

# City Will Eventually Lose the Standard Plant

Parrot rumors current for several weeks that Plainfield was to lose the Standard Aero Corporation manufacturing industry were finally confirmed yesterday when William H. B. Mingle announced that the company had purchased the John Stephenson car shop at the intersection of North and Second streets and would immediately begin the work of making a new plant at that point. The two factories on North, avenue, this city will be continued during the period of the war but after that they will be given up entirely as it is the desire of the Standard division to have all the construction work on roof. Inducements are to be made to the present employees, many of whom have become experts in this particular line, to accept positions at the new plant and it is probable that the majority of them will accept either removing to Ellensburg, or commuting from Ellensburg.

The Stephenson shop has a floor space of about 100,000 square feet, which is sufficient to meet the needs of the Standard people for a long time to come. In addition there are open grounds about the building which will be used for erecting new facilities can be had by either air or water. These advantages are all considered when the selection of the new location was made. At the present time the employees at the North avenue plants number about 700 of whom fifty are girls. William Mingle informed that the Standard plant in Ellensburg is now being built on a site which was formerly a golf course and that before a very great number of employees of the company might be brought up to 5,000.

"As you know," Mr. Mingle continued, "the Government has been very liberal with us in giving us land for our makes of air machines and hydroplanes, principally because of their superiority and the fact that we are turning out a great number of them. We realize that we have been turning out a greater number of complete machines than we agreed to. However, the Federal authorities are anxious for more than we can build at Plainfield under present circumstances and the need of larger quantities has become imperative. When we think of going to turn out from 700 to 200 large sized planes every day, we realize it will be necessary to supply a sufficient number of men and for that reason we are instructing this in nearly every department. If the Government is to be able to supply the war needs, it is the wisdom of this can be fully realized. Those who remain with us and transfer their services to the new plant will be given the advantage as a great many new people will be brought in. We are very sorry to leave Plainfield but our duty is to the Government."

## Parrot Not to Be in Surrogate Contest

Having efficiently filled the office of surrogate for a period of thirty years, George T. Parrot, of Ellensburg, has announced that he will not be a candidate for himself, despite rumors to that effect which have been in circulation among his friends and in official circles for several days.

Surrogate Parrot expresses his appreciation at the confidence which people of Union county have shown in him during his incumbency, but because of advancing years does not wish to assume any longer the exacting duties of the office.

## Howard Lapsley to Seek the Sheriff Nomination

Howard G. Lapsley, of this city, for years an active worker in the Democratic party, yesterday announced himself as a candidate for the sheriff's nomination. He will seek the support of the voters upon a platform pledging an economical, business administration of the sheriff's office and it is understood he will receive the backing of the organization.

Mr. Lapsley was born in Plainfield, where he was his life and was a well-known and successful throughout the county. He is a member of Union County Draft Examiners Board, No. 2, now sitting here.

**MR. MAHER'S NEW POSITION.**  
Mr. Maher, of Richmond, who recently resigned his position at the Standard Aero plant, has been appointed superintendent of the United States Air Corps at New York. He has been new duties yesterday.

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# Plan Send Off Father McDonald To Be Chaplain in Foreign Service

At a conference between Colonel Martin, of the Second Regiment, and a committee representing the Executive Committee of the Trenton Committee for War Emergencies yesterday, preliminary details were arranged for a request to the War Department in honor of the soldiers of the Second Regiment and the young men of Trenton who have been enrolled in the National Army under the conscription law. As one of the units of the regiment, 150 Plainfield boys in Company K will join in the demonstration.

Colonel Martin has informed Mr. Donnelly that the Second Regiment is ready to participate in any event that the citizens of Trenton desire to have. That he will be prepared to have the regiment on parade at half an hour's notice. He endorsed the plan of the Executive Committee to have the regiment parade with the conscripted soldiers, the soldiers to be headed by a detail of police and the Trenton Committee for War Emergencies as an escort of honor. The date for the demonstration has not been set, but it is proposed to have the farewell to the troops from Trenton as possible. Colonel Martin will inform the Executive Committee of any order assigning him command to leave Trenton and the date for the demonstration. The date for the demonstration on 24 hours' notice.

After the parade that is to be a part of the farewell demonstration, there will be presentations of various gifts to officers and men of the Second Regiment and to the conscripted soldiers. The gifts will come from the citizens of Trenton and contributors to the Trenton War Emergency Fund. There will also be a special feast for the soldiers at the camp of the Second Regiment, to be followed by an evening of high-class entertainment.

The Second Regiment has been invited by the Citizens of Trenton to be the guests of the Trenton War Emergency Fund. The invitation was accepted by Colonel Martin, commander of the regiment. The program for this event for the soldiers is being arranged by Joseph R. Ashmore and Dr. John H. Murray, representing the Citizens of Trenton.

Former Governor Smith will make an address on "Our Boys." There will be a special moving picture showing the arrival of American troops in France. Other numbers of the program will be vaudeville and music. The Hindenburg and the Zeppelin, and the Battle of Brink have been selected to serve refreshments to the soldiers in the banquet hall of the mosque.

The Second Regiment will parade from its camp to the Temple. The route will be from the Temple down Brunswick street to Broad street, to Perry street, to North Clinton street, to Crescent Temple.

## Ralph Morrow, Former Editor of Press, Weds

Surprise was expressed here today when the wedding of Ralph Morrow, twelve years editor of the Daily Press, learned of his marriage on Wednesday night to Miss Mary A. Moran, of Macy Park, Harrisburg, Pa. The ceremony being performed in the rectory of St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York. A special dispensation being granted, Rev. Henry E. Hammer officiated.

Mr. Morrow was one of Plainfield's best known business men during his period as editor of the Daily Press. Three years ago he left this city to become editor of the Greenwich, Conn. Press, of which Rev. Charles P. Taylor, a former Plainfielder and "the fighting parson," was manager.

## CLARENCE LIGHTFOOT CALLED TO FORT MEYER

Clarence Lightfoot, of Chatham county, who has held a responsible position in the drafting department at the Pond Tool Works for several years, left for Fort Meyer, Va., Wednesday afternoon by train. Mr. Lightfoot has been a reservist in both the artillery and cavalry divisions and will undergo a three-month course before receiving a commissioned office. He was accompanied as far as Washington by Mrs. Lightfoot who will remain there a few days before returning to her home at Kansas City, Mo. During her husband's absence, Mr. Lightfoot has been a valuable man at the Pond shop and his departure will be greatly felt. Both he and his wife have a wide acquaintance in Plainfield and Westfield, having resided in the latter place at one time. It is their intention to return to Plainfield after the close of the war.

**JAMES O. MURRAY**  
ENLISTED IN SIGNAL CORPS.  
James O. Murray, of 727 Washington avenue, has enlisted in the Signal Corps of the U. S. Army, and is at present stationed at Princeton, N. J.

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# No More New Men to be Called Before Local Board

## Examination of 816 Registrants Yields a Total of 178 Conscripts—Hearing for Claims of Discharge Now Going On

First Contingent of 67 Men Will Leave Plainfield for Camp on September 5th—Councilman Charles Loizeaux Mentioned for Appointment as Leader

Official figures coming from the Plainfield District Exemption Board today make it certain that no more registrants have to be called to secure this community's contribution to the National Army. The 150 men passed upon this week resulted in 87 acceptances and with those previously secured from the first sitting of the board give a grand total of 178 accepted. Chairman Charles A. Reed and his assistants are now at work giving special hearings to the big National Army. The 150 men passed upon this week resulted in 87 acceptances and with those previously secured from the first sitting of the board give a grand total of 178 accepted. Chairman Charles A. Reed and his assistants are now at work giving special hearings to the big National Army. The 150 men passed upon this week resulted in 87 acceptances and with those previously secured from the first sitting of the board give a grand total of 178 accepted. Chairman Charles A. Reed and his assistants are now at work giving special hearings to the big National Army.

Appeals are now being made by the District Board at Newark, the first step from Plainfield on the part of those who insist upon their claims for exemption. At yesterday's meeting at Newark four men were David Wardrop, of 225 West Fourth street, who had the distinction of being the first man accepted in the Plainfield examinations. He is employed at the Pond Tool Works.

The complete disposition of the 816 registrants examined at the various sittings of the Exemption Board to date is given below:

178 ACCEPTED MEN		Volunteered—Accepted	
1346	Charles Montague	1863	George Moore, Jr.
1807	Leonard Schlick		
1822	Charles T. Turum		
1827	Charles Drake		
1828	Joseph Grant		
1831	William Marsh	1813	John Dry
1910	Paul De Serio	2547	George E. Gordon
1920	Lyrling Pratt	2548	Wilbur A. Ford
1929	Edward Pollard	1891	Glenn H. Stetson
2555	William Van Norden, Jr.	1440	John Woods
2548	George H. Fischer, Jr.	2380	Charles E. Green
2732	Moses Chandler	707	Carl W. A. P. Helstrom
1904	Robert Borup	2107	William Jones
2507	Harry Gunstman	1848	John C. Mottley
1091	Henry F. Freeman	2122	Abraham Golden
181	Salvador Giacomelli	1145	Russell Stewart
1187	John E. Connolly	343	Walter S. Robinson
1827	Loacy Tuck	2740	Verina Di Donato
2546	George W. Mundy	2885	Herman T. Weiss, Jr.
2548	Cyril J. Skesken	2917	James M. Oullen
1468	Henry H. Oalmro	363	Herbert L. Tooley
1511	Charles F. Foster	679	Vernon N. Garces
1996	Arthur Saunders		
1240	James H. Peyton		
1217	Thomas Heron		
2760	Edward Heath		
1961	David Washington		
981	Albert Hengler		
566	Joseph Pisano		
1588	William Blount		
1520	Joseph J. Kennedy		
1639	Francis J. McElhone		
2150	Edward S. Ryan, Jr.		
1342	James A. Stiles		
1471	Everett L. Mackey		
1275	Lawrence M. Duke		
2378	William J. LeFollette		
1254	Levis Rothberg		
1439	Edward S. Ryan, Jr.		
622	Alvis J. Stevens		
2409	William Karl		
2873	Carl Teitz		
2342	Frederick M. Wheeler		
338	George Farvill		
1439	Joseph Kunetz		
1401	Frank Donnelly		
1804	James P. Casey		
963	Samuel Hochberger		
1069	Paul F. Adams		
1650	Robert F. Ransch		
1901	Albert Peterson		
681	John R. Carter		
1877	Angello Borbo		
1678	F. Otto Links		
156	Benjamin H. Borman		
1321	George F. Tait		
2280	Nicholas L. E. Nihon		
1183	Joseph M. Bobout		
1053	Joseph Turzanski		
1218	George F. Hall		
2222	John A. Anderson		
1478	James V. Tate		
2504	Rudolph Buck		
1880	Carl M. Bueracker		
2380	Fred J. Sheelen		
1390	Henry G. Brandt		
857	John O. Martin		
862	Michello Potento		
1210	Esty Foster		
1536	Thomas J. Mumford		
2845	L. P. Powers		

