

# PLAINFIELD STATE PRESS

PLAINFIELD, N. J., MONDAY, MAY 14, 1928

THE LATEST NEWS FIRST

## MAN FATALLY BURNED; HUSBAND IN CRITICAL CONDITION

### MAILED CAMPAIGN CLOSES WITH SENTIMENT SHIFTING TO GEO. S. CLAY

#### AN EDITORIAL

Plainfield's political life has been boiling for the past two months. The temperature almost equal to the four-man campaign of four men and tomorrow thousands of Plainfielders will turn out to register the answer to the bunk, humbug and hokey which has spread the word of the day.

George S. Clay was delegated to win the hokey of third place. Hyman Abrams was running a strong first, James T. MacMurray as runner-up.

Short time later sentiment shifted and it was a toss-up between Clay and MacMurray, with Clay still in third place. All of the Clay sentiment developed and a week ago it was predicted that he would run second to Abrams, with MacMurray third.

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### GOVERNOR MOORE WELCOMES NEW PAPER

#### PLENTY OF ROOM, SAYS JERSEY EXECUTIVE

##### He Signed Plainfield Armory Bill

Governor of New Jersey, chief executive of the State of New Jersey, welcomes the Mid-State Press and wishes all possible success for it in a letter to the editor. The Governor, who sends the message as follows:

The Governor of New Jersey, May 14, 1928.

Mid-State Press, Inc., Plainfield, N. J.

I am very glad to welcome the Mid-State Press to New Jersey. The newspaper and its staff are a credit to the community and to the State. I am sure that it will be a valuable asset to the people of Plainfield and to the State of New Jersey.

With kind regards, I am, Yours truly, (Signed) A. HARRY MOORE, Governor.



MISS ELEANOR HOLM, whose years are a pretty 14, but whose complexion in competitive sports already has her among the veterans. She is one of the brightest stars of the Women's Swimming Association of America, and is a member of the U. S. A. at the forthcoming Olympic in Amsterdam.

### A Star of the Younger Set



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### MRS. ALBERT S. BAKER DEAD

#### RESULT OF NAPHTHA EXPLOSION

##### HUSBANDS CHANCES ARE EVEN

FIRE DAMAGE TO APARTMENTS AMOUNTS TO TOTAL OF \$25,000, OWNER ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Albert S. Baker is dead and her husband is in a critical condition at Mulhensberg hospital from burns suffered as the result of a naphtha explosion which occurred when Mrs. Baker was cleaning some wearing apparel in their second floor apartment at 609 Madison avenue shortly after 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Blinded by facial burns and terribly scorched about the upper part of the body, Mrs. Baker rushed frantically to the street following the explosion where she was picked up by Fire Chief W. J. Dunn and taken to the hospital. She was so severely burned that she failed to respond to treatment and passed away shortly after midnight Saturday.

Mrs. Baker's burns were suffered on the face, hands and arms in her efforts to save her wife and during his rescue of their 10-month-old son, who was tossed on a bed in an adjoining room at the time of the accident. The younger escaped unhurt.

Mrs. Baker was taken to the hospital by Herbert Hylman, driven by Mrs. Joseph C. Baker.

Quick answer of the Fire Department was brought through the efforts of Captain J. Ordway Weaver, Cleveland city mailman who telephoned the alarm to headquarters.

Sitting near a window on the first floor across a courtyard where the attention was attracted to the Baker apartment, the door was open and the fire was looking out on the little fire escape.

The force of the explosion blew out the hall entrance door of the Baker apartment and the door of William S. Stephens' apartment was blown open. The fire spread throughout the Baker apartment where the composition wall was burned badly. Fortunately the fire was stopped in condition and it was possible to check the blaze before it entered any other apartment.

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### IDENT WITNESS IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

James Arthur Degar, 35, Brooklyn, N. Y., was seriously injured Saturday afternoon after 11 o'clock when he was struck by a car driven by a woman, Mrs. C. J. Degar, who was driving a car from the West End of the city. Mrs. Degar was driving a car from the West End of the city. Mrs. Degar was driving a car from the West End of the city.

### FIRST MID STATE PRESS SUBSCRIBER WAS A. WILLIS WEST

Councilman A. Willis West of 247 East Ninth street, representing the Second Ward in the Plainfield Common Council, was the first subscriber to the Mid-State Press. He has been a subscriber for some time and has been a subscriber for some time.

### MONDAY AFTERNOON CLUB TO OBSERVE FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY

#### GRAINGER TO DIRECT SYMPHONY

##### IS FORMER FAMOUS COMPOSER AND PIANIST

The Monday Afternoon Club of Plainfield will celebrate its 40th anniversary Wednesday when a luncheon will be held at the club house, Central avenue and Barclay road. A former president and a charter member will be among the speakers and a large attendance is anticipated.

The club was organized forty years ago by Mrs. E. E. Kenyon of the Plainfield Symphony Orchestra. The club has been a group of mothers of students at the school which met for the purpose of discussing the educational needs of their children. After several informal meetings, the club was officially organized and Mrs. Kenyon elected president.

Mrs. David T. Hall, a daughter of Mrs. Kenyon, was the first president of the club. She was a pianist and a composer and was a member of the club for many years. She was a pianist and a composer and was a member of the club for many years.

### HERBERT J. BUXTON, ONCE COUNCILMAN, DIED LAST NIGHT

Herbert J. Buxton of 983 Park avenue died at his home at 10:15 o'clock last night, after being unconscious since Saturday afternoon, when he was taken to the hospital. He was a member of the Plainfield Lodge 858 B. P. O. Elks of which Mr. Buxton was a member, and was taken to the hospital when he was passed away. Cause of his death has not been determined.

### MAJOR MAC MURRAY PAYS TRIBUTE TO NEW PAPER

Major James T. Mac Murray, in his official capacity as Plainfield's chief executive, and on behalf of the people, last night issued a statement of welcome to The Mid-State Press, a morning newspaper.

"I am glad to see that Plainfield is expanding so much as to include another newspaper. The entrance of The Mid-State Press in the local field of business is an indication that the city is growing and going forward."

"Your Mr. Celson, whom I believe is the managing editor, I have had many dealings with, both as a friend and as a Mayor to a newspaperman. In his association with me I found him to be square and fair at all times, never stooping to yellow journalism. He had the best interests of the public in mind and it was a pleasure to associate with so considerate a representative of the people in public matters."

"In his articles of city matters and the Common Council, factual disputes were fairly covered by him for the public's benefit. With Mr. Celson in his new position, I can rest assured that the same fair handling of news will continue and I take this opportunity of wishing him and The Mid-State Press a cordial welcome."

### BYRD HERE THURSDAY

Councilman Richard Byrd, James Byrd and explorer, will be in Plainfield Thursday night. He will be in Plainfield Thursday night. He will be in Plainfield Thursday night.

