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## DOUBLE JACK



## BURNS TO DEATH WHILE PINNED IN TRUCK CAB

Isaac Rosenberg, 25, of Highway 33, Freehold, was burned to death while trapped in the cab of his egg-laden truck shortly before 5 a.m. Thursday morning after the vehicle blew a tire, crashed into a drainage ditch and burst into flames on Route 9, Cheesequake.

Rosenberg's helper, Harold Thomas, 1496 Monroe avenue, Asbury Park, also riding in the cab escaped from the burning wreckage.

Madison Township Patrolman George Hanson who was an eye witness to the crash, said the impact caused the load of eggs carted by Rosenberg to crash through the truck body, crushing the cab and pinning Rosenberg against the steering column.

Efforts by the policeman, Thomas and Rosenberg's brother, Frank, of Farmingdale to extricate the dead man from the burning truck failed. Rosenberg was pronounced dead by Dr. Weber, South Amboy and last rites were administered by Rev. French of St. Thomas' Church, Old Bridge.

The truck fire was extinguished by the Cheesequake Fire Company.

## AUXILIARY TO HOLD FOOD SALE

The Ladies Auxiliary of Laurence Harbor Fire Company No. 1 will hold a cake sale Saturday, August 7 at the firehouse, Laurence Parkway. The sale is scheduled to get underway at 10 a.m.

## OPEN NEW LANE OF PARKWAY TO SOUTHWARD

The New Jersey Parkway Authority has opened a new length of Garden State Parkway from Woodbridge to Englishtown on the southbound lane.

This will give the Parkway an unbroken southbound roadway from Irvington to Manahawkin in Ocean County, a distance of 80 miles.

The northbound roadway will have a gap between Eatontown and Sayreville, just south of the Parkway's 4,400-foot high-level bridge over the Raritan River. This gap will be closed at 8 a.m. Saturday, the Authority said.

## TRAFFIC JAM IS SAID "WORST"

Motorists, thronging back from seashore resorts, jammed Rt. 35 Sunday night and caused what veteran state police in the Keyport Barracks called the worst traffic jam in the area's history.

State police reported cars snarled for 10 miles behind the traffic light at Laurence Harbor. Cars were backed up as far as Middletown with boiling engines adding to the confusion.

The jam started about 4 p. m. Sunday. State police prepared for the traffic by opening three lanes northbound on many portions of the highway and rerouting cars over the newly opened stretches of the Garden State Parkway. The jam got steadily worse with the peak between 10 and 11 o'clock.

## REPORT WATER OPENING OF J. J. NEWBERRY STORE

One of the largest sales in the history of the J. J. Newberry store in Keyport will mark the official opening this Friday morning of the completely enlarged and reconditioned branch store here.

Fred Rozell, manager, said construction during the past five months has more than doubled the size of the store, now the second largest in New Jersey and listed among the top ten largest chain branch stores in the east.

Three new sales floors in the rear of the store provide 10,000 square feet of additional floor space. The reconditioned store, air conditioned throughout, now has a total of 18,000 square feet of floor sales space.

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## MATAWAN APPROVED

Plans for the construction of a new school building in Matawan to relieve crowded conditions in the Matawan Township public school system have been approved by the State Department of Education in Trenton, it was announced.

At its adjourned meeting held Monday night in the Matawan high school, the board of education authorized Frederick Fessler, school architect, to advertise for bids on the project.

## RECENT AREA AUXILIARY SESSION

Announcement was made at the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Laurence Harbor American Legion Unit 332 that Mrs. Joseph Geores has turned in 2,500 pairs of nylon stockings during the course of the past year toward additional television sets of veterans' hospitals from the local unit.

Mrs. John DiGiovanni presented the membership award received at the county convention to the unit. Mrs. Walter Baker turned over the award for the best poppy corsage at the convention and which was made by Mrs. John DiGiovanni. The publicity award was presented by Mrs. Rollin Rathbun.