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**Senator "Jim" Will Celebrate His  
Sixty-Seventh Birthday Tomorrow**

Former United States Senator James B. Martine will celebrate his sixty-seventh birthday tomorrow at his home on Watchung avenue, where he has been passing a quiet and uneventful summer as a country gentleman. Time really lightly on the brow of the "Farmer-Orator" and he is still hale and hearty. Since he was defeated for re-election to the Senate last fall he has dropped entirely out of public life and busied himself around his farm, but this winter he expects to spend in Washington. Whether or not he will again run for an office is a question which he has not yet decided. The Senator only smiles, and starts talking about his farm.

For all the fact that Senator "Jim" has had an active and on the whole an eventful life, he is one of those

**FORMER SENATOR JAMES B. MARTINE.**

modest people who care not for paper  
writings and for that reason he will  
give many a word to add to the de-  
scription in "Who's Who in Ameri-  
ca." That little book, however, has  
this to say:

"Mr. Martine was born in New York city, August 25, 1850, and re-  
ceived his early education in the  
public schools of that city. His par-  
ents removed to Plainfield, where his  
father, Daniel W. Martine, purchased  
a farm of 160 acres surrounding  
the city. Mr. Martine was educated  
in which the Senator and his wife  
reside at the present time. Senator  
Martine's father died when he was  
still in his teens, and since that  
time he has been actively engaged in  
directing the affairs of the estate. For  
thirty years he has engaged in  
practical farming, but in more recent  
times he has combined farming with  
real estate operations. Of the original  
farm 160 acres have been develop-

**President Asked to  
Exempt Police and  
Firemen From Draft**

Exemption of policemen, firemen  
and medical and dental students  
from the operations of the selective  
draft law was urged by President  
Wilson Tuesday in resolutions adopted  
at a meeting of the chairmen of the  
District Appeal Boards of the  
State of New York. Charles E. Hughes,  
who presided, was instructed  
to explain the action to Governor  
Whitman, through whom the request  
to the President was made.

The resolution concerning policemen  
and firemen asked the President  
to amend the draft rules so as to ex-  
clude all such men in cities and to  
permit local and district boards to  
reopen the case of any policeman or  
fireman already passed on.

In his letter to Governor Whitman  
Mr. Hughes directed attention to the  
fact that there are 10,760 policemen  
in New York city, and of this num-  
ber between 3,000 and 3,500 are  
subject to the draft. In addition the  
city is employing 1,200 special po-  
licemen in guarding public utilities.  
It cannot, Mr. Hughes added, em-  
phasize too strongly the fact that the  
men between the ages of 21 and 29  
are eligible to the force.

Concerning firemen Mr. Hughes in  
his letter quoted the first commission-  
er as saying that of 3,825 firemen,  
1,461 were of draft age, and that at  
least three years are required to  
train a fireman. In addition the  
demands on the department because  
of the increasing manufacture of  
war munitions in New York and the  
need of military supplies abroad  
made it imperative that the fire-  
men be drafted. He stated that the  
firemen were drafted some compa-  
nies, Mr. Hughes said, would either  
have been discharged or manned  
by inexperienced men.

The resolution dealing with medi-  
cal and dental students asked the  
President to "detail all medical and  
dental students and interns in hos-  
pitals, after they have been drafted,  
to schools of instruction or hospi-  
tals, to continue their preparatory  
course until called for service."

In explaining the resolution to  
Governor Whitman, Mr. Hughes  
quoted Dr. S. S. Goldwater, of the  
New York city district board, as ap-  
peals, as saying that fourteen years  
ago there were 27,615 medical stu-  
dents in this country, while last year  
there were only 13,121. About 4,000  
interns are required annually  
by the hospitals while the available  
force was only 3,000. Hospital staffs  
were heavily by men entering the  
medical reserve corps. Thirty per

**Recruiting for New  
Guard Nearing End**

Recruiting for the new State mili-  
tary force to take the place of the  
National Guard that has been called  
into the Federal service will come to  
an end very soon, and until  
then anyone between the ages of  
21 and 45 wishing to join will be re-  
ceived at the Elizabeth armory. Ma-  
jor was commissioned, of this city, who  
to the new guard in Union  
county, has been making a deter-  
mined effort during the present week  
to secure the largest number of vol-  
unteers. It is likely he will be  
able to command the force raised  
in this county.

The idea of raising a new force  
for home defense within the State  
has met with enthusiastic support  
and is receiving practically every con-  
tribution and it is now certain that the de-  
sired strength of the new organiza-  
tion will be reached. The new body  
is to consist of 10,000 men and will  
be subject to orders from the  
Governor for service within the State  
for any purpose that military forces  
may be required to perform. The  
men will be paid, transported, sub-  
sisted and furnished attention by the  
State. Each recruit is required to  
take on the new guard for the duration of the  
war and for a year later. Thus  
Plainfield has practically no re-  
served force, although an invita-  
tion has been extended to mem-  
bers of the Home Defense League.

**Standard Owing  
Proves Greatest of  
Any In Recent Years**

Plainfielders have experienced  
many delightful summer junkies,  
but it is doubtful if any of them  
one of them attained the success  
which crowned the first annual out-  
ing of the Standard Aero Corpora-  
tion's flyers to the Hudson River  
last Saturday. It surpassed anything of the kind that  
has yet gone out of this city and it  
is the opinion of the general public  
to have a good time no blame can be  
attached to the officers of the con-  
cern or the members of the general  
committee who exerted themselves to  
the utmost to make the affair one  
big round of pleasure. The old say-  
ing that "it is the little things in  
life that count" was never more bet-  
ter exemplified than on this excu-  
sion because those in charge had taken  
care of so many little things not  
mentioned on a trip ordinarily made  
for the happy gathering kept experi-  
ence pure surprise after another. Much  
of the credit is due Thomas J.  
Wesley, chairman of the general com-  
mittee, who forgot his own per-  
sonal pleasure to help everyone else  
have a good time. An appreciation is  
also due President of the Standard  
General Manager C. V. Bradford, of  
the Standard Corporation, who joined  
in the fun with that spirit of de-  
mocracy that makes everybody feel  
at home.

The excursionists left this city by  
regular train at noon and started  
out from Jersey City on the steam  
"Orient" shortly after 2 o'clock.  
Bear Mountain is sixty miles up the  
Hudson, a short distance South of  
West Point but the long and narrow  
boat trip is a most enjoyable one.  
The excursionists had a fine program  
had seen to it that a fine program  
was in readiness to keep everyone  
busy when not viewing the beautiful  
scenery and the views of the city.  
This was a distinct treat in itself be-  
cause scores of the Standard working  
force have recently come from the  
West and South and never had the  
opportunity of seeing the wonder-  
ful Palisades.

The uninitiated also had a splen-  
did chance to view the world's  
largest boat, the "Vander-  
land," and the giant liner "Martha  
Washington," which were set by  
the Standard Corporation at the  
mouth of the Hudson. The  
two vessels are berthed at the  
Hoboken pier in Hoboken. The  
Standard Corporation has a fine  
close up under the sterns of the  
interior ships to give the Plainfielders  
a chance to look them over. It was  
a sight to see the Standard  
scores exchanged greetings with the  
"amateurs" on the decks of the in-  
terior liners, the latter crowding  
the rails as the "Orient" swept by.

Ferd Halbroster's orchestra of  
eight pieces from Elizabeth was lo-  
cated on the upper deck of the  
steamers and furnished music for the  
dancing, the big attraction for the  
young people. One of the members  
of the orchestra was Harry Brown,  
one of the famous six Brown brothers,  
whose saxophone selections are  
familiar the world over through the  
records of the Victor company. Mr.  
Brown is a wonderful cornetist and  
his work on the instrument occasion-  
ally has much comment during the entire  
trip. The Standard corporation has  
had everybody "sitting up and tak-  
ing notice." During intermissions in  
the dancing solos were sung by Miss  
Jane Healy, a beautiful singer, and  
David Patterson, each of whom met  
with a big reception. The orchestra  
accompanied the singers under the  
direction of the long-haired, well-known  
Elizabeth leader, who has appeared in musical work  
on many occasions. Several  
songs were played on the organ,  
of all popular songs and the crowd  
joined in singing them. Several  
times the music was watered to the  
crowd by the Standard corporation.  
Dutch steamers anchored in the up-  
per Hudson and the crews of the  
various vessels took up the strain, the  
crowd jumping and cheering and  
awarded the winners of each  
carrying out of this program will  
make another afternoon of pleasure  
to which all Standard folks are  
looking forward with great anticipa-  
tion.