### NEWLYWEDS IN TOUR TO SOUTHLAND

Miss Mary Elizabeth Jenning, bride of Leander Rane, will be in Plainfield Thursday night. She will be in Plainfield Thursday night. She will be in Plainfield Thursday night.

### SEVENTH STREET ASSESSMENT TO BE MADE

The assessing for benefits and the making of a list of all damages to lands and real estate affected by the sale of the property, will be made on Saturday night, May 19, at 8 o'clock, at the office of the City Engineer, located at City Hall.

### STUDENT SUICIDE

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### ROOM OPENS

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For Council from 1st Ward is Salvador Diana

HUGE BELLANCA PLANE MAY HOP TO N. Y. TODAY

Report stipulated about Hadley Airport this morning of an aviation source, has it that the huge Bellanca plane, which has transported thousands of people to the city during the past few days, will hop Hadley Airport today for New York. It is expected that further tests will be made here, prior to the contemplated hop to New York.

H. G. Smith of Lorraine avenue, this city, had the honor of taking the plane on its first test flight this morning.

The plane has a wing spread of 68 feet and is 40 feet long, with a nine cylinder radial (air-cooled) 1700 horsepower of 300 horse power. The plane has a gasoline carrying capacity of 1,000 gallons and is equipped with landing gear and a disappearing generator. It is estimated to have a cruising capacity of 75 hours.

MEDAL FOR THOMAS A. EDISON

LAST ORANGE, May 14.—Thomas A. Edison will receive a gold medal for his distinctive achievement in science to be given to him by the National Society of Arts and Sciences at a dinner to be given in his honor at the Hotel Astor, New York City, May 15. It was announced before the dinner.

AIR MAIL WEEK IS DESIGNATED BY GENL. NEW

May 15 is the 10th anniversary of air mail, therefore, it has been designated by Post Master Harvey S. New, that beginning May 14 and the week following, it will be known as air mail week. The first system having begun with the route from New York to Washington and today operates over 9,510 miles.

PILOT FLIES NORTH TO AID RELIEF GROUP

BOSTON, Mass., May 14.—Late yesterday a third army amphibian plane, piloted by Lieut. Richard Cobb, took off for St. John, N. B., to bring back Lieut. Mair Fairchild, who was seized with an attack of appendicitis Saturday afternoon, shortly after he landed with an army plane at St. John, en route to Greenland to rescue the Junkers trans-Atlantic monoplane Bremen.

Lieut. E. R. Osersda is a passenger in Lieut. Cobb's plane. While Lieut. Cobb flies back with Lieut. Fairchild as a passenger, Lieut. Osersda will fly the army plane on to Greenland. It is believed that the Bremen will start on its final leg of the "Mitchell Field or Heaven" hop by Thursday.

NOT SO STRONG



Robert Carey has gubernatorial aspirations but indications point to Senator Larson.

"Huge Oaks From Little Acorns Grow."

Watch The Mid-State Press Grow—

DUNELLEN NEWS

All Democratic candidates and committee members will meet at Democratic Headquarters, 418 North avenue, to night for a final rally before the primaries. The meeting will be in charge of the chairman, Harry J. Swackhamer.

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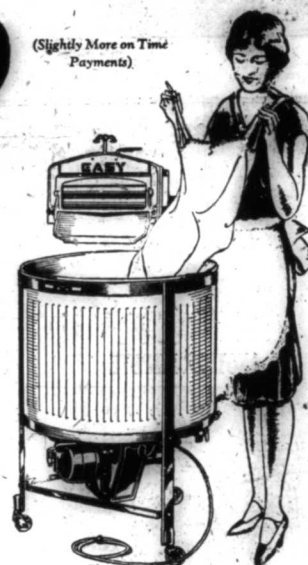
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# To Span Atlantic in 14 Days



LILLY DOLE, HOLLYWOOD actress, has completed her plans for an eight-day flight with John Rinder as her pilot. The airplane Europe, in which the married comedy star is to attempt the flight, is being loaned up by the same company who prepared the itinerary for the industry-making journey.

Martin B. Stutsman seeks to oust



City Court Judge.

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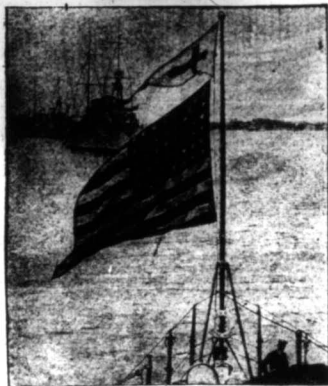
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## ANOTHER DISPUTE



GESTURE OF REVERENCE AROUSES HEFLIN'S ire!—A resolution that, if passed, would abolish the flying of the church pennant above the Stars and Stripes during services aboard ship has been introduced by Senator Thomas Heflin of Alabama. Photo shows church pennant flying on U. S. S. Clatskanie.

## George S. Clay FOR MAYOR



An honest, conscientious and able citizen

I appeal to all my friends to support Mr. Clay on his record as a Councilman and as President of the Common Council.

A VOTE FOR CLAY is a VOTE FOR CLAY and none other—do not be misled by political propaganda to the contrary.

Paid for by Ralph W. Taylor, Campaign Manager



# A Day in the Life of a Modern Mr. Pepys

In the middle sixteen hundreds there was a certain Mr. Pepys living in London (name pronounced pretty much as it looks). He was a practically minded man. Kept a diary and wrote it in code, so that if anybody else peeked into it, they'd be none the wiser. And the trick worked—for over two centuries, until a wiser man found the trick of the code, and things began to happen. The modern citizen was suddenly able to turn the clock back about 250 years. He could see exactly how a 17th century Londoner

arranged his life to get the best out of it. And while a lot of people have written a lot of modern Pepys' Diaries, not so many of them have known how to get the best things in life. But this clip, Modern Mr. Pepys (pronounced just as it looks) is a wise young bird. Pick his pipes and his panatelas with an examining eye. A man about town. None of your take-it-or-leave-it buying for him. Here's a number of typical entries from his diary:

## Society Woman 'Aviatrix'!



PILOTS LICENSE! Mrs. Helen Chamberlain, colored, one attractive woman member of the Plainfield Aero Club, has just received her pilot's license. She is the first woman in the club to receive the license. She is a member of the club since its organization in 1927.



Joseph T. Romanowski goes before public Tuesday for vote.



Princess Diworth's husband

**I DON'T WASTE TIME  
WADING THROUGH  
THE POOR BOOKS**

It has always been a matter of amazement to me that so many books could be constantly produced when there are really so few people to read them. And I'm forced to the conclusion that most books can't be worth as much as the paper they're printed on. So I've found a shop where I can keep posted on new books and where they only show me those books that are worth my time. It's one of those rare places where they let me buy what I want and always have something I do want.