Mrs. Andrew Carver will be in charge of the installation ceremonies for the auxiliary which will take place in September. Secret pal birthdays will be celebrated at the next meeting which will be held Aug. 27.

Mrs. Walter Baker presented a past president's ribbon to Mrs. Rose Coleman.

The birthdays of Mrs. Geores and Mrs. Baker were celebrated. Mrs. Rose Coleman won the dark horse prize. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Harry Atkins, Mrs. Milton Fiala and Mrs. Andrew Carver.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lertorog, Matawan Rd., Laurence Harbor, are parents of a daughter born in South Amboy Memorial Hospital.

## THREE SOLDIERS HURT AS CAR GOES OFF ROAD

Three soldiers assigned to Fort Monmouth were admitted to Perth Amboy General Hospital Monday morning after their car went into a ditch, struck a pole and crashed through a fence on the property of Ralph Irish, Englishtown road, Old Bridge.

Pvt. Elwood R. Friend, 20, the driver was treated for a possible fractured right knee and head cuts. Pvt. James Wood, 27 was treated for face cuts and a possible fractured leg and Pvt. Richard Gobson, for face lacerations and bruises.

## SHORTAGE IN CLIFFWOOD AREA

A large area of Cliffwood Beach and portions of Cliffwood were reported without water for periods ranging up to 12 hours Saturday.

Residents reported that the affected area includes several hundred homes in Matawan and Madison Townships. The year-round residences were reported hardest hit, with adequate water supply reported in the beachfront cabanas and summer cottages.

Matawan Township police said they had had a number of complaints of the condition but that the affected area seemed to be mostly in Madison Township.

## LEGION AUXILIARY HERE EXPRESSES PUBLICITY AID

Editor,  
Madison American  
Laurence Harbor, N.J.

Laurence Harbor Unit 332 of the American Legion Auxiliary, wishes to thank you for your cooperation with the Unit and our Publicity chairman, Mrs. Nora Rathbun, in publicizing the work of our Unit and its chairmen.

Through the cooperation of you and your paper, we have succeeded in winning the Publicity Award in the County for the second year straight.

Again, we thank you and hope for your cooperation in the coming years and with our future chairmen.

Yours in Service,  
Mrs. Dorothea Di Giovanni,  
Secretary  
American Legion Auxiliary,

## PUBLIC MEETING HELD IN CLIFFWOOD

Plans for the improvement of the Matawan Township water supply, especially in the Cliffwood area, and for the eventual creation of a Township water system were discussed Thursday night at a public meeting at the Cliffwood firehouse conducted by the Fire Commissioners of District 2.



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## CHURCH NEWS

### Calvary Methodist

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Minister

Morning Worship, 10 a.m. Sermon: "In Paths Of Righteousness."

### St. Mary's Episcopal Church

Front St., Keyport

Rev. James A. Gusweller

Rector

Friday, Aug. 6, 9 a.m., Holy Communion.

Sunday, Aug. 8, 8 a.m., Corporate Communion and Breakfast; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon.

### St. Joseph's R. C. Church

Maple Pl, Keyport

On Thursday, confessions will be heard from 4 to 6 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Holy Communion will be distributed before the Masses at 6, 7, and 8 o'clock Friday.

Holy Communion will be distributed before the Masses at 7 and 8 a.m., on Saturday. Confessions will be heard from 4 to 6 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Next Sunday is Communion Sunday for the Holy Name Society and the Knights of Columbus. The monthly collection will be taken up on this day.

### Grace Methodist Church

Union Beach

Thursday, Aug. 5, 8 p.m., Official Board meeting.

Sunday, Aug. 8, 11 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon topic, "What We Put In The Well."

### Reformed Church

Warren St.

9:15 a.m., Organ Meditation by Mrs. John Sagurton.

9:30 a.m., Morning Worship. This is an hour set aside when those who wish may seek the forgiveness, the strength, and the Wisdom of God for the past, the present and the future. The Reformed Church is not the creation of men, but the Church of Jesus Christ Reformed according to the word of God.