The general committee which ar-  
ranged and conducted the excursion  
outing was composed of Thomas J.  
Wesley, chairman; E. E. Pennell,  
H. C. Datch, E. H. Shoemaker and  
J. C. Scott, who were assisted by  
these subcommittees: William C. H.  
Shoemaker, Andrew Reid, N. L.  
Hilderbrand, A. Ward, Parker Cran-  
ford, F. C. Toller, J. C. Toller,  
program and conductors: Thomas H.  
Healey, general chairman; George P.  
Meyer, W. T. Woodruff, J. D. F.  
Healey, in charge of the program  
to be enjoyed. This was the only  
feature which went amiss. The  
Standard corporation was not  
getting up the river and instead of  
reaching the Bear Mountain landing  
at 5:30 as was intended, did not dock  
until 6:30. The Standard corporation  
and any stop-over would have meant  
too late an hour to getting back to  
Plainfield, it was decided to start on  
the return trip at 6:30. The Standard  
President Mingle disembarging. He  
paid his respects to the Bear Moun-  
tain management, explaining what  
the Standard corporation was doing.  
The "Orient" up down the Hudson  
in excellent time, making her slip at  
the Communipaw terminal at 11:45.  
The Standard corporation was met  
by a special train which brought the ex-  
cursionists home about 1 o'clock,  
somewhat tired but in good  
mood. The Standard corporation  
and given them such a splendid day.

The officials of the Standard are  
and the full board

**PERSONAL**

Miss Margaret Winter, of East Sec-  
ond street, has been spending the  
past week at Asbury Park.

Frankie Bonnell, of Stone  
street, foreman at the local tele-  
phone exchange, returned Monday  
after a two weeks' visit with his par-  
ents at his former home in Plain-  
field, N. J.

Mr. Foster M. Johnston, of Grant  
avenue, returned recently after a  
visit to his home in New Eng-  
land and Canada.

Patrick Mottley, of South Second  
street, left last week for Belmar,  
where he will spend the week with  
his daughter, Mrs. F. J. McCarthy,  
formerly of this city but now of  
Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Woolston and  
family, of Fairview avenue, are go-  
ing to Asbury Park. They will  
remain until the first week in Sep-  
tember.

Rev. Father R. M. Bogan, of St.  
Mary's church, returned Saturday  
after a two weeks' stay at the Catho-  
lic School, Cliff Haven, Lake  
Champlain.

Miss Eleanor Drake, of South Sec-  
ond street, returned recently from  
New Brunswick.

Daniel J. Couraine, of West Fourth  
street, returned to his duties in New  
York Wednesday after a three  
weeks' vacation.

Miss Nellie Reynolds, of Watchung  
avenue, spent the past week-end  
at Asbury Park with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reynolds, who  
are spending the summer at that resort.

William Wright and family, of  
Prospect avenue, returned Sunday  
after a three weeks' stay in the Cat-  
kill Mountains.

Mrs. Francis J. Blatz and chil-  
dren, of West Front street, left re-  
cently for Asbury Park, where they  
will remain until September.

Benjamin Evans and family, of  
Prospect avenue, returned Sunday  
after a three weeks' vacation trip  
through the New England States.

Mrs. John Tobin, of Monroe ave-  
nue, has been entertaining her  
family at Asbury Park, where  
Allen, of New York. They will re-  
turn Sunday.

Miss Helen Higgins, of West Front  
street, has been spending the past  
week at Manassas at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Burke, at  
that summer bungalow.

Charles Schick, of Low place, and  
Jacob Schick, of Johnson avenue,  
returned Sunday after a week's stay  
at Mr. Schick's camp at Kearsburg.

First Vice President, of No. 1  
Muhlenberg Hospital following an  
operation performed recently for ap-  
pendicitis. He is now recovering  
steadily but will shortly be able  
to return to his home.

Walter Baker, of Somerset place,  
left a few days ago for Syracuse, N. Y.,  
where he has been assigned to his  
duty as a member of the Quarter-  
masters' Department.

Charles Schick and family, of  
Mountain avenue, are enjoying their  
stay at Asbury Park and will remain  
until Labor Day.

William C. Van Epps, of Nether-  
wood avenue, who recently under-  
went an operation for appendicitis at  
Muhlenberg Hospital, continues to  
improve steadily and will shortly be  
able to return to his home.

Frank Schuck, of Vine street, re-  
turned this week from Washington,  
D. C., where he was located for two  
weeks awaiting a large press for the  
Scott Press Works.

Miss Rosalie Poling, of West Fifth  
street, has been spending the past  
week at Asbury Park as a portion of  
her annual vacation.

Place at Bear Mountain and to that  
place will continue their stay at  
Plainfield at some future date. The list  
is to include the following: Three  
standing broad jumps, running  
100 yards, 160 yards, 220 yards, quar-  
ter mile run, quart contest, quarter  
mile run, and three boxing bouts. Fine prizes  
for merchandise and cash are to be  
awarded the winners of each.  
The carrying out of this program will  
make another afternoon of pleasure  
to which all Standard folks are  
looking forward with great anticipa-  
tion.

The general committee which ar-  
ranged and conducted the excursion  
outing was composed of Thomas J.  
Wesley, chairman; E. E. Pennell,  
H. C. Datch, E. H. Shoemaker and  
J. C. Scott, who were assisted by  
these subcommittees: William C. H.  
Shoemaker, Andrew Reid, N. L.  
Hilderbrand, A. Ward, Parker Cran-  
ford, F. C. Toller, J. C. Toller,  
program and conductors: Thomas H.  
Healey, general chairman; George P.  
Meyer, W. T. Woodruff, J. D. F.  
Healey, in charge of the program  
to be enjoyed. This was the only  
feature which went amiss. The  
Standard corporation was not  
getting up the river and instead of  
reaching the Bear Mountain landing  
at 5:30 as was intended, did not dock  
until 6:30. The Standard corporation  
and any stop-over would have meant  
too late an hour to getting back to  
Plainfield, it was decided to start on  
the return trip at 6:30. The Standard  
President Mingle disembarging. He  
paid his respects to the Bear Moun-  
tain management, explaining what  
the Standard corporation was doing.  
The "Orient" up down the Hudson  
in excellent time, making her slip at  
the Communipaw terminal at 11:45.  
The Standard corporation was met  
by a special train which brought the ex-  
cursionists home about 1 o'clock,  
somewhat tired but in good  
mood. The Standard corporation  
and given them such a splendid day.

**NEARLY COUPLE TO BE  
WEDDED IN THIS CITY.**

Invitations have been issued for  
the marriage of Miss Kathryn V. H.  
MacGrove, daughter of Mrs. Viola  
MacGrove, of 166 North  
Eleventh street, Newark, and  
Wald P. Hill, of 147 Third street,  
Newark. The wedding will take place  
on Saturday at the home of Mrs.  
Charles D. Clark, 498 North Sixth  
street, this city, sister of the bride-  
groom.

H. J. Levy, of West Fourth street,  
opposite Darrow avenue, left Tues-  
day for Southern Illinois, where he

**Bound Brook Man to  
Help Rebuild France**

Professor D. Townsend Mason  
of W. B. R. Mason, of Bound  
Brook, and a graduate of the  
University of California, is in this  
city this past week previous to  
leaving for France on a very im-  
portant mission. The Government  
commission has been given to  
has been given to the reconstruction  
by President Wilson and it is  
well known that the reconstruction  
of France is a very important  
task. The American Government  
has been given the honor of re-  
claiming the devastated territory  
will prove a big undertaking.

Professor Mason was graduated  
from the Plainfield High School in  
1900 and attended Yale University  
where he completed his studies at Yale  
University. He made a special study  
of forestry and received an appoint-  
ment as a Government Forester with  
headquarters in Montana. He be-  
came highly proficient in his pro-  
fession and was honored by the  
University of California in being  
named as a member of the insti-  
tute of forestry in this institution.  
Because of the demand for his  
services the California University  
gave him permission each year to give  
instruction in forestry to the  
classes at Yale, Harvard, Princeton  
and the University of Pennsylvania  
and other well known schools.  
He has been given leave of  
absence from his professor's class  
during the period of the war.

Professor Mason's brother, Mr.  
Mason, also graduated from the  
Plainfield High School in 1900  
and is now a Government For-  
ester at Montana. He has been  
entering a wonderful work in making  
reconstructing the devastated terri-  
tory of France and is considered one  
of the country's experts on the subject.





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### Navy Seeks Jersey Men As Cooks, Bakers and Butchers

In accordance with orders from the Navy Department, a special effort is to be made to enlist cooks, bakers and butchers in New Jersey. Cooks are paid at the rate of \$66.50 a month. Some have already been obtained by Chief Stewart Longfellow, but he means to get more. They are urgently needed for Uncle Sam's ships. The boys in the Navy shall not want for anything in the eating line and that they shall have prepared for them in the best possible manner.

### Will Seek British Recruits Here Soon

Lieutenant William Whitwell, in charge of recruiting for the British army in Newark, started this week long for recruiting every Englishman in New Jersey. He has copied from the records at the State house at Trenton the names of all his countrymen in Plainfield and other places and will see that each one is personally invited to fight for their motherland.

### Peter Manger Weds

Miss Florence Conroy

Miss Florence Conroy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conroy, of Fairview avenue, the borough, and Peter Manger, of Conpton avenue, this city, were married Monday night at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. S. Gillespie, of Grace M. E. church, of which both young people are members, assisted by Dr. H. K. Carroll. Mr. and Mrs. David D. Smalley, Jr., of the borough, who were married last Saturday, acted as best man and matron of honor.

A reception followed the ceremony and later Mr. and Mrs. Manger left for a wedding trip in the South. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Moore, C. B. Morse, J. R. Hittinger, J. Götter.

### Squad No. 3 Gets Honor In Home Defense League

The Plainfield Home Defense League had a successful drill Wednesday night at the Horse Show Grounds, very well attended for a mid-summer drill, with as many of the men out of town. Lieutenant J. Whitney Baker announced that Squad No. 3, under command of Sergeant Howard Hammett, was awarded the honor of position at the right of the line for having the largest number present. The men present from the borough were as follows: Sergeant Howard Hammett, Corporal D. J. Attwood, E. A. Brown, H. H. Foster, H. J. Gauthier, G. D. Herling, A. A. Hedder, J. H. Manning, H. E. Moore, C. B. Morse, J. R. Hittinger, J. Götter.

