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Caruso, Toal retain Council positions

By R.R. Faszczewski
The roll call remains the same on Township Council. Despite Republican land-slides at almost every level around the state residents of Clark's Second Ward overwhelmingly elected incumbent Democratic Councilman William Caruso to the one year remaining in the unexpired term over Republican Richard C. Burger.

The vote was 1,027 for Councilman Caruso and 581 for Mr. Burger, with Mr. Caruso winning the First District, 198 to 166, the Second District 212 to 125, the Third District 338 to 85 and the Fourth District 217 to 189 with Mr. Caruso receiving 62 absentee votes and Mr. Burger 16.

Fourth Ward Republican Councilman Brian P. Toal also won election to the second part of an unexpired term by defeating Democrat Peter M. Campana 721 to 644.

Mr. Toal won all but the First District, where Mr. Campana defeated him 191 to 152.

In the Second District it was Mr. Toal with 182 and Mr. Campana with 148, in the Third District Mr. Toal had 171 to 142 for Mr.

Campana and in the Fourth District it was Toal, 203, and Campana, 163.

Hometown favoritism drew Clark voters away from the county trend in one instance - in the race for three seats on the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

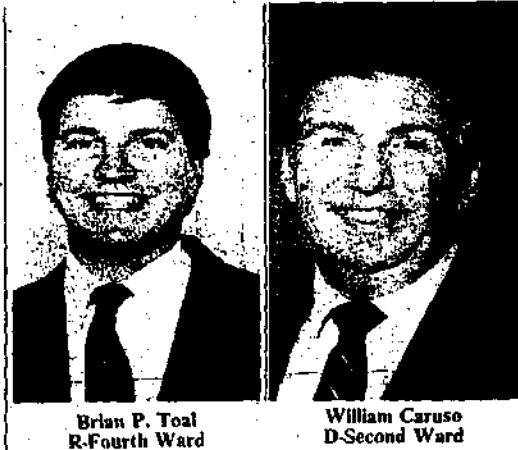
Incumbent Democrat Walter Boright, an administrative aide in the Clark public schools, led the township freeholder vote with 2,727.

However, Mr. Boright lost countywide, as did his runningmates, incumbents, Charlotte DeFilippo, and newcomer Gerald W. McCann.

The freeholder winners countywide were incumbent Republican G. Richard Malgran and his runningmates, William H. Eldridge and James J. Fulcomer.

In the township, Mr. Fulcomer, who is from Rahway, had the second highest tally with 2,516 to 2,468 for Mr. Malgran, 2,449 for Mr. Eldridge, 2,426 for Mrs. DeFilippo and 2,378 for Mr. McCann.

Township voters followed the state Republican landslide on other levels, however, voting for incumbent GOP Gov. Thomas H.



Brian P. Toal R-Fourth Ward
William Caruso D-Second Ward

Kean over Democrat Peter Shapiro 4,142 to 1,369.

In the least surprising race of the night as far as Clark voters are concerned they overwhelmingly agreed with the rest of their counterparts in the heavily Republican 22nd Legislative District, helping to re-elect incumbent Republican Assemblymen Bob Franks and Maureen Ogden.

Township tallies were 3,031 for Mr. Franks, 2,982

for Mrs. Ogden, 1,928 for Democrat John F. Tully, Jr. and 1,521 for Democrat Florence Martone.

Clark voters also agreed with the state-wide trend on seven public questions.

While the sale of \$190 million in bonds for the construction of a wastewater treatment system was approved statewide 658,012 to 281,286, it passed in Clark 2,928 to 1,328. The sale of \$85 million in bonds for state loans to local governments for the construction of resource recovery and environmental landfills facilities won statewide approval 684,547 to 327,227, while Clarkites approved it 3,143 to 1,296.

Pinelands protection through the sale of \$30 million in bonds for grants and loans for wastewater treatment, transportation, water supply and other infrastructure systems in the Pinelands area was approved in Clark 2,692 to 1,674, and around the state 594,577 to 341,875.

Repayments of loans for resource-recovery facilities made from the Natural Resources Fund established by a bond issue passed in 1980 was favored 563,967 to 294,705 and by Clark voters 2,757 to 1,486.

Clark voters favored simulating 1,159 to 1,579. The practice, which permits race tracks to send and receive televised pictures of races and accept betting on those races in the state and on certain out-of-state races, won state-wide approval 666,651 to 329,748.

Defeated both statewide and in the township were two proposed amendments to the state constitution.

The first would have prohibited the use of casino revenue to finance senior citizen and disabled homestead rebates after June 30 of this year.

It lost statewide 597,572 to 379,657 and locally 3,048 to 1,499.

The second would have allowed the Legislature to invalidate executive rules and regulations without presenting the resolution to the governor for his approval.

This measure was defeated in Clark 2,620 to 1,290, and statewide 621,347 to 383,362.

Approximately 5,300 or about 53 percent of the township's 10,274 registered voters cast ballots.