**PLAINFIELD BOOK SHOP**  
Park Avenue

**AND STOPPED ON MY  
FOR A HAIRCUT**

I am not one who haunts a barber shop, and I have never revelled in the sensation of having every lotion in the color spectrum put upon my face by a kindly barber after shaving. My habit is to find a barber shop where they'll do my thinking for me, if I want them to. I go to a shop where all the barbers are good and where I can forget about the job until it's done.

**ALEX STYLES**  
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116 Depot Avenue

### Michigan's Blossom Queen

**BLOSSOM BEAUTY!** The Blossom Queen of Michigan, Miss Helen, is the most beautiful girl in the state. She is the daughter of a wealthy family and has won many prizes for her beauty. She is now in Plainfield, N.J., for a contest.

**I DIDN'T KNOW MY  
OLD SUIT WHEN  
CLEANED**

I've often pondered the logic of why a man who boasts of a good looking bath tub, and whose laundry bills are all they should be, still shies at the idea of having his suits and coats cleaned. Personally, I've discovered that half of that well-tailored look is clean suits, and often have mine cleaned at a shop where the proprietor seems to think that promises are made to be kept.

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**MY WIFE HAS BEEN  
HINTING FOR A PIECE  
OF JEWELRY**

Jewelry stores in general have a bad effect upon my nerves, and I usually steer clear of them because they always bring up visions of things my wife wants and wants and wants, and never stops letting me know about. Of course, the inevitable finally happens, and I have to face it out with that something she's long wanted. So I meekly put myself in the hands of a jeweler I can trust and enjoy dealing with.

**G. W. HAYES**  
Jeweler  
Park Avenue

**WE ONLY GO OUT TO  
DINNER ON FESTIVE  
OCCASIONS**

My wife and I are not much given to dining in restaurants. We've seen so many places where the food is said to be home-cooked that we're a bit suspicious. When we go out for dinner it's an important event. We don't look for home-cooking in restaurants. We look for food that we can't have at home because we're not quite clever enough to know how to cook it. And we have to admit that there's one restaurant that can show most homes a few tricks.

**TUOHIG BROS.**  
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**A WEAKNESS OF MINE  
IS A FRESH WARD-  
ROBE OF SHIRTS AND  
TIES**

As married men go, I am generally considered faithful, but the truth of the matter is that I have a wife who thoroughly understands my second love and knows how to humor me in the matter. I can't have too many ties that will do honor to my neck and shirts that will grace my chest. And my good fortune is a wife who always picks out the right ones. But confidentially, I have trained her to buy them at a store where she can't go wrong in her selection.

**GREENWOOD'S**  
Haberdashery  
Front Street

### FREEHOLDER

Richard Harrigan wants to be Freeholder again.

**ONE PLACE WHERE I  
REALLY DO ENJOY  
ICE CREAM SODA**

I maintain that there is nothing of the flapper in my nature, and I have pretty well grown out of my pop-bottle days. But I'm still battling a weakness for really good ice cream sodas. And the weakness would long ago have vanished if I did not know of a certain store that has never yet failed to give me a palatable drink. And there's another advantage—I can buy equally good candy for my wife in the same place.

**TEPPER BROS.**  
Frank Mobile, Mgr.

**THE FIRST THING I  
WILL DO EVERY  
MORNING IS TO  
READ THE PRESS**

That certainly makes the coffee taste better when you can open your own home town paper in the morning at breakfast and get all the real news that you are interested in without waiting all day for it. Yes sir, it sure is great that we have a morning paper in town now and believe me I am all for it. If the carrier misses you just call 3500 and it will be delivered at once. Yes sir, I just couldn't start the day off without it.


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### Get a Fortune if Sick

**VALUABLE!**—America's most highly insured boy is Valuable West, Jr. (above). His father, a Wall Street broker, has insured the boy for \$200,000, which is a lot of insurance for any one.



## America's Tribute to French Sea Hero!



ambassador to France, is shown paying  
 a visit to the French naval leaders.

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**GRACE MOORE**, former *Follies* beauty who made a successful debut in grand opera this season, posed for this picture before sailing on a pleasure trip abroad. She has the distinction of taking the first new Ford across the big pond. She will knock around France in it.

"Huge Oaks From  
Little Acorns Grow."  
Watch The Mid-State Pres  
Grow—

**HONORS FRENCH ADMIRAL:**—Myron T. Herrick, United States ambassador, presided at the funeral services for the French naval leader in the memory of Admiral De Grasse at the funeral services held for the French naval leader. (Orlando)

ELLIS is the above during match with M. Pierce in ladies singles at the Hampton tennis tournament in England, easily defeating her opponent.

**MAYOR**

Mayor J. T. Mac Murray who is seeking reelection.

The annual Sunday School Baseball league will open its season officially on tonight at Greenbrook Park. The first teams to play will be Wilson and Monroe.

The Bible School Horseshoe Pitching League will officially open Brook Park. There will be six

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H. Johnston, chairman of the Union County Republican committee, George E. Bates, grand secretary of the I. B. P. O. Elks of World 10, World, and J. H. Shelton, a noted orator.

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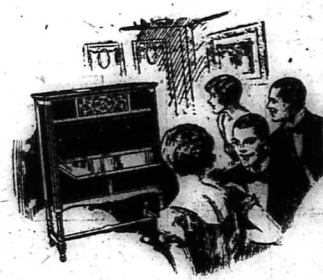
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ing traffic conditions and stated that he was very grateful for its use during his visit.

6. In the smaller of the two pictures above, Colonel Lindbergh is seen entering the 1929 Reo Flying Cloud Sedan soon after he arrived at the Lexington Airport. The larger picture was snapped just as the plane was about to depart. The most famous aviator of history can be seen at the controls through the window at the front of the plane. He is seen in the act of waving secretly, but as soon as his presence by some

## REO SALES & SERVICE

## The Dictator \$1195 to \$1395

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## OPEN EVENINGS

870 OPEN ENDS



# FIVE AUTOISTS GIVEN SUMMONS FOR SPEEDING

Five operators of automobiles will be summoned before City Judge William G. DeMaio, in Plainfield, for speeding, on charges of driving at excessive rates of speed on East and West Front streets. The arrests were made on Saturday and Sunday, posted \$10 for his appearance in court this morning. They arrested were as follows:

Edward E. Eppstein, 31, of 32 Thompson street, Warren, was cited for speeding on East Front street, at the rate of 42 miles an hour.

Frank Chapman, 19, of 1100 East Second street, Plainfield, was cited for speeding on East Front street after driving his automobile at the rate of 42 miles an hour.

Carl T. Weilin, 18, of 245 South Plains avenue, Westfield, was arrested by Motorcycle Patrolman Hurley at West Seventh street and Plainfield avenue, charged with driving his automobile at the rate of 40 miles an hour on West Seventh street.