The first Squad, commanded by Corporal Anderson, had the second Squad, commanded by Corporal R. T. Phillips, the third best.

### Father Carrick Improving

Rev. Father Charles Carrick, assistant at St. Mary's church for the summer season, who has been at Mulholland, is improving rapidly after the removal of the appendix and several days have passed without any serious complications.

Mr. Traynor, Jr., of East Second street, has been appointed yard master at the North avenue freight yards of the Jersey Central. He has been formerly employed at the freight station but more recently has been connected with the local plant of the International Motor Company.

### NEW FIREMEN BEGIN WORK

Joseph Carroll and Charles T. Southard, recently appointed by the Councilman Fire Board as members of the City Fire Department, began their new duties this week. Carroll was assigned to No. 2 house on West Fourth street to take the place of Oliver R. Pearson, Jr., who has been called out as a member of Company K, and Southard is sent to No. 1 house on West Second street, where a temporary vacancy exists through the illness of Fireman William Gahb.

## \$4,400 Limit Fixed For Furnishings at City Hall Building

## Governor Promises Troops at Asbury's "Jersey Day" Parade

At a meeting of the Common Council, Monday night, it was announced by Chairman Hyland, of the new City Hall committee, that \$4,400 had been decided upon as the limit of expenditures for furnishings for the City Hall building. The architect is charged with the duty of preparing specifications and bids are now being asked for. They will be opened at the next regular meeting of the Council on September 4.

The installation of electric fixtures in the new building is also not to cost more than \$1,600. This figure has been placed at the limit and bids for furnishing the preliminary equipment will be opened the same night as those for the furnishings. Mr. Hyland offered a resolution that the Newark Paving Company be given a contract for building the concrete walks about the grounds at a price of \$1,650. It was explained that the previous lowest bid before the Newark concern submitted an estimate was about \$4,000. The difference is due to the fact that the Newark people are working on one of the city's paving contracts and has all its men and equipment here, thus saving the expense another concern would have to undergo. The resolution was passed with only Mr. Simcox voting against it.

The Council received a petition from Ryder & Graves asking that two street lights be placed in Front and West Second streets, West Front street and West Second street. The petition was referred to the street lighting committee.

A. A. King, of 16 Grove street, petitioned for a permit to install a 500-gallon gasoline tank under the sidewalk in front of his premises, and a similar request was received from A. C. Bickman, of 112 East Second street. Both petitions were granted.

The request of John C. Cline and A. C. Bickman, both of East Second street, asking for permission to place a sign on their buildings, which project eight feet over the sidewalk, was denied.

Mrs. T. Sharp and others, of Emerson avenue, petitioned the Council for an extension of time within which the Council ordered to install new sidewalks on that street.

Mayor Galina appointed the following special policemen to guard the building of the grounds of the Standard Aeroplane Company: Geo. Massey, Thomas Lyons, Patrick J. Melvin, William Crowley, John Cline and Joseph Carroll. The appointments were confirmed.

The Fire and Buildings Committee reported to the Council that Charles Southern and Joseph Carroll had been appointed probationary members of the fire department, and asked that the committee's action be approved. This was done.

A resolution offered by Mr. Condit, of the Third ward, accepted on the part of the inviting committee, of the League of New Jersey Municipalities, to join in a protest against the application of the Public Service Corporation to the Public Utilities Commission for permission to reduce the quality of gas now being furnished in this State, because of an increase in the cost of gas making materials, or to permit the company to increase its rates for gas service.

The resolution also appropriated \$150 to defray the cost of procuring the project of the League of Municipalities. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

A resolution offered by Mr. Cose, of the Fifth and Sixth wards, authorized the city clerk to advertise for proposals for furnishing a new motor and other appliances for the New Jersey State Department Headquarters. The proposals will be received at the next meeting of the Council.

The Electric Company was directed to place a street light on Sheridan avenue, as directed by the chairman of the Street Lighting Committee.

## State Action Saves Money for Armory

The unofficial information coming from military sources at Trenton that the State has decided to construct building several armories in various cities that provision had been made for the construction of a State armory at this city, that the State will not go into new headquarters when they return from service as they had proposed. That plan if carried out, however, will mean that the local military unit will eventually have an armory.

Plans for Asbury Park's celebration of carnival now include a great military parade on the morning of Wednesday, August 29, which will be known as New Jersey Day.

Governor Edge has sanctioned the organization and has also, through General Charles W. Davis, promised the participation of the Third Regiment and other military forces now at Sea Air equipment. The parade will receive a new regimental standard, which will be the gift of the city of Asbury Park. It will be presented by Miss Liberty (Grullia Taylor), who will make the presentation address. The speech of acceptance will be made by Colonel Thomas H. Landon, commander of the Third Regiment.

## Merchants Planning Another Dollar Day

Another "Dollar Day," similar in many ways to those taking place previously, was decided upon by the Business Men's Association at a special meeting Tuesday night. The date has not been fixed as yet but it will be in the near future. A large number of merchants have agreed to forego will assist in making the day a success and it is believed that the coming one will eclipse all previous efforts. Further details will be announced next week.

The meeting was held at the store of M. C. Van Arsdale on East Front street and was largely attended. Beside the Dollar Day proposition, a number of important matters were brought up for discussion, among them one of great importance to the Public Service Corporation change the terms of the Netherwood and Fourth street trolleys from the corner of Front and Somerset streets to Front and Grove streets. This could be easily done by installing a switch at Grove street before the new brick building is begun. The change would not only relieve the obnoxious congestion at Front and Somerset streets but would enable passengers to get to the corner of Front and Somerset streets much quicker. It would be a decided help to shoppers who have to get off at the corner some distance from many of the stores or else go to the trouble of transferring to a Union car. A committee composed of Henry Rosenbaum, W. A. Woodruff, George J. Finkbeiner and Ford Applegate, Max Tepper and Herbert Schuldenfrei was appointed to take the matter up with the Corporation.

Another matter which came before the meeting was the advisability of holding a Fashion Show in the fall, instead of the winter. The idea is to have an especially elaborate display of the fall and winter fashions which would not only prove a great help to the buying public but also be of great benefit to the merchants. The proposition met with general favor and will be definitely decided upon at the next session.

## Addison Swift Out For Surrogateship

The petition of former Prosecutor C. Addison Swift for the Republican nomination for surrogate is ready for circulation, according to a well-known report. The election is to be held on Tuesday, September 1, and it is believed that the question for signatures will be started in a short time.

A large band of workers has promised to work for Mr. Swift, and there are indications that he will make a strenuous campaign and further the cause of the Republican.

The race for surrogate now promises to be as interesting as the Republican contest for sheriff. George T. Parrot, the incumbent, is anxious to run again. It is said, but an attempt has been made by the organization to get him out of the race in favor of Mr. Parrot. Whether this move was successful has not developed as yet, but indications now are that in any event Mr. Swift will make the race.

Other candidates for the Republican nomination are Sheriff George C. Otto and Peter J. Olds, secretary of the Union County Board of Taxation.

PLAINFIELD SISTER IS ASSIGNED TO TRENTON. Sister M. Concepts, of St. Mary's College, has been named as the State Superior for St. Mary's school in Trenton to succeed the late Sister Condit, who died several weeks ago. Sister Concepts is one of the brightest and most talented sisters in the order of Sisters of Mercy, which is the order stationed at St. Mary's. Sister Concepts has been for twenty years an instructor in various branches of study, particularly art, painting and music, in which branch she is remarkably talented.

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## LACK OF ENTERPRISE TO BLAME FOR PLANT'S LOSS.

President H. B. Mingle's announcement that the Standard Aero Corporation had purchased a large factory at Elizabethtown and would eventually remove its business to that point was received with deep regret by the citizens of Plainfield. It was hoped that this concern which has risen rapidly from a humble beginning would continue to make its headquarters in this community and there were fond beliefs that before many months the company would erect a plant of its own either in corporate limits or in the adjacent territory easily reached by trolley. The plant has meant a great deal to the business life of this community as the 700 employees now at work include many who came from other cities. They were destined to become permanent residents and more residents mean the building up of the town and a consequent increase of trade for the merchants. The force at the Elizabethtown shop is to be 2,000 at the beginning and 5,000 if possible inside of a year, either figure being larger than that claimed by any other industrial plant in Plainfield.

The loss of the Standard Aero can be traced directly to one thing. This is the failure of Plainfield's civic organizations to show any enterprise in offering inducements to the company to remain. According to President Mingle's own statement, if the officials of his concern had received any encouragement whatsoever from either the community at large or individuals there might have been no change in location, instead, the feeling seemed to exist in certain quarters that the city cares more for the commuting element than the mechanic class and there was no special reason why the concern should overlook the excellent opportunities offered by the lower end of Elizabeth.

This is not the first time that the heads of a big industry have figured that Plainfield is not overly warm toward factories. Another instance is found in the removal of the Spicer Company to South Plainfield. Like the Standard Aero Corporation this organization had a small beginning but quickly developed into a big concern. When it became necessary to branch out obstacles were placed in the path of the management and no one outside of a few real estate dealers took the trouble to offer help or suggestions. Numerous complaints were filed against the shop at Madison avenue and Third street and although it was admitted that the force department annoyed the neighborhood by its noise and could be offset by removal of this part of the working force to South Plainfield or some other point, no encouragement was given for the company to secure a Plainfield site. The Lehigh Valley Railroad officials were among the first to step in and by showing the advantages of their freight facilities and the general advantage of South Plainfield at sight induced the company to go to that section.

Not long ago a certain Plainfielder was making up a descriptive booklet to advertise the beauties of this city. In his search for advertisements to defray the expense he visited C. S. Dana, then head of the Spicer organization, and asked for a contribution, stating that the idea of the booklet was to promote the civic growth of this community.

