUDGET 1964**

Insurance	\$1,700.00
Apparatus Rental, Maintenance	3,600.00
Truck Rental	300.00
Hydrant Rental	2,080.00
Legal - Auditor Fees	125.00
Commissioners Salaries	820.00
Current Expense	1,100.00
Gasoline - Truck repairs	1,800.00
New Fire Equipment	3,000.00
Contingency Fund	1,000.00
Training Fund	250.00
Chief	150.00
New Radio	1,000.00
Bonds payment and interest due	6,068.75
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$22,696.75</b>

**Fire Budget Set At \$22,696.75**

Joseph H. Ryan, Clerk of the Board of Fire Commissioners Fire District #4, Madison Township (Madison Park) announced that the annual Fire District Election would take place on Saturday, February 15, 1964 at the Madison Park Fire House on Cheesequake Road, between the hours of 2:00 and 6:00 p.m.

One candidate will be elected to the Board of Fire Commissioners for a term of three years. Any legally registered voter of Fire District #4 may obtain a petition to become a candidate to the office of Fire Commissioner by applying to the Clerk of the Fire District at his home on 16 Georgetown Road, Parlin. (Madison Park). All candidates must file their petitions with the clerk of the District no later than 12:00 midnight,

**"Groaners" Ready For Season**

Coach Al Kiley's Madison Township High School wrestling squad is rounding into shape for the coming season.

Last year's squad compiled a record 10 wins, 2 losses and one tie, a fine record for a first year of varsity activity, in a dual meet competition. Coach Kiley's charges hope to do even better this year in dual meet frays what with the addition of former basketball players Glem Maul, Bob Scarpino and Bud Numair who turned from the court to the mat for more frontline action.

Individually, the grapplers line-up like this: Denny Sudano, 98 lb. class; Bob Lang, 106 lb. class; John Harrison, 115 lb. class; Bill Testa and Greg Miller, 122 lb. class; Len Force, Frank Pollack and Ron Weber, 130 lb. class; Numair and Walter Reed, 139 lb. class; Charley Hayes, Ed Novack and Pete Brown, 122 lb. class; Scarpino and Tom Shay, 148 lb. class; Maul and Dave Cochran, 155 lb. class; Brian Ward and Don Van Note 167 lb. class; John Hogan and Joe Droughy, heavy-weight class.

In early training sessions, Hogan has been a standout. Novack and Brown, who grappled well in last year's eliminations for the district are already in mid-season shape.

February 8, 1964.

The proposed budget for 1964 includes \$1,700.00 for Insurance; \$3,600.00 Apparatus Rental, Maintenance; \$3.00, Truck rental; \$2,080.00, Hydrant rental; \$125.00, Legal, Auditor Fees; \$820.00, Commissioner Salaries; \$1,100.00 Current Expenses; \$1,800.00 Gasoline, truck re-

pairs; \$3,000.00 New Fire Equipment; \$1,000.00 Contingency Fund; \$250.00, Training Fund; \$150.00, Chief; \$1,000.00, New Radio and \$6,068.75 for Bonds payment and interest due. The proposed budget will be voted upon on February 15th. The total amount requested is: \$22,696.75.

**NOTICE TO PERSONS IN MILITARY SERVICE OR PATIENTS IN VETERANS' HOSPITALS AND TO THEIR RELATIVES AND FRIENDS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD IN THE FIRE DISTRICT NO. 4 OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MADISON IN THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, NEW JERSEY, ON THE 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 1964.**

If you are in the military service or are a patient in a veterans' hospital and desire to vote, or if you are a relative or friend of a person who is in the military service or is a patient in a veterans' hospital who, you believe, will desire to vote in the ANNUAL MEETING in Fire District No. 4 of this Township of Madison, in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, to be held on Saturday, February 15, 1964, at which annual meeting one commissioner shall be elected and the question of shall the sum of \$22,696.75 be approved or rejected for said District will be voted upon by the legal voters of the District, kindly write to the undersigned at once making application for a military service ballot to be voted in said election to be forwarded to you, if you are in the military service or are a patient in a veterans' hospital, stating your name, age, serial number, home address and the address at which you are stationed or can be found, or if you desire the military service ballot for a relative or friend then make an application under oath for a military service ballot to be forwarded to him, stating in your application that he is over the age of 21 years and stating his name, serial number, home address and the address at which he is stationed or can be found.

Form of application can be obtained from the undersigned.

Dated January 6, 1964

Joseph H. Ryan

Clerk of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 4 of the Township of Madison, in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey

**NOTICE**

**NOTICE TO PERSONS DESIRING ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD IN FIRE DISTRICT NO. 4 OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MADISON, IN THE COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, ON THE 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 1964.**

If you are a qualified and registered voter of the District who expects to be absent outside the District on Saturday, February 15, 1964, or a qualified and registered voter who will be within the District on Saturday, February 15, 1964, but because of illness or physical disability, or because of the observation of a religious holiday pursuant to the tenets of your religion, or because of resident attendance at a school, college or university, will be unable to cast your ballot at the polling place in your district on said date, and you desire to vote in the ANNUAL MEETING to be held on Saturday, February 15, 1964 in Fire District No. 4 of the Township of Madison, in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, at which annual meeting the election of one commissioner shall be elected and the question of approval or rejection of a budget of \$22,696.75 will be voted upon by the legal voters of the District, kindly write or apply in person to the undersigned at once requesting that a civilian absentee ballot be forwarded to you. Such request must state your home address, and the address to which said ballot should be sent, and must be signed with your signature and state the reason why you will not be able to vote at your usual polling place. No civilian absentee ballot will be furnished or forwarded to any applicant unless request therefor is received not less than 8 days prior to the election, and contains the foregoing information.