Kaman Joseph Dugan, 19, of 788 Eighteenth street, Newark, was arrested by Motorcycle Patrolman Bray charged with driving a truck at the rate of 43 miles an hour on East Front street this city.

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Shoulder flowers are growing in bunches these days. The large "spleen" crystalinum of last winter is giving way to bunches of small flowers. The bright blue, yellow and orange or wild flowers look well on a white tunnel coat.

## Vigorous Health

P. L. Vasech, D. P. & T.  
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### CHILDREN'S DISEASES

It is too bad that poor, innocent childhood should have been saddled with the bad suggestion that certain diseases are natural to this stage of life. Diseases are always unnatural.

There is no necessity for any one to be sick, whether child or adult, but especially a child, because they have fewer mental inhibitions and emotional disturbances. The so-called children's diseases, are all acute eliminative crises and it matters not what symptoms appear or what name is given to the disease; they are all due to the same cause, retained in practically the same way and can all be prevented by right habits of living. Coughs and infections are fleeting only when the resistance is lowered through wrong habits of living.

Probably the chief cause of so-called children's diseases is overfeeding. Most parents seem to think that their children should be fed as much as they can hold, and because they are growing, they are apt to do so. To deny their children anything that let them eat, whatever appears to them, of sugar, taste and smell, but naturally soon overloads the body with toxins, and once natural elimination is retarded through overfeeding, lack of fresh air and insufficient bathing, unusual stimulation must take place and what is called an acute disease is brought about. These diseases occur because they are needed and if properly treated by natural methods, the child will be braver thereafter. OK

Some time ago I caught a cold in my nose, and it has now spread to the ears. Have been advised to have an operation. Is this necessary? A. R. In all probability an operation will not be necessary, though this can only be definitely determined after personal examination. Certainly it would not remove the cause of your trouble. You did not catch the cold; you developed it because you sneezed it, and when you did not give it the proper attention—the area of inflammation spread to the ears so as to bring about greater elimination. In all probability an orange diet with plenty of fresh air would set you right.

Dr. Vasech is very willing to help all in Vigorous Health. Write him, care this newspaper.

# PROF. E. L. EARP WILL ADDRESS EPWORTH LEAGUE

Prof. E. L. Earp of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, will speak at the third annual banquet of the Epworth League, to be held in the lecture room of the Quaker Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow night. Edward Frase of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. will lead the community singing.

# ONE HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

Two accidents here yesterday afternoon resulted in minor injuries to one man and damages to three cars. A sedan, driven by George Mullen of 101 North Third avenue, Highland Park, turned over at Park and South Plainfield avenues, injuring the driver, who was treated at Muhlenberg hospital for cuts on the hands and arms. The car was wrecked. A coach, owned and driven by Steve Sobansky of Scotch Plains, collided with a touring car owned by James Tataro of this borough at 1:10 o'clock. Both cars were damaged, but neither driver was hurt.

People seeing apartments do not look in the late afternoon because auditors are usually out. That is why they "shop" for new homes in the morning and the Mid-State Press is a big help to them because it tells them of latest real estate first.

SAY YOU SAW IT IN THE MID-STATE PRESS.

# SERVICES HELD FOR VICTIM HEART ATTACK

Funeral services for Mrs. William Jordan of Hamilton Boulevard were held at Carey's Funeral Parlor Saturday afternoon in charge of Rev. Martin Brodhead of the South Plainfield Baptist Church. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery. Mrs. Jordan, whose husband died recently, left six children who all succeeded to a heart attack. The attack on an ambulance aided from Muhlenberg Hospital. Relatives are caring for the children.

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TODAY 2:15 7:00-9:00 And A Week  
MOTHER EVE HAD NOTHING ON THIS MODERN EVE. SHE HAD MANY MORE MEN TO CHOOSE FROM—BUT SHE GOT HER ADAM!  
PIC LEAVES  
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COMING  
Harold Lloyd in "Speedy"  
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ALL THIS WEEK  
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Popular Prices, Eves. 50c, 75c, 95c.  
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NOTE—As the Courier-News declines to print reviews of our shows, it will be necessary for you to journey to the beautiful Elmora Theatre, or read the Elizabeth Daily Journal, the Elizabeth Times, or the Mid-State Press, every Tuesday, if you would learn of the excellence of our productions and performances  
J. Ellis Kirkham



# HISTORY OF MOTHER'S DAY DATES BACK TO ABOUT 250 B. C.

## PHILADELPHIA FIRST ORIGINATED MOTHERS DAY HERE

WAS ONE OF THE MANY HOLIDAYS

By FLORENCE GOURLAY

Special services in the churches marked the observance of Mother's Day in Philadelphia yesterday. One of the newest American holidays, it is celebrated by the Roman Catholic, Protestant and Jewish communities.

Flowers were distributed to the attending services by the decisions of the churches. The Women's God Made "A Mother's Day" and "Mother's Day" are only a few of the names chosen by local ministers for the service. Carriages have been the symbol of the day, while a being worn by persons whose there are set living and pink a by the children of living there.

The merchants of Plainfield observed the day with appropriate window decorations and candy, flowers and other appropriate gifts were sent. Few indeed, were the persons who did not remember Mother's Day this special occasion. For many years it has been the custom in this country to set aside a second Sunday in May as a day of remembrance. The idea is originated here by Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, when the first Sunday of a Sunday School a little Virginia town asked her to arrange a memorial service for a mother, who had been an ardent worker in the church. The idea occurred to Miss Jarvis that many mothers had been as tireless workers as her own parent and

### SENATOR?



Hamilton F. Kean contesting for U. S. Senator.

### MAYOR MILNE



of North Plainfield watches the Plainfield primary.

### The Test of a Woman

The instant Lyndon Sherwood and I were pronounced "man and wife" I elected him captain of our marriage ship and began to steer it.

When baby came, making a third member of our crew, I was so delighted with the new interest he afforded me that I let myself become completely absorbed in this pleasure, relegating my captain to second place in my considerations without realizing I was doing so.

Greatly my captain tried to persuade me to engage a competent nurse which I knew we could well afford so that I could be free to "navigate" with him, but I indignantly replied to this: "What! Trust Precious" my own darling with a stranger? There's only one person outside of you, Lyndon, whom I'd love my baby for more than five minutes—that's Maria Morrison.

"Maria" Lyndon quoted, looking at me quizzically. "She is a happy thought, Flo, why not ask her to come and live with us?" He fatherly death last month had left her alone in the world.

Why on earth don't you get married, Maria? I teased, and she answered slowly, with a faraway look: "I never tell you."

I took a perfect storm of persuasion from both Lyndon and me to gain her consent to live with us. Although she freely admitted that she loved us better than any one else in the world, she pleaded independence and a fear she would be a burden on us.

Maria's burden? She was a help and comfort from the instant her trunk was set down in the spare bedroom of the bungalow Lyndon and I called home.