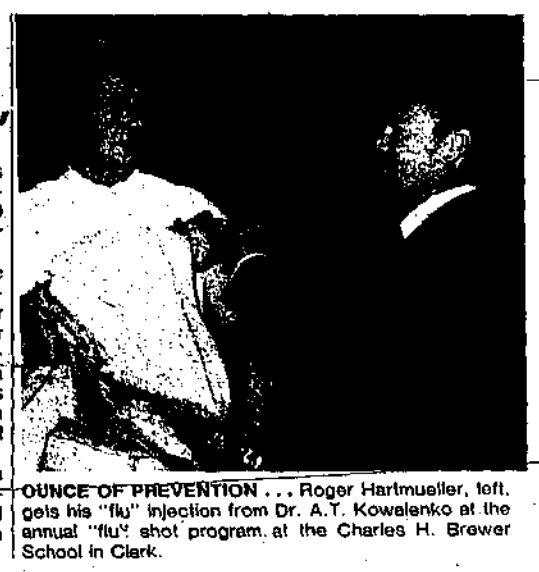
FOR YOUR GOOD HEALTH... William Godfrey, right, receives his "flu" injection from Dr. A.T. Kowalenko at the annual Clark program in the Charles H. Brewer School as Nurse Selena LaMont looks on.

Clark administers shots for 'flu'

Over 300 senior citizens of Clark took part in the annual "flu" shots on Oct. 30 in the Charles H. Brewer School cafeteria.

At the annual event the number of people participating was double over that of last year. Mayor George C. Nucera attributed this increase in health care to the emphasis of the administration on senior citizen physical education and health care.

Dr. A.T. Kowalenko, a local Clark physician, administered the shots assisted by the Board of Health nurses.



SOURCE OF PREVENTION... Roger Hartmueller, left, a local Clark physician, administered the shot assisted by the Board of Health nurses.

Veterans announce rites for holiday

A spokesman for the Central Veterans Committee of Clark announced today the group's plans for the observance of Veterans Day.

Commanders William Hofschneider of Clark Post No. 7363 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and John Specht of Clark Post No. 328 of the American Legion issued an invitation to the community to participate in the observance, scheduled for Monday, Nov. 11 at 2 p.m. at the Memorial Park on Broadway.

This observance of Veterans Day in Clark is being sponsored by the veterans organizations with the co-operation of the following groups: Knights of Columbus, Lions Club, Elks Lodge, Township Council, volunteer fire department, police department, including its firing squad and color guard, the volunteer first aid squad, the Rotary Club, the Deutscher Club, the Cran Centurians, Unico, Kiwanis and senior citizens.

A committee, headed by chairman, Ray Grimes, and Joseph Mikus of Post No. 328 and Ralph White and Norm Smith of Post No. 7363 arranged this year's observance. The guest speaker will be the Mayor George Nucera. The Clark-Winfield Girl Scouts will lay a wreath and students of Clark's Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School will play taps.

Clark Kiwanis ready for run

On Sunday, Nov. 10 the Clark Kiwanis Club, in conjunction with Running Mates, at 1735 St. George Ave., Rahway, will sponsor its annual marathon race, "Run For Life". Triple Header. The race will begin at 9 a.m. at Rahway Park.

Post-entry will be 8:30 a.m. on the day of the race before starting time. The first 400 registrants will receive a marathon T-shirt. Male and female entrants of all ages may race.

Three awards will be distributed in each male and female group in three different length races—five mile, 2.5 mile, and 1.25 mile. Rest room facilities will be available and free parking will be available in the Huffman-Koos parking lot directly across the street from the park.

Crestmont Savings and Loan of Clark, again donated the marathon T-shirts, reports George Crater, chairman of the run.

For information, directions, or registration forms please telephone 382-3607.



Veterans' day
NOVEMBER 11

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The Thanksgiving issues of The Rahway News-Record and The Clark Patriot, although dated for Thursday, Nov. 28, will be in the mail and on the newsstands by Wednesday, Nov. 27.

The offices of the newspapers, at 219 Central Ave., Rahway, N.J. 07065, will be closed on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, Nov. 28.

In order for our staff to enjoy the holiday ALL COPY FOR THE THANKSGIVING ISSUES MUST BE IN THE HANDS OF THE EDITOR AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS BY WEDNESDAY, NOV. 27 AT 5 P.M.

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Newspapers set holiday deadlines

CLARK PRESENTS MIRACLE PLAY... "The Song of Bernadette," the story of the 14 year old to whom the Virgin Mary appeared 18 times in 1858, Jean and Walter Kern's play, will be presented at Arthur L. Johnson Regional High School on Westfield Ave., Clark tomorrow and Saturday, Nov. 9 in the school's 600-seat auditorium beginning at 8 p.m. Starring as Bernadette will be senior, Maureen Walsh. Juniors, Marie Zimmer and John Clement, will portray her parents. Appearing in other leading roles will be Steven Rudyk, Robert MacAvoy and Kim MacDougall, all seniors who auditioned for the play last year's Johnson production of "The Wizard of Oz."

Comic leads will be played by Richard Windich and Jen Malloy. Michael Vogel is directing the play. Miss Lynda Schubert is the stage manager. Johnson Regional, for this play, will seat Clark senior citizens at any performance free of charge. Adult tickets will cost \$4 and students will be admitted for \$3. Reservations may be made by telephoning 382-0910 during the school day.



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