12 noon, Dikes Picnic at Kepwell Park. Transportation will be provided. Meet at the Church House. Bring your box lunch and \$1 for admission.

### First Baptist Church

Main and West Third Sts.

Rev. Joseph R. Faith, pastor

Sunday, August 8

9:30 a.m., Sunday School in session.

10:45 a.m., The Morning Worship Service. The guest speaker

through gaining a spiritual understanding of God will be explained at Christian Science services Sunday.

Keynoting the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Spirit" is the Golden Text from Galatians (5:22,23): "The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such there is no law."

The blessings bestowed on man by God, divine Spirit, will also be brought out in readings from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, including the following (78:28-30): "Spirit blesses man, but man cannot tell whence it cometh." By it the sick are healed, the sorrowing are comforted, and the sinning are reformed."

From the King James Version of the Bible, the following passage will be among those read (John 4:24): "God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth."

## OBITUARIES

### Louis Rubin

Louis Rubin, 70, of 34 Church street, Keyport, died yesterday at Perth Amboy General Hospital.

Mr. Rubin was the son of Meyer Rubin and husband of the late Ida Vogel Rubin.

He is survived by two sons, Meyer, Brooklyn and Irving, New York; a daughter, Mrs. Sylvia

Pollard, Harrison; a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Zuravin, Keyport; one brother, Samuel, Liberty N.Y., and two grandchildren.

Services will be conducted this (Wednesday) morning at 11 o'clock at the Keyport Synagogue. Interment, under the direction of the Bedle Funeral Home, Keyport will follow in Beth Israel cemetery, Woodbridge.

Club of Keyport. He is survived by his daughter, Miss Anette E. Lanquist of New York City; two sons, Edward D. and Robert C., both of Union Beach; a sister, Miss Josephine Lanquist, and a brother, Russell Lanquist of Chicago. The Bedle Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

## Church Broadcast

### Edward C. Lanquist

Edward C. Lanquist, 67, of 303 Bayview avenue, Union Beach, died Sunday at the Riverview New York, and Station WCAU, Hospital, Red Bank. Born in Philadelphia, in the Columbia Chicago, the deceased had been a resident here for the past 30 years. A member of the Lutheran Church of Keyport, he also belonged to the 25 Year Club of the American Car and Foundry Company of New York City; Palace Lodge No. 675 F. & A. M., Chicago; Pullman Chapter, No. 204, Royal Arch Board of Lectureship. Music will be furnished by soloist and organ.

"Knowing The Shepherd" is the subject of a Christian Science radio program over Station WCBS, New York, and Station WCAU, Philadelphia, in the Columbia Chicago, the deceased had been a resident here for the past 30 years. This program will originate from Chicago, Illinois, and has the approval of The Christian Science Board of Directors. The speaker will be Mrs. Grace Jane Noe, a member of The Christian Science Chapter, No. 204, Royal Arch Board of Lectureship. Music will be furnished by soloist and organ.