Dated: January 6, 1964

Joseph H. Ryan

Clerk of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No. 4 of the Township of Madison, in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey

# FAMILY Circle



Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. MICHAEL STAATS of 33 Fourth Street, Old Bridge they will celebrate their 18th Wedding Anniversary next Thursday. . . Happy Birthday to Mrs. KATHLEEN ZAHN of Cheesequake Park Road, Cheesequake she celebrates her birthday today. . . Happy Birthday to DEREK GLENN BURLEW of Cliffwood Beach he celebrated his birthday on Saturday. . . Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. JOHN KOSTULAKOS of 30 Harbord Road, Madison Park they will celebrate their 21st Wedding Anniversary on Wednesday. . . Happy Birthday to BOBBY and DEAN MILLER of 17 Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge they will celebrate their birthdays on Tuesday. . . Bobby will be 14 and Dean will be 10. . . Best Wishes and a Happy Birthday to Miss PEGGY LITZ of Bordentown Avenue, Madison Park she will celebrate her 17th birthday on Sunday. . . Best Wishes to Miss GAIL PINE of Disbrow Road, Cheesequake she celebrates her 18th birthday on Friday. . . Mr. and Mrs. JAMES WHITE and daughter AMY of Madison Park, Mrs. MARGARET GELATO and son GREG, Congressman and Mrs. EDWARD PATTEN were dinner guests of IRENE's mother Mrs. SOPHIE LIZANETZ of Perth Amboy on Sunday. . . The WHITE'S also visited Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES MONTANO and Family of JACKSON HEIGHTS, New York. . . Mrs. MONTANO asked to be remembered by many of her Cheesequake friends the NEW YORKER made several FARMER'S ANNUAL BUS TRIPS. . . Best Wishes to Mrs. DORIS HEGEMEN of Oliver Avenue,

Laurence Harbor she will celebrate her birthday next week on Thursday. . . Happy Birthday to MAUREEN DUFFY of 166 Princeton Road, Madison Park she celebrates her birthday on Saturday. . . Best Wishes to Mrs. ROBERT MILLER of Sycamore Drive, Old Bridge she celebrates her birthday next Thursday. . . Happy Birthday to ANN KILDUFF of 14 Harbard Road, Madison Park she will celebrate her 8th birthday on Wednesday. . . Birthday Wishes to PATRICIA KAYES of Beverly Road, Old Bridge she will celebrate her 17th birthday next Thursday. . . Mr. and Mrs. HENRY DELBASCO of Morristown Road, Cheesequake have returned from a cruise on the S. S. Ocean Monarch to the Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico, the Bahama Islands and Bermuda. . . They were accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. DAVID ENGER-

## Completes Cruise

USS ESSEX (FHTWC)--Wayne S. Murphy, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murphy of 38 Sunset ave., Laurence Harbor, N. J., has returned to his homeport of Quonset Point, R. I., after completing a three-month Mediterranean and Middle Eastern cruise aboard the aircraft carrier USS Essex, which took him halfway around the world.

He visited Barcelona, Spain; the British Protectorate of Aden; Malta; Karachi, Pakistan; and Naples, Italy, and traveled more than 26,000 miles, while Essex participated in several joint exercises with various foreign naval forces.

BRETSON of Matawan. . . Merry Russian Christmas and a Happy Russian New Year. . . News for the FAMILY CIRCLE write Mrs. IRENE WHITE, 22 Princeton Road, Parlin, N.J. or telephone Parkway 1-3207 or drop a note to FAMILY CIRCLE, c/o Madison American, P. O. Box 131, Laurence Harbor, N.J. WEDDING. . . BIRTHDAY. . . VACATION. . . BUSINESS TRIP. . . VISITORS OR VISITING, IT'S ALL NEWS FOR YOUR FAMILY CIRCLE.

## Named Captain

President Robert Arthur of the South Old Bridge Volunteer Fire Department announced that upon the recommendation of Chief William Vanderhoeff, John Murphy has been appointed Captain of Engine Co. #2.

Also appointed to assist Murphy at Engine Co. #2 are Robert Frankenbush, Lieutenant and Salvatore Orlando, Foreman. Arthur also announced that Charles Horbac has been named a Lieutenant at Engine Co. #1 and Thomas Nulty, Foreman.

## Increase in Christmas Club Subscribers

More subscribers joined the 1964 Christmas Club during the months of November and December than in any like period in the history of the Sayreville Savings and Loan Association, officials of the company announced this week.