"If you can show me," said Mr. Dana, "where Plainfield as a whole has done any one thing to help itself I will give you a \$200 advertisement. This company would have preferred to remain in Plainfield because of the convenience to employees but in-

stead of giving us any encouragement some citizens placed every obstacle in our path. After we removed to South Plainfield they even went to the extent of trying to have our trucks stop using the streets and were guilty of other petty annoyances that places us in anything but an amiable frame of mind toward the community."

What Mr. Dana said seems to apply to the case of the Standard. Mr. Mingle has very much the same idea regarding Plainfield's feeling toward factories, an impression that is easily gained by the head of a big concern when he asks for certain concessions. Plainfield appreciates the commuting element but it does not represent the city as a whole and the skilled mechanical class is just as much desired. Too much of either one does not result in the best interest for a community. An equal division is always the best as can be seen by a study of nearby towns. We want good factories in this vicinity and it is to be deplored that the Business Men's Association, the Chamber of Commerce or other organizations for the promotion of civic welfare do not display real energy in getting new concerns to locate here. The Standard is not to be lost entirely for the time being as the two North avenue plants are to remain as at present during the period of the war but this is little consolation in itself for the loss of a plant that will eventually have 5,000 hands on its pay-roll. The concern could have been kept in town and it might be well for those who have the best interests of Plainfield at heart to make sure that no other company with good intentions slips through their fingers.

## THE JERSEY CENTRAL GOING THE ERIE ONE BETTER.

Complaints have been pouring into the Record office of the poor service afforded local people by the New Jersey Central and from investigations it would seem that most of them are justifiable. There was a day when commuters got to their places of business on time and returned to Plainfield on time but recently this has been a rarity. Schedule seems to be a thing of the past and all trains, express as well as local, are late practically all the time. This applies particularly to the 7:52 morning express, which takes more commuters out of the city than perhaps any other train. One man is authority for the statement that it has never reached Jersey City yet at the time set for it, since the new table went into effect. In the evening, one of the incoming trains which seems to have difficulty in making progress, is the 5:45 from Liberty street. A matter of five minutes behind time is quite regular and one night last week it pulled into the North avenue station nearly twenty minutes behind. Other cases are being reported every day.

Another matter which is producing a vigorous "kick" from the local public is the slowness of the excursion trains to Lake Hopatcong. The trip was formerly made from Plainfield to the up-state resort in about two hours but this season it is taking nearly four. A week ago Sunday and the Sunday previous were both examples of this Erie-like rate of progress. The poor old much maligned Erie never had anything like this to its credit even in the darkest days of its lethargy. The main reason for the delay in getting to Lake Hopatcong is the central's idea of economy in trains. The first one cut, if it is not filled to its capacity, is held at Dunellen or some other point, until another one comes up and a transfer is made to get one full load instead of two halves. This requires a lot of time and the passengers have to take their punishment or stay home. A trip on one of the excursions which were formerly very popular shows that most of them are staying home.

Another glaring instance of the railroad's inability to move passengers on time took place last Saturday and made a big difference to the 800 people who went from this city on the Standard Aero Corporation's outing up the Hudson River. The committee was unable to secure a special for the occasion and practically all of the crowd determined to take the 12:12 express or the 12:30 local. The latter came along behind time but at that was ahead of the 12:12, which did not show up until nearly 1 o'clock. As a result the boat was held at its slip until 2:30 instead of getting away at 1:30. It was intended to make a stop of about two hours at Bear Mountain, the Northern terminus of the sail, but the steamer was so late in reaching this point that no landing could be made. It was a big disappointment to the excursionists as many of them had carried no eatables and were planning on dinner at the resort. If the Central trains had been on time the hour the boat lost at Jersey City would

have been saved and the landing could have been made.

It is an injustice to the public to inflict these delays and the Jersey Central is only hurting itself by continuing the practice. A witty Plainfielder who has to use the Jersey Central trains every day made a remark recently which conveys the feeling of the public.

"The Central's slogan," he said, "used to be 'your watch is your time table; a train every hour on the hour.' The officials should change it now to read: 'a train arrived on the proper hour today: who knows the cause?'"

## A CHANCE FOR EVERYONE TO ENTHUSE THE SOLDIER.

Mayor Calkins' appointment of a committee to arrange a demonstration in behalf of the Plainfield men selected for the new National Army before they leave for camp is only the first step in what should be one of the most enthusiastic military displays Plainfield has ever seen. It becomes every man, woman and child in this community to lend his or her support to the undertaking. It is the people's affair, not that of a committee or official. The brave lads who are giving their services and their lives if need be to further the policy of liberty need the encouragement of the folks at home and a military procession is one thing that can create enthusiasm. Cities all over the country are arranging for receptions and processions and there is even a prospect that the day of leaving for all conscripts may become a holiday in this State. So far Plainfield has been sitting by quietly, allowing Troop D, Company K and other volunteers to go out of town without so much as a formal good-bye. To many of the citizens it comes hard to realize that there is a war and consequently they have been doing nothing to enthuse the men who are destined to continue America's fight on foreign shores. One big parade will do more to wake up the town than tons of newspaper print so let everybody get busy right now. Let the Grand Army veterans, who fought so hard in '61, lead the way, let the Spanish War veterans lend their aid, bring the regulars home from Sea Girt for the day if possible and let all the Home Defense, Boy Scout and other organizations fall in line. It only requires a combination of effort to make it a lasting remembrance. The American Government has realized that secrecy in some respects is for the best interests of the war plans but it has come to the conclusion that the sending of troops away in the night is not a good thing. England learned this lesson a good while ago as the following dispatch from London will show: "The Daily Mail makes a plea that American troops be given an opportunity to be seen in London before going to France. The papers say Londoners ought to have the chance of showing the Americans the feeling of enthusiasm their arrival excites. London needs a heartening spectacle as well as an opportunity to express its enthusiasm. It declares that a column of American regulars through the streets of the metropolis would have a rousing reception."

## PERHAPS MR. PARROT SAW THE HANDWRITING.

It is good to hear that Surrogate George T. Parrott has decided not to enter the race for another term. Perhaps he saw the handwriting on the wall and came to a full realization of the fact that people are getting tired of the perpetual officeholder. For thirty years he has held fast to this sinecure through his influence in the guiding powers of the county G. O. P. Several times it would have been for the best interests of the party if Mr. Parrott stepped down and out but no amount of persuasion on the part of the leaders could induce him to let go. At the beginning of political activity this season it was understood that he was again to be a candidate although he gave no definite answer to direct queries as to his stand. Younger men who have been giving faithfully their services for many years were anxious to make a try for an office while old and clamored loudly to be given recognition. Amon has it that that great pressure had to be brought to bear before the Dean of Union county officeholders issued a formal statement in which he declared he would not be a candidate. It is probably a good time he did because it would be a rather ignominious end to be defeated after enjoying the gift of the people for so long a time. The voters were good to Mr. Parrot but there comes a time when the man in office must recognize the fact that there is such a thing as getting too big a share of political reward.

So far there are three candidates in the field for the nomination of surrogate on the Republican ticket. These are Sheriff George C. Otto, former Prosecutor Addison Swift and Peter J. Olde, secretary to the Union County Board for the Equalization of Taxes. All three are from Elizabeth. Mr. Olde is making a determined campaign and is using the slogan, "a lawyer for a lawyer's job." Sheriff Otto is not a lawyer while Mr. Olde and Mr. Swift are. Mr. Olde has been prominent in Elizabeth's politics for fifteen years and this is his first determination to seek a paying office for himself. He has the backing of the younger element in his home town as well as in other parts of the county and is expected to make a big run. Former Prosecutor Swift entered the race only the past week but is already pushing his candidacy vigorously. Sheriff Otto is not behind in either political strategy or friends and the three-cornered fight is being watched with close interest. There were rumors that City Judge William G. DeMeza will be a candidate for the office but so far he has made no public declaration. He has every qualification for the office and in the event of his becoming an aspirant for the nomination he will receive the undivided support of this end of the county. With Mr. Parrott out of the running his chances of success would be just that much better.

## Draft Dispositions

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### Rejected—Physically Deficient