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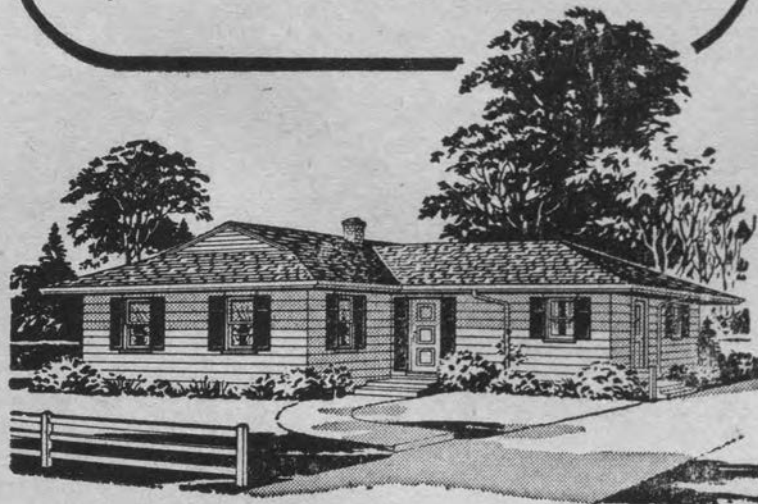
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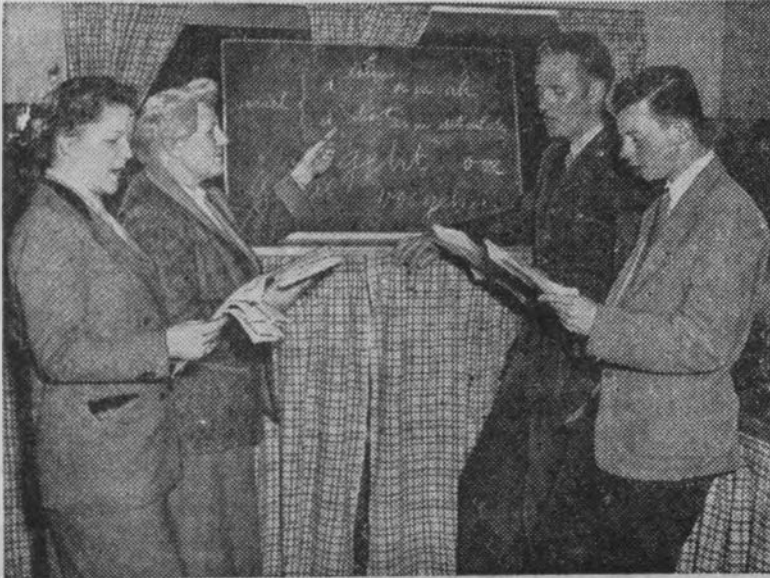
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## GIs GO BACK TO SCHOOL AT USO



GIs learn bridge in course offered in USO club.



Teacher at USO helps GIs with conversational German.

Greenville, N. C.—Educational activities are being stressed at many USO clubs today and are winning enthusiastic GI approval.

In Greenville, recognizing this demand, the USO club is concentrating on two courses that are proving popular with GIs—a course in conversational German and one in beginner's bridge.

Many of the Air Force personnel stationed nearby expect to be transferred overseas to Germany

and believe they will be able to adjust themselves much more readily in an unfamiliar land if they know its language.

The bridge class was started when several airmen who had started learning bridge before entering service wanted to continue the game.

USO activities are made possible by United Defense Fund through Community Chest or United Fund drives.

## HAZLET CIRCUS TO FEATURE HORSES, AND AERIALISTS

The horse, crowded out of the limelight of everyday life by the motorized age, has suffered a great loss of individuality. But, thanks to the circus and its adherence to ancient traditions, a variety of the best horseflesh is on constant display for the benefit of those who still consider fine equine performance as thrilling as eighty miles per hour on a paved highway.

Visitors to the Hagen Bros. Circus which comes to the Hazlet-Keyport-Matawan area on August 19th under the sponsorship of the Hazlet Fire Company will see many hoofed aristocrats.

"Horse Sense" is personified in these remarkably trained animals. At cues that are barely perceptible they respond with an amazing demonstration of precision drills, and feats requiring each individual horse to exhibit memory and mental capacity that reveal human intelligence. It's equine Beauty with Brains!

Among other features are such acts as: the Navarro Duo; The

Hanel Troupe; Aerial Ballet; Ballerinas of the Air; The Reynosos; The Battle of the Century and many other acts too numerous to mention. Tickets will be available thru all members of the Hazlet Fire Company. Everyone is invited to attend the Hagen Bros. Circus and witness some of the world's most enchanted wonders.

## ORDINANCE ON TRAILERS APPROVED FOR CLIFFWOOD

An ordinance restricting trailers and trailer camp use in Matawan Township has been introduced by the Matawan township committee.

The ordinance was in answer to petitions and complaints received from residents of the Arbordale drive section of the township that a trailer had been located there and appeared as if the installation was to be a permanent one.