My captain, seeing that I enjoyed nothing so much as being with my baby, gradually left me to pursue my own inclination—inclination which I did not observe had failed with him.

### I STRUGGLED FREE

"Why not?" he asked dispassionately, and I gave him the only reason I had. "Because," I faltered, "I'm tired."

"Tired" was his only answer as he dove into the traffic and I sat there beside him wishing with all my heart that Lyda was anybody but his husband.

The afternoon passed in the most enjoyable manner I have ever known. Suddenly Lyda gulped the car off the road and into a secluded clump of trees where we were safely hidden from the public thoroughfare.

"I read," I said, and she looked at me with a questioning look. "I read," I said, and she looked at me with a questioning look.

Several pages gave intimate details of her father's death and then—

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### An Original Method of TRUE STORY

When the man I love no longer loves me, I am married to my best friend, I am married to my best friend, I am married to my best friend.

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### SEEKS NOMINATION

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"Then let us pray that come it may— As come it will for a' that— That sense and worth, o'er a' the earth, May bear the gree and a' that: For a' that, and a' that, It's comin' yet for a' that, That man to man, the world o'er, Shall brothers be for a' that!"

### Good Manners BY FRANCES ALLAN

Q. After a young lady has given a fellow a dance, must he remain with her until she gets a partner? What is he to do if he is engaged to some one else for the next dance?

A. A young man at the end of a dance escorts his partner to the place where he is to seek the one to whom he is engaged for the next dance. He should not fail to thank her for the dance.

### Publisher Missing



Richard Austin Granville, who retired the spotlight after his fight with his erstwhile best friend, Burton Tucker, yesterday's husband of a wealthy matron, is missing from the office of the New York Sunday Flash, a tabloid he was publishing, and credit his connections with the wealthy Tuckers.

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### DANNY—



### CRUELTY TO ANIMALS! BY BERNARD DIBBS



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## La Mode Indorses Lace

By MARIAN HALE



The slenderness of this simple dress is transformed into lovely curves by a tier of lace fringing around the skirt in a curved band from front and back. Falling from the shoulders are ties of the fabric matching with lace while matching all-over lace forms three-quarter of the skirt. Short-sleeved and finished with a thin lace band. No. 2088 is designed for misses and small women in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 (36 bust) requires 1 1/2 yards 20 inch material. 2 1/2 yards lace fringing, 1/2 yard all-over lace.

To obtain this pattern, write to Ruth Bates, 3401 West Front St., Plainfield, N. J., and enclose 10c. Give correct address. Patterns sent by mail. No. 2088 is designed for misses and small women in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 (36 bust) requires 1 1/2 yards 20 inch material. 2 1/2 yards lace fringing, 1/2 yard all-over lace.

## DADDY DUSK

(The Sunday)

Twins and Twinnies and Joe set in their seats looking blankly at each other as Mr. Harris announced that the first and second prizes had been awarded between their two plays. It was too good to be true.

As soon as the clapping died down a little Mr. Harris went on. "I like to have the three authors of the three plays come up here on the stage and receive the prizes in behalf of their classes. Now Waverly, the Morton and—wait a moment, the author of the first play seems to be two persons—the Morton twins. Come on up here, children."

Some one pushed the three Morton sons into the aisle and they walked up toward the stage. But a tiny youngster, who was always making up perfectly fascinating Mother Goose stories for the story hour, was already there looking far from a dead author of a play.

When they were all lined up together, Mr. Harris handed each of the youngsters a slip of paper. "The first prize," he said, "one of the book stores has donated an order for \$15 worth of any books the class may choose; for second, an order for \$10 worth of books; and for third, an order for \$5 worth of books. I am giving each of you, as representatives of your class, these orders. The first and second prize money will be divided equally between the two classes."

Twins and Twinnies could not figure out why each of them should have had a slip of paper; but when Mr. Harris handed the slip down, they found that it was not a Mother Goose story, but a statement by the book shop girl that she was willing to divide the two orders. So each had something to take to their classes.

## Y. M. C. A. TO HAVE

## FREE SWIMMING WEEK

During the week of May 21 a free swimming campaign will again be held by the Y. M. C. A. Representatives of the "Y" will visit each school and distribute cards with the teachers. These enrollment cards must be signed by the parents and the teachers.

Only those who cannot swim will be eligible for membership. Instruction given will include all the latest strokes. With the facilities offered by the Y. M. C. A. it is expected many will take advantage of this opportunity. Last year there was an enrollment of 135 from which 50 were taught to swim.

## SERVICE IN MEMORY

## OF NOTED WAR NURSE ATTRACTS HUNDREDS

Living them to have others if they could not save themselves. Rev. Charles E. McAllister, executive secretary of the Diocese of Newark addressed more than 100 nurses, representing Somerset and Hightstown Hospitals, private nurses and the Visiting Nurse Association, who were special guests of the St. Barnabas Guild for nurses, in memory of Florence Nightingale, last night.

Rev. Mr. McAllister, after briefly reviewing the early life and education of the famous English nurse, spoke of her work in the battlefields. He said that she administered not only to the bodies but to the minds and souls of the men. An English soldier had told him, the clergyman said, that before she visited a hospital there would be nothing but hate and cursing and after she had left but holiness.

"Florence Nightingale," Rev. Mr. McAllister said, "during the two years that she spent at the British battlefields displayed that high type of courage of which women are capable. Men do not always appreciate the noble work of women but at times it is supreme."

There are three characteristics of the English women that who, as nurses should inherit," the clergyman continued. "In the first place there is the necessity of giving all the best that you undertake. You are called upon to display courage and nerve of steel under the most trying circumstances. There is no other profession in the world that requires as much poise as yours. When a person has a loved one at death's door, they cannot understand or sympathize with the approval, slow, cool, no-emotion of the nurse. You alone know that you are doing your work and must not only take care of your patient, but often comfort another at well."

"Today, however, nurses have much more to work with than they did in the days of Florence Nightingale. Those women, many of them, did not have a high school education and that is required by training schools today. They did not have the wonderful inventions of the day, they have the well equipped hospitals and the sanitary conditions that exist at the present time."

"In the second place, you should have inherited the power to promote the dignity of womanhood, a much needed thing in this day. The world is over-run with feminism—hard-lipped women who try to rule every one and succeed only in making everybody miserable."

"The popular phrase 'wearer' is nothing but a non-sensical delusion. Never shrink duty because you are a woman. Compare your lot to the women of Mother India. Be thankful you live in America and do all for others that is in your power."

Remember that Shakespeare, realizing the importance of the so-called weaker sex, had decidedly more heroines than heroes. Remember also that it was a man who betrayed Jesus."

Lastly, save others although you can not save yourself. Remember the words of the Lord at the Cross. He saved others but he cannot save himself. Regardless of what people might say they are a God. Although it may be money or pleasure it is a God. You, as nurses, serve One and be not afraid to follow Him if you can save others but not yourself."