2924	Joe. Okowski	1143	Alfred P. Storck
1894	John V. Malony	2143	Louis Goldberg
1878	Bernard G. McCarthy	585	James H. Raffanillo
2022	Arthur F. Wyckoff	781	Harry W. Swivel
2494	Oscar E. Andraesen	1035	David J. Schmitt
1117	Timothy F. Lyons	1634	Eugene H. Healy
576	William J. Brown	968	Morton Hochberger
1056	Louis Davis	441	Leslie C. Lodge
2620	Lois Nielsen	1173	James E. Abbe
1237	Wm. S. Nala	2598	Joseph A. McDonald
794	Alfred T. Slanson	1034	Conrad Schroyer
1546	James A. Perry	1372	Maxim J. W. Balkan
776	John A. Sheppard	450	Perry W. Doty
602	Tom P. Duffy	2809	Frank A. La
420	James Hartling	2846	Willie Ferrucci
437	Paul D. Dario	436	Alphonse DiMuro
604	Michelle Santacrose	2377	Clarence E. Van Matie
1384	David B. Thickett	1702	John Ross
1066	Harry Brick	2705	Lupi Apanazo
924	Gregorio V. Delakas	2760	LeRoy H. Diggs
2455	Cornelius F. Egan	967	William E. Hagmann
420	Clifford C. Carlow	1314	Walter R. Knowlton
514	Carmen E. Kmoko	492	George W. Hunt
1329	John Kennedy		
1705	Umberto Savelli		
487	Walter E. Hankerson		
1232	Alexander Baltaly		
737	John Wilson		
2529	Donald McPherson		
1922	Carmelo Quadracchio		
2808	William E. Lewis		
1236	Kal E. Neilson		
927	John M. Doyle		
182	Manuel De Vera		
2441	Daniel B. Nugent		
117	William A. Schorr, Jr.		
2730	Tony Chew		
888	George Place, Jr.		
2456	Edward W. Kapp		
2850	Henry Reister		
1769	Alfred W. Buckley		
1845	Beverly King		
933	Frank B. Force		
2309	David Blatt		
1114	Arthur C. Lewis		
1324	Joseph F. Loinesau		
1432	Siegfried T. Johnson		
1747	Henry Trotter		
144	A. Hallstrand		
2877	Harry A. Johnson		
2758	Charles B. Drummond		
3128	Gerard B. Harris		
350	Henry Richard Stergis		
84	Harry Halberstadt		
1714	Walter Southard		
2818	Wladimir W. Shetwell		
1022	Thomas C. Rose		
2454	Clifford Randolph		
209	Clyde R. Van Fleet		
685	James W. Campbell		
1430	Harry Jansson		
2108	Isidore Zerminsky		
2145	Wind Donatone		
637	Harvey D. Vroom		
1873	James Logan		
2590	Frank Leszynski		
2012	Edward V. Taylor		
601	Harry Stewart		
1058	Alfred B. Gilbert		
230	Fernando Brown, Jr.		
1287	Julian Blocker		
2439	Maurois L. Mann		
83	Myrlene J. MacMillan		
1448	Walter W. Morley		
345	Michael Sabino		
1235	Philip G. Phillips		
1565	William A. Tohill		
2502	Joseph Bennett		
2263	W. Cadillac Houka		
944	Ralph E. Griffin		
1856	Wladyslaw Korotkosi		
2226	Howard M. Bozenko		
730	Harry Dulack		
1250	David Robinson		
1195	Harvey D. Davis		
736	John O. Lindsey		
2853	Percy M. Schenkel		
1101	George H. Huff		
2457	William C. Nestor		
2405	John F. Klink		
1781	Alexander Bochis		
477	Arthur Gardner		
532	Neale Mackinnon		
292	Peter Corro		
925	Orsmond A. Davis		
504	Arthur Kianle		
2370	William A. Cogger		
2152	James J. Ennis		
1510	Ely Foster		
2139	James L. Jillet		
2139	John R. Shelby		
2158	James P. Duffy		
1996	Edward K. Skomp		
1023	Henry Roach		
1932	David Rosenthal		
424	Leonard S. Church		
1508	William B. Cooper		
2213	William Brown		
1622	Clanice Elphe		
2461	Vincent Spiloto		
2111	Johannes Jansen		
911	Thomas Brennan		
1172	Robert A. Young		
875	J. Rex Schoonover		
1108	Clarence M. Hetfield		
2617	Adolph Miller		
1447	John Mooney		
639	Peter Masselli		
1509	William J. Black		
2343	Arthur B. Robinson		
399	John A. Svenson		
1411	John J. Day		
1997	William Sachar		
2221	Philip H. Appar		
1680	Harold P. Powell		
2427	Joseph Mascia		
2769	Luigi Ferrara		
1156	Frank R. Smith		
2794	Gasconell Hartley		
1780	Thomas Bondelalewski		
2893	Arthur J. Ayers, Jr.		
2137	Emery Gillette		
1556	David Schenck		
1501	Emanuel Block		
1934	Daniel Riddiman		
2465	Roy C. Smalley		
1293	Morris Reiter		
212	Hilandman Kaine		
49	James Gargathy		
2793	Herbert Nogron		
1192	Thomas J. Posbre		

The Following Men Have Been

Officially Discharged

258	David G. Turner
2322	Frank G. Conde
1455	Michael Miesko
509	Joseph E. Kelly
1913	Ernest Fierus
1495	Julius R. Barbier
2463	Alexander H. Rollman
548	Wm. Newmiller
1282	Nicholas Vitti
1679	Geo. Meyer
2624	Eugene S. Lidgate
486	Joe. C. Hahn
1839	John C. Martin
507	Joseph Koslovsky
1543	James Pascook, Jr.
2548	Almon Belman
2374	Henry P. Donnelly
1323	George E. Barwick
1779	Henry Brynarski
2247	Charles W. Collins
1484	Clifford Washington
1781	Emerson F. Appar
2896	William W. Hill
1146	Kase Schaefer
1395	John L. Brown
806	Carlo Silvio
1771	James P. Bones
1636	Harold Hargis
2896	Henry Hoveck
1441	Hayman Kusner
390	Sidney F. Brown
1419	Carrie G. Hobson
1476	Anthony Sudik
1292	Thomas Campbell
972	Hubert E. Kruming
2896	Antonia Pellgrim
1590	Mark A. Stauffer
194	Harry M. Gilmere
552	William Nell
2685	Olney T. Brown
2595	Joseph Lichtus
1300	Geo. J. Curtis
258	William H. Hatten
238	Alex. Darby
2438	Donald McIntosh
1906	John Papaga
2008	Sherman Tate
15	George Dean Hark
2384	Joseph E. McCon
452	Irving E. Swets
1843	Engelhardt Harman
2579	Arthur A. Joy
2826	Nicola Novello
2473	Joseph Seigel
945	Harry B. Williams
1146	William E. Goss
550	John J. Neveln
31	William Travis Cox
2047	John Rosko
2817	Albert G. Meyer, Jr.
2662	Stanley Woyanowski
2384	John Woyanowski
2078	Eugene McPherson
677	Alvin G. Bowley
2119	Herman Hopson
2360	John Bernadyn
2592	Rayfield Lines
1868	John J. Kilbride
1872	Harvin J. Glidese
2034	Harry Seibum
760	William Perry
2998	Harold S. Sheffield
549	Frank Nielsen
1132	James E. Ord
1435	Sidney R. Warrick
841	Alex. F. Hawkins
623	Joseph R. Shuck
1141	Charles E. Rhodier
1688	Ephraim Phillips
2448	Russell Randolph
1016	Herman N. Roseman
1872	John H. Rothman, Jr.
2396	Orin D. Hull
16	Geo. H. Mallre
2396	Geowlay Wichowsky
1872	Arthur H. Hark
2396	Peter Rasco
1872	Wery C. Jordan
2396	Dan Pelligrino
1872	Vincent Roberts Lee
2396	Ther H. Robbins
1872	Charles Bowman
2396	Joseph V. Baker
1872	David Wordrop
2396	Harry E. Bronston
1872	Walter Shanley
2396	James Beckley

the Following Men Have Been Officially Exempted

Andrew Ectok
Sylas L. Outridge
John Kyle
Wm. Zwan
Hyman Schwartz
Brogio Partello
Vincent Santillo
Herman Hark
Bundt H. Swenson
Edwin F. Windham
Wm. P. Brandage
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Joseph Dello
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1467 John Saky  
2861 Andrew Surowicz  
809 Harry V. Borden  
2778 Antonio Chocchia  
1817 Carlos Febles  
525 Antonio Manerone  
722 John W. Tovey  
440 Leland C. Davis  
2795 Frank E. Haad  
2832 Raphael Di Leonardo

Claim Discharge—Dependent  
Wives

2303 Stanley Pearson  
2495 Nicholas N. Adams  
1766 Clarence Baker  
1607 Albert Dunson  
237 John E. Wait  
2653 Joseph Urbanick  
2765 Charles E. Eller  
1567 Charles E. Sharp  
2833 Karl Otto  
1112 Charles W. Kinney  
1596 Frederick C. Boice  
2196 Nathan Parkin  
1912 William Fabbroini  
1625 Ernest W. Blackman  
154 Gordon M. L. Hopkins  
199 Howard W. Henderson  
2458 Vincent Kosko  
773 Louis Stein  
608 Fred E. Smith  
406 F. Mairanti Gonsure  
519 Douglas G. Lorrants  
382 Dominick Buro  
2381 Charles Masch  
588 Luther J. Reynolds  
2083 Hallie Beavis  
576 Charles Palmer  
2633 Peter Wiczonik  
2596 Chester W. Hamilton  
2822 Marvin H. Terry  
1808 Edward S. Dunn  
1943 Martin Samolinski  
1783 Charles W. Barnes  
842 George Wunderlich  
939 Bennett K. Golderg  
1839 Harold Hagen  
222 Roy Miller  
2364 Wastig Benatchemko  
1715 Ernest W. Swinge  
1337 Robert Lowrie  
3406 James J. Keough  
707 John J. Flynn  
2639 Carl Horne  
1425 Frank T. Hill  
1181 John H. Smith  
368 John M. Worth  
1698 Samuel Robbins  
950 George M. Haskew  
685 John E. Yost  
2476 Edward Bull  
1339 Hugh McDowell, Jr.  
814 W. Harry Gelburn  
1070 Purnell Downen  
738 Frank H. McInerney  
11467 Edgar E. Whitlock  
2652 Harry Tyrrell  
1097 John H. Gublien  
1191 Russel Campbell  
1234 Julius J. Newmark  
1360 Owen S. Hoff  
1118 Orlando H. Leunabury  
121 Raymond Terry  
2536 Peter Dorogynski  
221 Harry L. Mowrey  
1397 Joe Ryan  
1943 Roy G. Vall  
1835 L. Logan Lewis  
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1294 Charles E. Treumer  
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1774 Clinton M. Boxwell  
840 Ralph H. Hallock  
1347 Hartley J. Mellick  
2879 Charles W. Lewis  
2324 Fred H. C. Becker  
2147 Harry Fee  
278 Maxwell Brown  
2432 Louis Malango  
2489 Wm. H. Walsh  
1881 James F. Motley  
1919 Martin Dayton  
1978 D. H. Wright  
1442 Carl F. Lawrence  
1972 Robert Ugarretti  
2199 Julius Blumenthal  
978 Thomas P. Lynch  
John William Ford, Jr.  
71 Hamlet L. Luckey  
1806 Alexander Camp  
1393 Jesse E. Brown  
2013 Ira E. Vail  
1593 Anthony Baltas  
1260 Antonio Stico  
1464 Frank J. Kok  
86 William J. Mullen  
2887 Irving A. Schaffer  
8 William S. Bartole  
2872 Frank Trano  
1160 Ralph W. Taylor  
Cyril Walter  
1798 William A. Cluck  
2191 Louis Corriell  
2071 Alexander MacDonnell  
1287 Charles E. Strous  
1077 Michale Compolastane  
Jacob J. Schwartz  
1551 George Frick  
2666 James Beatti  
1343 Christen K. Madson  
2444 William E. Ohland  
2491 John Waldron  
2191 Percy C. Emery  
438 Russell C. Doringier  
2179 Joseph A. Carroll  
2088 Daniel A. Perrine  
2344 Alfred D. Covert  
102 John H. Richards  
1180 Frank H. Hengels  
1004 John Pendilo  
1604 Ralph Casavilla  
1700 Francis Rogers  
2565 Clark M. Hammesal  
421 Patsy Colucci  
2310 Henry H. Riggers  
109 John J. Collette  
989 Harry E. Meyer  
2091 Norman D. Loughlin  
2145 Harry Forester  
436 Giovanni Diano  
1391 Charles Brown  
1833 John C. Hill  
2917 Joseph H. Roll  
713 Percy L. Giles  
2212 Harry I. Brewer  
2585 Harry Kanengisser  
2890 William Edward Moore  
578 Everett C. Scott