Mr. and Mrs. Sverre Aamot, owners of the controversial trailer, said they had rented a dwelling in the township for the past 20 years and had received notice only recently they had to vacate. Mr. Aamot said he purchased the

trailer as a temporary measure and is now negotiating for the purchase of the lot next to his on Arbordale drive. He said he will build there as soon as he can.

A public hearing on the new ordinance will be held August 11.

## FIRE UNDERWRITERS RELEASE BOOKLET ON SCHOOL FIRES

The National Board of Fire Underwriters announced today distribution of a new 21-page pamphlet on fire-safe school buildings to educational institutions throughout the country.

The National Board said it was giving the widest distribution possible to this publication which presents in brief form the essential elements of fire-safe school buildings and makes recommendations for obtaining fire safety in new buildings and in existing ones.

The pamphlet points out that on an average of once every hour during the working day—3,400 times a year—fire breaks out in some school. Over a period of years, 827 deaths have occurred in 60 of the more tragic school fires. Only last spring, the National Board pointed out, fire in an upstate New York school took the lives of 15 children, seriously injured 17 others.

In addition, 11 school fires last year resulted in losses of \$250,000 or more per fire. The structures destroyed included elementary schools, high schools and university buildings.

The pamphlet deals with fire-safe building construction, that is, the limited use of combustible material, fire separation between stories, subdivision of large-area buildings by fire-resisting walls, and adequate exit facilities. It points out that fire extinguishers are needed for incipient fires wherever they may occur. Stand-pipe and hose systems are needed in the taller buildings. Automatic sprinkler systems are the answer where more than a limited amount of combustible material is present in construction or occupancy. They are also helpful in overcoming some structural defects and provide excellent control of fire hazards.

## JUVENILE GANG LEADER SENT TO HOME FOR BOYS

The leader of a teen-age shake-down gang at Middletown Town-



Three men in uniform enjoy snack in USO club during off-duty hour. USO is supported by United Defense Fund through Community Chests or United Funds.

ship high school, who had been placed on probation in May, has been ordered sent to the Jamesburg State Home.

Juvenile Referee John L. Montgomery directed that Robert Asmar remain at the home for a few months until he is 16 and then be transferred to Annandale Reformatory. He lives at 282 Carr avenue, Keansburg.

Asmar was committed specifically for violating probation. Robert S. Newman, his probation officer, said Asmar has been a "very unsatisfactory" probationer, ignoring evening curfew hours and continuing bad associations.

Mr. Newman said new complaints charge that Asmar—only three days before he was sentenced on the shakedown charge—forced another young boy into an unnatural sex act. Another complaint alleges he raped an 18-year-old girl in Raritan Township July 18 and also forced her into an unnatural act.

The referee said he would deal with the matter as a probation violation rather than consider the new charges. "Neither you nor your father have been very honorable in this matter," he told the youth.

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DIVING can be lots of fun if you know how. However, the American Red Cross warns, you should not play around on the diving board.

## The Sport Scene.

by STAFF REPORTER

Playing first base once was a profession. Now it's a procession. That's the theme of a story by The Sporting News this week titled "Who's On First?" The comedy team of Abbott and Costello made quite a skit out of that question—"Who's on first?" But, says J. G. Taylor Spink, publisher of The Sporting News, the first base situation can be serious, too. First basemen don't seem to be fixtures any more, as they once were. The New York Yankees, for example, have had 29 different men playing first base since Iron Man Lou Gehrig wound up his long stint there in 1939.

This year, Spink points out, the Cleveland Indians thought during the exhibition period that they would go with Rocky Nelson. But then when the season opened they pulled Al Rosen from third base to first. Later, they converted Vic Wertz into a first sacker, and in recent days have been using Billy Glynn. There's no guarantee, says Spink, that when you go to a Cleveland game you can know beforehand who you'll see on first.

It's not only Cleveland. The Athletics have had Don Bollweg, Lou Limmer and Vic Power on first, and might have put Gus Zernial there had he not been injured. Casey Stengel recently wound up a tough game for the Yankees with outfielder Irv Noren at first base. Cardinal Manager Eddie Stanky has told Ray Jablonski to learn first-basing, just for protection.