## PERSONALS

Miss Bertha Beckman, of the high school faculty of Butler, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Street. She was accompanied by the Misses Jean Benson and Bertha Bryant.

Mrs. W. E. Cottrell and young son of Fairfield, Conn., are visiting Mrs. Cottrell's mother, Mrs. Anna Beckman, of Thomas Street.

Mrs. J. J. Kline, Mrs. C. K. Stevens and Mrs. W. Alwood attended the reception at the estate of ex-Senator Frelinghuysen at Raritan recently.

Mrs. and Mrs. Dale Cannon, formerly of New York City are occupying their newly erected home on Franklin place.

Mrs. Margaret S. Ware, of Plainfield, who has been notified that her sister of Glasgow, Scotland, is seriously ill, is sailing on the liner Cameronia Saturday, May 12, having been purchased from T. W. Hazen.

Christian F. Schmidt of 61 Mercer avenue, North Plainfield, is sailing Saturday for Copenhagen on the liner United States.

## LARSON OPENS RACE TRACK MAY THIRTIETH

W. B. White, president and general manager of the New Jersey Motor Racing Association wishes to announce that the official opening of the New Market race track will take place on Decoration Day, May 30. It has been arranged that, barring mishap, Senator Morgan Larson of Perth Amboy and Republican candidate for Governor, will be on hand to fire the first starting gun. Many public officials are expected to attend.

It is the second year for this organization and it is going over big. Two special features for Decoration Day will include bicycle, motorcycle, and auto-racing. Among the motorcyclists will be Charles Bush of Newark, French Demoulier of Brooklyn, Joe Schalm of Plainfield, and Sam Little of Arber.

The auto drivers who will be on tap at the grand opening will include drivers of Mills Special, a few Deutscher and a couple of Dodge high speeds.

The track has been properly banked and oiled. A grand stand will be erected and every possible convenience is being planned.

## Gray and Blue In Paris Fashions

Dark blue and gray seem to be the predominant colors in Paris this spring.

Now that the warm days of spring are here, women are abetting their fur coats for tailored suits, and trim velvet-trimmed in gray, dark blue and the inevitable black are seen on the Boulevard in Paris and on the Fifth Avenue. Practically every suit adorned with the heart of silver or gray and is worn with either pullover or jersey or truly blouses of chiffon or organdy.

Touching at the Blue this week, smart English women wore a Worth costume which combined blue and gray in an unusual manner. The gray wool garment suit had a short jacket, longer in back than front, with a scarf collar, the middle of which were thrown about her shoulders. The one-piece frock had a tie of dark blue crepe de chine from a yoke and fastened with a diamond brooch, and dark blue was repeated in her narrow band of crepe and in the bands down on her shoulder. Her hat was the small turban from Agnes which has had such a great success with a gray with a smother of dark blue. She wore dark blue pumps and carried a dark blue handbag.

Good Manners

By FRANCES ALLEN

It is a dinner party should the dinner or the dinner be ended? The dinner should be ended when the dinner is ended and they do not rise until they rise.

## GARDEN CLUB WILL ADOPT CONSTITUTION

A constitution and by-laws will be presented for adoption at the first regular meeting of the Garden Club at the home of Mrs. Paul B. Toot, Tenth road, Plainfield, at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. A standing committee will also be appointed at that time.

Mrs. Stephen Van Hoesen was elected president of the club at its organization last week and other officers elected include Mrs. Toot, vice president; Mrs. M. F. Francis, secretary and Mrs. J. S. Withers, treasurer. A flower show will be held at the Tawood Fire Hall on June 23 and 24 under the auspices of the club.

## Modish Coat Effect

By RUTH BATES

You'll be attracted by its youthful slender line and modish silhouette. It affects coat styling with open front. Finished with velvet and a bias section in skirt, which is killed at each side. The front fastenings are caught with buttons, assuming just below waistline, with belt starting at either side of front, to give the idea of panels, to lengthen the silhouette. It features large square patch. Style No. 2401 is attractively made of printed silk crepe, tulle crepe, crepe satin, jersey, shimmering or brocade crepe. Pattern in sizes 16, 18 years. 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measurement.

## Pink Stripe Street Shows Way Home

CHICAGO, April 21.—What the well-dressed street will wear next season was decided by Michael J. Flaherty, president of the Board of Local Improvements. And this is it: Pink granite curbs with lead contrasting stripes of black asphalt and gray concrete sidewalks. Anytime Mr. Flaherty advertised for bids for that kind of improvements, the widened La Salle street, from Randolph Street to Douglas



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Judge William G. De Maza

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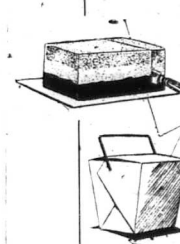
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Perhaps that is the key of its appeal. Whatever it is, "Rain" will remain as a monument to the fact that the great American populace will rise to a piece of good work as quickly as any erudite critic—that is, if the play has that rare quality of "interest."

"Rain" will be seen for the first time in stock since its glittering successes everywhere, next week at the Elmina Theatre, Elizabeth, where the Kirkham Players will present a magnificent production and performance of this great play.

They had. The little woman had the boxes of lunch on her hands. The children were her own, who had come there from school for dinner. Miss Mackall purchased all her boxes, gave her the tips she had taken in, and then Mr. Cline engaged the mother to work the rest of the afternoon as an extra for \$15. By this means were due apologies made for interfering with her business.

**DOWN**

- 1—Crustacean.
- 2—Large bull of ancient Egyptians.
- 3—A fruit.
- 4—The Keystone state (abbr.).
- 5—Artful.
- 6—Air agitator.
- 7—Bovine animal.
- 8—Make fresh.
- 9—Commotions.
- 10—Exhaust.
- 11—Undermine.
- 12—A exit.
- 13—Brazilian coin.
- 14—A kind of grape (plural).
- 15—A metal.
- 16—Inebriate.
- 17—Repulse.
- 18—A rodent.
- 19—An inclosure.
- 20—Trials.
- 21—Expression of disgust.
- 22—Mercenary.
- 23—Crouches.
- 24—To provide with a gang of crew.
- 25—Watchful.
- 26—Festive.
- 27—To carry debris.
- 28—Repair or attach by means of thread.
- 29—Dreadful.
- 30—Guided.
- 31—A bone of the animal body.
- 32—A pronoun.
- 33—Prefix meaning two or twice.

AND THEN JIM SAYS ZOWIE!

DEAD!

HOPE, BUT WHILE HE WAS BRINGING THE BALL TO HIM, SAID HE HEARD SOMEBODY SAY A HARD

Because of the failure of some of our machinery to arrive in time it was necessary for the Mid-State Press to call on the Courier News to aid its stereotype department in the preparation of mat castings. The request for assistance was promptly granted by William Morrison, secretary of the Courier News Publishing Company.