The organization is one of the few local Savings associations to schedule the mailing of 1964 Christmas Club checks out on the first of November. This service is available through the branch office which opened its doors last September.

Located in Madison Township at 308 Ernston Road, the branch is credited by association officials with influencing the substantial rise in Christmas Club subscribers.

Club checks mailed out in 1963 included dividends paid on the balance and, officials, declared, will be part of this year's distribution.

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# The In And Out Meet Up



When about-to-marry encounters has-been-married, and the same man is concerned, there's sure to be rattling of skeletons in the marital closet. Here, in this scene from "Mary, Mary," riotous new Warner Bros. Domestic comedy, Diane McBain, as the socialite fiancée of Barry Nelson, busily picks the brains of Debbie Reynolds, portraying his former wife. Misses McBain and Reynolds co-star with Nelson, Michael Rennie and Hiram Sherman in the Technicolor film now showing at the SayreWood Theatre. Co-feature is "Toys in the Attic".

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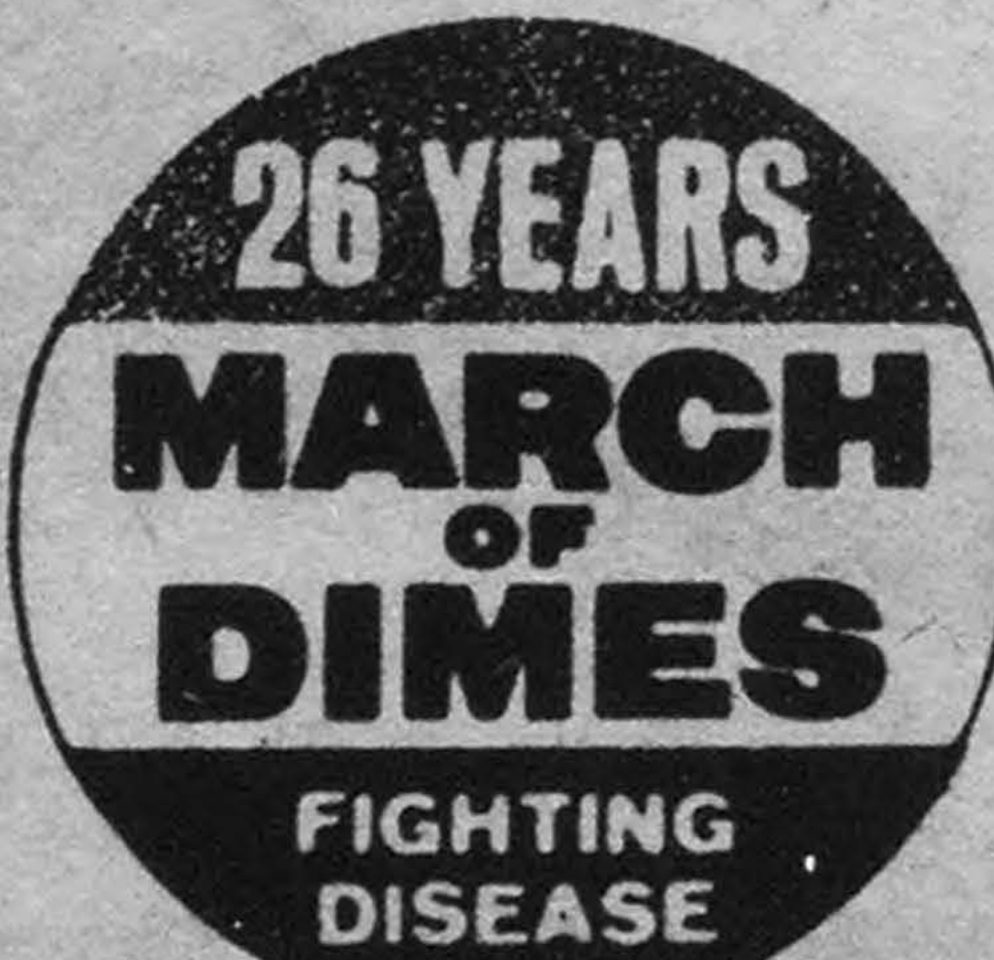
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# PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS** More than 250,000 American babies are each year with a significant birth defect while approximately 11 million of our children and adults suffer from some form of arthritis or other disabling rheumatic diseases, and
- WHEREAS** Exemplary medical care utilizing the skills of many specialists working together is not available to a majority of those stricken by these crippers, and
- WHEREAS** The March of Dimes now supports nearly 70 hospital treatment centers where improved treatment is being developed, and
- WHEREAS** The medical leadership these centers provide sends out waves of influence which serve to spread new knowledge, new techniques and new public awareness for the benefit of victims of all chronic, disabling conditions, and
- WHEREAS** The March of Dimes is financing the work of research scientists seeking eventual break throughs toward the possible prevention of birth defects, arthritis and perhaps many other human ills, and
- WHEREAS** Funds are also needed for continued assistance to polio patients,

THEREFORE I DONALD MACRAE Mayor of TWP. OF MADISON do hereby proclaim January 1964 as March of Dimes month and do urge all citizens to contribute generously to this campaign.



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