The way some managers handle the first base problem, says Spink, indicates that they seem to think that anyone can play the position. And that's disturbing to Charlie Grimm, Milwaukee's manager and a top first baseman himself in his playing days. "When I played," Grimm said the other day, "we had first class regulars at first base, in both leagues, and we were loaded with them. Now, any Joe seems to get a chance at first. I think the tip-off on all these experiments is how many of those first basemen stay on first."

Grimm went on to say that while a good player can generally



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do a good job out of his natural position, a real top first baseman has to know his footwork. A man either has it, said Grimm, or he hasn't. If he doesn't have it, he's not going to be a successful first baseman.

The Cardinals, says Spink, have a star first baseman in Stan Musial, but he's needed more in the outfield. They're always struggling to fill in at first, and in recent years have tried Babe Young, Nippy Jones, Rocky Nelson, Dick Sisler, Steve Bilko and Tom Alston. Now they have Joe Cunningham and it's possible, says Spink, that he's going to be their man.

There are a few "regular" first basemen. In the National, there are Ted Kluszewski, Gil Hodges and Whitey Lockman. In the American there are Mickey Vernon, Ferris Fain and Eddie Robinson. There are other competent, like Musial, Jackie Robinson and Billy Goodman, but they are needed more elsewhere. The boys these days, however, are not like the old gang Grimm remembers. Back in 1921, when he was first getting set on the job, seven American League first basemen hit .300 or better. In 1953, only one had that kind of an average.

And that, friends, leaves us just where we started: "Who's On First?"

## Game Cancelled

The baseball game scheduled to be played in Cliffwood Sunday between the Cliffwood CYO and the Whitesville A.C. was called off. It was reported that the Cliffwood nine dropped out of the Jersey Shore Circuit.

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## BENEFIT SHOW FOR RETARDED TOTS

Mrs. Paul Waffendorf, Keyport, chairman for the Special Benefit Committee of the New Jersey Association for Retarded Children reports that the benefit theater scheduled at the Neptune Music Circus for the performance of "Wish You Were Here" on Monday, Aug. 16, is virtually a sellout.

The Monmouth County Unit of the association supports and sponsors a special class for retarded children in the Red Bank Junior High School. Plans for another class and a Nursery Group Program are under way for the fall.

Tickets for the event can still be purchased by calling Mrs. Waffendorf at Keyport 7-2954M.

## FOUR FINED \$900 FOR CONVICTION ON BEAM TRAWLING

Four fishermen were fined \$200 each by Middletown Township Magistrate Gilbert Manson for operating a beam trawler in Raritan Bay.

They are: Edward Martin, Ave. D, Leonardo; Frank Harvey, Jr., 31 Center Ave., Belford; John Werner, Collins Ave., Port Monmouth, and Louis Egnatovich, 491 Palmer Ave., Keansburg.

In addition, Martin was fined \$100 for "attempting by threats and force" to prevent a state fish and game warden from making the arrests.

The warden, Joseph K. Mathis, signed the complaints.

Beam trawling is a method of fishing in which a large net is dragged from the stern of the fishing boat. The net drags along the bottom and has large "wing walls" that spread out with the forward motion of the boat. The net scoops up everything in its path.

Beam trawling, according to a state official, is prohibited within two miles of the coastline, which would make it illegal anywhere in Raritan Bay.

## Mildred Fornicola Is Recent Church Bride

Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Long Branch, was the scene Saturday afternoon of the marriage of Miss Mildred Grace Fornicola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fornicola, 418 Exchange Pl., Long Branch, to Frederick Thomas Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour F. Smith, Mill Rd., Matawan.

The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Gerald T. Celentana before an altar banked with white summer flowers and palms.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white embroidered tulle gown with fitted bodice. The full skirt with underskirt of slipper satin had a full length train and her finger-tip length veil fell from a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a prayer book with a marker of white orchids.