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# SENATOR W. F. LARSON WAS PLAINFIELD SPEAKER SUNDAY

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LOCAL EAGLES CONDUCTED SERVICES WITH ASSEMBLYMAN MUIR AS CHAIRMAN

Deploing the fact that he was not blessed with the maternal ability of a Demosthenes so that he might more ably paint a word picture of mother, State Senator Morgan F. Larson in his address at the fourth annual Mother's Day Service, held under the auspices of Plainfield

audience. "Mother love is the greatest love, while a mother's comfort and inspiration are also greater among worldly things," said Senator Larson. The program was under the direction of Assemblyman Thomas M. Muir, chairman, with incidental musical selections given by John Williamson, organist; Whitney Frayne, pianist; Miss Sarah Lee, mezzo soprano, and Miss Veronica Scott, a member of the Mount St. Mary's faculty, who accompanied Miss Lee on the harp and also rendered a solo on that instrument. The invocation by Abbi A. Lincoln, Kappa of the Temple Sholem, followed introductory remarks by Mr. Muir. The program, "Songs My Mother Taught Me," was given by Mr. Williamson on the organ. Three soprano solos in English with the service, were also given by Miss Lee, accompanied by Miss Scott on the harp. A concert solo by Whitney Frayne and a selection on the harp by Miss Scott, preceded the address of Senator Larson. The program was brought to a close with the singing of "Mother's Prayer" and "Last Rose of Summer" by Miss Lee, again accompanied by Miss Scott, the benediction being pronounced by Rev. Roland J. Bannister, pastor of the Great Avenue Presbyterian Church. The services were in charge of Thomas M. Muir, chairman, Arthur R. Craig, Meyer Center, Richard Walker, George Zipp and William Cooper. The floral decorations were supplied through the courtesy of Hugo Kline.

## H. S. Stine Valuable to Plainfield High School

It took a man with plenty of heart and ambition to drag the Plainfield High School out of that sleep and drag it into the limelight of 1928. There were plenty of heavy yokes to tackle and very little which to hit them. The Athletic Association was financially on the rocks and interest

ed to several of the more prominent clubs of the college. He featured in football and baseball and was a member of 500s teams during one of the best seasons. Upon leaving college, "Hub" occupied a position with the Westfield High School, as head coach. He was there five years. So well experienced and equipped with many practical ideas with which to aid Plainfield, he came here. It was the season of '21 and '22, Mr. Stine, Art and Phil, June Worth and Bob Kraml were on the squad that year. Everyone took to Stine at once. That year was one of the best H. S. has ever known. Year after year the A. A. funds increased. The public became more and more interested. He developed all sports, increasing squads 100 per cent in all activities and carried on mass programs. Class spirit rose to a great peak. Seeing the way "Hub" led their interest in sports, the teams gave all they had to better themselves. Soon he was given the supervision of all athletics in high school and the various grammar schools in the city.

In 1928 "Coach" introduced an entirely new sport to the students. With the facilities offered by Cedar Brook Park, he foresaw the opportunity of an ice hockey team. The idea was accepted with enthusiasm. But it is impossible for one man to give his entire attention to every sport, yet this year he would be a head-coach and manager of some. Therefore, there is a force of very efficient men who spend their "Hub" some adding the director. "Hub" specializes in football and baseball, while he is assisted by H. H. Banta. The basketball teams are by H. W. Davis and W. C. C. Banta. Swimming is taken care of by H. H. Banta; ice hockey by "Hub," track by Mr. Kline and tennis by R. W. Davis. The department of athletics is considered very efficient in every way. The equipment has often been commended upon by being among the best ever seen worn. It might be well to state that the H. S. is the athletics in P. H. S. is raised entirely through the efforts of its students. This is accomplished with a musical comedy staged by the students and the funds raised through the sale of football tickets.

Shades of prehistoric days when huge monsters roamed this continent and when man was far from even the stone age, were brought to light a few days ago when a bone, believed to have been a rib of some prehistoric creature, was unearthed in Plainfield. It became known yesterday. The interesting find was discovered by Sigwald De Rube of 213 Plainfield Avenue while digging the foundation for a garage. The bone is about five feet, two inches long, eight inches around and tapered. According to the find, the bone is the specimen may do so at the home of Sigwald De Rube.

The Brood Mothers of Troop 10, Mount Vernon Methodist Church, held their routine business meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Jackson, 17 Clinton Avenue, in behalf of their boy scouts. The business committee consisted of W. Jackson, C. Rowley and H. R. R. guard. Among the discussions were plans for a cake sale to be held at the Epworth House, Saturday, May 20, with Mrs. W. R. R. guard and Mrs. J. Woodland, committee in charge.

Blue and white is a close rival of the every present black and white costume. Blue shoes are increasing in popularity and blue and white slipper samples are selling rapidly in manufacturers report.

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## SPORT SCHEDULE

MONDAY  
Senior Sunday School Baseball League there—Greenbrook Park Wilson vs. Moore (H).  
White-Glass Horse Shoe Pitching League—Greenbrook Park, Grant Avenue vs. K. G. E. Probasco vs. St. Paul, Joy vs. Hyndwood Baptist.

TUESDAY  
American Legion Baseball League (opening) High School Field Cadets (H) vs. Junior Y. M. H. A.  
Tri-City Baseball League, P. H. S. vs. East Orange, (away)—Greenbrook Park, Army vs. Black Diamonds (H).  
Women's Aquatic Club—High School Pool.

WEDNESDAY  
Senior S. S. Baseball League—Lakewood vs. First N. E. (H)—Greenbrook Park; Park Avenue vs. Stone B. C. (H)—Greenbrook Park; American Legion Baseball League—High School Field.  
Second Team Reserves vs. Millburn (H).

THURSDAY  
Tri-City Baseball League—Greenbrook Park.  
Harris (H) vs. Y. M. H. A. or Gold.  
C. & B. vs. Art Color (H)—Dunellen.

FRIDAY  
Tri-City Baseball League—Art Color or Gold.  
C. & B. vs. Art Color (H)—Dunellen.

SATURDAY  
Lawn Bowling Club—Greenbrook Park.  
P. H. S. vs. N. P. S. (N. P.).

WILLIAM LOFTUS, PRESSMAN  
A Philadelphia—William Loftus—had the honor of operating the press of the Mid-State Press on its first run. This newspaper had been fortunate in obtaining the services of so able a pressman. Mr. Loftus will move to this city from Newark.

HOLZER EXPERT MACHINIST  
Oscar Holzer of Runyon avenue, Dunellen, is one of the most valued employees at the Wood Newspaper Machinery Company Plant. Mr. Holzer takes great pride in the press constructed by the Wood Company for the Mid-State Press and was among those present assisting with the first issue.

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## UNION COUNTY BOX SCORES

Box scores of the Union County Baseball League for Sunday, May 13.