Claim Exemption—Aliens

1981 Michael Weizorek  
2782 Pasquale Di Francesco  
61 Joseph G. Garrido  
383 Michael Bonillo  
1712 Jack Santia  
2836 Consilio Ferrucci  
1839 John Jallas  
2323 Harry Solomon  
1816 James Donelli  
470 Cavaliere Girolamo  
John Gasfias  
763 Rafael Migia  
2025 Otto Wesenewski  
2386 Antonio Tillie  
7639 Steve Bocman  
714 Gustave DeHerrera  
1851 George Jacobs  
1139 Louis Ouliso  
1982 Salvatore Sperogatto  
2485 Gustav Weinberg  
1707 George Samarbes  
2039 Napitally H. Sigoria

887 Felice Ottimo  
2131 Wojciech Gawron  
387 Just V. Valis  
1024 Matthew R. Rumbold  
1682 Israel Liverant  
725 Yehel Kuroda  
1971 Alex. Tshshensky  
835 Felice Fusco  
2084 Charles E. Yandira  
396 Antonio Bonillo  
2348 Aaron Zogorica  
323 Pasquale Magliola  
2773 Guiseppe Garusca  
1002 Emigene Orpind  
321 Pieterangelo Marola  
887 Peter Kobak  
780 Helge O. Schelin

Claim Exemption—In Military  
Service

2300 George E. Naylor, Jr.  
3818 Charles J. Moran  
1142 Louis B. Strong  
1067 Nicholas Zelmas  
1730 Robert Turrell  
2861 George F. Bracher  
919 Henry E. Cook  
2283 James McInnes  
8893 William S. Outwater  
90 Fred Murray  
175 Charles O. Dean  
300 Bernetti O. Doane  
1424 Kenneth E. Ryan  
1554 Alex. P. Schenck  
1438 Robert J. Johnston  
1407 Thomas M. Day, 3rd  
2381 John S. Lindsay

Failed to Appear for  
Examination

2421 John Muir  
684 Carl J. Anderson  
2184 Cordeus Compton  
558 Samuel Navarra  
1073 George Coarse  
388 Manuel Beriera  
974 Harry C. Lee  
330 Antonio Mancione  
1208 Charles Brown  
2623 Charles Oberlies  
1776 Bronislaw Bielawski  
1640 Robert Jorgenson  
1291 George Campbell  
2728 Frank A. L. Corrona  
555 Francesco Barvato  
1883 Walter M. Peck  
2096 Wojciech Krawiec  
1121 Christopher Meyers  
113 George L. Shanley  
808 Victor Brown  
1571 William T. Walling  
2920 Nick Sulmonetti

Claim Discharge—Son of Widow

6 William J. Breen  
1221 Ernest Levine  
1281 Ernest W. Redman  
2186 William W. Clarkson  
1175 Charles E. Abbe  
1049 Herbert S. Vanghan  
1978 Peter G. Walsh  
308 Arthur E. Seagill  
23 Donald D. Craigie  
331 George E. Martin  
2480 Harry Van Zandt  
1929 Andrew Rodgers  
1978 Frank Vanghan  
2844 Chester C. Palmer

Transferred for Examination

2796 Edward E. Hatfield  
705 Edward W. Ford  
906 Walter E. Egel  
880 Frank V. Schwed  
800 Sibley L. Ward  
1747 Walter H. Webber  
Jack Hall  
1779 David R. Bode  
1179 Leslie E. Palmer

Claim Discharge—Dependent  
Aged and Infirm Parents

1722 Russel W. Smith  
1744 Jeremiah A. Walsh  
1585 Earl F. Albers  
2430 Chasney R. Murphy  
567 Clement Provost  
1915 Nathan Pollard

Claim Discharge—Religious Belief

1186 Emilie M. Woerner  
3708 Roger Stephens  
2751 Horace H. Daniels

Claim Discharge—Employee of  
United States

2231 Lisle A. Beoching  
1857 William J. Kafus  
940 William T. Glenney

Claims Exemption  
Ordained Minister

501 Wm. L. Innes

Claim Discharge—Dependent  
Brothers and Sisters

2824 Nicola Mancini  
German Citizen  
715 Walter F. Heinke

The Following Men Have Not Yet  
Had Their Cases Decided

783 Chas. D. Schiffman  
2787 Bruno Grunzie  
1855 William E. Deak-  
1885 Michael Onelio  
1847 Albert N. Harrison  
739 William McHale  
1020 David S. Roberts  
1651 Alex Lubaszewski  
1952 Harold B. Storr  
John A. McElvire  
2320 George B. Severs  
874 Julius A. Bermecker  
1294 Lawrence B. Smith  
1613 Thomas Connoughton  
2365 Benjamin Cole, Jr.  
John Cavanaugh

355 Tony Parvetti  
2038 Frank Trachtenman  
1394 William Sheehan  
356 Jose M. Villa  
113 Charles E. Snyder  
805 William W. Wilson  
2380 Henry W. Thorne  
1102 Ignacy Krushchowski  
1708 Henry J. Sheehan  
373 Vincenzo Apia  
1211 Thomas H. Higgins  
1436 Omas Kurzman  
2380 Leopold Gogolewski  
2349 Frank Faycik  
46 Clarence S. Giles  
2100 Peter Kobak  
379 Albert Bohars  
13 Cosimo Gestrone  
1647 Panagioty Konstanty  
854 Roger D. Mallick  
945 Geo. A. Gago

1268 Robert Thidkiss  
2479 George H. Taravito  
2915 John Fliss  
882 William E. Smith, Jr.  
2225 Richard H. Bittle, Jr.  
1305 Carl E. Evans  
2376 Harry E. DeHart  
360 Elmer Watson  
488 John A. Henry  
1543 Leo F. Poling  
2383 Thomas J. Burke  
1608 Miltades Christensen  
1677 Joseph E. Mason  
1002 Enrique Othas  
2177 Louis I. Oshill  
2518 William Mayer  
1415 William D. Flanders  
2677 Charles Holding  
1303 Robert DeGraff  
1850 Ellis Johnson  
1732 Harry Tappavetti  
1331 John W. Lyness  
2011 Meredith Taylor  
513 John M. Kiley  
2740 Walter De Mitare  
3878 Roy William Gales  
Christina W. Brown  
1818 Miliyalya Falkowski  
1549 Raymond J. Robinson  
983 Alfred J. Linkrock  
128 Walter Monroe Vail  
542 John Mike  
2558 Harry Hansen  
2397 Marion C. Henry  
530 Dominick Marro  
356 Salvatore Valenti  
1470 David Swartz  
1791 Clarence Coles  
870 Salvatore Panico  
1054 Felix Walkey  
711 William A. E. Gough  
638 Louis J. Vieth  
1032 John R. Sherwin  
2503 Noble Bradley  
1007 Clarence N. Piskell  
2870 Charles Trano  
Haywood C. O. Morris  
2116 John Hop  
2319 E. Ralph B. Sahn

## Ratables in City Reach \$27,982.01

The Union County Tax Board  
adopted a preliminary table of rat-  
ables at its session Tuesday. The  
amount shows upward of \$5,000  
000 gain in valuations over last year  
throughout the county. Only a few  
places show losses. In Paterson  
township and Kenilworth, but the  
losses are small.

As the personal ratables have  
been compiled, it is possible that  
the advance will total \$10,000,000.  
The total ratables are \$150,000,000.  
This total represents 100 per cent  
valuation except in Paterson  
township and Kenilworth. Linden  
New Providence township and  
Hightstown and Rahway. Ten and nine  
per cent. increases are urged in  
New Providence district.

The larger portion of the ratables  
is in Elizabeth, Plainfield, Rahway,  
Summit and Linden township. The  
amount shows \$67,327,337. Plainfield  
\$27,982,015. Rahway, \$6,366,838.  
Summit, \$11,653,120. Linden town-  
ship, \$10,342,481. Linden township  
largest showing is due to the  
location of the Standard Oil refin-  
ery and other factories in that munici-  
pality.

When the ratable table is per-  
manently fixed, which will be after  
hearing Tuesday, the county a  
State taxes will be apportioned.  
In addition to the \$6,000,000 pos-  
sible increase, there will be approx-  
imately \$538,000 added through  
operation of the Pierce equalization  
law.