Mrs. Walter C. Kennedy, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She was attired in a Nile green tulle gown with halter neckline, fitted bodice, and bouffant, floor length skirt. She wore a coronet of tulle and pearls and carried a cas-

cade bouquet of yellow rosebuds and yellow statice.

Bridesmaids were the Misses Roselyn Giordano, Palisades Park; Marie Zullo, Rome, N. Y.; Marie Rapolla, Mamaroneck, N. Y., a cousin of the bride; and Judy Garifino, Long Branch.

Their gowns were like that of the matron of honor in lavender tulle and they carried purple statice.

Walter C. Kennedy was best man and ushers were Seymour Smith, Matawan, brother of the bridegroom; John Alpaugh, North Plainfield; Joseph Gentile, Palisades Park, and George Hussey, Long Branch, a cousin of the bride.

The bride's mother wore an iridescent toast colored gown and the bridegroom's mother wore a rose silk gown. Both had orchid corsages.

A reception and bridal dinner at The Chateau, Neptune, followed the ceremony.

## ENGAGED



MISS DIANE STULTZ

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Diana L. Stultz, daughter of Earl Stultz, Atlantic St., Keyport, and Mrs. Helen M. Stultz, to Gerald J. Melillo, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Melillo, Sr., 108 Middlesex Ave., Metuchen.

Miss Stultz is a graduate of Keyport High School and is employed by the People's National Bank, Keyport. Mr. Melillo attended Metuchen High School and served two years in the United States Marine Corps and also served one year in active service in Korea. He is employed by Public Service, New Brunswick.

A fall wedding is planned.

Ruth Knobloch, 471 River Road, Fair Haven, and George H. Knobloch, Farragut Drive, Shore Acres, announce the engagement of their daughter, Georgia Ruth, to Philip Trumbull Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip T. Smith of Hilltop Circle, Lincroft. A fall wedding is planned.

Miss Knobloch was graduated from St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, and attended Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Va. She is with the civilian personnel division at Fort Monmouth.

Mr. Smith is a graduate of Red Bank High School and attended Rutgers University. He is a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. He recently completed three years in the Marine Corps with 18 months of duty in Europe and the Far East. Mr. Smith is associated with C. F. Childs and Company, Wall Street, New York.

## FORMER KEYPORT BOAT BUILDER SLAYS SELF; OTHER

A former Keyport boat builder went on a shooting spree early Saturday morning after a family argument and killed his sister-in-law, Mrs. Irene C. Jones, West Belmar, wounded his wife and shot himself to death in Highland Park.

Highland Park authorities said Charles W. Westendorf, Jr., 30, seriously wounded his wife, Gloria, 28, shot Mrs. Jones, and then turned the gun on himself.

Westendorf and his sister-in-law died instantly from the bullet wounds. Mrs. Westendorf was taken to St. Peter's Hospital, New Brunswick, where she was operated on for wounds in the chest and stomach.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westendorf, Highway 36, Keansburg, the dead man formerly was in the boat building business in Keyport. Mrs. Jones, 28, resided at Sunset Terrace, West Belmar.

Police Chief Alfred T. Smalley said Westendorf shot his wife after an all night party in the couple's living quarters at the Peck Boat Basin, Highland Park, on the shores of the Raritan River.

Julian C. Jones, Sunset Terrace, disputed a Highland Park police report that his wife, Irene, was murdered after "an all-night party" at the home of her sister.

Mr. Jones said his wife had spent several days at the home of her sister who was convalescing from an operation. He said Westendorf at one time was a patient at Marlboro State Hospital and had been drinking before the shooting in the morning, but no all-night party was held.

Westendorf had taken over the boat basin about two years ago after the proprietor, Frank Prokutech, fell on his head and died.

Police said relatives from Keansburg had left the party earlier.

Westendorf went for his pistol, shot his wife, then turned the gun on Mrs. Jones and himself, police said. The wounded woman called for a doctor and New Brunswick police relayed the information to Highland Park police.

Dr. Robert Freeman pronounced the two dead a half hour after the first call from Mrs. Westendorf.