Elmora Capitals ..... 001 001 304—9  
Linden ..... 001 030 101—6  
Batteries: Elmora: J. Doyle, Mag. Jank. Dordick. Linden: Dobinski, Morio.

Saturday, May 12.

Westfield ..... 000 000 00—0  
Linden ..... 000 000 00—0

Batteries: Westfield: Doane, Van Doren. Linden: McGee, Marlo.

Irvington ..... 100 000 01—2  
The Primers ..... 200 100 32—5

Batteries: Irvington: Hodges, Gribb. Primers: Chmiel, Lenski, Johns.

## GIRL SCOUTS WILL STAGE SPTS. MEET

On Saturday, May 11, the Girl Scouts of Plainfield will hold an outdoor rally at 3:30 P. M., on the Plainfield High School grounds, on Randolph road.

The rally which will be conducted by Mrs. John Frigg, deputy commissioner, will be participated in by the nine troops of Plainfield. Running, racing, dressing races, table setting and fire by friction contests will be the featured event.

## BASE BALL SCHEDULE

The following is the schedule of games to be played over the week-end of May 12-13 by the Union County Baseball League.

Saturday, May 12.

Westfield vs. Capital.  
Elizabeth A. Jr. vs. Plainfield.  
Irvington vs. Cranford.  
Primers vs. Linden.

Sunday, May 13.

Westfield vs. Cranford.  
Capital vs. Plainfield.  
Linden vs. Cranford.  
Primers vs. Elizabeth A. Jr.

## CHILDRENS GAMES TO BE HELD SOON

Under the direction of Roy O. Schneider, recreational director, a hop-scotch, ajks and marble tournament will be held at one of the parks. Saturday, Mr. Schneider will be assisted in the arrangements by Miss Helen A. Schley and Miss Marie Hoyer.

On Thursday, 457 West Third street has been pronounced the hop-scotch champion of Whittier School and Nettie Mustang, 22 Ryeamore street, the winner of a jacks contest. Thelma Wernley, 1317 Arlington avenue won the contest at Evergreen School and Amelia Gofelone, 1223 Bellevue avenue won the hop-scotch tournament.

## BILL LAWRENCE THREW A GOOD BALL ALL THRU

Plainfield outbatted the Westfield Club yesterday afternoon at 3:00 P. M. in a well pitched game. Bill Lawrence threw an excellent game and was robbed of a shutout by an error in the eighth. Tight fielding save for this error, featured and aided the bid in every play. With nine indisputable strikeouts and no walks, Bill's reputation as a pitcher was well established.

The hitting was well divided among the locals. Shroppe led the Westfielders in hitting by closing out three. Meigs, the Westfield pitcher was not so fortunate with his control as was Lawrence and was relieved in the eighth by Van Doren.

Plainfield's scoring started in the fourth by a run from Yacka. It continued at this level until the sixth when Yacka again crossed the plate, followed shortly by Martin who was driven over by a beautiful throw bager through the efforts of Ted Swearer. Swearer failed to score. An eighth inning rally was staked and every man except Dizon challenged one up. Martin passing twice. The visitors scored both their runs in the eighth, sponsored by a two-bagger from Lincoln, a hit from Shroppe and Lincoln. Shroppe was scored on a hit by Wilson and a fielder's choice.

**WESTFIELD**  
Martin, c ..... 0 1 0  
Borger, as ..... 4 0 2 0  
Clemens, cf ..... 4 0 1 1  
Lincoln, 1b ..... 4 0 0 0  
Dewertin, 2b ..... 4 0 0 0  
Shroppe, rf ..... 4 0 1 1  
Van Doren, lf ..... 4 0 1 0  
Wilson, 3b ..... 4 0 1 0  
Meigs, p ..... 4 0 1 0

26 2 11 2

**PLAINFIELD**  
Haberman, 2b ..... 5 1 1 1  
Miller, 1b ..... 4 0 1 0  
Yacka, as ..... 2 1 2 0  
Dizon, cf ..... 6 0 0 0  
Meigs, p ..... 6 0 0 0  
Swearer, lf ..... 5 1 3 0  
Cooper, c ..... 6 2 2 0  
Lawrence, p ..... 2 0 0 0  
Kaye ..... 1 1 0 0

40 11 16 3

\*Batted for Miller.

Box score:

Westfield ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2

Plainfield ..... 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 3—11

Two base hits: Martin, Haberman.

Yacka, Lincoln: Three base hits: Swearer: First on balls: Meigs, 2.

Strike outs: Meigs, 2; Lawrence, 3.

Umpire: Nell O'Kane.

## PLAINFIELD IS LEADING CTY. LEAGUE

Plainfield is leading the Union County Baseball League to date, with a record of two games to their credit and two games played. It looks good for the locals and if they keep up their hitting and consistent playing it is believed by all those who have seen the two games over the week-end that they should have little trouble in capturing the pennant. Following the standing of the teams in the league:

**Team W. L.**  
Plainfield ..... 2 0  
Elizabeth A. Jr. .... 1 0  
Primers ..... 1 0  
Cranford ..... 1 1  
Capital ..... 1 1  
Linden ..... 1 1  
Irvington ..... 0 0  
Westfield ..... 0 2

## MICKEY TO FIGHT SMITH

Fight fans from every nook and cranny of the North Jersey and Metropolitan area are sitting up and taking notice these days. Because a stage event of unusual attraction is to come to pass at the Elizabeth Armory on Monday night, May 21, one week from tomorrow, when Mickey Walker, world's middleweight champion, comes to grip with George Smith, Hughey Cartland's light-heavyweight hope.

Smith was placed on the card by Promoter Jimmy Carden, of the Argonne Place, No. 6, which is staging the show, when Jim Mallen, of Chicago, ordered the removal of Joe Simondich, Butte, Montana, battler. Mallen, anxious to protect that title fight between Walker and Hudkins at Chicago, next month, forced the hands of the Elizabeth promoters and Jack Kearns because he will not permit Walker to jeopardize his coming battle by meeting a man who will make under the middleweight limit of 160 pounds. Smith, a full-fledged light-weight. Will come in at 170 or more.

The change is generally regarded as decidedly beneficial to all concerned, including the fans. Smith is well-known in these parts whereas Simondich, hailing from Montana, is little cared about. Then, too, much keener interest has been aroused in Newark and vicinity by the selection of Smith as Mickey's rival and fans throughout these parts are getting ready for a gala battle when the crafty George, who has held his own with men twice Walker's size, tangles with the present middleweight titleholder.

The city of Elizabeth has gone mad. The tickets for the show were placed on sale last Thursday and the demand was far greater than that for any other bout ever promoted in these parts. Every shoddyed fan in Betsytown is rushing to get choice seats and so are fans in other cities there are two ticket agencies in Newark, in addition to three in Elizabeth and one apiece in Red Bank and Perth Amboy.

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