The assessed valuation for each  
municipality, land and buildings  
valued, is shown in the following  
table:  
Clark ..... \$ 105,625  
Cranford ..... 228,396  
Elizabeth ..... 1,714,577  
Scotch Plains ..... 64,017  
Fairwood Borough ..... 15,640  
Garwood ..... 116,469  
Hillside ..... 232,420  
Kenilworth ..... 8,560  
Linden ..... 1,754,856  
Linden Borough ..... 24,290  
Mountainside ..... 51,900  
New Prov. Township ..... 4,492  
New Providence ..... 189,100  
Plainfield ..... 738,425  
Rahway ..... 305,825  
Roselle ..... 226,125  
Roselle Park ..... 189,100  
Summit ..... 123,869  
Springfield ..... 151,746  
Union ..... 75,835  
Westfield ..... 612,045

Increase ..... \$6,727,944  
Decrease ..... 13,489  
Net Increase ..... \$6,714,455  
\*Decrease in valuations.

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## Tentative Plans For Conscript Mobilization

During the past few days the members of the local Exemption Board have been besieged by men who have passed tests for the National Army to know about the method by which they are to be gathered from their homes and transported to training camp. Orders have been issued from General Crowder's office but they are not available for general distribution. They provide for the calling of thirty per cent. of the quota from each district on September 15 and thirty per cent. on September 18, with the remaining ten per cent. to follow later. They will be called in the order examined. The remainder of the order may be summarized as follows:

Each District Board shall give notice to the members of each quota as early as possible to hold himself ready to report at a certain place at a certain time. These boards will mail copies of this notice to each man, post a notice in the office of the Board and turn a copy over to the newspapers. But the posting of this notice in the office of the Board is legal notice and failure to appear will not be excused on the ground that mail was not delivered or the selected man neglected to read that posted notice.

The Adjutant General of the State will notify the local board when it is desired that the quota for which the Board is responsible shall enter for camp and to what camp they are to be sent. It will be for the local board to fix a place and time for the enlisting. Every man in the quota shall be notified by posted notice and by mail to report at the office of the Board between 8 in the morning and 5 in the afternoon on the day set.

The hour for reporting shall not be more than twenty-four hours before the time set for enlisting nor less than twelve.

On reporting the men will be held together and formed in line. The Board will have employed a number of assistants to direct the new soldiers; it will also have made contracts with lodging houses, hotels and restaurants in the neighborhood of the office so that tickets issued by the board will be accepted for the food and lodging of conscripts. Tickets will be cashed later by a disbursing officer of the Government.

In the discretion of the Board men living in the neighborhood of the office will be allowed to sleep and eat at their homes. Each man is to be notified that from this moment on he is a soldier and subject to military discipline.

Conscripts will be accompanied to the lodgings by members of the Board and assistants who will see to it that there is a bed for each man and that he is assigned to it. The men will be notified to appear for retreat roll call at the office of the Board at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon. They will be told when they are to report to entrain. The hour for reporting to entrain shall be fifteen minutes ahead of the time when the train is to depart, plus the time it takes to move the men from the office to the railroad station.

When the men are assembled at the office for entrainment one of their number will be selected by the Board as "the man in charge." He shall select an assistant. The men will be instructed to obey all instructions received from "the man in charge."

The quota, accompanied by the Board, will then move to the railroad station. The Board will present transportation requests and receive tickets for the men and also food tickets for their meals on route. These will be put in the care of "the man in charge," who will conduct all business with railroad employees and restaurants en route dividing his command, in moving in and out of the train and eating houses with his assistant.

"The man in charge" will also have in his custody all the papers, rolls and the like which accompany the troops and which are to be turned over to the adjutant of the training camp.

As soon as the train has left the local Board will telegraph, on a form provided to the adjutant of the camp, the number of men who have been sent; the time of their departure, their route and the probable time of their arrival. If the journey is more than twelve hours "the man in charge" will send a telegram to the adjutant six hours before the arrival, telling when the quota is to be expected.

Besides filling out its quota, each Board must name five alternates. These alternates must accompany the quota when they are not actually soldiers [and] it appears that there are absentee at the last roll call, fifteen minutes before train time, and there are absentee one alternate shall be taken for each man absent and then and there can become subject to military law.

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## Freeholder Wilbur Gives Board's Side of Road Accidents

The Board of Freeholders does not hold itself "morally responsible" for accidents such as those which resulted in the death of Mrs. Louise D. Heno and fifteen children, because the northerly side of the thoroughfare is not paved, Samuel P. T. Wilbur, of Plainfield, chairman of the county road committee, made this statement when the complaint of the El Mora Association was called to his attention:

"It isn't fair to put this matter up to the Board of Freeholders. The northerly side of the street is in good condition, although not paved, for we have kept it oiled and in good shape. I don't know why it isn't used for traffic. We certainly should not be blamed for persons insisting on using one side of the street. All vehicles seem to go over on the southerly side, which is paved with asphalt. Why, I don't know."

Mr. Wilbur, after expressing regret for the accident, reverted to the efforts of the board members who were at the State Highway Department's conference at Somerville several weeks ago to have this road taken over by the State.

"We asked the Department to take this road over as part of the State

## Nuggets of Church News

GRACE M. E.  
The usual services will be held in the Grace M. E. church on Sunday with Rev. Charles Gillespie in charge.

TEMPLE BAPTIST.  
Rev. E. C. Conover is expected back from his vacation in time to take charge of the services in the Temple Baptist church on Sunday.

SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST.  
The services in the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow will be a part of the conference program. The information of the various services will be found in another column.

MONROE AVENUE M. E.  
In the absence of Rev. J. J. Flynn the services at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church on Sunday will be in charge of Rev. Paul G. Deak, of Cranford. The morning service will be at 10:45 and the evening service at 7:45.

ST. STEPHEN'S.  
Rev. J. Atwood Stansfield will preach at the services at St. Stephen's church Sunday morning.

FIRST BAPTIST.  
Rev. Frank S. Grover, of Waco, Texas, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church Sunday in place of Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, who is away on his vacation.

UNION SERVICE.  
The union service on Sunday night will be held in the First M. E. church and will be in charge of Rev. Henry L. Wriston, D. D. The congregations of the First Presbyterian, First Baptist, First M. E. and Trinity Reformed churches unite for the services, which will continue until September 2.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.  
Rev. Charles E. Herring will preach at the usual morning service in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday.

GRACE EPISCOPAL.  
Rev. Herman Lillenthal, of Astoria, L. I., will be in charge of the usual services at the Grace Episcopal church on Sunday. He will remain in charge until Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson returns from his vacation.

CRESCENT AVE. PRESBYTERIAN.  
The services at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church on Sunday will be in charge of Rev. John McDowell, of Baltimore. Rev. John Sheridan Zelle, rector of the church, will not return to take charge until September 16.

Rev. John M. Linden  
TO CONDUCT REVIVAL.  
Rev. John M. Linden will assume this city next month to conduct four weeks' revival in the First M. E. church, starting October 17. Mr. Linden is a former pastor of the "Billy" Sunday and has conducted revivals in various parts of the country during the past few years.

## Big Conference Gives Dealers Closes Sunday War Tax Notice

The annual national conference of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, which opened in the Plainfield High School last Tuesday morning, will continue today, tomorrow and Sunday, when the services will be presided over by Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, who will return to take charge until September 16.

The morning session of the conference was continued, starting with a prayer meeting at the church. This afternoon has been given over to rest, recreation and preparation for the Sabbath services tomorrow. Tonight there will be a prayer and conference meeting. Tomorrow morning there will be a prayer meeting and communion service in the church on Central avenue at 10:00, followed by the regular morning service. The greater part of the afternoon will be taken up with service in the vesper service. Sunday, the closing day of the conference, will open with a prayer meeting at the church in the morning. The educational society will also give a program and there will be a devotional service. In the afternoon the members of the committees and the transaction of unfinished business. A prayer and praise service and sermon will precede the closing services in the evening and Monday the delegates will scatter for their homes.

AUTO SPEEDIES FIXED IN BOROUGH COURT.  
In the borough police court Wednesday, William J. Morris, proprietor of the Plainfield Taxi Company, and Arthur Moore, a driver for the Plainfield Cab Company, were fined each \$10 for speeding their automobiles on Somerset street. In passing sentence Recorder Hand announced that he is determined to keep the speed limit of automobiles drivers of using North Plainfield's main thoroughfare as a speedway and will hereafter impose heavy sentences on each offender. The names of Morris and Moore to Commissioner Dill in order that they may be properly warned against speeding or have their licenses taken away.

Charles C. Trewin, of Orchard place, has returned home after a visit with relatives at Flemington. William Lenox, a member of the staff of the Miron & Lifson store on East Front street, left Monday for

## Dealers who will be affected by the war tax act, the passage of which by Congress is expected and which are much interested in its provisions. Collector Charles V. Duffy, of the Internal Revenue district, has issued a statement by way of preventing those who will be affected by the bill. In his statement, Mr. Duffy calls attention to those who will have to stamp goods they have in their places for sale. The act probably will become effective the day it is signed by the President, and after that date none of the goods requiring stamps may be sold without a stamp on it. The collector is giving out the statement at the present time, so that as little inconvenience as possible may be entailed through operation of the prospective law. The statement is addressed to those who are handling goods containing stamps and tobacco articles of all kinds. Such persons, firms and corporations, Mr. Duffy explains, "are informed that upon the day that this bill becomes effective they must immediately make an inventory of their stocks on hand, so that the same may be stamped up with the proper amount of tax as required by the bill." On the basis of the inventory made, all dealers will have to purchase stamps from the Internal Revenue office in the postoffice building at Elizabeth, where Deputy Revenue Collector Jeremiah P. McManus has his office, and place them on containers of the goods which may be subject to the tax. After that day, none may be sold legally without stamps. The bill contains heavy penalties for violations of the act. The bill is still awaiting final action in Congress and may be voted upon in the Senate at the end of this week, or early next week, so that information received from Washington. DRAFT HAS FIRST CALL OVER POLITICS In view of the war talk and the draft talk Democratic and Republican candidates for county offices are finding it rather difficult to get their respective candidacies a hearing. Although the time is near for the filing of petitions and under normal conditions the political program should be all cut and dried, everything is pretty much topsy-turvy. The draft has the call on public attention and so far as the political situation is concerned it would seem as if the party leaders would have to wait for the finals before they can hope to rivet public interest on the