The wife told police after she was shot she pushed her husband out thru a door and locked it, but he broke thru a window screen and shot Mrs. Jones who was asleep in bed.

## FREE PARKING LOTS READIED FOR GIANT SALE HERE

Five free parking lots will be thrown open for use during the "Keyport Shopping Days" sales event scheduled Aug. 12-14 inclusive, it was announced by William Newman, chairman of the Keyport Businessmen's Association's retail standards committee.

The sale, expected to be one of the largest sales events in the borough's history will get underway at nine o'clock next Thursday morning with thousands of outstanding bargains offered by the local merchants. In addition, each day will find super sale bargains offered by the 40 participating merchants.

Mr. Newman disclosed that all is in readiness for the three day sales promotion here and that merchants have gone all out to assure its success. He predicted the event would be another sensationally successful sale for Keyport.

## TEACHERS ENROLL IN RUTGERS COURSE

Several local school teachers are enrolled in courses in the Rutgers six-week summer session at the School of Education.

They are Geraldine Byrnes, Englishtown; Joseph P. Hawkins, Matawan; Bertha Hyne, Matawan; Anthony J. Nuccio, Matawan and Robert S. Kuhle, West Keansburg.

## BEGINS NURSING DUTIES IN MATAWAN

Mrs. Kathleen Shafto, Little St., Matawan, will be formally welcomed as the working supervisor of the Long Branch Public Health Nursing Association at its meeting Aug. 10. Mrs. Shafto, night supervisor at the Marlboro State Hospital until her resignation last May, assumed her new duties Aug. 1.

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## UNION BEACH MAN FINED FOR HITTING POLICEMEN

Thomas McKittrick, Park avenue, Union Beach, was fined \$250 and costs, placed on two years probation and given a suspended six months county jail term.

McKittrick was charged with assaulting two Union Beach patrolmen, Gus Strauch and William Nagle, on June 6.

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## DODGERS HOLD LEAD IN WIN OVER UNION BEACH

Acie Cottrell's pitching and batting for the Keyport Dodgers maintained the squad's half game lead over Matawan in the Bayshore Little Bigger League Monday as the locals downed Union Beach 3-2.

Acie allowed only two hits and blasted out a home run in the top half of the seventh frame to break a 2-2 tie. Union Beach was unable to score in their last licks at bat. Bill Eastmond pitched very good ball for Union Beach striking out the side on several occasions. Both Eastmond and Cottrell matched strikeouts at 14 each. Eastmond allowed six passes and Cottrell permitted four free passes.

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## MATAWAN AA WINS IN JERSEY SHORE CONTEST

The Matawan AA rolled over the Puerto Rican All Stars Sunday, 13-0 in a Jersey Shore Baseball League tilt.

Mickey Nagle took care of the defensive work for the Matawan team as the Puerto Rican Stars suffered their 11th straight setback. Nagle tossed a one-hitter at the cellar dwellers.

Leading the attack were Carman Davino and Trout with three hits apiece and Tony Garito and Bill Fitzpatrick with two safeties each. Matawan 221 050 12-13  
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ponio of Lakewood. Brown had previously run up a string of nine feature event victories. Al Pomponio was the victor in the third 10-lap heat. Joe Vique of Hightstown was second and Ed

Following behind Frazee were Jim Delaney of Hope, Doc Morrow of Old Bridge and Al Pom-

## LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND  
To Whom It May Concern:  
At a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Madison, County of Middlesex, New Jersey, held on July 12th, 1954, it was directed to advertise the fact that the Township Committee will meet in the Township Hall, Browntown, N. J., on August 9th, 1954, to expose and sell at public sale to the highest bidder according to the terms of sale on file with the Township Clerk open to inspection and to be publicly read prior to sale, 16 1/2 feet of Lot 104, Summerfield Ave., Laurence Harbor.  
Take further notice that the Township Committee by resolution, and pursuant to law fixed a minimum price at which said lot in said block will be sold together with all other details pertinent, said minimum price being \$75 plus costs of preparing deed and advertising this sale.  
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